

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0505 ON MONDAY 03 NOVEMBER 2008

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH BISCAY TRAFALGAR FITZROY SOLE LUNDY FASTNET AND SOUTHEAST ICELAND

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT

LOW EAST BISCAY 1001 SLOW MOVING, FILLING 1008 BY MIDNIGHT TONIGHT. NEW HIGHS EXPECTED HEBRIDES AND FORTIES BOTH 1025 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE

SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5, BUT 6 OR 7 AT FIRST IN FAR NORTH, AND BECOMING VARIABLE 4 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTH UTSIRE

VARIABLE 4 BECOMING NORTHERLY 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. GOOD

FORTIES CROMARTY

EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5 IN SOUTH FORTIES, OTHERWISE SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5 BECOMING VARIABLE 4. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FAIR. GOOD

FORTH

VARIABLE BECOMING NORTHEASTERLY, 3 OR 4. SLIGHT. FAIR. GOOD

TYNE DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER

EAST OR NORTHEAST 4 OR 5. MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

THAMES DOVER

NORTHEAST 5 TO 7 VEERING SOUTHEAST 4. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES LATER. GOOD, BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR LATER

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH

EAST OR NORTHEAST 6 TO GALE 8, DECREASING 5 OR 6. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD, BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR

BISCAY

CYCLONIC 5 OR 6 IN EAST, OTHERWISE NORTHERLY 6 TO GALE 8 DECREASING 5 OR 6. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

FITZROY SOLE LUNDY FASTNET

NORTH OR NORTHEAST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

IRISH SEA

NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN SOUTH AT FIRST. MODERATE DECREASING SLIGHT. FOG PATCHES IN NORTH LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR IN NORTH LATER

SHANNON

MAINLY NORTH OR NORTHEAST 4 OR 5. MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

ROCKALL MALIN

WEST OR SOUTHWEST, VEERING EAST OR NORTHEAST, 4 OR 5. MODERATE OR ROUGH BECOMING SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

HEBRIDES

SOUTHWEST 5 OR 6 VEERING NORTHEAST THEN EAST 4 OR 5. ROUGH.
OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY

WEST 5 TO 7 BACKING SOUTH 4 OR 5, . ROUGH. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES

WEST OR SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7 BECOMING VARIABLE 4. ROUGH. RAIN THEN FAIR.
MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

WEST OR SOUTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD