

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0405  
UTC ON MONDAY 03 OCTOBER 2011 FOR THE PERIOD 0600 UTC  
MONDAY 03 OCTOBER TO 0600 UTC TUESDAY 04 OCTOBER 2011

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE  
FORTIES CROMARTY SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY  
FAIR ISLE FAEROES AND SOUTHEAST ICELAND

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT  
LOW 250 MILES WEST OF ROCKALL 985, MOVING RAPIDLY  
NORTHEAST, EXPECTED NORWEGIAN SEA 963 BY MIDNIGHT  
TONIGHT. NEW HIGH EXPECTED FITZROY 1027 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE  
SOUTHERLY VEERING SOUTHWESTERLY, 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 TO  
GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 LATER IN VIKING.  
MODERATE BECOMING VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN THEN SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR AT FIRST

SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER FISHER  
GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER THAMES  
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4, INCREASING 5 TO 7,  
OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 LATER IN FORTIES AND CROMARTY, AND  
PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER IN FORTH. SLIGHT OR MODERATE,  
BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER IN SOUTH UTSIRE,  
FORTIES, CROMARTY AND FISHER. OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG  
PATCHES IN FORTIES AT FIRST. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR IN FORTIES AT FIRST

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
SOUTHWEST 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 OR 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE.  
OCCASIONAL RAIN LATER, FOG PATCHES IN PLYMOUTH AT FIRST.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, BUT VERY POOR IN PLYMOUTH AT FIRST

BISCAY SOUTH FITZROY  
VARIABLE 3 OR 4. SLIGHT. FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

NORTH FITZROY SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA  
SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, DECREASING 4 FOR A TIME. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER IN WEST SOLE.  
OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES AT FIRST. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR AT FIRST

SHANNON  
SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES  
SOUTHWEST 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, INCREASING STORM 10 OR  
VIOLENT STORM 11 FOR A TIME IN ROCKALL AND HEBRIDES.  
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH. RAIN THEN SQUALLY  
SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY GOOD

BAILEY FAIR ISLE FAEROES  
SOUTHWEST, BUT CYCLONIC FOR A TIME IN BAILEY AND FAEROES,  
6 TO GALE 8, INCREASING SEVERE GALE 9 TO VIOLENT STORM  
11. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, BUT MODERATE AT FIRST IN EAST  
FAIR ISLE. RAIN THEN SQUALLY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR,  
OCCASIONALLY GOOD

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHWESTERLY, BECOMING CYCLONIC FOR A TIME, 5 TO 7,  
OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 LATER IN SOUTH, DECREASING 4 AT TIMES  
IN NORTH. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR POOR