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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 1800 UTC to 1800 UTC

#### General Situation

A ridge of high pressure will cover the south of the United Kingdom tonight and on Friday, but there will be unsettled weather with rain and strong winds at times in the north.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly veering southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Rough in north, slight or moderate in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 in north, decreasing 3 or 4.

Rain at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Rough becoming very rough in north, slight or moderate in south.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable becoming southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Occasional rain, mainly in north.

Mainly good, but moderate or poor in north.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly veering northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Occasional rain, then fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first in north.

Slight or moderate.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5.

Fair.

Mainly good.

Slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest 4 or 5.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5.

Fair.

Mainly good.

Slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Mainly fair.

Mainly good.

Slight or moderate.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

West 3 or 4.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West veering northwest, 3 or 4.

Mainly fair.

Mainly good.

Smooth becoming slight.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 3 or less.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 3 or less.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Smooth becoming slight.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 3 or less.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 3 or less.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good.

Mainly slight.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good.

Slight.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good.

Slight.

St Davids Head to Great Ormes Head, including St Georges Channel

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest, 3 or 4.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Slight.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good.

Mainly slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest, 3 or 4.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mainly slight.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good.

Mainly slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Slight or moderate.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near Lough Foyle.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in north.

Slight in south, moderate occasionally rough in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near Lough Foyle.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Slight in south, moderate occasionally rough in north.

The Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and the North Channel

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5.

Occasional drizzle.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly veering northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in North Channel.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Rain or drizzle.

Moderate or poor.

Moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest 5 to 7, decreasing 3 or 4.

Fair.

Good.

Rough or very rough.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Rain or drizzle.

Moderate or poor.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough later around Outer Hebrides.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly veering northwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 in north, then decreasing 3 or 4.

Fair.

Good.

Rough or very rough.

Shetland Isles

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 3 or 4, veering southwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Occasional rain.

Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Mainly rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 6 to gale 8, veering northwest 4 or 5.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Rough, becoming very rough or high.

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