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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 0600 UTC to 0600 UTC

General Situation

High pressure will remain slow moving to the east of the United Kingdom, with lower pressure to the west. Thundery cold front slowly moving east.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in north and east.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 3 or 4, but occasionally 5 in north and east at first.

Smooth or slight.

Showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time later.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast becoming variable later, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast becoming variable later, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast, becoming variable, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly, becoming variable later, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fog patches in south at first, thundery showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwesterly and increasing 5 in south.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly, backing westerly later, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fog patches for a time, thundery showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times in east.

Slight.

Showers, thundery for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Easterly becoming variable, then westerly later, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly, veering southwesterly, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times in west later.

Slight, becoming moderate in west later.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering southwest, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers, thundery for a time, fog patches for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 3 or 4.

Slight, becoming moderate in west later.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable, becoming southwesterly later, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers, thundery for a time, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times in northwest.

Slight.

Showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming southwest 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Smooth or slight.

Rain or showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 or 3, becoming south or southwest 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in east.

Smooth or slight.

Showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Mainly southeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time in North Channel.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in North Channel.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in far west.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly, becoming variable for a time in The Minch, 3 or 4.

Slight, occasionally smooth in The Minch.

Rain or thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or southeasterly, 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time in south.

Slight, occasionally smooth in The Minch.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland

Valid Thursday 02 Jul 2009 at 0600 UTC until Thursday 02 Jul 2009 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

An area of high pressure extends from the central North Sea to the Norwegian Sea, The high will

decline over the weekend with frontal troughs pushing east across the UK.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil.

East or southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Thursday 02 Jul until 0600 UTC on Friday 03 Jul:

Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 in the west.

Smooth or slight.

Fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

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