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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 0600 UTC Friday 04 November to 0600 UTC Saturday 05 November  
2016

#### General Situation

Low pressure centred over the northern North Sea will move slowly southwards, bringing a cold strong unstable northerly flow to all of the British Isles by later tomorrow evening.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 4 or 5, becoming north or northeast 6 to gale 8.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough or very rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough, occasionally moderate later.

Squally showers.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 4 or 5, veering north 6 to gale 8.

Slight, becoming rough or very rough.

Rain at times, squally showers later.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough, occasionally moderate.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West veering northwest 4 or 5, then veering north 6 to gale 8 later.

Slight, becoming rough or very rough later.

Rain or squally showers later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first.

Rough or very rough.

Squally showers.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, veering westerly or northwesterly 3 or 4, then veering northerly 5 to 7 later except in far south.

Slight, becoming moderate later in north.

Showers becoming squally later.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5 at first in south, otherwise 6 to gale 8.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough or very rough.

Squally showers.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly, veering northerly or northwesterly, 4 or 5, decreasing 3 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly, veering northerly for a time later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in north.

Squally showers.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 3 or 4, becoming cyclonic 5 or 6, then northwesterly 4 or 5.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7.

Slight or moderate.

Squally showers.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, becoming cyclonic 5 or 6, then becoming north or northwest 4 or 5.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Occasional rain at first.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Squally showers.

Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northerly 5 or 6, then backing northwesterly 4 or 5.

Smooth or slight, becoming moderate in far west.

Occasional rain at first, showers later.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 west of Start Point.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far west.

Showers.

Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, veering north 5 to 7 later.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain at first, showers later.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
North 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate, becoming rough in west.  
Showers.  
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
West or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, veering north 5 to 7 later.  
Slight or moderate.  
Showers, squally at times later.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
North 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate, becoming rough in west.  
Showers, squally at times later.  
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
West, veering north later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.  
Slight or moderate.  
Showers, squally at times later.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
North 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate, becoming rough near great orme head.  
Showers, squally at times later.  
Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
West 5, veering north or northeast 5 or 6 later.  
Slight or moderate.  
Showers.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
North 5 to 7.  
Moderate.  
Showers.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
West 4 or 5, veering north or northeast 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate, becoming rough near loch foyle.  
Squally showers.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
North 5 to 7.  
Rough at first near loch foyle, otherwise moderate.  
Showers, squally at times later.  
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Westerly 4 or 5, veering northerly or northeasterly 5 to 7 later.  
Slight or moderate.  
Squally showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 5 to 7.

Moderate, occasionally slight in Firth of Clyde.

Showers, squally at times later.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West veering north 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight in shelter.

Squally showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight in shelter.

Squally showers.

Good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic, becoming northerly or northeasterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, then increasing 6 to gale 8.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in far north.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first in far north, becoming slight later in south.

Squally showers.

Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic, becoming northerly or northeasterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, then increasing 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough later in far north.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first.

Very rough at first in far north, otherwise moderate or rough.

Squally showers.

Good.

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

Valid Friday 04 Nov 2016 at 0600 UTC until Friday 04 Nov 2016 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Low pressure to the south of Shetland will bring an unstable cold easterly or northeasterly airflow.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Northeasterly gale force 8 expected later. Issued at 21:34 UTC on Thursday 3 November 2016.

Easterly 4 or 5 at first in southeast, otherwise northeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later.  
Slight or moderate, becoming rough.  
Squally showers.  
Good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Friday 04 Nov until 0600 UTC on Saturday 05 Nov:

Northeasterly 6 to gale 8.  
Rough or very rough.  
Squally showers.  
Good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest to south 2 to 4, increasing 4 to 6 this morning, locally variable 2 to 4 in the north, generally veering northwest to north in the afternoon, decreasing 4 to 5 by evening and 3 to 4 by dawn.

Smooth or slight, increasing slight to moderate this morning, locally rather rough.

Rain, locally heavy, clearing early afternoon to isolated showers risk of thunder.

Moderate to poor in rain becoming good, except in showers.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest to north 3 to 4, increasing 4 to 5 in the afternoon, occasionally 6. Slight to moderate, becoming moderate in the afternoon, locally rather rough by morning.

Isolated showers, perhaps becoming scattered for a time late afternoon and early evening risk of hail and thunder.

Good, occasionally moderate to poor in showers.

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