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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 0000 UTC Monday 03 July to 0000 UTC Tuesday 04 July 2017

#### General Situation

The British Isles is under the influence of a west to southwesterly airflow with outbreaks of rain moving across many areas. The flow will tend to veer northwesterly northern areas tomorrow, before becoming light or moderate and variable in all areas into Tuesday.

#### Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest, veering north or northwest, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, decreasing 3 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later in the Moray Firth.

Rain or showers, becoming fair.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times in the Moray Firth.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in northwest.

Fair.

Good.

#### Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first near Rattray Head.

Rain or showers, becoming fair.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

#### Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or less, occasionally 4 later.

Slight, occasionally smooth.

Occasional rain at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Rain for a time.

Moderate or good.

#### Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming west 4 or 5 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, occasionally 4 later.

Smooth or slight.

Rain for a time.  
Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:  
Westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 at times.  
Slight, occasionally smooth.  
Rain or showers.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.  
Smooth or slight.  
Fair.  
Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:  
Westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times in east.  
Slight, occasionally moderate later.  
Showers later.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or 4.  
Slight becoming smooth.  
Fair.  
Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:  
Variable 3 or 4, becoming west 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.  
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.  
Smooth or slight.  
Fair.  
Moderate or good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:  
Mainly west 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in shelter.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.  
Smooth or slight.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:  
West or southwest 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
West or southwest 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first near great orme head, becoming variable 3 or 4.  
Slight, occasionally smooth later.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwest 4 or 5 for a time.  
Smooth or slight.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
West or southwest, veering northwest for a time, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or 4, becoming southeast 4 or 5, veering southwest for a time, then becoming variable 3 or 4 later.  
Smooth or slight.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Isle of Man  
24 hour forecast:  
Southwest, veering west or northwest, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 3 or less later.  
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or less, becoming east or southeast, veering southwest, 4 or 5 for a time.  
Smooth or slight.  
Rain at first, becoming fair later.  
Moderate or poor, becoming good later.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough  
24 hour forecast:  
West or southwest 3 or 4, veering northwest 4 or 5, then becoming variable 3 or 4 later.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 3 or 4, becoming cyclonic 4 or 5 for a time.  
Smooth or slight.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, veering northwesterly 4 or 5, then becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Slight, occasionally smooth later.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming cyclonic 4 or 5 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later.

Occasional rain at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5 for a time.

Moderate at first in west, otherwise smooth or slight.

Rain at times in south.

Moderate or good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West veering northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers at first.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4 later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West veering northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or less.

Moderate, occasionally slight.

Showers at first.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

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

Valid Monday 03 Jul 2017 at 0000 UTC until Monday 03 Jul 2017 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

An area of low pressure will move southeastwards across Shetland waters before a ridge of high pressure builds later on Monday.

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

Variable 2 or 3 at first in northeast, otherwise cyclonic 4 or 5.  
Slight or moderate.  
Rain or showers.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Monday 03 Jul until 0000 UTC on Tuesday 04 Jul:  
Cyclonic becoming northerly 3 or 4, then becoming variable 3 or less later.  
Slight or moderate.  
Showers at first.  
Good.

#### Channel Islands

##### 24 hour forecast:

West 4, locally 5, veering northwest 2 or 3 in the south in the afternoon, decreasing generally 2 to 4 in the evening.  
Slight to moderate becoming smooth or slight.  
Risk of patchy rain or drizzle and mist by morning.  
Good, occasionally moderate to poor.

##### Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 2 to 4, decreasing 1 to 3 by morning and becoming variable, then northeast to east 2 to 4 by evening.  
Smooth or slight, with a low swell.  
Fair periods risk of mist patches.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

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