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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Saturday 01 June to 0600 UTC Sunday 02 June 2019

General Situation

A warm and moist southwesterly airflow will persist across most areas during today. An area of low pressure will then move towards the British Isles during Sunday, its cold front bringing cooler and fresher conditions eastwards. Strong winds are likely to develop later across parts of the northwest.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, backing south 3 or 4, then southeast 4 or 5 later.

Smooth or slight in Moray Firth, otherwise slight or moderate.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 3 or 4, backing east or southeast, then becoming cyclonic later, 4 or 5.

Smooth or slight in Moray Firth, otherwise slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing south or southeast later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.

Smooth or slight until later south of Aberdeen, otherwise slight or moderate.

Rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South backing southeast for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5, occasionally 6.

Smooth or slight in firths of Forth and Tay, otherwise slight or moderate.

Rain then showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing southeast later, 4 or 5, decreasing 3 for a time.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fair then occasional rain.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast, 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing southeast, then veering south later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.

Occasional rain for a time in north.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast, veering southwest later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth at times in south, otherwise slight or moderate.

Occasional rain for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly backing southerly 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later in northeast.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly, veering southwesterly later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in north.

Occasional rain or showers for a time later, perhaps thundery.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less, becoming southerly 3 or 4 later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly veering southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain or showers for a time later, perhaps thundery.

Good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly southeast, veering southwest later, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Occasional rain with fog patches for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor for a time.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly veering southerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in west.

Moderate in far west, otherwise smooth or slight, occasionally moderate offshore.

Fog patches developing.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 3, increasing 4 or 5, veering west later.

Smooth at times in shelter, otherwise slight or moderate.

Occasional rain with fog patches, becoming fair.

Moderate or very poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

South 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight in far east, otherwise moderate.

Fog patches developing.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Smooth or slight in far east, otherwise moderate or rough.

Occasional rain with fog patches at first.

Moderate or very poor, becoming good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight until later in north, otherwise slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or drizzle, mainly in north, fog patches developing.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain with fog patches at first.

Moderate or very poor, becoming mainly good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South backing southeast for a time, 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.

Occasional rain or drizzle, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 4 or 5, veering south, then southwest later, 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain or showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate, occasionally very poor, becoming mainly good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South backing east or southeast for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 later.

Slight becoming moderate later.

Occasional rain or drizzle, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, veering south or southwest 6 or 7 later.

Moderate becoming moderate or rough later.

Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming mainly fair.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 3 or 4, backing southeast 4 or 5, then south 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight until later in east, otherwise slight or moderate.

Fog patches in southeast, occasional rain for a time in southeast, then more generally later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in southeast.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 4 or 5, veering south 5 or 6, increasing 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough in east.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4, backing southeasterly 4 or 5, then southerly 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.

Fog patches in southern North Channel, rain for a time in south, then more generally later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in southern North Channel.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, veering southerly 5 or 6, increasing 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 5 or 6 later.

Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate, occasionally rough in northwest.

Rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast veering south 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, becoming cyclonic 6 or 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing east later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later in central areas.

Showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 3 or 4, backing east 5 or 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later in south.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing east later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate, occasionally rough in west.

Showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 3 or 4, backing east 5 or 6 for a time.

Moderate, occasionally rough in west.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

Valid Saturday 01 Jun 2019 at 0600 UTC until Saturday 01 Jun 2019 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Troughs of low pressure moving slowly northwards across Shetland Waters over the next 24 hours.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle at time of issue: Nil

In northeast: easterly backing southeasterly 3 or 4
in southwest: westerly 4 or 5 backing southwesterly 3 or 4
Moderate
Rain at times
Moderate or good occasionally poor

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Saturday 01 Jun until 0600 UTC on Sunday 02 Jun:
South or southwesterly 3 or 4, but southeasterly 4 or 5 in northeast at first
Moderate
Rain at times
Good, occasionally moderate or poor

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly easterly to southeasterly at first, 1 to 3, increasing 4 at times, becoming southerly to southwesterly overnight.

Smooth.

Fog patches for a time this evening, with fog banks or extensive fog developing in northwest overnight.

Good, locally poor or very poor from this evening.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly to southwesterly 2 to 4, becoming variable 1 to 3 for a time in southeast, then increasing 5 at times later in far north, then veering westerly. Smooth or slight with a low swell.

Fog banks for a time with extensive fog at first in northwest occasional rain later on Sunday afternoon and Sunday evening, becoming fair or fine later.

Moderate to very poor, occasionally good.

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