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

#### General Situation

A cold front will slowly clear southeast England on Tuesday.  
Remaining areas of the United Kingdom will come under an unstable airflow which will be strong in southern areas with a risk of gales.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southerly becoming variable 3 or 4.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northerly 4 or 5.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly becoming cyclonic 3 or 4, then northerly 4 or 5 later.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, veering westerly 4 or 5.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly veering northwesterly 4 or 5.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight occasionally moderate later.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in south later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 5 to 7, veering southwesterly 5 or 6.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8 for a time.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps increasing gale 8 at times.

Rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps increasing gale 8 at times.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly veering westerly 5 to 7, perhaps increasing gale 8 for a time.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in west.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly veering westerly 5 to 7.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 for a time.

Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Rough or very rough.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, increasing 7 for a time.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8 for a time in south.

Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Moderate, occasionally rough in south.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly or westerly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly or westerly 5 or 6, veering northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time, veering westerly 4 or 5 later.

Occasional showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, backing southerly 5 or 6 for a time.

Occasional showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate increasing rough for a time.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4 veering westerly or southwesterly 5 or 6.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly, becoming cyclonic 5 or 6, decreasing 4 later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Slight or moderate, increasing rough in north for a time.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4 veering westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, becoming cyclonic 5 or 6.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4, veering southwesterly 4 or 5.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, becoming cyclonic 5 or 6, then northerly later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4, becoming cyclonic 4 or 5.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic, becoming northerly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough.

Shetland Isles

24 hour forecast:

Southerly backing easterly 3 or 4, then backing northwesterly later.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate increasing rough.

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