

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725
UTC ON WEDNESDAY 01 MAY 2019 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC
WEDNESDAY 01 MAY TO 1800 UTC THURSDAY 02 MAY 2019

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN TRAFALGAR AND FITZROY

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY
LOW ROCKALL 1010, SLOW-MOVING, FILLING 1015 BY MIDDAY
TOMORROW. HIGH 300 MILES WEST OF FITZROY 1029 EXPECTED
150 MILES WEST OF FITZROY 1027 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE
NORTHERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.
SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER.
RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

NORTHEAST FORTIES
NORTHWESTERLY 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 LATER. SLIGHT,
BECOMING MODERATE, THEN BECOMING ROUGH LATER. DRIZZLE
THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTHWEST FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER
VARIABLE 4, BECOMING NORTHERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5,
OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER EXCEPT IN FORTH AND TYNE. SMOOTH OR
SLIGHT, BECOMING MODERATE LATER. OCCASIONAL RAIN AND FOG
PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FISHER NORTHEAST GERMAN BIGHT
NORTHWEST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER IN FISHER.
MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTHWEST GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER
WESTERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT,
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE IN SOUTHWEST GERMAN BIGHT.
OCCASIONAL DRIZZLE, FOG PATCHES DEVELOPING. MODERATE OR
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

THAMES DOVER WIGHT
WEST OR NORTHWEST 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER. SMOOTH OR
SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE LATER. RAIN LATER, FOG
PATCHES LATER IN HUMBER. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY
VERY POOR LATER IN HUMBER

PORTLAND PLYMOUTH BISCAY
NORTHWEST 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. GOOD

SOUTH FITZROY
NORTHERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN SOUTH. MODERATE
OR ROUGH. FAIR. GOOD

NORTH FITZROY SOLE
NORTHERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY, BACKING WESTERLY LATER, 4 OR
5. MODERATE. RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

LUNDY FASTNET
WEST OR NORTHWEST 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN LATER.
MODERATE OR GOOD

IRISH SEA
SOUTHWEST, VEERING WEST OR NORTHWEST, 3 OR 4,
OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT. RAIN AT TIMES.

GOOD

SHANNON SOUTH ROCKALL
WESTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY LATER, 4 OR 5,
OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. ROUGH BECOMING MODERATE.
OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

NORTH ROCKALL
CYCLONIC, BECOMING NORTHEASTERLY LATER, 4 OR 5. MODERATE.
SHOWERS. GOOD

MALIN
SOUTH, VEERING WEST, THEN VEERING NORTHEAST LATER, 4 OR
5. MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

HEBRIDES BAILEY
EAST OR SOUTHEAST, BACKING NORTHEAST, 4 OR 5,
OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN FAR
NORTH BAILEY. SHOWERS. GOOD

FAIR ISLE FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND
NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY 4 AT
FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR
GOOD