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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Monday 05 September to 0000 UTC Tuesday 06 September
2011

General Situation

An area of low pressure will track northeastwards across Scotland overnight.
Another deep area of low pressure will move eastwards across the Atlantic
towards Scotland on Monday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Variable becoming mainly west or southwest, 3 or 4 occasionally 5 for a time
around Rattray Head.

Moderate in north, otherwise smooth or slight.

Showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest, backing southeast 3 or 4, veering southwest 4 or 5, veering
northwest 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight in Moray Firth, otherwise moderate.

Showers, rain for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwest 4 or 5 later.

Smooth or slight.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest backing southeast for a time 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6, veering
northwest 6 or 7 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming mainly moderate.

Showers, rain for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 4 or 5.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6, veering northwest 6 or 7 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain, then showers.

Moderate occasionally poor, becoming good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, then rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.
Rain, then showers.
Moderate occasionally poor, becoming good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in south later.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in far south.

Showers, then rain.

Good, becoming moderate or poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Moderate, occasionally rough in south.

Rain.

Moderate occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing 7 or gale 8 later.

Moderate or rough.

Showers, then rain.

Good, becoming moderate or poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 7 or gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 for a time later.

Rough, occasionally very rough.

Rain.

Moderate, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest, 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough.

Squally showers, then rain.

Good, becoming moderate or poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Rough, occasionally very rough.

Rain, then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough in east, rough or very rough in west.

Showers, then rain or drizzle.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Rough, occasionally very rough in west.

Rain or drizzle, then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in north later.

Rough or very rough.

Showers, then rain or drizzle.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.
Rough or very rough.
Rain or drizzle, then showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.
Moderate or rough, becoming very rough in south.
Showers, then rain or drizzle.
Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in south.
Rain or drizzle, then showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

South 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7, then veering west or southwest, occasionally gale 8 later.
Moderate.
Thundery showers, then rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Moderate, occasionally rough.
Rain, then showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 4 or 5, becoming northwest 5 or 6, backing west 4 or 5, backing southwest 6 or 7 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.
Showers then rain.
Good, becoming moderate or poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 6 or 7, perhaps gale 8 at times, veering west later.
Moderate or rough.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic becoming northwesterly 4 or 5, backing southerly or southwesterly 5 to 7 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming rough in northwest.
Showers, then rain.
Good, becoming moderate occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in north for a time.
Slight or moderate in east, rough or very rough in northwest.
Rain, then squally showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northwesterly 4 or 5, backing southerly or

southwesterly 5 or 6.
Slight or moderate, becoming rough near Mull of Kintyre.
Showers, then rain.
Good, becoming moderate occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time in north.
Moderate, becoming rough near Mull of Kintyre.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
Northeast becoming cyclonic then northwest, backing southeast 4 or 5 later.
Moderate occasionally rough in west.
Thundery showers, then rain.
Good, becoming moderate occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time,
veering northwest later.
Rough or very rough.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate occasionally poor, becoming good.

The Minch
24 hour forecast:
Northeast becoming variable 3 or 4, then southeast 4 or 5 later.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Showers, then rain.
Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 to 7, veering northwest later.
Moderate, occasionally rough or very rough in south.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath
24 hour forecast:
Northeast becoming variable 3 or 4, then southeast 4 or 5 later.
Moderate occasionally rough.
Showers, then rain.
Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 to 7, veering northwest later.
Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 05 Sep 2011 at 0000 UTC until Monday 05 Sep 2011 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

An area of low pressure will move north across Shetland waters during Monday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

East 3 or 4 backing northeast 4 or 5, becoming cyclonic 5 or 6 later.

Moderate, but slight in sheltered eastern waters.
Outbreaks of rain, occasionally heavy later.
Moderate or good, perhaps poor later.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Monday 05 Sep until 0000 UTC on Tuesday 06 Sep:

Cyclonic 5 or 6.
Moderate, but slight in sheltered eastern waters.
Outbreaks of rain, heavy at first.
Moderate or poor, occasionally good later.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West to southwest 5 to 6, locally 7 mid-channel by the afternoon, locally 4 in the south for a time in the afternoon.

Rather rough to rough.

Isolated showers, dying out in the evening risk of little rain or drizzle in the north later.

Mainly good, perhaps moderate to poor in the north later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, locally gale 8 mid-channel in the morning and afternoon, veering west in the evening.

Rough to very rough.

Occasional rain or drizzle, locally heavy, with a risk of fog patches, clearing in the evening to become fair.

Moderate to poor in rain or drizzle and very poor in any fog patches, becoming good later.

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