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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Sunday 03 June to 0000 UTC Monday 04 June 2012

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure will persist across the north of the United Kingdom. Various fronts, associated with an area of low pressure near the celtic sea, will continue to affect central and southern areas.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Moderate, but mainly slight in Moray Firth.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly backing northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near Rattray Head, decreasing 3 later in west.

Moderate, occasionally rough in east.

Showers.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near Rattray Head, becoming variable 3 in south.

Moderate, occasionally rough near Rattray Head.

Showers.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, rain for a time in south.

Good, occasionally moderate in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast backing north 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Moderate, becoming rough for a time.

Showers.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in far south, backing northeasterly 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast backing north 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Rain at first in south, otherwise showers.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 5 to 7, backing northeasterly 4 or 5 in north.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first in south.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, backing northerly 2 or 3 later.

Moderate.

Rain or showers, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly, becoming cyclonic or southwesterly except in east, 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first near North Foreland.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly at first in west, otherwise northeasterly, 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time.

Moderate, occasionally rough in east.

Rain or showers, mainly fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast veering southwest, 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate, occasionally rough later in west.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly veering northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in east, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 4 or 5 at first in east, otherwise westerly or southwesterly 5 or 6.

Moderate or rough.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 or 6 veering north 4 or 5, then becoming variable 2, becoming southeast 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers.

Mainly good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly at first in north, otherwise southwesterly becoming

cyclonic, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in west.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or poor becoming moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Cyclonic becoming northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 2, then becoming southeast 4 or 5 later.
Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly backing northeasterly 5 to 7, but becoming cyclonic 4 or 5 for a time at first in south.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far north.
Rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 5 or 6 decreasing 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.
Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times later.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in southwest.
Rain, becoming mainly fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 4 or 5 becoming variable 2 or 3.
Moderate becoming slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in south, decreasing 4 at times later.
Moderate, occasionally rough in south.
Rain at times, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East 4 or 5 backing northeast 3 or 4, then becoming variable 2 or 3.
Moderate becoming slight.
Fair.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 5 or 6 decreasing 3 or 4.
Moderate, occasionally rough in southeast, becoming slight or moderate.
Rain for a time in southeast.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in southeast.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 3 or 4 becoming variable 2 or 3.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 5 or 6 decreasing 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 3 or 4 becoming variable 2 or 3.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first in North Channel.

Showers.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, decreasing 3 at times later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 in south.

Slight, occasionally moderate in north.

Showers.

Good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate, occasionally slight south of skye.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate, occasionally slight between barra and canna.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

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

Valid Sunday 03 Jun 2012 at 0000 UTC until Sunday 03 Jun 2012 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A ridge will be slow moving to the west or southwest of Shetland, with a low complex over Scandinavia and adjacent waters.

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

North veering northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Moderate, occasionally rough later.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Sunday 03 Jun until 0000 UTC on Monday 04 Jun:
Northeast backing north or northwest 5 or 6.
Moderate or rough.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 4 or 5, occasionally 6, increasing 5 or 6 in the afternoon.
Slight or moderate soon becoming moderate to rather rough, locally rough later.
Any thundery showers in the northeast soon clearing, mist and fog patches, mostly clearing by the morning, occasional rain in the evening.
Moderate or poor in showers or rain, locally very poor in fog, otherwise moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 or 6, veering northerly by the morning and decreasing 4 or 5, further decreasing 1 to 3 around noon, becoming variable in the afternoon and southerly or southeasterly in the evening, perhaps locally 4 in the west later.
Moderate to rather rough, locally rough at first, decreasing slight.
Rain soon clearing.
Good, locally moderate or poor in rain.

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