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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 0600 UTC Monday 02 December to 0600 UTC Tuesday 03 December 2013

#### General Situation

High pressure will remain slow moving over the southern United Kingdom, with low pressure to the north.

#### Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 around Cape Wrath, veering northwesterly 5 or 6 later.

Rough or very rough in north, slight or moderate in southeast.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 5 or 6, backing westerly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 later, occasionally gale 8 in north.

Rough or very rough in north, slight or moderate in southeast.

Rain, then wintry showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

#### Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, veering northerly 4 or 5, backing westerly later, occasionally 6 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Rain then wintry showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

#### Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest later, 4 or 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

#### Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwest 4 or 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate for a time.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering northwest later, 4 or 5.

Slight.

Fair then occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly becoming variable 3 or 4, occasionally 5 for a time.

Slight, occasionally moderate in north at first.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming westerly, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly backing northwesterly, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast, 3 or 4 occasionally 5 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast backing northwest 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 for a time.

Slight, occasionally moderate in far west.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast becoming variable, 3 or 4.

Slight, occasionally moderate for a time in far west.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Southeast becoming variable, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming west 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:  
South veering west, 4 or 5.  
Smooth or slight.  
Fair.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
West veering north later, 4 or 5.  
Smooth or slight.  
Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:  
South veering west, 4 or 5.  
Slight.  
Fair.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
West veering north later, 4 or 5.  
Slight.  
Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:  
South veering southwest, 3 or 4 occasionally 5 later.  
Slight.  
Occasional drizzle.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southwest veering northwest, 4 or 5.  
Slight or moderate.  
Rain later.  
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:  
Southerly veering southwesterly, 4 or 5 occasionally 6 in north.  
Moderate occasionally rough in north, slight or moderate in southeast.  
Rain later.  
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southwesterly veering northerly, then backing northwesterly later, 4 or 5 occasionally 6 in north.  
Moderate occasionally rough in north, slight or moderate in southeast.  
Occasional rain, showers later.  
Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:  
Southerly veering southwesterly, 4 or 5.  
Slight or moderate.  
Rain later.  
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly veering northerly, then backing northwesterly later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north later.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain, showers later.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough.

Rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, veering north 4 or 5, backing northwest 5 to 7 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain then wintry showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 for a time, veering northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, but rough in far north and far south.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 4 or 5, backing westerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in north later.

Slight or moderate, but rough in far north and far south.

Rain then wintry showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 for a time, veering northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Rough or very rough.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 4 or 5, backing westerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in north later.

Rough or very rough.

Rain then wintry showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

Valid Monday 02 Dec 2013 at 0600 UTC until Monday 02 Dec 2013 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A strengthening southwesterly airflow will cover Shetland on Monday. A cold front will move southeast across Shetland on Monday night.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Southwest 5 or 6 increasing 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Rough, but moderate just east of Shetland.  
Rain at times.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Monday 02 Dec until 0600 UTC on Tuesday 03 Dec:

Southwest 7 or gale 8 veering northwest 5 or 6.  
Rough, but moderate just east of Shetland, becoming very rough for a time in west.  
Rain then showers.  
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands  
24 hour forecast:  
Easterly 3 or 4, decreasing 2 or 3 overnight.  
Slight.  
Mainly cloudy.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
East to northeast 2 or 3, becoming variable later in the morning.  
Smooth or slight.  
Mainly cloudy.  
Good.

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