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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Friday 01 July to 0600 UTC Saturday 02 July 2011

General Situation

An anticyclone will become centred over the British Isles, although weak fronts will brush by northwestern areas at times.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest becoming variable 3 or 4, decreasing 2 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly northeast 3 or 4, decreasing 2 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, occasionally northerly 4 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Showers for a time.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly northeast 3 or less.

Slight becoming moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Showers for a time.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly northeast 3 or less.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:
Northwesterly 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Showers for a time.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in north.
Mainly fair.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northwesterly 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, occasionally southwesterly 4 in east.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or 4, decreasing 2 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest becoming variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate west of land's end.
Fair.
Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate near Cornwall.
Fair.
Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Northwest becoming variable 2 or 3.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 or 3.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, occasionally southeasterly 4 in east.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Mainly west becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, occasionally southeasterly 4 in North Channel.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Mainly southwest, backing southeast later, 3 or less, occasionally 4 near Tiree.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 2 or 3, occasionally 4 in west.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in south.

Showers.

Mainly good.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing southeast 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Showers then fair.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain later.

Mainly good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing southeast 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth between barra and canna.

Showers then fair.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain later.

Mainly good.

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

Valid Friday 01 Jul 2011 at 0600 UTC until Friday 01 Jul 2011 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

The atmospheric pressure will remain high to the northwest of Shetland.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Northerly 3 or 4, increasing 5 in far east later.

Smooth or slight, becoming moderate in far east.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Friday 01 Jul until 0600 UTC on Saturday 02 Jul:

Northerly 3 or 4, but 5 in far east.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

North 2 to 4, veering northeast to east overnight.

Smooth or slight.

Fair or fine.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast to east 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair or fine.

Good.

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