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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 1800 UTC Thursday 01 July to 1800 UTC Friday 02 July 2010

#### General Situation

A deep area of low pressure will remain slow moving over the eastern north Atlantic. Its associated weather fronts will edge slowly eastwards across the United Kingdom during the next two days.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6, becoming variable 3 for a time in north.

Slight or moderate, but rough at times around Orkney.

Occasional rain then showers, fog patches at first in northeast.

Moderate, occasionally very poor in northeast at first, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7 in north.

Moderate, occasionally rough in north, and very rough later towards Cape Wrath.

Mainly fair in east, showers in west.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering south 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain then fair.

Moderate occasionally poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Slight, occasionally moderate in north.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering south, 4 or 5, occasionally 6, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain, mainly fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest, 3 or 4, increasing 5.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Mainly good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly, veering southerly or southwesterly, 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly veering southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time in north.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Mainly southeasterly 3 or 4, veering southerly later.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly, veering westerly, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Rain or showers, occasionally thundery.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly, veering southwesterly later, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery rain or showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly, veering westerly, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Rain or showers, occasionally thundery at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Southerly, veering southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in west.

Slight, increasing moderate in west.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Rain then mainly fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Southerly, veering westerly or southwesterly, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Moderate, occasionally rough in west.

Rain at times, showers later, fog patches at first.

Moderate or very poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times in far west.

Moderate in east, rough in west, occasionally very rough around Isles of Scilly.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southerly, veering southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in west.

Rain, then showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or very poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5.

Rough, but moderate in Bristol Channel.

Showers.  
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Moderate.  
Rain, then showers.  
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southerly, veering southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Moderate, but occasionally rough in far south.  
Showers.  
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast, veering south or southwest, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough for a time in north.  
Rain then showers, fog patches at first.  
Moderate or very poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South or southwest, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate.  
Showers.  
Moderate or good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
South 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Moderate, occasionally rough.  
Mainly fair.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South, veering southwest, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Moderate, occasionally rough.  
Fair.  
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
South or southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Moderate or rough.  
Mainly fair.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South, veering southwest, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate through North Channel, rough occasionally very rough west of rathlin island.  
Showers.  
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeasterly, veering southerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Moderate, occasionally rough in North Channel.  
Mainly fair.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southerly veering southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate, but occasionally rough in northwest.  
Showers.  
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast veering south, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.  
Moderate or rough.  
Showers.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South or southwest 5 to 7.  
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in west.  
Showers.  
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast, veering south 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7 later.  
Slight or moderate north of skye, rough south of skye.  
Squally showers.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South or southwest 5 to 7.  
Moderate north of skye, rough, increasing very rough south of skye.  
Squally showers.  
Moderate or good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast, veering south 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7 later.  
Rough, occasionally very rough in west later.  
Squally showers.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South or southwest 5 to 7.  
Rough or very rough.  
Squally showers.  
Moderate or good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland  
Valid Thursday 01 Jul 2010 at 1800 UTC until Friday 02 Jul 2010 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A deep low to the west of Scotland will drift slowly northwards as weather fronts cross Shetland during tonight and Friday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Southeast 5 to 7.  
Moderate.  
Rain at times. Mist patches.  
Moderate or good.

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

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Southeast 5 to 7, veering south 4 or 5.

Moderate to rough.

Rain then showers. Mist patches at first.

Moderate or good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Mainly south 3 to 4, locally 5 in the northwest of the area for a time overnight, gradually veering northwest by late afternoon, backing west in the north of the area later.

Slight to moderate, locally smooth at first.

Occasional rain in the west of the area after midnight, spreading slowly east and becoming patchier mist and a risk of fog patches by the morning.

Good, becoming moderate to poor in rain, locally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or variable 2 to 3, locally 4 at first.

Mainly slight with a low swell.

Patchy rain, with mist or fog patches, clearing from the west overnight.

Moderate to poor in rain and locally very poor in any fog patches otherwise good.

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