

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725 UTC ON SUNDAY 03 MAY 2020 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC SUNDAY 03 MAY TO 1800 UTC MONDAY 04 MAY 2020

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY
HIGH 250 MILES SOUTHWEST OF ICELAND 1025 EXPECTED HEBRIDES 1027 BY MIDDAY
TOMORROW. NEW LOW EXPECTED NORTHWEST FITZROY 1000 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE
NORTHERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 5 OR 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

FORTIES CROMARTY
NORTH 4 OR 5. SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

FORTH TYNE DOGGER
CYCLONIC, MAINLY SOUTHEAST 3 OR 4 BACKING NORTHEAST 4 TO 6. SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

FISHER
NORTHWESTERLY 4 TO 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 IN NORTHEAST. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

NORTHEAST GERMAN BIGHT
NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. SLIGHT. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTHWEST GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT. SHOWERS. GOOD

THAMES
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING NORTHEAST 5 TO 7 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT, BECOMING MODERATE LATER. SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING NORTHEAST 5 TO 7 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH LATER. OCCASIONAL DRIZZLE, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

PLYMOUTH NORTH BISCAY
VARIABLE 3 OR LESS, BECOMING EASTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. FOG BANKS, THUNDERY RAIN LATER. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SOUTH BISCAY
EASTERLY 5 OR 6, BECOMING CYCLONIC 6 OR 7 LATER. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH LATER. RAIN OR THUNDERY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTH FITZROY
CYCLONIC, MAINLY SOUTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. THUNDERY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

NORTH FITZROY SOLE
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING EASTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER. OCCASIONAL RAIN, THUNDERY LATER, FOG BANKS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

LUNDY FASTNET
NORTHEAST 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 OR 7 LATER. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. FOG BANKS IN SOUTH. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR IN SOUTH

IRISH SEA
NORTH OR NORTHEAST 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 OR 6. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY

MODERATE IN SOUTH. FAIR. GOOD

SHANNON

NORTHEAST 5 OR 6, INCREASING 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

ROCKALL MALIN

NORTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6. MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

HEBRIDES BAILEY FAIR ISLE FAEROES

NORTHERLY 4 OR 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3, THEN SOUTHWESTERLY 5 OR 6 LATER IN NORTHWEST BAILEY AND NORTHWEST FAEROES. MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

VARIABLE 4, BECOMING SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS. MAINLY GOOD