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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Sunday 02 August to 1200 UTC Monday 03 August 2015

General Situation

A deep area of low pressure will become slow moving to the west of the British Isles, bringing unsettled and windy conditions, particularly to the north and west.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable becoming southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later. Slight, becoming moderate except in inner Moray Firth, then moderate or rough later.

Fair then occasional rain.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 5 to 7, decreasing 4 for a time.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate for a time.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, veering south or southeast 4 or 5 later.

Slight becoming moderate.

Occasional rain.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5, increasing 6, occasionally 7 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, veering south or southwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight becoming moderate.

Mainly fair.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, veering south or southwest 4 or 5 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 3 or 4, backing southeasterly 5 or 6, then veering southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly veering southwesterly later, 4 or 5 decreasing 3 at times.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in lyme bay.

Slight becoming slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.

Showers at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly veering southwest 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times in east.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far west.

Rain or showers later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough in far west.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly veering southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in west, but decreasing 4 at times in east.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain or showers for a time later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time in west.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.

Showers later.

Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south, veering southerly or southwesterly 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate becoming moderate or rough.

Rain or showers for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough for a time.

Showers later.

Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering southwest later, 5 or 6, but mainly 4 at first.

Slight, becoming moderate except in Liverpool Bay, occasionally rough later in north.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Slight or moderate in south, moderate or rough in north.

Showers, mainly later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast, backing east or southeast, then veering south or southwest later, 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate.

Rain at times.

Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 5 or 6, increasing 6 or 7 for a time.

Moderate or rough.

Fair then occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate or poor later.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering south later, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time.

Occasional rain, mainly fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest later, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly veering southerly later, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in North Channel.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time in North Channel.

Occasional rain, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly veering southwesterly later, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering south later, 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times in shelter.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough in northwest.

Occasional rain, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South backing southeast, then veering southwest later, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough in north.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, backing easterly 5 to 7, then veering southerly 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later in south.

Occasional rain.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly backing southeasterly, then veering southwesterly later in south, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in south, but decreasing 4 at times in north.

Slight or moderate at first in north, otherwise moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough in south.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, backing easterly 5 to 7, then veering southerly 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough, except near Sutherland.

Occasional rain.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly backing southeasterly, then veering southwesterly later in south, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in south, but decreasing 4 at times in north.

Slight or moderate near Sutherland, otherwise moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

Valid Sunday 02 Aug 2015 at 1200 UTC until Monday 03 Aug 2015 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Trough soon moves away with a brief ridge following. Deep low west of Ireland extends troughs across from early Monday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Southerly or southwesterly backing southeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 later in south and west.

Slight or moderate.

Rain later in south.

Good, occasionally moderate later in south.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Monday 03 Aug until 1200 UTC on Monday 03 Aug:

Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 6, backing east 5 to 7 later.

Moderate, occasionally slight at first, increasing rough later in far south.

Rain spreading north.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 2 to 4, veering south to southwest this evening, increasing 4 to 5 by midnight, perhaps locally 6 mid-channel overnight, decreasing 2 to 4 by midday. Slight, becoming moderate in the north and west of the area by midnight, perhaps rather rough mid channel for a time overnight.

Risk of a shower on Monday.

Good, perhaps occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South to southwest 2 to 4, veering westerly by evening, backing southwest overnight, increasing 4 to 5 Tuesday morning, locally 6 mid channel.

Slight to moderate, with a low swell, increasing moderate to rather rough Tuesday morning, locally rough mid channel.

Isolated showers.

Good, occasionally moderate in showers.

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