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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Monday 02 July to 1200 UTC Tuesday 03 July 2018

General Situation

A thundery area of low pressure over France will gradually sink southwards and slowly fill, leaving the United Kingdom away from the far south in a very slack pressure pattern.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4 at times in north, otherwise variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.

Fair.

Good, occasionally poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming southeasterly 3 or 4 later in north.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.

Fog patches developing in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in north.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3.

Slight becoming smooth.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming south 3 or 4 later.

Smooth.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 3 or less, occasionally 4 at first.

Slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Mainly good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, decreasing 3 later in north.
Slight occasionally moderate in south.
Fair.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times in west.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in Strait of Dover.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Smooth or slight becoming slight or moderate.
Thundery showers at first.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or less later.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later around headlands.
Smooth at times inshore east of the Lizard, otherwise slight or moderate.
Thundery showers, fair later except in far west.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East becoming cyclonic later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first around headlands.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally poor.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeast backing east later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate in west, smooth or slight in east.
Thundery showers at first.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 or 5, veering east or southeast 3 or 4 later.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in west.

Fair.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North veering east or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first near St Davids Head.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 3 or less later.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
Northeast veering east later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.
Slight or moderate at first in southwest, otherwise smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly east or northeast, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
North or northeast veering east or northeast, 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate, becoming slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly northerly or northeasterly, veering easterly later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in southeast.
Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.
Fair.
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel
24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly northerly or northeasterly, veering easterly later, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate near Mull of Kintyre.

Fair.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast, 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly north veering southeast, 3 or less.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate in far north and in far south, otherwise smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming mainly southerly later, 3 or less.

Slight or moderate in far north and in far south, otherwise smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4 at times in north, otherwise variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming mainly southerly later, 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor in north.

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

Valid Monday 02 Jul 2018 at 1200 UTC until Tuesday 03 Jul 2018 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure extending northeast across Shetland waters edges away southwards.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil.

West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first

Moderate, but slight in sheltered eastern waters

Patchy rain

Moderate or good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Tuesday 03 Jul until 1200 UTC on Tuesday 03 Jul:

West or southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first
Moderate, but slight in eastern waters
Mainly fair, risk of fog patches later
Moderate or good, perhaps occasionally very poor

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast to east 3 to 5 jersey northwards, locally variable or westerly 1 to 4 south of jersey, perhaps occasionally 6 mid channel gusty near showers.
Slight, occasionally moderate in the north.
Isolated thundery showers some mist patches.
Moderate to good, locally moderate to poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly 2 to 4, locally variable 1 to 3 south of jersey, becoming generally variable or westerly 1 to 3 in the morning.
Smooth or slight, locally moderate in the north early Tuesday afternoon.
Mist patches risk of thundery showers especially near the french coast.
Moderate to good, locally moderate to poor at times.

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