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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 1800 UTC to 1800 UTC

General Situation

A deep area of low pressure will move northeast across the United Kingdom during Wednesday.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast becoming variable, 3 or 4, becoming north or northeast 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South becoming variable 3 or 4, becoming north or northwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, backing south 3 or 4 later.

Slight.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South becoming cyclonic 4 or 5, becoming northwest 5 to 7 later.

Slight.

Occasional rain.

Good, occasionally poor.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time.

Slight.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South backing southeast 4 or 5, veering west or northwest 6 to gale 8.

Slight or moderate.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in south, backing southerly 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Squally showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly veering westerly, 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly backing southerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, occasionally 4 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough.

Squally showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly 5 to 7, veering westerly or southwesterly 6 to gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing south, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate or rough.

Squally showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering west or southwest, 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest, backing south for a time, 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times, decreasing 4 for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough west of Lizard peninsula.

Squally showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering west or northwest, 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough west of Lizard peninsula.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest backing south for a time, 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at

times.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in southwest.

Squally showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest veering west or northwest, 5 or 6, increasing 7 to severe gale 9 for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in southwest.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 or 6, backing south or southeast 4 or 5.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight in north.

Squally showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast becoming cyclonic then west or northwest, 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8 for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 or 6, backing southeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest becoming cyclonic 3 or 4, becoming west or northwest 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later.

Rain then squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 or 6, backing east or southeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast becoming cyclonic, 4 or 5, becoming west or northwest 6 or 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later.

Rain then showers.

Moderate occasionally poor, becoming good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in southeast, backing southeasterly 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast backing northwest, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 at times.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally poor at first in east.

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

24 hour forecast:

Mainly southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast backing northwest, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in west.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest backing south or southeast, 3 or 4, occasionally 5
at first.

Moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast backing northeast, then backing northwest, 3 or 4,
occasionally 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest backing south, 3 or 4.

Moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South becoming variable, then north or northwest later, 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

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

Valid Tuesday 01 Sep 2009 at 1800 UTC until Wednesday 02 Sep 2009 at
0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A complex Low will move northeast from Faeroes across the Norwegian
Sea tonight. An Atlantic Low will move northeast over the British
Isles by late Wednesday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Cyclonic 5 or 6 in the far northwest at first otherwise south or
southwest 5 or 6, veering west or southwest 4 or 5.

Moderate but rough in the northeast at first.
Rain or showers, later few showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Wednesday 02 Sep until 1800 UTC
on Wednesday 02 Sep:

West or southwest 4 or 5, later backing south or southwest 3 or 4 in
the south and far west.

Moderate becoming slight in the southeast.

Isolated Showers.

Mainly good.

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