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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Friday 04 October to 1800 UTC Saturday 05 October 2019

General Situation

Low pressure centred over Ireland will quickly fill today and move steadily southeastwards, eventually losing its identity over France tonight. Further Atlantic fronts will then begin to move into the west during the day on Saturday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 4 or 5, veering southeasterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later in north. Slight at first in Moray Firth, otherwise moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 until later.

Moderate or rough.

Showers then rain.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, veering southeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in north.

Moderate, occasionally rough except in far south.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first in north.

Mainly rough in north and moderate in south.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Northeast, veering southeast later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Moderate.

Showers at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 4 to 6, occasionally 7 for a time.

Moderate.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 4 or 5, veering east 2 to 4, then veering southeast 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Moderate, occasionally slight.

Rain.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly, veering northeasterly, then southeasterly later, 3 to 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming cyclonic 6 to gale 8 later.

Slight, becoming moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 4 or 5, veering easterly or northeasterly, then becoming variable later in west, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 for a time in east.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less at first in west, otherwise easterly or southeasterly 4 or 5, veering westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair, then occasional rain, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 5 or 6, veering north 3 or 4, then becoming variable 2 to 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming mainly slight later.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming south 4 or 5, then veering west or northwest 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Rain, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

West 6 or 7, decreasing 3 to 5, then backing southwest later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in west, becoming slight in shelter.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering west or northwest, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate, but mainly rough west of the Lizard peninsula.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 5 to 7, becoming variable 2 to 4, then south or southwest 4 or 5 later.

Rough or very rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Moderate, occasionally rough in west.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 4 or 5, becoming variable 2 to 4, then south or southeast 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first in south.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast, veering west or northwest, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in north, veering southeasterly 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly, veering westerly or northwesterly, 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in shelter.

Occasional rain, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast, veering southeast, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast, veering west or northwest, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Moderate, becoming slight later.

Occasional rain, mainly fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 or 5, veering southeast 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 5 to 7, veering west or northwest 3 to 5, occasionally 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 or 5, veering southeast 4 to 6, then occasionally 7 later near Mull of Kintyre.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in shelter.

Mainly fair, occasionally rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast becoming cyclonic 4 to 6, then variable 2 to 4 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in shelter.

Occasional rain, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East veering southeast, 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight in shelter.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 5 to 7, becoming variable 2 to 4, then northwest 4 or 5 for a time later.

Moderate or rough, but mainly slight in shelter.

Rain at times, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 4 to 6, veering southeasterly 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in south.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 5 to 7, decreasing 3 to 5, becoming variable 2 or 3 for a time in south.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in south.

Rain at times, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 4 to 6, veering southeasterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later in southwest.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far west.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 6 or 7, decreasing 3 to 5, becoming variable 2 or 3 for a time in south.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far west.

Rain at times, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

Valid Friday 04 Oct 2019 at 1800 UTC until Saturday 05 Oct 2019 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure extending southeast across Shetland water declines north as a low pushes east across central UK.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle at time of issue: Nil

East or southeast 4 or 5, decreasing 3 later in the east.

Moderate, rough in the west.

Fair

Good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Saturday 05 Oct until 1800 UTC on Saturday 05 Oct:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, soon increasing 6 or 7 in the southwest, occasionally 3 at first in the northeast.

Moderate, rough in the west.

Mainly fair.

Good

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West to northwest 6 to 7, perhaps locally gale 8 at first, veering northwest 5 to 6 overnight, decreasing 3 to 5 by morning, backing west 2 to 4 by midday, then southwest 3 to 5 later.

Rather rough to rough, locally very rough in the northwest at first, decreasing moderate to rather rough by morning, then mainly slight by midday, occasionally smooth later.

Occasional showers, becoming more isolated overnight patchy light rain and drizzle then spreading eastwards during the early morning.

Good, occasionally moderate, perhaps locally poor in the morning.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 3 to 5, increasing 4 to 6 overnight, then veering northwest 5 to 6 around dawn, perhaps locally 7 mid-channel during the morning.

Slight occasionally smooth, increasing moderate to rather rough by Sunday morning, locally rough in the northwest, with a low swell.

Occasional rain, becoming persistent overnight, locally heavy with the slight risk of thunder, clearing by morning.

Moderate to good, occasionally poor overnight, becoming good by morning.

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