

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 2315
UTC ON TUESDAY 03 APRIL 2012 FOR THE PERIOD 0000 UTC
WEDNESDAY 04 APRIL TO 0000 UTC THURSDAY 05 APRIL 2012

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN TYNE DOGGER HUMBER
PLYMOUTH FITZROY SOLE LUNDY FASTNET AND IRISH SEA

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 1800
LOW EASTERN ENGLAND 999 EXPECTED PLYMOUTH 1007 BY 1800
WEDNESDAY

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE
NORTHERLY BACKING WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY LATER, 4 OR
5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. WINTRY
SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

SOUTH UTSIRE NORTHEAST FORTIES
NORTHEASTERLY BACKING WESTERLY LATER, 4 OR 5,
OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. WINTRY
SHOWERS. MAINLY GOOD

SOUTHWEST FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH
NORTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, BACKING WESTERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 4
OR 5 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH BECOMING MODERATE. WINTRY
SHOWERS. GOOD

TYNE DOGGER
NORTHEAST 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, DECREASING 4 OR 5 LATER.
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH LATER.
RAIN OR SLEET THEN MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR POOR BECOMING
GOOD

FISHER
NORTHEAST 5 OR 6, BACKING NORTHWEST 4 OR 5 LATER.
MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. GOOD

GERMAN BIGHT
NORTHEAST 5 TO 7. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN WEST.
RAIN OR SLEET THEN MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR POOR,
BECOMING GOOD

HUMBER
NORTHEASTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 IN
WEST. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN.
MODERATE OR POOR

THAMES
VARIABLE 4, BECOMING NORTHEAST 5 TO 7. SLIGHT OR MODERATE
BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND
WEST BECOMING CYCLONIC 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN
PORTLAND, THEN NORTHEAST 5 OR 6 LATER. SLIGHT BECOMING
MODERATE. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

PLYMOUTH
NORTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, INCREASING
GALE 8 AT TIMES IN WEST. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING VERY
ROUGH IN WEST. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

BISCAY

NORTHWESTERLY, BECOMING CYCLONIC LATER, 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN NORTH. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH IN NORTH. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

TRAFALGAR FITZROY

NORTHERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY 4 AT FIRST, INCREASING GALE 8 LATER IN NORTH FITZROY. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING VERY ROUGH LATER IN NORTH FITZROY. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA

NORTH VEERING NORTHEAST 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 EXCEPT IN SOLE. MODERATE OR ROUGH BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN

NORTHEAST 5 TO 7, BACKING NORTHWEST 4 OR 5 LATER IN ROCKALL AND MALIN. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH LATER IN ROCKALL AND MALIN. WINTRY SHOWERS. MAINLY GOOD

HEBRIDES BAILEY FAIR ISLE

NORTHEAST BACKING WEST OR NORTHWEST 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 LATER, DECREASING 4 FOR A TIME. ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

WESTERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7. ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD