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WEATHER REPORTS FROM COASTAL STATIONS FOR 2300 GMT 18/12/2009

TIREE AUTOMATIC

NORTHEAST BY NORTH FOUR RECENT RAIN

18 MILES 1020 FALLING SLOWLY

STORNOWAY

WESTNORTHWEST TWO

15 MILES 1020 FALLING SLOWLY

LERWICK

NORTH TWO

16 MILES 1015 FALLING

WICK(AUTOMATIC)

WEST BY NORTH THREE RECENT RAIN

9 MILES 1018 FALLING SLOWLY

ABERDEEN

NORTH BY WEST TWO

16 MILES 1017 FALLING MORE SLOWLY

LEUCHARS

WEST BY NORTH TWO

21 MILES 1018 FALLING SLOWLY

BOULMER

WESTNORTHWEST FOUR

11 MILES 1018 FALLING MORE SLOWLY

BRIDLINGTON

NORTH BY EAST THREE

1016 FALLING MORE SLOWLY

SANDETTIE LT VESSEL AUTOMATIC 2200 GMT

EAST FOUR

5 MILES 1010 FALLING SLOWLY

GREENWICH LT VESSEL AUTOMATIC

NORTH SEVEN

11 MILES 1013 FALLING SLOWLY

ST CATHERINES POINT AUTOMATIC

NORTHWEST TWO

1015 NOW RISING

JERSEY

NORTH BY EAST FOUR RECENT SNOW SHOWERS

18 MILES 1015 RISING MORE SLOWLY

CHANNEL LT VESSEL AUTOMATIC

NORTH BY EAST FIVE

11 MILES 1017 RISING SLOWLY

SCILLY AUTOMATIC

NORTHEAST FOUR

27 MILES 1019 RISING MORE SLOWLY

MILFORD HAVEN

NORTHEAST TWO

18 MILES 1020 FALLING SLOWLY

ABERPORTH

NORTHEAST FOUR

11 MILES 1020 FALLING SLOWLY

VALLEY

EASTNORTHEAST ONE

15 MILES 1020 FALLING MORE SLOWLY

LIVERPOOL-CROSBY

NORTHNORTHWEST TWO

12 MILES 1019 FALLING SLOWLY

VALENTIA

NORTHEAST TWO

21 MILES 1025 FALLING SLOWLY

RONALDSWAY

WESTSOUTHWEST ONE

10 MILES 1020 FALLING SLOWLY

MALIN HEAD

NORTHNORTHEAST FOUR RECENT RAIN

21 MILES 1020 NOW RISING

MACHRIHANISH AUTOMATIC

EAST BY SOUTH ONE

15 MILES 1019 FALLING SLOWLY