

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1130  
UTC ON WEDNESDAY 02 APRIL 2014 FOR THE PERIOD 1200 UTC  
WEDNESDAY 02 APRIL TO 1200 UTC THURSDAY 03 APRIL 2014

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN BAILEY

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 0600

LOW JUST WEST OF NORTH FITZROY 983 EXPECTED JUST WEST OF  
SHANNON 987 BY 0600 TOMORROW. NEW LOW EXPECTED SOUTH  
PORTLAND 997 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE

VARIABLE 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY SOUTHEASTERLY 5 IN  
SOUTHWEST VIKING AND SOUTH UTSIRE. SLIGHT OR MODERATE.  
OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH

EAST OR SOUTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER IN FORTIES  
AND CROMARTY. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE  
OR POOR

TYNE DOGGER

EAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER IN DOGGER. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE. RAIN AT TIMES, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR POOR,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FISHER

EAST 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER THAMES DOVER

EAST OR NORTHEAST, VEERING SOUTHEAST LATER IN DOVER, 4 OR  
5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES.  
MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

WIGHT PORTLAND

EASTERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST  
IN NORTH, BECOMING CYCLONIC 3 OR 4 LATER. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE. RAIN OR THUNDERY SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE  
OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

PLYMOUTH

SOUTHEASTERLY BECOMING VARIABLE THEN SOUTHWESTERLY, 3 OR  
4, OCCASIONALLY 5 IN NORTH. MODERATE. RAIN OR THUNDERY  
SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY  
POOR

BISCAY

CYCLONIC 4 OR 5 BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR 4. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. RAIN OR THUNDERY SHOWERS,  
FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FITZROY SOLE

SOUTH OR SOUTHEAST 5 TO 7 VEERING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR  
5. MODERATE OR ROUGH. THUNDERY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA

EAST OR SOUTHEAST 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 AT TIMES, THEN  
OCCASIONALLY VARIABLE 3 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH IN  
SOUTHWEST FASTNET, OTHERWISE SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN OR

THUNDERY SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR POOR,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SHANNON

SOUTHEAST 5 OR 6, VEERING SOUTH 4 LATER. MODERATE OR  
ROUGH. RAIN OR THUNDERY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY

EASTERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN  
WEST BAILEY. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE  
OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5 VEERING SOUTHEASTERLY 5  
OR 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE IN FAIR ISLE AND EAST FAEROES,  
OTHERWISE MODERATE OR ROUGH. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR  
GOOD