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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Tuesday 01 December to 1800 UTC Wednesday 02 December
2015

General Situation

Unsettled conditions will prevail for the next few days. Windy everywhere, but especially so in the northwest.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 in west and north, decreasing 5 at times later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering west, 6 to gale 8, decreasing 3 or 4 and becoming variable for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 near Rattray Head, decreasing 5 at times later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain then isolated showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 to 7, veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough later in north.

Occasional rain or drizzle, fair for a time.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first in north.

Occasional rain or drizzle but mainly fair in north.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate.

Occasional rain or drizzle, fair for a time.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Moderate.

Outbreaks of rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 5 or 6, increasing 7 for a time.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle, fair for a time.
Good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times later.
Slight or moderate.
Outbreaks of rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 5 to 7.
Moderate or rough.
Occasional drizzle, but mainly fair.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times later.
Moderate, occasionally rough.
Occasional drizzle, but fair for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in western solent.
Moderate or rough.
Occasional drizzle, but mainly fair.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 5 to 7, backing south 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Moderate or rough.
Occasional drizzle, but fair for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 around Start Point.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far west.
Occasional drizzle, but mainly fair.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far west.
Rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.
Rough or very rough.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Rough or very rough.
Rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:

Southwest 6 to gale 8, veering north or northwest 4 or 5 later.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far south.
Rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in south.
Rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:
Southwest 6 to gale 8, veering north or northwest 4 or 5 later.
Moderate or rough.
Occasional rain and drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north, becoming slight later.
Occasional rain and drizzle, mainly fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:
Southwest 6 to gale 8, veering north or northwest 4 or 5 later.
Moderate or rough.
Rain at times.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.
Rough or very rough, becoming slight or moderate.
Rain at times, mainly fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:
Southwest 6 to gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in northwest.
Rain at times, fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first.
Showers.
Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 6 to gale 8, veering northwesterly 4 or 5 later.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later.
Rain at times, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first.

Mainly fair, showers later.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 for a time, then veering westerly 5 or 6 later.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high in north.

Occasional rain and drizzle, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, decreasing 4 for a time.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high at first in north.

Mainly fair, showers later.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest gale 8 or severe gale 9, veering west 5 to 7 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough, occasionally high later in far south.

Occasional rain and drizzle, showers later but fair for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high at first in far south, becoming slight or moderate near skye.

Mainly fair, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest gale 8 or severe gale 9, veering west 5 to 7 later.

Very rough or high.

Occasional rain and drizzle, showers later but fair for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Very rough or high, becoming rough later.

Mainly fair, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

Valid Tuesday 01 Dec 2015 at 1800 UTC until Wednesday 02 Dec 2015 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Various fronts move across Shetland Waters with a deep low moving northeast past Iceland on Wednesday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Severe gale force 9 veering Southwesterly soon.

Southeast veering southwest 7 to severe gale 9 later, decreasing 6 for a time in

north.

Rough or very rough, increasing high later in far west.

Rain, heavy at times at first.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good later.

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

Southwest veering west, 7 to severe gale 9, decreasing 6 later in south.

Rough or very rough but high in west, and for a time in far northeast.

Rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 to 5, occasionally 6 with gusts to 35kt.

Moderate to rather rough, occasionally rough towards mid-channel.

Slight risk of a little drizzle.

Good, perhaps locally moderate to poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South to southwest 5 to 6, perhaps locally 7 mid-channel on Thursday.

Moderate to rather rough with swell, occasionally rough towards mid-channel.

Some rain likely in the west by Thursday evening.

Good, perhaps moderate to poor in the west later.

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