

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725 UTC ON MONDAY 03 AUGUST 2020 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC MONDAY 03 AUGUST TO 1800 UTC TUESDAY 04 AUGUST 2020

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN AND HEBRIDES

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY

LOWS SOUTHEAST ICELAND 1001 AND FITZROY 1019, BOTH LOSING THEIR IDENTITIES. ATLANTIC LOW MOVING RATHER QUICKLY NORTHEAST, EXPECTED JUST WEST OF BAILEY 988 BY MIDDAY TOMORROW

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE

SOUTHWESTERLY 3 TO 5, BACKING SOUTHERLY 5 TO 7 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER IN VIKING. SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE LATER

SOUTH UTSIRE

NORTHWESTERLY, BACKING SOUTHERLY LATER, 4 TO 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER

VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING SOUTHWEST 5, THEN BACKING SOUTH 5 TO 7 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT, BECOMING SLIGHT OR MODERATE LATER, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER IN FORTIES, CROMARTY AND FORTH. SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR LATER

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT

NORTHWEST, BACKING SOUTHWEST LATER, 3 TO 5. SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

HUMBER THAMES DOVER

VARIABLE 2 TO 4, BECOMING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT, BECOMING SLIGHT OR MODERATE LATER. SHOWERS. GOOD

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH

WEST OR NORTHWEST, BACKING SOUTHWEST LATER, 3 TO 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER IN PLYMOUTH. SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE IN PORTLAND AND PLYMOUTH. FAIR. GOOD

BISCAY

NORTHWESTERLY 5 AT FIRST IN EAST, OTHERWISE VARIABLE 2 TO 4. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTHEAST FITZROY

NORTHERLY 4 TO 6, OCCASIONALLY VARIABLE 3 IN NORTH. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN FAR SOUTH. SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

NORTHWEST FITZROY SOLE

VARIABLE 2 TO 4, BECOMING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 TO 6. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER IN WEST SOLE. FOG PATCHES DEVELOPING. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

LUNDY FASTNET

WEST BACKING SOUTHWEST, 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 OR 7 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. DRIZZLE LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR LATER

IRISH SEA

SOUTHWEST 3 TO 5, BACKING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 6 OR 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH LATER. RAIN DEVELOPING. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES

SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6, BACKING SOUTH OR SOUTHEAST, THEN VEERING SOUTHWEST LATER, 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8. MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN,

FOG PATCHES DEVELOPING. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

BAILEY

SOUTHWESTERLY BECOMING CYCLONIC, 4 TO 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 IN EAST. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN EAST. OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES DEVELOPING. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES SOUTHERN SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHEASTERLY, 4 TO 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 LATER IN FAIR ISLE. MAINLY MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR LATER

NORTHERN SOUTHEAST ICELAND

VARIABLE 3, BECOMING EASTERLY 4 TO 6 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR