

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0505
UTC ON THURSDAY 03 JULY 2014 FOR THE PERIOD 0600 UTC
THURSDAY 03 JULY TO 0600 UTC FRIDAY 04 JULY 2014

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN BAILEY FAEROES AND
SOUTHEAST ICELAND

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT
LOW ICELAND 980 SLOW-MOVING, FILLING 985 BY MIDNIGHT
TONIGHT. LOW 650 MILES WEST OF ROCKALL 1003 EXPECTED
NORTH ROCKALL 991 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE
WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5 BACKING SOUTHERLY 5 OR
6. MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTH UTSIRE
SOUTHWESTERLY 6 AT FIRST IN FAR EAST, OTHERWISE
NORTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5
LATER. MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE
SOUTHWEST BACKING SOUTH 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER.
SLIGHT OR MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER
SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. SLIGHT OR
MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

THAMES
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN
WEST. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FAIR. GOOD

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND
VARIABLE BECOMING SOUTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 IN
NORTH. SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE IN NORTH. FOG
PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

PLYMOUTH
SOUTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 OR 6 IN NORTHWEST.
SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

BISCAY
VARIABLE BECOMING WESTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER.
SLIGHT, BECOMING MODERATE LATER IN NORTHWEST. THUNDERY
SHOWERS IN SOUTHEAST, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SOUTH FITZROY
NORTHERLY BACKING NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, BUT 5 TO 7 IN FAR
SOUTHEAST. MODERATE OR ROUGH IN FAR SOUTHEAST, OTHERWISE
SLIGHT OR MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

NORTH FITZROY SOLE
SOUTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4 INCREASING 5 OR 6. SLIGHT OR
MODERATE BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG
PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA
SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER. SLIGHT OR

MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH IN FASTNET. RAIN AT TIMES. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON

SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES

SOUTHWEST, VEERING NORTHWEST EXCEPT IN MALIN, 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH. RAIN AT TIMES. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY

WEST OR SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST. VERY ROUGH BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE

SOUTHWEST BACKING SOUTH 5 TO 7. VERY ROUGH BECOMING ROUGH IN WEST, MODERATE OR ROUGH IN EAST. SHOWERS THEN RAIN. GOOD, BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR

FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY BECOMING CYCLONIC, 6 TO GALE 8 DECREASING 4 OR 5. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR