

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0015  
UTC ON SATURDAY 02 FEBRUARY 2019 FOR THE PERIOD 0000 UTC  
SATURDAY 02 FEBRUARY TO 0000 UTC SUNDAY 03 FEBRUARY 2019

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN PORTLAND PLYMOUTH BISCAY  
TRAFALGAR FITZROY AND SOLE

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 1800  
LOW WEST FRANCE 985 EXPECTED NORTH MEDITERRANEAN 993 BY  
1800 SATURDAY

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE  
SOUTHEASTERLY BECOMING VARIABLE, 3 OR 4, THEN BECOMING  
NORTHWEST 5 OR 6 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL  
SNOW OR SNOW SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY  
POOR

SOUTH UTSIRE  
EASTERLY 5 TO 7, BACKING NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. WINTRY SHOWERS.  
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

EAST FORTIES  
EASTERLY 4 OR 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 LATER. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

WEST FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH  
VARIABLE 4, BECOMING NORTHWESTERLY 5 OR 6. MODERATE OR  
ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

TYNE DOGGER  
NORTHEAST BACKING NORTHWEST, 5 OR 6. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY  
POOR

FISHER  
EAST BACKING NORTHEAST, 5 TO 7. SLIGHT OR MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER THAMES  
NORTHEAST BACKING NORTHWEST, 5 OR 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE.  
OCCASIONAL SLEET OR WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY  
POOR

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
NORTH 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST IN PORTLAND  
AND PLYMOUTH. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING SLIGHT IN NORTH  
LATER. OCCASIONAL SLEET OR WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

BISCAY  
CYCLONIC BECOMING NORTH, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, DECREASING 5  
OR 6 LATER. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, BECOMING MODERATE OR  
ROUGH LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR,  
OCCASIONALLY GOOD

TRAFALGAR FITZROY  
NORTHERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, DECREASING  
5 OR 6, THEN BECOMING VARIABLE 4 LATER IN WEST. VERY

ROUGH OR HIGH, BECOMING ROUGH LATER EXCEPT IN SOUTH TRAFALGAR. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA  
NORTHERLY 5 TO 7, BACKING WESTERLY 4 OR 5 LATER, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST IN EAST SOLE. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST IN SOLE. SHOWERS. GOOD

SHANNON ROCKALL  
NORTH 5 TO 7, BECOMING VARIABLE 4, THEN BECOMING SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

MALIN HEBRIDES  
NORTH 5 OR 6, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR LESS, THEN BECOMING SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY  
NORTH OR NORTHWEST 4 OR 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR LESS, THEN BECOMING SOUTHEAST 5 TO 7 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS, RAIN LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES  
NORTH OR NORTHWEST 4 OR 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR 4 LATER, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. SNOW SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND  
NORTHWESTERLY 5 OR 6, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR 4, THEN SOUTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. SNOW SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR. LIGHT ICING