

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0505 ON THURSDAY 04 OCTOBER 2007

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN ROCKALL

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 0100  
HIGH SOLE 1021 INTENSIFYING, EXPECTED CENTRAL ENGLAND 1026 BY 0100 TOMORROW. NEW LOW EXPECTED DENMARK 1018 BY SAME TIME. NEW LOW EXPECTED BAILEY 998 BY THAT TIME. LOW HEBRIDES 1009 LOSING ITS IDENTITY

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE  
SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, DECREASING 3 OR 4. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

FORTIES  
CYCLONIC 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

CROMARTY  
SOUTHEASTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4. SLIGHT. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FORTH TYNE DOGGER  
WESTERLY 4 OR 5, VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 3 OR LESS. SLIGHT. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

FISHER  
EASTERLY 5 TO 7, VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

GERMAN BIGHT  
SOUTHEASTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 AT FIRST. SLIGHT. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

HUMBER THAMES DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
NORTHWESTERLY OR WESTERLY 3 OR 4, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR LESS. SLIGHT. RAIN AT FIRST. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR AT FIRST

BISCAY  
NORTHEASTERLY VEERING EASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5. MAINLY SLIGHT. SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FITZROY  
NORTHEASTERLY VEERING SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 OR 6 IN WEST LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FAIR. GOOD

SOLE  
VARIABLE 3, BECOMING MAINLY SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN WEST. MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET  
VARIABLE BECOMING SOUTHERLY, 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FAIR. GOOD

IRISH SEA  
WESTERLY BACKING SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5. SLIGHT. FAIR. GOOD

SHANNON ROCKALL  
SOUTHWESTERLY 3 OR 4, BACKING SOUTHERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN ROCKALL. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

MALIN HEBRIDES

WESTERLY 4 OR 5, BACKING SOUTHERLY 6 OR 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.  
MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD

BAILEY

NORTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 OR 7,  
PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE

SOUTHEASTERLY VEERING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, BACKING SOUTHERLY 6 OR 7  
IN WEST LATER. MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH. SHOWERS, RAIN LATER.  
MODERATE OR GOOD

FAEROES

CYCLONIC BECOMING SOUTHEASTERLY, 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 OR 7, PERHAPS  
GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE  
OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5, BACKING SOUTHEASTERLY 6 OR 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.  
ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR