

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET.OFFICE
AT 1725 ON WEDNESDAY 04 AUGUST 2004

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 1300
ATLANTIC LOW MOVING STEADILY EAST EXPECTED JUST NORTHWEST OF SHANNON
999 BY 1300 TOMORROW. LOW NORTH DENMARK 1013 LOSING ITS IDENTITY.
HIGH HEBRIDES 1019 LOSING ITS IDENTITY

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES
VARIABLE 3 OR 4. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD WITH FOG PATCHES

CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER
VARIABLE BECOMING SOUTHEASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER.
RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE WITH FOG PATCHES

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT
VARIABLE BECOMING EASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER. SHOWERS.
MODERATE OR GOOD

HUMBER THAMES
NORTHEASTERLY 3 OR 4. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD WITH FOG PATCHES

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND
WESTERLY 3 OR 4. SHOWERS. MODERATE WITH FOG PATCHES

PLYMOUTH
NORTHWEST BACKING SOUTHWEST 3 OR 4. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

BISCAY
NORTHWEST BACKING WEST OR SOUTHWEST 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 AT
FIRST. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

EAST FITZROY
VARIABLE 3 OR 4 BECOMING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. OCCASIONAL RAIN.
MODERATE OR GOOD

WEST FITZROY
SOUTHEASTERLY VEERING WESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN NORTH,
DECREASING 3 IN SOUTH LATER. RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD

SOLE
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING SOUTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6, THEN VEERING
WESTERLY LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA
VARIABLE BECOMING SOUTHEASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 LATER.
RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR IN IRISH SEA

SHANNON
EAST OR SOUTHEAST 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7,
VEERING SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5 LATER. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

ROCKALL
SOUTHEASTERLY 3 OR 4, INCREASING 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. RAIN
AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD

MALIN HEBRIDES
NORTHERLY VEERING EASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5. RAIN OR SHOWERS.
MODERATE OR GOOD

BAILEY
SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4 BACKING EASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6.

OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAIR ISLE FAEROES

NORTHERLY VEERING EASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5. OCCASIONAL RAIN.
MODERATE OR GOOD WITH FOG PATCHES IN FAIR ISLE

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHERLY BACKING EASTERLY 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 IN SOUTH LATER.
RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD