

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725  
UTC ON WEDNESDAY 03 APRIL 2019 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC  
WEDNESDAY 03 APRIL TO 1800 UTC THURSDAY 04 APRIL 2019

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN FASTNET SHANNON ROCKALL  
MALIN AND HEBRIDES

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY  
LOW SCOTLAND 995 EXPECTED WALES 986 BY MIDDAY TOMORROW.  
NEW LOW EXPECTED FITZROY 990 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE NORTH SOUTH UTSIRE  
EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN  
VIKING. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN AT FIRST.  
MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTH SOUTH UTSIRE  
EASTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH.  
OCCASIONAL RAIN AT FIRST. MODERATE OR GOOD

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER  
EASTERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 AT TIMES.  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN FORTIES AND CROMARTY.  
RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD OCCASIONALLY POOR

FISHER  
EAST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH.  
RAIN AT TIMES. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

GERMAN BIGHT  
EAST OR SOUTHEAST 4 OR 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR 4.  
SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

HUMBER THAMES DOVER  
CYCLONIC BECOMING SOUTH OR SOUTHEAST, 4 OR 5. SMOOTH OR  
SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE IN NORTH HUMBER. SHOWERS.  
GOOD

WIGHT PORTLAND  
WEST OR SOUTHWEST 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 TO 7. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS,  
THUNDERY AT FIRST. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

PLYMOUTH BISCAY  
NORTHWEST, BACKING WEST OR SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7, DECREASING 4  
AT TIMES. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH  
LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS, THUNDERY AT FIRST. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FITZROY  
NORTHWEST, BECOMING CYCLONIC LATER, 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE  
8 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE LATER  
IN NORTHEAST. RAIN OR SHOWERS, THUNDERY AT FIRST. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOLE LUNDY FASTNET  
NORTH OR NORTHWEST, BECOMING CYCLONIC IN LUNDY, 5 TO 7,  
OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST IN FASTNET, OCCASIONALLY 4  
LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH EXCEPT  
IN LUNDY. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

IRISH SEA

CYCLONIC BECOMING EAST, 5 TO 7. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

SHANNON ROCKALL

NORTH, VEERING NORTHEAST, 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST, THEN DECREASING 4 AT TIMES LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

MALIN HEBRIDES

NORTH 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, VEERING NORTHEAST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER IN HEBRIDES. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY FAIR ISLE FAEROES

NORTHEAST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST. OCCASIONAL RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

NORTHEASTERLY, BUT SOUTHERLY IN NORTHWEST, 4 OR 5. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. FAIR. GOOD