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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Tuesday 06 August to 0000 UTC Wednesday 07 August 2019

General Situation

An area of low pressure currently centred to the northwest of Ireland will drift slowly eastwards across Scotland over the next couple of days, maintaining unsettled weather across most parts of the United Kingdom.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Variable or cyclonic 3 or 4, becoming northeasterly 4 or 5 later in far northwest.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later in far northwest.

Thundery showers, fog patches in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic 3 or less at first in south, otherwise northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Slight or moderate in northwest, smooth or slight in southeast.

Thundery showers, fog patches at first near Orkney.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first near Orkney.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly southwesterly veering northwesterly, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in north.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 3 to 5.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers developing.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering west 3 to 5, occasionally 6 later.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers, fair later.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest, occasionally southeast for a time later, 3 to 5.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight.

Showers.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in the south and east.
Slight, occasionally moderate in south and east.
Thundery showers for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly, veering westerly later, 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers for a time.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in west.
Moderate, occasionally slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Moderate, occasionally slight in shelter.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 4 to 6.
Moderate, occasionally slight in shelter.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest, veering west later, 4 to 6.
Moderate, occasionally slight in shelter.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Moderate, occasionally slight in shelter, becoming smooth or slight later.
Showers, fair later.
Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 in west.
Slight or moderate in Bristol Channel, otherwise moderate, occasionally rough in west.
Showers, perhaps thundery for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 or 7, decreasing 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, fair later.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later.
Moderate, occasionally slight in shelter.
Showers, perhaps thundery for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, perhaps thundery for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, fair later.
Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Moderate, becoming slight or moderate.
Showers, perhaps thundery.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.
Slight or moderate, becoming slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
Southerly or southwesterly, veering westerly or northwesterly later, 3 to 5, becoming variable 3 or less for a time in northwest.
Slight or moderate at first near county down, otherwise smooth or slight.
Showers, thundery at times.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or northwesterly 3 to 5, becoming variable 3 or less for a time in east.
Smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel
24 hour forecast:
Southerly or southwesterly 3 to 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first near the Mull of Galloway.

Showers, thundery at times, fair later.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4, becoming westerly or northwesterly 3 to 5.
Smooth or slight.
Thundery showers for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
South or southeast 3 to 5, becoming variable, then northwesterly later, 3 or 4.
Slight.
Showers, thundery for a time, fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or northwesterly 3 to 5, occasionally 6 later in far north.
Slight, occasionally moderate later.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

The Minch
24 hour forecast:
Cyclonic 2 to 4, becoming northeasterly 4 or 5 later in north.
Smooth or slight.
Showers, thundery for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Cyclonic 2 to 4 at first in south, otherwise northerly or northwesterly 4 to 6.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Cyclonic 3 or 4, becoming northeasterly 4 or 5 later, occasionally 6 later in north.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Showers, thundery for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 for a time.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time.
Occasional rain or showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Tuesday 06 Aug 2019 at 0000 UTC until Tuesday 06 Aug 2019 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
An occluded front will remain slow moving across the area.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle at time of issue: Nil at time of issue

East or northeast 4 or 5
Slight or moderate

Rain or showers
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Tuesday 06 Aug until 0000 UTC on Wednesday 07 Aug:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 3 in south.

Slight or moderate

Rain or showers

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 to 5, veering westerly around midday and locally variable 2 in the south of the area, occasionally 6 mid-channel later this afternoon and early evening.

Slight, occasionally moderate in the north of the area, locally smooth in the far south at times.

Isolated showers.

Good, locally moderate in showers.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 in the south of the area at first, otherwise southwest to west 4 to 5, perhaps occasionally 6 in the north of the area during the morning, then southwest 3 to 4 in the evening.

Slight, occasionally moderate in the north of the area, locally smooth in the far south at times, with a low swell.

Isolated showers dying out Wednesday afternoon.

Good, locally moderate in showers.

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