

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0505 UTC ON WEDNESDAY 01 JULY 2020 FOR THE PERIOD 0600 UTC WEDNESDAY 01 JULY TO 0600 UTC THURSDAY 02 JULY 2020

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT

HIGH ICELAND 1015 EXPECTED JUST WEST OF BAILEY 1013 BY MIDNIGHT TONIGHT. NEW LOW EXPECTED OSLO 996 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE

NORTHERLY BACKING NORTHWESTERLY 4 TO 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 AT FIRST IN NORTH UTSIRE. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST IN VIKING AND NORTH UTSIRE. SHOWERS. GOOD

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH

CYCLONIC, MAINLY NORTHEAST, 5 TO 7, BECOMING NORTH, THEN BACKING NORTHWEST LATER, 4 OR 5. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. SHOWERS. GOOD

TYNE DOGGER

VARIABLE 2 TO 4 BECOMING NORTH OR NORTHEAST 3 TO 5. SLIGHT BECOMING MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

FISHER

WESTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN NORTHEAST. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

GERMAN BIGHT

WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 3 TO 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST, VEERING NORTHERLY 3 OR 4 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD

HUMBER

SOUTHWEST 3 TO 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 2 TO 4, THEN NORTHEAST 3 TO 5 LATER. SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. SHOWERS, PERHAPS THUNDERY FOR A TIME. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

THAMES DOVER

SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6, INCREASING 7 FOR A TIME NEAR THE STRAIT OF DOVER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH BISCAY

WEST OR SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

FITZROY SOLE

NORTHWEST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 UNTIL LATER. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST IN WEST. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET

WEST OR SOUTHWEST, VEERING NORTHWEST LATER, 4 TO 6. MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

IRISH SEA

SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5 AT FIRST IN SOUTH, OTHERWISE VARIABLE 2 TO 4, BECOMING CYCLONIC 4 OR 5 LATER. SMOOTH OR SLIGHT, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE IN FAR SOUTH AND LATER IN FAR NORTH. SHOWERS, PERHAPS THUNDERY LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON

NORTHWESTERLY 3 TO 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR LESS LATER IN NORTH. MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES SOUTH BAILEY

NORTHEASTERLY 4 TO 6, BECOMING VARIABLE 2 TO 4 LATER. SLIGHT IN EAST MALIN, OTHERWISE MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

NORTH BAILEY FAIR ISLE FAEROES

NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST IN FAIR ISLE, BACKING WESTERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

NORTHERLY, BACKING WESTERLY FOR A TIME, 4 OR 5. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. SHOWERS. GOOD