

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0505 UTC ON THURSDAY 03 SEPTEMBER 2020 FOR THE PERIOD 0600 UTC THURSDAY 03 SEPTEMBER TO 0600 UTC FRIDAY 04 SEPTEMBER 2020

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES TRAFALGAR ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY AND FAIR ISLE

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT

LOW SOUTHEAST ICELAND 983 SLOW-MOVING, FILLING 985 BY MIDNIGHT TONIGHT

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

WEST VIKING

SOUTHWESTERLY 3 TO 5, INCREASING 6 TO GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

EAST VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE EAST FORTIES

SOUTHERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST VIKING AND NORTH UTSIRE, VEERING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 TO 6. VERY ROUGH AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST VIKING AND NORTHERN NORTH UTSIRE, OTHERWISE MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. POOR BECOMING GOOD

WEST FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE

SOUTHWESTERLY 4 TO 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 LATER EXCEPT IN TYNE. MODERATE OR ROUGH IN WEST FORTIES, BUT ELSEWHERE SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT

SOUTH 5 TO 7 VEERING WEST OR SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR AT FIRST

HUMBER THAMES DOVER

SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7 VEERING WEST 3 TO 5. MODERATE, BECOMING SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN, BECOMING FAIR LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR AT FIRST

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH

SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6, VEERING WEST 2 TO 4 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING SLIGHT LATER IN WIGHT. DRIZZLE FOR A TIME. MODERATE OR GOOD, BECOMING POOR FOR A TIME

BISCAY

VARIABLE 2 TO 4, OCCASIONALLY EASTERLY 5 IN SOUTH. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE. DRIZZLE IN NORTH. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR IN NORTH

SOUTHEAST FITZROY

NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 3 TO 5. MODERATE. FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

NORTHWEST FITZROY

VARIABLE 2 TO 4. MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH FOR A TIME IN FAR NORTHWEST. DRIZZLE, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SOLE LUNDY FASTNET

WEST OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN LUNDY AND FASTNET, DECREASING 3 AT TIMES IN SOLE. MODERATE OR ROUGH IN SOLE AND SOUTHWEST FASTNET, BUT ELSEWHERE SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN AND FOG PATCHES THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE TO VERY POOR, BECOMING GOOD

IRISH SEA SHANNON

WEST OR SOUTHWEST 4 TO 6. ROUGH IN SHANNON, SLIGHT OR MODERATE IN IRISH SEA. SHOWERS. GOOD

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY

SOUTHWEST VEERING WEST 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 AT FIRST IN ROCKALL, DECREASING 5 AT TIMES ELSEWHERE. MODERATE OR ROUGH AT FIRST EXCEPT IN ROCKALL, OTHERWISE ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH FOR A TIME EXCEPT IN

MALIN. SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE

SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5 INCREASING 6 OR 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING VERY ROUGH LATER IN WEST AND NORTH. SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

FAEROES

SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER IN SOUTH. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER. SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

CYCLONIC, BECOMING NORTHWESTERLY LATER, 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER. SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR