

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1130 ON MONDAY 02 APRIL 2007

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE FISHER FITZROY AND SOLE

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 0700  
HIGH ROCKALL 1039 MOVING AWAY SLOWLY WEST WITH LITTLE CHANGE. NEW LOW EXPECTED SOUTH BISCAY 1013 BY 0700 TOMORROW

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

#### VIKING

NORTHWEST 4 OR 5 VEERING NORTH 5 TO 7. MODERATE INCREASING ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN THEN FAIR. MODERATE OR POOR BECOMING GOOD

#### NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE

NORTHERLY 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 TO GALE 8 FOR A TIME. MODERATE INCREASING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN THEN FAIR. MODERATE OR POOR BECOMING GOOD

#### FORTIES

NORTHWEST 4 OR 5 VEERING NORTH 5 TO 7. MODERATE INCREASING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN THEN FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

#### CROMARTY FORTH

NORTHWEST 3 OR 4 VEERING NORTH 5 OR 6. SLIGHT INCREASING MODERATE. RAIN FOR A TIME. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR AT FIRST

#### TYNE DOGGER

NORTH OR NORTHEAST 3 OR 4 INCREASING 5 OR 6. SLIGHT INCREASING MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN FOR A TIME. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### FISHER

NORTHWEST VEERING NORTHEAST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH LATER. RAIN FOR A TIME. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER

NORTH OR NORTHEAST 4 OR 5 INCREASING 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7. MODERATE INCREASING ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### THAMES DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH NORTH BISCAY

NORTHEAST 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

#### SOUTH BISCAY

EASTERLY BECOMING CYCLONIC 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. MODERATE. THUNDERY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

#### SOUTH FITZROY

CYCLONIC 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. THUNDERY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

#### NORTH FITZROY SOLE LUNDY FASTNET

NORTHEAST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST IN NORTH FITZROY AND SOLE. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH IN NORTH FITZROY AND SOLE. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

#### IRISH SEA

NORTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. FAIR. GOOD

SHANNON

NORTHEAST 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH. FAIR. GOOD

ROCKALL MALIN

NORTH OR NORTHEAST 4 OR 5. MODERATE. FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

HEBRIDES BAILEY

MAINLY NORTHERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAIR ISLE

MAINLY NORTHERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

VARIABLE 3 OR 4 BECOMING WESTERLY 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD