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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 1800 UTC Sunday 27 September to 1800 UTC Monday 28 September  
2015

#### General Situation

A ridge of high pressure will continue to extend across the United Kingdom from the east throughout the period.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight, but moderate in northwest.

Occasional rain for a time in northwest.

Good, occasionally moderate for a time in northwest.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southwesterly, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 near Cape Wrath, becoming variable 3 or 4 later in east.

Slight becoming moderate, but moderate becoming rough in northwest.

Fair, occasional rain later in northwest.

Good, occasionally moderate later in northwest.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 at times in south, occasionally 6 later in north.

Slight, becoming moderate later in north.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 until later in north, becoming variable 3 or 4 at times in south.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight, occasionally smooth for a time.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly backing southeasterly later, 3 or 4 increasing 5 at times.

Slight becoming moderate for a time.

Fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable becoming east or southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth, becoming slight later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight.

Fair.  
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in south.

Slight, occasionally smooth for a time in north.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in south.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Fair.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough later.

Fair.

Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East 5 or 6.

Moderate, occasionally rough later.

Fair.

Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in west.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or southeasterly, 4 or 5 occasionally 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.  
Fair.  
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel  
24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming easterly or southeasterly 4 or 5.  
Smooth becoming slight, occasionally moderate in south.

Fair.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly backing northeasterly later, 4 or 5 occasionally 6 for a time in south.

Slight, occasionally moderate in south.

Fair.  
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast 4 or 5.

Smooth becoming slight.

Fair.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5, backing northeast 3 or 4 later.

Slight.

Fair.  
Good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 4 or 5.

Slight, becoming slight or moderate later.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly, backing easterly later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 for a time in north and east.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 until later.

Moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Fair.

Good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Moderate or rough.

Occasional rain for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.

Fair, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Moderate or rough.

Occasional rain for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.

Fair, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland

Valid Sunday 27 Sep 2015 at 1800 UTC until Monday 28 Sep 2015 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Ridge of high pressure over Shetland briefly declines a little southeast with weakening troughs heading over northwest areas on Monday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Southerly 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough for a time in far west.

Mainly fair, perhaps occasional rain for a time in northwest.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Monday 28 Sep until 1800 UTC on Monday 28 Sep:

Southerly 4 or 5.  
Slight or moderate.  
Mainly fair.  
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East to northeast 5 to 6, occasionally 7 mid-channel later.  
Slight to moderate in the south, moderate to rather rough in the north and west.  
Fine.  
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East to northeast 5 to 6, occasionally 7 mid-channel at times.  
Slight to moderate in the south, moderate to rather rough in the north and west.  
Fine.  
Good.

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