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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Sunday 01 March to 1200 UTC Monday 02 March 2015

General Situation

A strong, cold, and showery mainly westerly airflow will affect all areas and persist for a few days.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough, but rough or very rough in north.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough, but rough or very rough in north.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough.

Squally showers, wintry later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Moderate or rough.

Squally showers, wintry later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.

Mainly slight near shore otherwise moderate or rough.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Mainly slight near shore otherwise moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Mainly slight near shore otherwise moderate or rough.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 for a time in south.

Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or northwesterly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 for a time in east.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Moderate or rough.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Moderate or rough, but rough or very rough south and west of the Lizard.

Rain or squally showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Moderate or rough, but very rough occasionally high for a time in west.

Squally wintry showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west or northwest, 6 to gale 8 increasing severe gale 9 at times.

Moderate or rough in east, rough or very rough in west.

Rain or squally showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 at times.

Moderate or rough in east, rough or very rough in west.

Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly veering westerly or northwesterly, 6 to gale 8 occasionally severe gale 9 for a time in south.
Moderate or rough.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.
Moderate or rough.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest veering west or northwest, 5 to 7 increasing gale 8 at times.
Slight in good shelter otherwise moderate or rough.
Squally showers, wintry later.
Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.
Slight in good shelter otherwise moderate or rough.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later.
Moderate or rough.
Showers, wintry later.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough.
Wintry showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West or northwest 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough in southeast, but rough or very rough in north.
Squally showers, wintry later.
Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough in southeast, but rough or very rough in north.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Westerly or northwesterly 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough in south, rough or very rough in north.
Squally showers, wintry later.
Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or southwesterly 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough in south, rough or very rough in north.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West or northwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first.
Very rough or high, becoming rough or very rough.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 6 to gale 8.
Rough or very rough, becoming very rough or high.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Westerly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 at times.
Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough, but very rough in far south.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 later.
Moderate or rough, but very rough in far north and far south.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Westerly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 at times.
Very rough or high.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 later.
Very rough or high.
Squally wintry showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Sunday 01 Mar 2015 at 1200 UTC until Monday 02 Mar 2015 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A depression close to Shetland will move away to the northeast during the rest of Sunday and Monday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Northwesterly severe gale force 9

West or northwest 6 to gale 8.
Rough or very rough.
Showers.
Mainly good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Monday 02 Mar until 1200 UTC on Monday 02 Mar:

Northwest backing west or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first in west.

Showers.

Mainly good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest to west 4 to 5, locally 6 in the north, more generally 5 to 6 by evening, and 7 gusting 45 knots in the north, veering west overnight.

Rather rough to rough, locally very rough overnight.

Isolated showers, becoming more frequent for a time this evening, with a risk of hail and thunder.

Moderate to good, locally poor overnight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 to 6, locally 7 near showers with gusts to 45 knots, backing southwest overnight.

Rough, decreasing rather rough to rough.

Isolated showers, with the risk of hail and thunder, becoming more frequent for a time overnight.

Mainly good.

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