

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1130  
UTC ON TUESDAY 05 MARCH 2019 FOR THE PERIOD 1200 UTC  
TUESDAY 05 MARCH TO 1200 UTC WEDNESDAY 06 MARCH 2019

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
BISCAY TRAFALGAR FITZROY SOLE LUNDY AND FASTNET

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 0600

LOW 200 MILES WEST OF FITZROY 986 EXPECTED IRISH SEA 977  
BY 0600 TOMORROW. LOW NORTH UTSIRE 986 AND LOW BAILEY 983  
BOTH LOSING THEIR IDENTITIES BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE

CYCLONIC 5 OR 6, BECOMING SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY  
POOR

FORTIES

WEST, BECOMING CYCLONIC, 4 OR 5, THEN BECOMING EAST 5 OR  
6. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

CROMARTY FORTH

VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING NORTHEAST 5 OR 6. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR  
GOOD

TYNE DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER

SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 OR 7 AT TIMES.  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. FAIR AT FIRST, THEN  
OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD, BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR

THAMES DOVER

SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, BACKING SOUTH 5 TO 7. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH BISCAY

SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, BACKING SOUTH 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY  
SEVERE GALE 9 IN PLYMOUTH. MODERATE OR ROUGH IN WIGHT,  
OTHERWISE ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN, THEN THUNDERY  
SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FITZROY SOLE

SOUTH, VEERING NORTHWEST LATER, 6 TO GALE 8, PERHAPS  
SEVERE GALE 9 LATER IN FITZROY. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH,  
BECOMING HIGH FOR A TIME IN SOUTHWEST FITZROY. RAIN, THEN  
THUNDERY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET

SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, BACKING SOUTH 6 TO GALE 8, THEN  
BECOMING CYCLONIC 5 TO 7. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN, THEN  
THUNDERY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

IRISH SEA

SOUTHWEST, VEERING EAST FOR A TIME, 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR  
ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY SLIGHT. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON

CYCLONIC, BECOMING NORTH, 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.

ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY  
CYCLONIC, BECOMING EASTERLY, 5 OR 6, BUT BECOMING  
NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7 LATER IN SOUTHWEST ROCKALL. MODERATE  
OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST. SQUALLY  
SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

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

FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND  
EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 AT  
FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT  
FIRST. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR