

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET.OFFICE  
AT 1725 ON WEDNESDAY 01 SEPTEMBER 2004

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 1300

LOW SOUTH SWEDEN 1006 MOVING SLOWLY NORTHEAST AND FILLING 1015 BY  
1300 TOMORROW. HIGH GERMANY 1019 EXPECTED POLAND 1023 BY SAME TIME.  
NEW LOW MOVING SOUTHEAST EXPECTED TRAFALGAR 1008 BY THAT TIME. NEW  
LOW EXPECTED ICELAND 994 BY 1300 TOMORROW. ATLANTIC LOW MOVING  
RAPIDLY EAST EXPECTED 200 MILES WEST OF SHANNON 993 BY SAME TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE  
NORTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4 INCREASING 5 OR 6 LATER.  
OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

FORTIES

WESTERLY 3 OR 4 BACKING SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. RAIN LATER  
IN WEST. GOOD OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

CROMARTY FORTH TYNE

SOUTHEASTERLY VEERING SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5. OCCASIONAL RAIN. GOOD  
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE

DOGGER

SOUTHWESTERLY 3 BACKING SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5. MAINLY FAIR. GOOD

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT

WESTERLY BACKING SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5. SHOWERS AT  
FIRST. GOOD

HUMBER THAMES

SOUTHERLY 3 OR 4. FAIR. GOOD

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND

VARIABLE 2 OR 3. FAIR. GOOD

PLYMOUTH

SOUTHERLY VEERING WESTERLY 3 OR 4. SHOWERS LATER. GOOD

BISCAY EAST FITZROY

VARIABLE BECOMING MAINLY NORTHERLY 3 OR 4. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTHWEST FITZROY

CYCLONIC BECOMING NORTHERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. THUNDERY  
RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

NORTHWEST FITZROY WEST SOLE

NORTHERLY 5 OR 6 BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8  
LATER. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

EAST SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA

SOUTHERLY, VEERING NORTHWESTERLY FOR A TIME, 4 OR 5. OCCASIONAL RAIN  
OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

SHANNON ROCKALL

NORTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6, THEN  
BECOMING CYCLONIC 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR LATER

MALIN HEBRIDES

SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

BAILEY

NORTHWESTERLY BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. RAIN THEN SHOWERS.  
MODERATE BECOMING GOOD

FAIR ISLE FAEROES

SOUTHEASTERLY VEERING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6, BUT  
VARIABLE 3 IN EAST FAIR ISLE AT FIRST. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE  
OR GOOD

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

CYCLONIC 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6, BUT VARIABLE 3 IN SOUTHWEST AT  
FIRST. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD