

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0015  
UTC ON FRIDAY 03 MAY 2019 FOR THE PERIOD 0000 UTC FRIDAY  
03 MAY TO 0000 UTC SATURDAY 04 MAY 2019

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH  
UTSIRE FORTIES CROMARTY FISHER GERMAN BIGHT FAIR ISLE  
FAEROES AND SOUTHEAST ICELAND

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 1800  
HIGH JUST WEST OF FITZROY 1025 DISSIPATING BY 1800  
FRIDAY. NEW LOW 998 EXPECTED SKAGERRAK BY SAME TIME. NEW  
HIGH 1034 EXPECTED JUST SOUTH OF ICELAND BY THAT TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE  
NORTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHERLY 6 TO GALE 8, INCREASING  
SEVERE GALE 9 AT TIMES IN VIKING AND LATER IN NORTH  
UTSIRE. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. THUNDERY WINTRY SHOWERS.  
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTH UTSIRE  
NORTHWESTERLY, VEERING NORTHERLY LATER, 6 TO GALE 8.  
ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH LATER. THUNDERY WINTRY  
SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FORTIES CROMARTY  
NORTH OR NORTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH.  
THUNDERY WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FORTH TYNE DOGGER  
NORTH OR NORTHWEST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE  
BECOMING ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH LATER IN DOGGER.  
THUNDERY WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT  
NORTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY  
VERY ROUGH. THUNDERY WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY  
POOR

HUMBER  
NORTH 3 OR 4, BACKING NORTHWEST 5 OR 6. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS, THUNDERY  
LATER. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

THAMES DOVER WIGHT  
NORTHWEST 3 OR 4, VEERING NORTHEAST 5 OR 6 LATER. SLIGHT,  
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING NORTHWEST 4 OR 5. SLIGHT,  
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. RAIN AT FIRST IN SOUTH. MODERATE  
OR GOOD

BISCAY  
NORTHWEST 4 OR 5, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR LESS FOR A TIME.  
SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

TRAFALGAR SOUTH FITZROY  
NORTHERLY 3 OR 4 IN SOUTH TRAFALGAR, OTHERWISE NORTHERLY  
5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH. FAIR. GOOD

NORTH FITZROY SOLE

NORTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHERLY 4 OR 5. MODERATE. FAIR.  
GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA  
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING NORTH 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6  
LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

SHANNON  
NORTHWEST VEERING NORTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER.  
MODERATE. SHOWERS LATER. GOOD

ROCKALL  
NORTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER. MODERATE BECOMING  
ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

MALIN  
NORTH OR NORTHEAST 5 OR 6, OCCASIONALLY 7 LATER.  
MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH LATER. SHOWERS. GOOD

HEBRIDES BAILEY  
NORTHEAST 5 TO 7. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY  
OR VERY ROUGH. WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES  
NORTH OR NORTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE  
9 AT FIRST. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY HIGH IN  
NORTH. THUNDERY WINTRY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND  
NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT  
FIRST IN EAST. ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH. SQUALLY  
WINTRY SHOWERS, THUNDERY IN EAST. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR