

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0505
UTC ON SATURDAY 05 APRIL 2014 FOR THE PERIOD 0600 UTC
SATURDAY 05 APRIL TO 0600 UTC SUNDAY 06 APRIL 2014

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH
UTSIRE AND FORTIES

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT
LOW 600 MILES WEST OF FITZROY 996 EXPECTED ROCKALL 983 BY
MIDNIGHT TONIGHT

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE NORTHEAST FORTIES
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 6 OR 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT
FIRST, DECREASING 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. MODERATE OR
ROUGH, BECOMING SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN FOR A TIME, FOG
PATCHES LATER. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SOUTHWEST FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE.
OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FISHER
SOUTHEAST 5 OR 6, VEERING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5.
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. OCCASIONAL RAIN,
FOG PATCHES FOR A TIME. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY
VERY POOR

GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER THAMES DOVER WIGHT
SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL
RAIN, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY
POOR

PORTLAND
SOUTH 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. SLIGHT OR MODERATE.
OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

PLYMOUTH BISCAY
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 OR 7
EXCEPT IN SOUTHEAST BISCAY. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BECOMING
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH IN WESTERN PLYMOUTH AND NORTHWESTERN
BISCAY. OCCASIONAL RAIN, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FITZROY SOLE
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY, VEERING WESTERLY LATER IN
NORTHWEST 5 TO 7. MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH.
OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA
SOUTH 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 AT TIMES. SLIGHT OR MODERATE,
BECOMING ROUGH LATER IN SOUTHWEST FASTNET. FOG PATCHES,
OCCASIONAL RAIN OR DRIZZLE. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SHANNON
VARIABLE 3 OR 4, BECOMING CYCLONIC MAINLY SOUTHERLY 5 TO
7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH. RAIN AT
TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL

SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, BECOMING CYCLONIC 5 TO 7,
PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN AT TIMES.
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY

SOUTH OR SOUTHEAST, VEERING SOUTHWEST FOR A TIME, 4 OR 5,
OCCASIONALLY 6, BECOMING CYCLONIC 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8
LATER. SLIGHT UNTIL LATER IN SOUTHEAST MALIN AND EAST
HEBRIDES, OTHERWISE MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN AT TIMES, FOG
PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

EASTERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6 AT TIMES, OTHERWISE
VARIABLE 3 OR 4. ROUGH AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST FAIR ISLE,
OTHERWISE SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN AT TIMES, FOG PATCHES.
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR