

**METAREA1 / HIGH\_SEAS\_FORECAST / 0800** *(Do not bookmark this window) -*[Close this Window](#)*For downloading this bulletin, click on right mouse button "save link(target) as..." on [this link](#)*

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SECURITE

HIGH SEAS BULLETIN FOR METAREA 1  
ISSUED AT 0800 UTC ON SUNDAY 21 JANUARY 2018  
BY THE MET OFFICE, EXETER, UNITED KINGDOM  
FOR THE PERIOD 0800 UTC ON SUNDAY 21 JANUARY UNTIL 0800  
UTC ON MONDAY 22 JANUARY 2018

## STORM WARNING

AT 210000UC, LOW 57 NORTH 30 WEST 970 EXPECTED 59 NORTH  
14 WEST 982 BY 220000UTC. NEW LOW EXPECTED 60 NORTH 27  
WEST 978 BY SAME TIME. WESTERLY WINDS WILL REACH STORM  
FORCE 10 IN THE SOUTHERN HALF OF EAST NORTHERN SECTION  
UNTIL 212100UTC AND IN THE SOUTHEAST OF WEST NORTHERN  
SECTION UNTIL 211500UTC. SOUTHEASTERLY WINDS WILL REACH  
STORM FORCE 10 IN BAILEY UNTIL 212100UTC. EASTERLY OR  
NORTHEASTERLY WINDS WILL REACH STORM FORCE 10 AT TIMES IN  
THE NORTHERN HALF OF EAST NORTHERN SECTION AND THE  
NORTHEAST OF WEST NORTHERN SECTION THROUGHOUT

## GENERAL SYNOPSIS

AT 210000UC, LOW 57 NORTH 30 WEST 970 EXPECTED 59 NORTH  
14 WEST 982 BY 220000UTC. NEW LOW EXPECTED 60 NORTH 27  
WEST 978 BY SAME TIME. LOW 60 NORTH 52 WEST 973 EXPECTED  
55 NORTH 45 WEST 973 BY THAT TIME. AT 210000UTC, LOW 67  
NORTH 05 WEST 1001 EXPECTED 66 NORTH 05 EAST 1003 BY  
220000UTC. NEW LOW MOVING RAPIDLY NORTHEASTWARDS,  
EXPECTED 50 NORTH 10 WEST 1010 BY SAME TIME. HIGH EASTERN  
GREENLAND 1024, SLOW MOVING AND DECLINING 1022 BY THAT  
TIME. AT 210000UTC, HIGH 37 NORTH 16 WEST 1036, SLOW  
MOVING WITH LITTLE CHANGE BY 220000UTC

## AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

## SOLE

SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 LATER. ROUGH OR  
VERY ROUGH. RAIN. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY POOR

## SHANNON

SOUTHWEST VEERING WEST 6 TO GALE 8. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH.  
RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR, BECOMING GOOD

## ROCKALL

CYCLONIC BECOMING WEST 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9. ROUGH OR VERY  
ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH OR VERY HIGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR POOR

## BAILEY

SOUTHEAST BECOMING CYCLONIC 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9,  
OCCASIONALLY STORM 10. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH  
OR VERY HIGH. RAIN. MODERATE OR POOR

## FAEROES

SOUTHEAST BECOMING CYCLONIC LATER, 5 OR 6, INCREASING 7  
TO SEVERE GALE 9. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH  
AND HIGH LATER IN SOUTH. WINTRY SHOWERS THEN SLEET. GOOD,  
BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR

## SOUTHEAST ICELAND

EASTERLY 5 OR 6, INCREASING 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9. MODERATE  
BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH AND HIGH LATER IN SOUTH.

SNOW SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### EAST NORTHERN SECTION

CYCLONIC, MAINLY EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY IN NORTH AND WESTERLY IN SOUTH, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST, OTHERWISE VERY ROUGH OR HIGH AND BECOMING VERY HIGH FOR A TIME IN SOUTH. OCCASIONAL RAIN, TURNING TO SLEET AT TIMES IN NORTH. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### WEST NORTHERN SECTION

IN NORTHWEST, NORTHWESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH LATER. SLEET OR SNOW, TURNING TO RAIN AT TIMES IN SOUTHEAST. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR IN NORTHWEST. OCCASIONAL LIGHT ICING NEAR ICE EDGE.

IN NORTHEAST, NORTHEASTERLY BECOMING CYCLONIC LATER IN SOUTHEAST, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10, MAINLY IN SOUTHEAST. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN OR SLEET. MODERATE OR POOR.

IN SOUTH, CYCLONIC, MAINLY WESTERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY AT FIRST, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10 AT FIRST IN EAST, DECREASING 4 OR 5 AT TIMES. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY GOOD

#### EAST CENTRAL SECTION

WESTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9 AT FIRST IN NORTH, OTHERWISE SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8. VERY ROUGH IN SOUTH, MAINLY HIGH IN NORTH. OCCASIONAL RAIN OR DRIZZLE. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### WEST CENTRAL SECTION

WESTERLY AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST, OTHERWISE SOUTHWESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN OR DRIZZLE. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### DENMARK STRAIT

NORTHEASTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 LATER IN SOUTH. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH AND HIGH LATER IN SOUTH. OCCASIONAL SNOW OR SNOW SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR. LIGHT OR MODERATE ICING NEAR ICE EDGE WITH TEMPERATURES MS02 TO MS04

#### NORTH ICELAND

IN NORTH, NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5. MODERATE. OCCASIONAL SNOW. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR. EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY, BUT BECOMING CYCLONIC AT TIMES, MAINLY IN EAST, 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER IN FAR SOUTH. WINTRY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR. OCCASIONAL LIGHT ICING IN NORTHWEST WITH TEMPERATURES NEAR MS02

#### NORWEGIAN BASIN

CYCLONIC 5 OR 6, BECOMING MAINLY SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 LATER IN SOUTHEAST. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER, EXCEPT IN NORTHEAST. OCCASIONAL RAIN, SLEET OR WINTRY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

#### OUTLOOK FOR FOLLOWING 24 HOURS:

STORMS EXPECTED IN EAST NORTHERN SECTION, WEST NORTHERN SECTION, EAST CENTRAL SECTION, WEST CENTRAL SECTION AND DENMARK STRAIT. GALES OR SEVERE GALES EXPECTED IN ALL OTHER AREAS EXCEPT SOLE

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