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HIGH SEAS BULLETIN FOR METAREA 1
ISSUED AT 0800 UTC ON MONDAY 22 JANUARY 2018
BY THE MET OFFICE, EXETER, UNITED KINGDOM
FOR THE PERIOD 0800 UTC ON MONDAY 22 JANUARY UNTIL 0800
UTC ON TUESDAY 23 JANUARY 2018

STORM WARNING

AT 220000UTC, LOW 61 NORTH 28 WEST 978 EXPECTED 58 NORTH 37 WEST 960 BY 230000UTC. LOWS 55 NORTH 44 WEST 973 AND 55 NORTH 36 WEST 977 MERGING EXPECTED 54 NORTH 33 WEST 968 BY SAME TIME. NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY WINDS ARE EXPECTED TO REACH STORM FORCE 10 OR VIOLENT STORM FORCE 11 IN THE WEST OF DENMARK STRAIT AND IN THE NORTH AND WEST OF THE WEST NORTHERN SECTION THROUGHOUT. WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY WINDS ARE EXPECTED TO REACH STORM FORCE 10 OR VIOLENT STORM FORCE 11 IN NORTHERN AND CENTRAL PARTS OF THE WEST CENTRAL SECTION AFTER 221500UTC. SOUTHWESTERLY WINDS ARE EXPECTED TO REACH STORM FORCE 10 IN THE NORTHWEST OF THE EAST CENTRAL SECTION AFTER 230300UTC. EASTERLY WINDS ARE EXPECTED TO REACH STORM FORCE 10 IN THE NORTH OF THE EAST NORTHERN SECTION UNTIL 230000UTC. EASTERLY WINDS MAY REACH STORM FORCE 10 IN THE WEST OF SOUTHEAST ICELAND FROM 221800UTC UNTIL 230000UTC

GENERAL SYNOPSIS

AT 220000UTC, LOW 61 NORTH 28 WEST 978 EXPECTED 58 NORTH 37 WEST 960 BY 230000UTC. LOWS 55 NORTH 44 WEST 973 AND 55 NORTH 36 WEST 977 MERGING EXPECTED 54 NORTH 33 WEST 968 BY SAME TIME. LOW 51 NORTH 08 WEST 1009 LOSING ITS IDENTITY BY THAT TIME. AT 220000UTC, HIGH 72 NORTH 35 WEST 1021 EXPECTED 76 NORTH 20 WEST 1018 BY 230000UTC. HIGH 38 NORTH 16 WEST 1035 EXPECTED 38 NORTH 15 WEST 1033 BY SAME TIME. NEW LOW EXPECTED 63 NORTH 04 WEST 991 BY THAT TIME

AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

SOLE

WESTERLY OR NORTHWESTERLY, BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY, 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST IN EAST. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON

WEST 5 OR 6, BACKING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL

WEST BACKING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST, 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 FOR A TIME. VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY HIGH UNTIL LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY

CYCLONIC 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, BECOMING SOUTH 6 TO GALE 8, VEERING SOUTHWEST 5 OR 6 LATER. HIGH BECOMING VERY ROUGH LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAEROES

CYCLONIC BECOMING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST LATER, 6 TO GALE 8.
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY HIGH UNTIL LATER IN
SOUTH. RAIN. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

EASTERLY BECOMING CYCLONIC LATER, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9,
PERHAPS STORM 10 LATER IN WEST. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH,
OCCASIONALLY HIGH IN SOUTH AND WEST. RAIN. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

EAST NORTHERN SECTION

IN NORTH, CYCLONIC GALE 8 TO STORM 10, BECOMING SOUTH OR
SOUTHEAST 5 OR 6 LATER. VERY ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY HIGH
UNTIL LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS, WINTRY IN FAR NORTH.
MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR IN FAR NORTH.
IN SOUTH, SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8,
BECOMING CYCLONIC 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9 LATER IN FAR
SOUTHWEST. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE
OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

WEST NORTHERN SECTION

IN NORTH, NORTHEASTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, INCREASING
STORM 10 OR VIOLENT STORM 11, VEERING WESTERLY 5 OR 6
LATER IN EAST. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY HIGH
LATER IN WEST. OCCASIONAL RAIN OR SNOW. MODERATE OR POOR,
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR.
IN SOUTH, CYCLONIC 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM
10 LATER IN WEST. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY
HIGH LATER IN FAR WEST. OCCASIONAL RAIN OR SNOW. MODERATE
OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

EAST CENTRAL SECTION

SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY
SEVERE GALE 9 LATER, INCREASING SEVERE GALE 9 OR STORM 10
LATER IN FAR NORTHWEST. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY
VERY HIGH LATER IN NORTHWEST. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE
OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

WEST CENTRAL SECTION

WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, INCREASING
STORM 10 OR VIOLENT STORM 11 AT TIMES LATER BETWEEN 49
NORTH AND 54 NORTH. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY
HIGH LATER. RAIN OR SHOWERS, WINTRY IN NORTHWEST.
MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR IN NORTHWEST

DENMARK STRAIT

NORTHEASTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, INCREASING STORM 10 OR
VIOLENT STORM 11 IN WEST. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING
HIGH OR VERY HIGH IN WEST. OCCASIONAL SNOW. MODERATE OR
POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR. MODERATE OR SEVERE ICING IN
NORTH AND WEST, BECOMING VERY SEVERE IN WEST,
TEMPERATURES MS03 TO MS06

NORTH ICELAND

IN NORTH, NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY
6 IN SOUTH. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN
SOUTH. OCCASIONAL SNOW. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY
VERY POOR.
IN SOUTH, EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 6 TO GALE 8. MODERATE
OR ROUGH, BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH LATER. OCCASIONAL
RAIN OR SNOW. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

NORWEGIAN BASIN

EASTERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, BECOMING
CYCLONIC 5 TO 7 LATER IN WEST. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH,
OCCASIONALLY HIGH LATER. RAIN OR WINTRY SHOWERS. MODERATE
OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

OUTLOOK FOR FOLLOWING 24 HOURS:

STORMS EXPECTED IN SHANNON, ROCKALL, SOUTHEAST ICELAND, WEST NORTHERN SECTION, EAST CENTRAL SECTION, WEST CENTRAL SECTION AND DENMARK STRAIT. SEVERE GALES EXPECTED IN SOLE, EAST NORTHERN SECTION, NORTH ICELAND AND NORWEGIAN BASIN. GALES EXPECTED IN ALL OTHER AREAS

UNSCHEDULED STORM WARNINGS ARE BROADCAST VIA SAFETYNET AND IN BULLETIN WONT54 EGRR AVAILABLE VIA SOME INTERNET AND FTPMAIL OUTLETS=