



# Shipping forecast for the North Irish Sea

**Valid for 24 Hours**

**Issued on Tuesday, 20 February 2018 at 4:40pm by Ronaldsway Met Office**

**Warnings:** Nil.

**Synopsis:** A ridge of high pressure will build over the Irish Sea tonight, the centre then lying over Scotland by tomorrow afternoon.

**Wind:** North or Northwest 4 or 5, decreasing North 3 or 4 early tonight, then veering Northeast later in the night. Further veering East tomorrow morning, still mainly 3 or 4, but decreasing 2 in some waters.

**State of Sea:** Slight or moderate, falling slight tonight, smooth or slight tomorrow morning.

**Weather:** Fair.

**Visibility:** Good.

## **Outlook for the following 24 hours:**

**Wind:** East 3 or 4 tomorrow evening, veering Southeast overnight, increasing 4 or 5 late in the night or on Thursday morning.

**State of Sea:** Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

**Weather:** Fair.

**Visibility:** Good.

## **Approximate times of tides in Douglas (heights in metres above Chart Datum):**

Low Water	Today 8:27pm	1.1m
High Water	Tomorrow 2:24am	6.6m
Low Water	Tomorrow 8:50am	1.2m
High Water	Tomorrow 2:48pm	6.5m

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