Weather



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Issue:	02/08/2017 07:00 LT
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SYNOPSIS today 04 UTC (06:00 LT) and development:

- Another change in the big picture during the night
- Low pressure and associated potential for rain showers / thunderstorms disappeared into the E
- They are followed by an increase in pressure again to build a weak high pressure system of ~ 1019 hPa over the middle of Germany
- This high sends a ridge into the N. This ridge is moving through the day from W to E leading to some nice conditions
- The high corresponds with low pressure over Norway and the Northern North Sea to build and keep for most of the time a weak to moderate gradient during the day
- Conditions are slightly stable

Observations 06:00 LT:				
Kiel / Lighthouse:	Kiel - Holtenau			
220° 10 kts	190° 2 kts			

TODAY

- Wind is mainly gradient wind today
- Some cumulus can bring unsteadiness w large shifts and change in wind speed
- Morning session still seeing some more pressure
- This will ease through the afternoon
- Wind conditions else are pretty constant and regular
- There is a very slow and weak shift to the right during the day

The average wind in detail:

WIND:

all Digits are true, not magnetic. Time in Local time. Wind speed in kts!

Courses ECHO, INDIA, JULIETT		HOTI	HOTEL	
09:00 : 220 – 230	8 – 10	220 – 230	7 – 9	
10:00 : 220 – 230	7 – 9	220 – 230	7 – 9	
11:00 : 220 – 230	7 – 9	220 – 230	8 – 10	
12:00 : 220 – 230	7 – 9	220 – 230	7 – 9	
13:00 : 230 – 250	7 – 9	220 – 230	7-9	
14:00 : 230 – 250	7 – 9	220 – 230	7 – 9	
15:00 : 230 – 250	6-9	~230	6 – 8	
16:00 : 240 – 250	6-9	230 – 240	5 – 7	
17:00 : 250	5 - 8	~250	6 – 8	
18:00 : 250	5-8	250	6 – 8	

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MAX LEFT TWD 250

MAX RIGHT TWD 220

COMMENT:

None

GUSTS:

Gusting is almost no issue. Morning / Midday could see some gusts up to 15 kts

WARNINGS:

None

WEATHER:

Mostly sunny especially offshore. There are additionally high level and mid level clouds drifting through the day. Some more cumulus clouds can build through the day staying mainly dry. 9 - 10 hours of sun shine.

TEMPERATURES: Air: 22°C (over land) 21° C (over water) SST: 19°C

TOMORROW

Thursday, 03/08/2017

A new low pressure system approaches from the W. While the center of the low stays over Scotland associated fronts will clear us during the day.

Max temperature 20 - 22° C.

TWD 180 \rightarrow 240° 15 – 17 kts gusts up to 28 kts



SYNOPSIS

Today (11:00, 14:00, 17:00 LT and tomorrow 14:00 LT)

