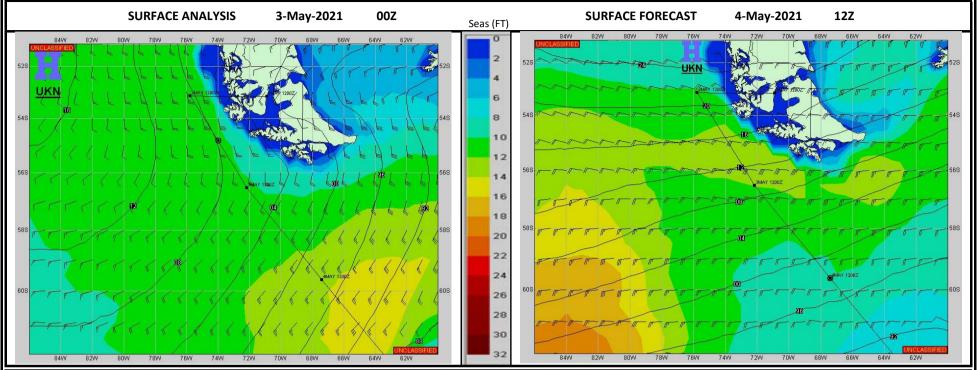
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3-May
High pressure is ridging from the south Pacific into the Bellingshausen Sea producing stiff west southwest winds early in the period. A low pressure system and associated fronts will approach from the Amundsen Sea bringing low clouds and rainshowers near 03/18Z. Preip will become scattered after 04/12Z.

FORECASTER NOTES

To assist with ship tracking and ensure the most accurate forecast possible, please include updated waypoints out to 48hrs with all SITREPs. Request "mcm.weather.forecaster@usap.gov" be added to your MOVREP, POSREP and SITREP messages. Winds may differ from those forecast due to funneling/sheltering effects of islands.

VALID TIME	3-May 06Z	3-May 12Z	3-May 18Z	4-May 00Z	4-May 06Z	4-May 12Z	4-May 18Z	5-May 00Z
SKY CONDITION	MOSTLY CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	MOSTLY CLOUDY
WEATHER	NONE	NONE	VCNTY RAIN	RAIN	RAIN	RAIN	VCNTY RAIN	RAIN
VISIBILITY (NM)	UNRESTRICTED	UNRESTRICTED	3 - 5	2 - 4	2 - 4	2 - 4	4 - 6	3 - 5
SFC WINDS (DIR & KTS)	SW 15-25	WSW 20-30	WSW 20-30	W 20-30	W 20-30	W 15-25	W 15-25	SW 15-25
	GUSTS TO 30	GUSTS TO 35	GUSTS TO 30	GUSTS TO 35	GUSTS TO 35	GUSTS TO 30	GUSTS TO 35	GUSTS TO 35
SFC MAX/MIN (°C)	6/2				5/2			
SST RANGE (°C)	7/6				4/2			
SEAS (DIR & FT)	SW9-12	SW 10-13	SW 10-13	SW 9-12	WSW 9-12	W 7-10	W 7-10	W 9-12
ICE ACCRETION	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

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