



WANews10no29 Pressure pattern notes for 18-23 July SLAP
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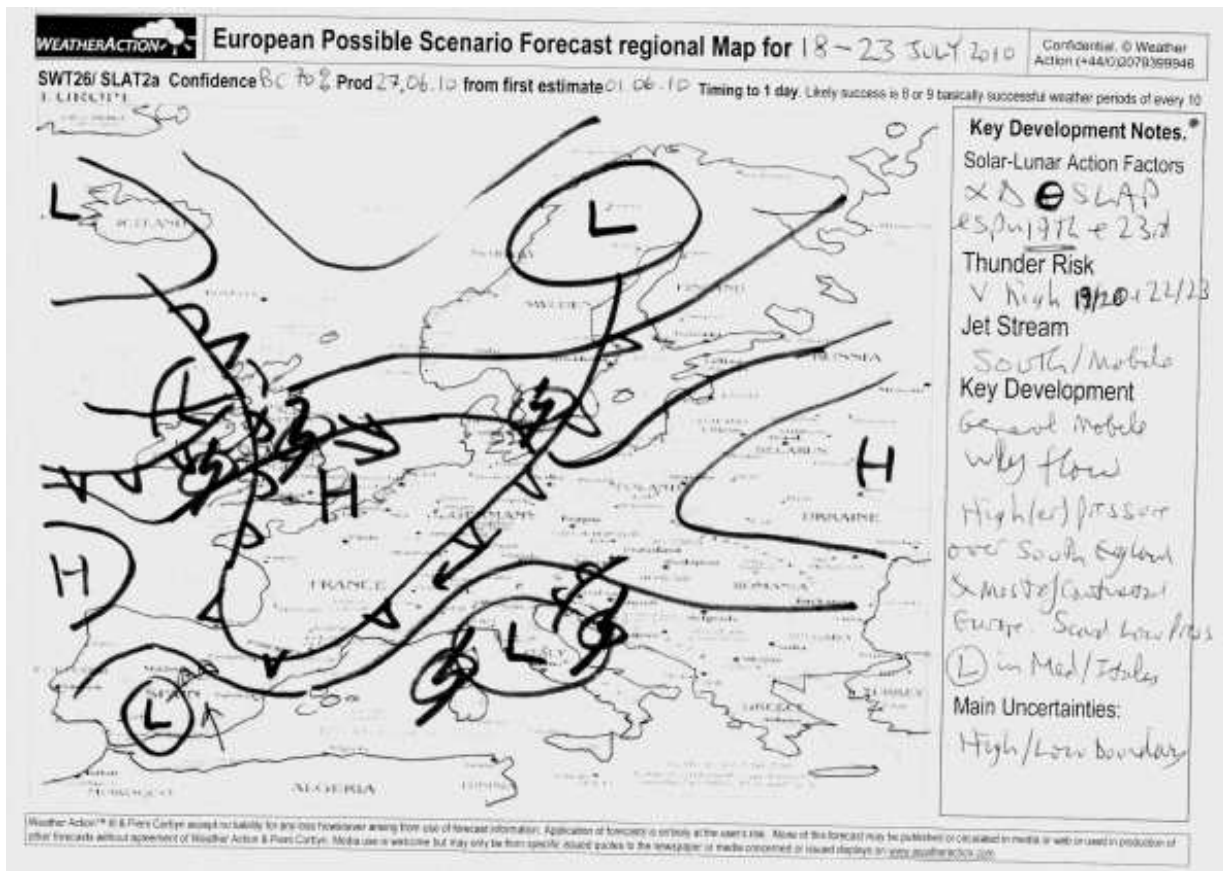
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Likely Pressure scenario forecast for Britain / Ireland / NW Europe 18-23 July 2010 well followed

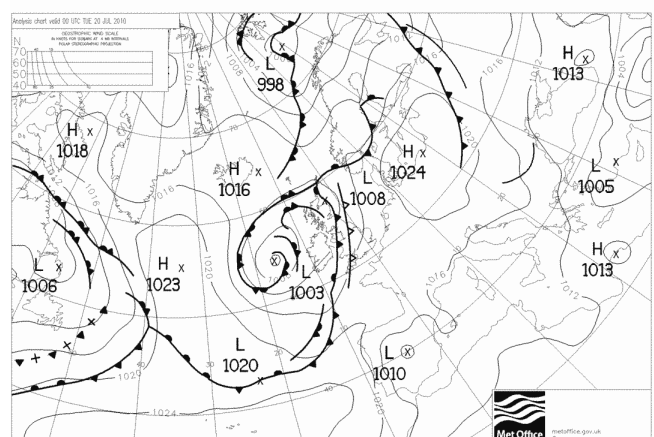
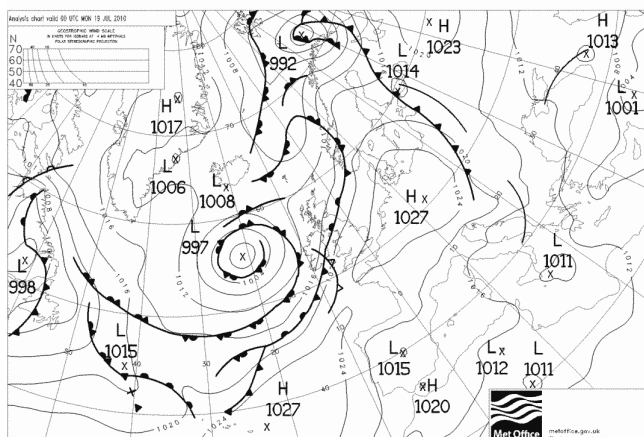
The WA published (30d, 45d same) forecast description of Likely Possible weather map scenario was (right). The European forecast Pressure scenario (available to Subscribers to the 30d EuroMaps via <http://www.weatheraction.com/member.asp>) for 18-23 July is below.

Page 5 of the full 30day forecast said the Main uncertainty this July was “The strength of blocking High Pressures”. Nevertheless **the actual developments in this period (BC=70% confidence) well match the forecast description.**

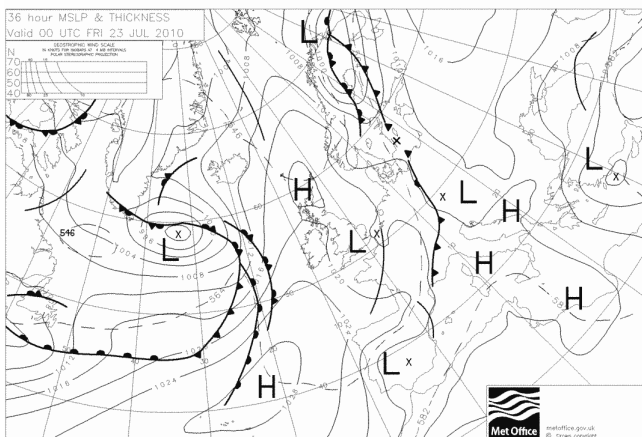
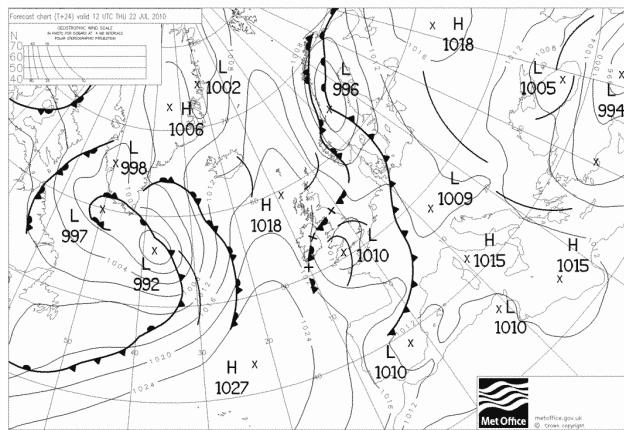
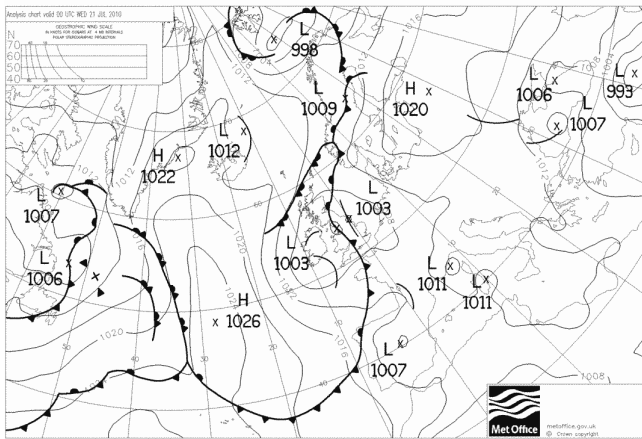
18-23 JULY 2010	BC = 70%
As 45d, a bit wetter than 30-60d	
Solar Factors: TOP of SLAP 18-23 Major	
L & B SLAP around 23 RED WARNING.	
Likely possible weather map scenario: Deep active low pressure (prob a sub-low of main low to West of Ireland) drives across Central / South Ireland & Britain into continent / South Baltic. A ridge builds over West of Ireland later.	



The observed sequence is 19th, 20th below; 21-23 observed / short range forecast overleaf:



Observed 21st and MO short range fc 22nd, 23rd July 2010 -



Noting different map projections it can be seen that:-

1. The forecast map (representative of earlier part of scenario 18-23rd) is a good approximation to the observed pressure map of 19th/20th – including Lows over England, N Scandinavia and N Italy (19th) and a blocking ridge N France / Benelux.
2. Developments including subsequent short range MO projections well follow the forecast statement **“...Low driving across Central/South Ireland into continent / South* Baltic. A ridge builds over West of Ireland later.”** (*NB Later there is Low pressure expected under Met model in N continent and in Baltic but North Baltic rather than South Baltic. It will be interesting to see if the next Sub SLAP around 23rd produces anything there)

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