

Weather Bulletin

«British & French Balloon Championship 2026»

For Marmande, the 10th of August 2026 from 05h to 09h

Synoptic situation:

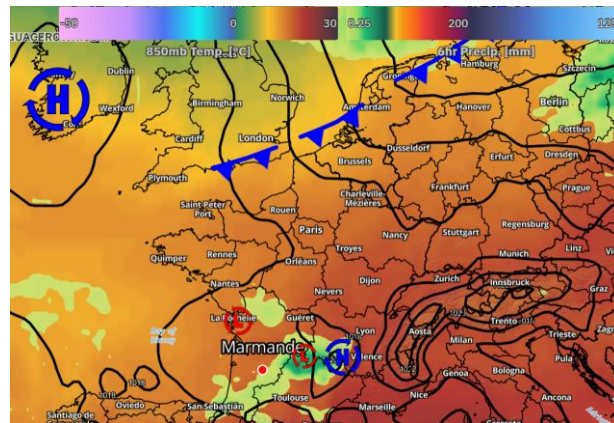
The area of interest will be positioned between 2 lows, the first one over Gironde and the other one on the western side of the Massif central.

Forecast :

Dry atmosphere in the overall with isolated showers/light TS still possible towards Bordeaux and over the Massif Central. Over Marmande the risk will disappear end of night.

Depending on thundery activity last night, patches of low clouds may form.

Analysis 05Z



Winds from models				
Altitude	Sounding	0530Z	0630Z	Temp °C
6000ft	N.A	210° 10-13Kt	190° 12-14kt	16°C
4000ft	N.A	330° 04-06kt	350° 06-08Kt	18°C
3000ft	N.A	330° 06-08kt	350° 12-14kt	20°C
2000ft	N.A	340° 04-08Kt	010° 07-09kt	20->21°C
1000ft	N.A	050° 03-05kt	090° 03-05kt	21°C
500ft	N.A	060° 03-05kt	160° 04-06Kt	21°C
SFC	N.A	160° 03-05Kt tempo VRB 01-03KT	160° 03-05Kt tempo VRB 01-03KT	21-22°C
Vis horiz : +10KM, locally 3-5km in valleys and south of Lot et Garonne			Risk of thunderstorms : <5% until 03-04Z	
Inversion T°: Slight and disappearing around 3000ft			Start of thermals: around 8h30	
Remarks : - Very slight risk of isolated showers/thunderstorms until 03-04Z - The direction may vary considerably from the forecast depending on the exact placement of the lows - Risk of patches of low clouds between 300 and 500ft early AM, esp towards the south of Lot-et-Garonne				

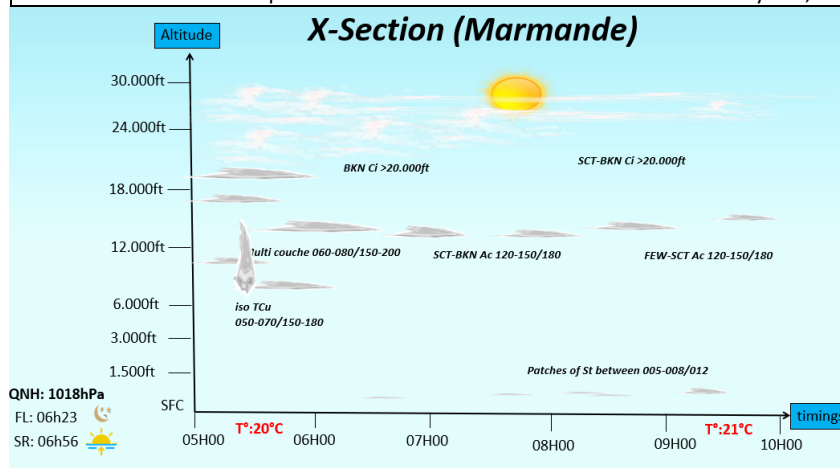
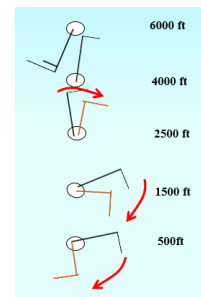
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2500 ft

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500ft



Last update at 23hrs on the 09th of August 2026