

19 November 1944

OPERATIONS ORDERS : 259 & 260.
WEATHER ANNEX.

STNOPTIC SITUATION 0600Z.

Ridge over central Mediterranean and Alps almost stationary, with series of lows traveling across United Kingdom and northern Europe. Southwesterly flow over targets with very moist air in lower levels.

FORECAST:

BASE: Sky: Clear.

Air-Ground Visibility: 15 miles in light haze.

Upper Data: 5000' 300 deg. 10 kts. plus 10 C.

10000' 290 deg. 15 kts. plus 01 C.

15000' 280 deg. 15 kts. minus 09 C.

ROUTE: Sky: Few clouds at 10,000' over central Adriatic. 4-5/10 patchy cumulus, tops 10,000', over Yugoslavia. Same clouds to Carpathians but with 3-4/10 middle and high clouds. North of Carpathians 7-9/10 patchy cumulus, with large breaks, tops 10,000'; few middle clouds at 15,000'; 6-7/10 cirrus at 24000'.

Air-Ground Visibility: 10-15 miles in moderate haze.

Upper Data: 10000' 290 deg. 15 kts. ---- 00 C.

15000' 280 deg. 20 kts. minus 10 C.

20000' 270 deg. 30 kts. minus 20 C.

TARGET: Sky: #259-7-9/10 patchy cumulus with large breaks.

Scattered middle cloud at 15,000'. 6-7/10 cirrus above 24,000'.

#260- 4-5/10 cumulus, tops 10,000'. 3-4/10 cirrus above 25,000'.

Air-Ground Visibility: 15 miles in light to moderate haze.

Surface Wind: Southwest 08-12 mph.

Upper Data: 15000' 280 deg. 25 kts. minus 10 C.

20000' 270 deg. 30 kts. minus 20 C.

25000' 270 deg. 35 kts. minus 31 C.

RETURN: Similar to route out.

ALTERNATE FIELDS: all areas will remain open.

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