

Volcanic Ash – T+0 annotated satellite image (VOLCICE EXERCISE)

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EEEN41 MSG Dust RGB 13/01/2015 1430 UTC

HIGH CONFIDENCE-
High confidence of presence of ash to 8km (FL260), visible on IMO mobile radar and some discernible ash on satellite data as shown (hypothetical as this is an exercise)

LOW CONFIDENCE-
Pilot report of ash at FL380 here at 13/1430Z. Not supported model output and not discernible on satellite imagery due to frontal (meteorological) cloud. Seems unlikely at that height also.

LOW CONFIDENCE-
Low confidence in ash in this ellipse due to obscuration by meteorological cloud. Ash suggested by model output only in this region.

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Do not use for operational decisions. All information hypothetical