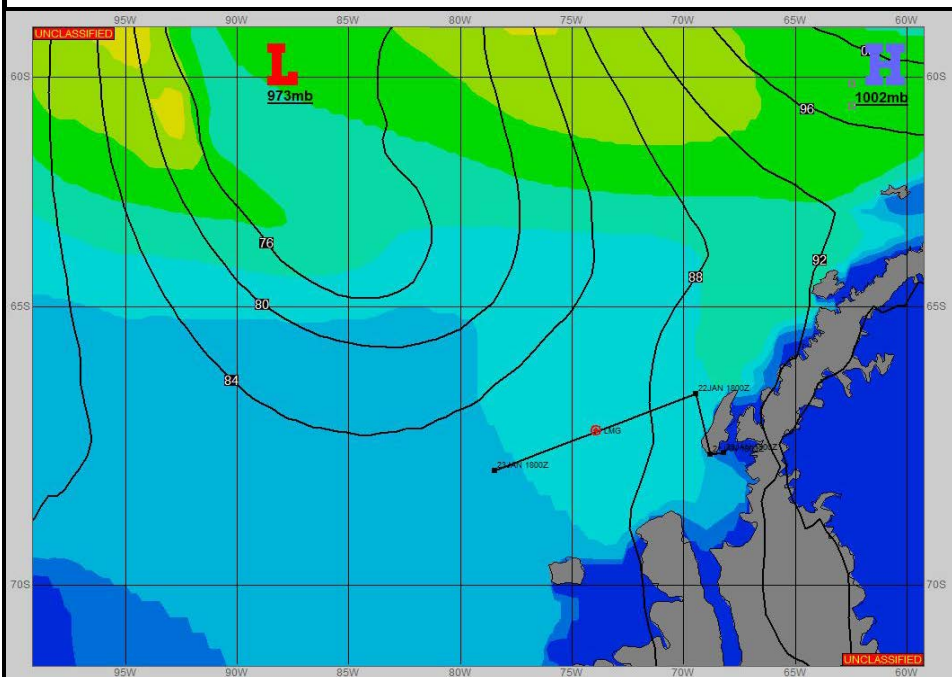
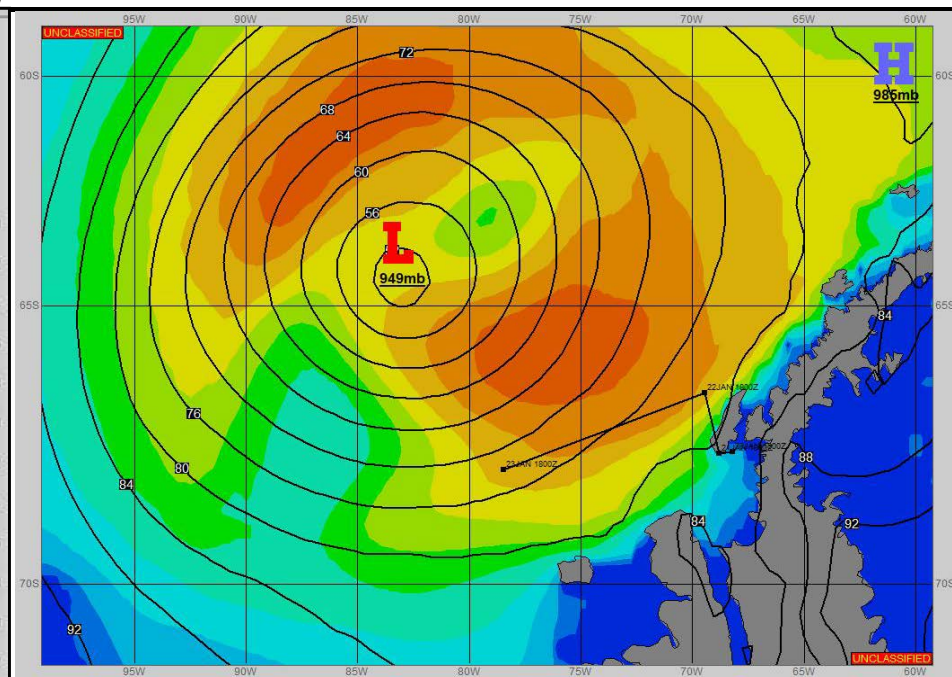


SURFACE ANALYSIS 23-Jan-2023 06Z



Seas (FT)

SURFACE FORECAST 24-Jan-2023 18Z



METSIT 06Z 23-Jan

A STRONG LOW PRESSURE CENTER WILL SPEND TODAY DROPPING SOUTH, FURTHER INTO THE BELLINGSHAUSEN SEA. IT WILL STOP ITS SOUTHWARD JOURNEY TOMORROW MORNING AND SIT STATIONARY WHILE STARTING TO SLOWLY WEAKEN THROUGH THE REST OF THE FORECAST PERIOD BEFORE CONTINUING EASTWARD. STRONG, GUSTY WINDS WILL BE ASSOCIATED WITH THIS SYSTEM, RAMPING UP THROUGH TODAY, AND MAKING FOR SOME HIGHER SIGNIFICANT WAVE HEIGHTS TOMORROW. WET SLEET WILL ALSO KEEP VISIBILITIES DOWN. YOUR LAST ANTICIPATED LOCATION IS FOR 23/18Z, FROM THE 21 JAN SITREP. BEYOND THAT, THE FORECAST POINTS BELOW ARE FOR THAT ENDPOINT LOCATION FROM 23/18Z. WEATHER AND SEA STATE WILL BOTH BE MORE FAVORABLE TO THE SOUTH AND WEST OF THIS LOCATION, CLOSER TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE LOW AS IT BECOMES STATIONARY TOMORROW BEFORE CONTINUING EASTWARD THE NEXT DAY.

FORECASTER NOTES

To assist with ship tracking and ensure the most accurate forecast possible, please include updated waypoints out to 48hrs with all SITREPs.

VALID TIME	23-Jan 12Z	23-Jan 18Z	24-Jan 00Z	24-Jan 06Z	24-Jan 12Z	24-Jan 18Z	25-Jan 00Z	25-Jan 06Z
SKY CONDITION	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY	CLOUDY
WEATHER	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG	MIXED & FOG
VISIBILITY (NM)	1/2 - 1	<1/2	1/2 - 1	<1/2	<1/2	1/2 - 1	1/2 - 1	1/2 - 1
SFC WINDS (DIR & KTS)	NE 10-15 GUST 20	E 20-25 GUST 30	NE 15-20 GUST 25	E 25-30 GUST 40	E 25-30 GUST 45	E 30-35 GUST 50	E 25-30 GUST 45	E 20-25 GUST 40
SFC MAX/MIN (°C)	2 / 0				1 / 0			
SST RANGE (°C)	1 / 0				1 / 0			
SEAS (DIR & FT)	NW 5-7	NW 5-7	SW 7-9	SW 9-12	NE 12-15	NE 15-18	NE 18-21	NE 15-18
ICE ACCRETION	LIGHT	LIGHT	LIGHT	LIGHT	LIGHT	LIGHT	LIGHT	LIGHT