

Space Weather Highlights
04 October - 10 October 2021

SWPC PRF 2406
11 October 2021

Solar activity was very low over 04-06 Oct. Low levels of solar activity were observed on 07-08 and 10 Oct, and moderate solar activity was observed on 09 Oct. Region 2882 (N17, L=157, class/area=Dho/280 on 09 Oct) produced the majority of the C-class flare activity in addition to the largest event of the period, an M1/2b flare (with Type-II and IV radio emissions) at 09/0638 UTC. An associated full-halo CME signature was observed in LASCO C2 imagery beginning at 09/0712 UTC, and is likely to arrive at Earth around midday on 11 Oct.

No proton events were observed at geosynchronous orbit.

The greater than 2 MeV electron flux at geosynchronous orbit was at normal and normal to moderate levels throughout the period.

Geomagnetic field activity was quiet on 07-09 Oct, quiet to unsettled on 04-06 Oct, and quiet to active on 10 Oct.

Space Weather Outlook
11 October - 06 November 2021

Solar activity is expected to be at very low to low levels throughout the outlook period.

No proton events are expected at geosynchronous orbit.

The greater than 2 MeV electron flux at geosynchronous orbit is expected to reach high levels on 20-21 Oct. Normal and normal to moderate levels are expected throughout the remainder of the outlook period.

Geomagnetic field activity is likely to reach G2 (Moderate) geomagnetic storm levels on 11 Oct, and G1 (Minor) geomagnetic storm levels on 12 Oct, due to the anticipated arrival of a full-halo CME from 09 Oct. Active conditions are expected on 19 Oct due to the influence of a recurrent positive polarity CH HSS. Quiet and quiet to unsettled conditions are expected to prevail throughout the remainder of the outlook period.



Daily Solar Data

Date	Radio Flux 10.7cm	Sun spot No.	Sunspot Area (10 ⁻⁶ hemi.)	X-ray Background Flux	Flares							
					X-ray			Optical				
					C	M	X	S	1	2	3	4
04 October	84	29	410	A9.9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
05 October	82	27	320	A8.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
06 October	85	22	260	B1.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
07 October	86	13	230	A9.9	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
08 October	92	13	240	B1.0	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
09 October	81	14	280	B1.1	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0
10 October	85	38	300	B1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Daily Particle Data

Date	Proton Fluence (protons/cm ² -day -sr)		Electron Fluence (electrons/cm ² -day -sr)	
	>1 MeV	>10 MeV	>2MeV	
	04 October	5.1e+04	4.4e+04	2.1e+06
05 October	5.2e+04	4.5e+04	3.6e+06	
06 October	1.1e+05	4.5e+04	1.4e+06	
07 October	5.2e+04	4.5e+04	1.2e+06	
08 October	5.2e+04	4.6e+04	1.1e+06	
09 October	1.1e+05	6.6e+04	1.3e+06	
10 October	5.0e+05	7.8e+04	1.1e+06	

Daily Geomagnetic Data

Date	Middle Latitude Fredericksburg		High Latitude College		Estimated Planetary	
	A	K-indices	A	K-indices	A	K-indices
	04 October	4	2-2-1-1-1-1-0-1	3	2-1-2-2-0-0-0-0	6
05 October	6	3-3-1-0-1-1-1-1	3	0-1-2-2-2-1-0-0	5	2-3-1-0-1-1-0-1
06 October	6	2-1-2-2-2-2-2-0	23	0-1-2-6-5-4-3-0	8	2-2-1-3-2-3-2-1
07 October	3	1-0-0-0-0-2-1-0	2	0-0-0-0-0-2-0-0	5	1-1-1-2-2-2-1-0
08 October	3	2-1-1-1-1-1-1-0	2	0-0-1-2-1-0-0-0	4	2-1-1-1-1-0-1-1
09 October	4	1-1-1-2-2-1-1-0	4	0-0-2-2-3-1-0-0	5	2-2-2-2-2-1-0-1
10 October	9	1-1-1-2-3-2-2-4	15	0-0-0-4-4-5-2-2	4	1-2-1-2-3-2-2-4

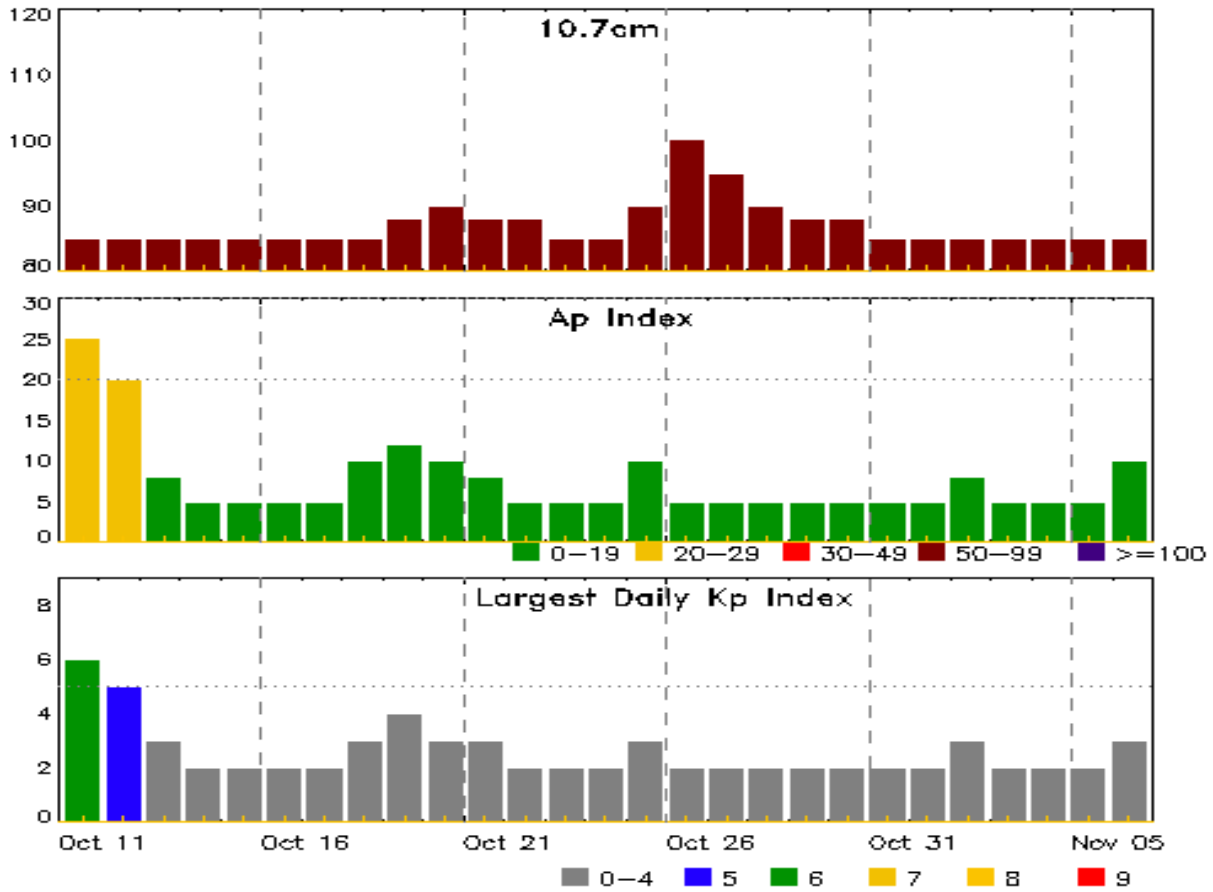


Alerts and Warnings Issued

Date & Time of Issue UTC	Type of Alert or Warning	Date & Time of Event UTC
09 Oct 0656	ALERT: Type II Radio Emission	09/0633
09 Oct 0720	SUMMARY: 10cm Radio Burst	09/0630 - 0657
09 Oct 0743	ALERT: Type IV Radio Emission	09/0705
09 Oct 1829	WATCH: Geomagnetic Storm Category G2 predicted	
10 Oct 2220	WARNING: Geomagnetic K = 4	10/2220 - 11/0300
10 Oct 2238	ALERT: Geomagnetic K = 4	10/2235



Twenty-seven Day Outlook



Date	Radio Flux 10.7cm	Planetary A Index	Largest Kp Index	Date	Radio Flux 10.7cm	Planetary A Index	Largest Kp Index
11 Oct	85	25	6	25 Oct	90	10	3
12	85	20	5	26	100	5	2
13	85	8	3	27	95	5	2
14	85	5	2	28	90	5	2
15	85	5	2	29	88	5	2
16	85	5	2	30	88	5	2
17	85	5	2	31	85	5	2
18	85	10	3	01 Nov	85	5	2
19	88	12	4	02	85	8	3
20	90	10	3	03	85	5	2
21	88	8	3	04	85	5	2
22	88	5	2	05	85	5	2
23	85	5	2	06	85	10	3
24	85	5	2				



Energetic Events

Date	Time			X-ray	Optical Information			Peak		Sweep Freq	
	Begin	Max	Half Max	Class	Integ Flux	Imp/ Brtns	Location Lat CMD	Rgn #	Radio Flux 245	Radio Flux 2695	Intensity II
09 Oct	0619	0638	0653	M1.6	0.015	2B	N17E09	2882	100	430	3

Flare List

Date	Time			X-ray Class	Imp/ Brtns	Optical Location Lat CMD	Rgn #
	Begin	Max	End				
04 Oct	0024	0031	0042	B3.0			2877
04 Oct	0225	0238	0252	B7.5			2877
04 Oct	0252	0307	0318	B9.2			2877
04 Oct	0831	0838	0840	B1.6			2877
04 Oct	0840	0856	0901	B1.6			2877
04 Oct	0953	1003	1009	B2.2	SF	N30W19	2880
04 Oct	1338	1342	1351	B1.5			2882
04 Oct	1539	1556	1618	B2.3			
04 Oct	1656	1702	1707	B2.1			2882
04 Oct	1842	1848	1852	B1.1			2880
05 Oct	0354	0358	0402	B1.4			
05 Oct	1119	1126	1133	B1.6			2880
06 Oct	0107	0112	0118	B5.0			2882
06 Oct	0151	0158	0204	B1.6			2882
06 Oct	0240	0246	0254	B1.6			
06 Oct	0256	0301	0306	B1.7			
06 Oct	0331	0339	0343	B1.8			
06 Oct	0429	0434	0440	B1.4			
06 Oct	1222	1230	1235	B2.1			2880
06 Oct	1310	1317	1321	B2.0			2882
06 Oct	1557	1612	1619	B2.3			2882
06 Oct	1619	1624	1629	B2.2			2882
06 Oct	1941	1954	2003	B3.1			2882
06 Oct	2205	2220	2227	B7.6			2882
07 Oct	0030	0034	0038	B2.4			2882
07 Oct	0040	0048	0104	B2.1			2882
07 Oct	0235	0246	0254	C5.5	SF	N16E46	2882
07 Oct	0608	0618	0627	B1.8			
07 Oct	0808	0819	0827	B2.4			
07 Oct	1017	1023	1028	B1.4			



Flare List

Date	Time			X-ray Class	Optical		Rgn #
	Begin	Max	End		Imp/ Brtns	Location Lat CMD	
07 Oct	1209	1215	1220	B1.6			2882
07 Oct	1317	1327	1337	B2.6			
07 Oct	2133	2140	2145	B1.3			
07 Oct	2213	2231	2243	C1.0			
08 Oct	0206	0213	0219	B1.3			
08 Oct	0350	0354	0358	B1.5			
08 Oct	0418	0424	0428	B1.9			
08 Oct	0449	0455	0459	B1.7	SF	N18E24	
08 Oct	0558	0601	0606	B1.8	SF	N19E24	
08 Oct	0633	0636	0640	B1.4			
08 Oct	0708	0712	0718	B1.6	SF	N18E22	
08 Oct	0724	0724	0727	B3.7	SF	N18E23	
08 Oct	1101	1108	1115	C1.9			2882
08 Oct	1815	1821	1826	B1.9			
08 Oct	1919	1956	2016	C2.7			2882
09 Oct	0019	0024	0028	B1.7			
09 Oct	0118	0129	0149	B5.8			
09 Oct	0619	0638	0653	M1.6	2B	N17E09	2882
09 Oct	0802	0802	0806		SF	N22E14	2882
09 Oct	1855	1905	1923	B2.4			2882
09 Oct	2030	2045	2048	B3.0			2882
09 Oct	2242	2257	2306	C2.0	SF	S32E38	2882
10 Oct	0427	0435	0441	B2.0			
10 Oct	0806	0812	0817	B2.1			
10 Oct	1553	1558	1603	B1.9			2883
10 Oct	1611	1616	1621	B2.0			
10 Oct	2228	2302	2320	C2.3			



Region Summary

Date	Location		Sunspot Characteristics					Flares															
	Lat	CMD	Helio Lon	Area 10 ⁶ hemi.	Extent (helio)	Spot Class	Spot Count	Mag Class	X-ray			Optical											
									C	M	X	S	1	2	3	4							
Region 2282																							
07 Feb	N15E76		196	30	2	Hsx	1	A															
08 Feb	N15E65		193	90	3	Cao	2	B	1				2	1									
09 Feb	N14E51		194	110	3	Dso	7	B	2	1			2										
10 Feb	N11E48		184	220	9	Dso	10	BG	1														
11 Feb	N11E31		187	250	13	Eho	13	B	2				3										
12 Feb	N10E16		190	240	13	Eso	15	BG	1				4										
13 Feb	N10E04		189	220	12	Csi	10	BG					3										
14 Feb	N11W09		188	220	11	Csi	13	BG					1										
15 Feb	N11W24		190	210	10	Cso	8	B															
16 Feb	N11W37		190	210	9	Cso	10	B															
17 Feb	N11W51		191	170	8	Cao	7	B					1										
18 Feb	N11W64		191	140	7	Cao	6	B	2				1										
19 Feb	N10W76		188	90	6	Hsx	2	A	1				1										
20 Feb	N10W90		190	plage																			
									10	1	0	18	1	0	0	0	0						

Crossed West Limb.

Absolute heliographic longitude: 189

Region 2877																							
26 Sep	S17W00		328	10	4	Bxo	4	B															
27 Sep	S18W13		328	20	2	Cro	4	B															
28 Sep	S18W27		329	30	4	Cro	10	B															
29 Sep	S16W40		327	130	7	Dai	14	BG	4				11										
30 Sep	S18W52		327	200	9	Dao	13	BG	1				9										
01 Oct	S20W67		329	200	9	Dao	4	BG					1										
02 Oct	S20W78		327	150	10	Dao	2	B	1														
03 Oct	S21W93		328	30	2	Hsx	1	A	1				1										
									7	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0						

Crossed West Limb.

Absolute heliographic longitude: 328



Region Summary - continued

Date	Location		Sunspot Characteristics					Flares						
	Lat CMD	Helio Lon	Area 10 ⁶ hemi.	Extent (helio)	Spot Class	Spot Count	Mag Class	X-ray			Optical			
								C	M	X	S	1	2	3

Region 2878

26 Sep	S23E34	294	30	6	Cro	6	B										
27 Sep	S22E21	293	plage														
28 Sep	S22E07	295	plage														
29 Sep	S23W03	292	plage														
30 Sep	S23W17	292	plage														
01 Oct	S23W31	293	plage														
02 Oct	S23W45	294	plage														
03 Oct	S23W59	295	plage														
04 Oct	S23W73	296	plage														
05 Oct	S23W87	296	plage														
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Crossed West Limb.
Absolute heliographic longitude: 292

Region 2880

28 Sep	N30E54	246	10	4	Cro	5	B										
29 Sep	N29E43	244	390	9	Dkc	18	BG	1									
30 Sep	N32E30	245	210	8	Dao	13	B										
01 Oct	N30E15	247	260	8	Dho	4	B										
02 Oct	N32E04	245	230	11	Eso	3	B										
03 Oct	N31W07	243	230	10	Dso	6	B										
04 Oct	N31W20	243	160	11	Eso	8	B										
05 Oct	N31W33	242	120	10	Cso	6	B										
06 Oct	N32W50	246	20	1	Hrx	1	A										
07 Oct	N31W64	247	plage														
08 Oct	N31W78	248	plage														
									1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0

Crossed West Limb.
Absolute heliographic longitude: 245

Region 2881

28 Sep	N16W20	321	10		Axx	1	A										
29 Sep	N16W33	321	10		Axx	1	A										
30 Sep	N16W47	322	plage														
01 Oct	N16W61	323	plage														
02 Oct	N16W75	324	plage														
03 Oct	N16W89	325	plage														
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Crossed West Limb.
Absolute heliographic longitude: 321



Region Summary - continued

Date	Location		Sunspot Characteristics				Flares											
	Lat CMD	Lon	Area 10 ⁶ hemi.	Extent (helio)	Spot Class	Spot Count	Mag Class	X-ray			Optical							
								C	M	X	S	1	2	3	4			
Region 2882																		
03 Oct	N14E77	158	180	1	Hax	1	A											
04 Oct	N16E66	157	250	2	Hhx	1	A											
05 Oct	N16E52	157	200	2	Hsx	1	A											
06 Oct	N16E43	153	240	9	Cso	1	BG											
07 Oct	N17E28	155	230	5	Dso	3	BG	1				1						
08 Oct	N20E13	156	240	4	Dso	3	BG	2										
09 Oct	N17W01	157	280	6	Dho	4	BG	1	1			1			1			
10 Oct	N18W14	157	260	7	Dho	4	B											
								4	1	0		2	0	1	0	0		

Still on Disk.

Absolute heliographic longitude: 157

Region 2883

10 Oct	N27W60	203	30	2	Bxo	2	B											
								0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Still on Disk.

Absolute heliographic longitude: 203

Region 2884

10 Oct	S20W27	170	10	2	Bxo	2	B											
								0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Still on Disk.

Absolute heliographic longitude: 170



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