



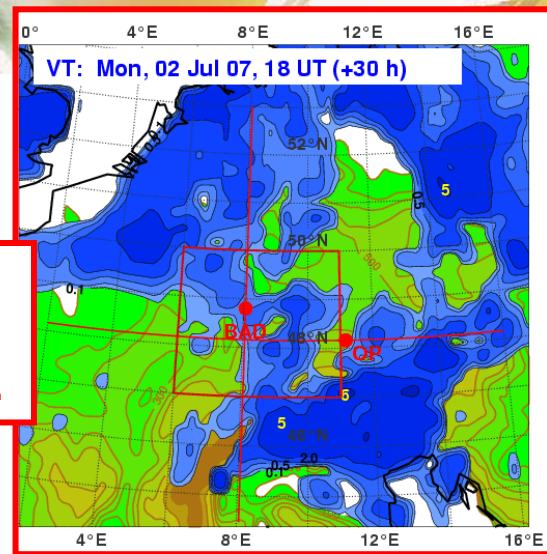
Rain amounts in nature and models: Observations from the COPS field phase in summer 2007

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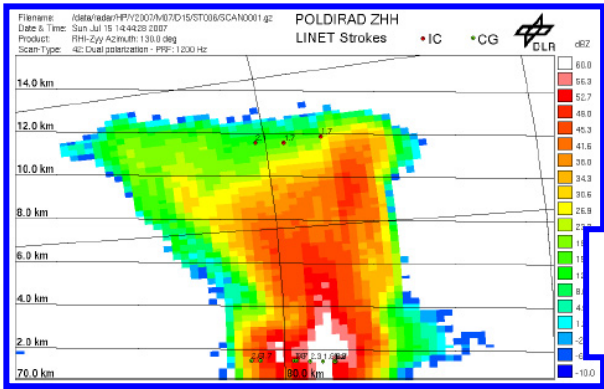
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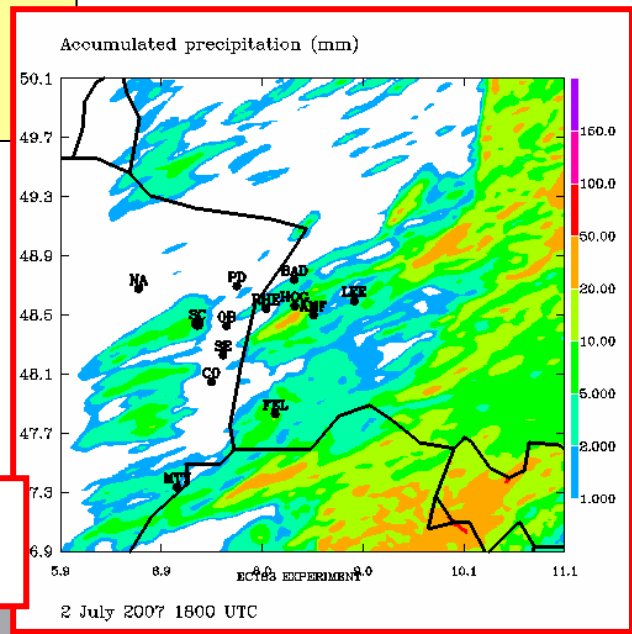
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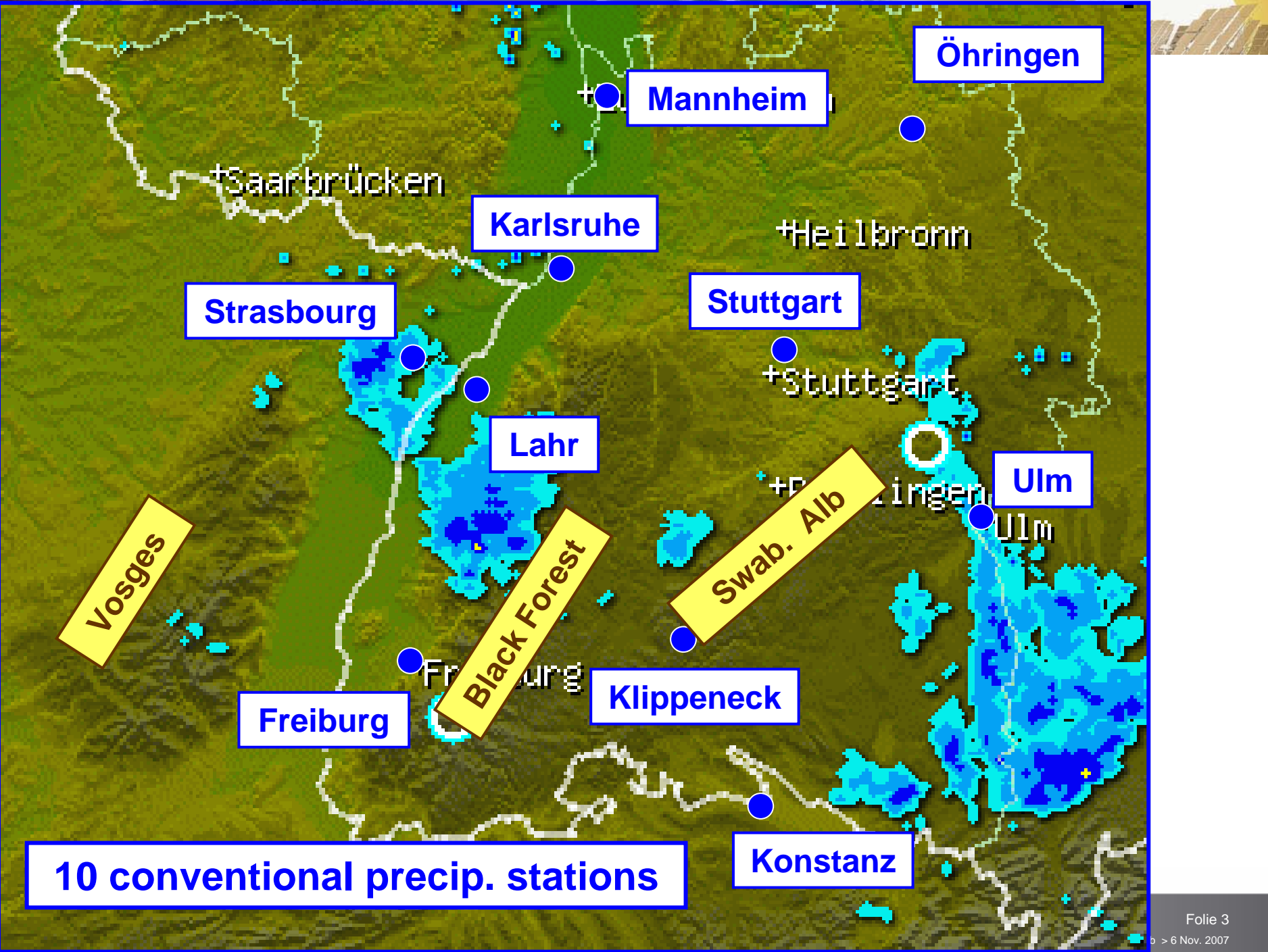
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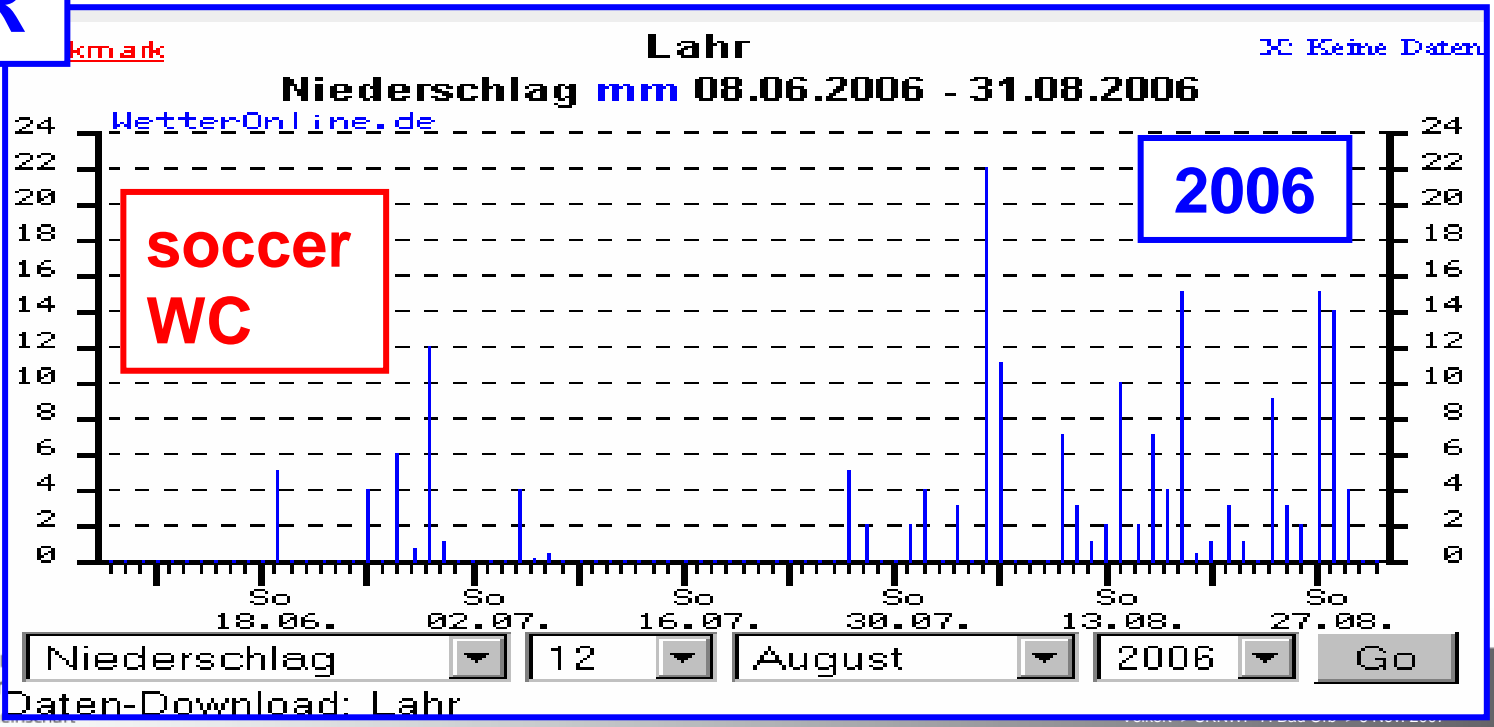
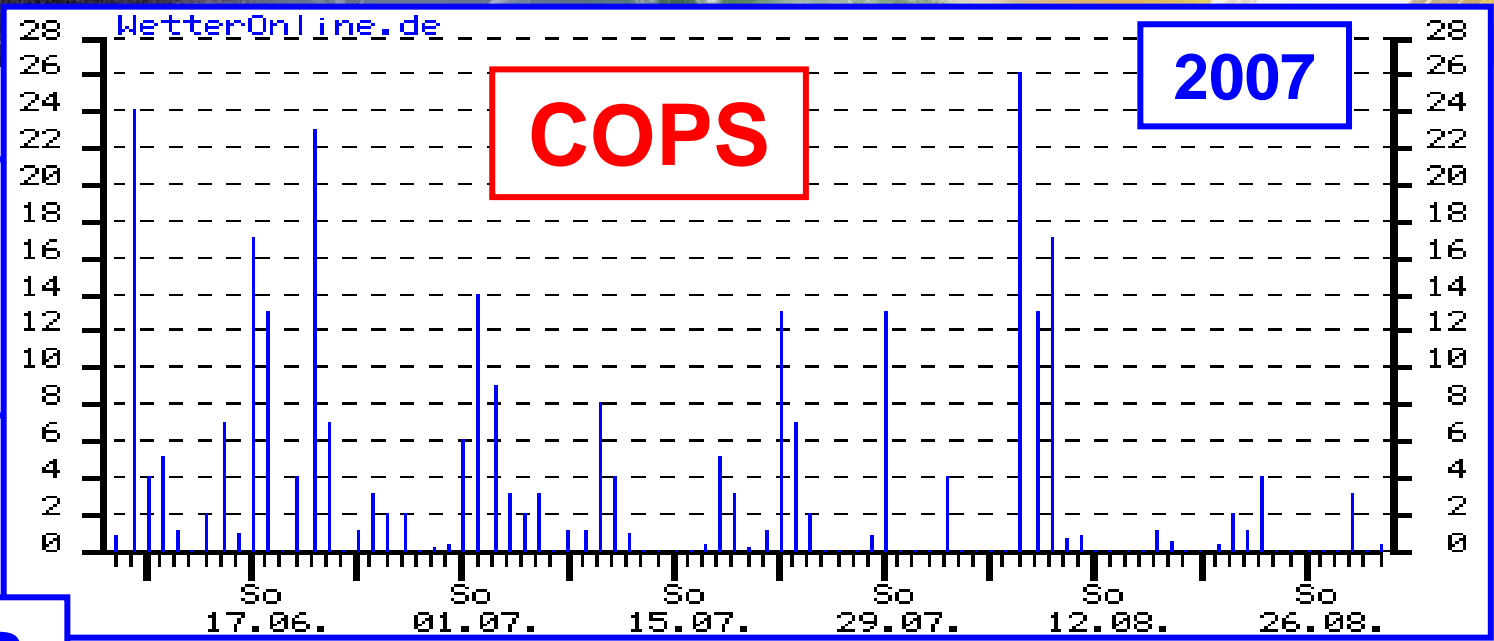
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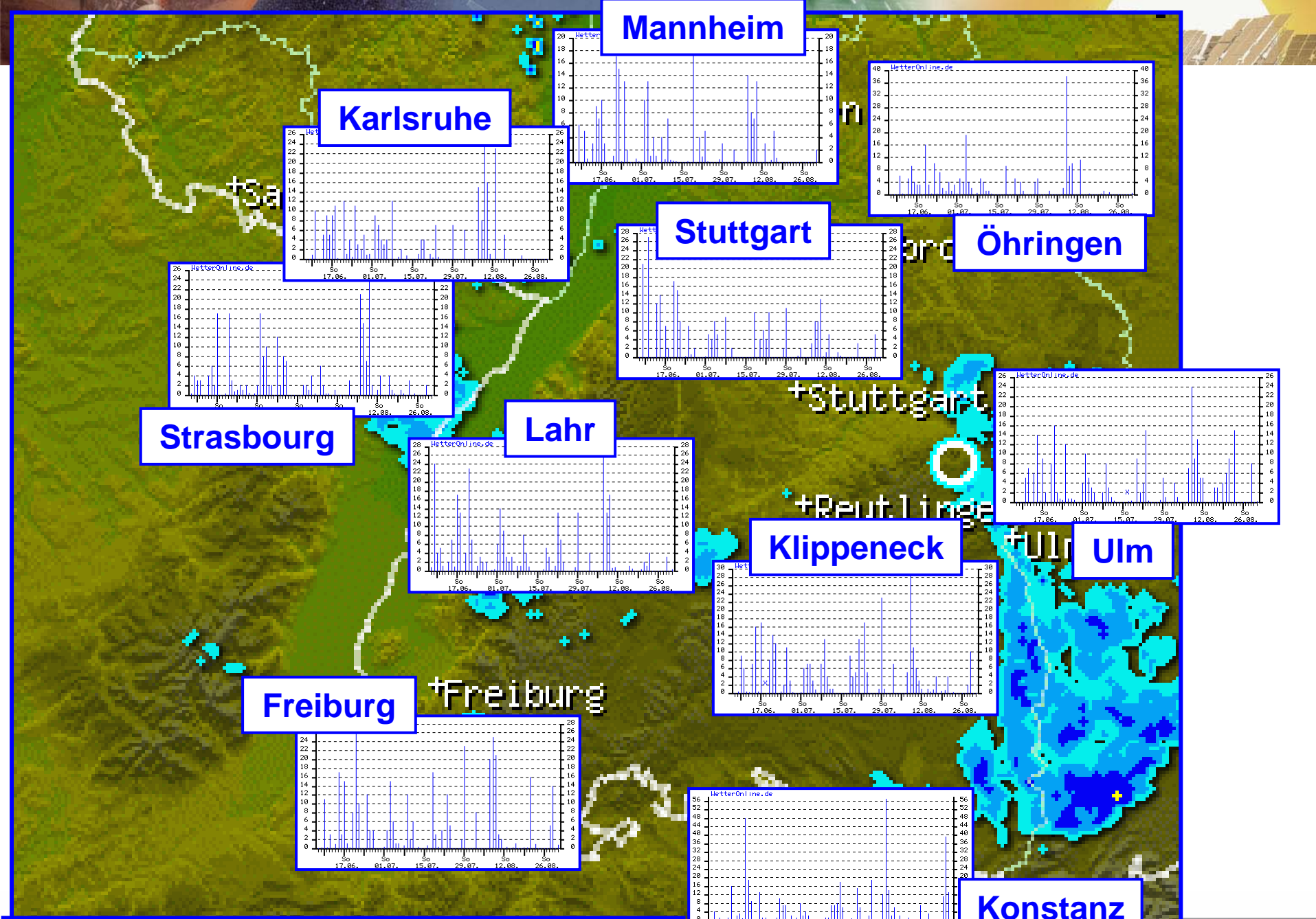


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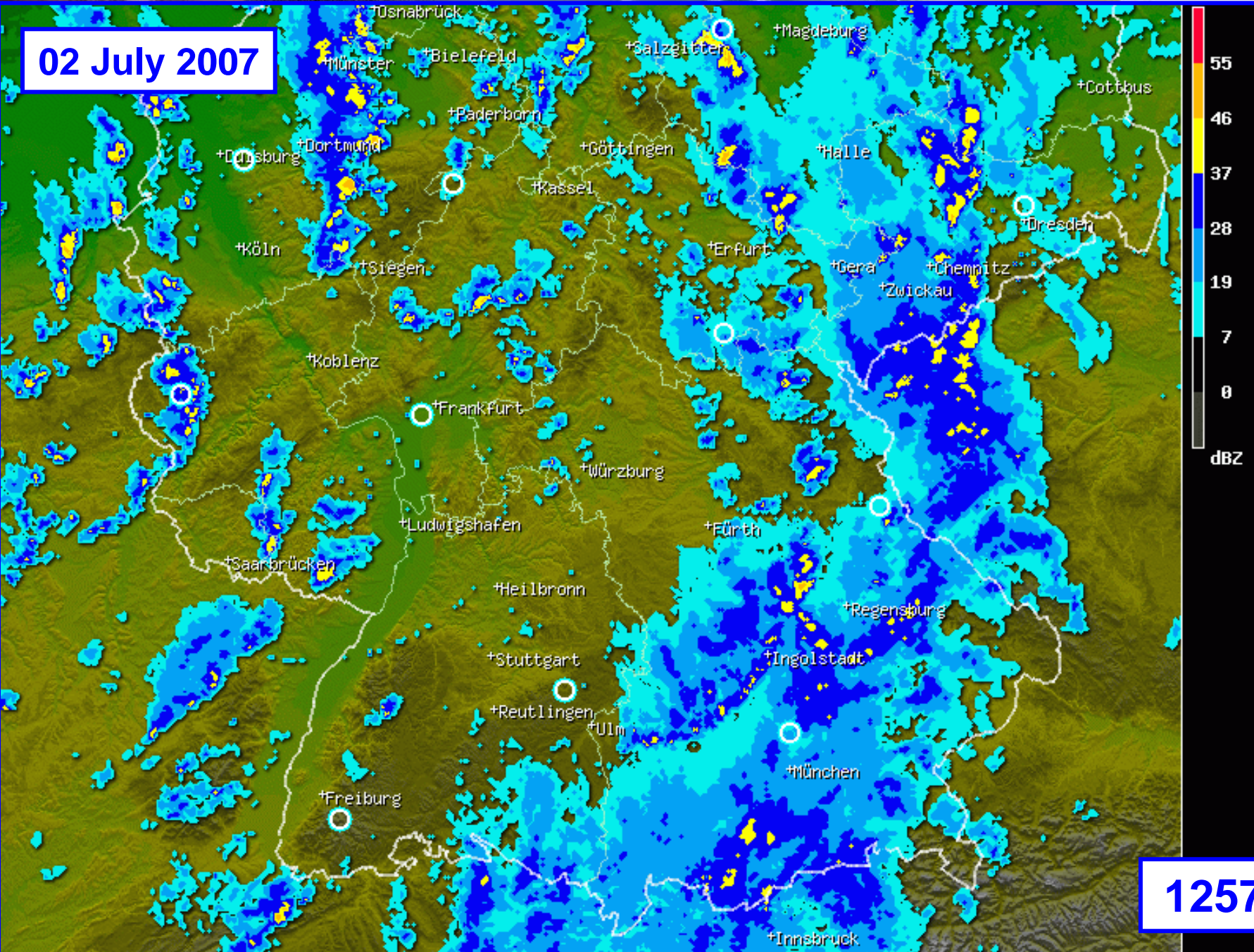
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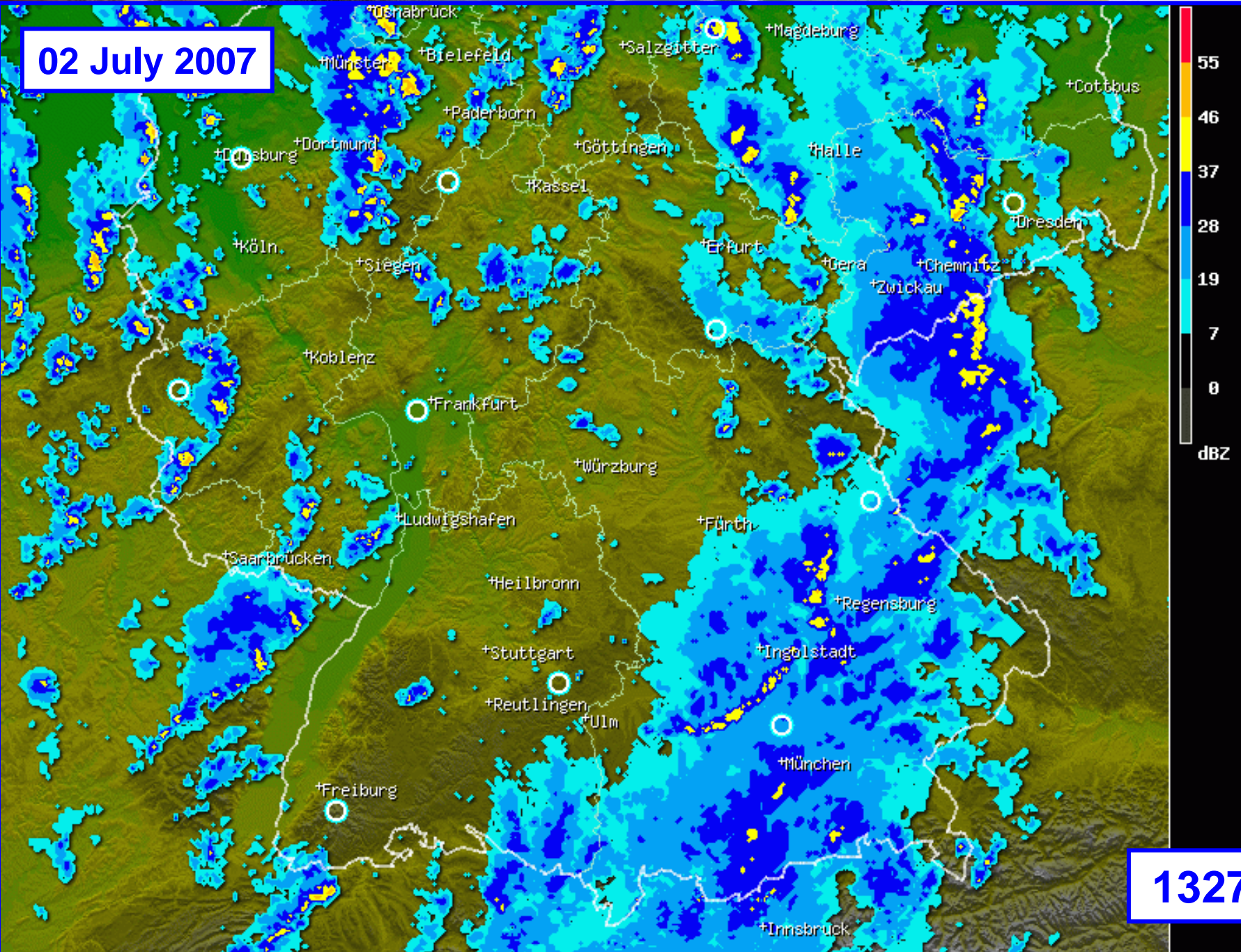
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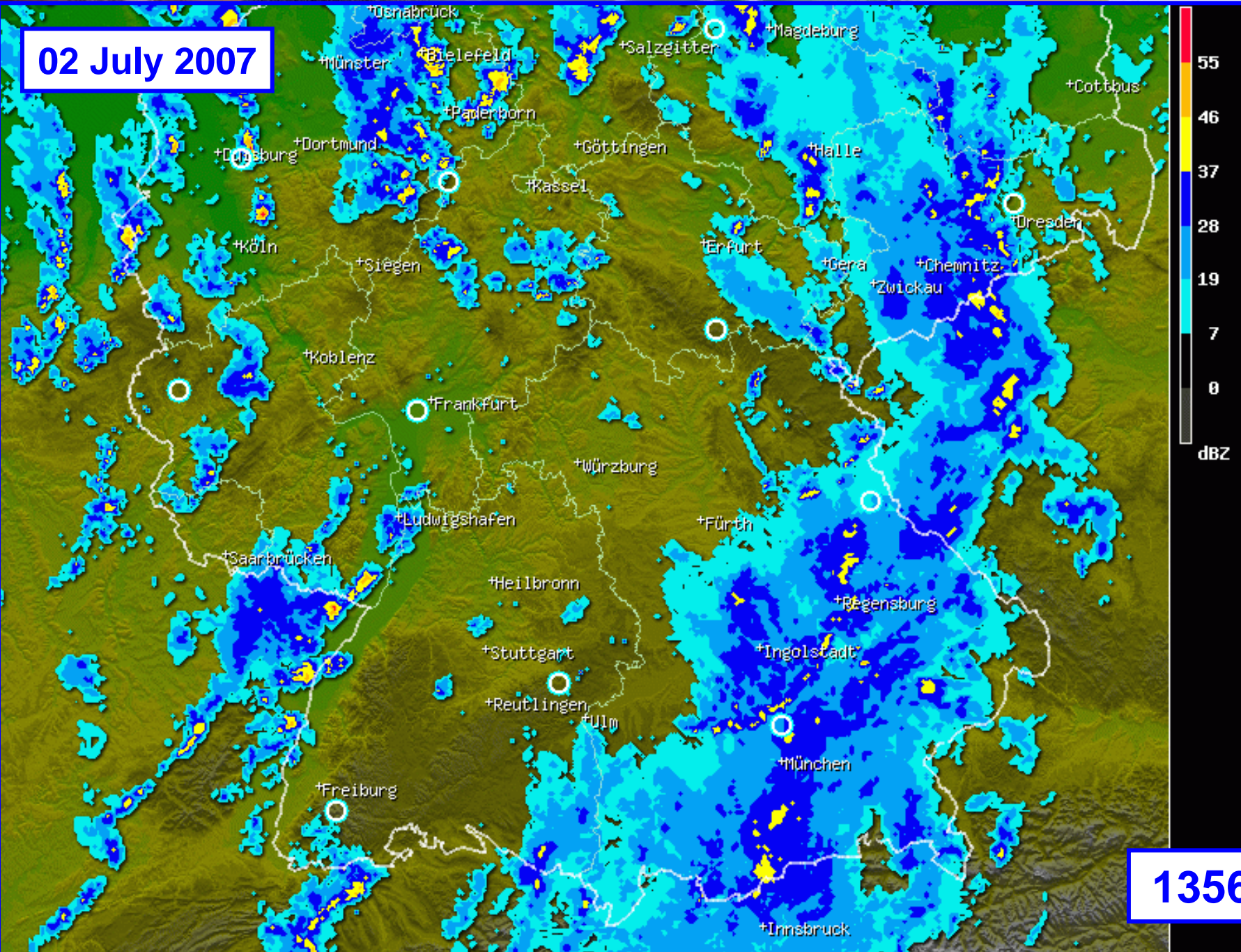
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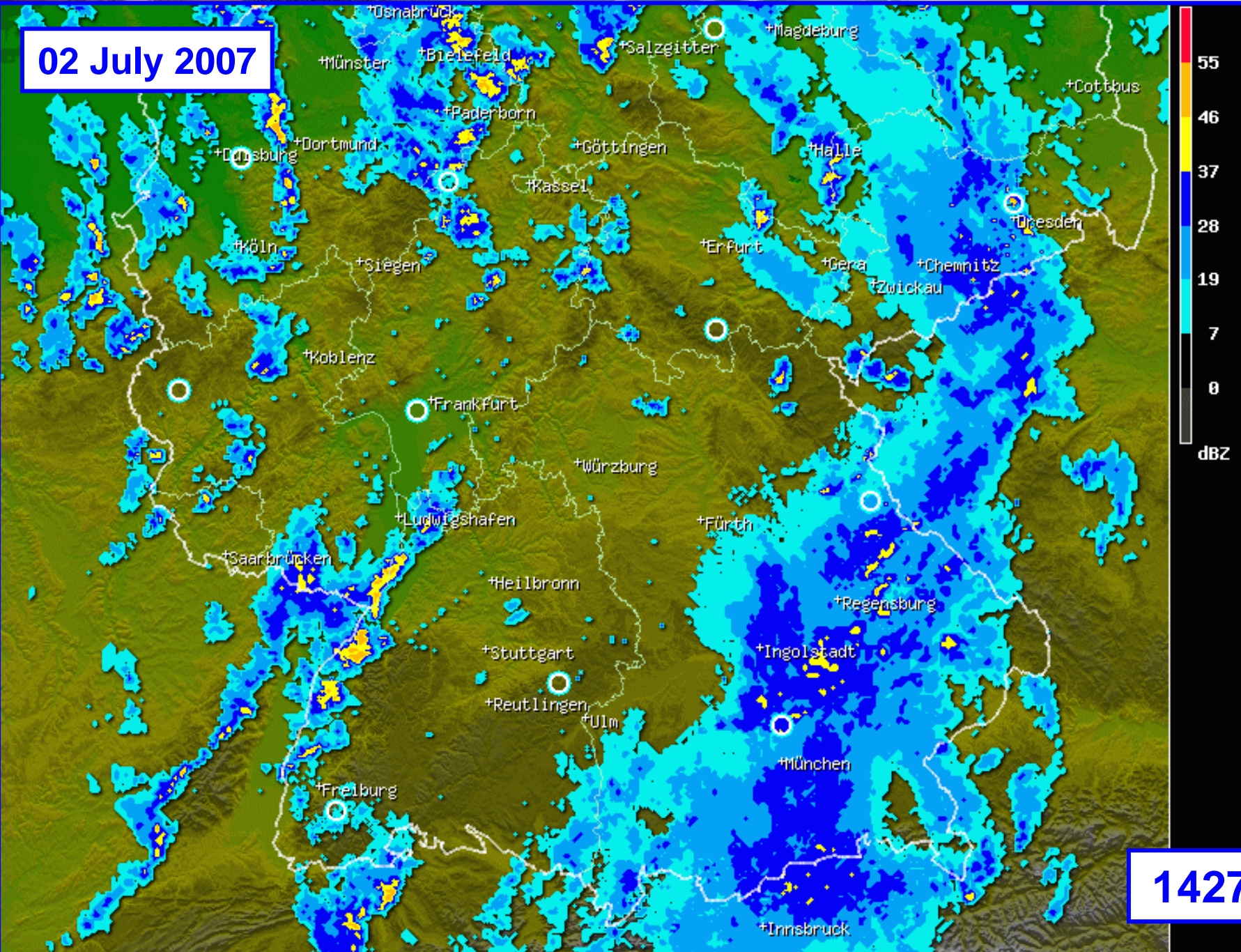
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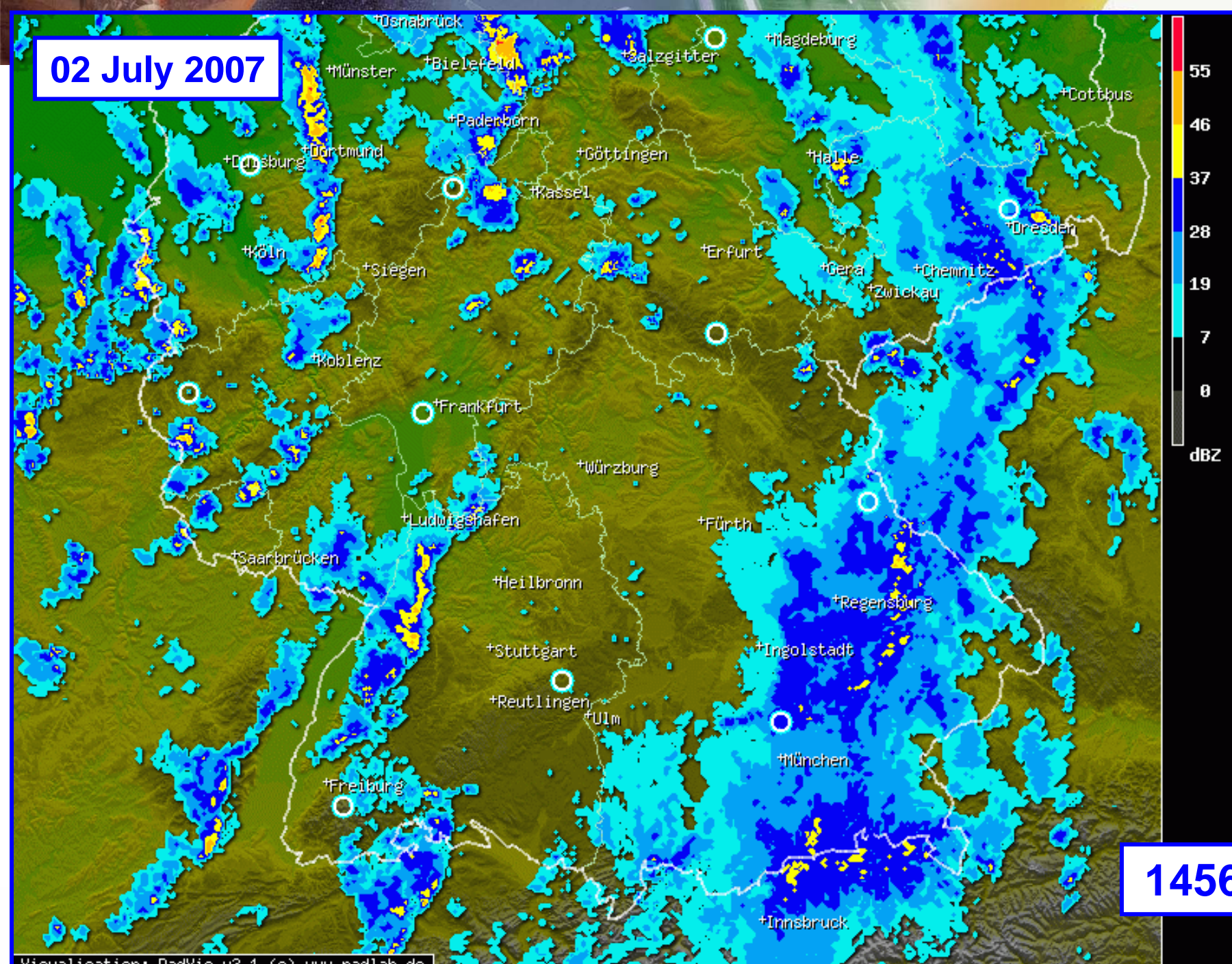


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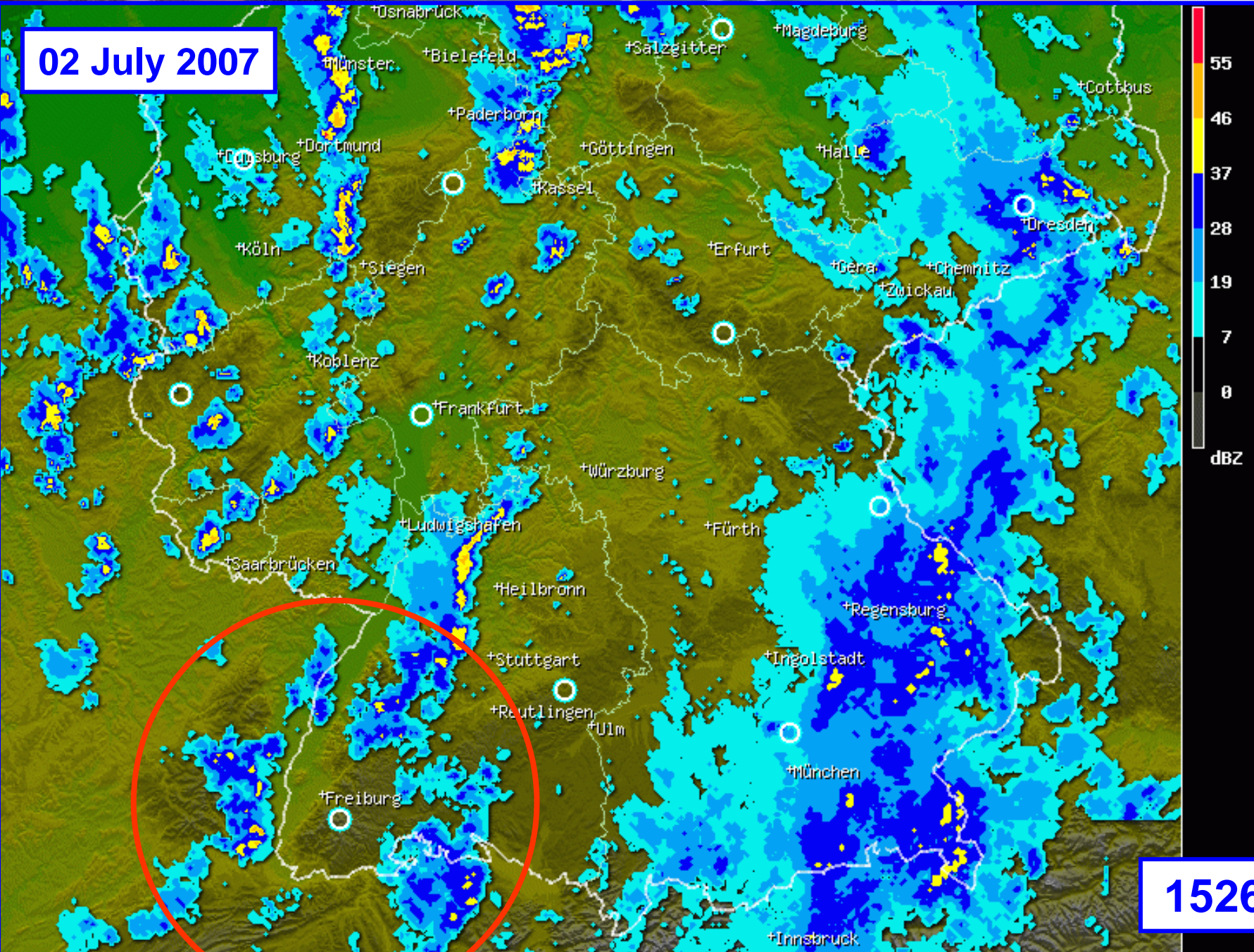


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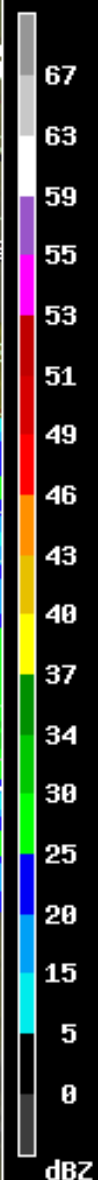
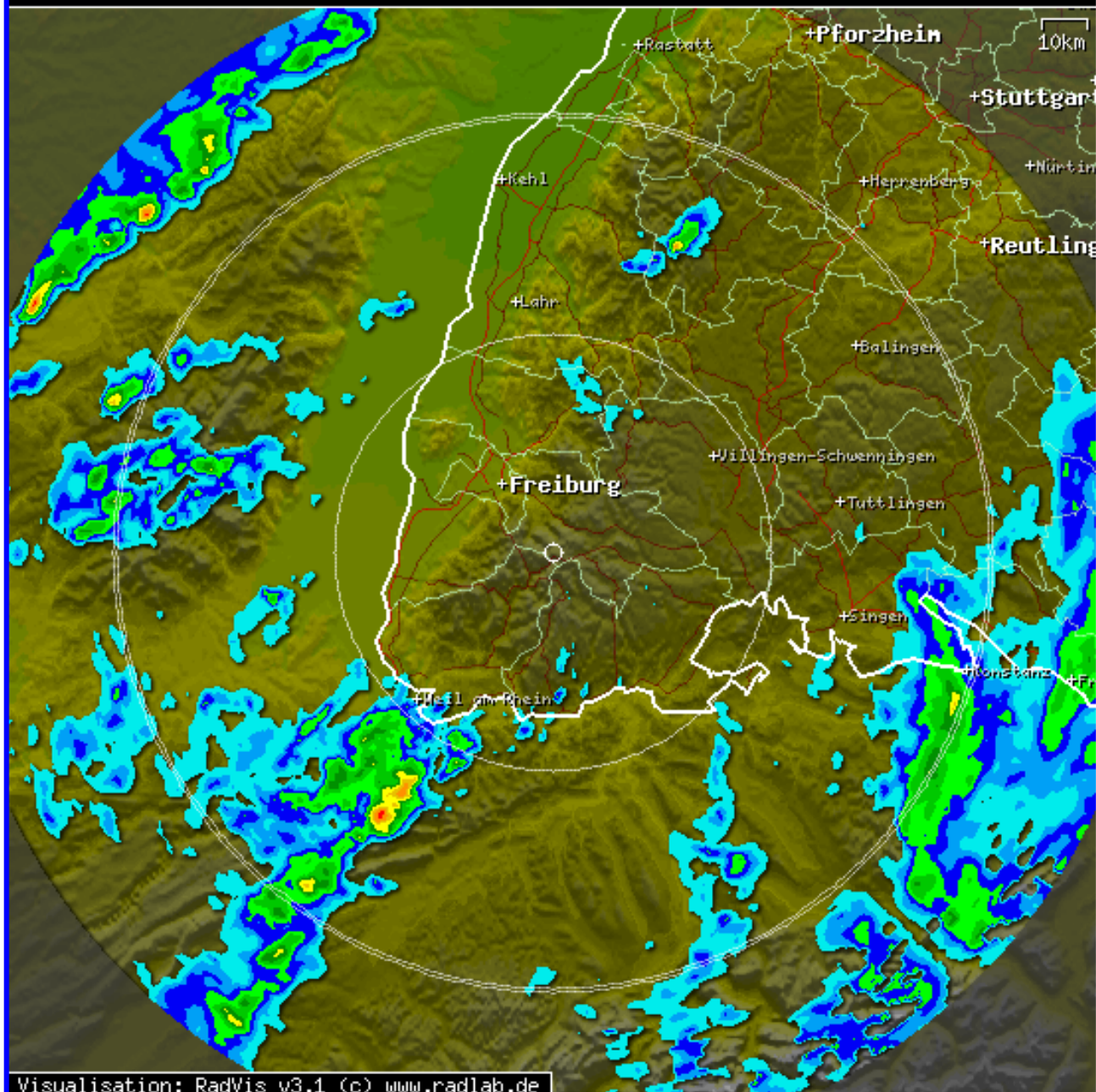


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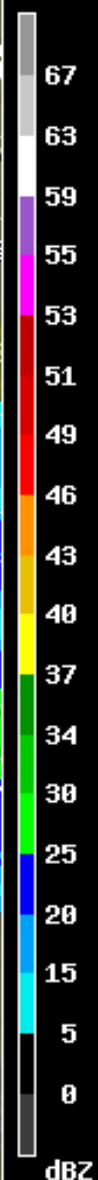
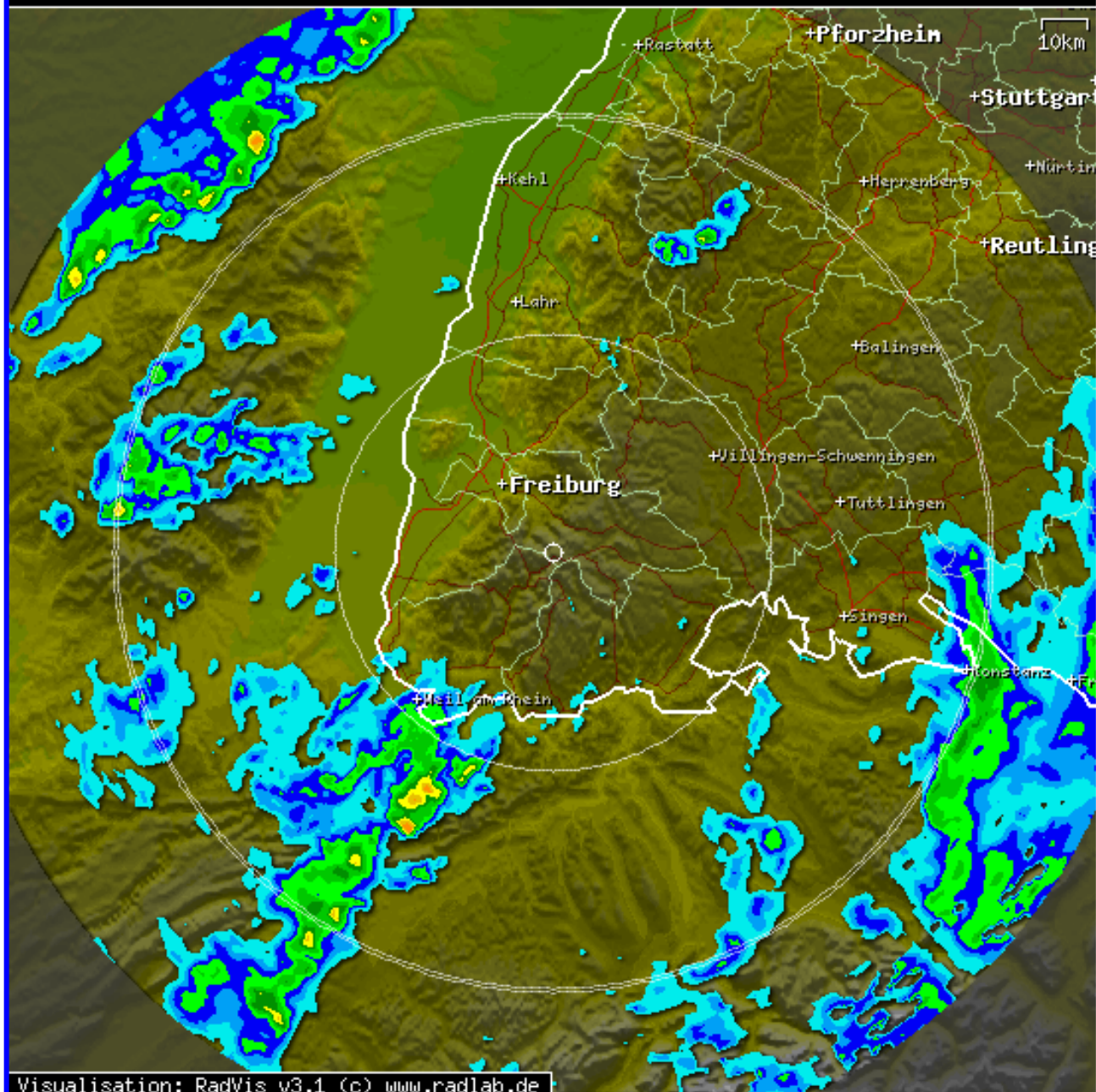
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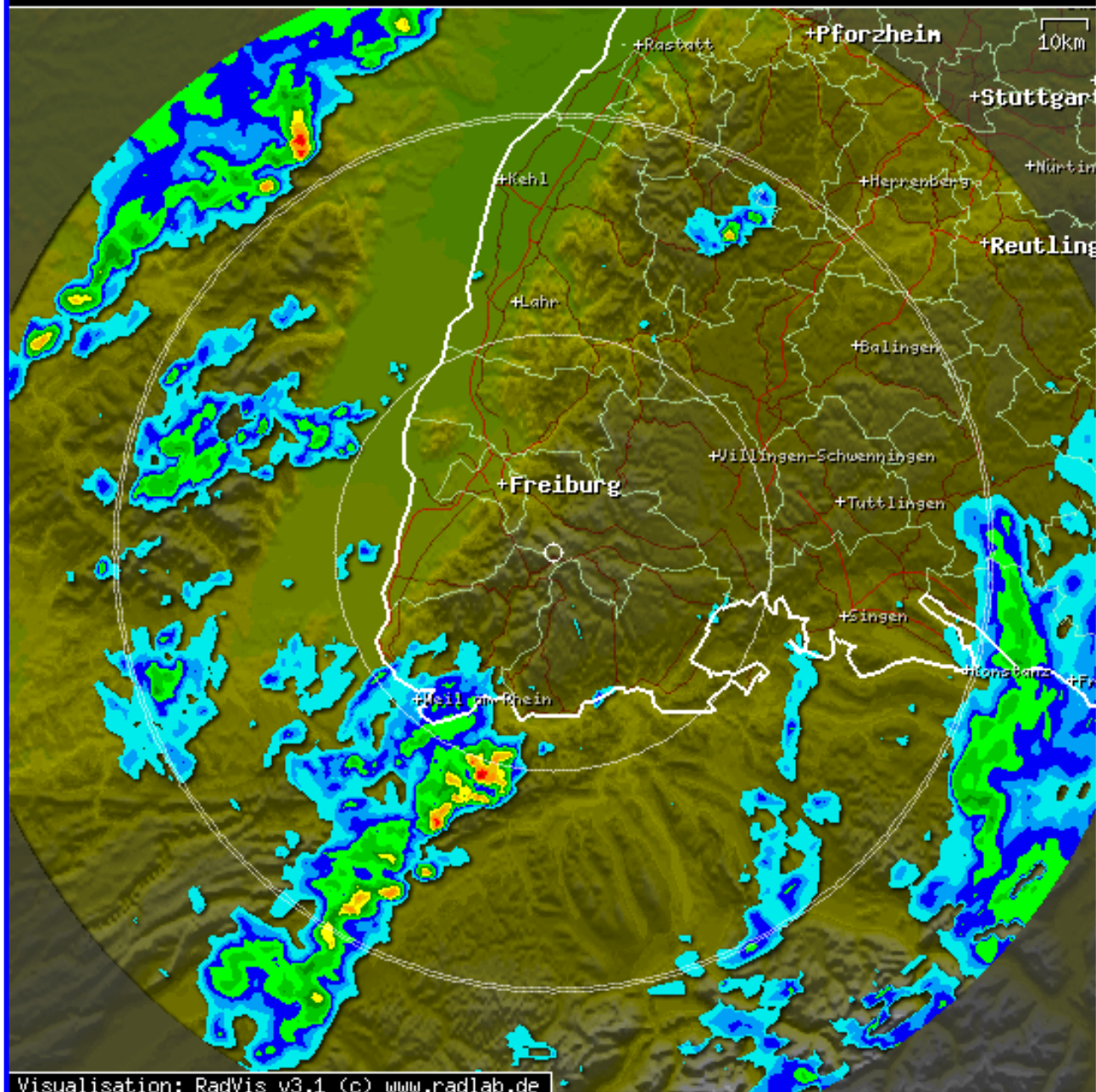
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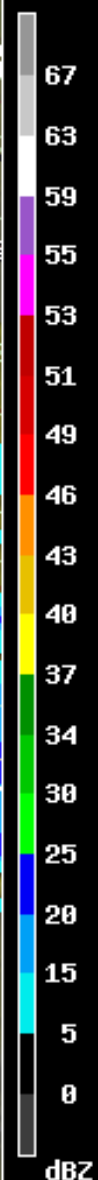
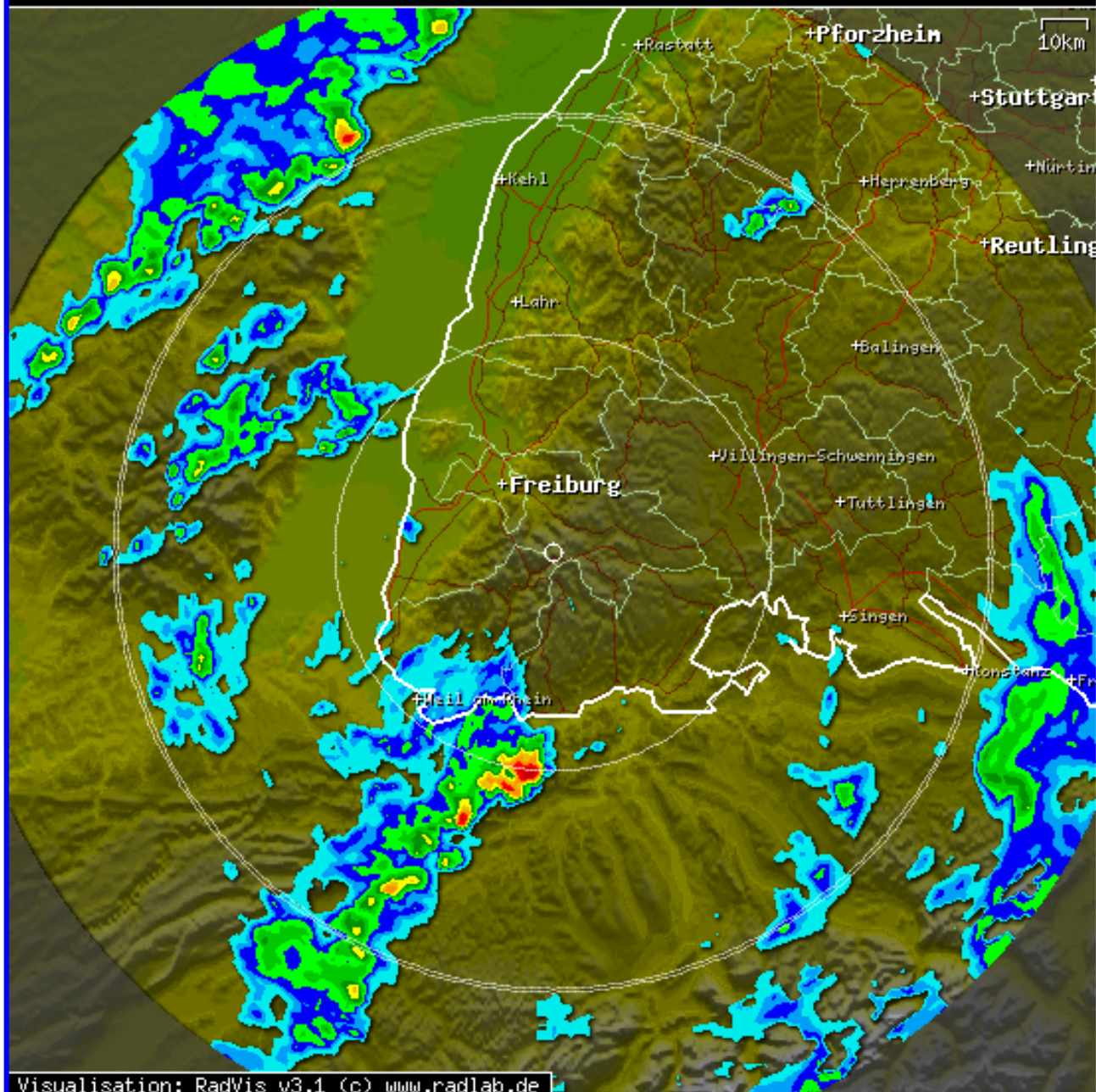
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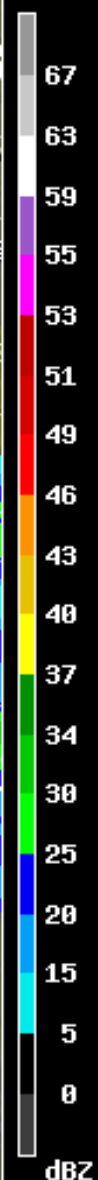
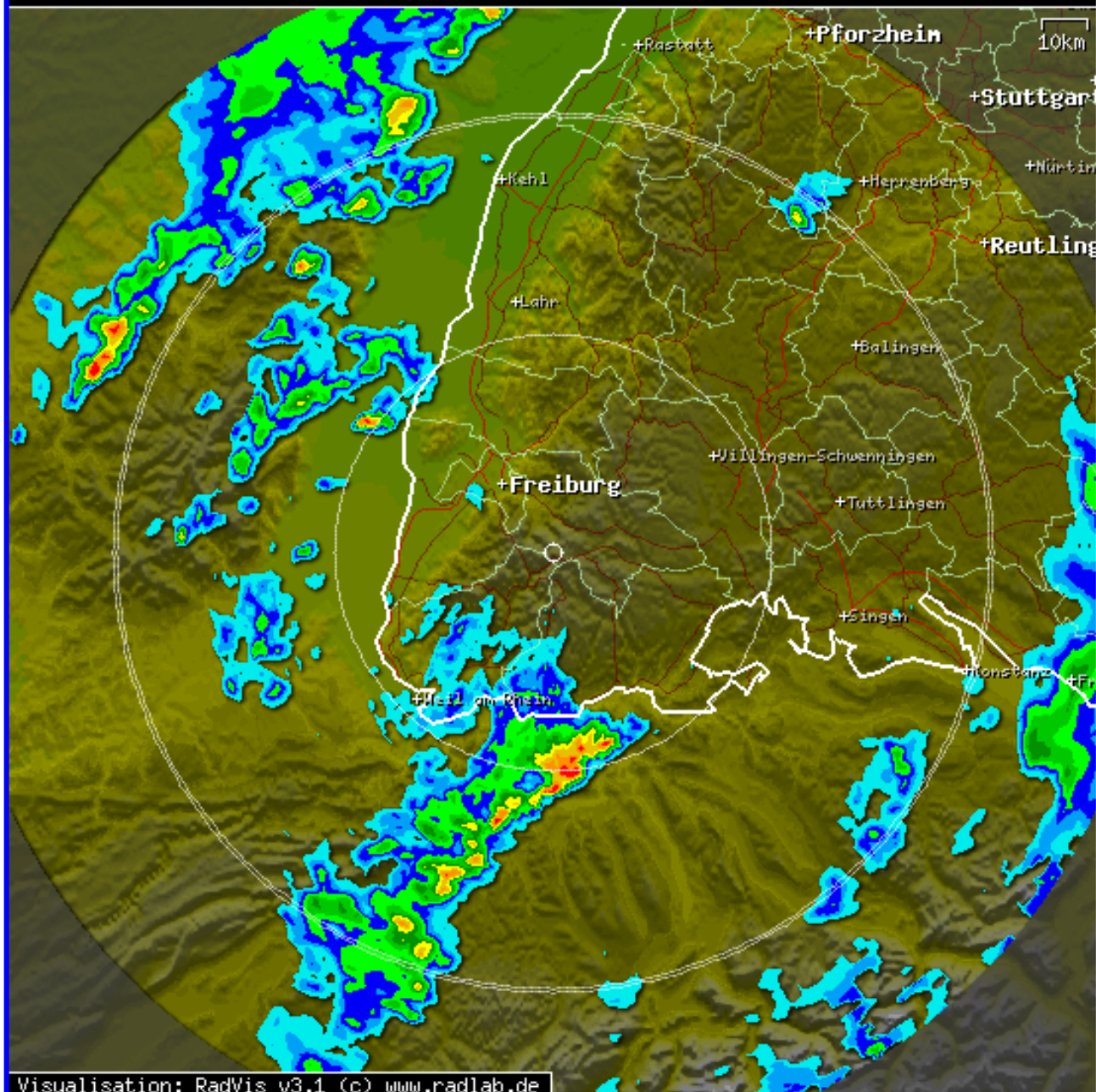
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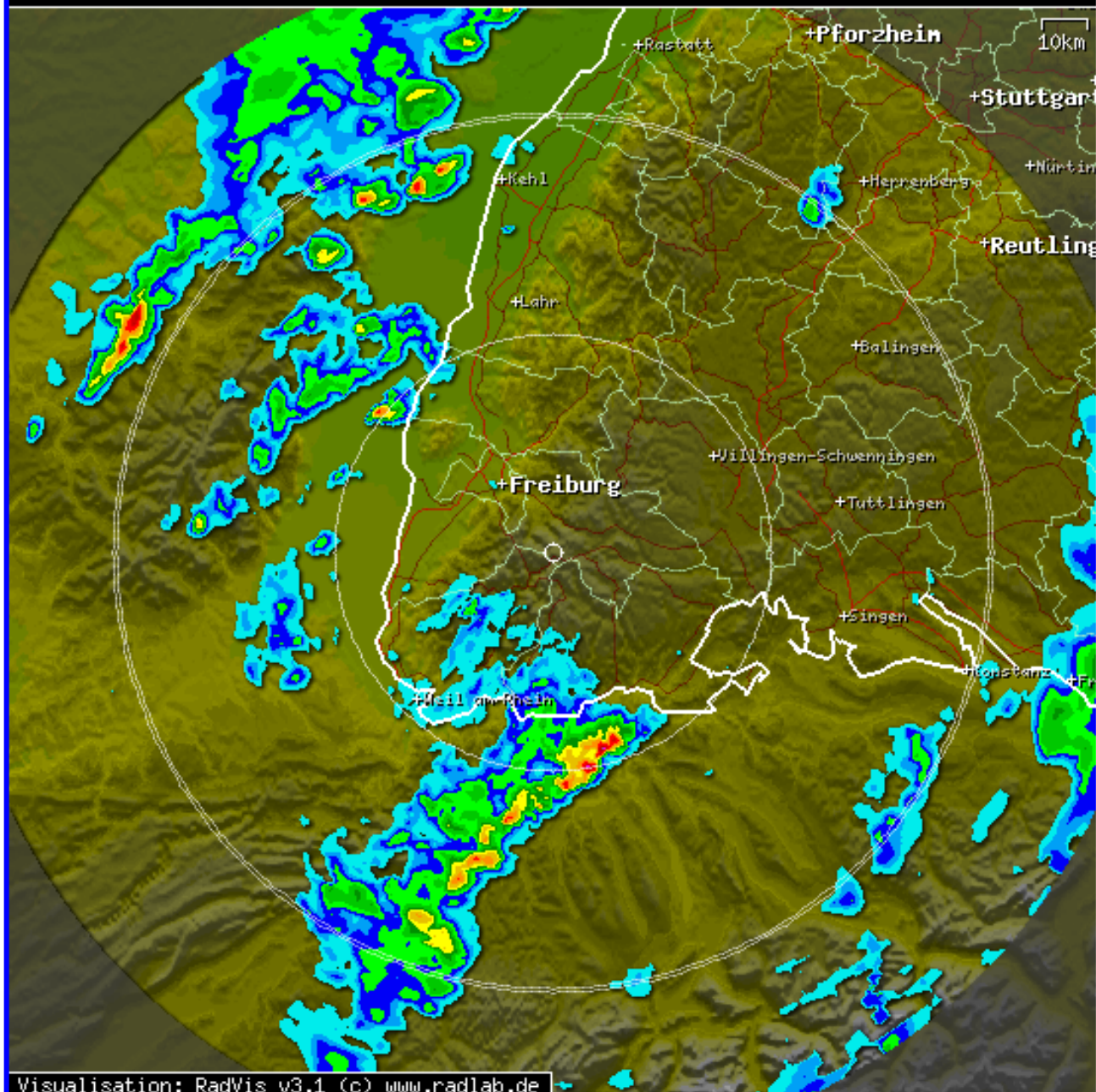
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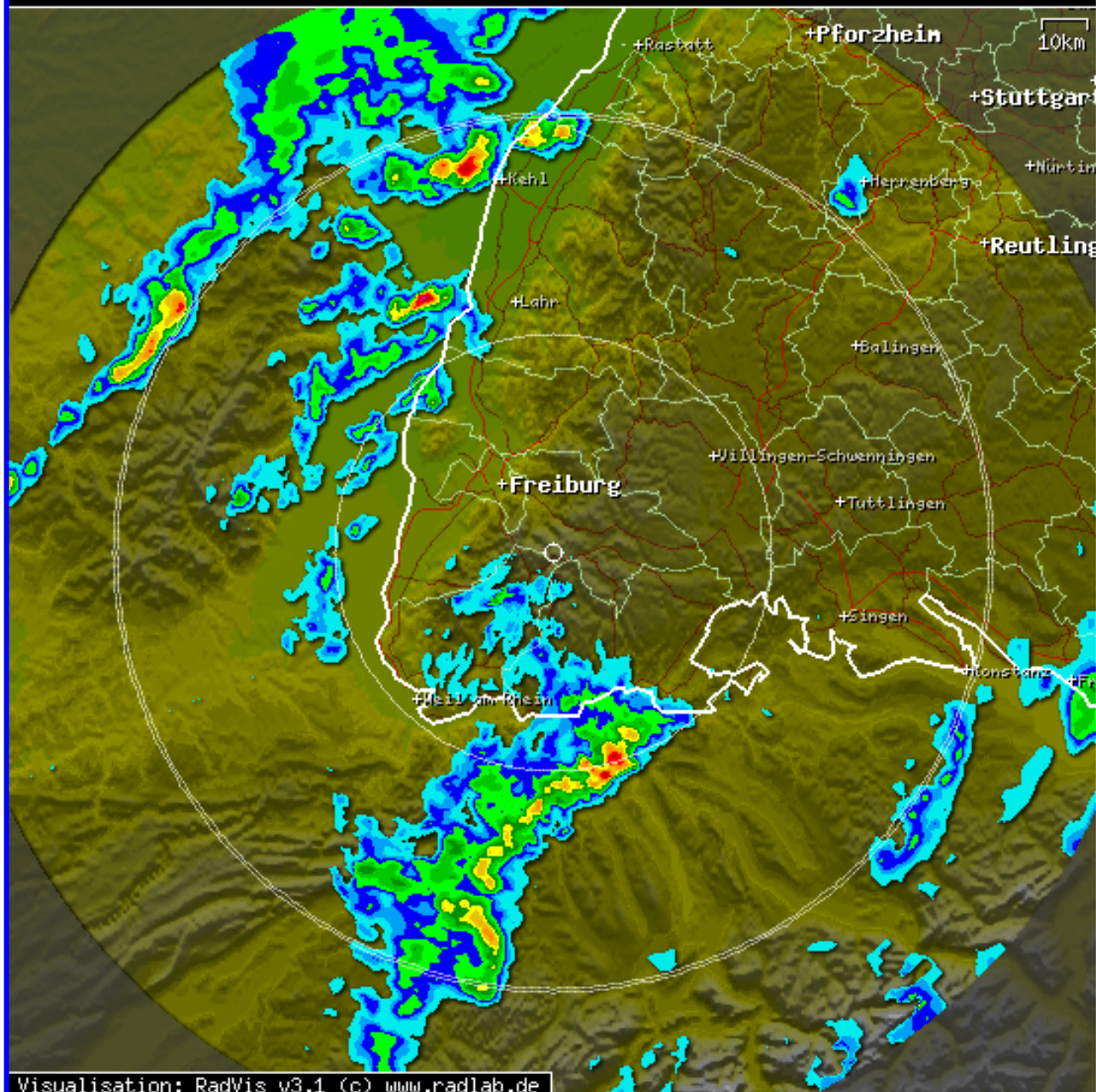
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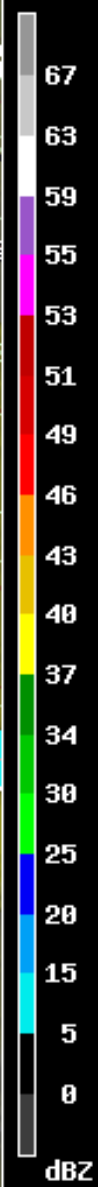
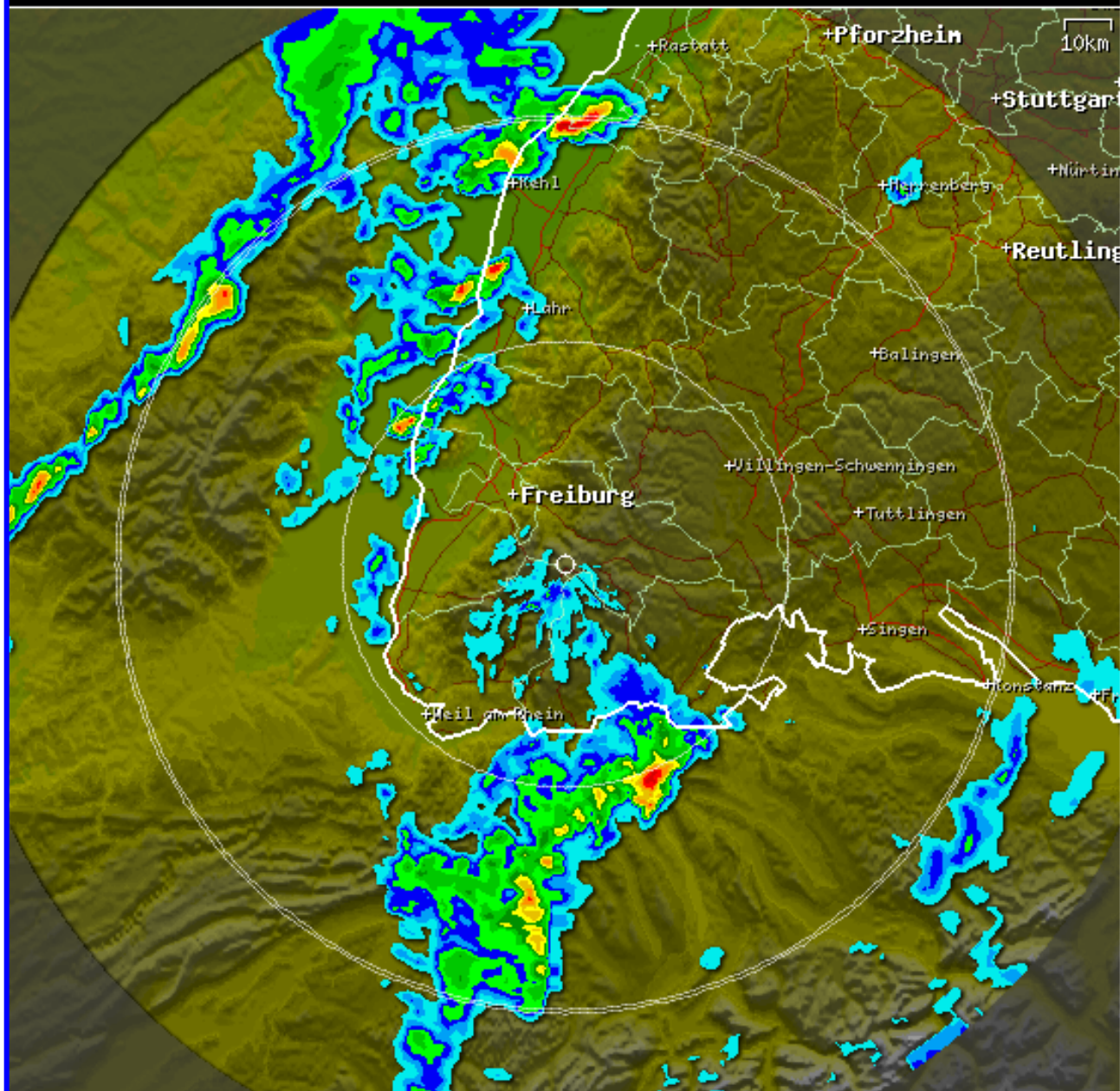
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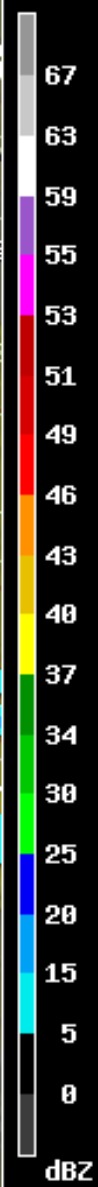
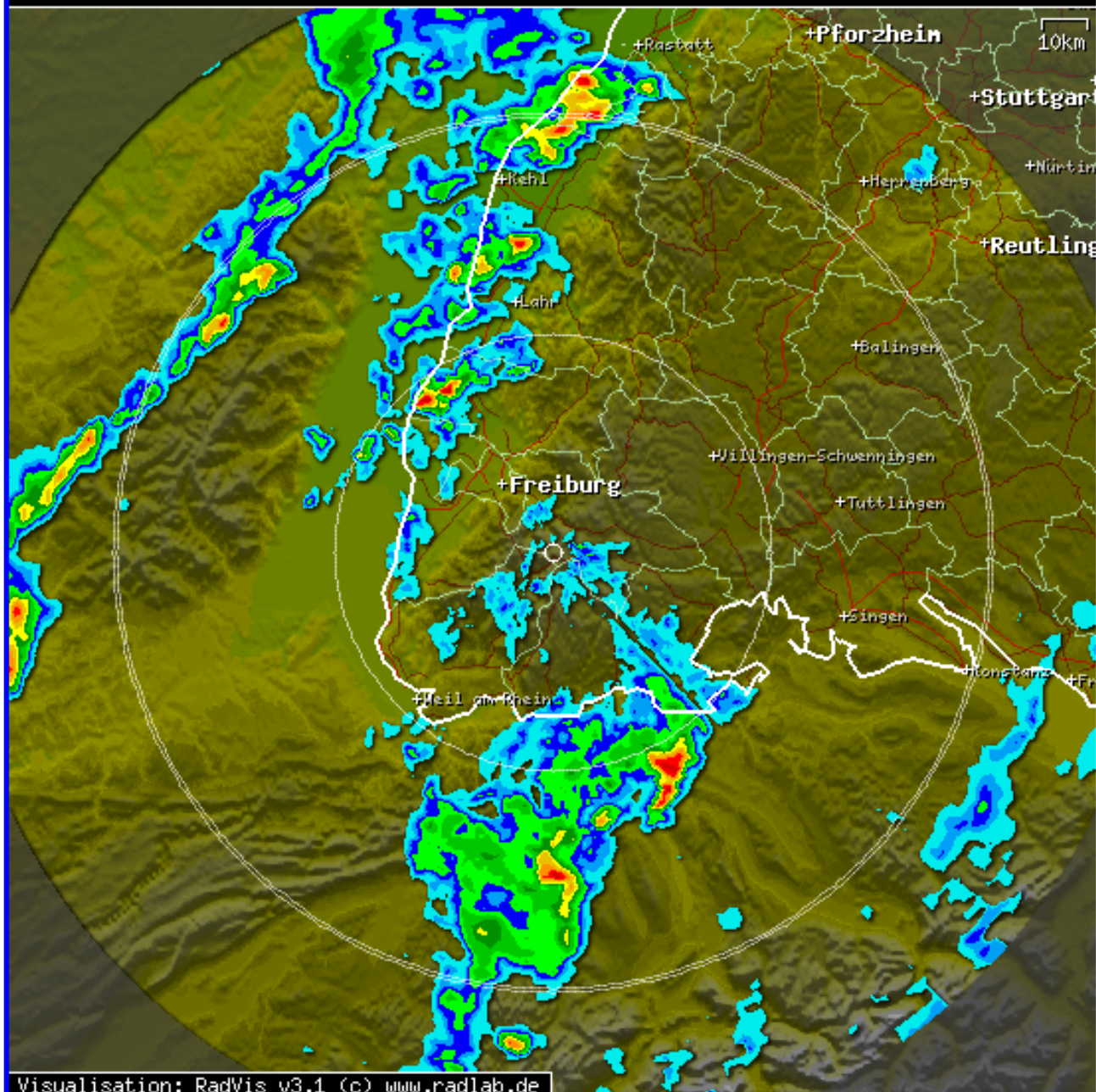
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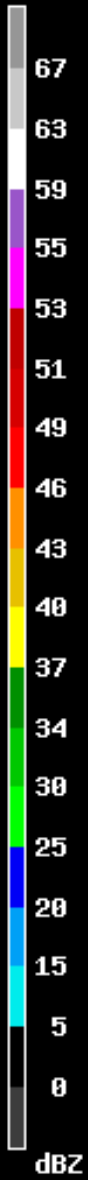
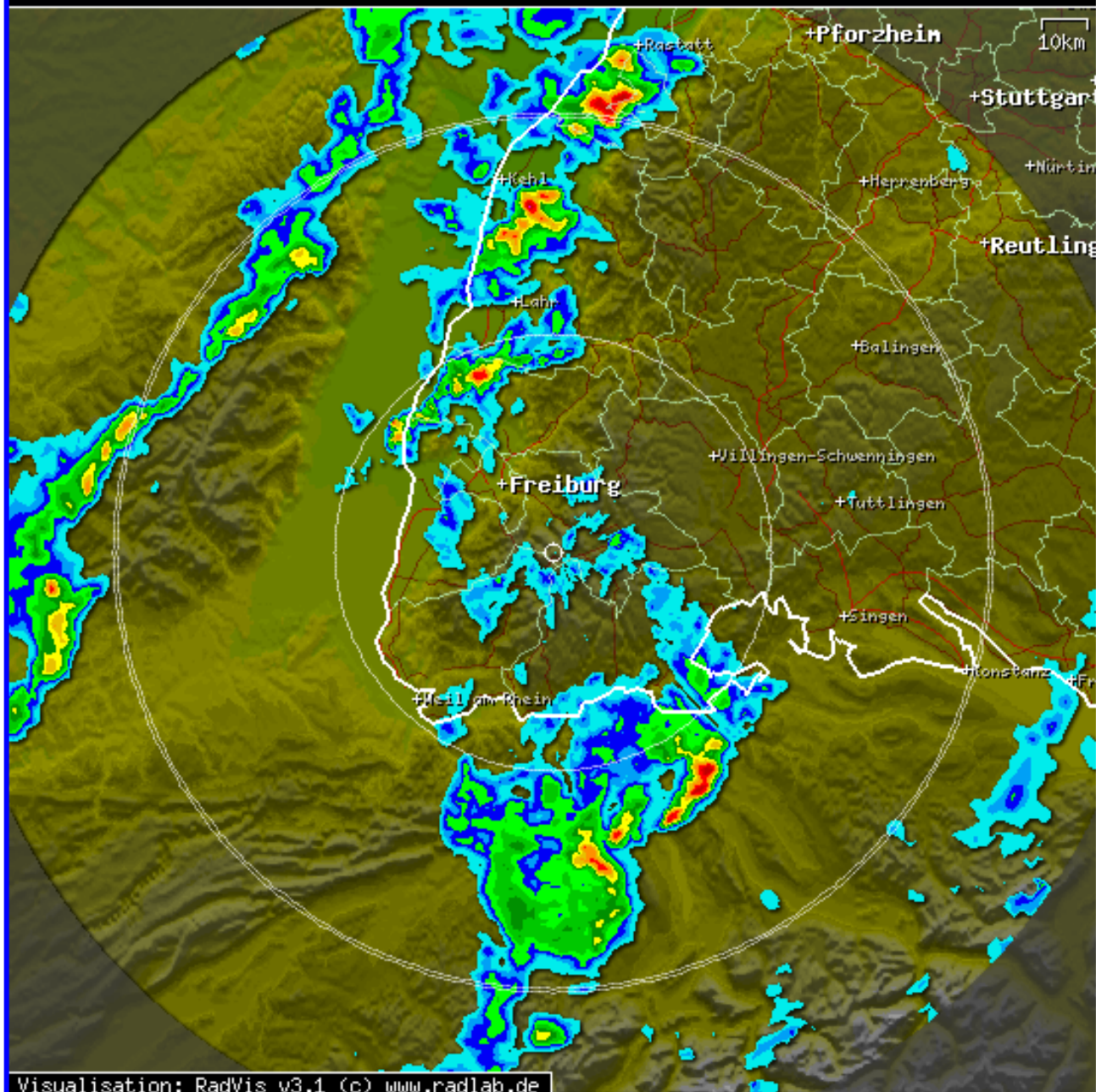
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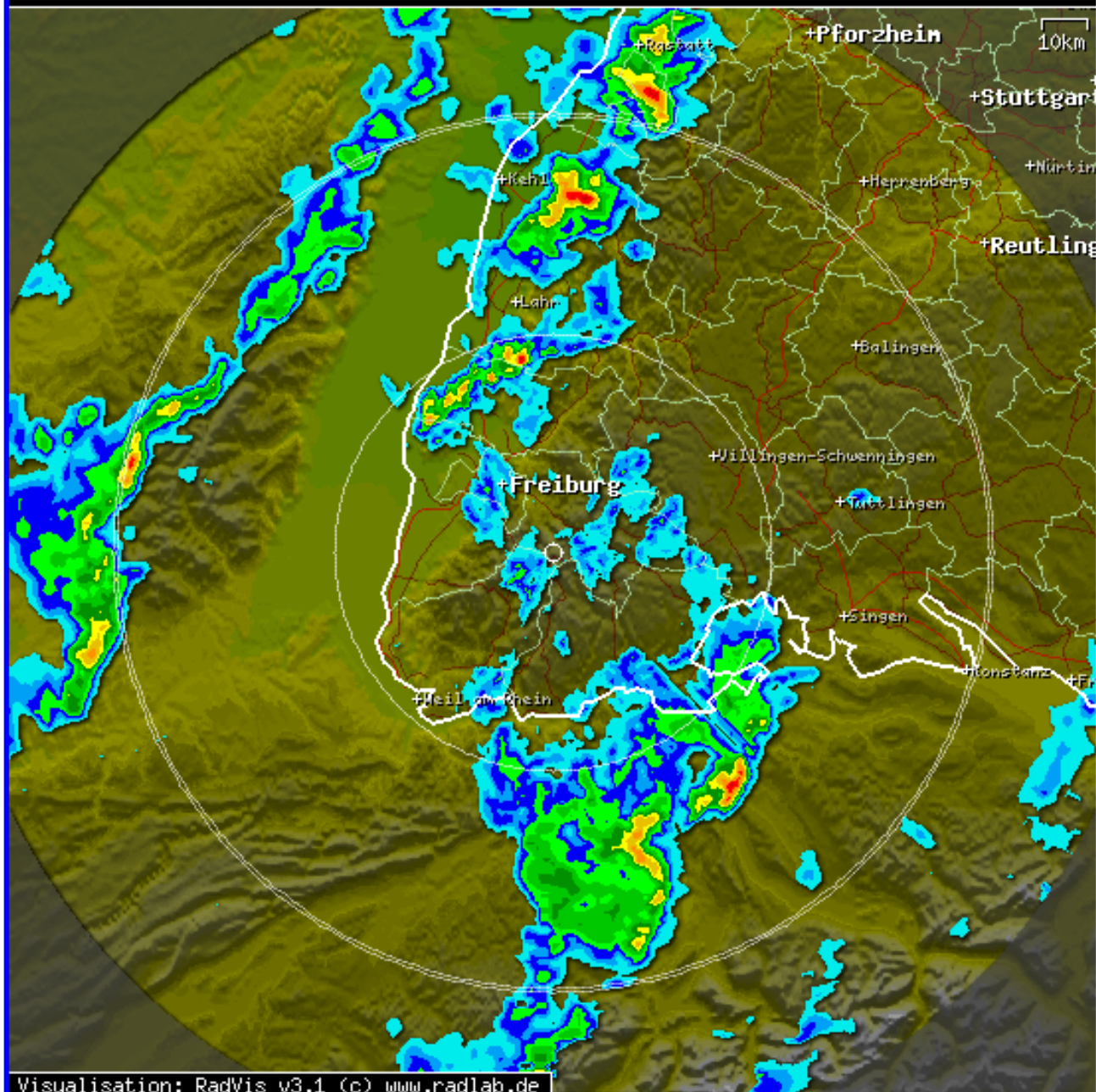
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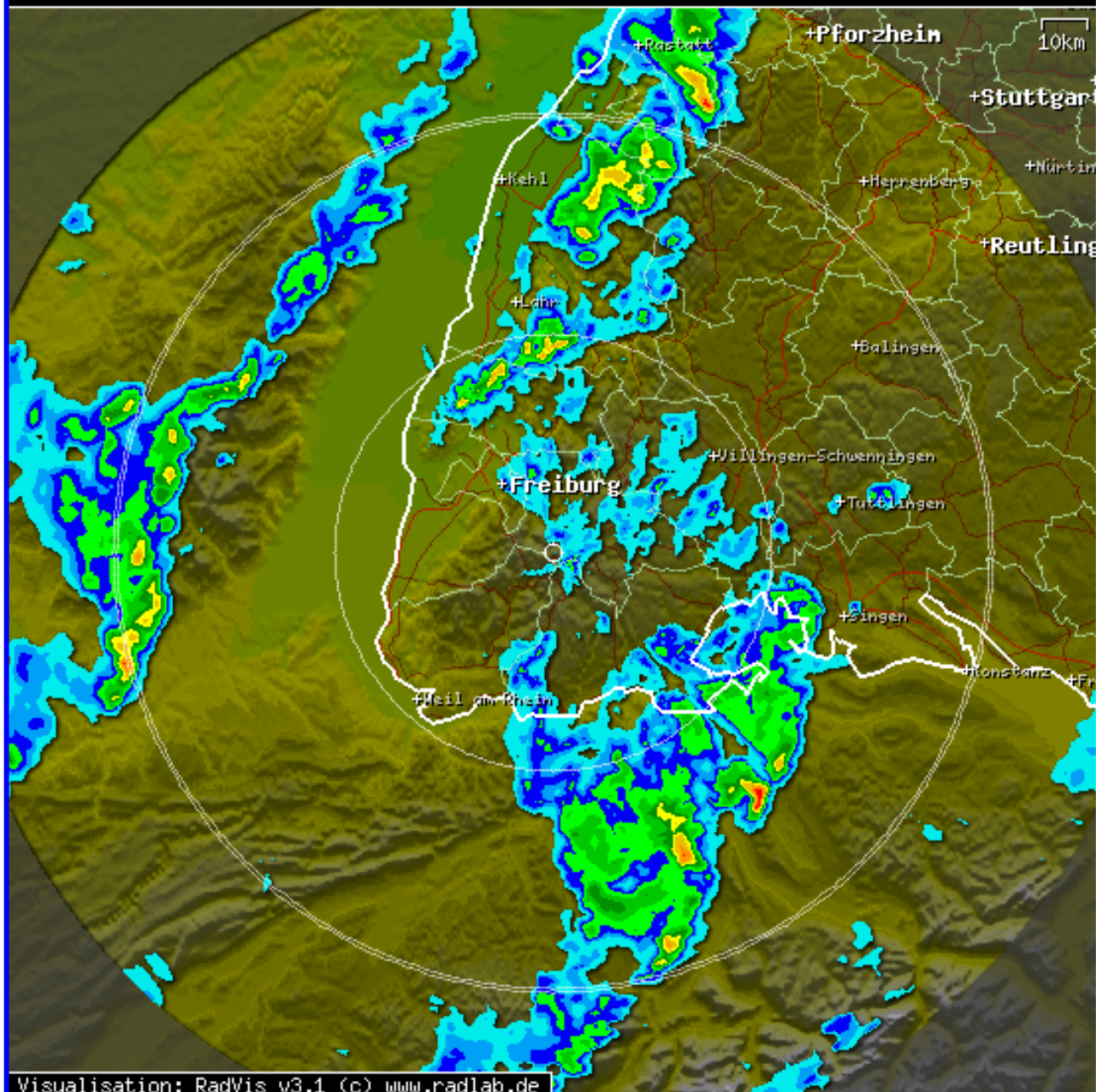
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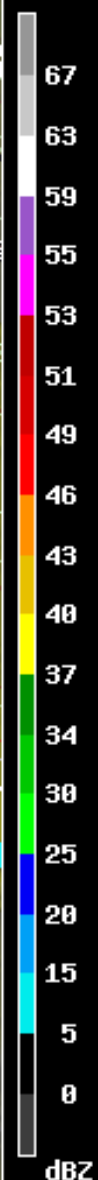
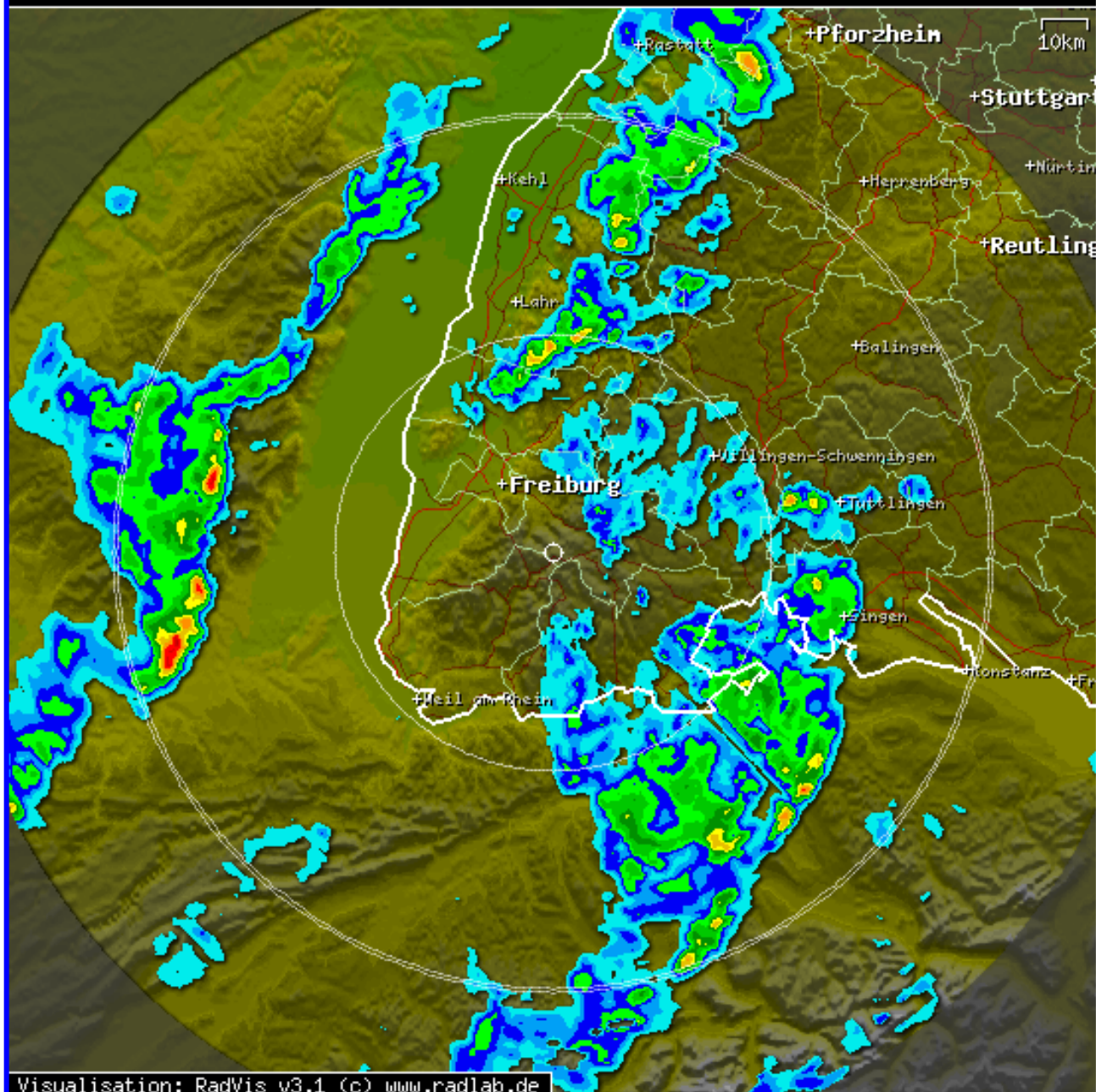


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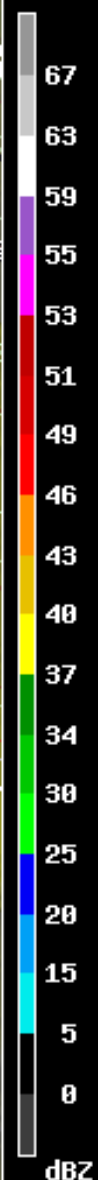
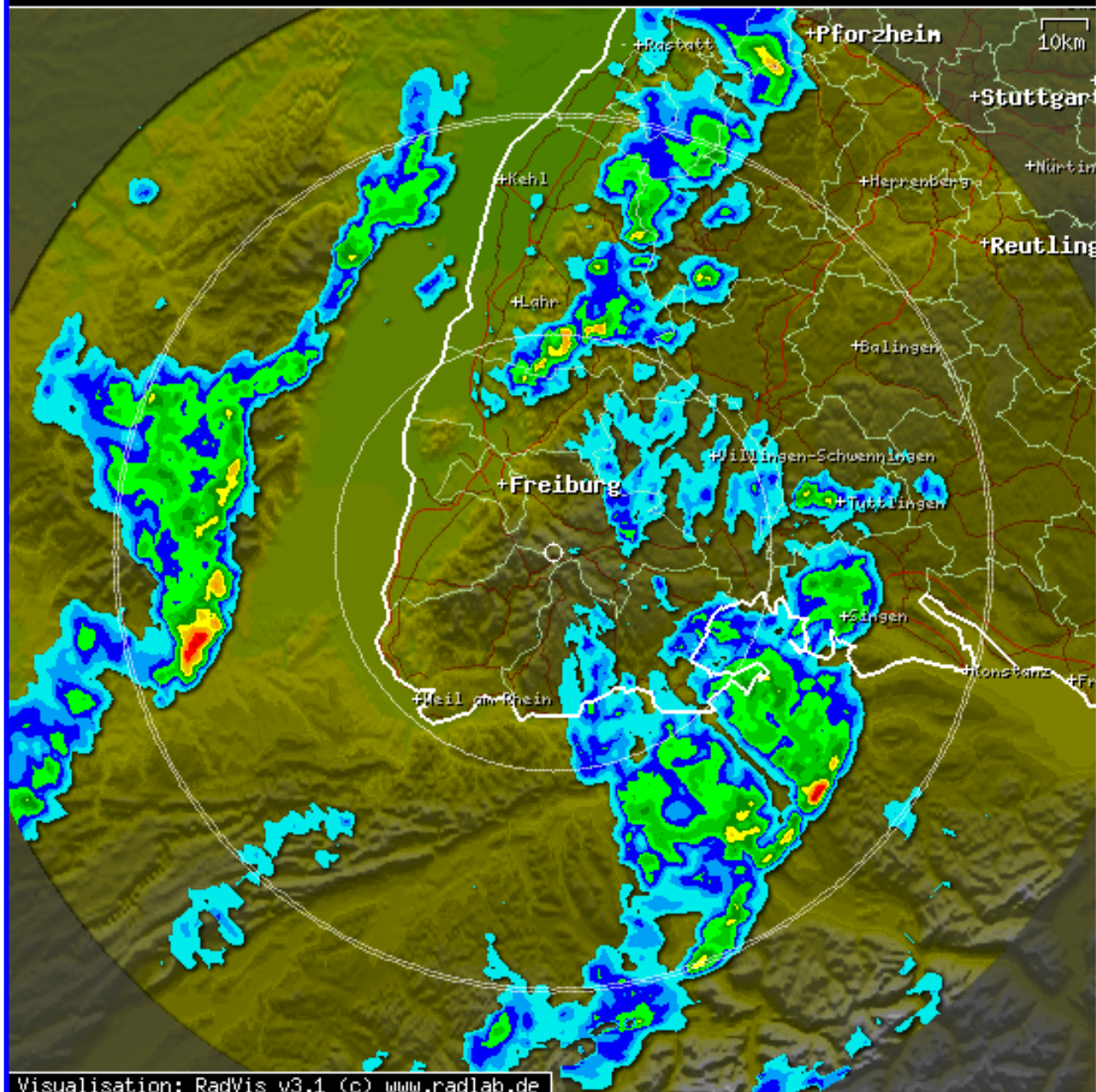


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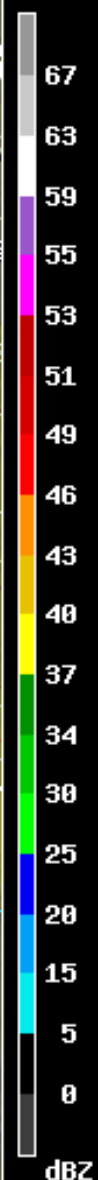
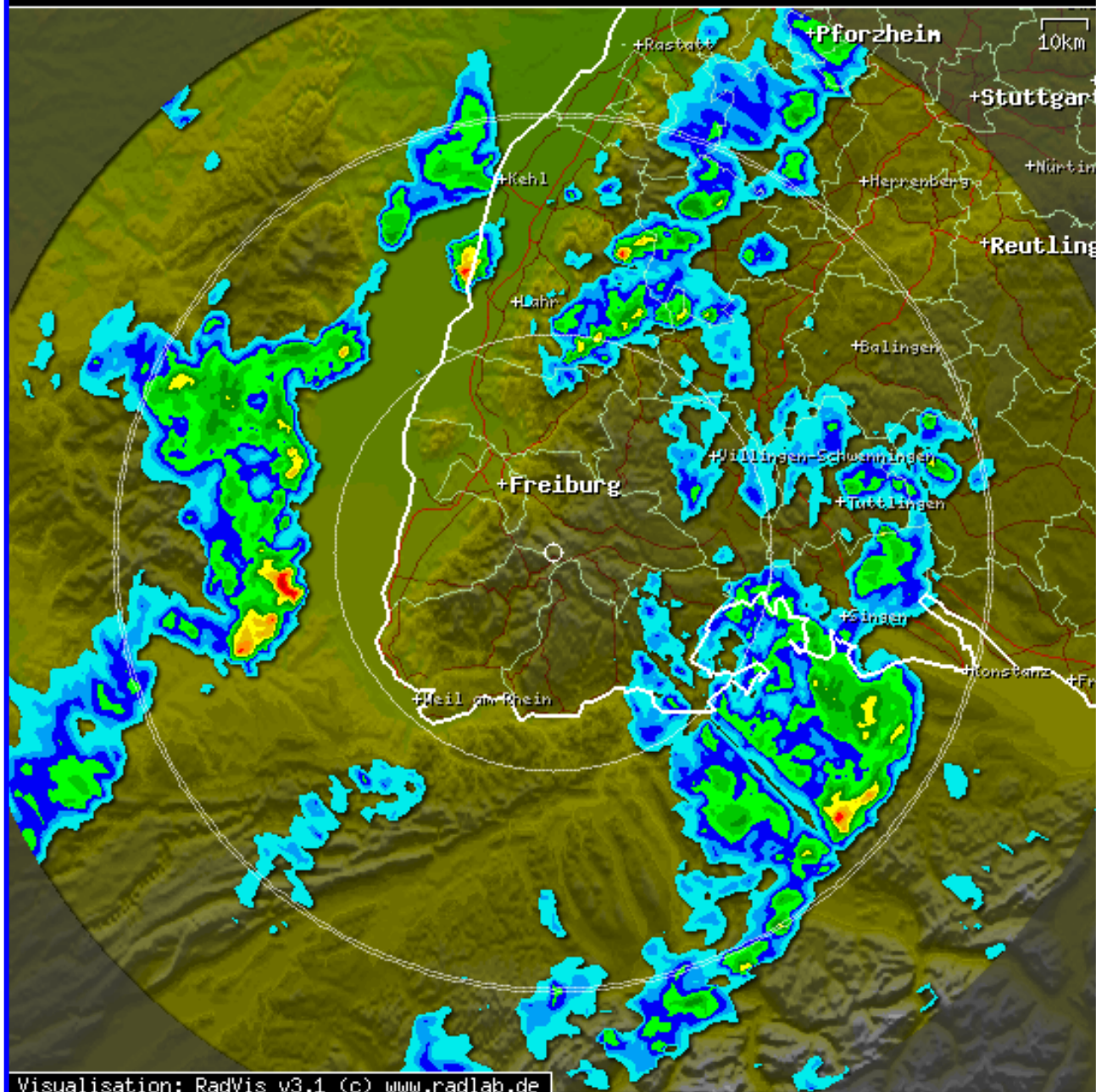
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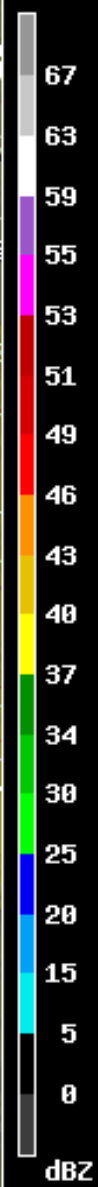
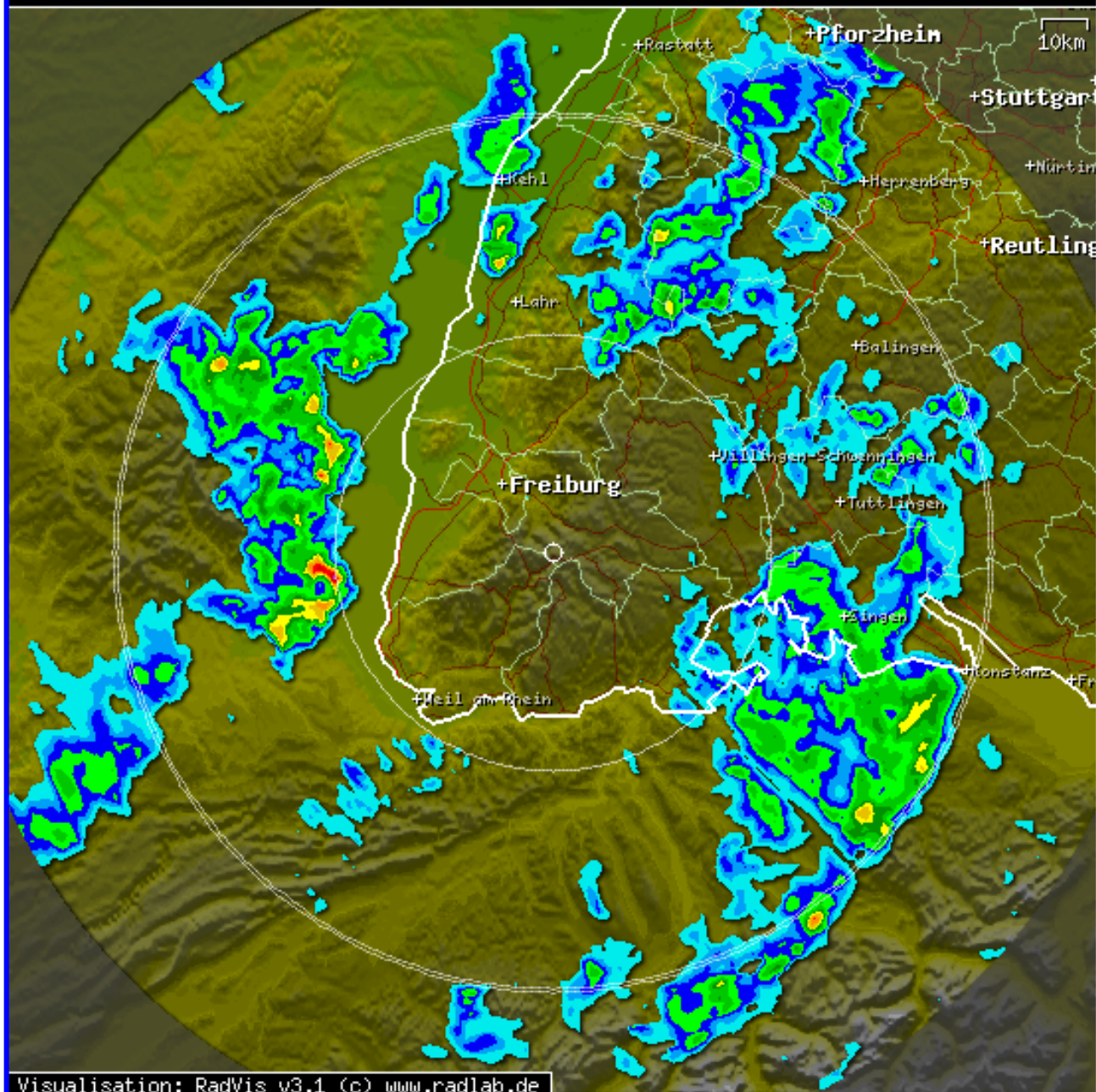
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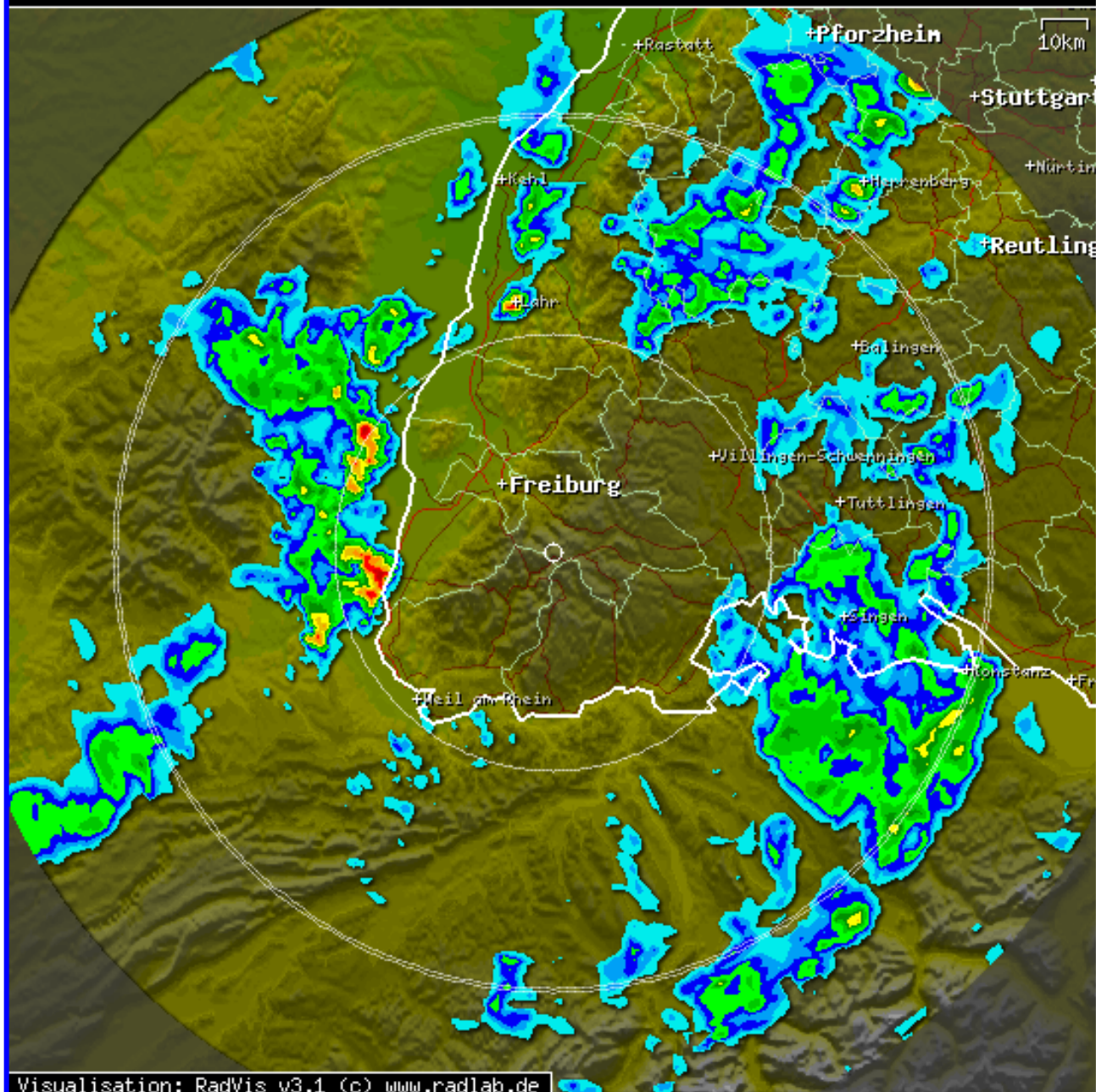
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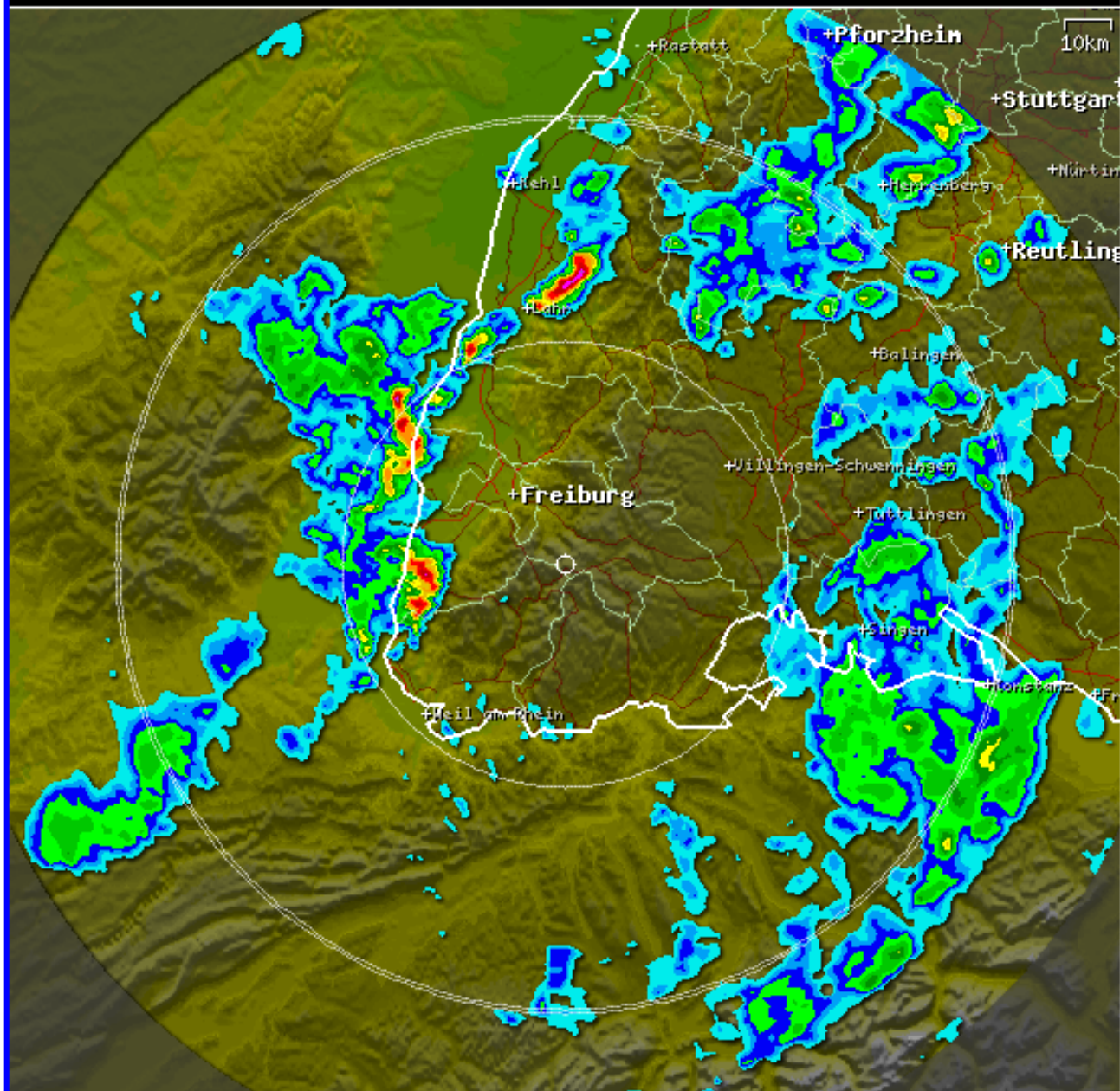
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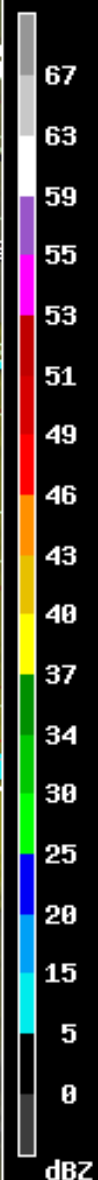
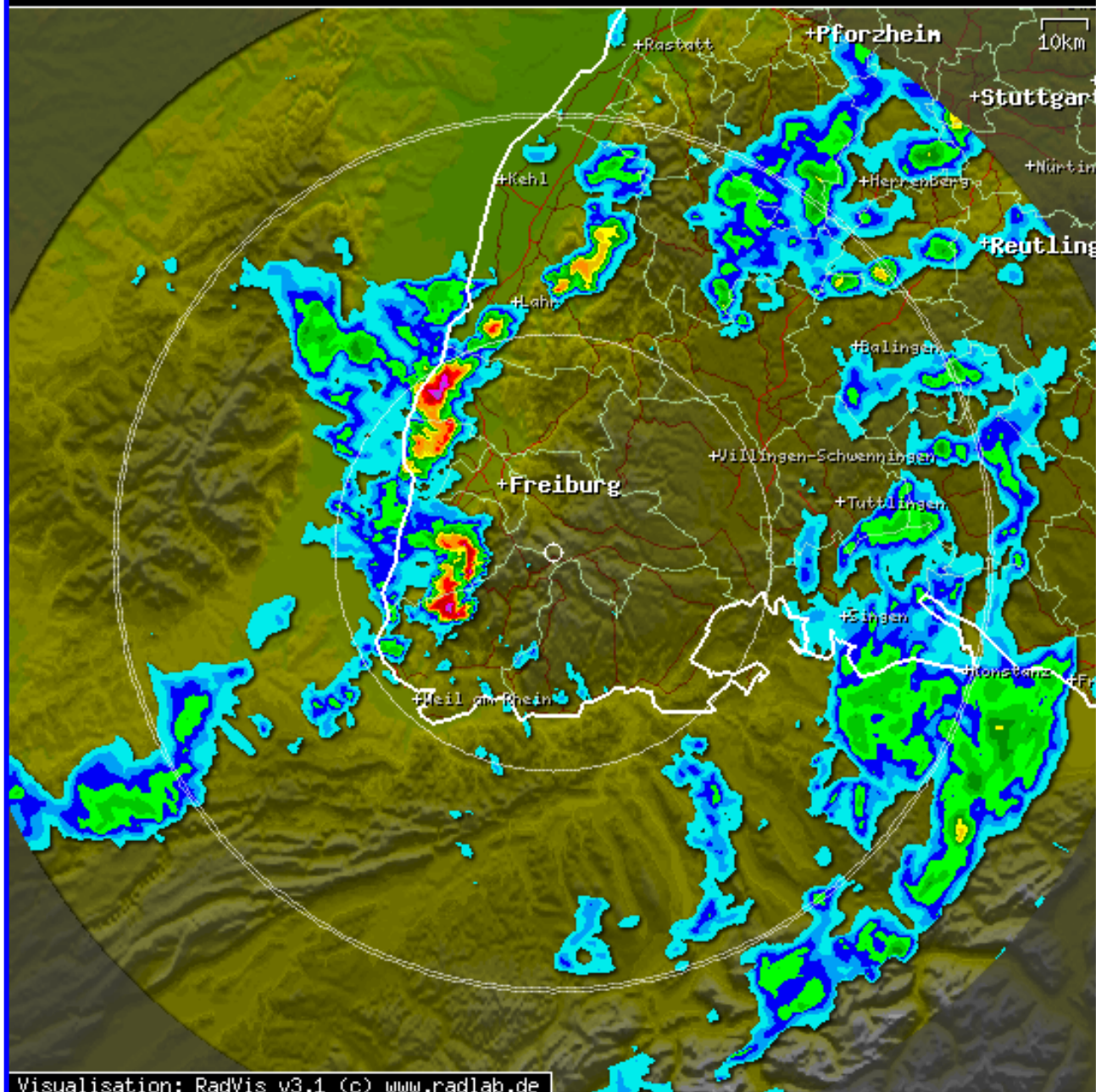
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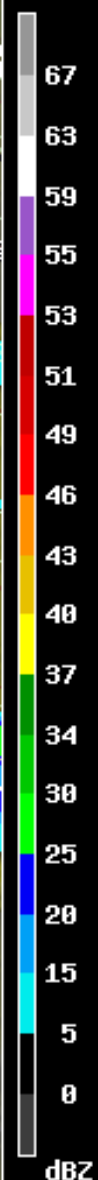
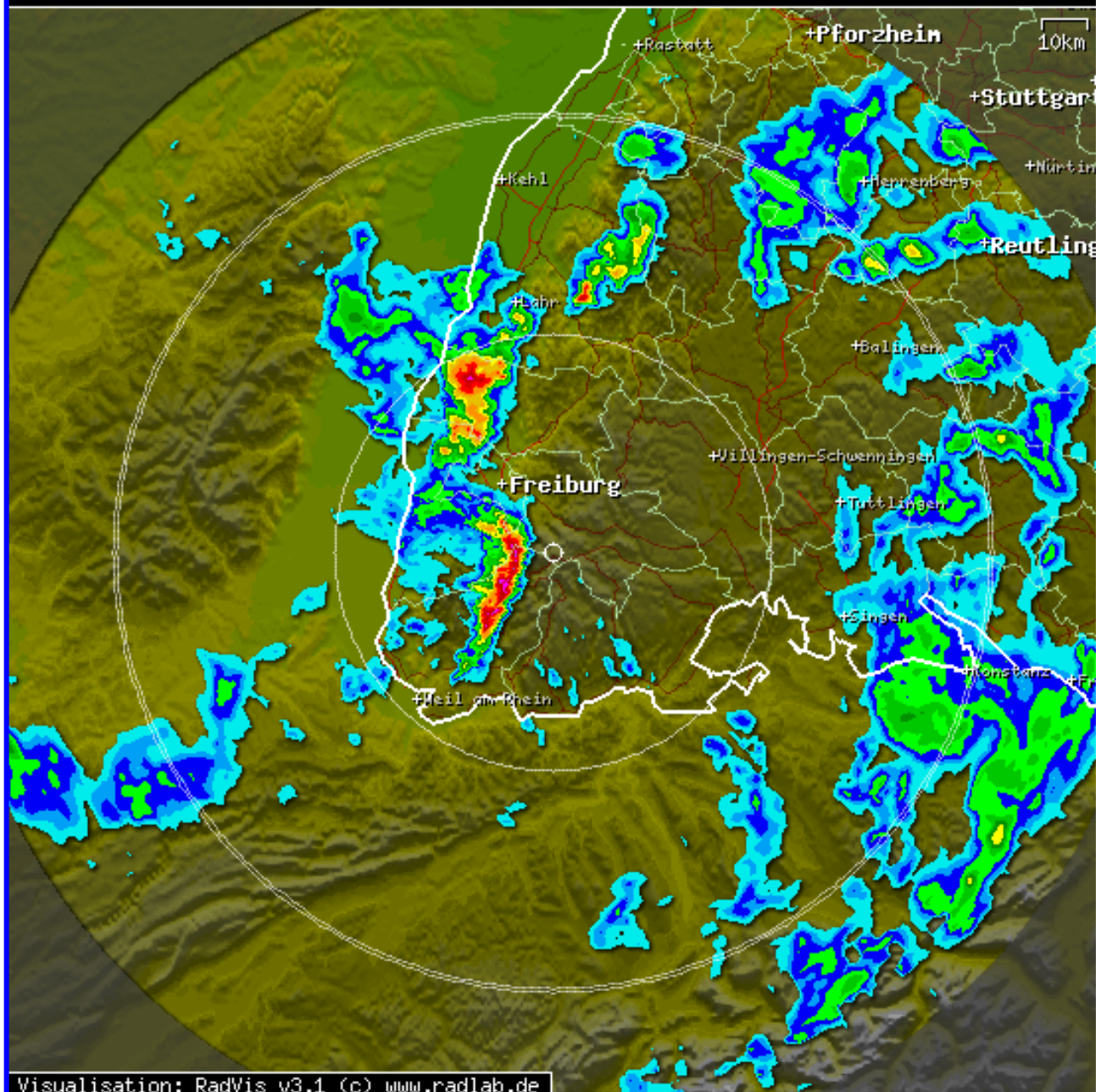
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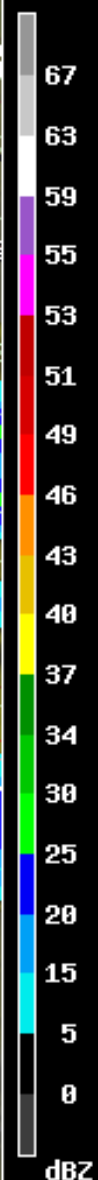
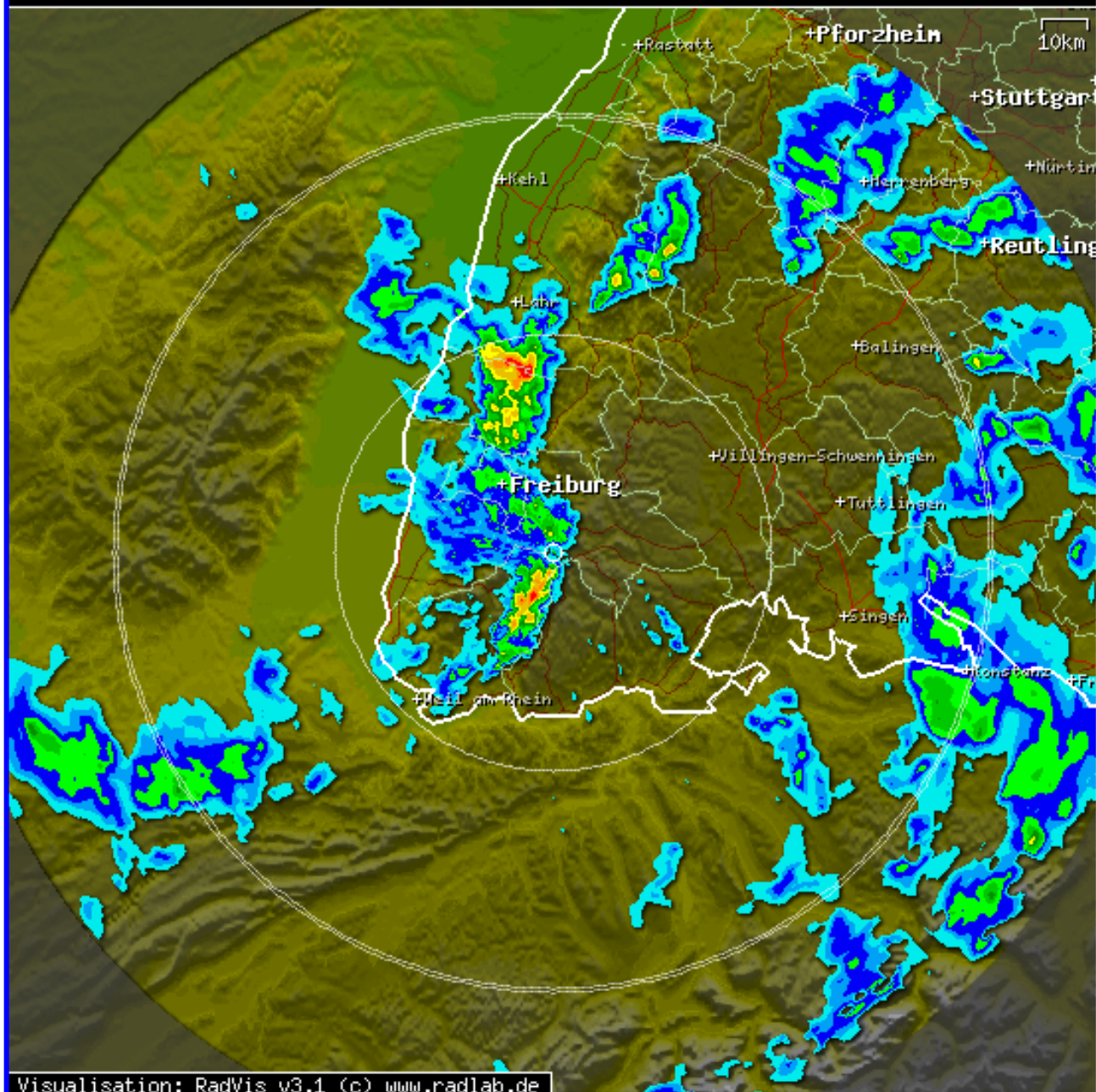
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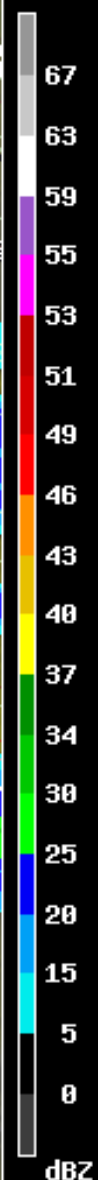
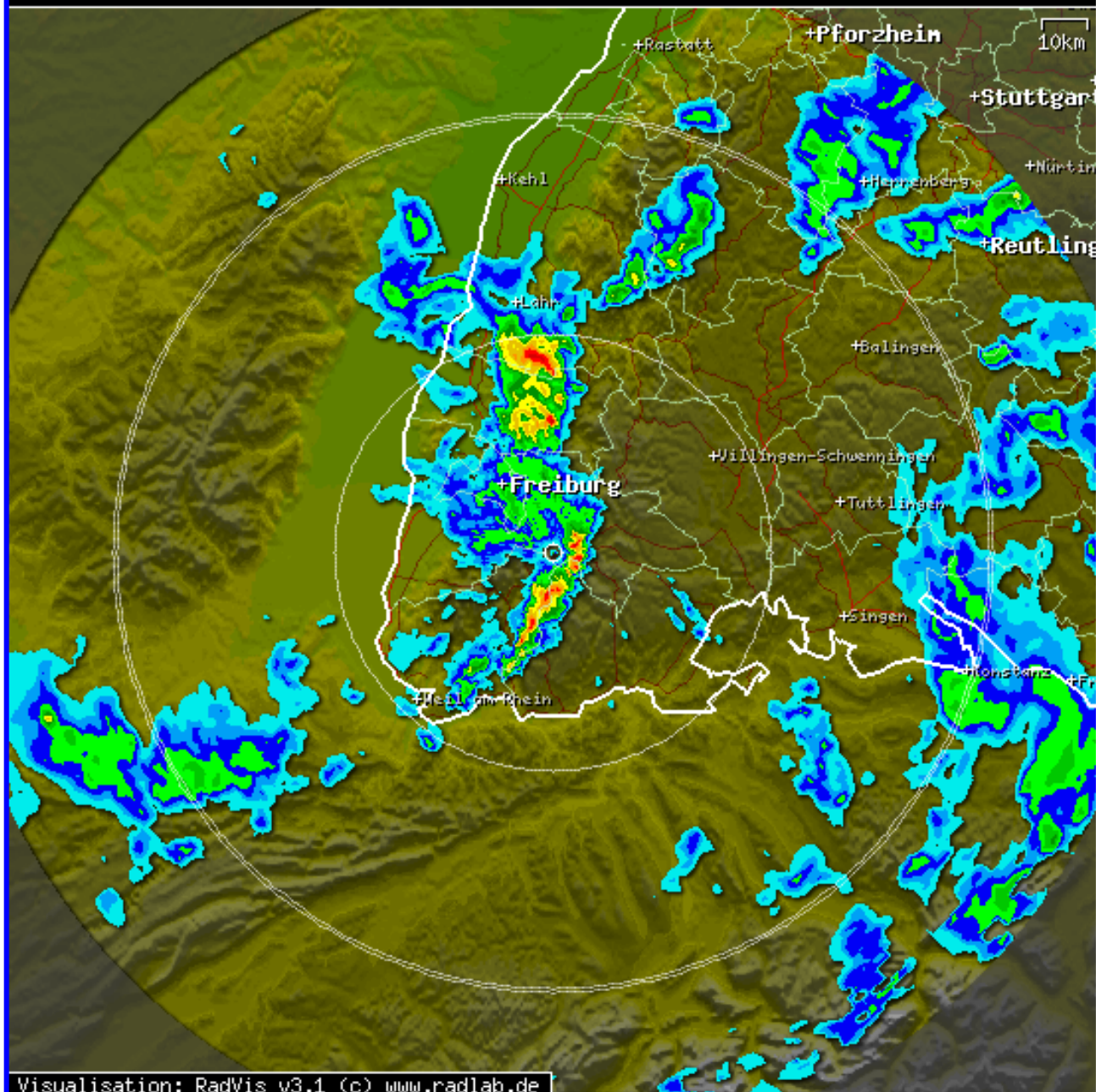
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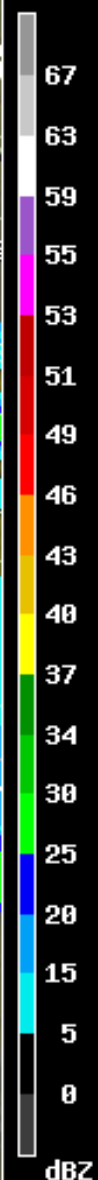
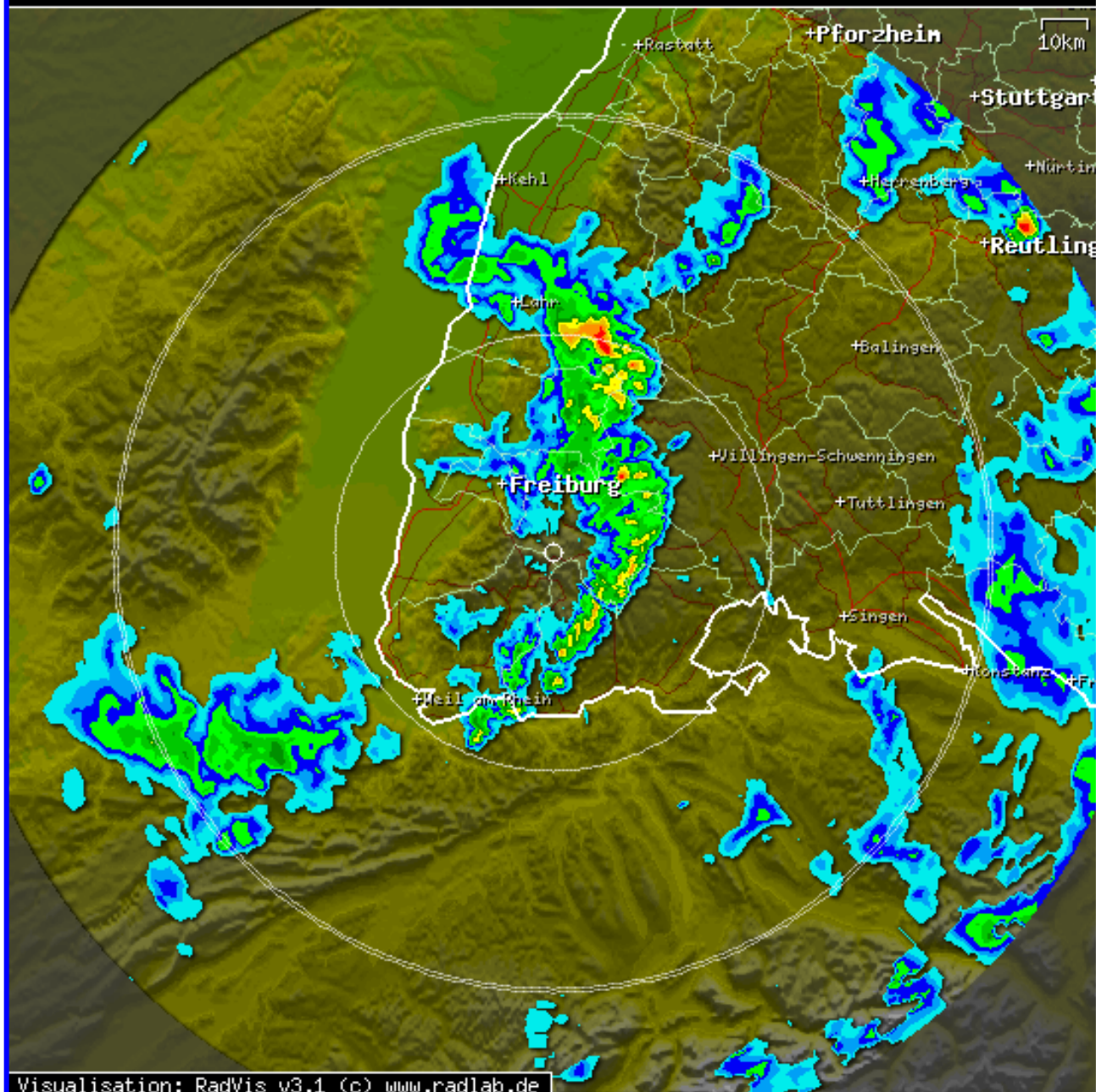
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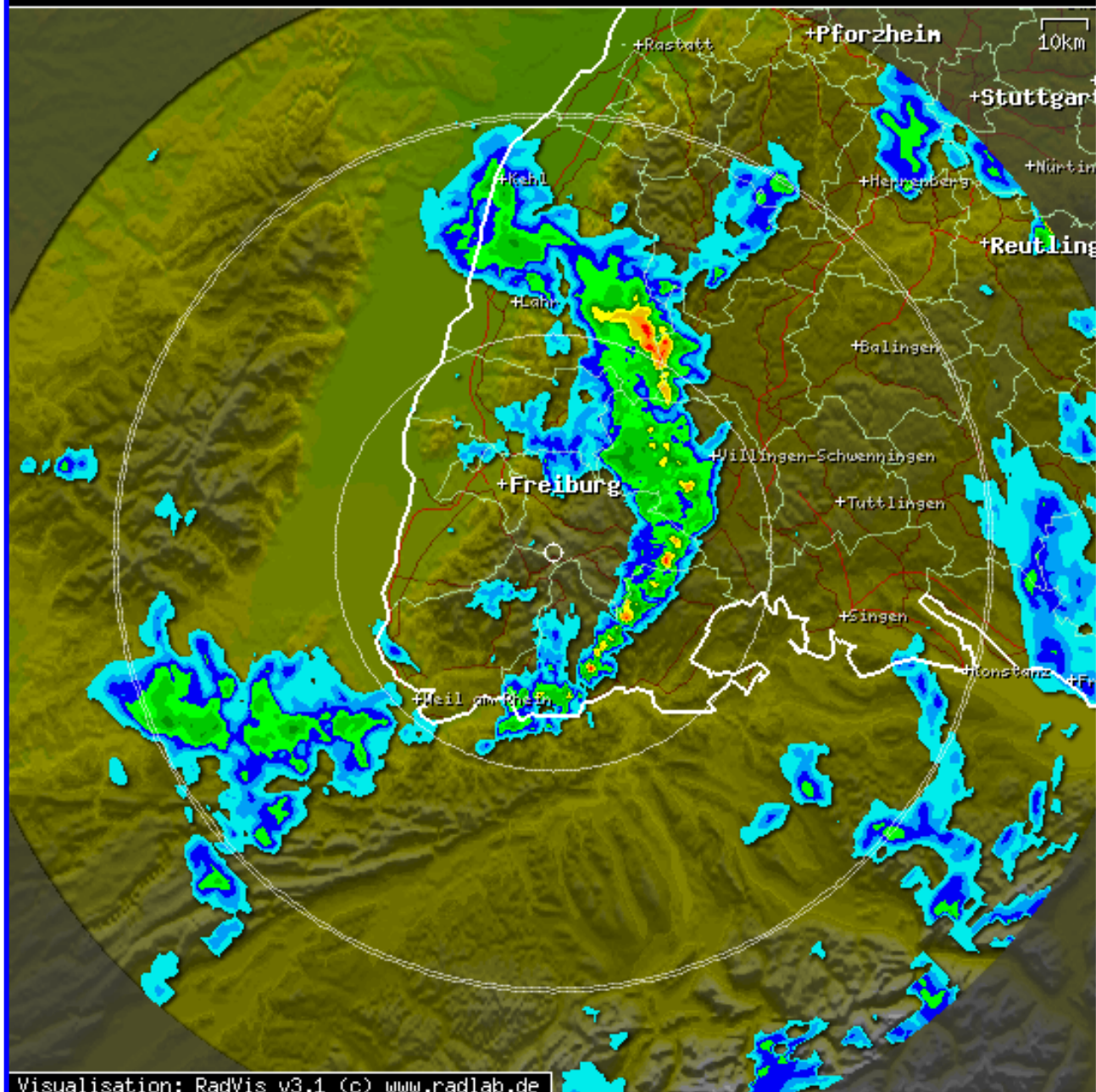
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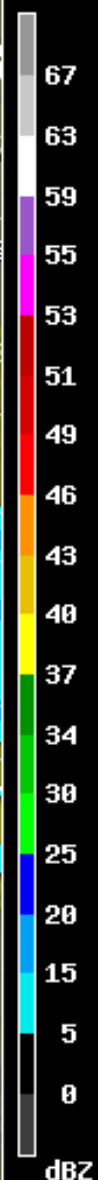
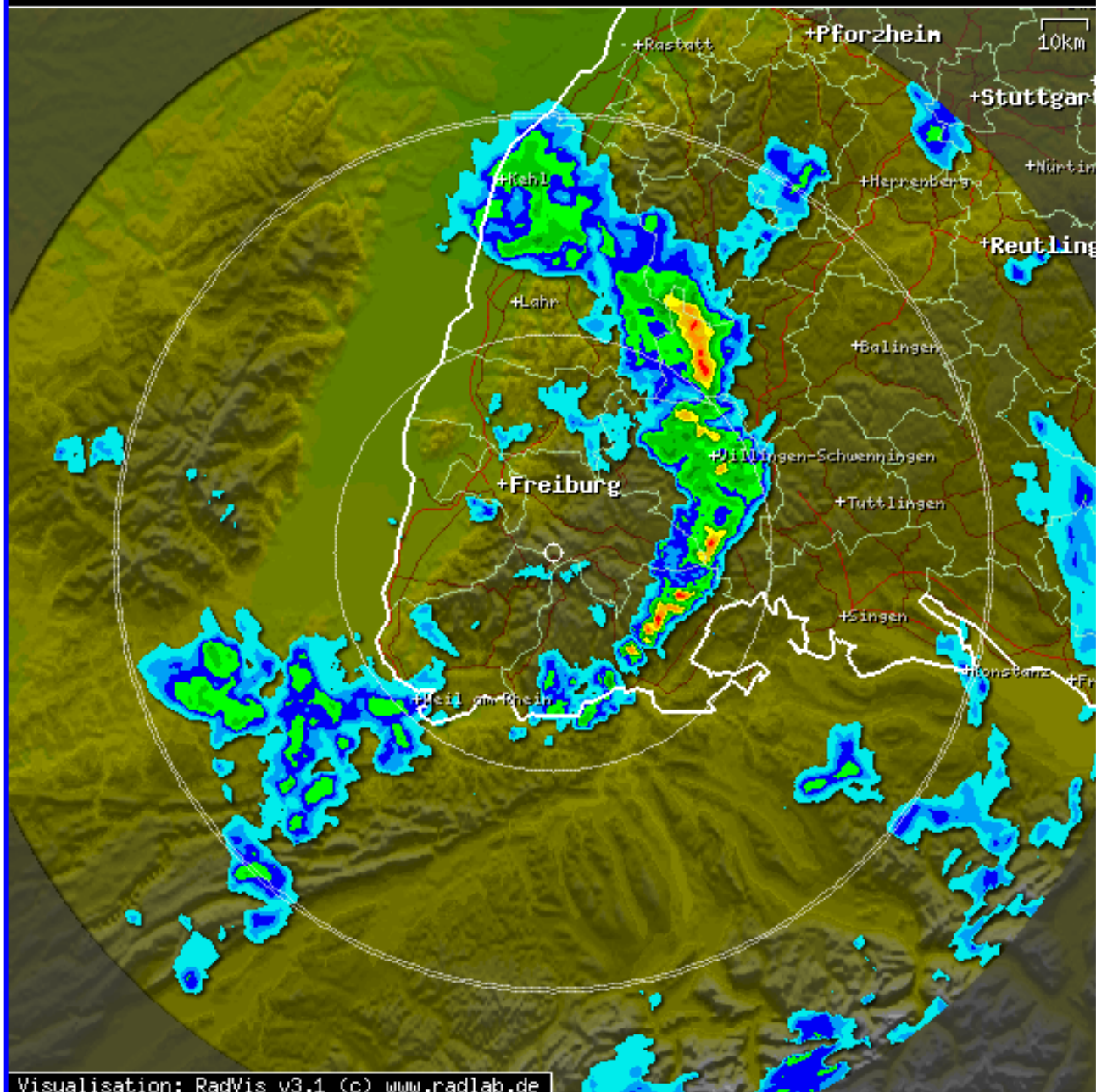
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				frontal rain (6.9 mm)	08:00	2.73
					08:30	1.57
	post-frontal convective rain		16:00	4.13		
#4446	Kehl	48.58	7.80	07:00	2.25	
				frontal rain (6.9 mm)	07:30	3.67
#61355	Titisee	47.94	8.19	18:30	3.90	

post-frontal convective rain

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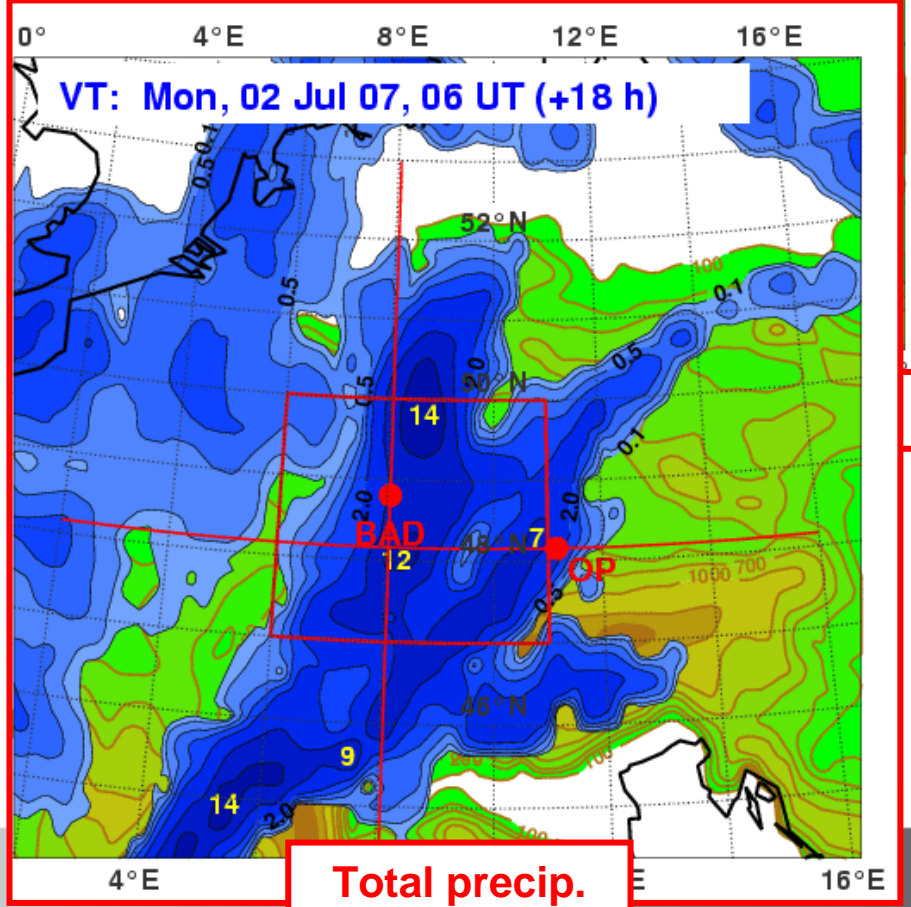
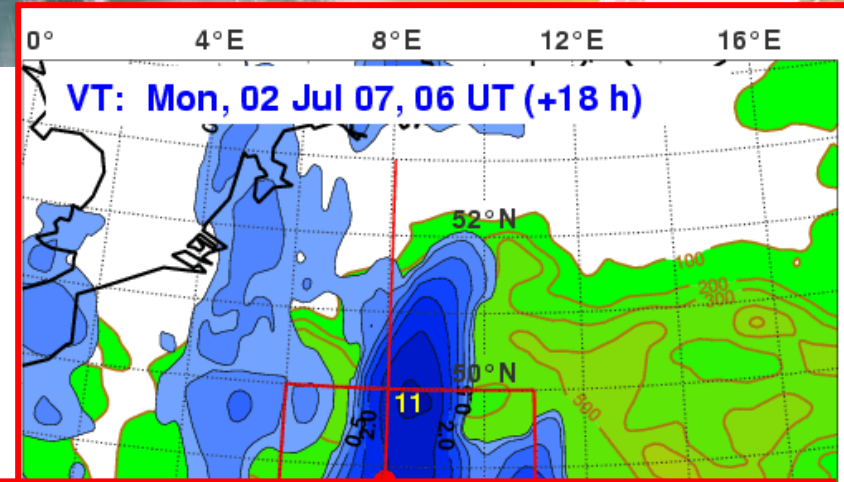
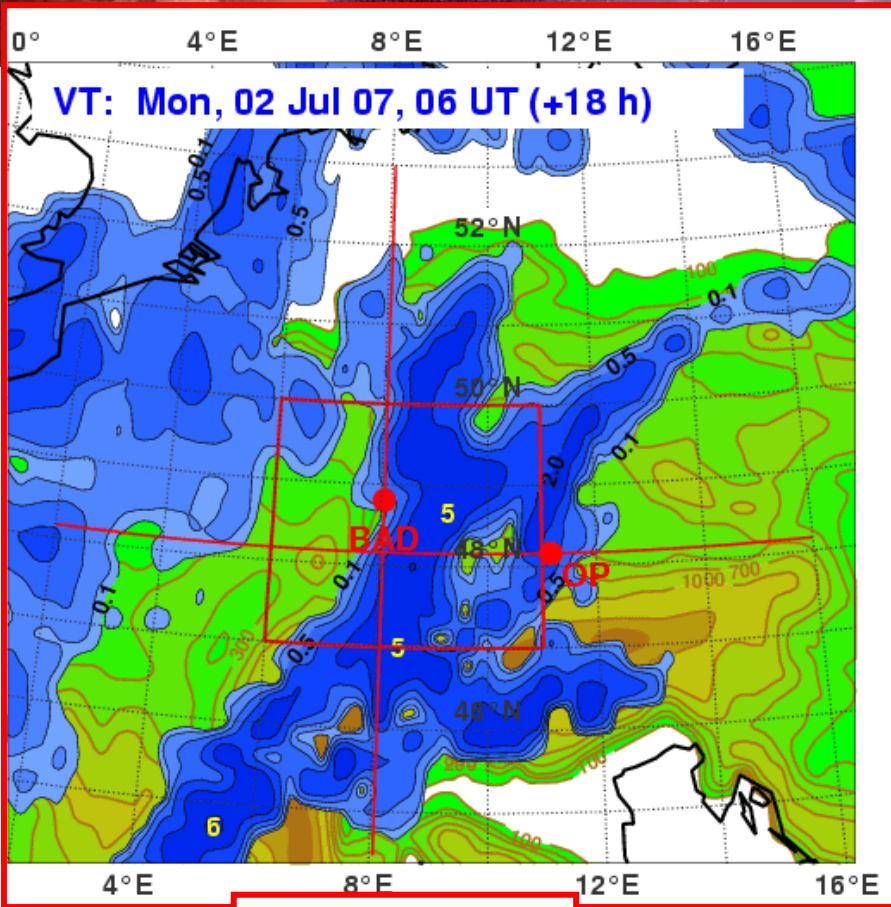
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COSMOCH2	Meteo Schweiz	Felix Ament	00, 03, 06, 09, 12, 15, 18, 21	9, 18 UTC runs: +30, all other runs: +24	2.2
CMCGEMH	Environment Canada	Ron McTaggart- Cowan	06	+18	2.5

2. COPS Forecast Website of DLR (user: cops, pw: cloud)

(ECMWF Forecasts, COSMO-LEPS, Weather Briefing Material,...)

3. GFS Archive (provided by wetter3)

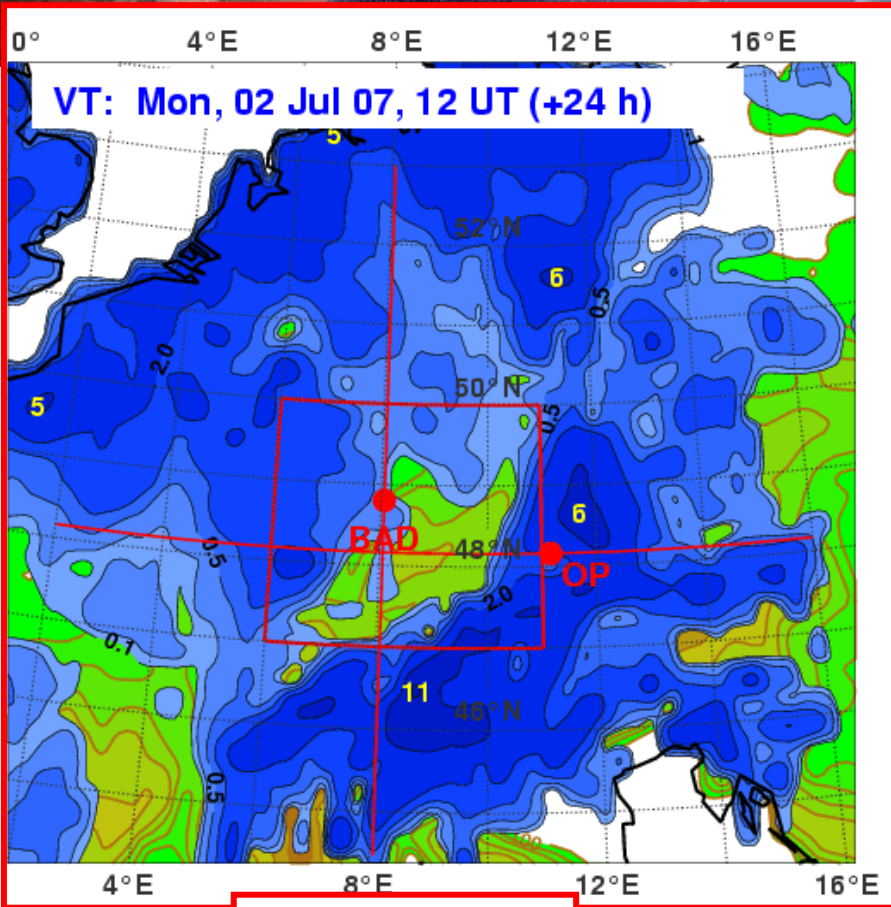
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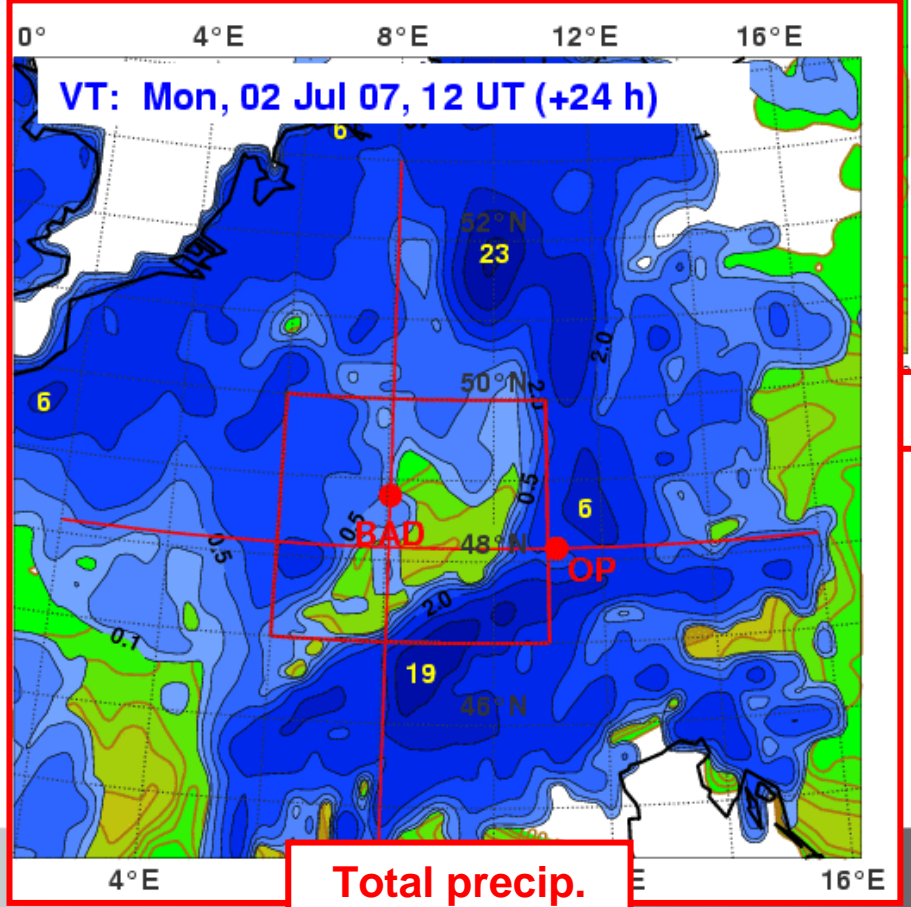
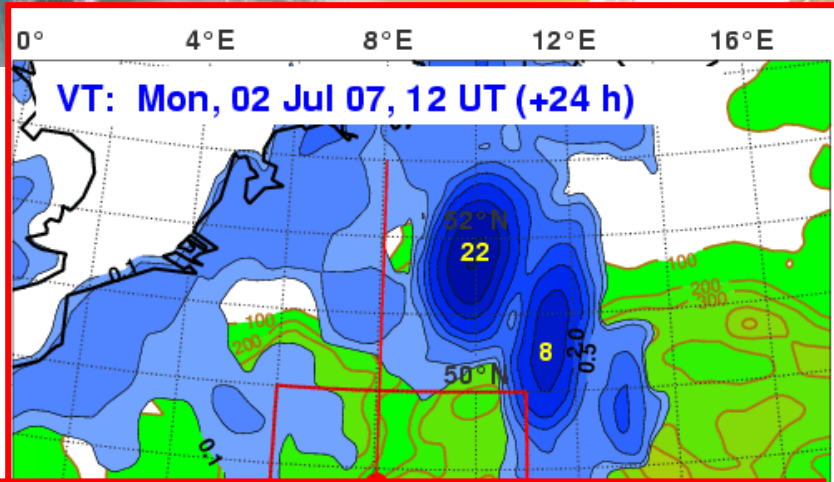
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3 h precipitation

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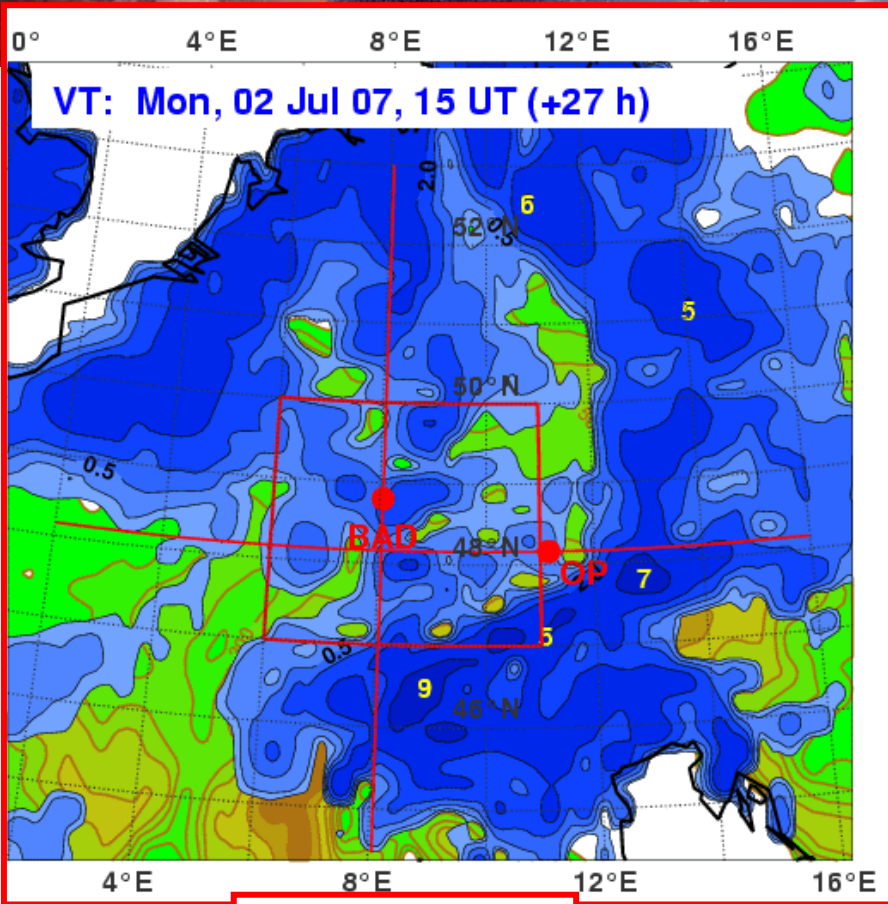


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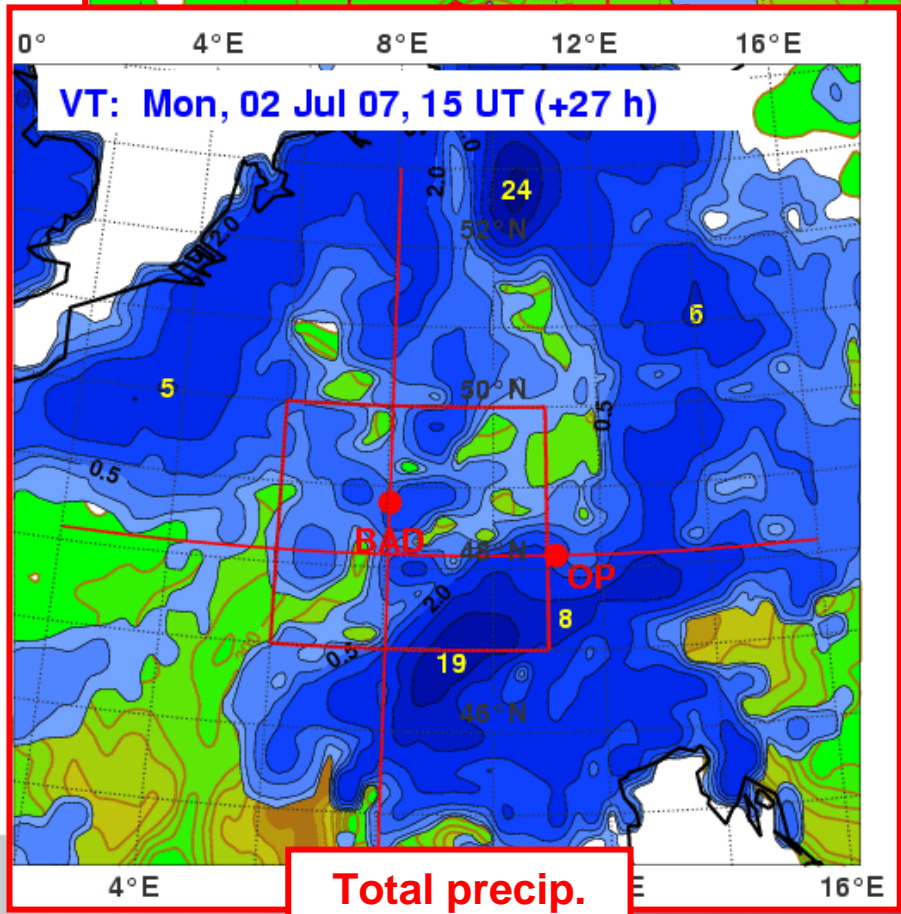
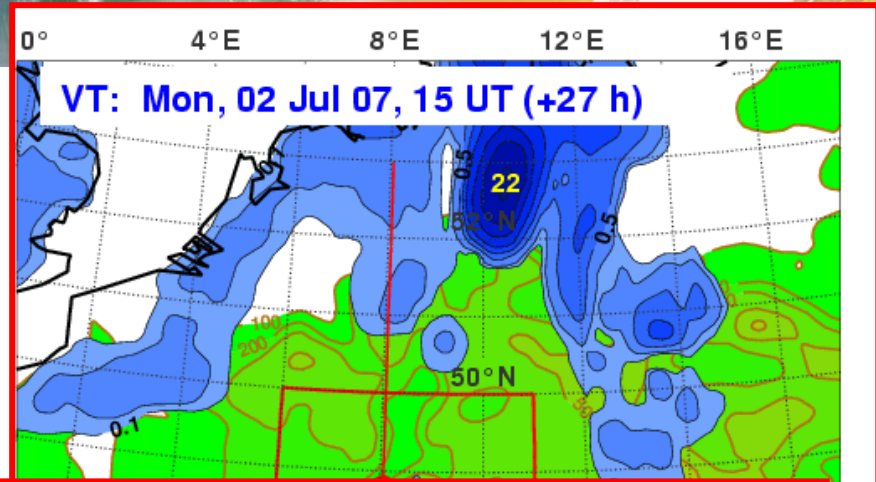


Total precip.

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3 h precipitation
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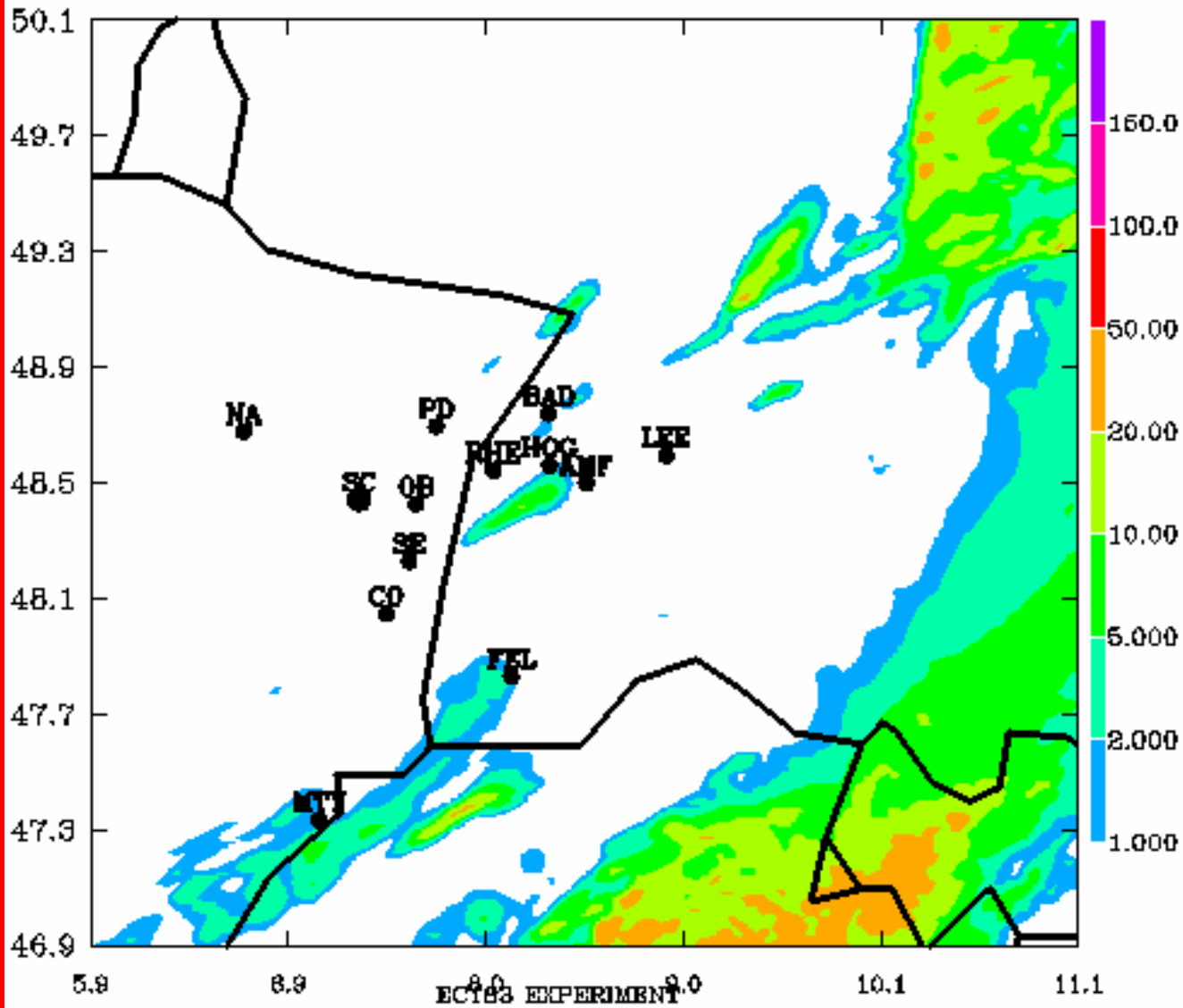
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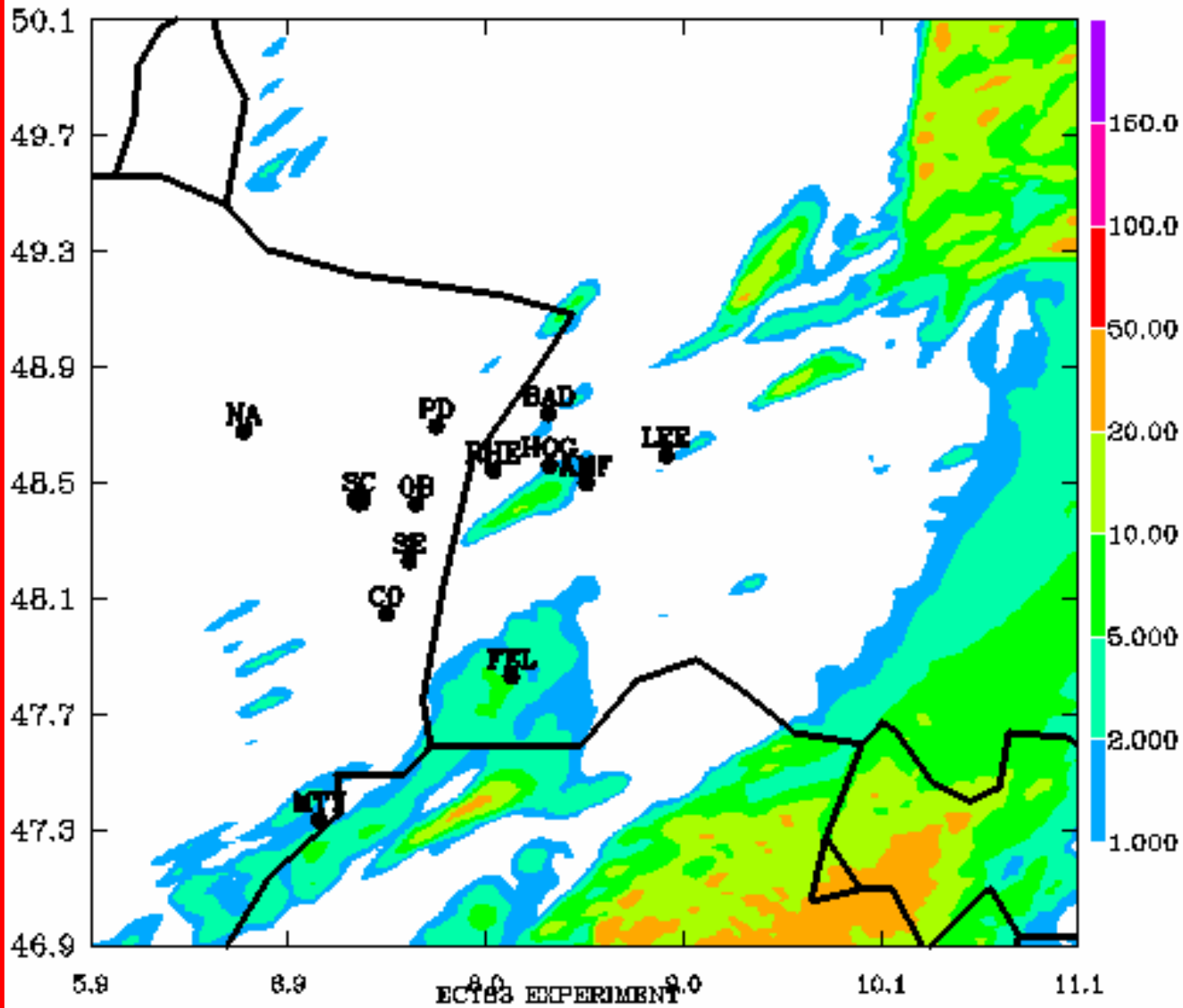
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Accumulated precipitation (mm)



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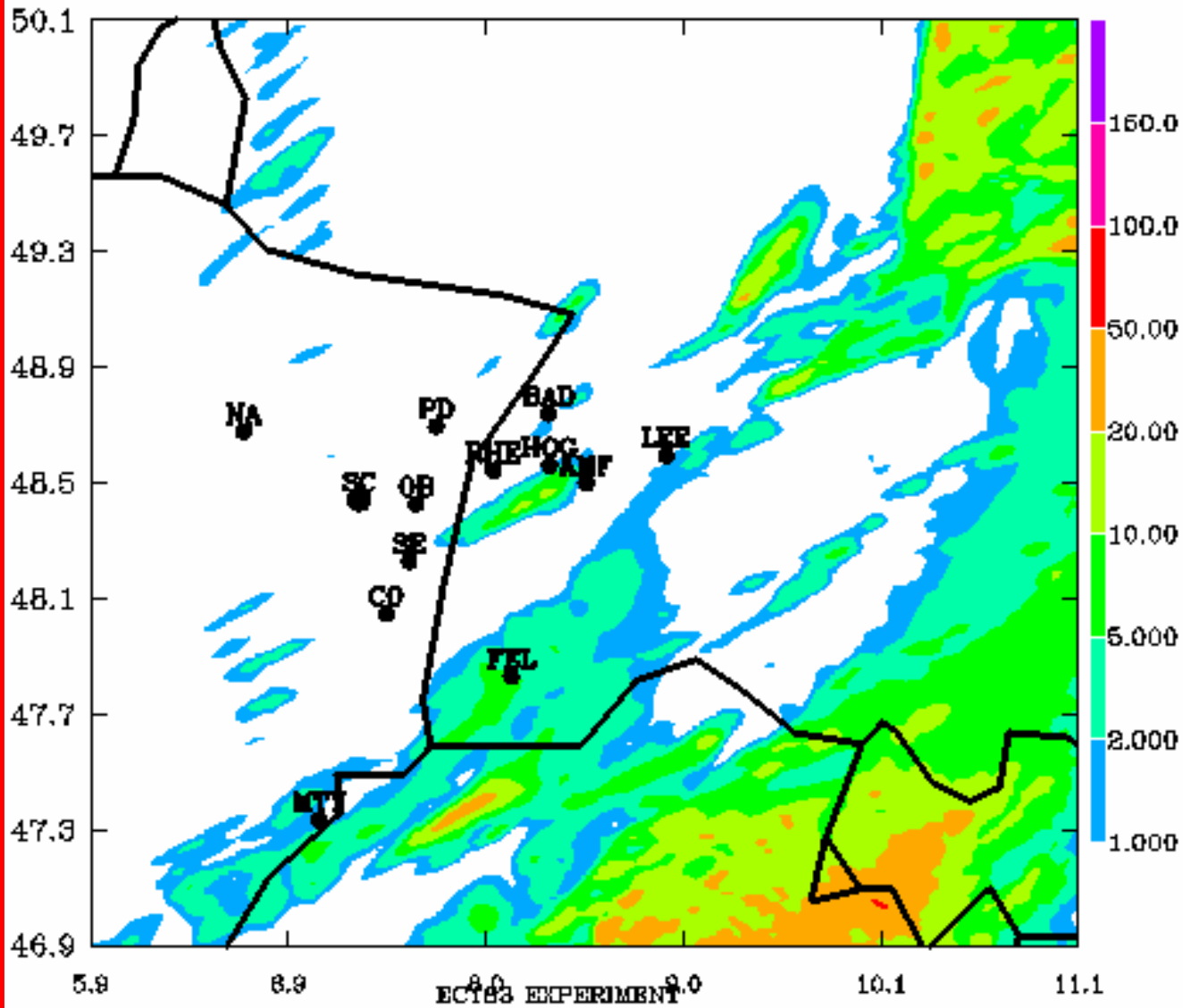
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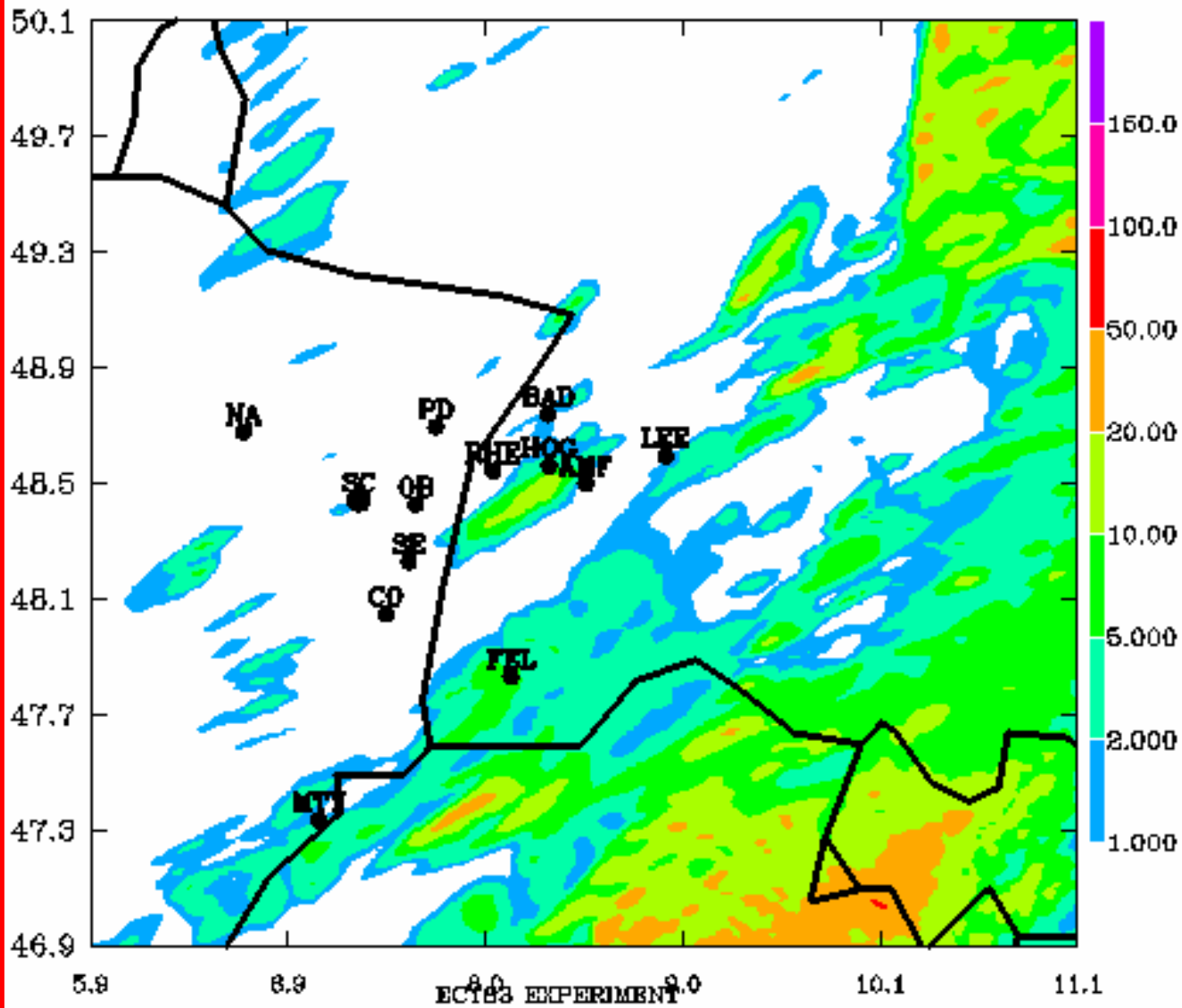
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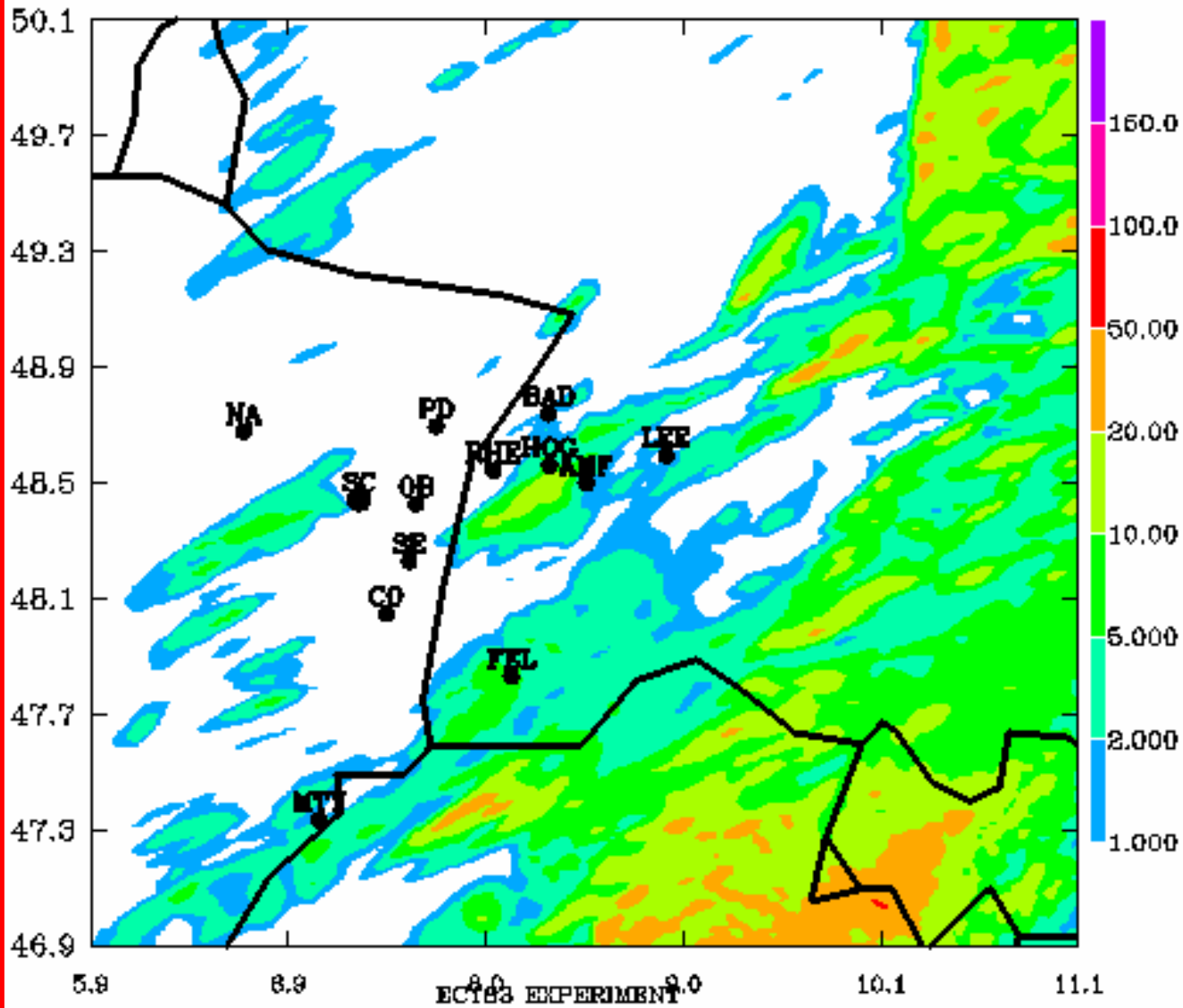
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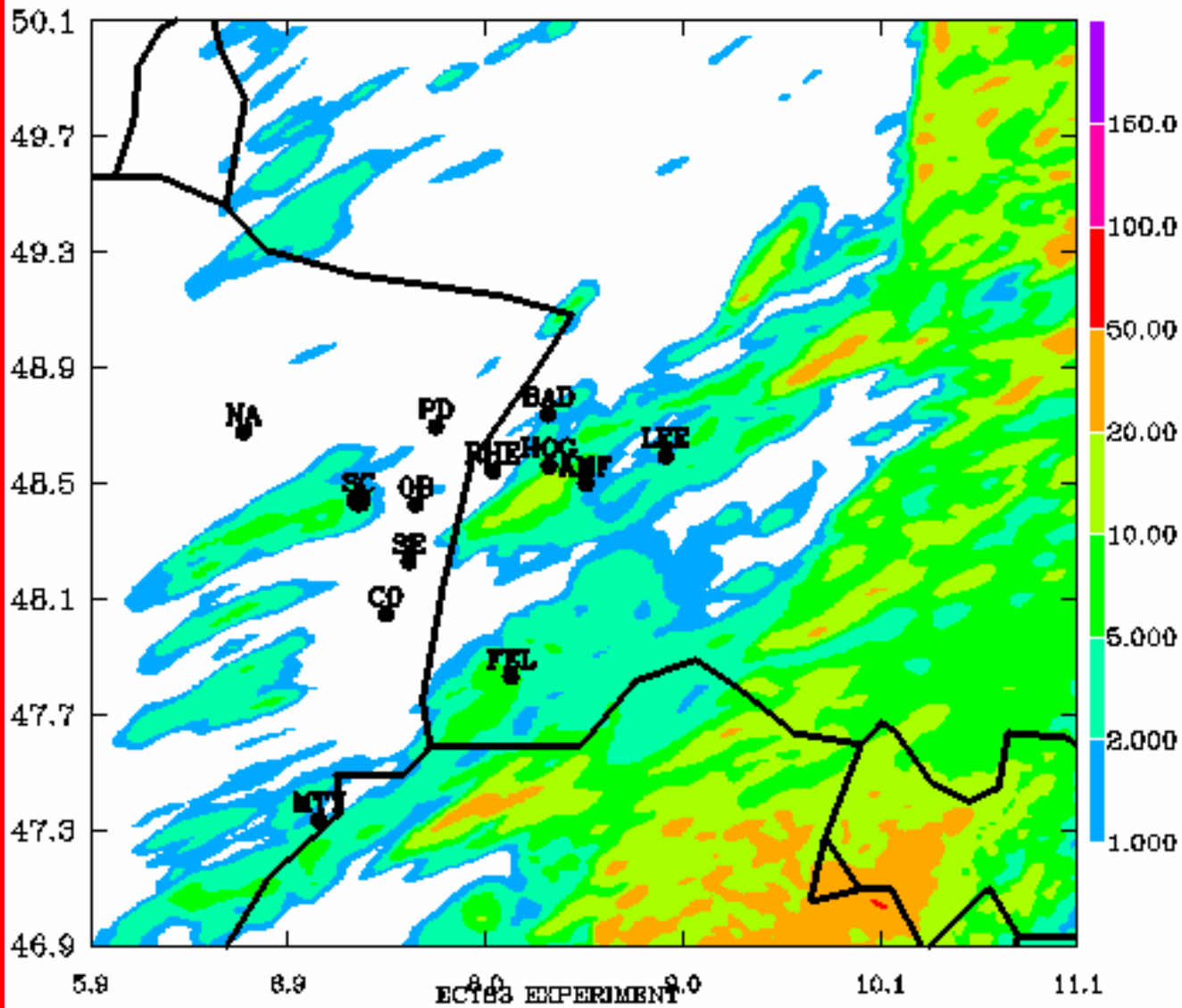
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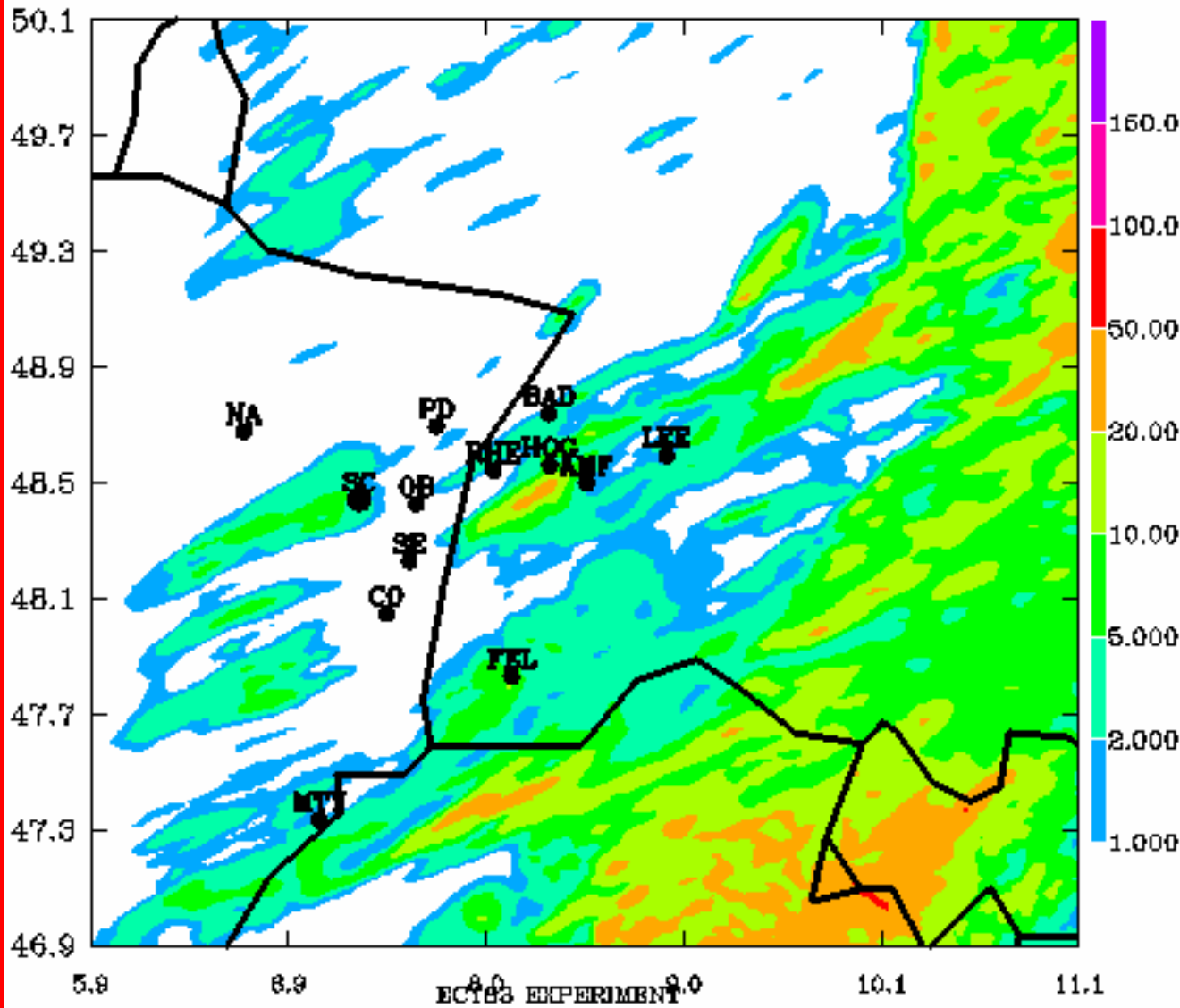
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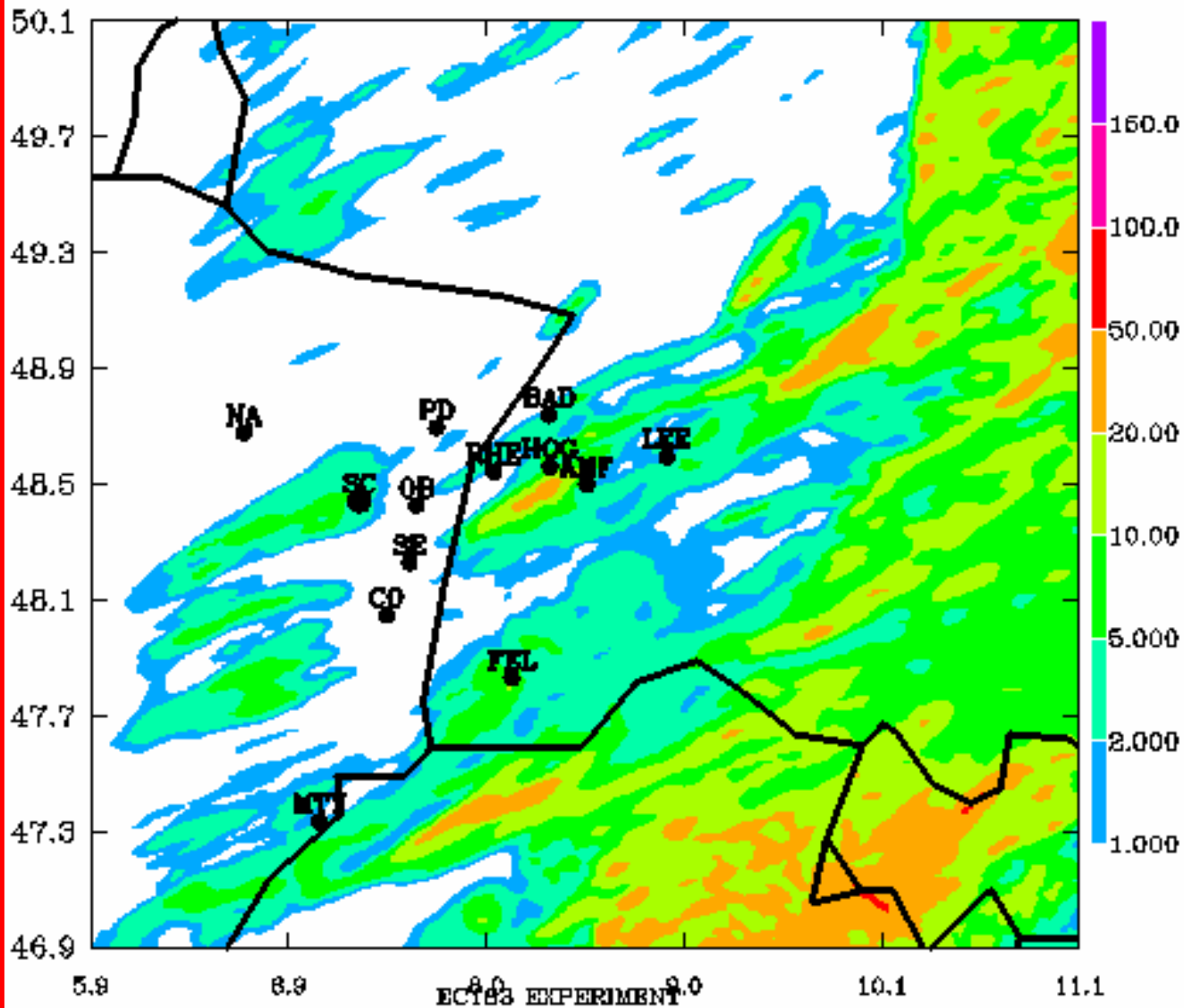
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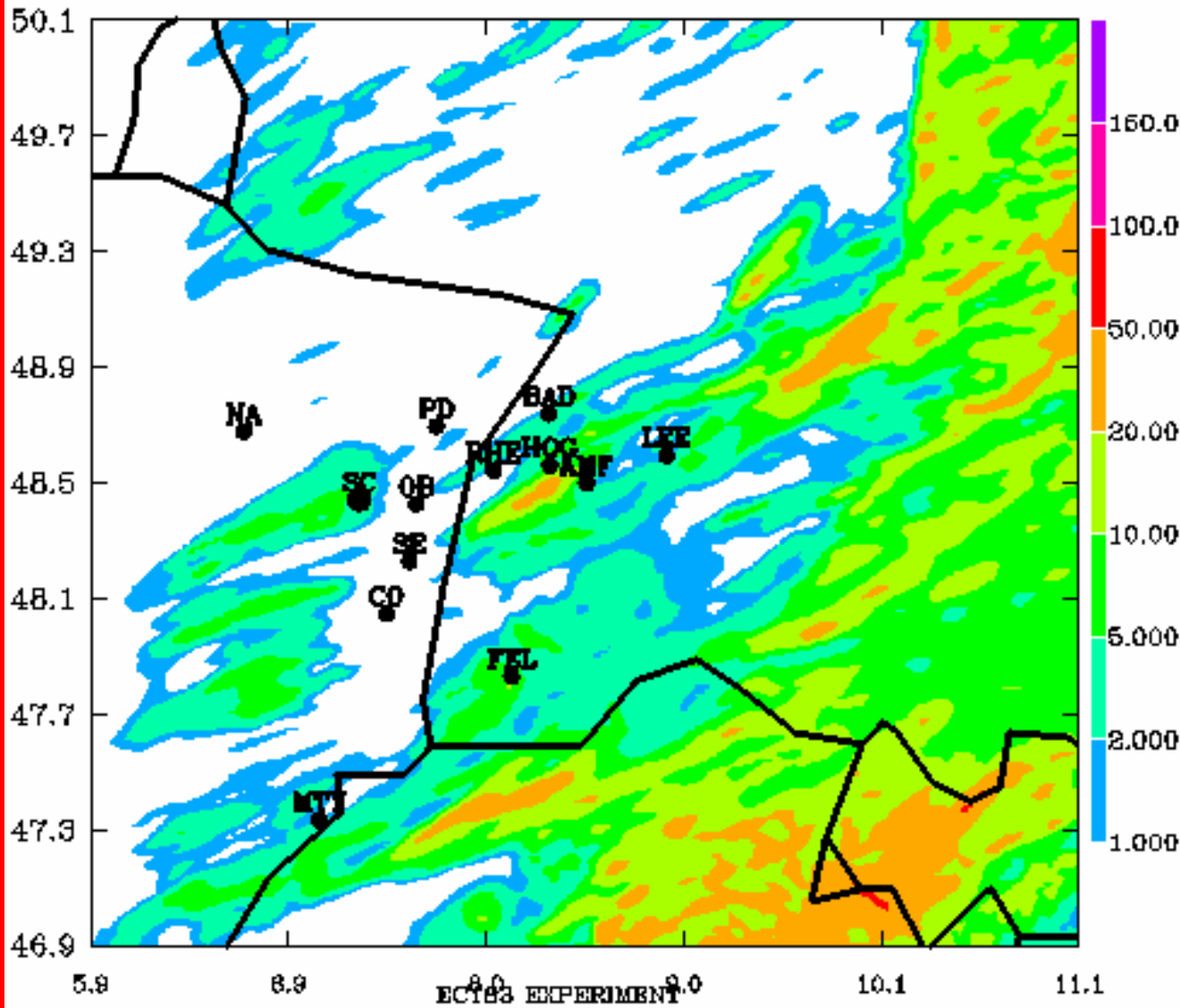
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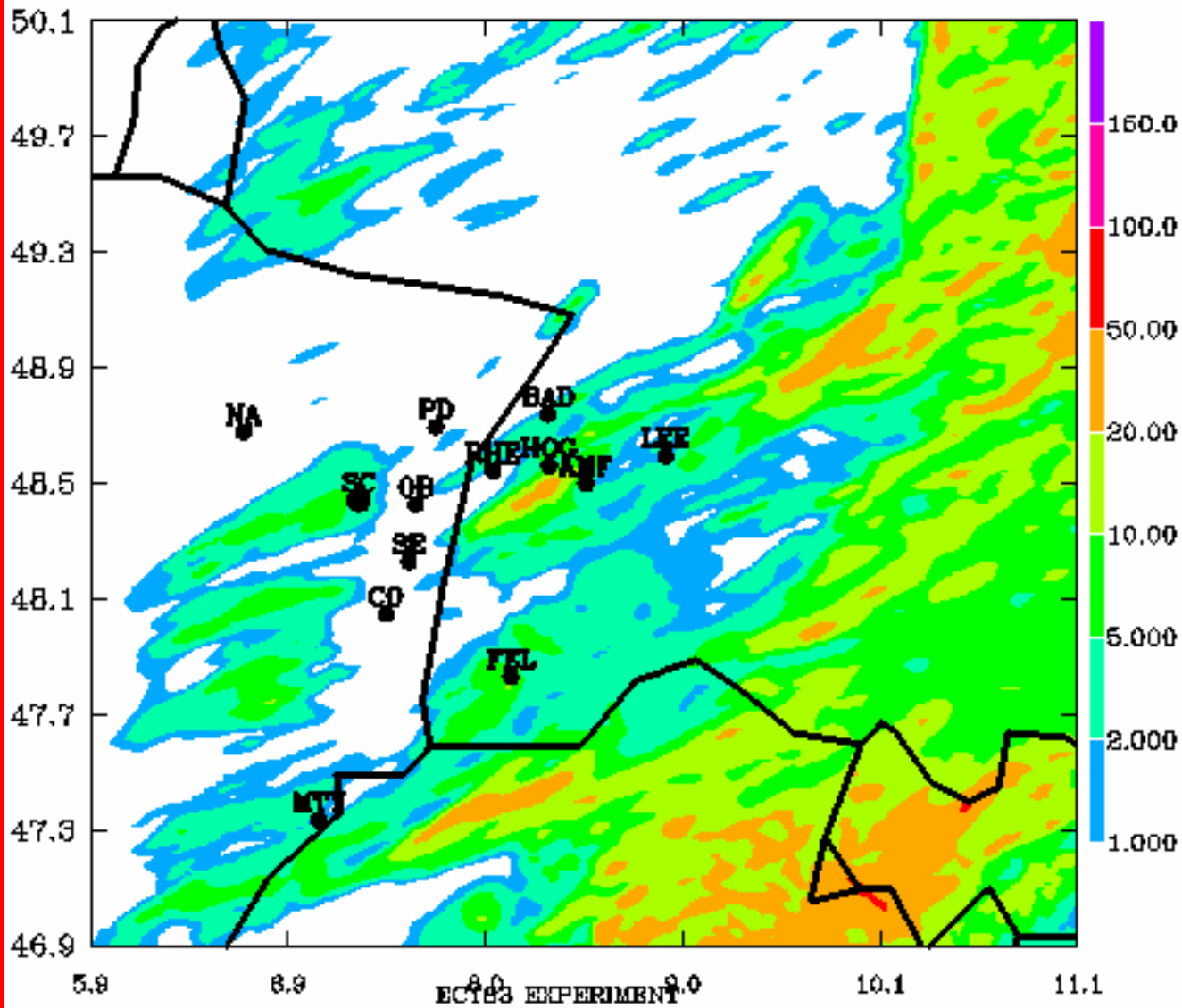
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Accumulated precipitation (mm)



Meso-NH

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**Accumulated
precipitation (mm)**

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Conclusions (to do list)

- COPS produced rich datasets through remarkable cooperation (well accessible)
- better display of precip. distributions (QPF)
- visit large model zoo (→ D-PHASE)
- disentangle forcings (synoptic/orograph./convect.)
- quick look ahead to spring 2009



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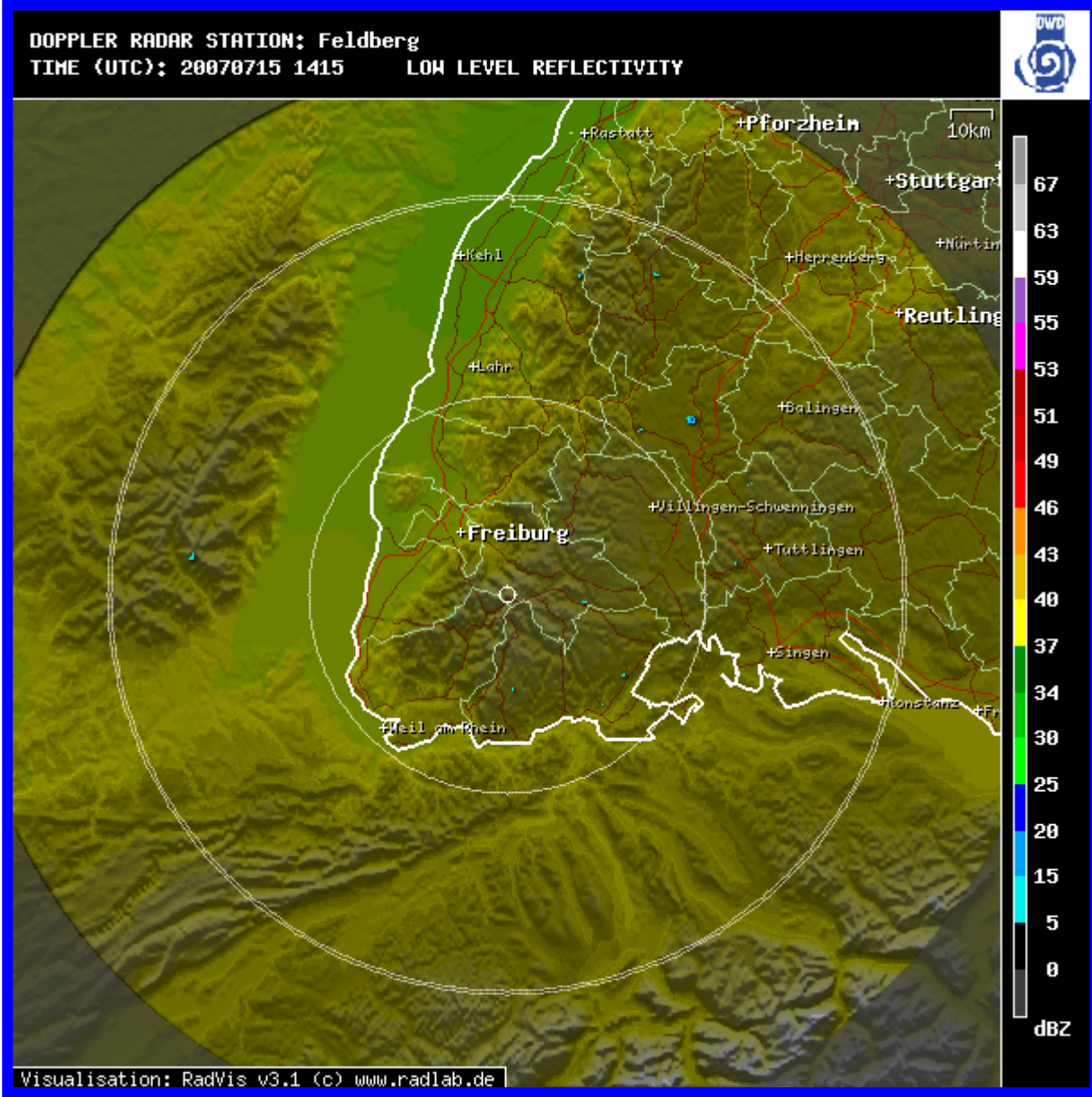
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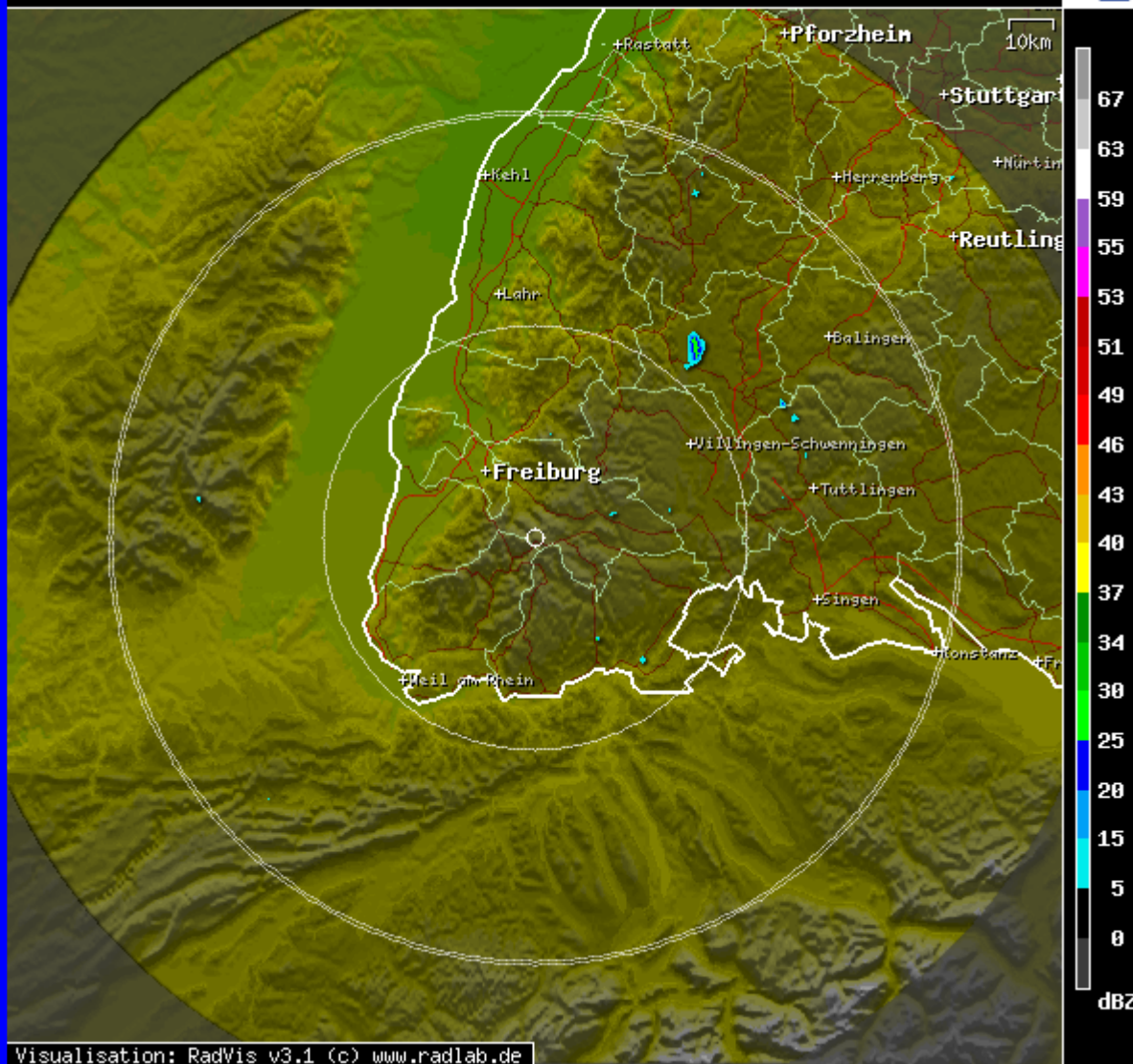


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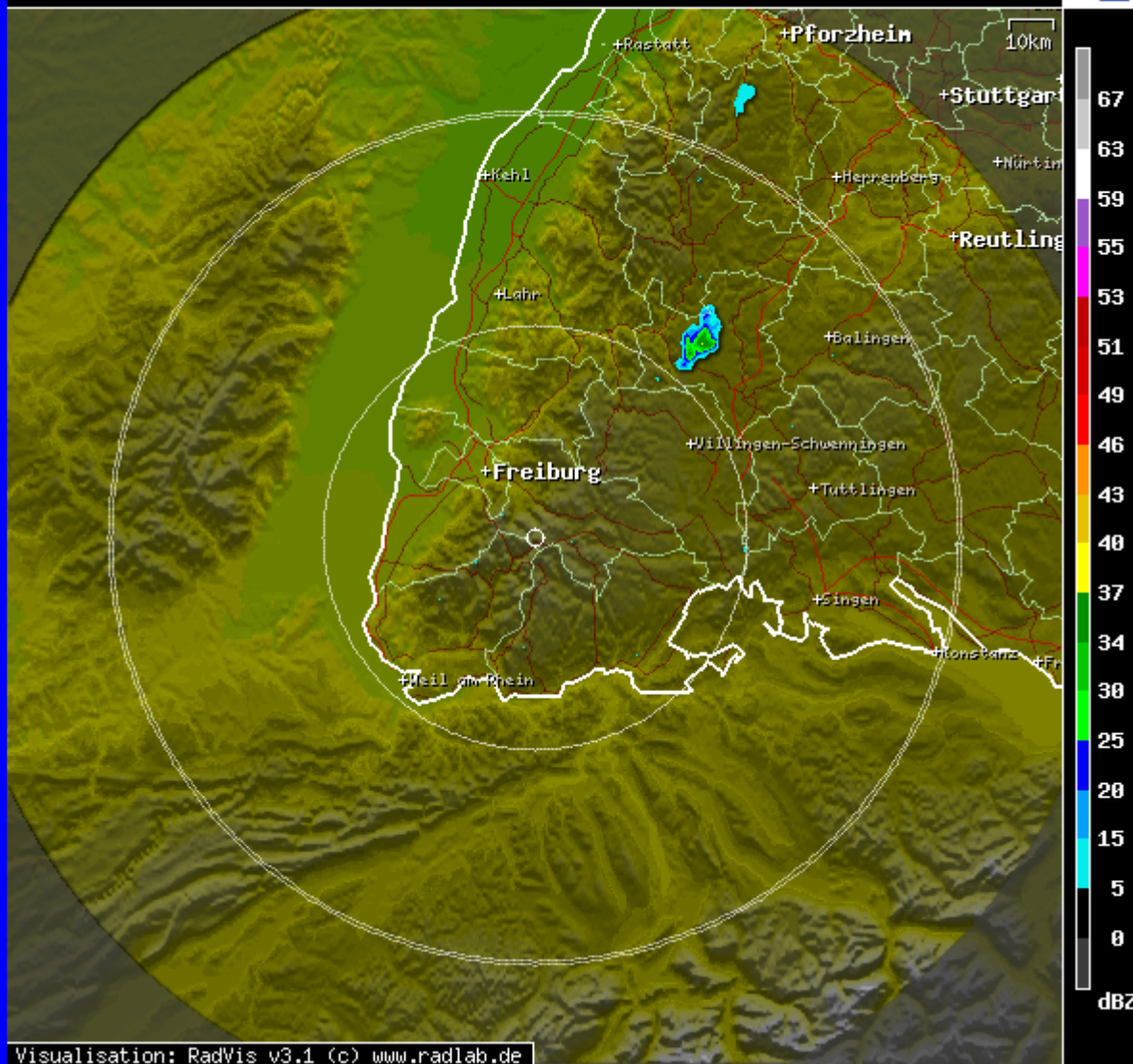


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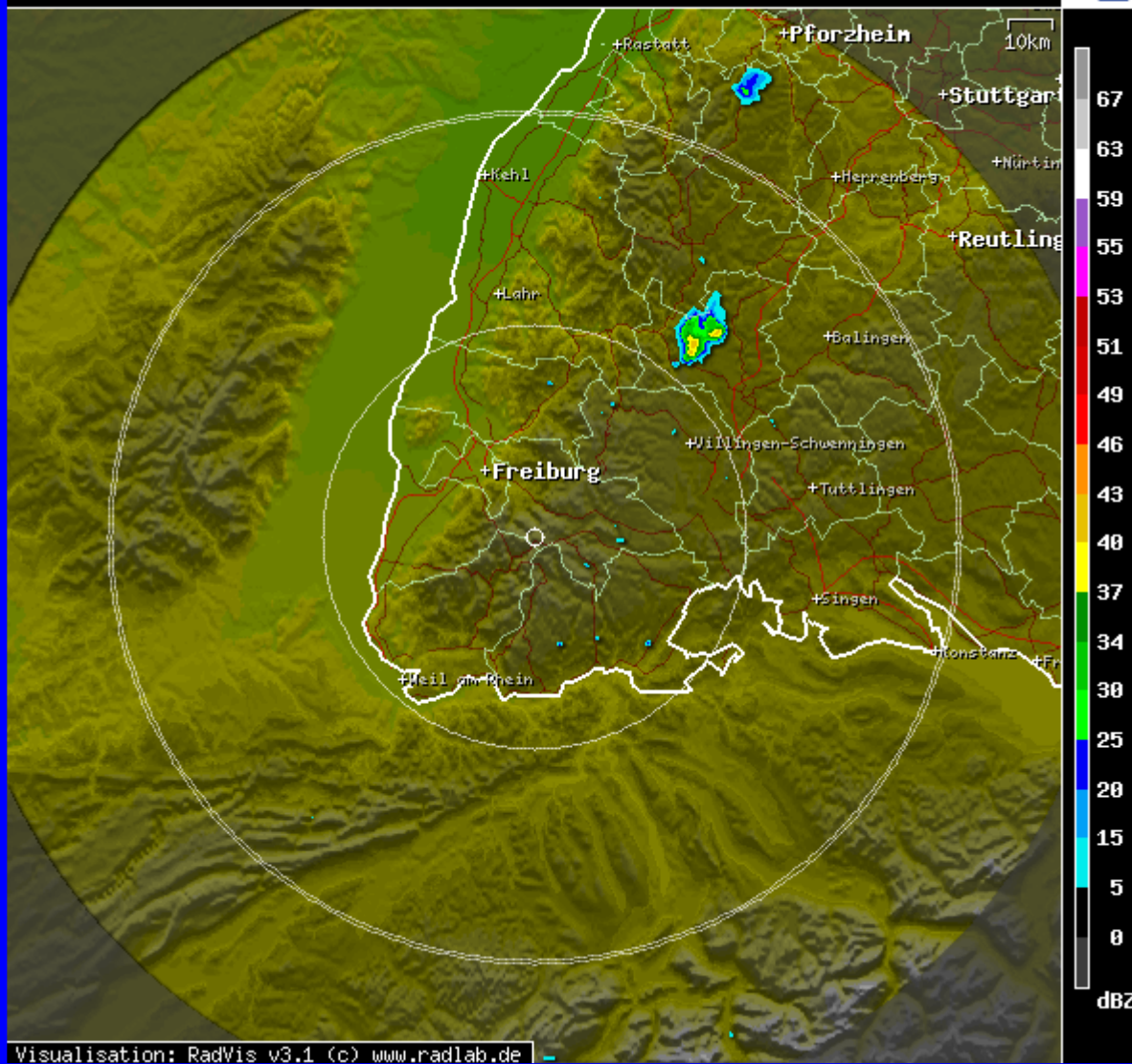
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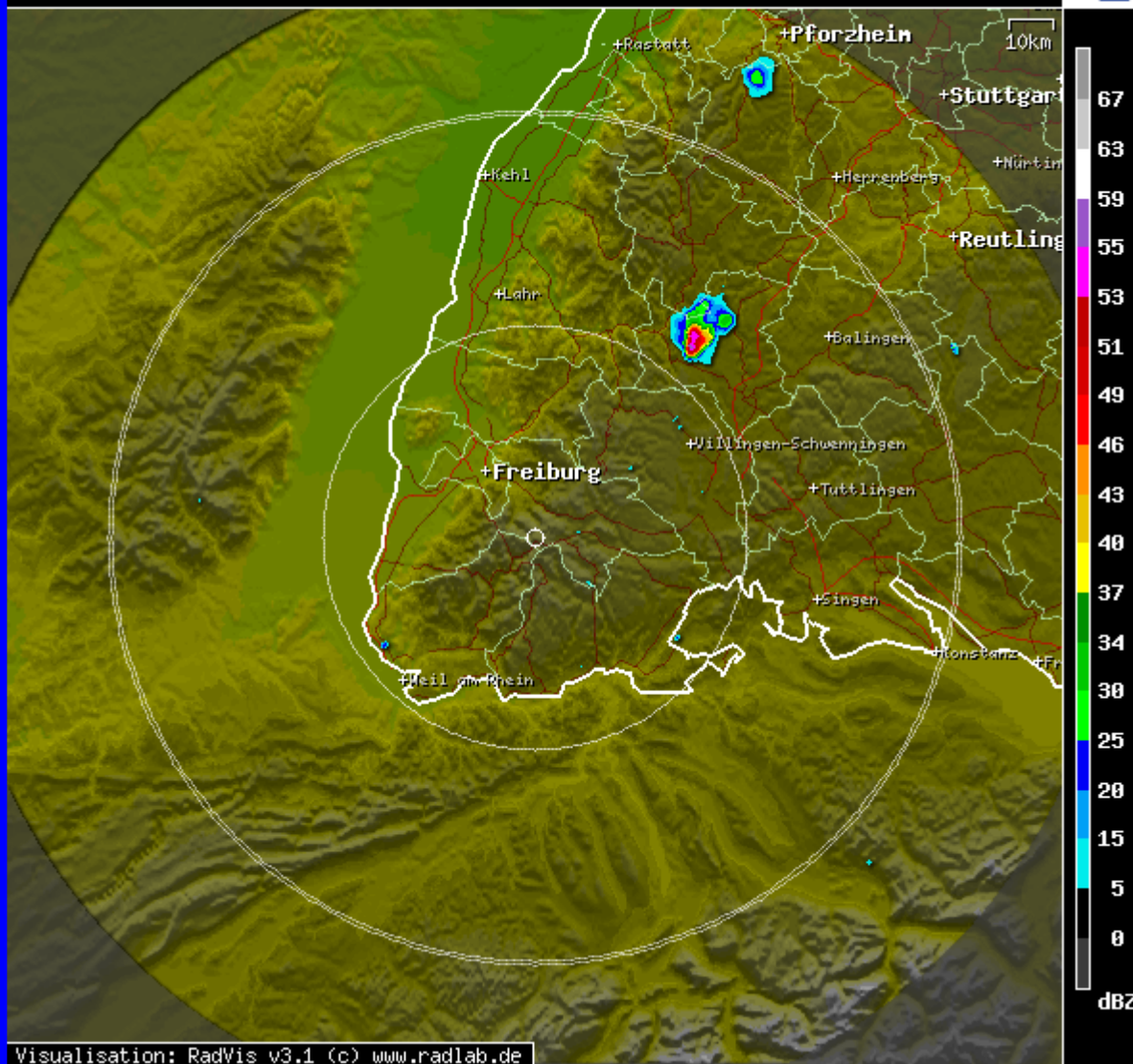
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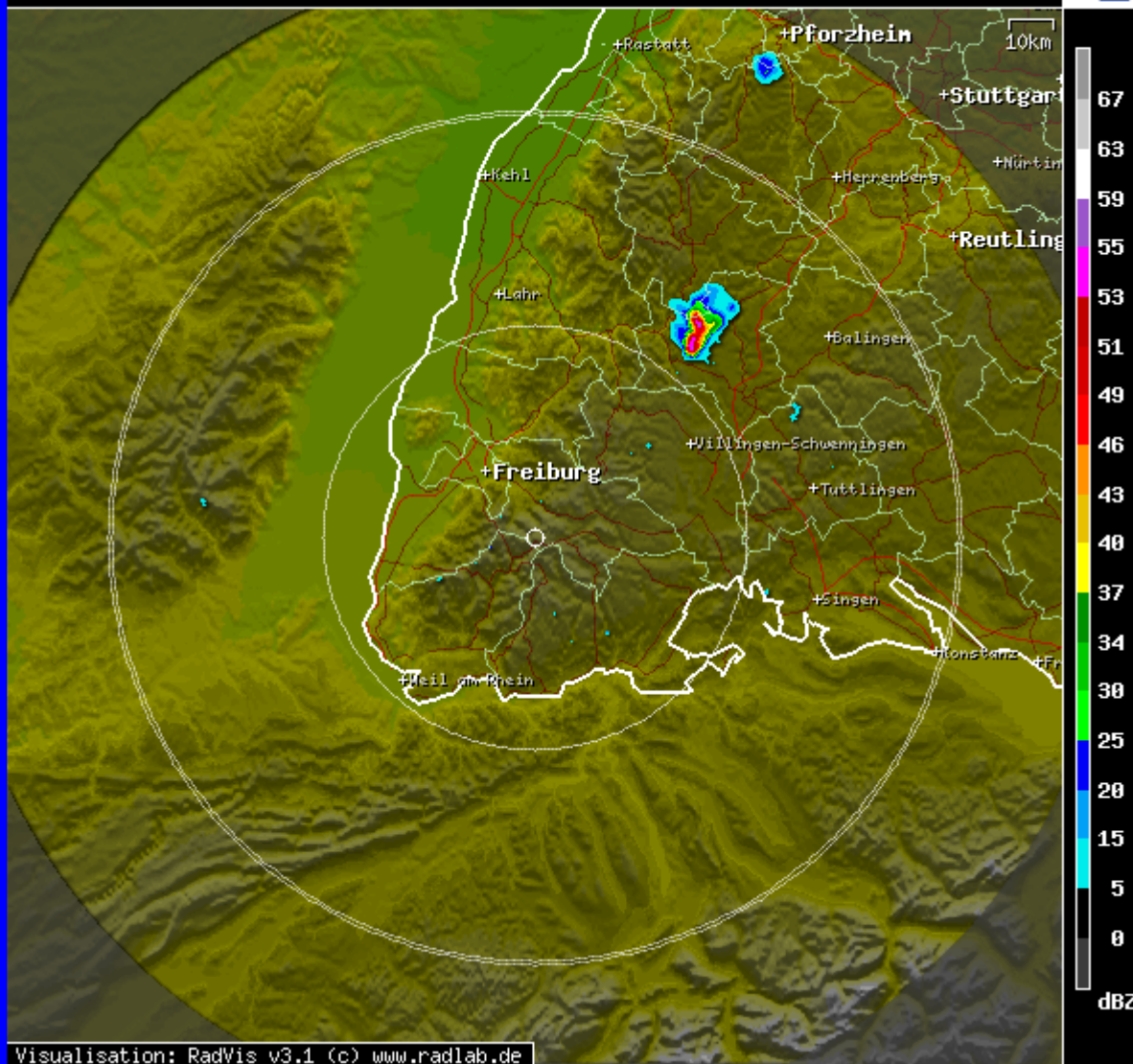
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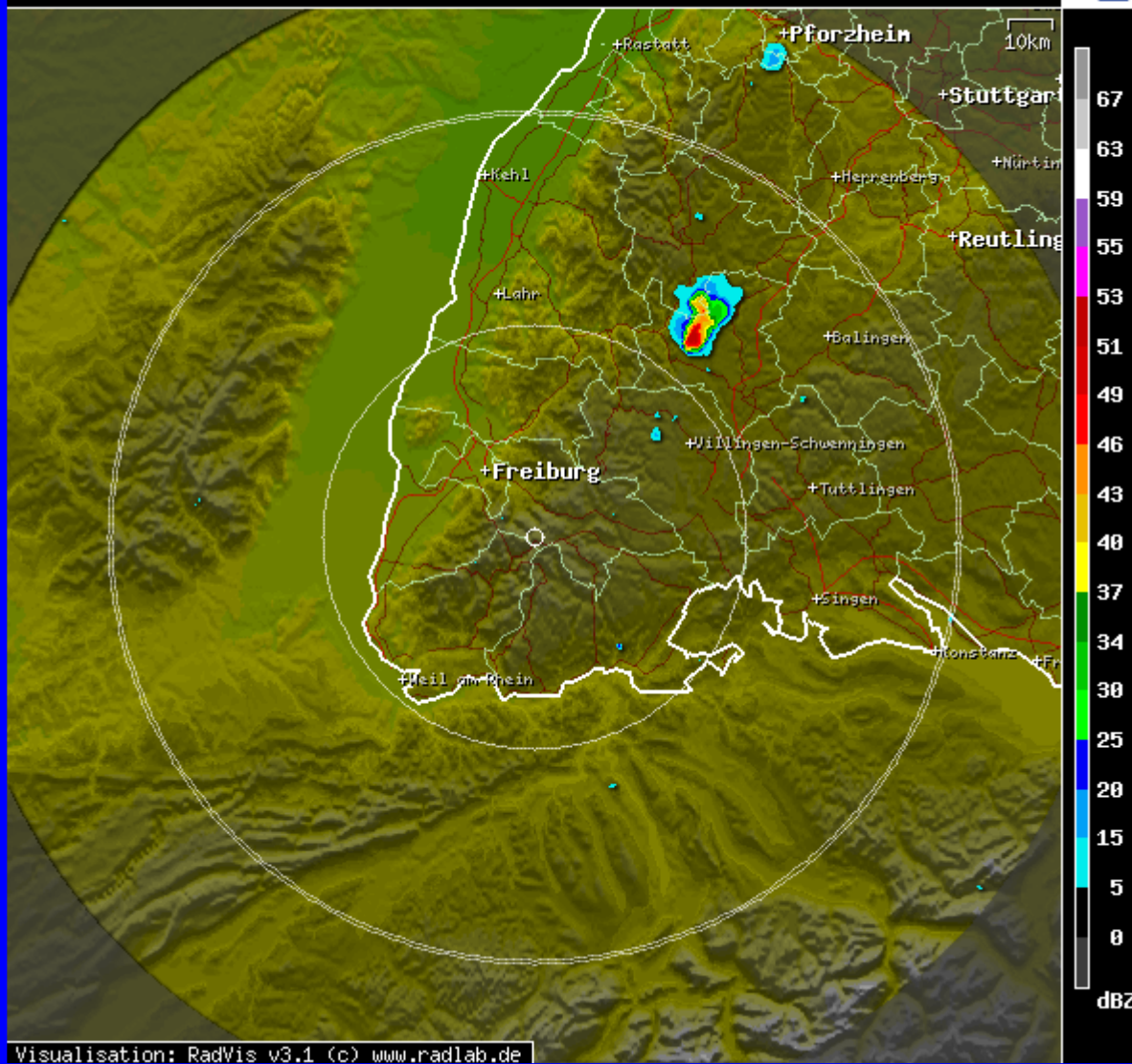
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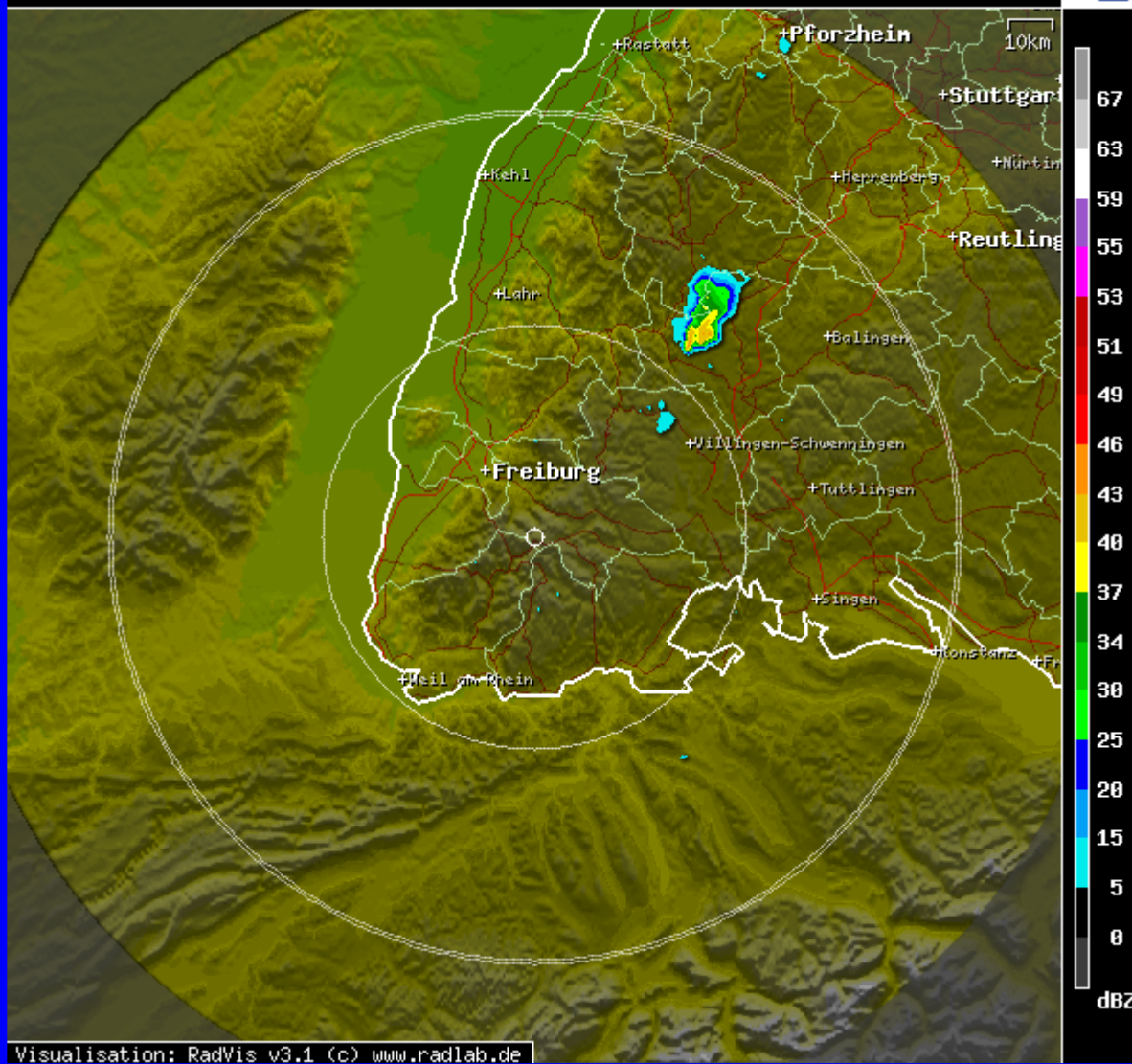
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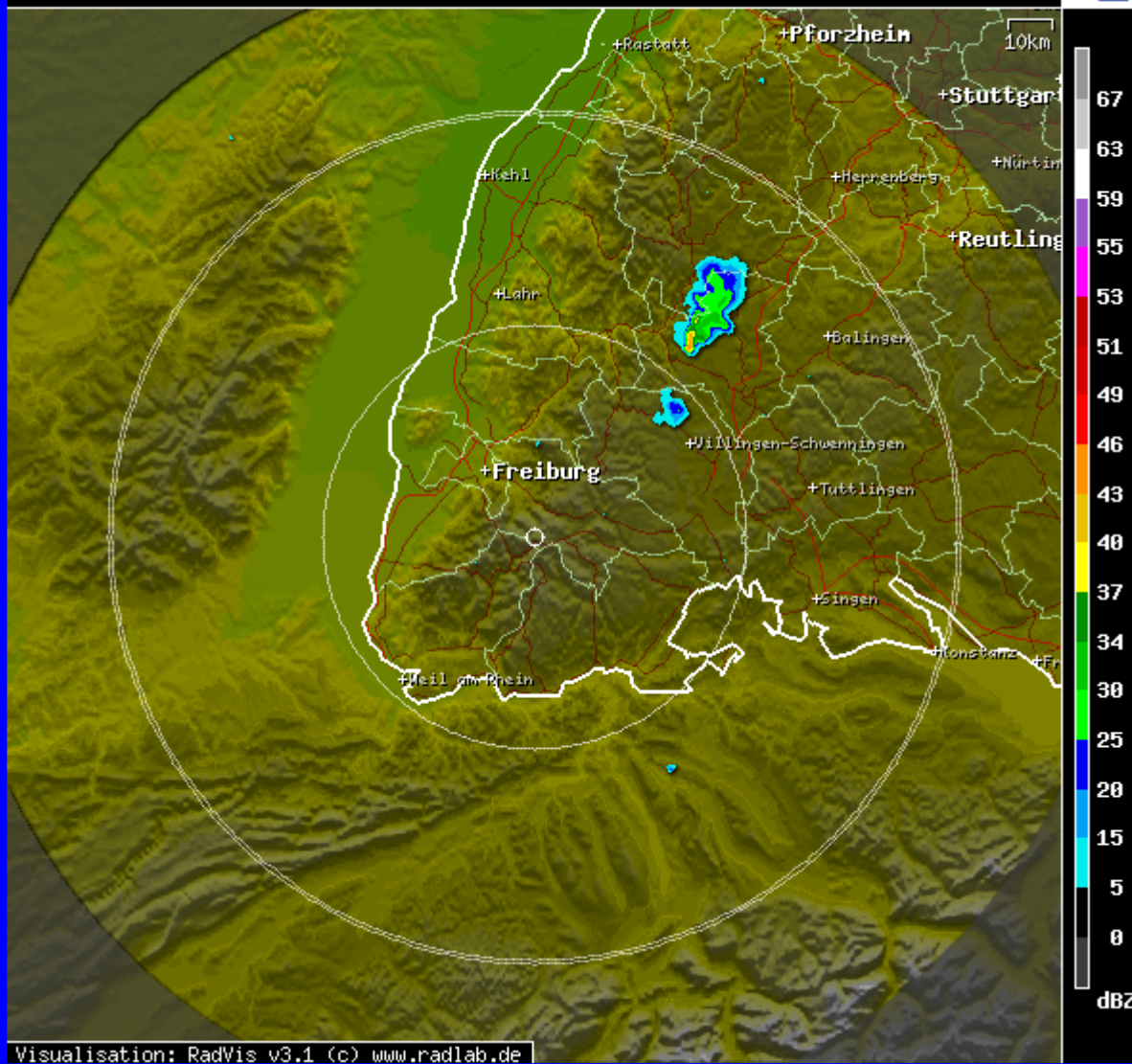
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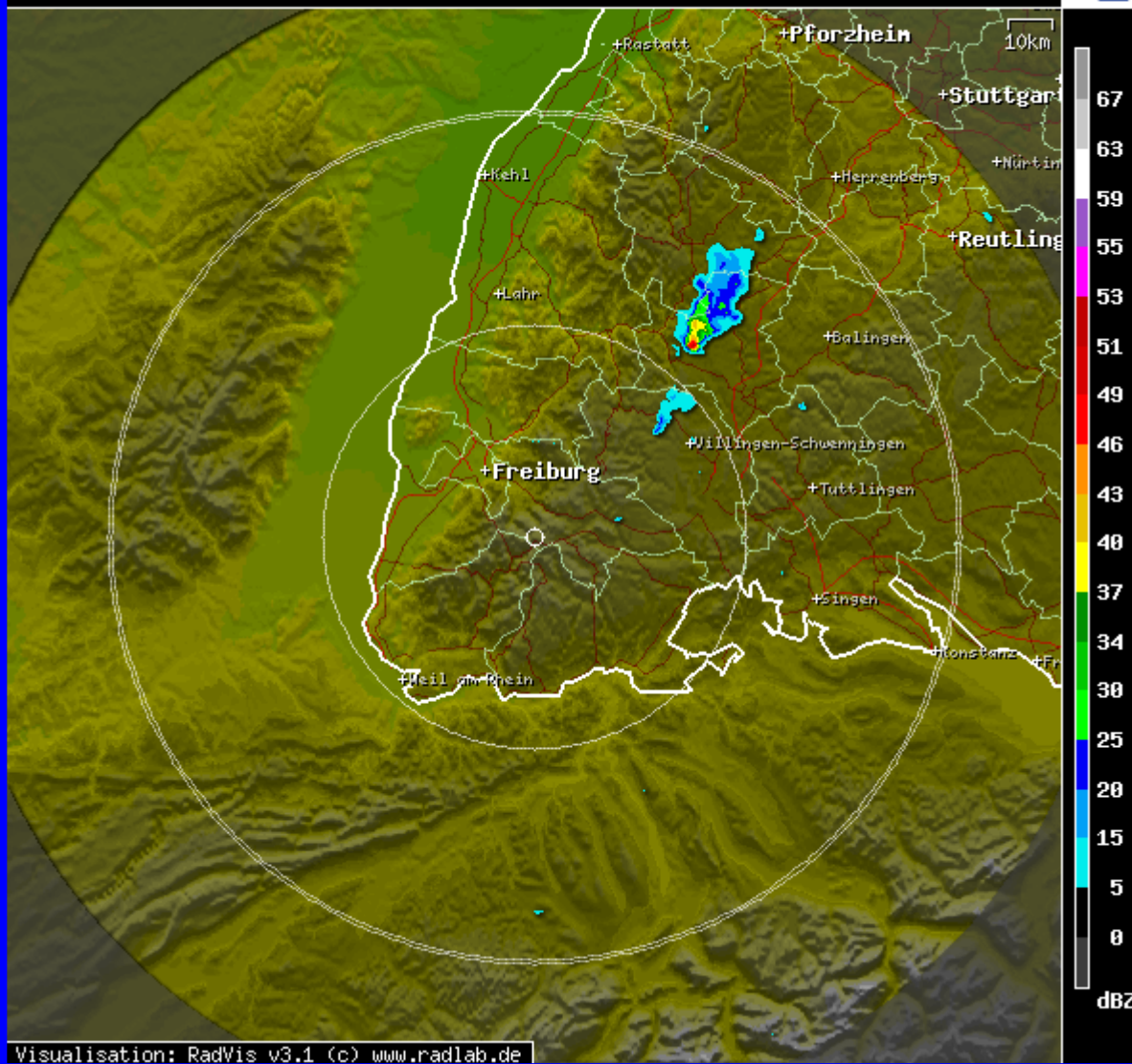


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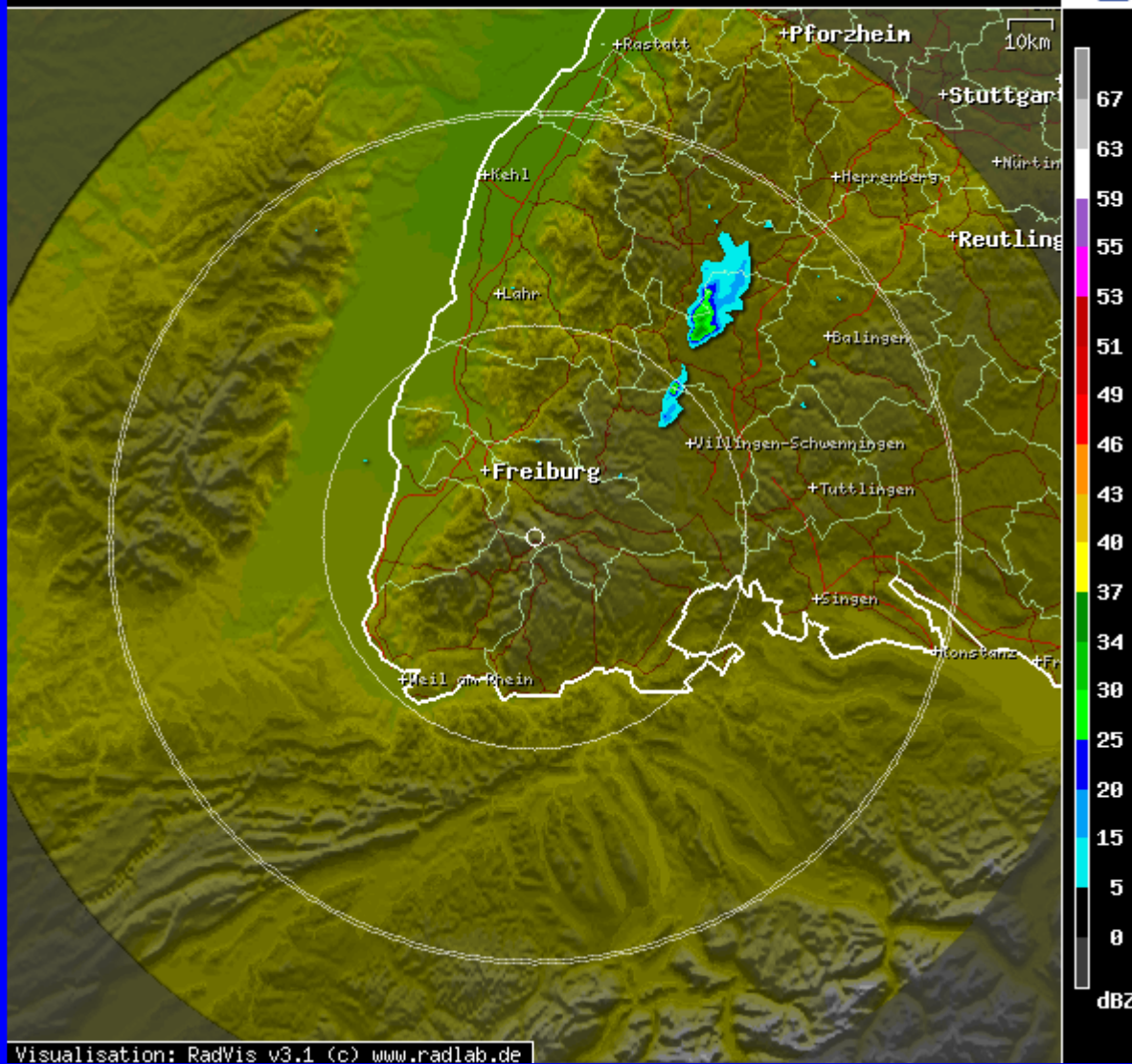


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