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Product: Daily Forecast of Geomagnetic Activity
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**I. Solar activity**
*--Current Status*
Solar Flux (10.7cm) measured on 27.02.2025 at 23:00 UTC was 170 sfu.
The background X-Ray flux is at the class C2.0 level.
No obviously Earth directed CMEs were observed in available LASCO imagery on February 26-27.
An equatorial coronal hole (CH1271) was Earth facing on February 25-26.
A coronal hole (CH1272) at southern hemisphere rotated across the central meridian on February 22-26.

**II. Solar Energetic Particle Events**
Protons and electrons fluxes are quiet.

**III. Interplanetary and Geomagnetic conditions**
The solar wind speed measured by ACE satellite reached the max value 650 Km/s on February 28 at 08:40 UT during the last 24 hours.
The solar wind speed from STEREO A was detected 400 Km/s during the last 24 hours.
The vertical component of IMF Bz reached the max value -7 nT on February 28 at 06:20 UT during the last 24 hours.
The geomagnetic field was at unsettled to moderate storm (G2) levels during the last 24 hours.
The Kp index now is at active levels with Kp=4.

**IV. 3-day Geomagnetic Activity Forecast**
The geomagnetic field is expected to be at quiet to minor storm (G1) levels on February 28-March 01 due to effects from coronal holes and at quiet to unsettled levels on March 02.

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| **Date** | **Ap index forecast** | **Geomagnetic Activity level** |
| 28.02.2025 | 20 | Quiet to Minor Storm (G1) |
| 01.03.2025 | 15 | Quiet to Minor Storm (G1) |
| 02.03.2025 | 10 | Quiet to Unsettled |

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