

The 27 August 1960 Blida earthquake

A033¹, Tuesday 30 August 1960 – L'Echo de Blida. Secousse tellurique – La journée a été particulièrement pénible à Blida ou le thermomètre a atteint le maximum de ces derniers jours. Vers 18h, une secousse sismique a ébranlé la ville. Dans les vitrines les objets ont été déplacés et la verroterie a tinté. On ne signale pas de dégâts.

Note : An epicentral intensity VII on the Mercalli scale is estimated for this earthquake in Benouar (1994) who referred to Mezcuca and Martinez (1983) whereas any intensity is estimated to the 14 August 1960 in both catalogue. We think that there was a confusion between both earthquake. The available information does not justify the VII intensity for the 27 August 1960 earthquake.

¹ The different ID numbers correspond to the references included in Table S1 of the article <http://dx.doi.org/10.1785/0220150092> or in the addendum of Table S1 (http://naget.ictp.it/PUBLICATIONS/resources/Add_TableS1.pdf)