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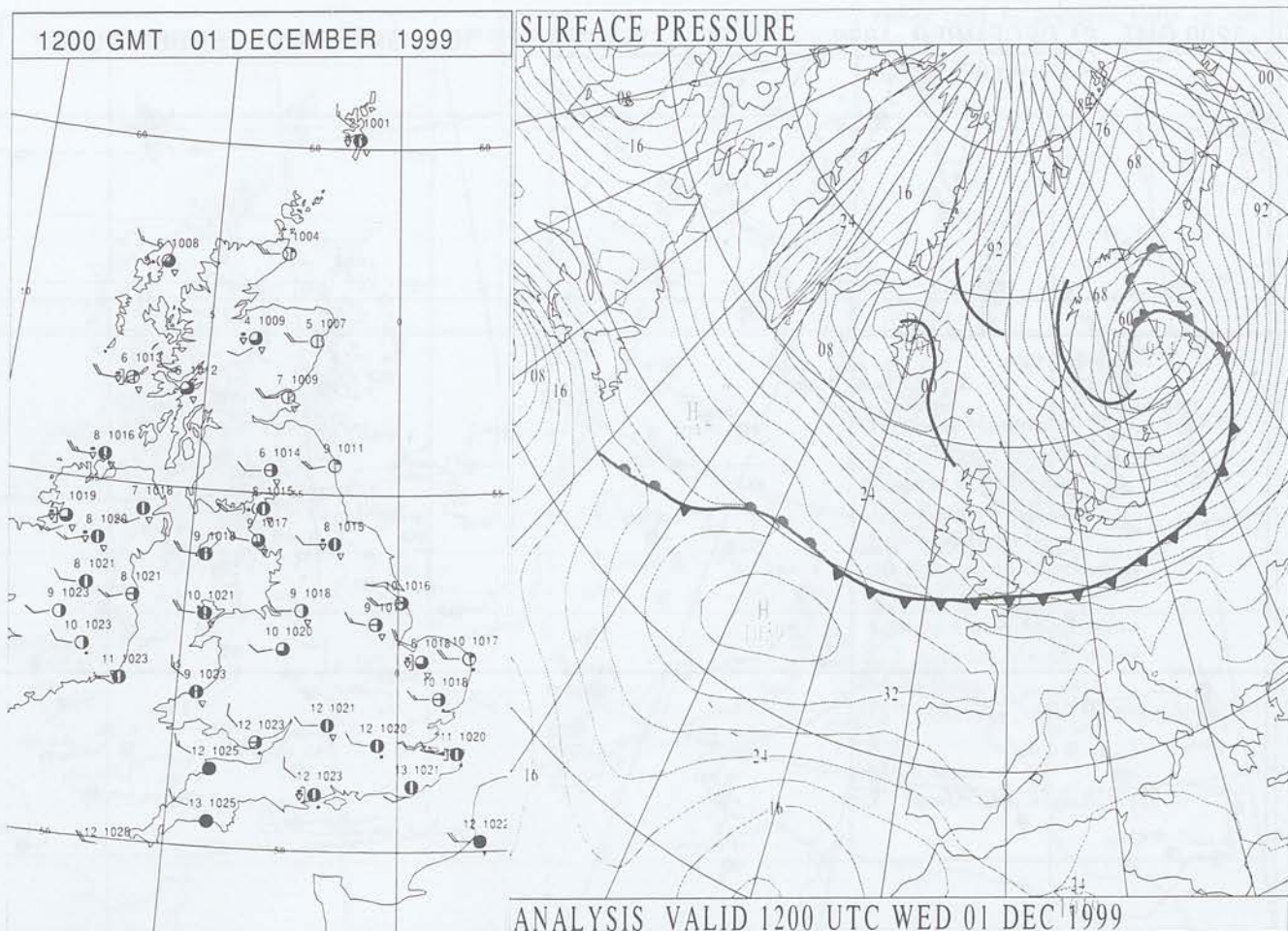
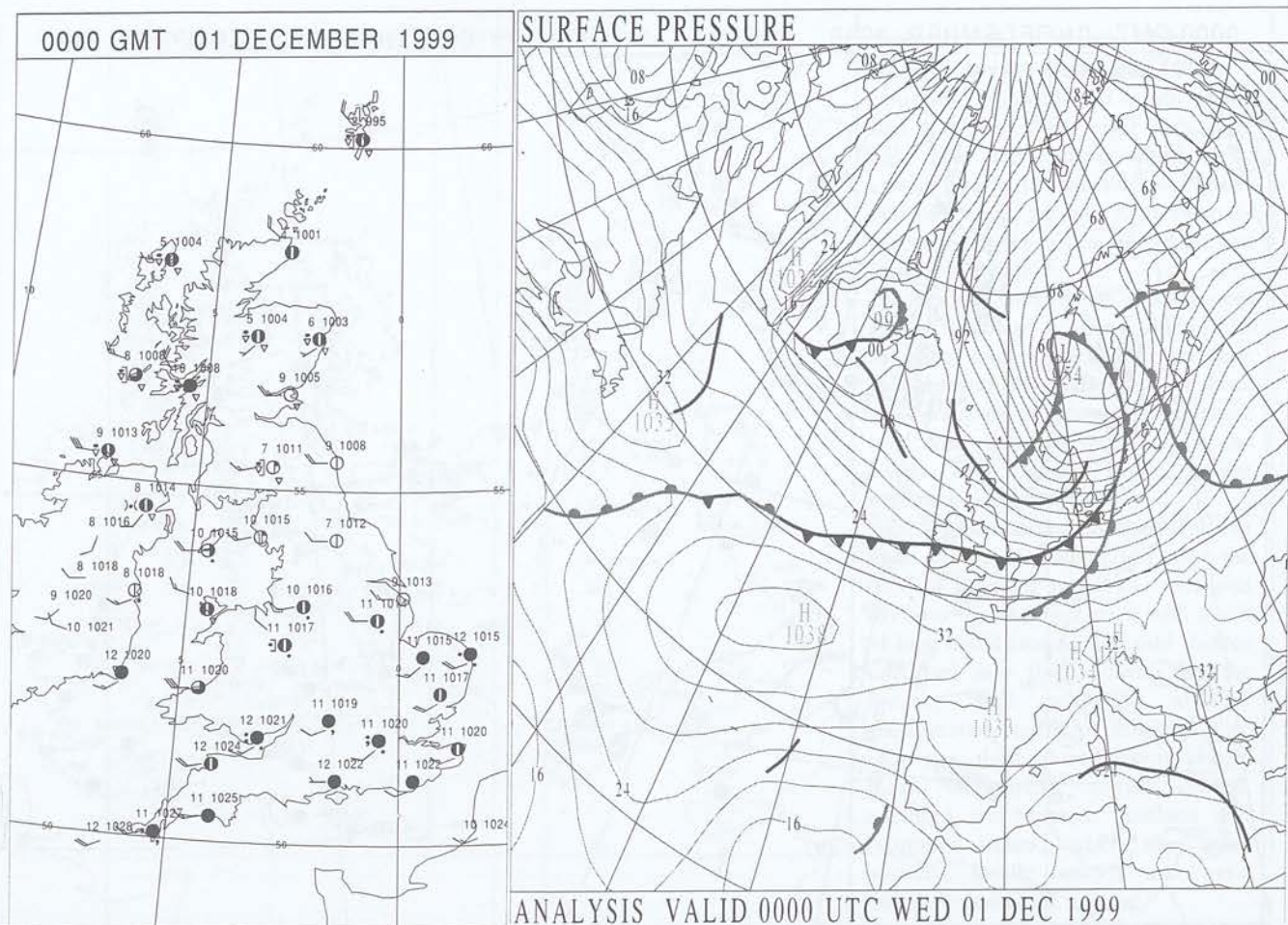
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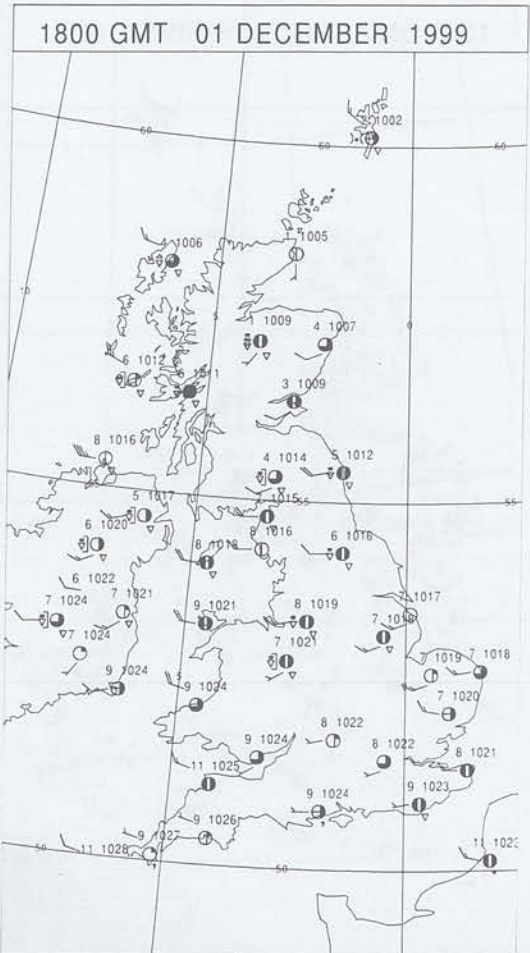
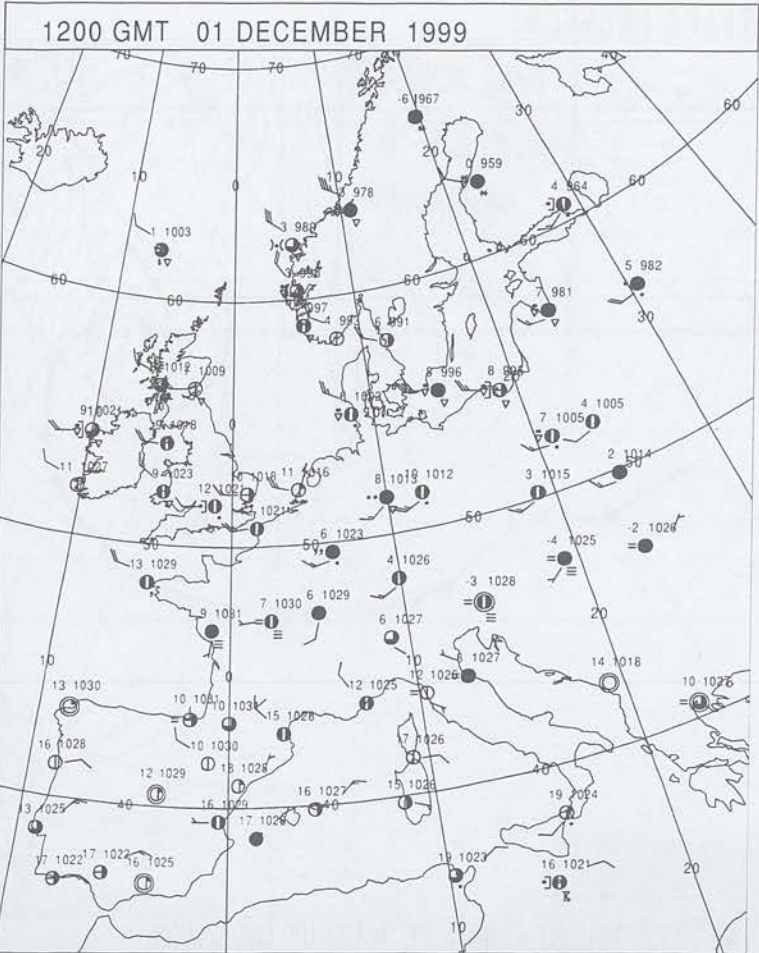
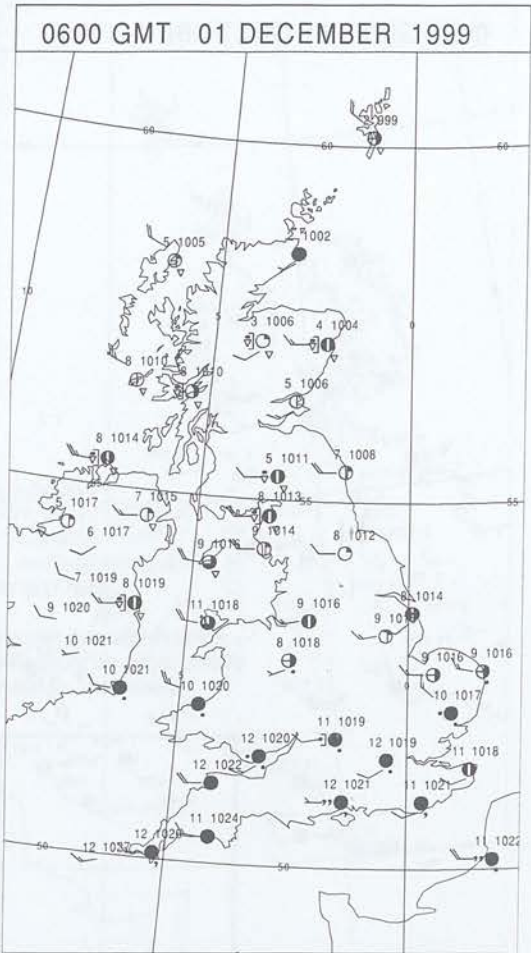
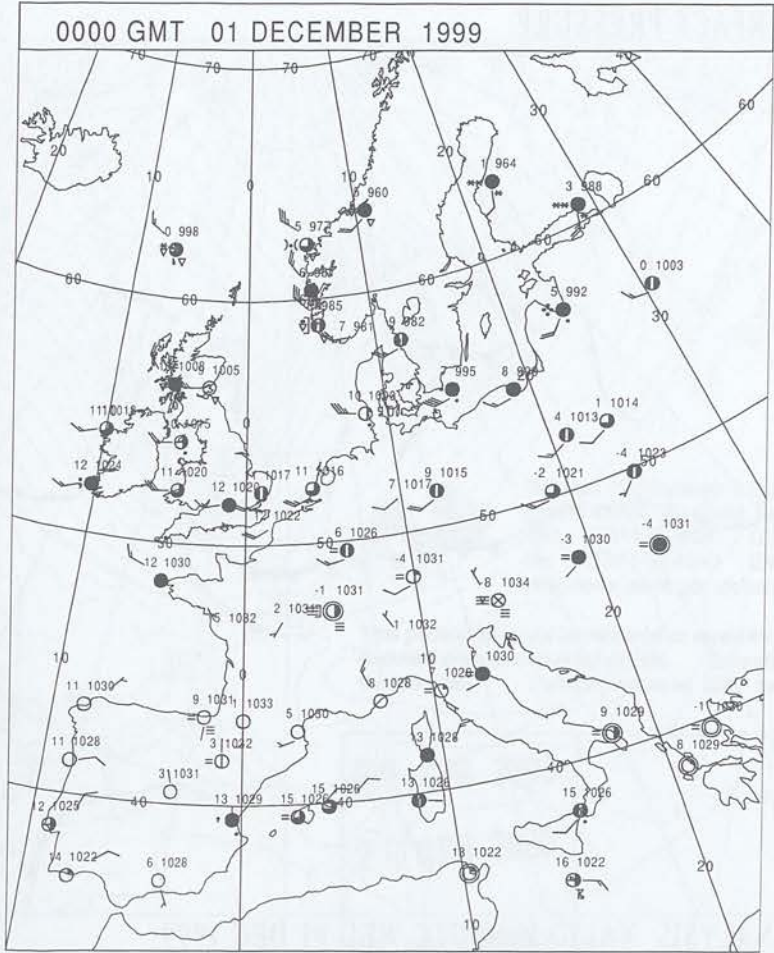


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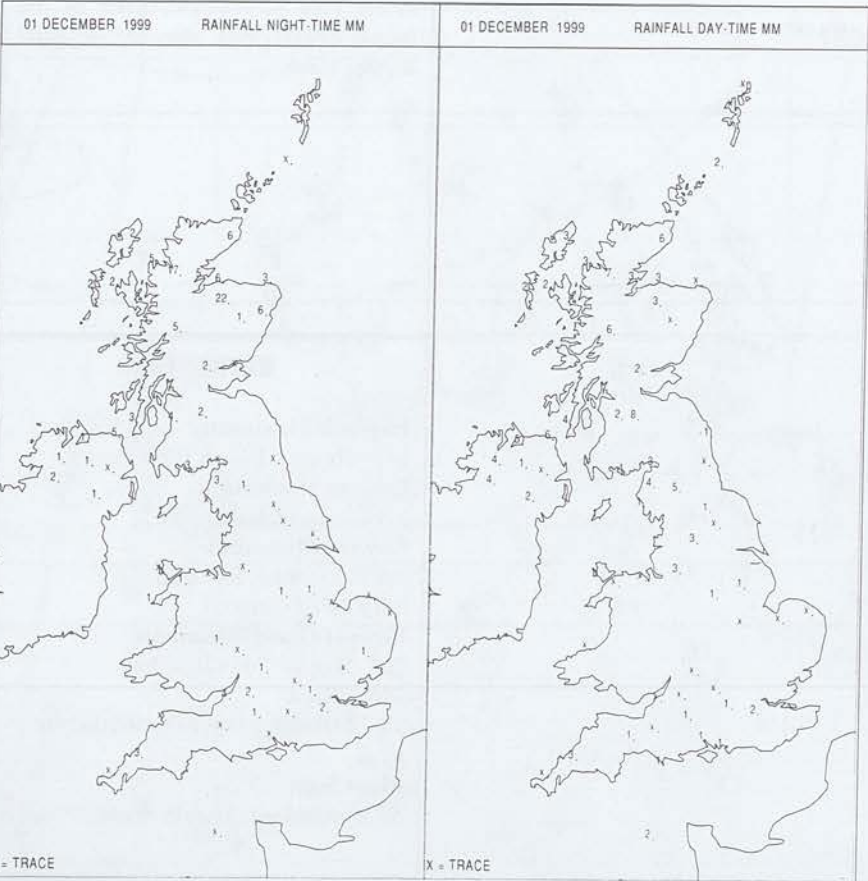
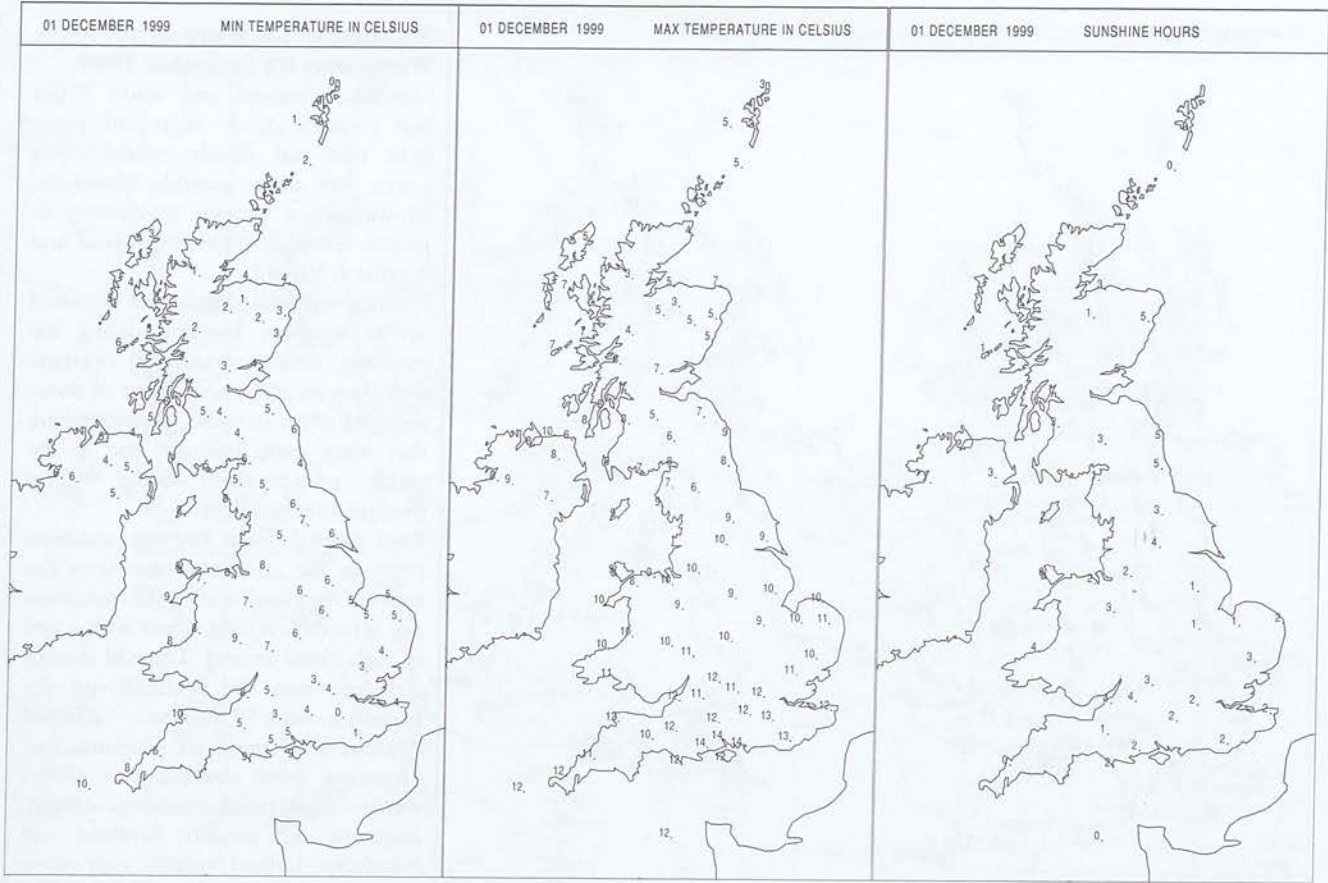
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0600 GMT 01 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 01 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Wednesday 01 December 1999.</p> <p>Southern England and south Wales had a rather cloudy night with some light rain and drizzle, whilst cloud cover was more variable elsewhere, allowing clear periods to develop in places. Showers affected Scotland and Northern Ireland.</p> <p>Further rain and drizzle was reported across southern England during the morning, with a mixture of sunshine and showers elsewhere. Most of those showers arose in western areas, where they were quite blustery, and in the north of Scotland some wintry precipitation was noted.</p> <p>Rain cleared from extreme southern parts in the afternoon, and then the bulk of England and Wales remained dry into the evening, albeit with a veil of high cloud around. The odd shower did feed into the Midlands on the breeze, and showers affected northwestern parts of England too. However, these showers were always most widespread across central, northern and western Scotland and Northern Ireland, where they were blustery, locally wintry, and even thundery during the evening.</p> <p>Temperatures were mostly normal or rather cold in northern parts of the British Isles, but normal or mild further south.</p>
1800 GMT 01 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 02 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	
				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 14.9 Thorney Island, West Sussex</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 3.3 Glenlivet, Banffshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: 0.0 Baltasound, Shetland 0.0 Redhill, Surrey</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -2.1 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 16.7 Dalmally, Argyll (In Strathclyde Regi</p> <p>Most Sun: 5.7 Sunderland, Tyne & Wear</p>

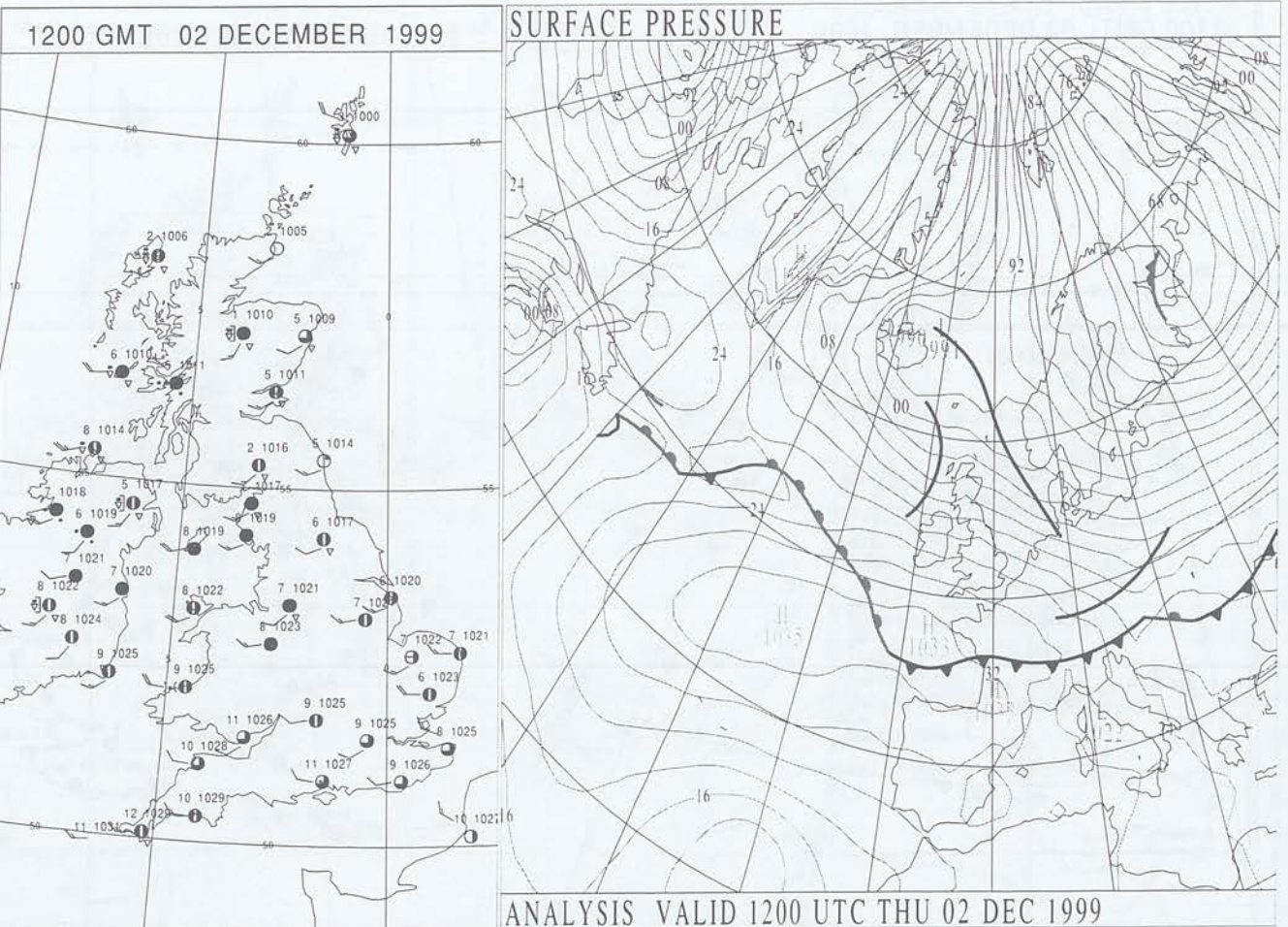
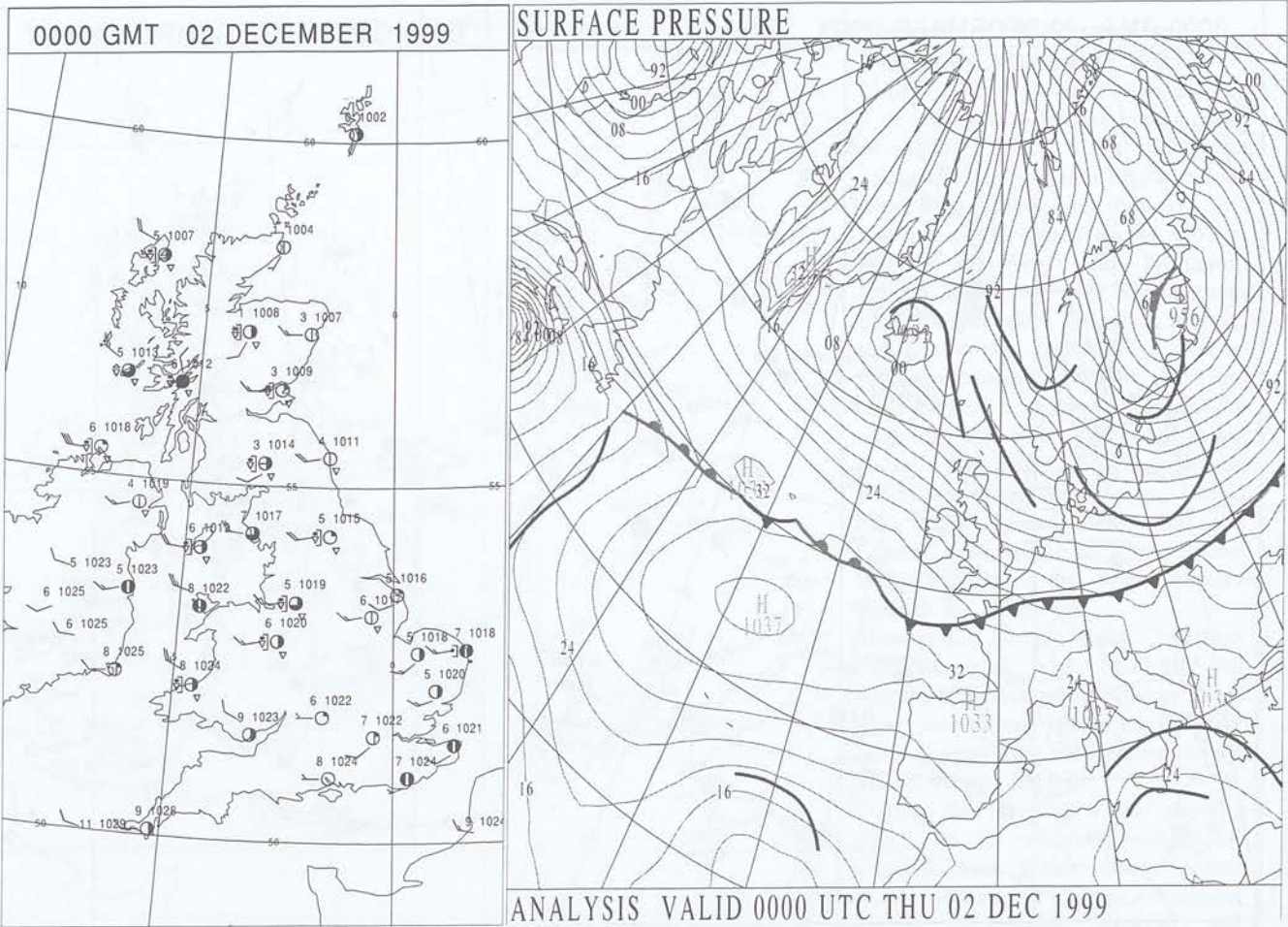
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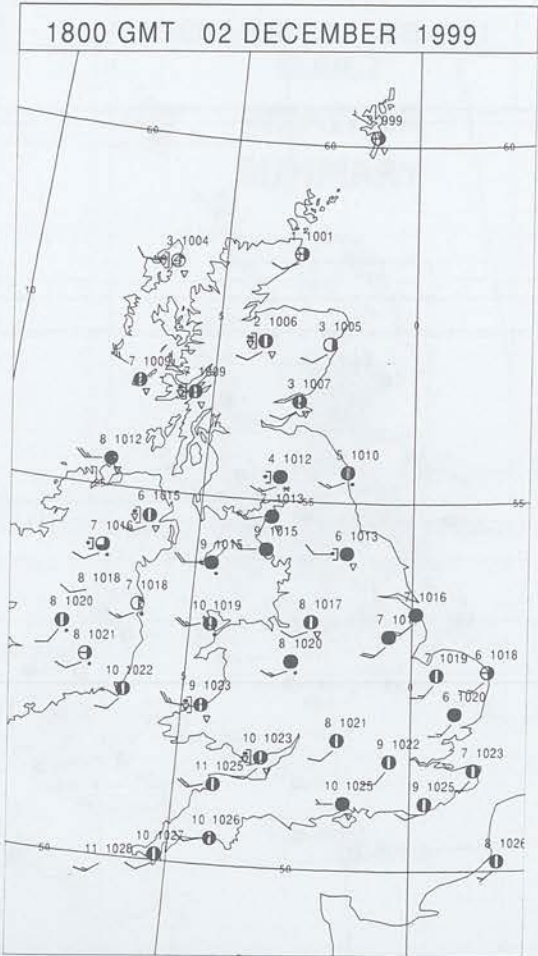
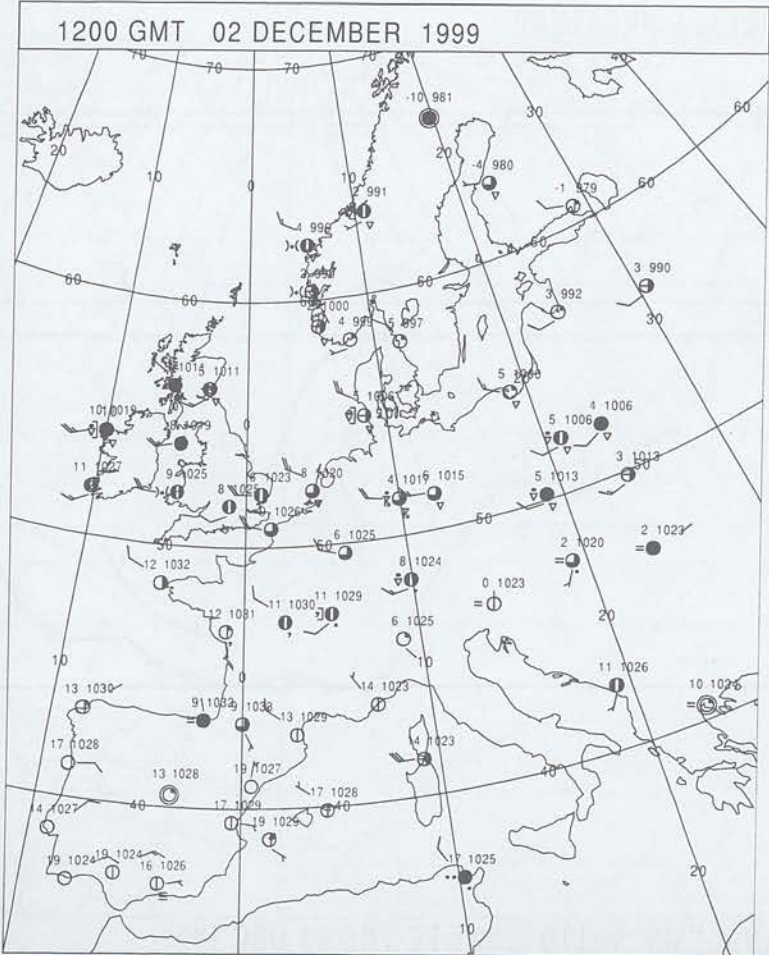
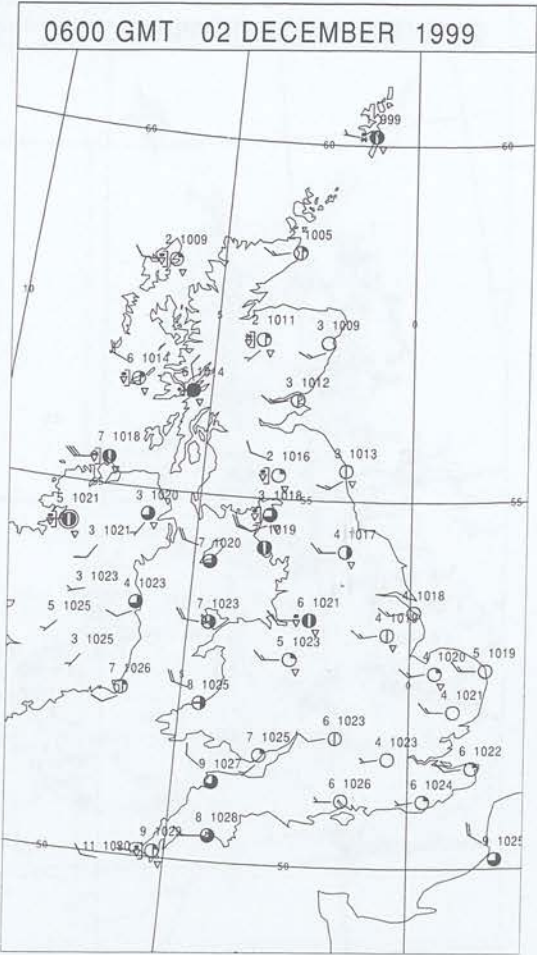
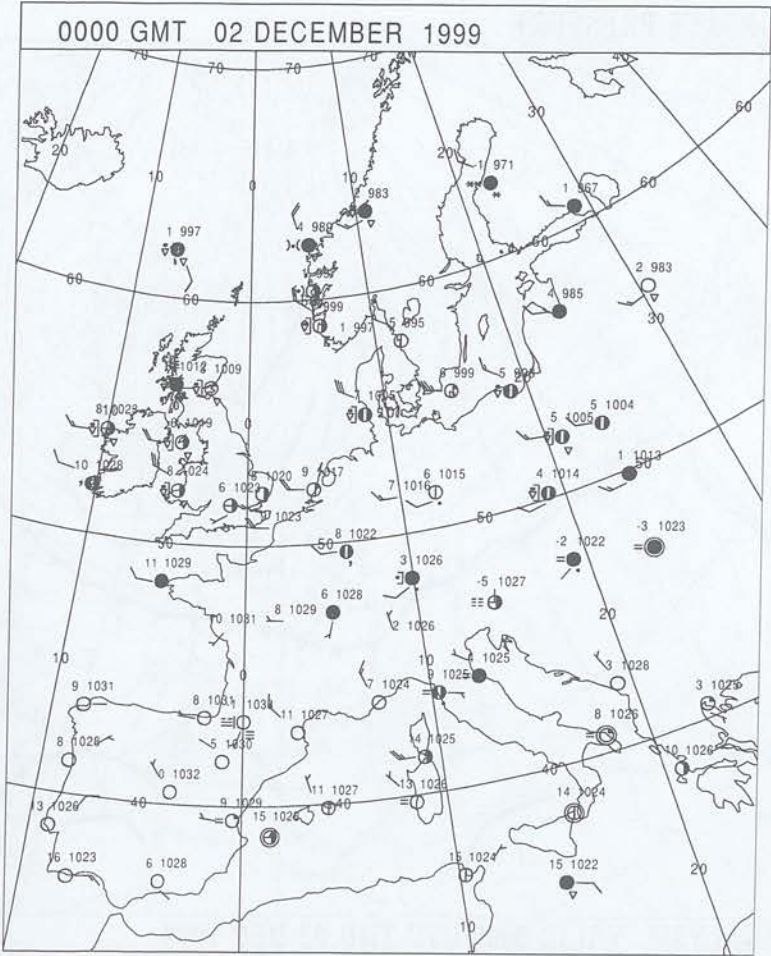
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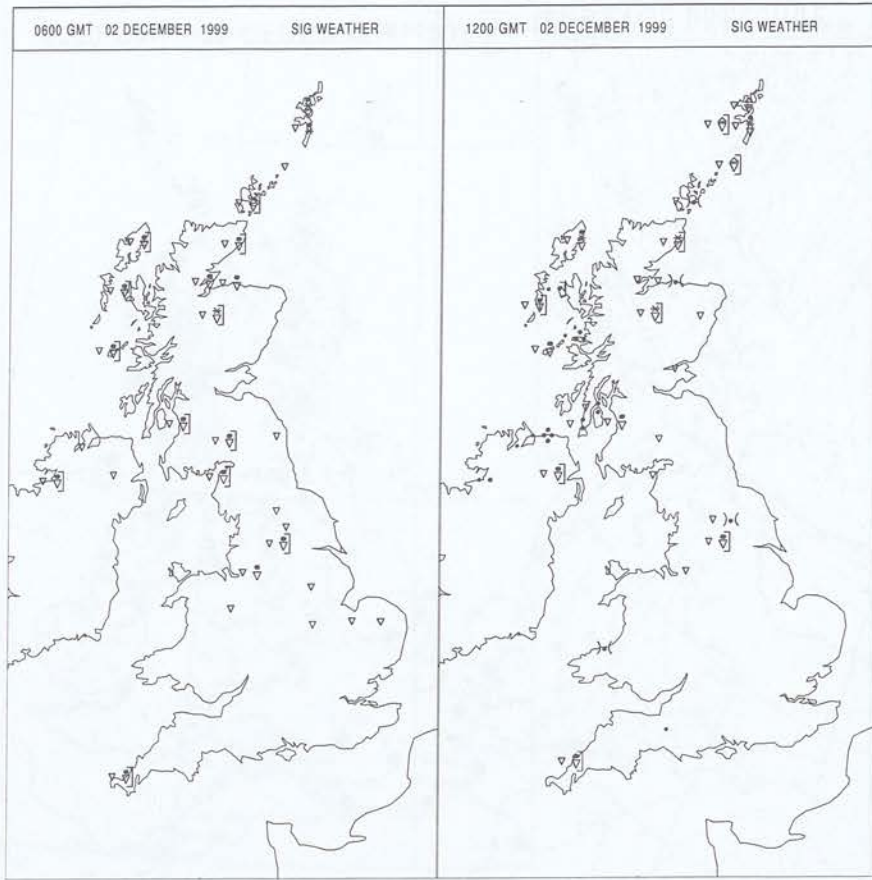
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Summary of UK Weather for Thursday 02 December 1999.

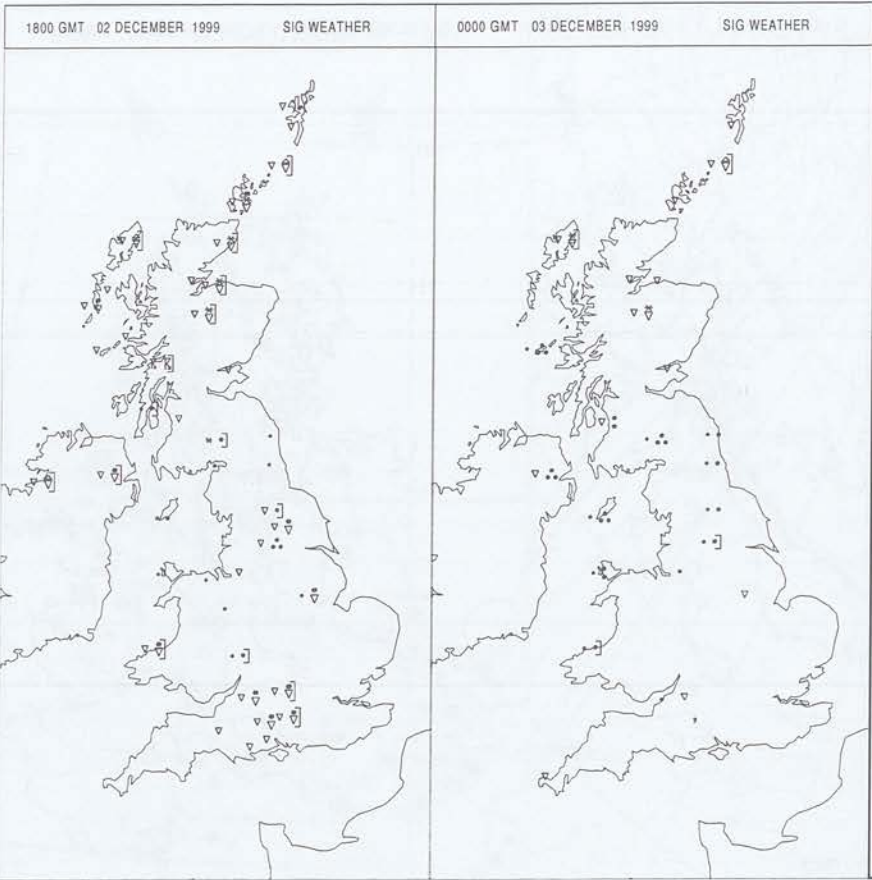
Central and southern England enjoyed a dry night with lengthy clear periods developing. West Wales, the north Midlands and Northern England along with Norfolk, saw a few showers.

The most widespread of the showers affected Scotland and Northern Ireland. Here they were blustery, with hail, thunder, sleet and snow. Further locally wintry showers affected Scotland, Northern Ireland, and parts of Northern England through the morning, especially near west facing coasts, and although England and Wales started generally dry and sunny, high cloud spread across the area. Central and southern England and Wales held onto dry, bright weather through the afternoon.

Meanwhile, North Wales, Northern England, and both Scotland and Northern Ireland saw cloudier skies. There were wintry showers, and locally more general light precipitation, which turned wintry over hills.

During the evening, a few showers edged in to western counties of England and Wales. Rain became more widespread across Northern Ireland, Northwest England and Southwest Scotland. Between showers elsewhere in Scotland, clear spells developed.

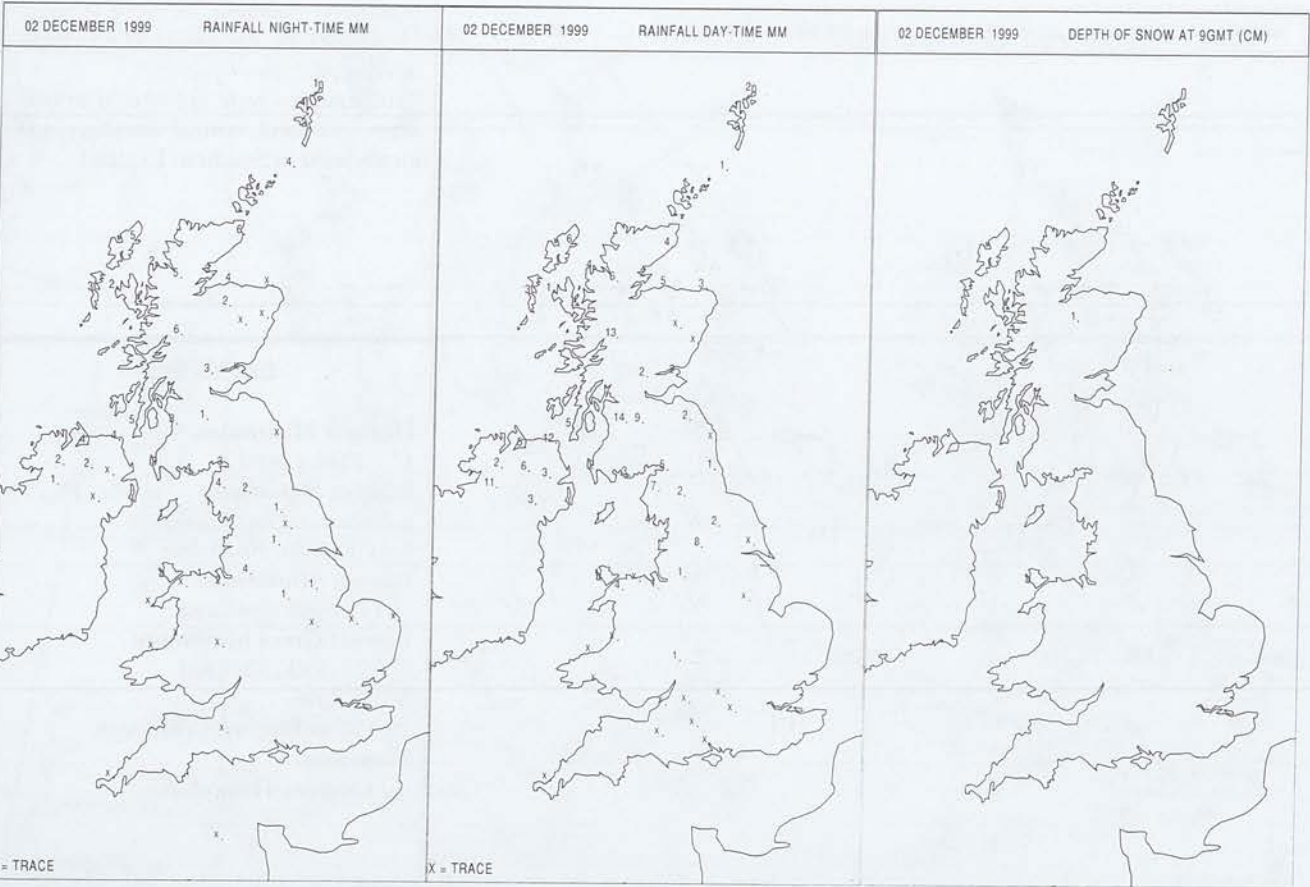
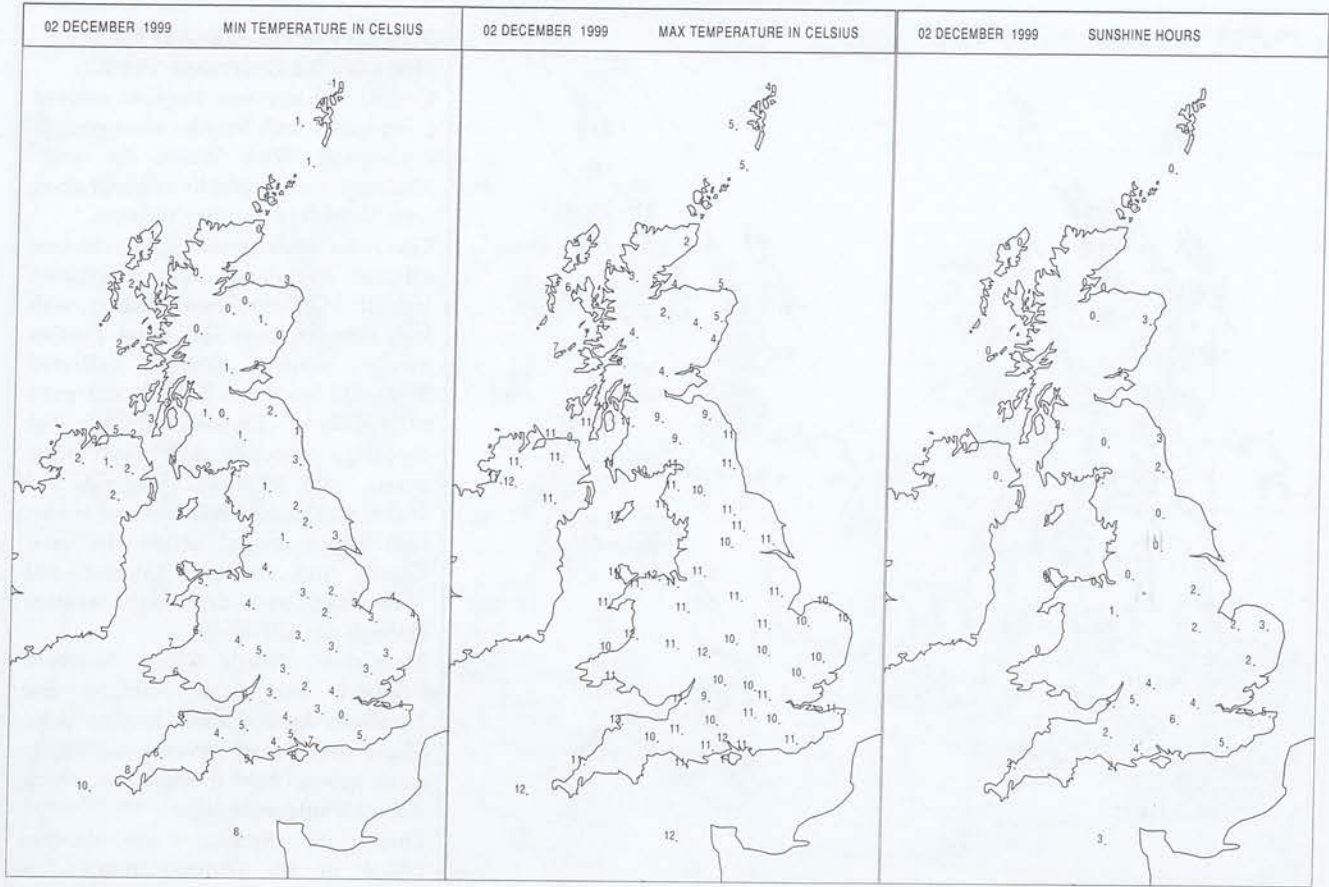
Temperatures were rather cold to cold across Scotland, normal elsewhere, and locally mild in Southern England.



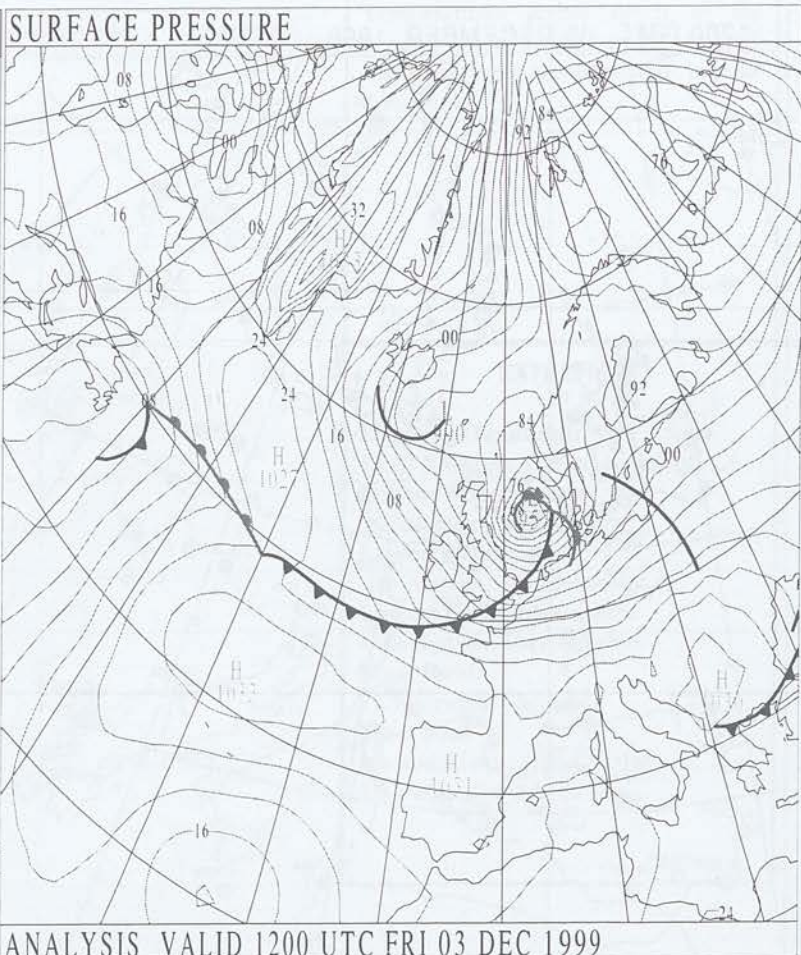
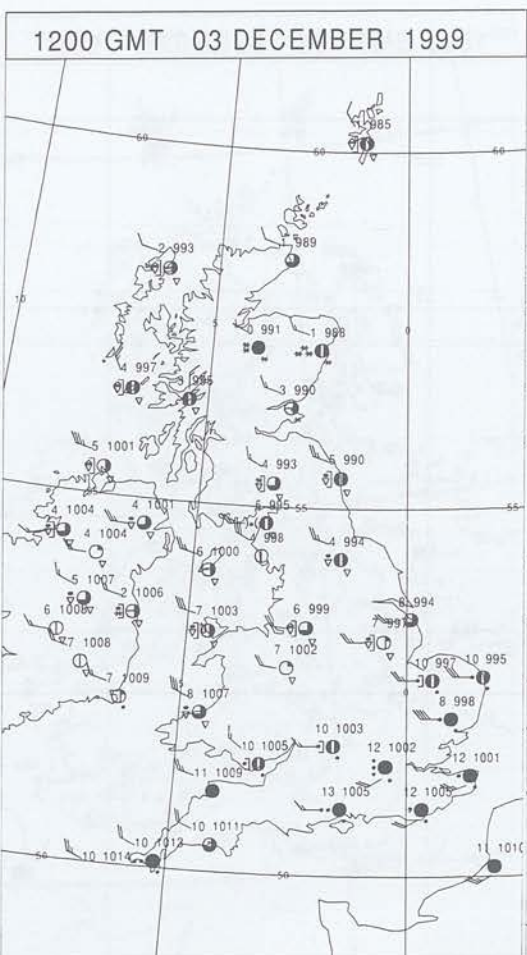
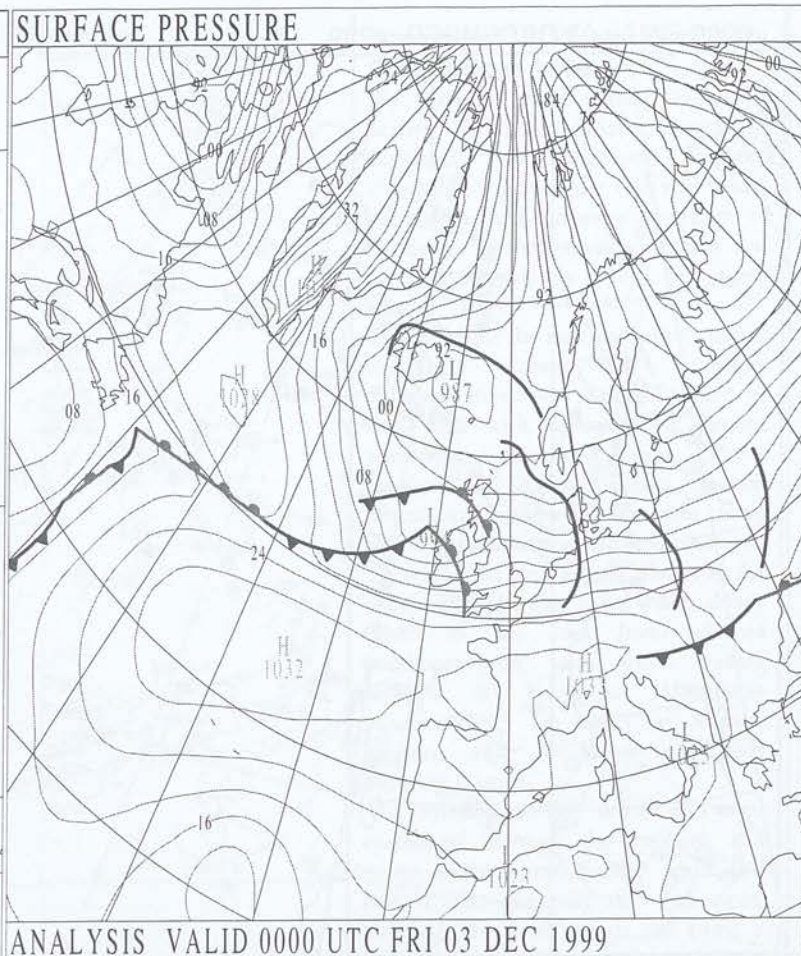
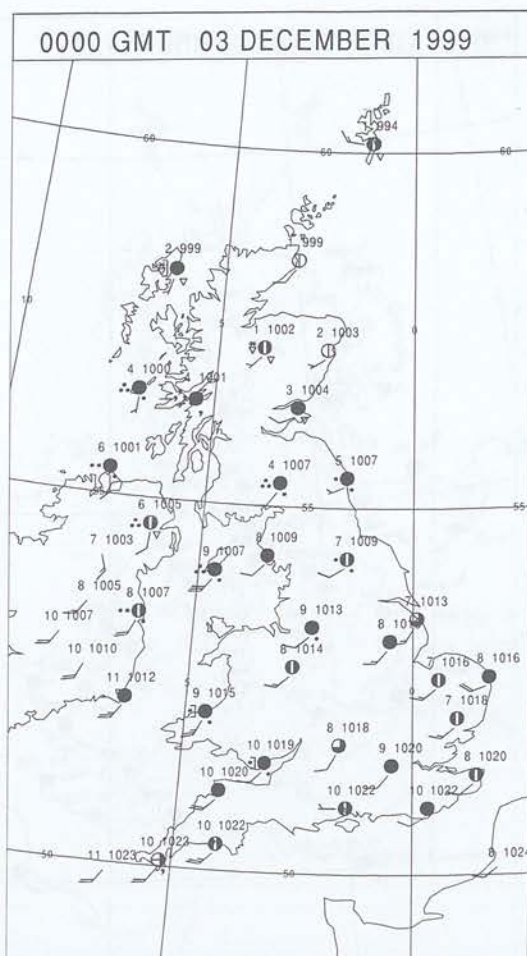
EXTREMES

- Highest Maximum:**
12.7 Rhyl, Clwyd
- Lowest Maximum:**
2.4 Wick Airport, Caithness
2.4 Glenlivet, Banffshire
- Lowest Minimum:**
-1.4 Lerwick, Shetland
- Lowest Grass Minimum:**
-7.2 Lerwick, Shetland
- Most Rain:**
49.4 Knockarevan, Fermanagh
- Most Sun:**
6.2 Odiham, Hampshire

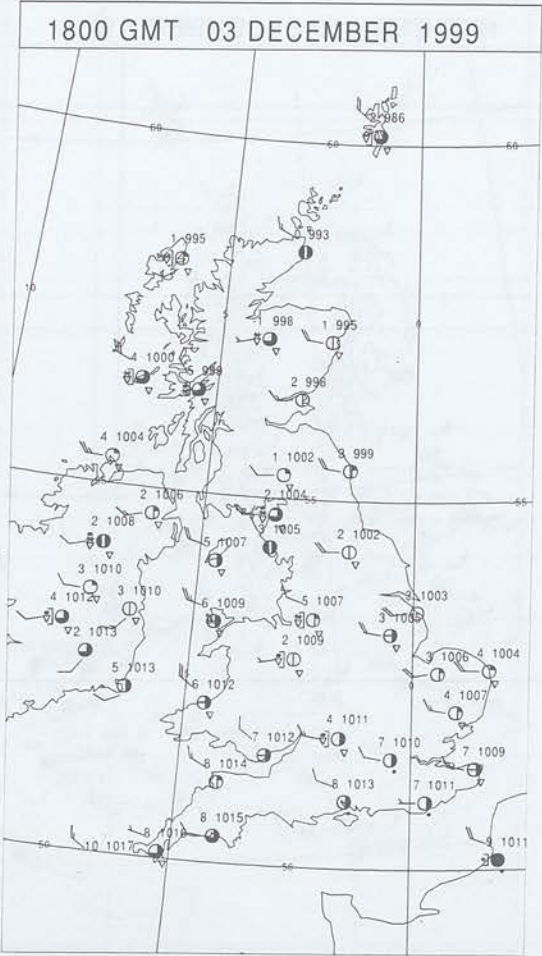
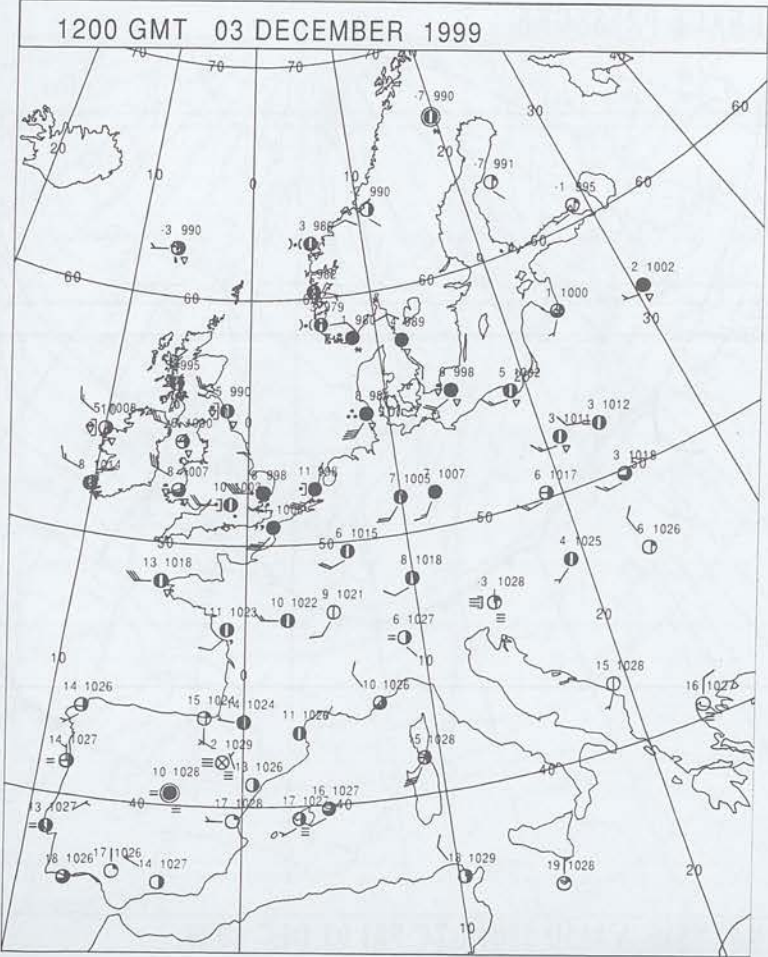
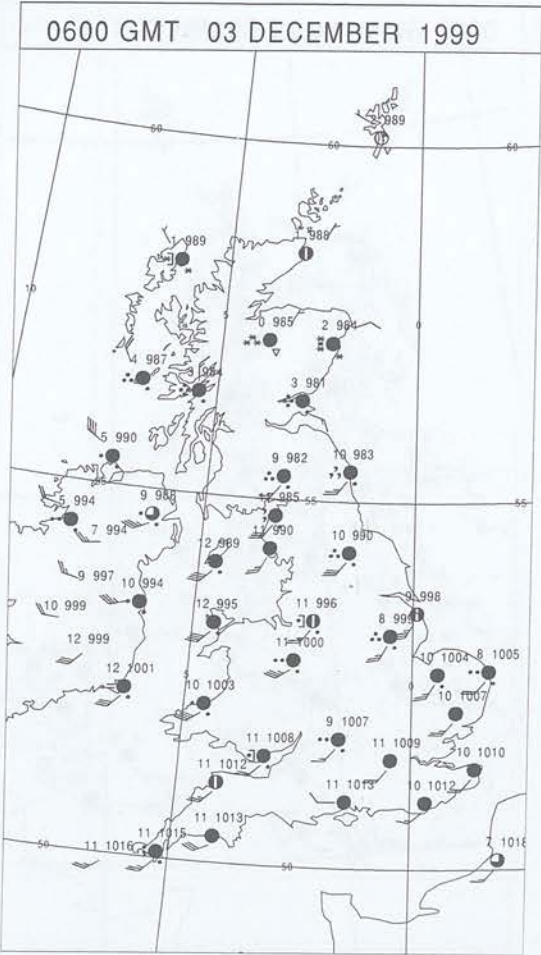
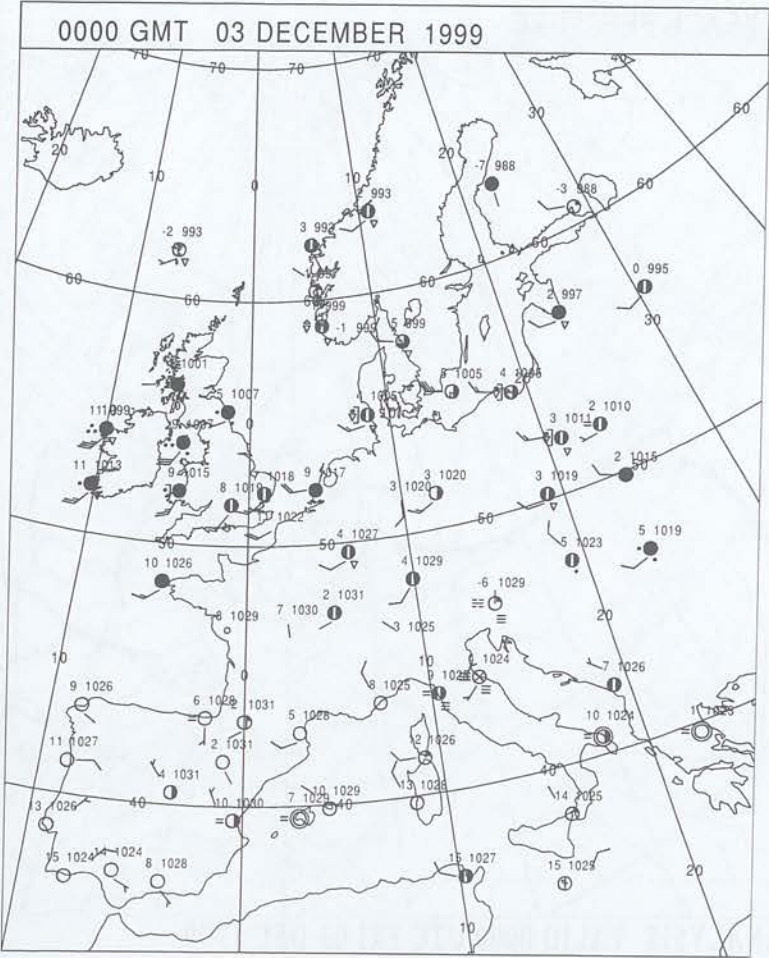
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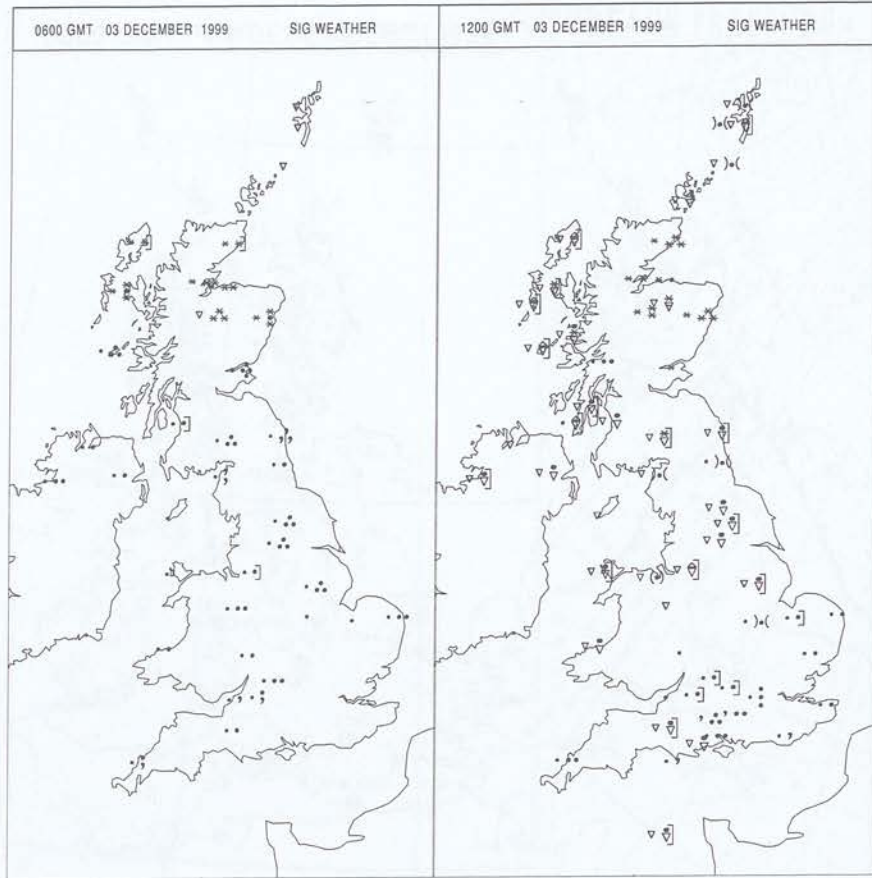
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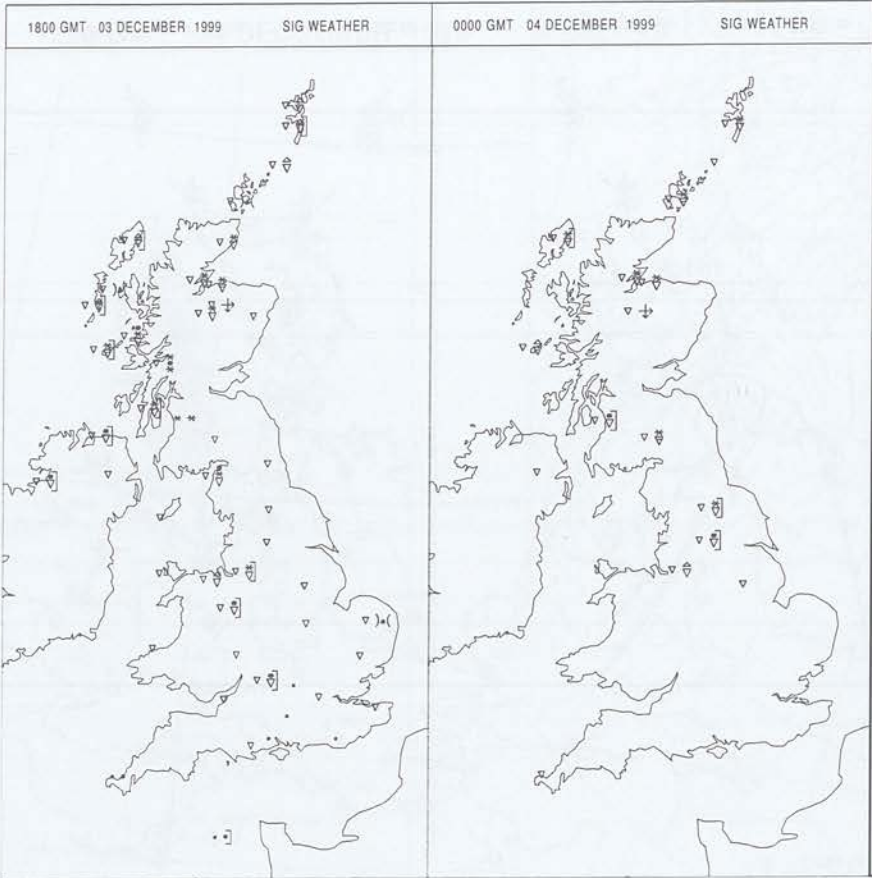
Summary of UK Weather for Friday 03 December 1999.

An area of rain spread eastwards across Northern Ireland, much of Scotland and northern England overnight. Some of the rain was heavy, turning to sleet and snow over parts of Scotland. Accompanying the rain and snow were gale to severe gale force winds.

The worst of the rain and snow cleared eastwards during the morning, although there was a narrow band of rain, still with some heavy bursts, spreading southeastwards across England and Wales, clearing by mid-afternoon. Following the rain band there was broken cloud and showers. These turned increasingly wintry in the northwest. The gale force winds slowly eased as the rain band cleared southeastwards, with gusts having reached 80 knots at Aberdaron (Gwynedd), 78 knots at Crosby (Sefton) and 76 knots at Leeds Weather Centre.

The showers in the north and west continued through the evening, still wintry in the north. Further south and east it was generally dry and clear, although the brisk winds did bring a few showers across.

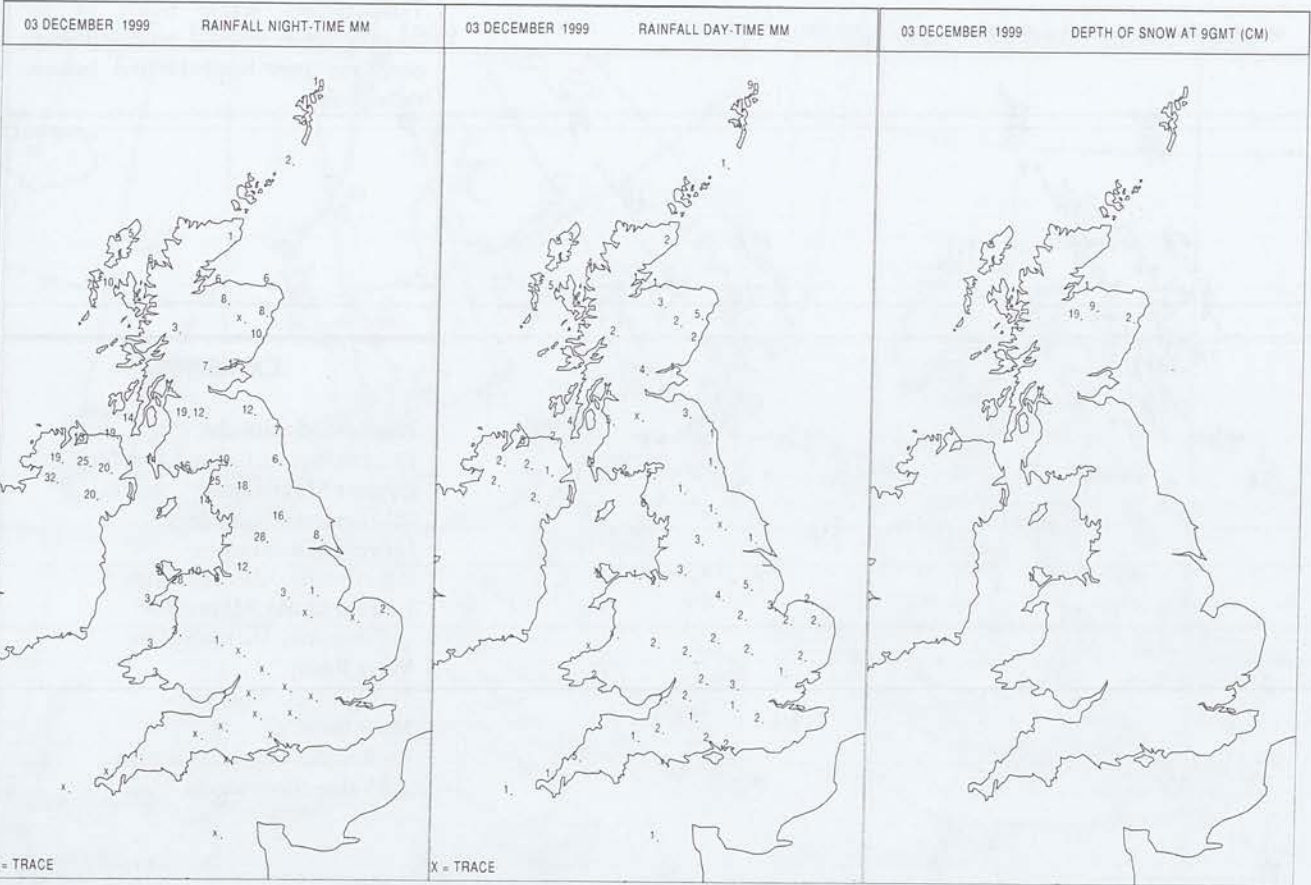
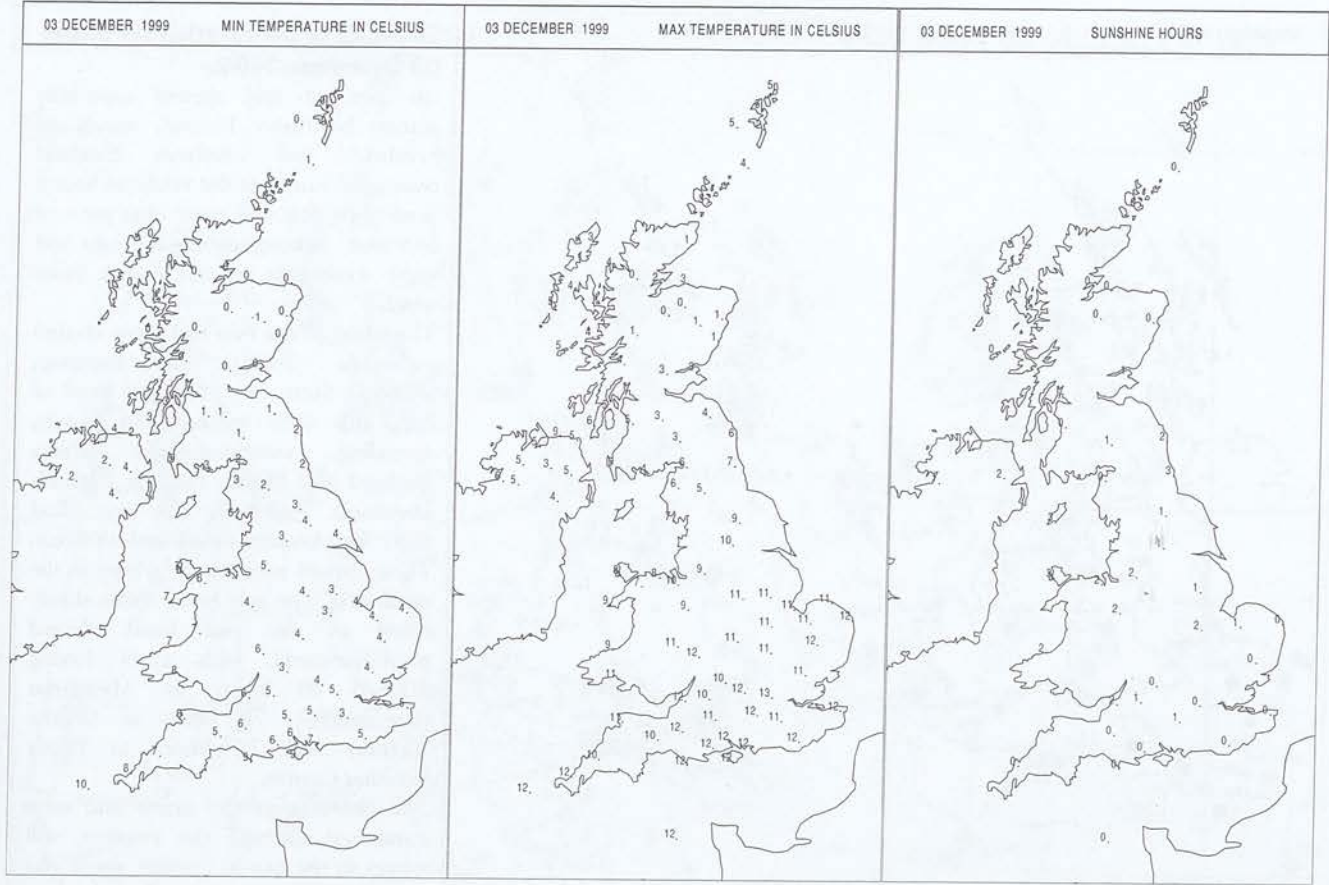
Temperatures across much of the country were initially mild, although once the rain band cleared became rather cold.



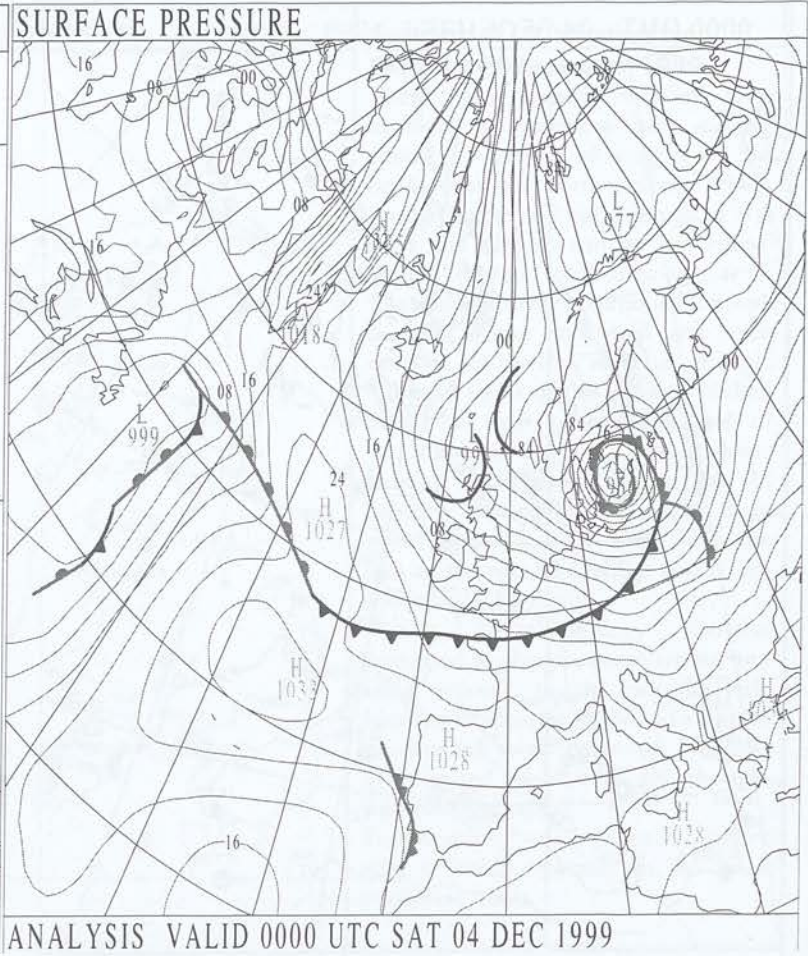
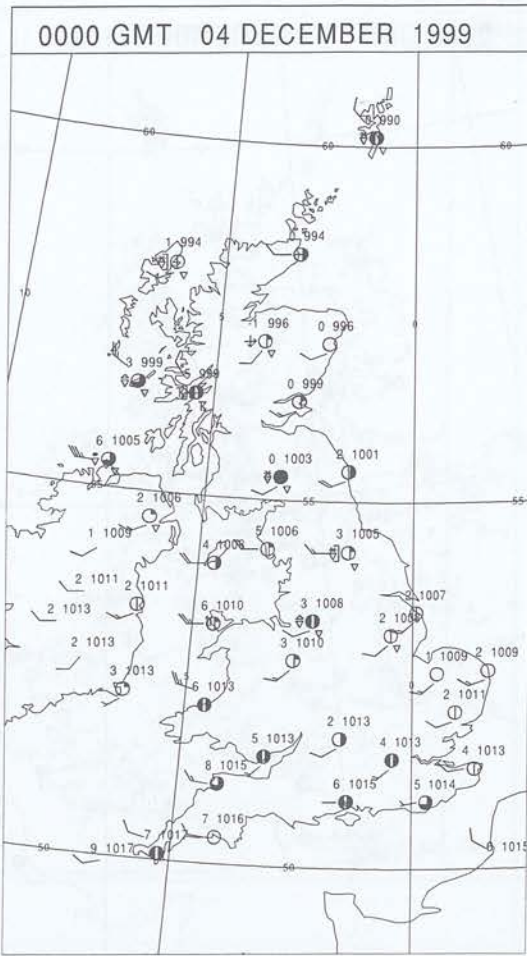
EXTREMES

- Highest Maximum:** 13.2 Heathrow, Greater London
- Lowest Maximum:** 0.2 Glenlivet, Banffshire
- Lowest Minimum:** -1.0 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire
- Lowest Grass Minimum:** -5.7 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire
- Most Rain:** 21.5 Lerwick, Shetland
- Most Sun:** 3.5 Ronaldsway, Isle Of Man
3.5 Valley, Gwynedd

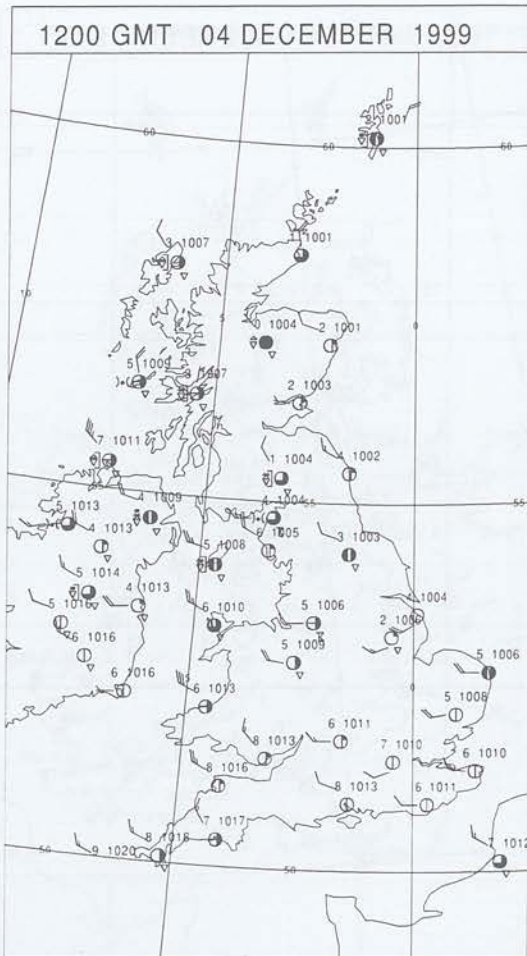
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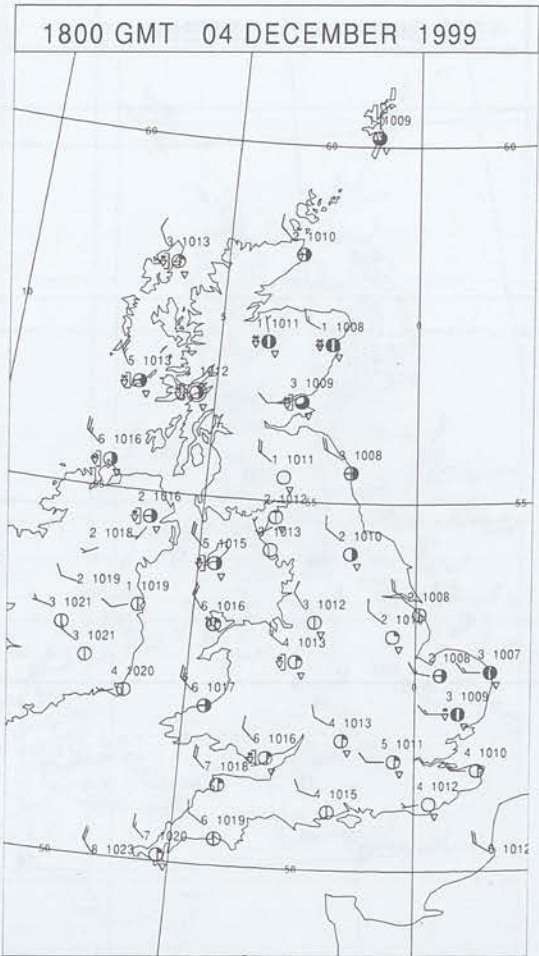
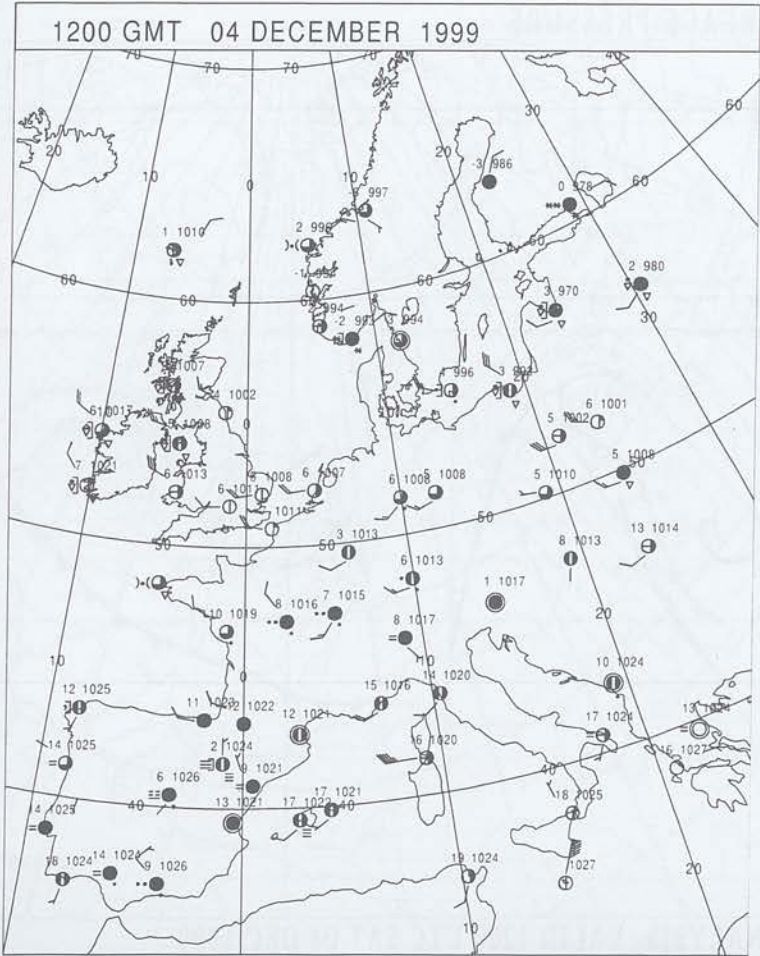
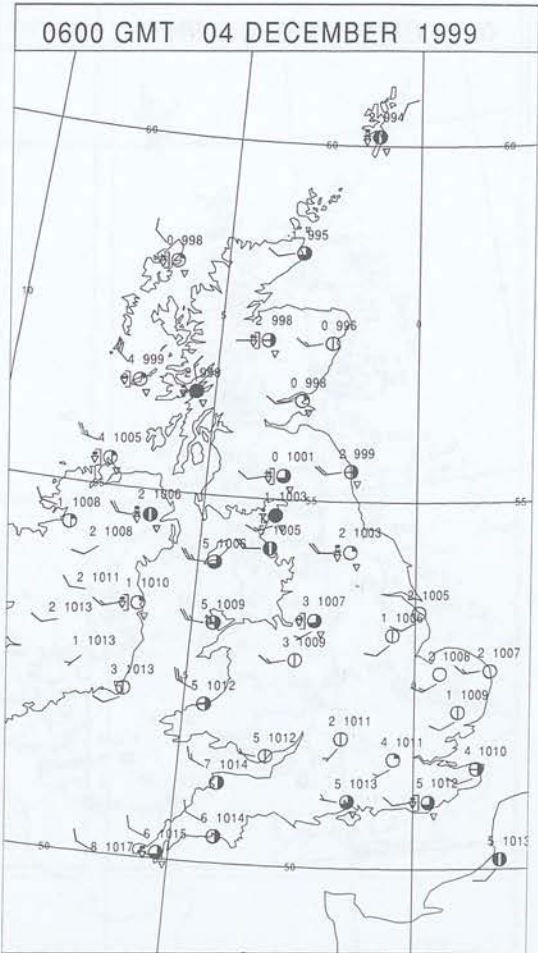
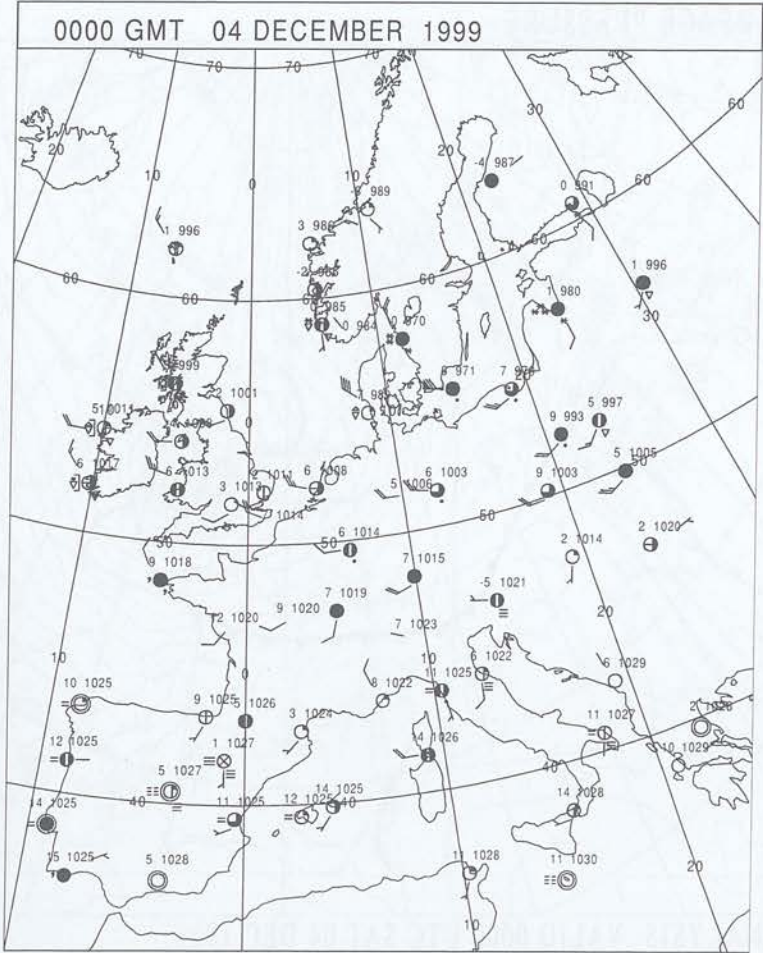


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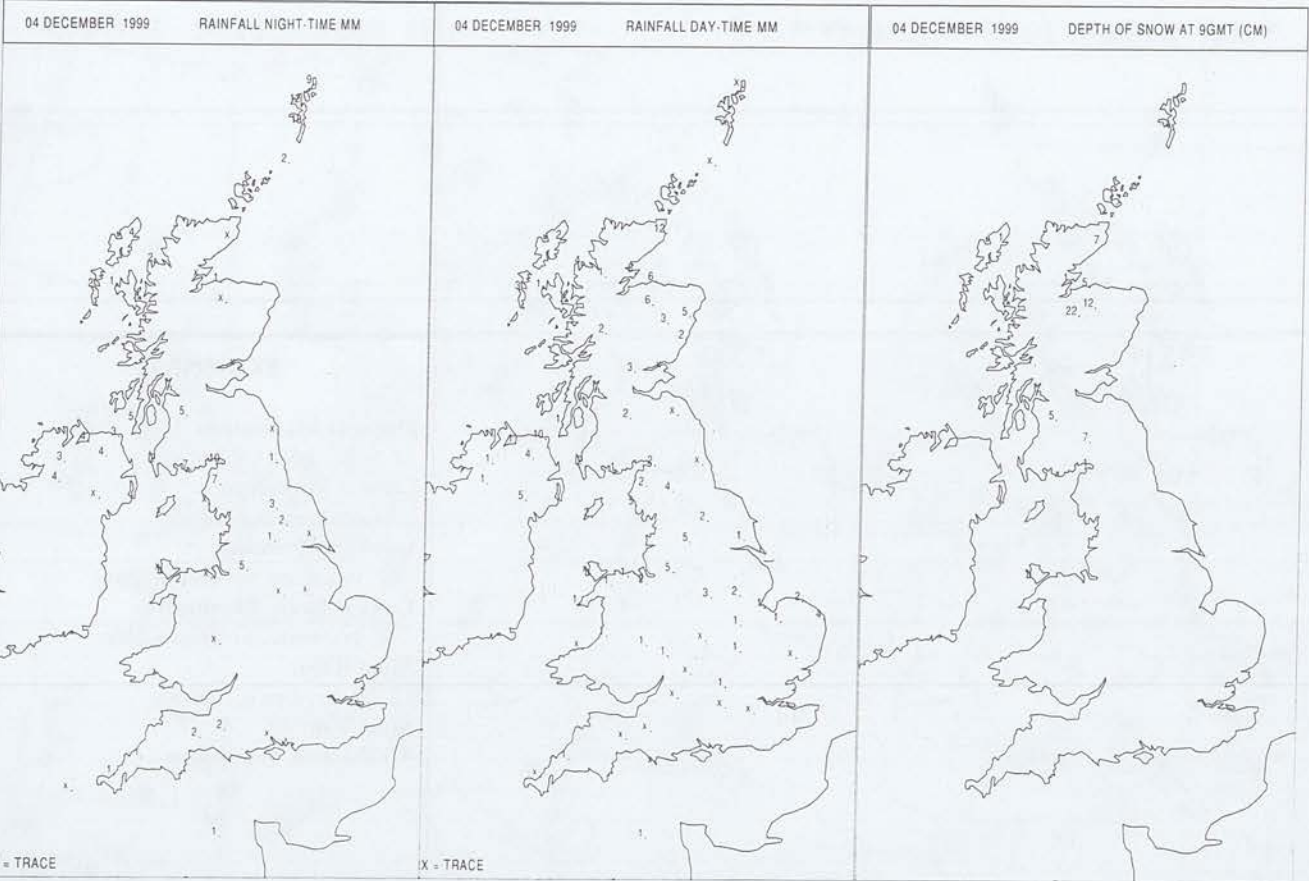
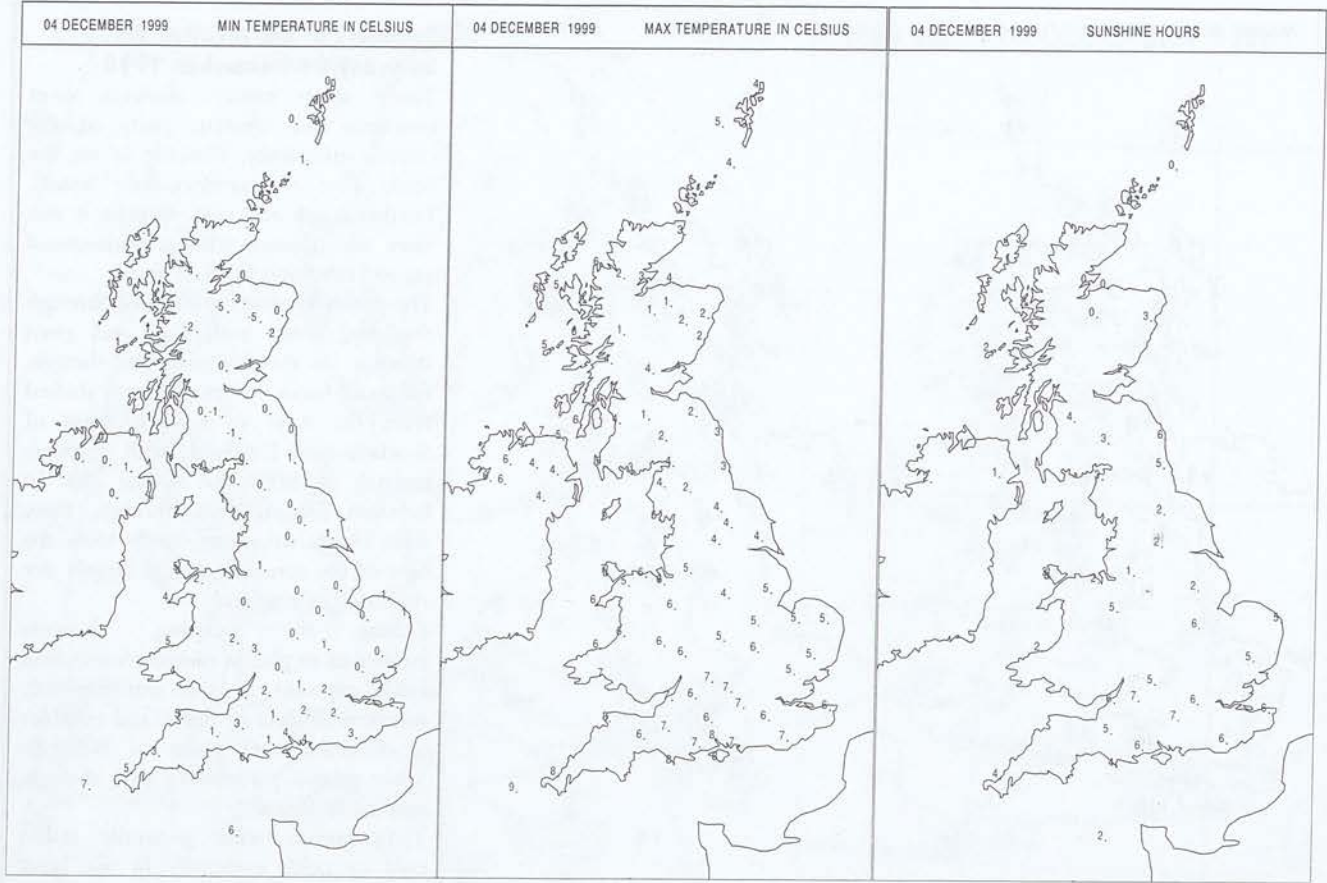
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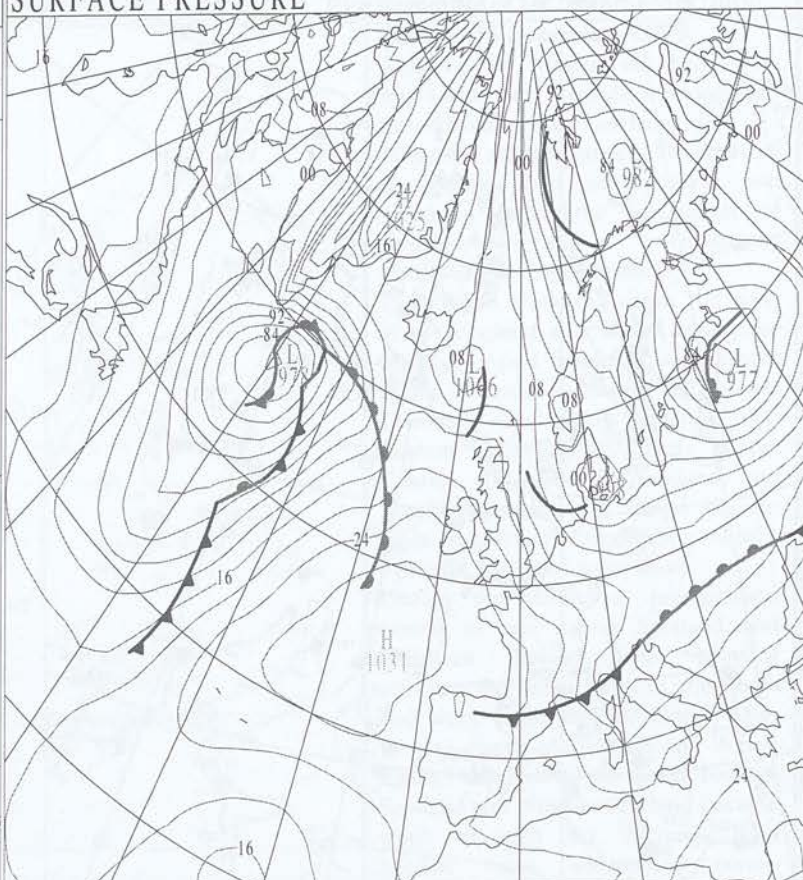
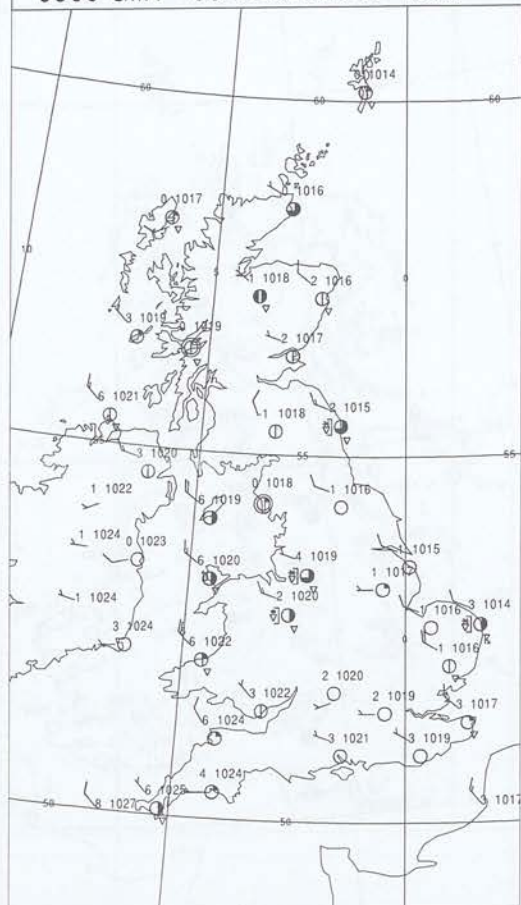
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 9.6 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 1.2 Glenlivet, Banffshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -5.7 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -7.2 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Most Rain: 12.2 Ballypatrick, Antrim</p> <p>Most Sun: 7.3 Odiham, Hampshire</p>

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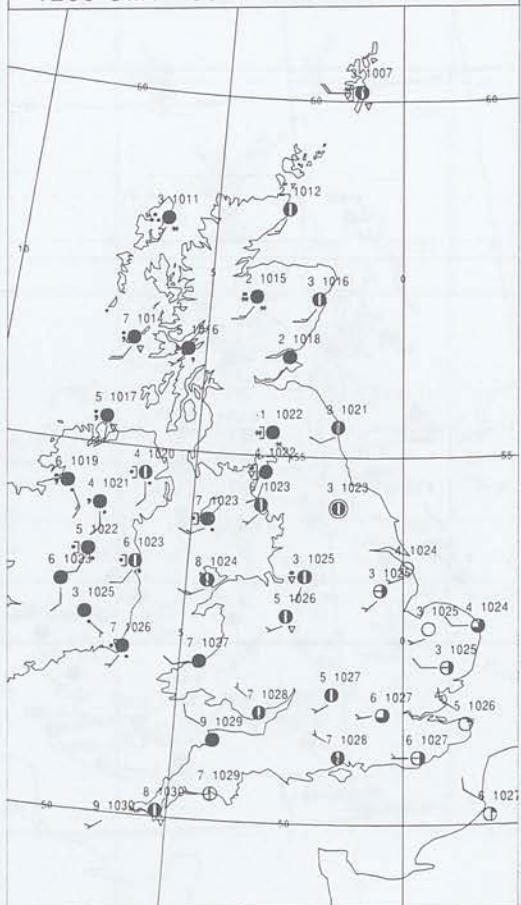


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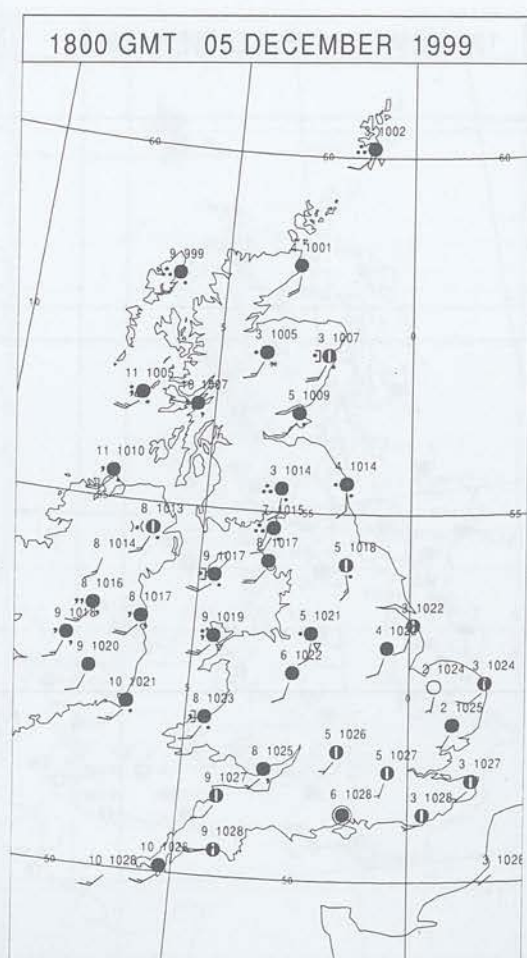
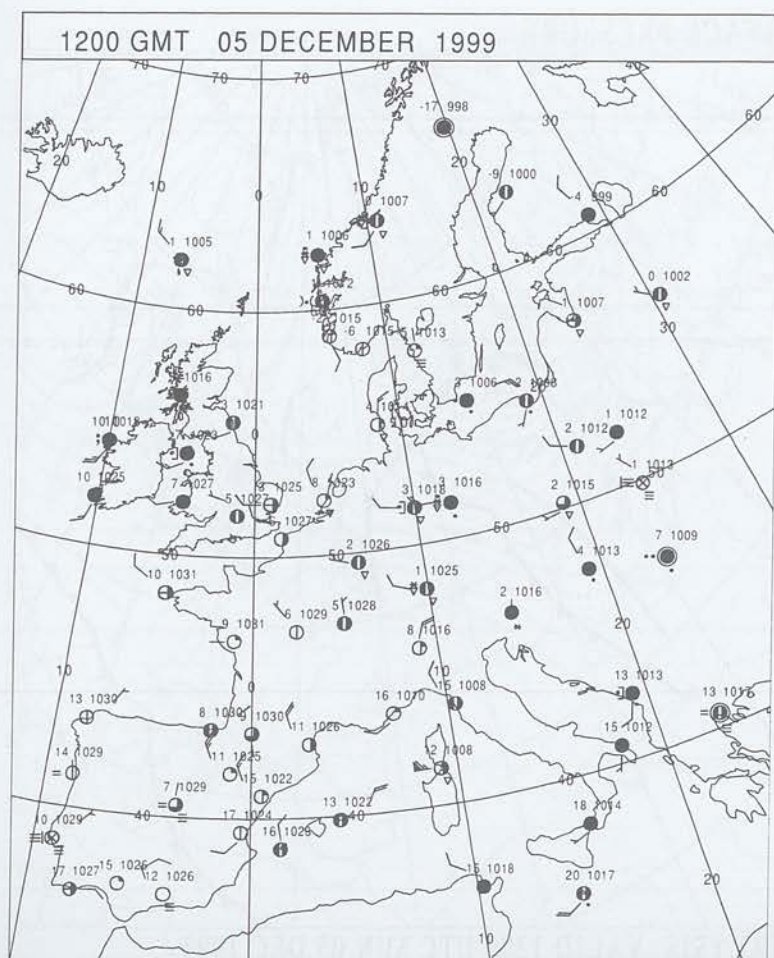
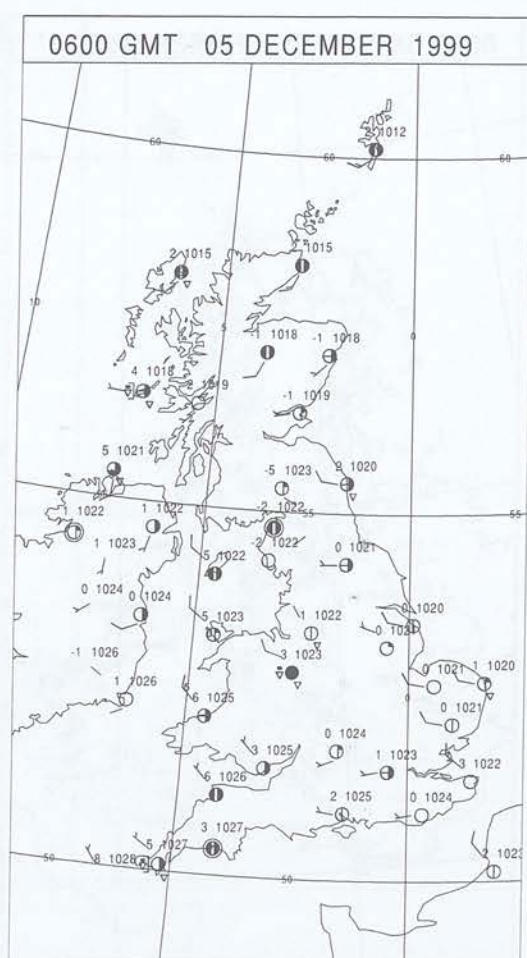
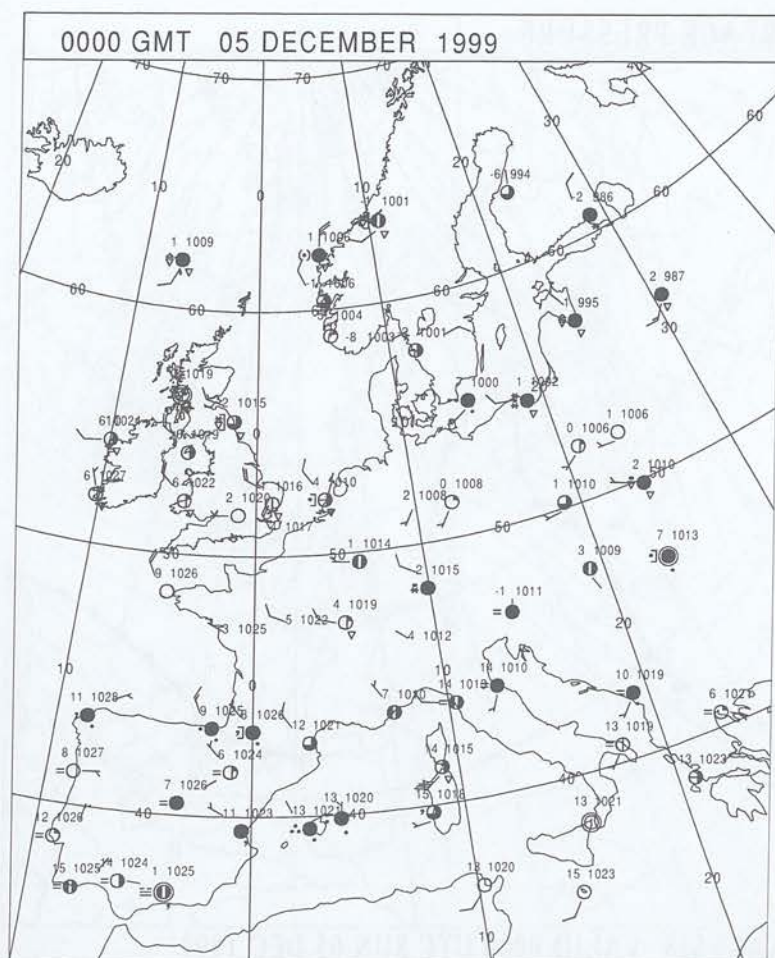


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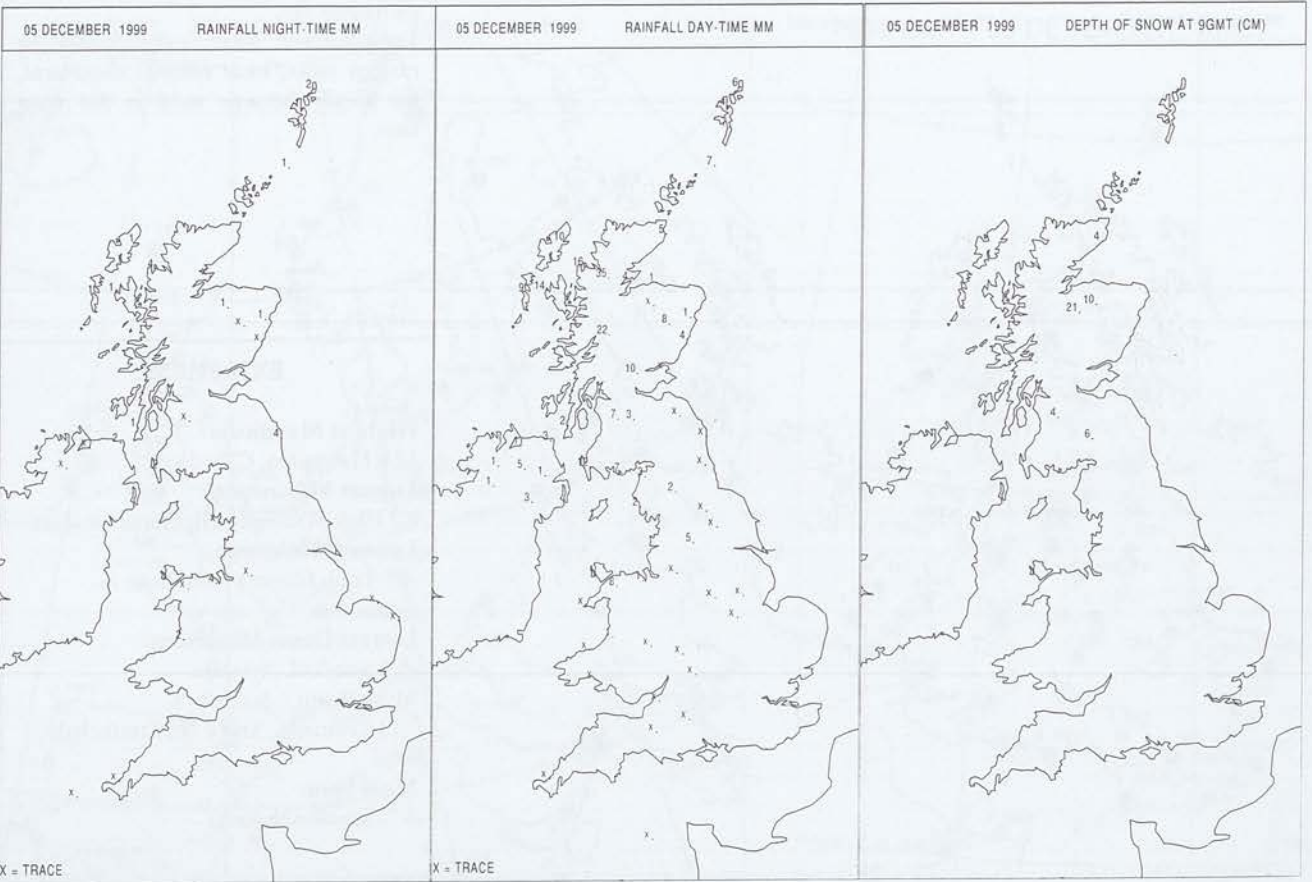
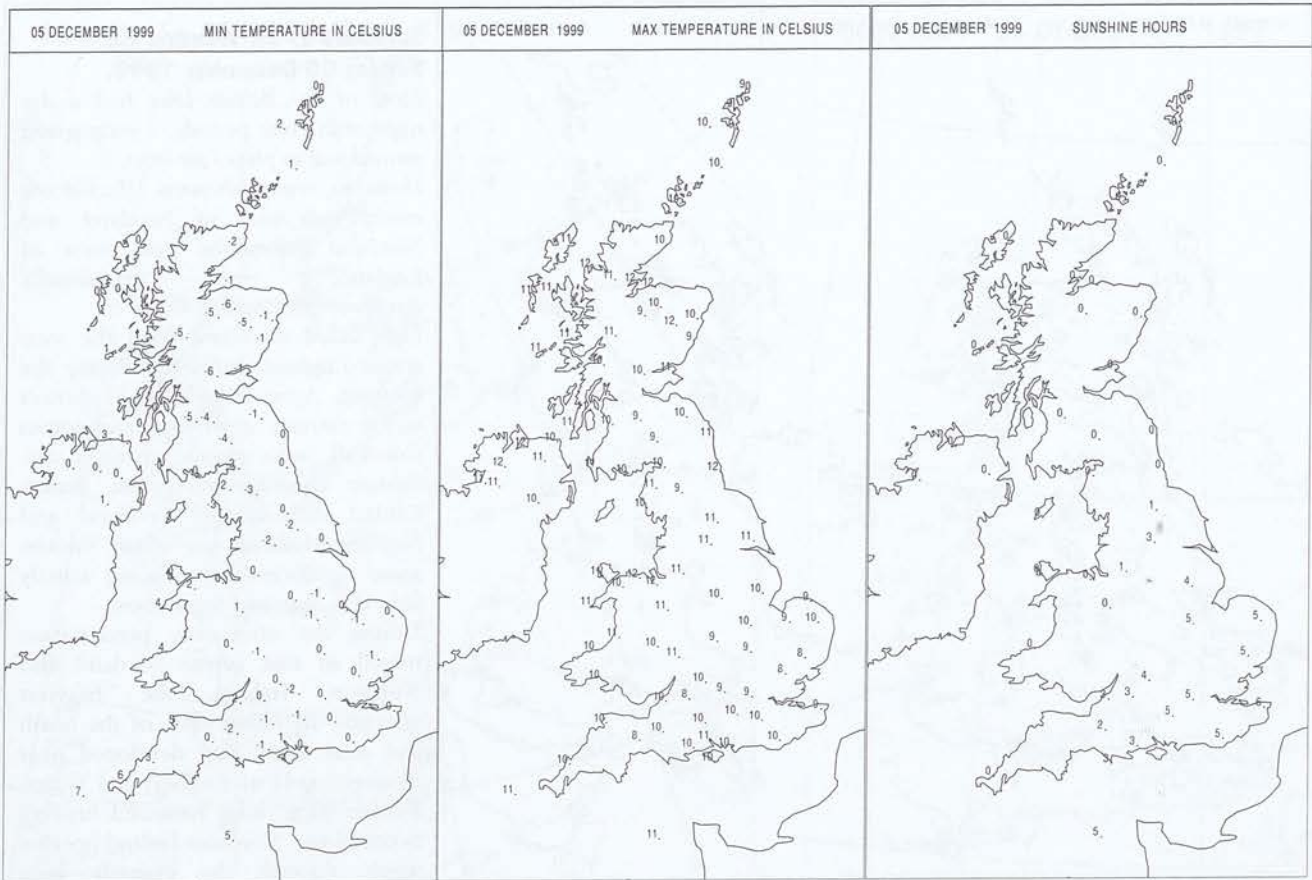
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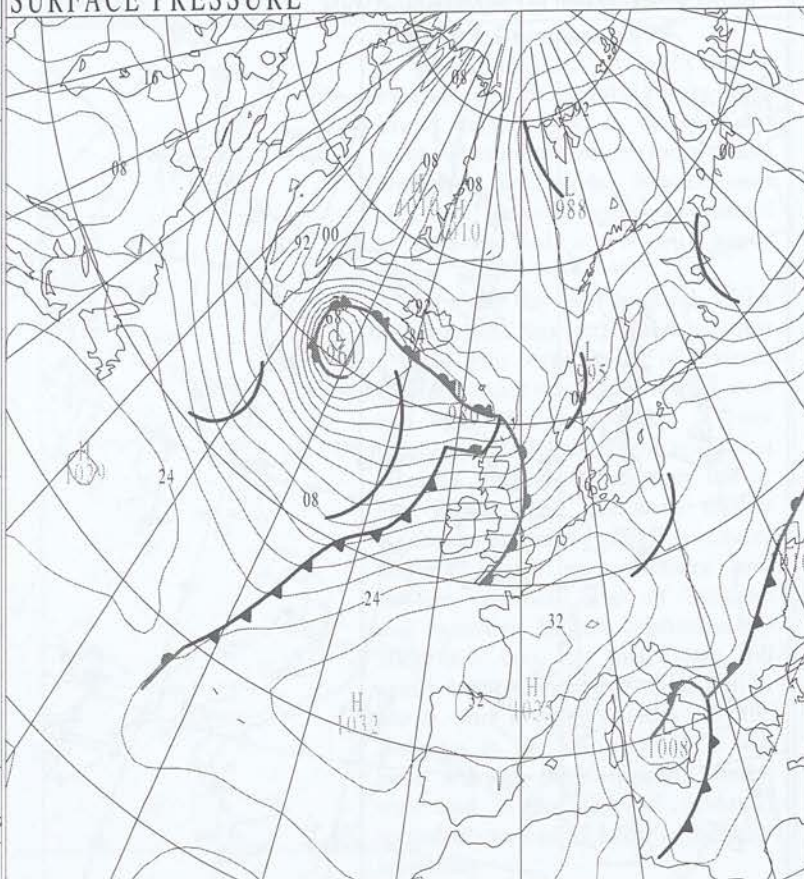
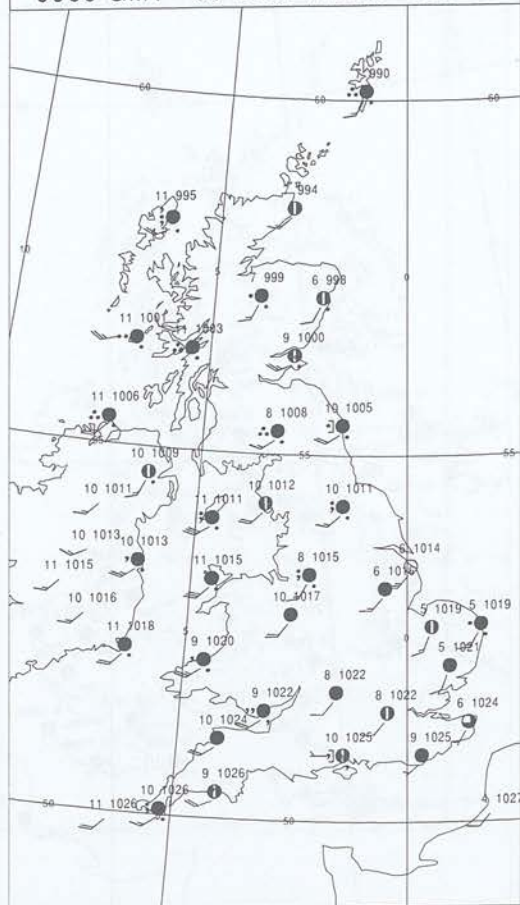
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0600 GMT 05 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 05 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Sunday 05 December 1999.</p> <p>Most of the British Isles had a dry night with clear periods, a widespread ground, and in places air frost. However, wintry showers affected the north and west of Scotland and Northern Ireland, the east coast of England, and occasionally northwestern England too.</p> <p>High cloud thickened from the west across England and Wales during the morning. Apart from the odd shower in the extreme northwest, and across Cornwall, most places remained dry. Eastern counties were fairly sunny. Central and western Scotland and Northern Ireland saw cloud thicken more significantly, producing chiefly light rain, sleet and some snow.</p> <p>During the afternoon, precipitation turned to rain across Scotland and Northern Ireland, the heaviest affecting the hillier parts of the north and west. Light rain developed near western coasts of England and Wales. Further east, cloud remained broken. Scotland and Northern Ireland became windy through the evening. Rain became more widespread across northern and western England and across Wales, but much of England continued dry.</p> <p>Temperatures were rather cold in eastern areas, near normal elsewhere, but locally became mild in the west later.</p>
1800 GMT 05 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 06 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	
				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 12.6 Hawarden, Clwyd</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 8.2 High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -8.1 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -9.9 Saughall, Ayrshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 72.1 Dalmally, Argyll (In Strathclyde Regi</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.7 Manston, Kent</p>

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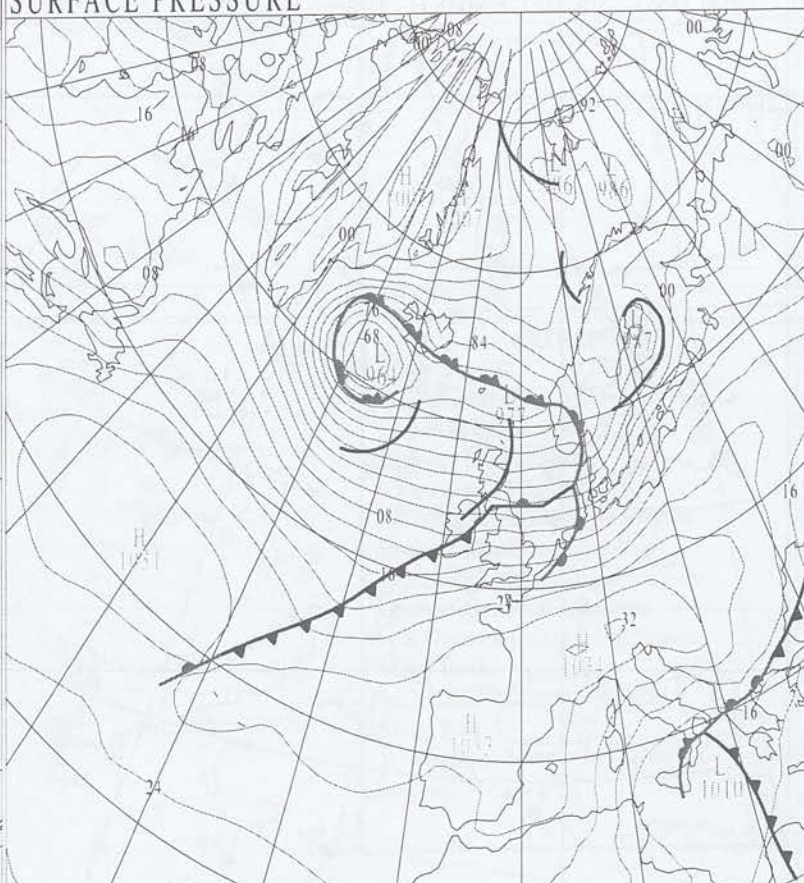
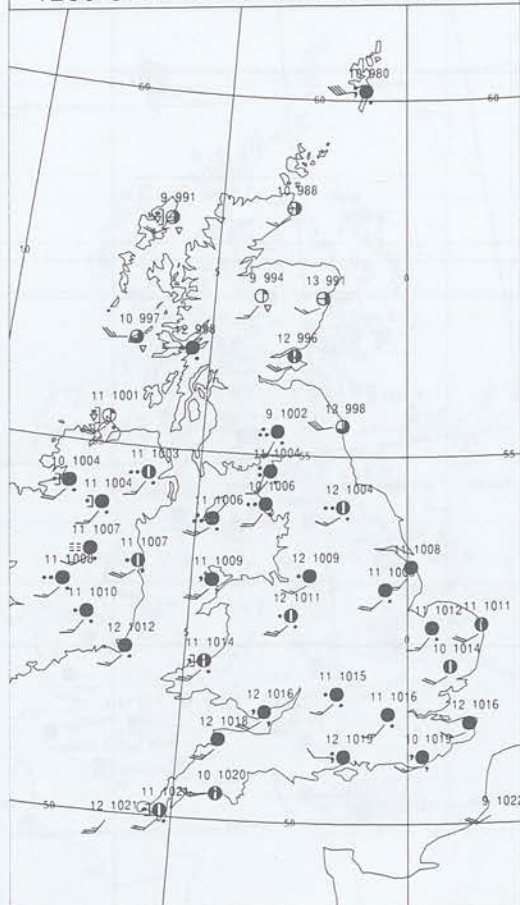


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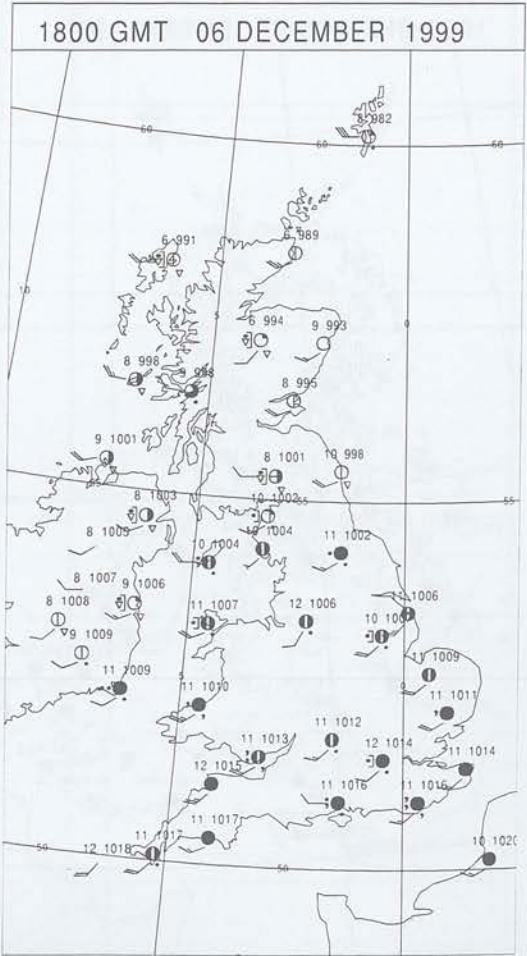
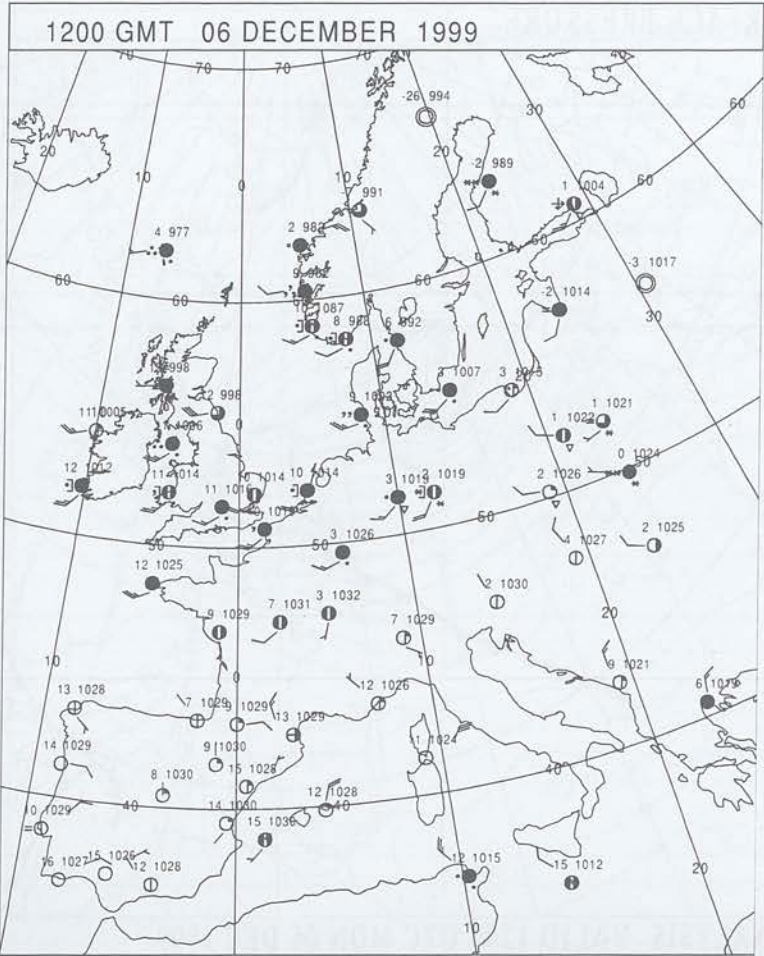
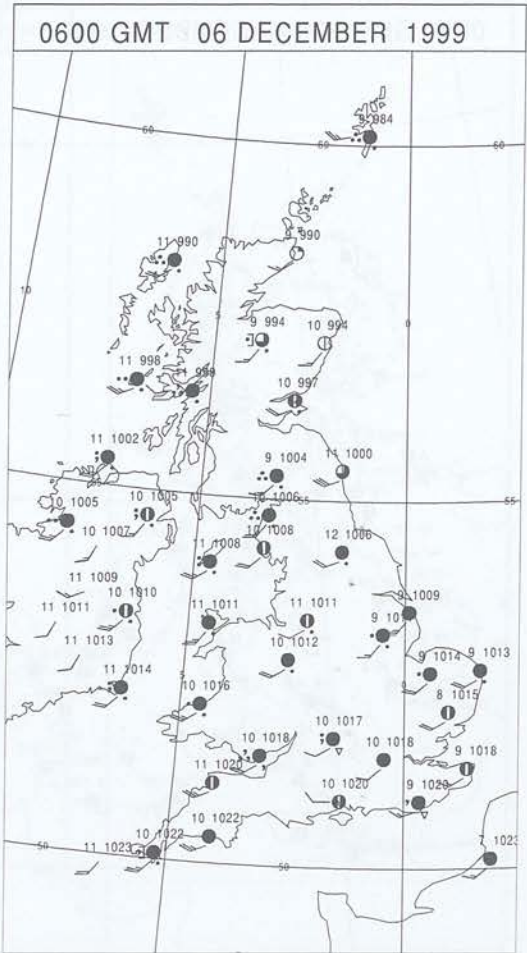
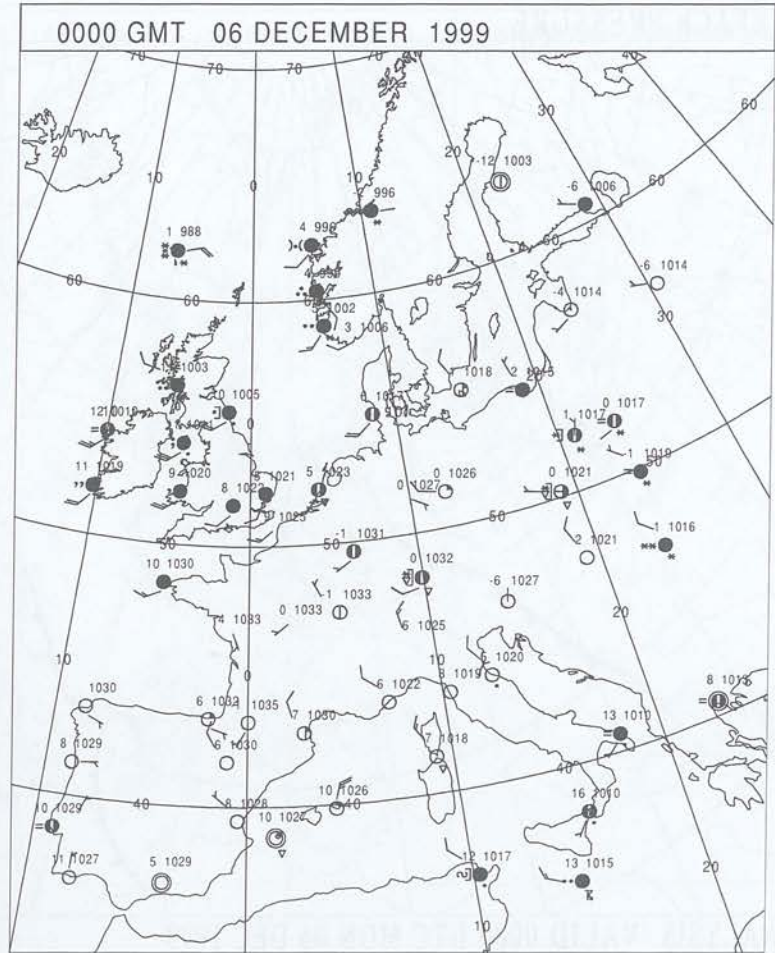
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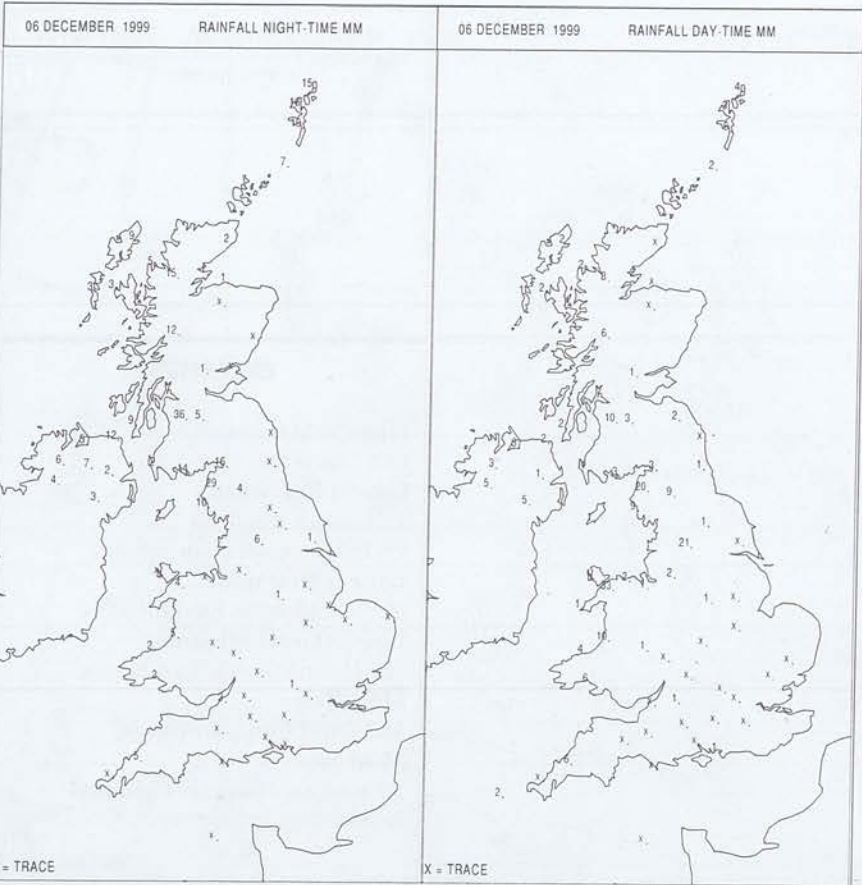
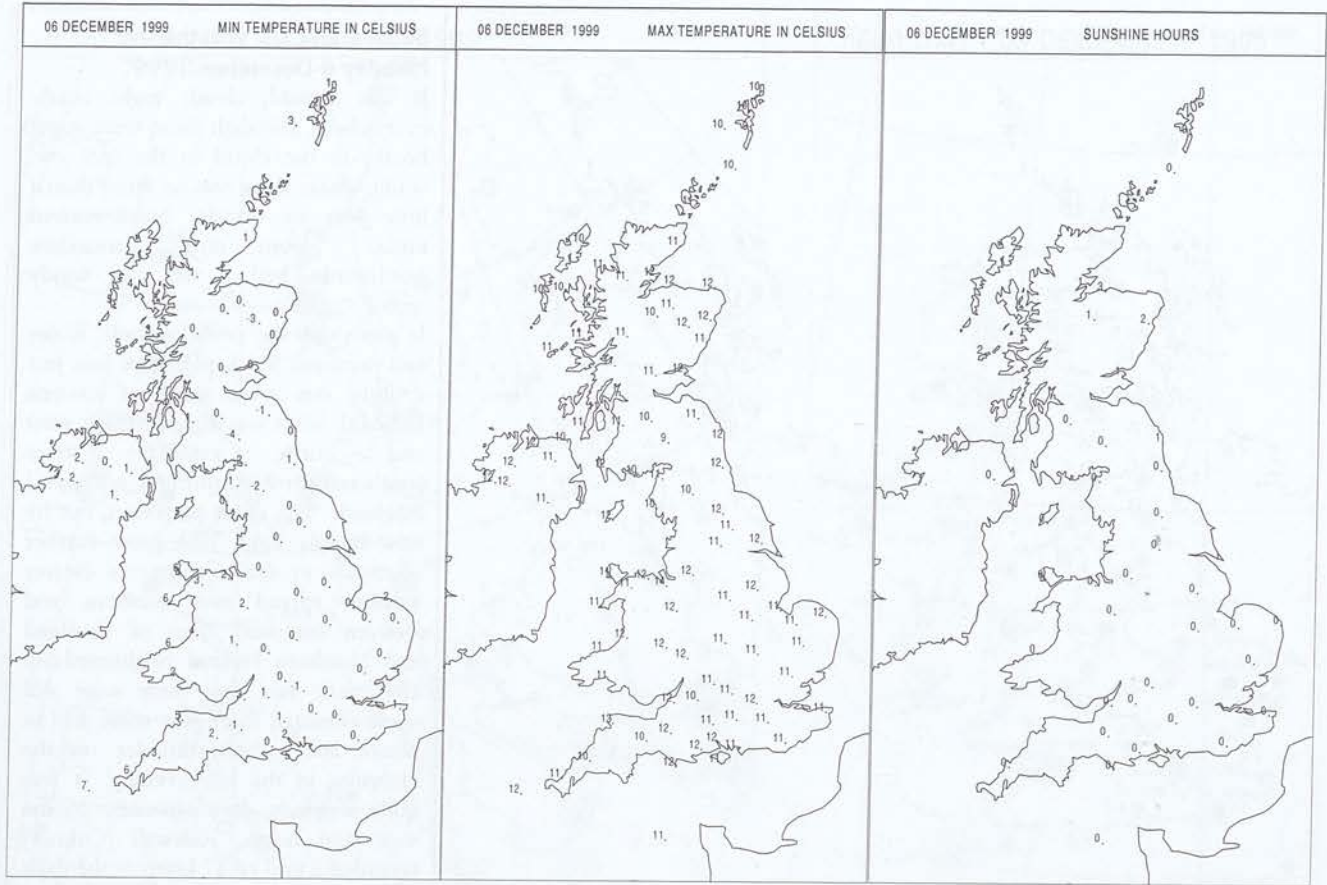
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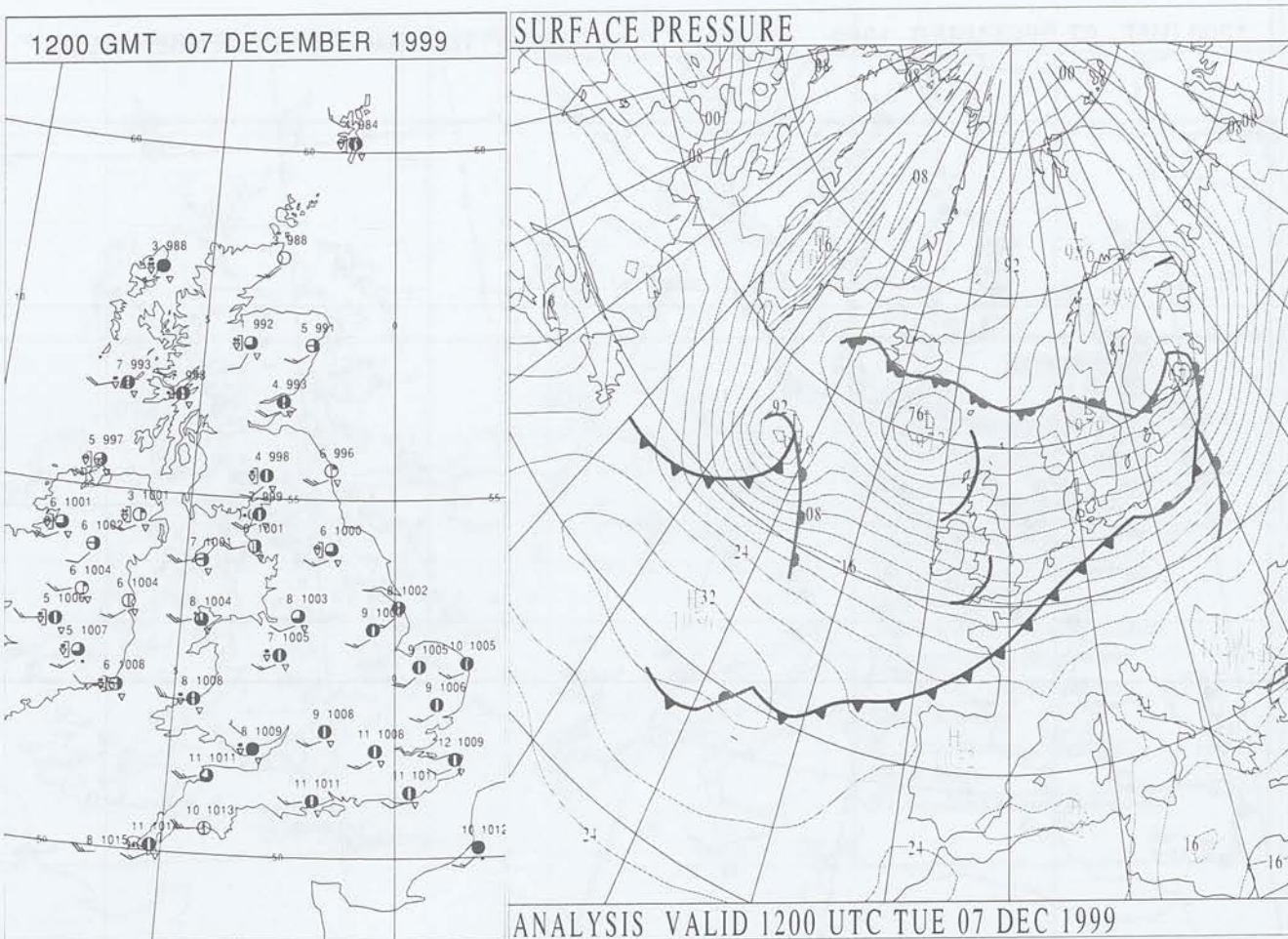
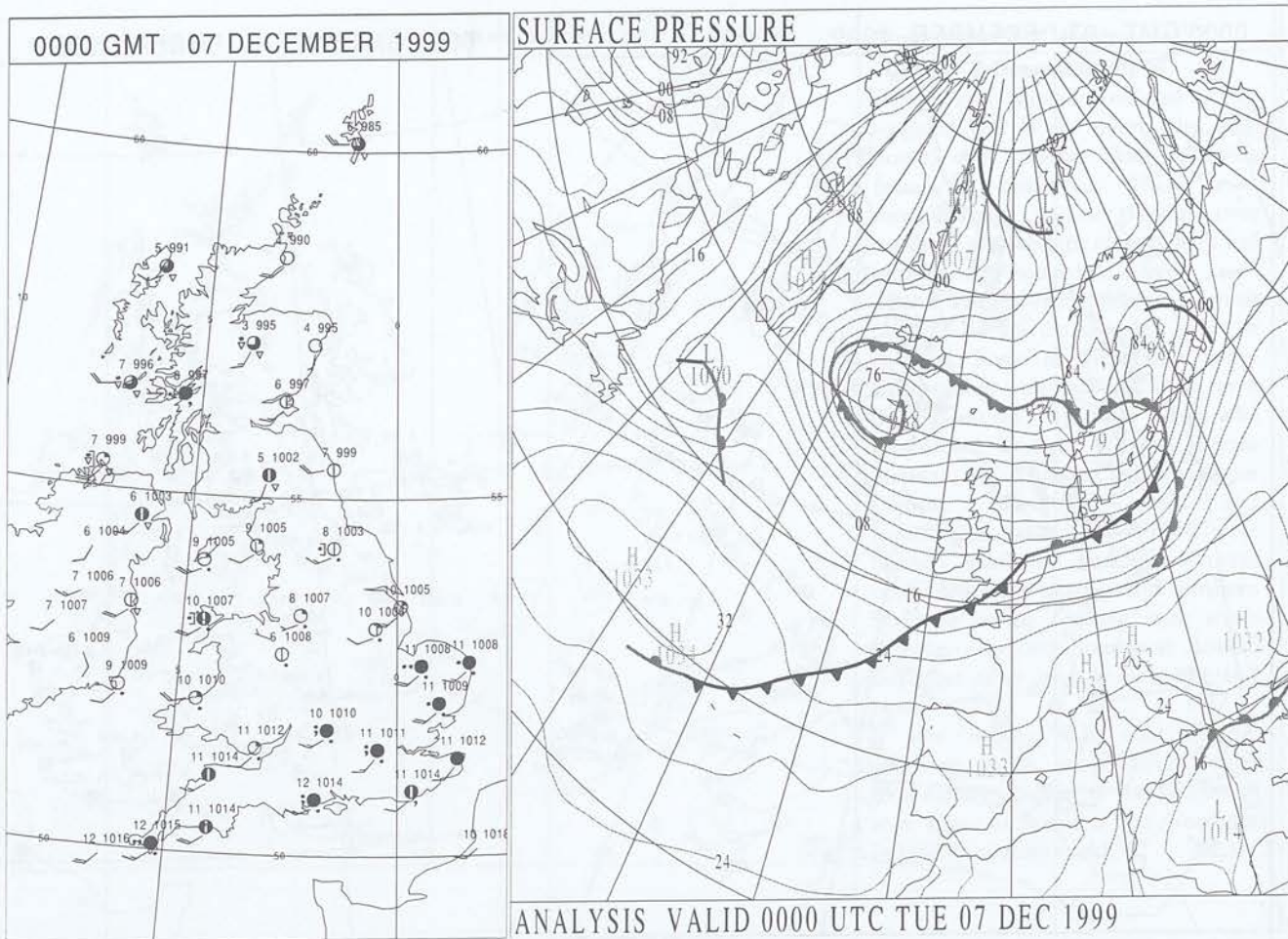
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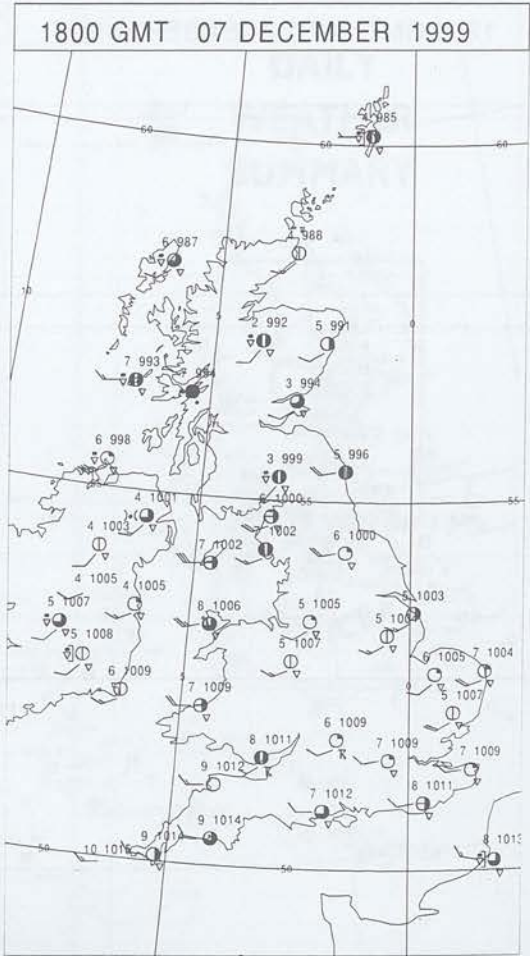
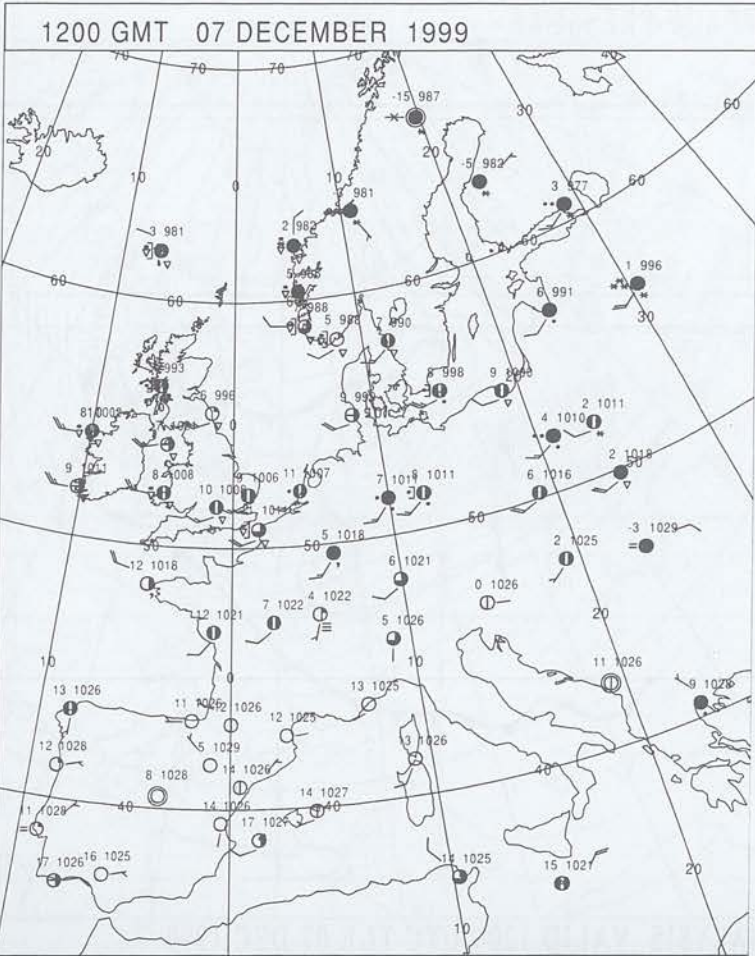
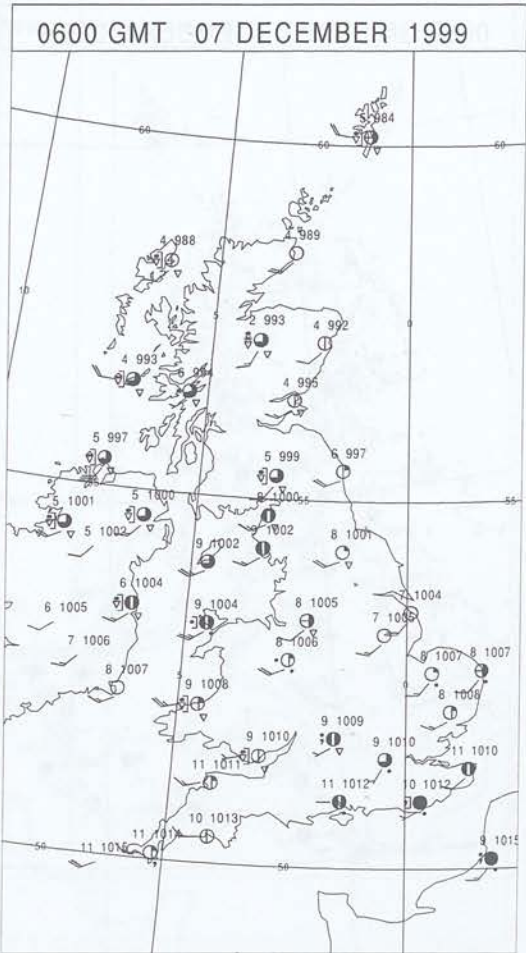
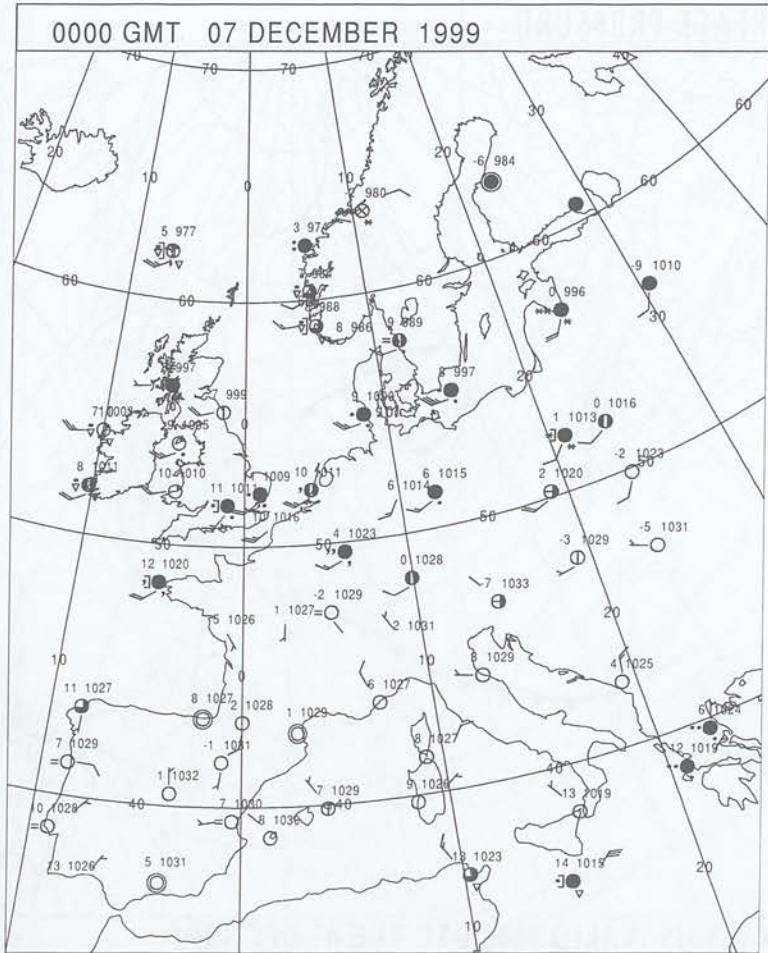
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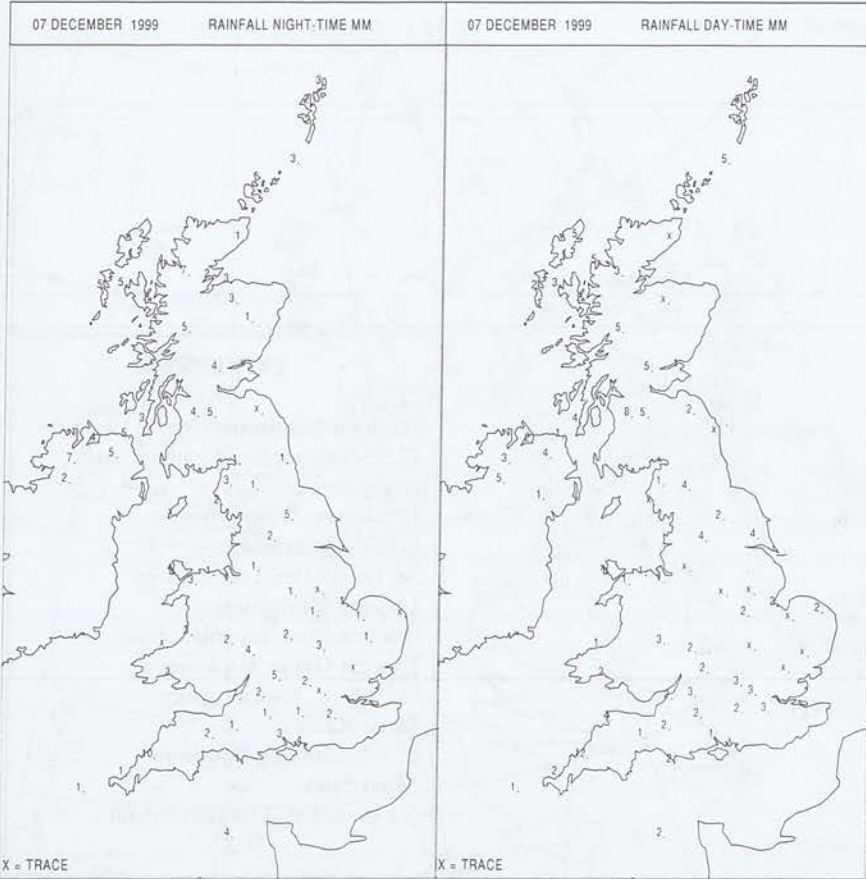
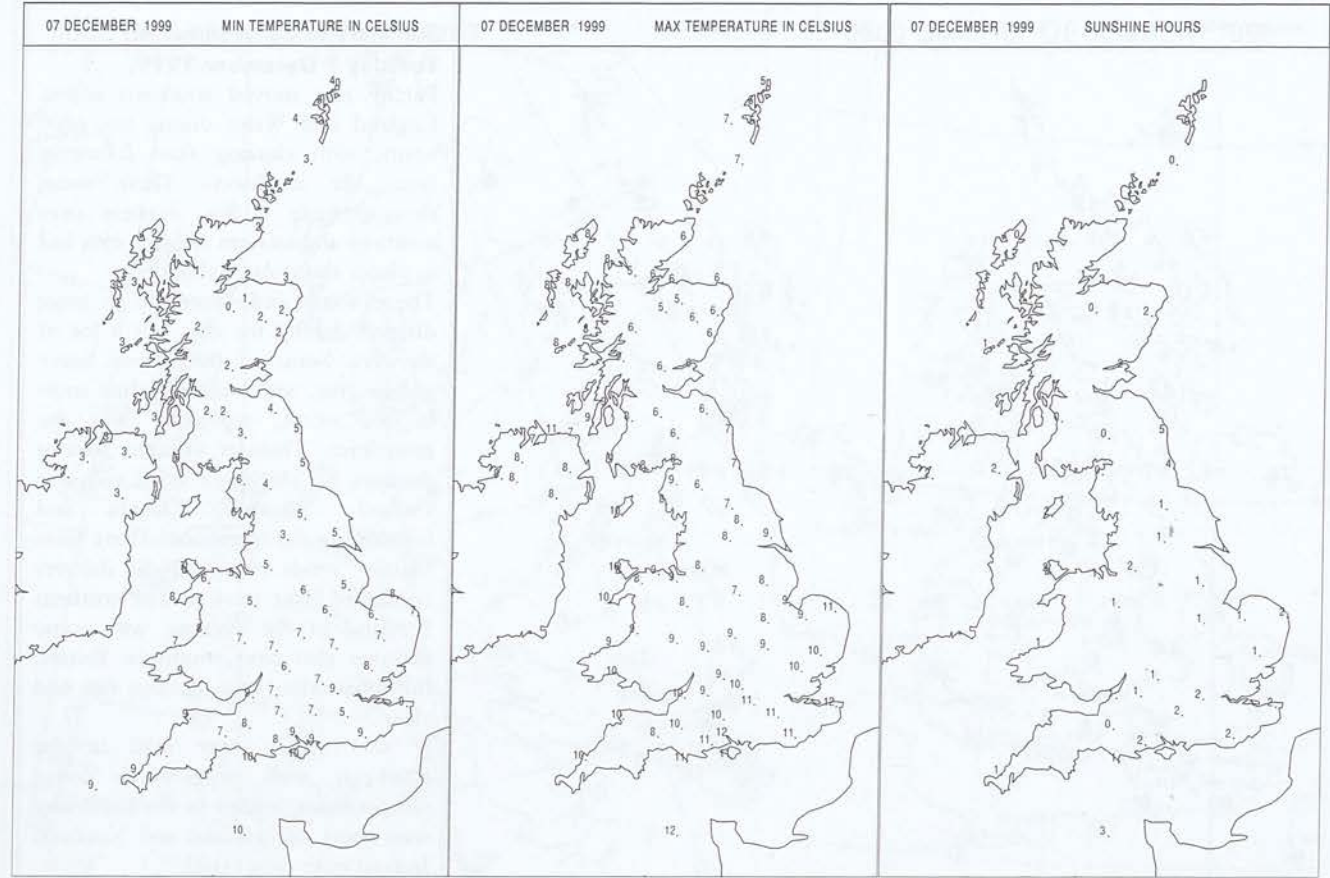
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0600 GMT 07 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 07 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Tuesday 7 December 1999.</p> <p>Patchy rain moved southeast across England and Wales during the early hours, with clearing skies following from the northwest. There were, though, quite a few showers over northern and western regions, with hail in places and isolated thunder.</p> <p>There was a little sunshine in most districts during the day, but a lot of showers. Some of these were heavy and lengthy, with hail, and some snow in the north, especially over the mountains. Thunder affected various districts, for example Cardiff and near Oxford, Norwich, Lincoln and London, in the afternoon. There were blustery winds too. Frequent showers continued over western and northern Scotland in the evening, with some showers also over southwest Britain, but most other areas became fine and clear.</p> <p>It was mostly very mild in the southeast, with progressively lower temperatures further to the north and west parts of Scotland and Northern Ireland were rather cold.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 12.5 Southampton Weather Centr, Hampshire 12.5 Jersey Airport, Jersey</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 3.4 Lough Fea, Londonderry</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: 0.8 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -3.7 Dyce, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 27.0 Lochranza, Buteshire</p> <p>Most Sun: 5.1 Boulmer, Northumberland</p>

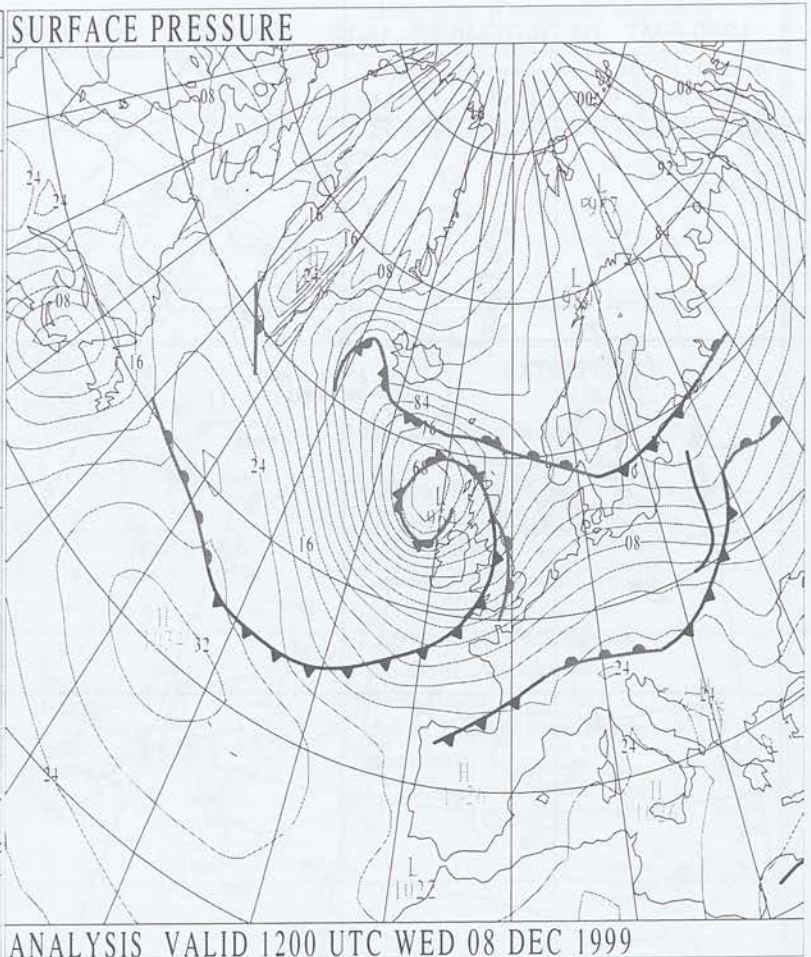
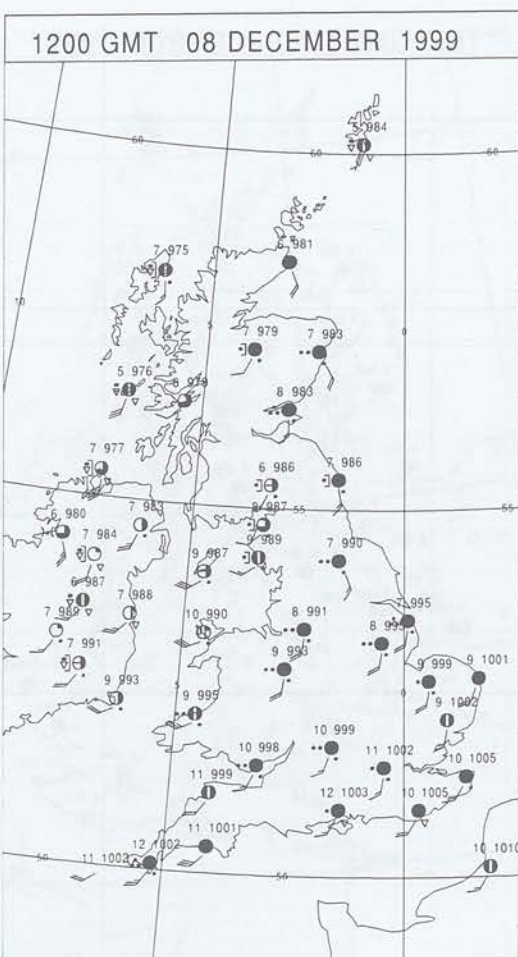
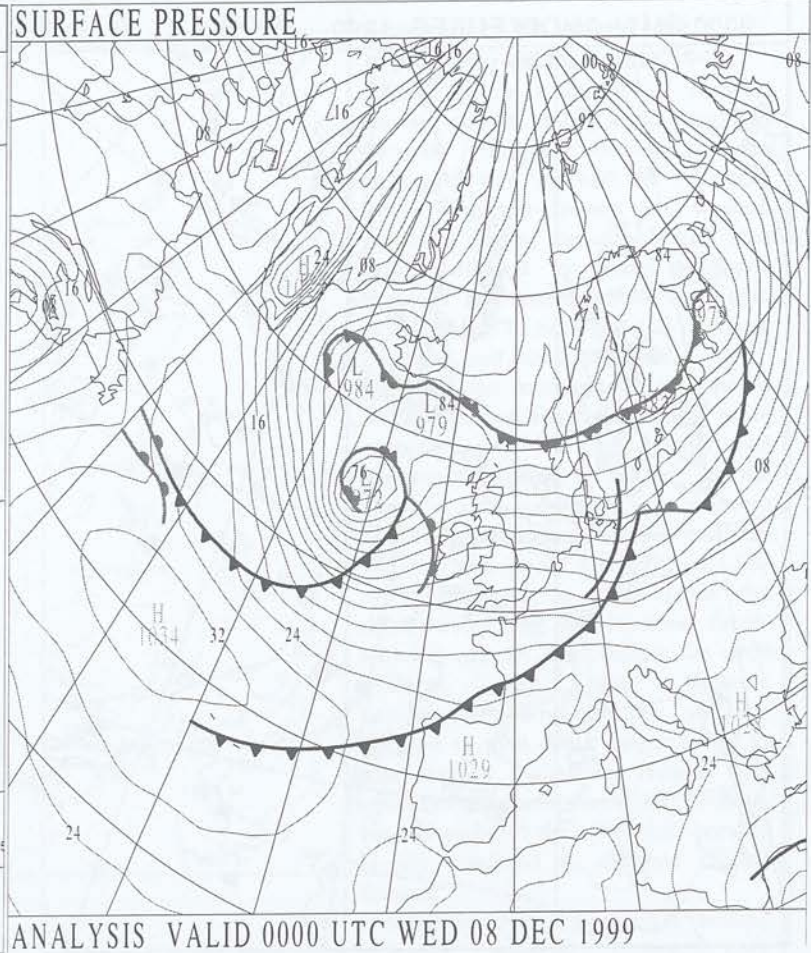
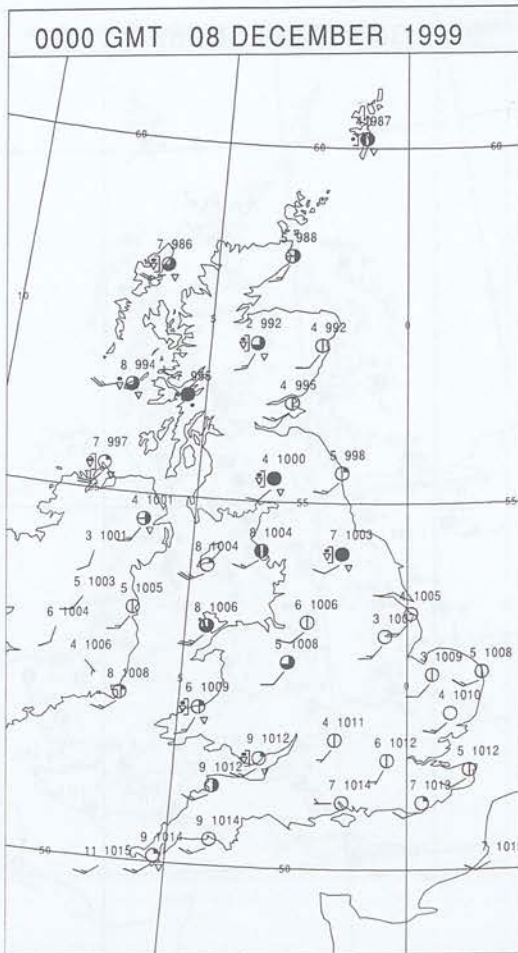
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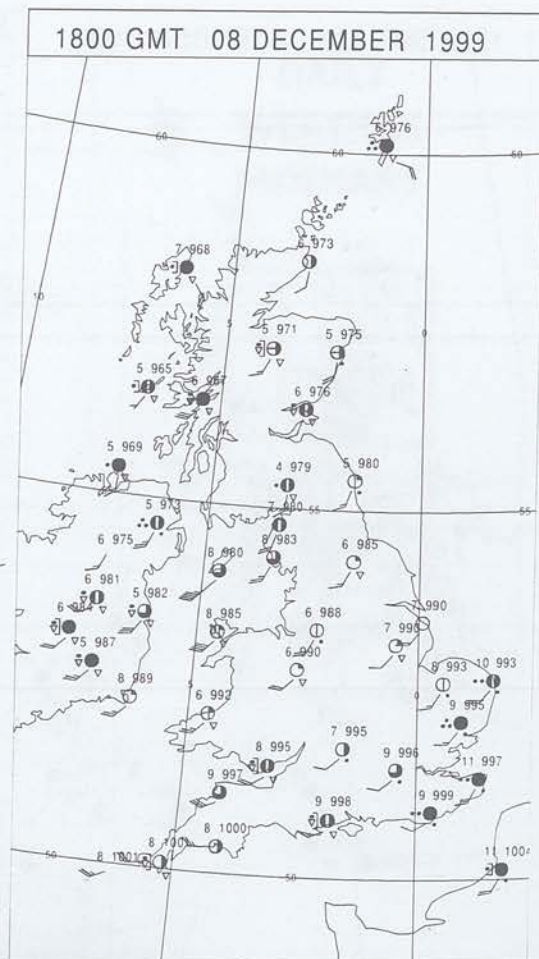
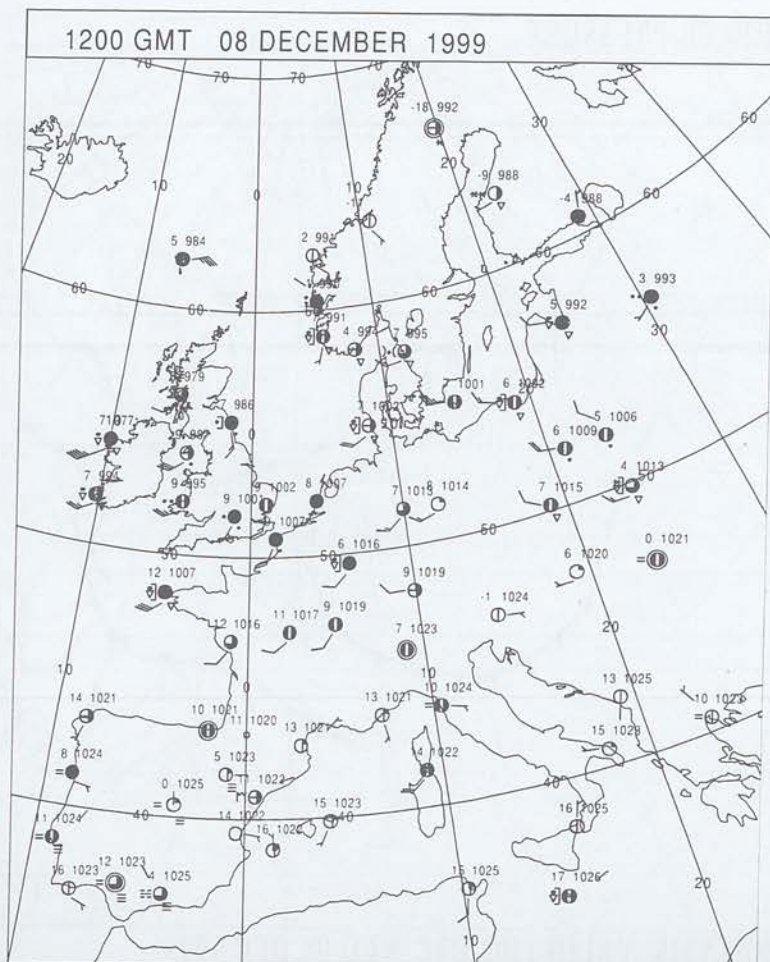
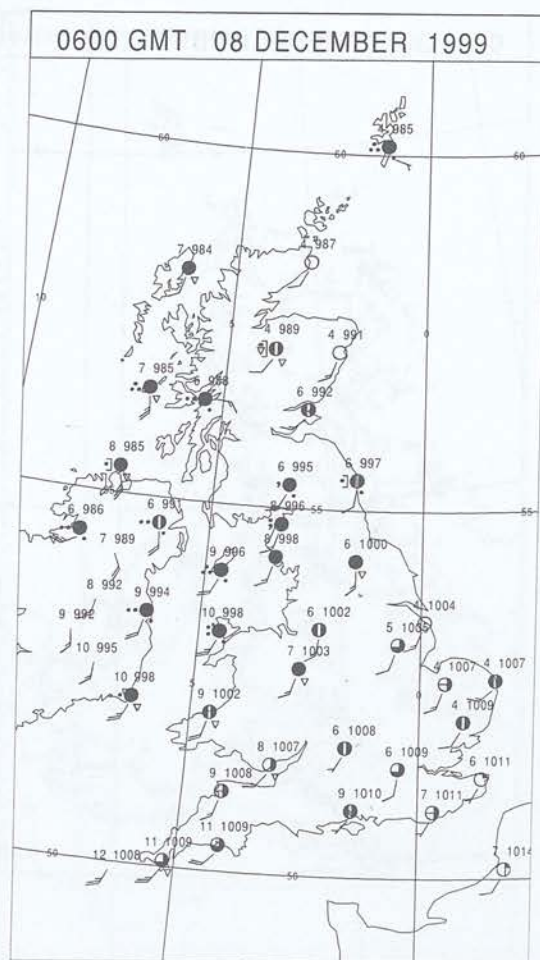
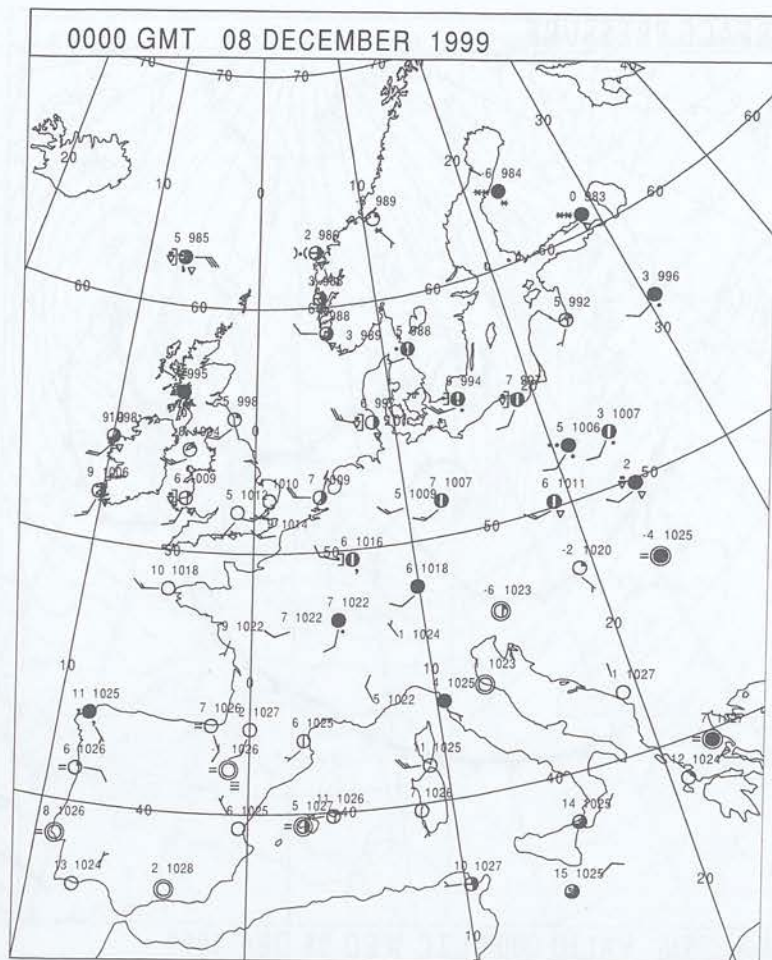


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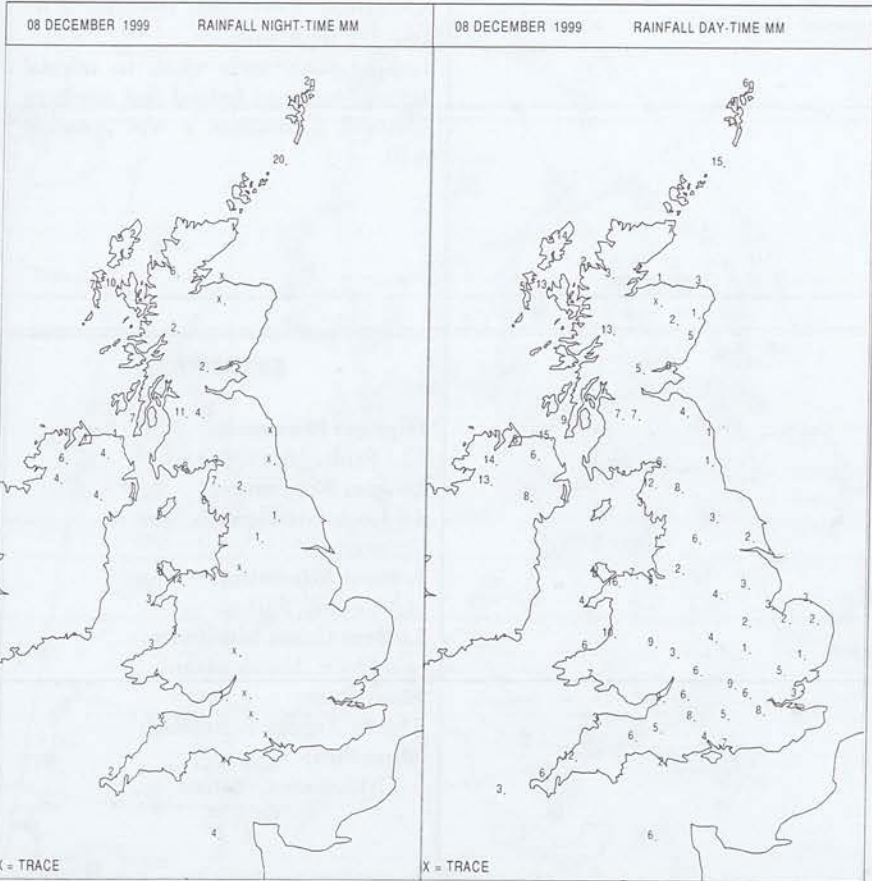
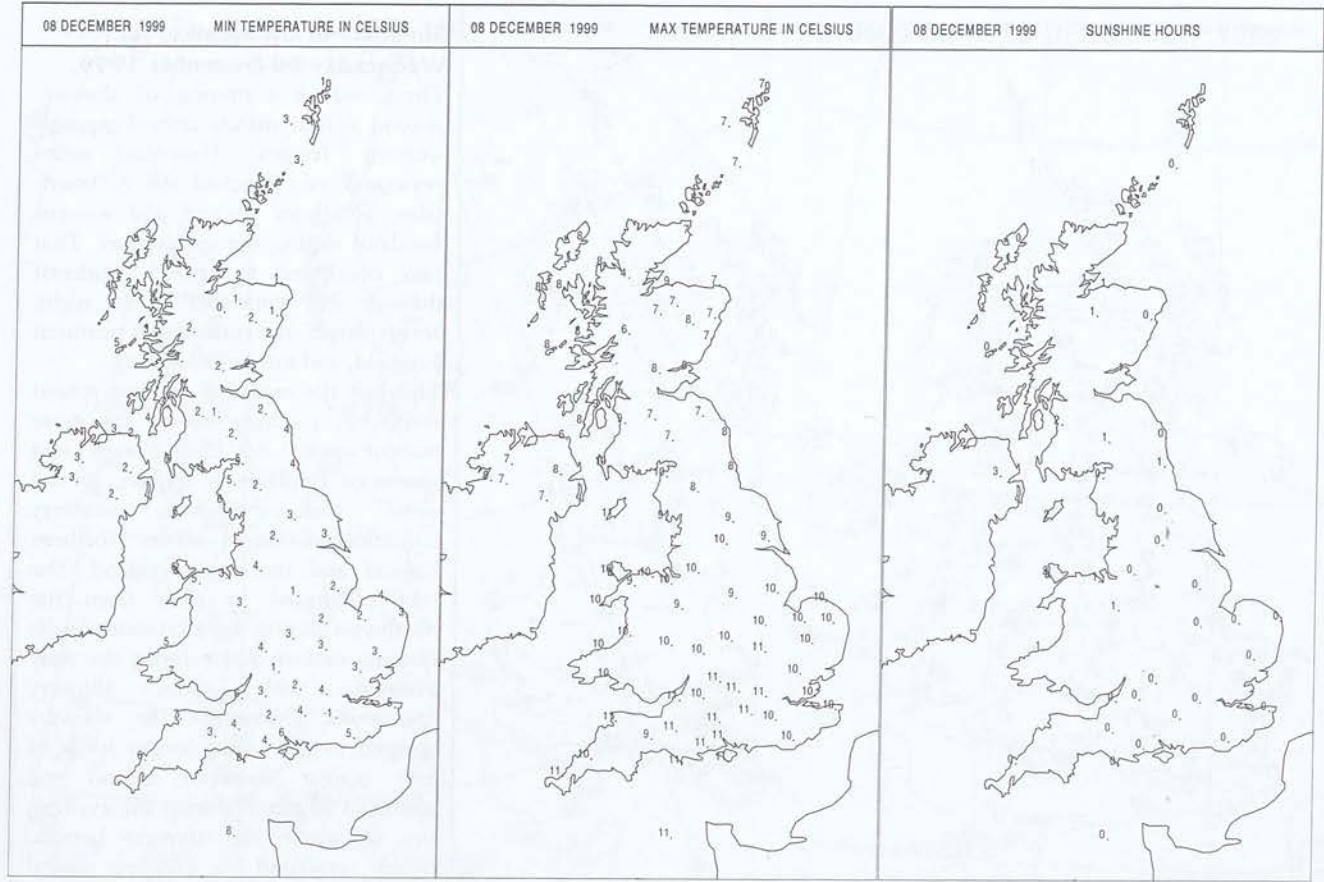




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0600 GMT 08 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 08 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Wednesday 08 December 1999.</p> <p>There was a scattering of showers around at first, mainly around exposed western fringes. However, more persistent rain reached the Northern Isles, Northern Ireland and western Scotland during the early hours. That rain continued to spread southeast through the remainder of the night, across much of Scotland and northern England, and into north Wales.</p> <p>Through the morning the rain spread southeast, reaching all but the more eastern parts of East Anglia and southeast England by midday. At the same time, brighter, showery conditions followed across Northern Ireland and much of Scotland. The rain continued to clear from the northwest during the afternoon, finally clearing eastern Kent during the early evening, with more showery conditions following. The showers merged to give some longer spells of rain across Northern Ireland and southern Scotland during the evening, but elsewhere the showers became largely confined to exposed coastal fringes.</p> <p>It was a windy day, particularly around exposed western coasts, with Aberdaron (Gwynedd) reporting a 67 knot (77 mph) gust.</p> <p>Temperatures were close to normal across Northern Ireland and northern Scotland. Elsewhere it was generally mild.</p>
1800 GMT 08 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 09 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 12.1 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 4.8 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -1.1 Redhill, Surrey</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -4.6 Dyce, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 33.0 St Angelo, Fermanagh</p> <p>Most Sun: 3.7 Aldergrove, Antrim</p>

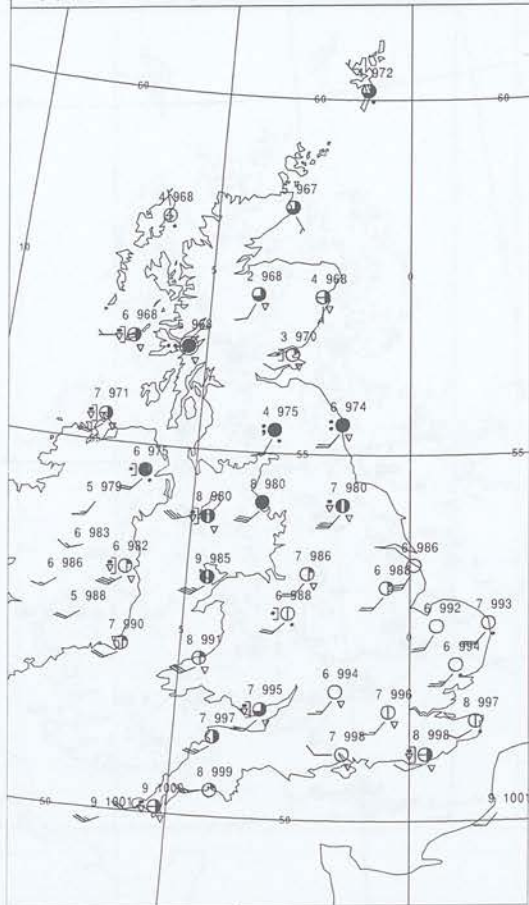
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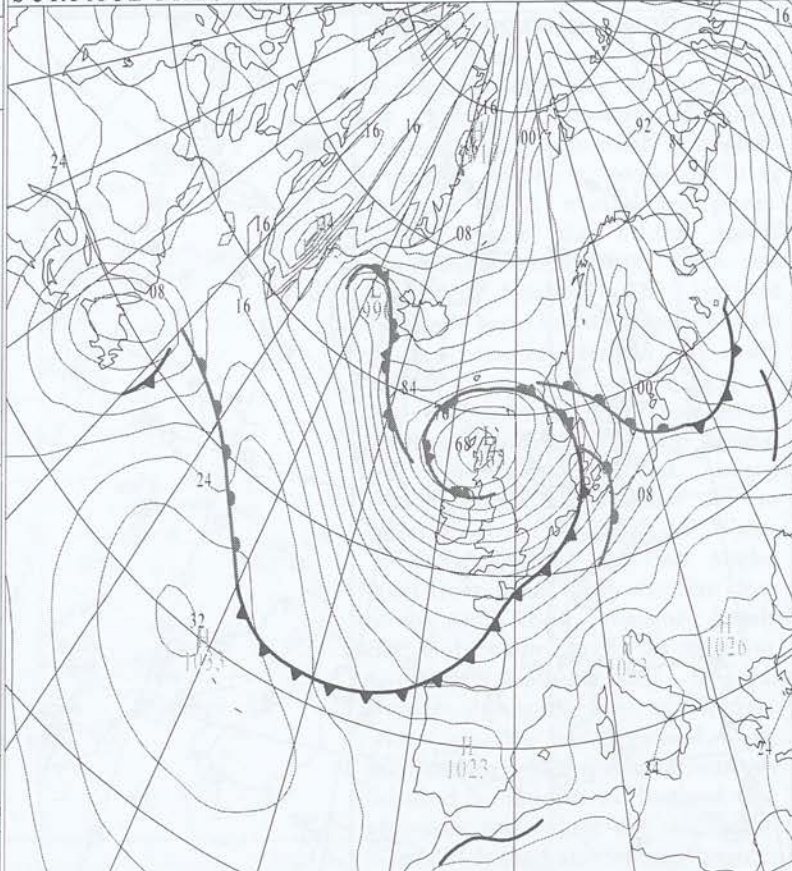
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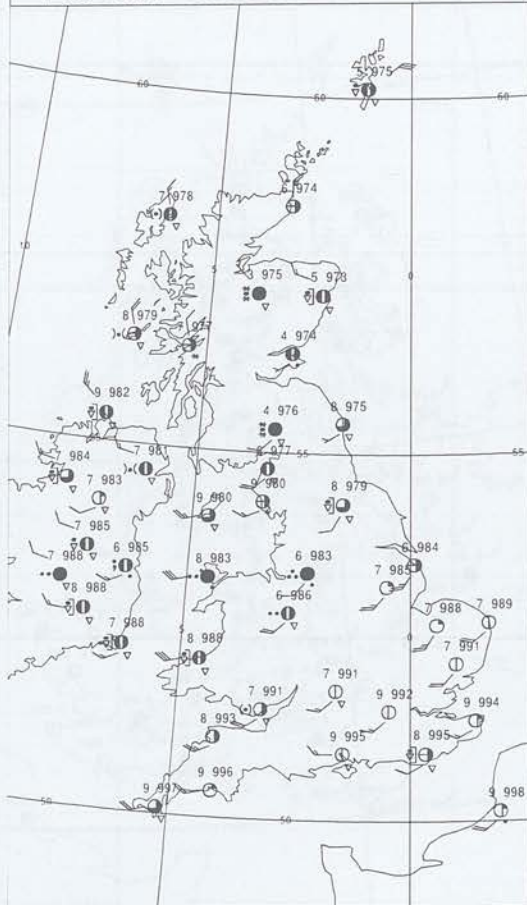


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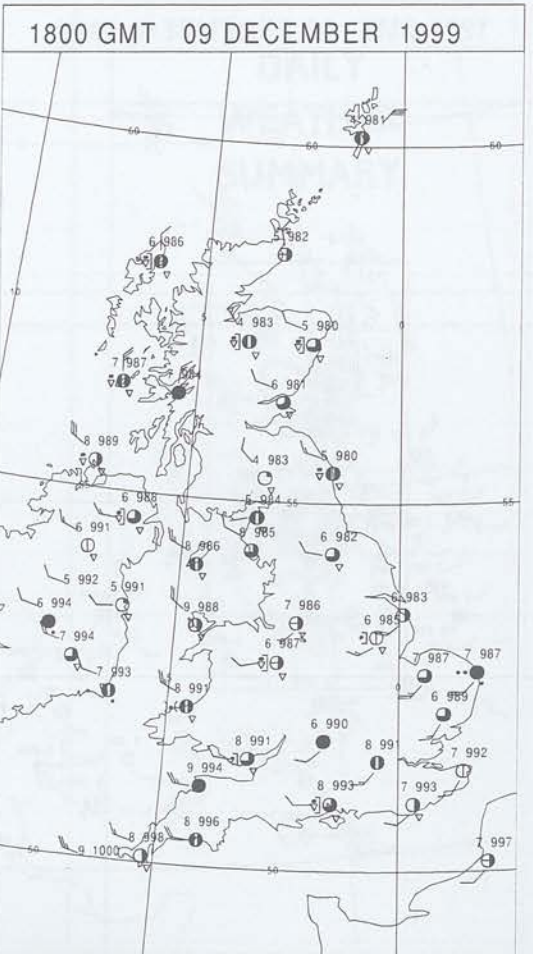
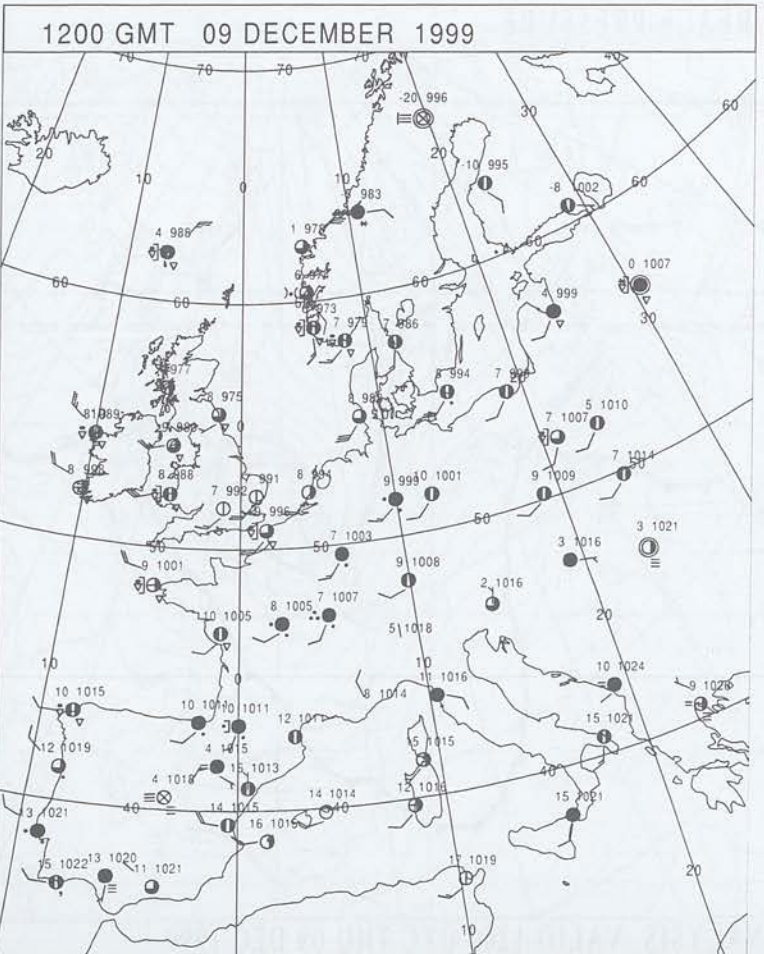
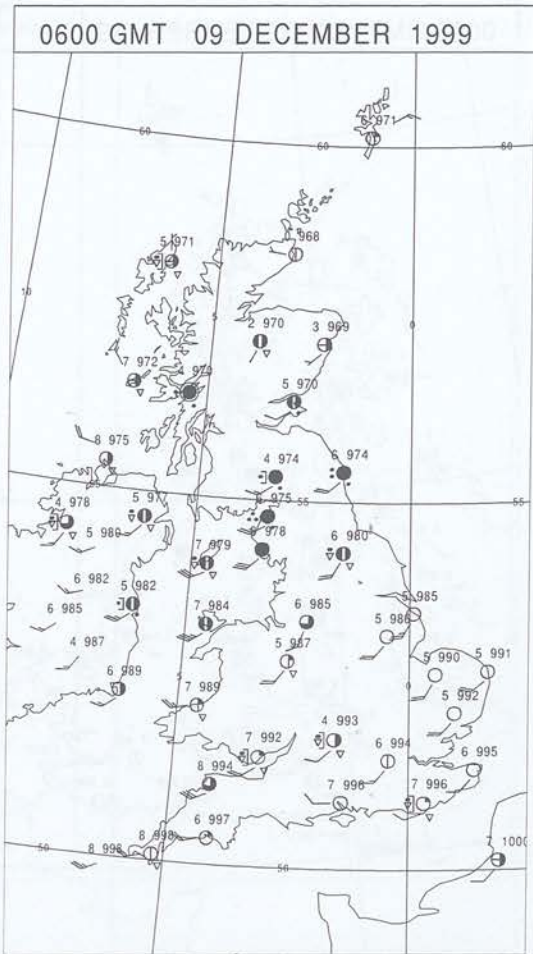
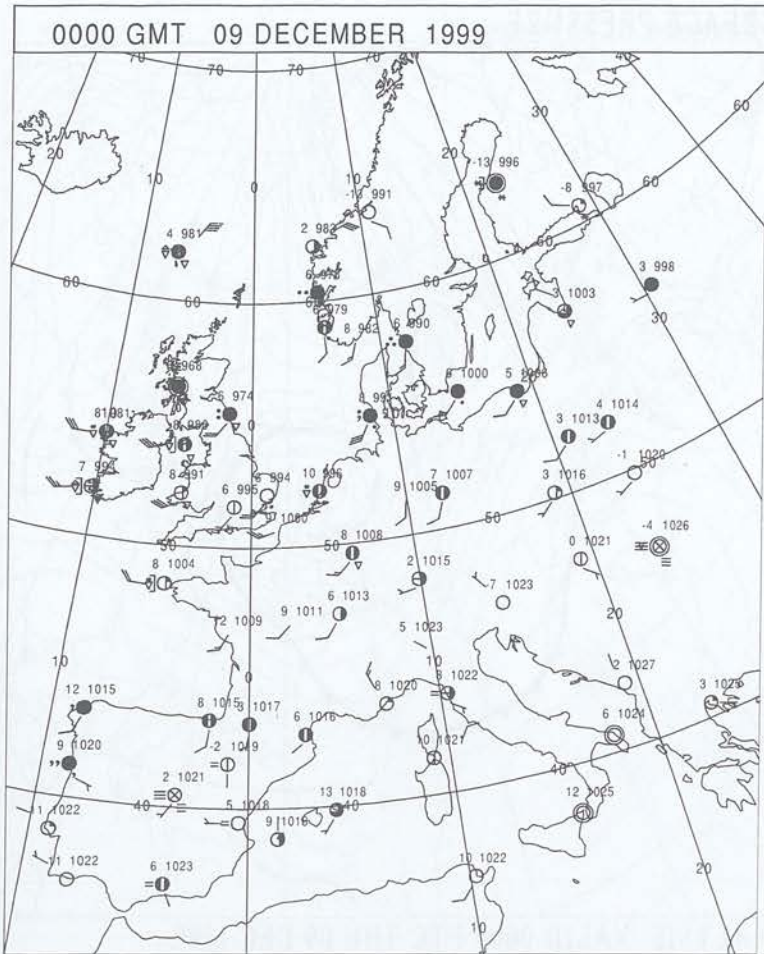


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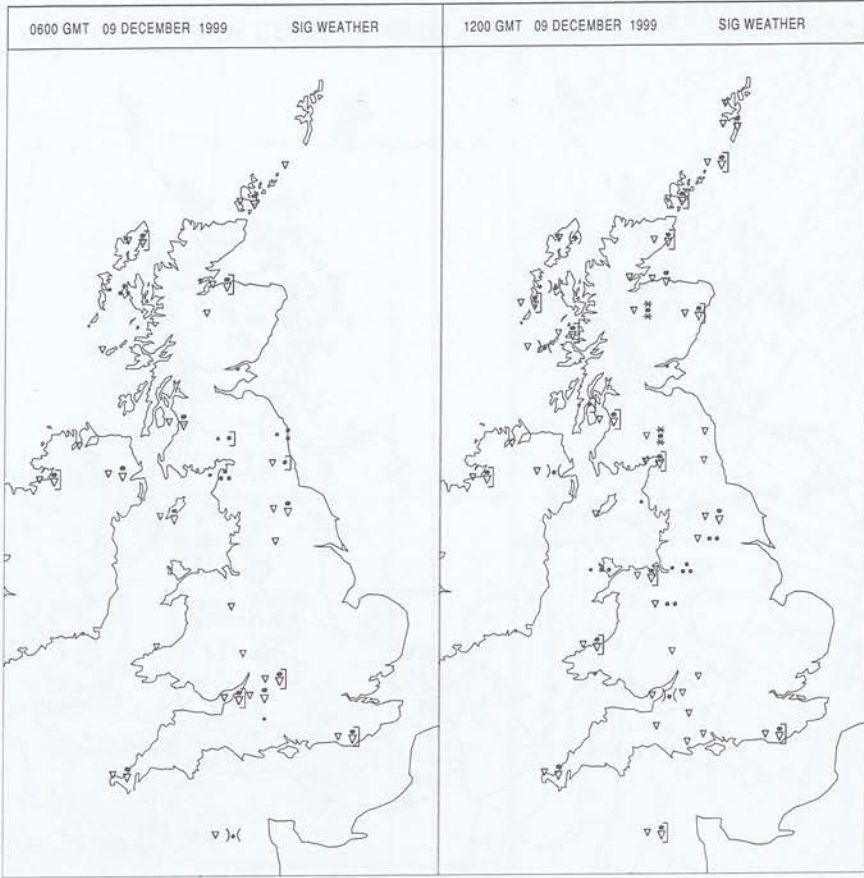


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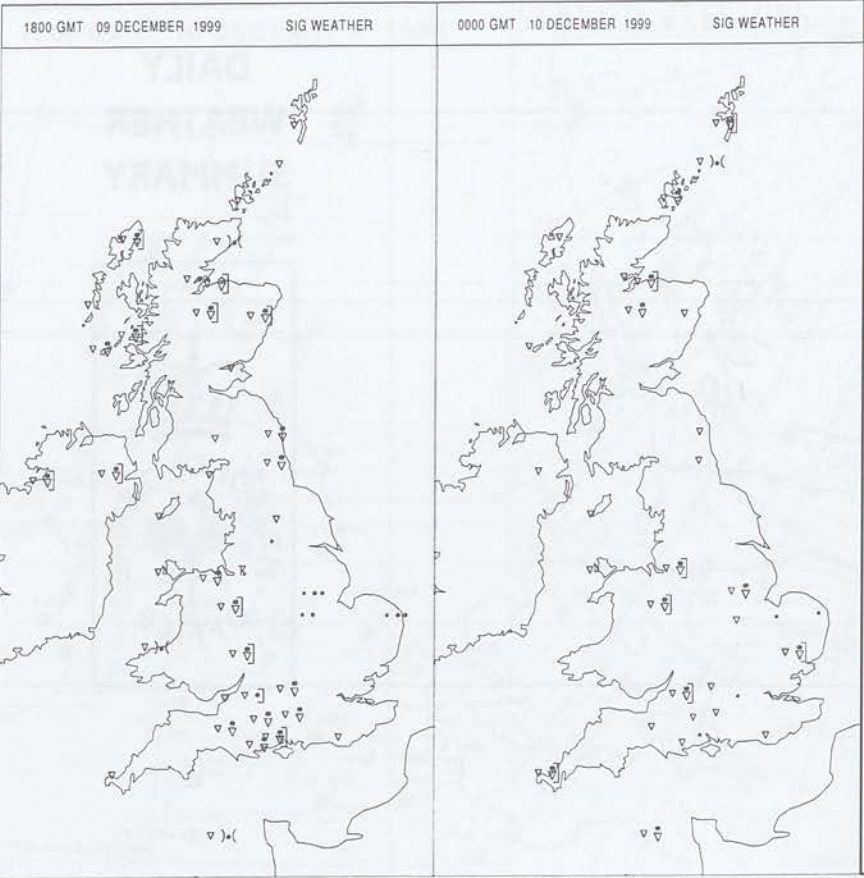
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Summary of UK Weather for Thursday 09 December 1999.

Strong winds and outbreaks of sometimes heavy rain affected much of southern Scotland, Northern Ireland and northern England overnight. Gusts in excess of 50 kt occurred in a number of places. Showers were also evident across northern Scotland, South Wales and southwest England. The rest of England and Wales, together with parts of eastern Scotland had a dry night.

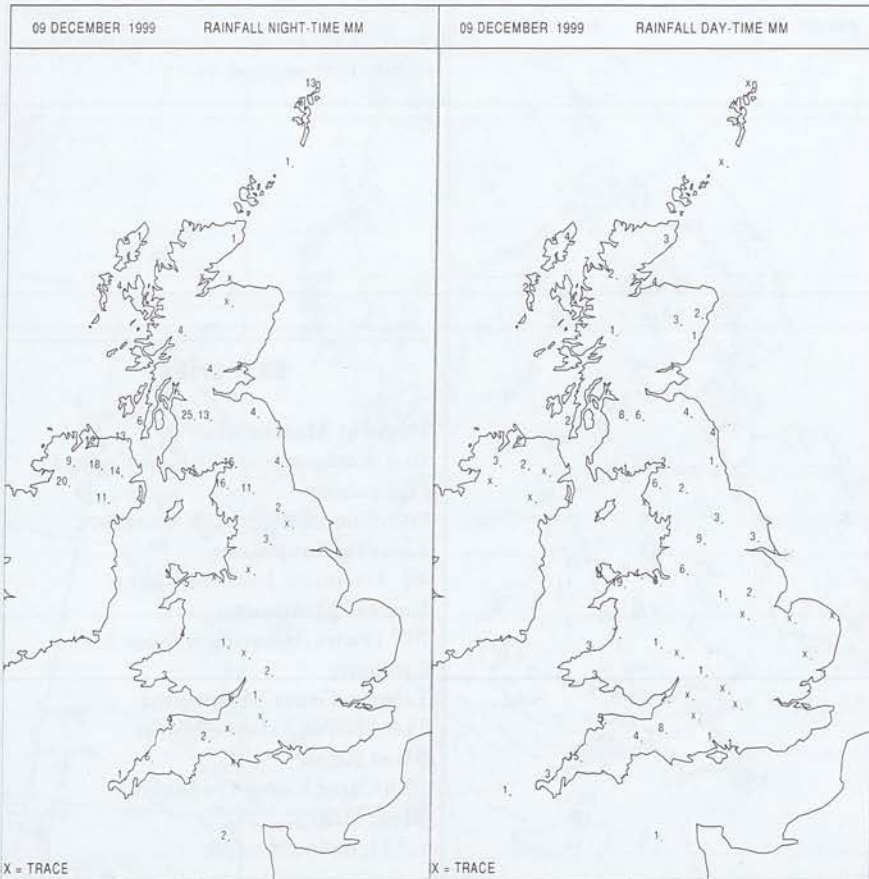
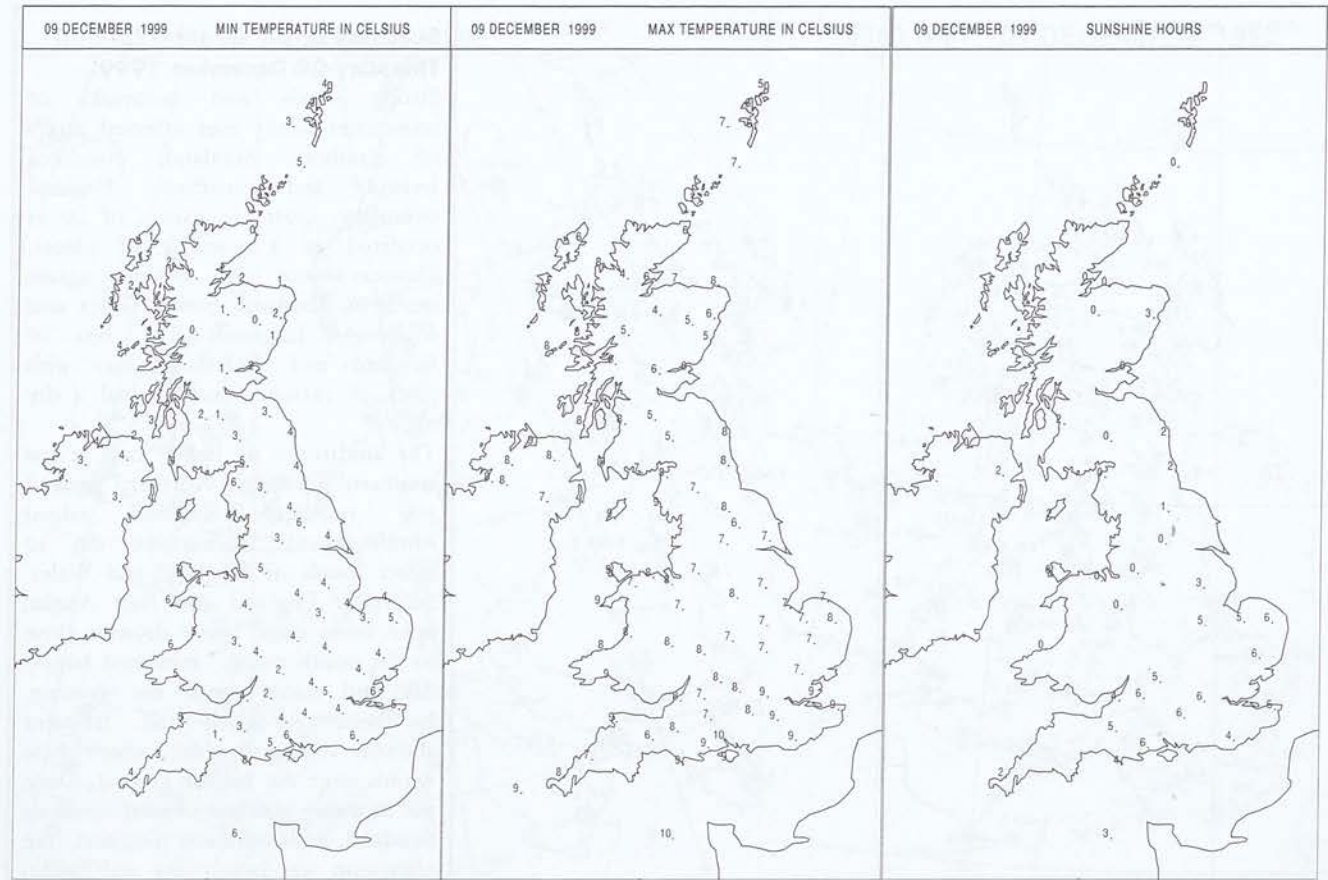
The outbreaks of heavy rain across southern Scotland, Northern Ireland and northern England edged southeastwards during the day to affect much of England and Wales. Southeast England and East Anglia, apart from some heavy showers close to the south coast, remained largely dry and sunny until the evening. Northern Scotland had frequent showers during the day, which were wintry over the higher ground. Once the morning rain had cleared southern Scotland and northern England, the afternoon was largely dry and bright. Northern Ireland also became brighter but there were further showers. It remained windy through the day with gusts 40 to 50 kt reported in many western areas. The temperatures were mostly near normal.



EXTREMES

- Highest Maximum:**
10.0 Southampton Weather Centr, Hampshire
10.0 Guernsey Airport, Guernsey
- Lowest Maximum:**
4.3 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire
- Lowest Minimum:**
-0.7 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty
- Lowest Grass Minimum:**
-3.6 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire
- Most Rain:**
21.6 Capel Curig, Gwynedd
- Most Sun:**
6.7 Hemsby, Norfolk

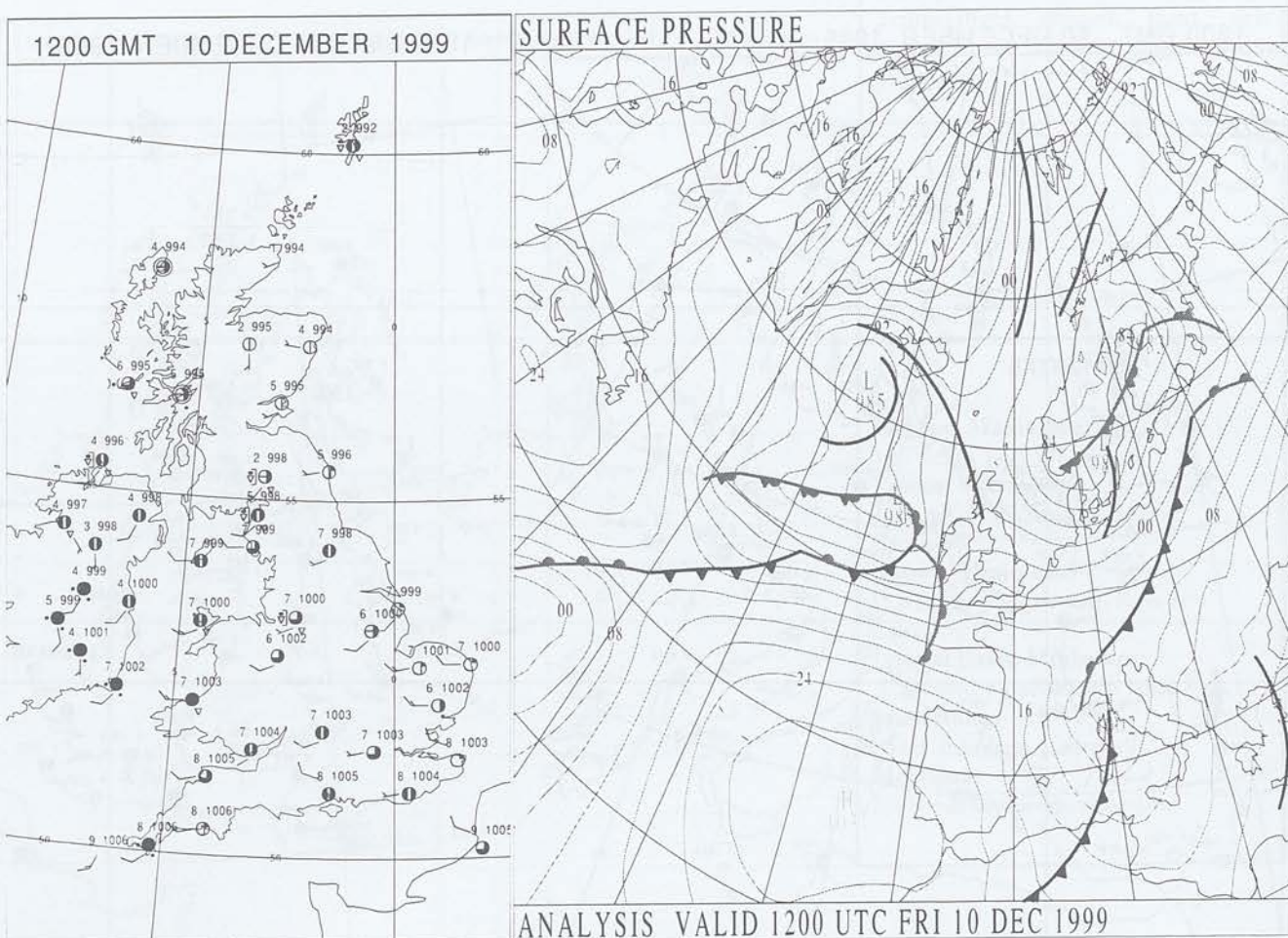
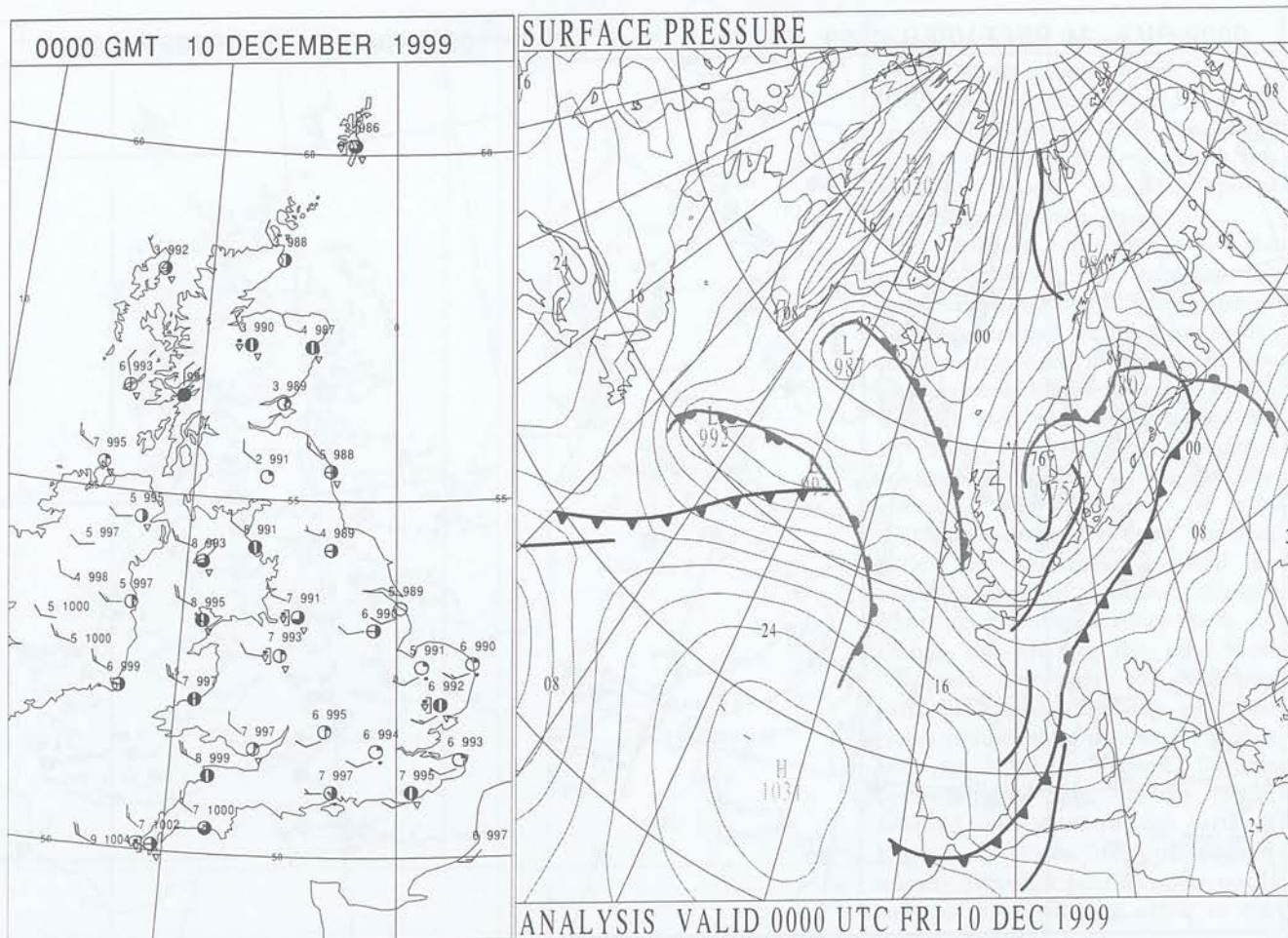
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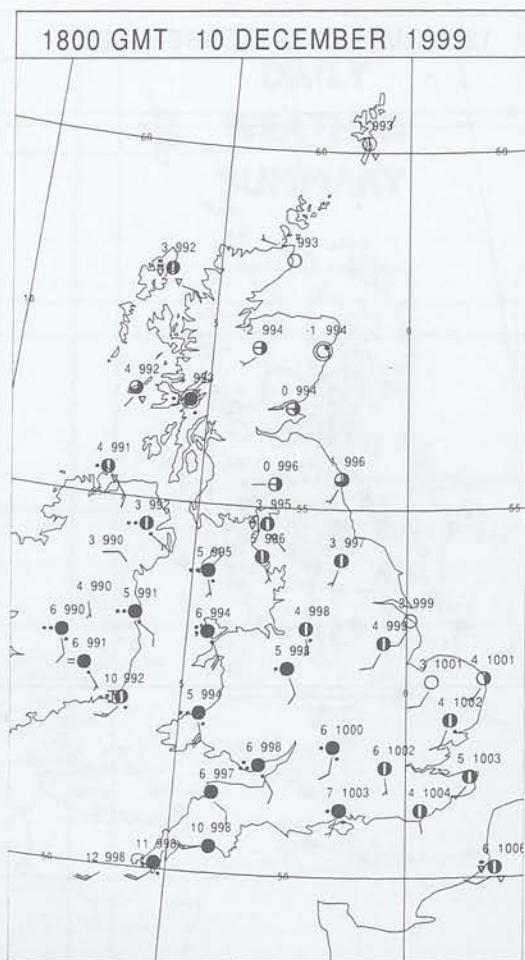
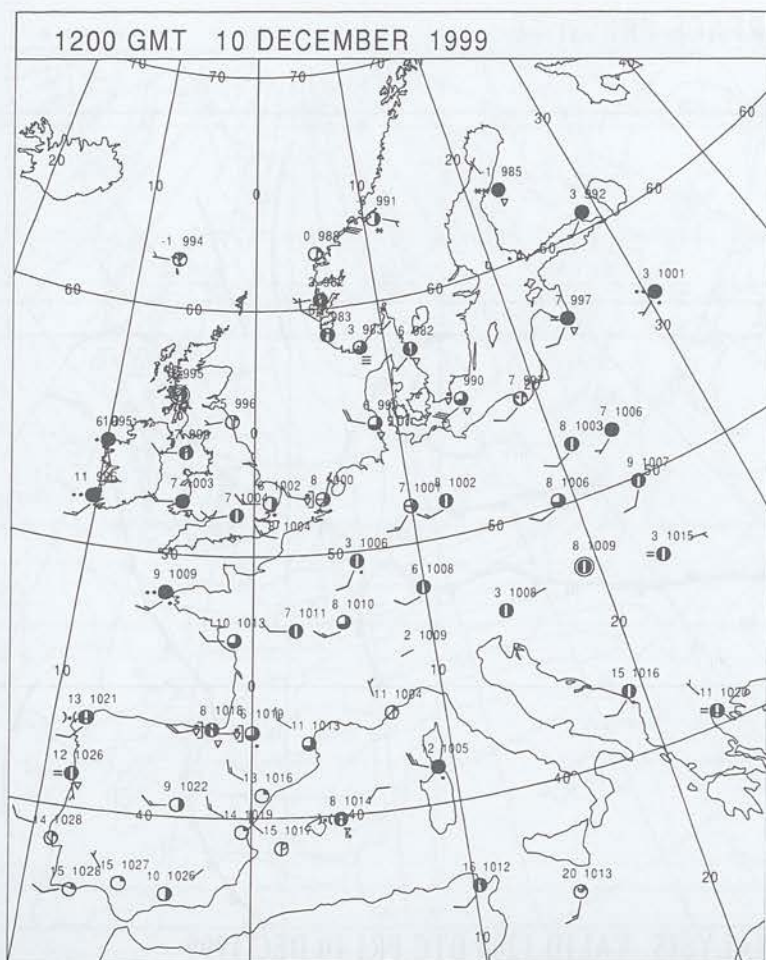
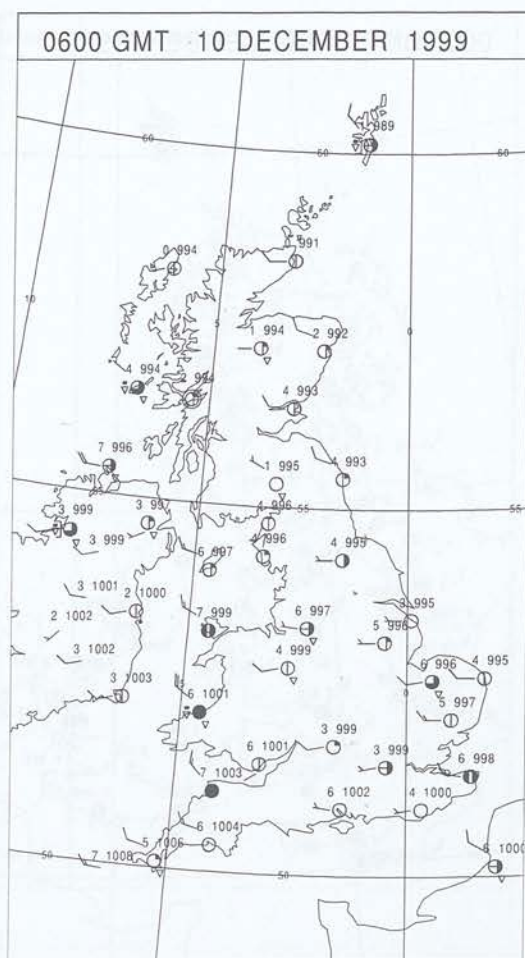
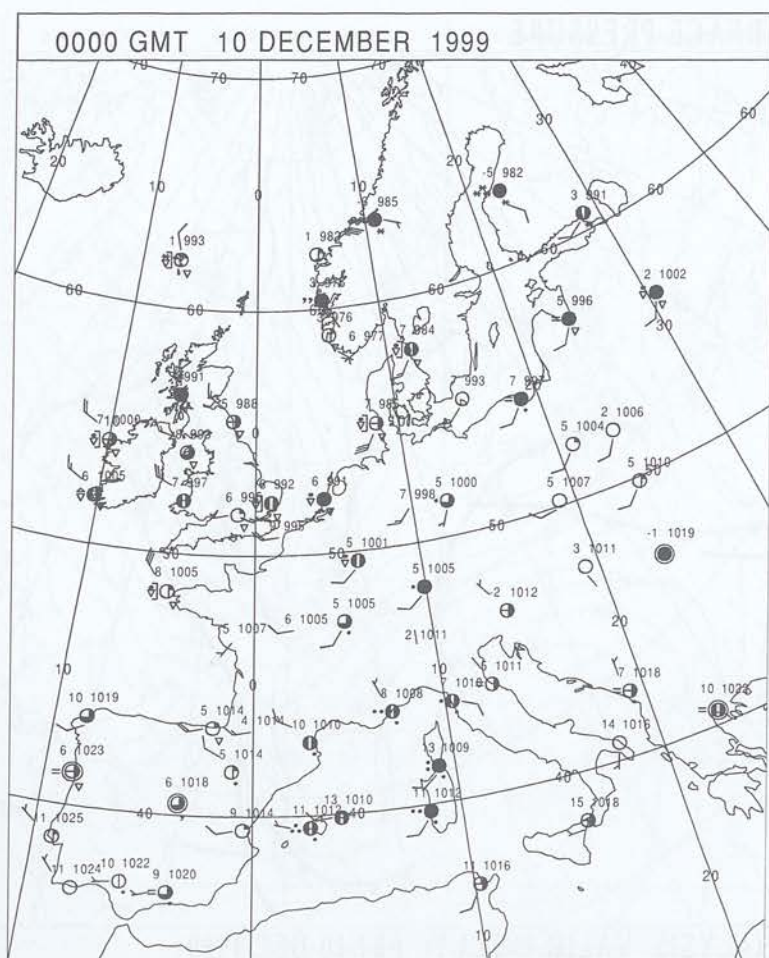


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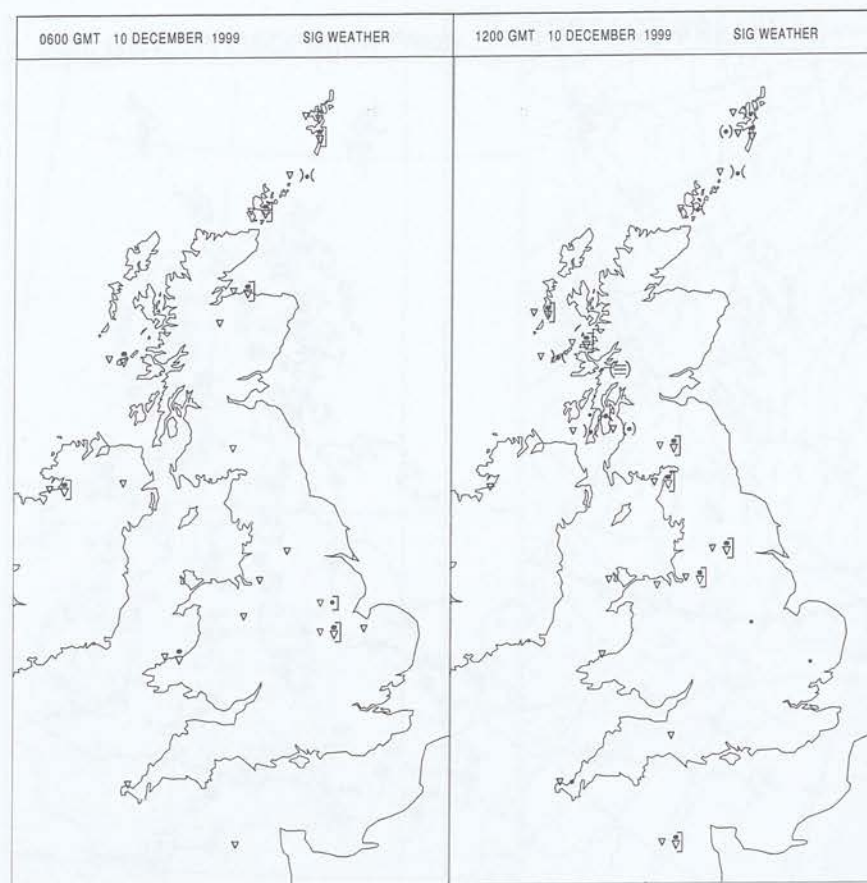


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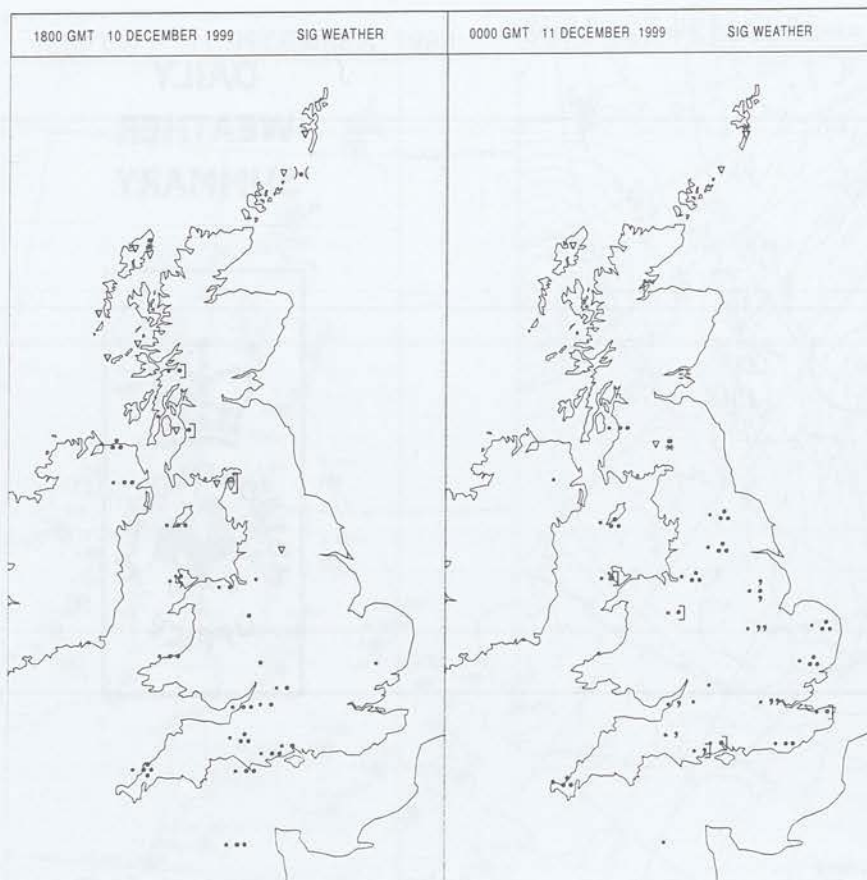
Summary of UK Weather for Friday 10 December 1999.

There was well broken cloud over the country through the night with most parts dry. However, there were a few showers, mainly around exposed northern and western coasts.

The showers continued in the northwest during the morning but thickening cloud was spreading across Northern Ireland bringing outbreaks of rain. Elsewhere, it was largely fine and dry with bright or sunny spells, although medium and high cloud did spill across from the west. The cloud continued to thicken up through the afternoon with a band of rain spreading across Northern Ireland, Wales and southwest England by evening. Much of Scotland, though, stayed dry with further sunny spells.

During the evening the rain band continued eastwards to remaining parts of England, turning heavy in places and falling as sleet or snow over parts of Northern Ireland. Further outbreaks of rain, mostly light, followed over southwestern parts of England and Wales. Much of Scotland was dry with clear periods in the north and east but increasing cloud in the south and west.

Temperatures ranged from near normal in the south to rather cold in the north.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

12.7 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly

Lowest Maximum:

1.2 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty

Lowest Minimum:

-3.6 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-6.7 Stornoway, Western Isles

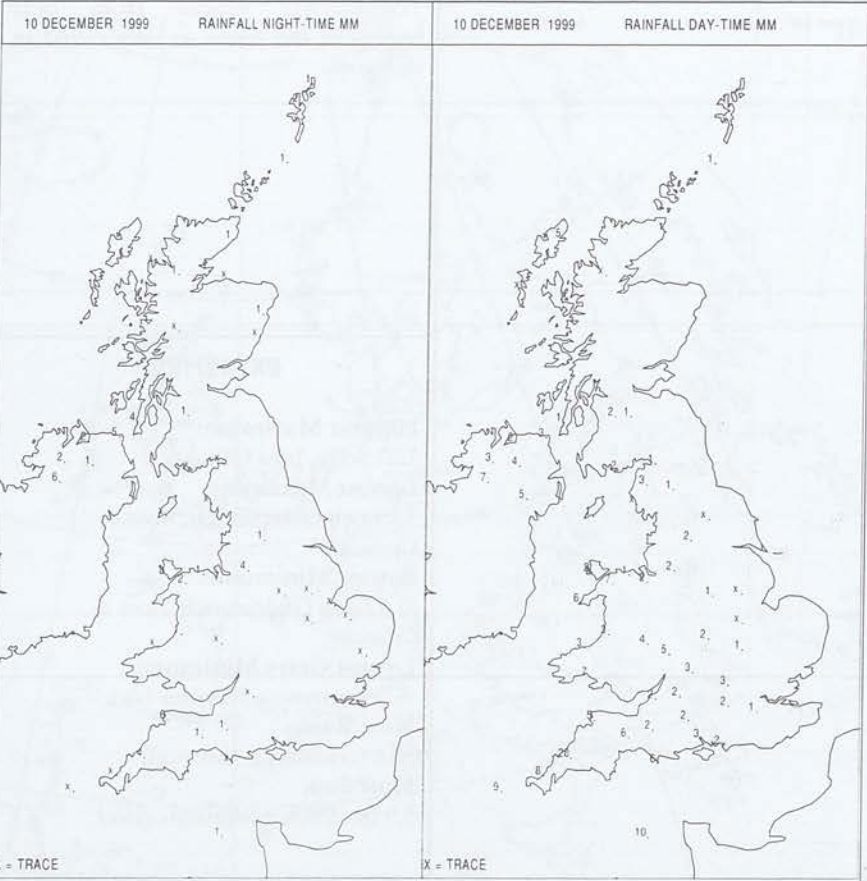
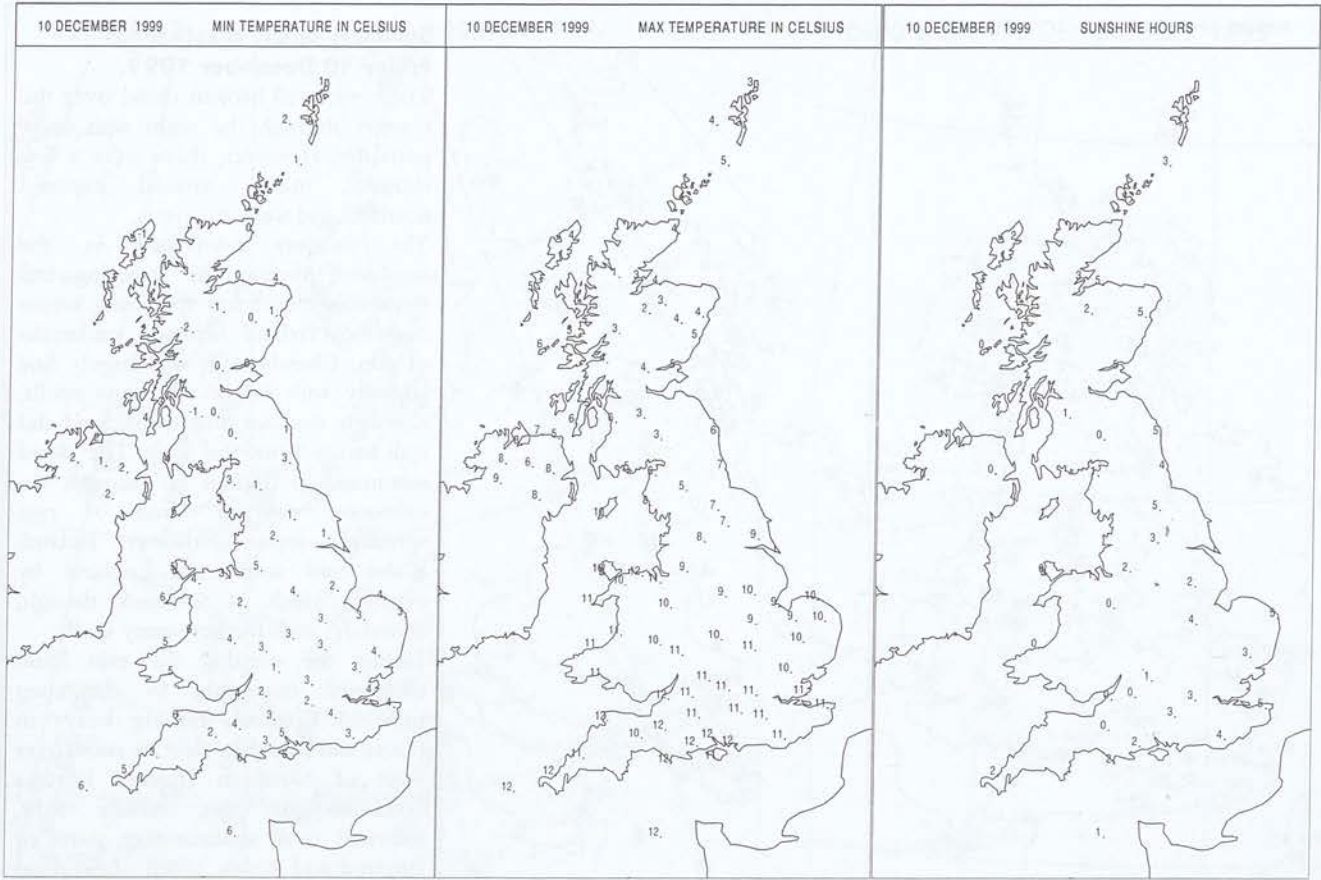
Most Rain:

58.6 Cardinham, Cornwall

Most Sun:

5.9 Boulmer, Northumberland

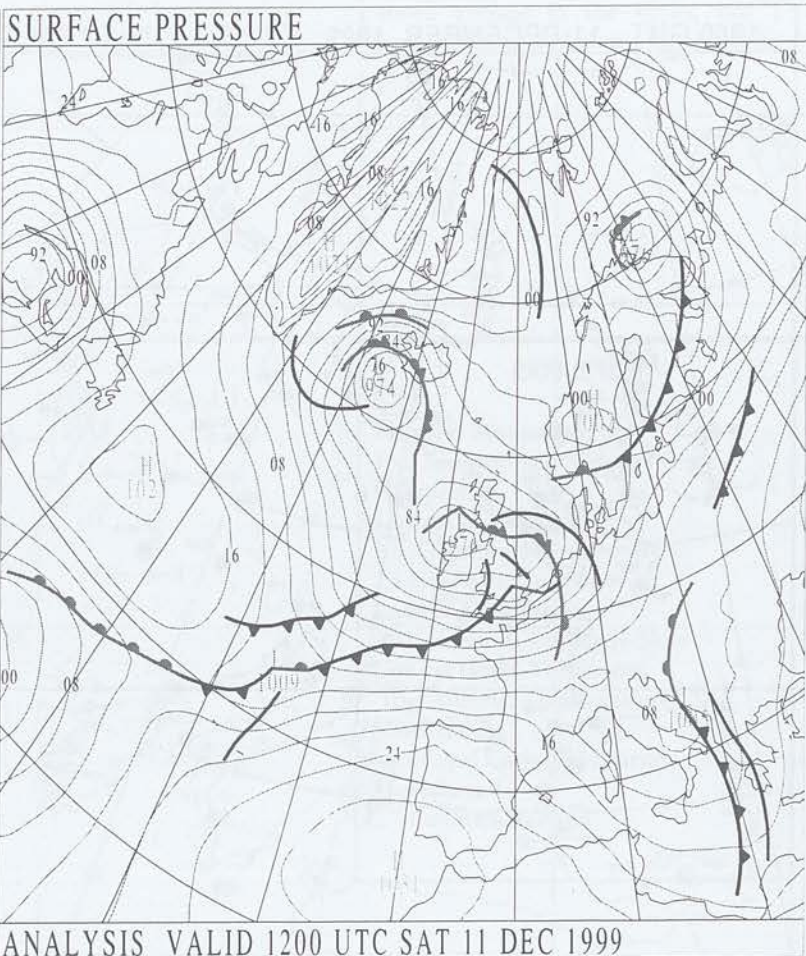
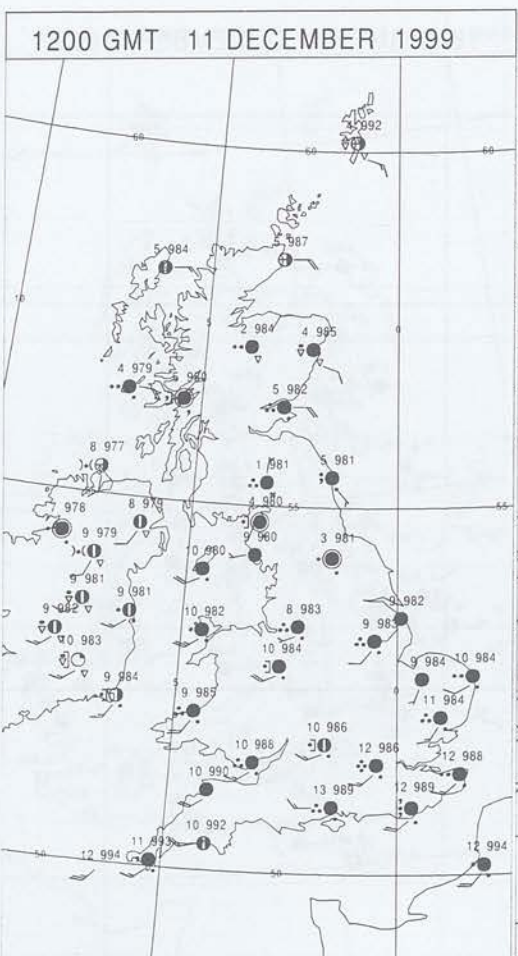
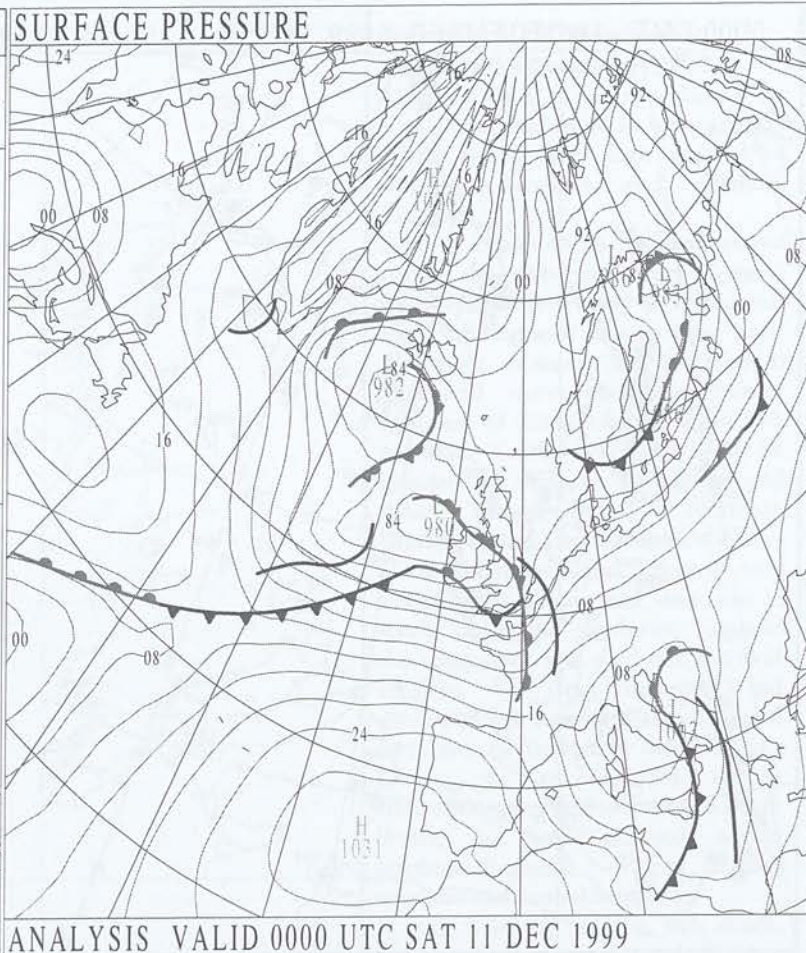
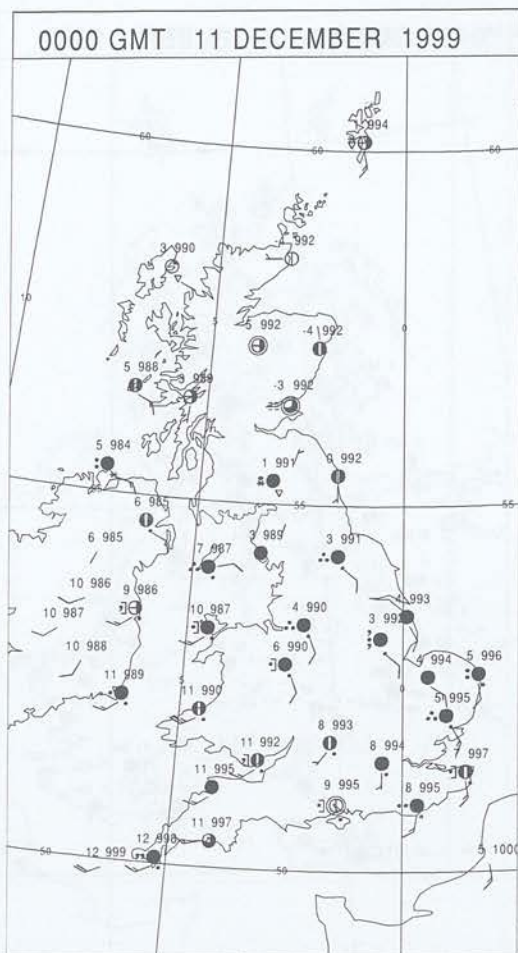
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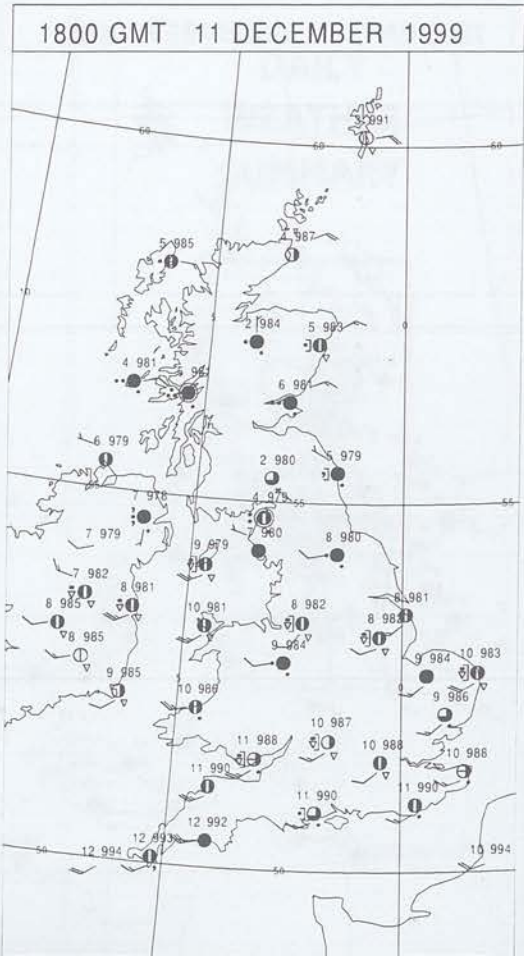
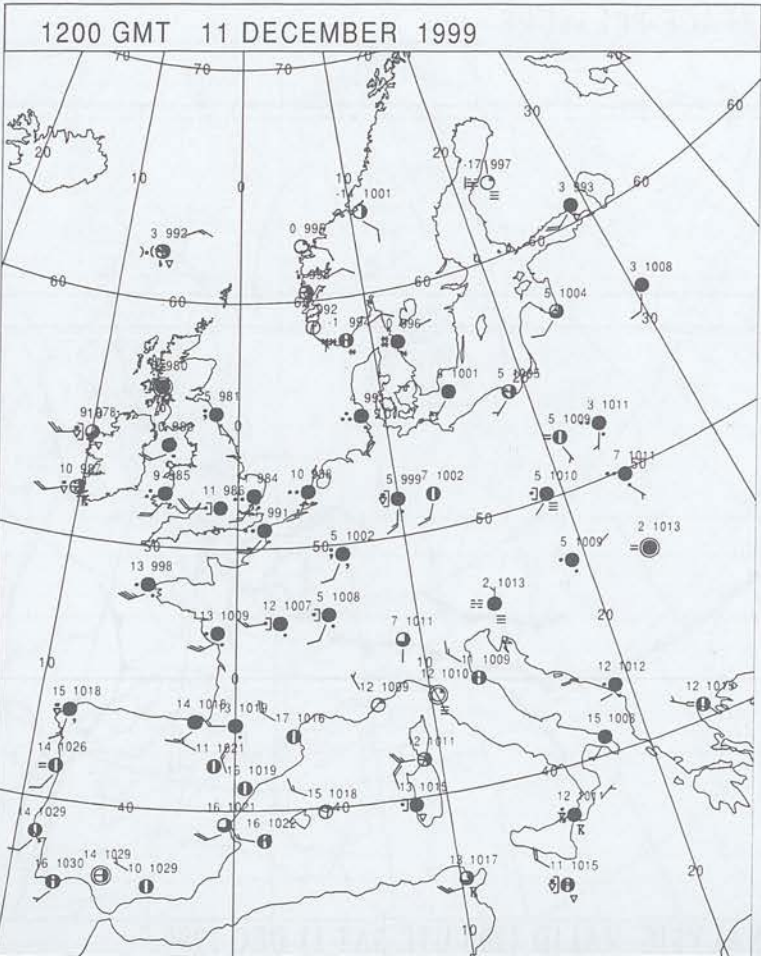
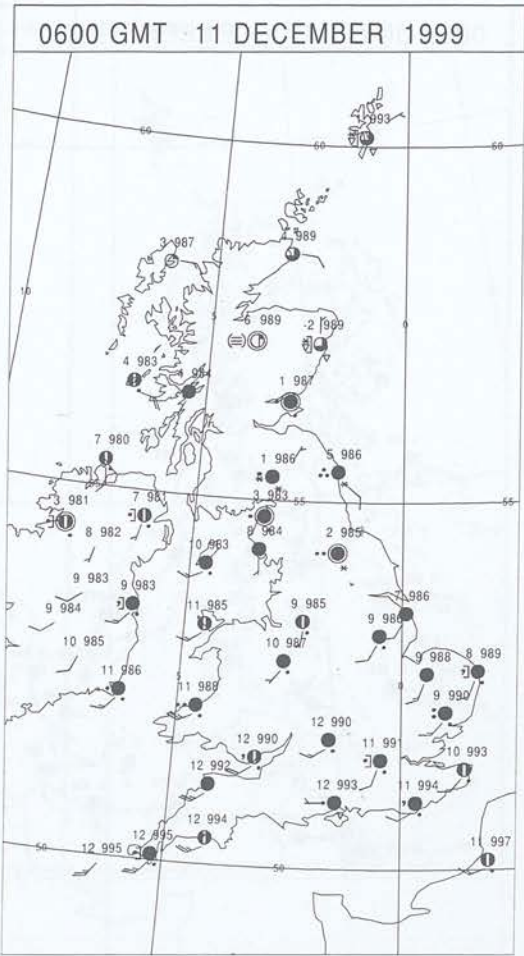
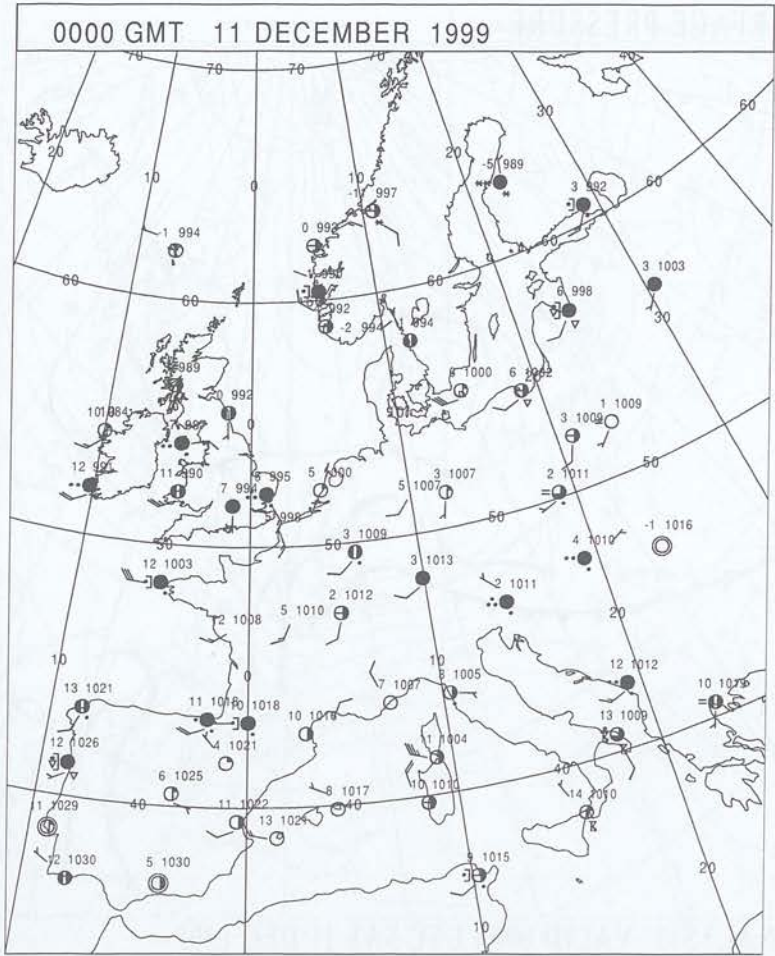
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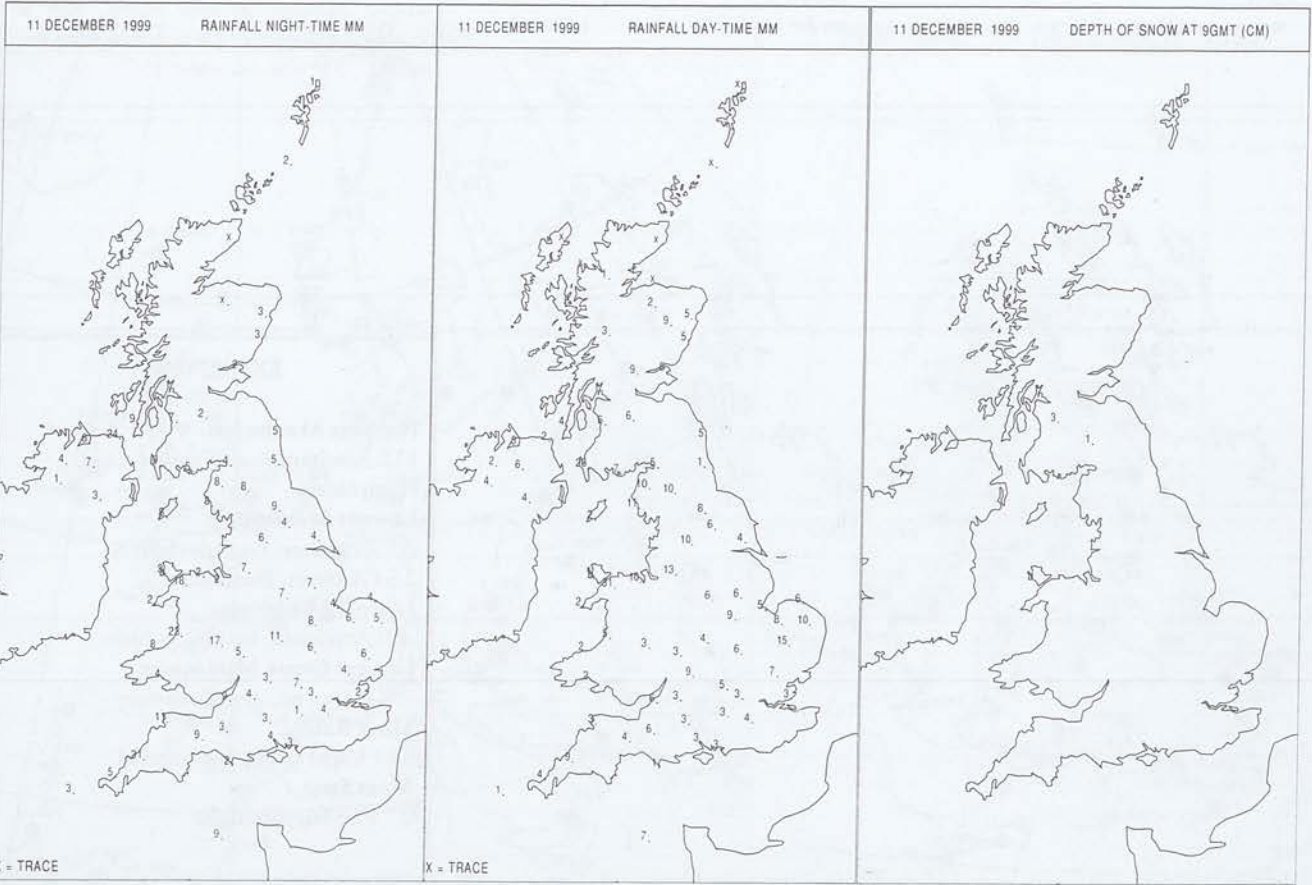
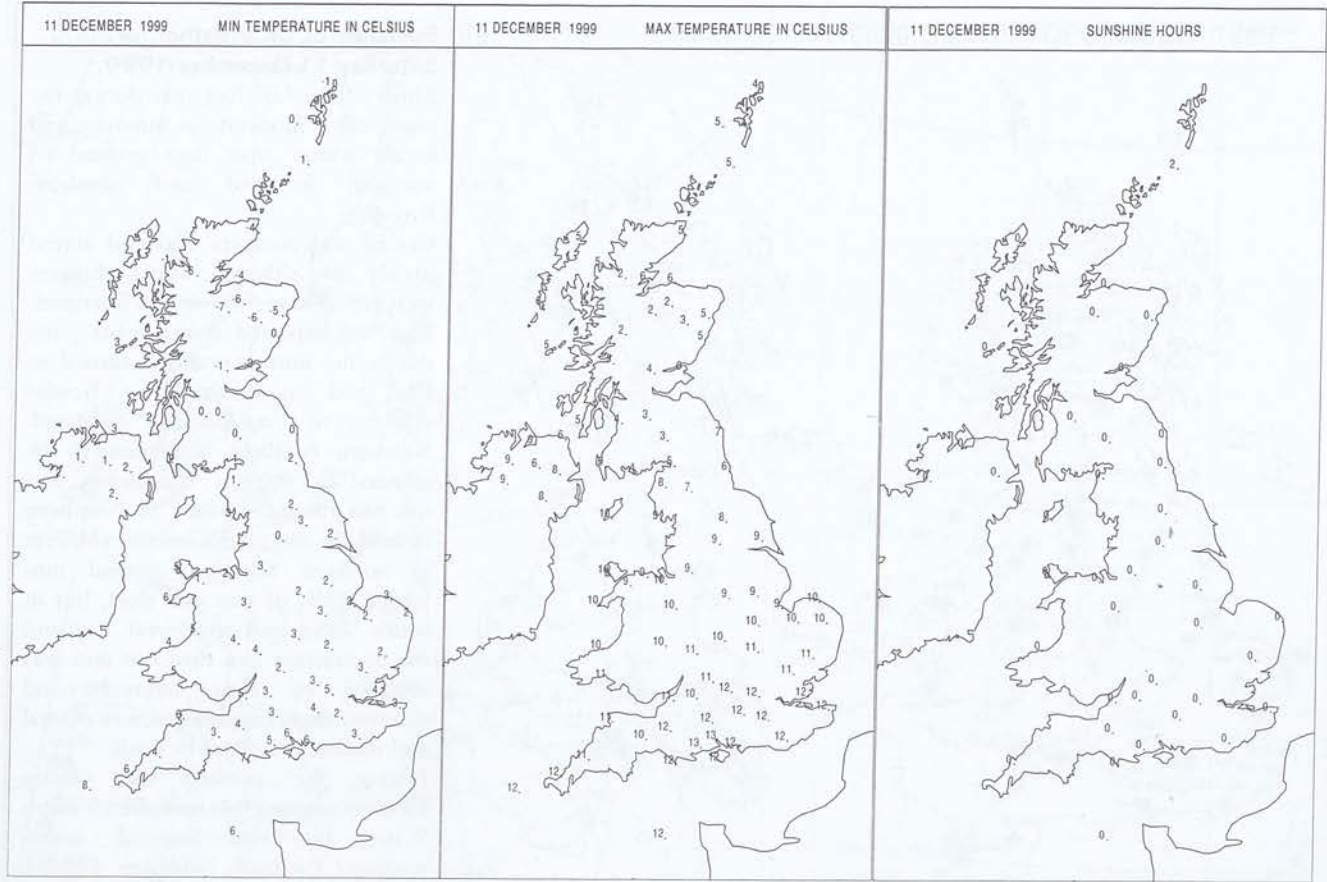
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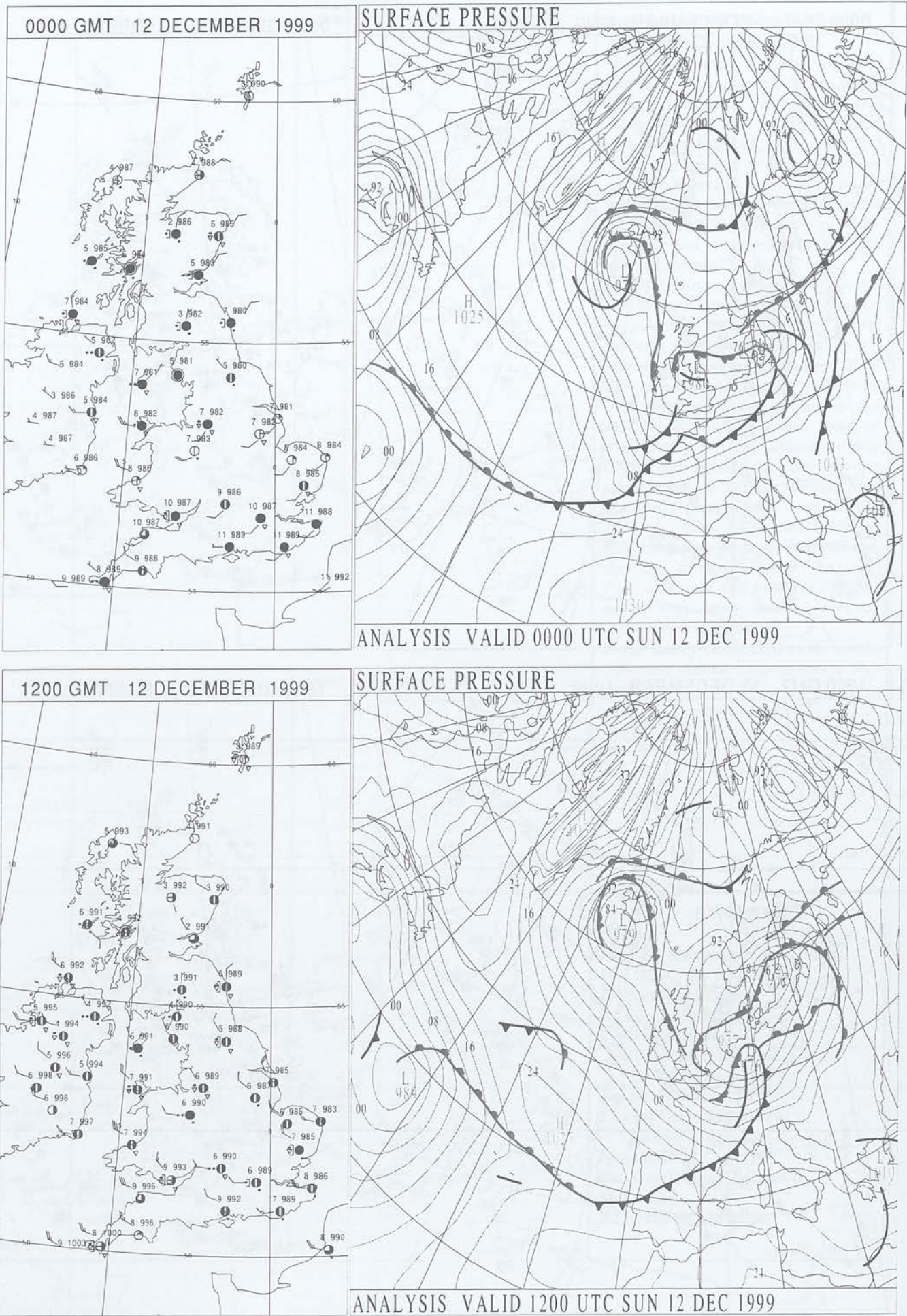
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1800 GMT 11 DECEMBER 1999 SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 12 DECEMBER 1999 SIG WEATHER	
		<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 13.2 Southampton Weather Centr, Hampshire</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 2.5 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire 2.5 Glenlivet, Banffshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -7.0 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -10.4 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 53.4 Capel Curig, Gwynnedd</p> <p>Most Sun: 2.7 Fair Isle, Shetland</p>

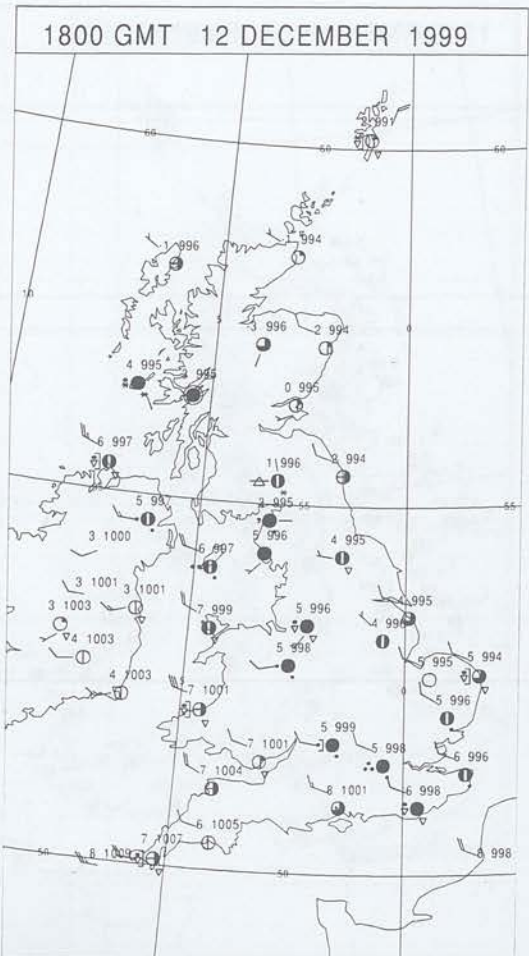
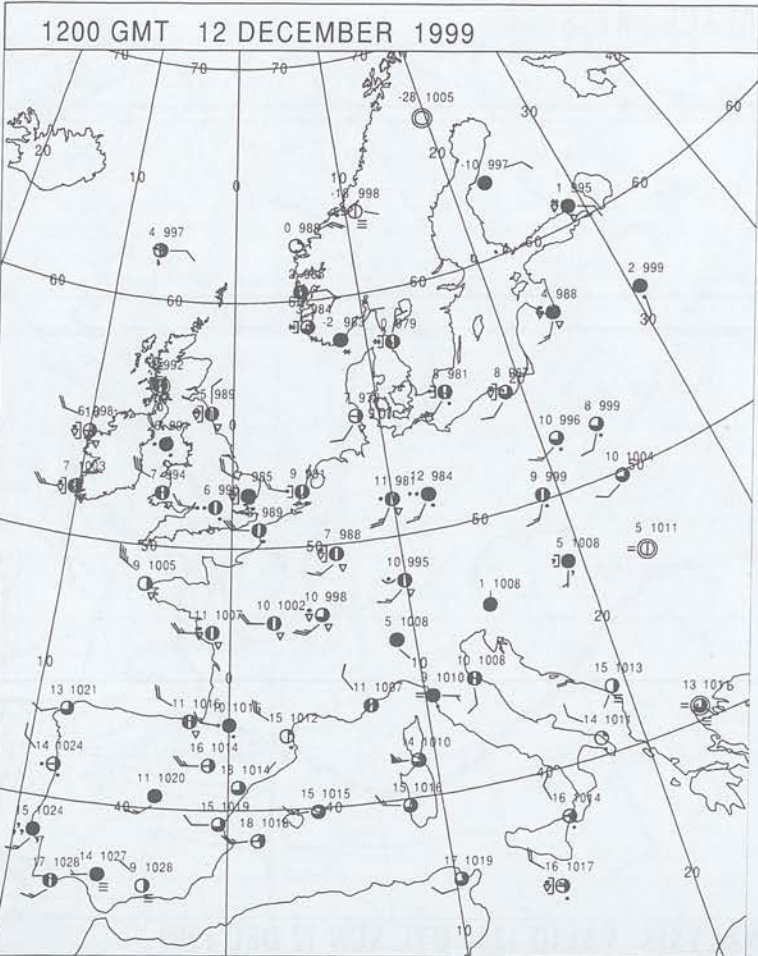
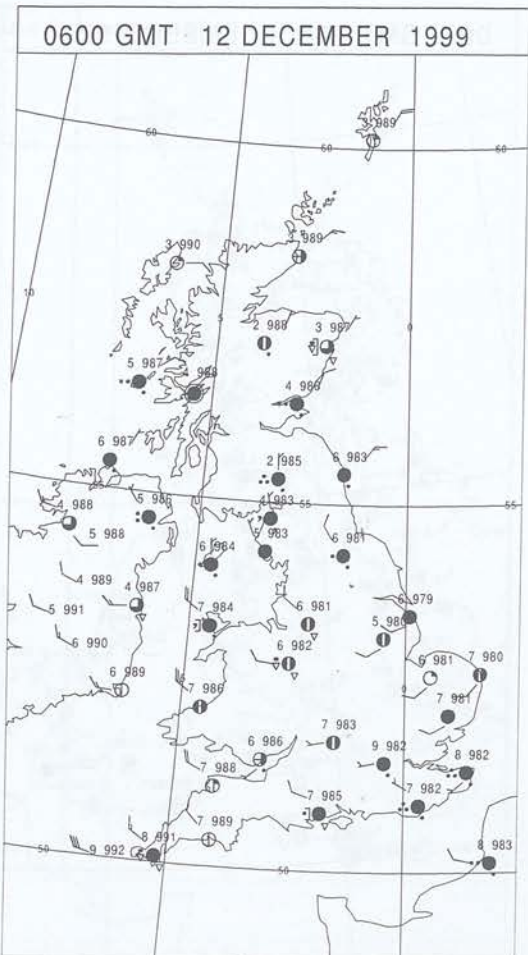
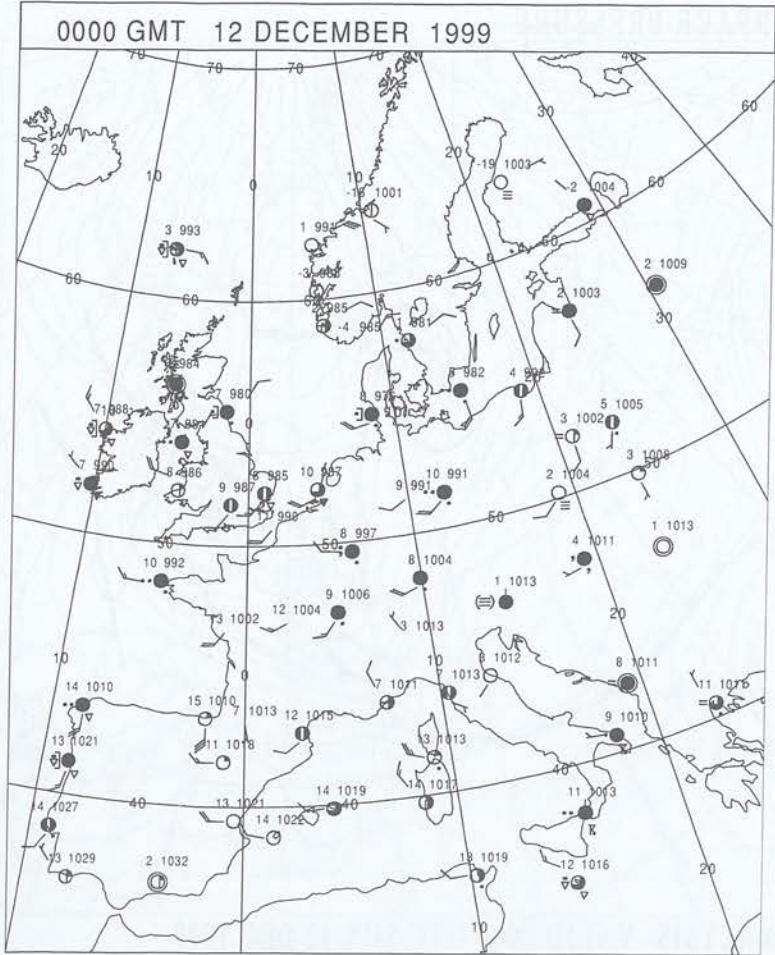
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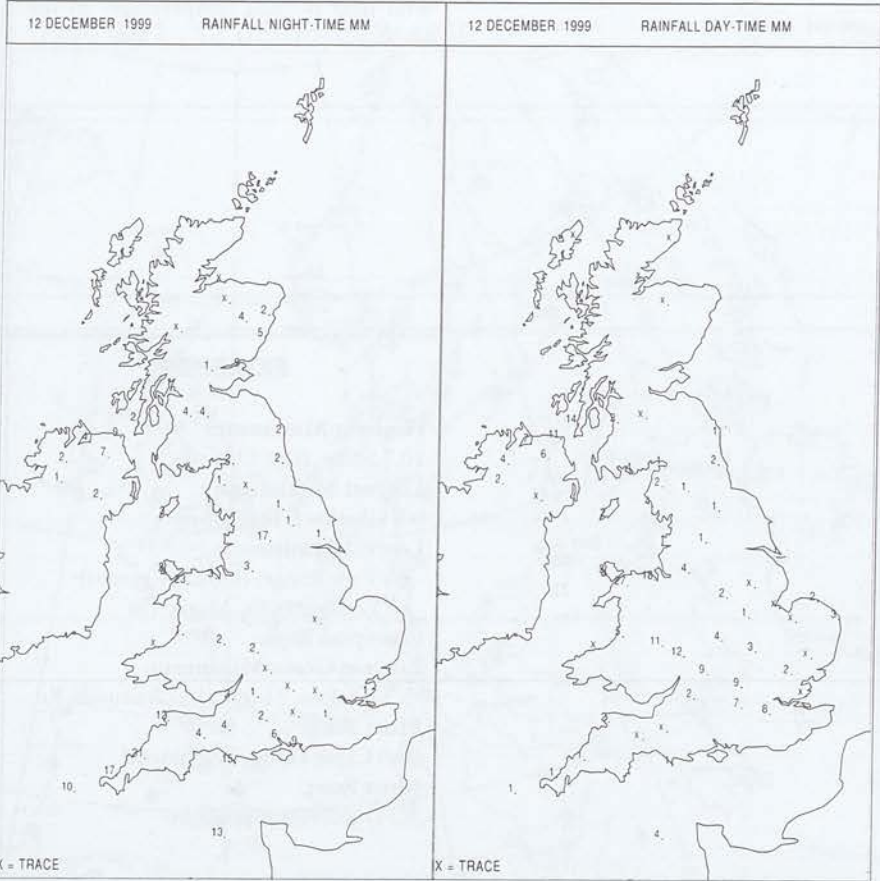
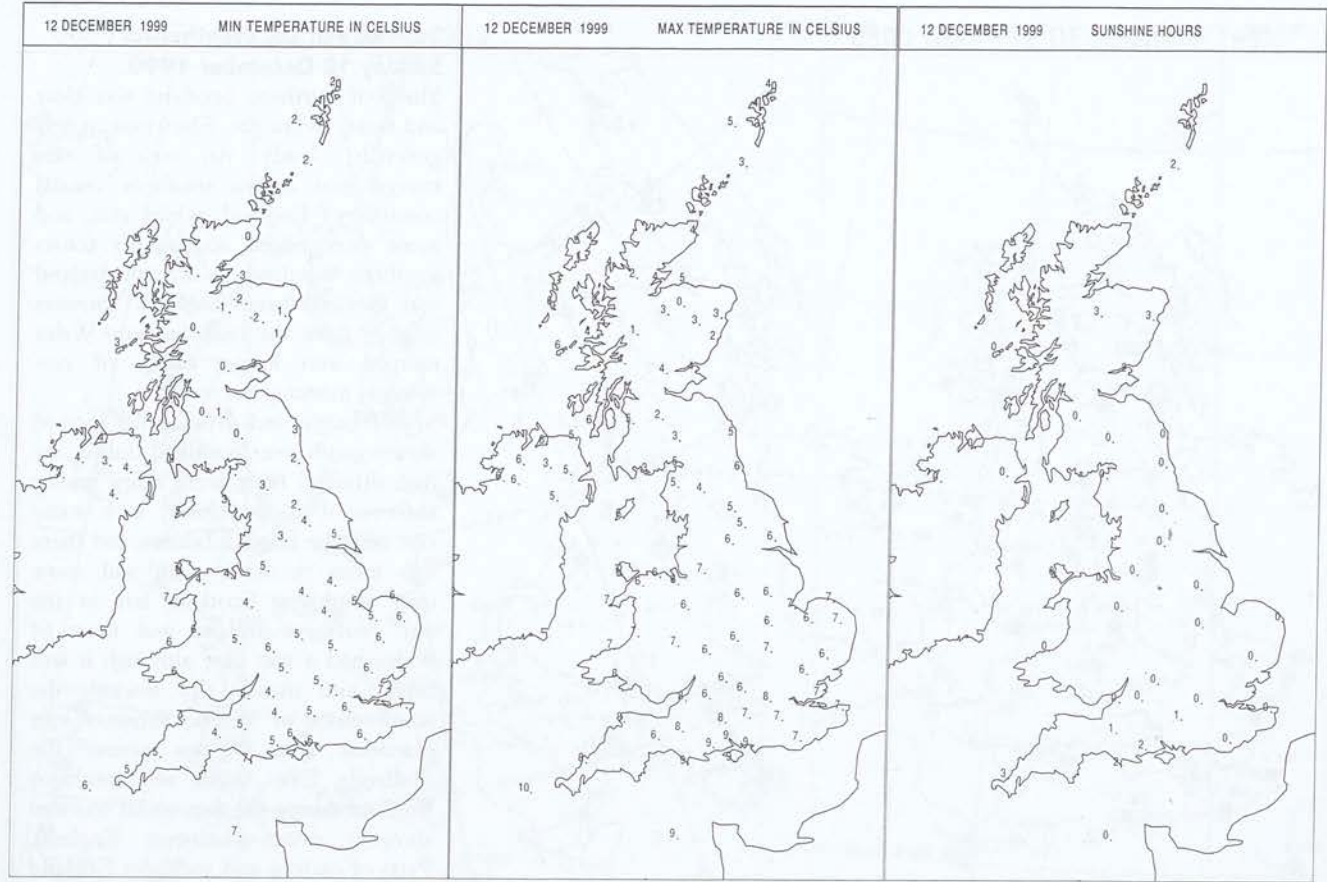
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1800 GMT 12 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 13 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<div>EXTREMES<p>Highest Maximum: 10.7 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p><p>Lowest Maximum: 0.8 Glenlivet, Banffshire</p><p>Lowest Minimum: -3.5 Tain Range, Ross & Cromarty -3.5 Lossiemouth, Moray (In Grampian Regio</p><p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -5.3 Kinloss, Moray (In Grampian Re</p><p>Most Rain: 28.0 Capel Curig, Gwynnedd</p><p>Most Sun: 3.2 Dyce, Aberdeenshire</p></div>

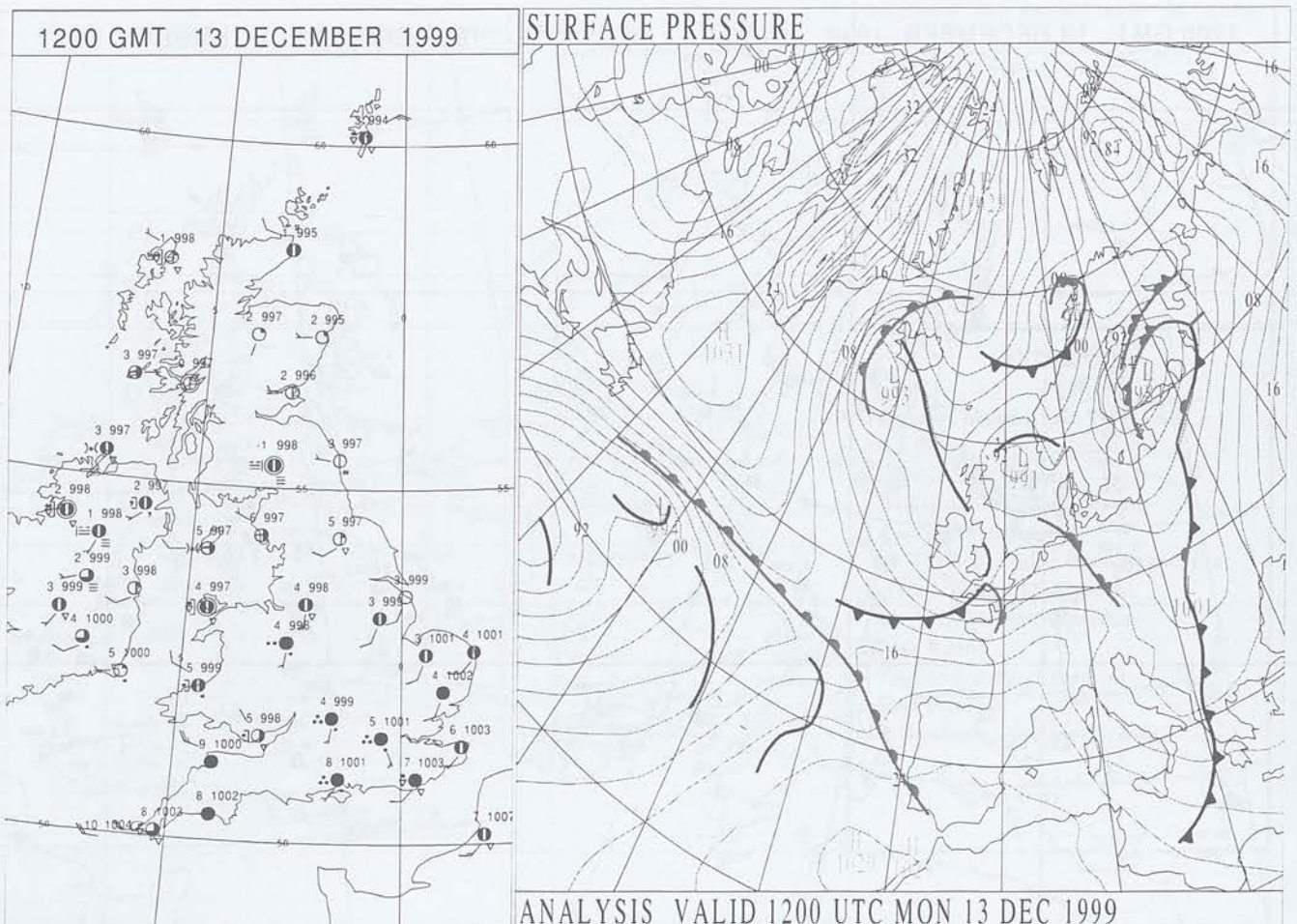
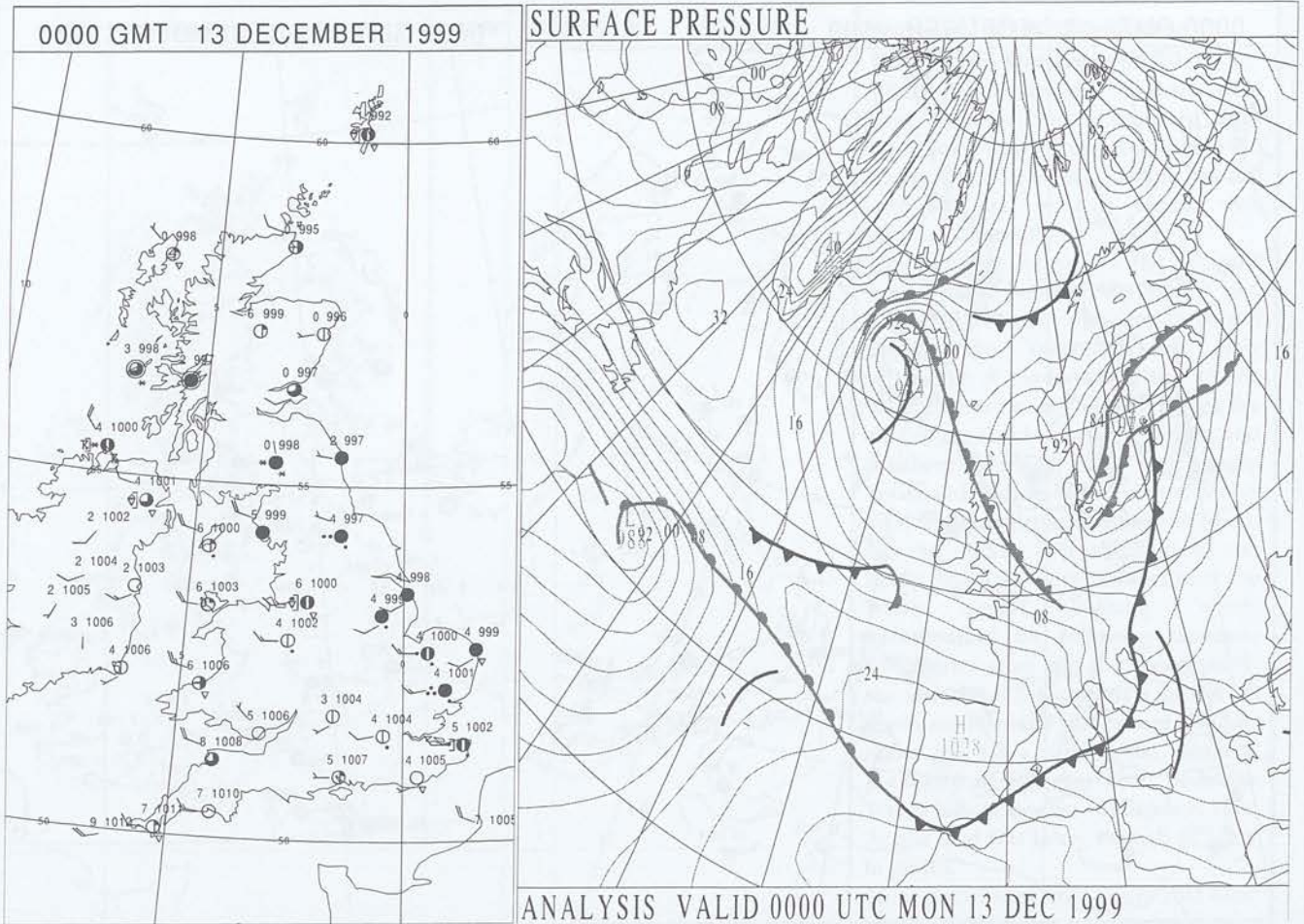
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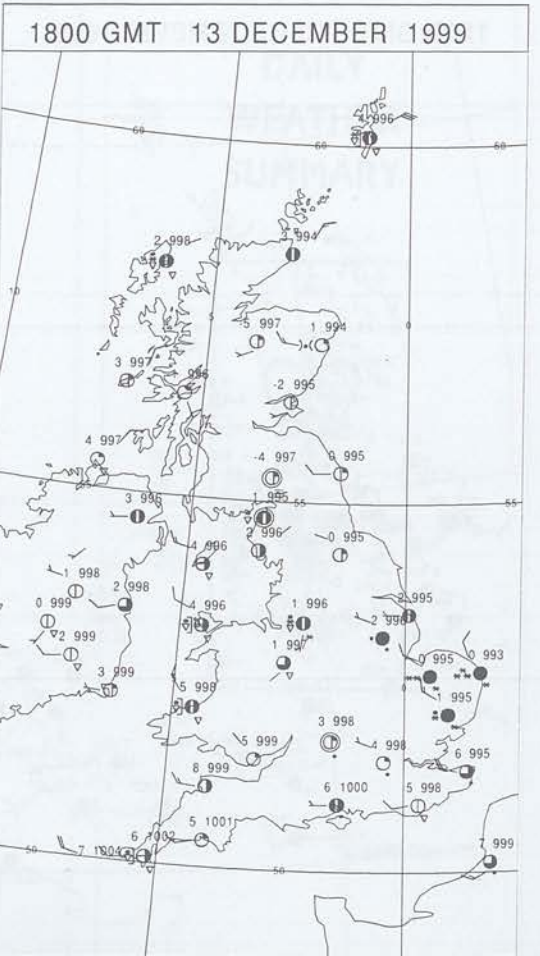
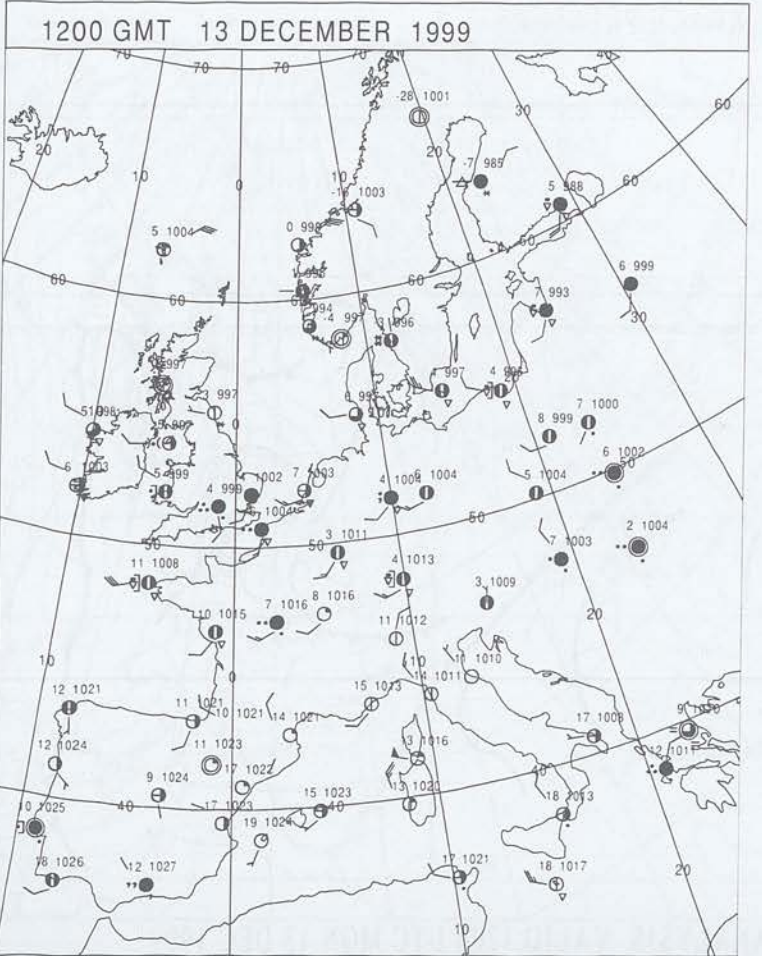
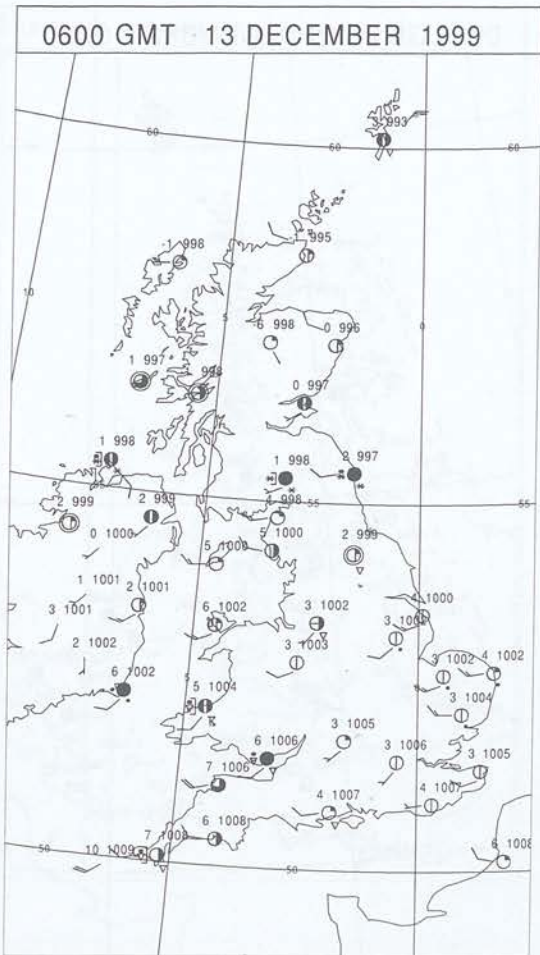
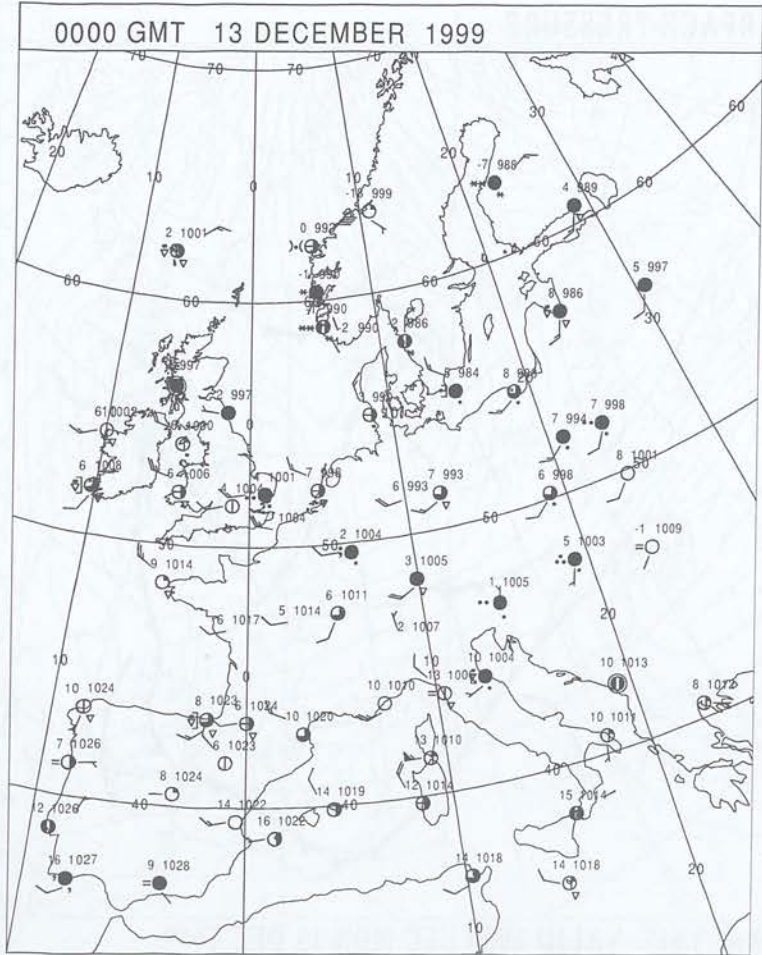
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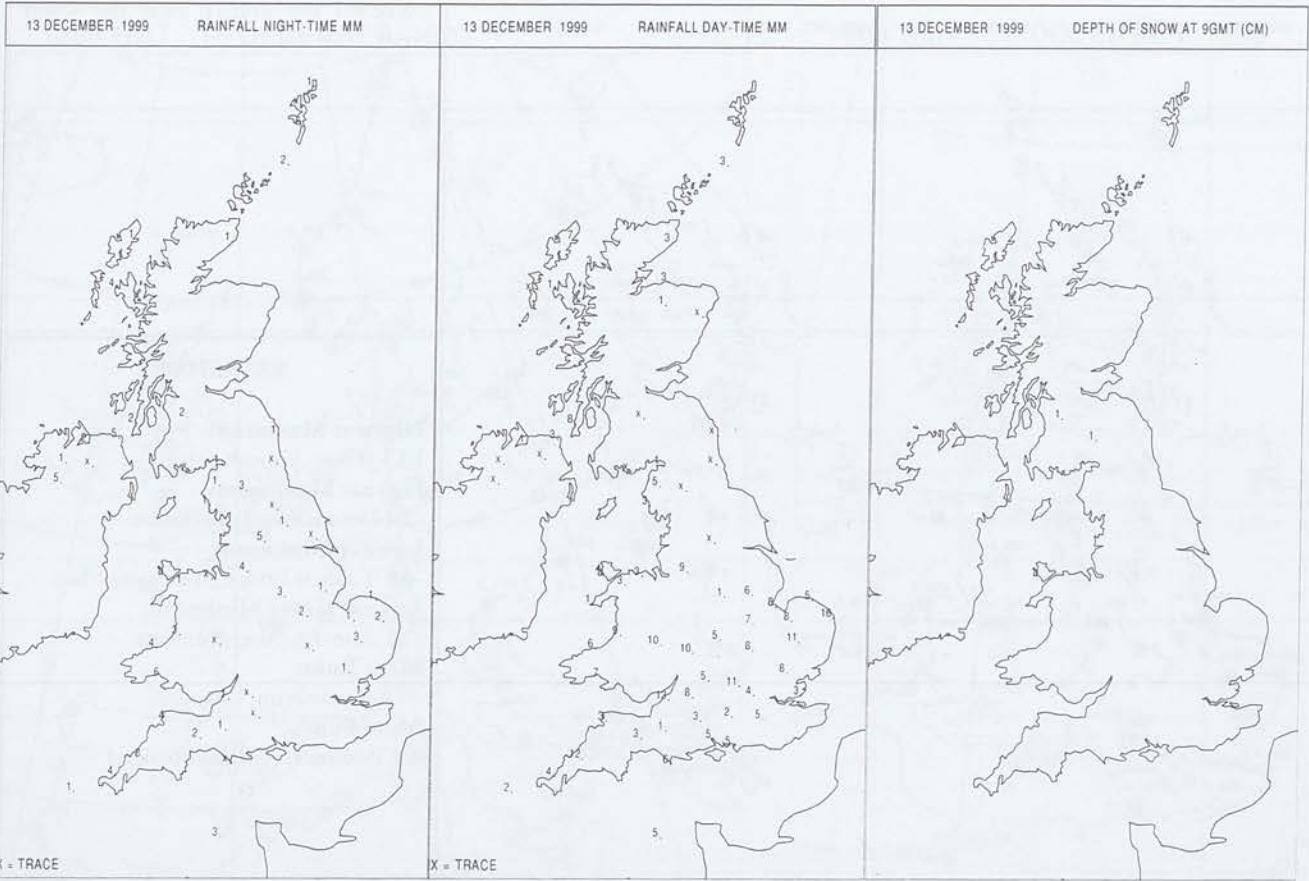
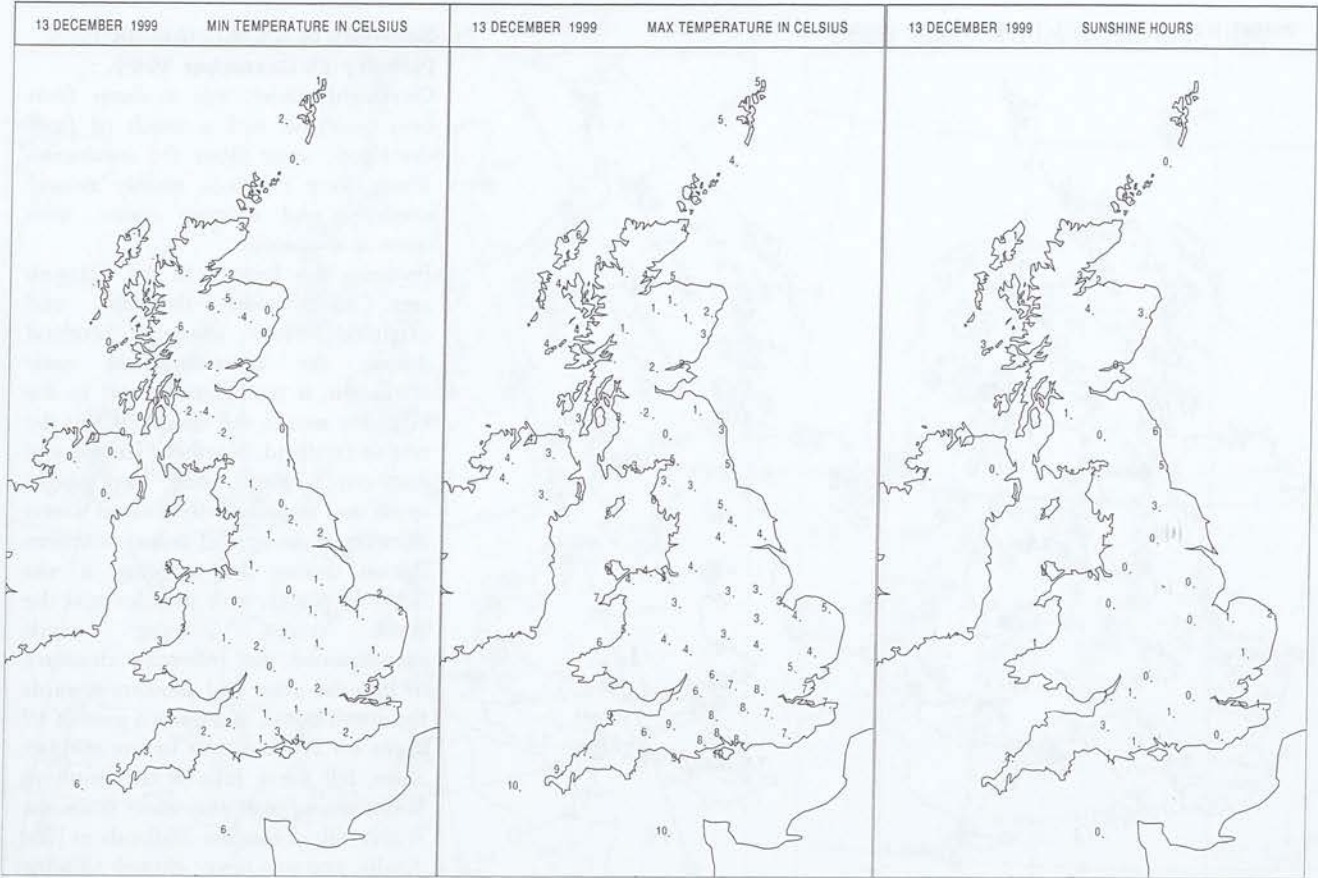
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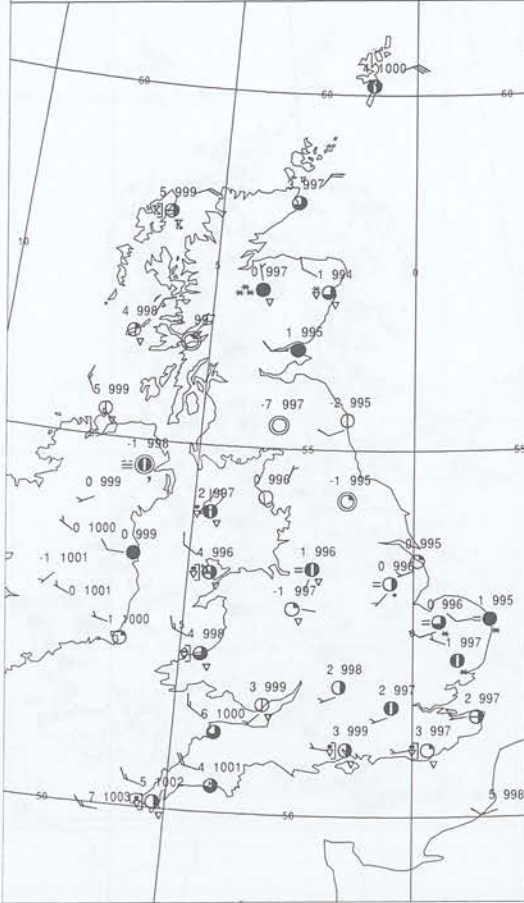
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0600 GMT 13 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 13 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Monday 13 December 1999.</p> <p>Overnight, there was a sharp frost over Scotland and a touch of frost elsewhere, away from the southwest. There were showers, mainly around northern and western coasts, with snow in the north.</p> <p>Freezing fog formed in the Glasgow area just before daybreak, and extended across southern Scotland during the morning and early afternoon; it tended to retreat to the Glasgow area in the evening. Over the rest of Scotland, Northern Ireland and northern England there were bright spells and some (chiefly) coastal wintry showers. Rain spread across southern Britain during the morning; it was heavy in places, with thunder near the south coast. Strong winds accompanied the following clearance to brighter skies and showers towards the south coast; there was a gust of 69 knots on Portland just before midday. Snow fell for a time at the northern boundary of the rain area, from the Welsh hills across the Midlands to East Anglia, and was heavy enough to settle in places.</p> <p>Most places were cold - very cold over much of Scotland - but temperatures exceeded the normal near the south coast.</p>
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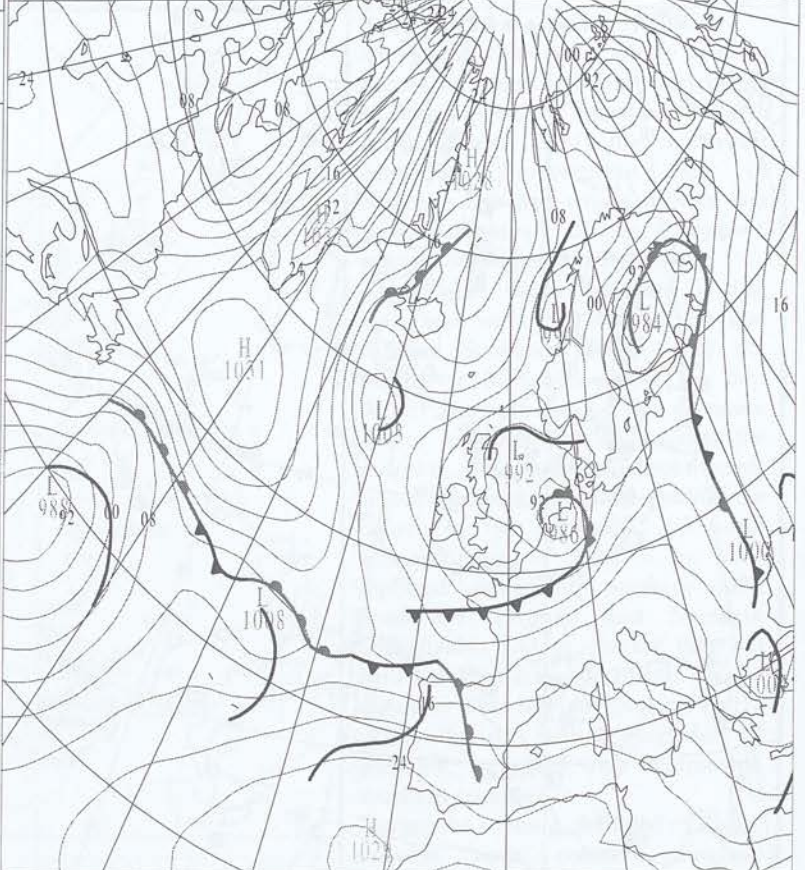
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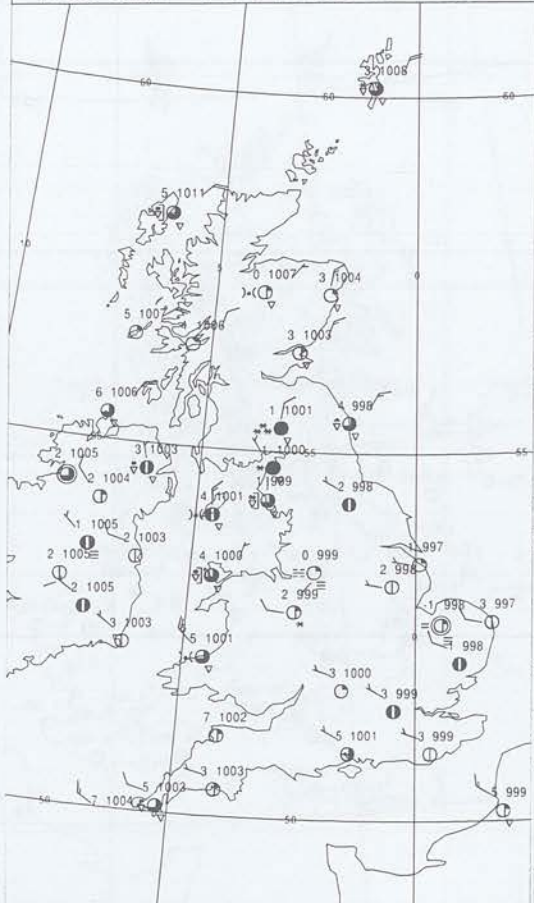


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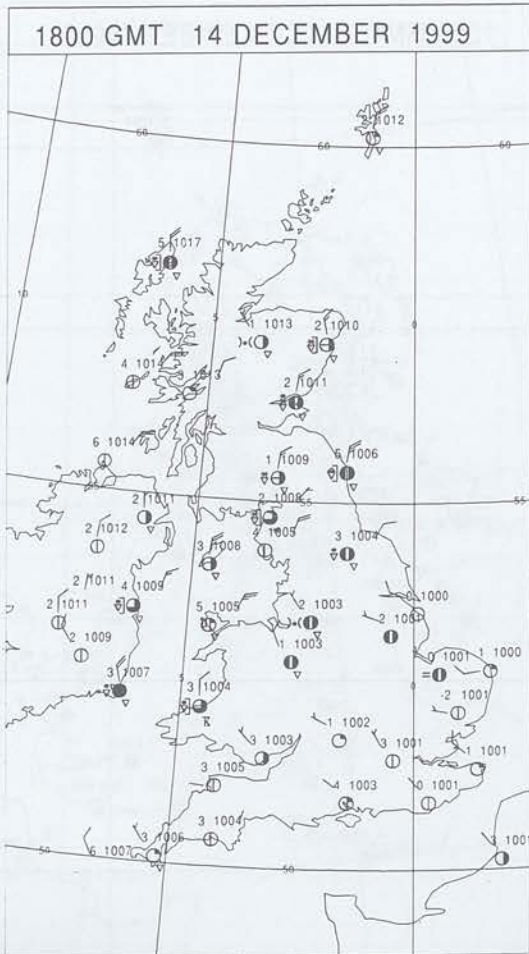
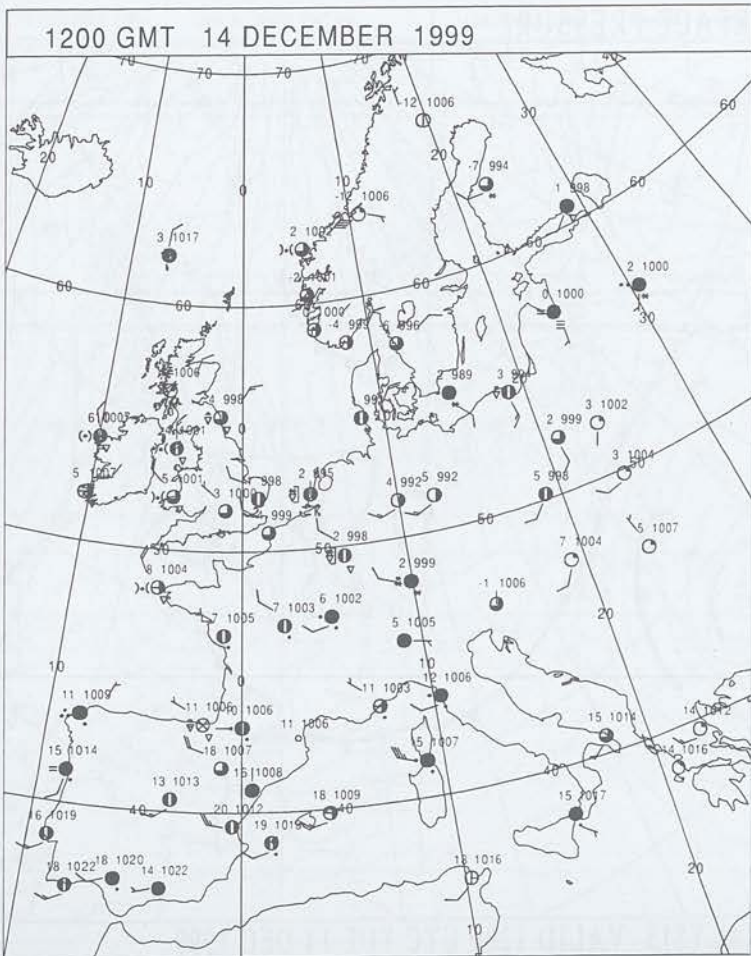
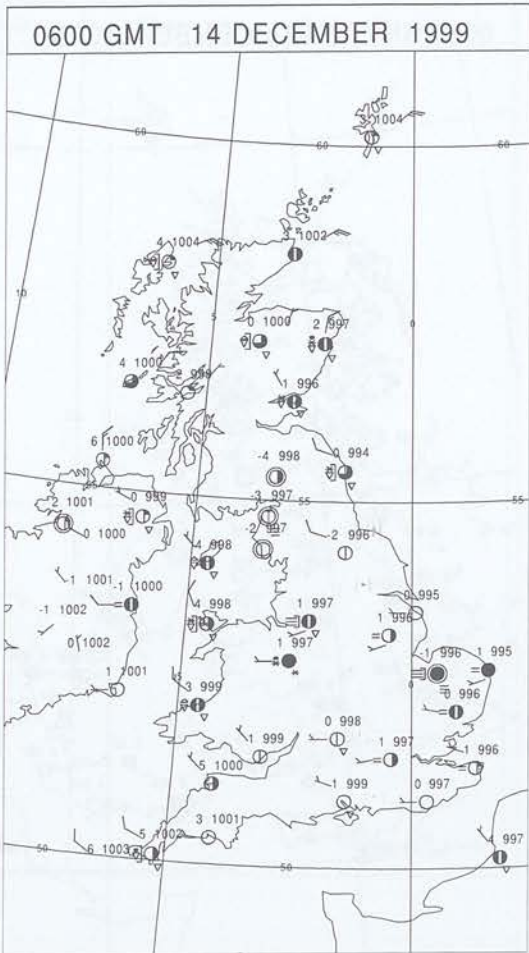
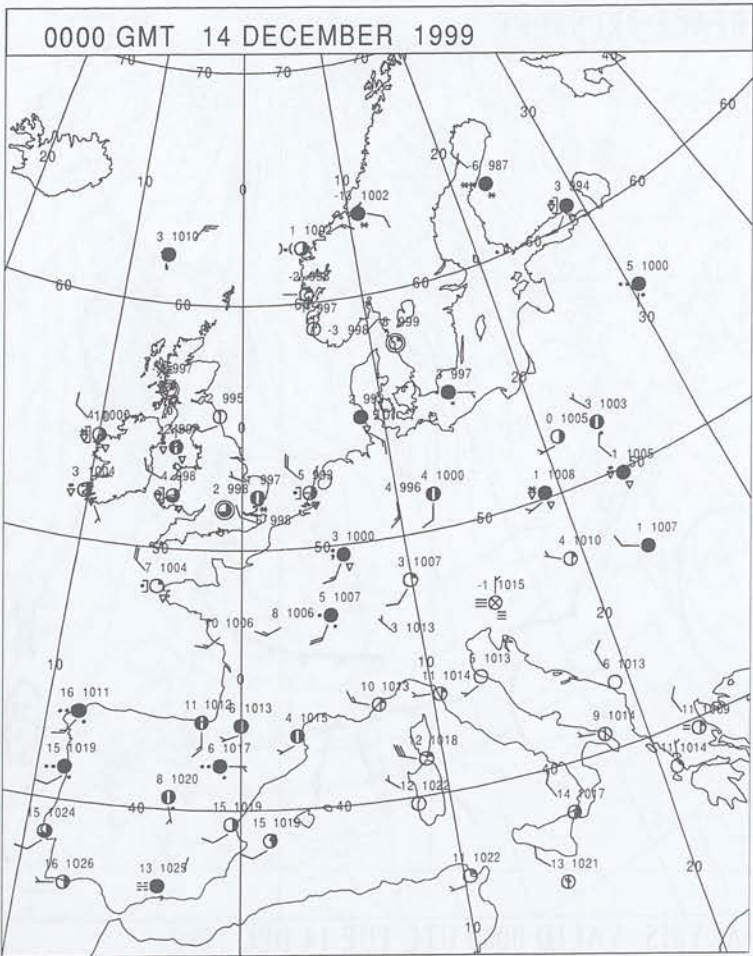


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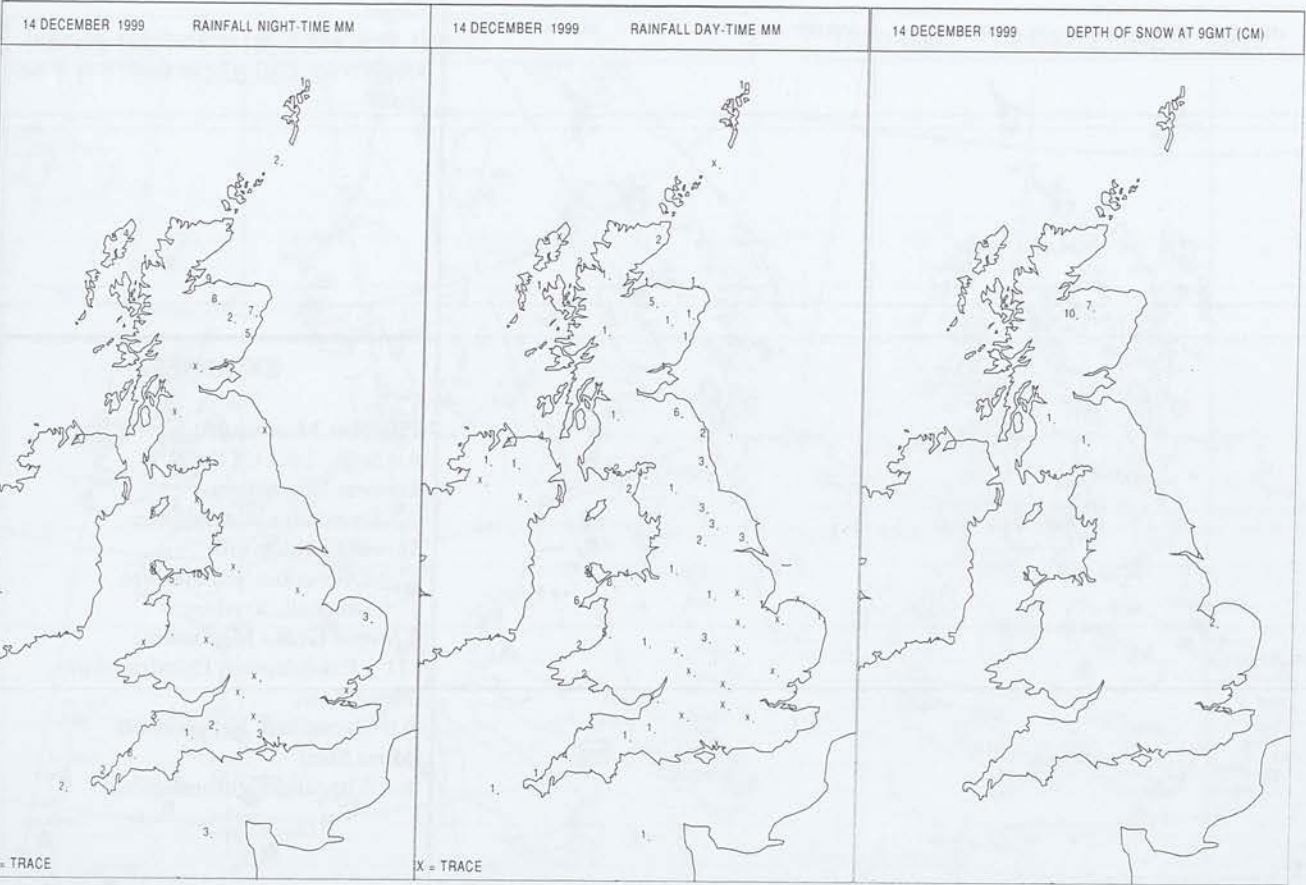
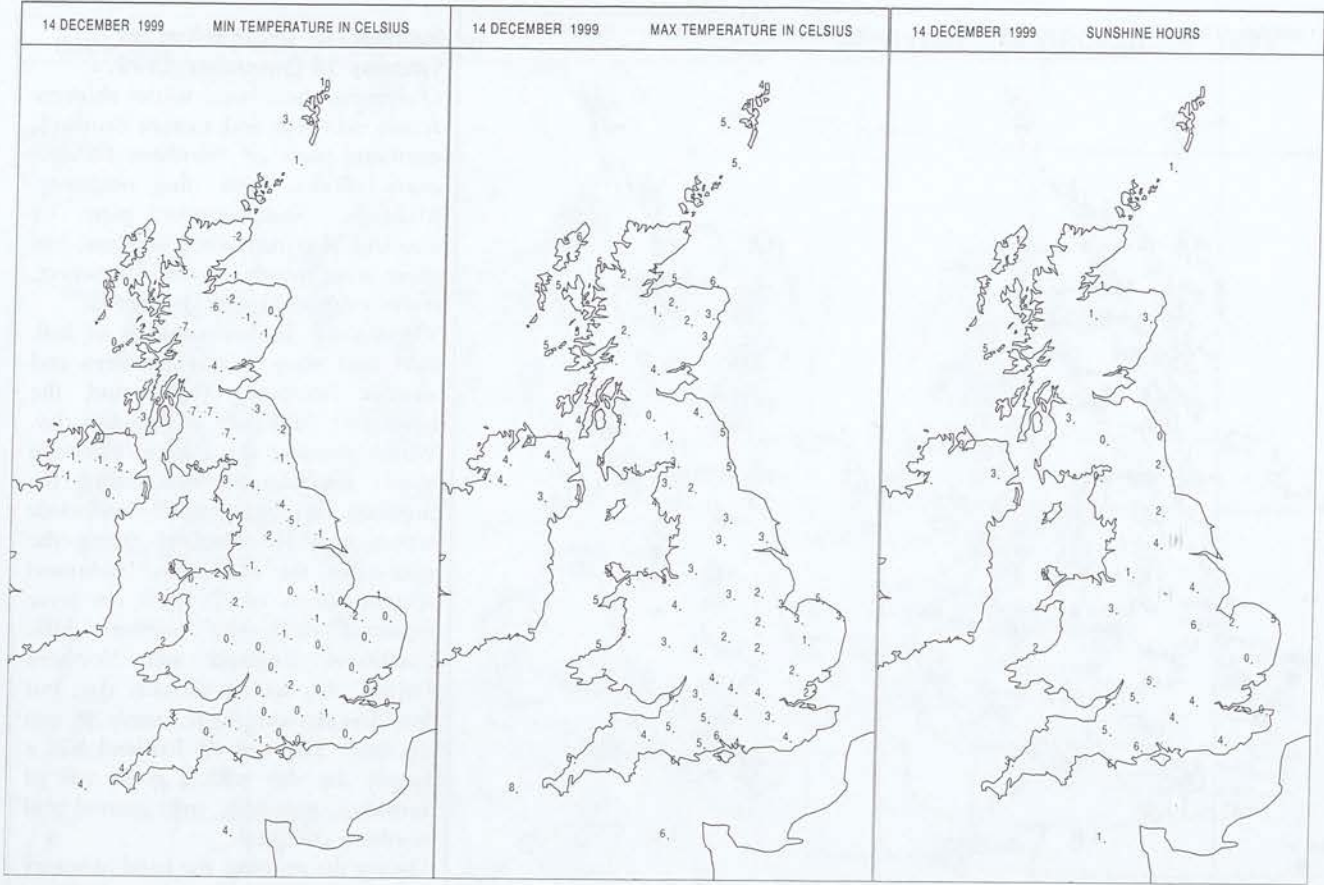
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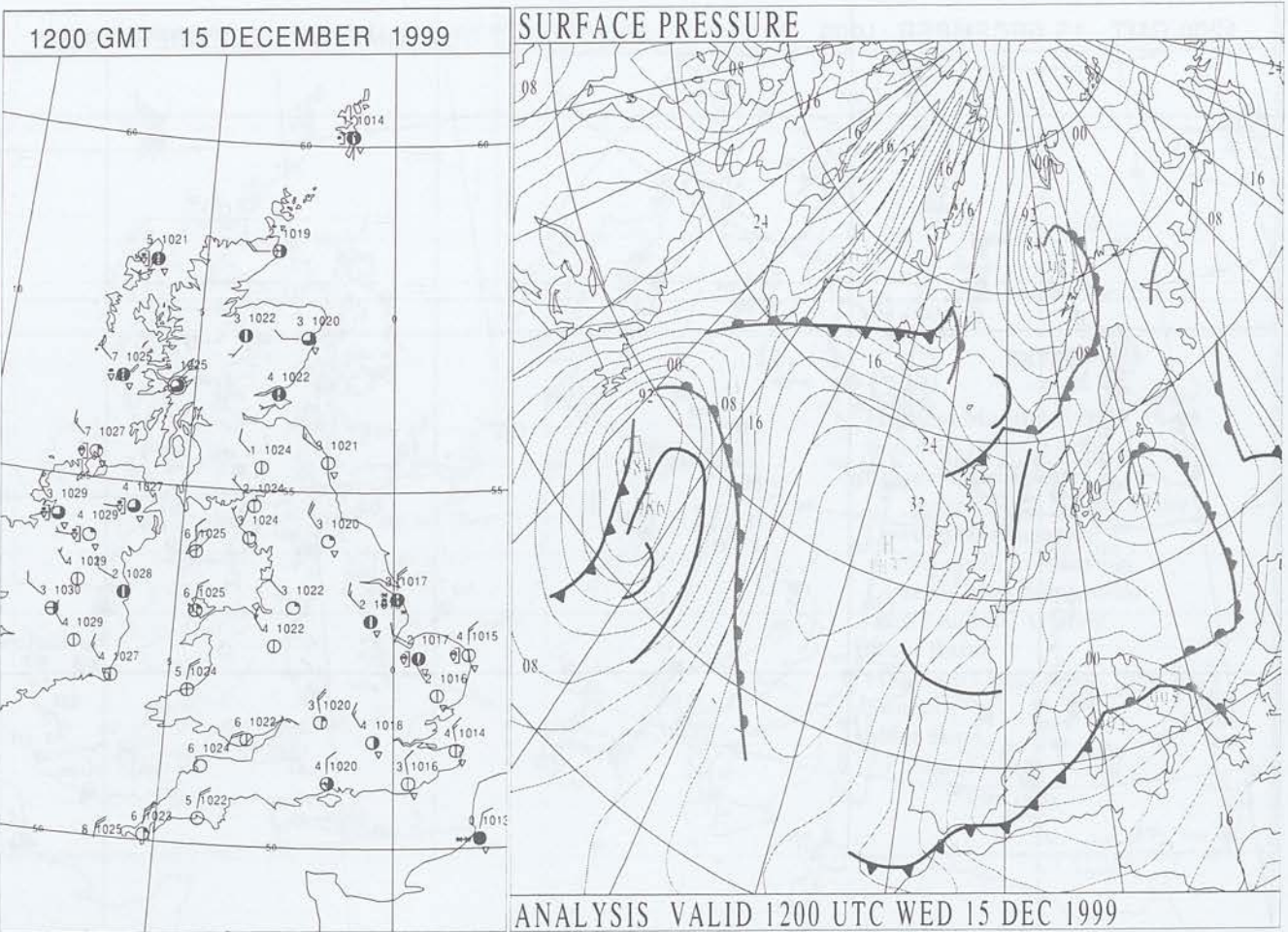
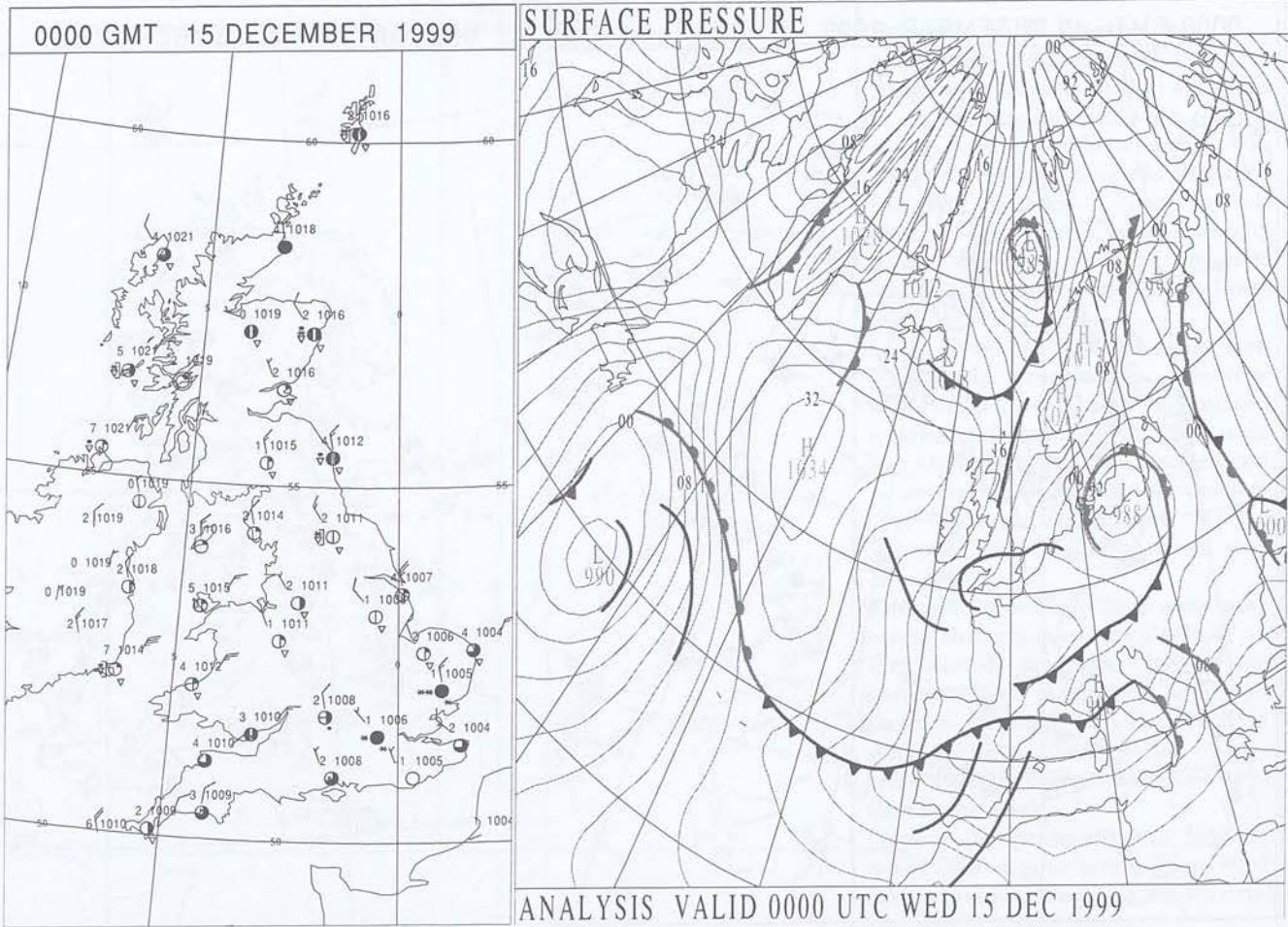
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0600 GMT 14 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 14 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Tuesday 14 December 1999.</p> <p>Overnight, there were wintry showers across northern and eastern Scotland, northern parts of Northern Ireland, north Wales, and the northwest Midlands. Southwestern parts of England also had some showers, but these were mostly of rain. Elsewhere, it was a dry night with clear spells.</p> <p>There were further showers of hail, sleet and snow across northern and eastern Scotland, Wales and the northwest Midlands during the day. Wintry showers also became extensive across southern Scotland during the morning, and these pushed southwards across northern England during the course of the afternoon. Additional accumulations of 2 to 5 cm were reported over the northern hills. Southwest England and Northern Ireland also had a showery day, but here the showers were mainly of rain or sleet. The rest of England had a largely dry day with a good deal of sunshine, especially over central and southern counties.</p> <p>During the evening, the band of wintry showers over northern England continued southwards to affect the Midlands and northern parts of East Anglia.</p> <p>It was generally rather cold or cold, locally very cold where there was lying snow.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 8.0 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 0.3 Drumalbin, Lanarkshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -7.9 Drumalbin, Lanarkshire -7.9 Saughall, Ayrshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -11.5 Eskdalemuir, Dumfriesshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 9.8 Charterhall, Berwickshire</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.4 Wittering, Cambridgeshire</p>

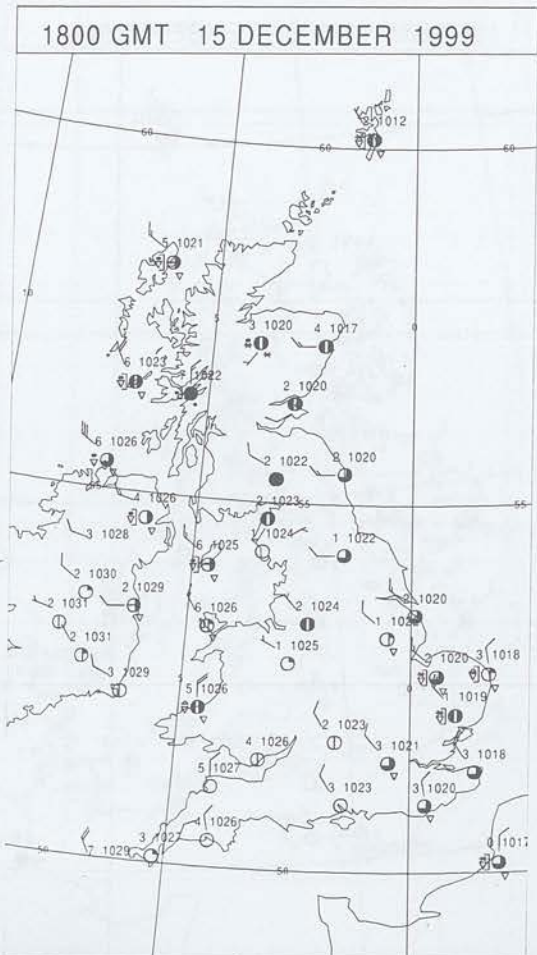
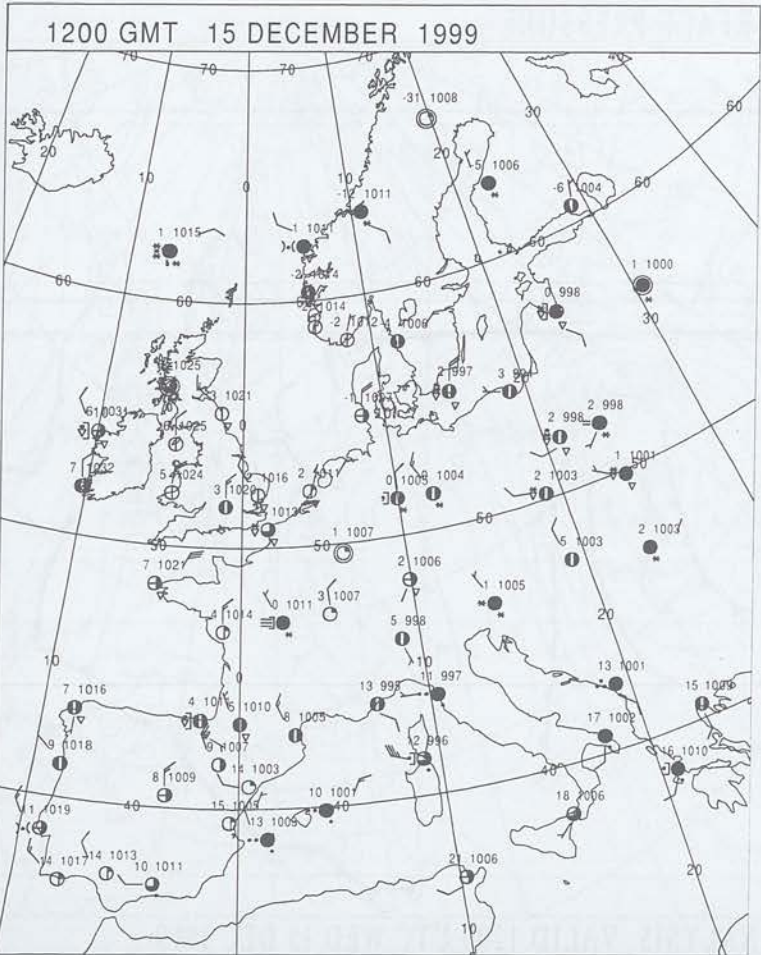
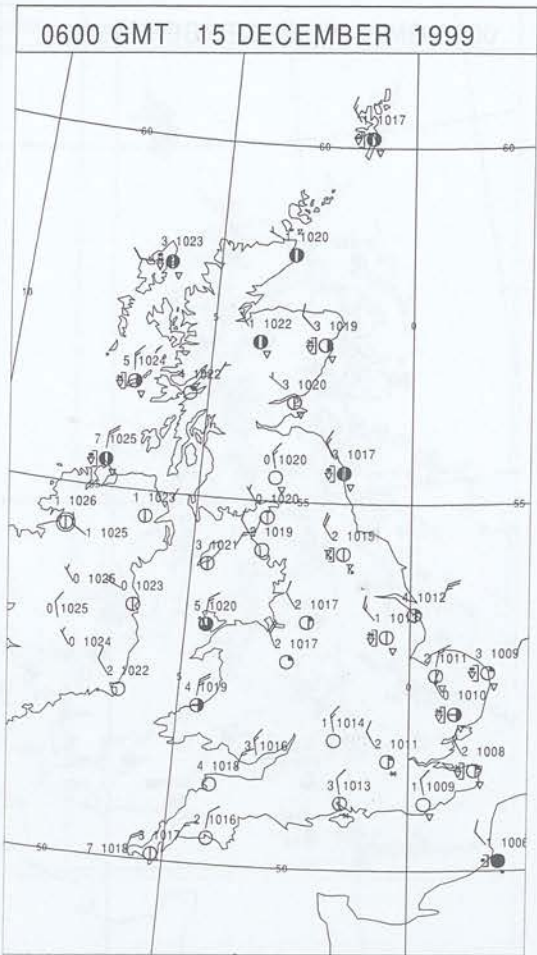
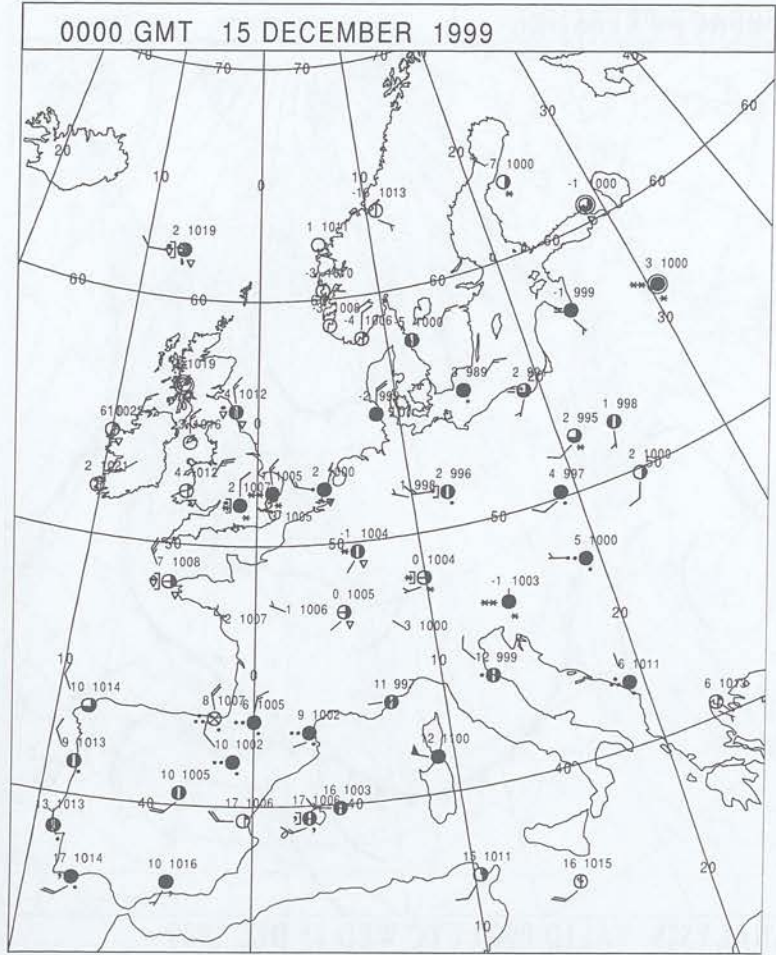
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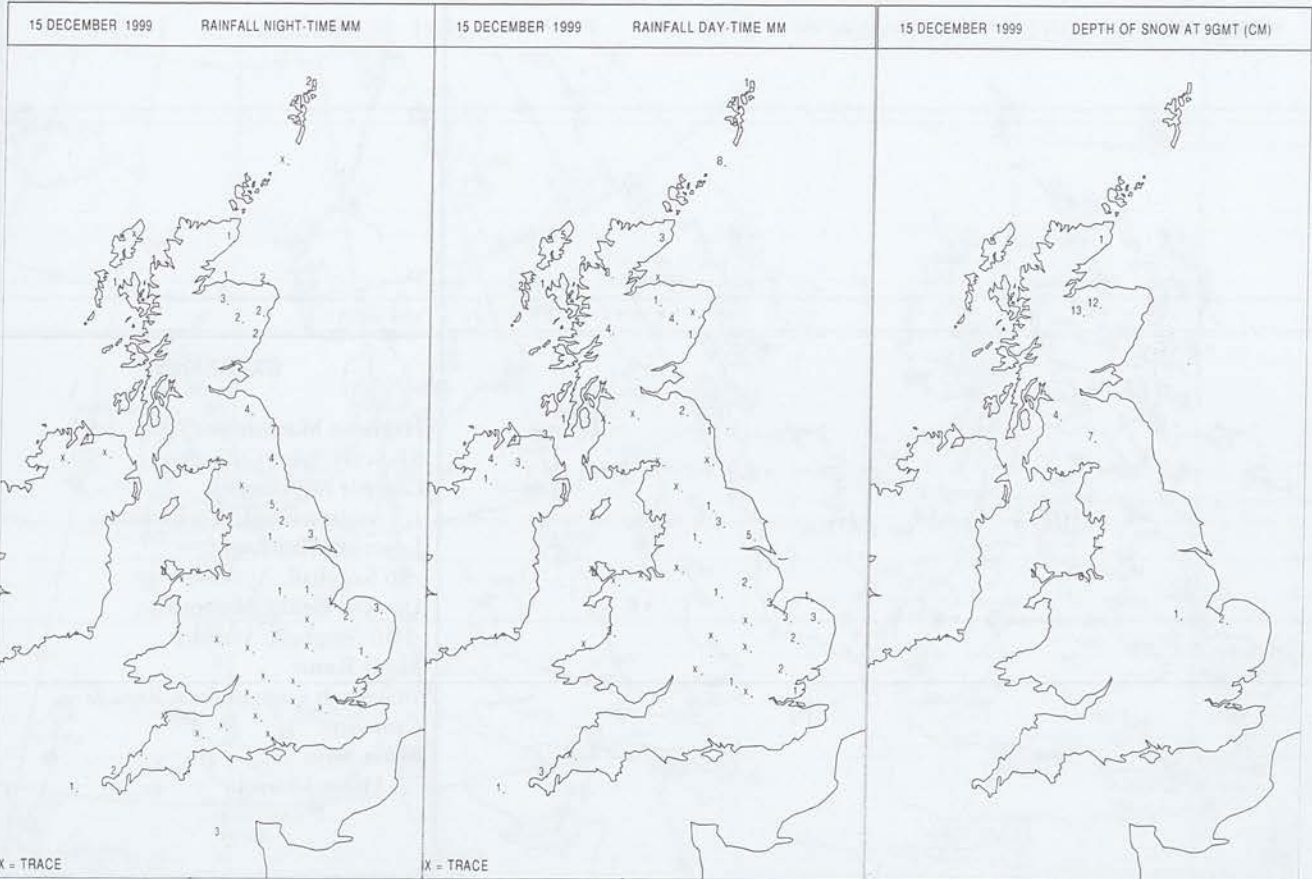
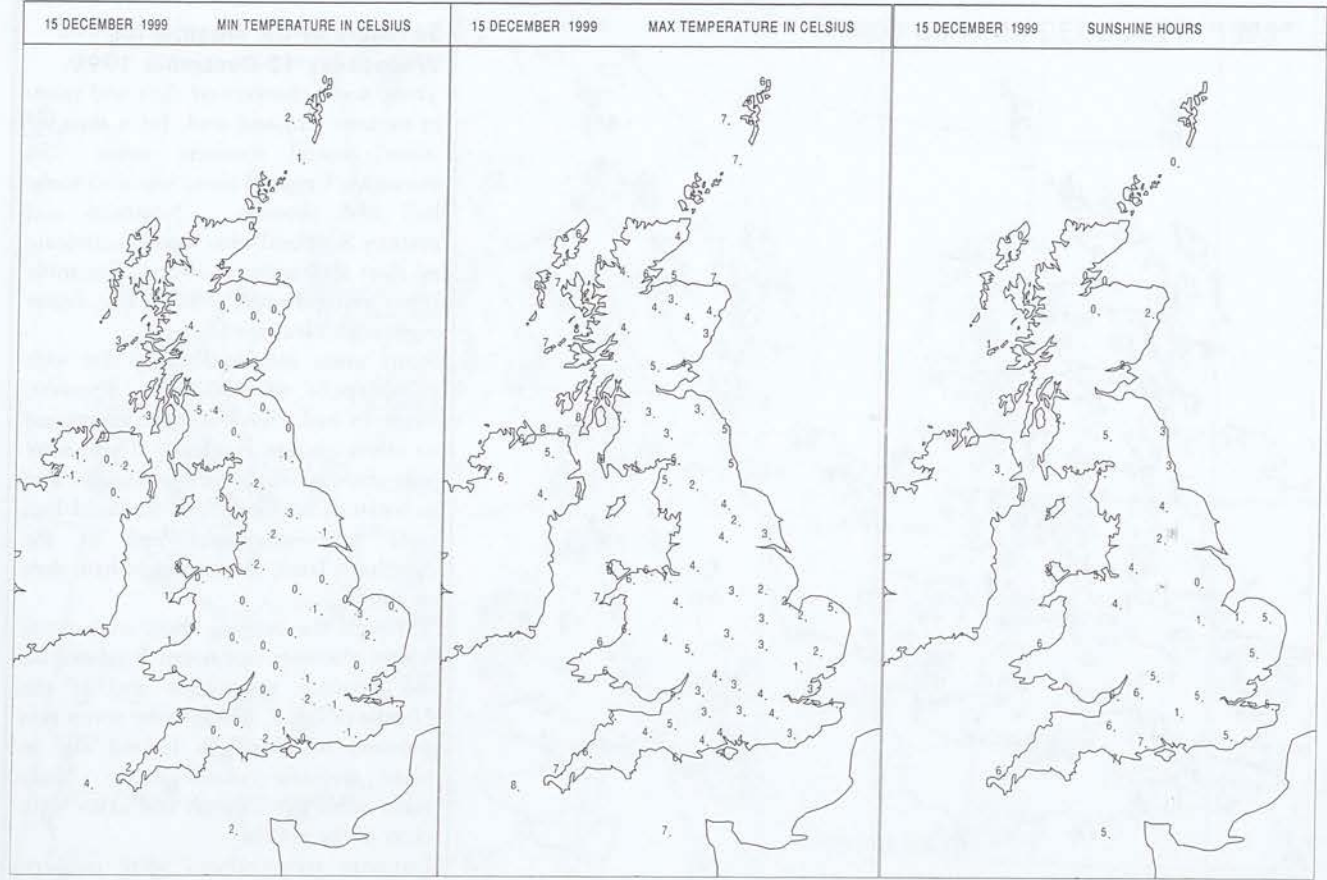
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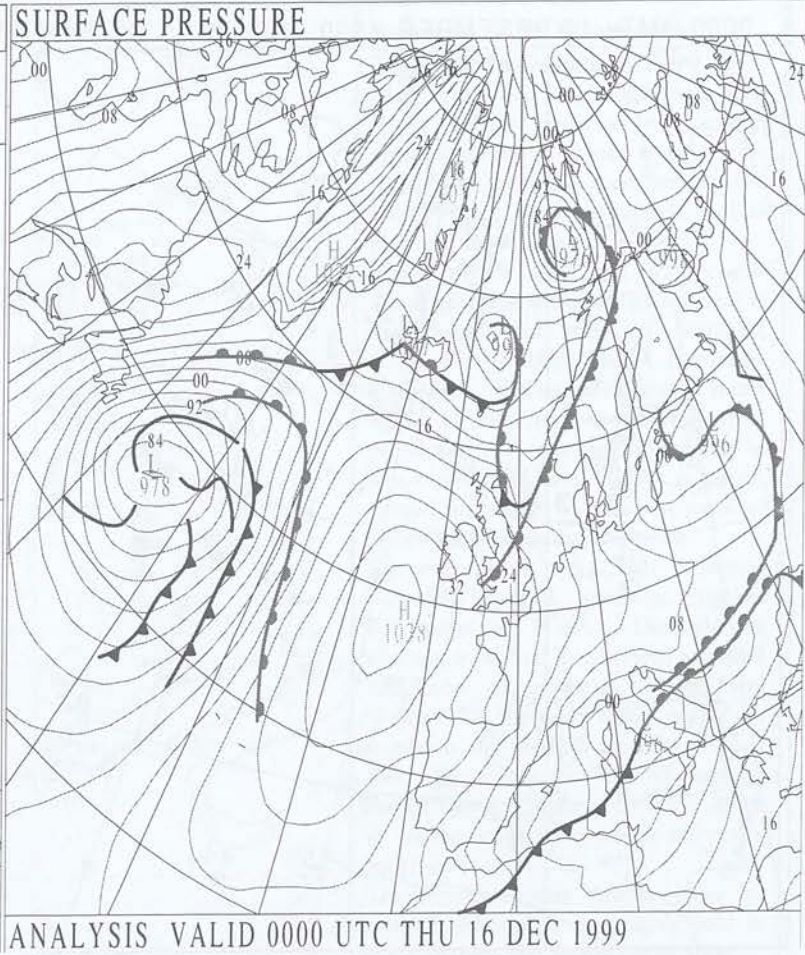
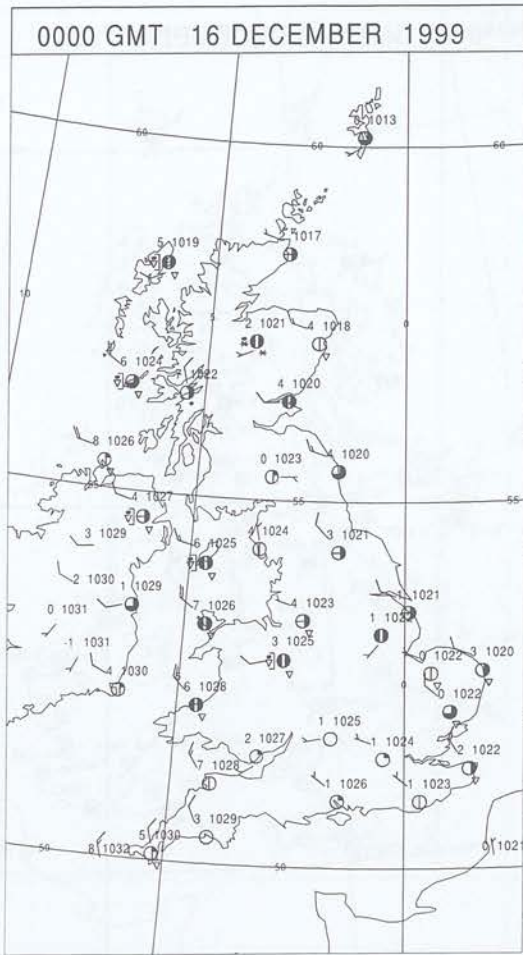
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0600 GMT 15 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 15 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Wednesday 15 December 1999.</p> <p>There were showers of sleet and snow in eastern England and, for a time, in some central southern areas. In northeast England there was also some hail and thunder. Northern and eastern Scotland also saw a scattering of sleet and snow showers. For most other areas though it was a dry, frosty night with clear spells.</p> <p>Many areas also had a dry day with good spells of sunshine. Showers, often of hail, sleet or snow, continued to affect eastern England. There were rain showers in Northern Ireland and in western and northern Scotland but, over the mountains and in the Northern Isles, these were of hail, sleet or snow.</p> <p>Through the evening there were more wintry showers in eastern England, on the Scottish mountains and in the Northern Isles. There were some rain showers in Northern Ireland and in some western coastal areas. Many areas were dry though and skies were clear in the south.</p> <p>Daytime temperatures were cold or rather cold in most areas. There were close to normal though in the Western Isles and in coastal fringes.</p>
1800 GMT 15 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 16 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 8.6 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 1.7 Andrewsfield, Warwickshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -5.6 Saughall, Ayrshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -10.6 Saughall, Ayrshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 14.0 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</p> <p>Most Sun: 7.3 Hurn, Dorset</p>

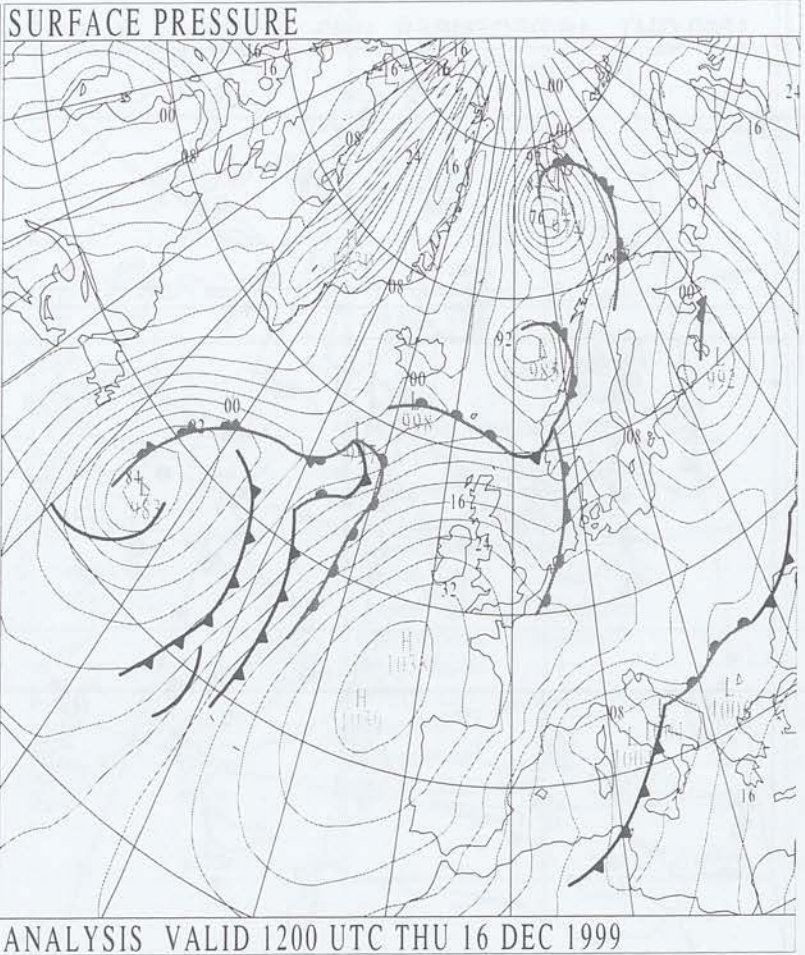
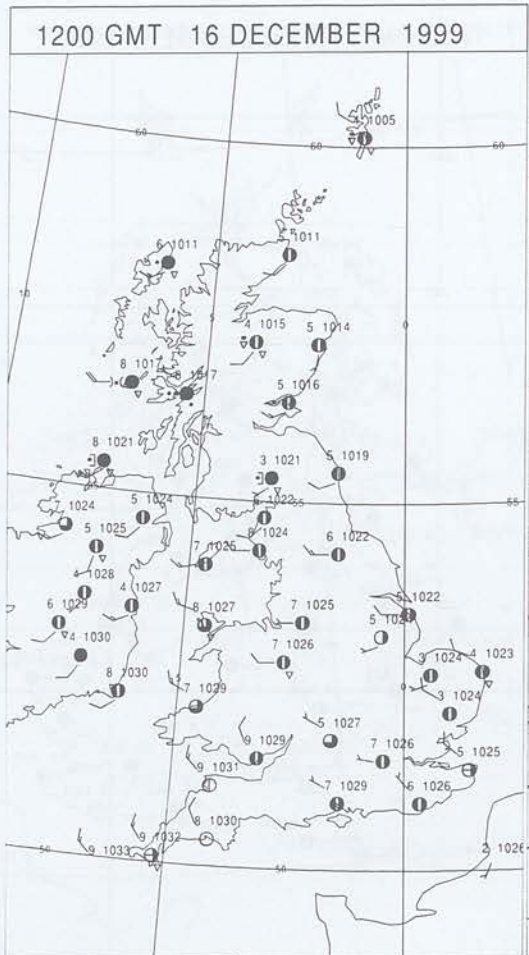
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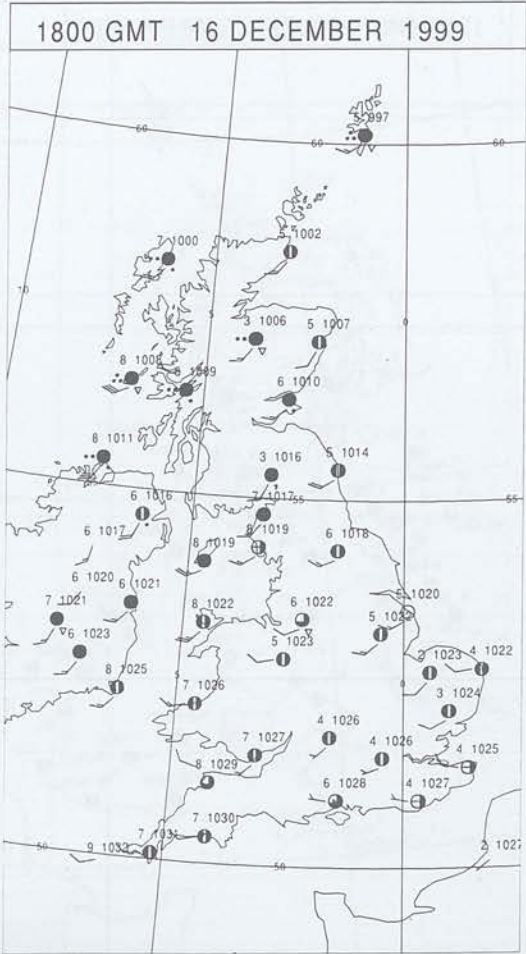
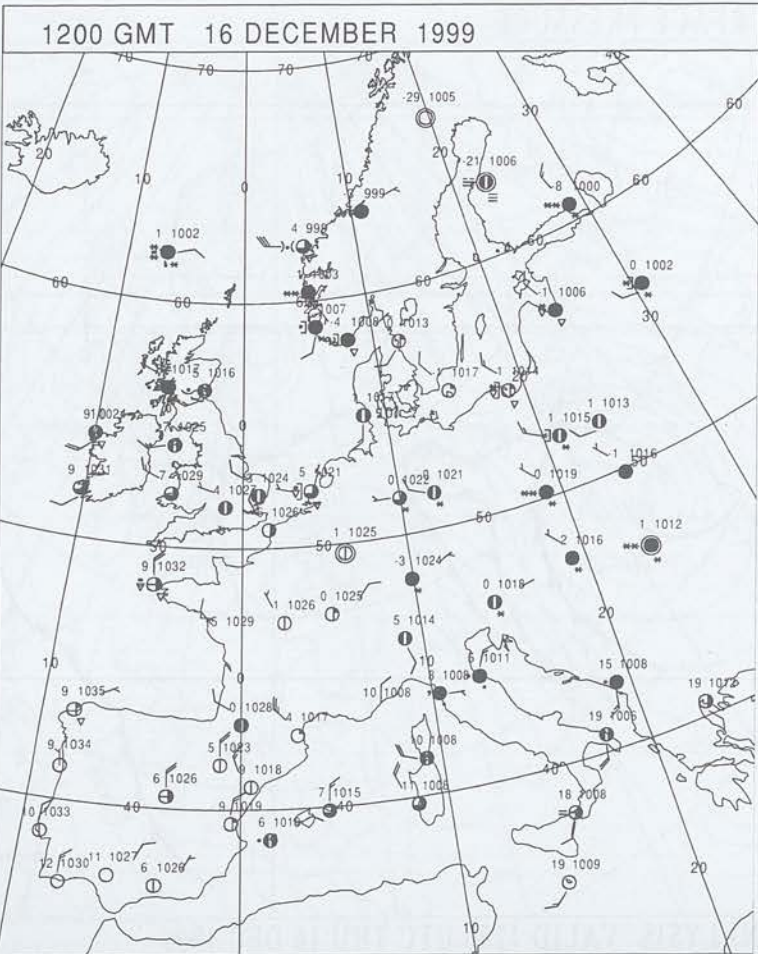
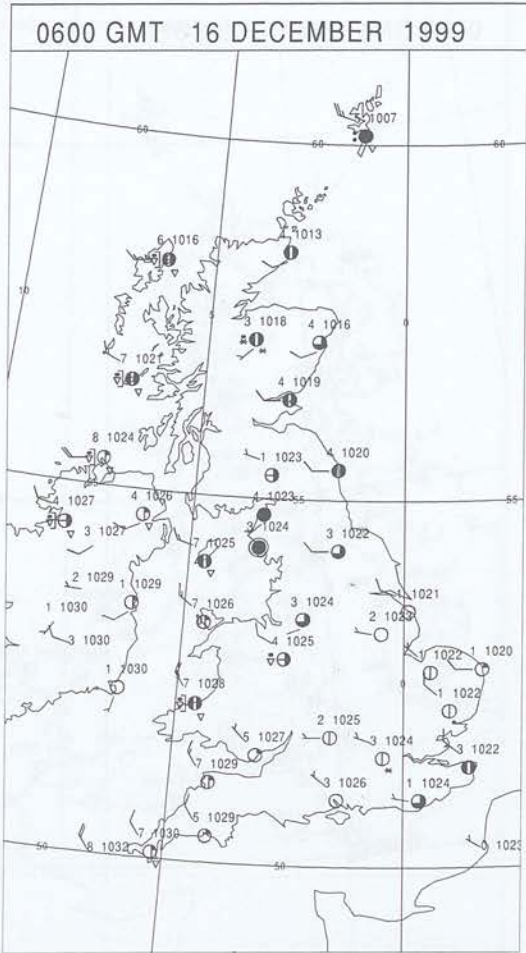
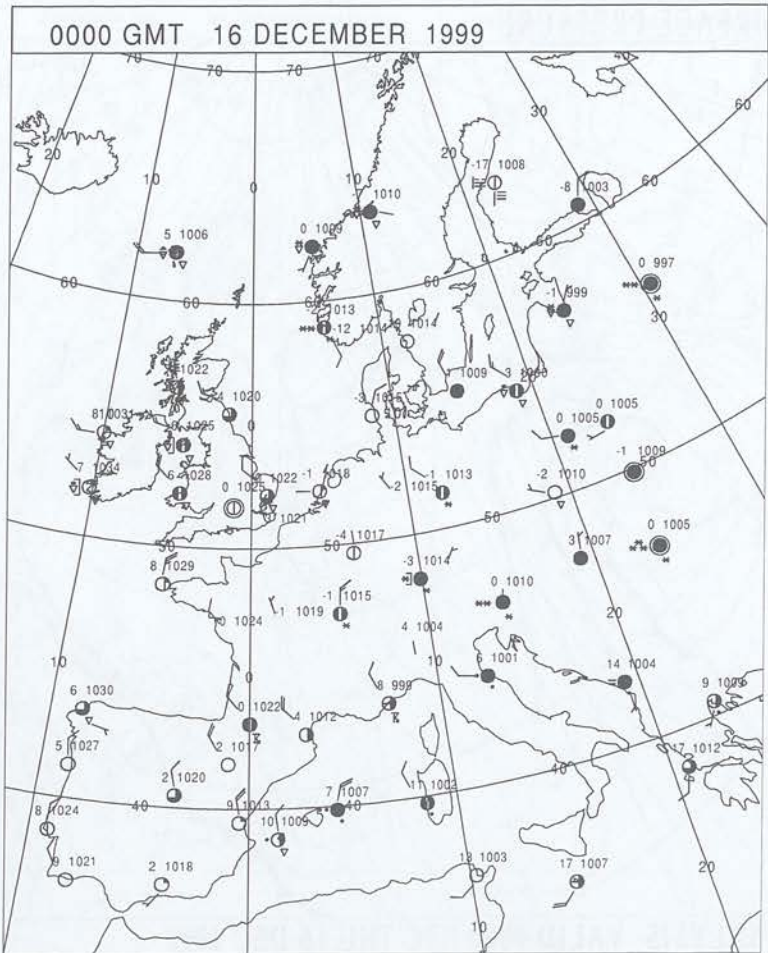


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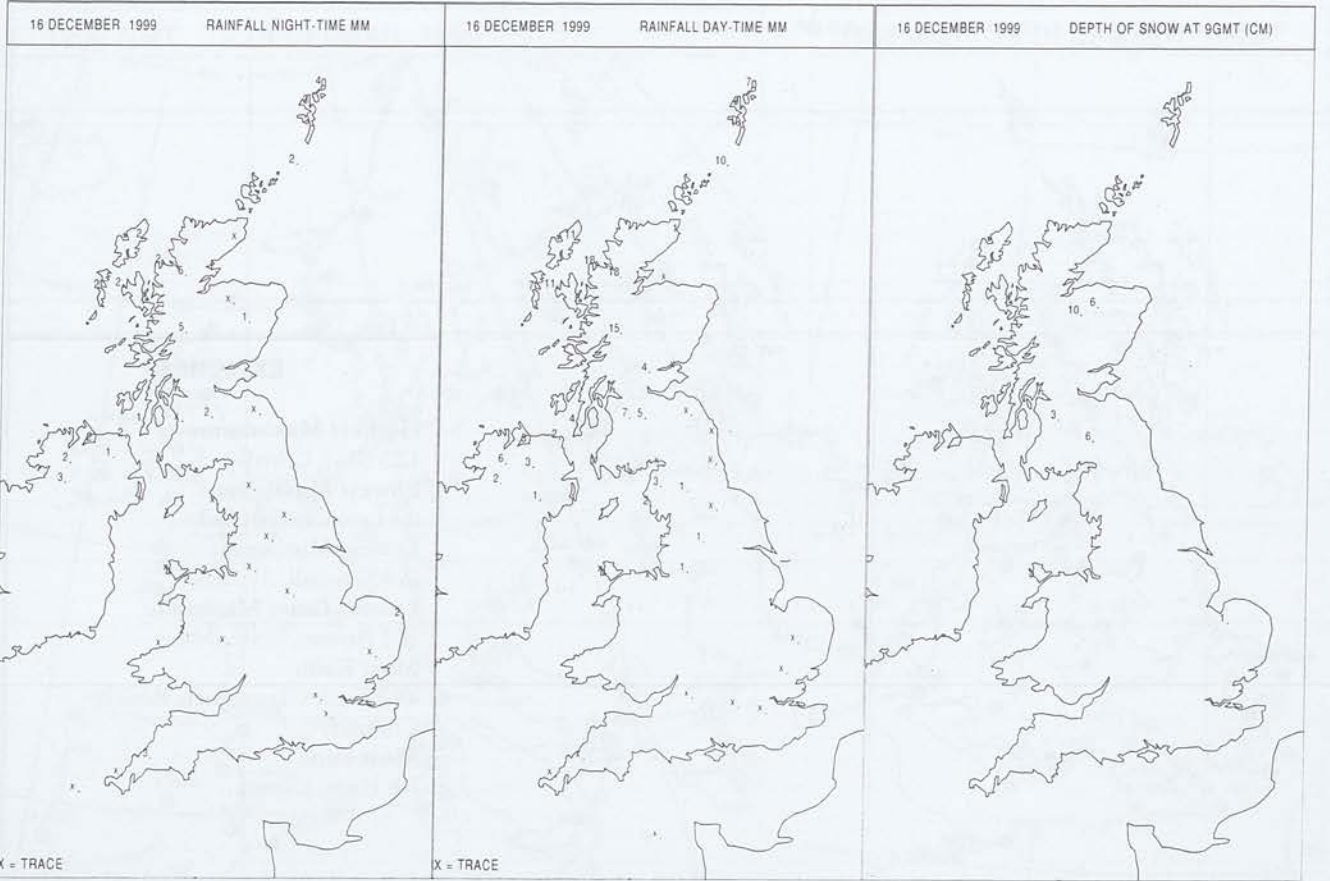
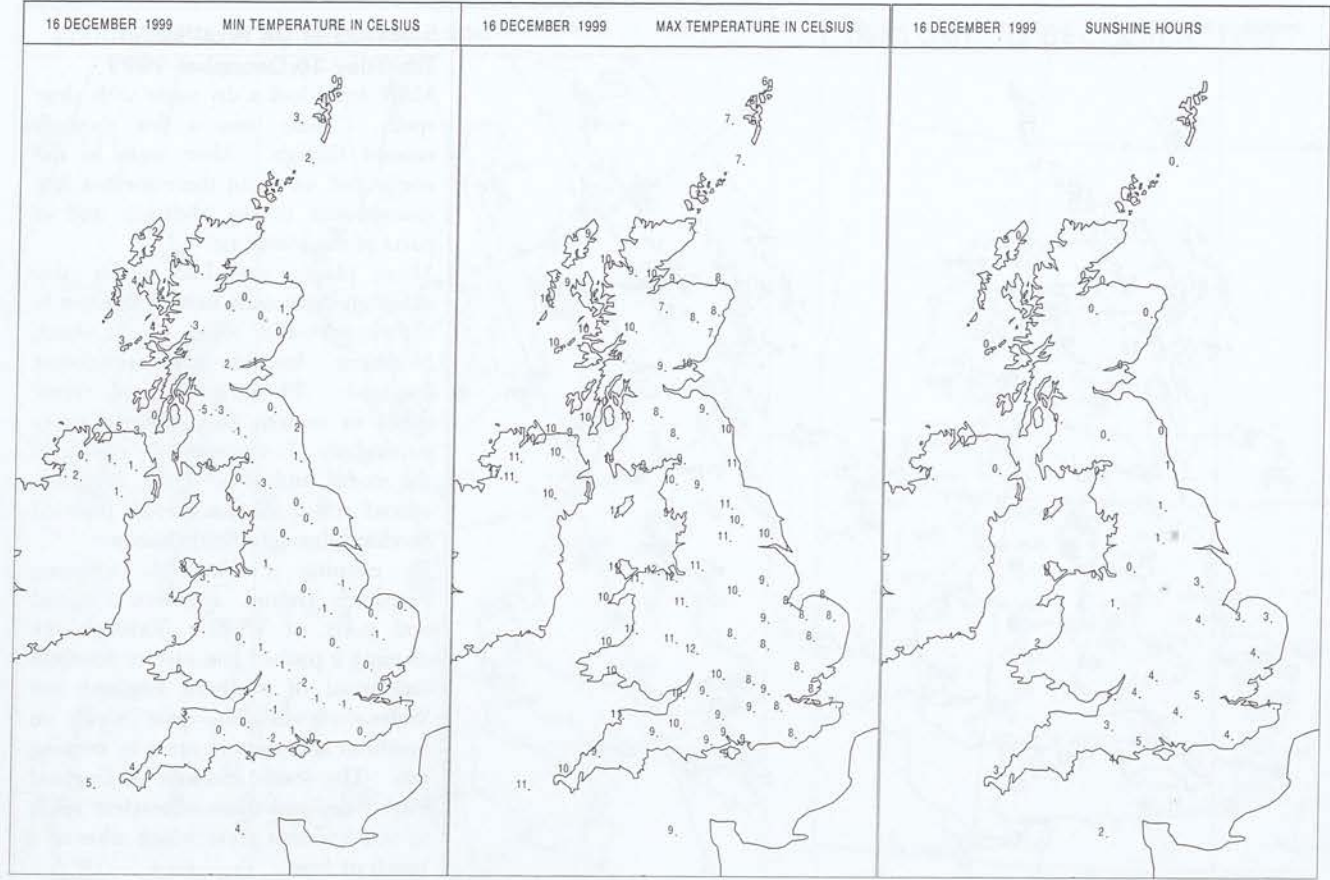
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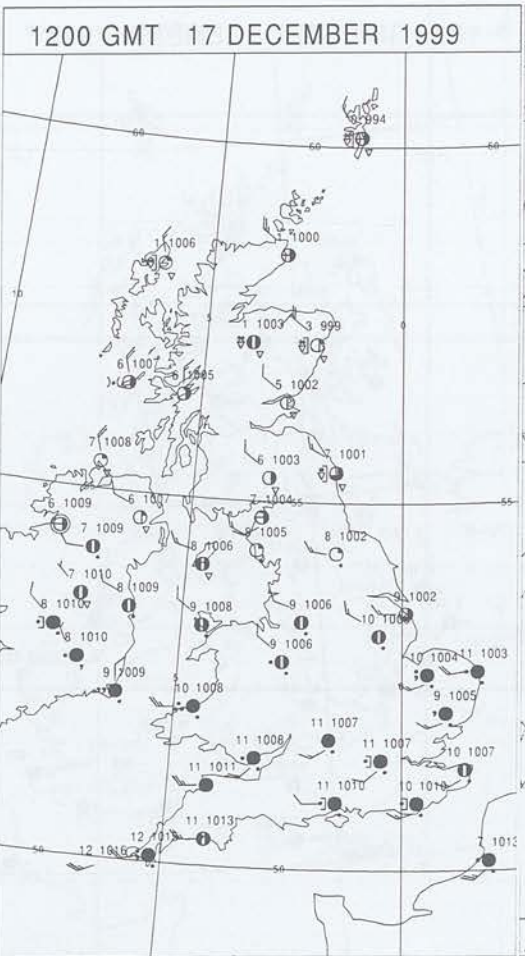
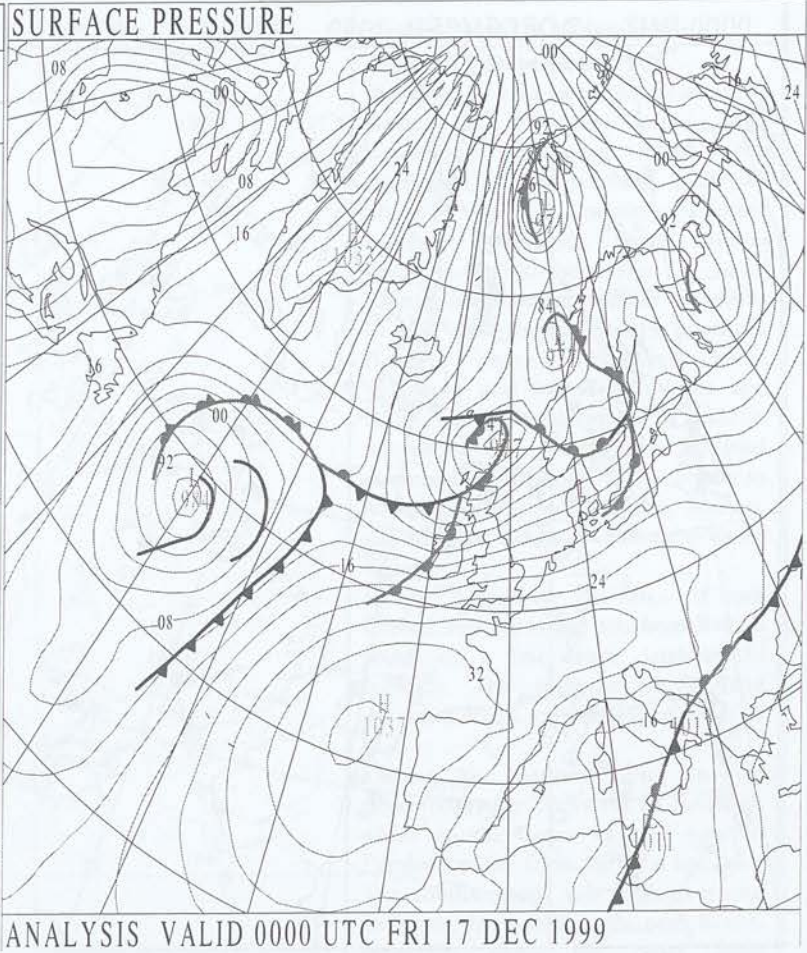
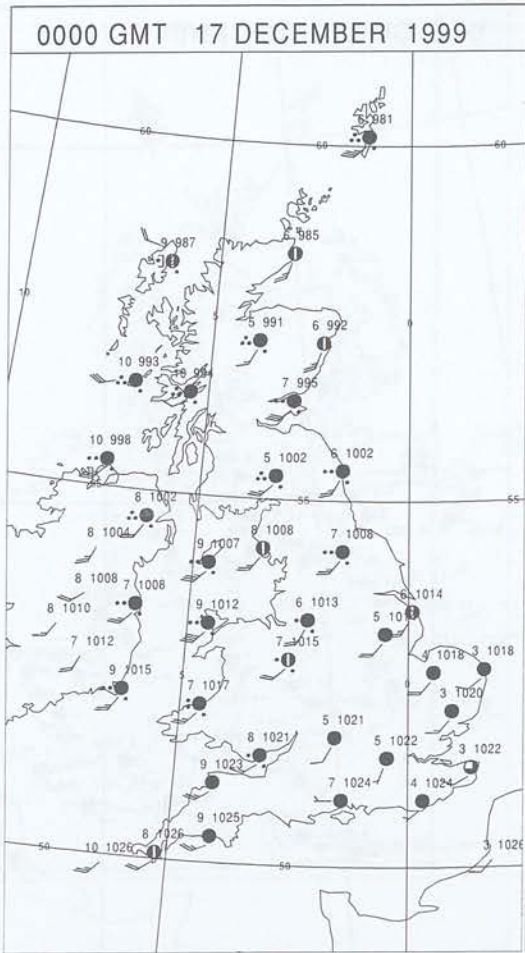
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1800 GMT 16 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 17 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	
				<div>EXTREMES</div> <div>Highest Maximum: 12.3 Rhyl, Clwyd</div> <div>Lowest Maximum: 6.4 Lerwick, Shetland</div> <div>Lowest Minimum: -5.9 Saughall, Ayrshire</div> <div>Lowest Grass Minimum: -8.2 Benson, Oxfordshire</div> <div>Most Rain: 49.2 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</div> <div>Most Sun: 5.6 Hurn, Dorset</div>

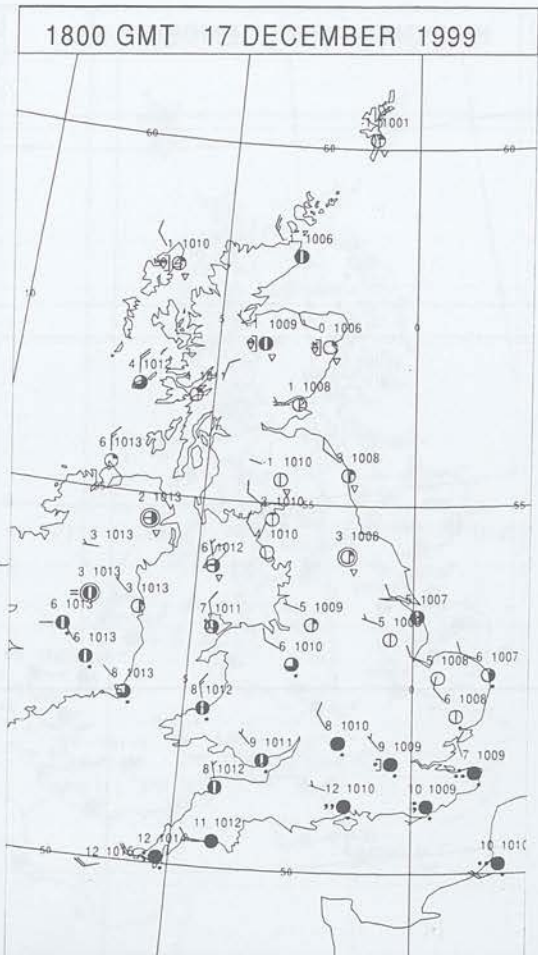
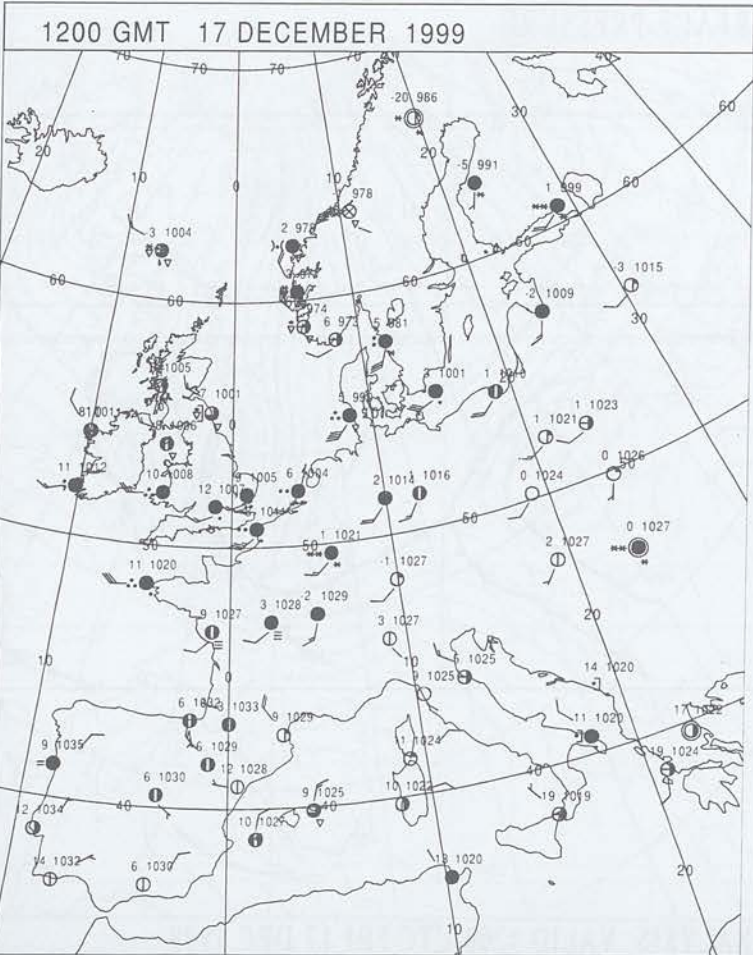
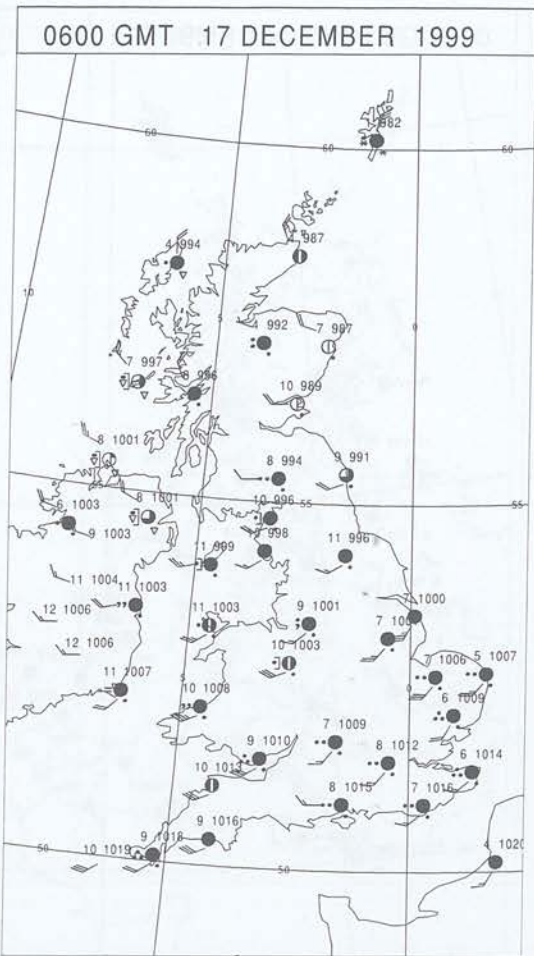
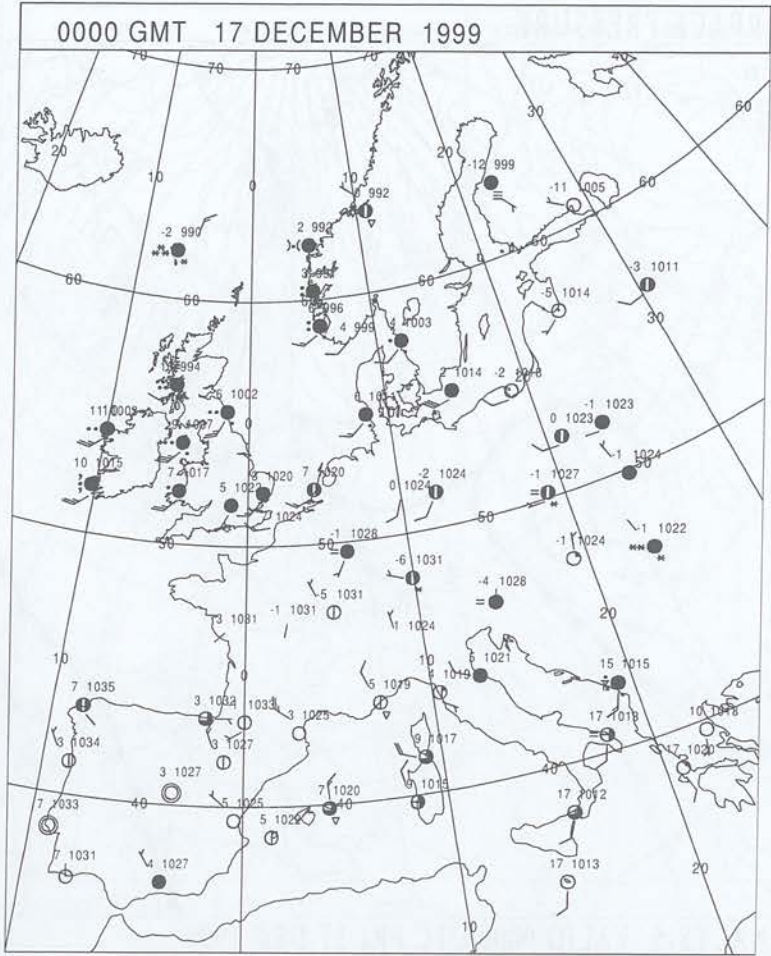
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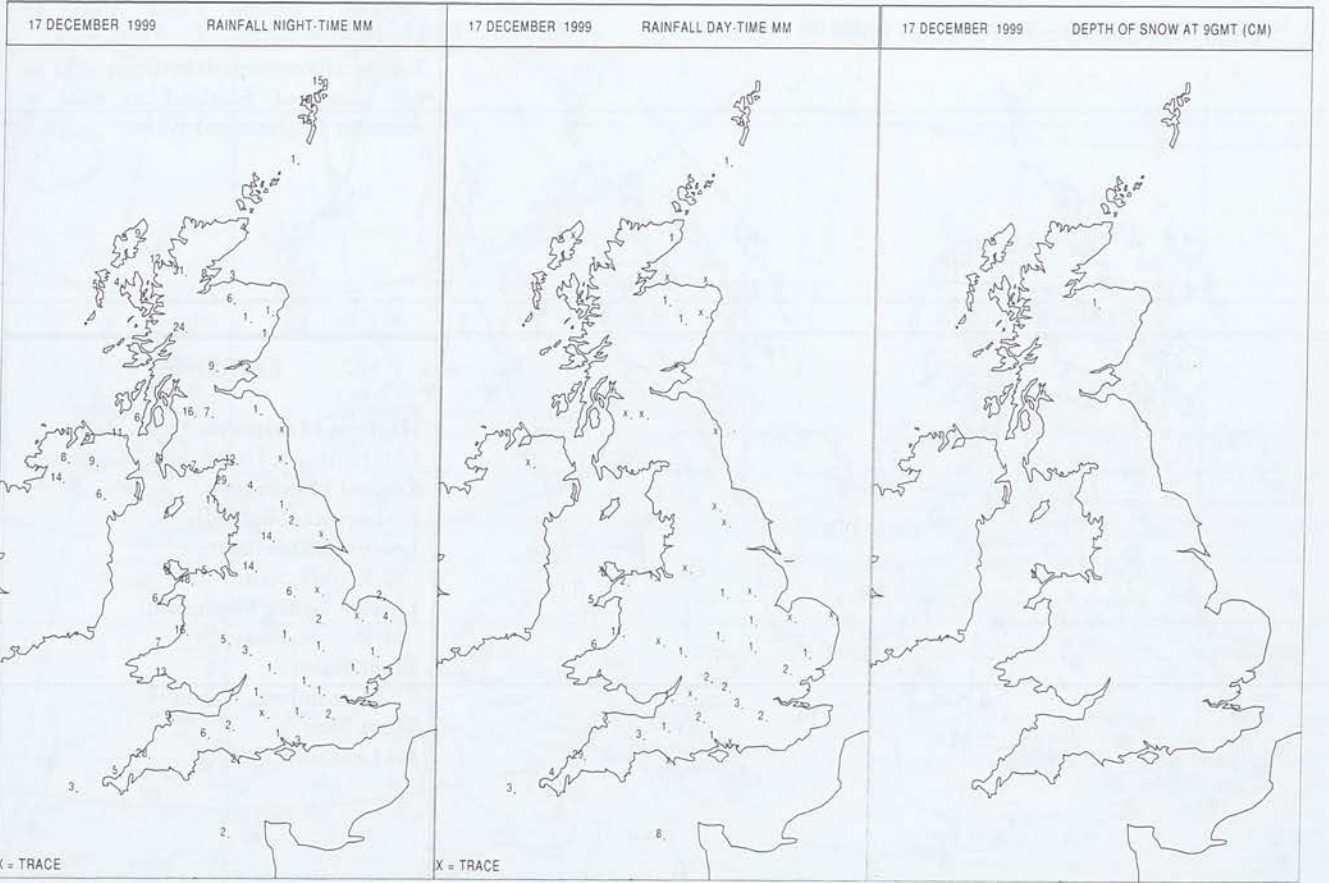
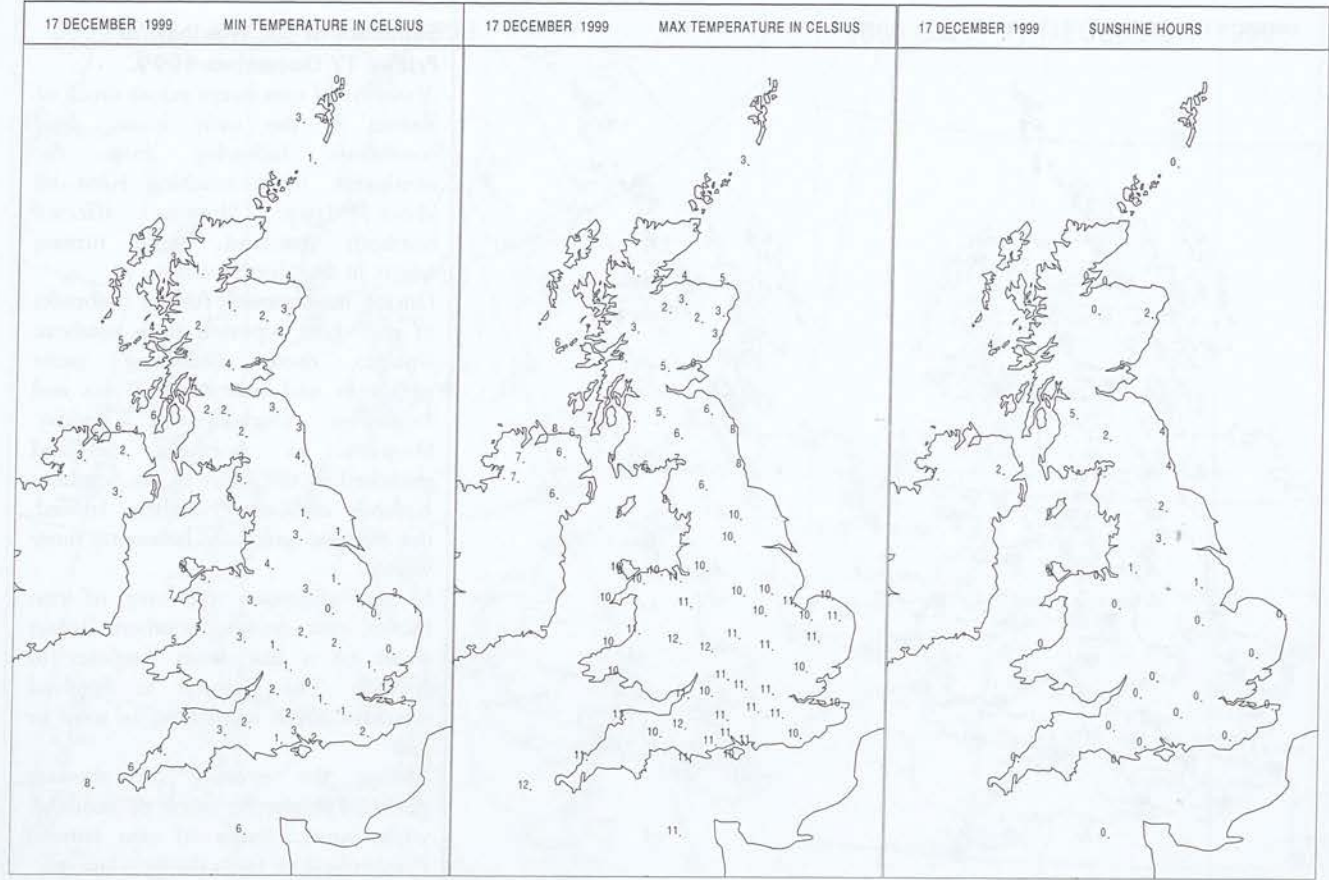
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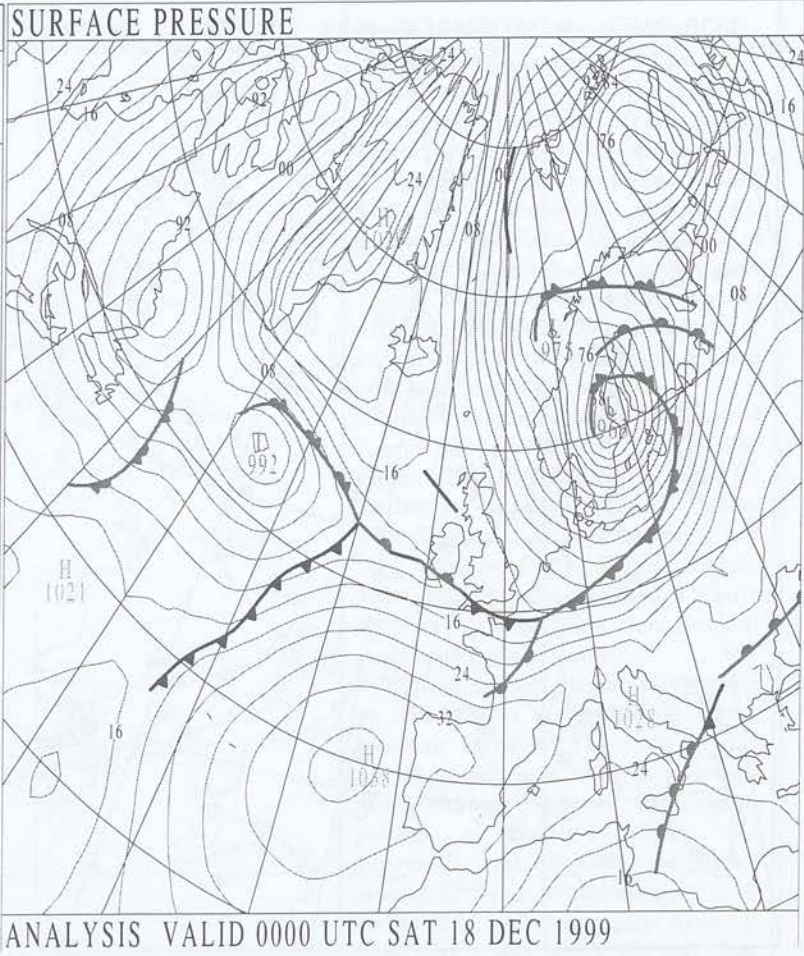
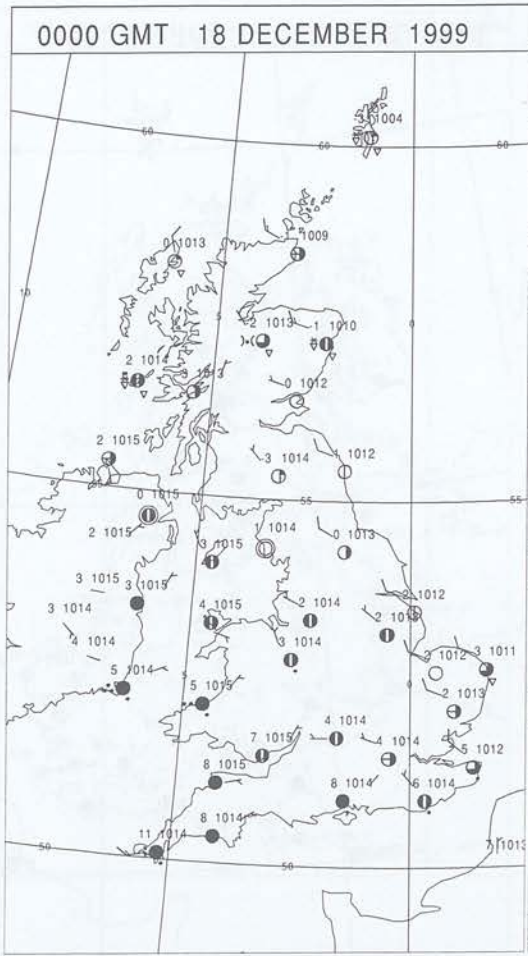
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0600 GMT 17 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 17 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Friday 17 December 1999.</p> <p>A swathe of rain swept across much of Britain in the early hours, drier conditions following from the northwest, these reaching Kent by about dawn. Showers affected northern Scotland, these turning wintry in the Northern Isles.</p> <p>During the morning further outbreaks of rain were reported from southern Britain, these becoming more persistent and heavier in Wales and southwest England by midday. Showers in northern Scotland stretched as far south as the Southern Uplands and into Northern Ireland, the showers gradually becoming more wintry.</p> <p>In the afternoon the area of rain moved east, crossing southern Britain south of a line from Anglesey to Ipswich. The showers in Scotland retreated north, most being of snow or hail.</p> <p>During the evening the showers persisted in the far north of Scotland, while another area of rain entered Pembrokeshire from the west late on.</p> <p>The southwesterly was fresh to strong and gusty for a time in the early hours, especially along the coast from Anglesey, around Lands End, to Dover.</p> <p>Temperatures varied between cold in the north of Scotland to mild in southern England and Wales.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 12.9 Pershore, Hereford & Worcester</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 1.0 Lerwick, Shetland</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -1.3 Redhill, Surrey</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -4.1 Redhill, Surrey</p> <p>Most Rain: 47.2 Cardinham, Cornwall</p> <p>Most Sun: 5.4 Leuchars, Fife</p>

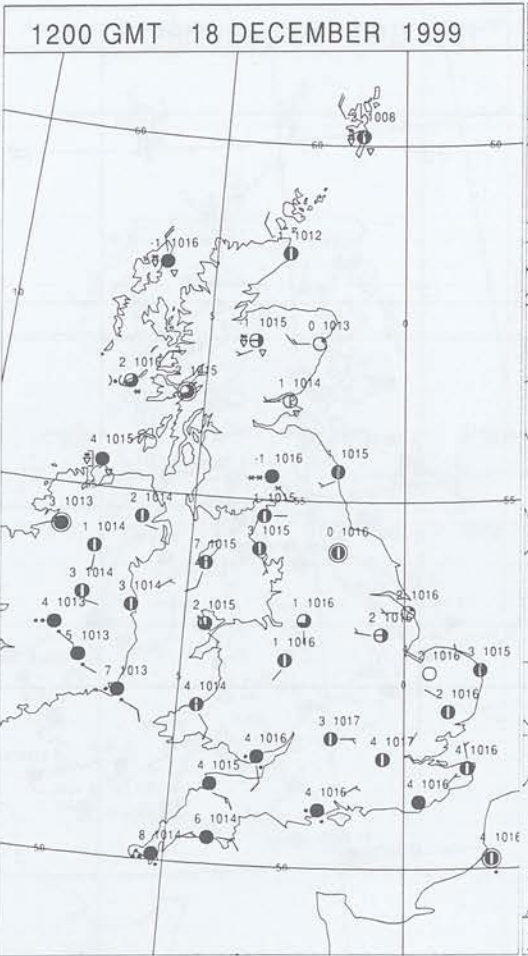
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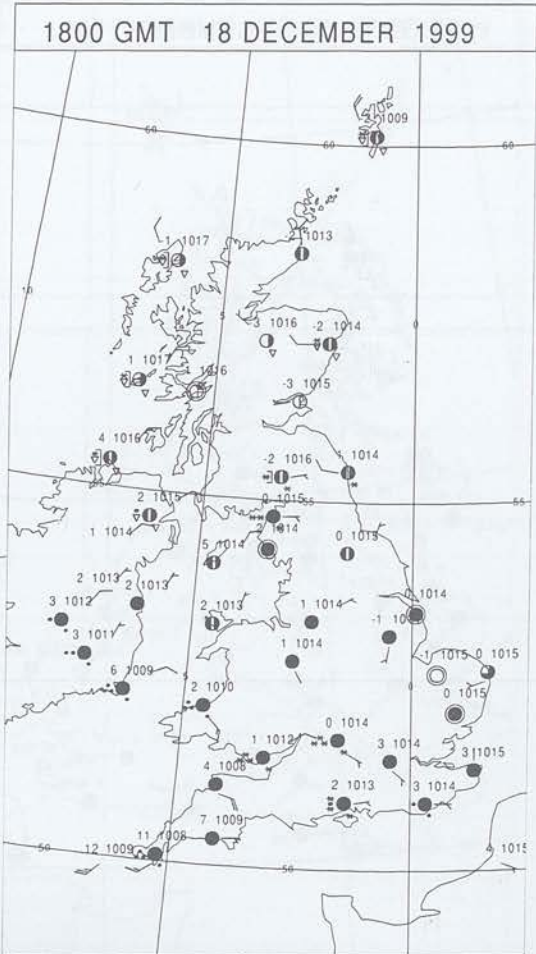
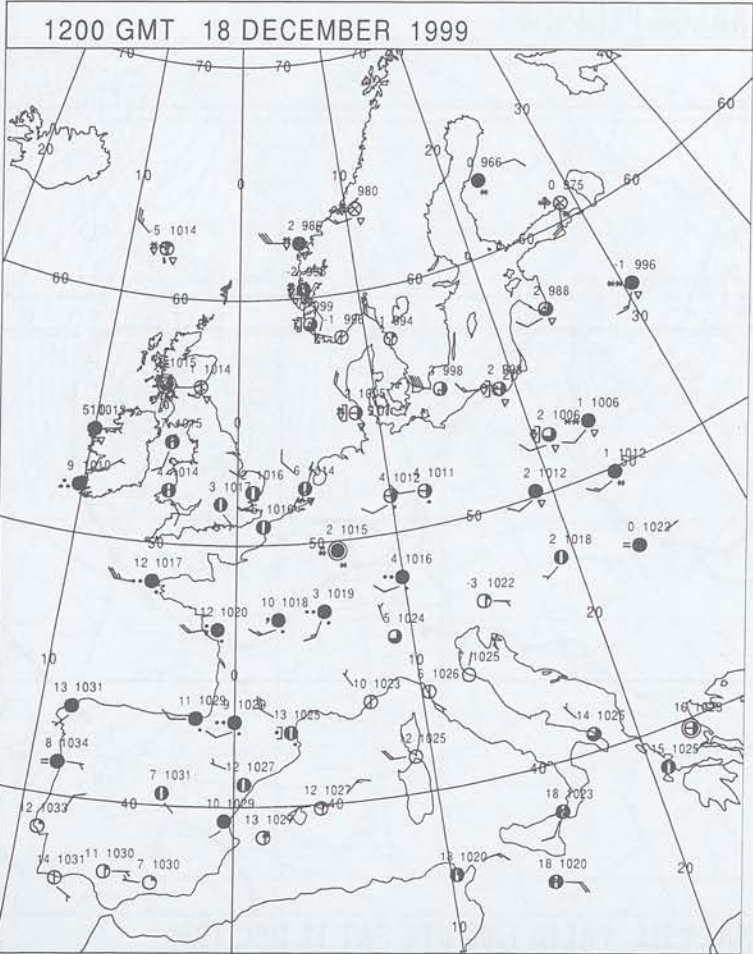
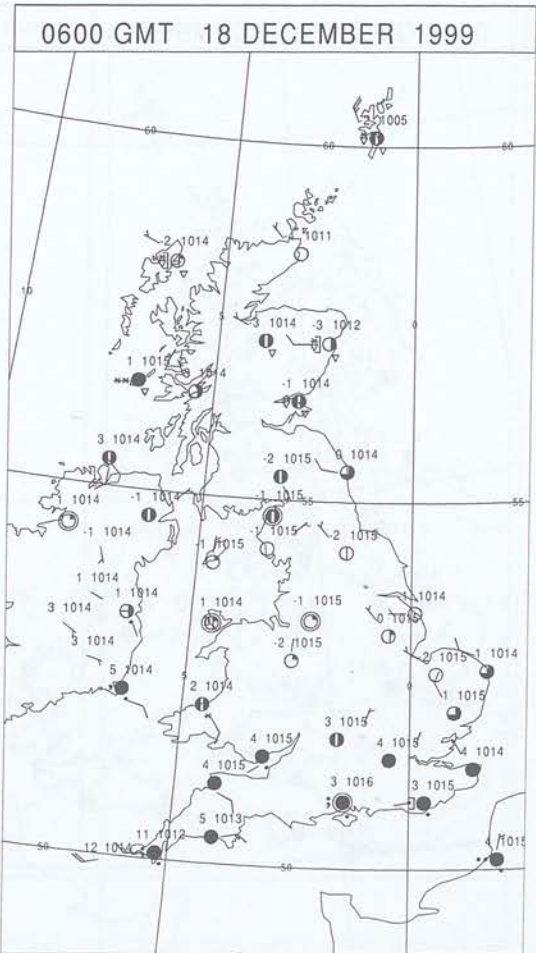
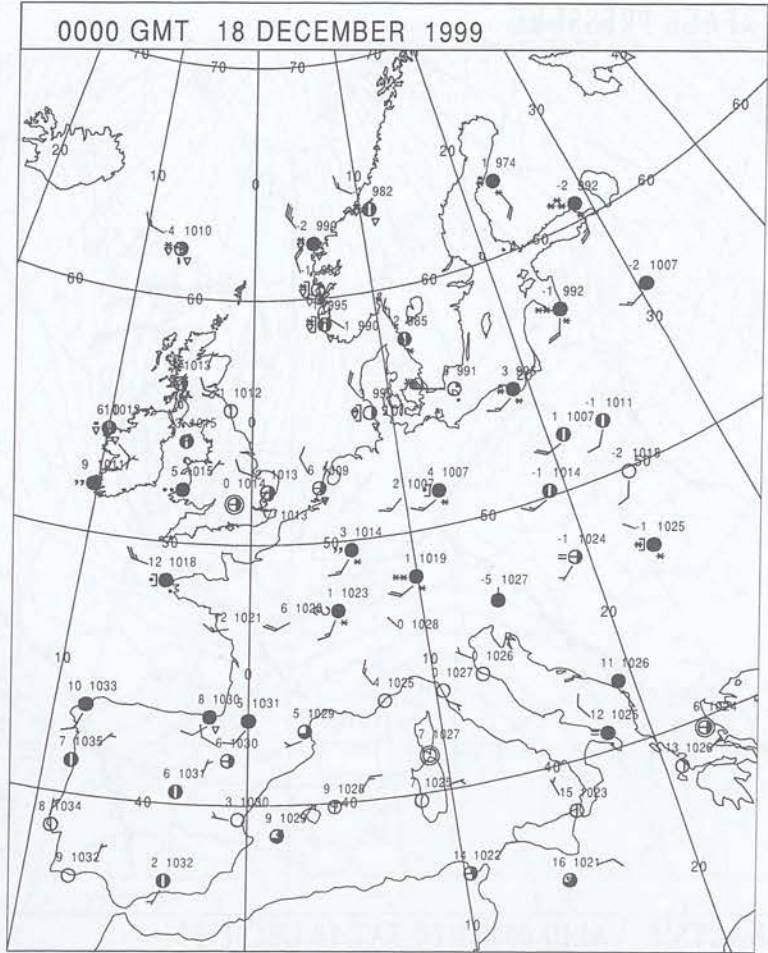


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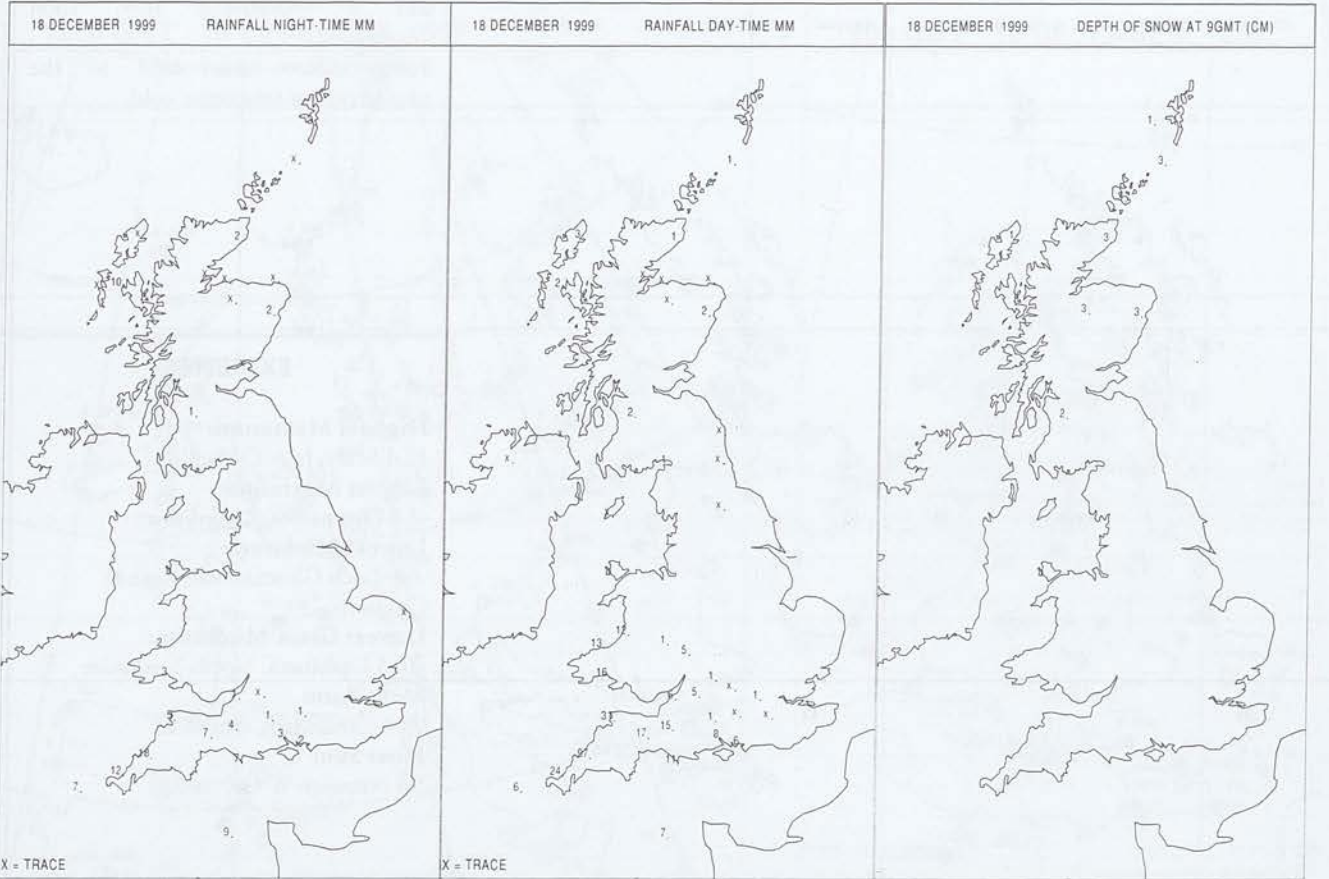
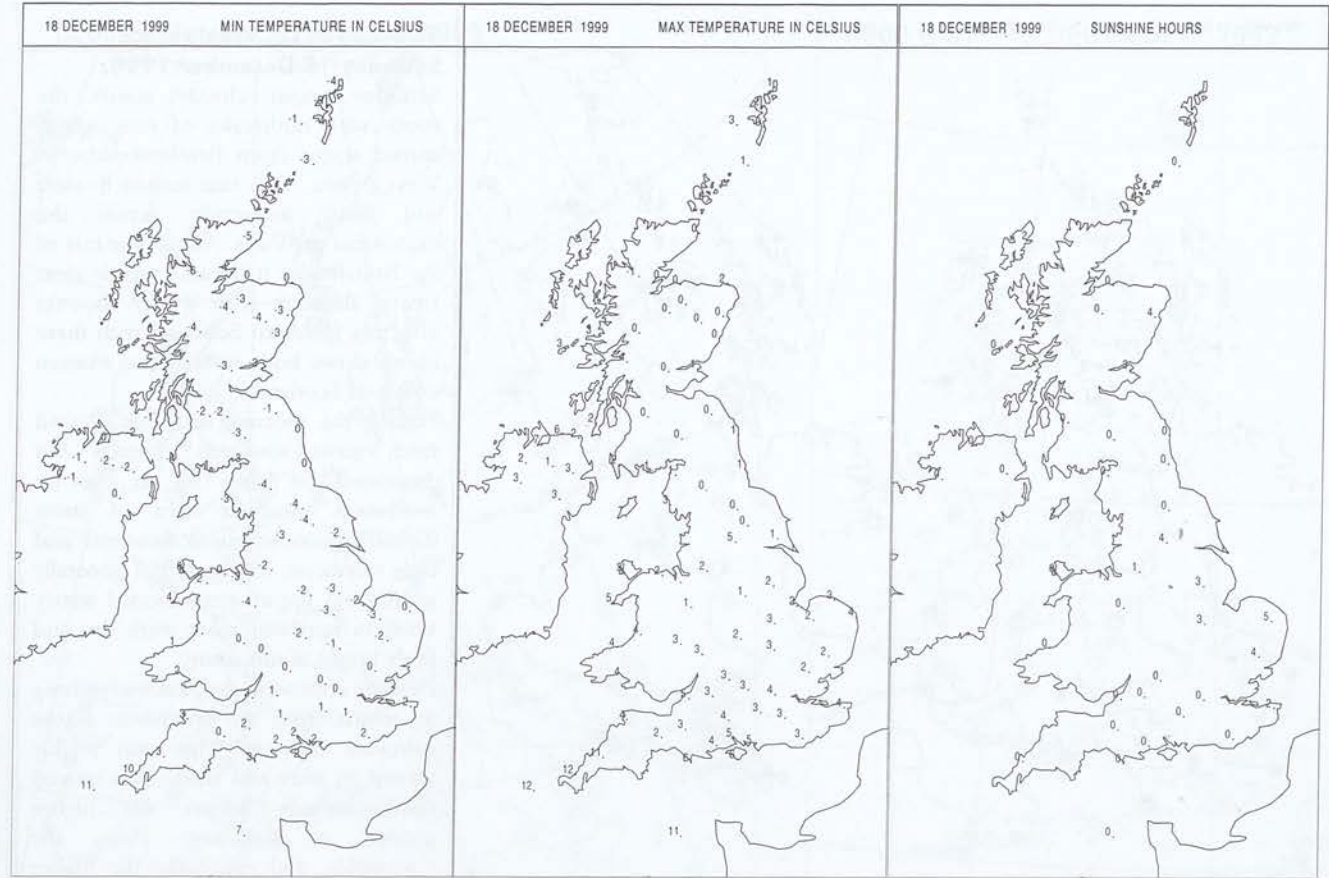
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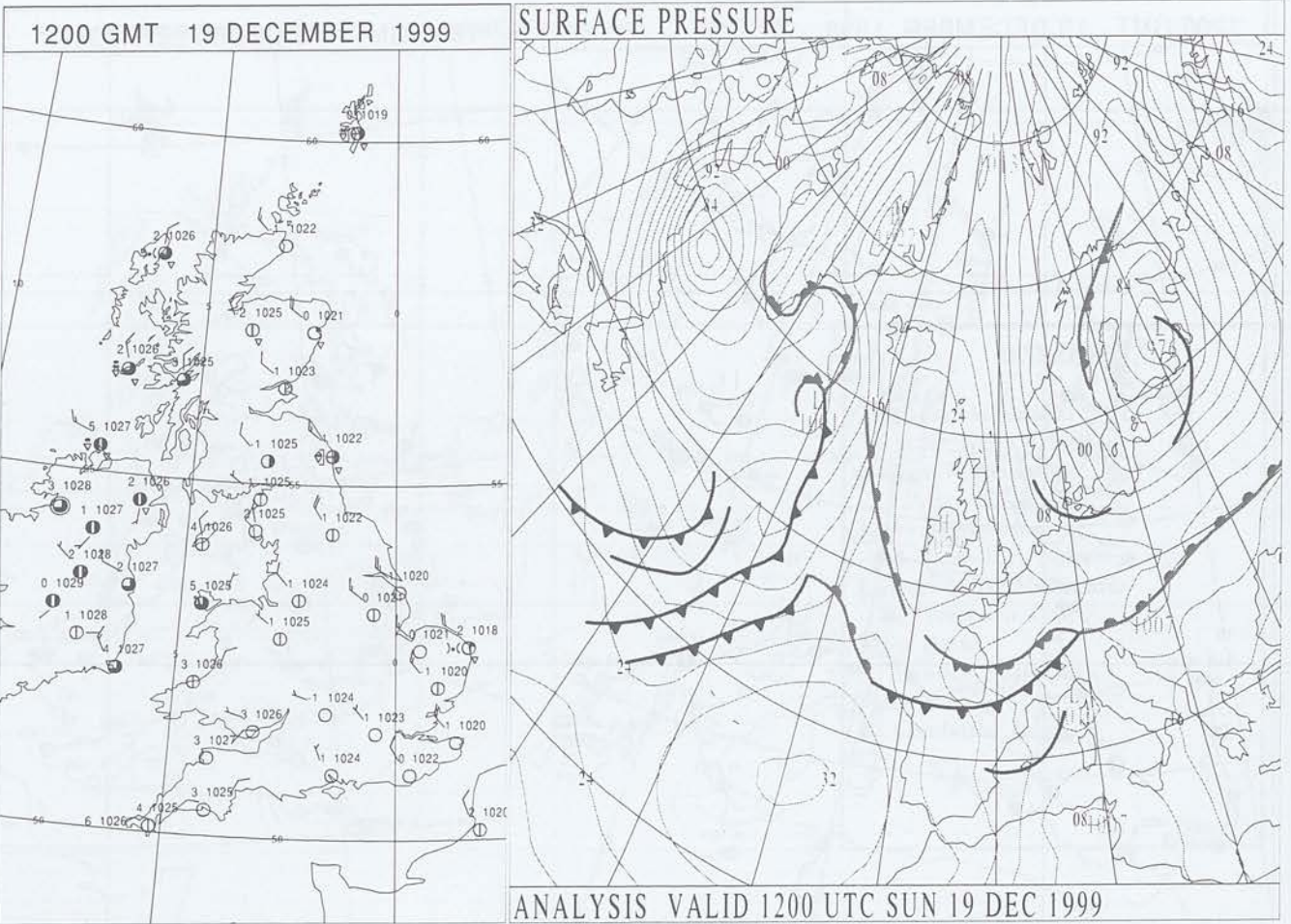
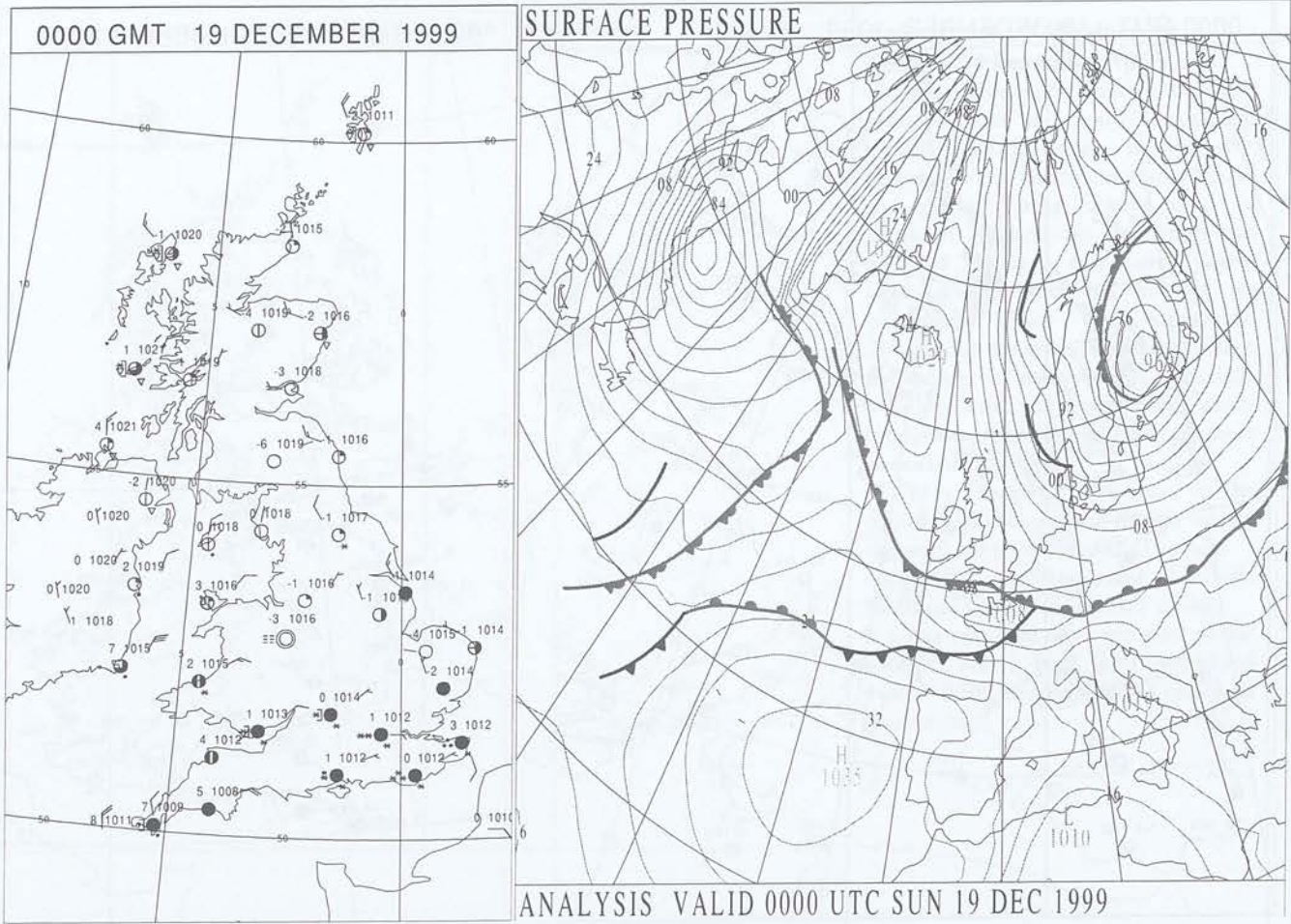
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0600 GMT 18 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 18 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Saturday 18 December 1999.</p> <p>Saturday began cloudy across the south with outbreaks of rain, which spread across from Pembrokeshire to West Sussex. This rain turned to sleet and snow, especially across the mountains of Wales. Across the rest of the British Isles it became mostly clear frosty, although with wintry showers affecting northern Scotland with these blown down both eastern and western coasts of Scotland.</p> <p>During the morning the rain cleared from most southern districts but continued to hang on in the far southwest. Another area of snow drifted across southern Scotland and later northeast England, but generally apart from the aforementioned wintry showers northern parts were dry and fairly bright, if not sunny.</p> <p>By early afternoon the rain was starting to return from the southwest across southern districts. This rain readily turned to sleet and snow as it moved northeastwards across the higher ground of Salisbury Plain, the Cotswolds, and especially the higher ground of South Wales where 6 to 8 inches had fallen by late evening. Elsewhere it was largely dry and clear and a widespread frost soon developed.</p> <p>Temperatures were mild in the southwest but otherwise cold.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 12.4 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: -3.8 Drumalbin, Lanarkshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -6.1 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -10.3 Dishforth, North Yorkshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 98.4 Cardinham, Cornwall</p> <p>Most Sun: 5.6 Norwich W C, Norfolk</p>

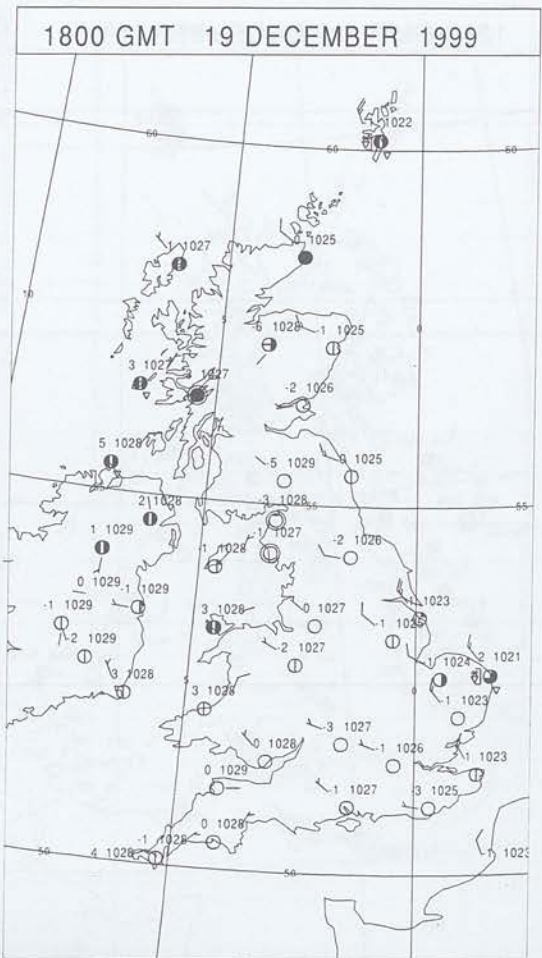
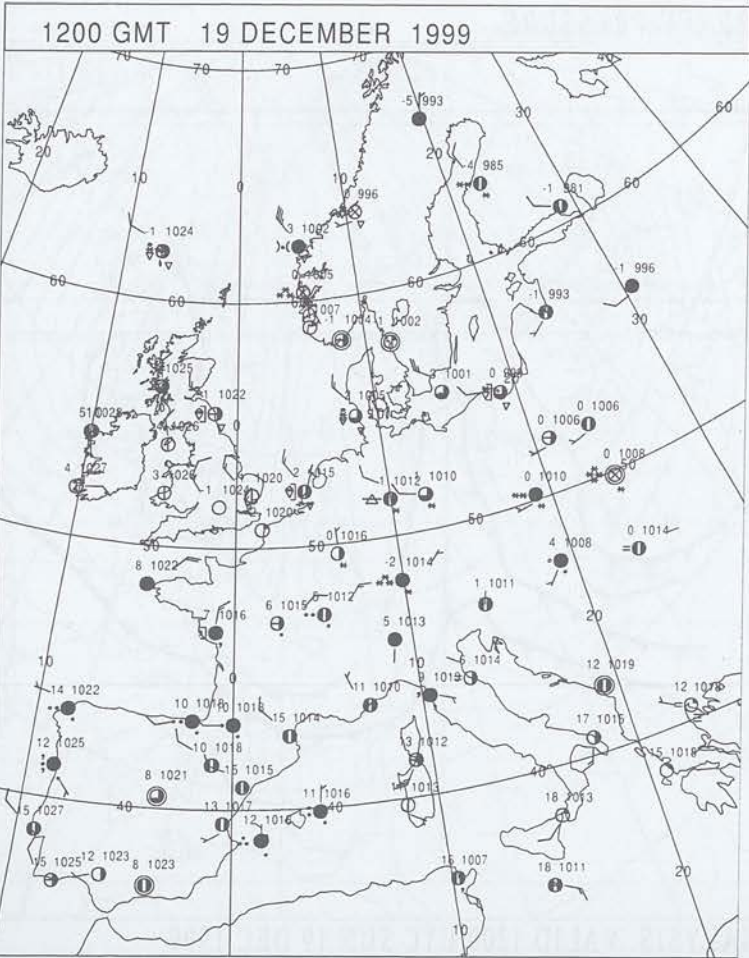
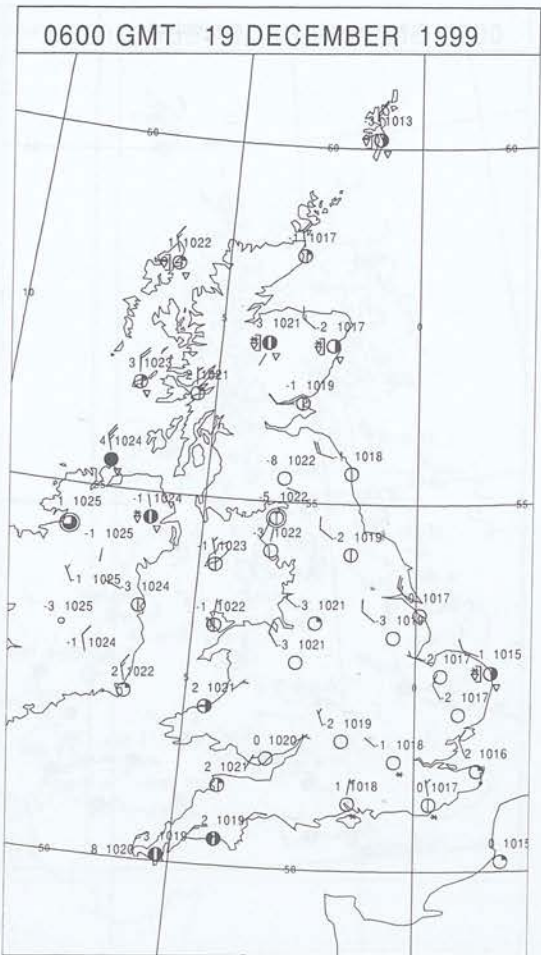
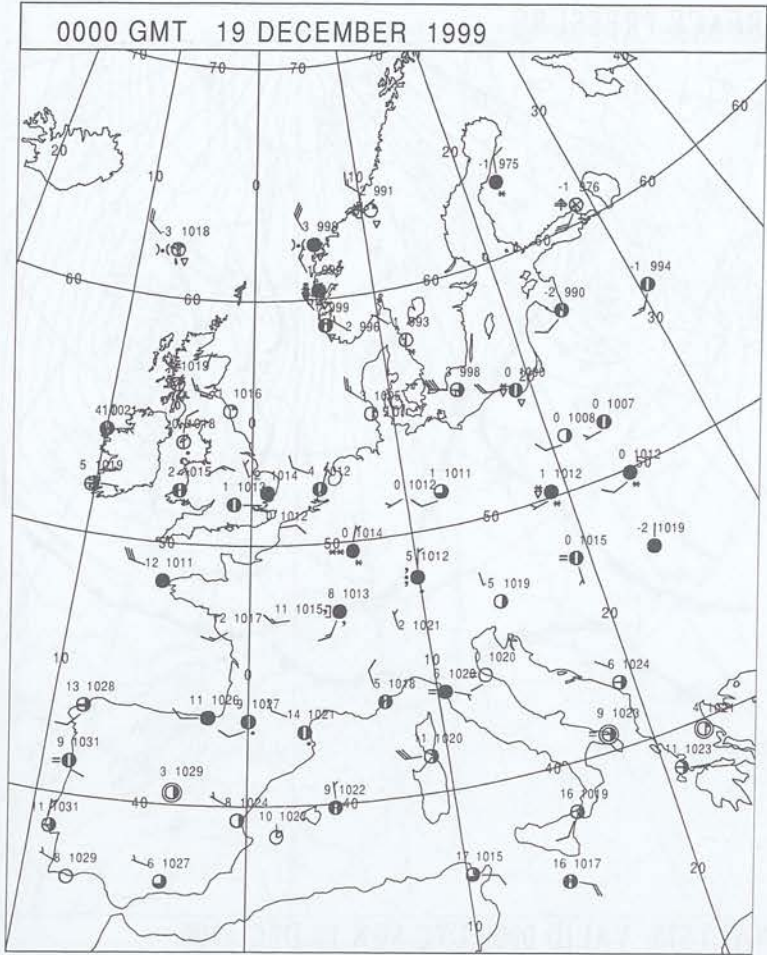
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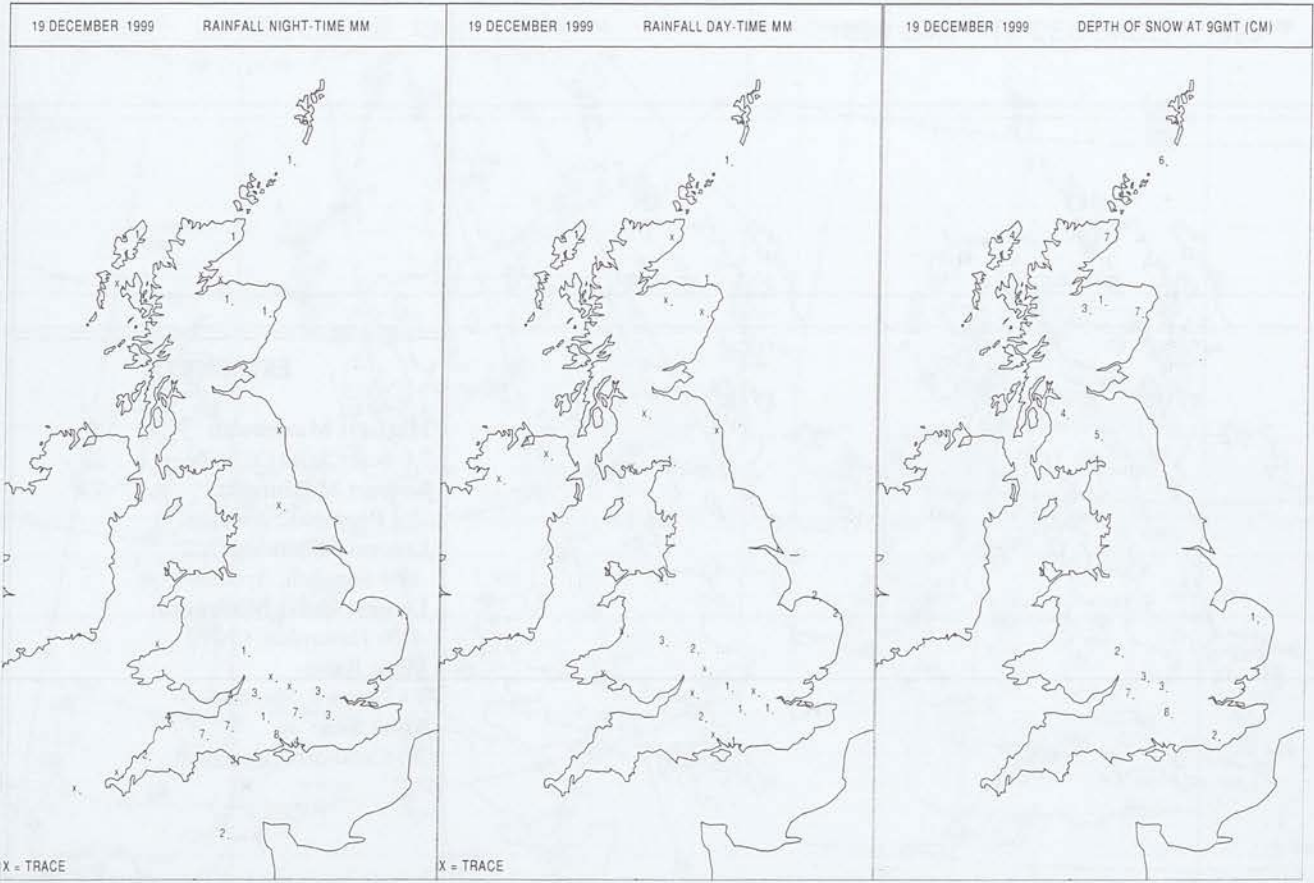
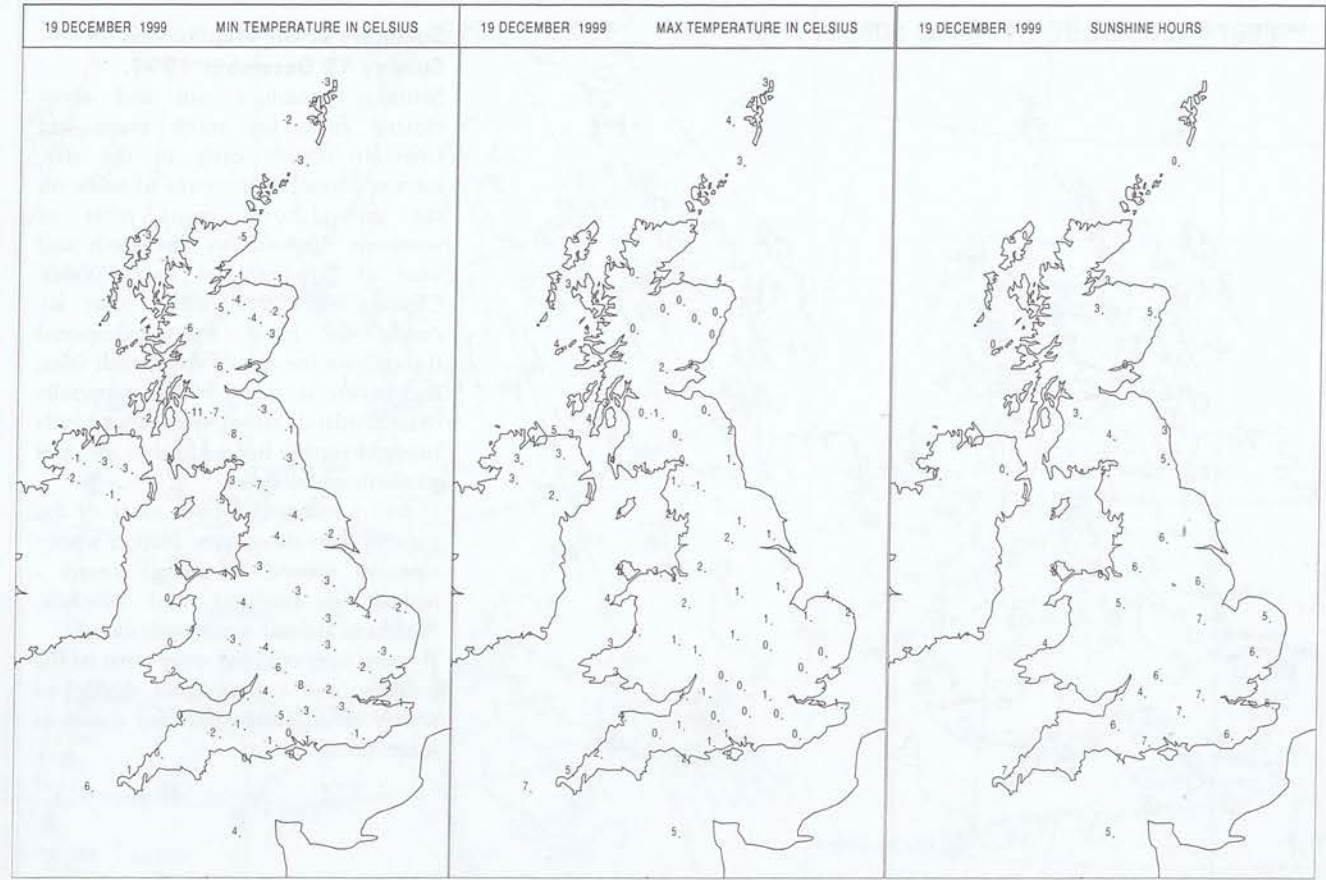
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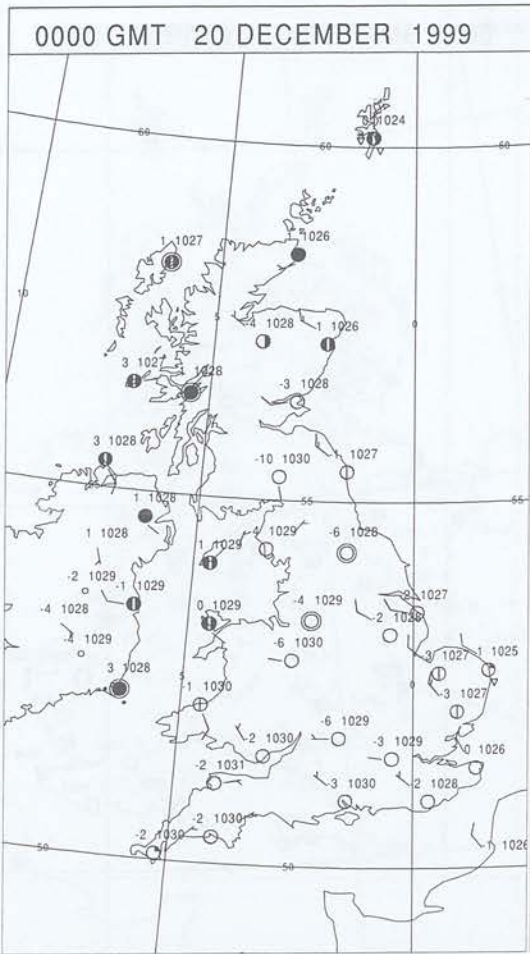
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0600 GMT 19 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 19 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Sunday 19 December 1999.</p> <p>Saturday evening's rain and snow cleared from the south coast and Channel Islands early in the day, leaving several centimetres of snow on the ground over many parts of southern England (to the south and west of London) and south Wales. Clearing skies then led to very icy conditions. Frost was widespread throughout the rest of the British Isles, and severe in many places, especially over Scotland. Strong northwest winds brought further hail and snow showers to northern Scotland.</p> <p>It was a sunny day over most of the country, but there were further wintry showers around windward coasts - mainly in Scotland and Norfolk. Northern Ireland was mostly cloudy.</p> <p>It was a very cold day over most of the country, and a hard frost developed widely away from windward coasts in the evening.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 7.6 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: -2.4 Prestwick, Ayrshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -11.1 Saughall, Ayrshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -17.6 Hawarden, Clwyd</p> <p>Most Rain: 4.1 Lerwick, Shetland</p> <p>Most Sun: 7.5 Camborne, Cornwall</p>

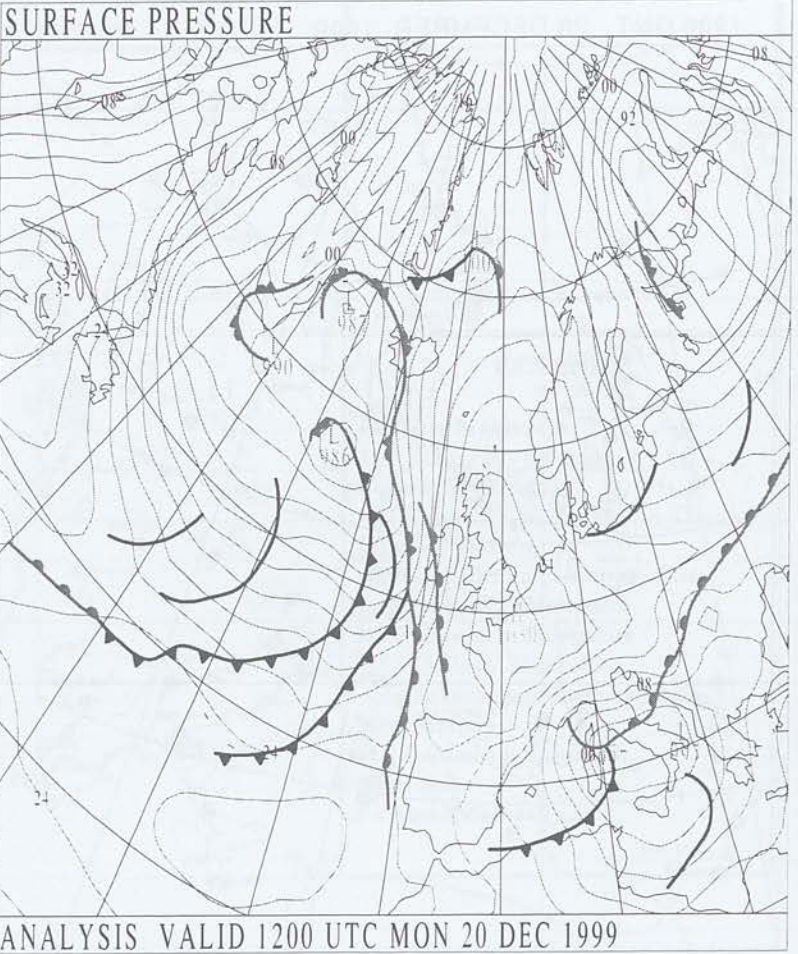
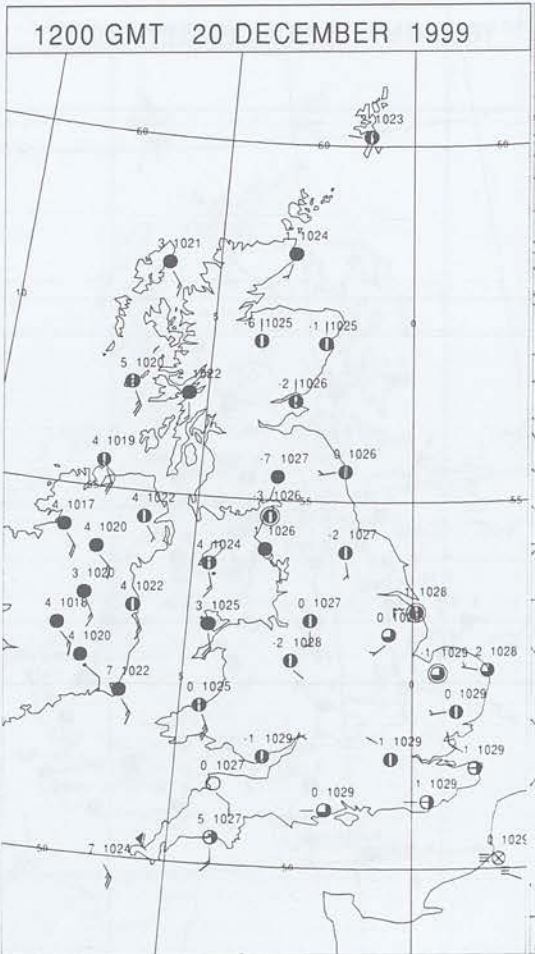
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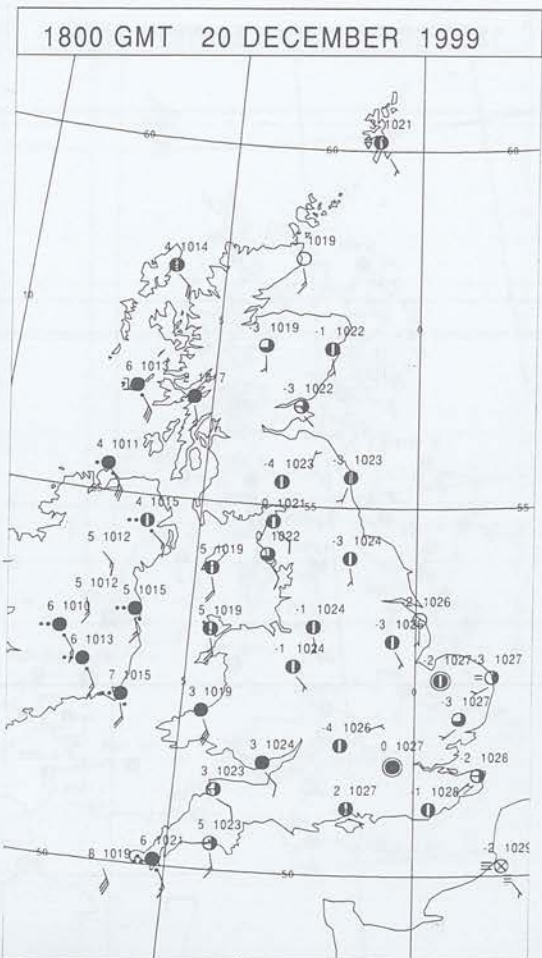
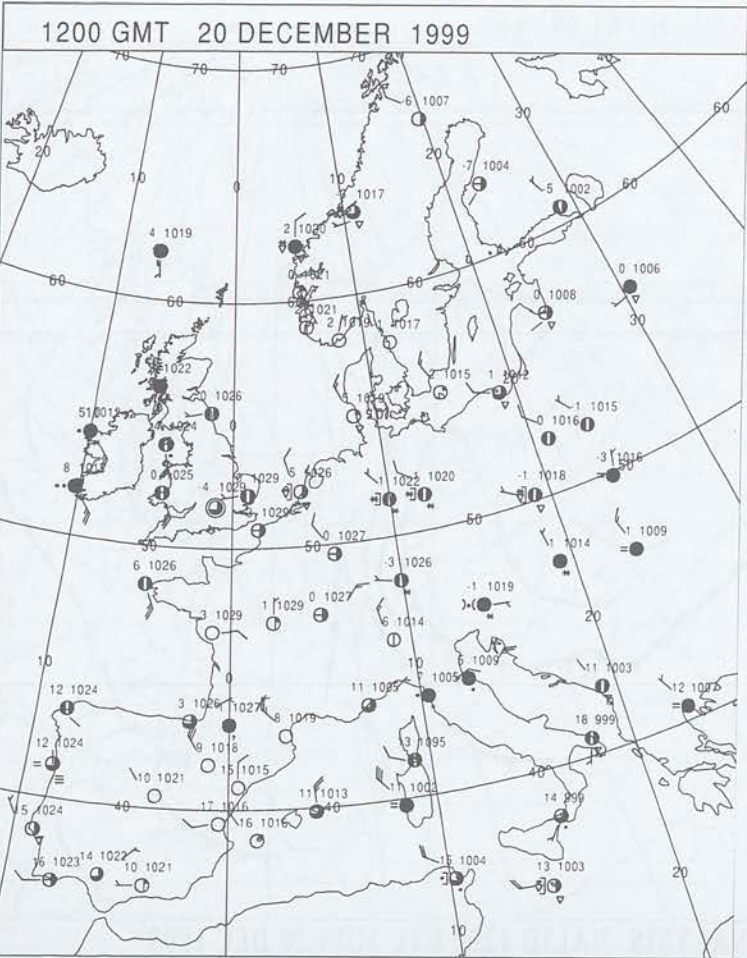
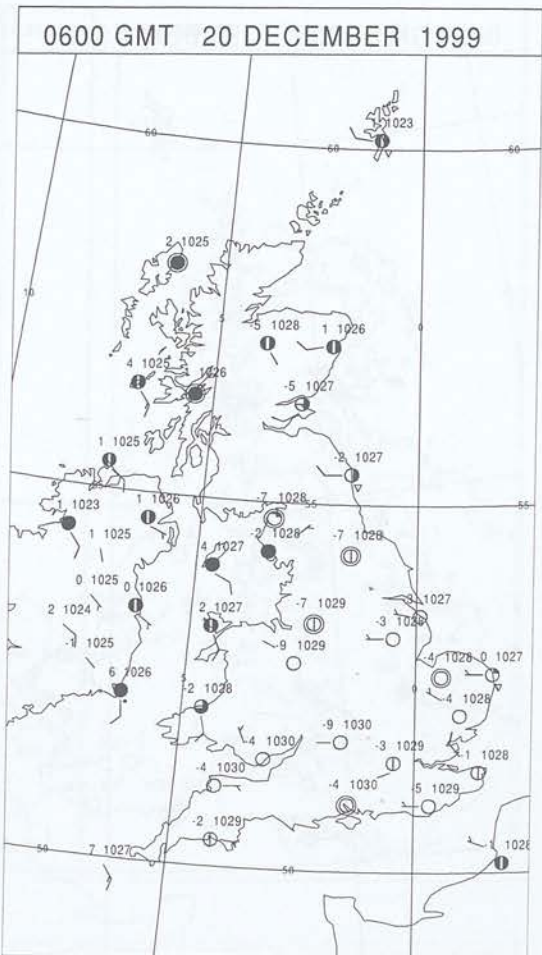
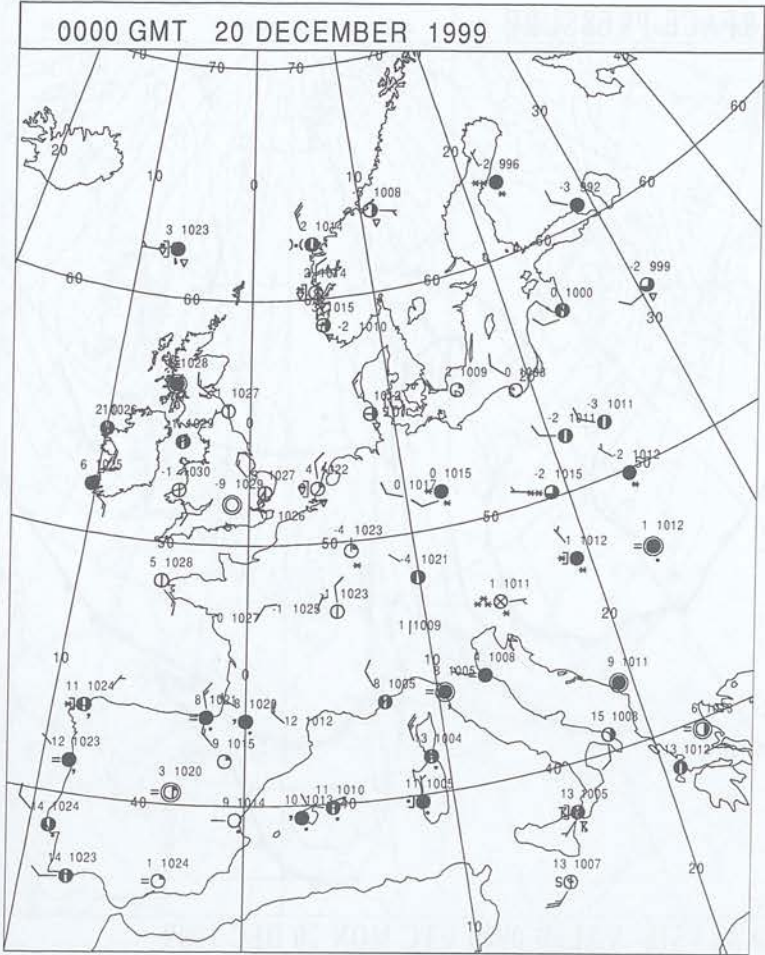


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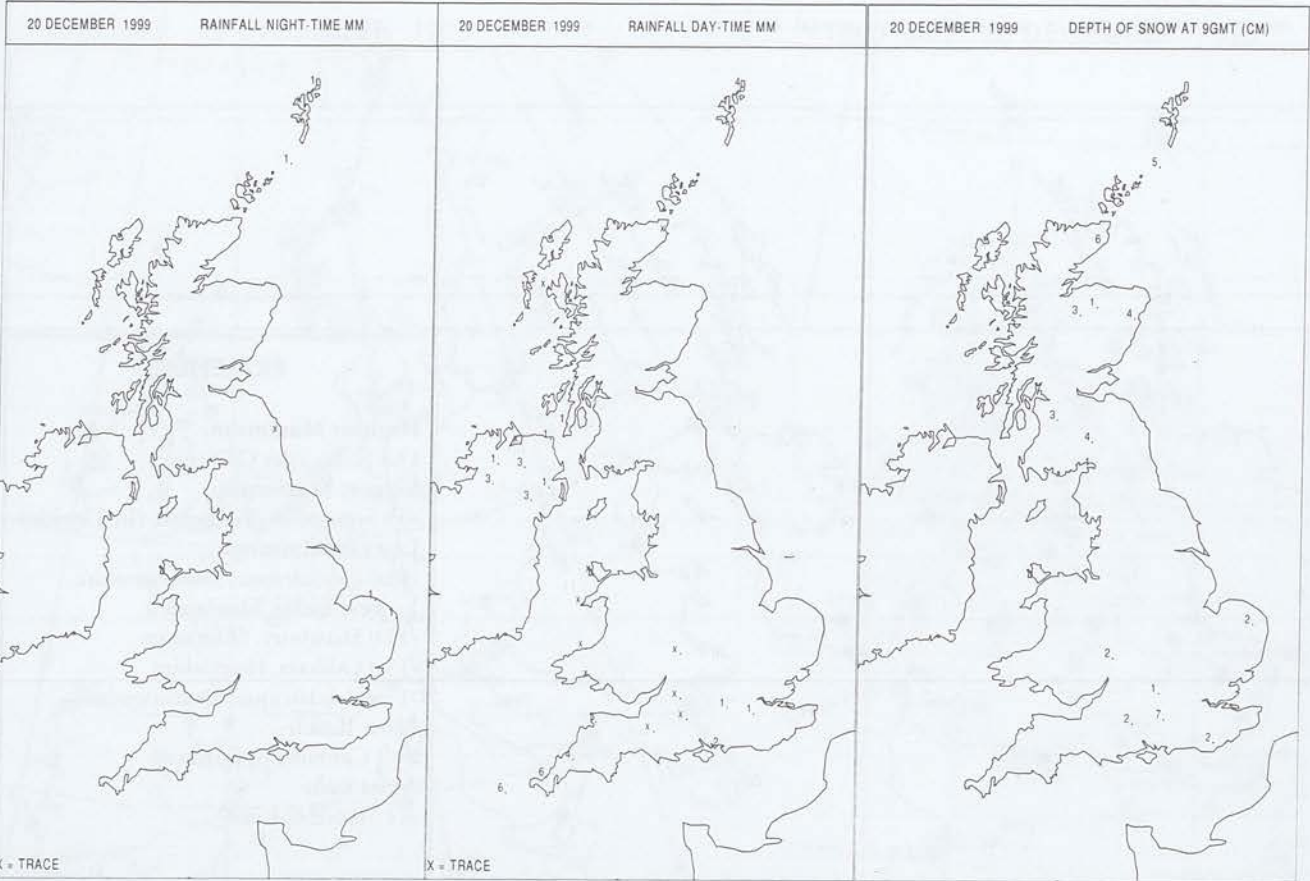
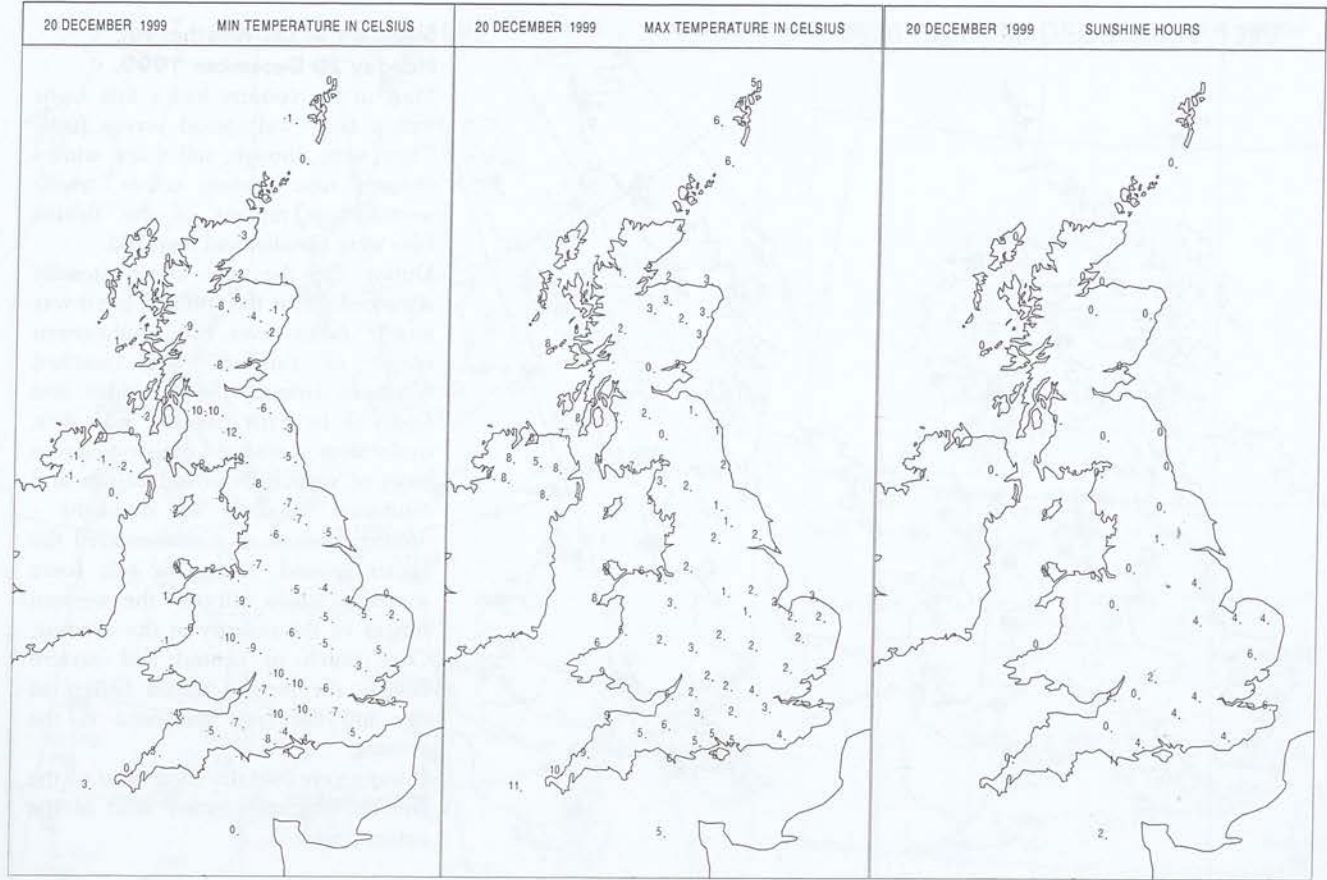
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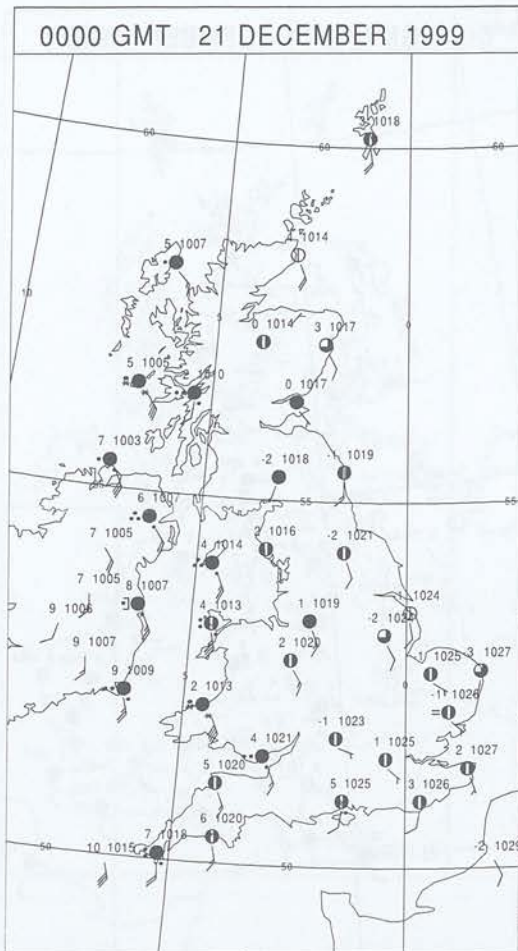
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0600 GMT 20 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 20 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Monday 20 December 1999.</p> <p>Most of the country had a fine night with a fairly widespread severe frost. There were, though, still a few wintry showers near eastern coasts, whilst westernmost regions of the British Isles were cloudier and less cold.</p> <p>During the day, the cloud steadily advanced across the country, but it was mostly sunny over the southeastern corner of England. Rain reached Northern Ireland, the Hebrides and Cornwall by early evening, and then made slow eastwards progress across most of western Scotland, Wales and southwest England by midnight - turning to snow as it encountered the higher ground. Strong to gale force southerly winds affected the western fringes of the country in the evening.</p> <p>Over much of central and eastern Britain, the ground stayed frozen all day and the frost hardened in the evening.</p> <p>It was a very cold day over most of the country, but only rather cold in the extreme west.</p>
1800 GMT 20 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 21 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 11.3 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: -0.9 Strathallan, Perthshire (In Tayside)</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -12.0 Eskdalemuir, Dumfriesshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -15.0 Shawbury, Shropshire -15.0 Odiham, Hampshire -15.0 Eskdalemuir, Dumfriesshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 31.4 Cardinham, Cornwall</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.4 Manston, Kent</p>

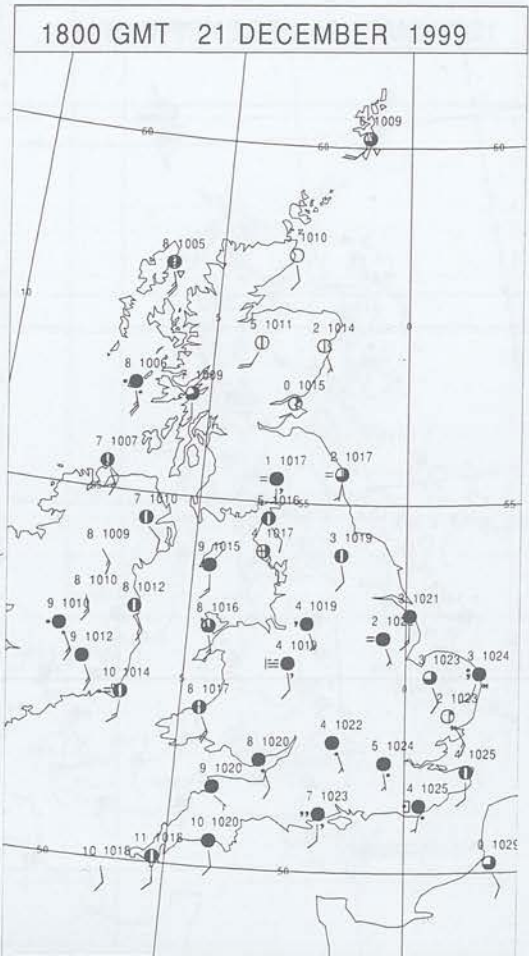
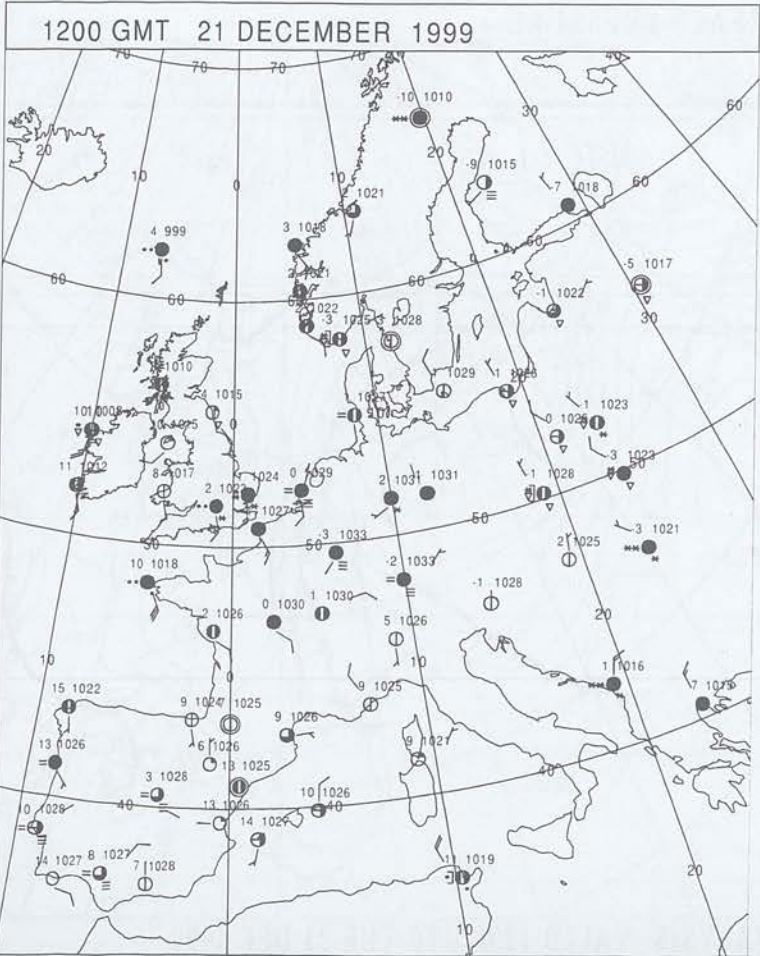
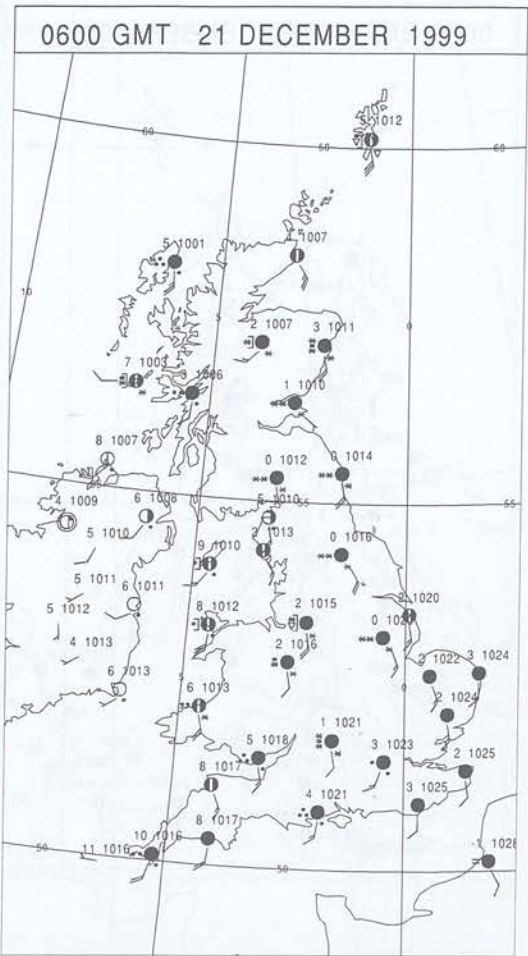
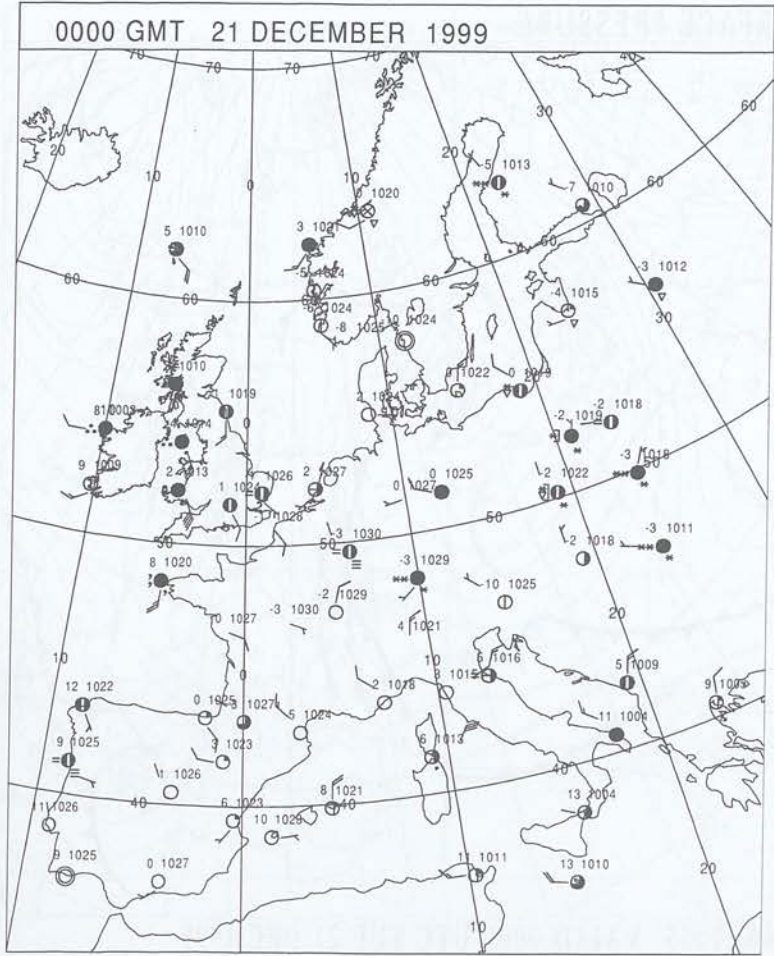
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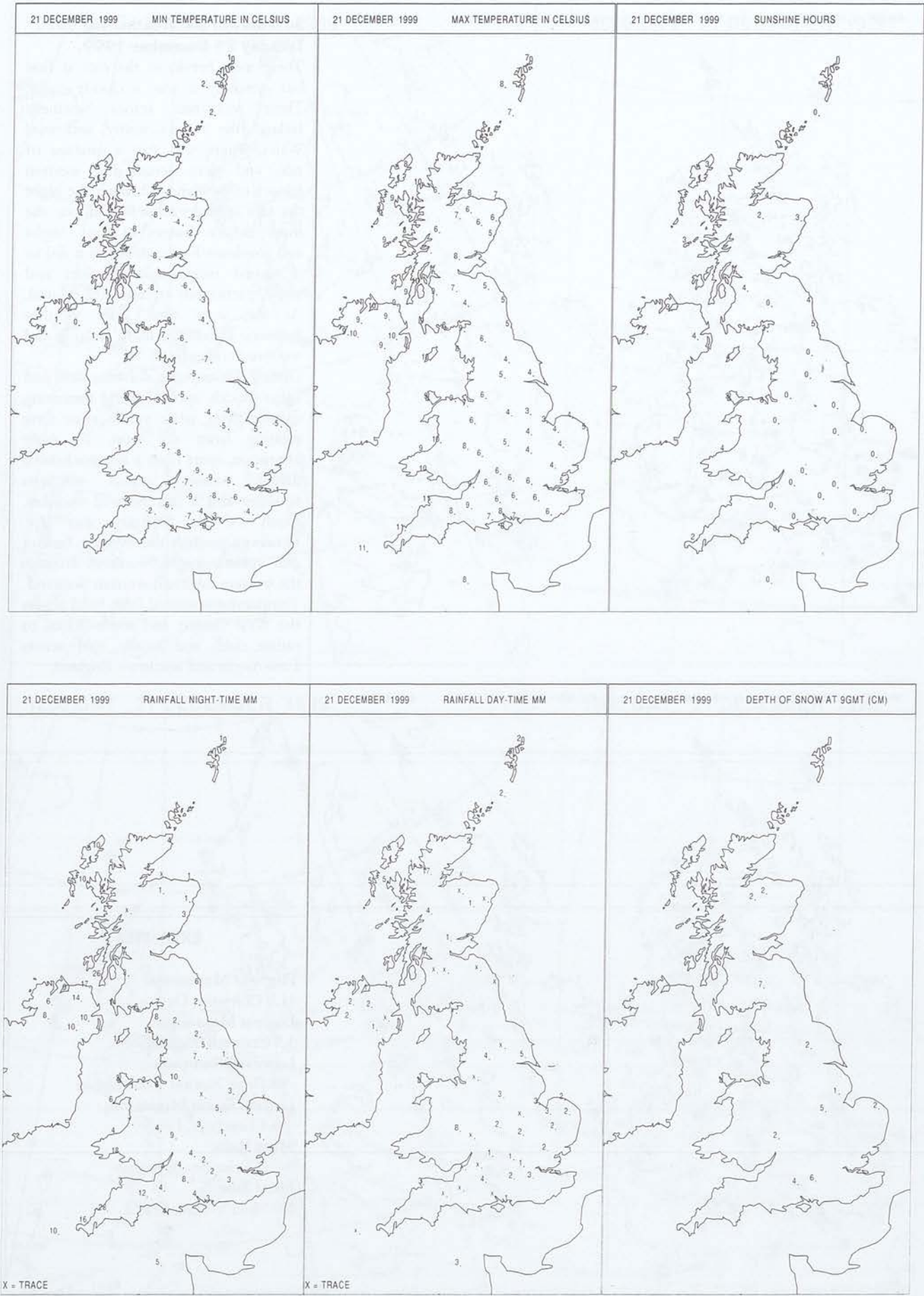
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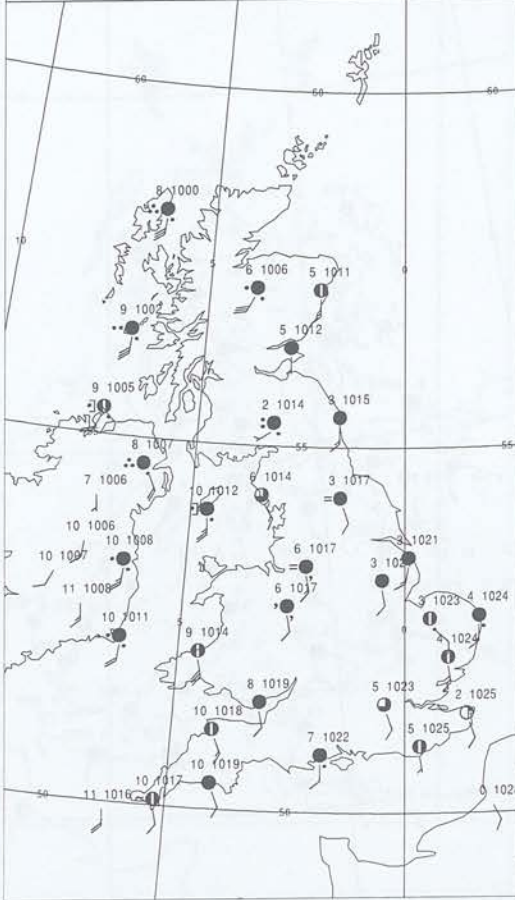
0600 GMT 21 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 21 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Tuesday 21 December 1999.</p> <p>There were breaks in the east at first but generally it was a cloudy night. There was rain across Northern Ireland, the West Country, and west Wales. There was also a mixture of rain and sleet across the western fringes of Scotland. Through the night the rain spread east across all but the more eastern fringes of East Anglia and southeast England, but as it did so it turned increasingly to sleet and snow, particularly over higher ground. At the same time drier weather followed across Northern Ireland, and western Scotland.</p> <p>During the morning the rain, sleet and snow quickly spread to the remaining eastern parts, while at the same time clearing from the west. By early afternoon, apart from a few pockets of drizzle running across southern counties and a few isolated showers, much of the country was dry. However through the evening further rain spread across Northern Ireland, the western Isles and western Scotland. Temperatures ranged from mild across the West Country and south Wales, to rather cold, and locally cold across East Anglia and northeast England.</p>
1800 GMT 21 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 22 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	
				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 11.9 Chivenor, Devon</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 3.3 Cranwell, Lincolnshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -9.8 Brize Norton, Oxfordshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -10.4 Leuchars, Fife</p> <p>Most Rain: 50.0 Lochranza, Buteshire</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.0 Moel-Y-Crio, Clwyd</p>

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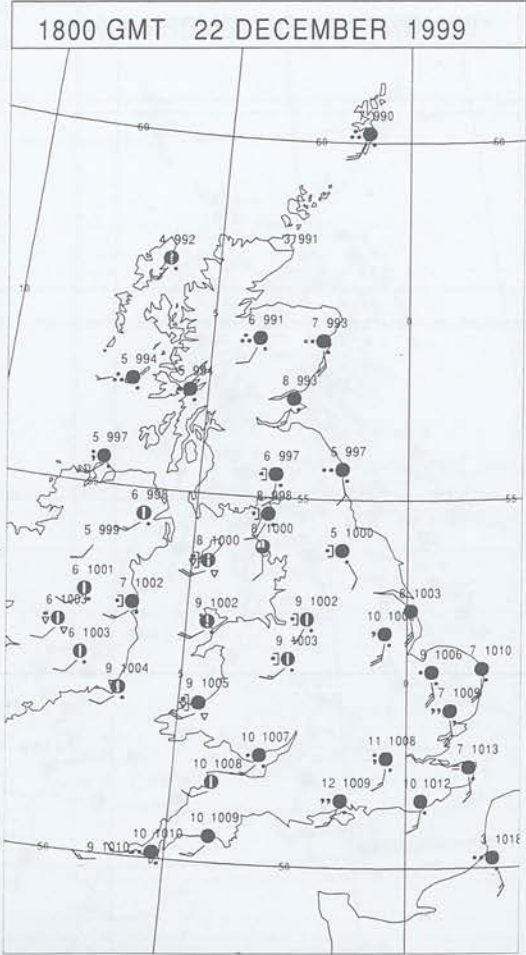
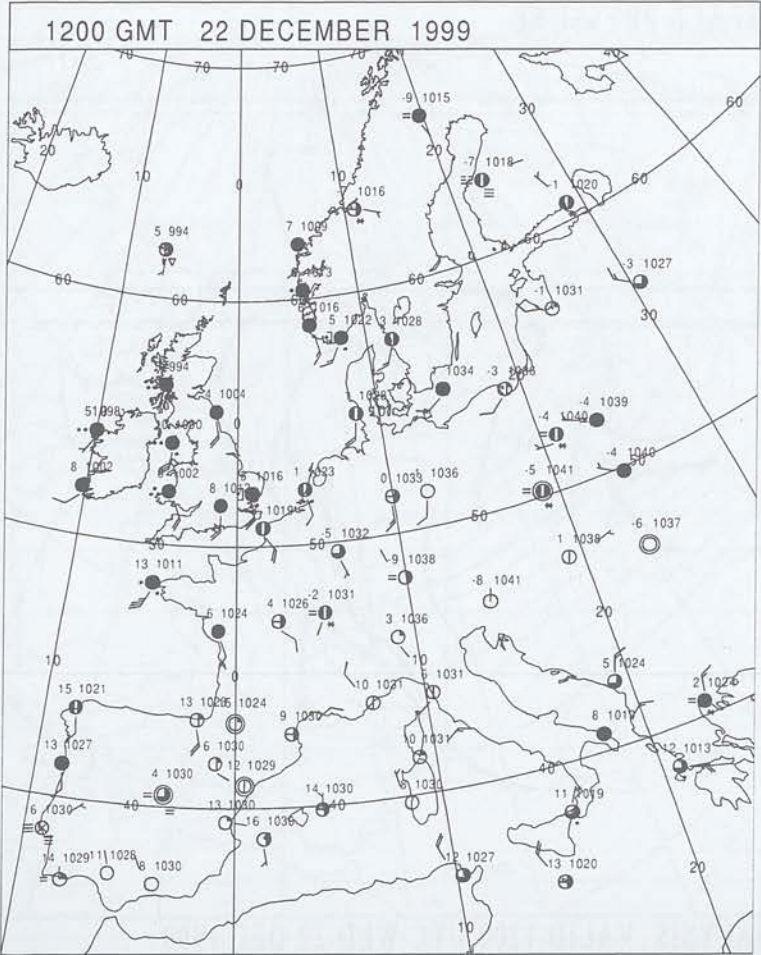
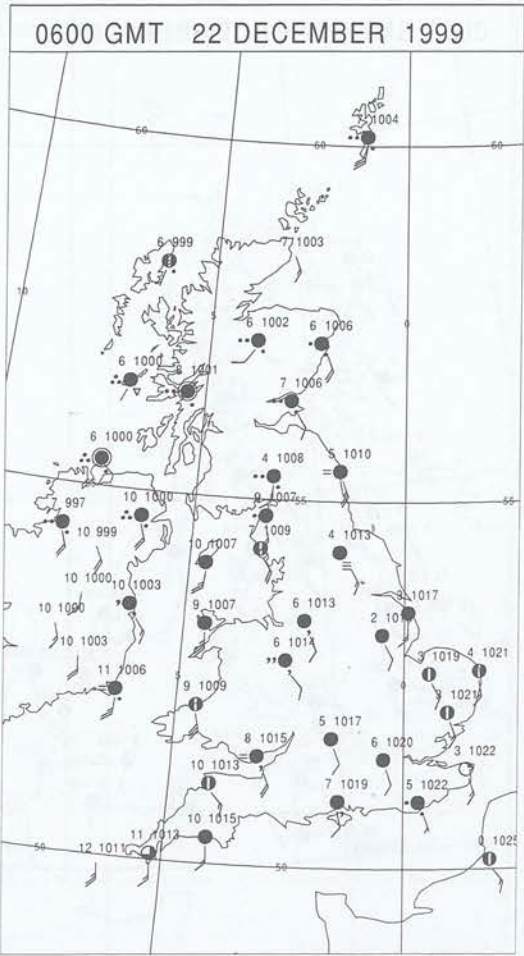
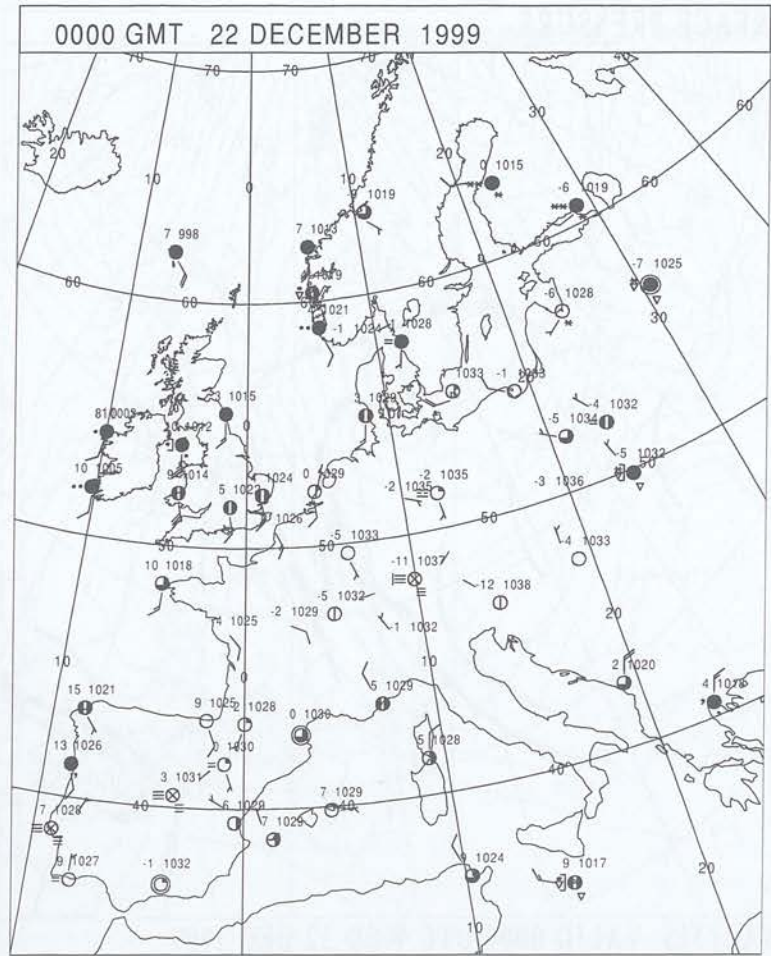


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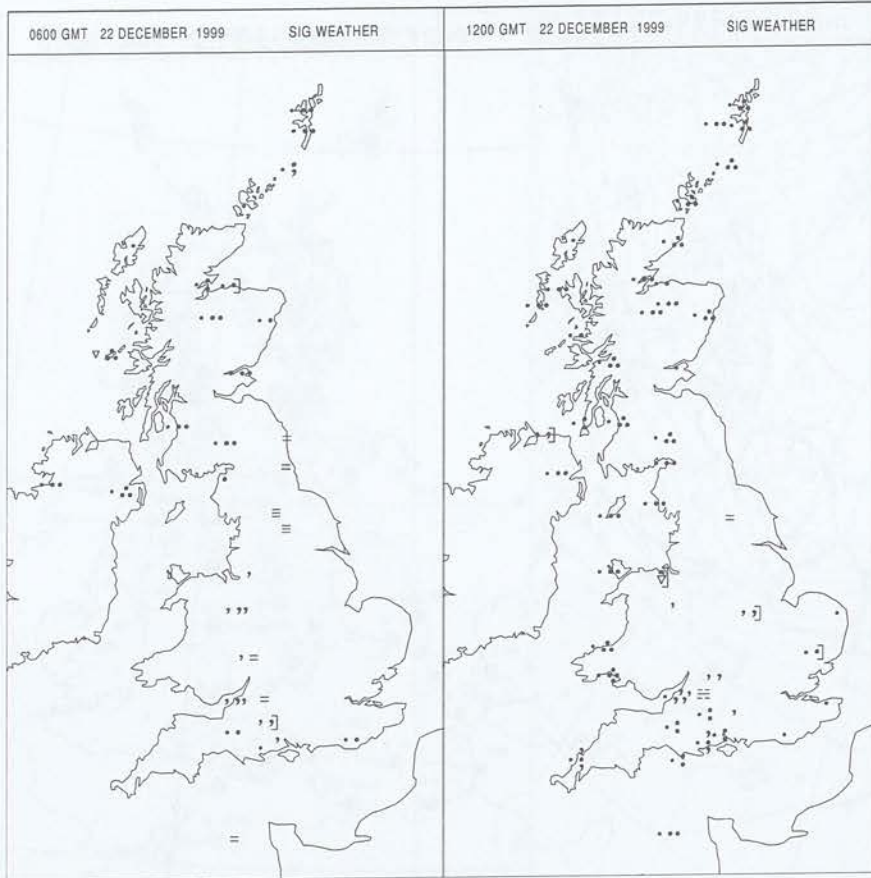
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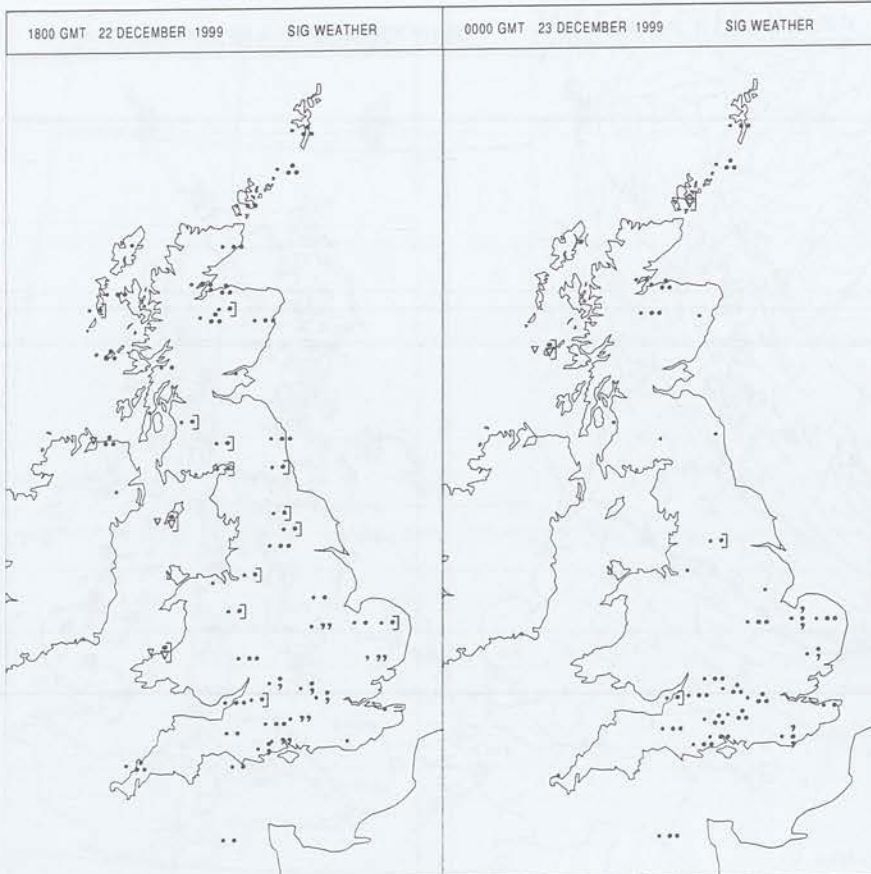


Summary of UK Weather for Wednesday 22 December 1999.

There were some cloud breaks across East Anglia and southeast England, but generally it was a cloudy night across the country. Rain affected Northern Ireland and Scotland, some of it heavy, with the rain brushing the northern border counties of England at times. Elsewhere, apart from some patchy drizzle, mainly over the West Country, it was a largely dry night.

Through the morning further pulses of rain ran across Northern Ireland and Scotland, with the rain turning to snow across parts of the Highlands. The rain also extended across northwest England, Wales and the West Country. Through the afternoon the rain continued to spread southeast, across most of the country. At the same time the rain turned more showery across Northern Ireland and southern Scotland. Through the evening the rain became largely confined to the far north of Scotland, East Anglia, the south Midlands and the southern counties of England, still with some heavy bursts. Elsewhere cloud breaks began to develop.

Temperatures were close to normal across the western Isles and western parts of Northern Ireland. Elsewhere it was generally mild or very mild.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

13.8 Chivenor, Devon

Lowest Maximum:

3.1 Lossiemouth, Moray (In Grampian Regio)

Lowest Minimum:

-3.6 Strathallan, Perthshire (In Tayside R)

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-5.0 Dyce, Aberdeenshire

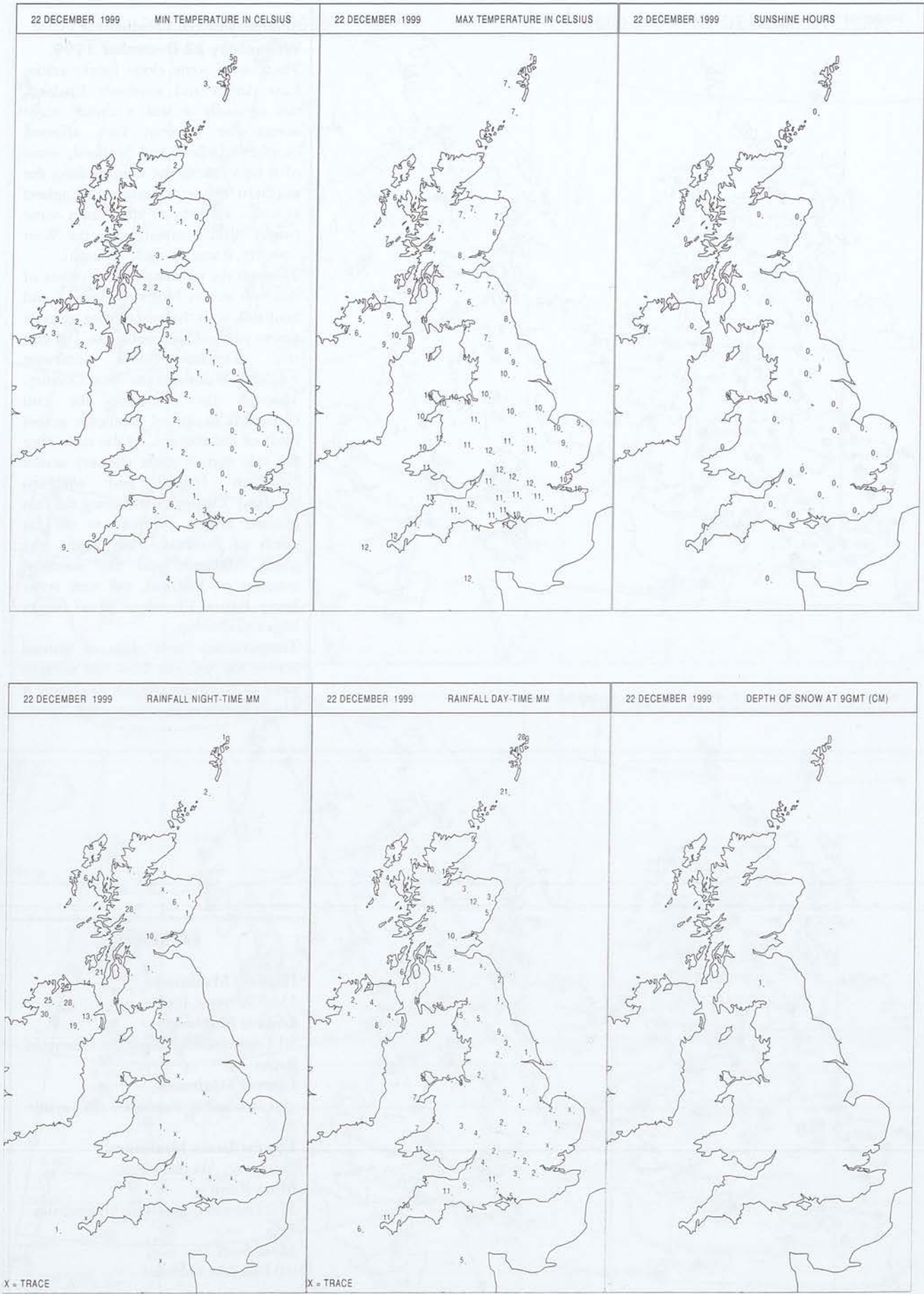
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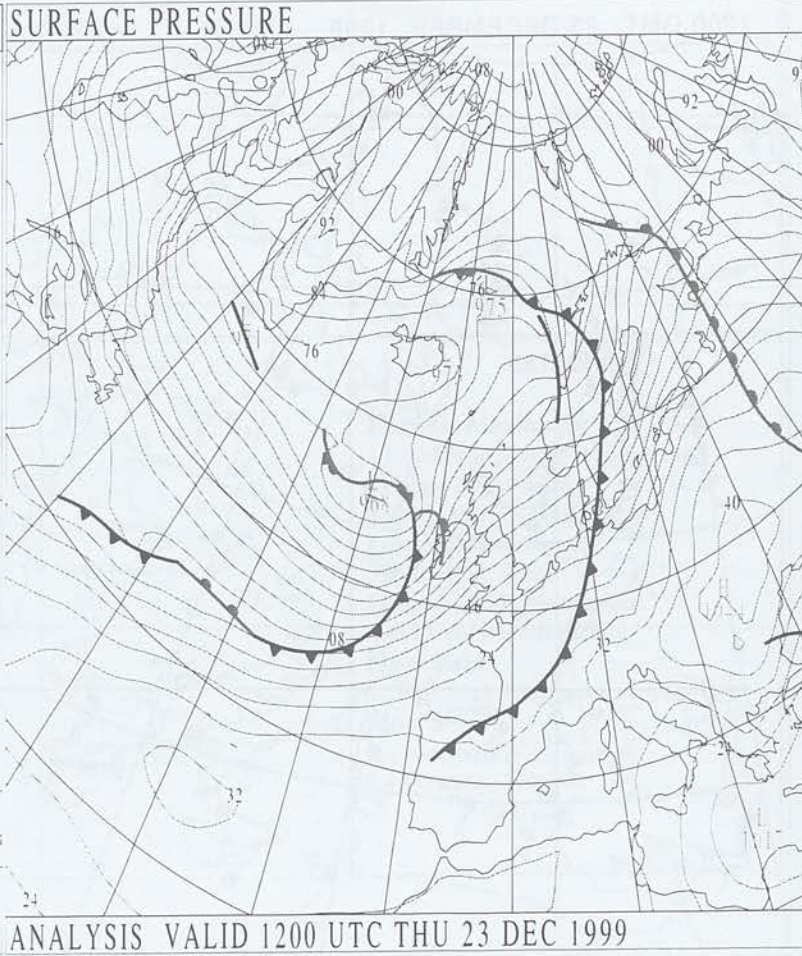
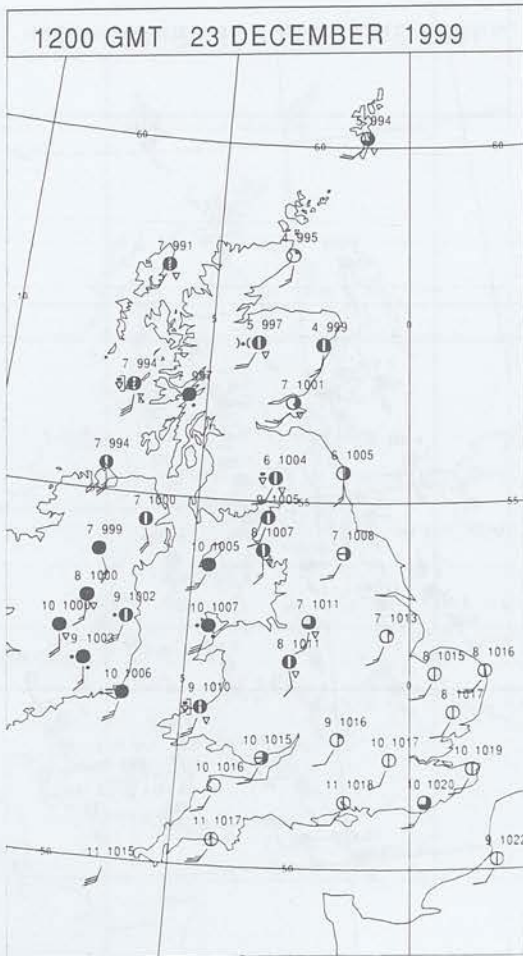
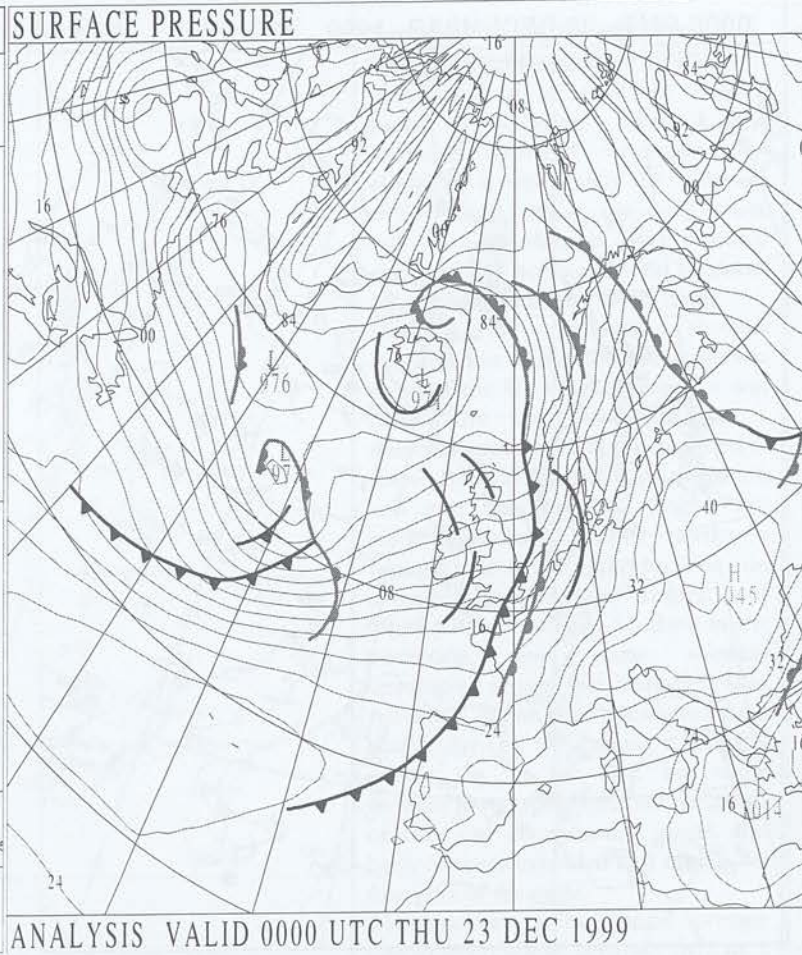
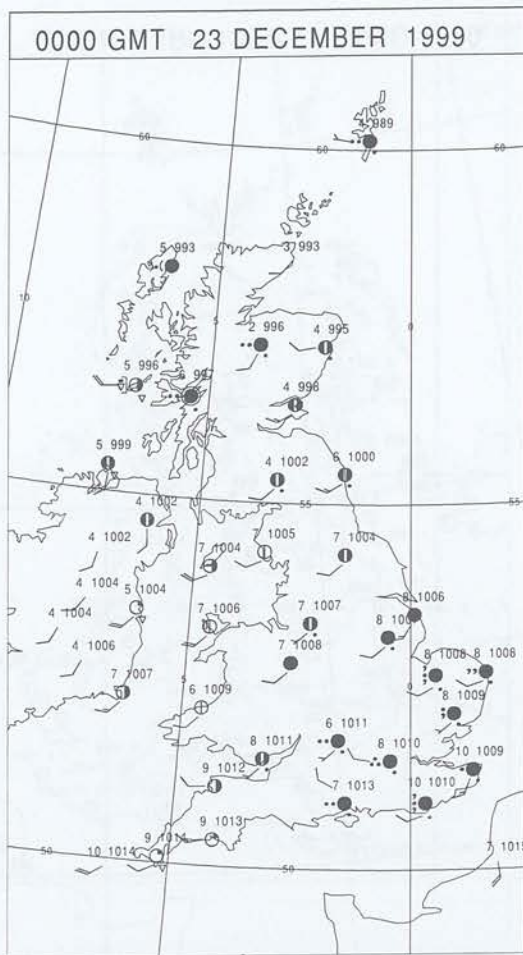
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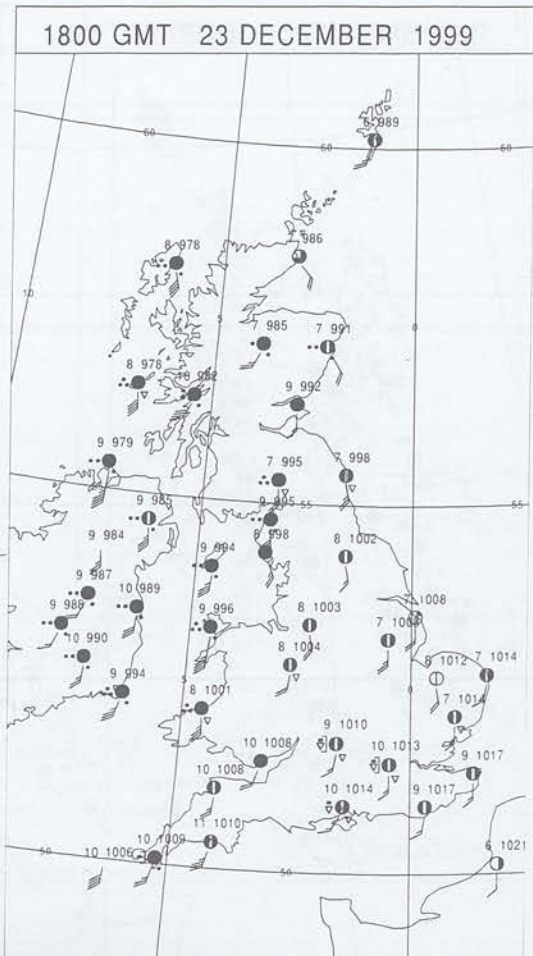
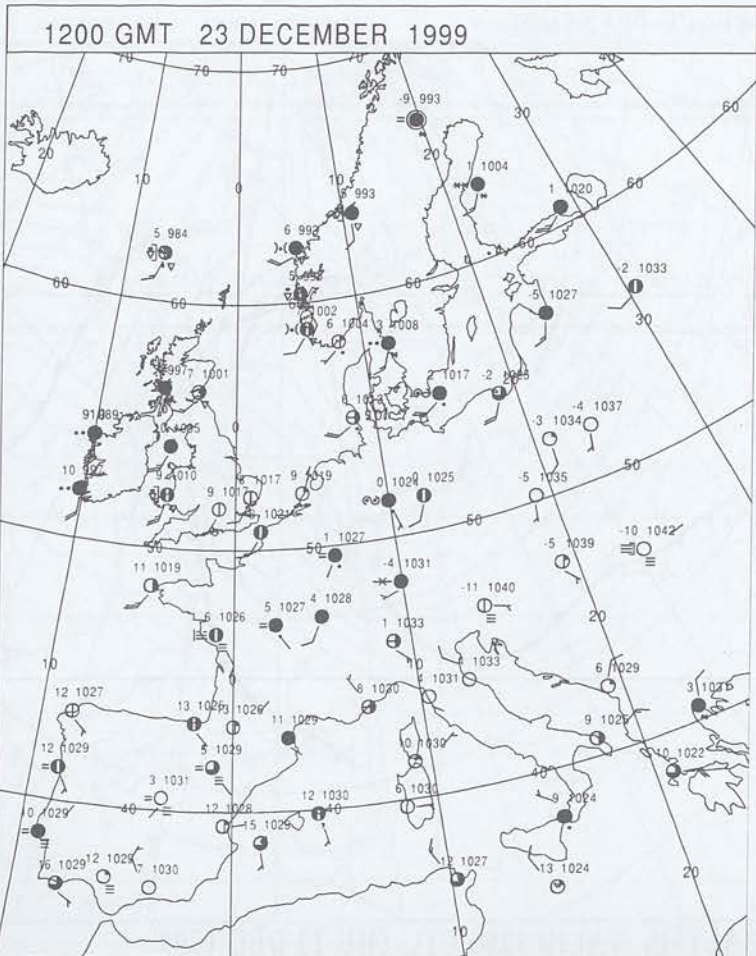
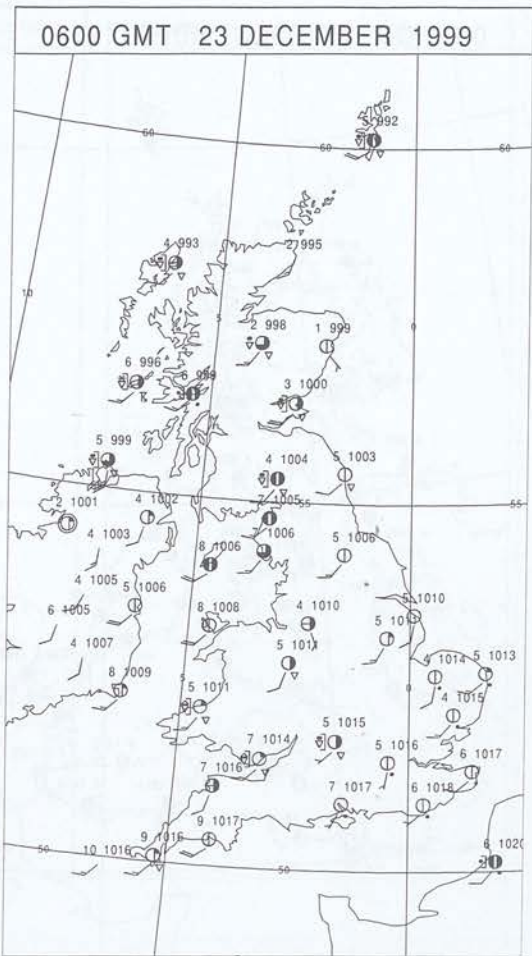
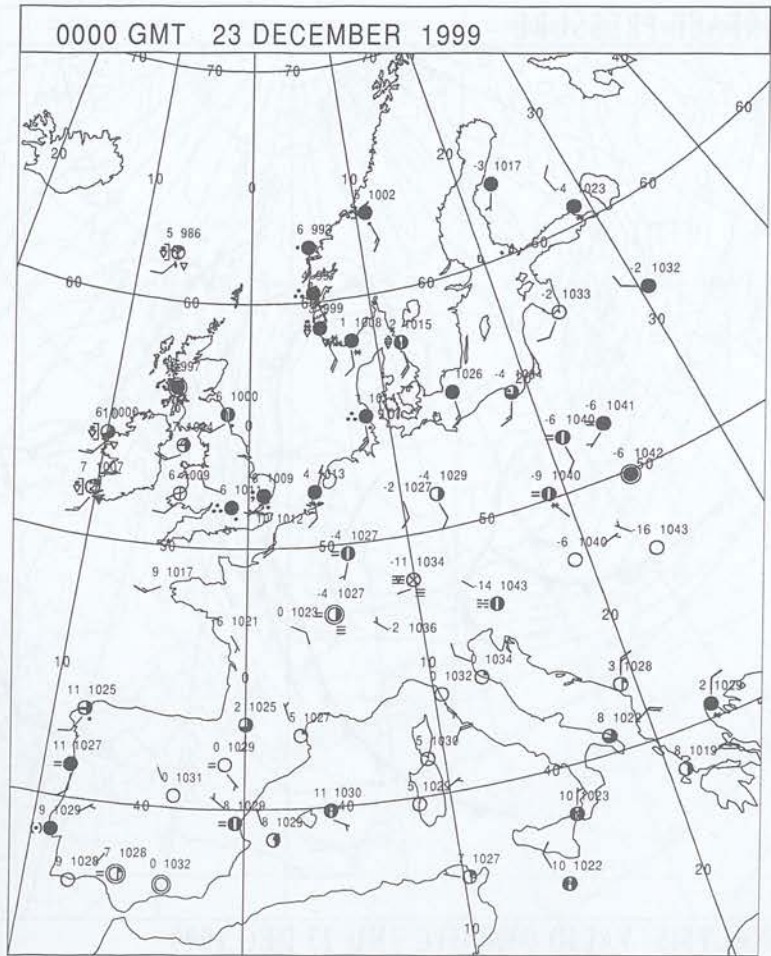
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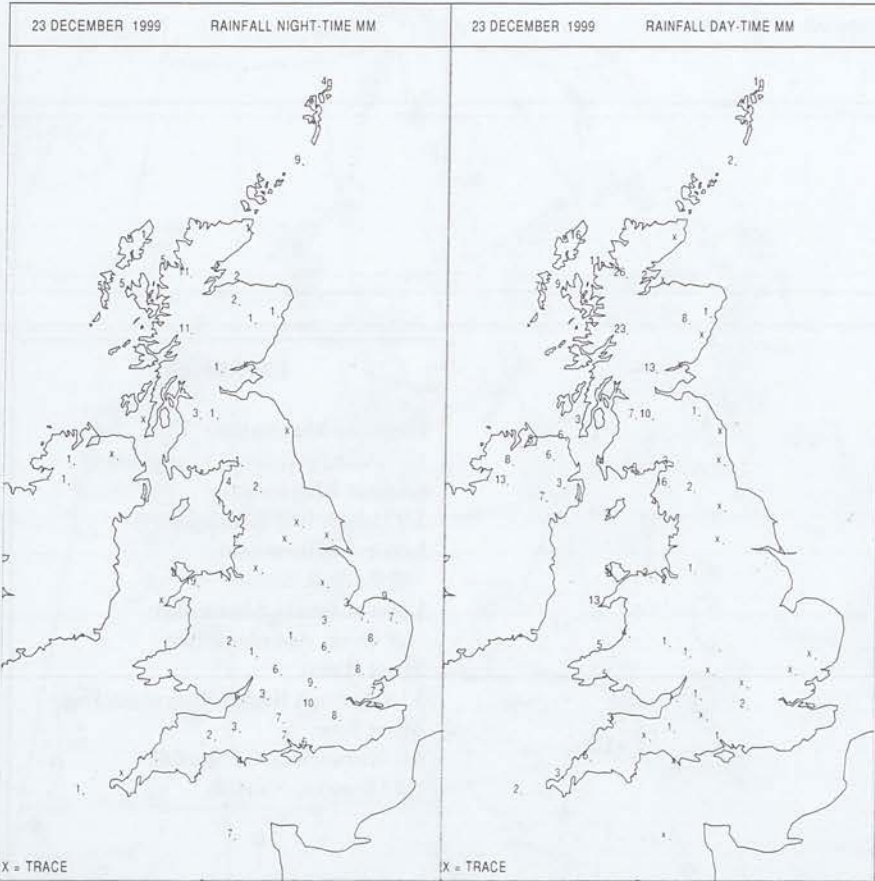
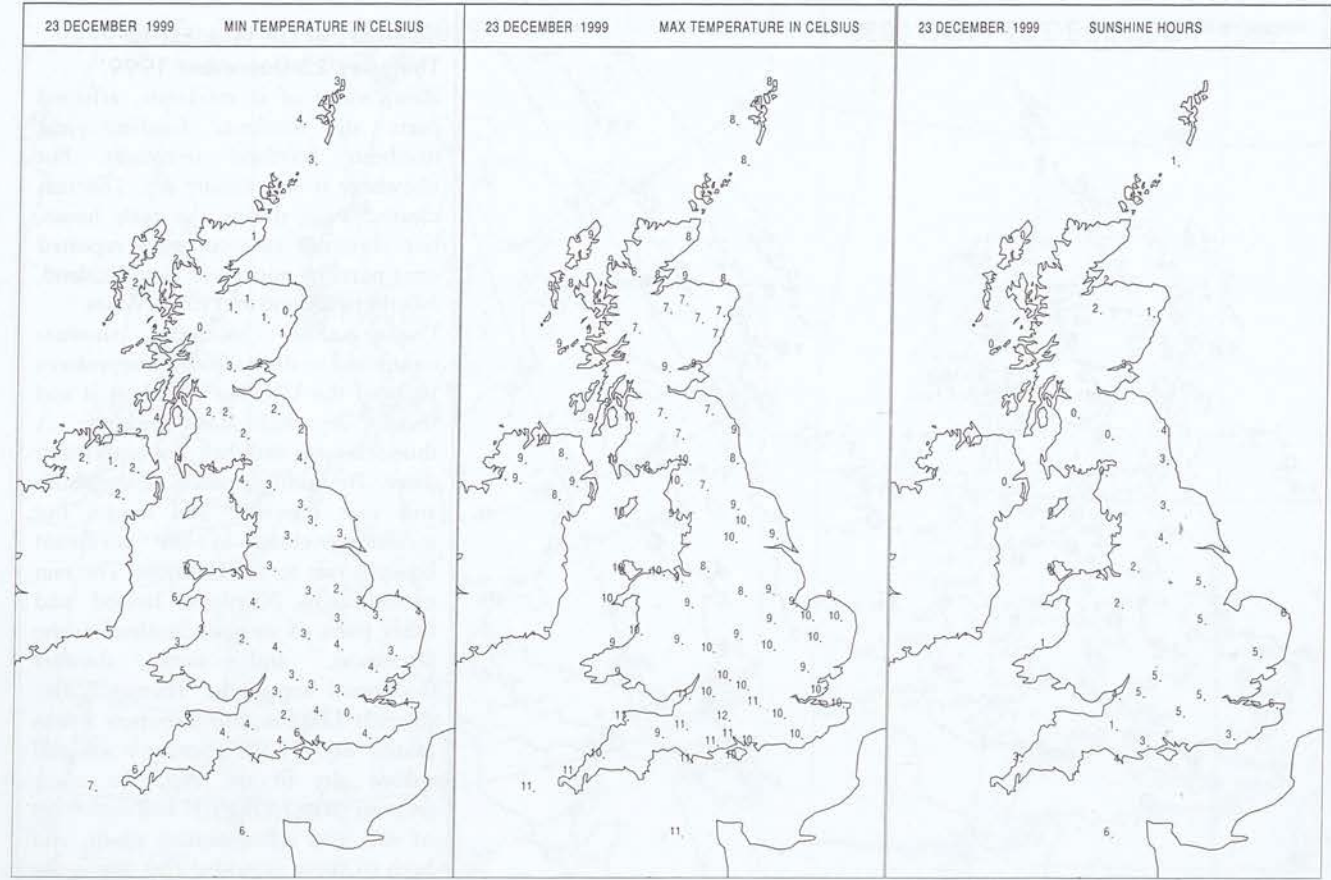
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0600 GMT 23 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 23 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Thursday 23 December 1999.</p> <p>Rain, some of it moderate, affected parts of southern England and northern Scotland overnight, but elsewhere it was mainly dry. The rain cleared away during the early hours, but scattered showers were reported over parts of north and west Scotland, Northern Ireland and south Wales.</p> <p>During the morning showers continued to drift across some western parts of the UK, but elsewhere it was mainly dry with some sunshine. A thunderstorm with hail was reported at Tiree. By midday, much of the south and east was dry and bright, but increasing cloud in the northwest brought rain to the Hebrides. The rain extended to Northern Ireland and other parts of western Scotland in the afternoon, and some showers developed across the Thames Valley towards London, but elsewhere it was mainly dry. By the evening it was still mainly dry in the east, but many western parts of the UK had outbreaks of rain and strengthening winds, and both of these extended east during the first part of the night.</p> <p>Temperatures were above average almost everywhere, generally by 2 or 3 degrees.</p>
1800 GMT 23 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 24 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	
				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 12.7 Middle Wallop, Hampshire</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 5.9 Lough Fea, Londonderry</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -0.3 Redhill, Surrey</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -5.3 Dyce, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 52.8 Tulloch Bridge, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.4 Norwich W C, Norfolk 6.4 Hemsby, Norfolk</p>

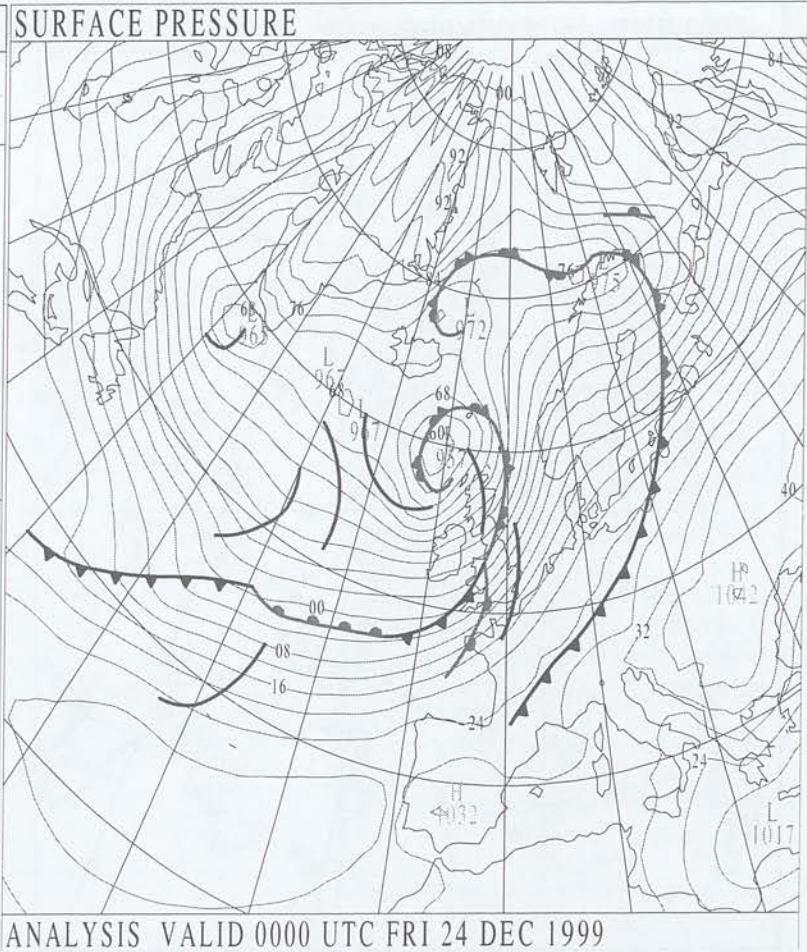
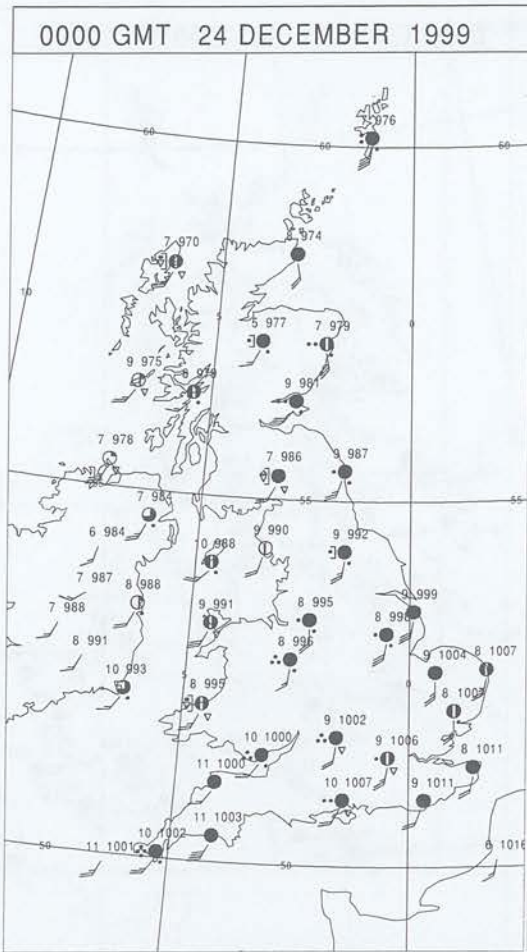
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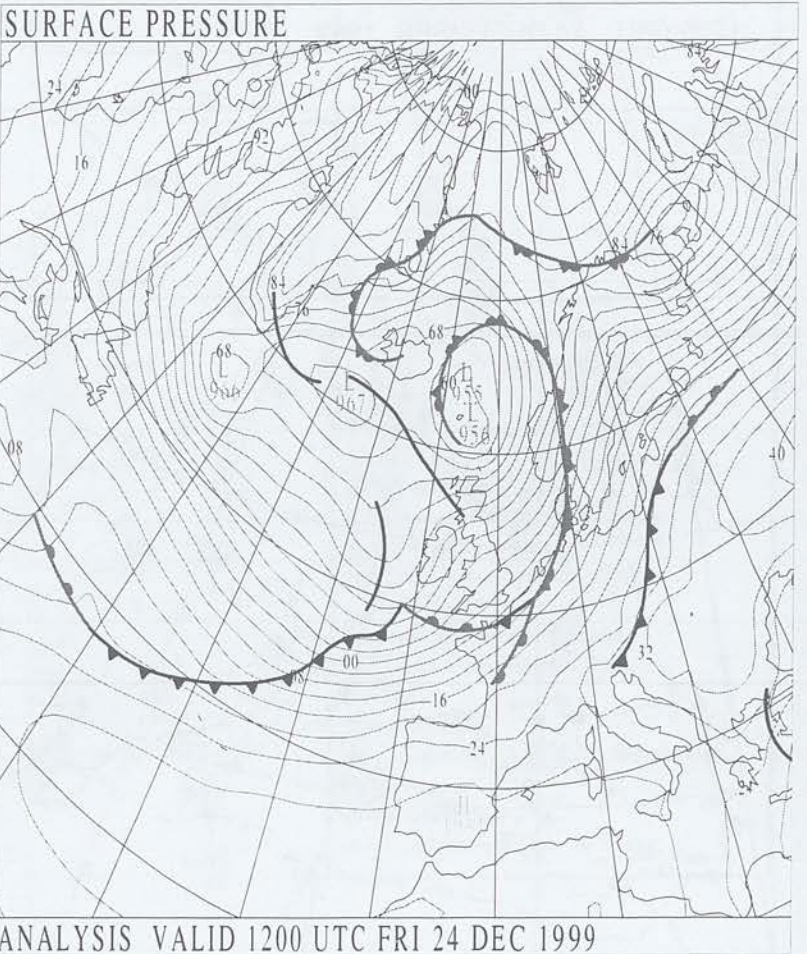
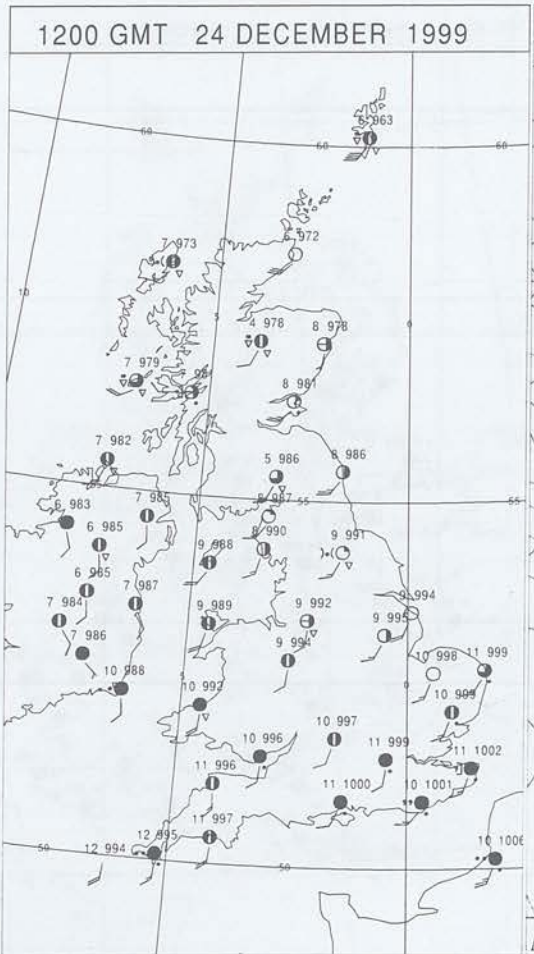
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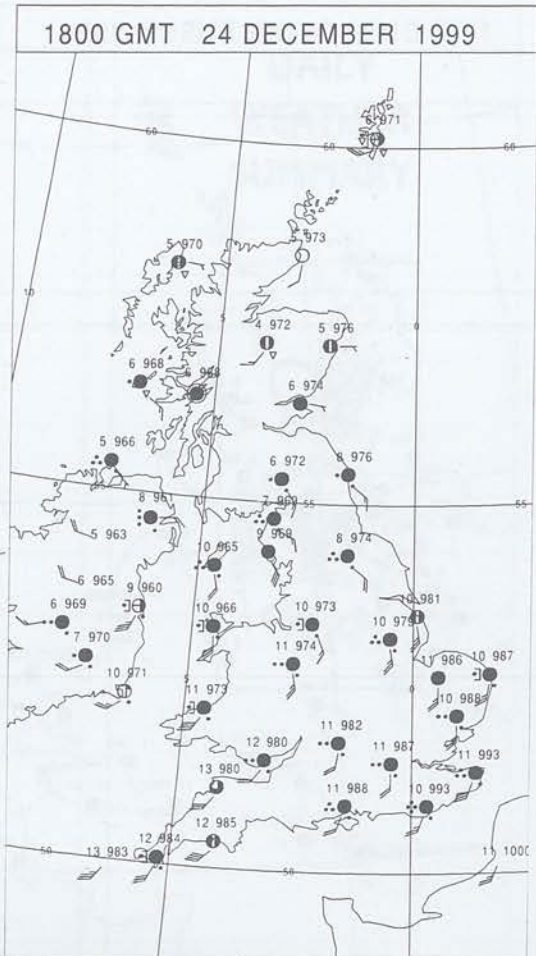
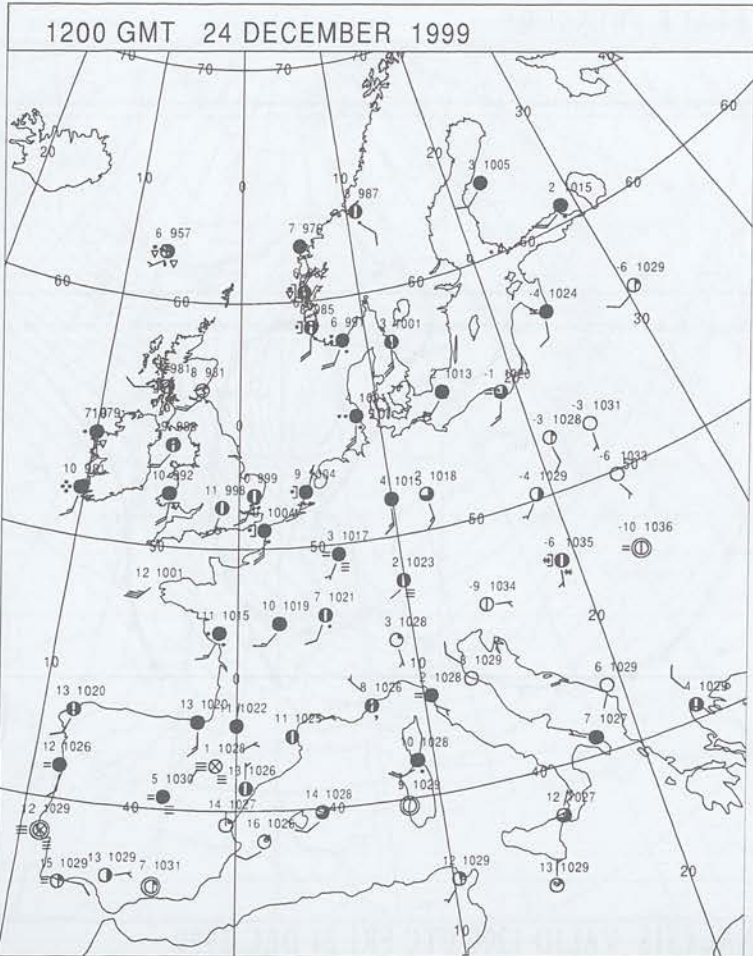
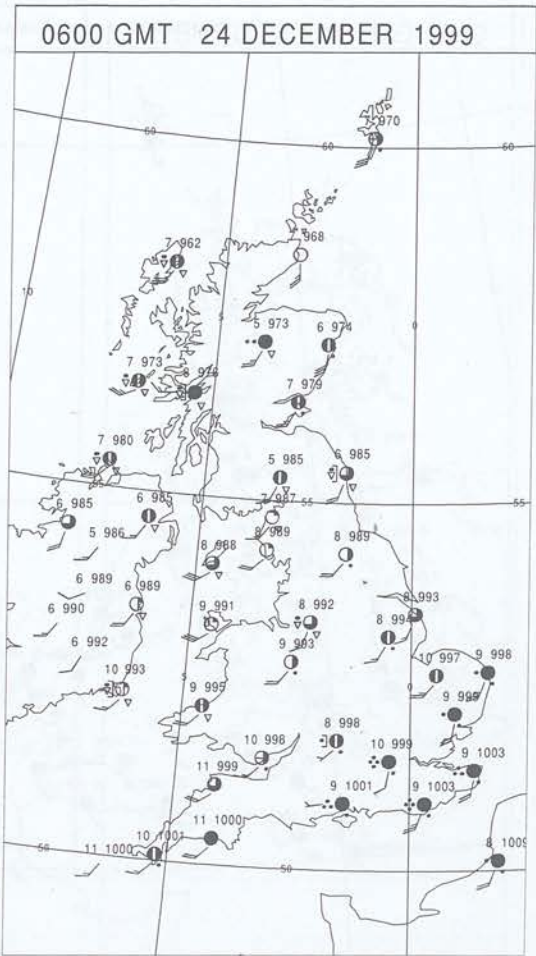
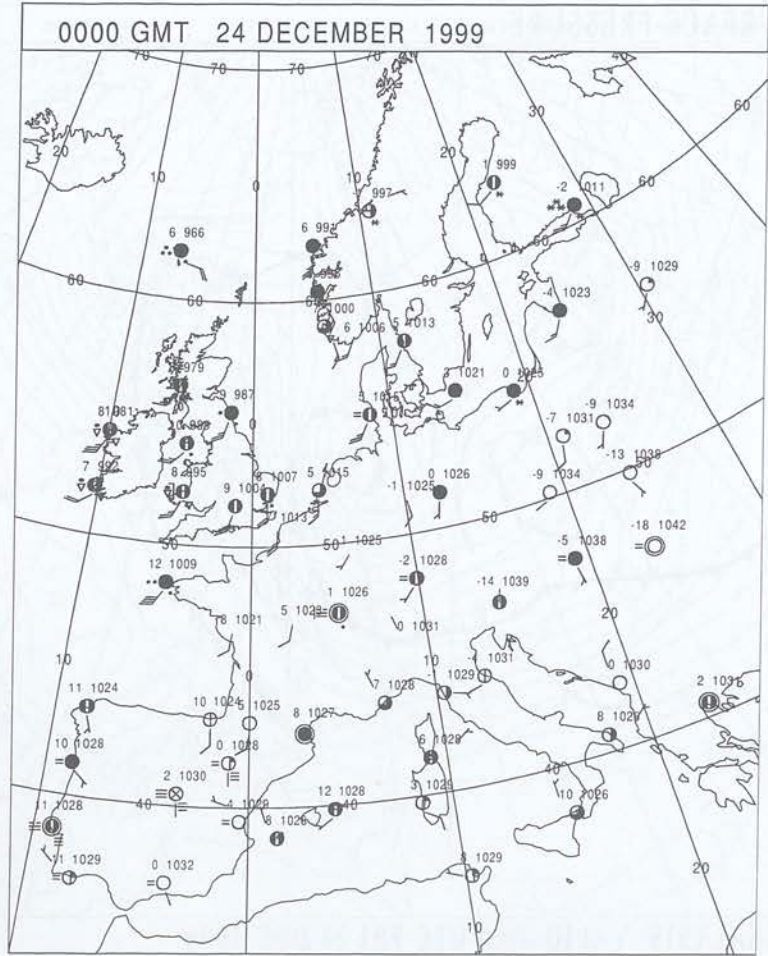


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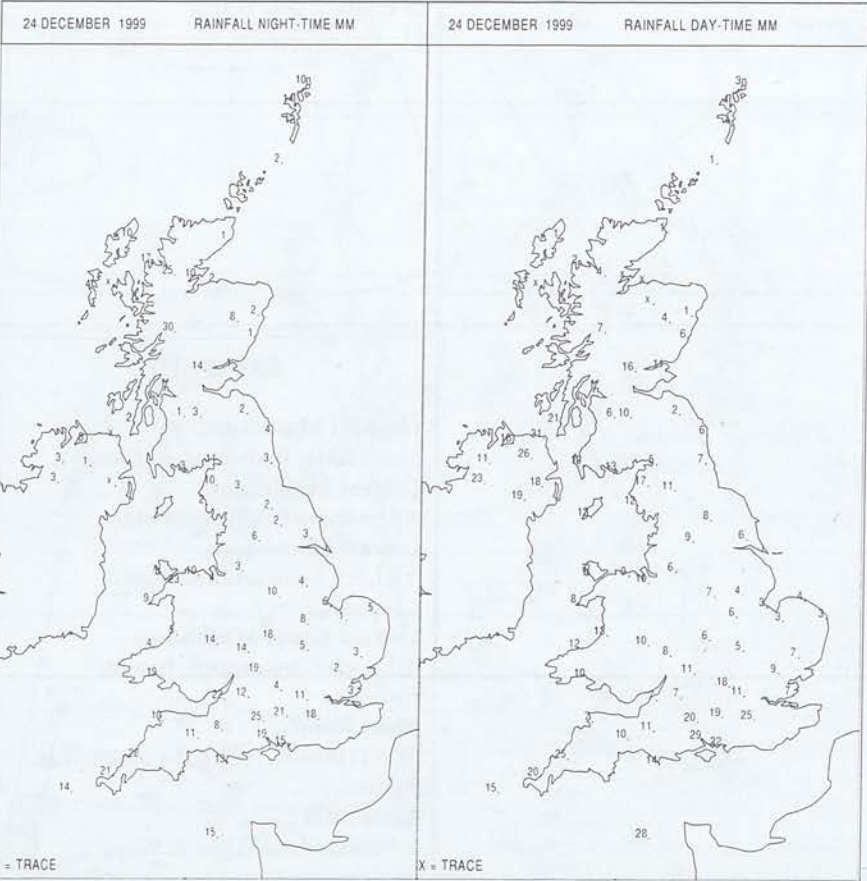
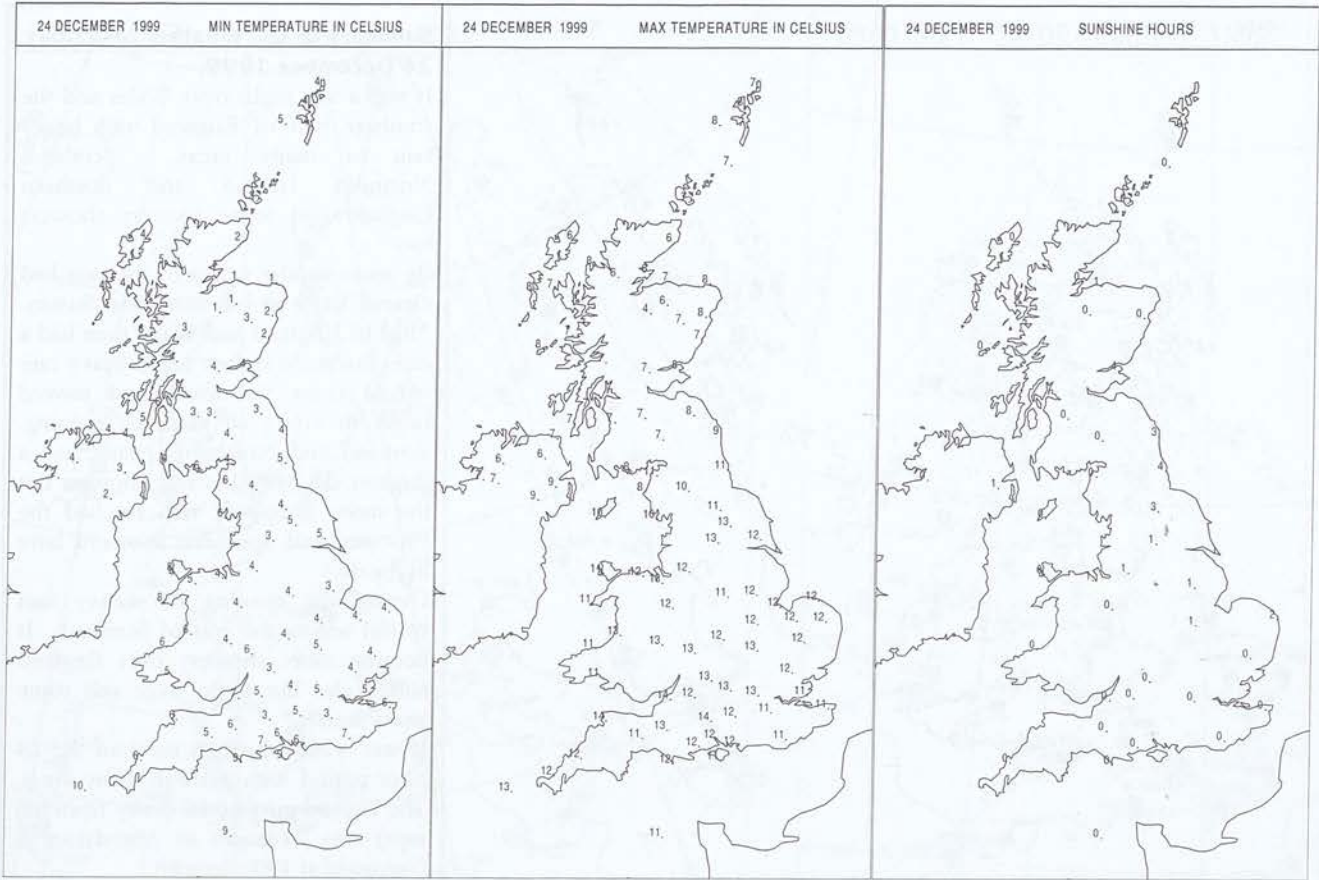
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0600 GMT 24 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 24 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Friday 24 December 1999.</p> <p>It was a wet night over Wales and the southern half of England with heavy rain in many areas. Scotland, Northern Ireland and northern England had some blustery showers too.</p> <p>By morning the worst of the rain had cleared from all but Kent and Sussex. Most of England and Wales then had a drier interlude before more heavy rain spread from the south and moved north to affect all areas by evening. Scotland and Northern Ireland had a brighter day with blustery showers but the more persistent rain reached the Province and southern Scotland later in the day.</p> <p>During the evening the heavy rain spread across the rest of Scotland. It became more showery over England and Wales but there were still some heavy bursts.</p> <p>It was windy through most of the 24 hour period with gales in many areas. The highest gust noted (away from hill tops) was 74 knots at Aberdaron in Gwynedd at 1900 hours.</p> <p>Temperatures were a little above normal in Scotland and Northern Ireland but it was very mild over most of England and Wales.</p>
1800 GMT 24 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 25 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 14.6 Middle Wallop, Hampshire</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 4.8 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: 0.7 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: 0.2 Loch Glascarnoch, Ross & Cromarty</p> <p>Most Rain: 38.8 Dalmally, Argyll (In Strathclyde Region)</p> <p>Most Sun: 4.4 Sunderland, Tyne & Wear</p>

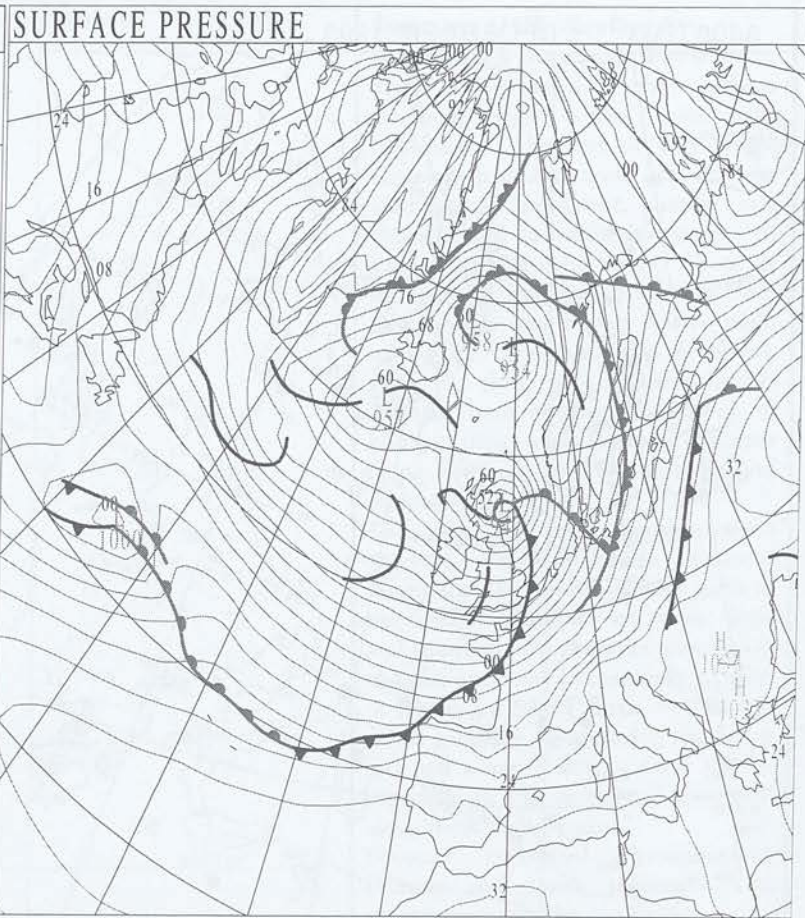
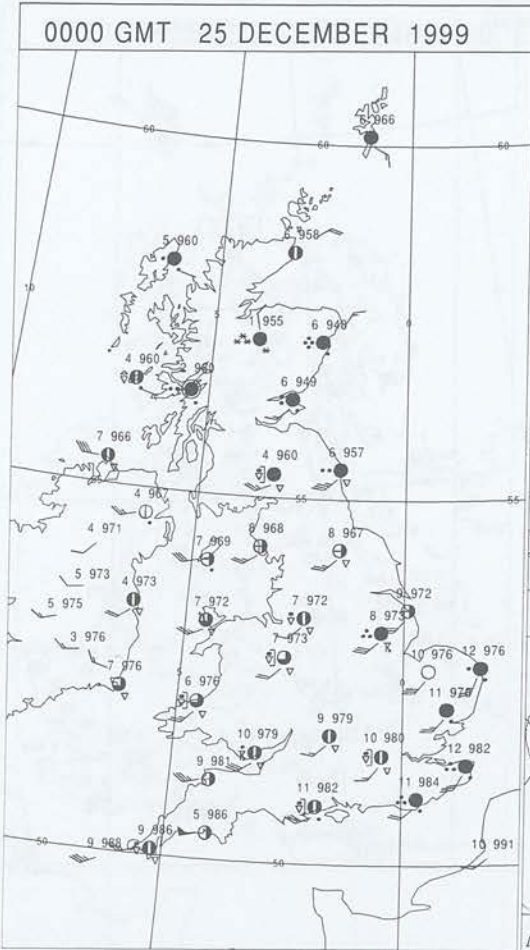
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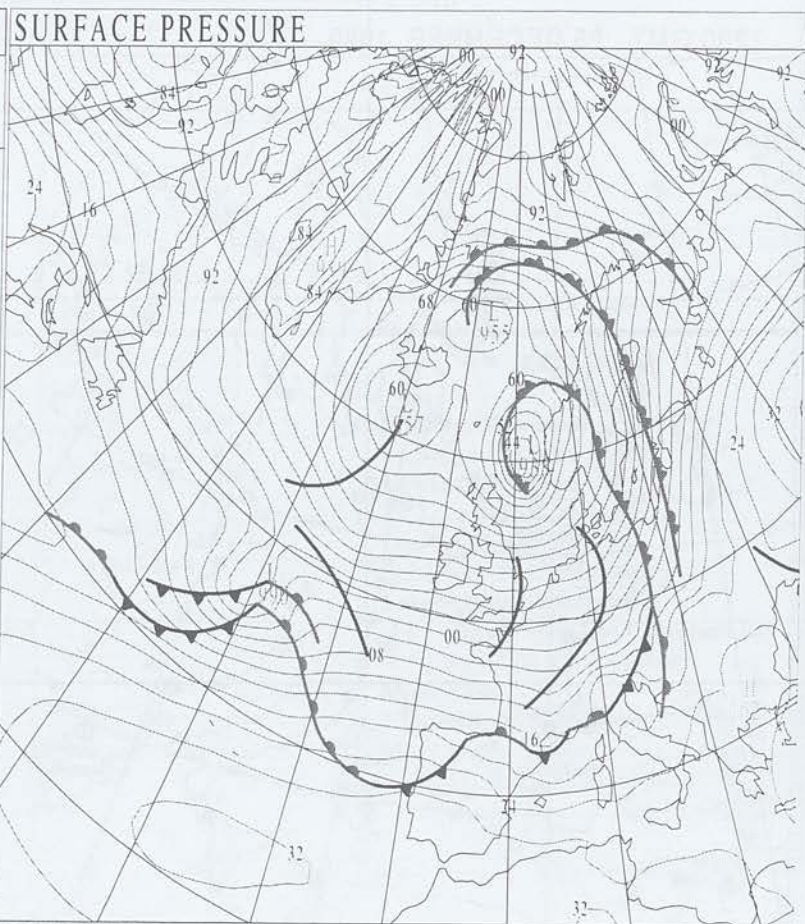
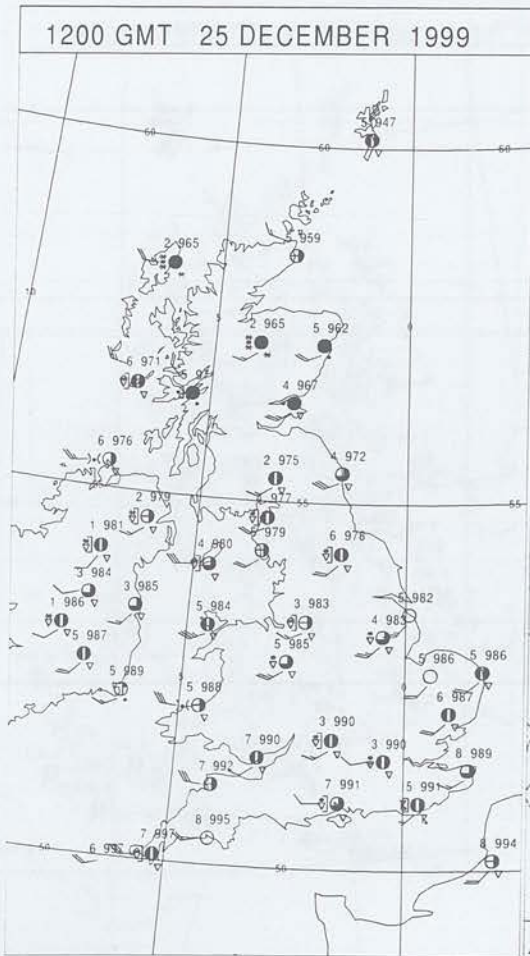
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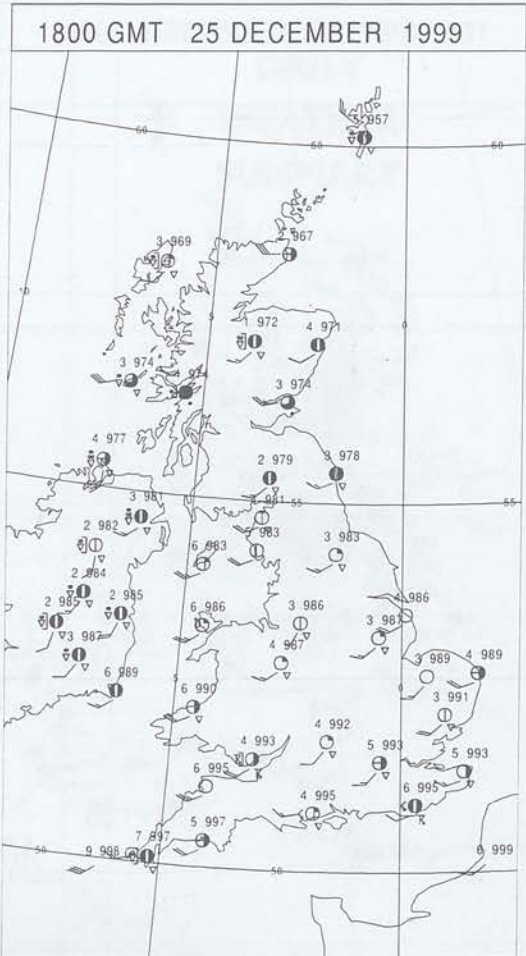
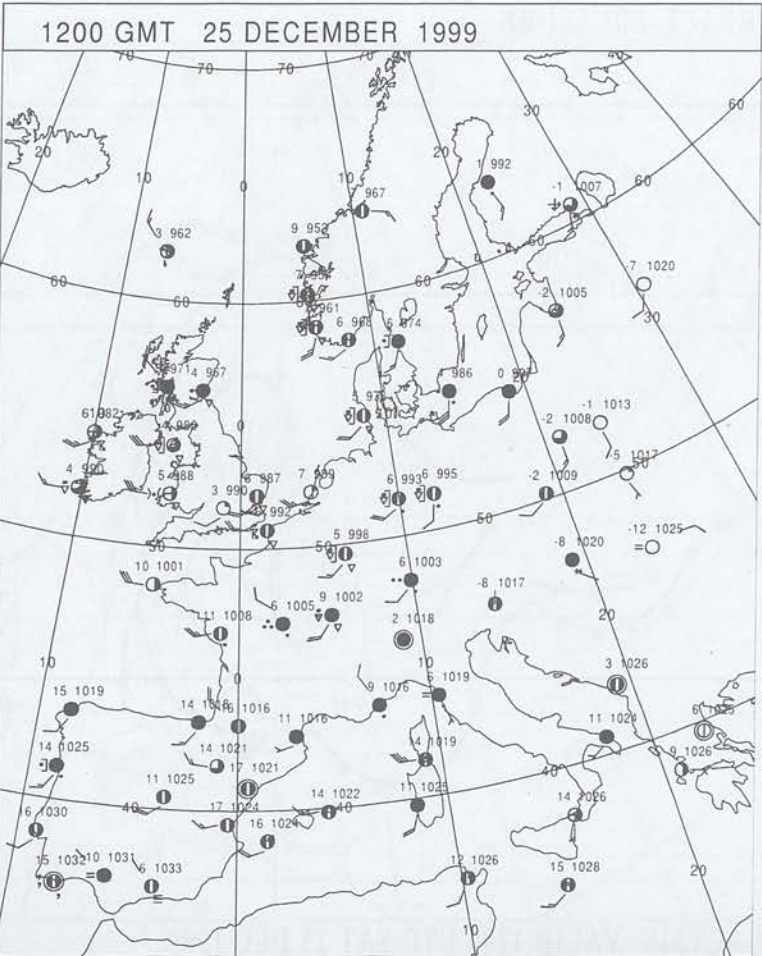
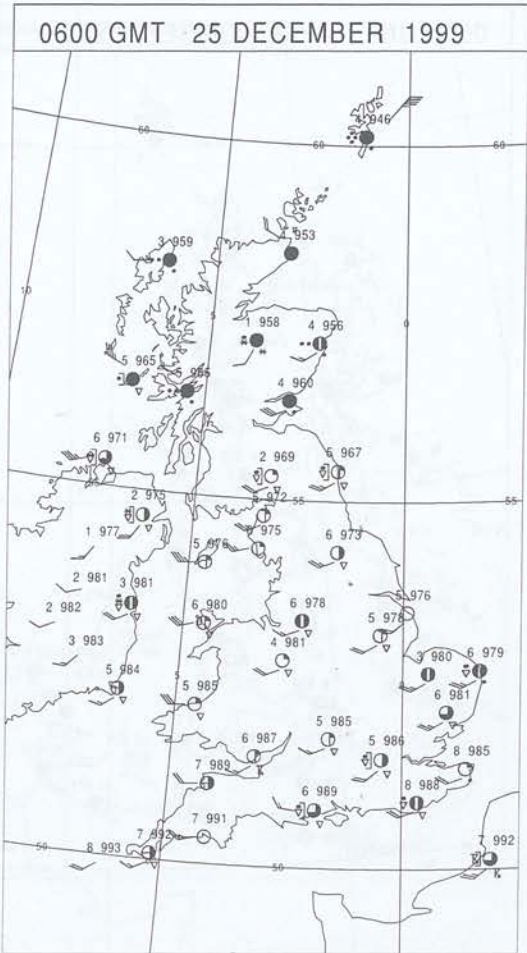
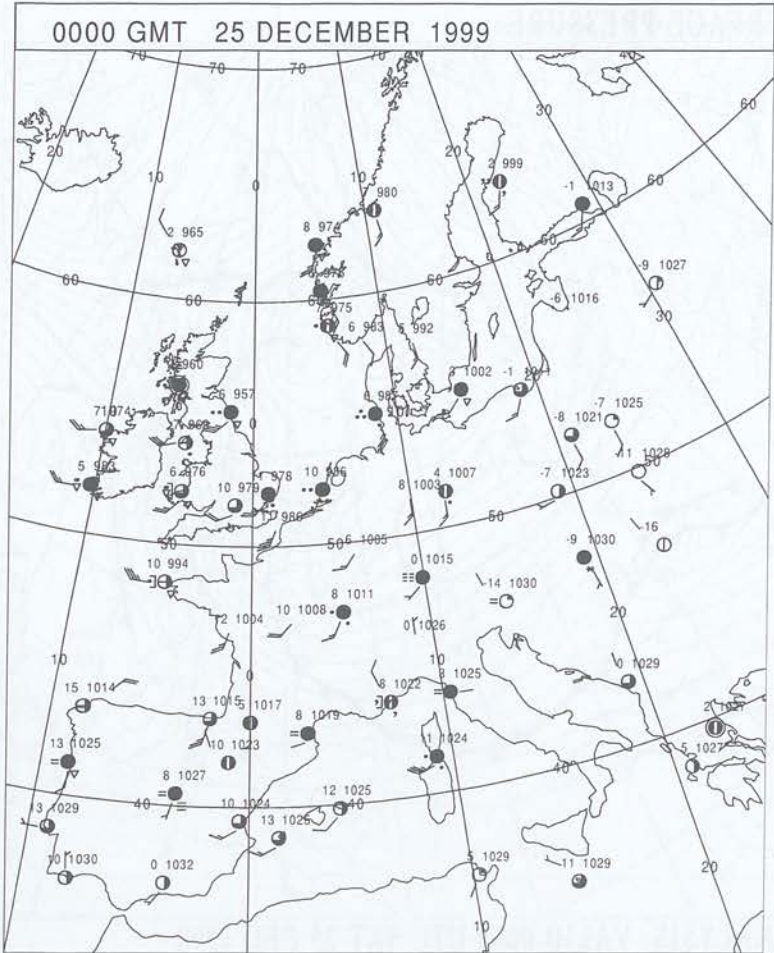


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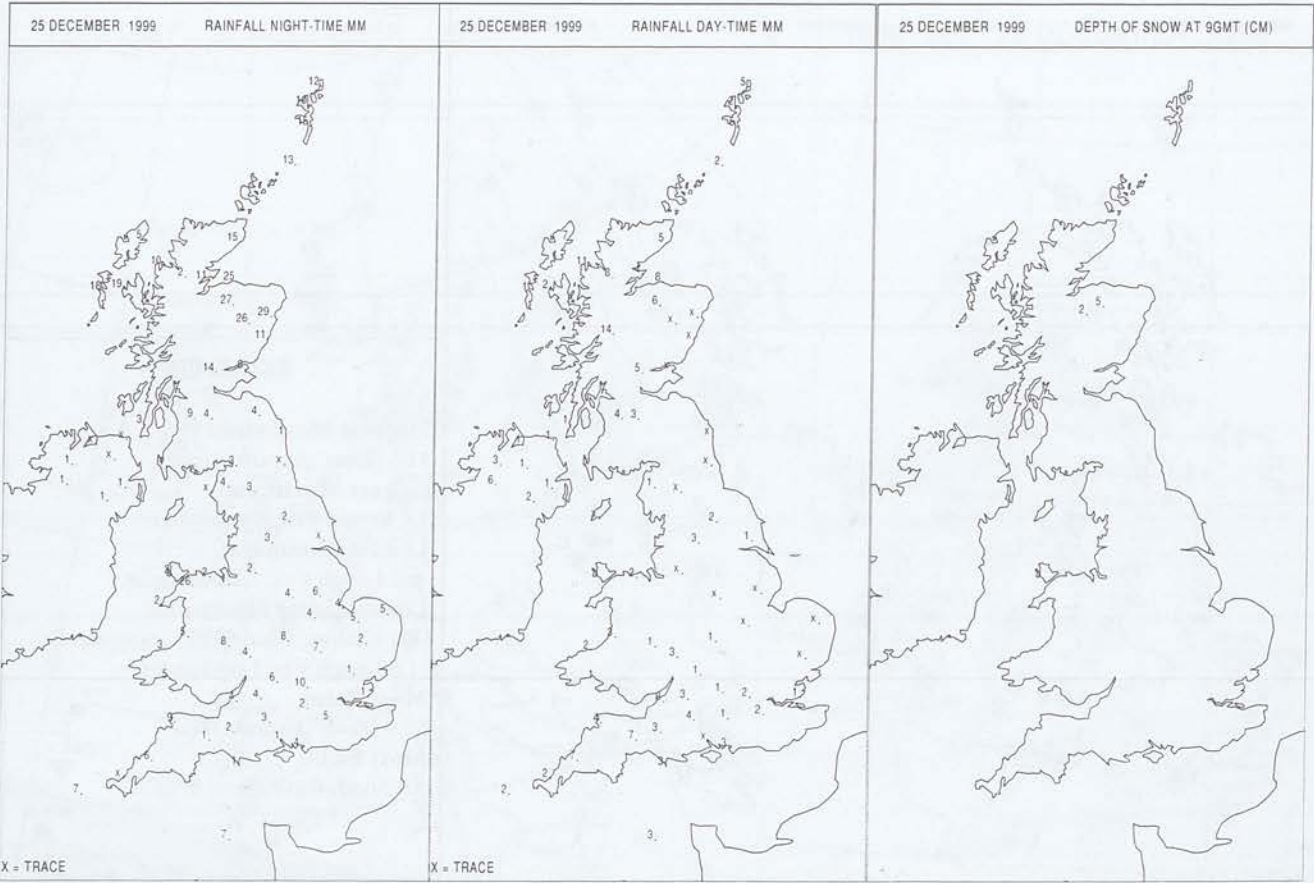
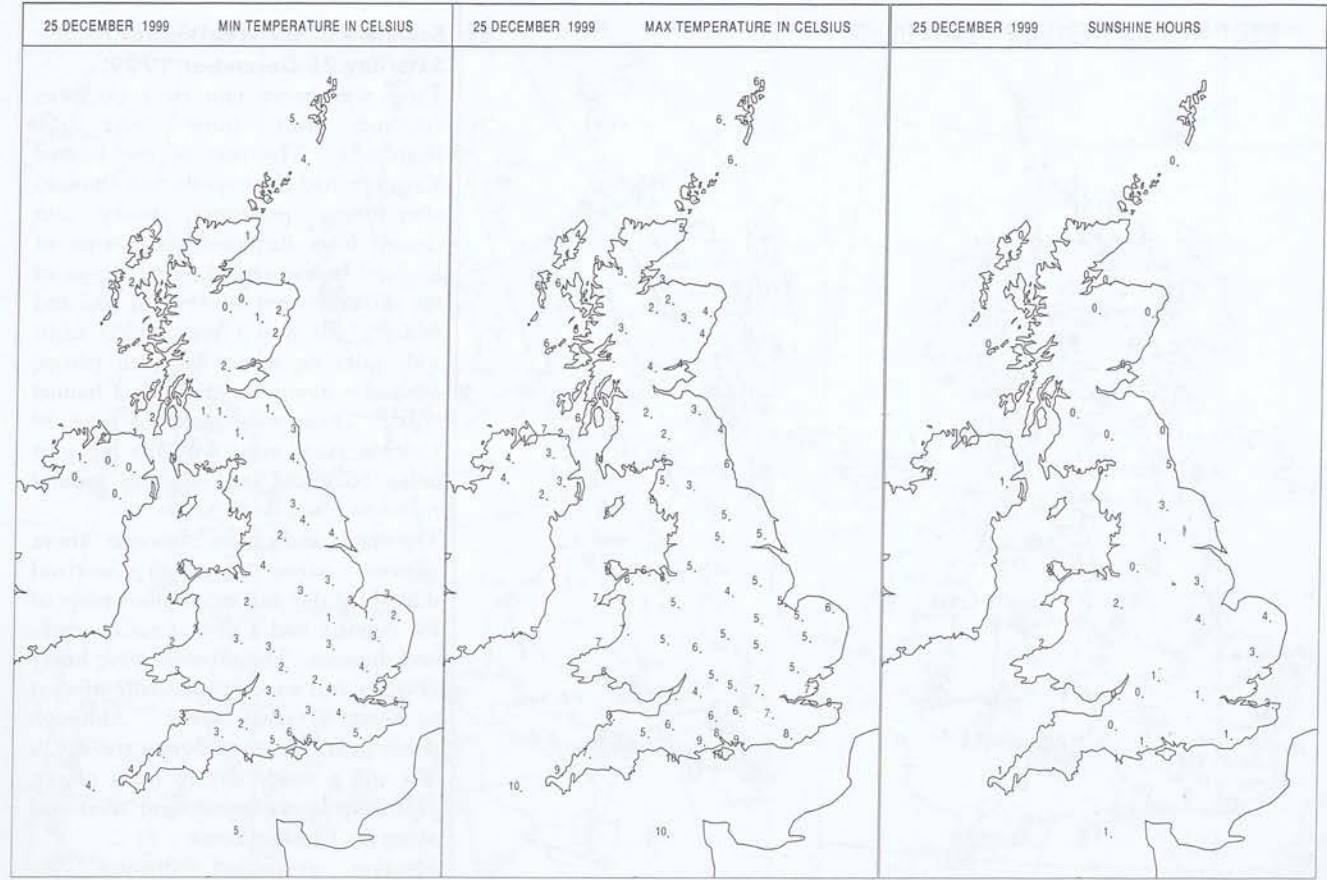
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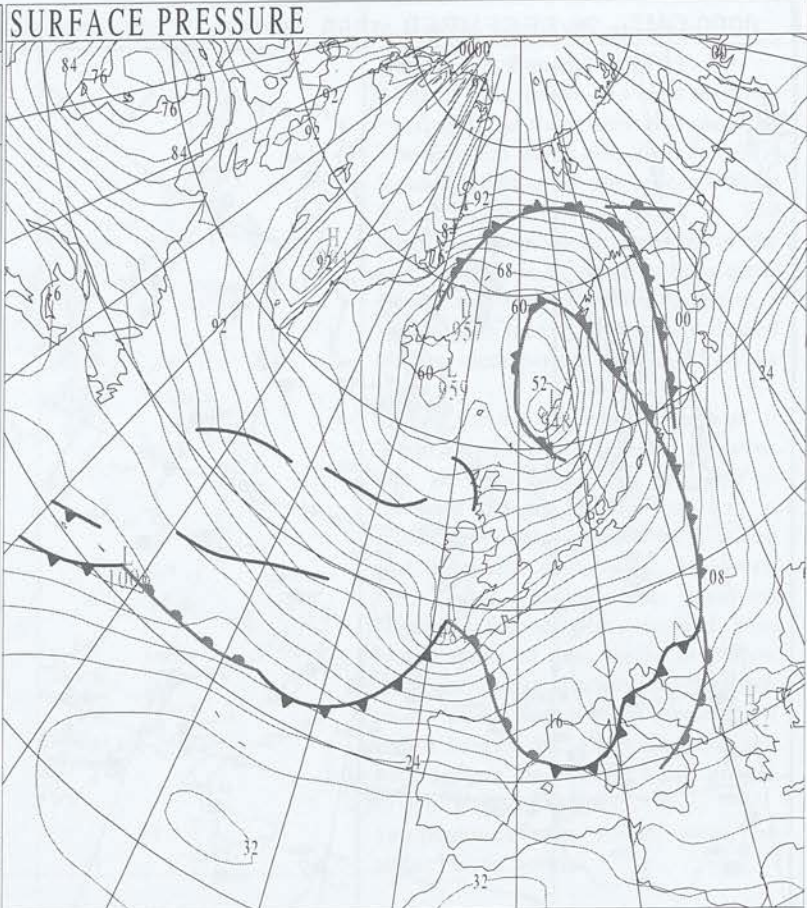
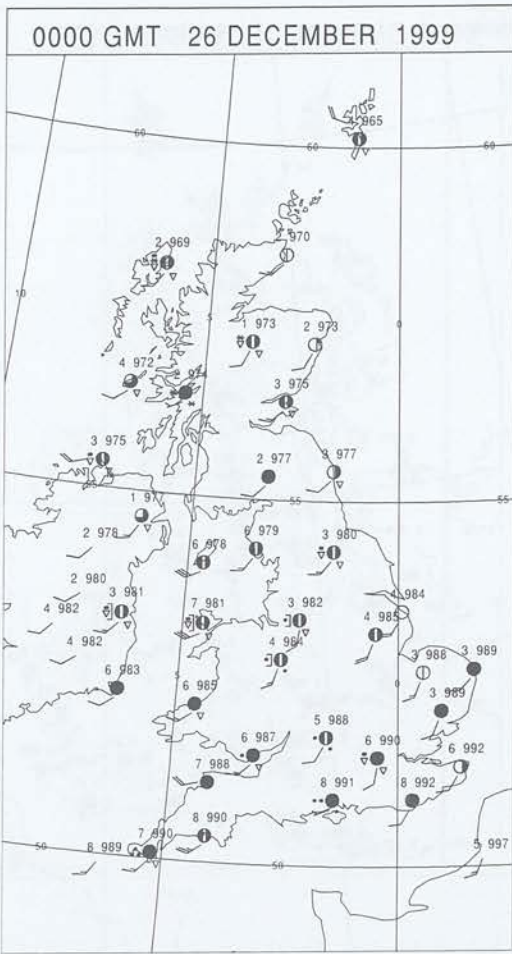
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1800 GMT 25 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 26 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	
				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 11.3 Jersey Airport, Jersey</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 1.7 Lough Fea, Londonderry</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -0.2 Lough Fea, Londonderry</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -1.6 Kinloss, Moray (In Grampian Re -1.6 Lough Fea, Londonderry</p> <p>Most Rain: 32.6 Jersey Airport, Jersey</p> <p>Most Sun: 5.5 Sunderland, Tyne & Wear</p>

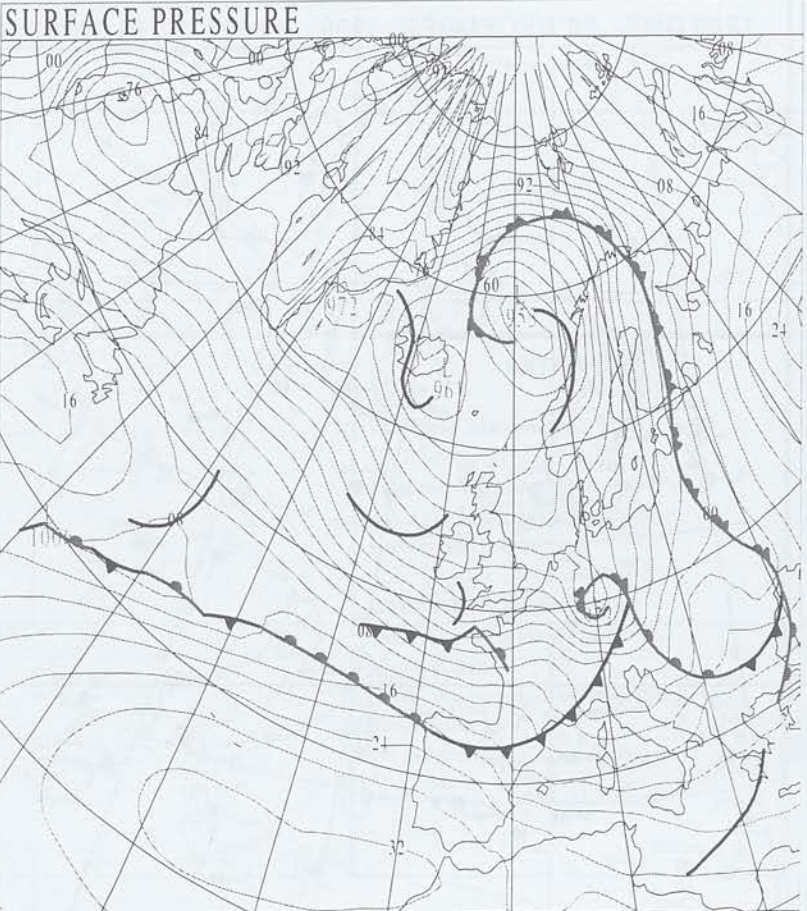
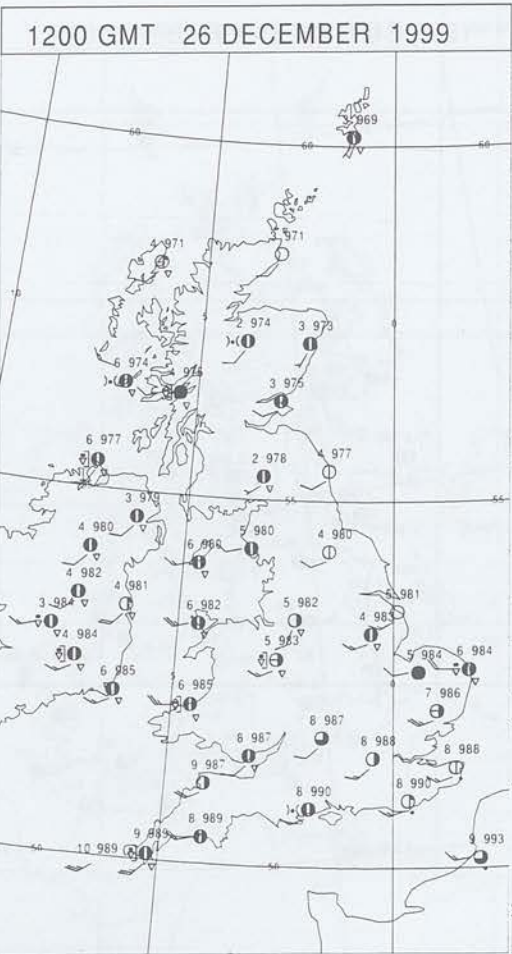
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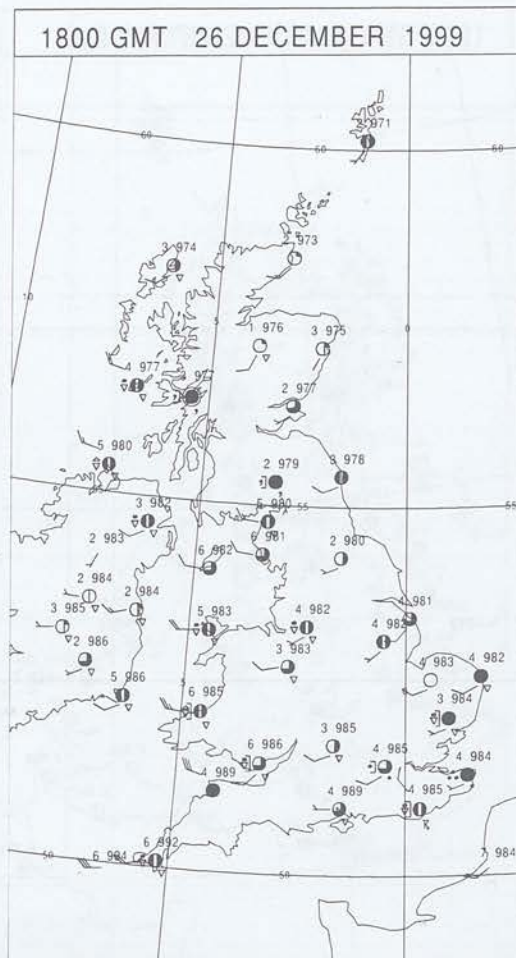
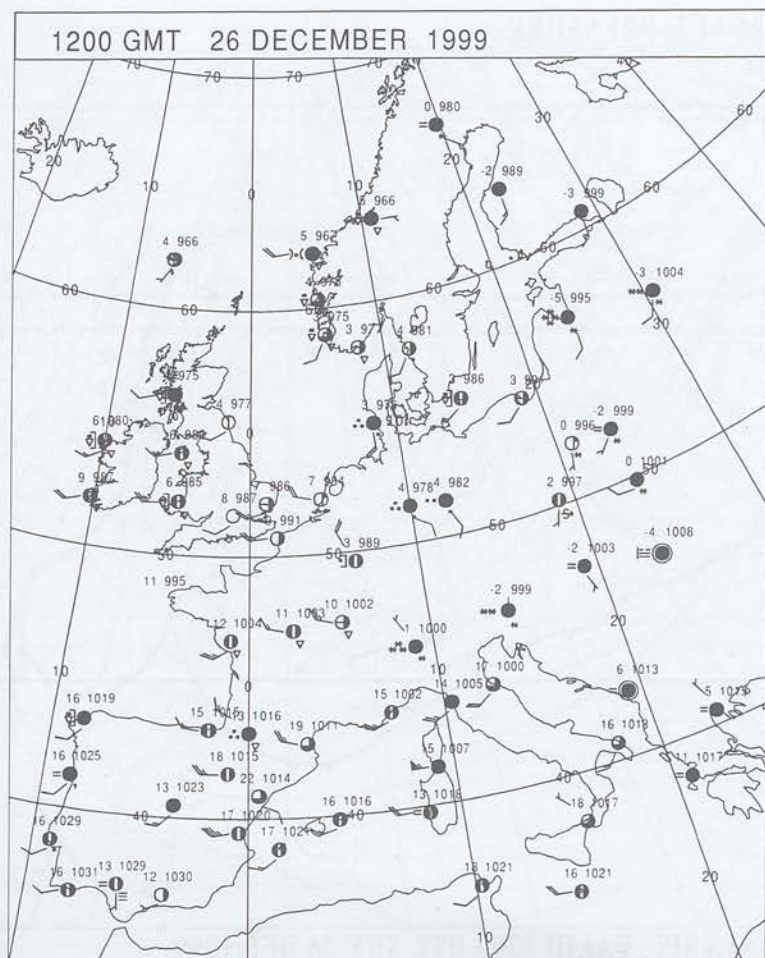
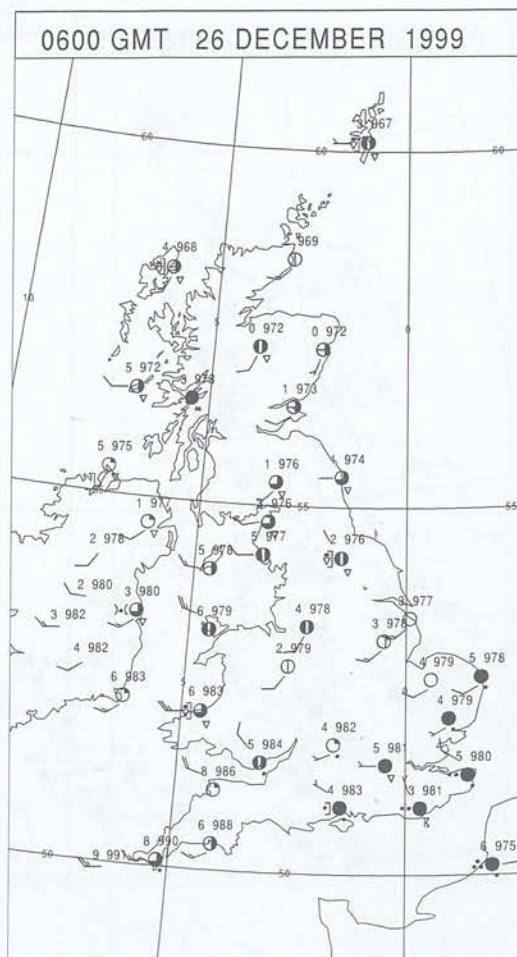
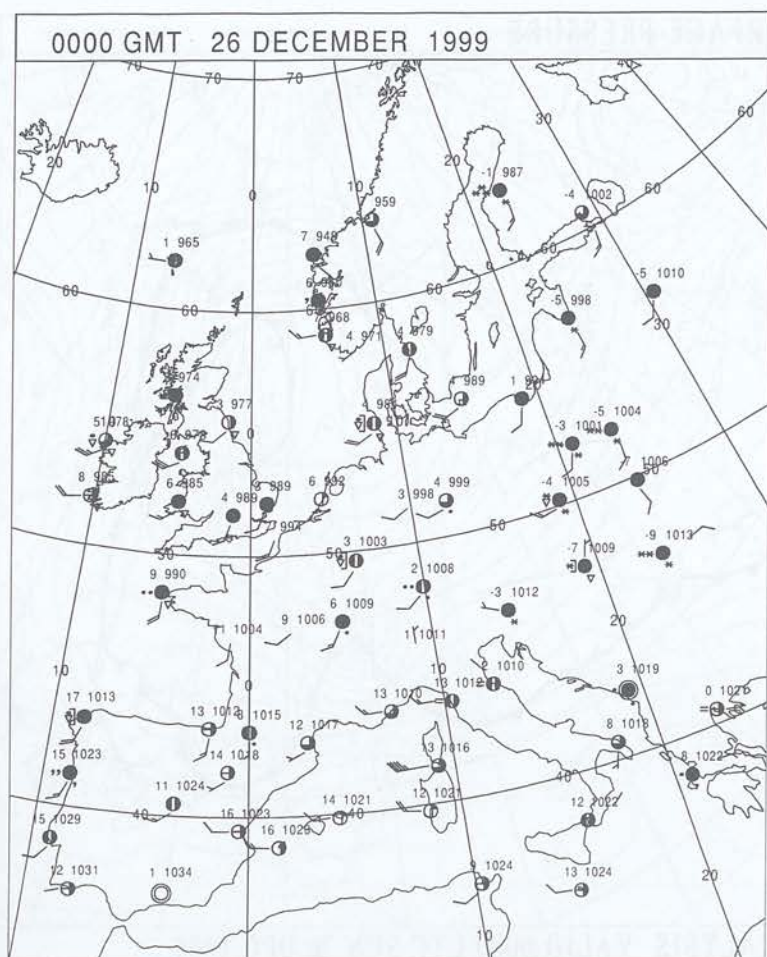
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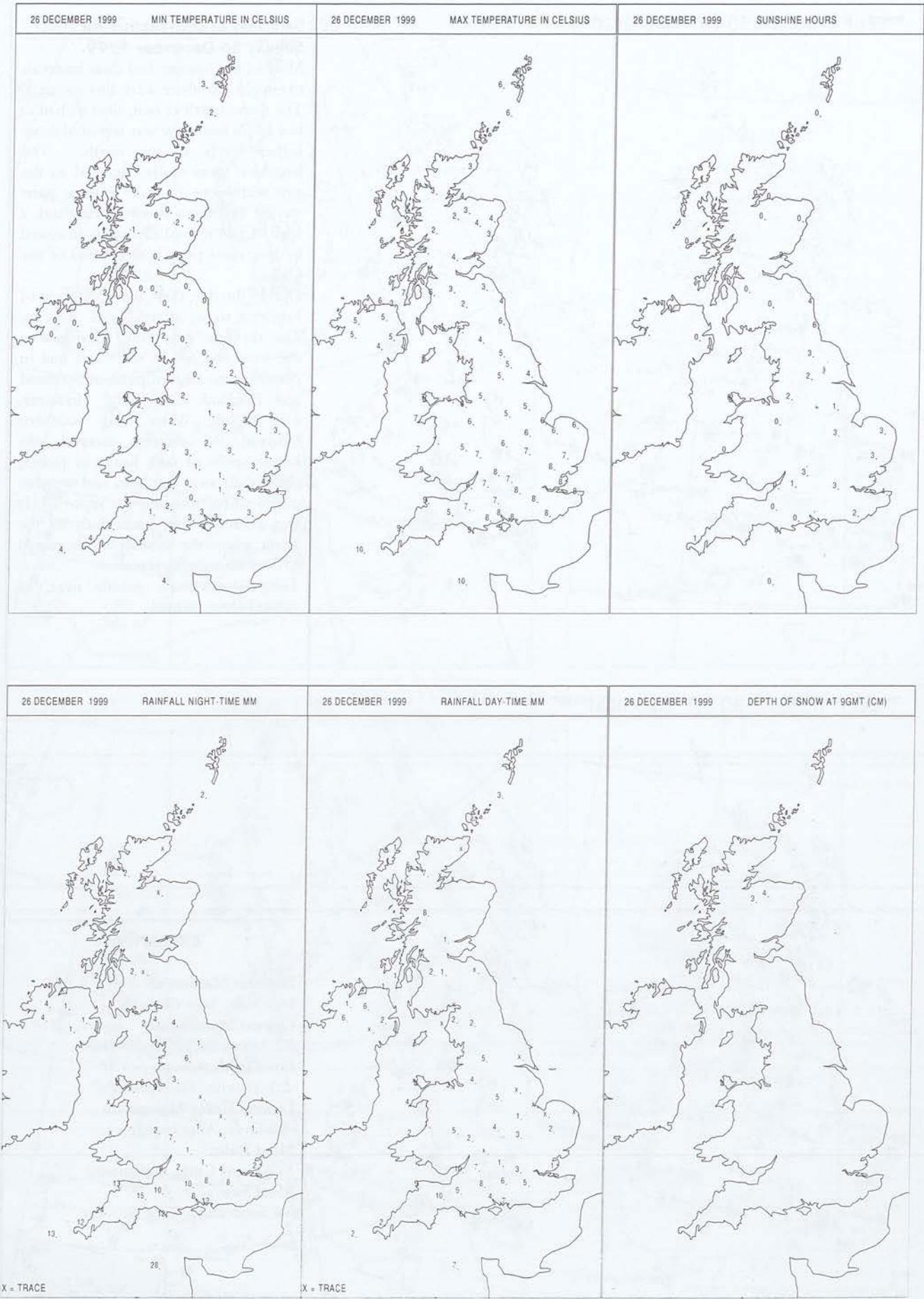
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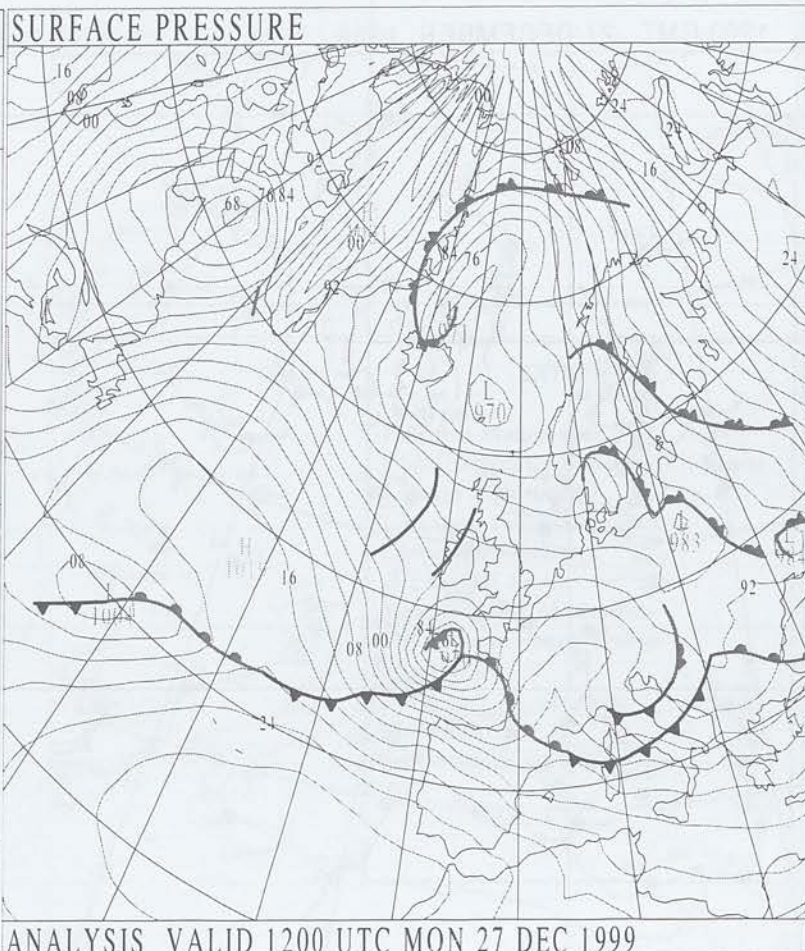
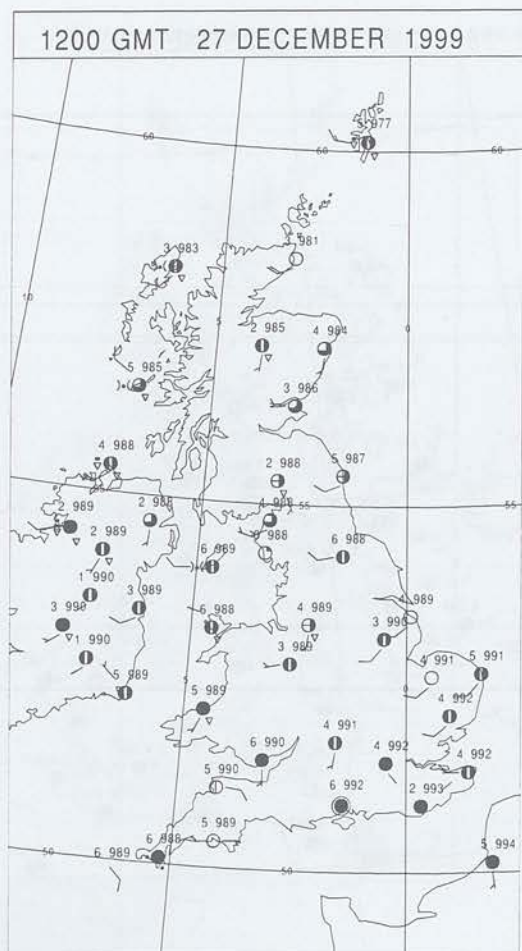
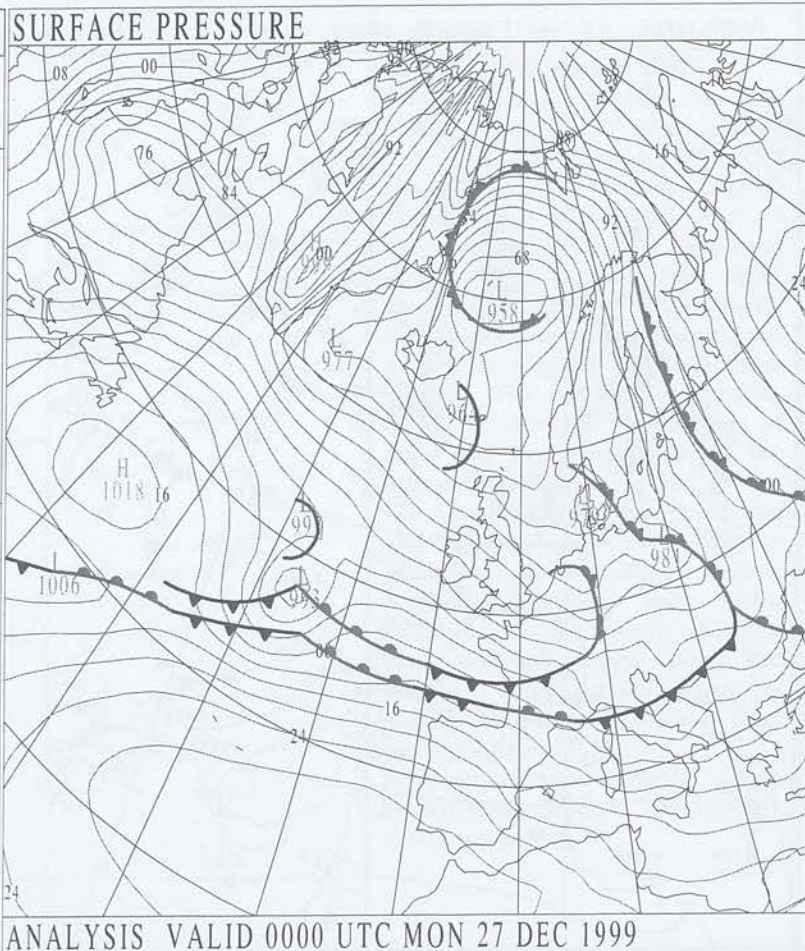
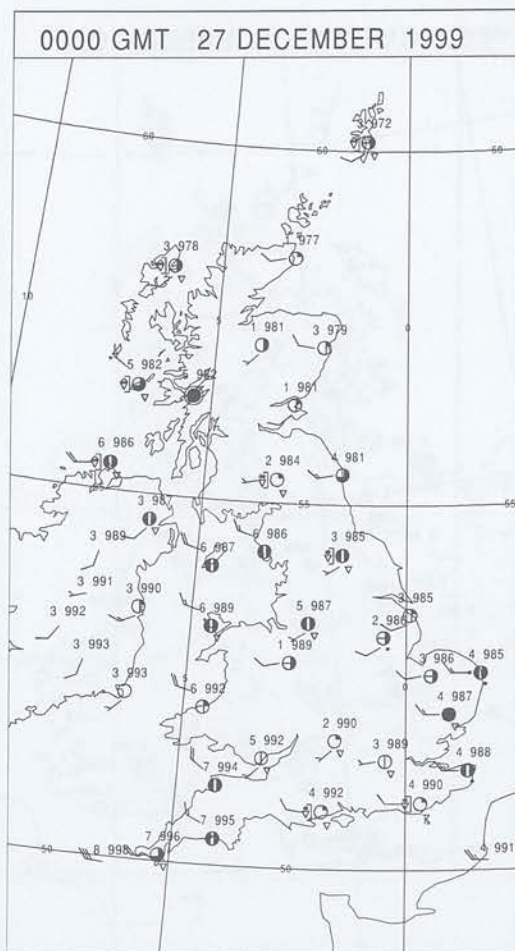
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0600 GMT 26 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 26 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Sunday 26 December 1999.</p> <p>Most of the country had clear intervals overnight, but there were also showers. The showers fell as rain, sleet or hail at low levels but snow was reported from higher levels in the north. The lengthiest clear spells occurred in the east with some of these eastern parts staying dry. Over southern England, a spell of rain moved eastwards followed by long clear periods at the end of the night.</p> <p>During the day, there was a mixture of bright or sunny intervals and showers. The showers were most frequent in the west and fell as sleet and hail in places. Some eastern parts of Scotland and England stayed dry. However, over south Wales and southern England, the showers merged into longer spells of rain, heavy in places, particularly near southern and western coasts where thunder was reported. It was a breezy day, particularly in the south, where the westerly winds gusted to over 50 knots in places. Temperatures were mostly near, or rather below, normal.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 10.3 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 2.2 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -2.3 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -7.2 Dyce, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 14.8 Capel Curig, Gwynnedd</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.4 Sunderland, Tyne & Wear</p>

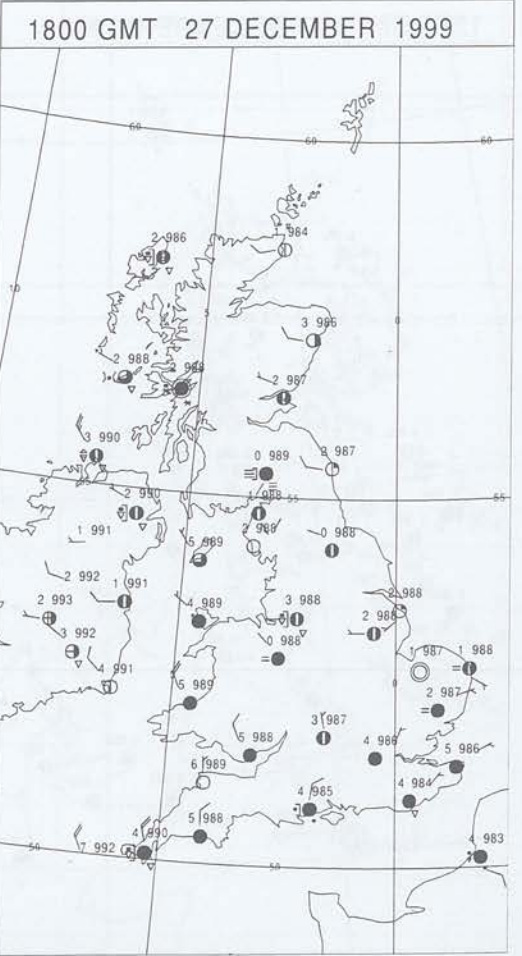
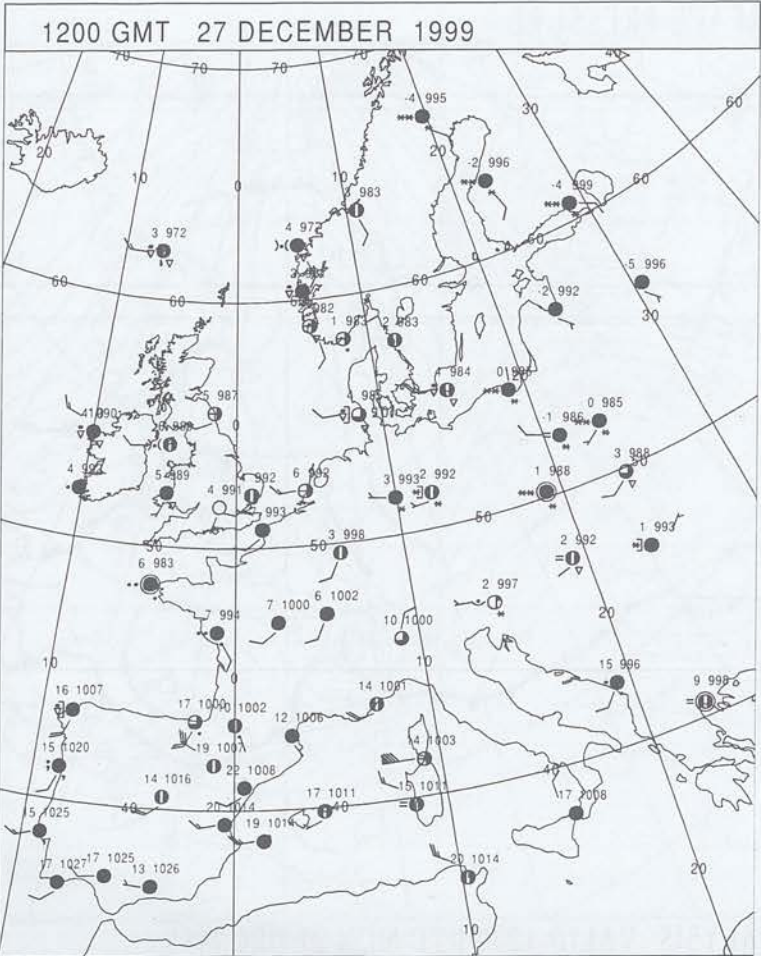
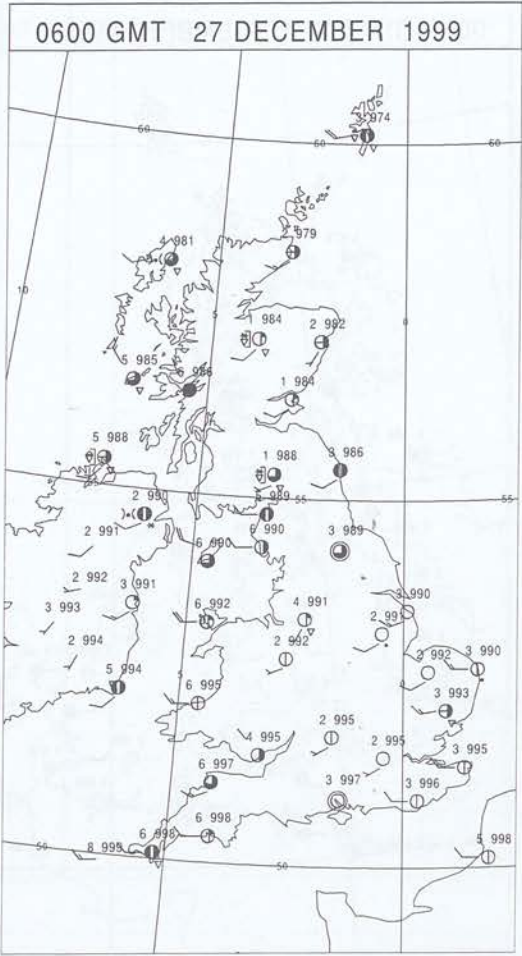
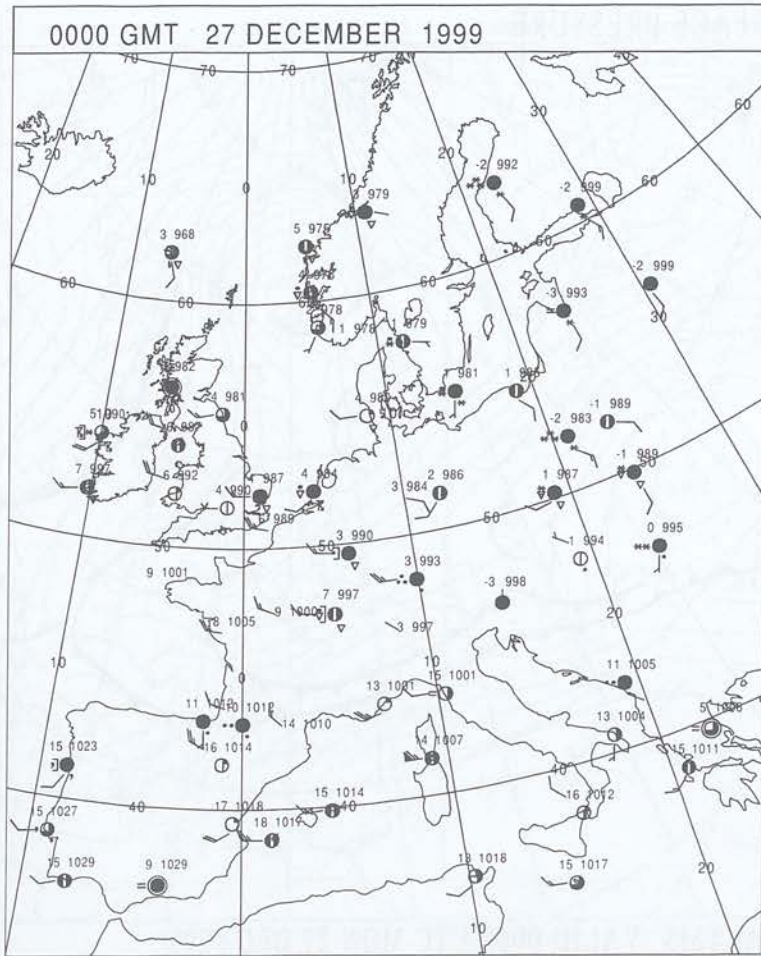
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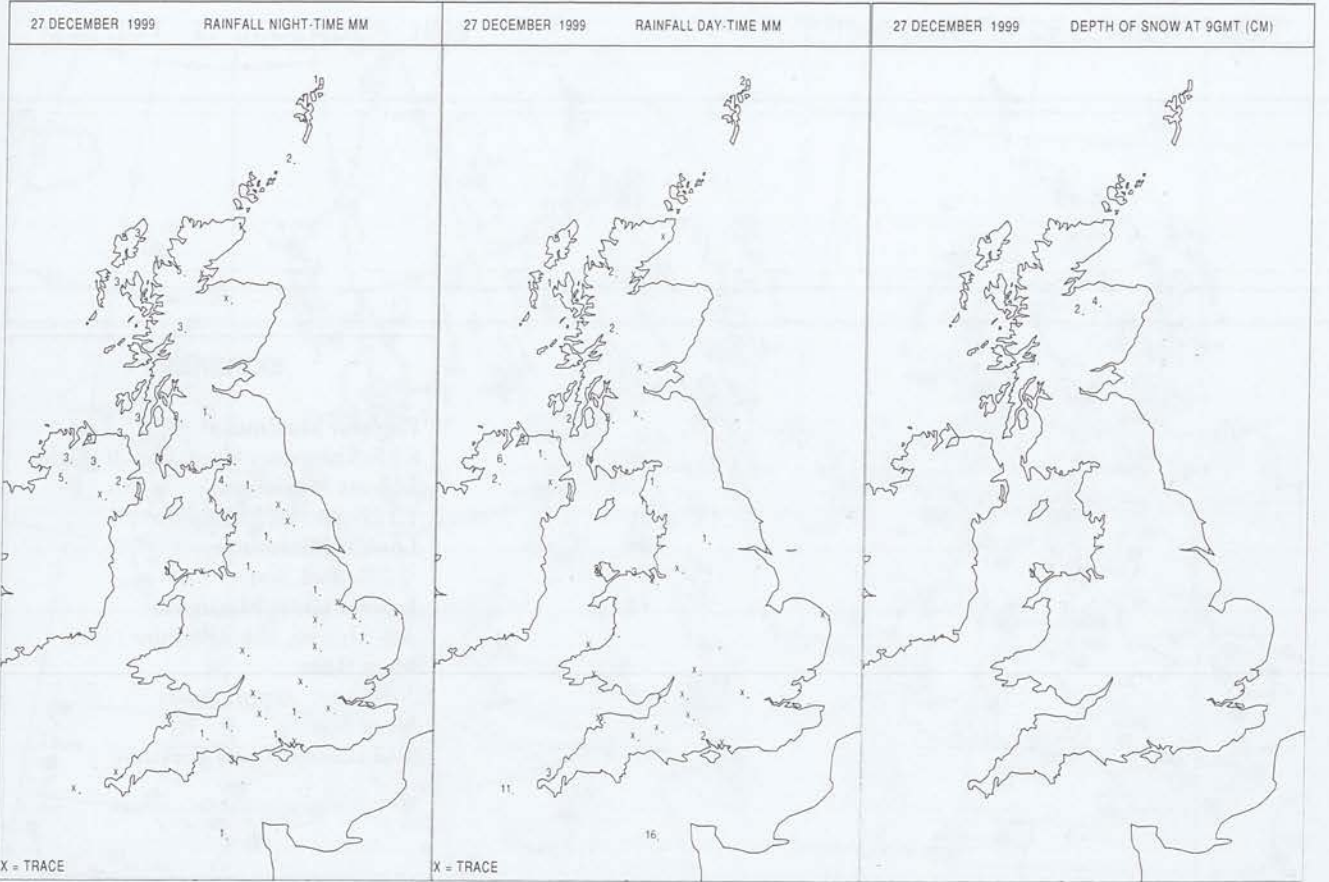
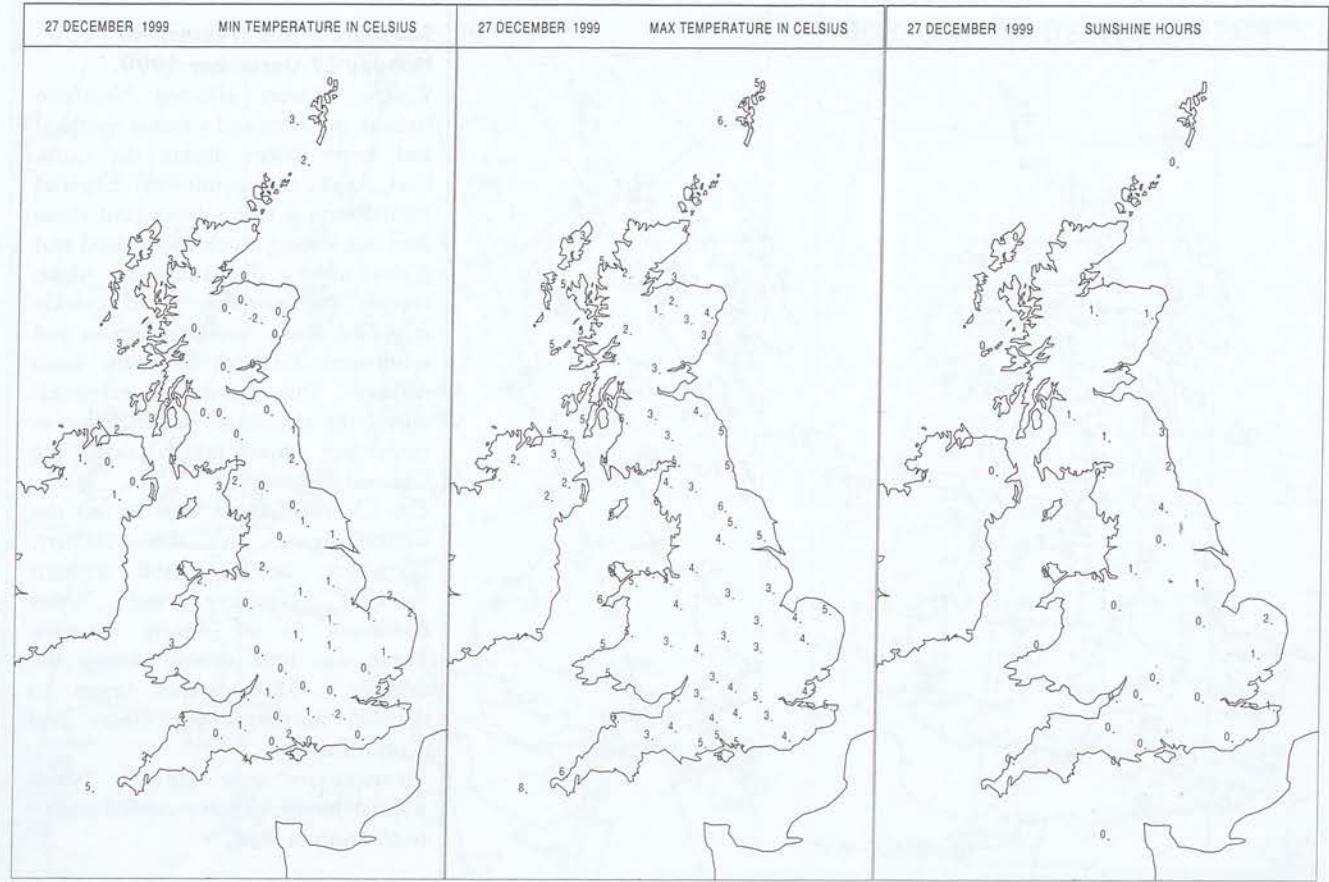
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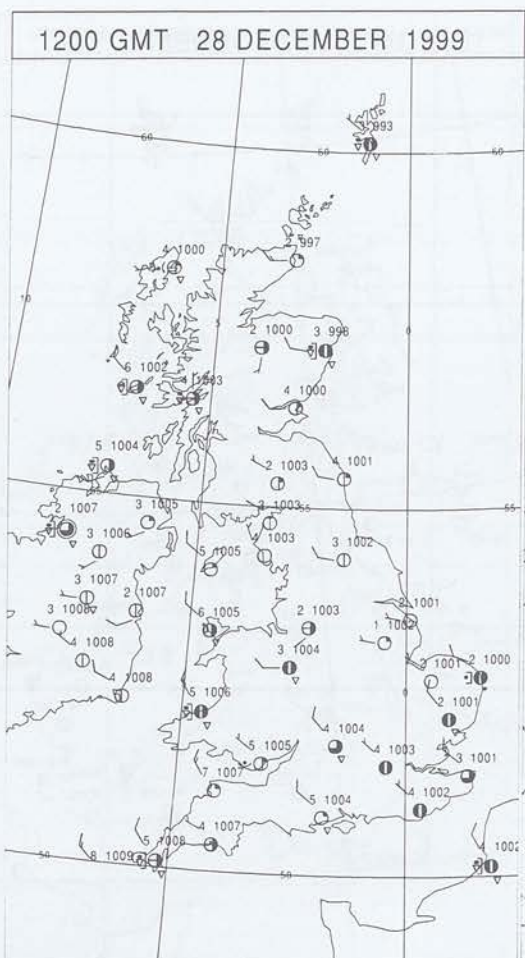
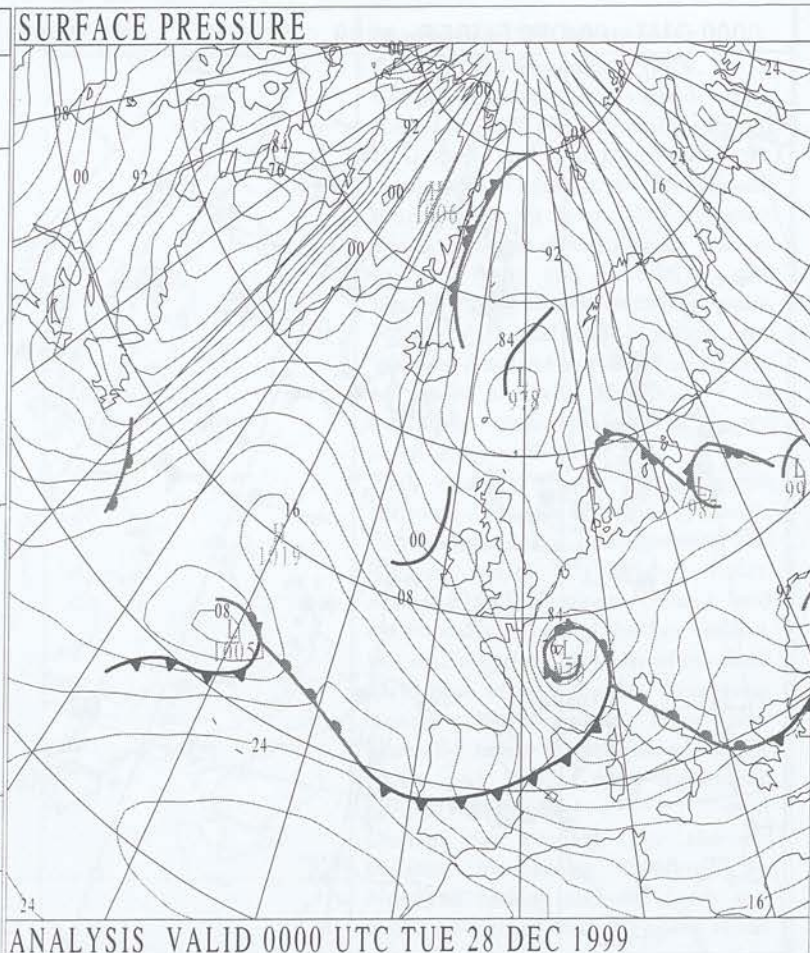
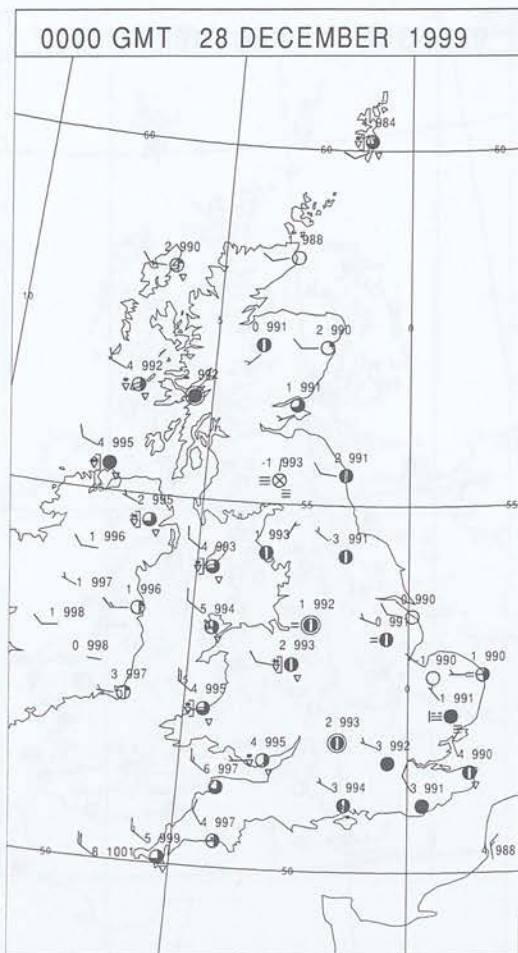
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0600 GMT 27 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 27 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Monday 27 December 1999.</p> <p>Wintry showers affected Northern Ireland, northern and western Scotland and north Wales during the night. East Anglia and south-west England started with a few showers but these died out leaving much of England and Wales with a dry and clear night. During the morning, cloud quickly increased across southern Britain and south-west England had rain from midday. This rain moved eastwards during the afternoon. It was heavy at times but stayed mostly along the Channel coastline.</p> <p>The Channel Islands were in fact the wettest part of the country. Elsewhere, northern and western Scotland, Northern and Wales continued to see wintry showers. There was little change during the evening. Mist patches began to develop in parts of northern and central England.</p> <p>Temperatures were generally below normal. Jersey Airport recorded gusts to 60 knots at 0100.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 8.5 St Catherines Point, Isle Of Wight</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 1.2 Lough Fea, Londonderry</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -2.2 Redhill, Surrey</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -6.8 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 30.0 Jersey Airport, Jersey</p> <p>Most Sun: 4.4 Leeming, North Yorkshire</p>

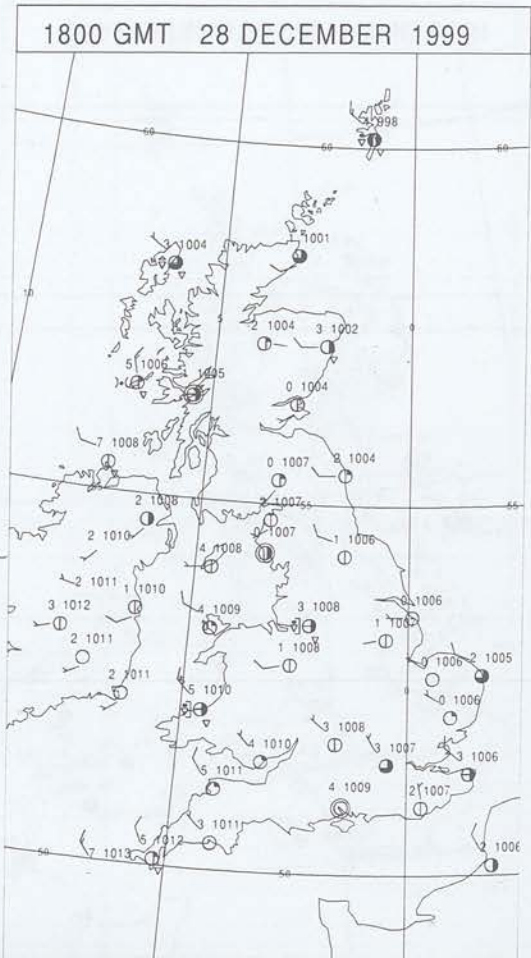
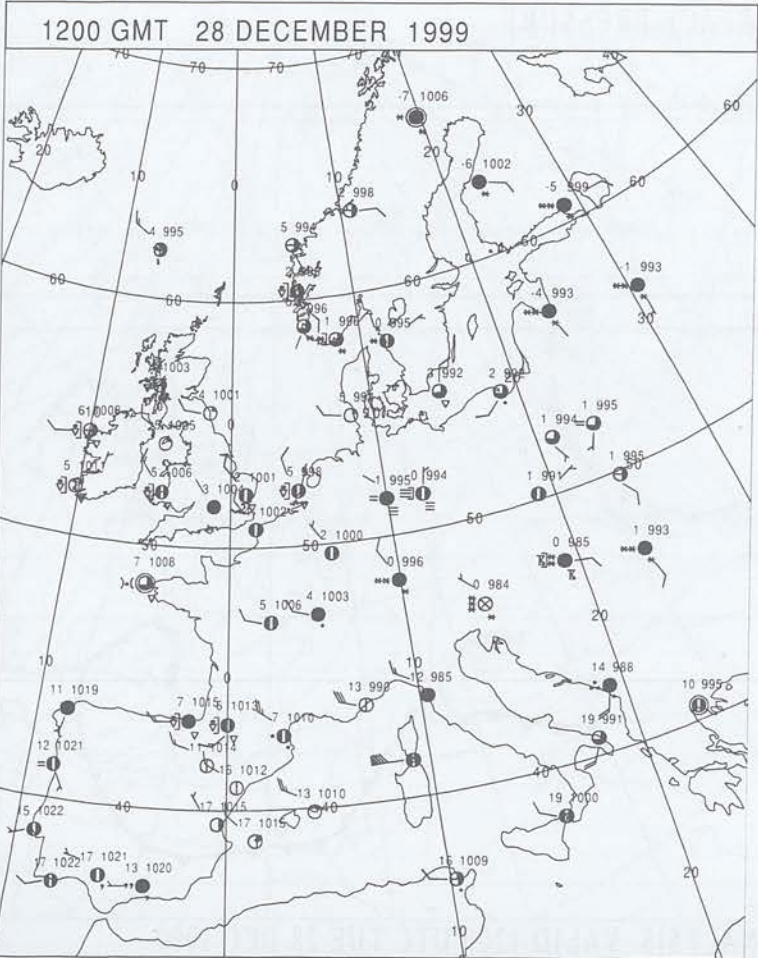
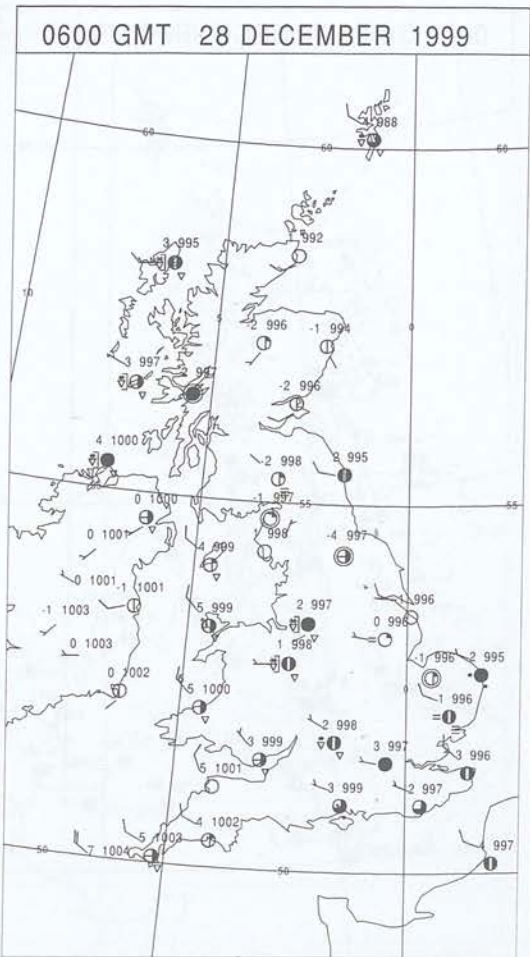
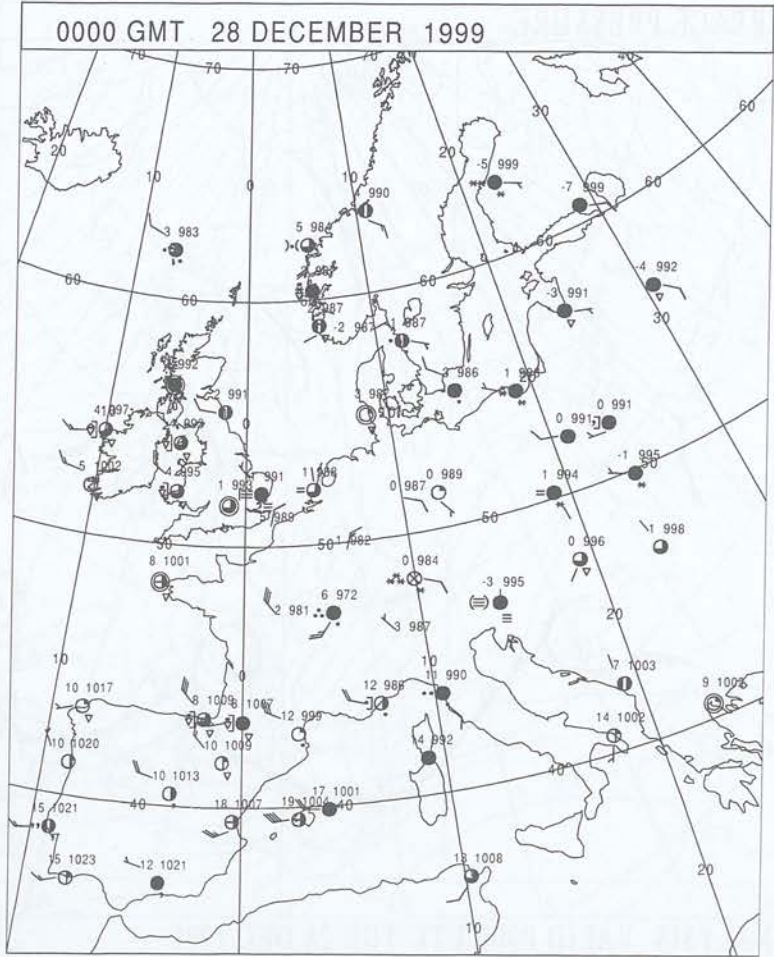
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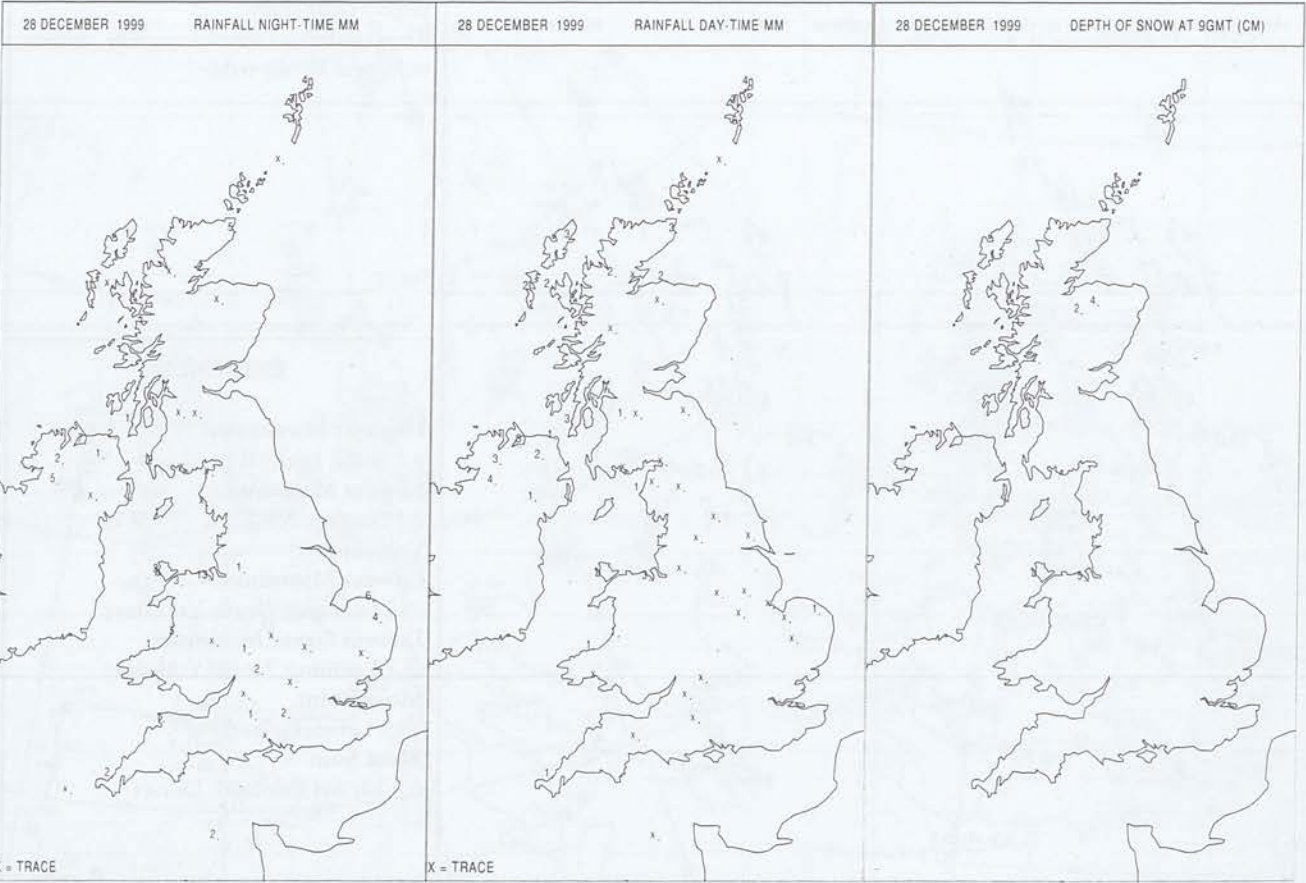
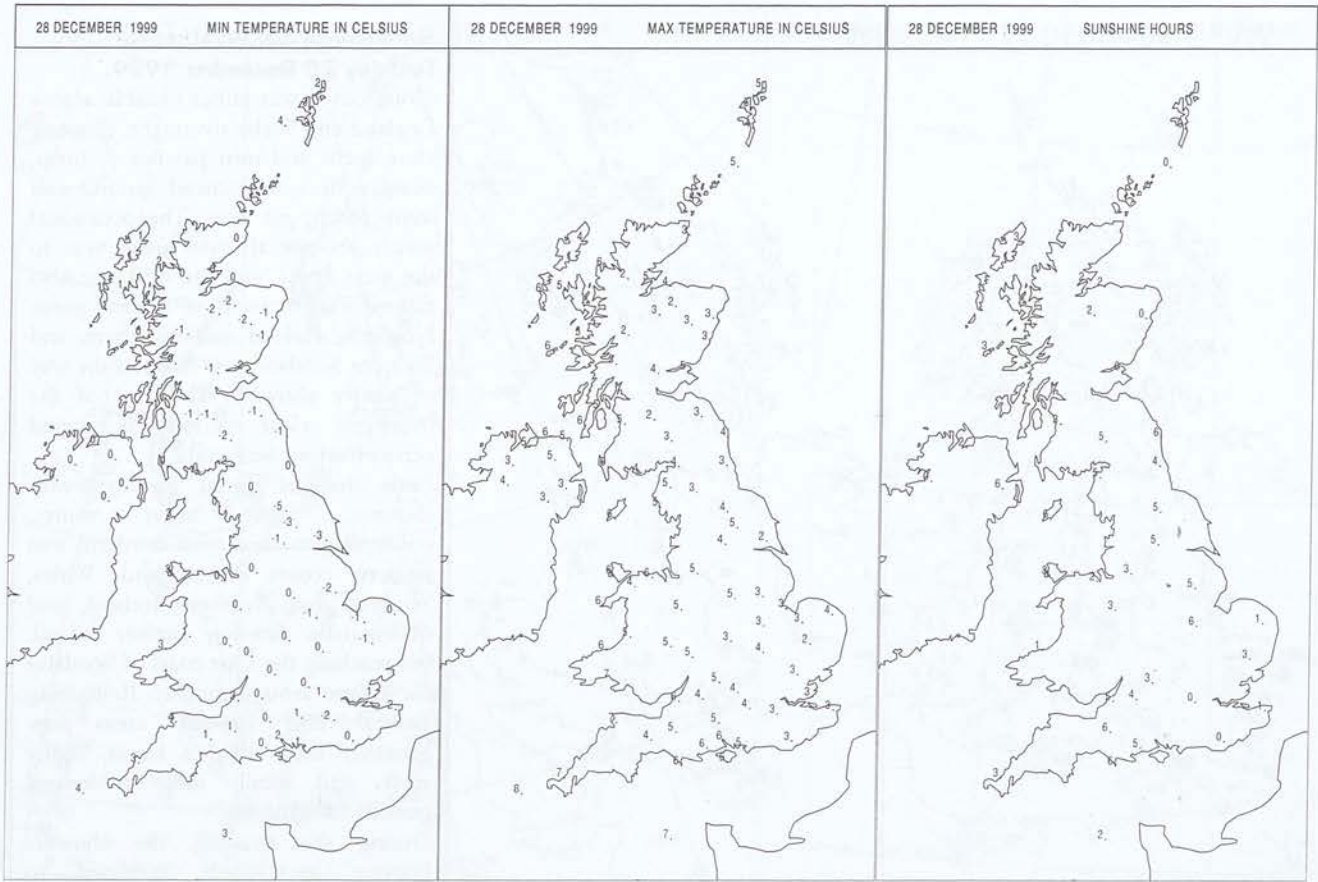
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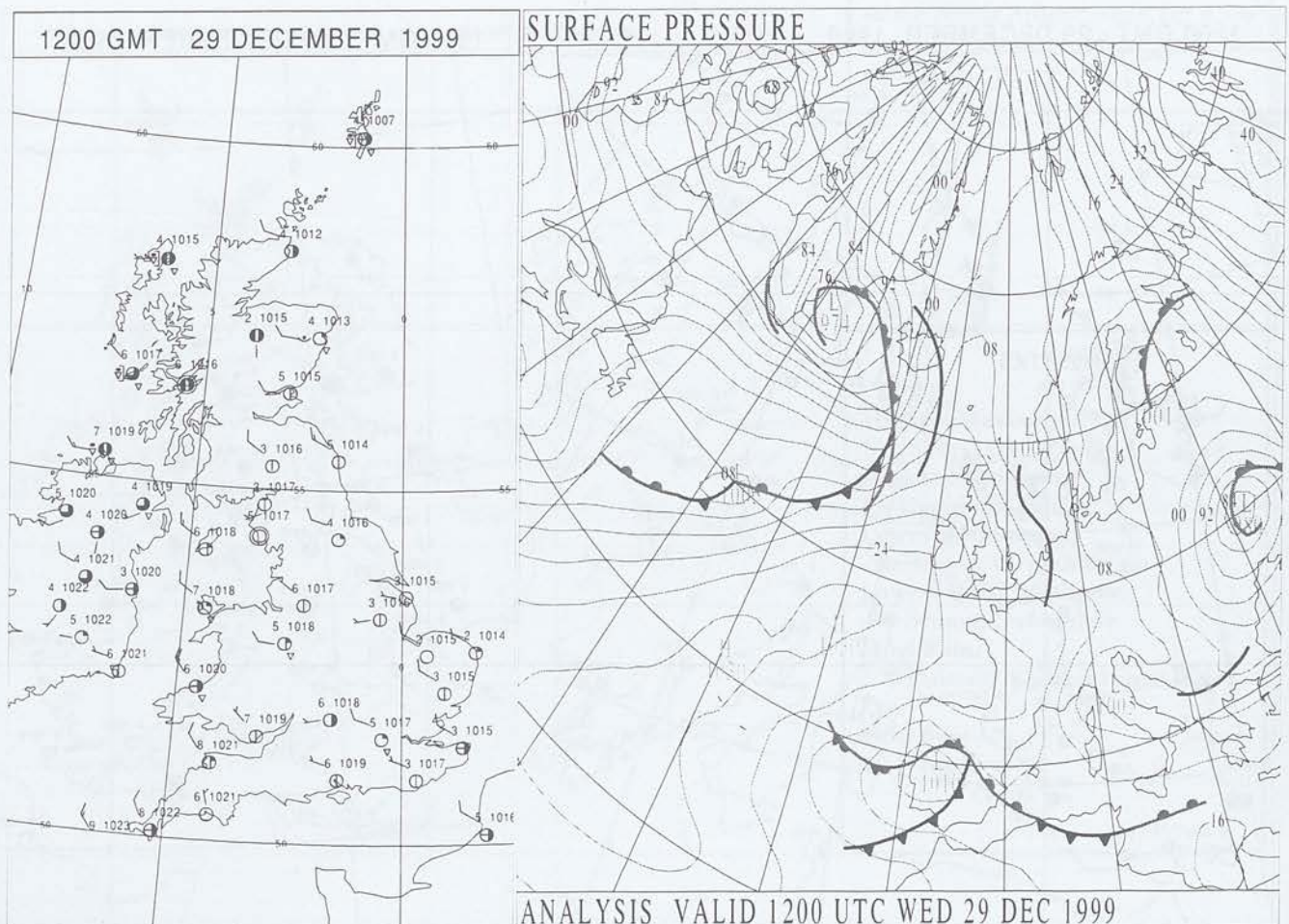
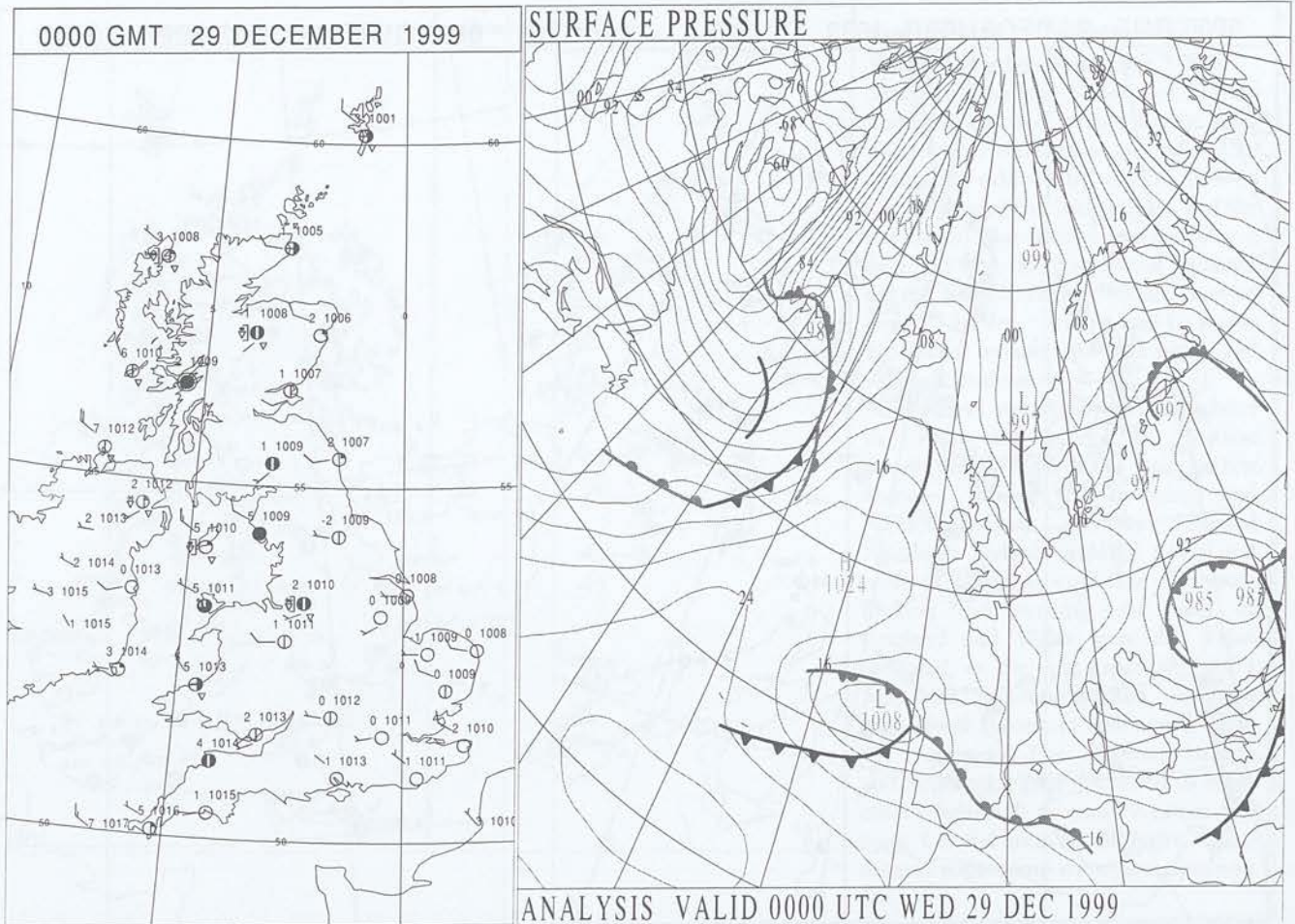
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0600 GMT 28 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 28 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Tuesday 28 December 1999.</p> <p>Cloud cover was rather variable across England and Wales overnight, allowing clear spells and mist patches to form, along with a widespread ground and more patchy air frost. The occasional wintry shower affected areas near to the west coast, and the odd one also filtered east in to more Central parts. Northern Ireland and Northern and Western Scotland saw more in the way of wintry showers. The best of the overnight clear periods developed across Eastern Scotland.</p> <p>Little changed during the day, with showers, some again wintry, continuing to feed onto northern and western coasts of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland, and occasionally filtering further inland, but reaching the East coast of Scotland for a time around midday. Remaining Central and Eastern areas saw generally more broken cloud, sunny spells and locally more prolonged periods of sunshine.</p> <p>During the evening, the showers became increasingly confined to Northern Ireland and the north and west of Scotland, and elsewhere cloud retreated to the west coast to give largely clear skies.</p> <p>Temperatures were generally rather cold, and locally cold.</p>
1800 GMT 28 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 29 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 8.2 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 2.1 Bingley, No.2 ,West Yorkshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -5.3 Leeming, North Yorkshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -9.7 Leeming, North Yorkshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 14.3 Lerwick, Shetland</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.9 Isle Of Portland, Dorset</p>

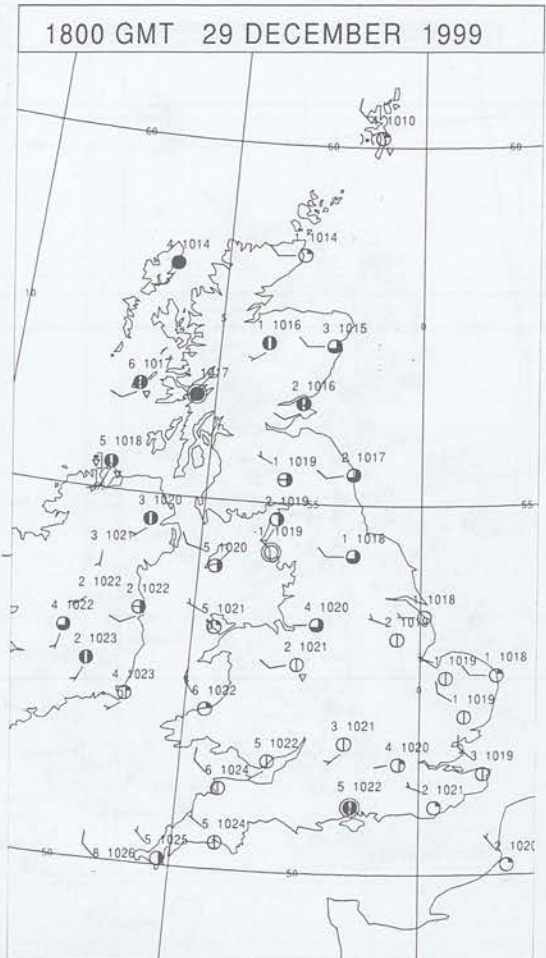
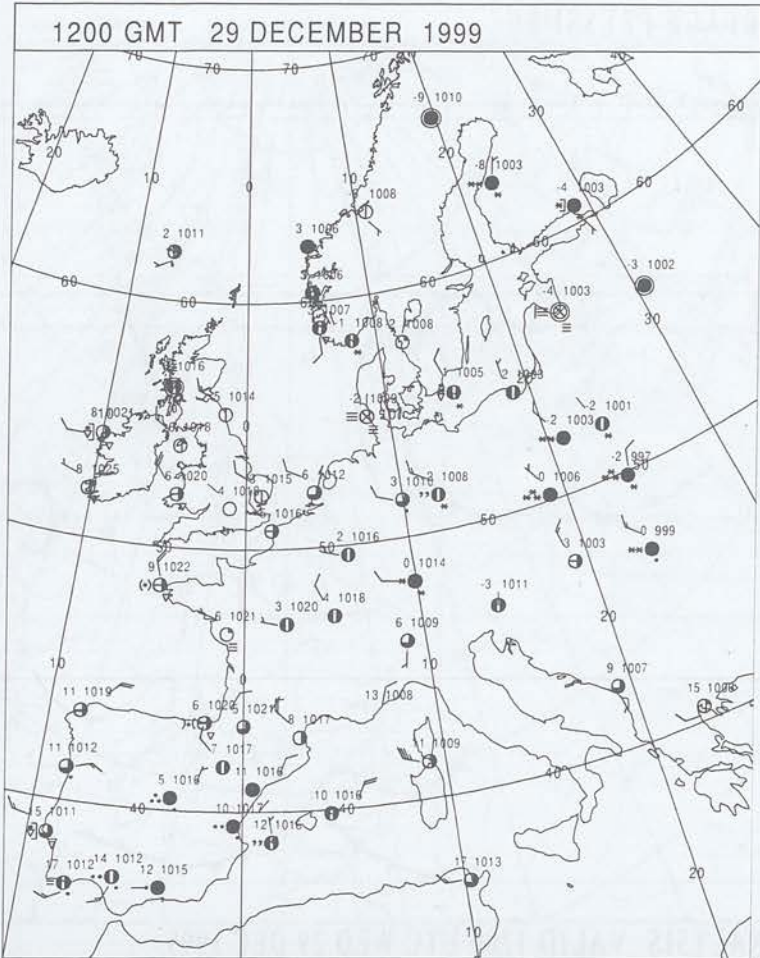
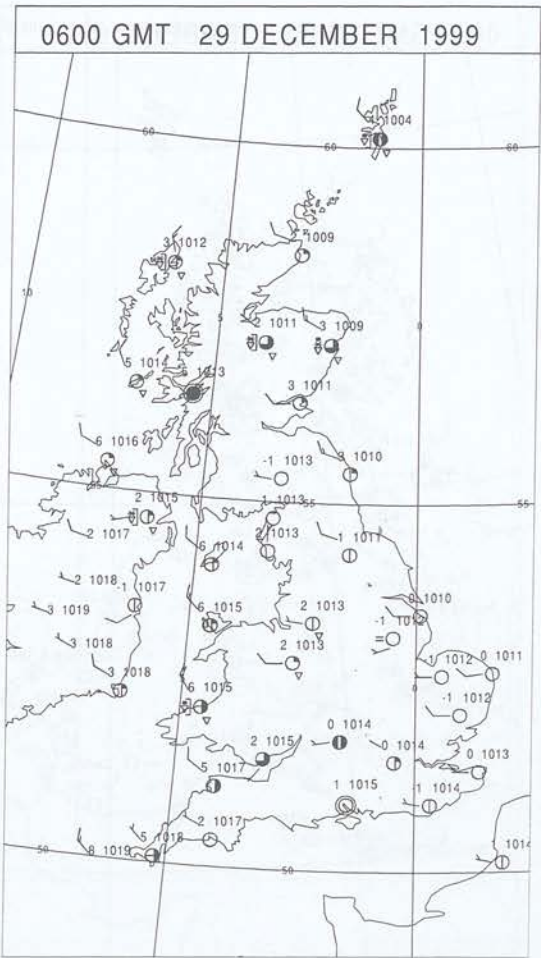
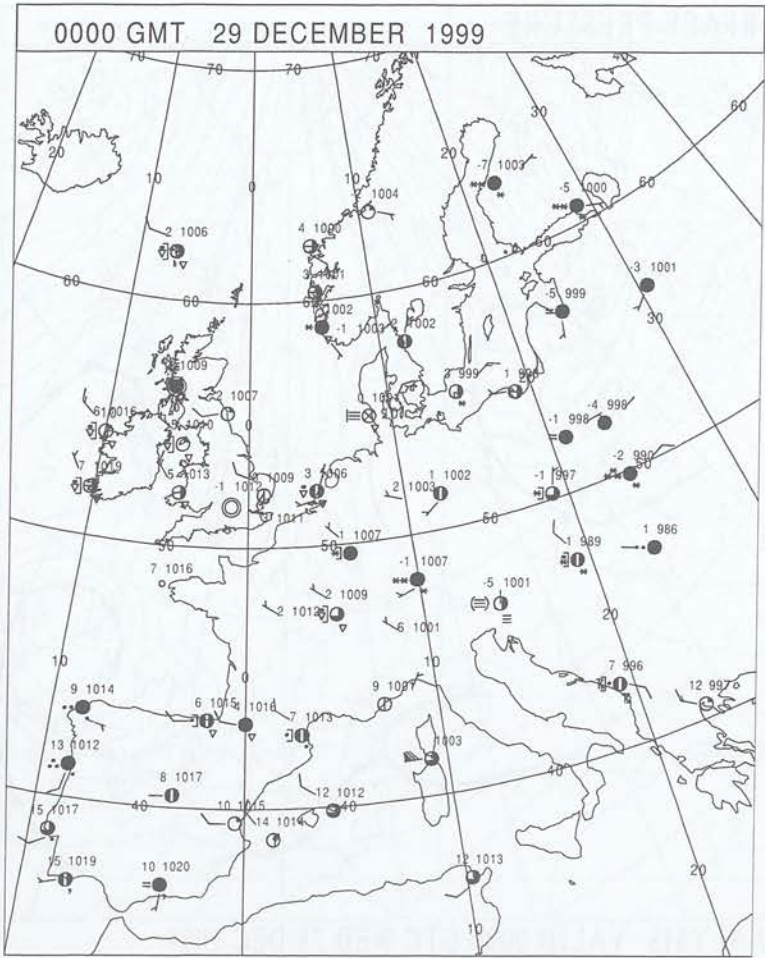
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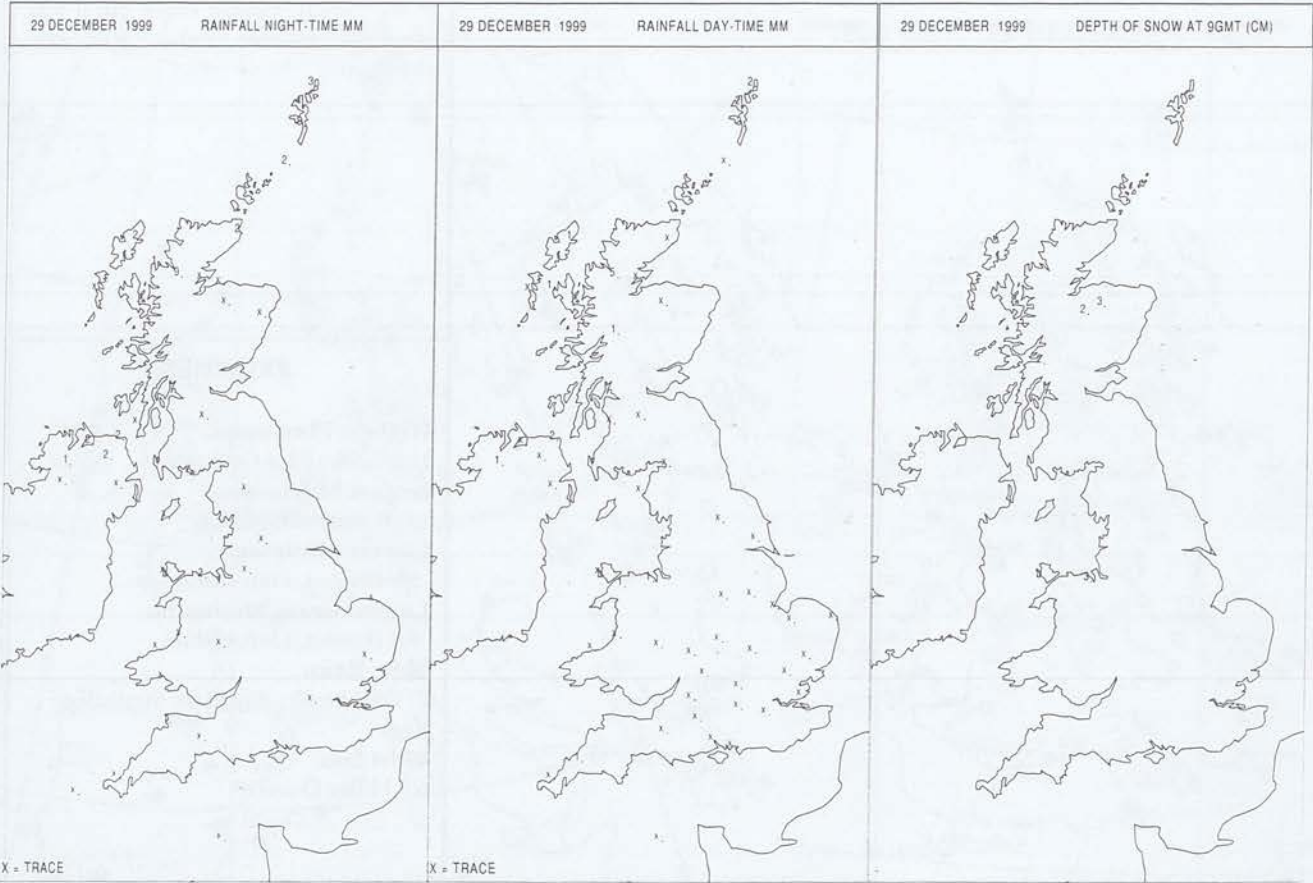
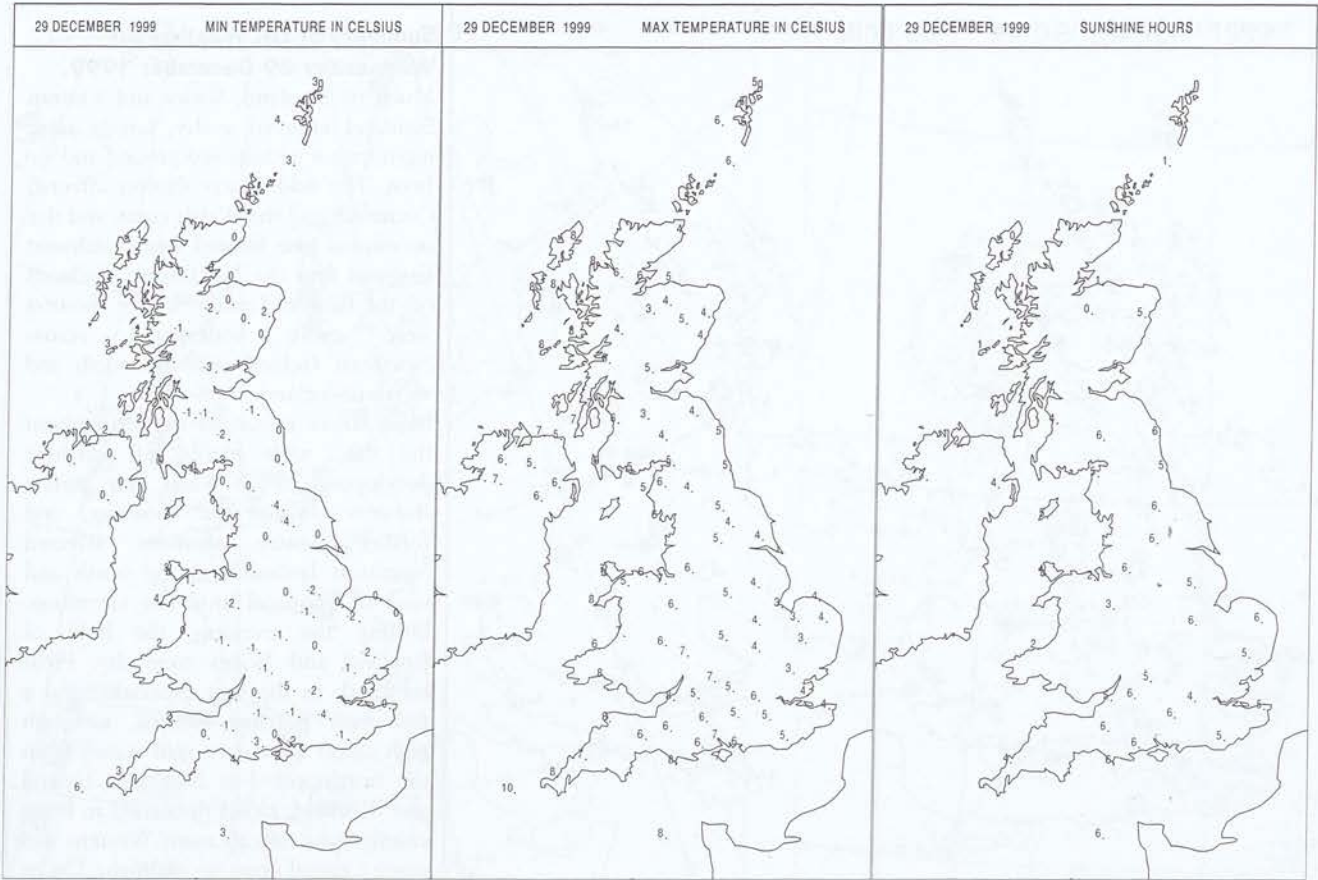
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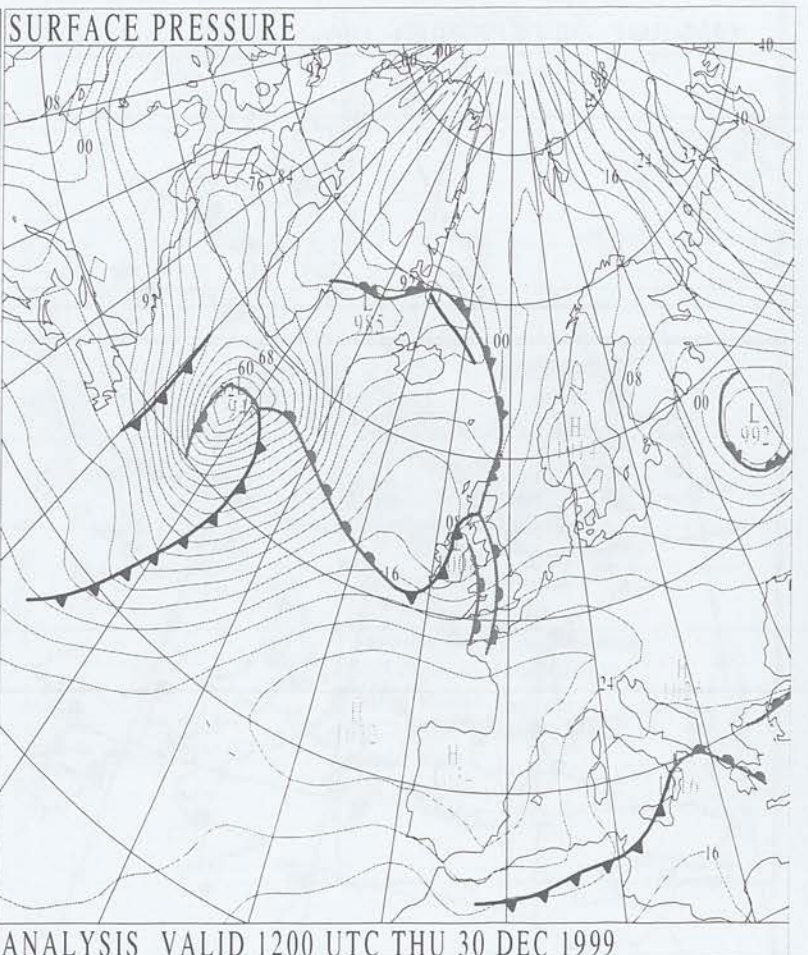
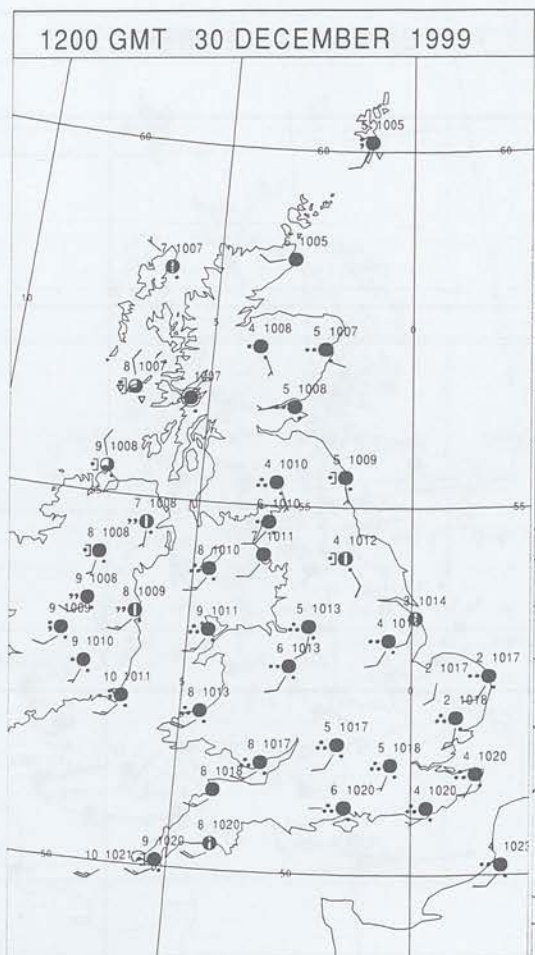
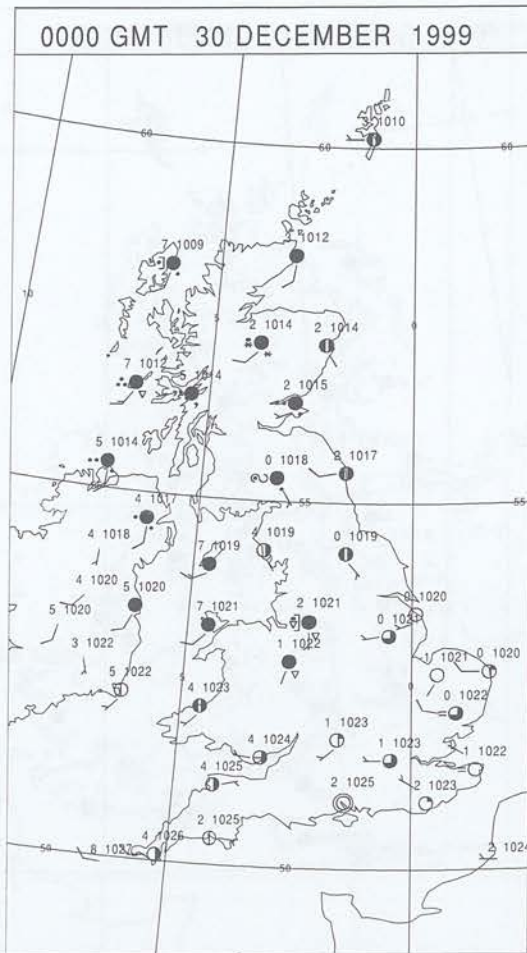
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0600 GMT 29 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 29 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK Weather for Wednesday 29 December 1999.</p> <p>Much of England, Wales and Eastern Scotland enjoyed a dry, largely clear night with a widespread ground and air frost. The odd wintry shower affected Cornwall, and the Welsh coast, and the occasional one filtered into Northwest England and the Northwest Midlands on the breeze. Locally wintry showers were more widespread across Northern Ireland and the north and west of Scotland.</p> <p>Many areas remained dry throughout the day, with plenty of sunshine developing. West Wales saw a few showers during the morning, and further wintry showers affected Northern Ireland and the north and west of Scotland until late afternoon. During the evening, the bulk of England and Wales were dry. Frost returned, to the east especially, and a few mist patches formed, although high cloud started to spill across from the northwest. For Northern Ireland and Scotland, cloud thickened to bring chiefly light rain to many Western and some Central areas by midnight. On its eastern edge some wintry precipitation fell.</p> <p>Temperatures were near normal close to the North Atlantic coast, but it was generally another rather cold day elsewhere.</p>
1800 GMT 29 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 30 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 10.0 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 3.0 Wattisham, Suffolk</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -5.6 Benson, Oxfordshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -9.8 Benson, Oxfordshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 27.6 Dalmally, Argyll (In Strathclyde Regi</p> <p>Most Sun: 6.9 Hurn, Dorset</p>

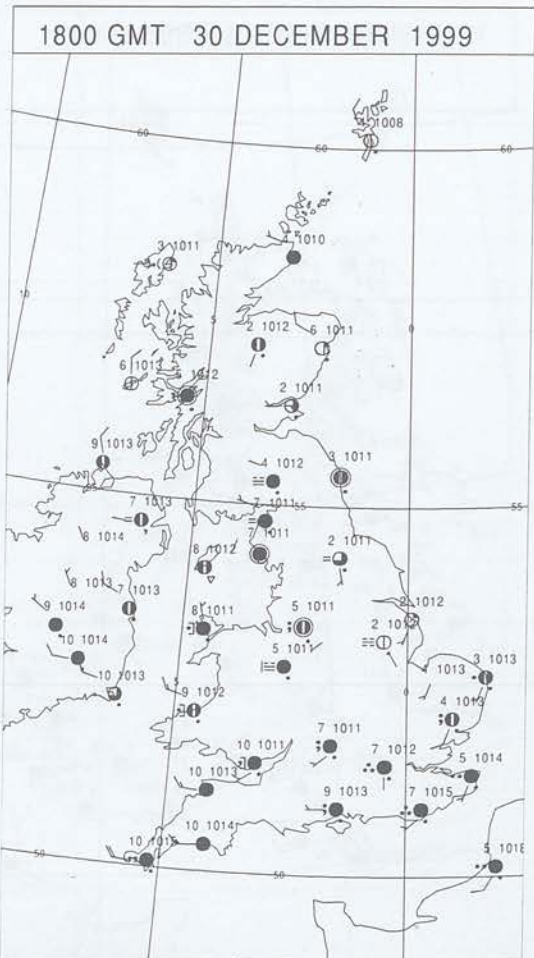
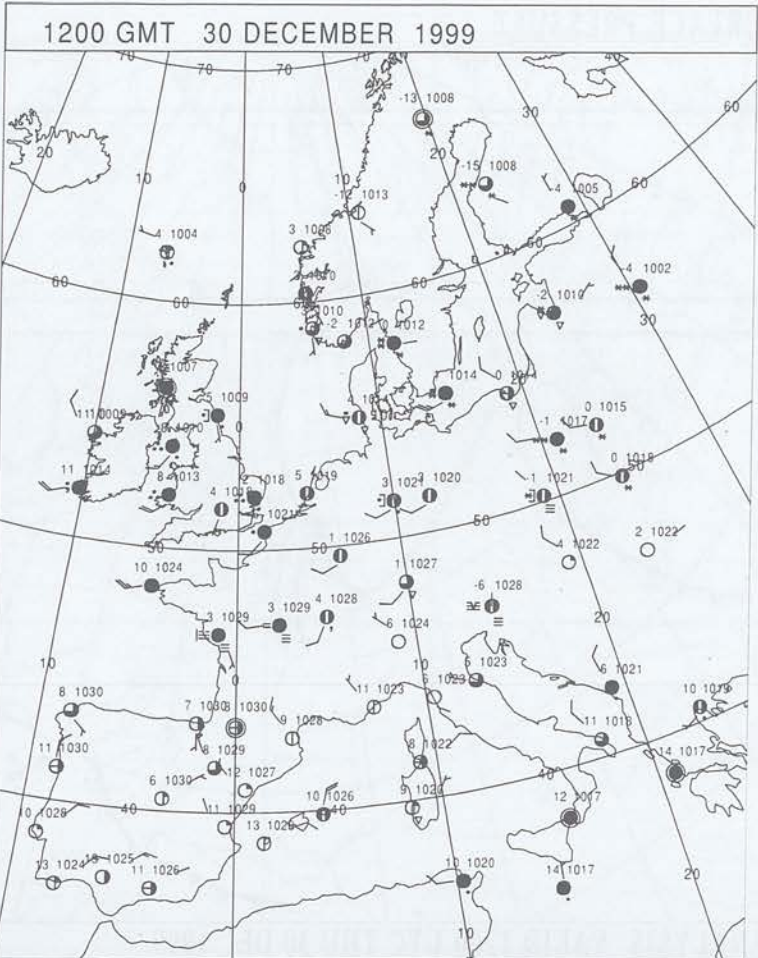
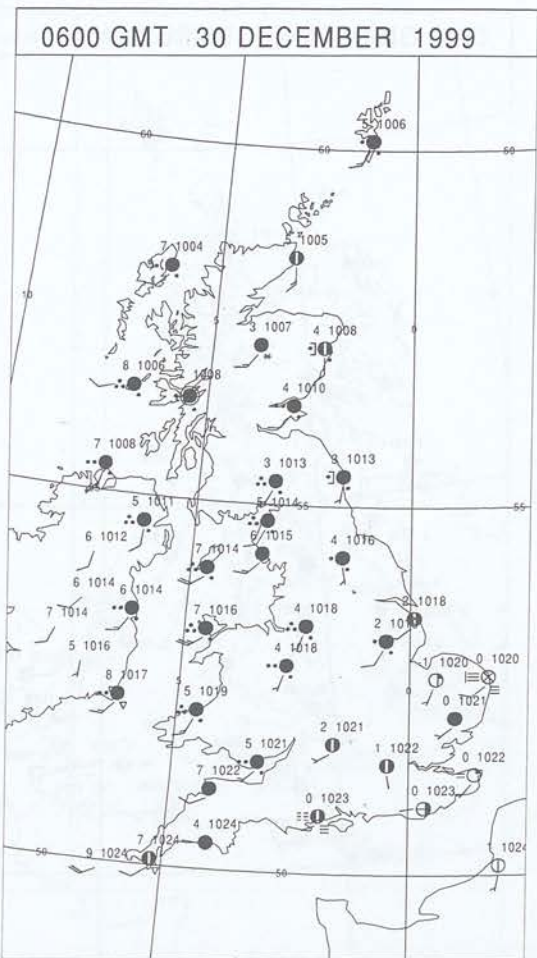
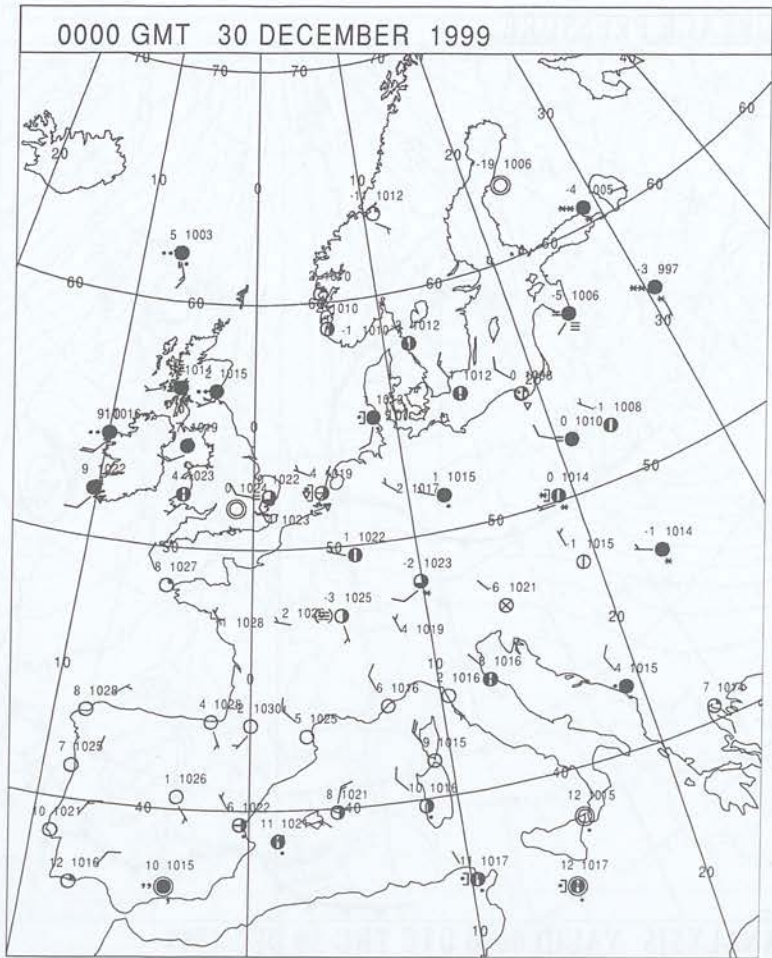
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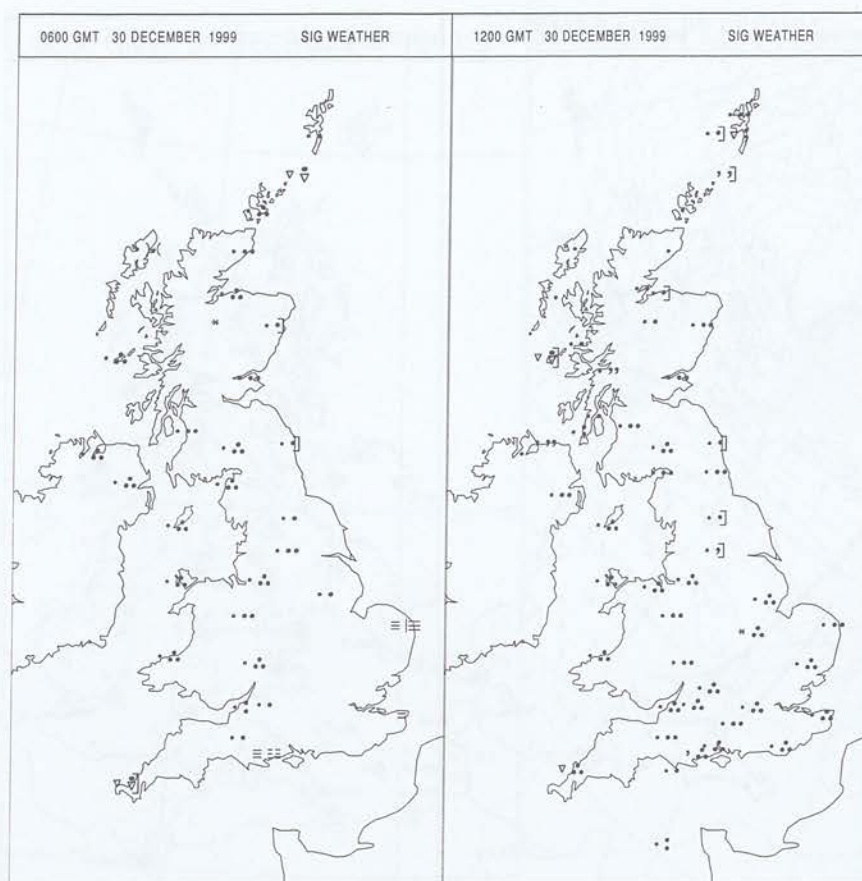
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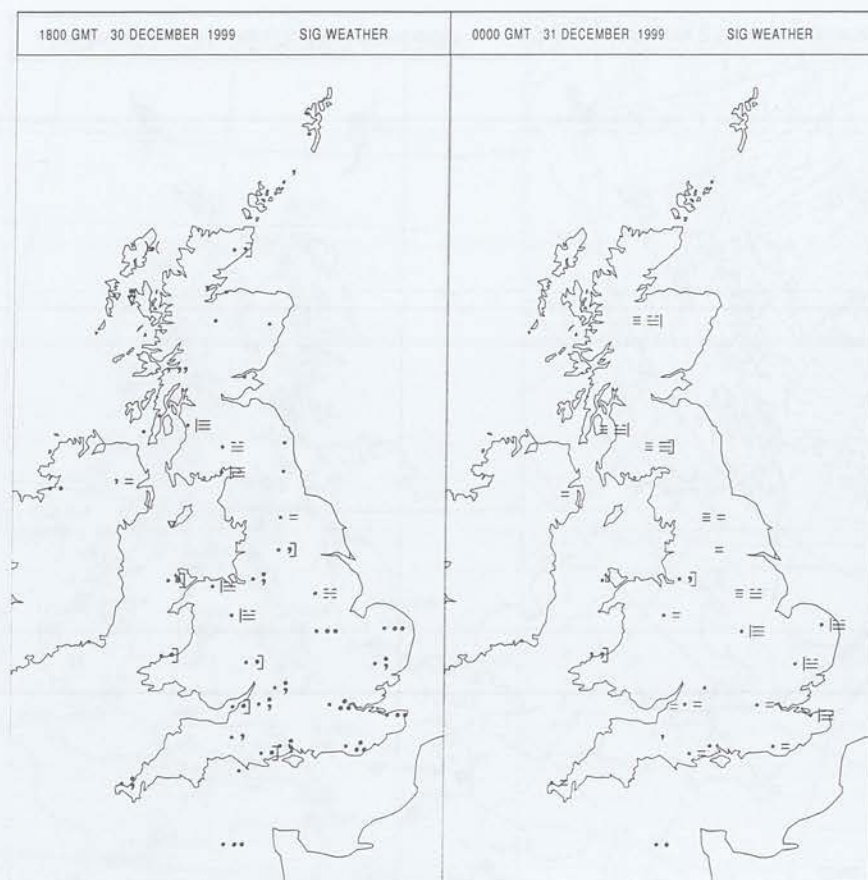
Summary of UK Weather for Thursday 30 December 1999.

Northern Ireland had rain overnight and although the south and east of Scotland started the night dry, rain had spread to most parts before dawn. There was some sleet in the Highlands and for a brief period in the Southern Uplands, freezing rain. Cloud spread across much of England and Wales and there was some rain and drizzle over Wales and northwest England by morning.

Scotland had a wet start but became drier during the morning. Northwestern parts became brighter in the afternoon. Clear spells developed in the evening and some fog formed in the south. Northern Ireland had further rain but this had turned more drizzly by mid-afternoon. The evening was dry and misty.

Through the morning rain spread across England and Wales. It was light initially and again as it cleared, but many places had a few hours of heavier rain. By late evening the main area of rain had passed but extensive low cloud, mist and fog patches remained with a little drizzle.

Temperatures were mostly close to average but parts of eastern England were rather cold.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

10.2 Chivenor, Devon

10.2 Camborne, Cornwall

Lowest Maximum:

3.3 Coningsby, Lincolnshire

Lowest Minimum:

-3.9 Redhill, Surrey

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-8.5 Benson, Oxfordshire

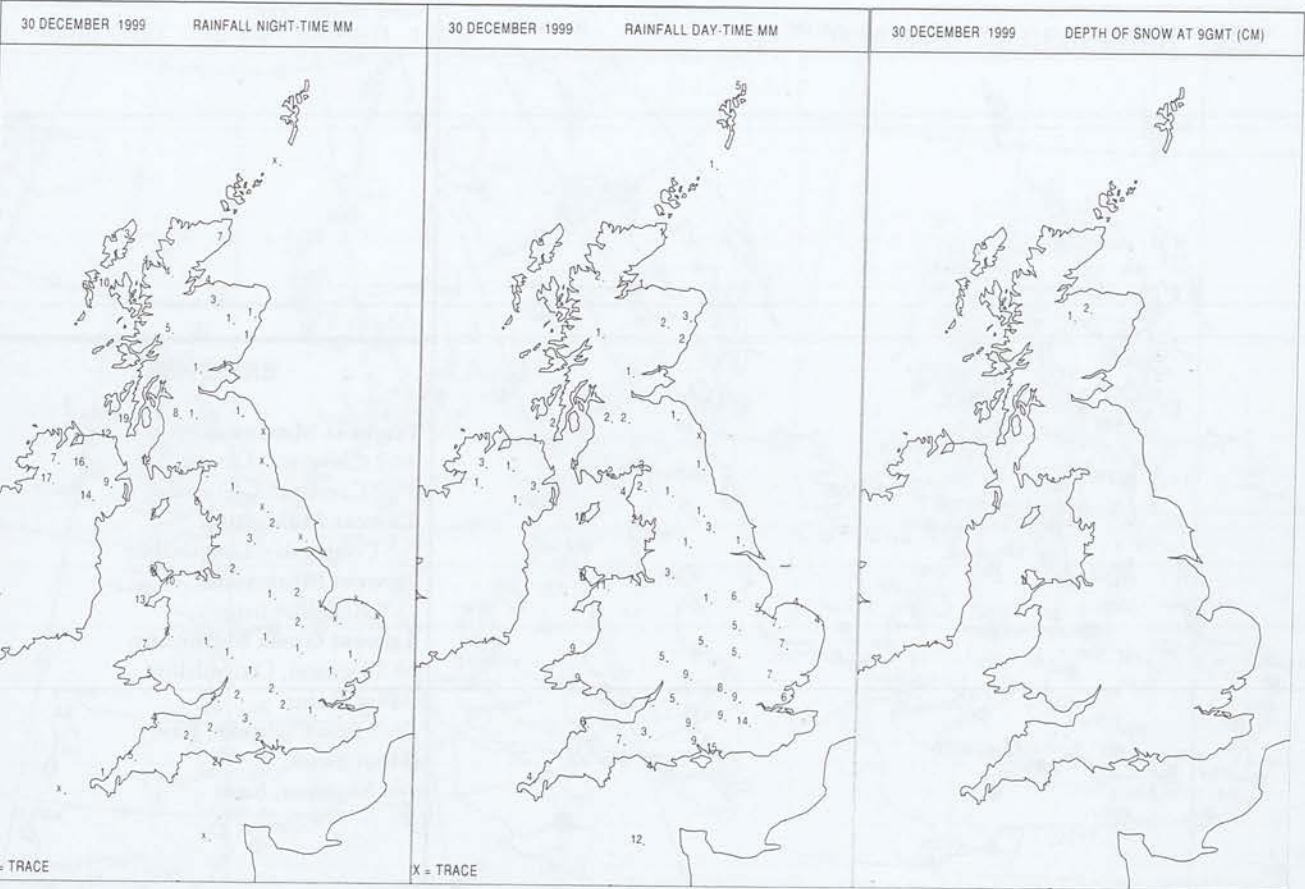
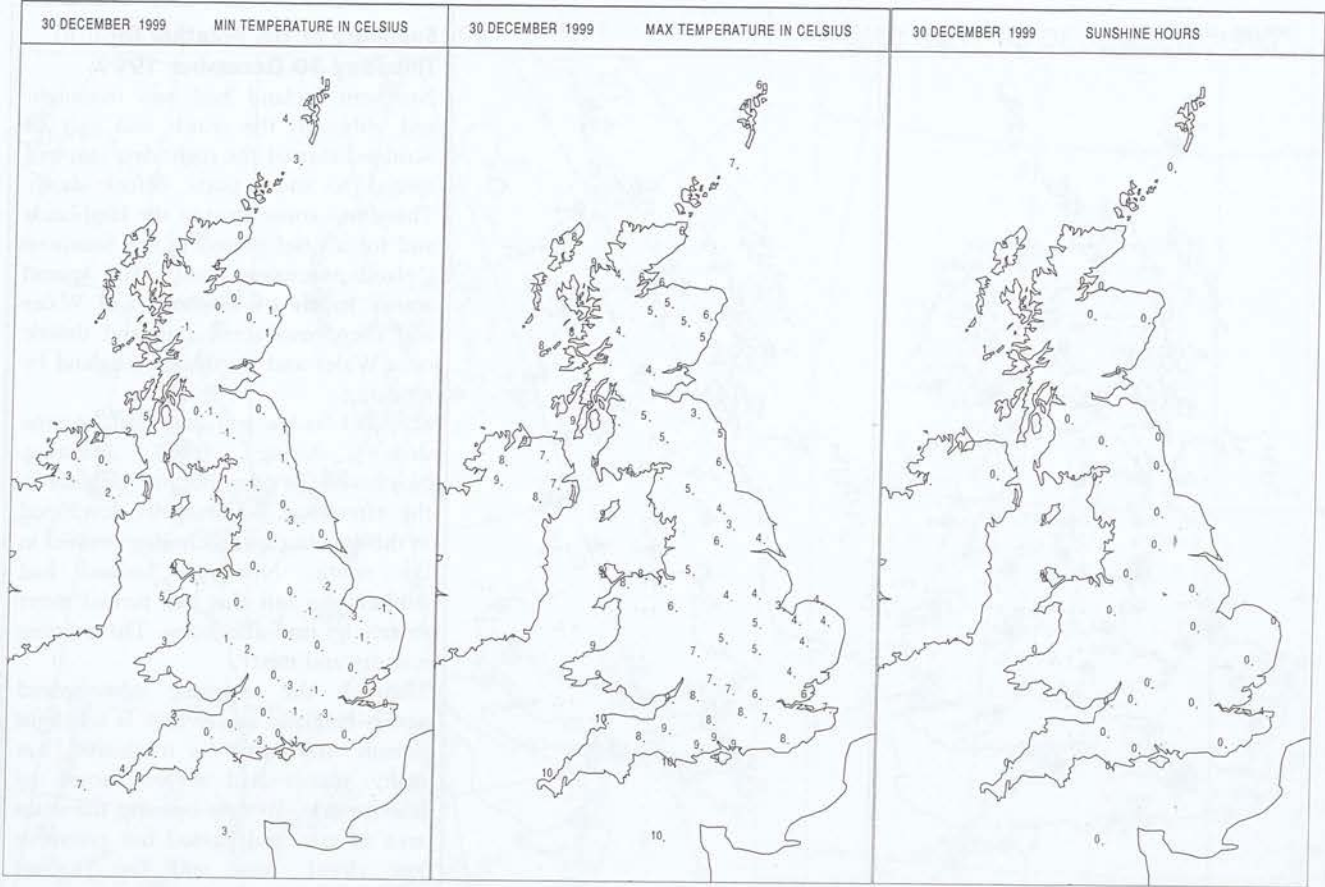
Most Rain:

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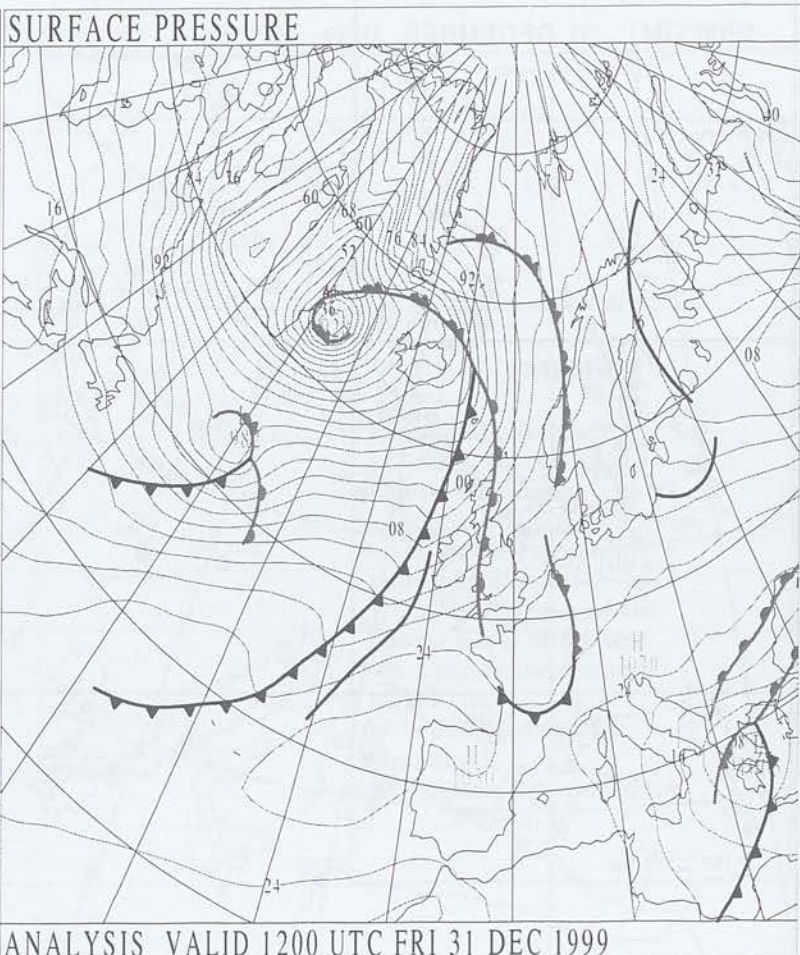
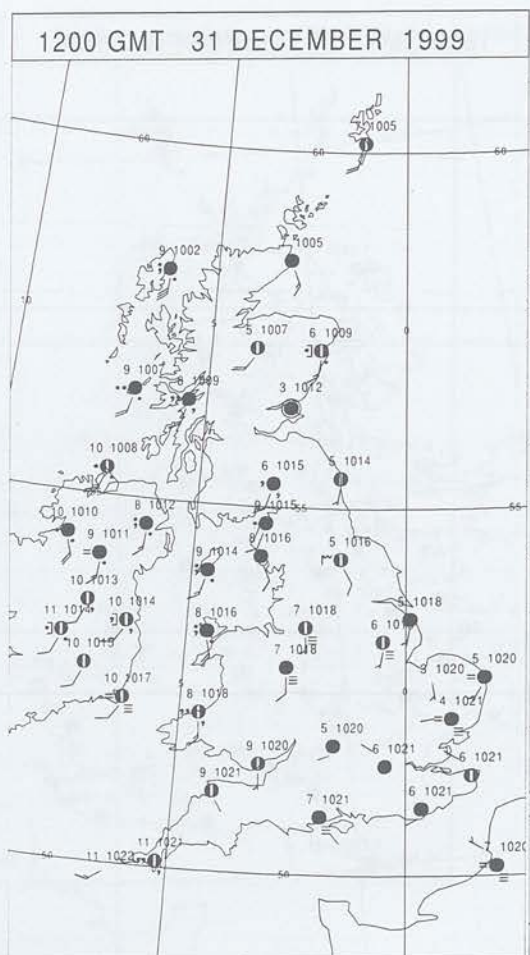
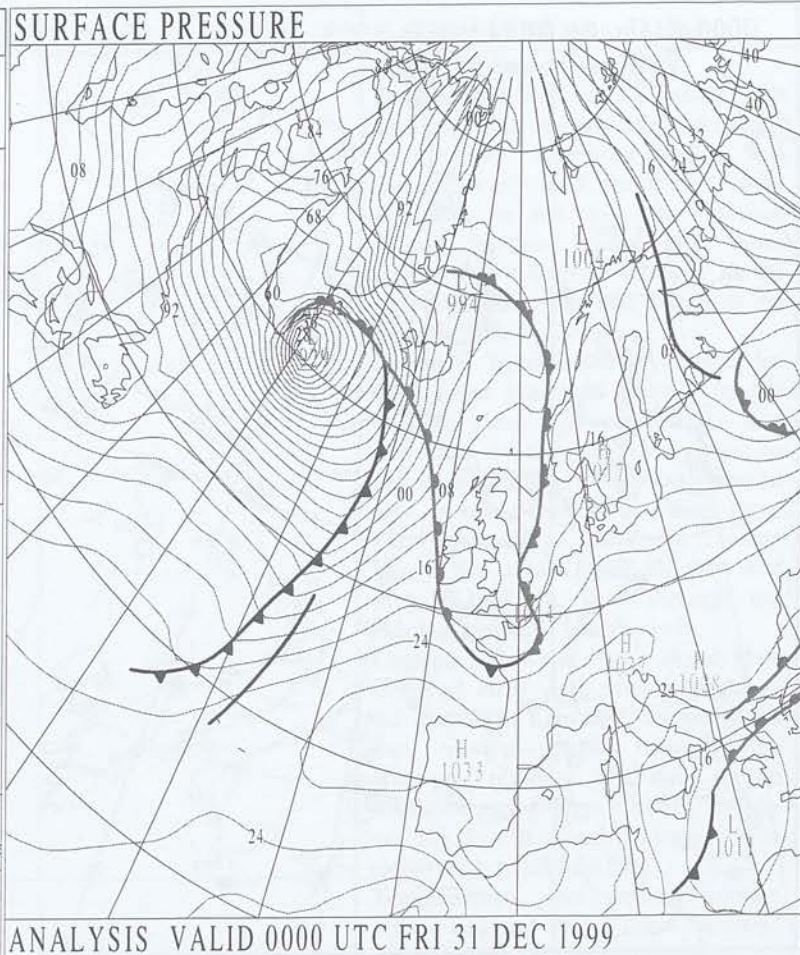
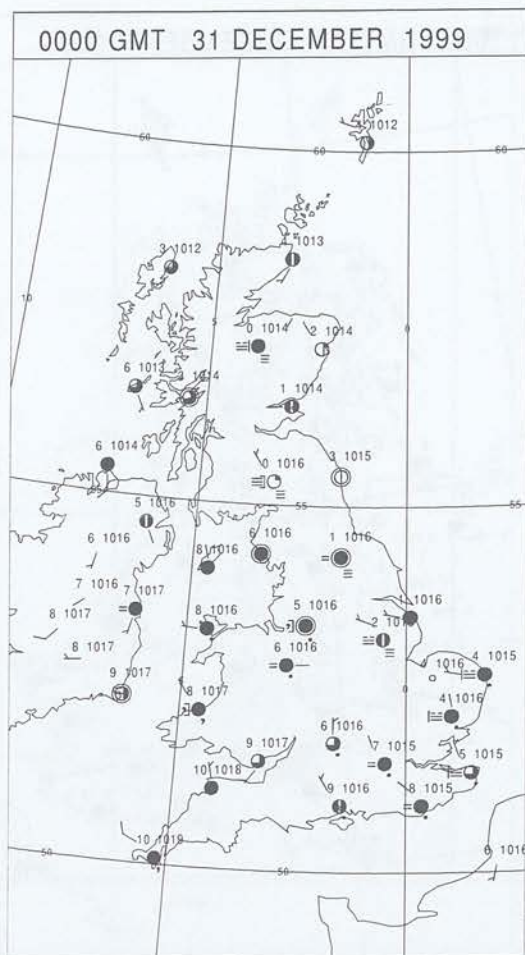
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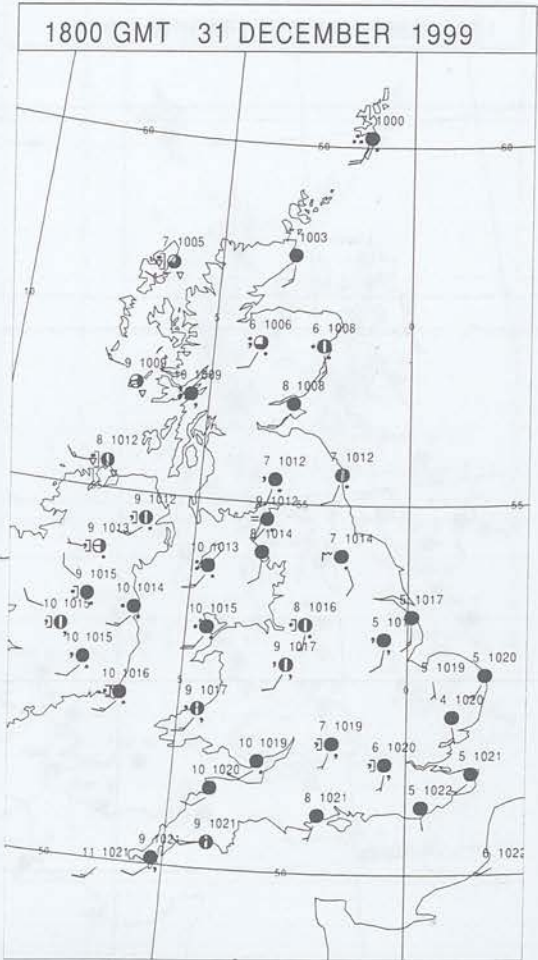
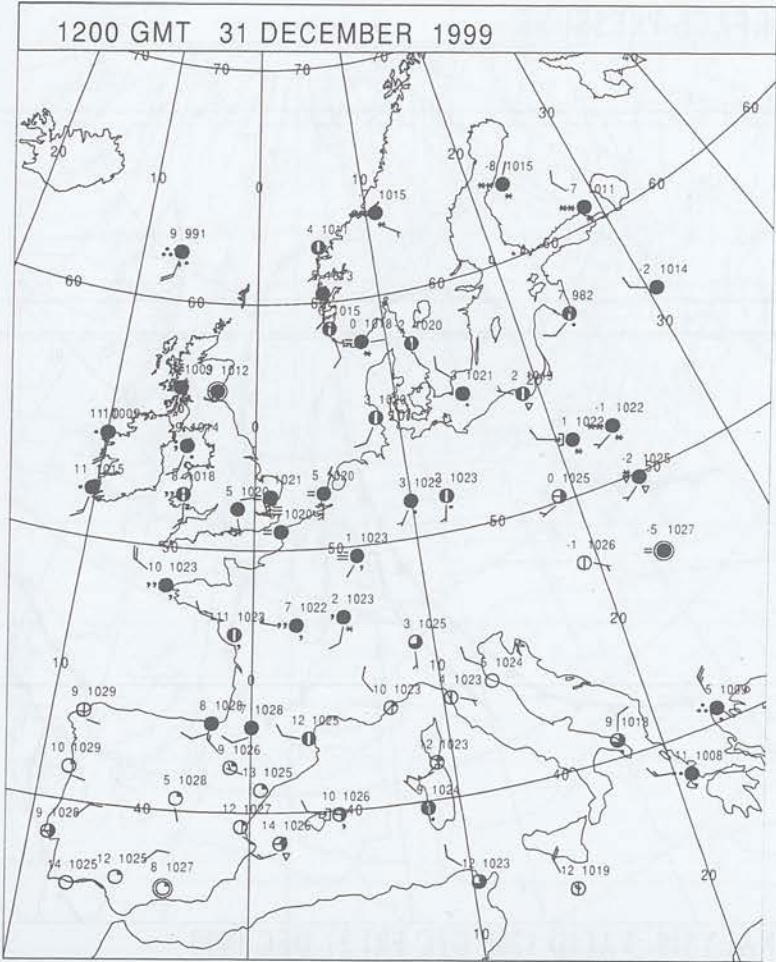
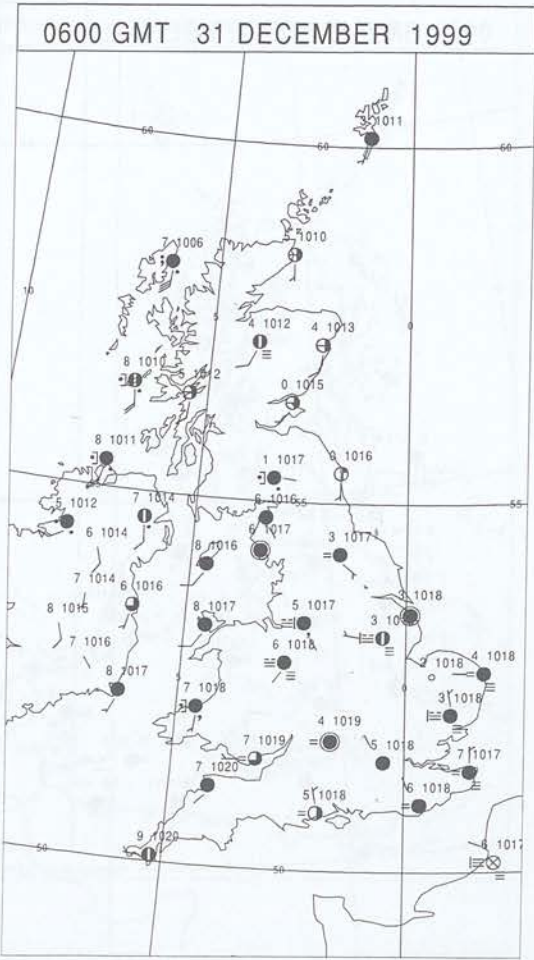
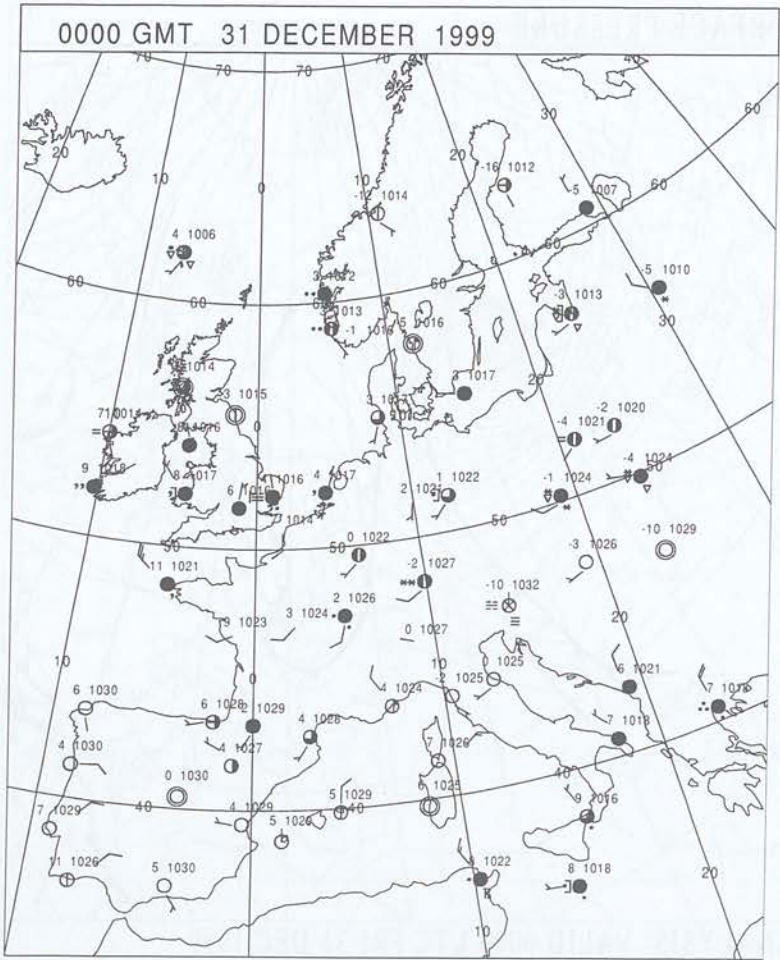
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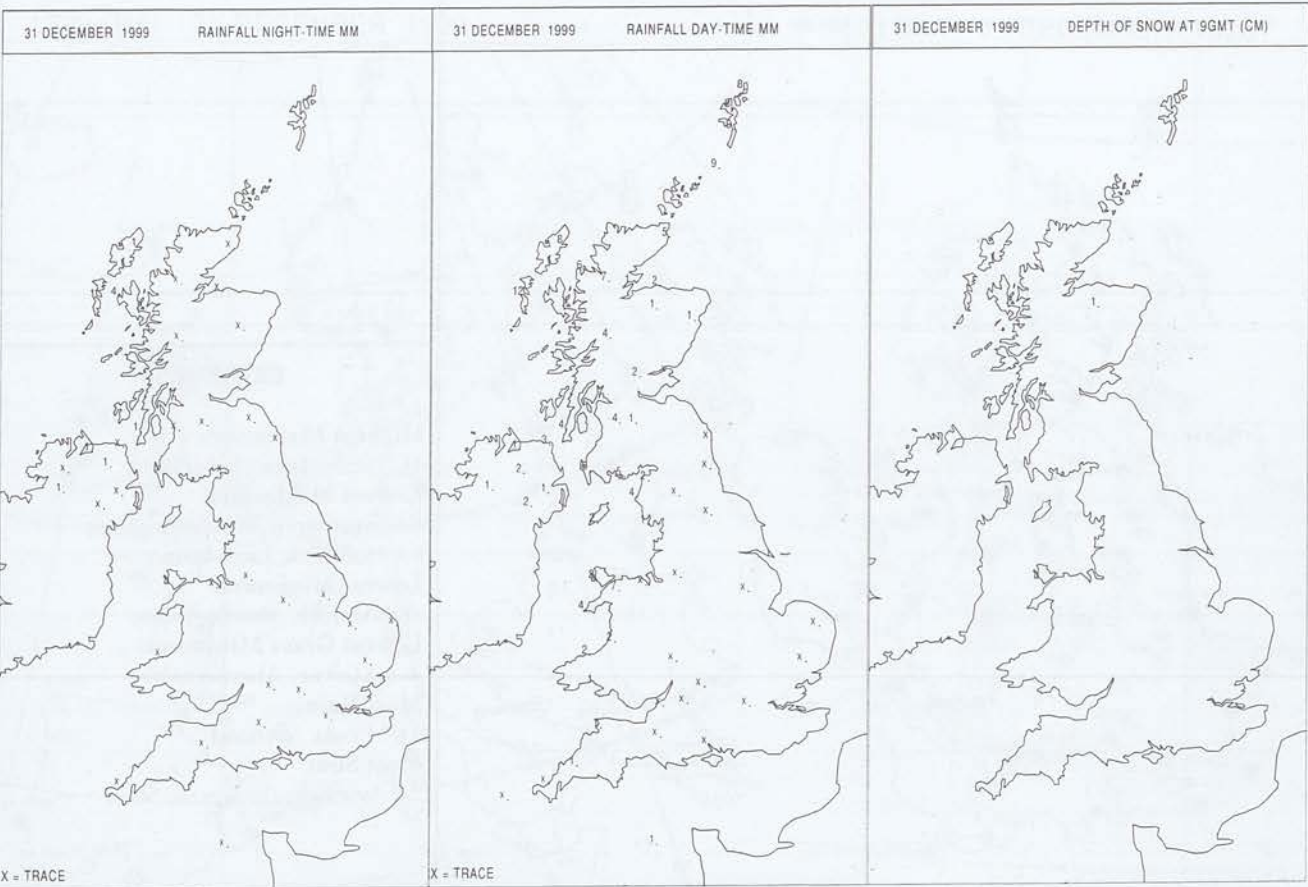
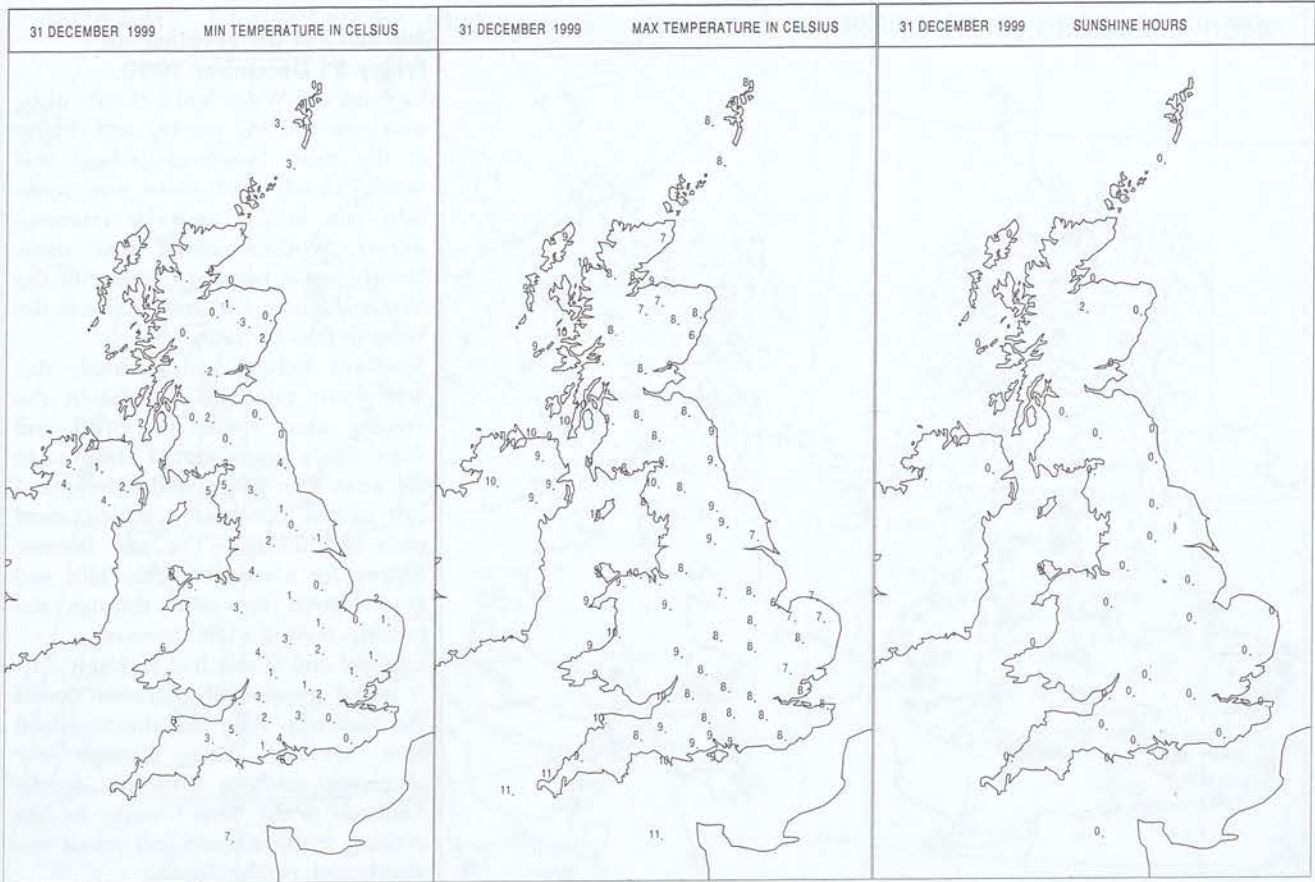
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0600 GMT 31 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 31 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK Weather for Friday 31 December 1999. England and Wales had a cloudy night with mist and fog patches and drizzle in the west. Northern Ireland was mostly cloudy and there was some light rain in the west by morning. Across Scotland cloud was more broken but it became cloudier in the west with some rain and drizzle in the Western Isles by dawn. Northern Ireland had a cloudy day with some rain and drizzle. In the evening clear spells developed and there was a scattering of showers in the west. The rain and drizzle spread east across Scotland reaching most parts by midday. The rain became heavier for a time over the hills and then cleared the west through the evening, leaving a few showers. England and Wales had a cloudy day. It stayed misty until afternoon across the Midlands. Rain and drizzle edged into western parts through the afternoon reaching Yorkshire to the Midlands to the West Country by late evening. Further south and east it was cloudy with patchy drizzle. Temperatures were around average across England and Wales. Scotland and Northern Ireland were mild.
1800 GMT 31 DECEMBER 1999	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 01 JANUARY 2000	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 11.7 Scilly, Isles Of Scilly Lowest Maximum: 6.6 Inverbervie, Kincardineshire 6.6 Holbeach, Lincolnshire Lowest Minimum: -3.0 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire Lowest Grass Minimum: -6.6 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire Most Rain: 14.7 Foula, Shetland Most Sun: 2.2 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire

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