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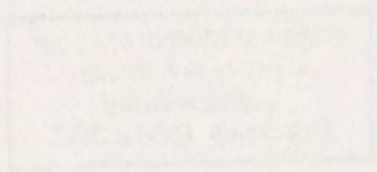
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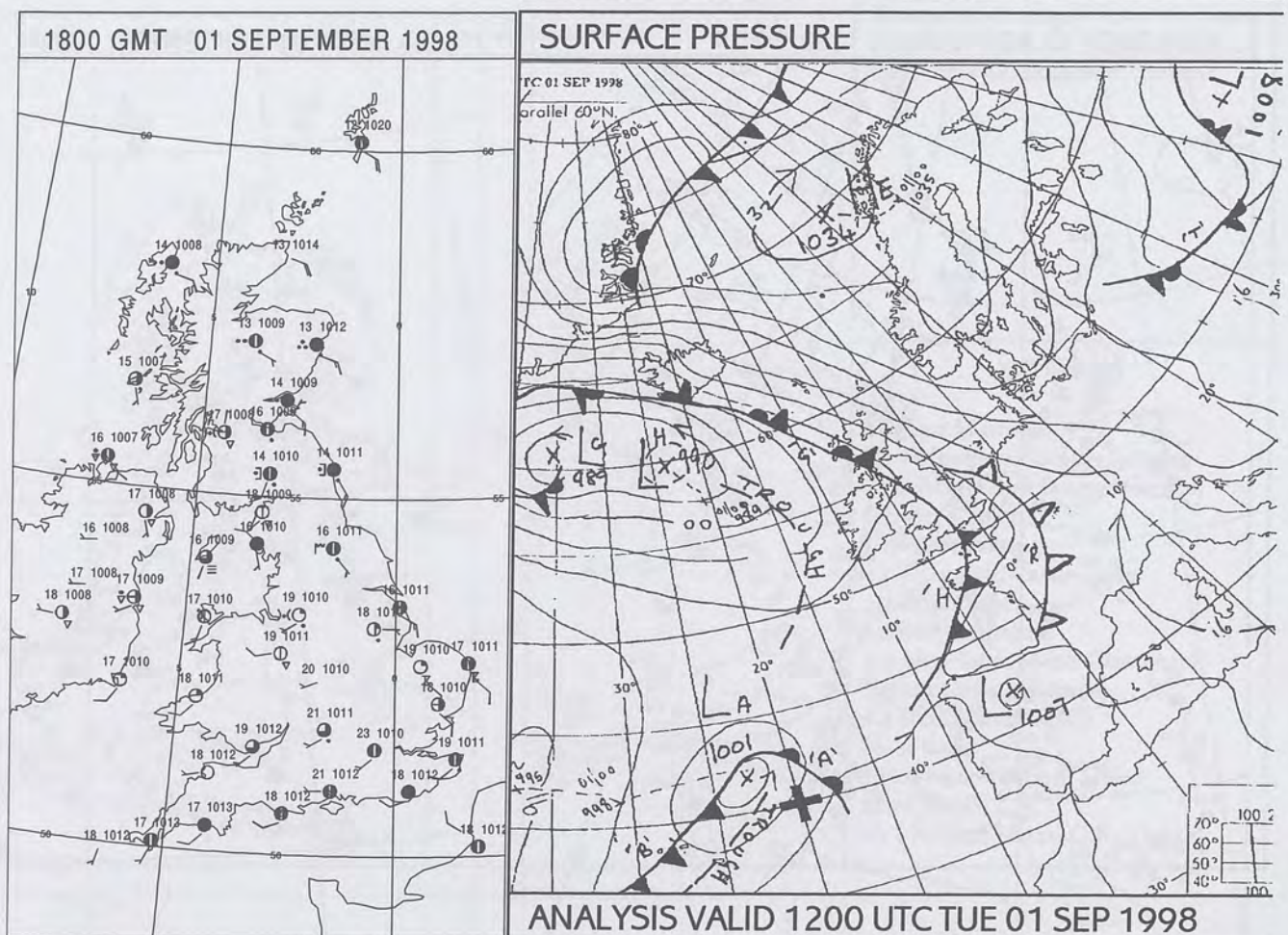
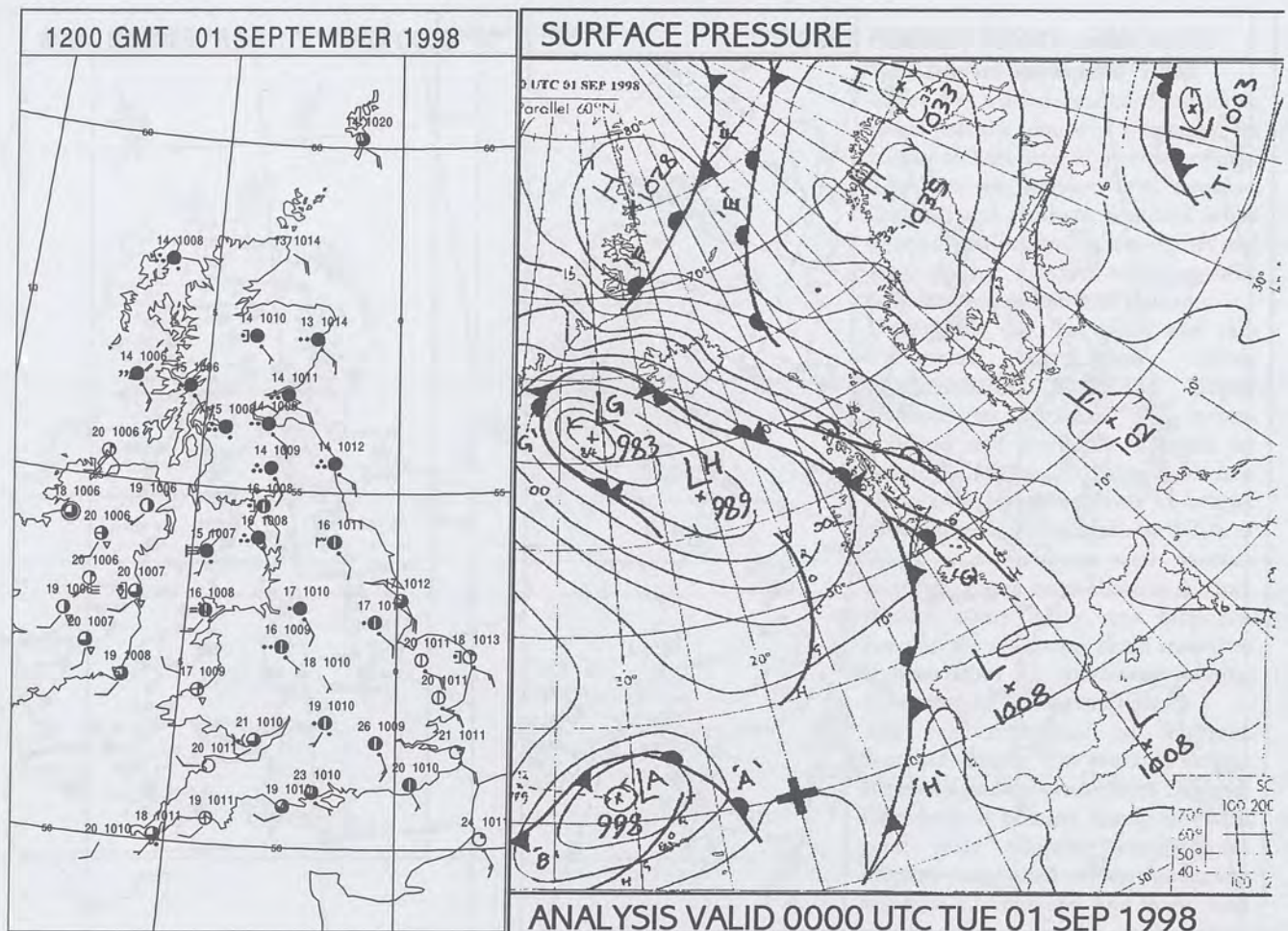


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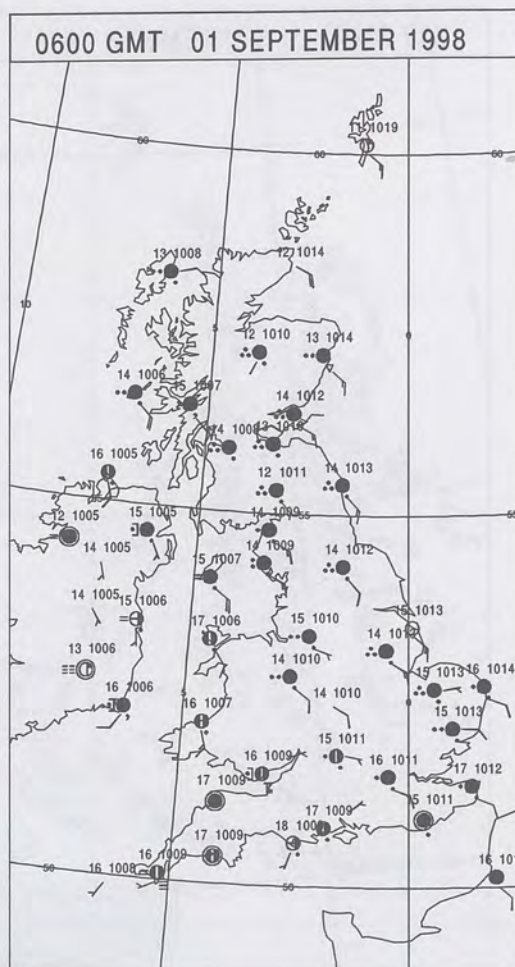
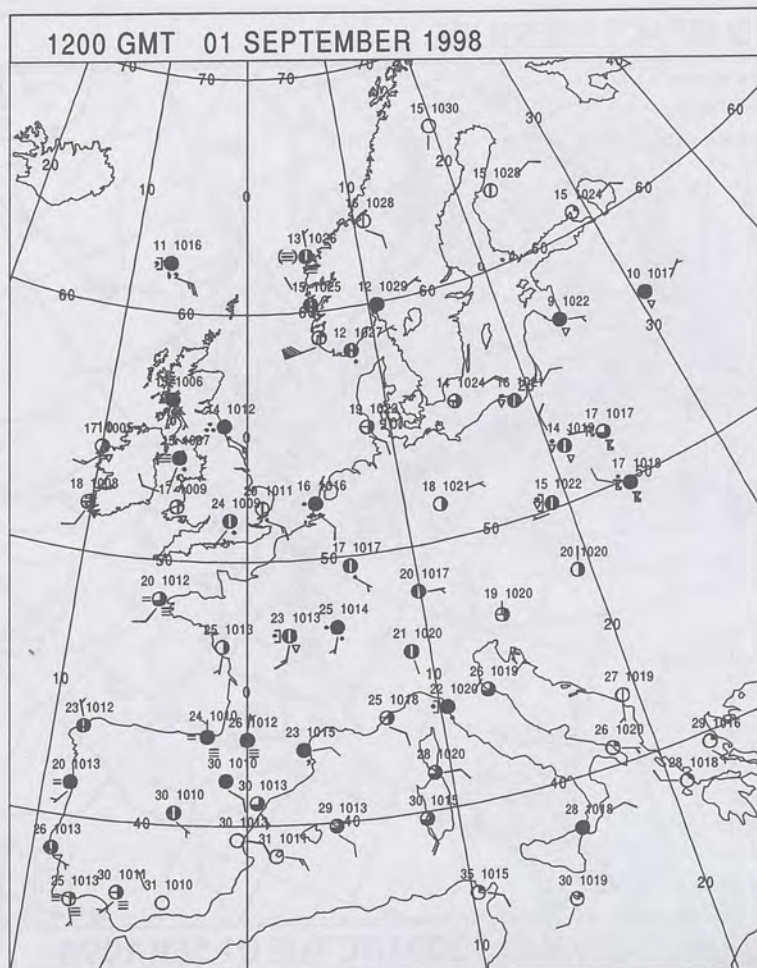
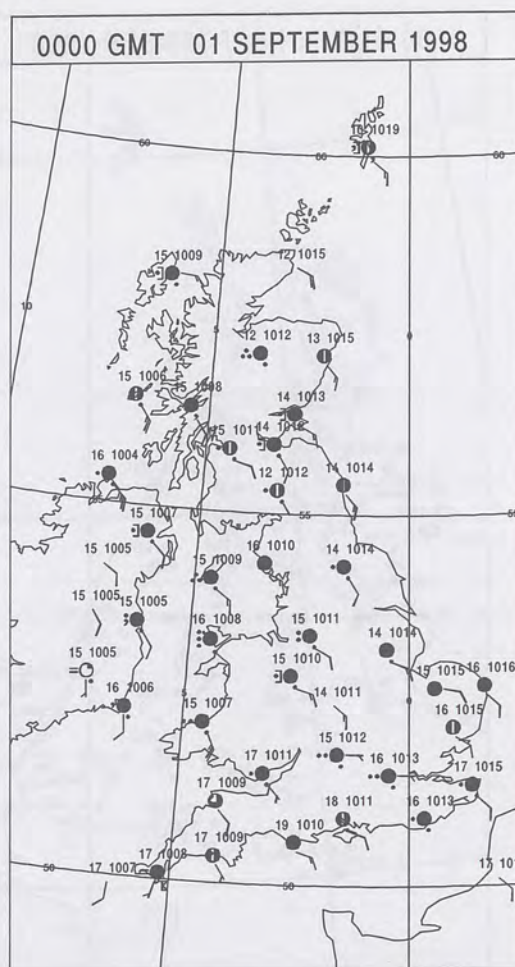
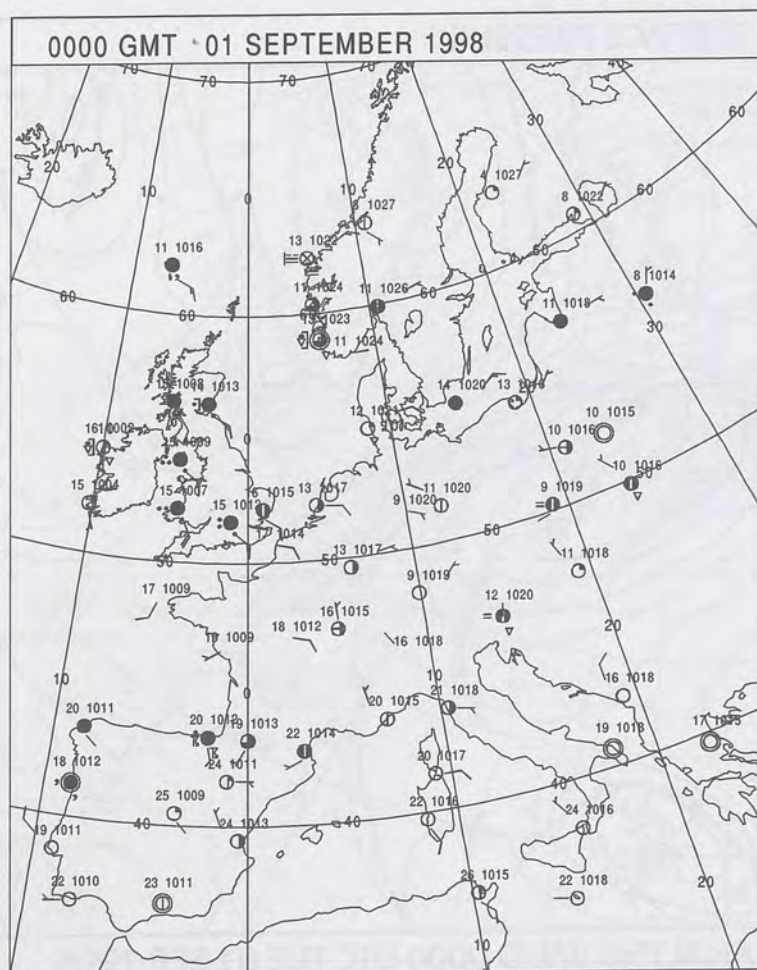
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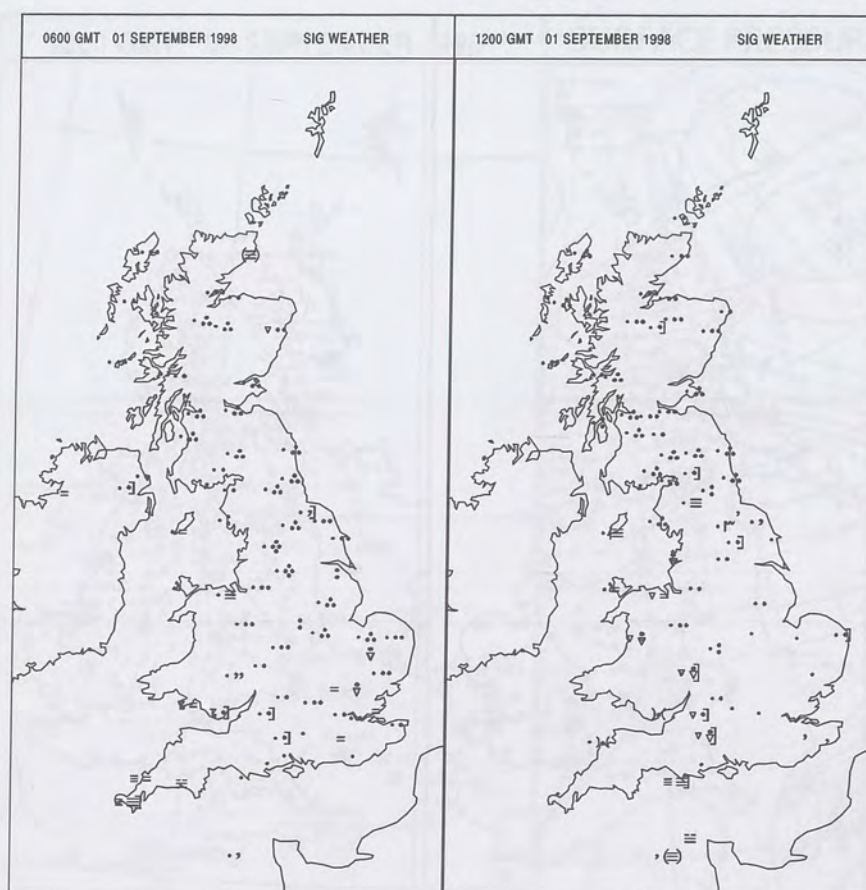


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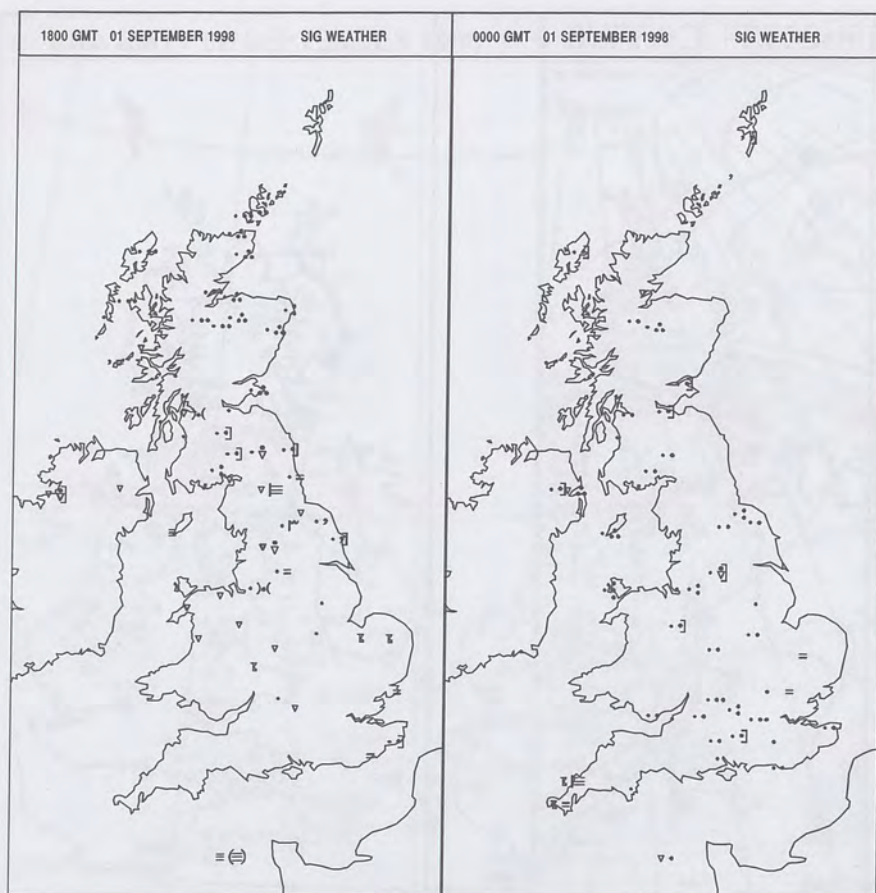
**Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 1st September 1998**

There was a good deal of cloud across much of the country overnight, as bands of rain spread northeastwards. The rain was heaviest over northern England and southern Scotland, while in southern England it was lighter and more patchy. Towards morning more broken cloud spread into Ireland.

During the day the cloud and rain continued to push slowly northeastwards, becoming largely confined to northern and eastern Scotland and northeast England by evening. Meanwhile, the more broken cloud over Ireland pushed in behind allowing good sunny spells for much of Wales and southern and western England. There were showers around, though, some heavy and thundery. Later in the afternoon cloud started to increase from the southwest, pushing across parts of southern England.

The rain continued in northeast Scotland during the evening, having largely cleared from northeast England. Elsewhere, it became largely dry with good clear periods. Southernmost England continued to see increasing amounts of medium and high level cloud.

Temperatures ranged from very warm in parts of southeast England to rather cool in the wetter parts of Scotland.

**EXTREMES****Highest Maximum:**

25.9 Heathrow, Greater London
25.9 Kew (Royal Botanic Garden, Greater London)

Lowest Maximum:

12.4 Corgarff, Castle Lodge, Aberdeenshire

Lowest Minimum:

4.9 Flat Holm, South Glamorgan

Lowest Grass Minimum:

3.1 Burrington, Devon

Most Rain:

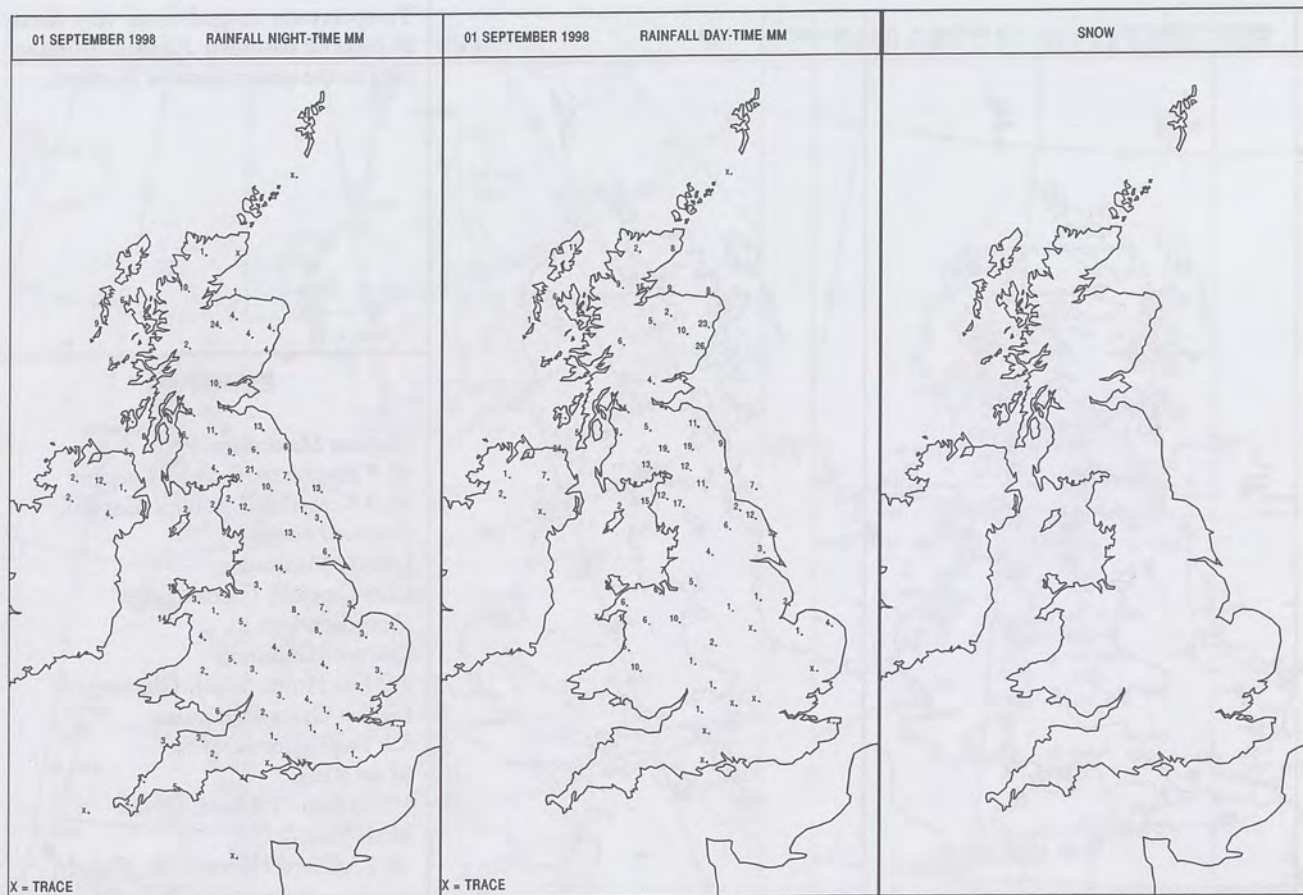
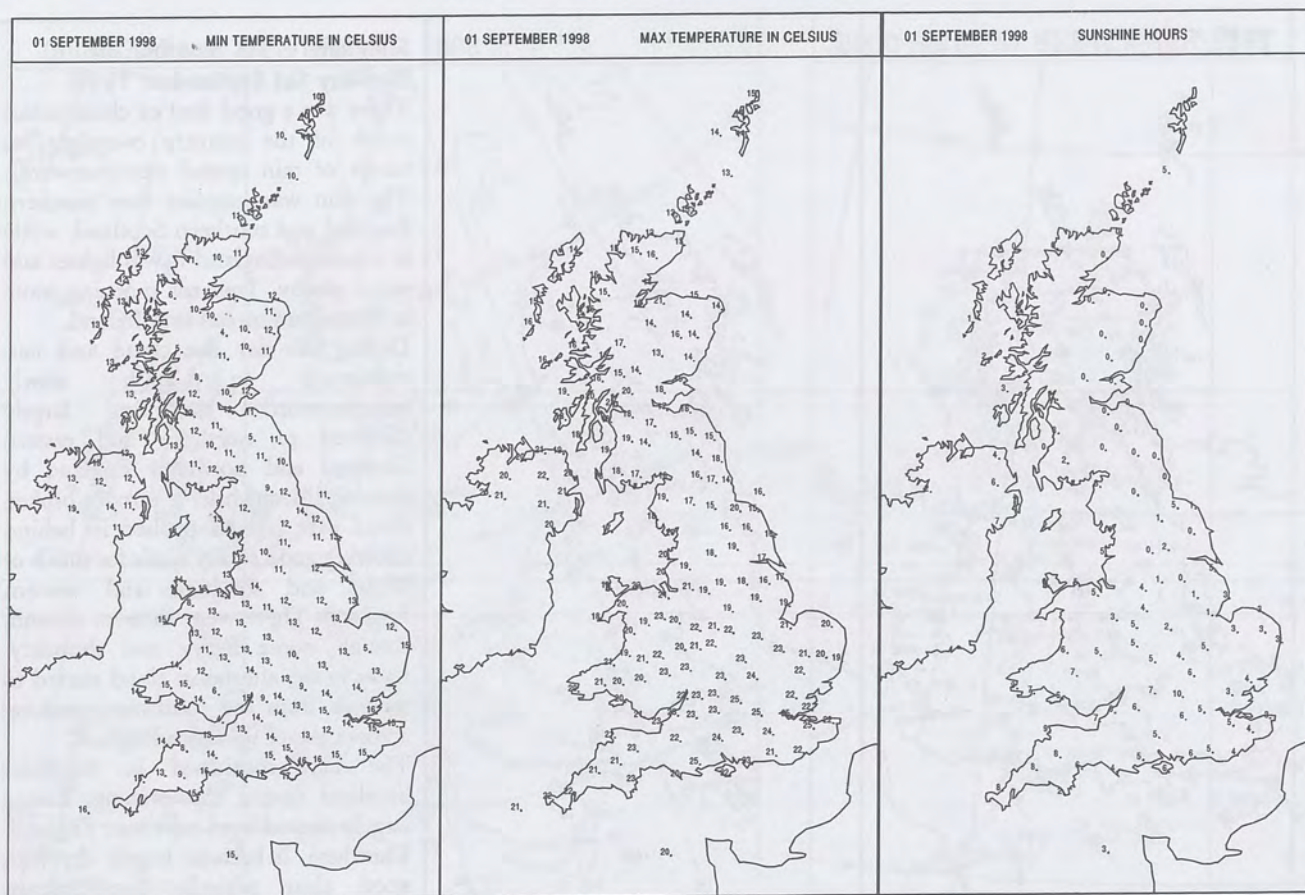
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Most Sun:

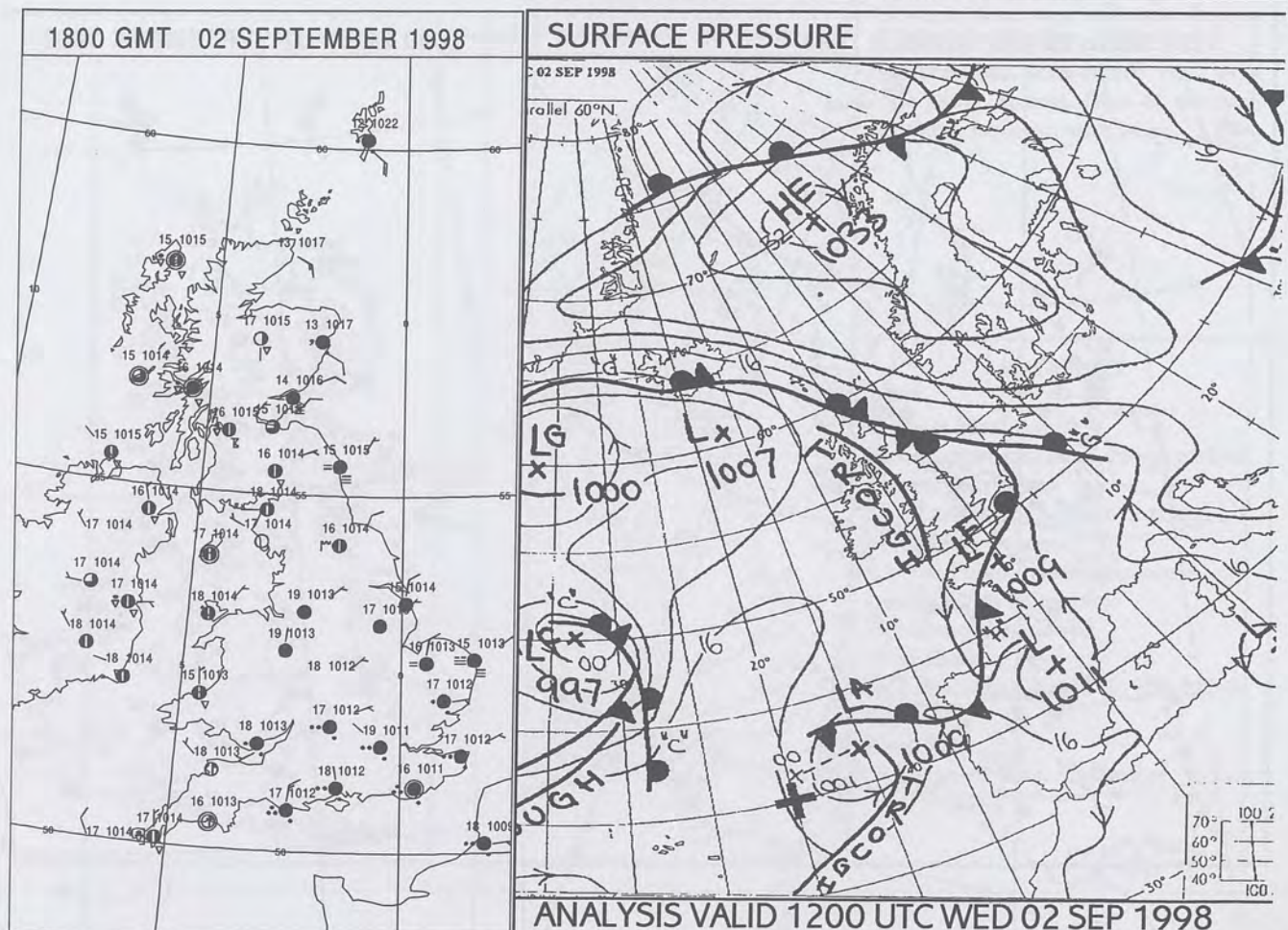
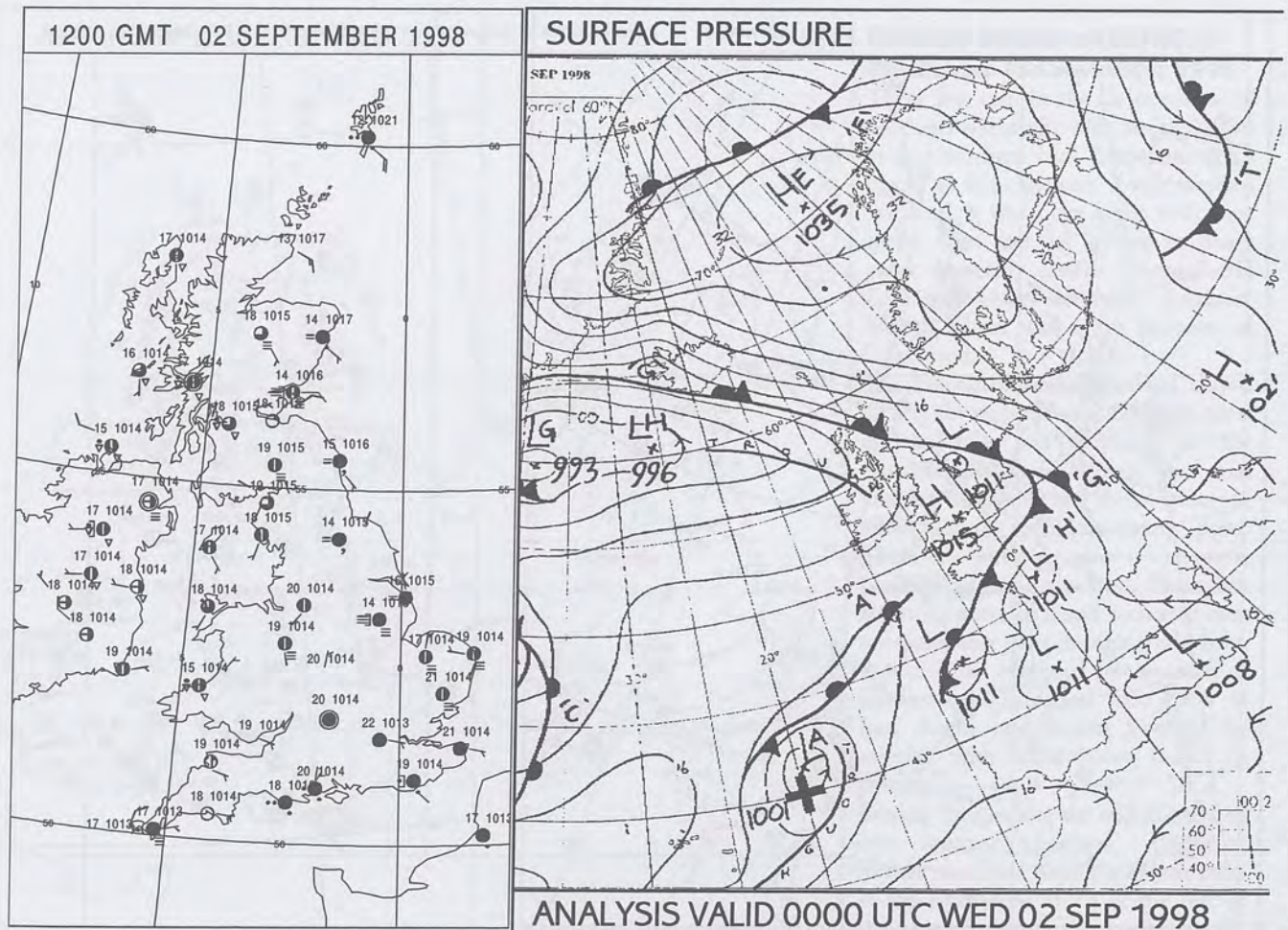
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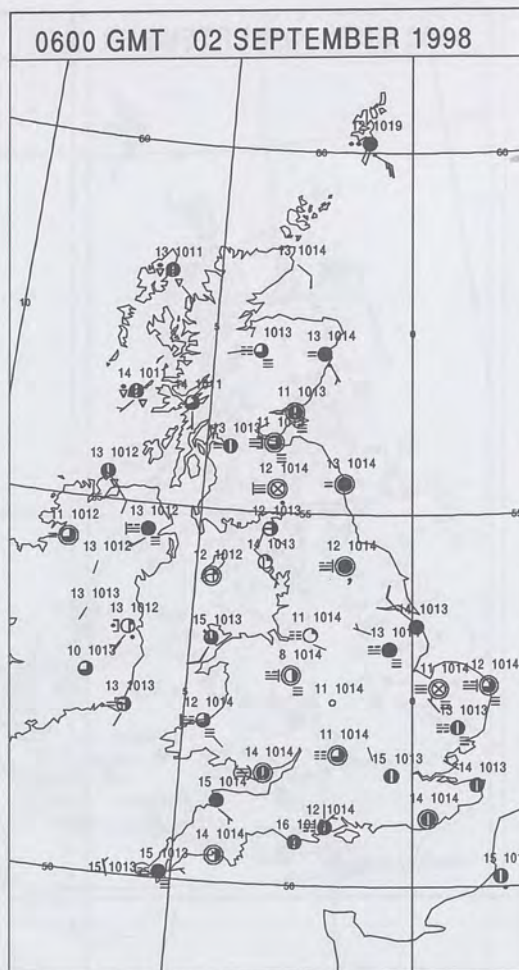
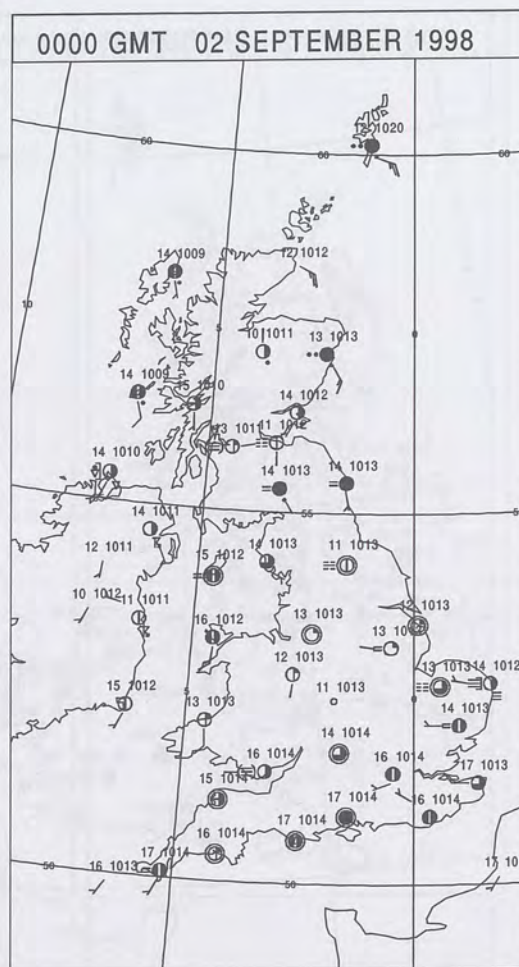
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<p>0600 GMT 02 SEPTEMBER 1998</p> <p>SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>1200 GMT 02 SEPTEMBER 1998</p> <p>SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 2nd September 1998</p> <p>There was rain in the far northeast of Scotland overnight with strong winds in the Northern Isles. Elsewhere, apart from a few showers over western Scotland, it was a dry night with clear spells. Mist and fog formed in many parts, especially eastern Scotland and England. Over southern England, though, there was a fair amount of high cloud.</p> <p>The far northeast of Scotland stayed cloudy through the day, although most of the rain was confined to the Northern Isles. Elsewhere, the mist and fog cleared during the morning to allow sunny spells in many parts. There were also showers, predominantly in the west. From late morning onwards cloud increased over southernmost parts, bringing rain from France. This extended across much of southern England and into parts of East Anglia and central England by evening with some heavy bursts in places.</p> <p>During the evening the rain continued over southeast England, extending further into East Anglia and into parts of the Midlands. Much of the rest of the country was dry with clear spells. However, there were still some showers in the northwest of Scotland.</p> <p>Temperatures were mostly near or a little above normal. Parts of northern Scotland, however, were warm.</p>
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EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:
26.6 Rothamsted No.2, Hertfordshire

Lowest Maximum:
12.2 Lerwick (S. Screen), Shetland

Lowest Minimum:
4.9 Flat Holm, South Glamorgan

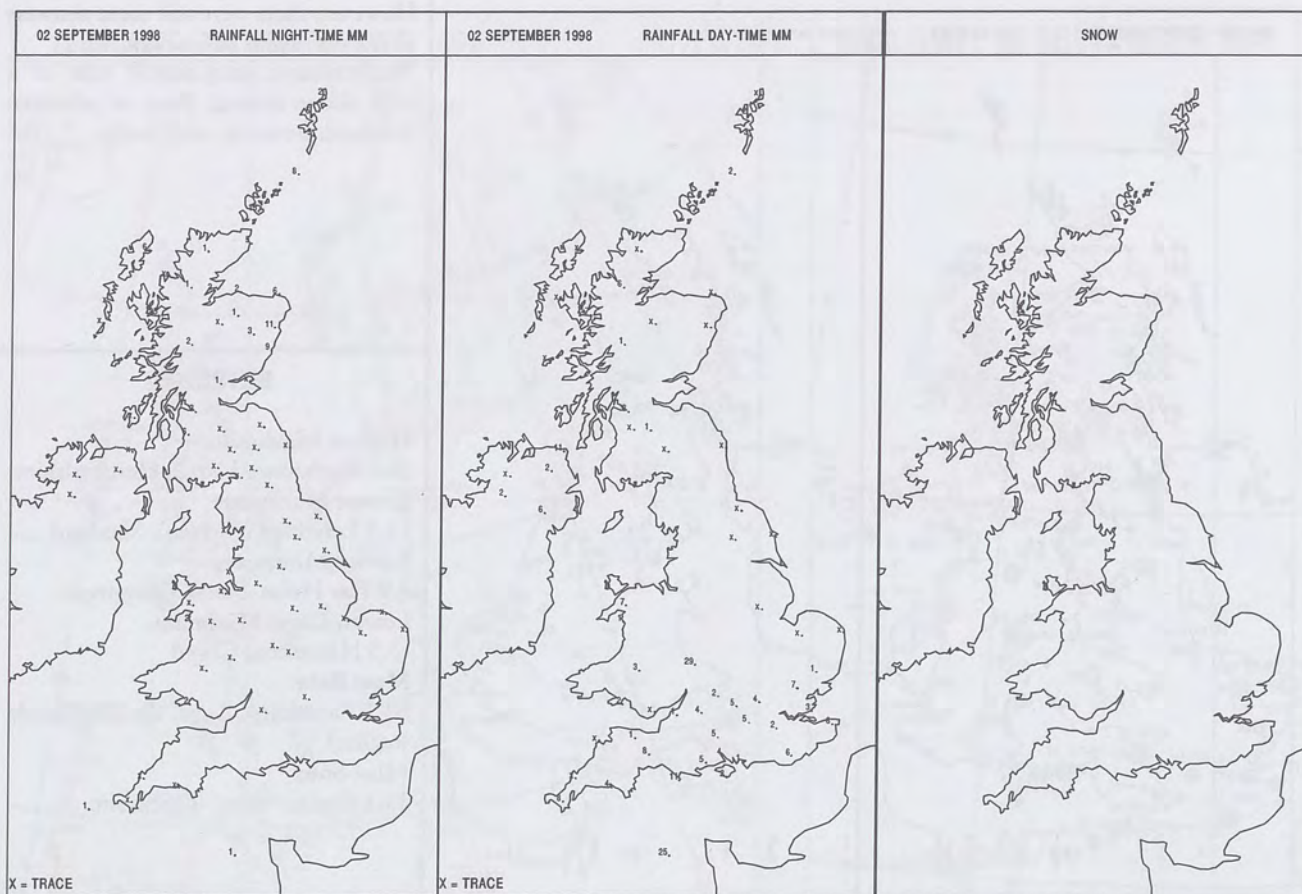
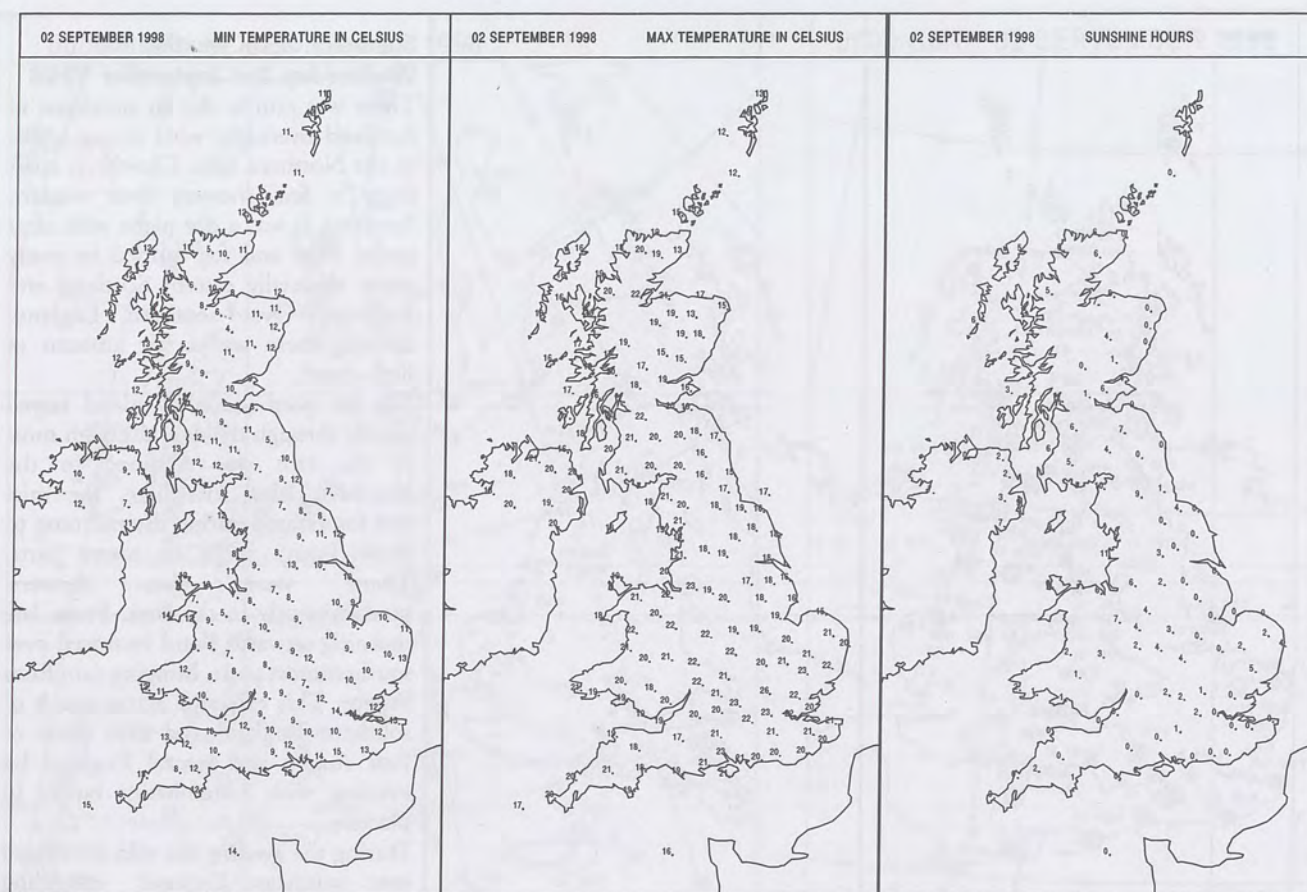
Lowest Grass Minimum:
-3.5 Hawarden, Clwyd

Most Rain:
63.7 Barcaldine, Argyll (In Strathclyde Region)

Most Sun:
11.1 Squires Gate, Lancashire

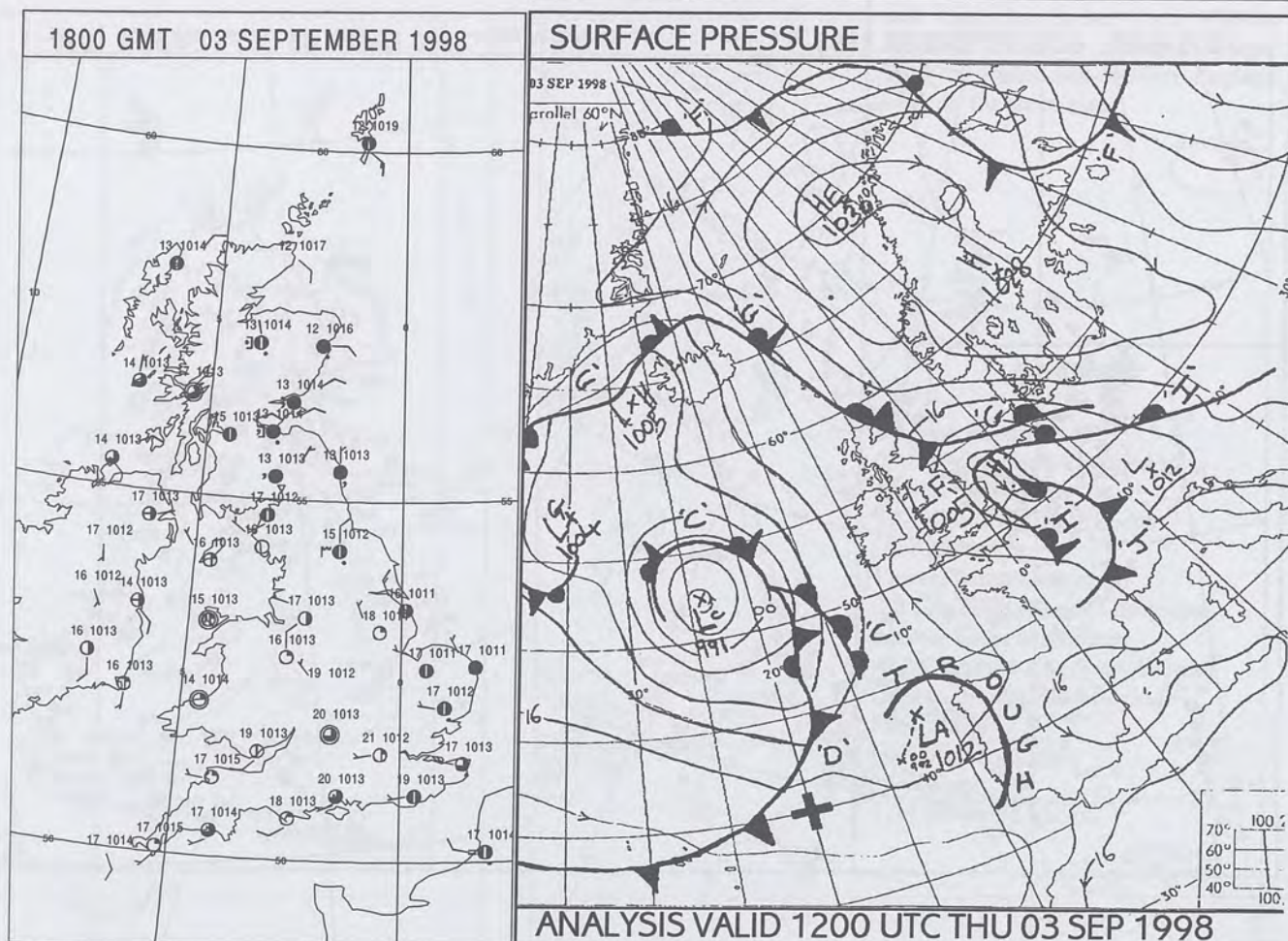
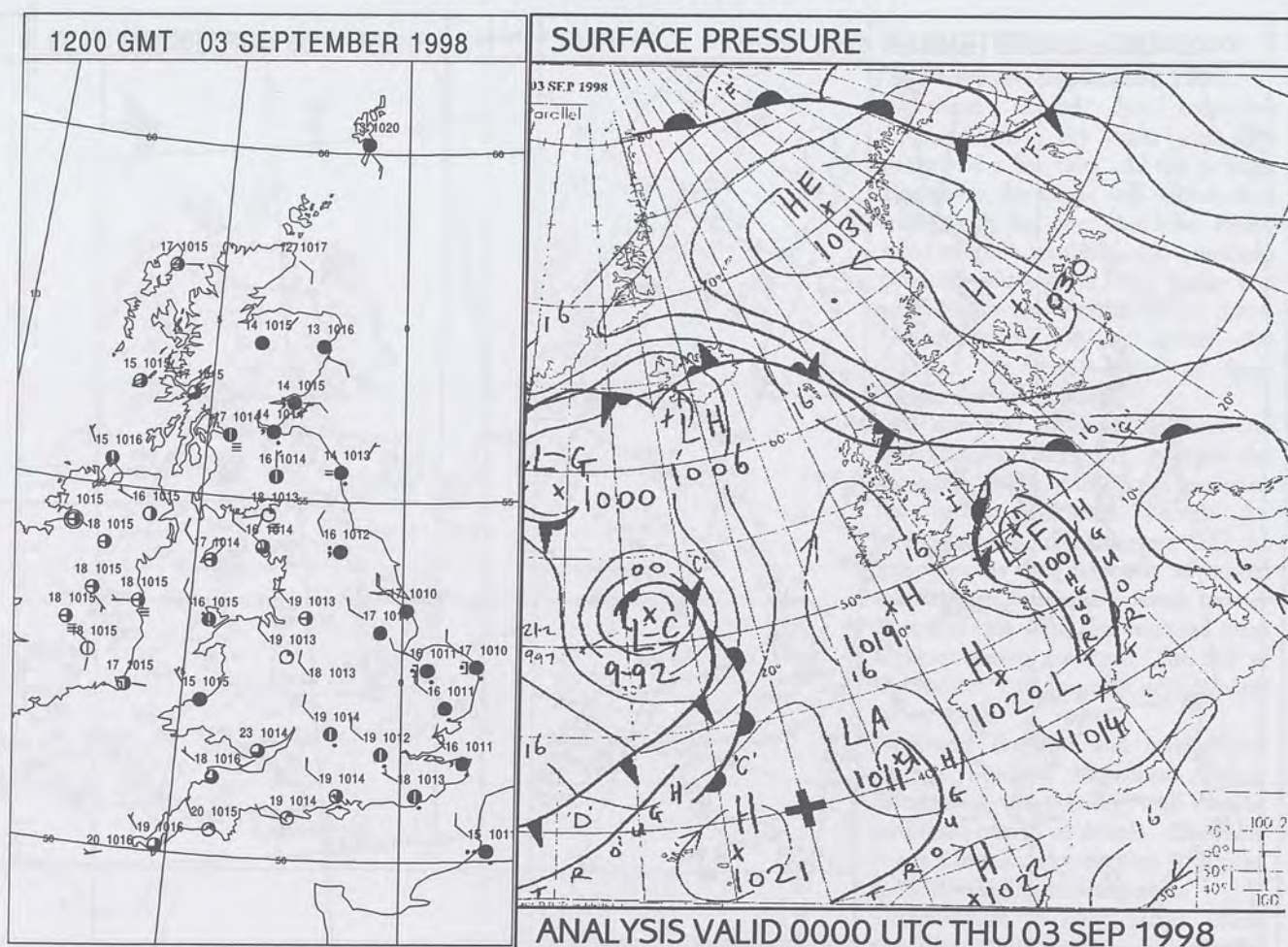
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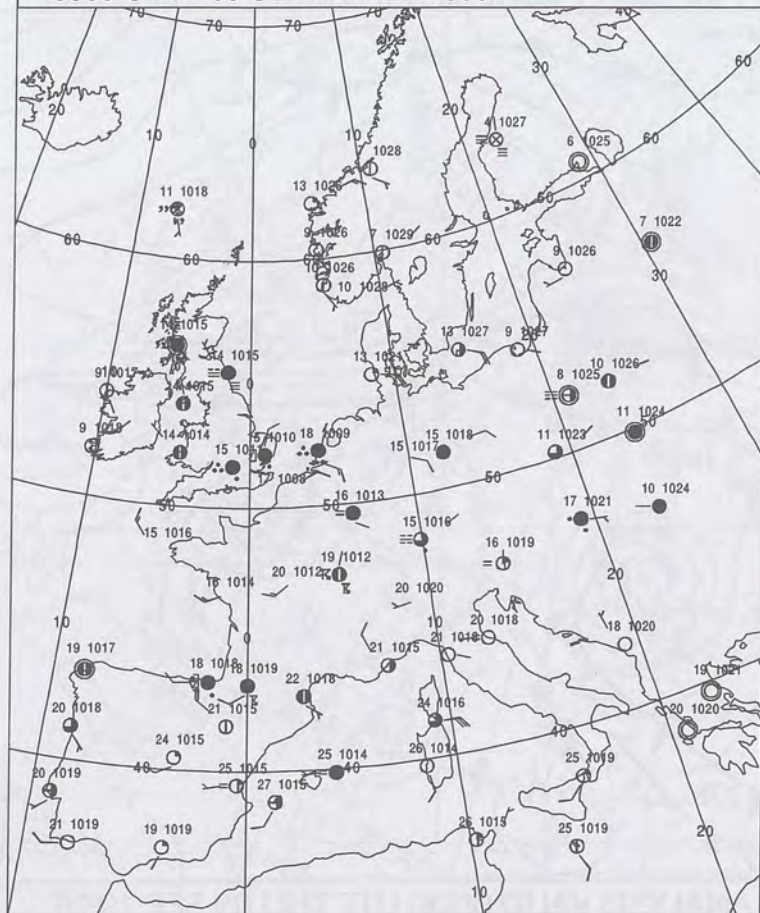
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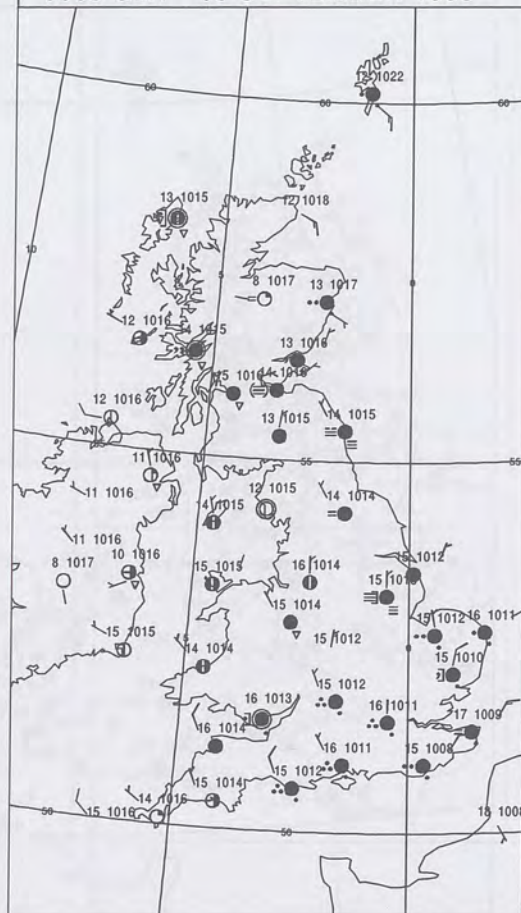
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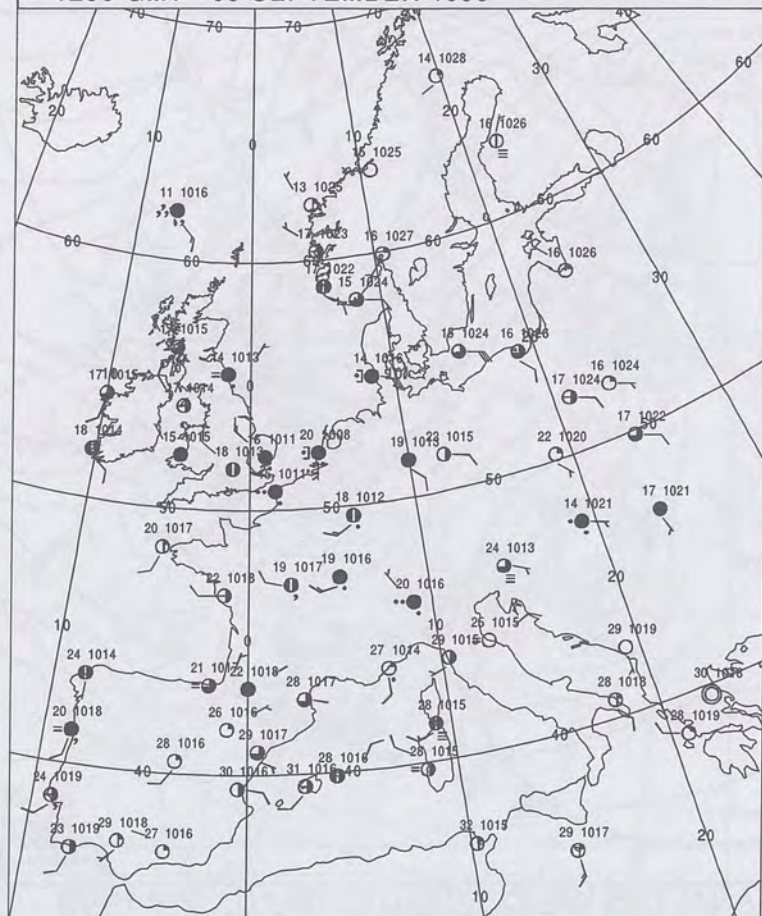
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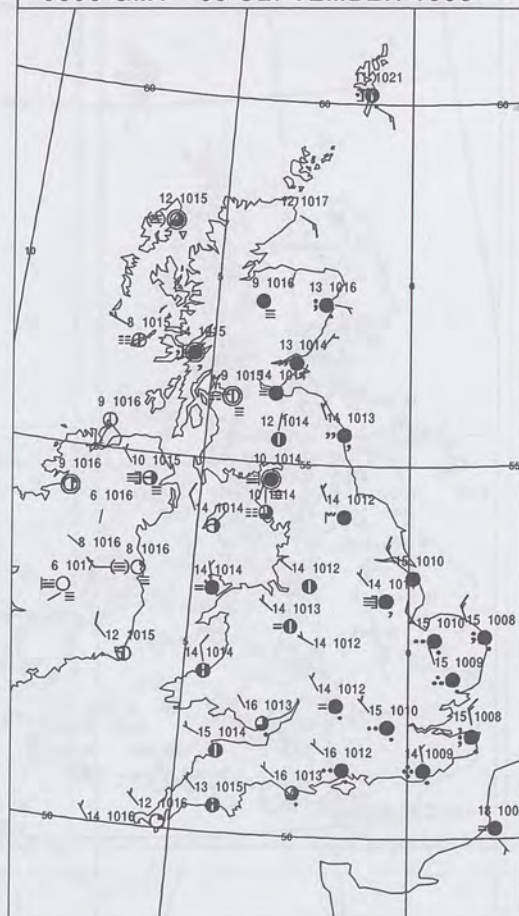
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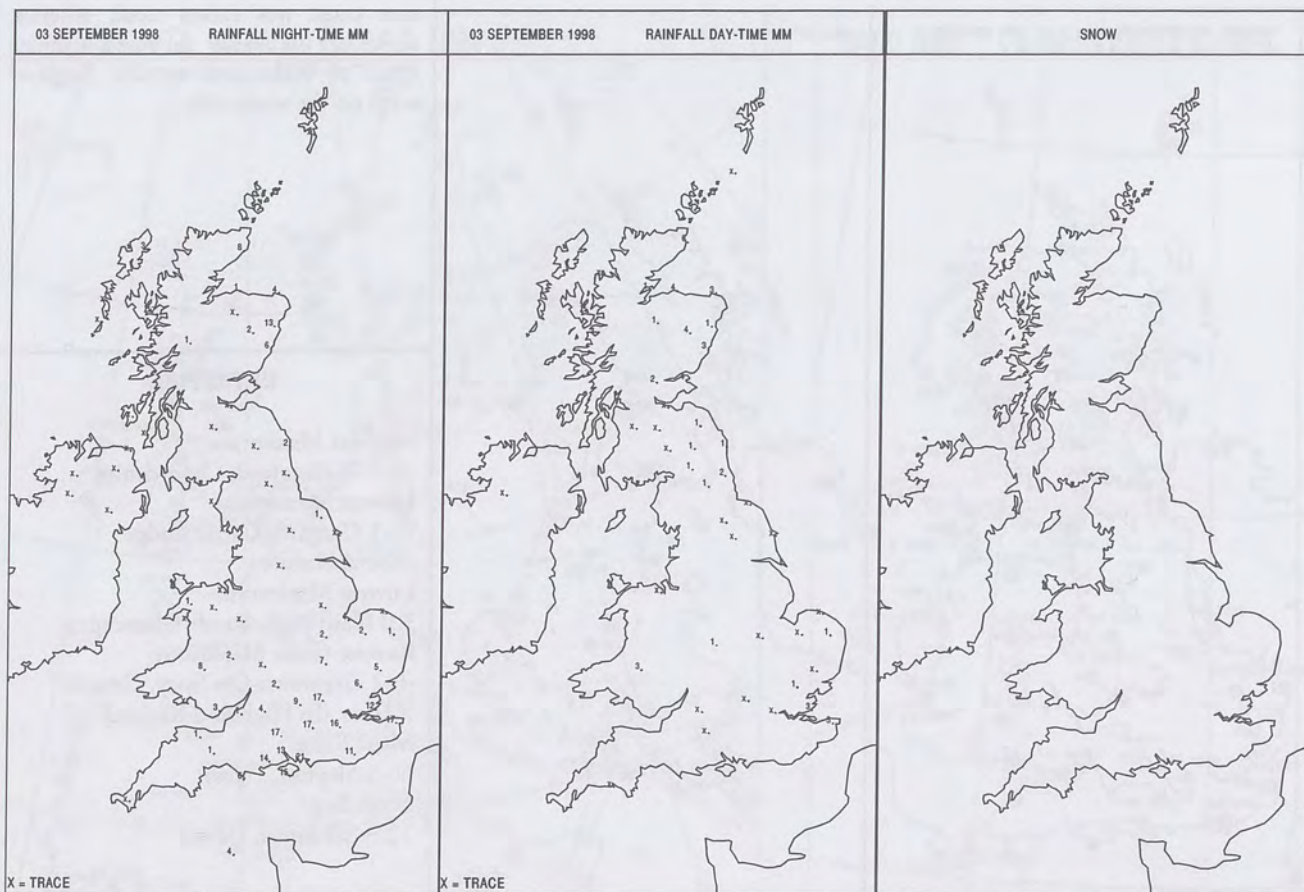
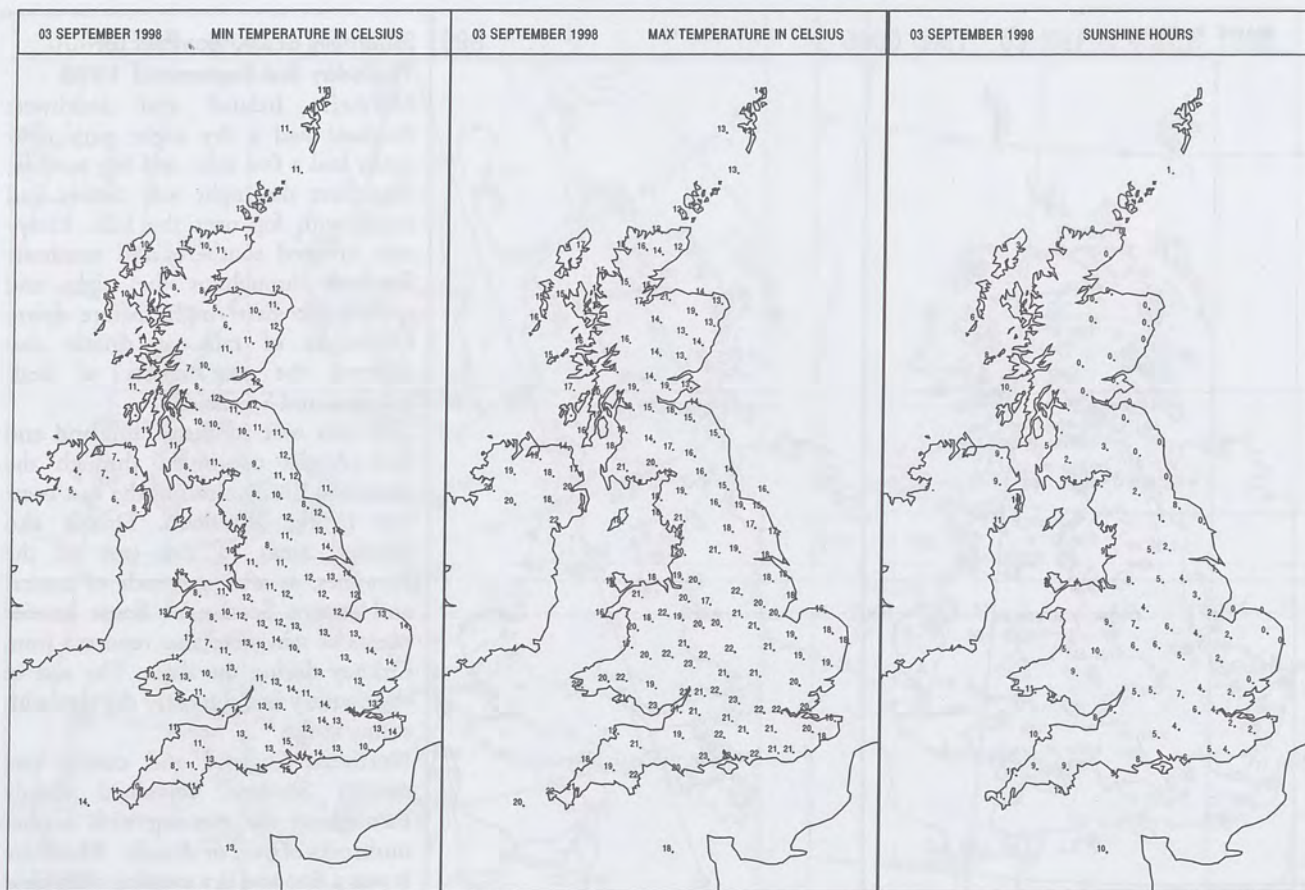


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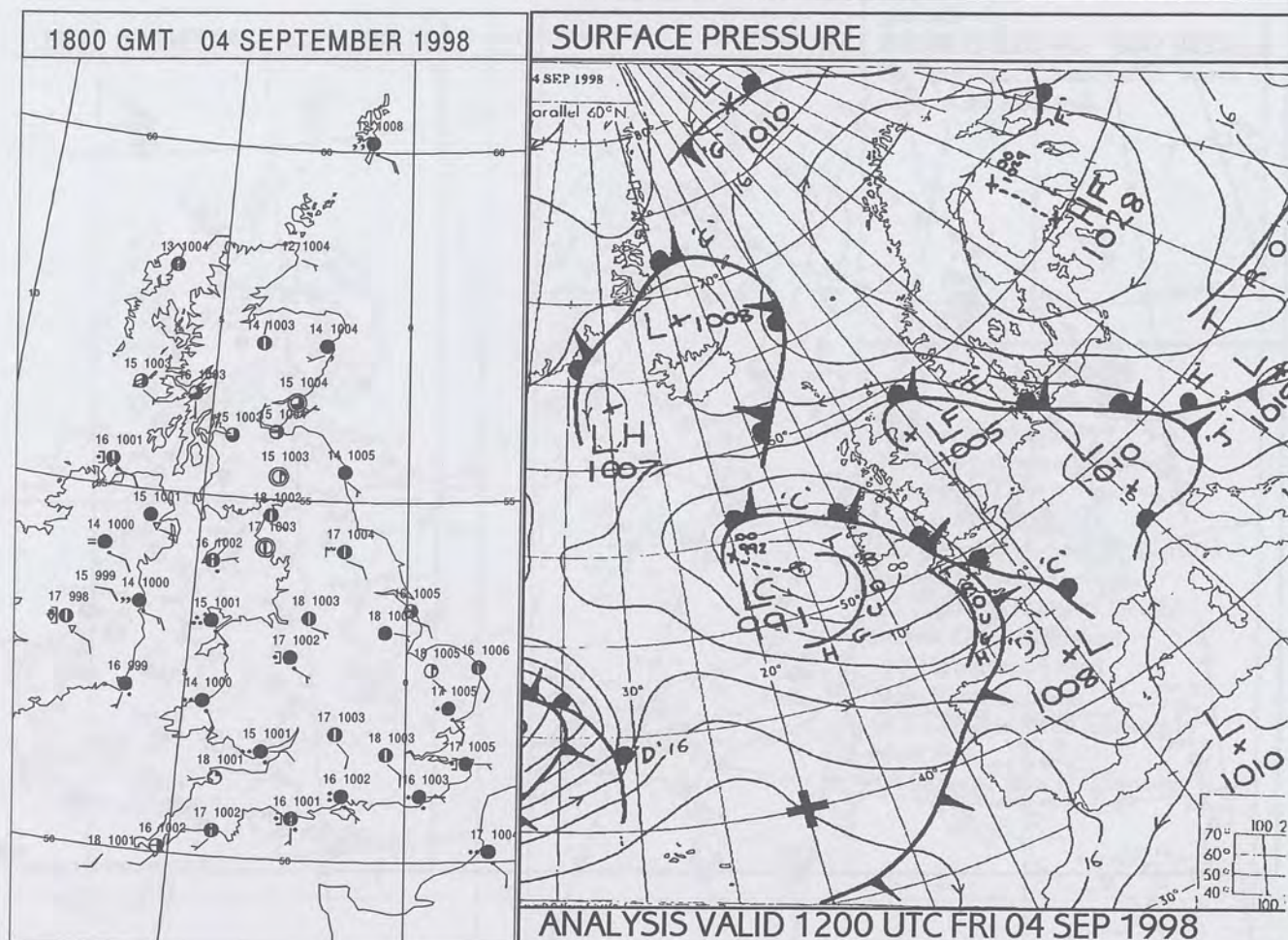
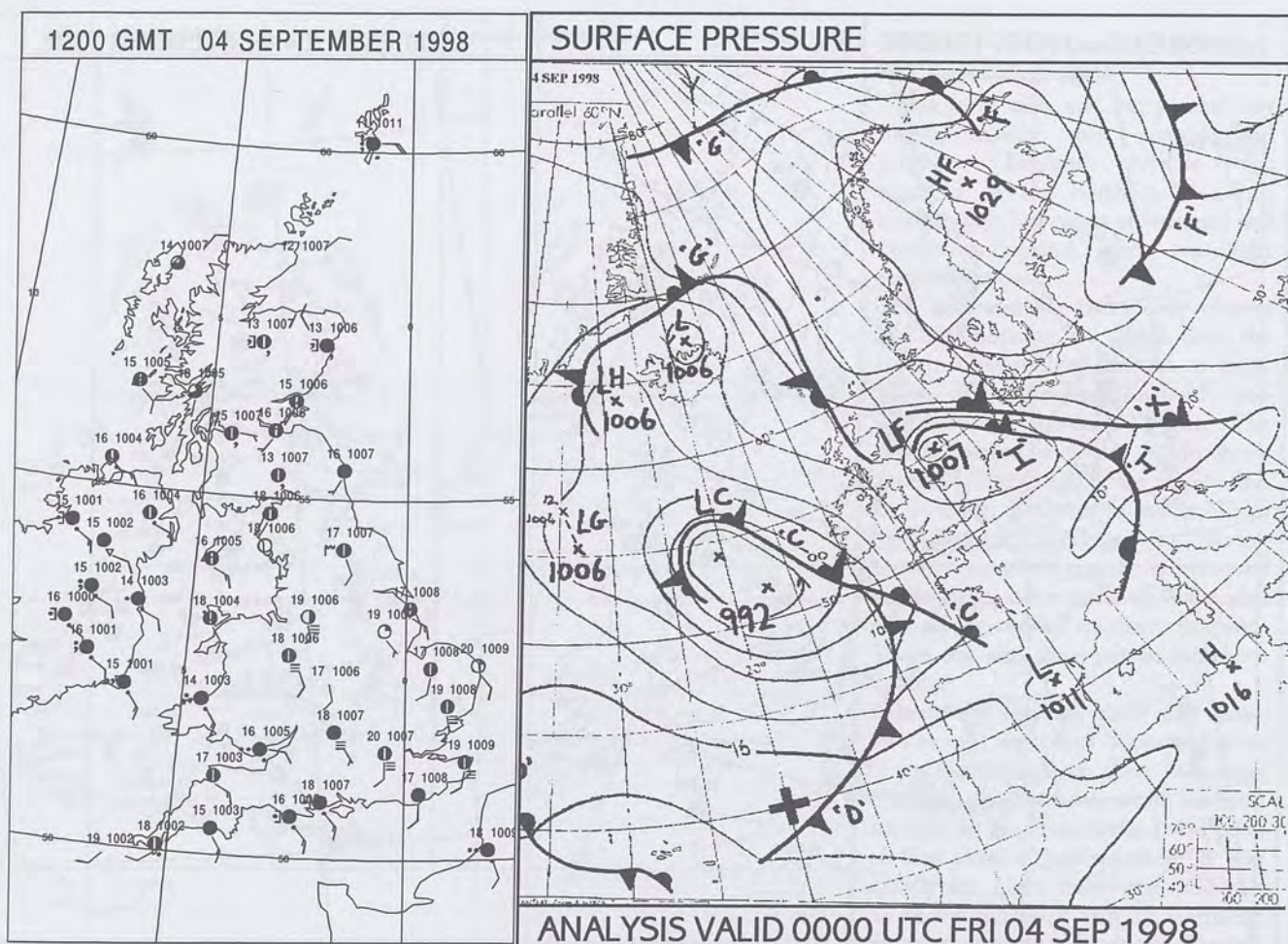
0600 GMT 03 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 03 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Thursday 3rd September 1998 Northern Ireland and southwest England had a dry night with clear spells and a few mist and fog patches. Elsewhere the night was cloudy and misty with fog over the hills. Heavy rain affected southern and southeast England throughout the night and spread into East Anglia before dawn. Outbreaks of rain or drizzle also affected the east coasts of both England and Scotland. The rain over southeast England and East Anglia continued through the morning, finally clearing the east coast late in the afternoon. Drizzle also affected areas to the east of the Pennines, as well as much of central and eastern Scotland. Some heavier bursts of rain were also reported from Orkney during the day. The rest of the country had a mostly dry day with sunny spells. Northeast England and central and eastern Scotland remained cloudy throughout the evening with further outbreaks of rain or drizzle. Elsewhere it was a fine and dry evening with clear spells developing in many areas. Temperatures in most places were around normal. However, the cloudier east coast was rather cool, whereas some of the more sheltered sunnier spots of Wales and western England were on the warm side.
				
1800 GMT 03 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 03 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 23.9 Wallingford, Oxfordshire Lowest Maximum: 12.1 Corgarff, Castle Lodge, Aberdeenshire Lowest Minimum: 3.0 Flat Holm, South Glamorgan Lowest Grass Minimum: -0.2 Grantown-On-Spey, Grampian, Moray (In Highland Region) Most Rain: 66.5 Slapton, Devon Most Sun: 12.3 Salcombe, Devon
				

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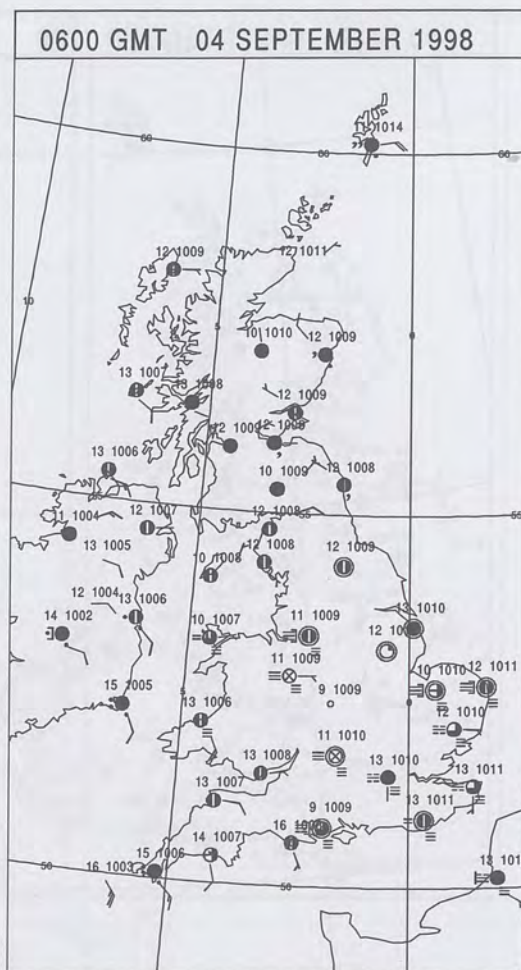
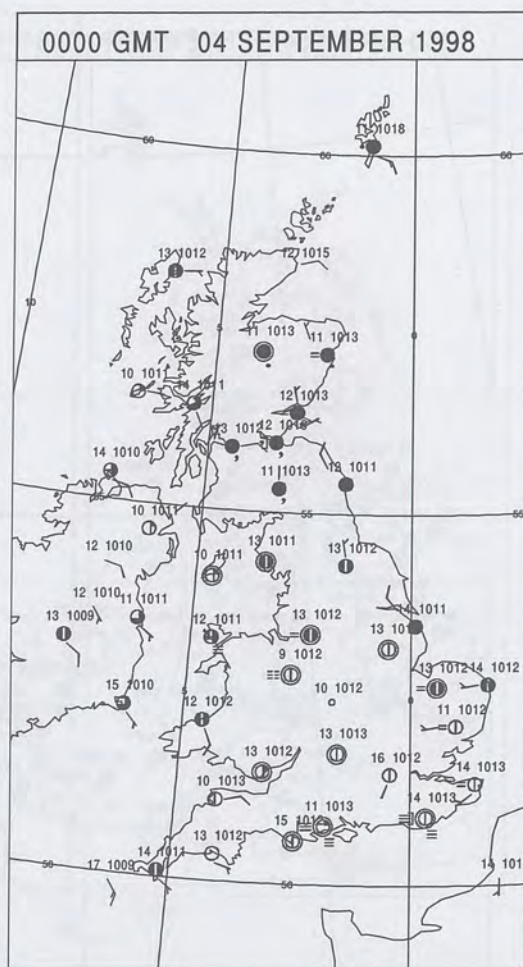
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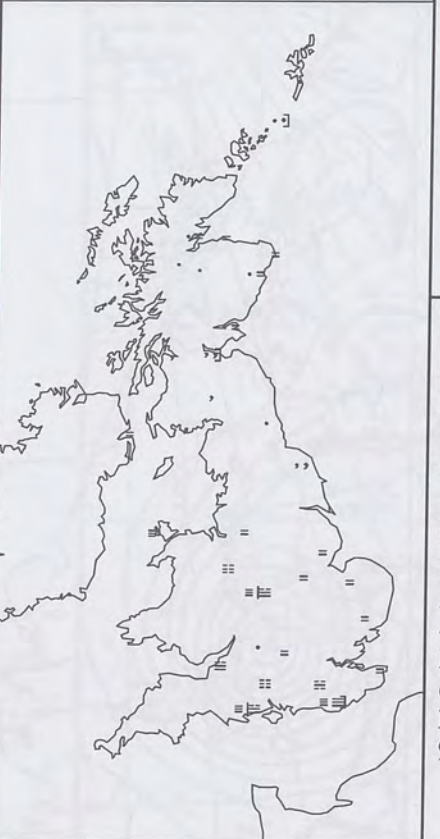
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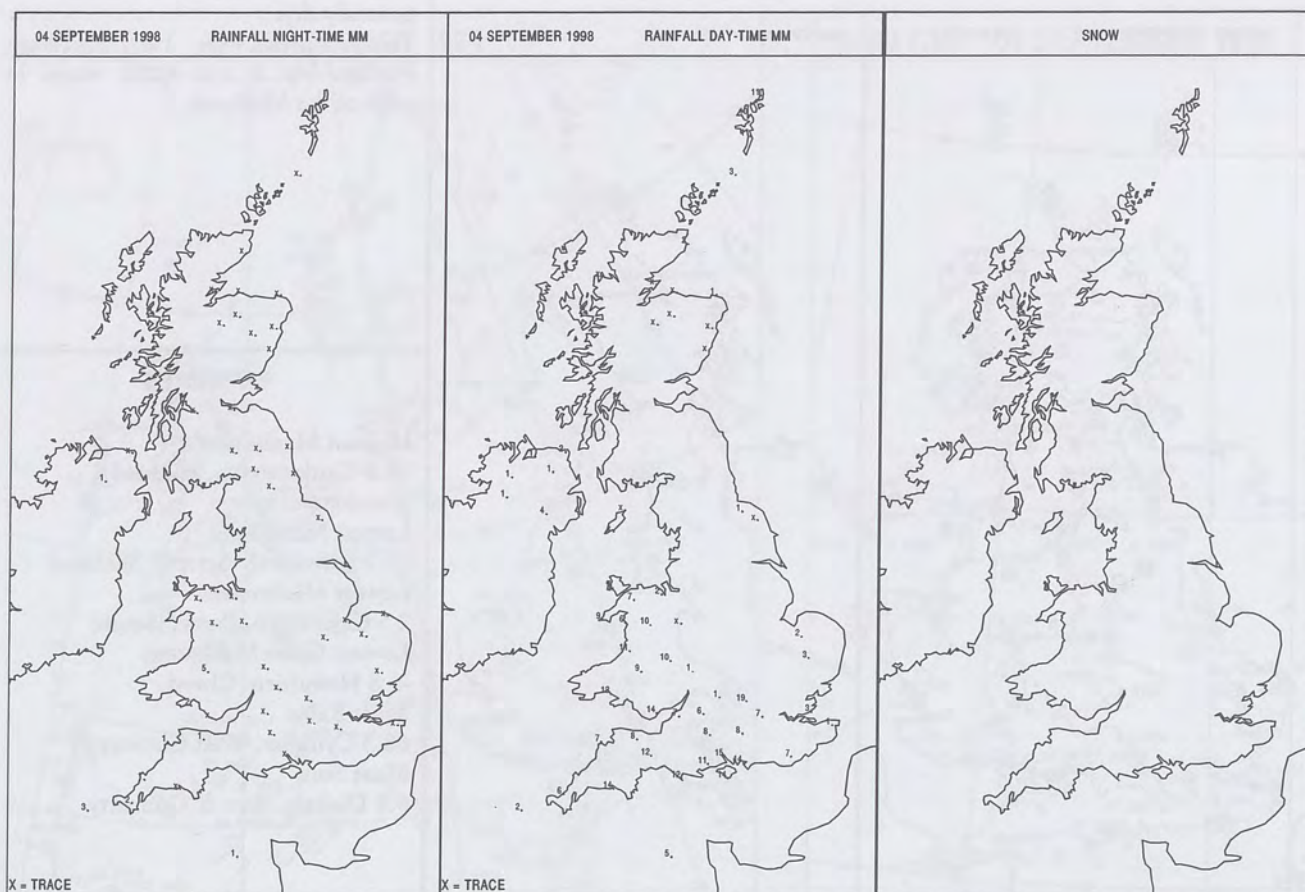
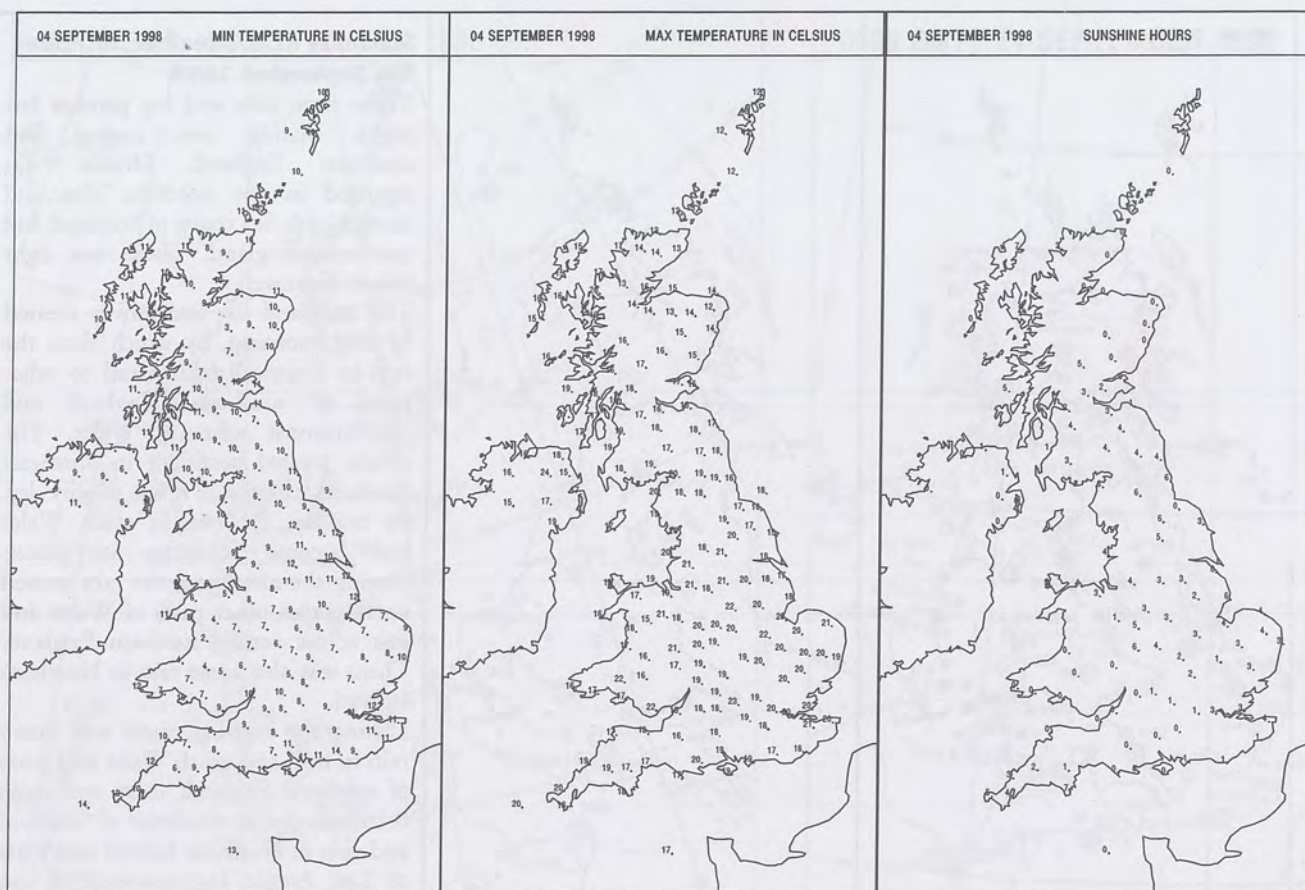


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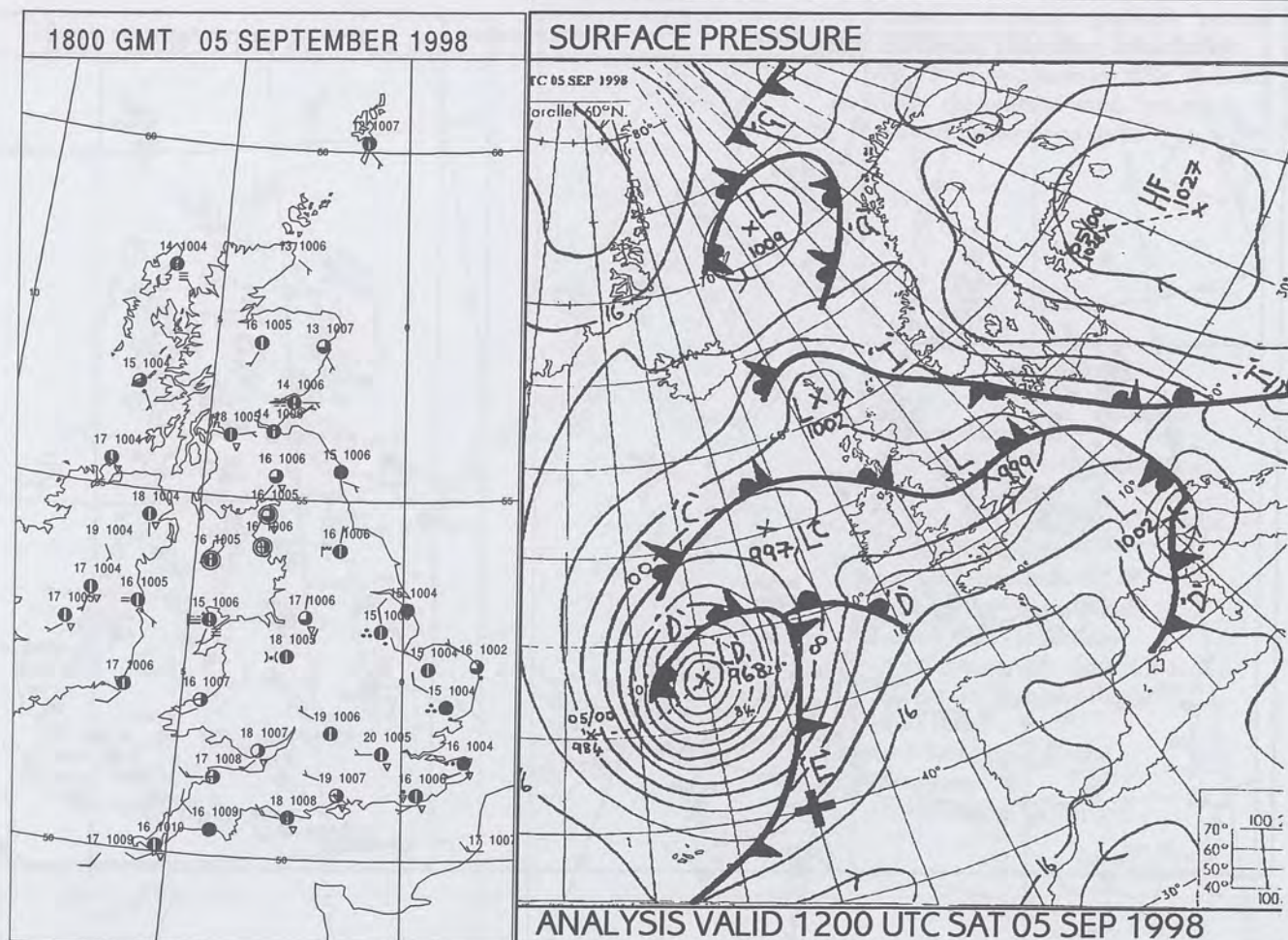
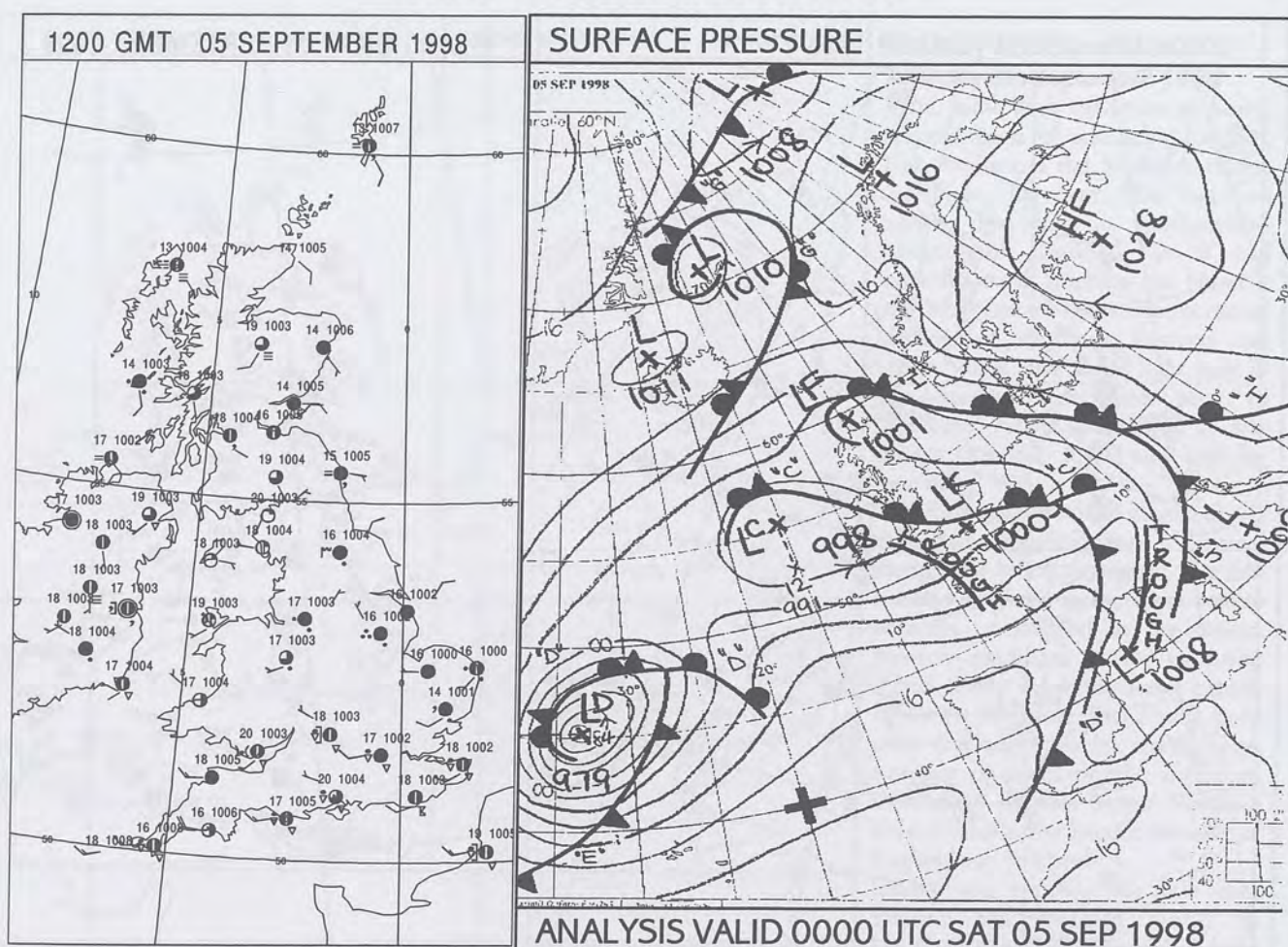
0600 GMT 04 SEPTEMBER 1998	1200 GMT 04 SEPTEMBER 1998	Summary of UK weather for Friday 4th September 1998 <p>There were mist and fog patches last night, mainly over central and southern England. Drizzle was reported in the northern isles and along North Sea coasts of Scotland and northeast England. There was light rain in Cornwall.</p> <p>The mist and fog had mostly cleared by mid morning, by which time the rain in Cornwall had spread to other parts of southwest England and southernmost areas of Wales. The drizzle proved persistent in northeast Scotland. Elsewhere, it was mainly dry. By midday, the rain in south Wales had become moderate in places. During the afternoon, the rain moved north across other parts of Wales and east across central southern England. There was also some rain in Northern Ireland.</p> <p>During the evening, there was heavy rain in mid and north Wales and parts of southern England; there was some drizzle in the far northeast of Scotland and rain in Northern Ireland and parts of East Anglia, but elsewhere it was mainly dry. Later, there were moderate or heavy bursts of rain in southeast England, but the southwest became generally dry.</p> <p>Temperatures were not far from average, but it was rather warm in parts of the Midlands.</p>
		
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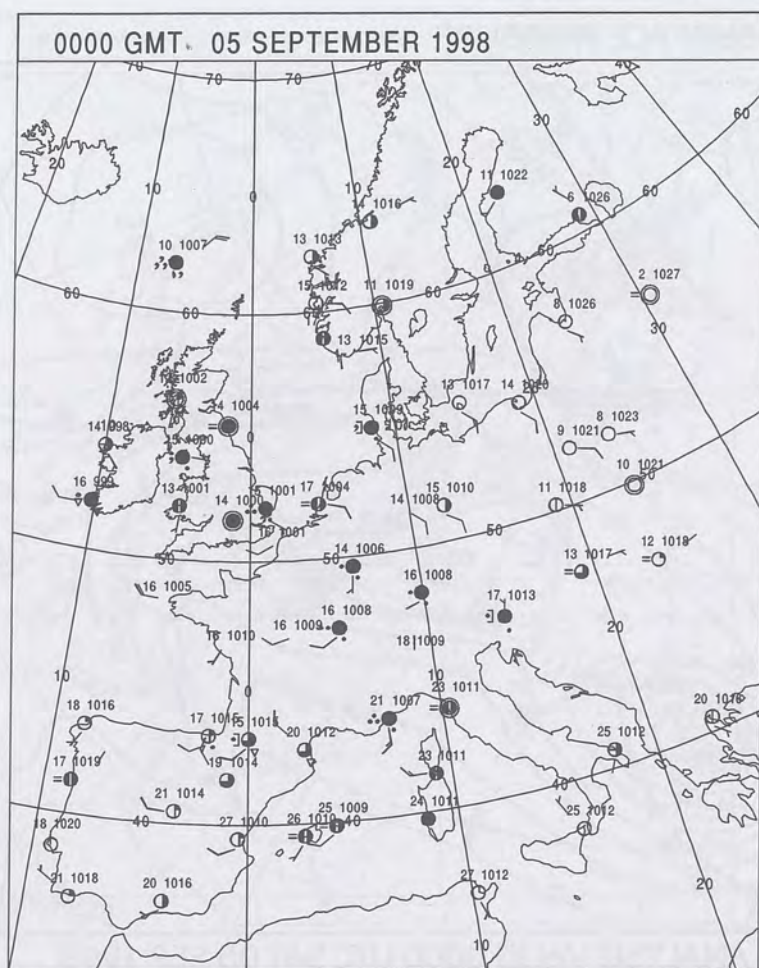
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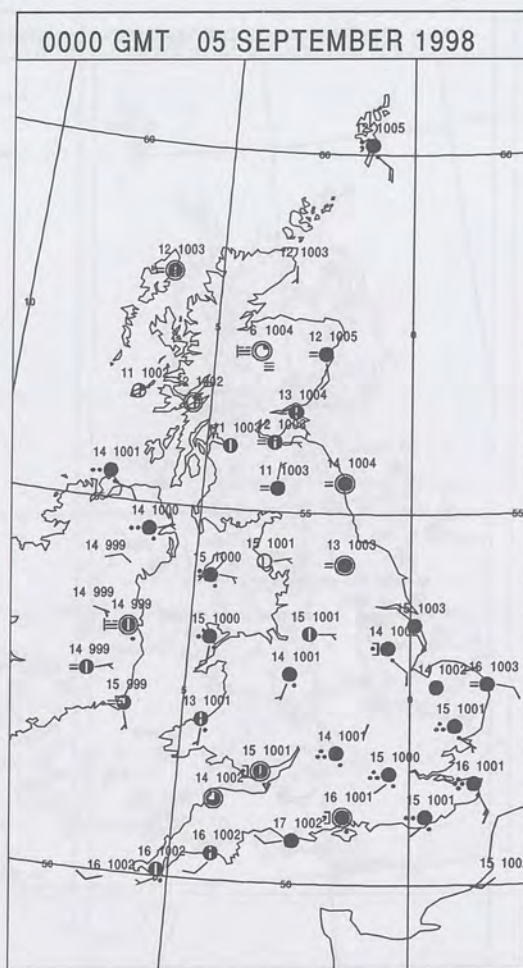
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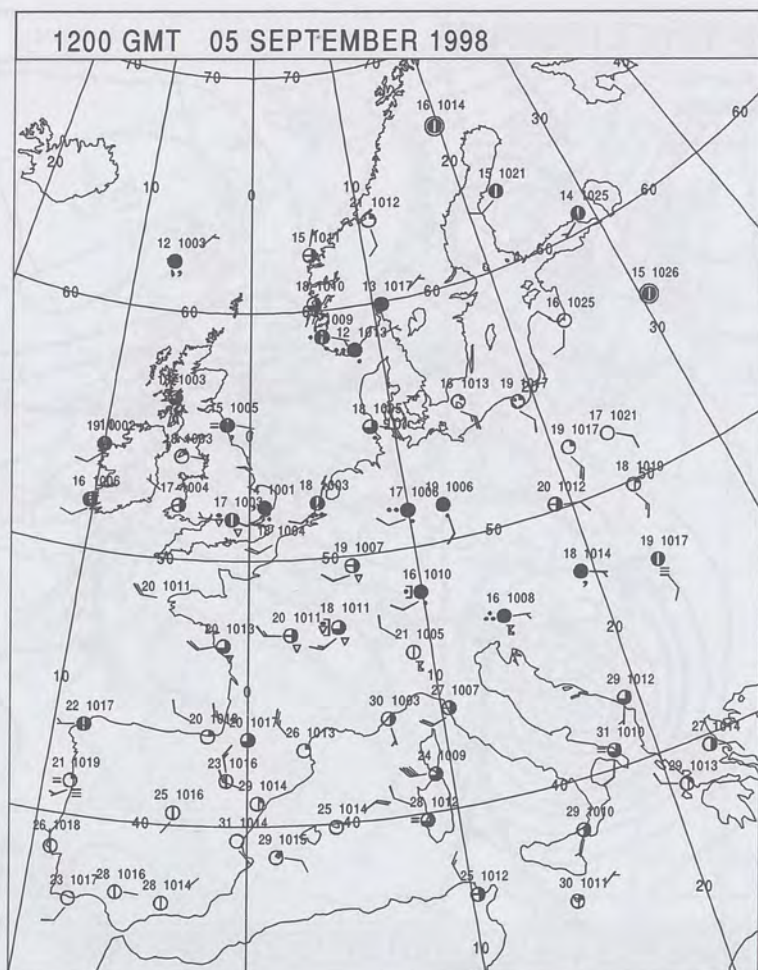
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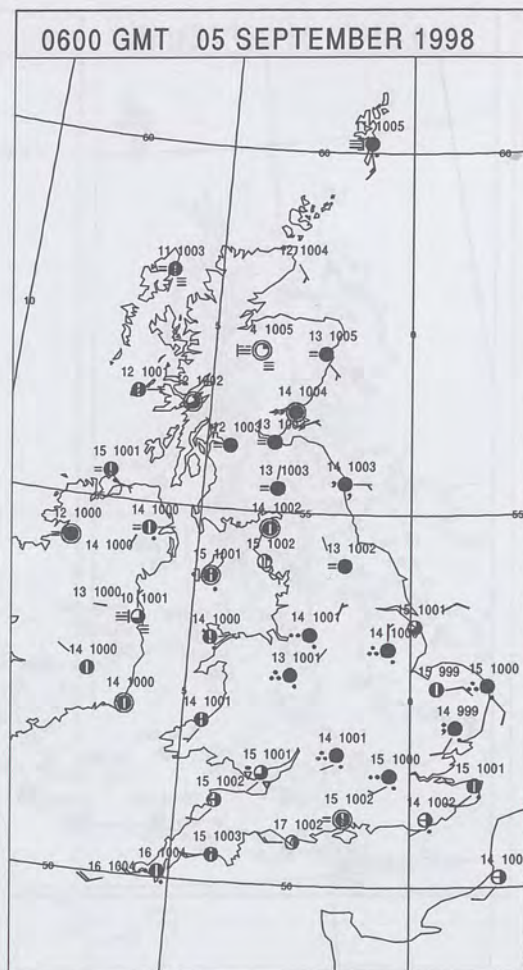
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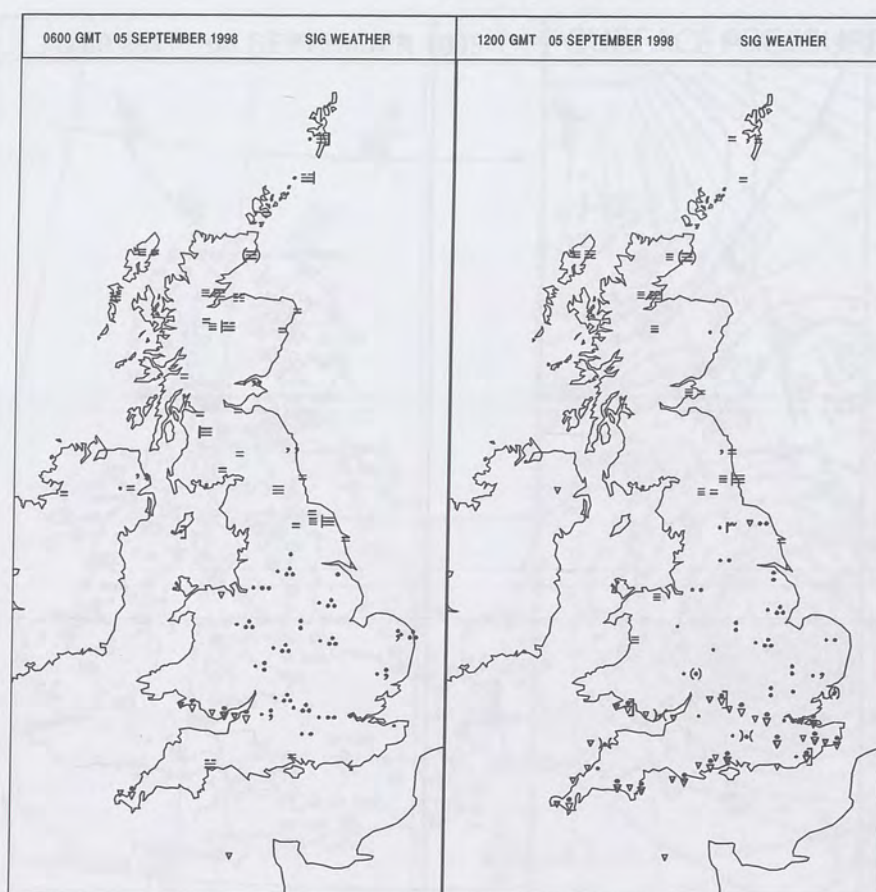
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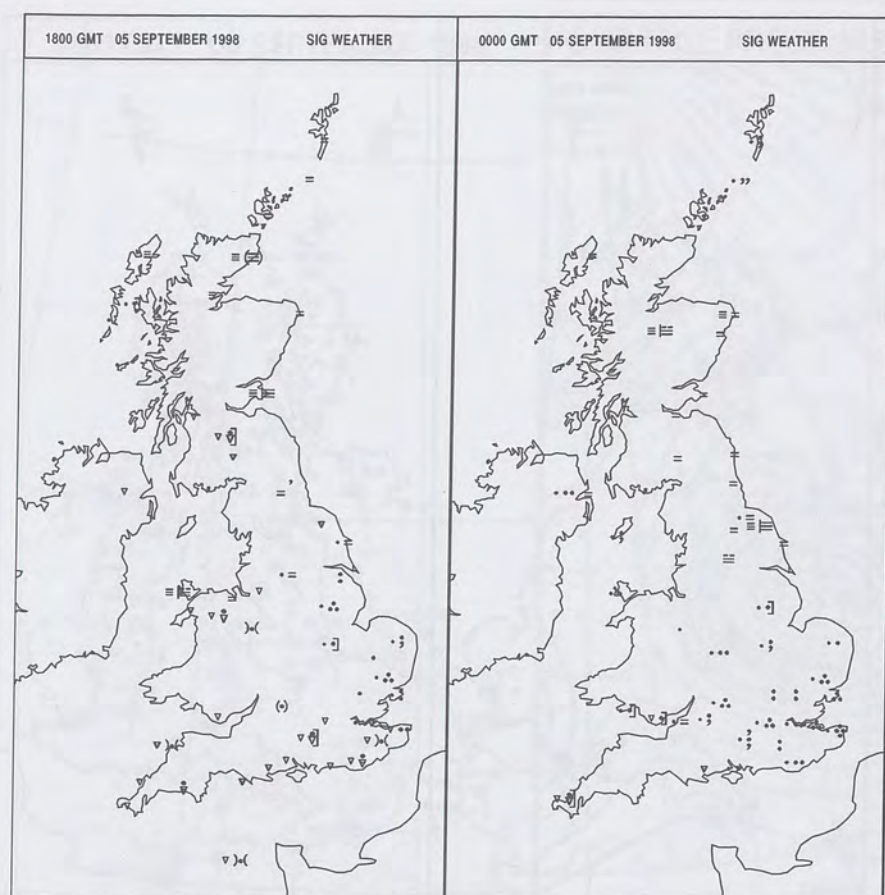
Summary of UK weather for Saturday 5th September 1998

Rain, some of it moderate or heavy, affected parts of southeast England, East Anglia and the Midlands during the night. By dawn, the rain had mostly died out in southernmost counties of England, but it had extended north reaching the Humber and Manchester. There were scattered showers in southwest England and south Wales, and some light rain in the northern isles and parts of Northern Ireland. Elsewhere it was mainly dry with some mist and fog patches.

The mist and fog inland cleared slowly during the morning, but it lingered along some North Sea coasts. The rain became restricted to the more eastern counties of England as the clearer, showery conditions in the southwest edged slowly eastwards across central southern England. Remaining parts were dry with variable, mainly large, amounts of cloud. In the afternoon, there were showers across Northern Ireland and in the Border counties of England and Scotland.

During the evening, the rain over England was confined mainly to Lincolnshire and East Anglia, and the showers elsewhere gradually petered out. Many places then turned misty.

It was fairly warm in areas sheltered from the onshore wind, but much of eastern England was cool.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

23.9 Wallingford, Oxfordshire

Lowest Maximum:

13.0 Kinloss (Old Site), Moray (In Highland Region)

Lowest Minimum:

0.1 Libanus, Powys (South)

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-3.4 Grantown-On-Spey, Grampian, Moray (In Highland Region)

Most Rain:

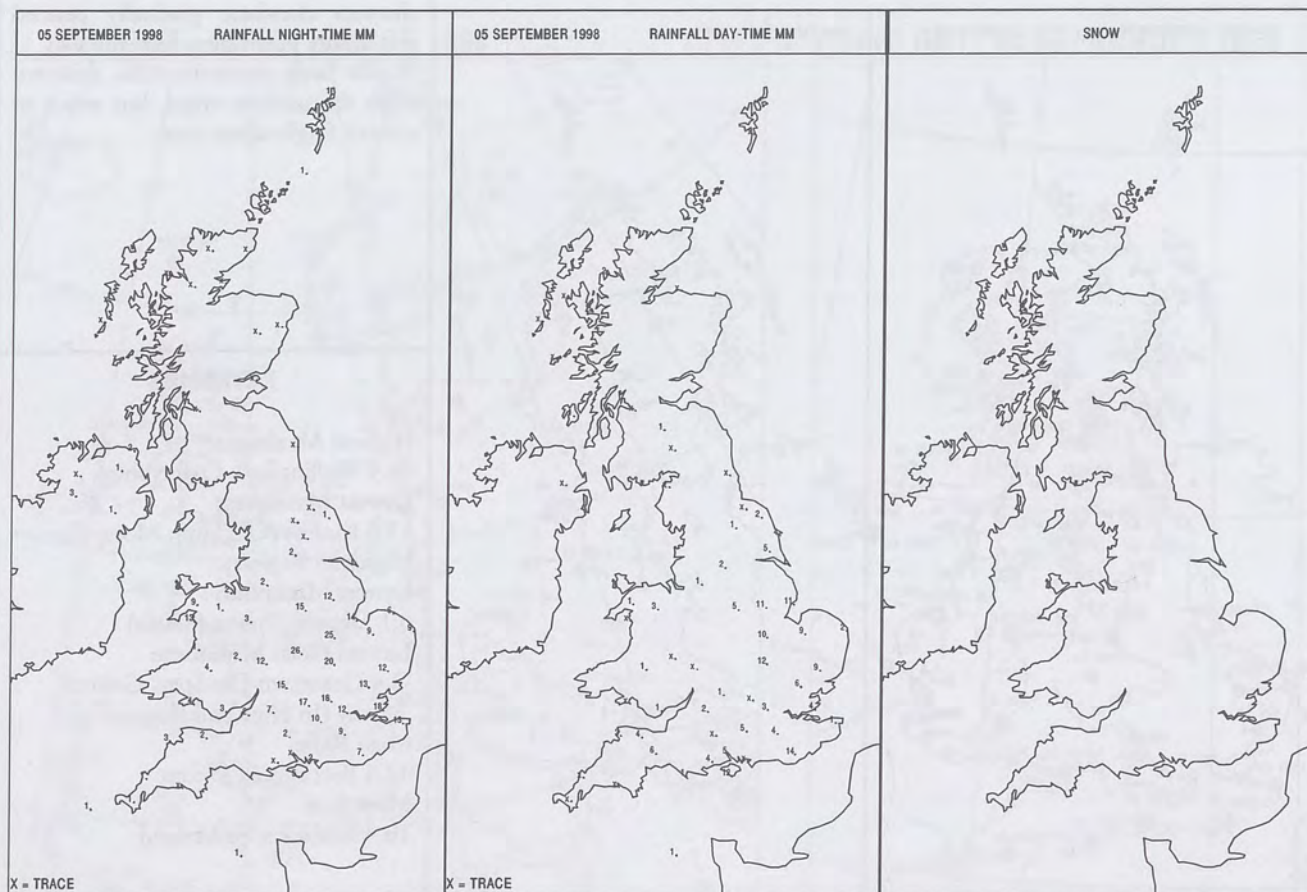
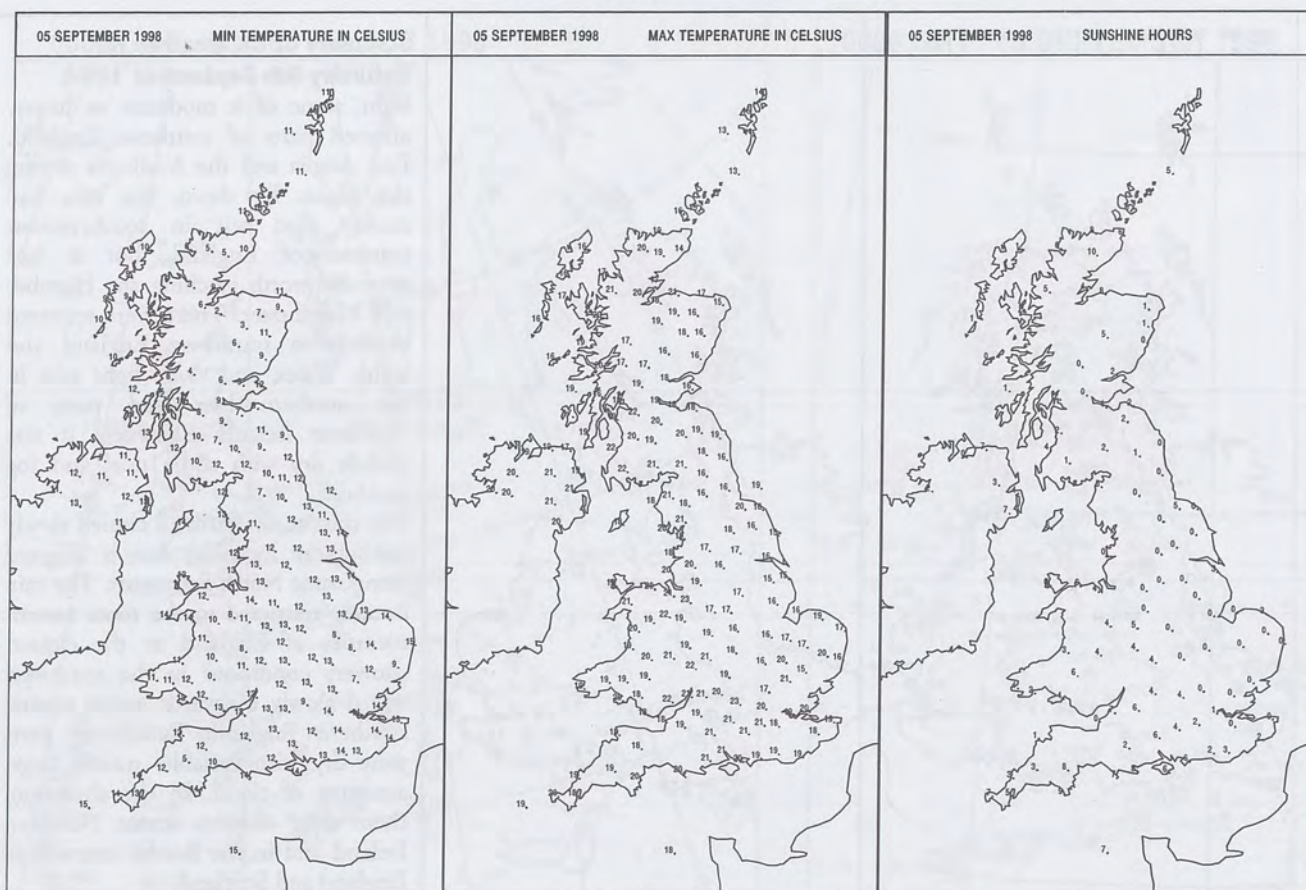
40.4 Bala Brook, Devon

Most Sun:

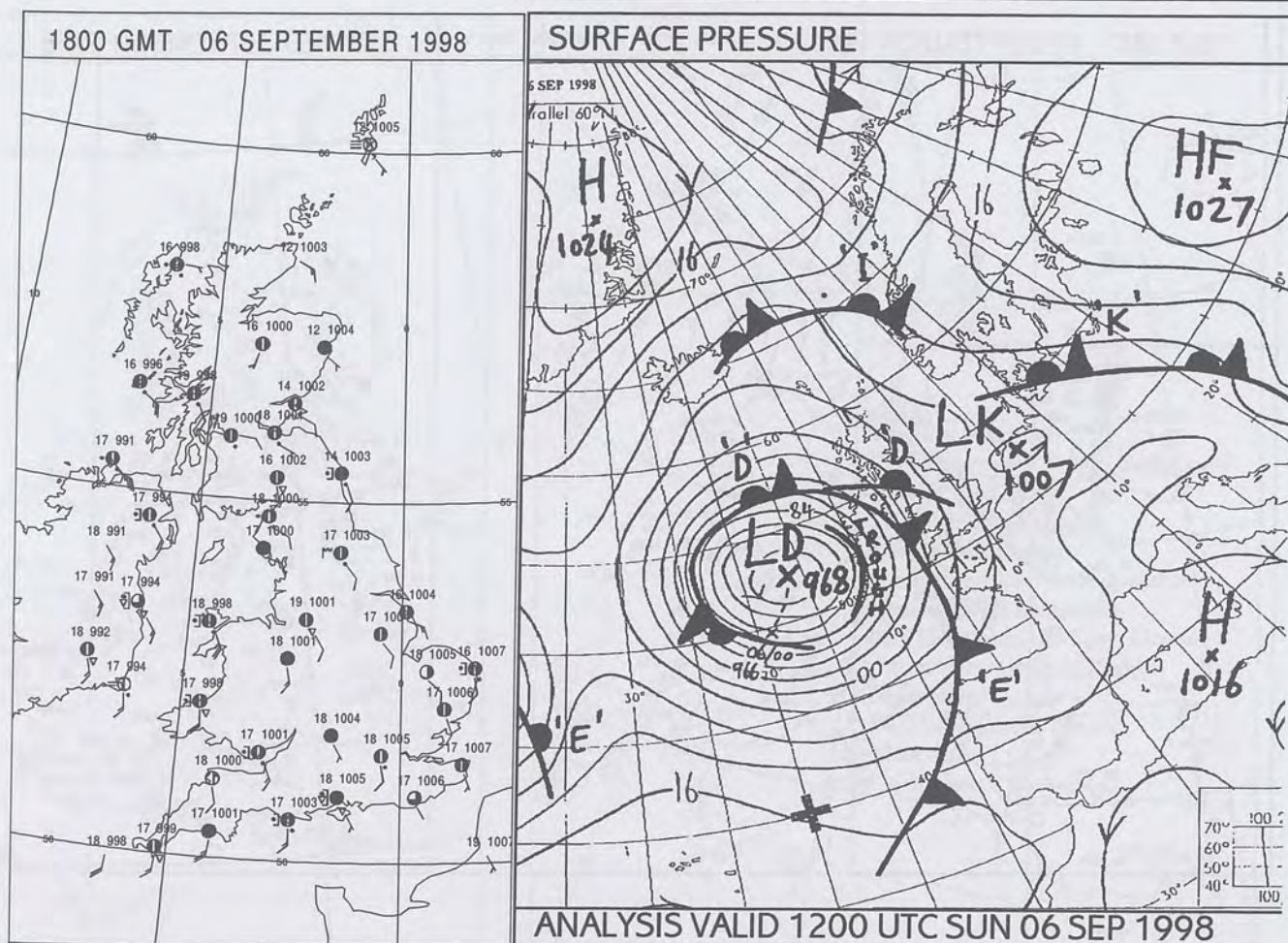
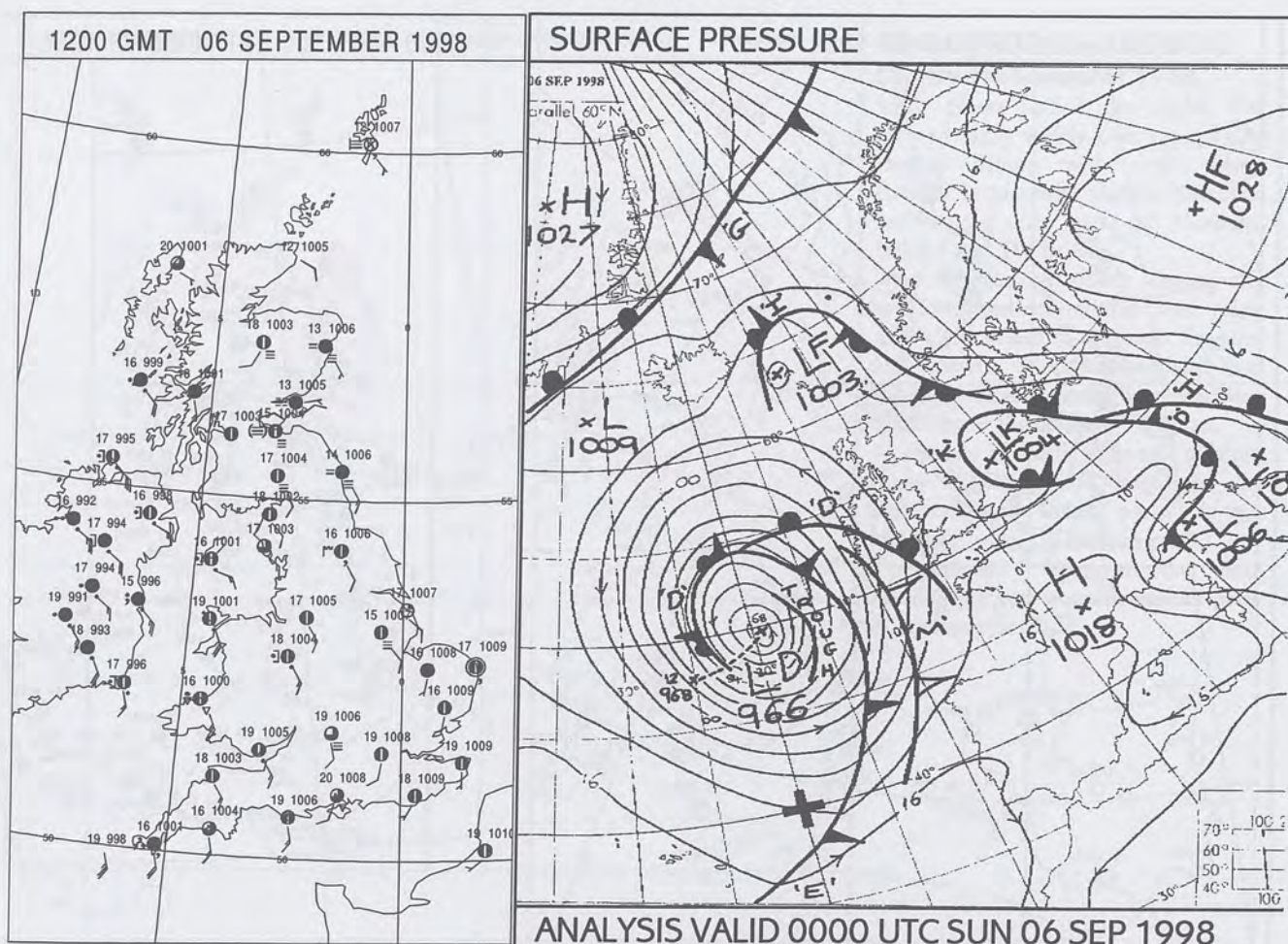
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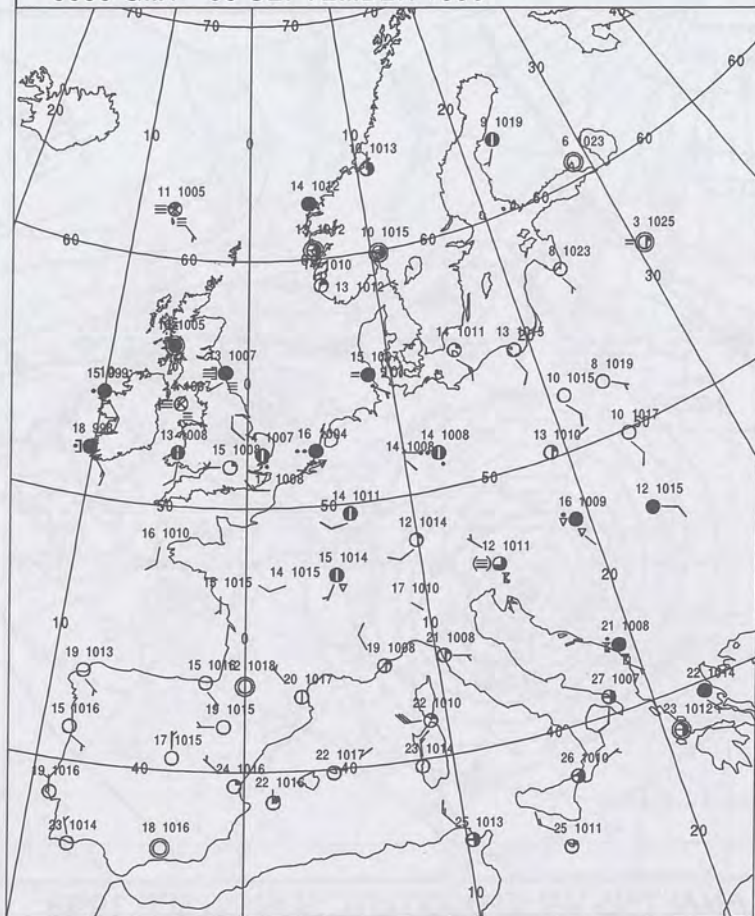
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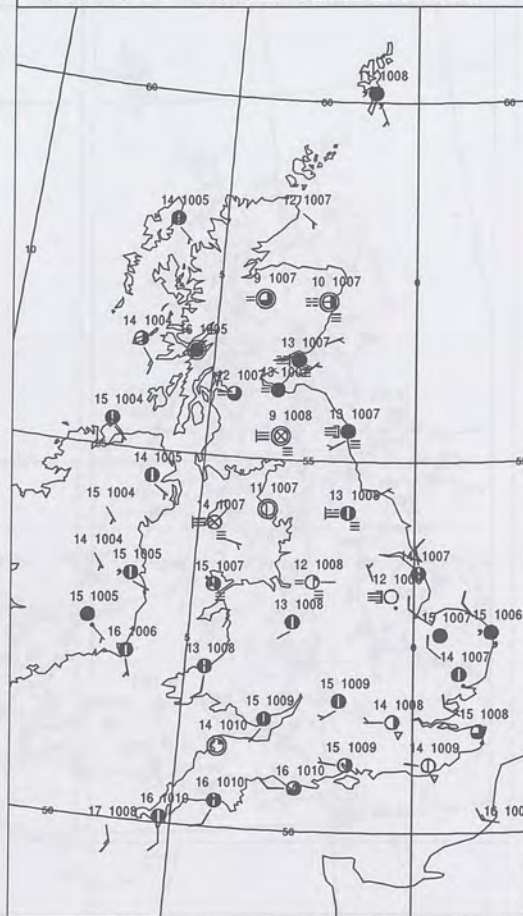
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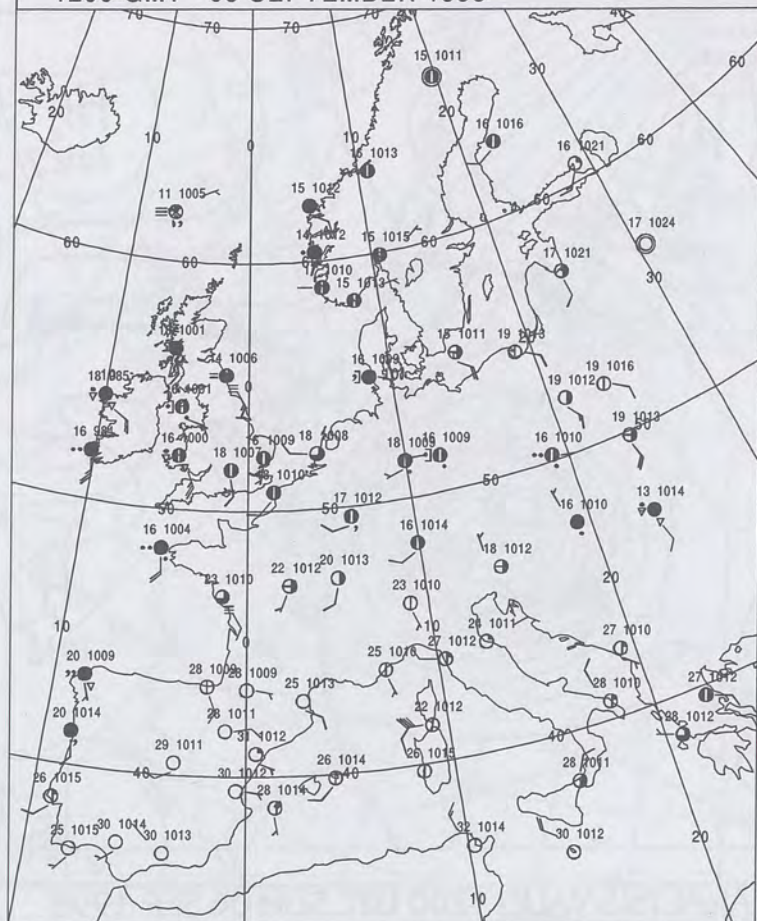
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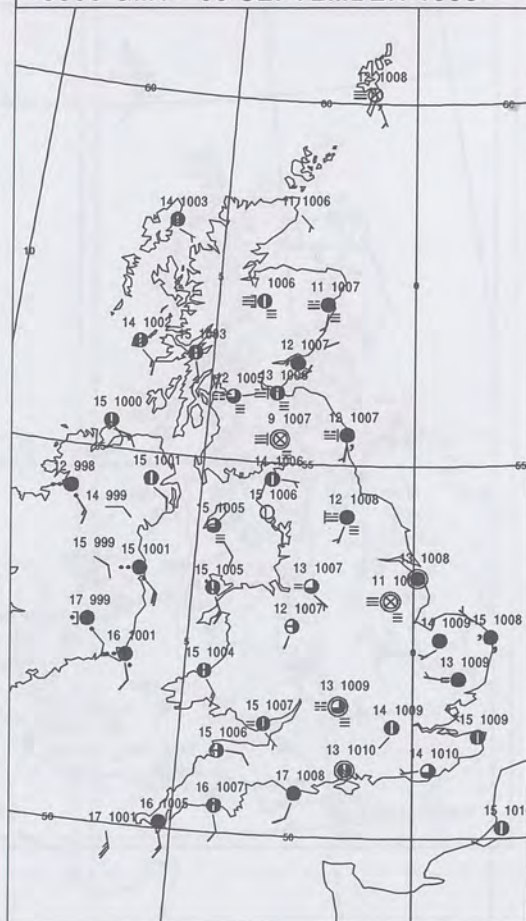
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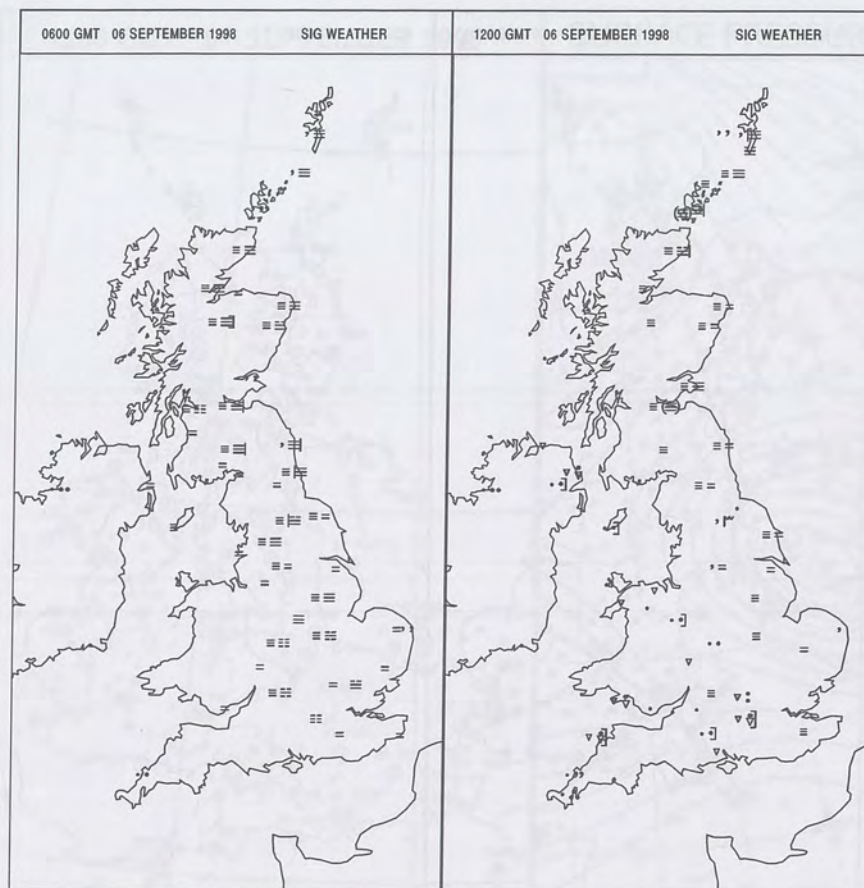
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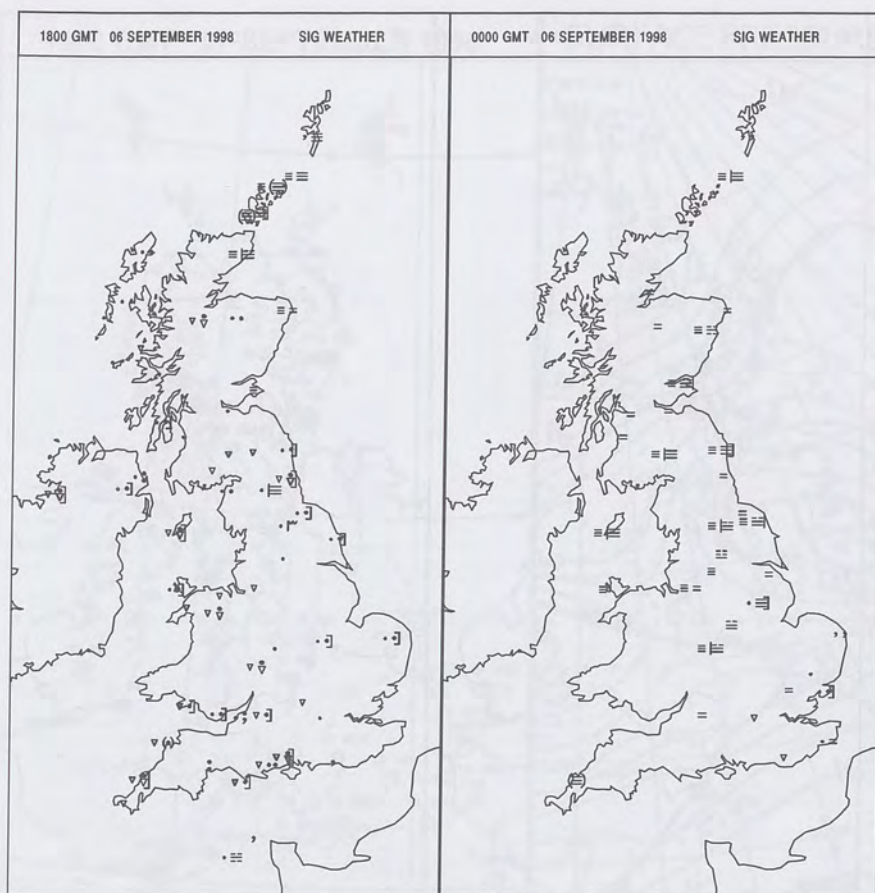
Summary of UK weather for Sunday 6th September 1998

Most places had a dry night. Fog formed fairly widely over central and eastern Britain with some dense patches in places. By the morning rain had spread into parts of Northern Ireland and SW Britain.

The fog cleared slowly during the morning and stayed dull and misty near some coasts of northeast England and eastern Scotland, Shetland had thick fog all day. Sunny intervals were the order of the day in most places.

Outbreaks of mostly light rain affected many western regions during the day and later some eastern parts. It was also quite windy in western areas.

Temperatures were mostly near normal, but very warm in sunnier parts of northern Scotland.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

26.0 Duartmore Bridge, Sutherland

Lowest Maximum:

12.4 Fair Isle, Shetland

Lowest Minimum:

0.5 Fylingdales, North Yorkshire

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-4.8 Grantown-On-Spey, Grampian, Moray (In Highland Region)

Most Rain:

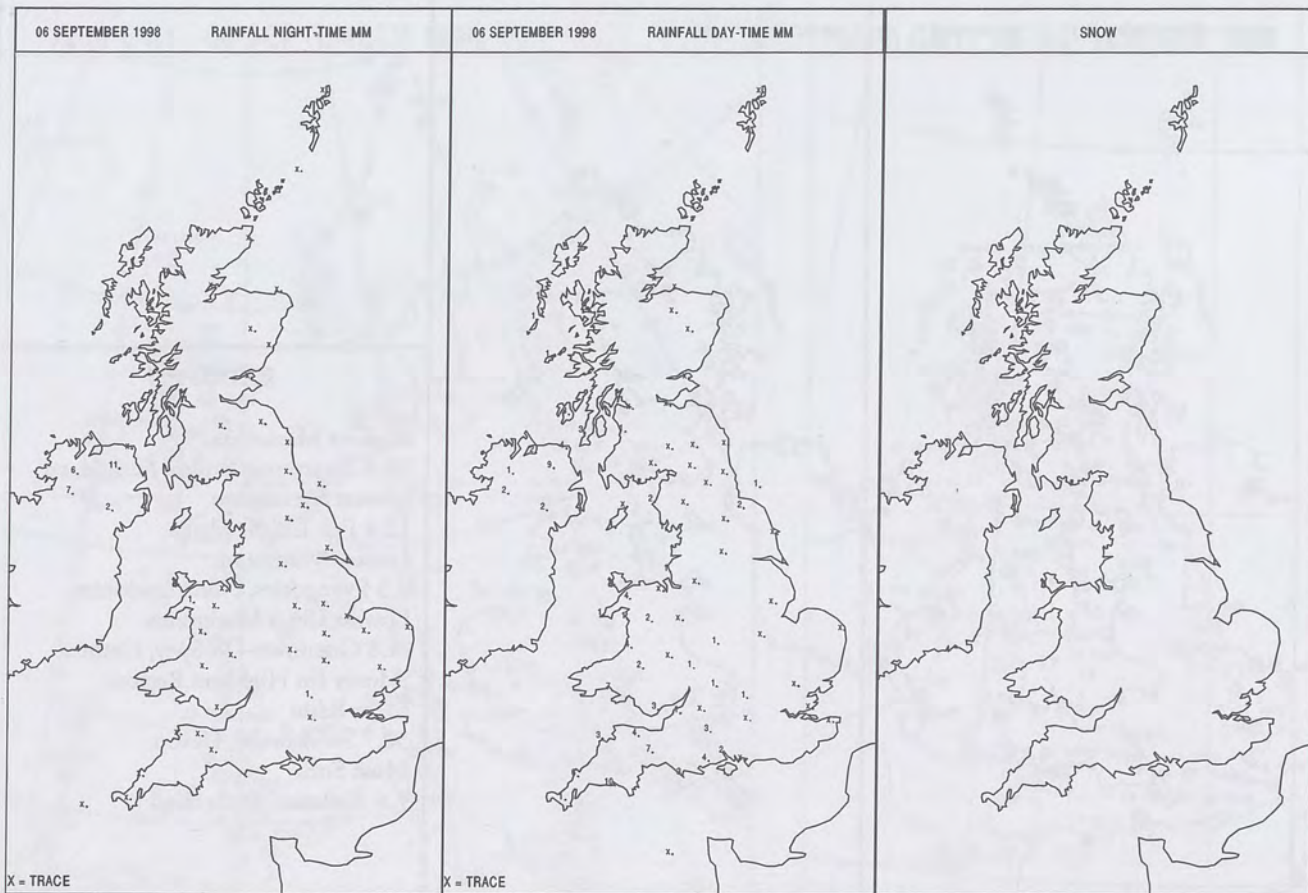
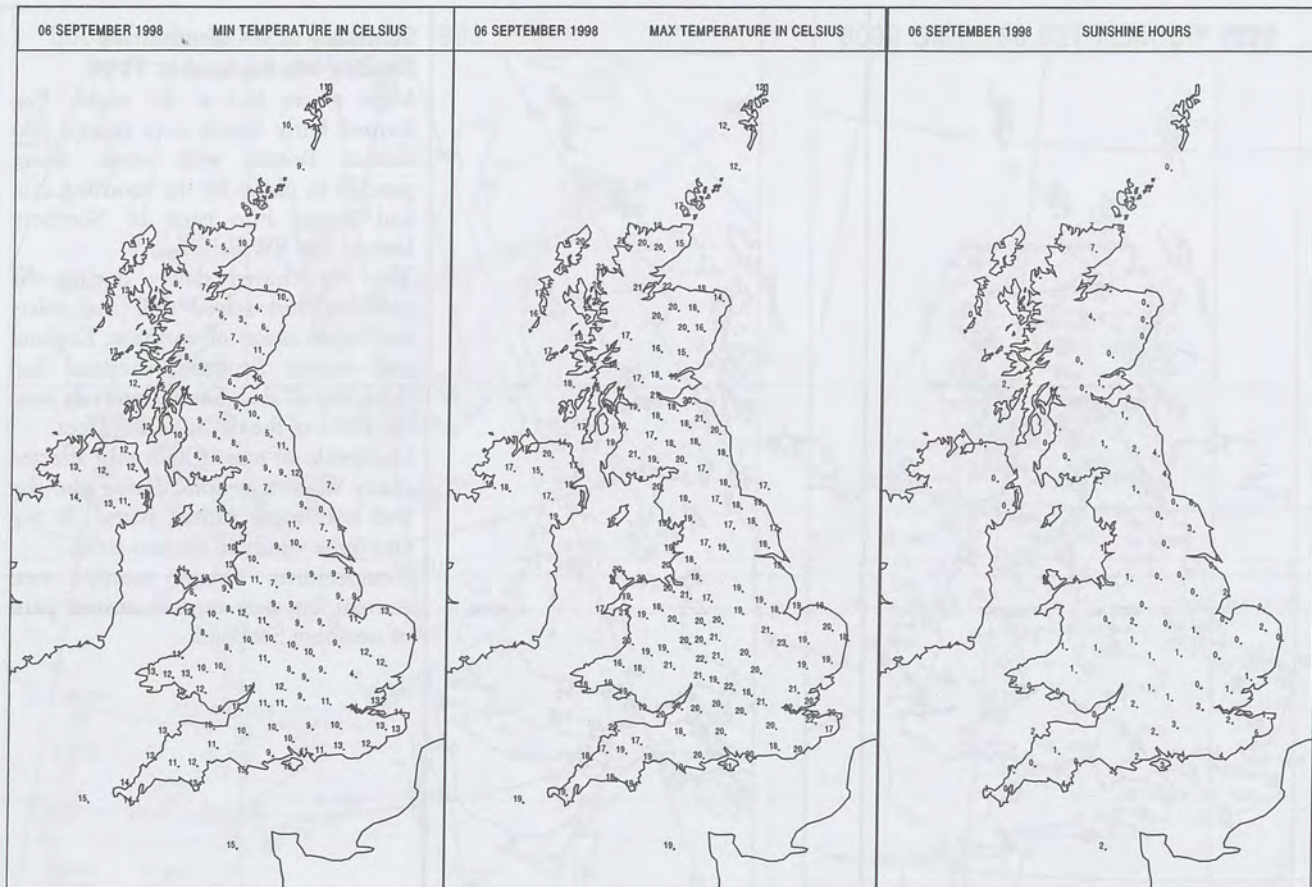
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Most Sun:

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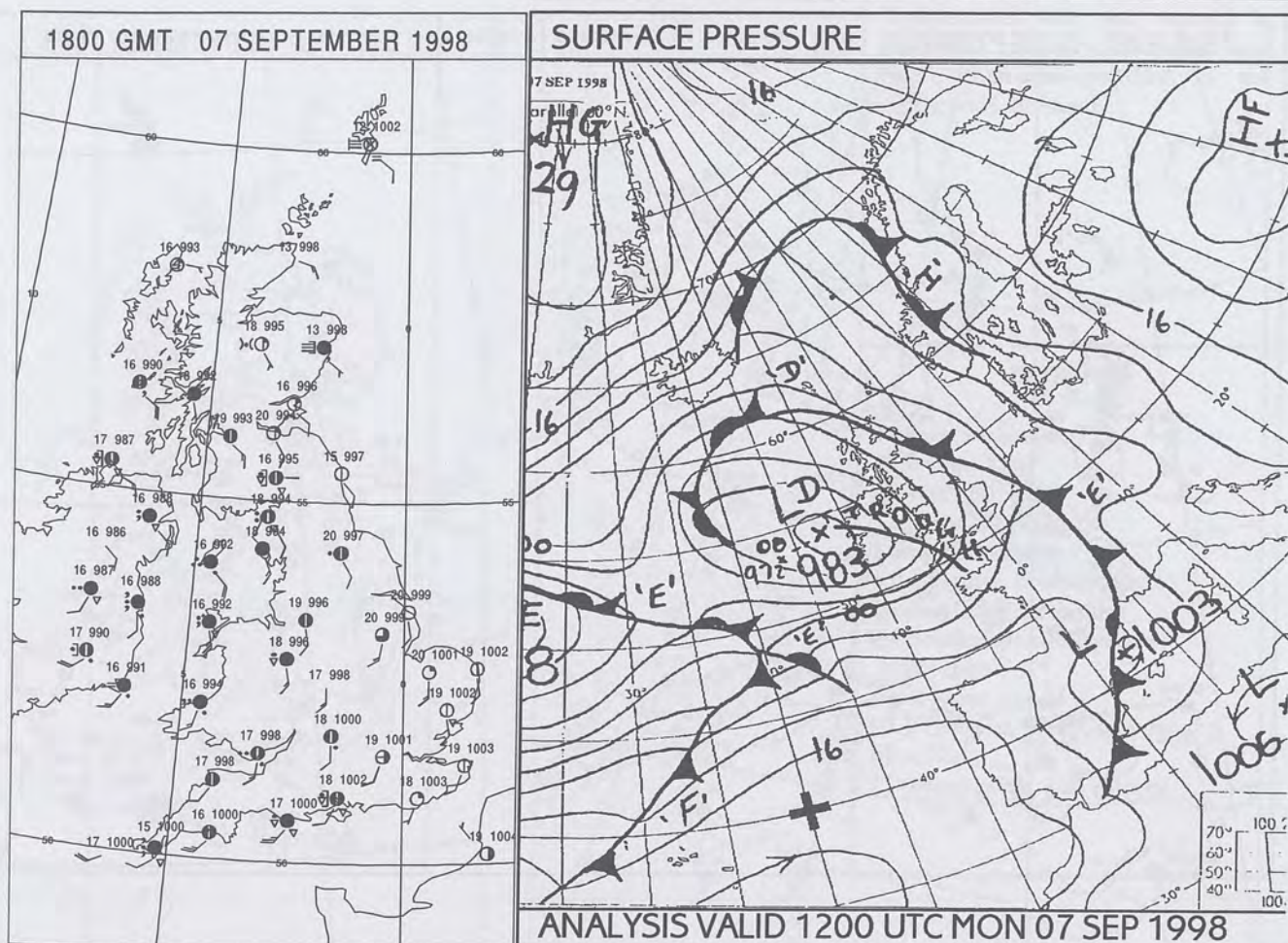
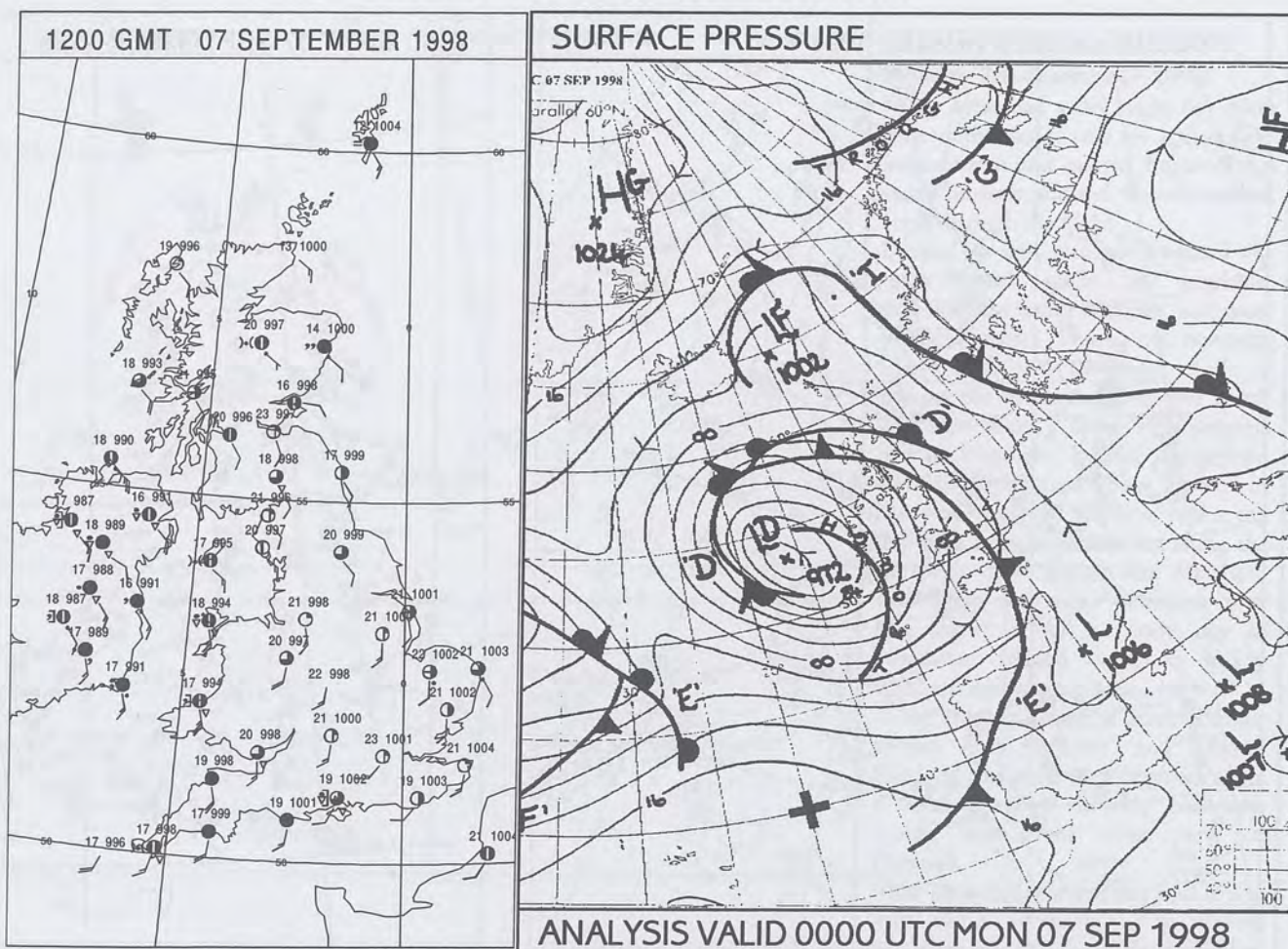
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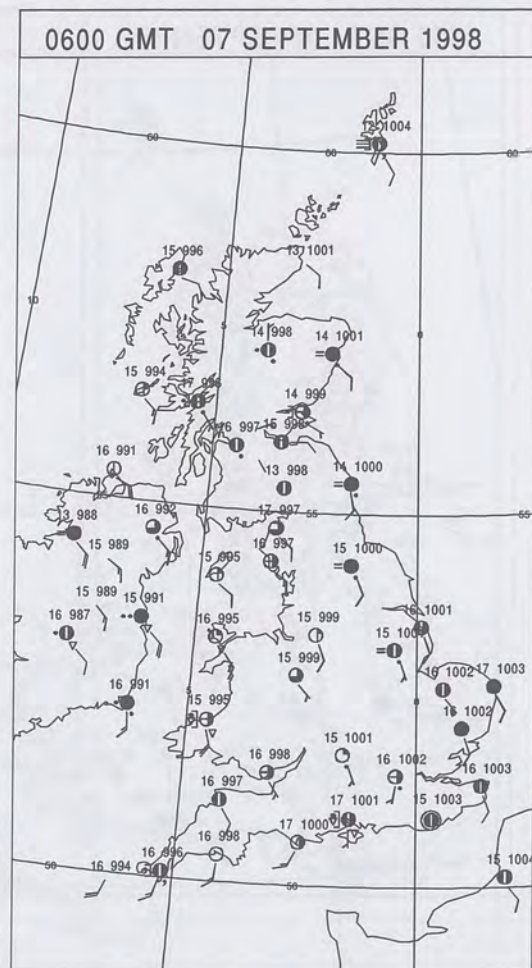
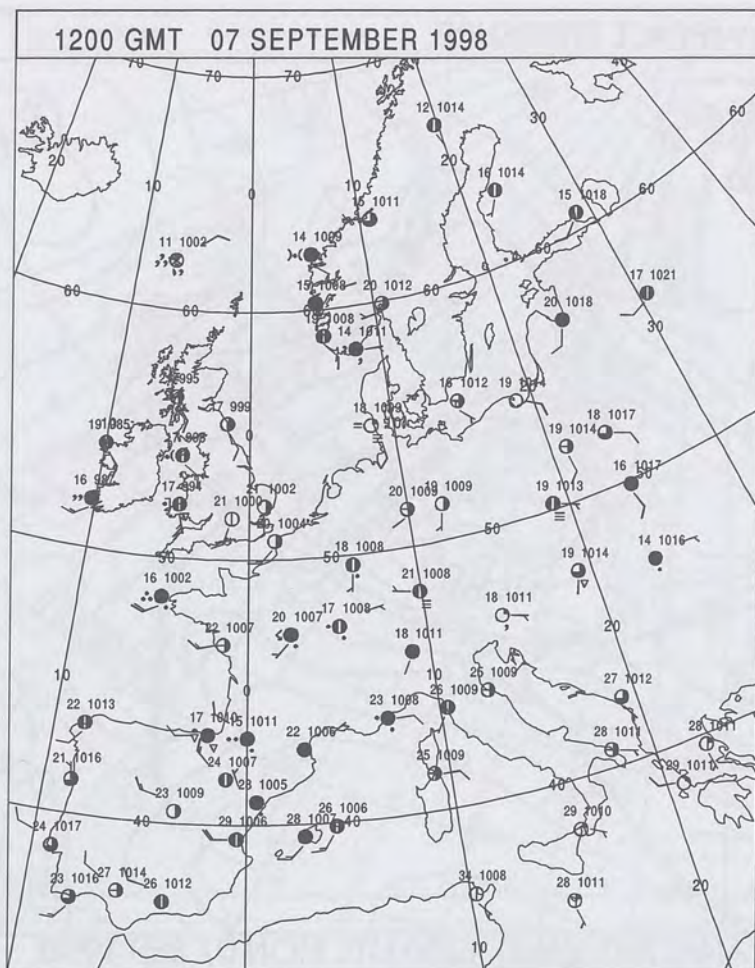
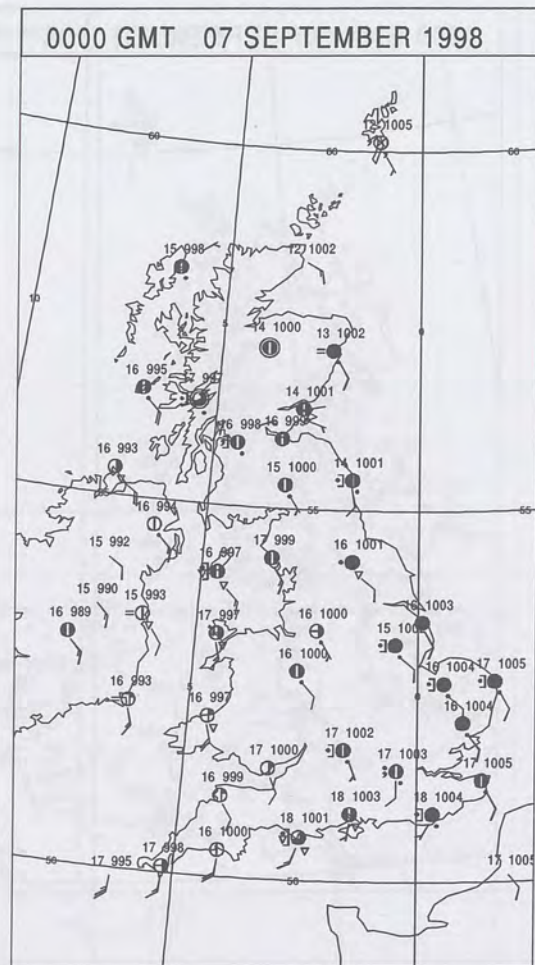
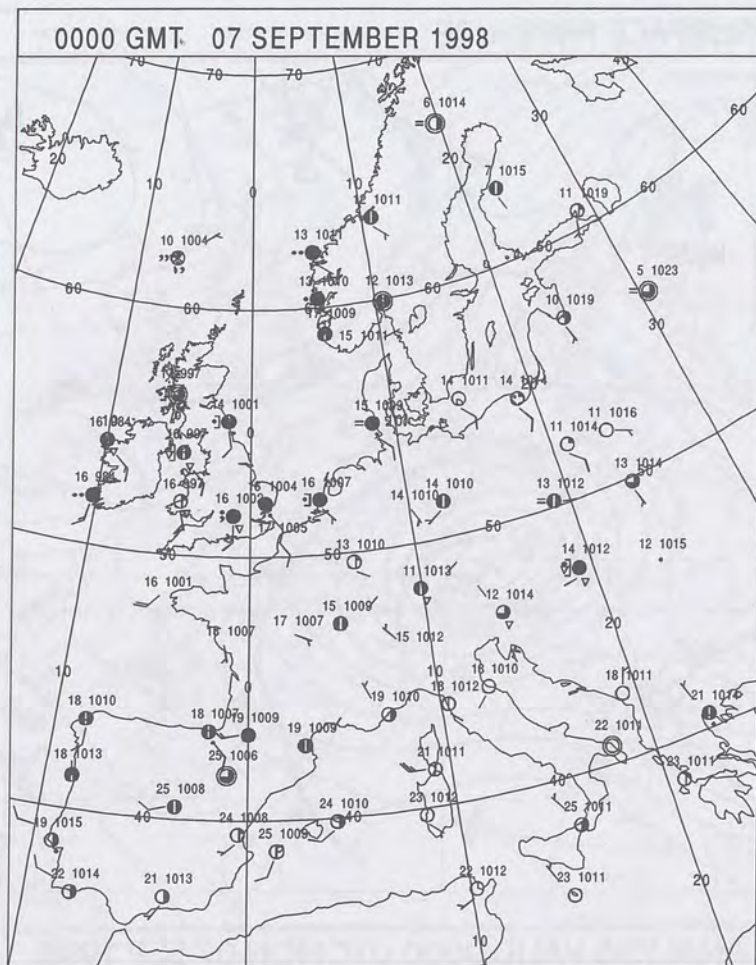
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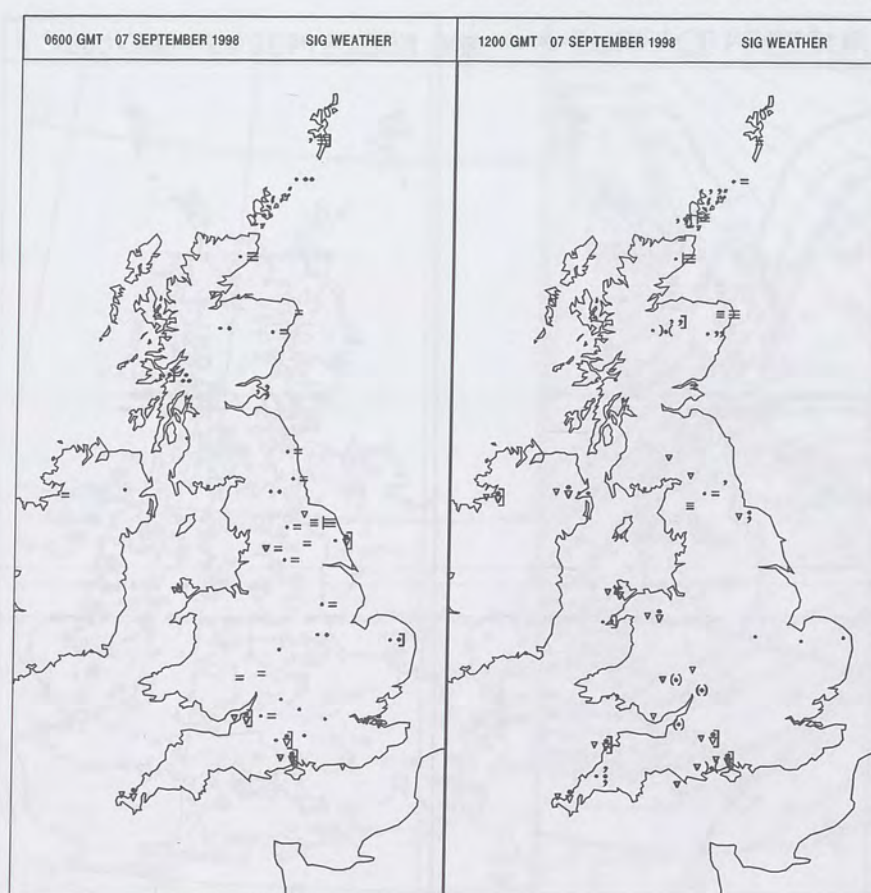


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Summary of UK weather for Monday 7th September 1998

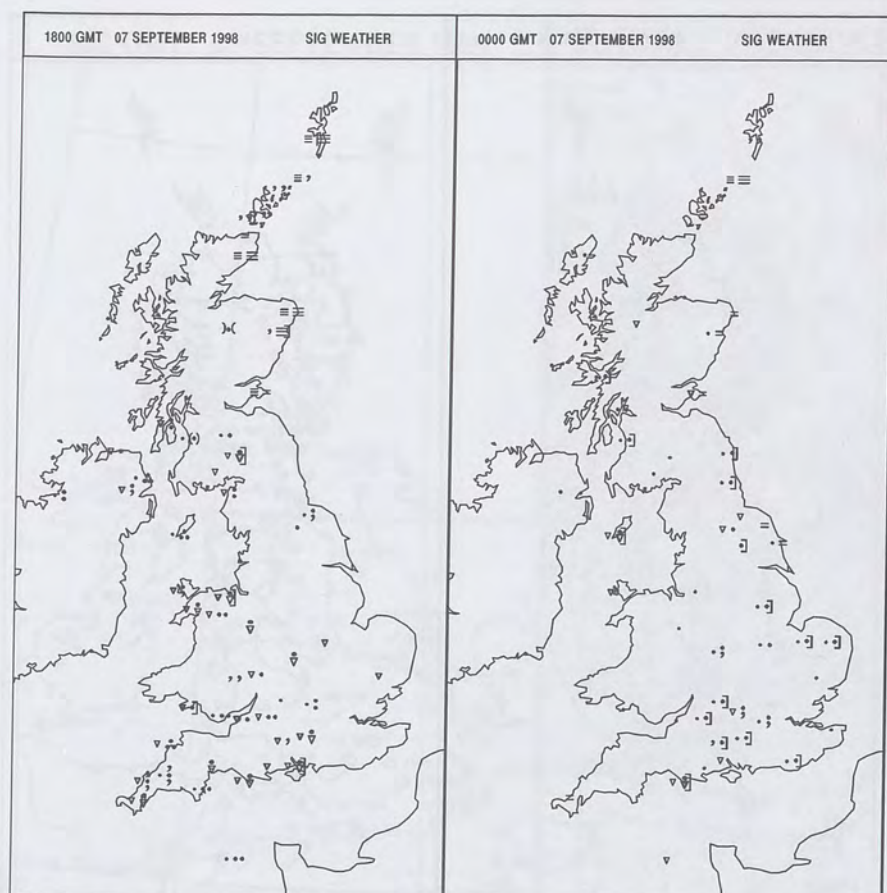
Many areas had a dry night but there were outbreaks of rain for a time over southeastern and eastern England and some showers affected western coastal areas through the night.

During the day, much of England saw some good spells of sunshine, especially the south and east, and most places were dry. There were, however, frequent showers or longer spells of rain in the southwest and over south and west Wales. There were showers too in Northern Ireland throughout the day. Apart from some showers in the west, much of Scotland had a dry day with some sunshine but along the northeast coast and in the Northern Isles there was some persistent mist and fog. It was a windy day in Northern Ireland and in many northern and western areas.

In the evening, a spell of persistent rain moved into western and central Scotland and northwest England while a band of more showery outbreaks spread east across other parts of England.

Most areas had a warm day and it was very warm in parts of northwest Scotland and north Wales.

Temperatures were near normal in Northern Ireland and rather cool where the mist persisted in the northeast of Scotland.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

25.8 Wye, Kent

Lowest Maximum:

12.6 Fair Isle, Shetland

Lowest Minimum:

5.4 Kiltarlity, Inverness-Shire

Lowest Grass Minimum:

0.0 Southampton, Mayflower
, Hampshire

Most Rain:

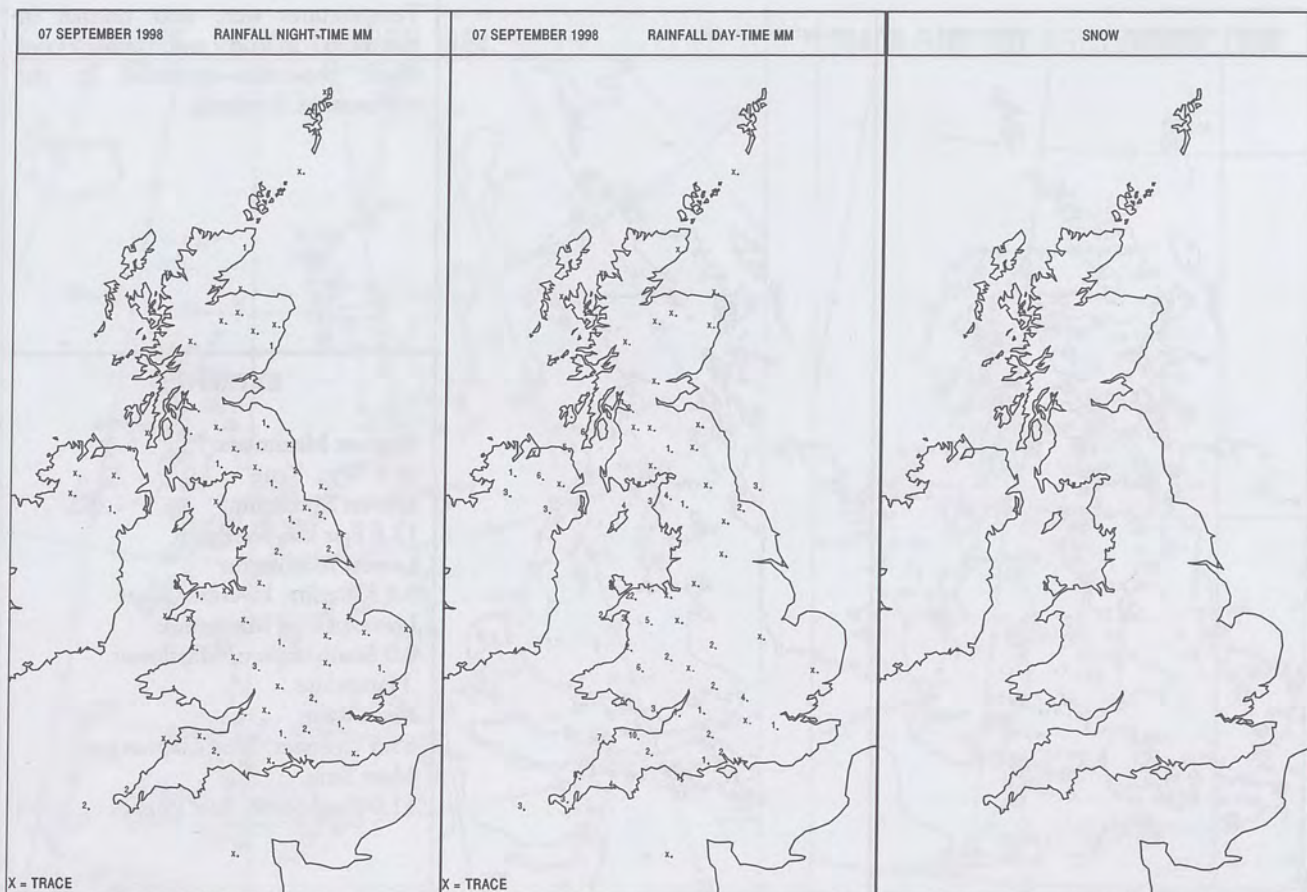
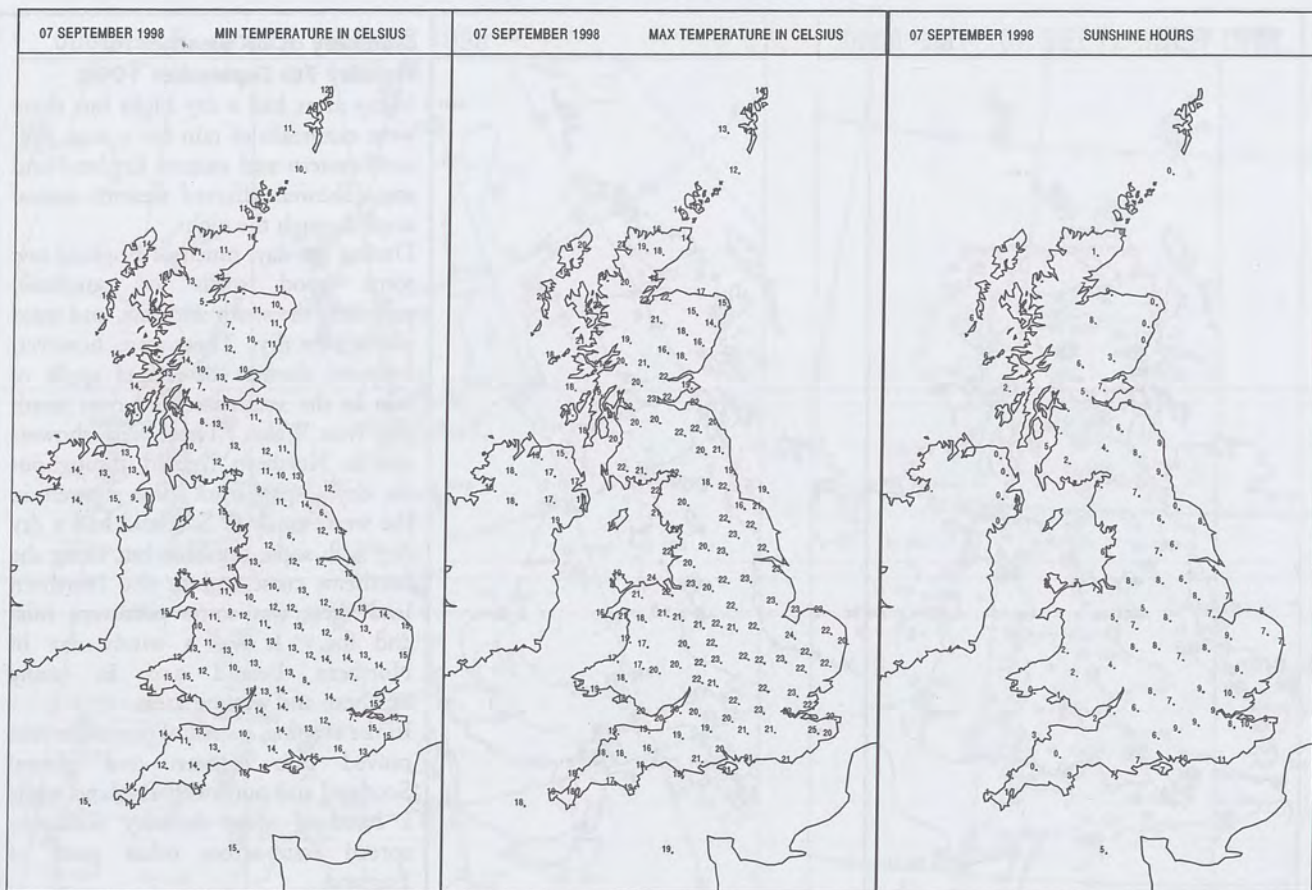
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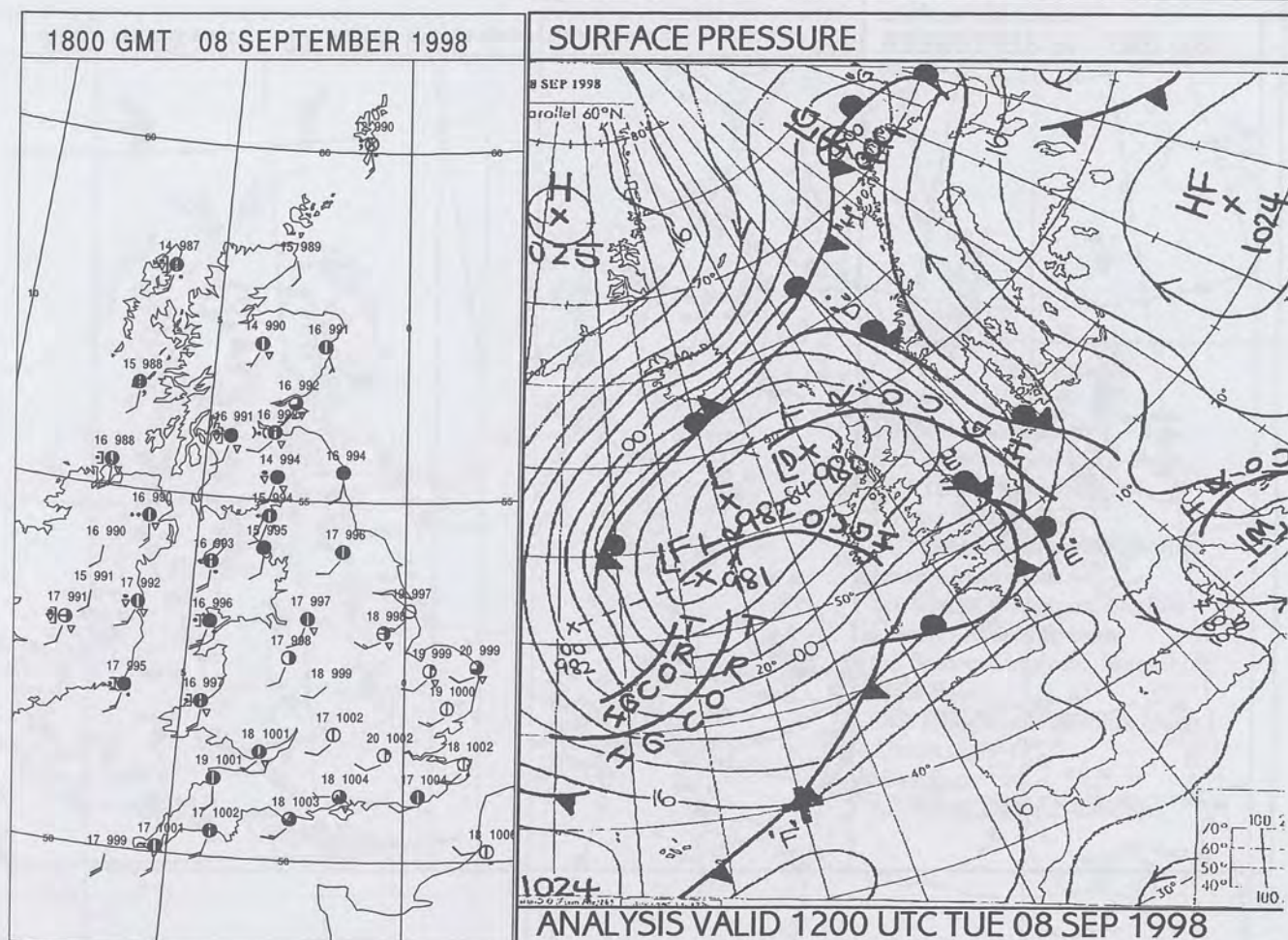
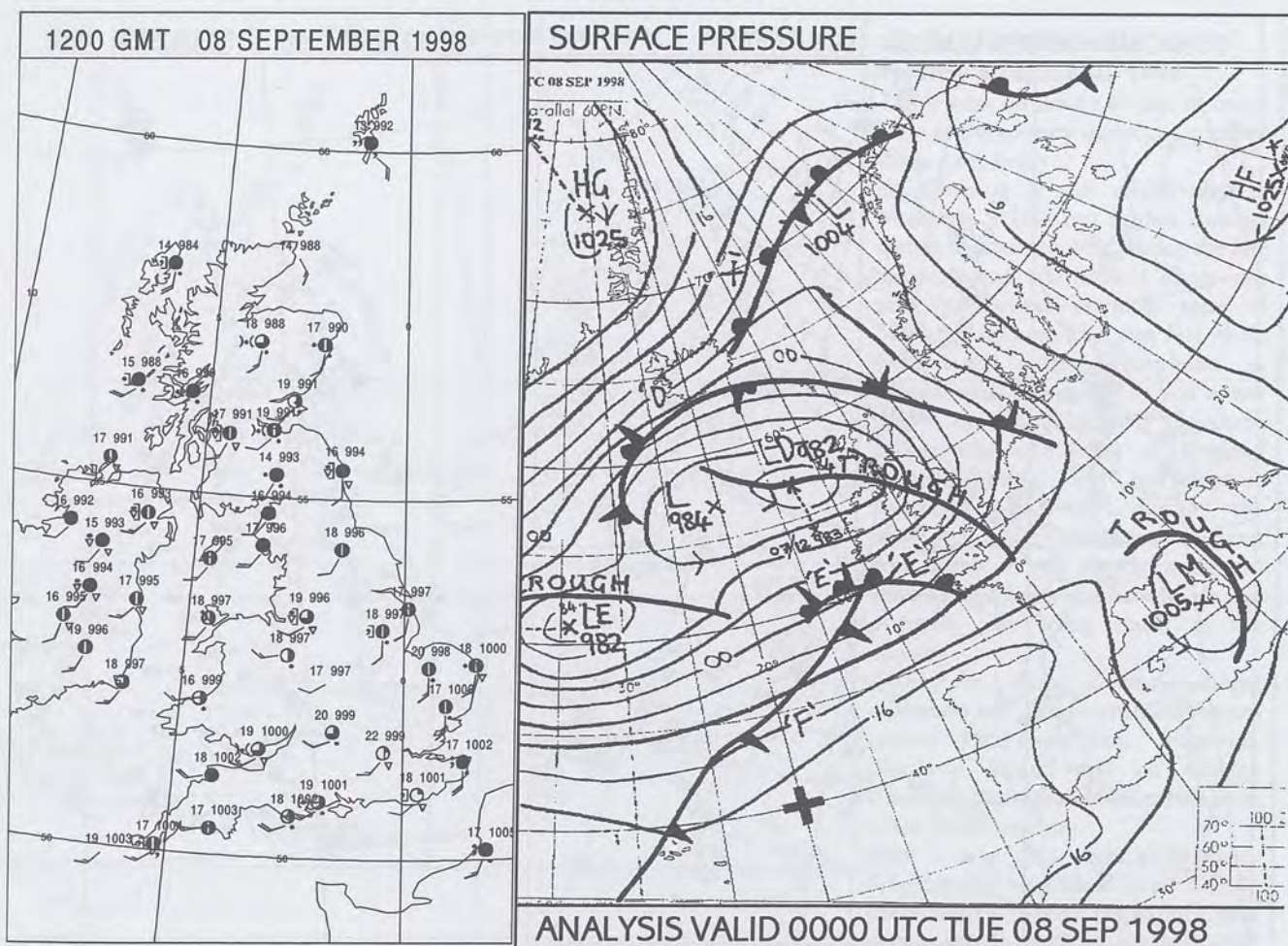
11.0 Eastbourne, East Sussex

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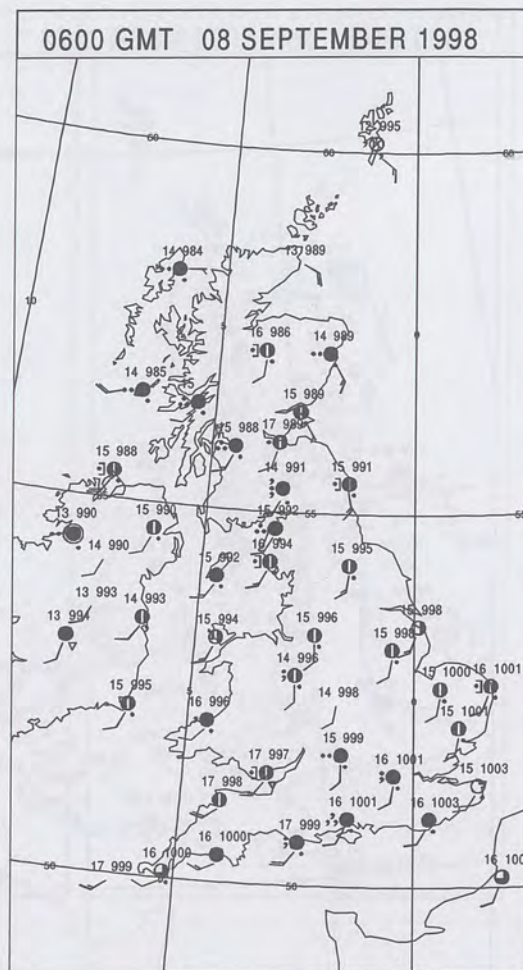
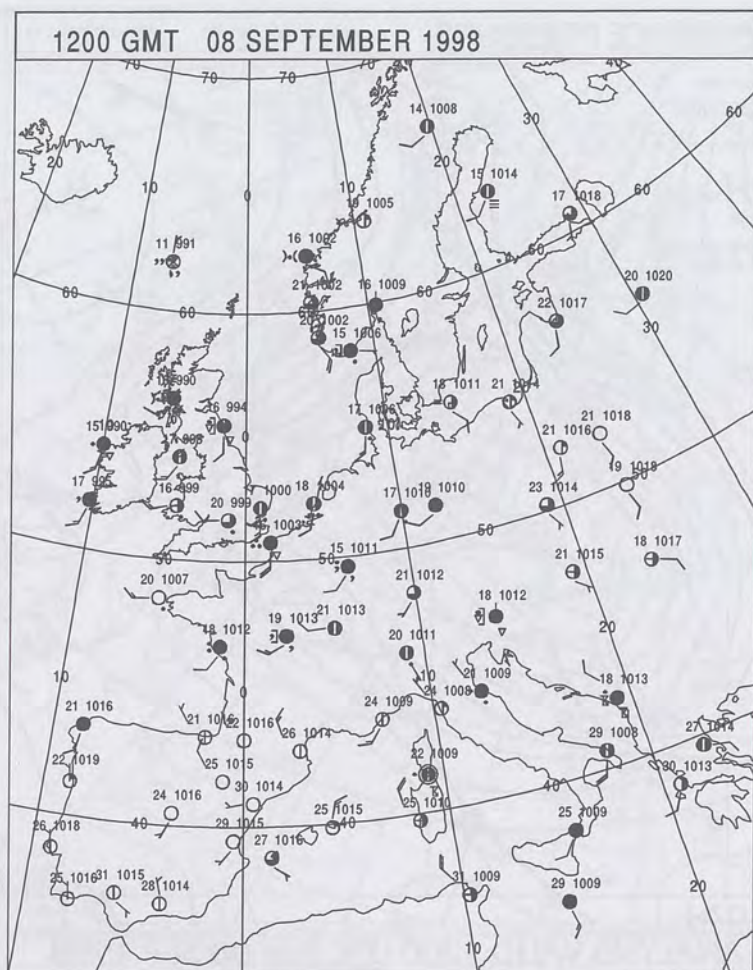
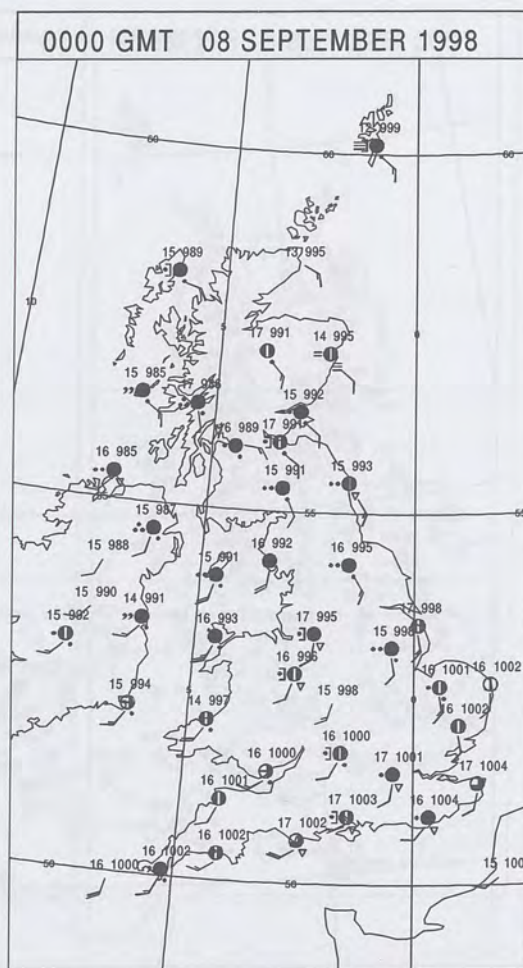
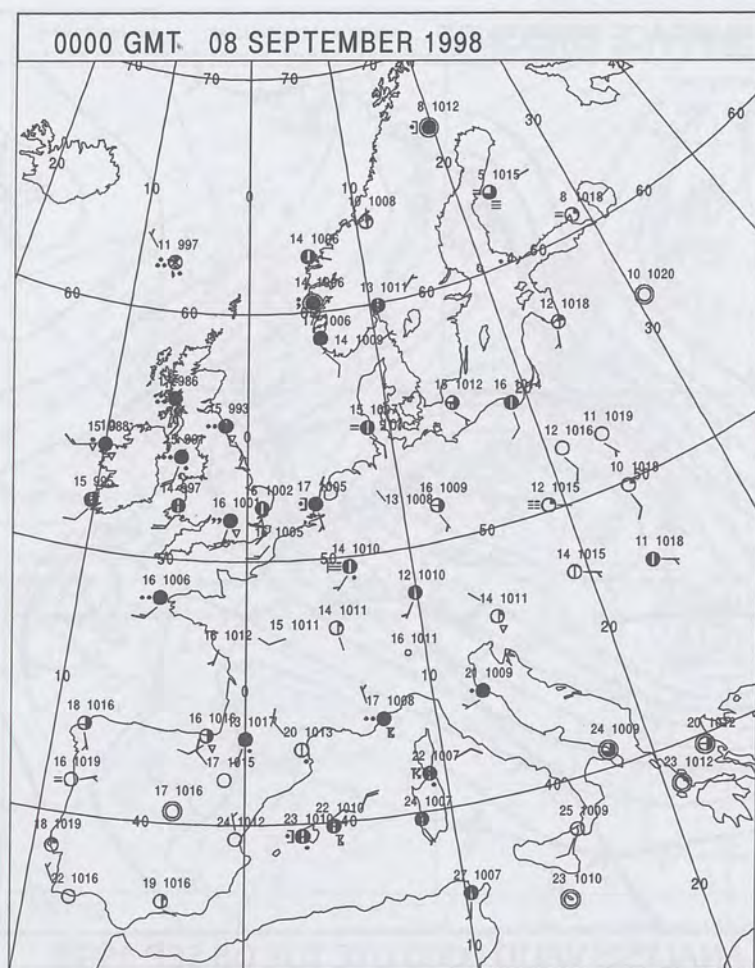


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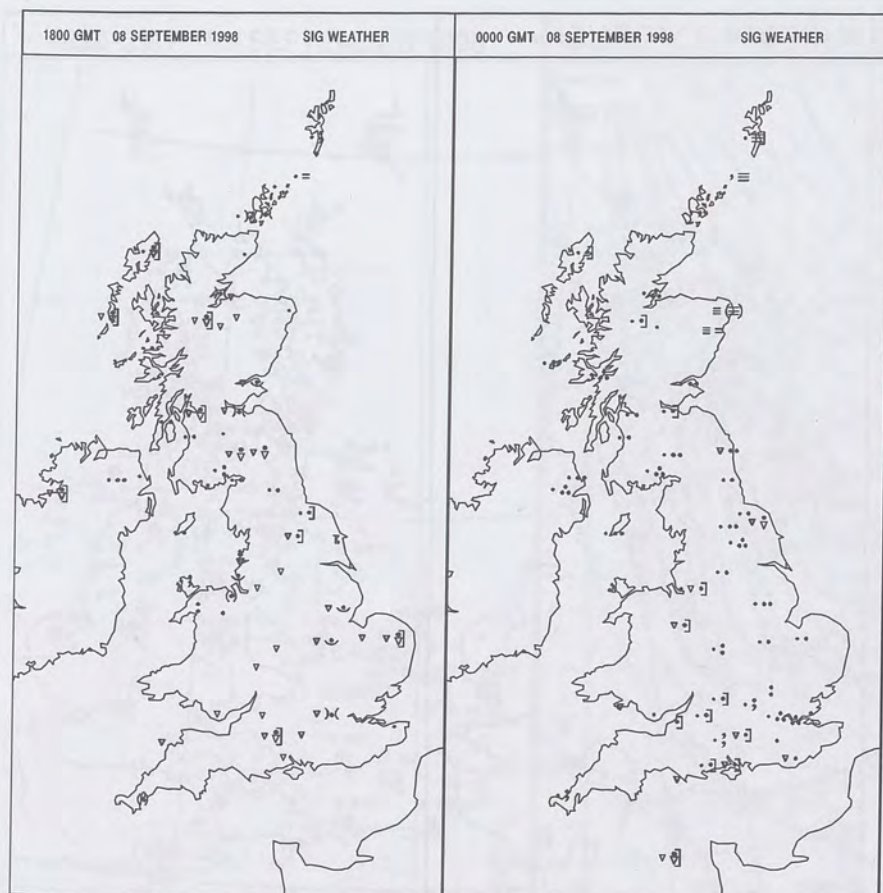
Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 8 September 1998

There were outbreaks of rain in many areas of the country overnight, some of them quite heavy.

By morning it was mostly dry in Northern Ireland but further showers spread in from the west during the late morning and afternoon. There was rain or showers in most areas of Scotland through the day but there were some brighter interludes in eastern areas especially. It was a wet day in the Northern Isles. Southern and southeastern areas of England started wet but drier and brighter weather spread in during the afternoon. Elsewhere across England and Wales it was mostly a day of showers and brighter intervals. It was a breezy day across much of the country.

During the evening, showers or longer outbreaks of rain continued across central and southern Scotland, Northern Ireland and on western coasts of England and Wales but most other places were dry.

After a very mild night everywhere, temperatures were close to or a little above normal in most places but it was very warm in parts of northern and northeast Scotland.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

23.5 Inverness, Inverness-Shire

23.5 Hull, Humberside

Lowest Maximum:

11.1 Glenlee, Kirkcudbrightshire

Lowest Minimum:

5.1 Santon Downham, Norfolk

Lowest Grass Minimum:

0.8 Preston Montford, Shropshire

Most Rain:

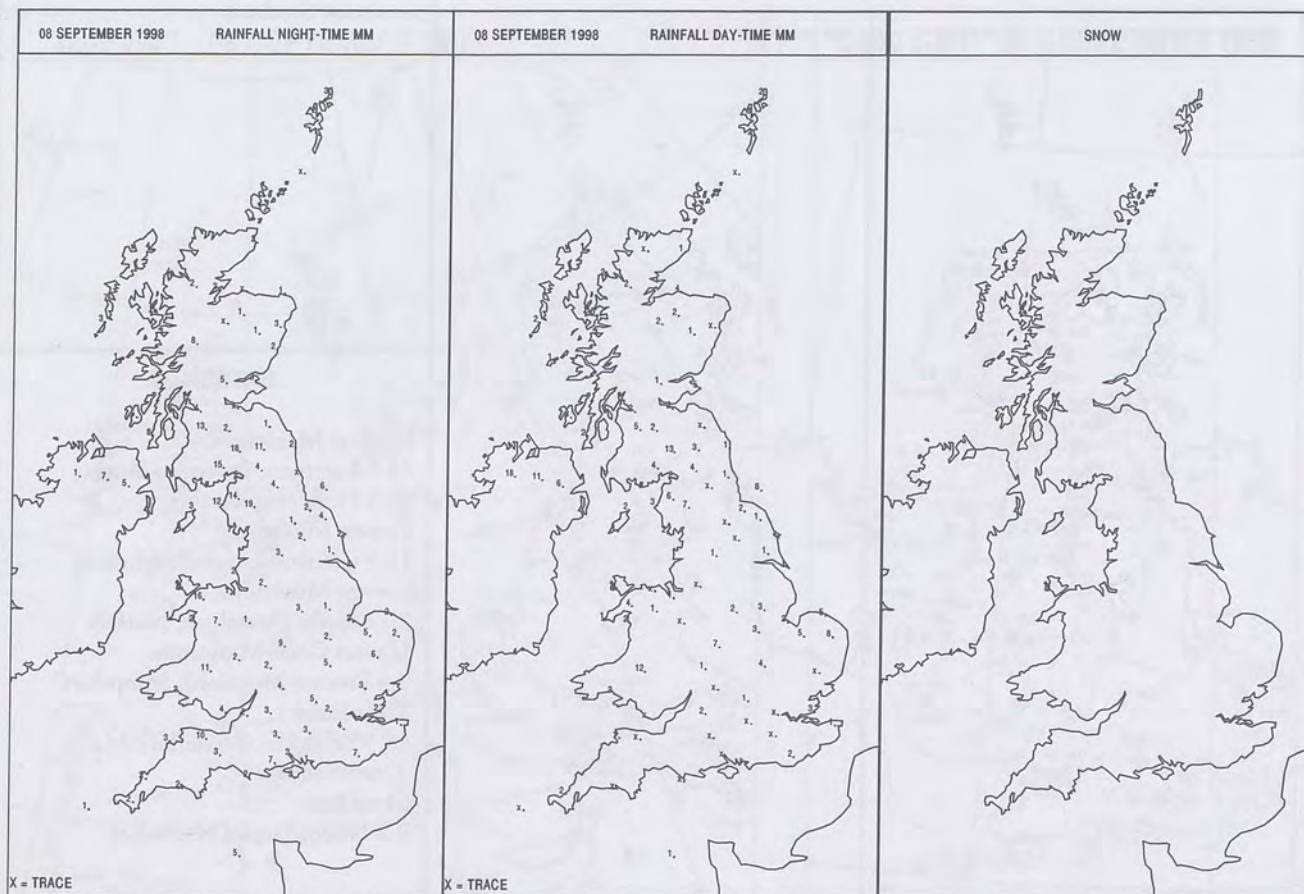
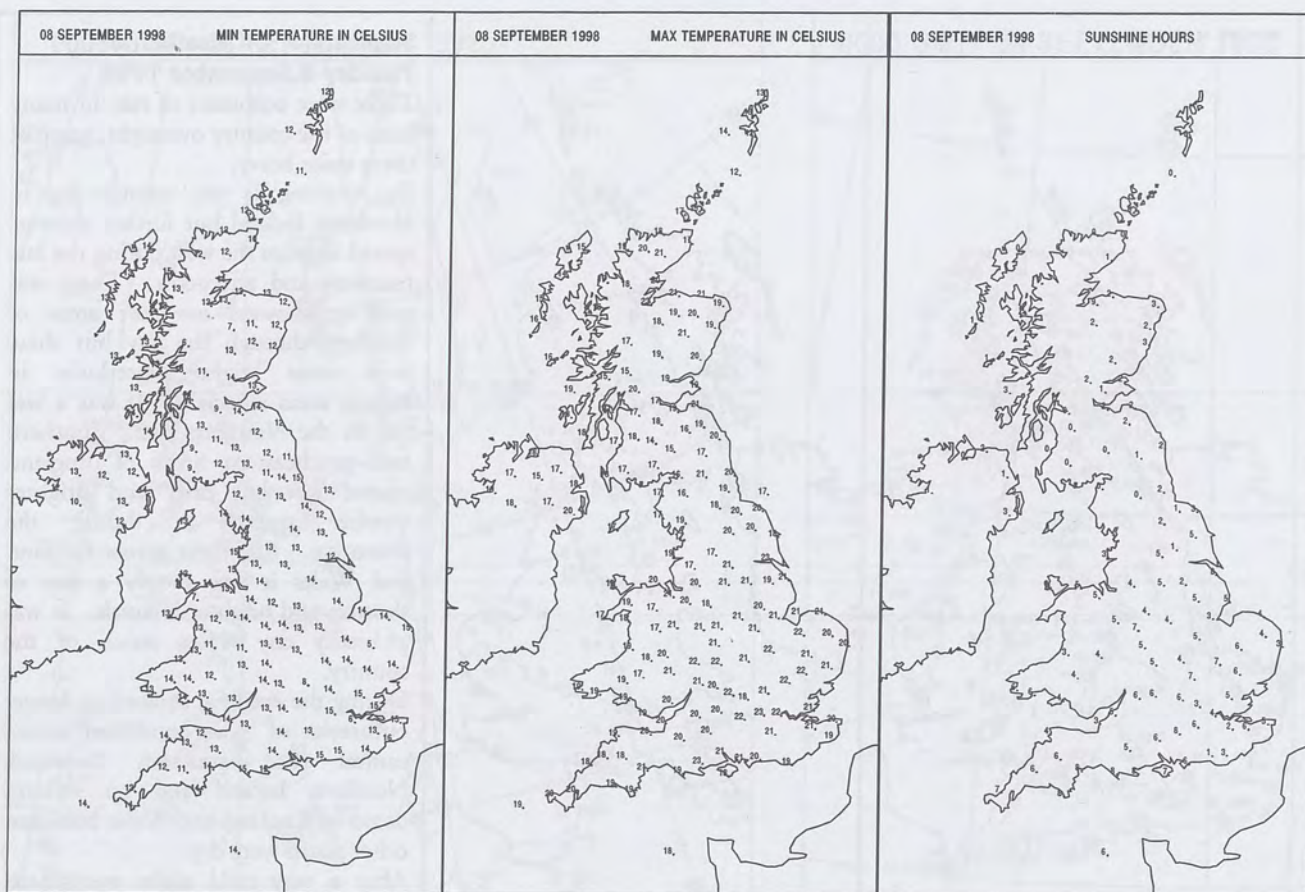
48.3 Bentpath, Westerkirk Mains, Dumfriesshire

Most Sun:

9.2 Nairn, Druim, Nairnshire

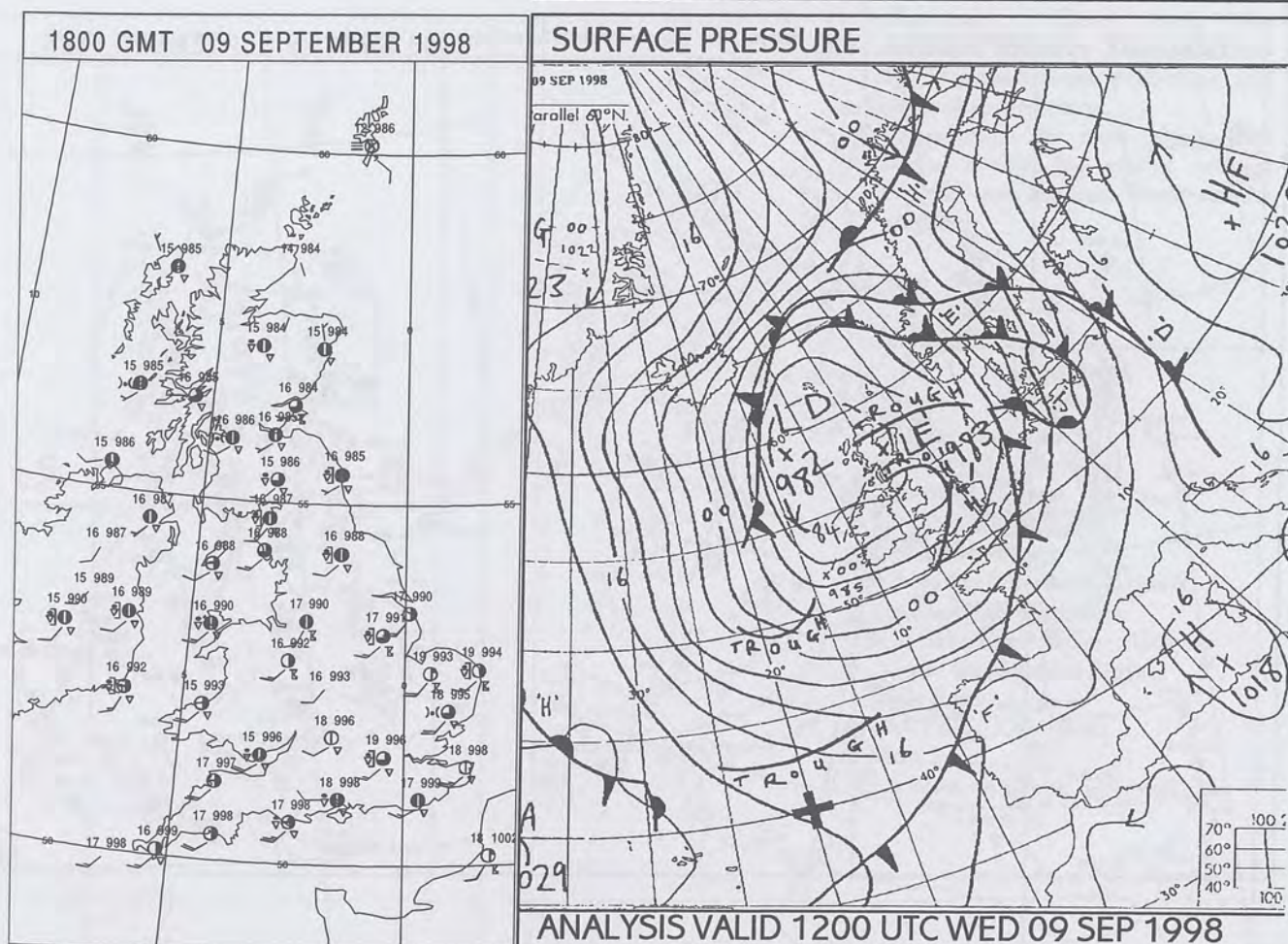
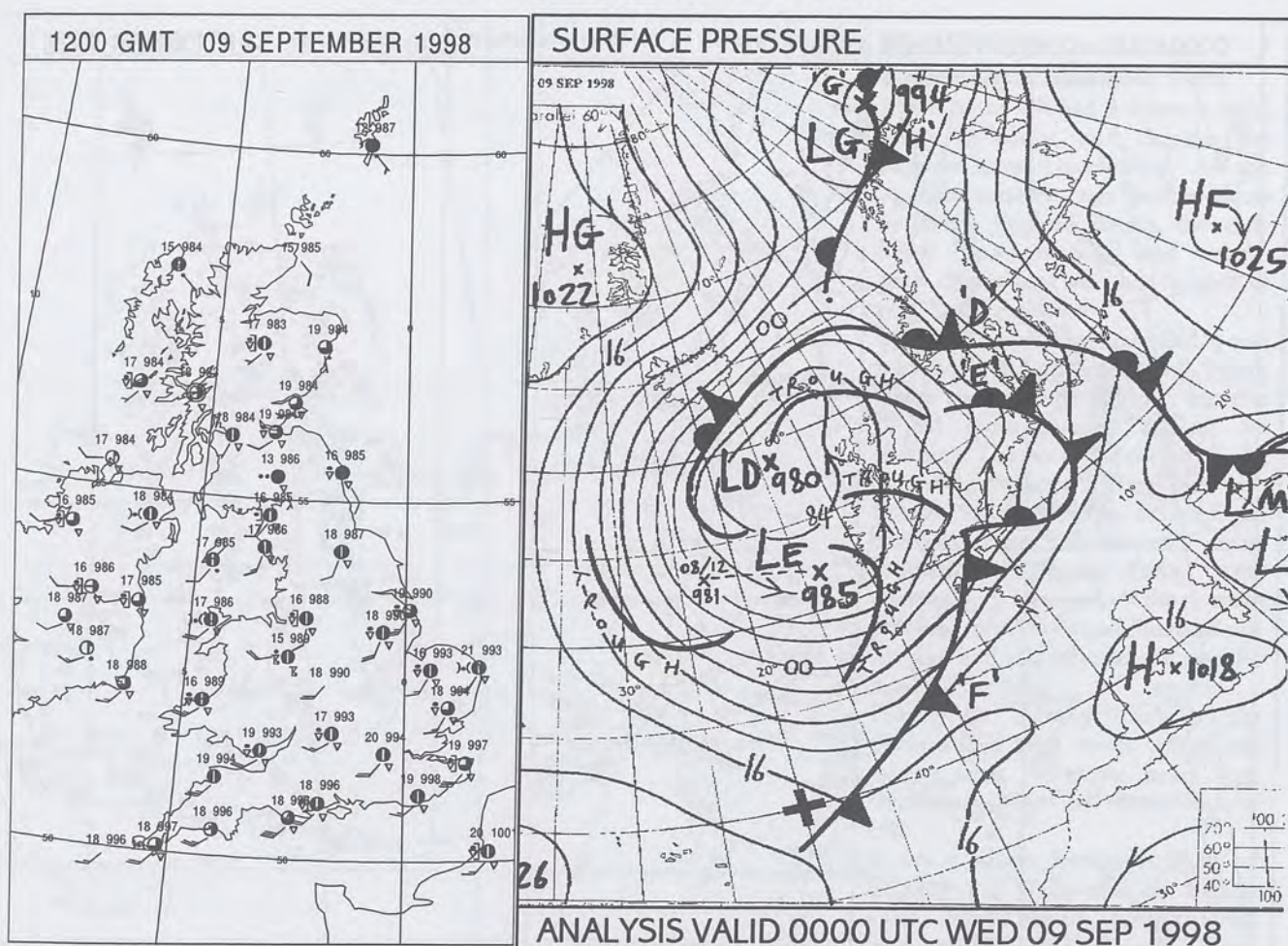
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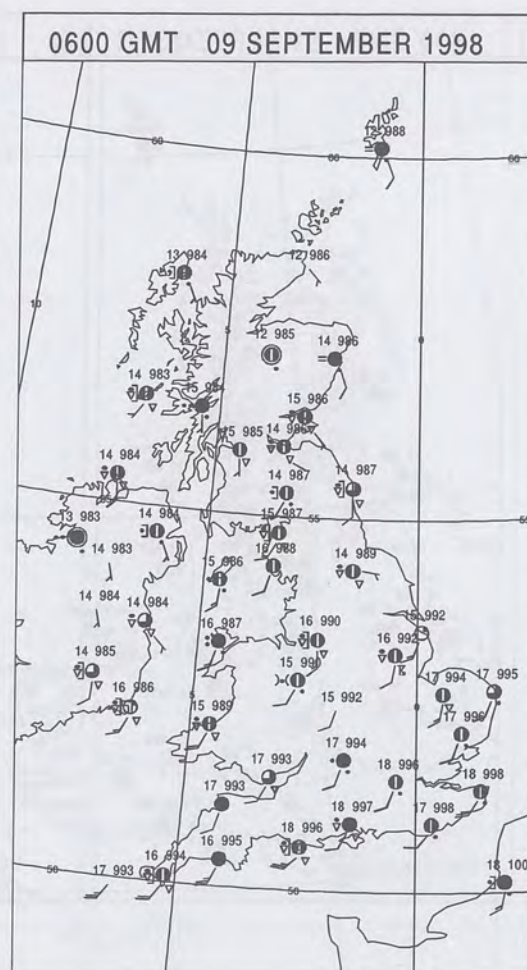
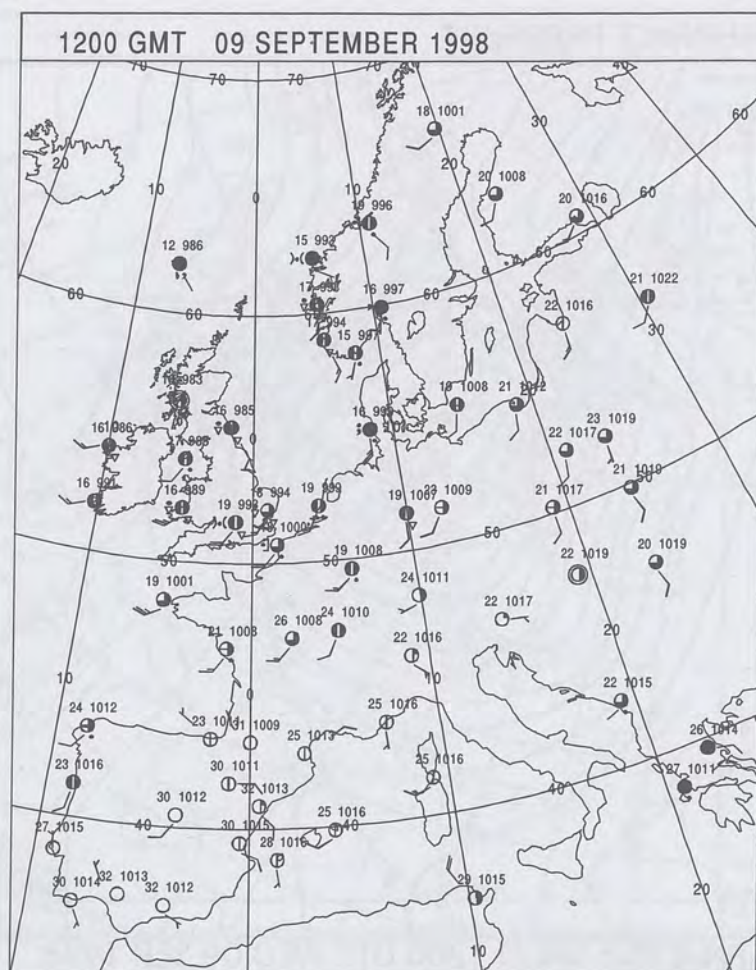
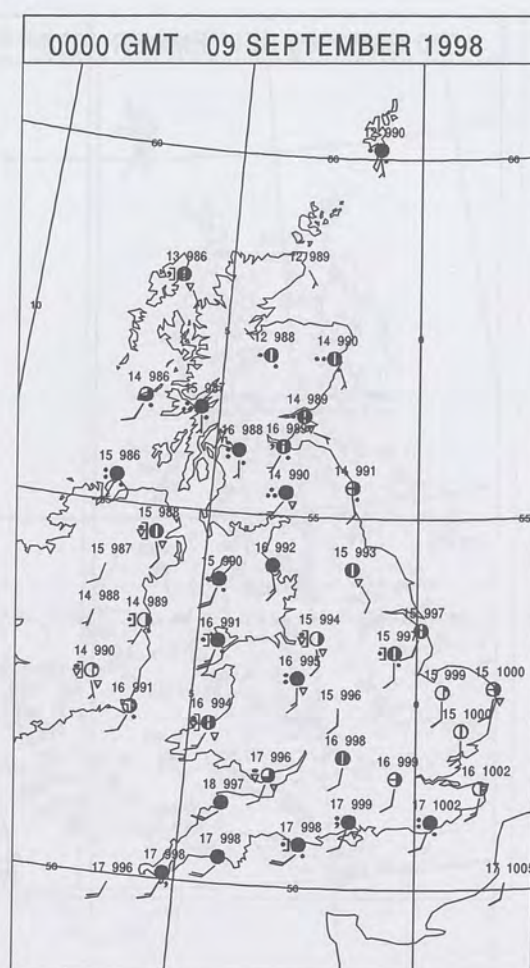
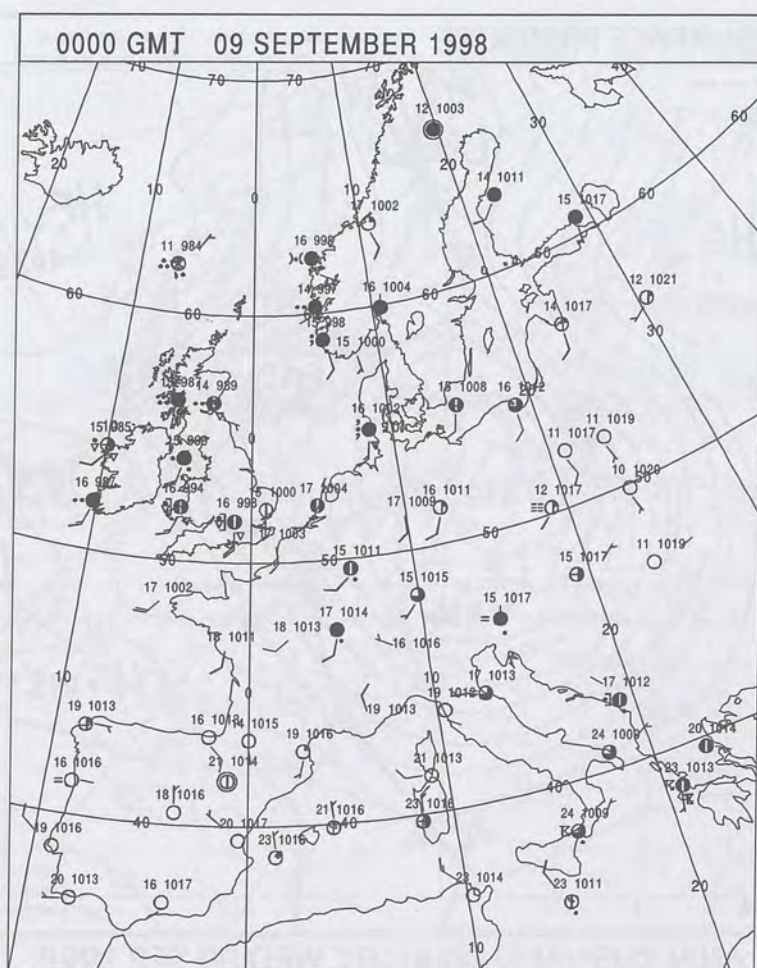
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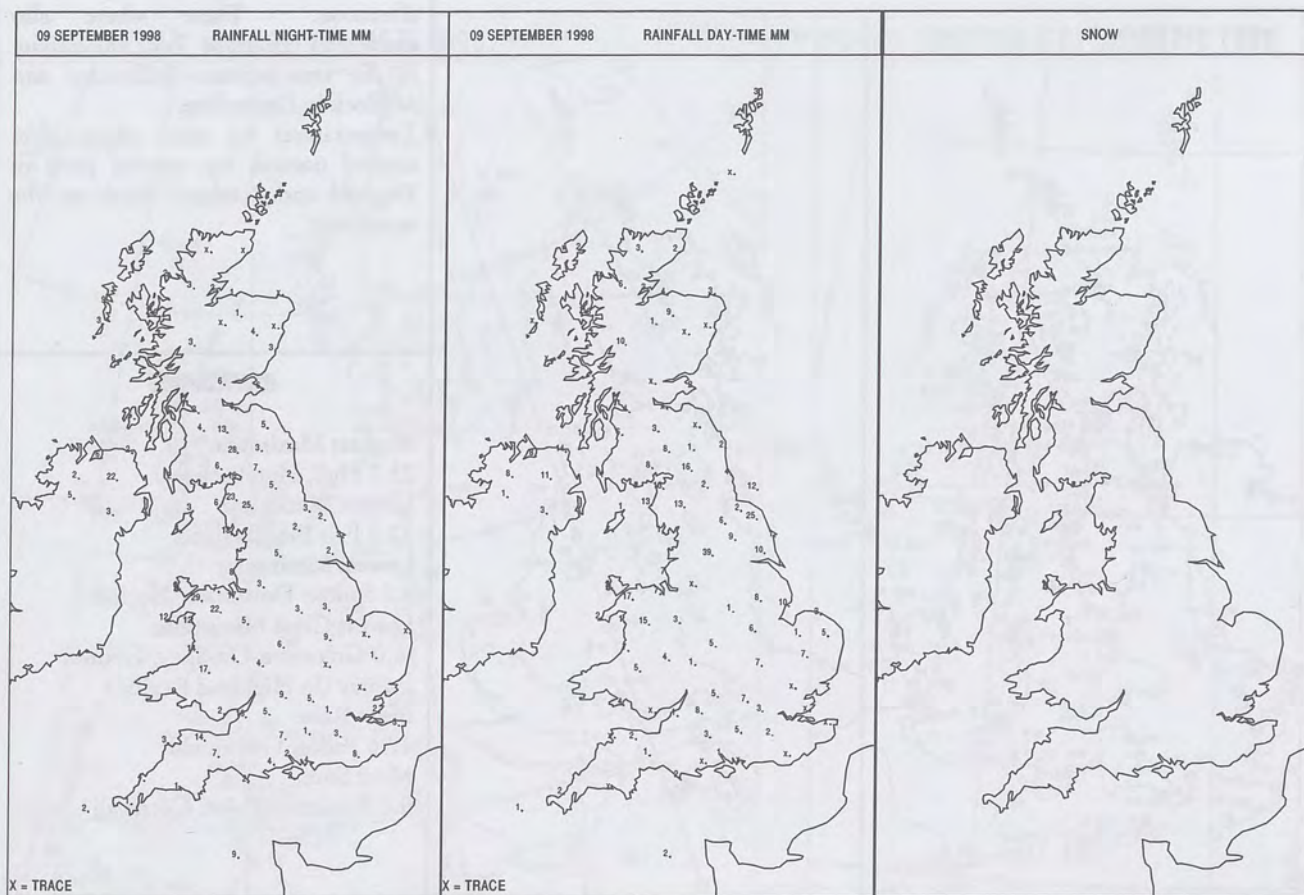
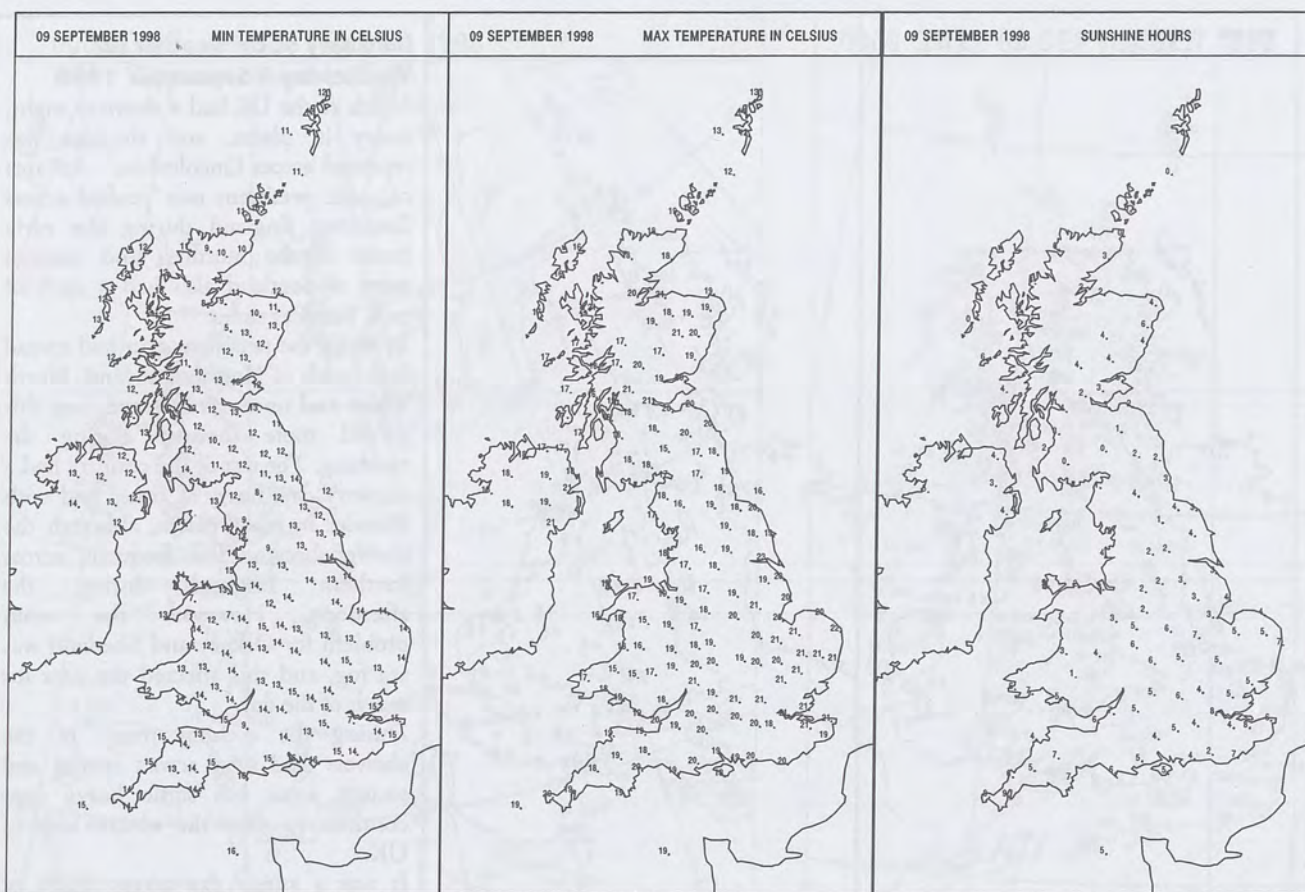


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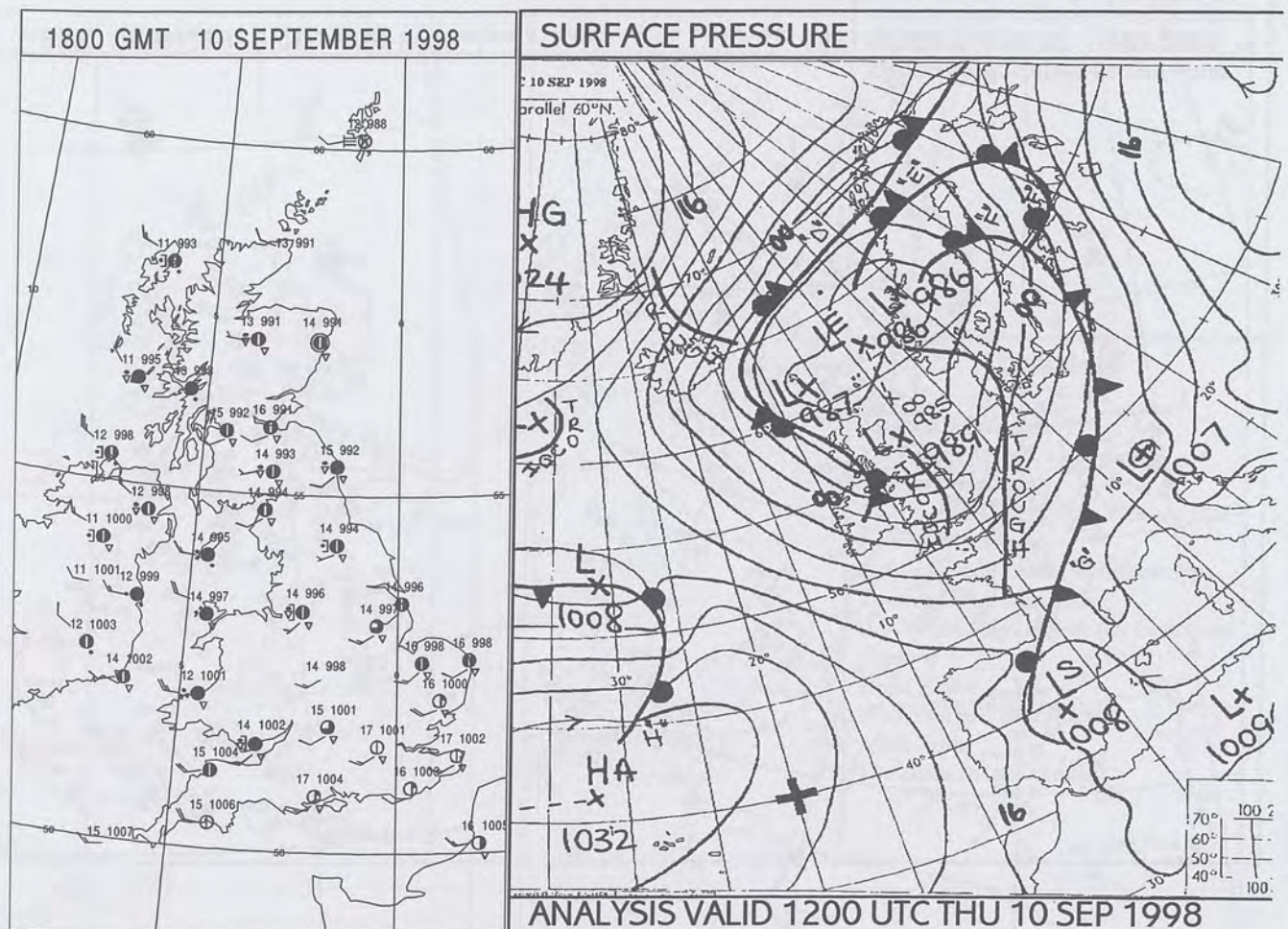
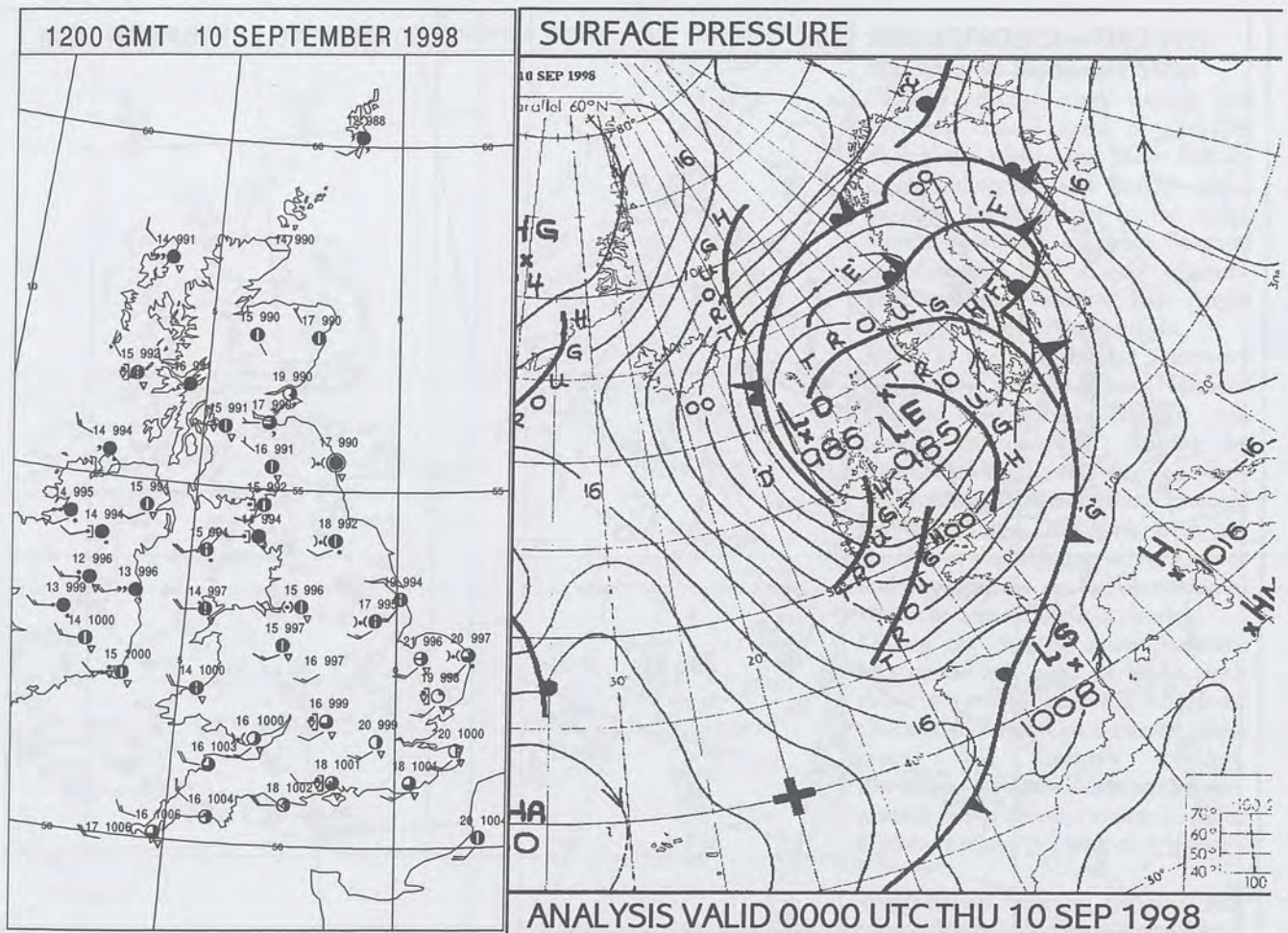
0600 GMT 09 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 09 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 9 September 1998</p> <p>Much of the UK had a showery night, heavy in places, and thunder was reported across Lincolnshire. An area of more persistent rain pushed across Southeast England during the early hours of the morning and western parts of Scotland also had a spell of rain, heavy at times.</p> <p>By dawn the persistent rain had spread into much of Northern Ireland, North Wales and northern England, but this turned more showery during the morning. The rest of the country had a showery day, heavy at times and with thunder in many places, although the shower became less frequent across southern England during the afternoon. However, the main problem for Orkney and Shetland was sea fog, and this affected the area for much of the day.</p> <p>During the evening many of the showers died away across central and eastern areas, but some heavy ones continue to affect the western side of UK.</p> <p>It was a windy day across much of England and Wales with the highest gusts, around 55mph, being reported over southern England early in the afternoon. There were also confirmed reports of Tornado activity in the area between Ashbourne and Matlock in Derbyshire.</p> <p>Temperatures for most places were around normal, but eastern parts of England and Scotland were on the warm side.</p>
1800 GMT 09 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 09 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 23.2 Hull, Humberside</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 12.5 Fair Isle, Shetland</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: 5.1 Santon Downham, Norfolk</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -1.0 Grantown-On-Spey, Grampian, Moray (In Highland Region)</p> <p>Most Rain: 47.6 Padog, Gwynnedd</p> <p>Most Sun: 9.6 Pendennis Point, Cornwall</p>

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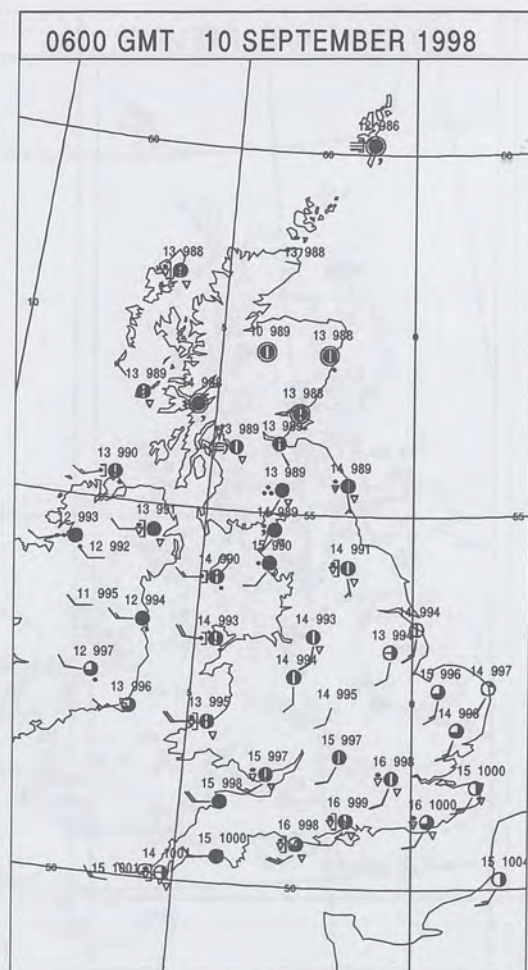
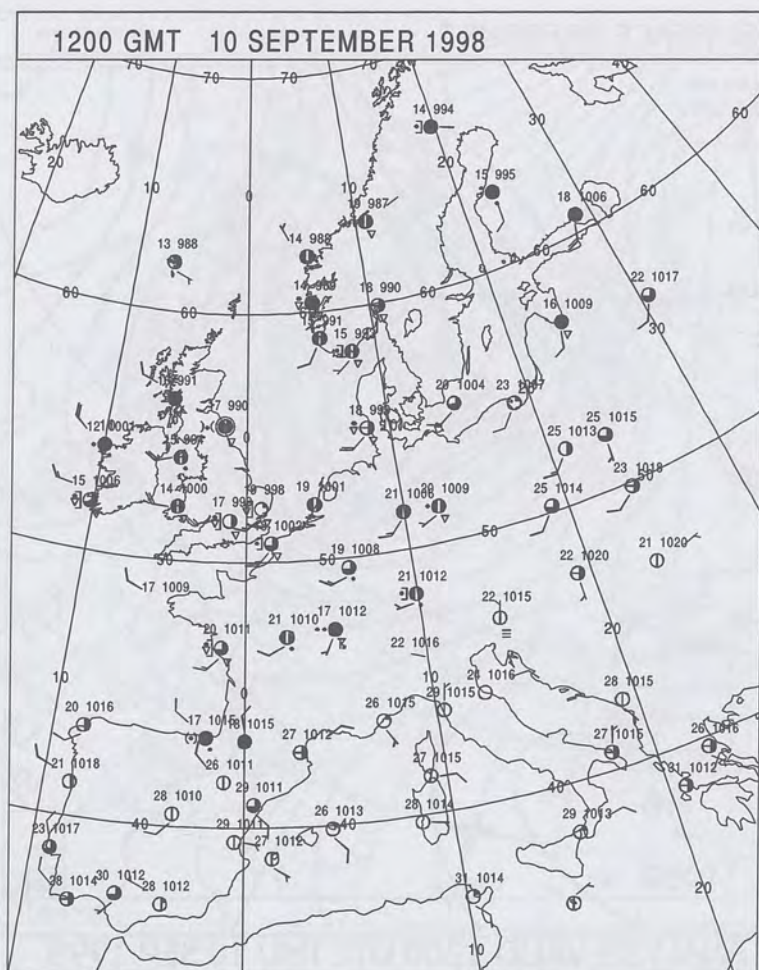
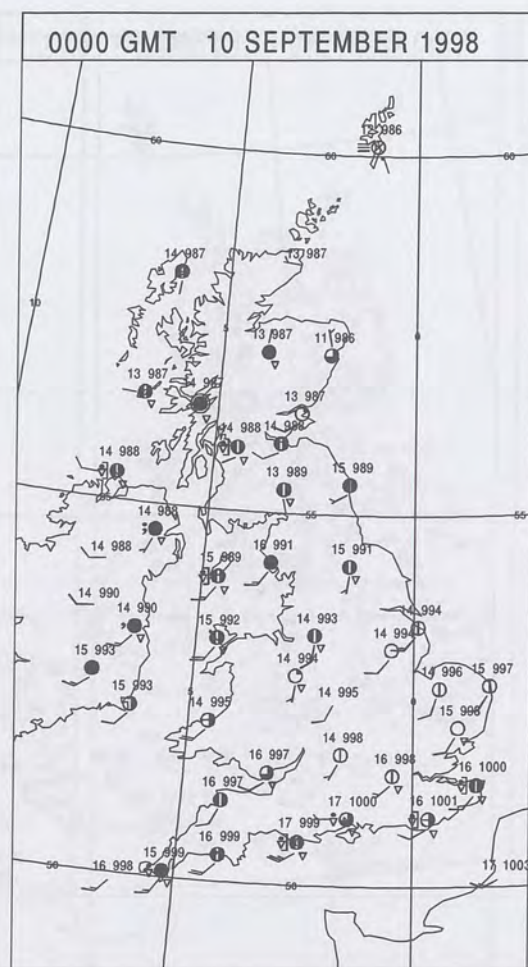
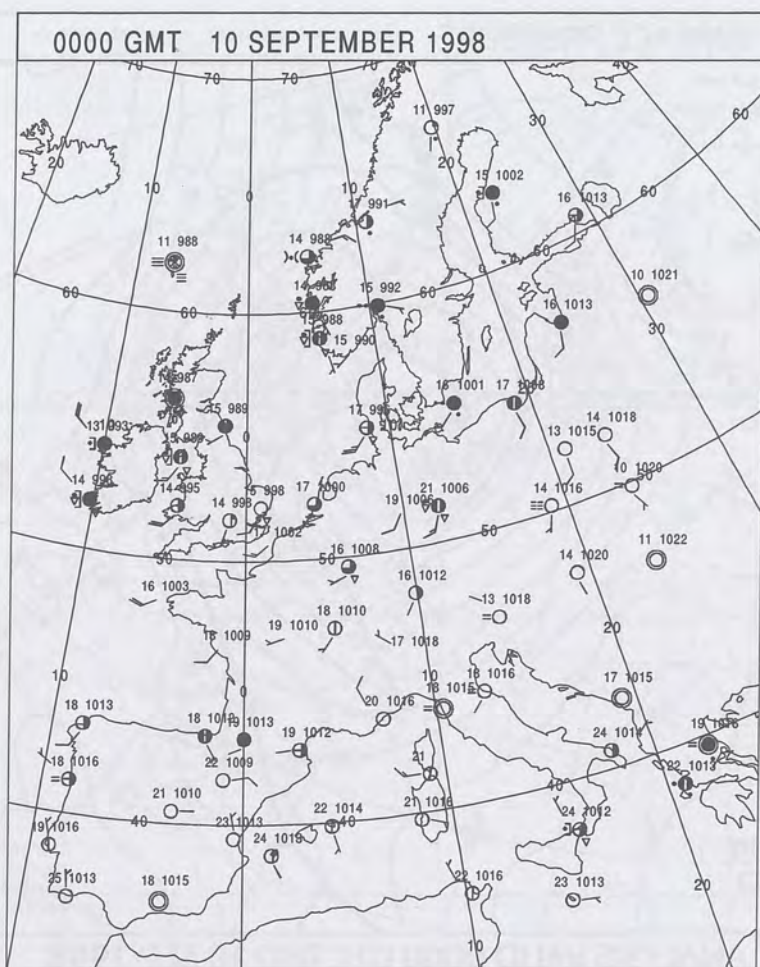


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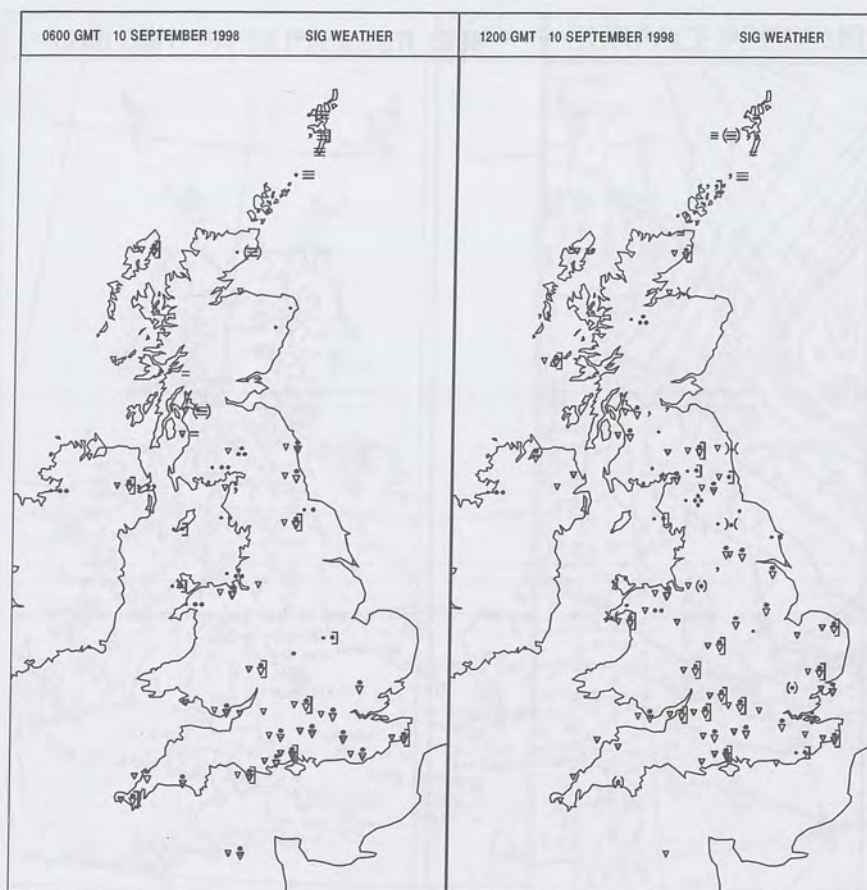


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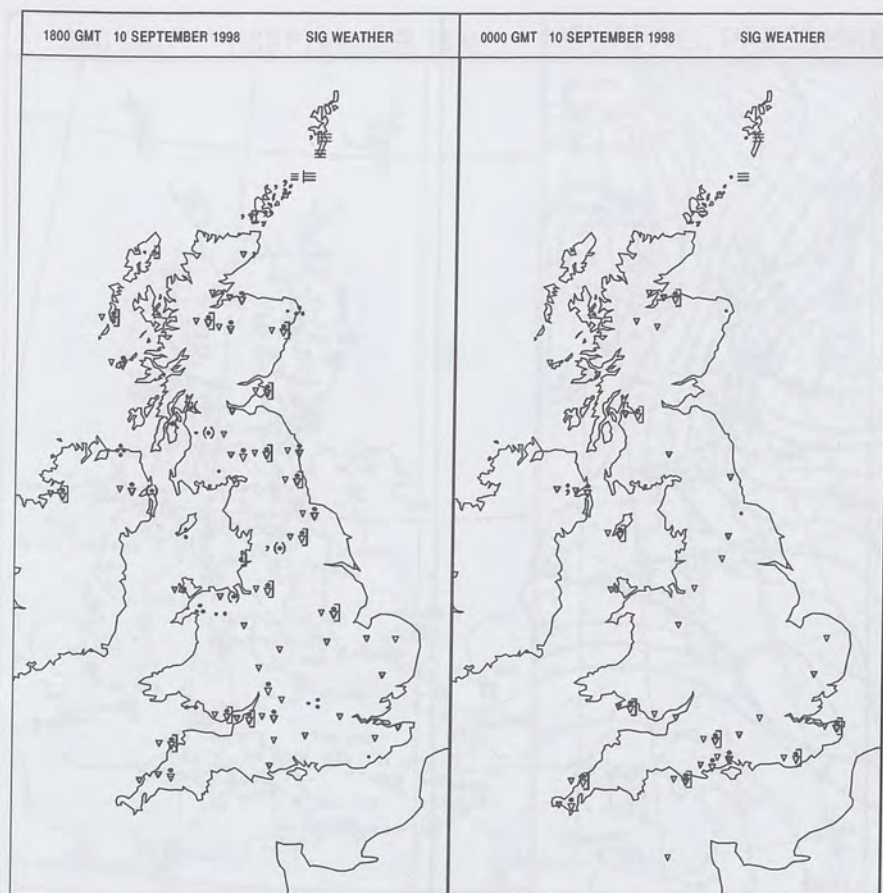
Summary of UK weather for Thursday 10 September 1998

Showers affected many western and southern coastal areas of the UK during the night, and these become more widespread and heavier across southern England later in the night. Northern Ireland, southern Scotland and Cumbria had a spell of more persistent rain, whereas East Anglia had a largely dry and clear night.

Much of the country had a showery day, heavy at times, but Northern England had more persistent rain through the morning. During the afternoon the showers became fairly well scattered across southern England and East Anglia, and these areas saw the best of the sunshine. Over Orkney and Shetland the sea fog continued to affect the area throughout the day.

During the evening more persistent rain spread into much of Wales, with showers running into the Midlands. Outbreaks of rain also occurred across central and northern Scotland. Elsewhere, showers continued over western coasts whereas eastern areas of England became dry with clear spells.

Temperatures were on the cool side across Wales, Northern Ireland and western parts of England and Scotland, but some sheltered eastern parts of England and Scotland became warm.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

23.9 Wallingford, Oxfordshire

Lowest Maximum:

11.3 South Uist Range, Western Isles

Lowest Minimum:

5.9 Limavady Leeke, Londonderry

Lowest Grass Minimum:

0.0 Aldroughty, Moray (In Grampian Region)

Most Rain:

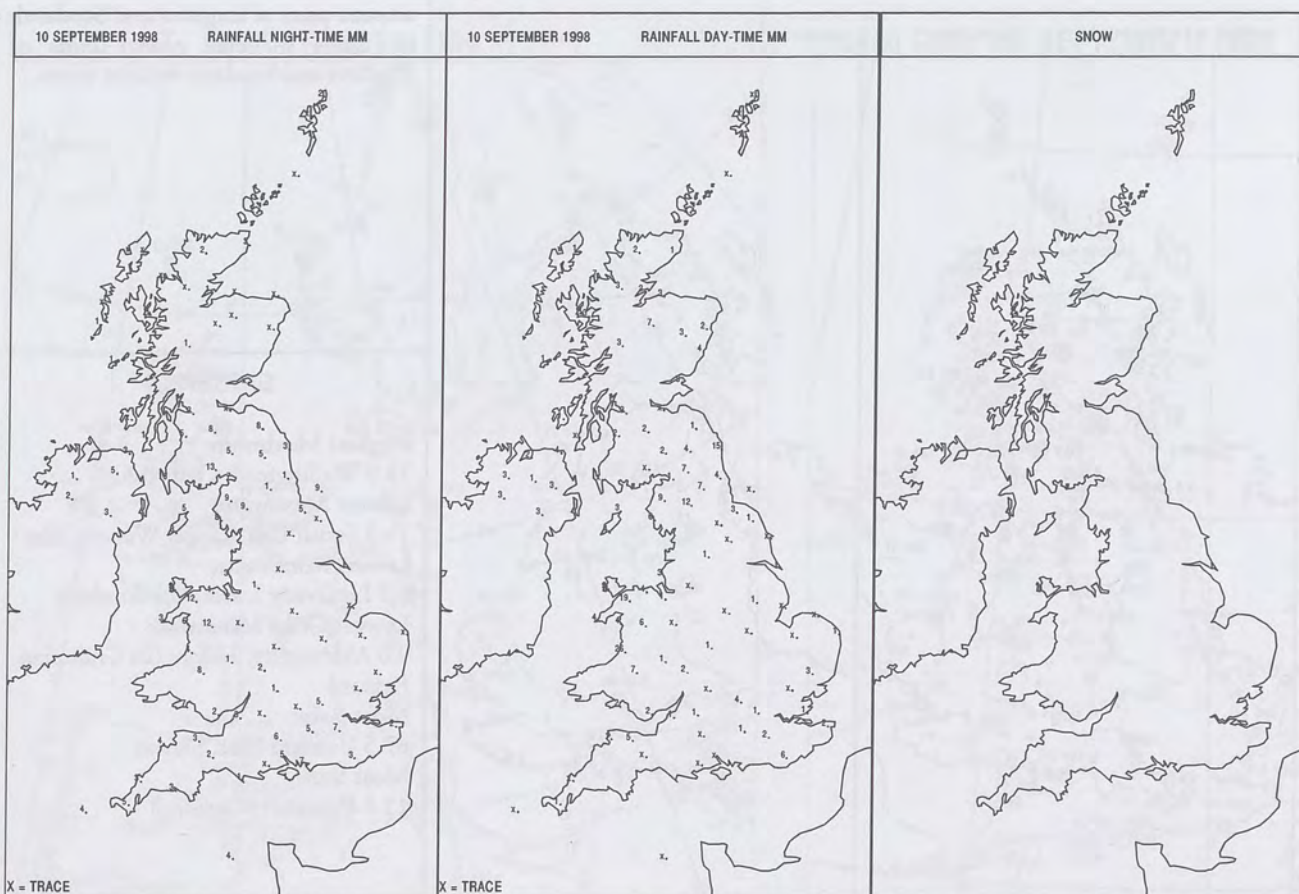
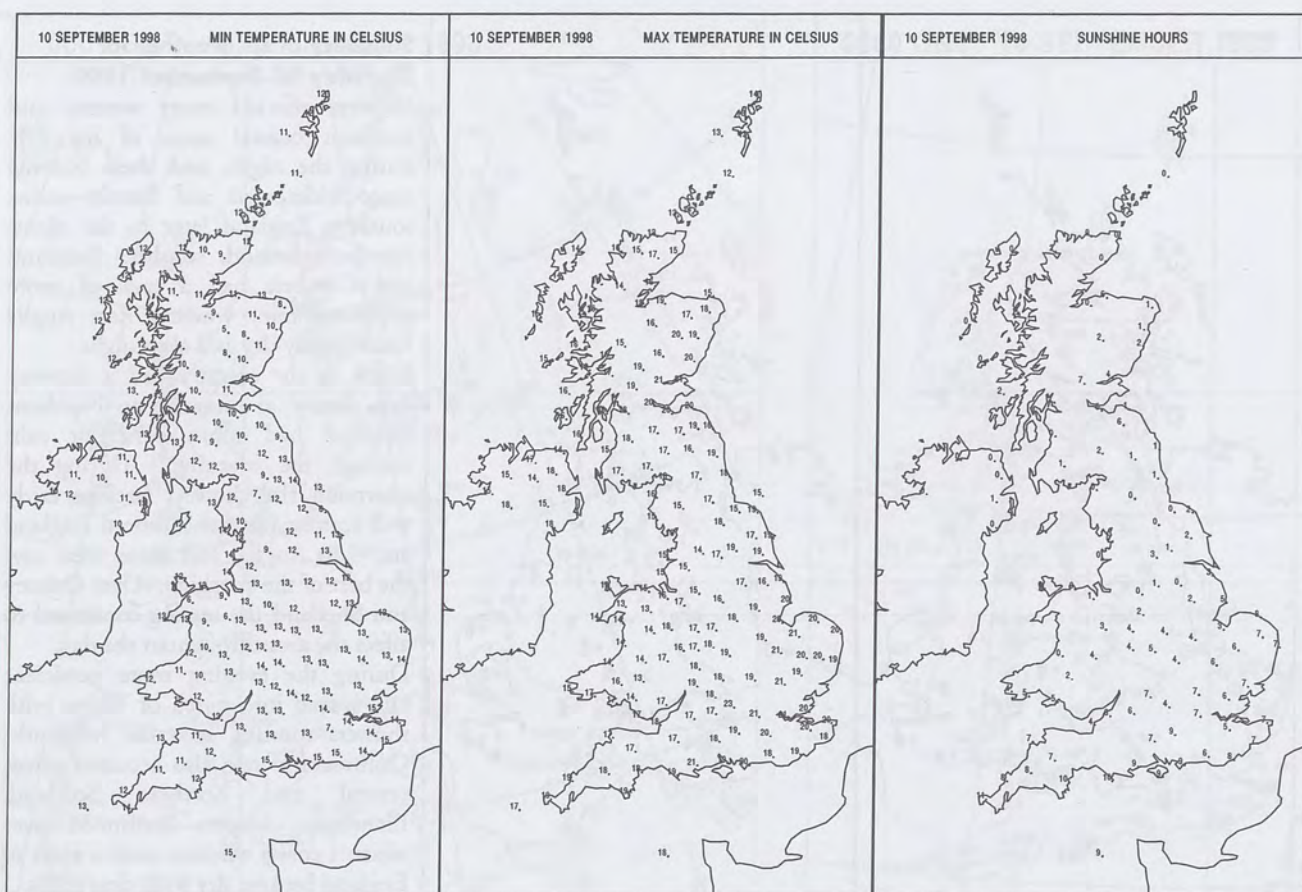
67.5 Venford Resr, Devon

Most Sun:

11.8 Penzance, Cornwall

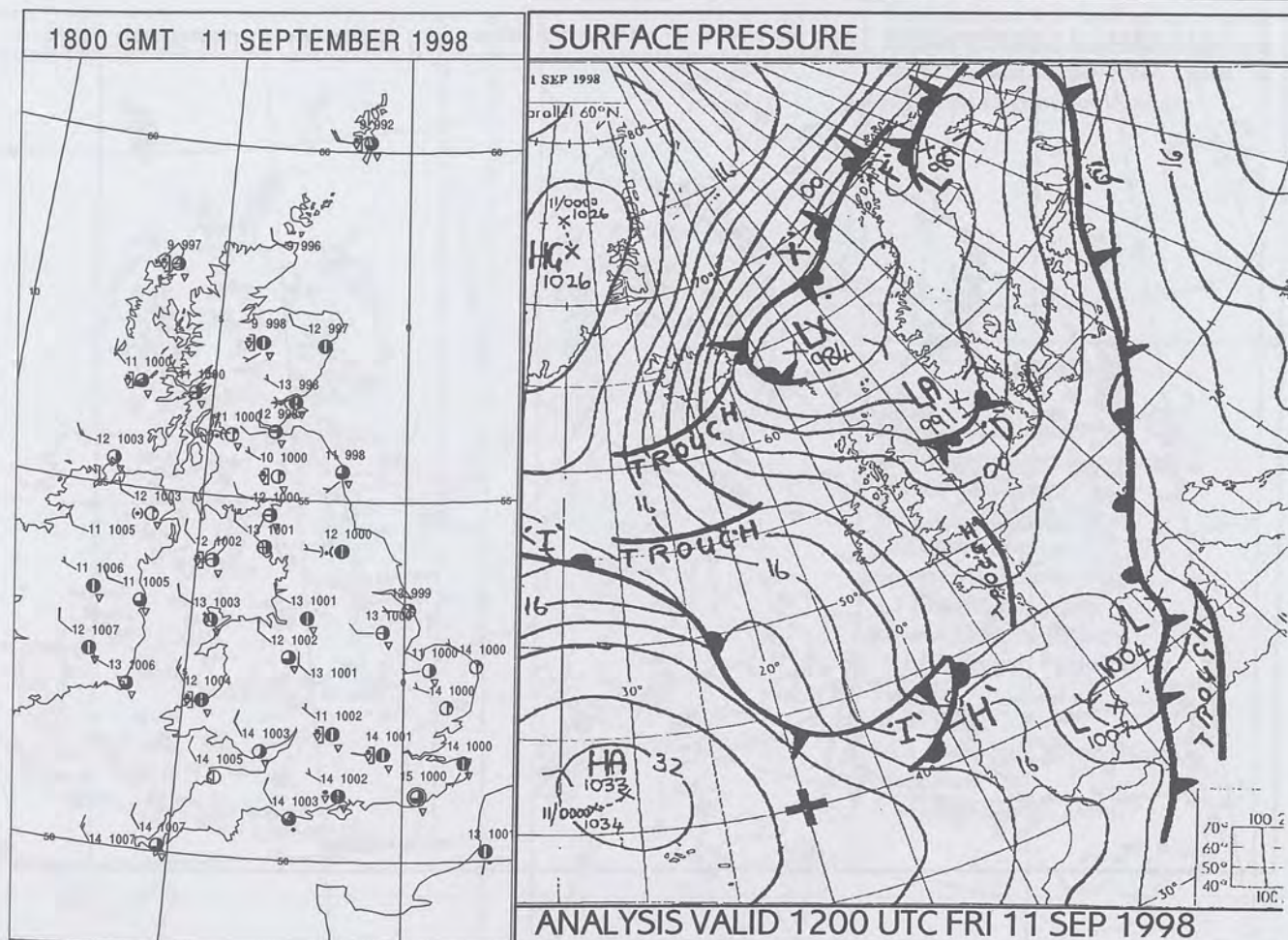
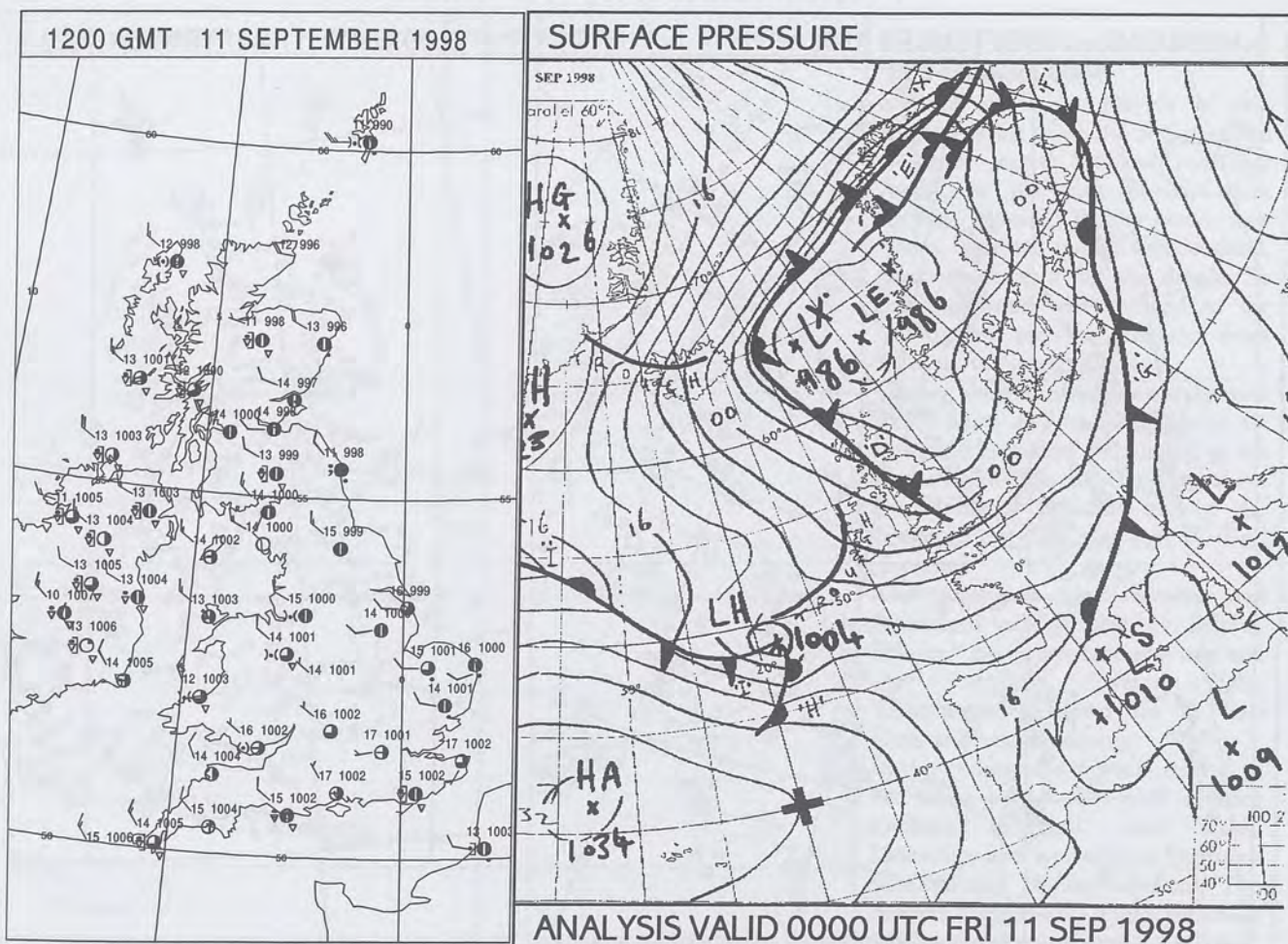
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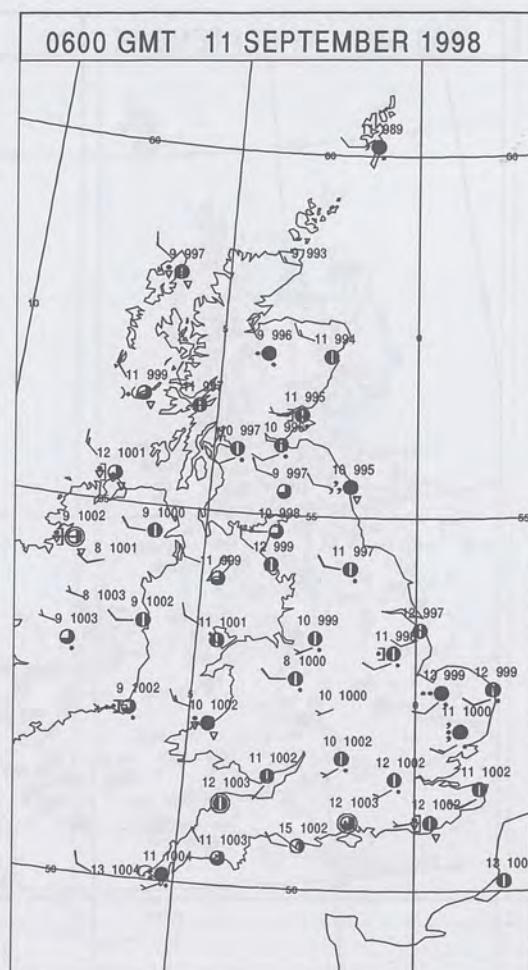
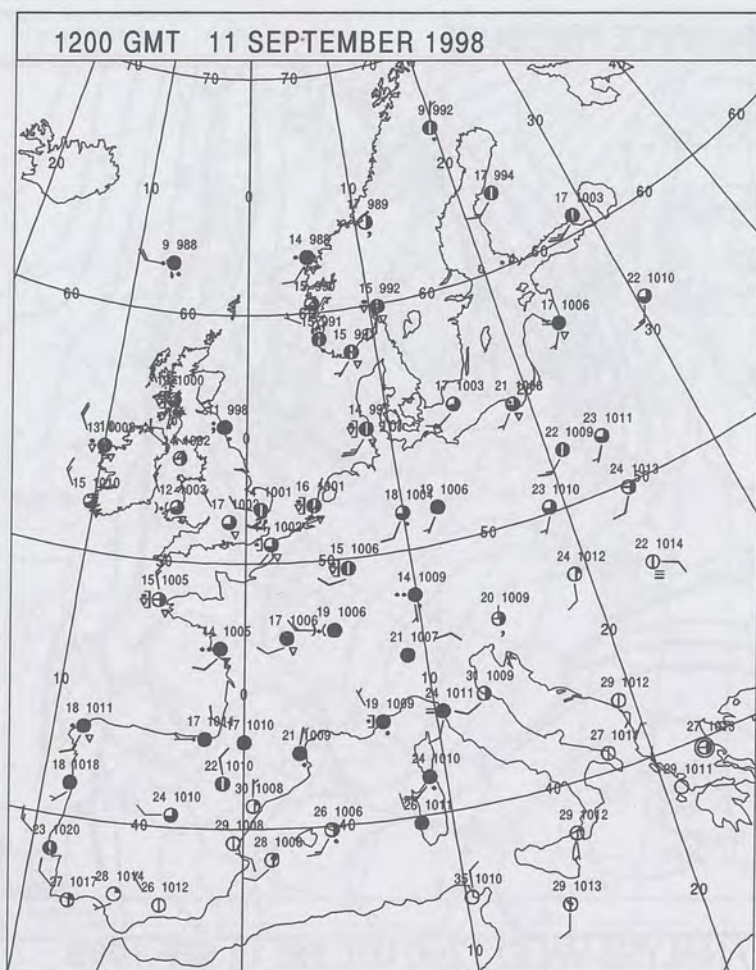
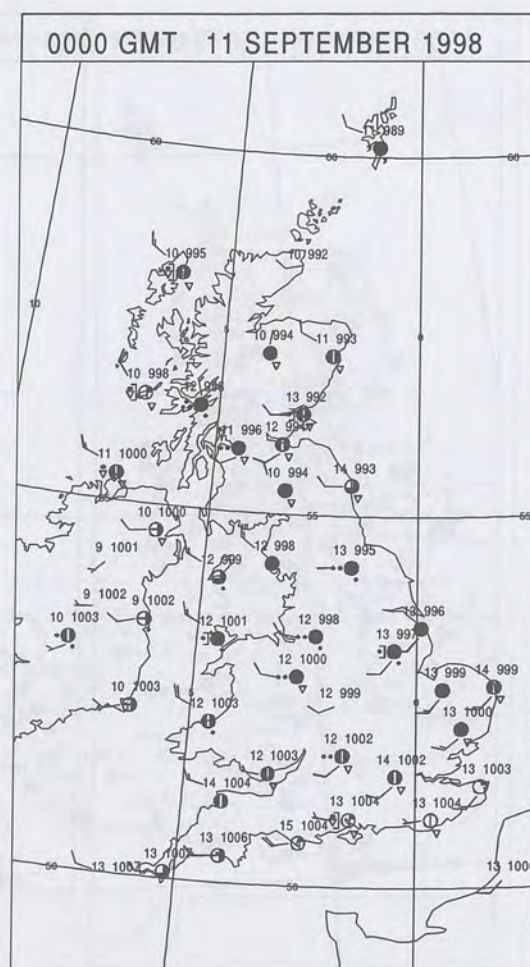
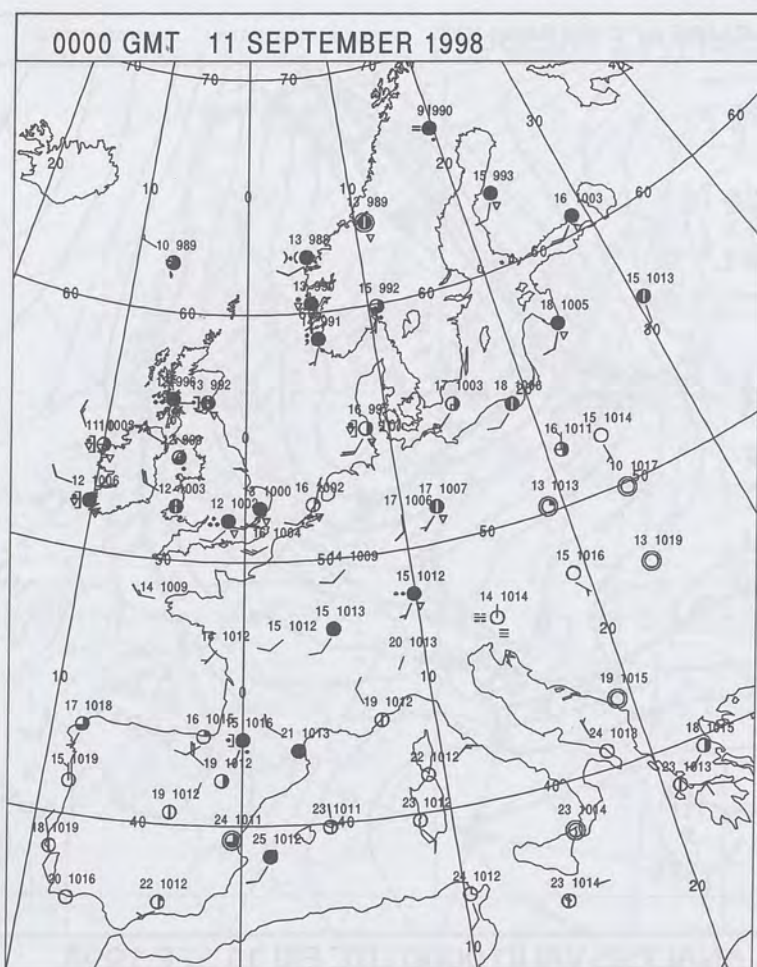
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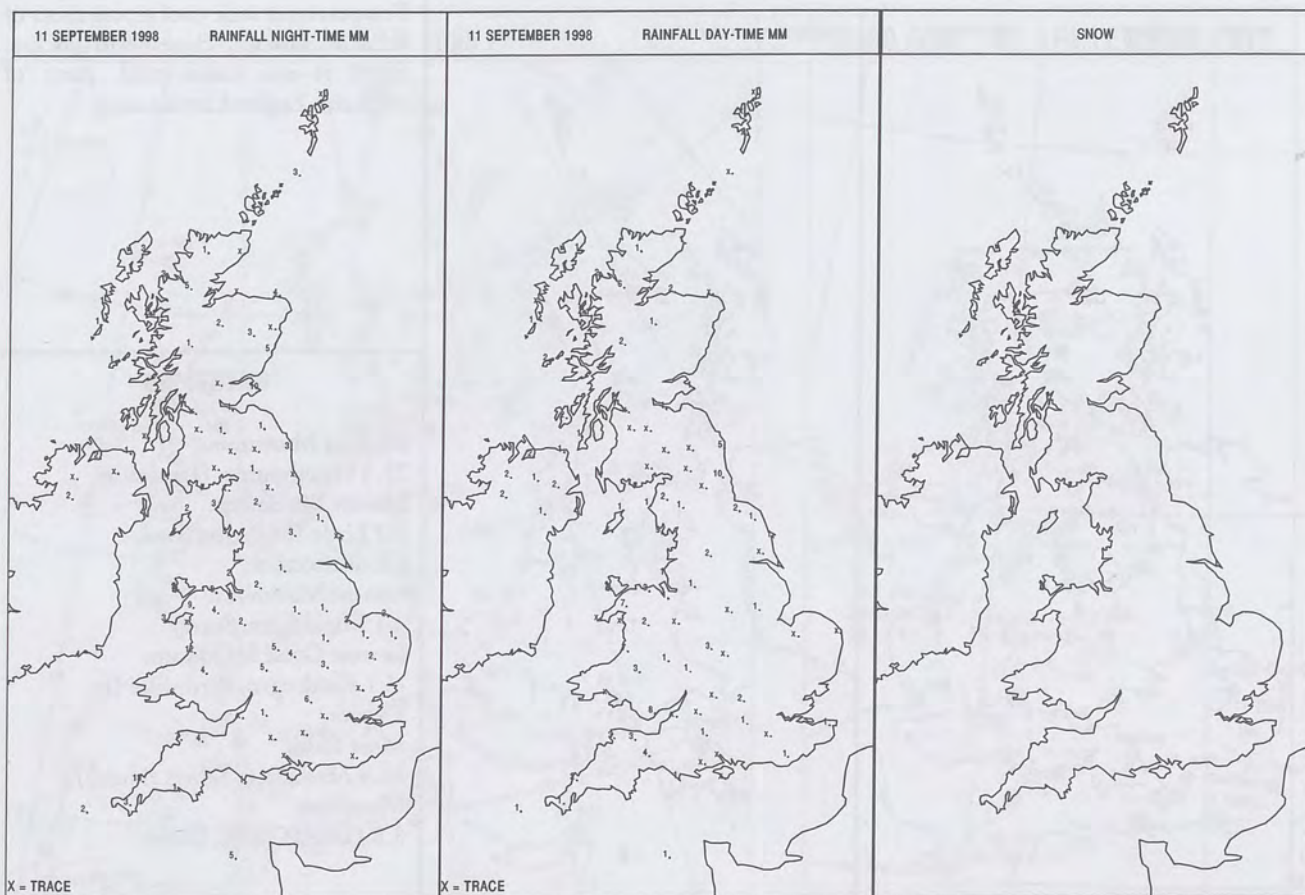
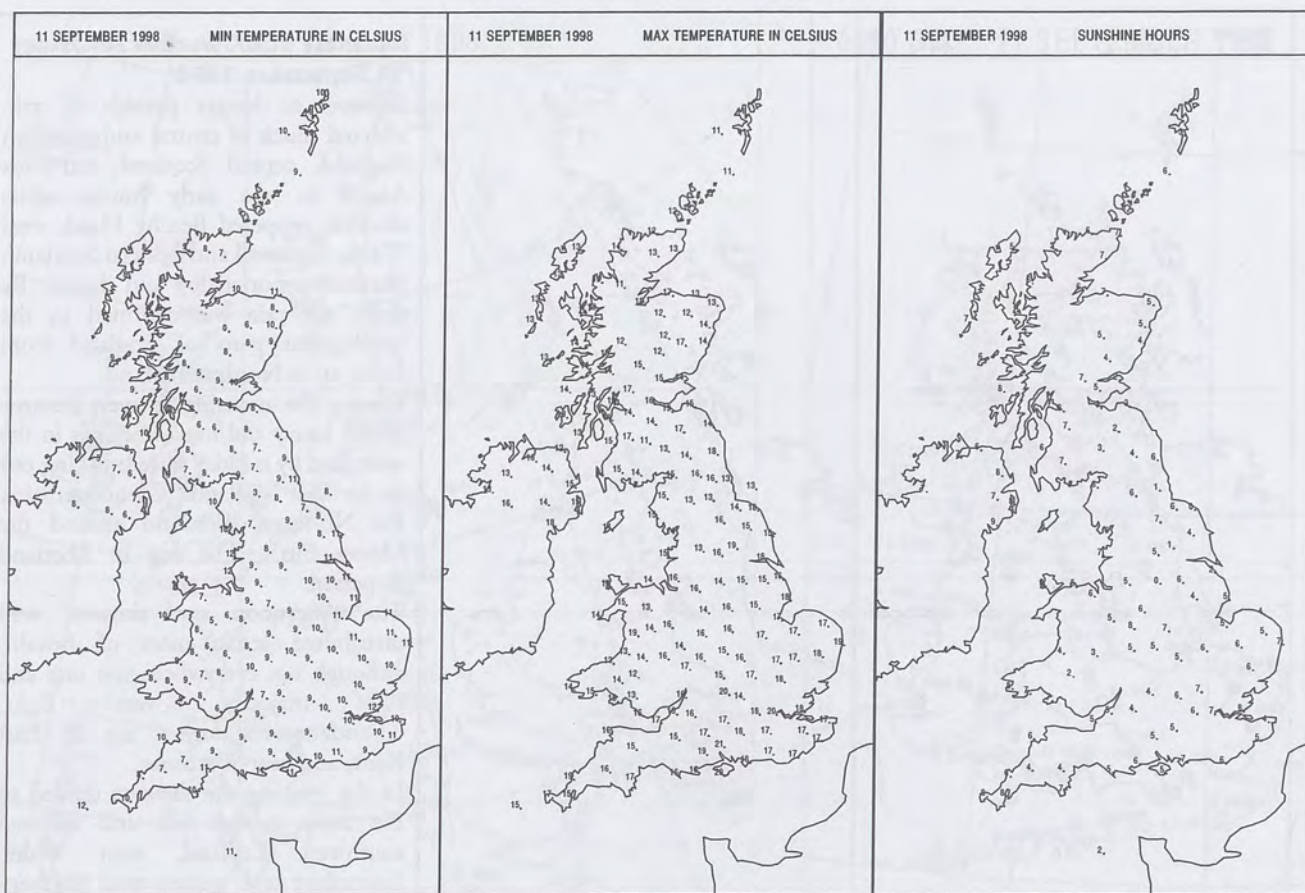


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0600 GMT 11 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 11 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Friday 11 September 1998 Showers or longer periods of rain affected much of central and northern England, central Scotland and East Anglia in the early hours, while showers peppered Beachy Head, west Wales, Cornwall and western Scotland. Shetland reported fog and drizzle. By dawn the rain was confined to the easternmost parts of England from Essex up to Northumberland. During the morning showers became locally heavy and more frequent in the west, and by midday were breaking out in the west Midlands, Gloucestershire, the Northern Isles and around the Moray Firth. The fog in Shetland dispersed. The Afternoon saw showers well distributed across most of Britain, although not everywhere saw one and the majority were light. Thunderstorms turned up in East Kent, and near Worcester. In the evening the showers tended to die away inland, but still affected southwest England, west Wales, Lancashire and western and northern Scotland and Northern Ireland. The showers merged into more persistent rain later in the northwest. Temperatures were cool across most of Britain, however, there were pockets where it was rather cool, parts of northeast England for instance.
				
1800 GMT 11 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 11 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 21.4 Otterbourne, Hampshire Lowest Maximum: 8.7 Little Rissington Saws, Gloucestershire Lowest Minimum: 4.1 Mickleham, Surrey Lowest Grass Minimum: -3.1 Kindrogan, Perthshire (In Tayside) Most Rain: 84.4 Aberhosan, Powys (North) Most Sun: 8.8 Lough Cowey, Down
				

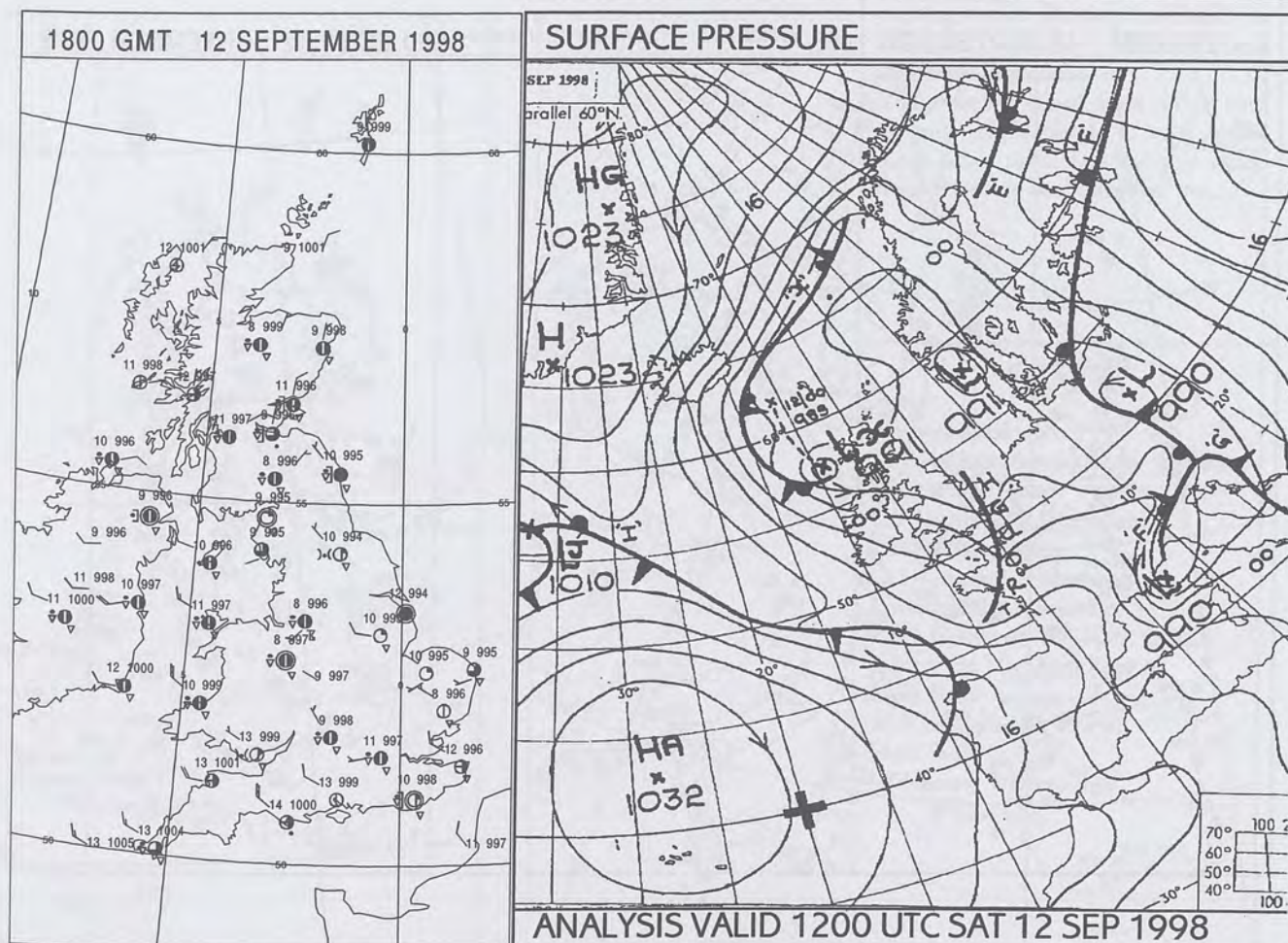
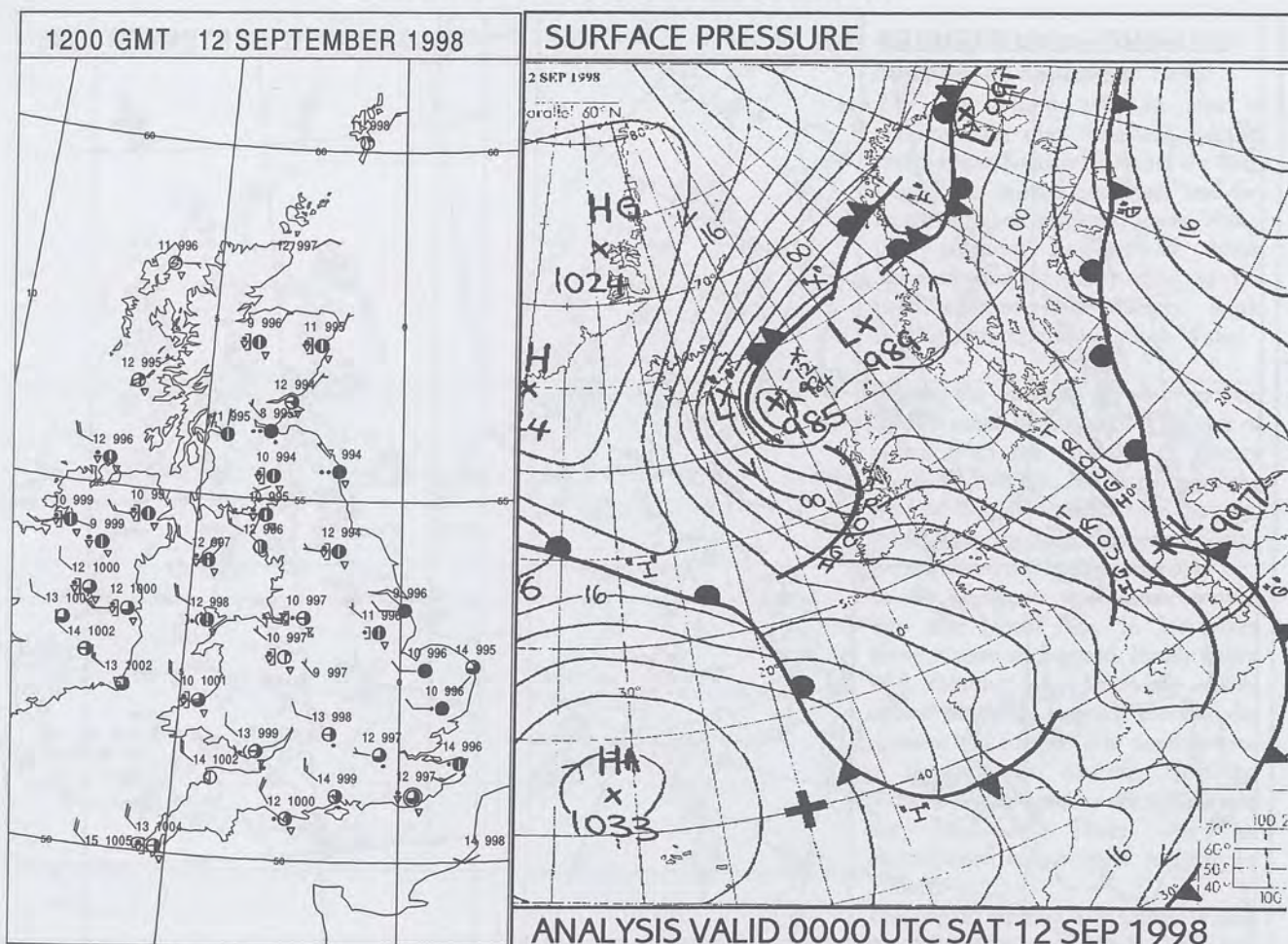
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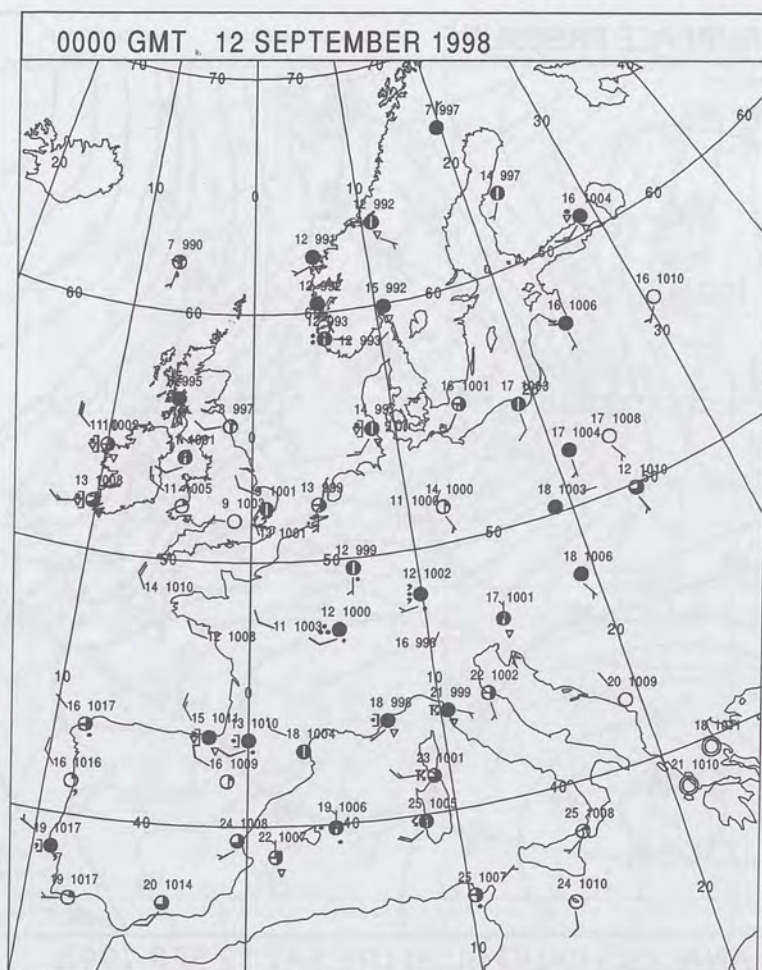
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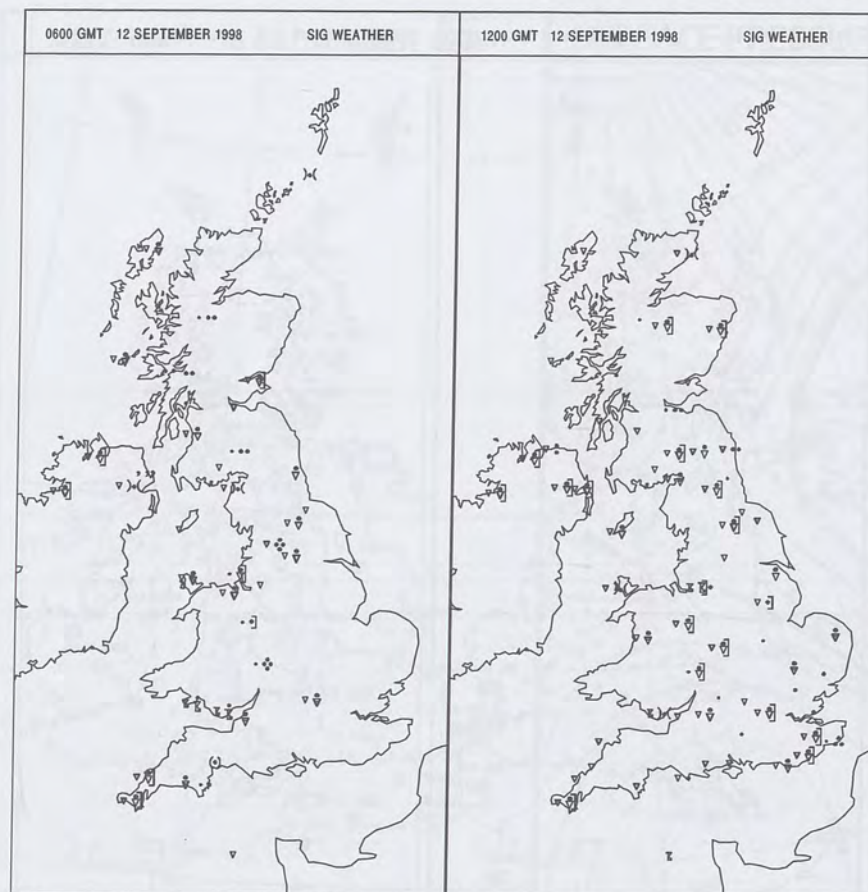


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Summary of UK weather for Saturday 12 September 1998

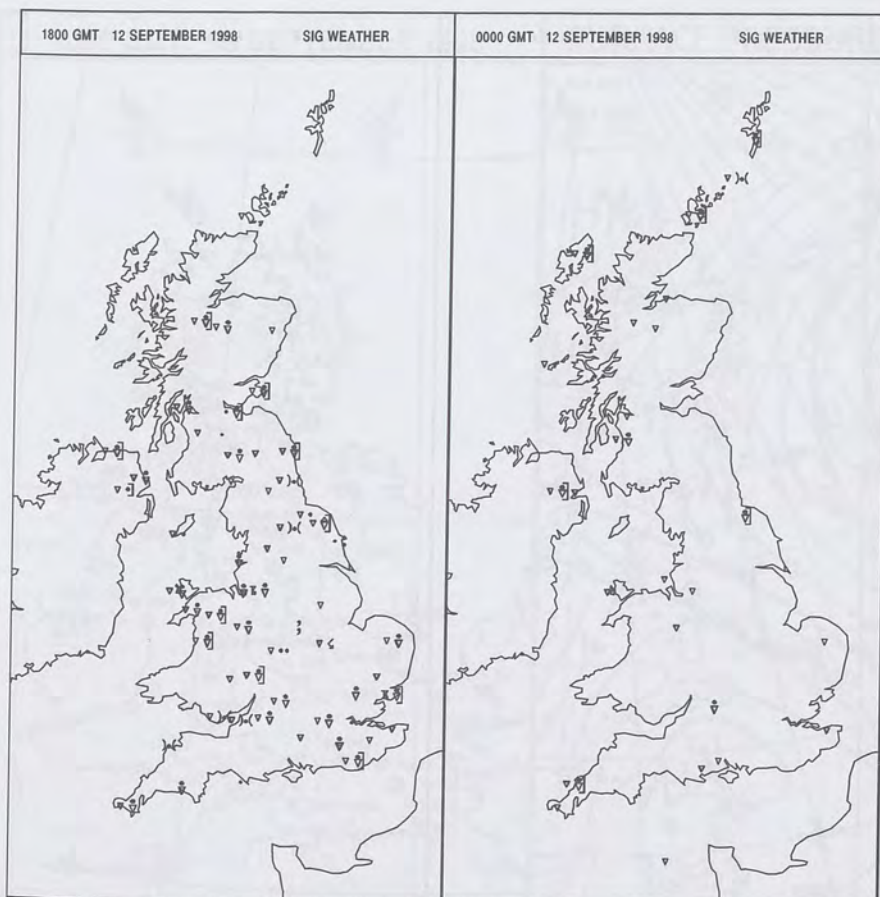
The day started with an area of showery rain over Northern Ireland, and western Scotland. During the early hours this moved southeast and lay from southwest England, across Wales, into northern England by dawn. Showers affected many parts to the northwest of this feature, while thunder was reported in south Wales.

During the morning the showery rain crossed much of England. It lay east of a line from the Humber to Beauty Head by midday. Many parts to the west of this were affected by showers, some with thunder, however, north-western Scotland had become dry.

In the afternoon this feature moved into the North Sea, in its wake showers were widespread, locally heavy with thunder, more especially across central England. By early evening the showers had merged into another area of showery rain covering Northern Ireland, Wales, northwest England and the Midlands. There was an unconfirmed report of a tornado in Telford.

The region of rain lay across Wales, the Midlands and London by late evening, while showers continued to fall in southeast Scotland and southwest England.

Temperatures varied from rather cool in parts of Scotland, to cool across many other parts. London only made it into the very cool category.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

19.6 Askham Bryan, North Yorkshire

Lowest Maximum:

8.5 Sourhope, Roxburghshire

Lowest Minimum:

-2.9 Kinbrace, Sutherland

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-10.1 Grantown-On-Spey, Gramm, Moray (In Highland Region)

Most Rain:

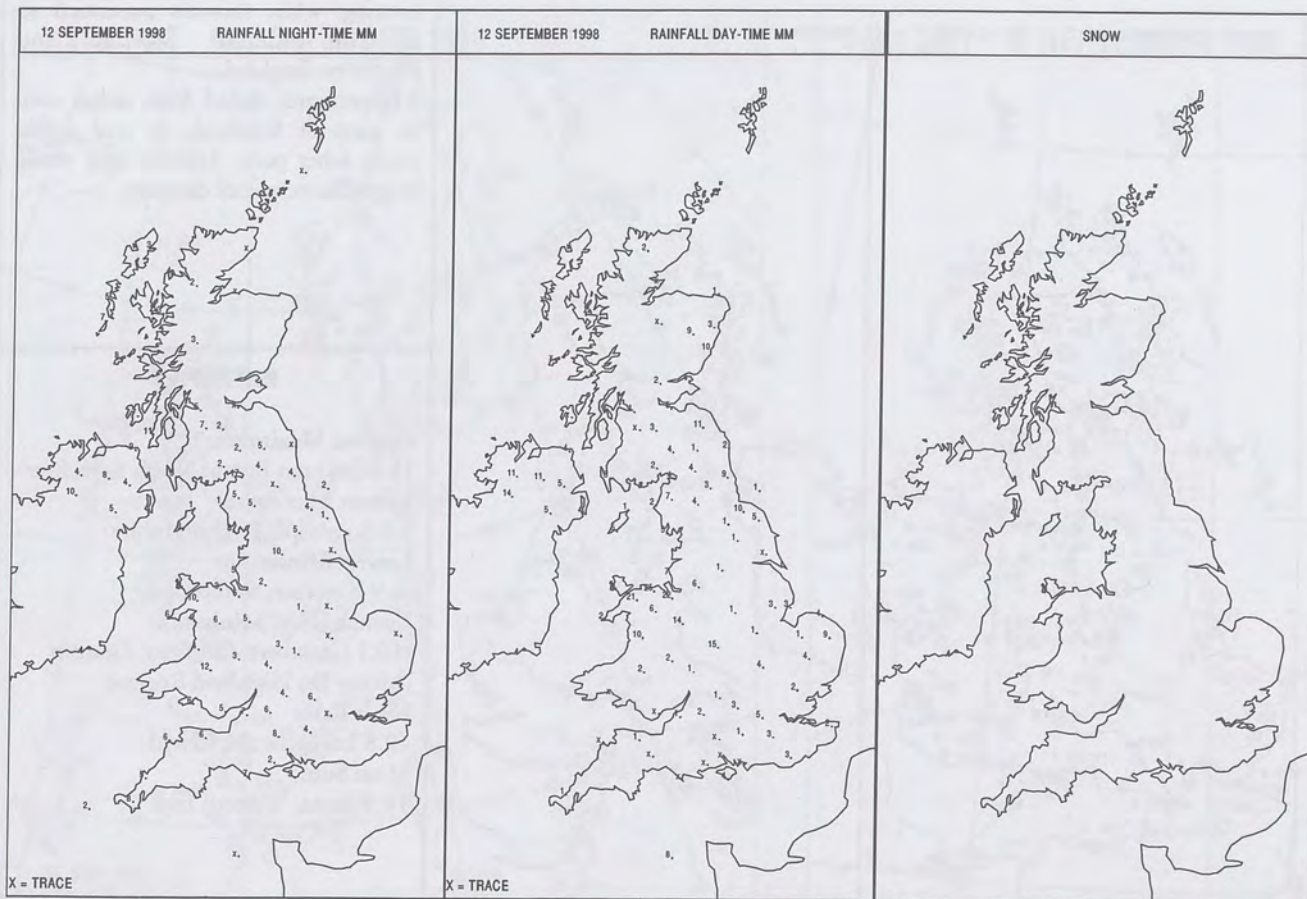
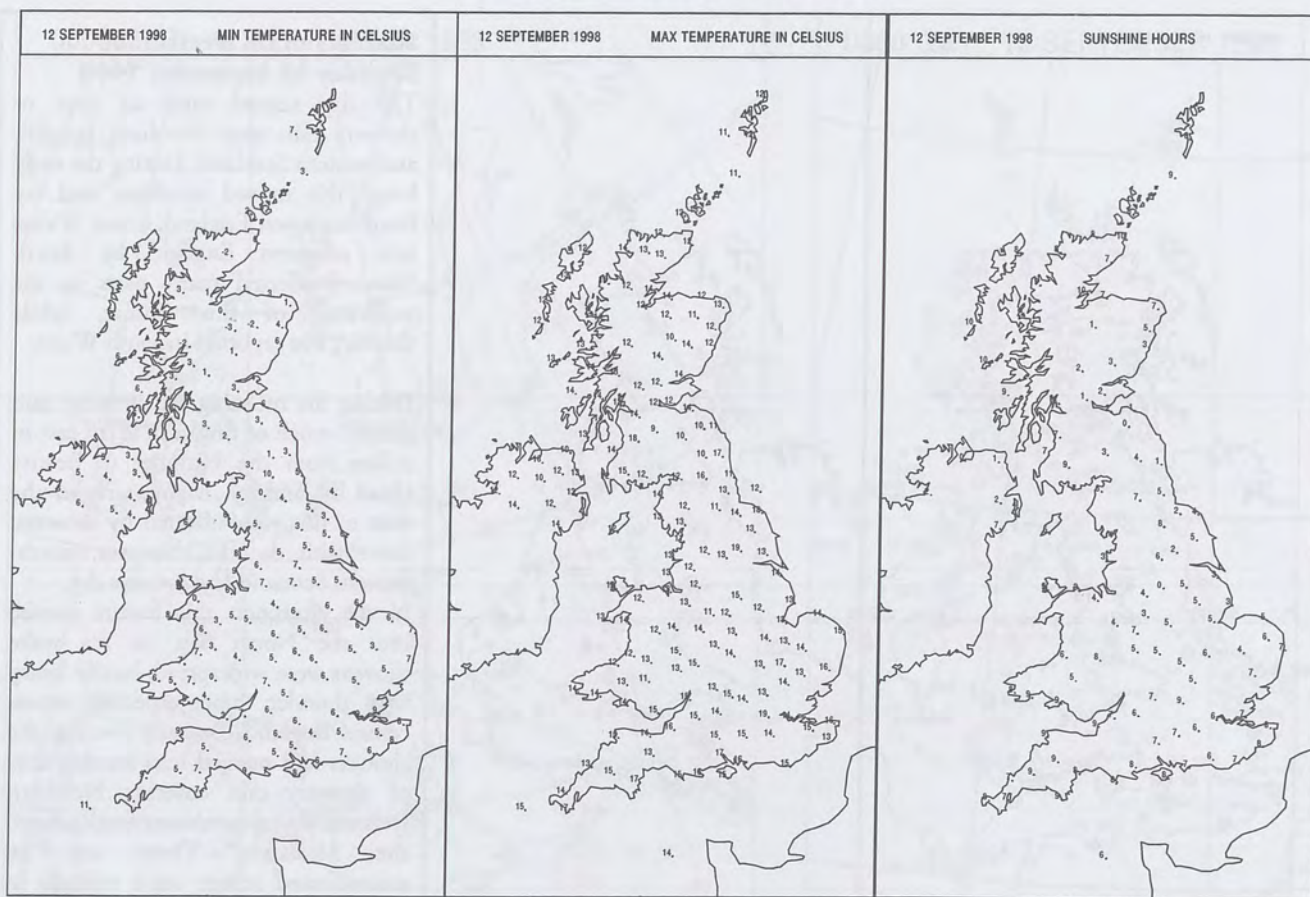
40.8 Loggerheads, Clwyd

Most Sun:

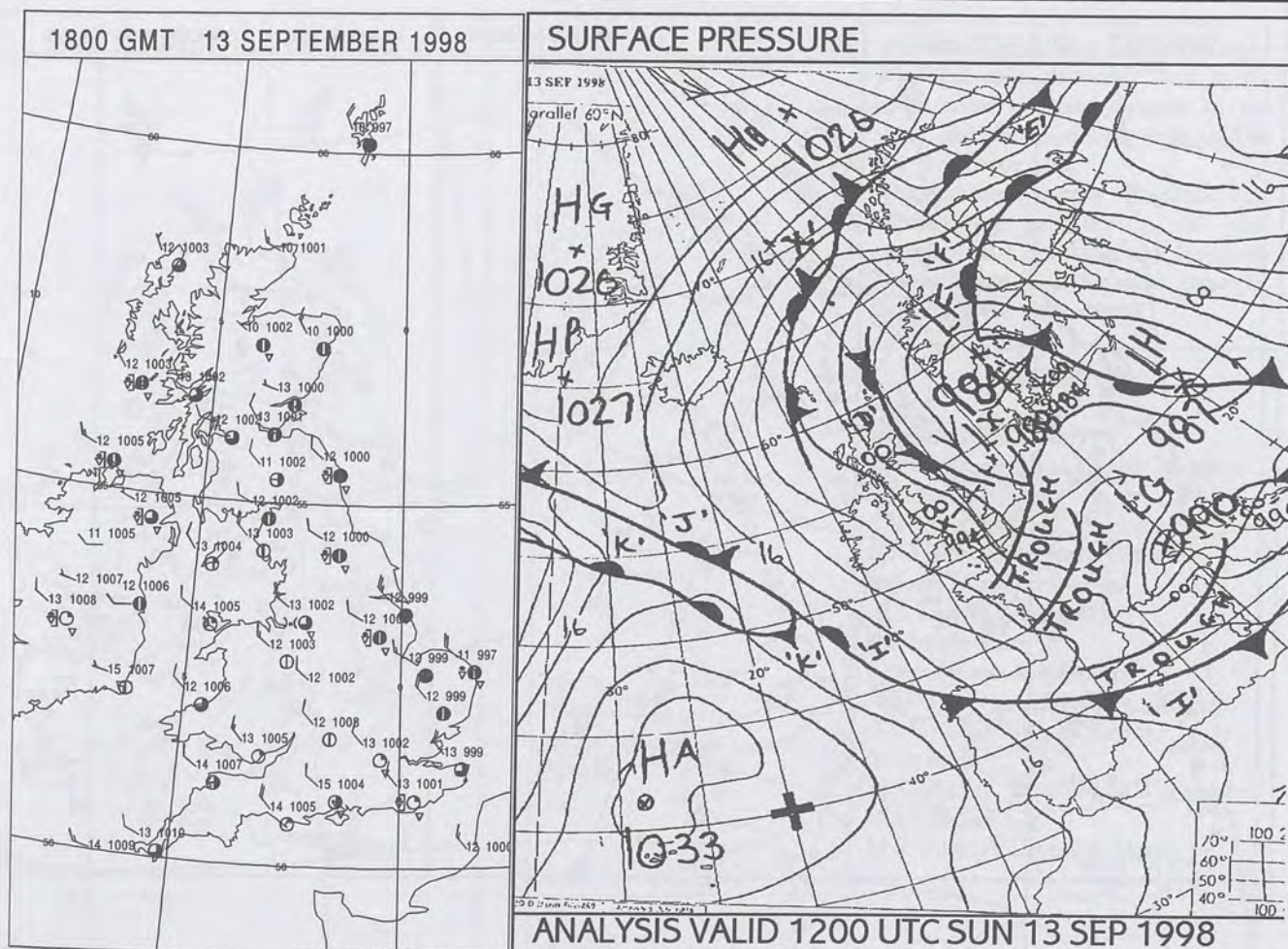
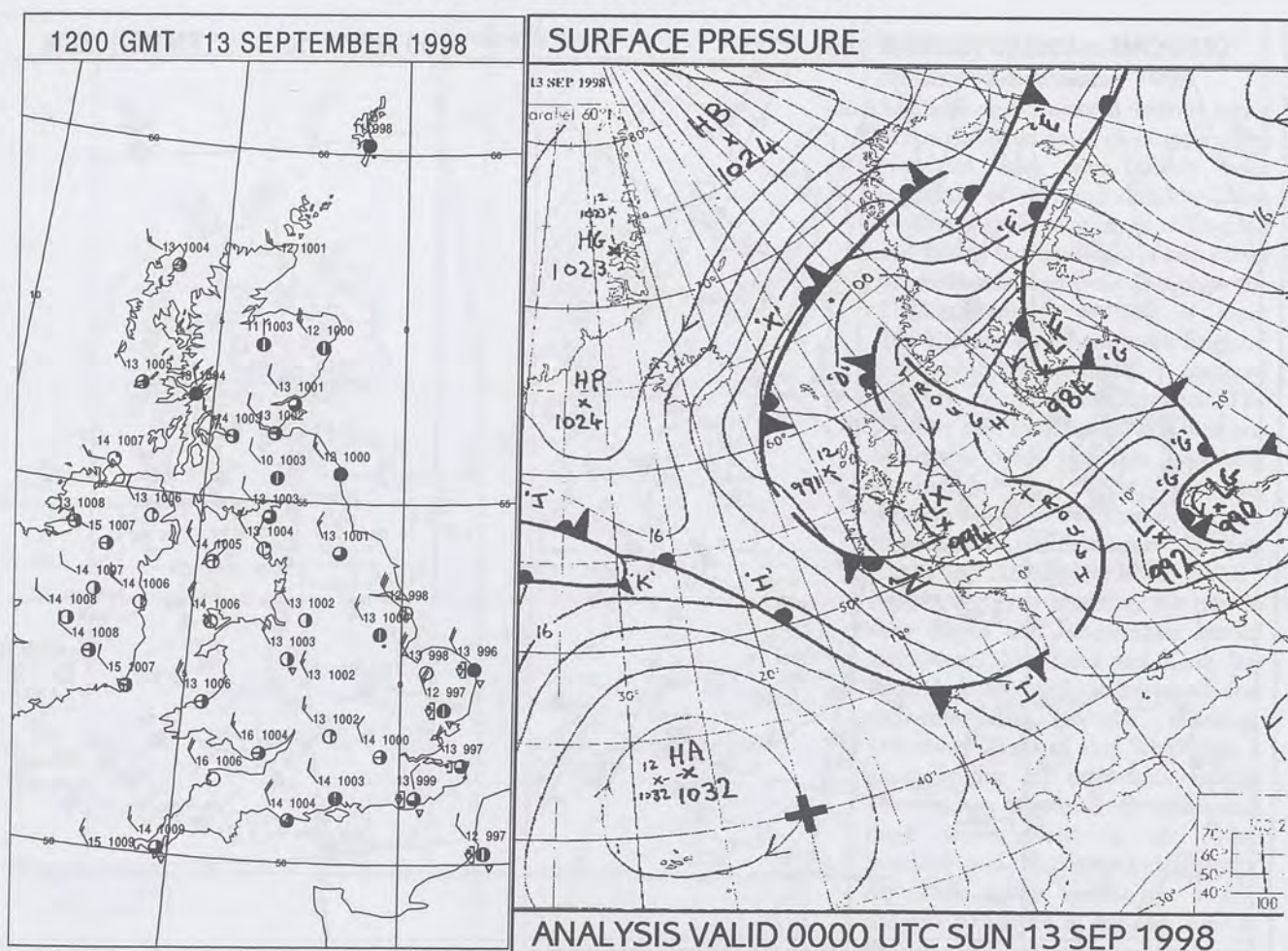
10.5 Barra, Western Isles

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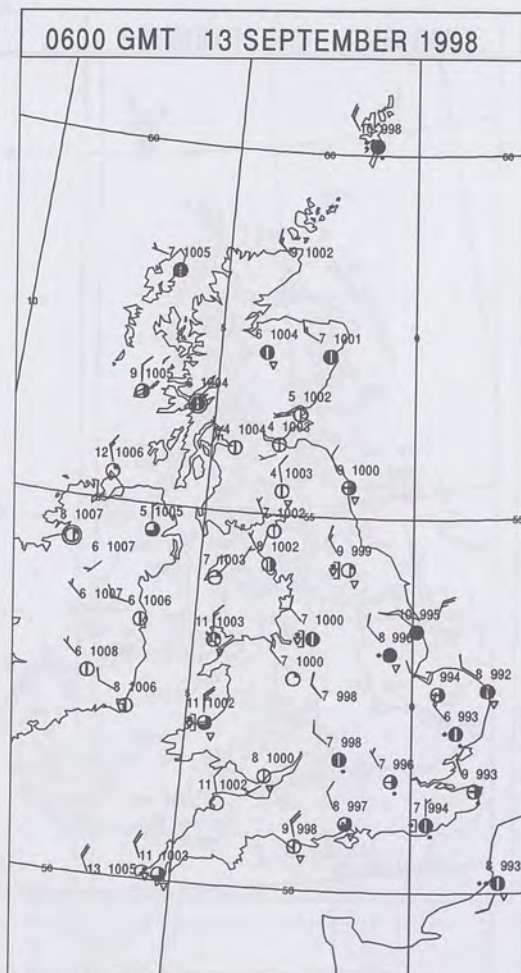
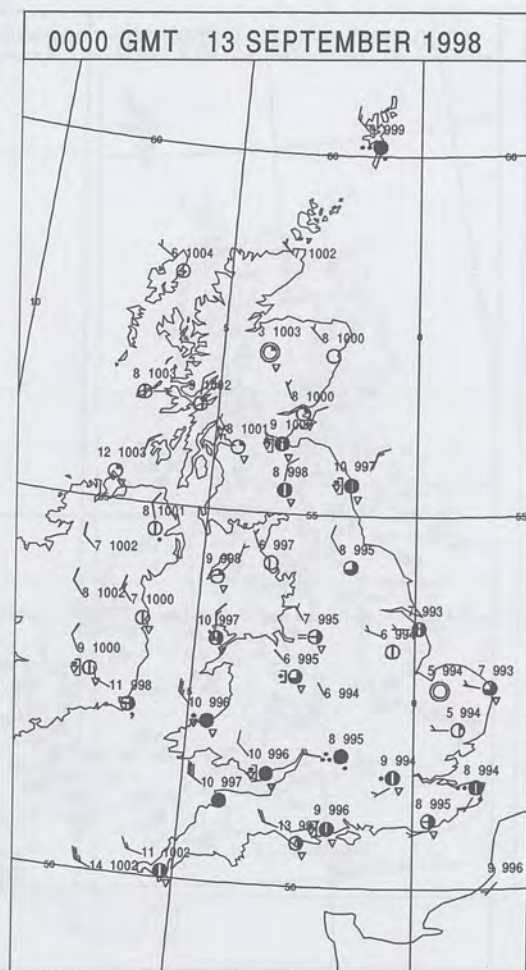
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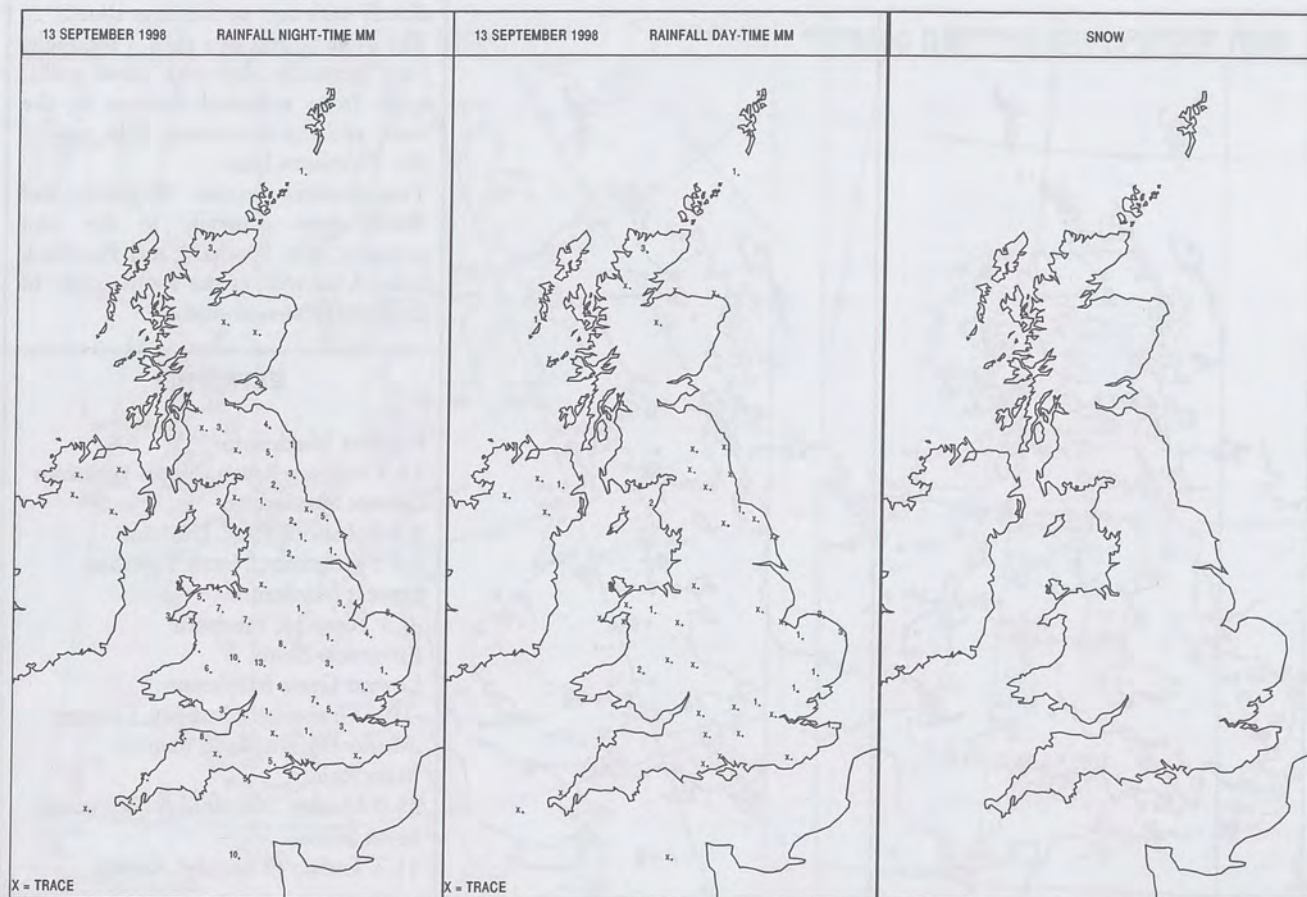
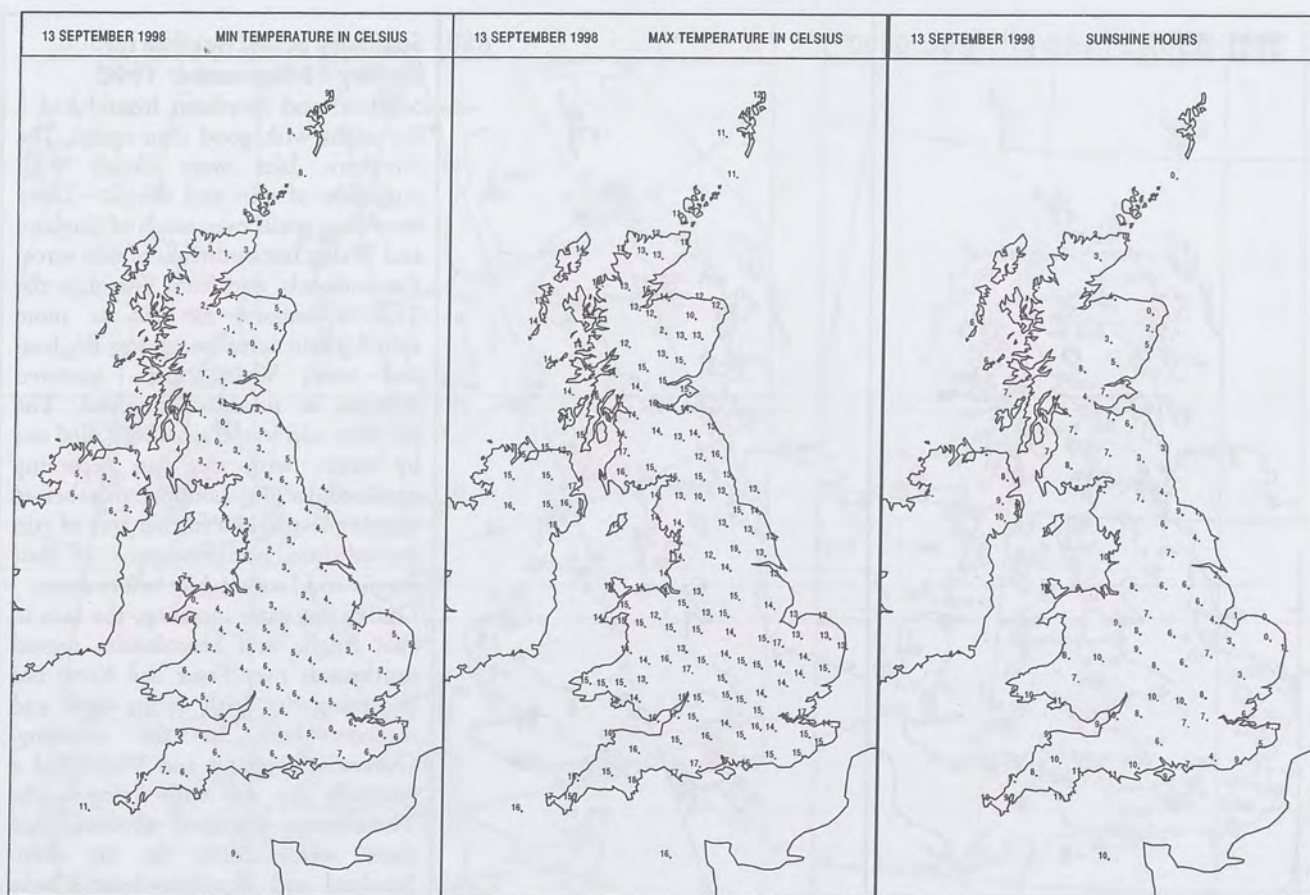


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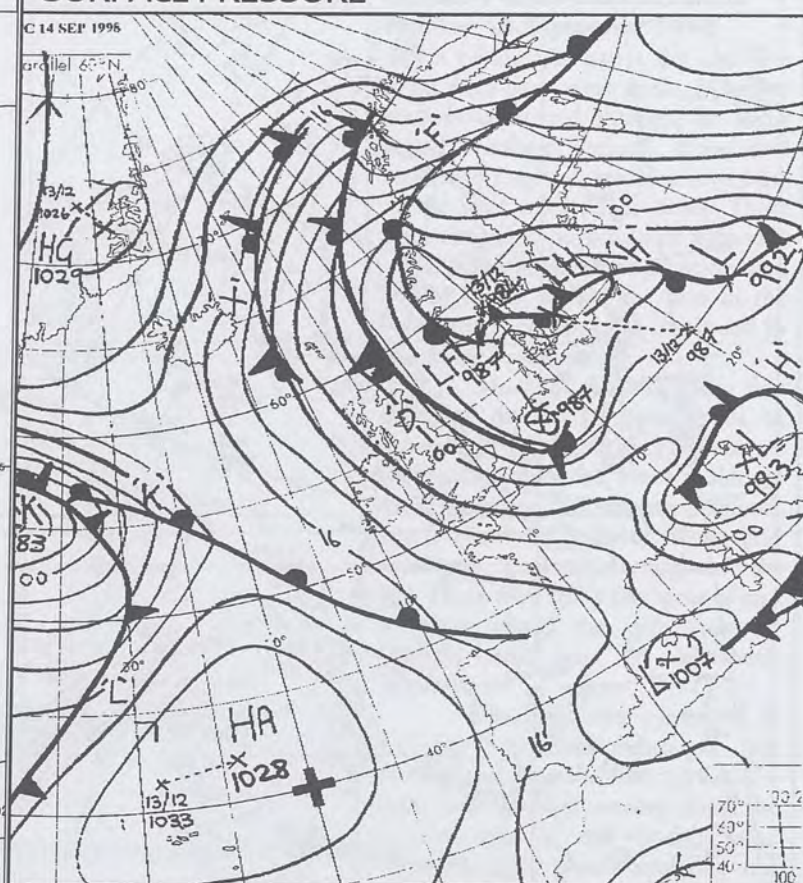
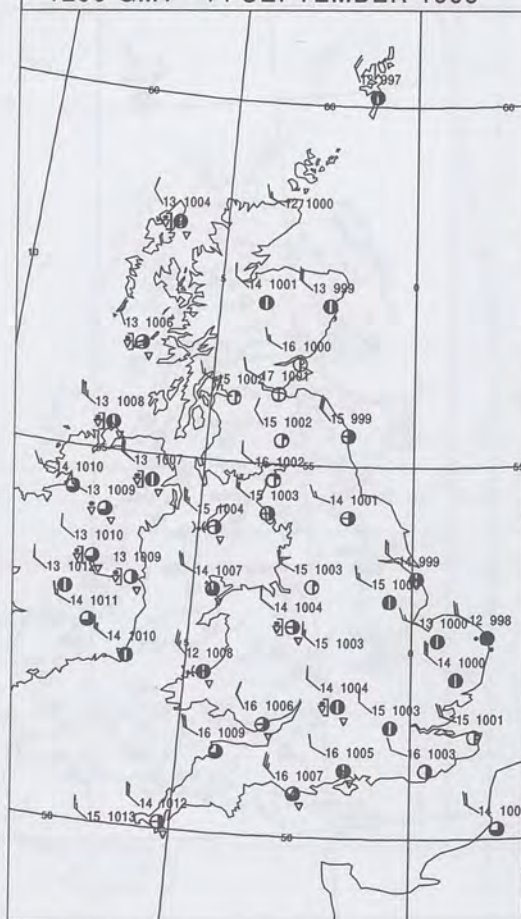
0600 GMT 13 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 13 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK weather for Sunday 13 September 1998</p> <p>Scotland and Northern Ireland had a dry night with good clear spells. The Northern Isles were cloudy with outbreaks of rain and drizzle. There were clear spells over much of England and Wales, but outbreaks of rain across the midlands, and from Bristol to the Thames estuary, as well as more showery rain across southwest England and south Wales, and scattered showers in northeast England. The showery rain in the southwest died out by dawn, with the rain becoming confined to the London area before slipping south, as a further area of rain moved into northern parts of East Anglia and Lincolnshire before dawn. During the early morning, the rain in East Anglia and Lincolnshire moved southwards over Essex and Kent, but becoming dry with sunny spell and showers later in the morning. Otherwise England and Wales had a generally dry day with sunny spells. There were scattered showers, and these were chiefly in the west. Scotland and Northern Ireland were dry with sunny spells, but a few showers developed in the west later in the day. The Northern Isles stayed cloudy with rain or drizzle at times. The evening and first part of the night were generally dry with clear spells, apart from scattered showers in the west, and the continuing light rain in the Northern Isles.</p> <p>Temperatures across England and Wales were generally in the cool category, but Scotland and Northern Ireland, as well as the south coast of England were near normal.</p>
1800 GMT 13 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 13 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 19.5 Askham Bryan, North Yorkshire</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 9.8 Boltshope Park, Durham 9.8 Fylingdales, North Yorkshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -0.3 Tomatin, Freeburn ,Inverness-Shire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -10.0 Grantown-On-Spey, Gramm ,Moray (In Highland Region)</p> <p>Most Rain: 35.0 Madley, Hereford & Worcester</p> <p>Most Sun: 11.7 Torbay (Torquay), Devon</p>

Sunday 13 September 1998

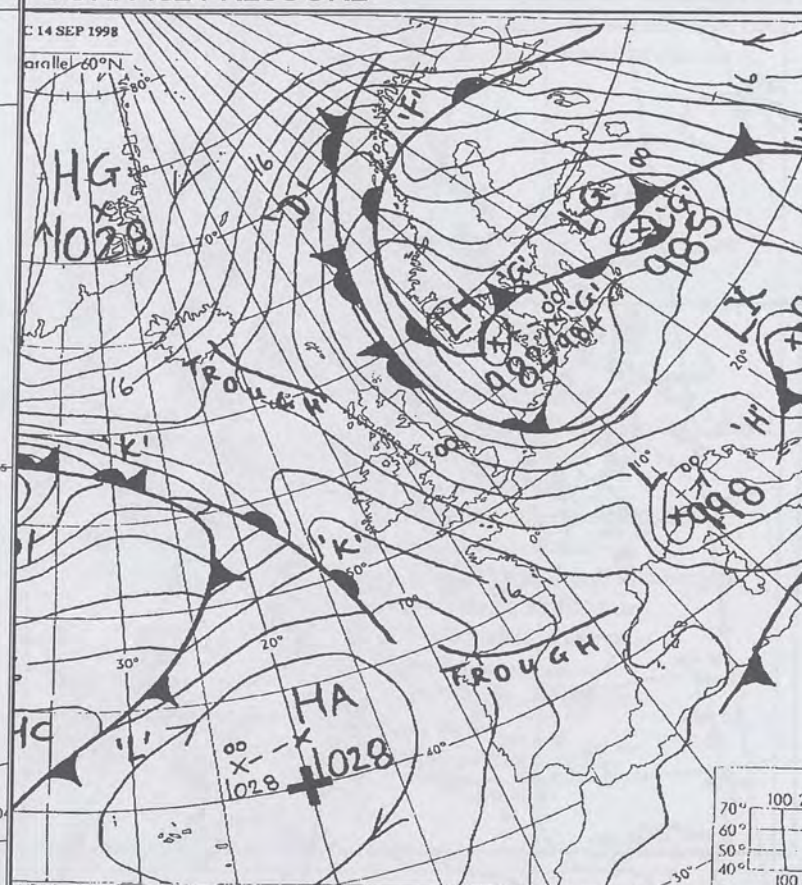
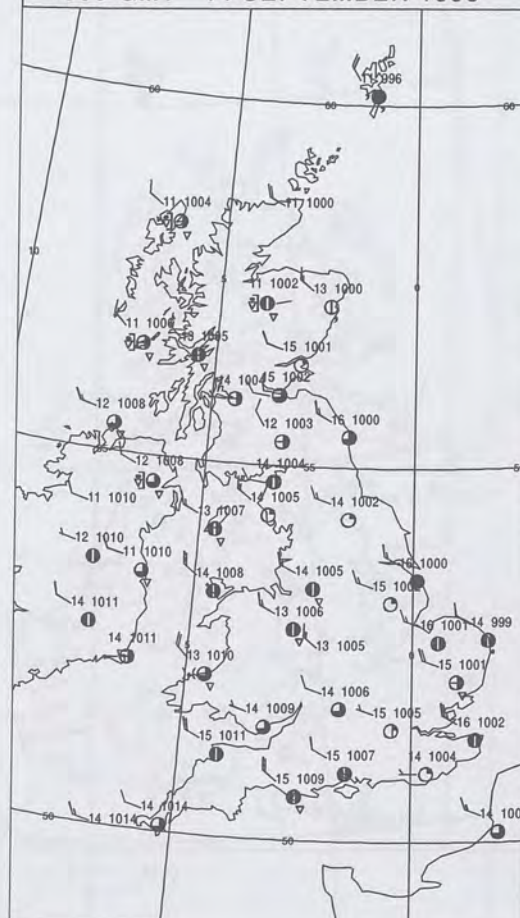
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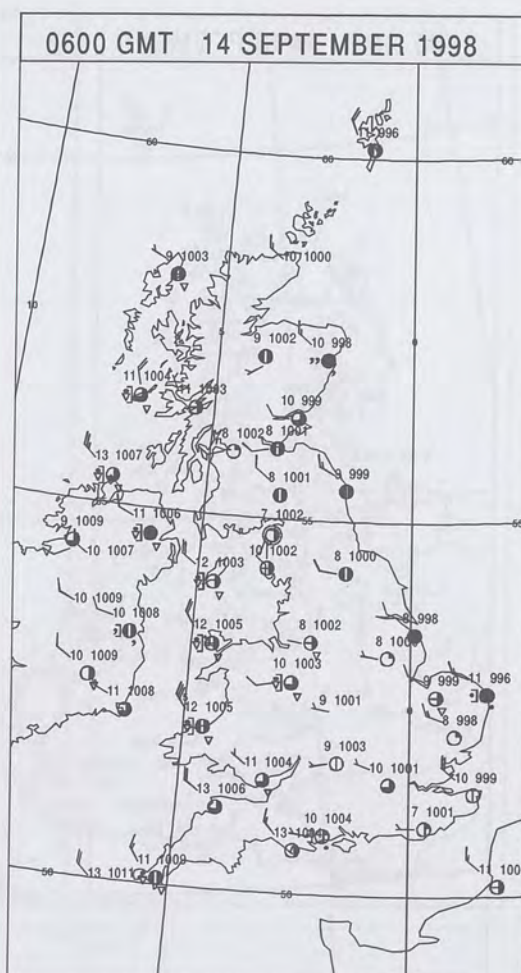
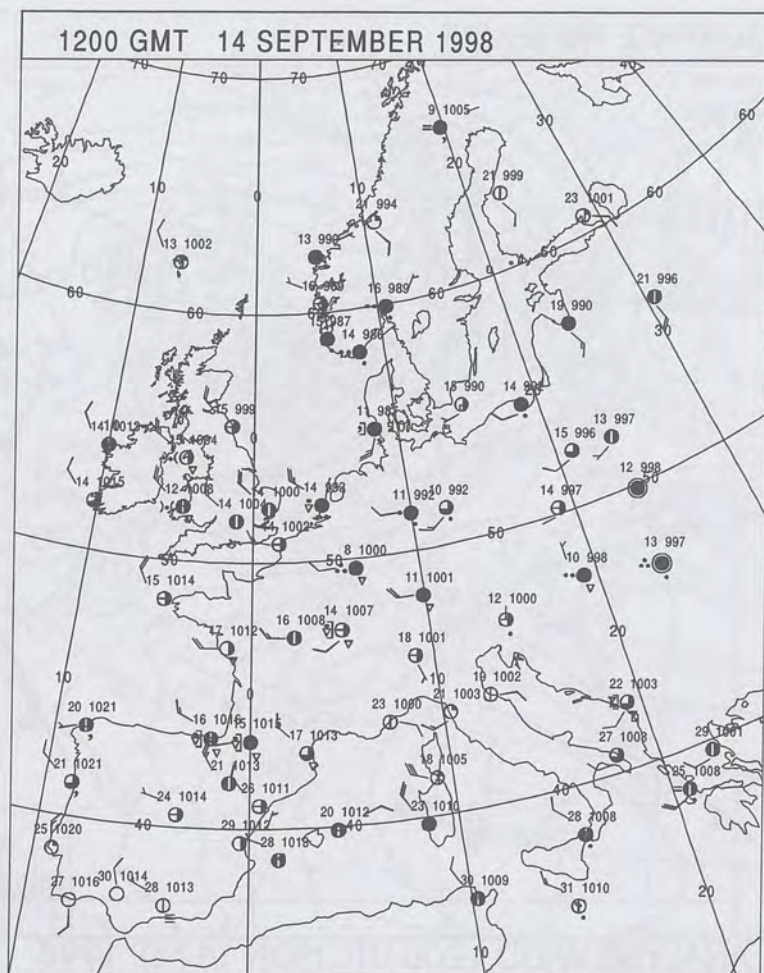
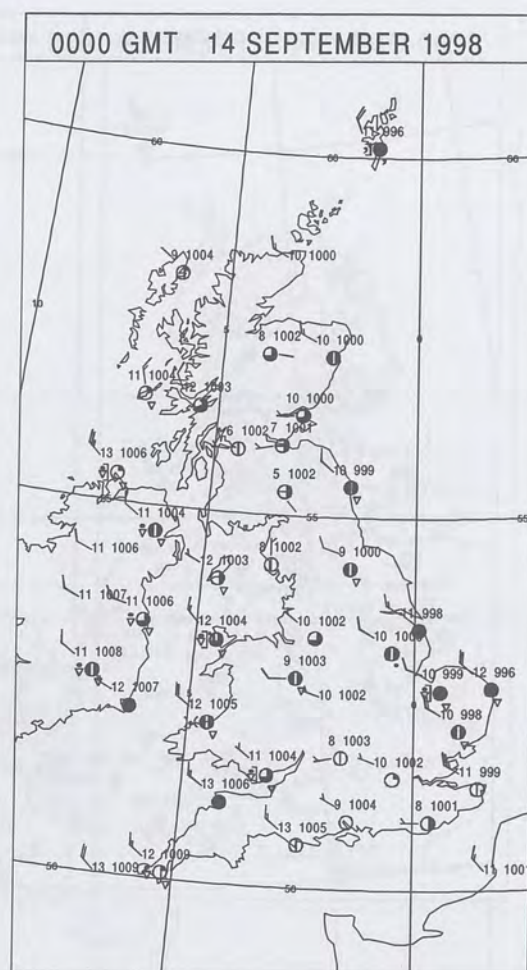
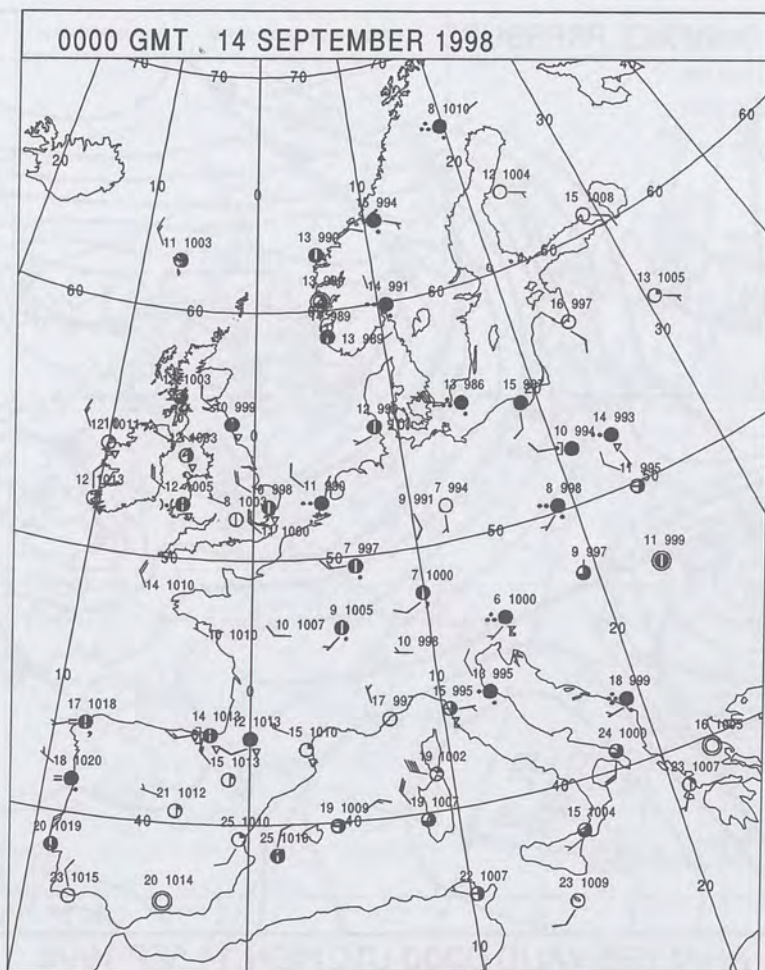
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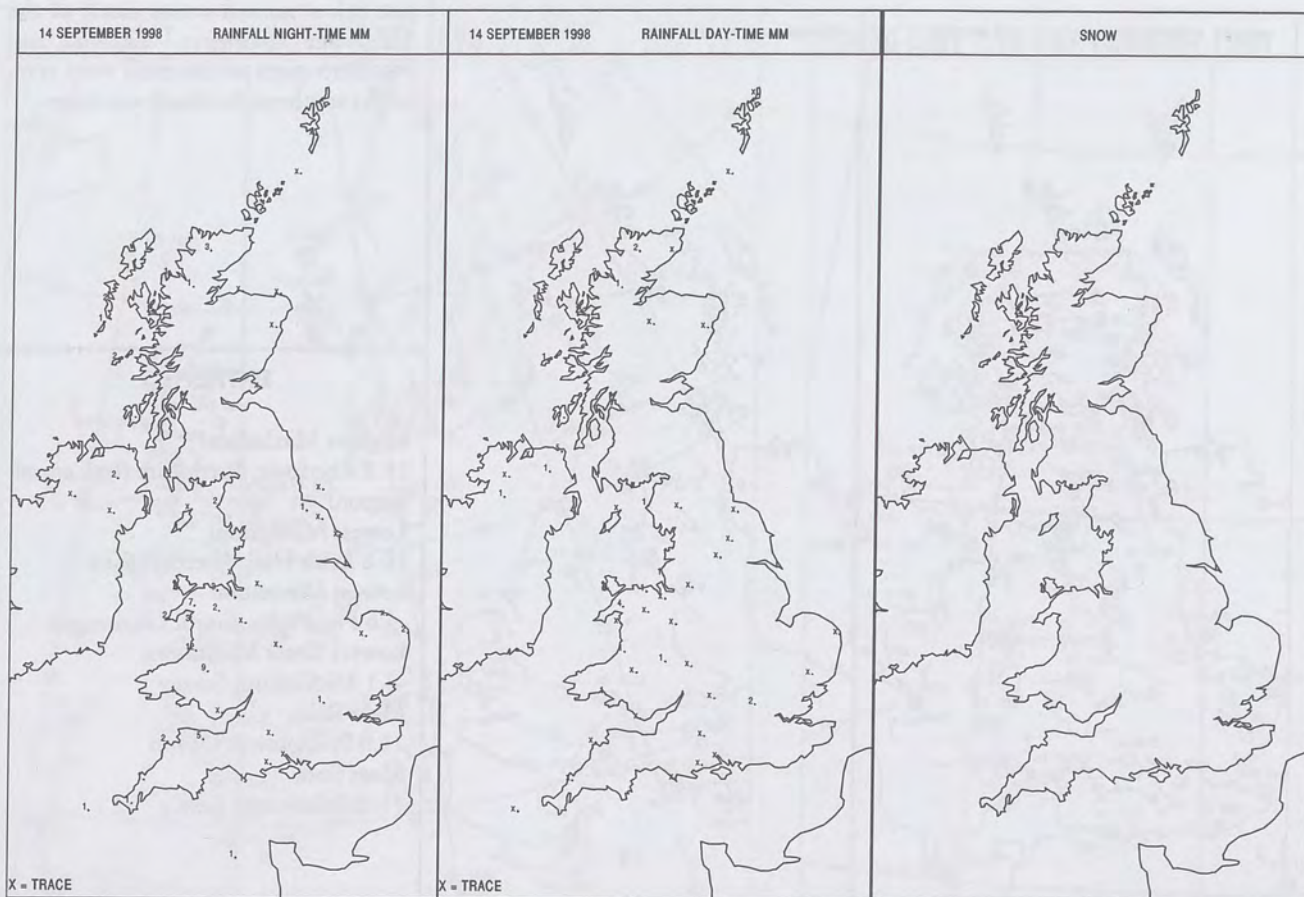
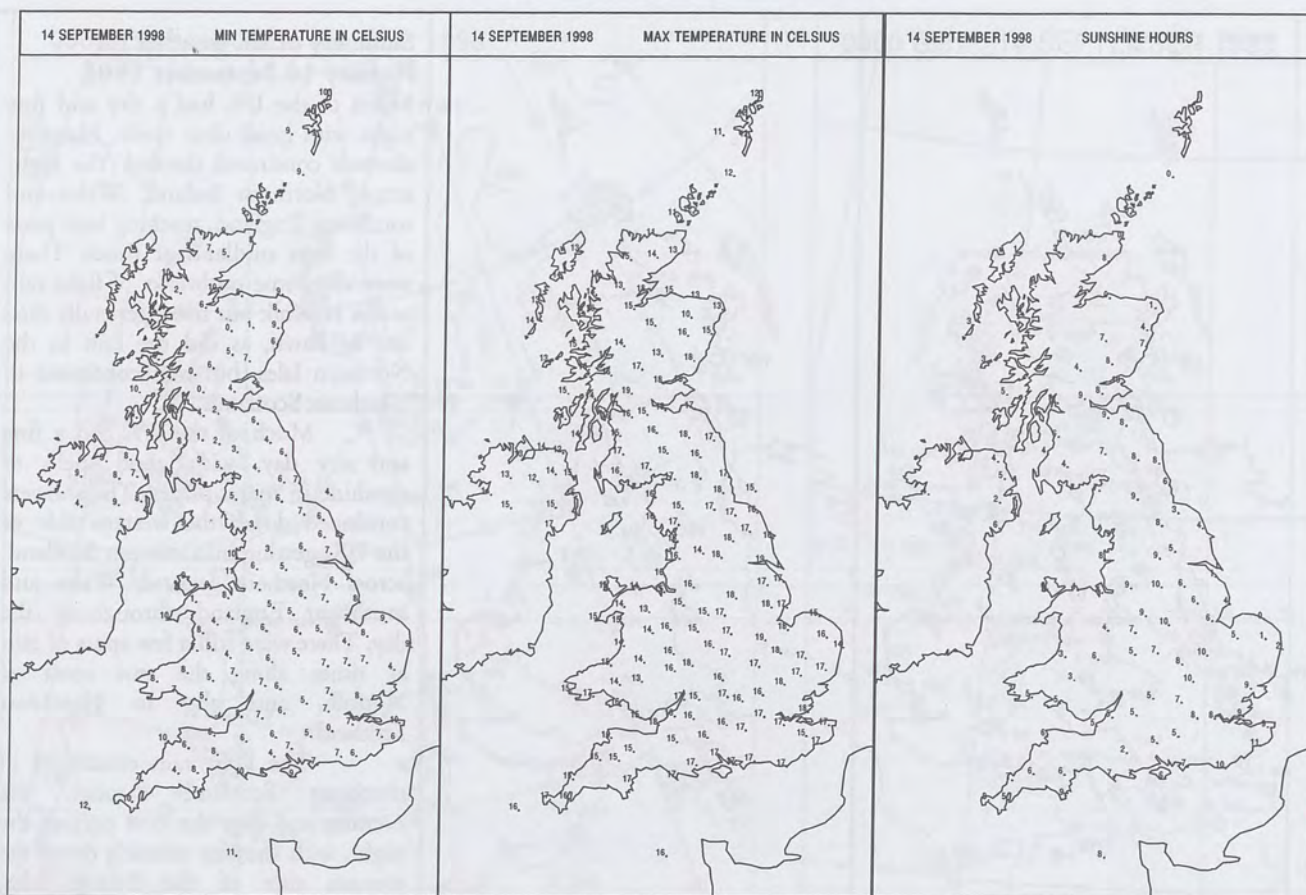


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0600 GMT 14 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 14 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK weather for Monday 14 September 1998</p> <p>Much of the UK had a dry and fine night with good clear spells. However showers continued through the night across Northern Ireland, Wales and southwest England, reaching into parts of the west midland at times. There were also some outbreaks of light rain across Norfolk but these generally died out by dawn, as did the rain in the Northern Isles, but rain continued in Northeast Scotland.</p> <p>Much of the UK had a fine and dry day, with good spells of sunshine in many places. The showers continued down the western side of the UK, getting into western Scotland, across Northern Ireland, Wales and southwest England throughout the day. There were still a few spots of rain at times along the east coast of Norfolk, and also in Northeast Scotland.</p> <p>The light rain continued in northeast Scotland through the evening and into the first part of the night, with showers running down the western side of the British Isles. Otherwise most places were fine and dry with clear spells.</p> <p>Temperatures were near or just below normal across much of the UK, but Northern Ireland and Northern parts of Scotland were cool, whilst southeast Scotland was warm.</p>
1800 GMT 14 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 14 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 19.8 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region)</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 10.8 Leith Hall, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -4.6 Flat Holm, South Glamorgan</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -8.1 Mickleham, Surrey</p> <p>Most Rain: 21.0 Princetown, Devon</p> <p>Most Sun: 11.2 Folkestone, Kent</p>

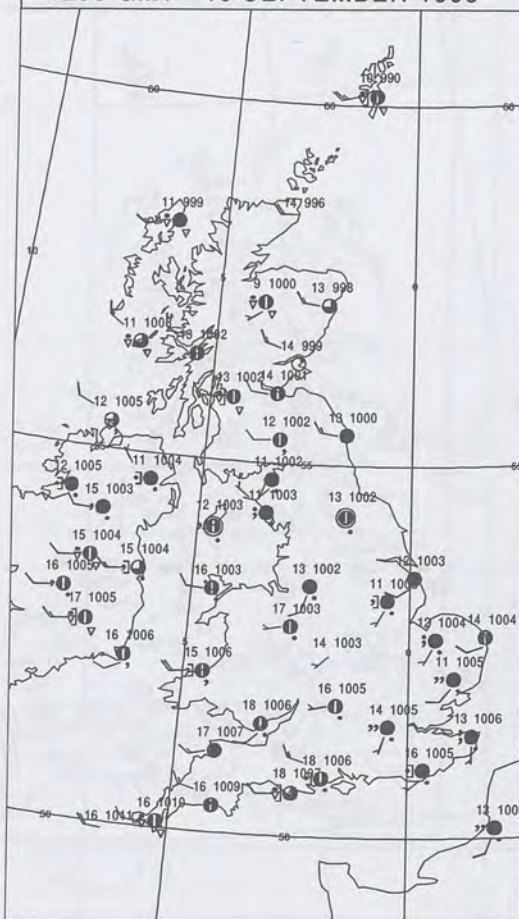
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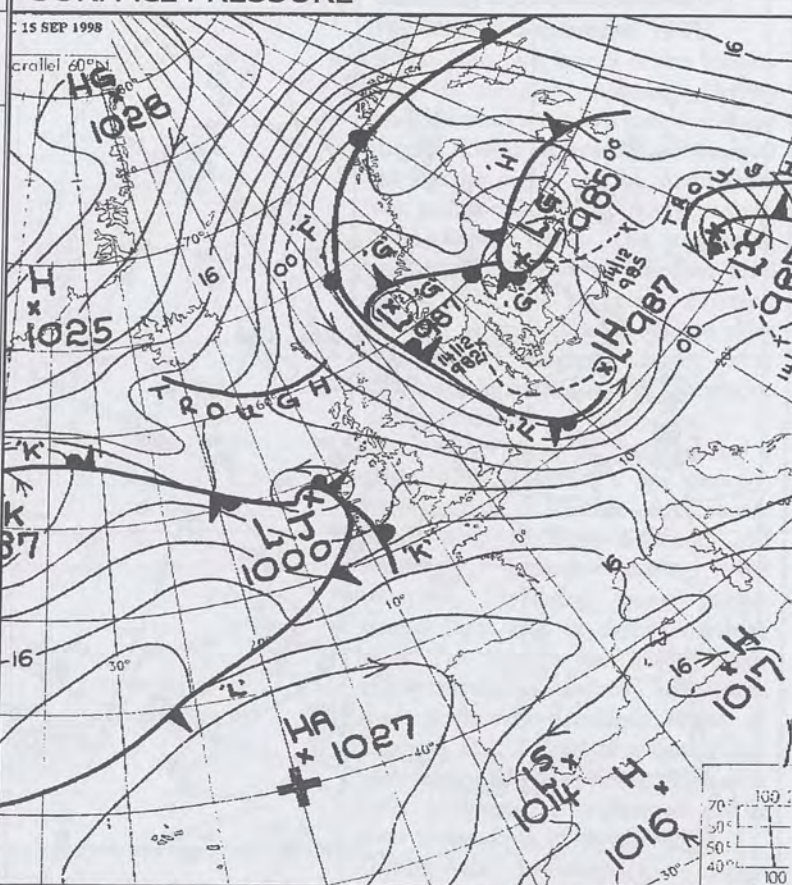


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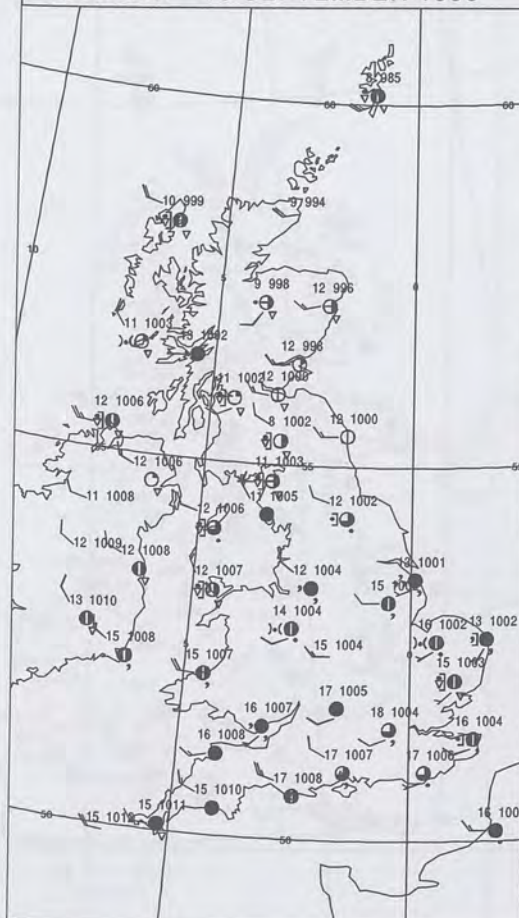


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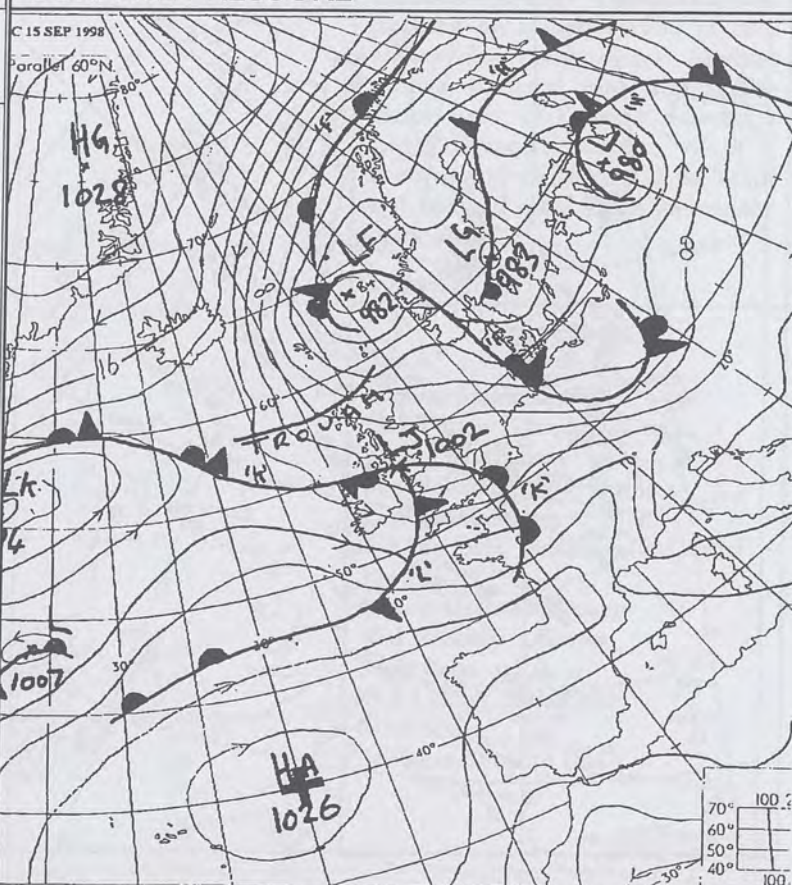


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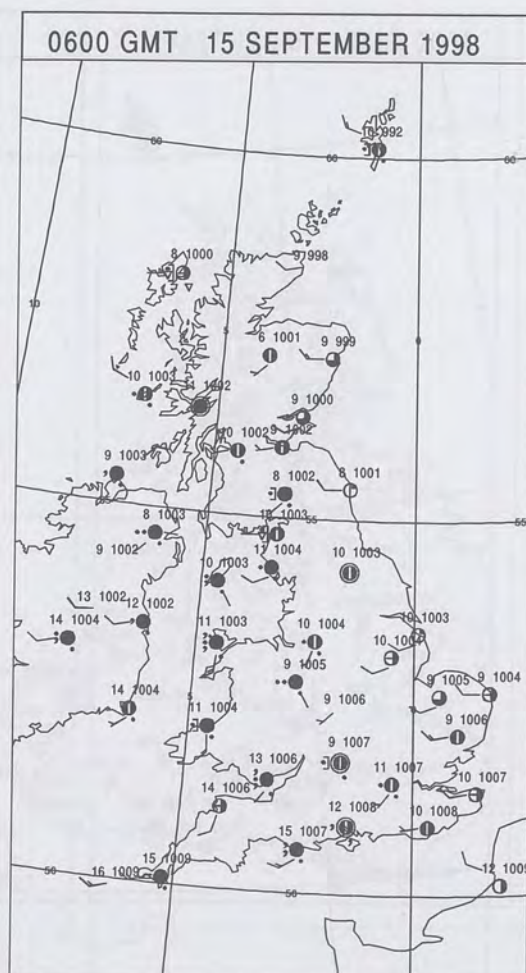
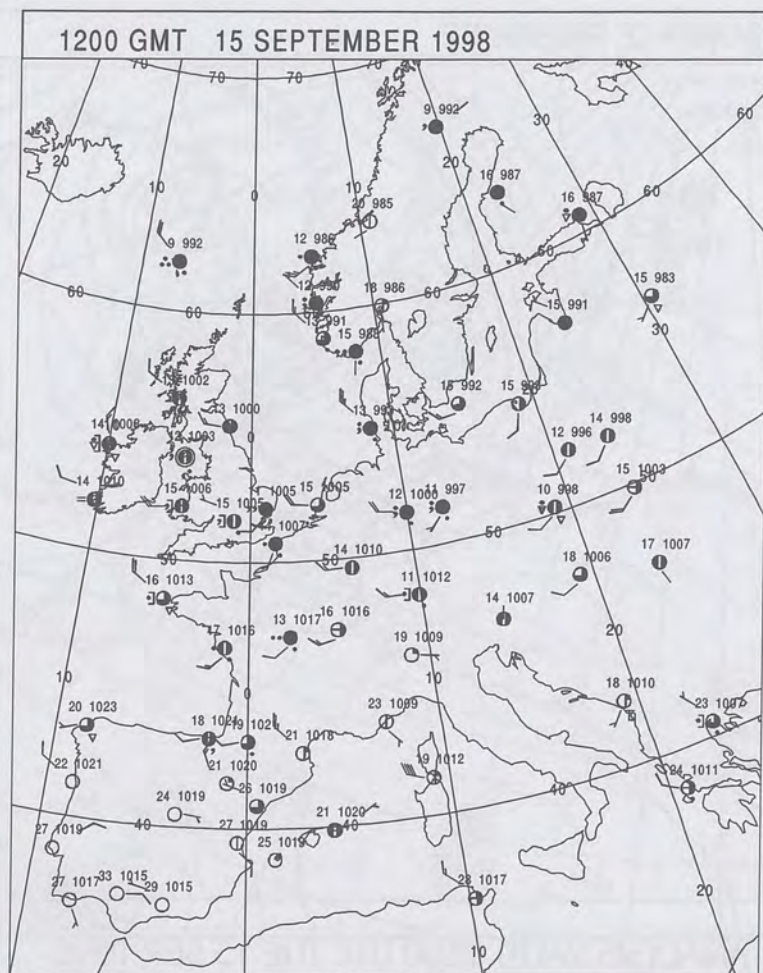
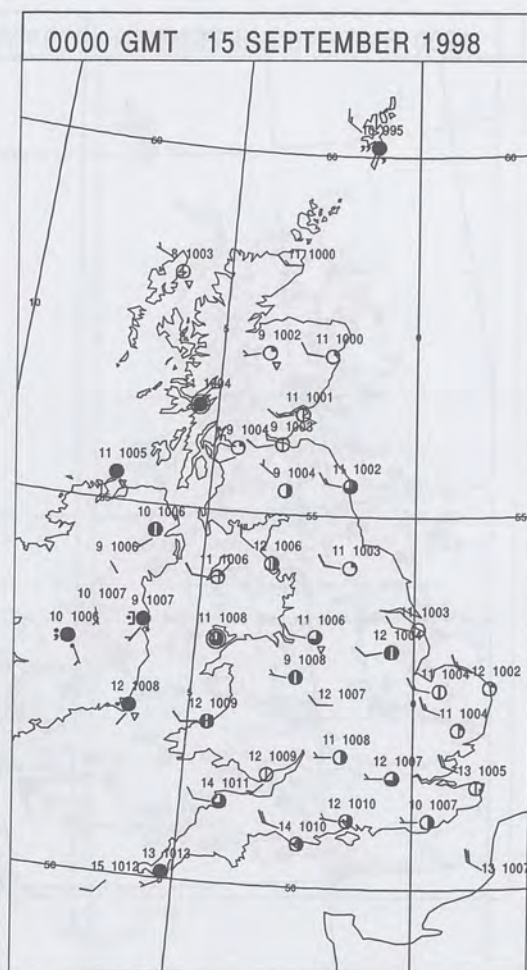
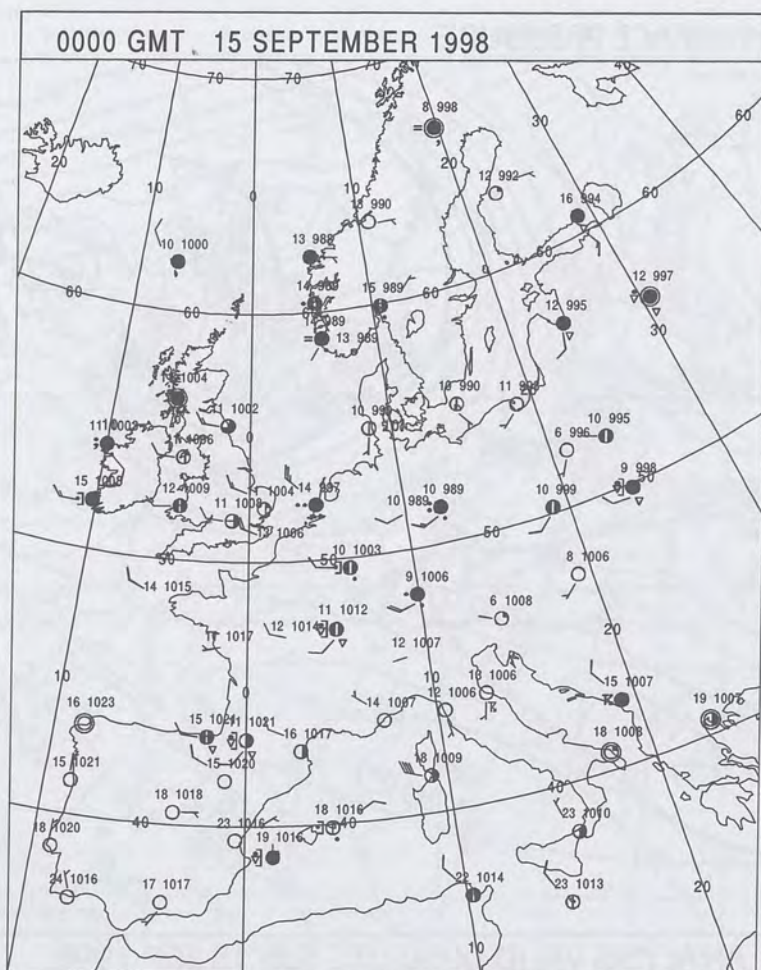
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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER

<p>0600 GMT 15 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>1200 GMT 15 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 15 September 1998</p> <p>It was clear over much of the country early in the night, although Orkney and Shetland were overcast with some drizzle. Cloud increased from the west during the night, and by dawn there was rain or drizzle in many western and southern areas. The sun rising against the spread of medium-level cloud from the opposite direction resulted in impressively-coloured skies over eastern England shortly after daybreak, including a large (in places, double) rainbow and mock suns.</p> <p>The northern half of Scotland had a fairly bright day with a few showers, and this type of weather edged slowly south over southern Scotland and Northern Ireland during the afternoon, replacing some earlier patchy light rain or drizzle in these areas. The showers were mostly light, but there were one or two heavy ones over northwest Scotland. Most of England and Wales had a cloudy day with rain or drizzle at times, much of it light. However, it brightened up in parts of the south in the afternoon.</p> <p>During the evening, the clearer weather from northern Britain moved south over northern England and north Wales; by midnight it was approaching the Thames Valley, preceded by a narrow band of rain. Meanwhile, northernmost Scotland became wet and very windy; Sule Skerry (west of Orkney) recorded a gust of 60 knots at 2200.</p> <p>It was mostly rather cool in the north and east and quite warm (eventually) in the south.</p>
<p>1800 GMT 15 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>0000 GMT 15 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	

EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:
21.2 Torbay (Torquay), Devon

Lowest Maximum:
10.0 Boltshope Park, Durham

Lowest Minimum:
0.4 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region)

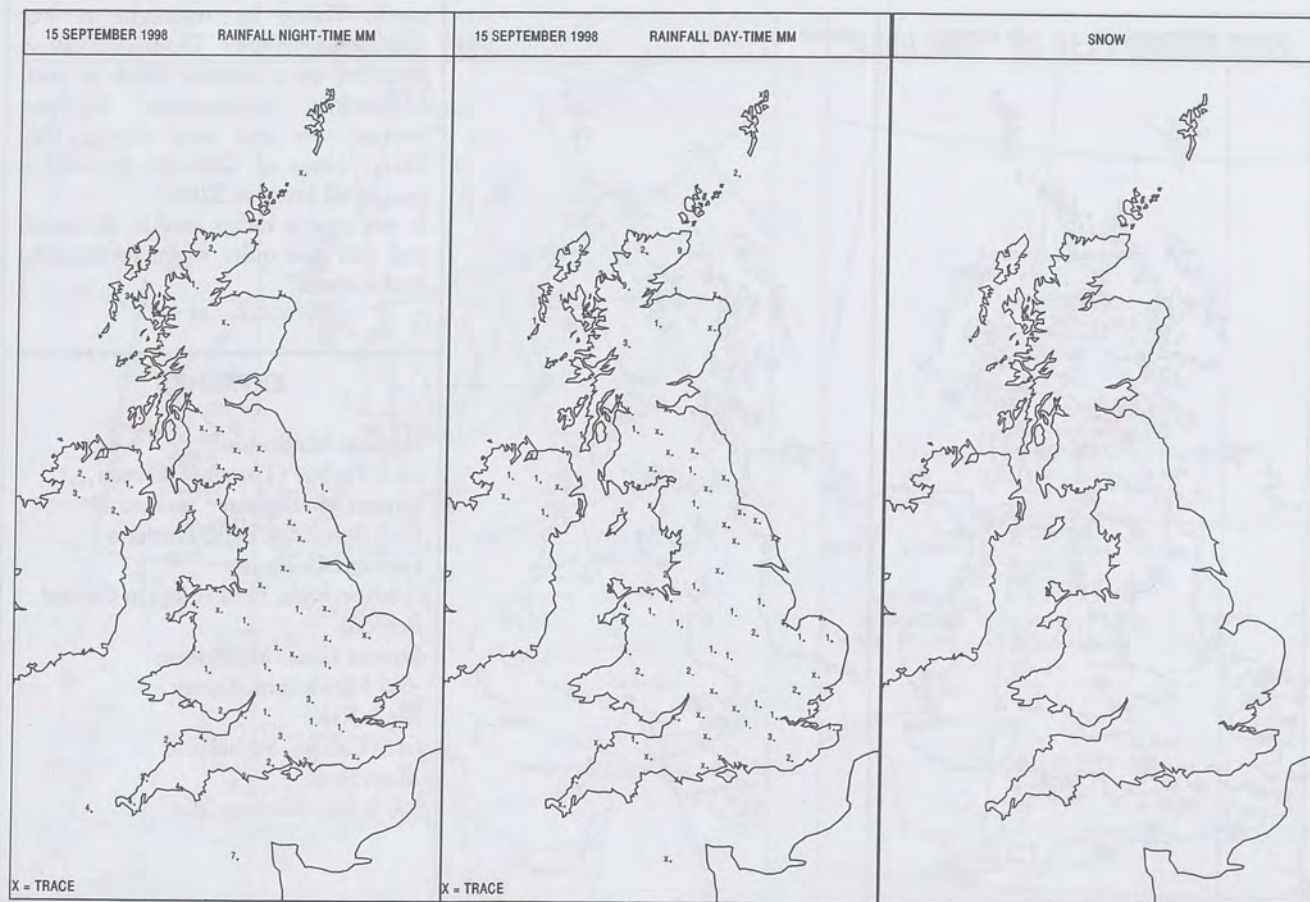
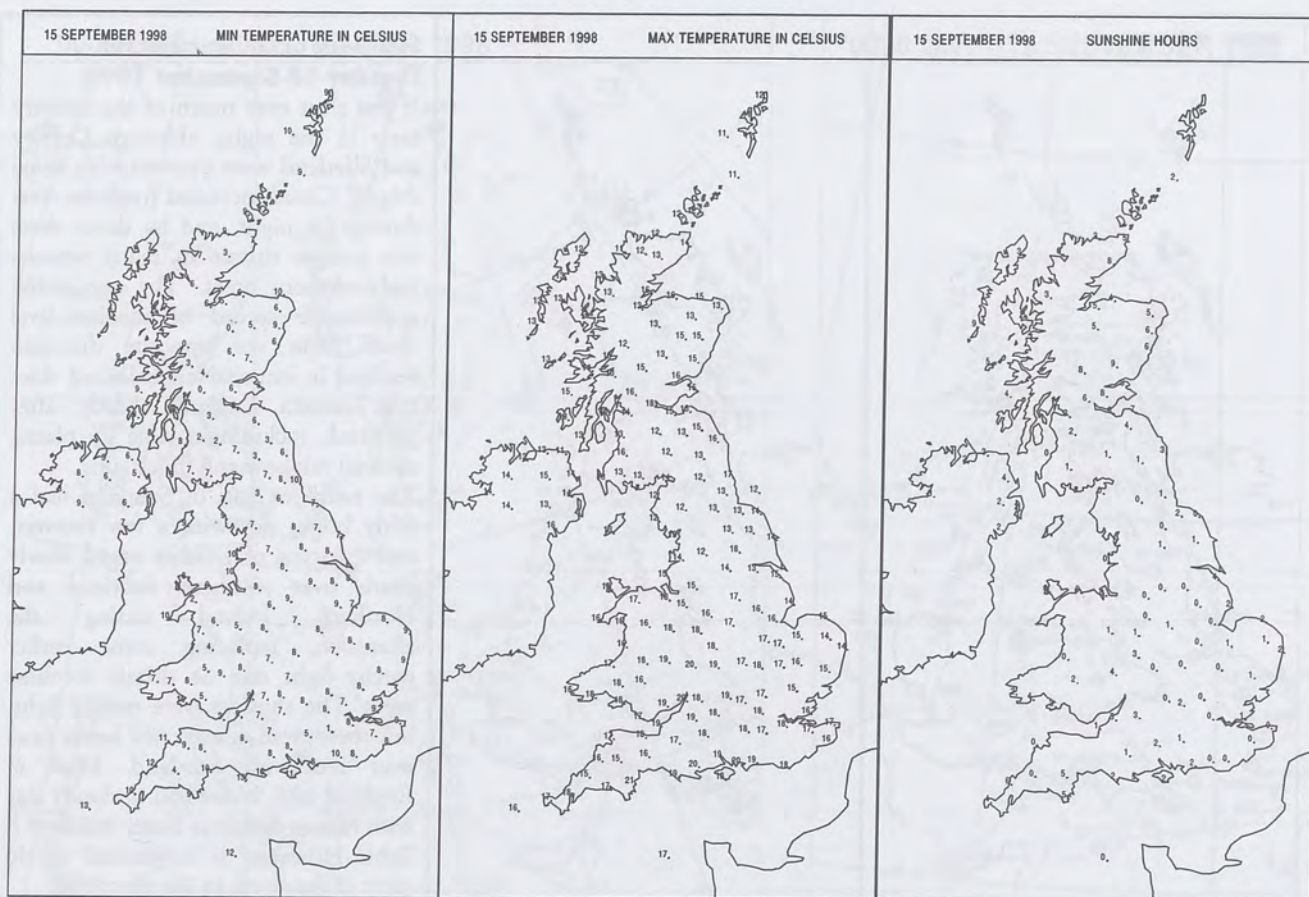
Lowest Grass Minimum:
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Most Rain:
61.0 Cassley, Sutherland

Most Sun:
9.6 Barra, Western Isles

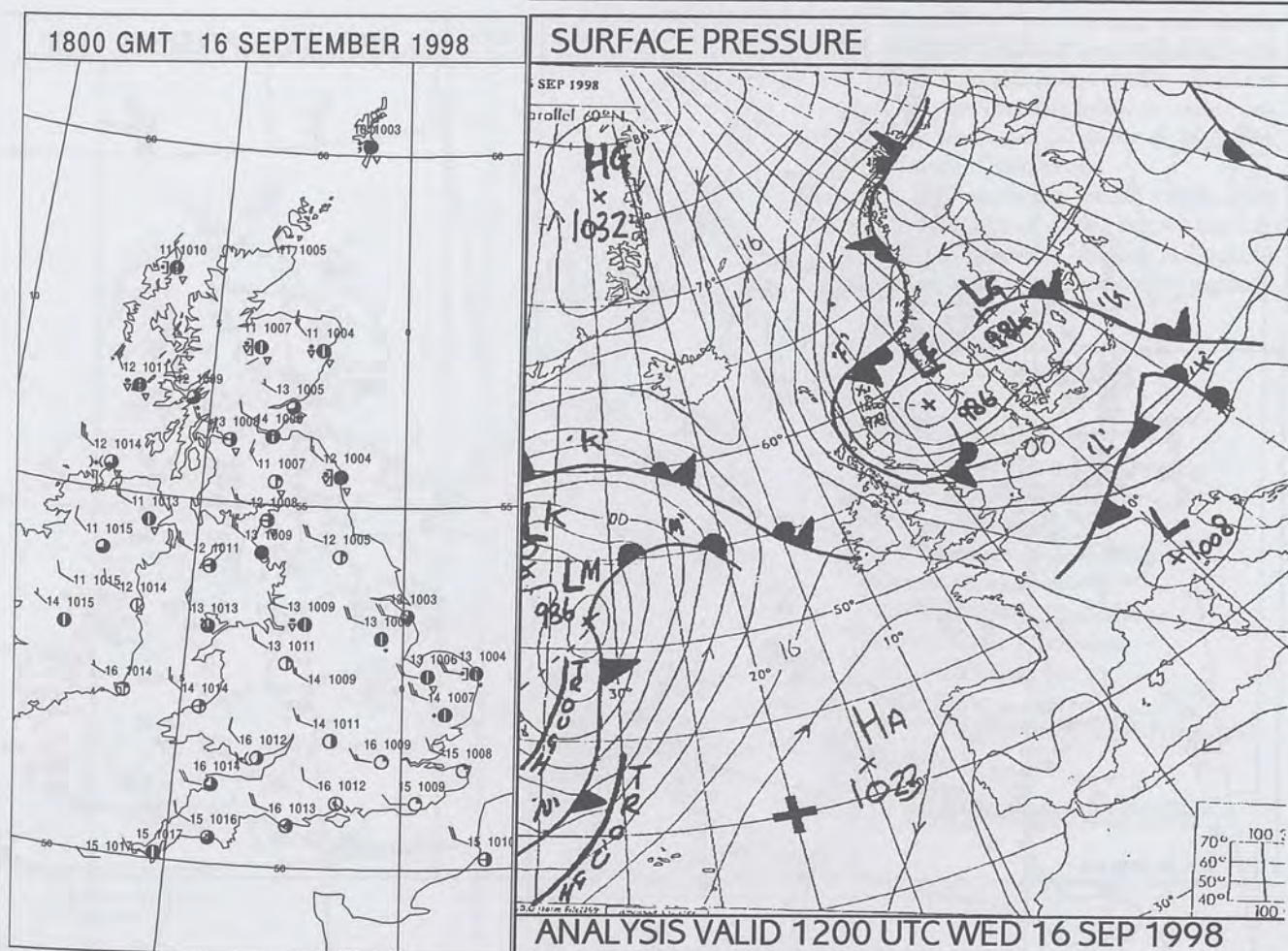
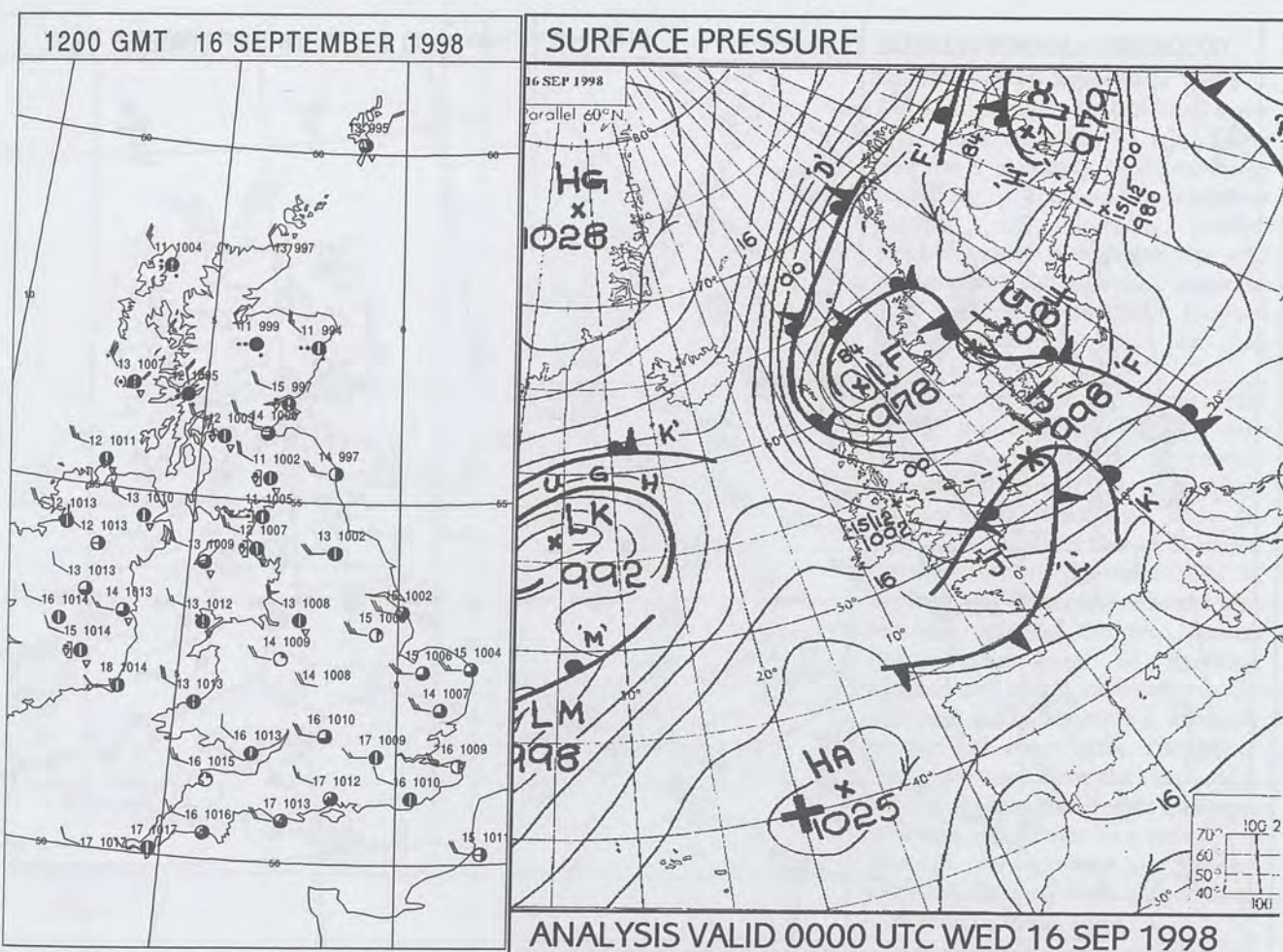
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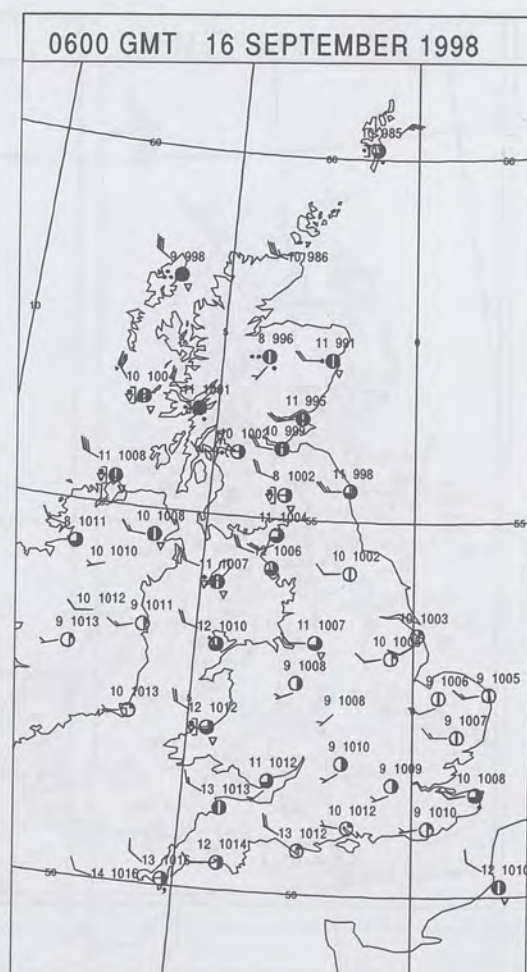
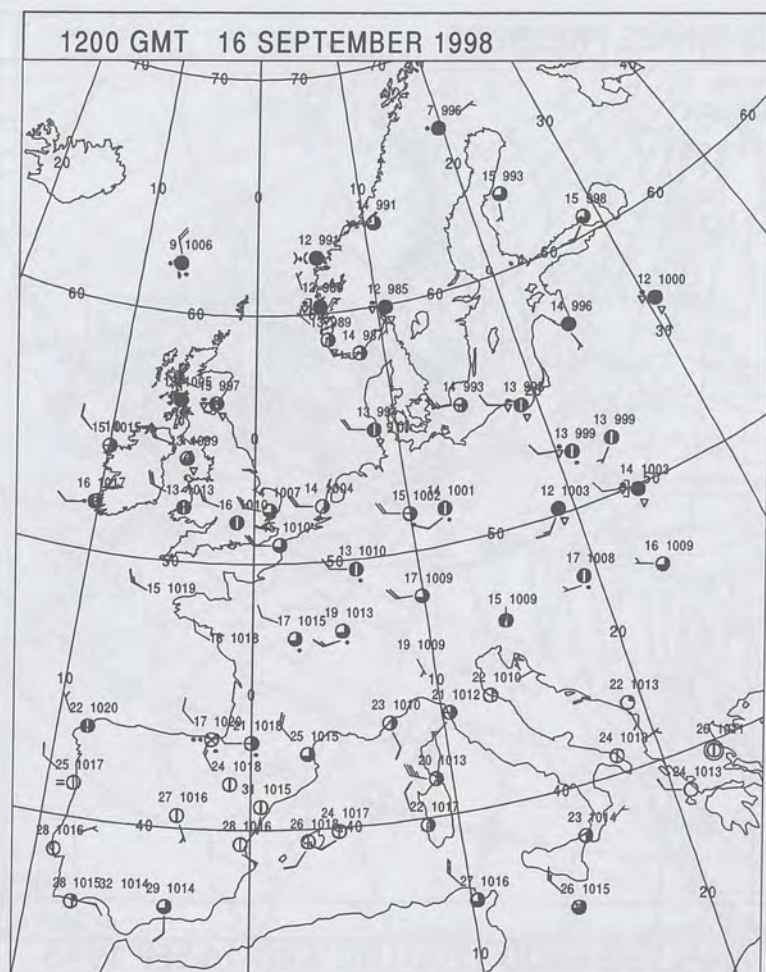
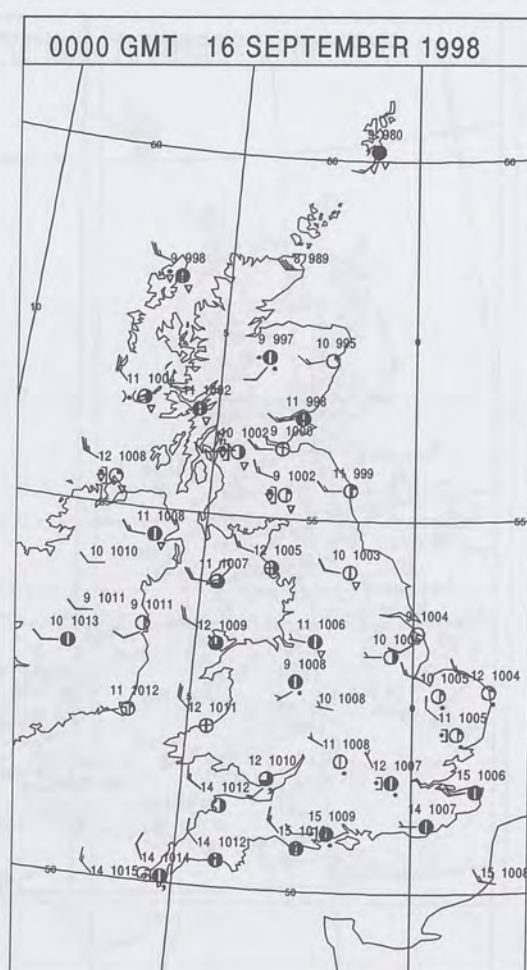
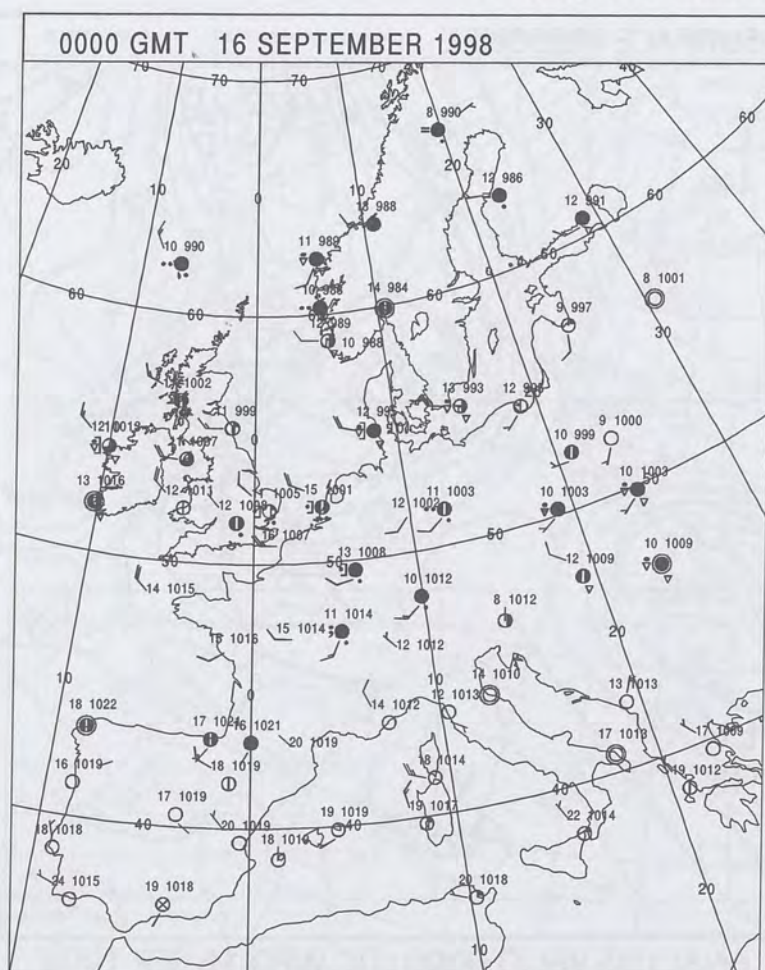
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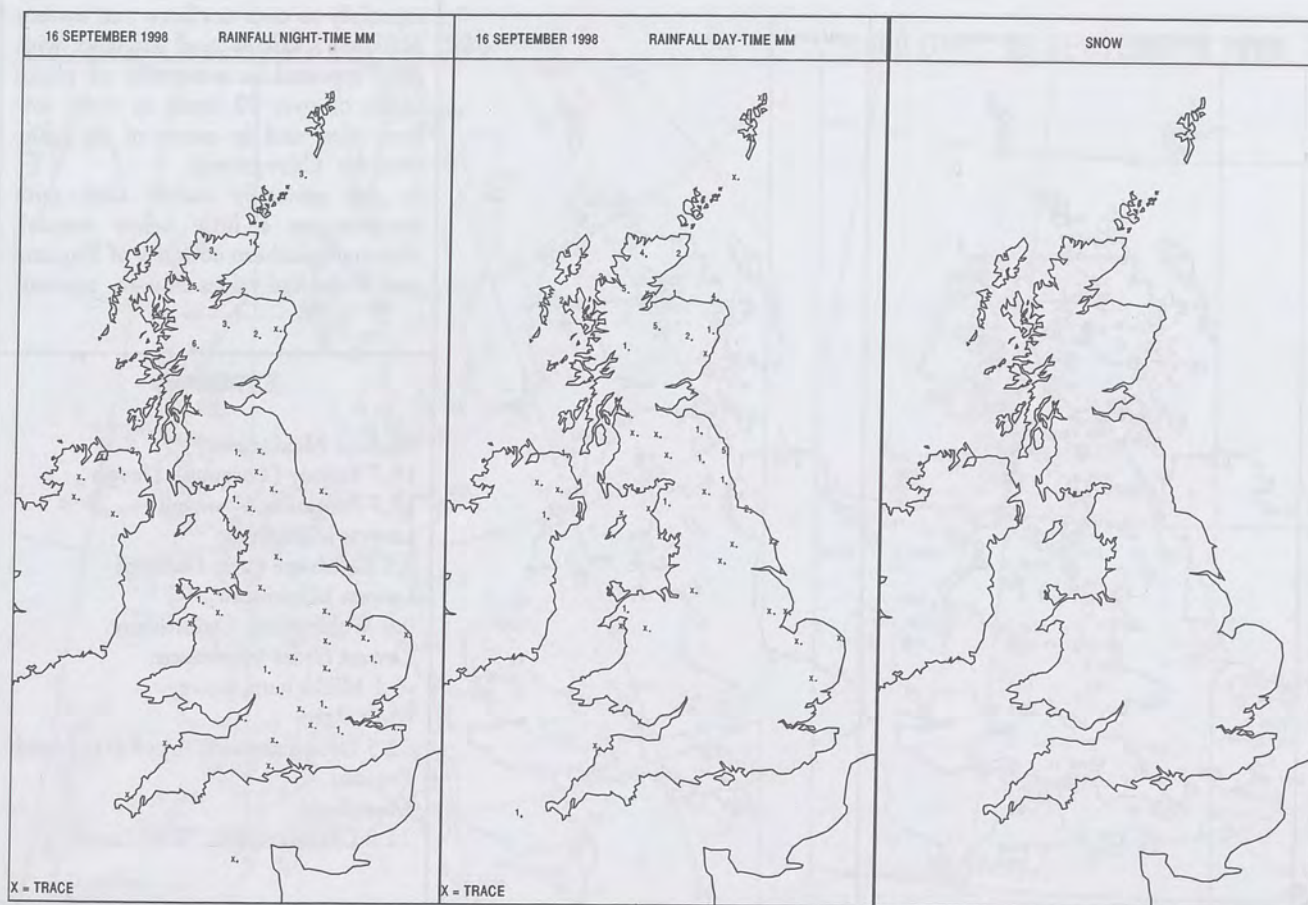
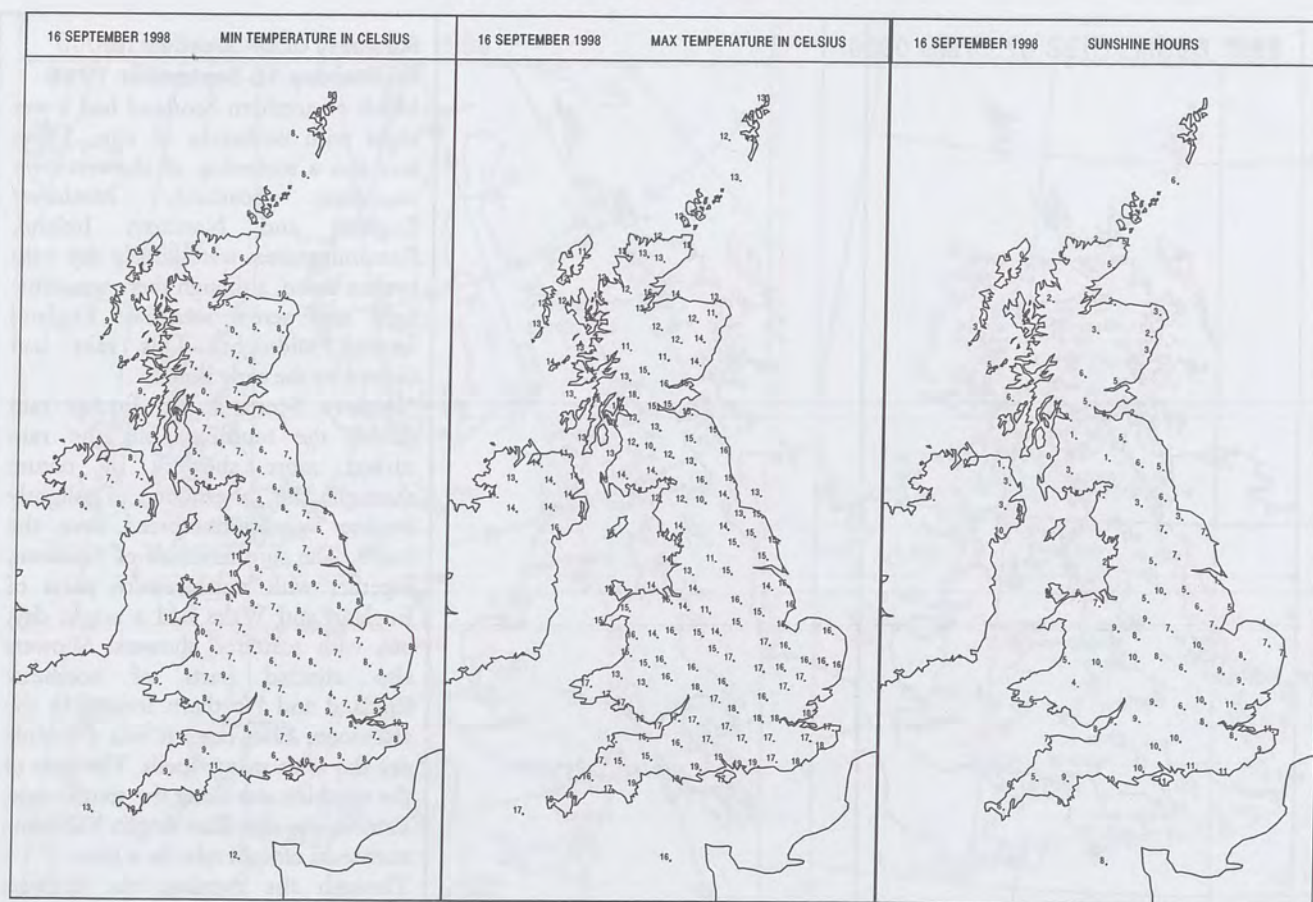


SIGNIFICANT WEATHER

0600 GMT 16 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 16 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 16 September 1998 <p>Much of northern Scotland had a wet night with outbreaks of rain. There was also a scattering of showers over southwest Scotland, northwest England and Northern Ireland. Remaining areas were largely dry with broken cloud, although there was some light rain across southeast England around midnight. This rain had cleared by the early hours.</p> <p>Northern Scotland had further rain during the morning, but the rain turned more showery in nature through the afternoon as slightly brighter conditions spread from the north. The southern half of Scotland, together with northwestern parts of England and Wales had a bright day, but with scattered showers. Showers also affected parts of northeast England and Northern Ireland in the afternoon. Elsewhere, it was a mainly dry day with sunny spells. The best of the sunshine was along the south coast. Later in the day, East Anglia had some outbreaks of light rain for a time. Through the evening, the showers tended to die away from all but those parts exposed to the north.</p> <p>It was a windy day generally, but especially so over northern and eastern parts of Scotland and England with gales reported in a number of places (gusts of over 50 knots at some low level sites, and in excess of 80 knots over the Cairngorms).</p> <p>It was generally rather cool with temperatures a little below normal, although southern counties of England and Wales had values close to normal.</p>
1800 GMT 16 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 16 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 19.7 Torbay (Torquay), Devon 19.7 Penzance, Cornwall Lowest Maximum: 9.5 Boltshope Park, Durham Lowest Minimum: 0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire Lowest Grass Minimum: -6.1 Mickleham, Surrey Most Rain: 22.5 Drumnatorran, Argyll (Highland Region) Most Sun: 11.8 Littlehampton, West Sussex

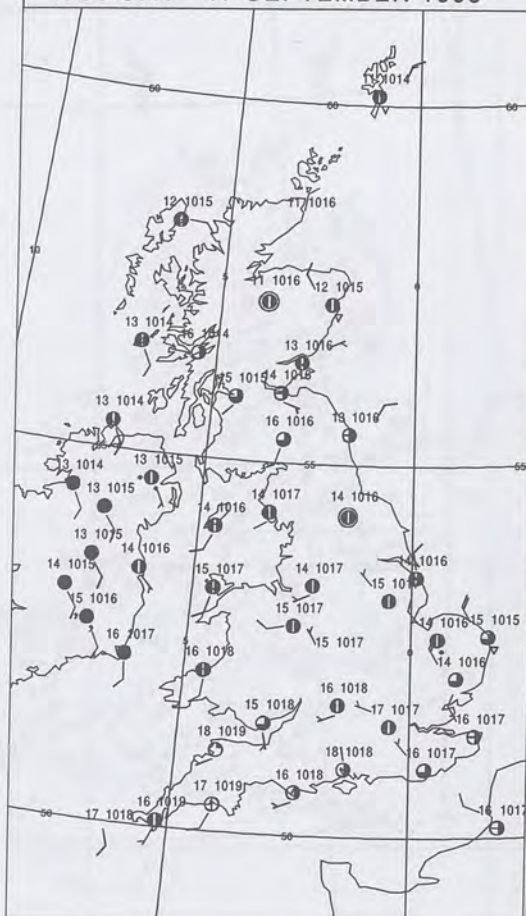
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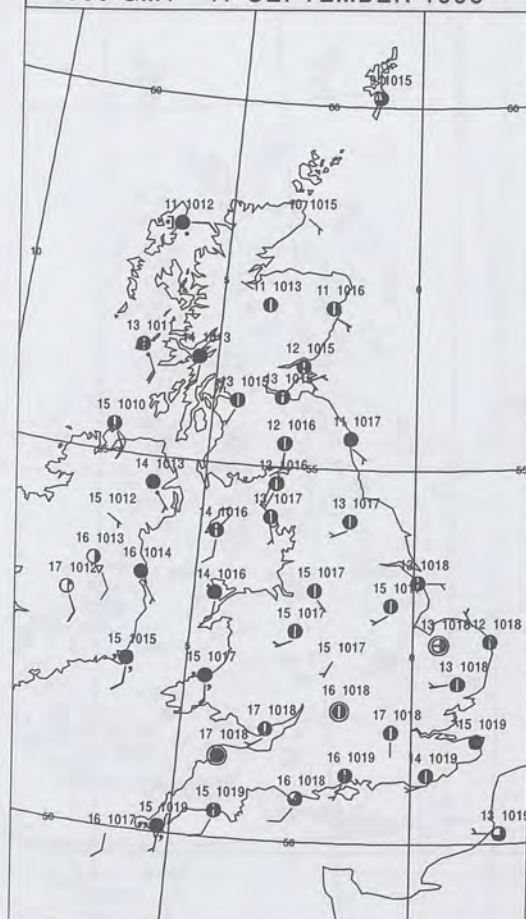


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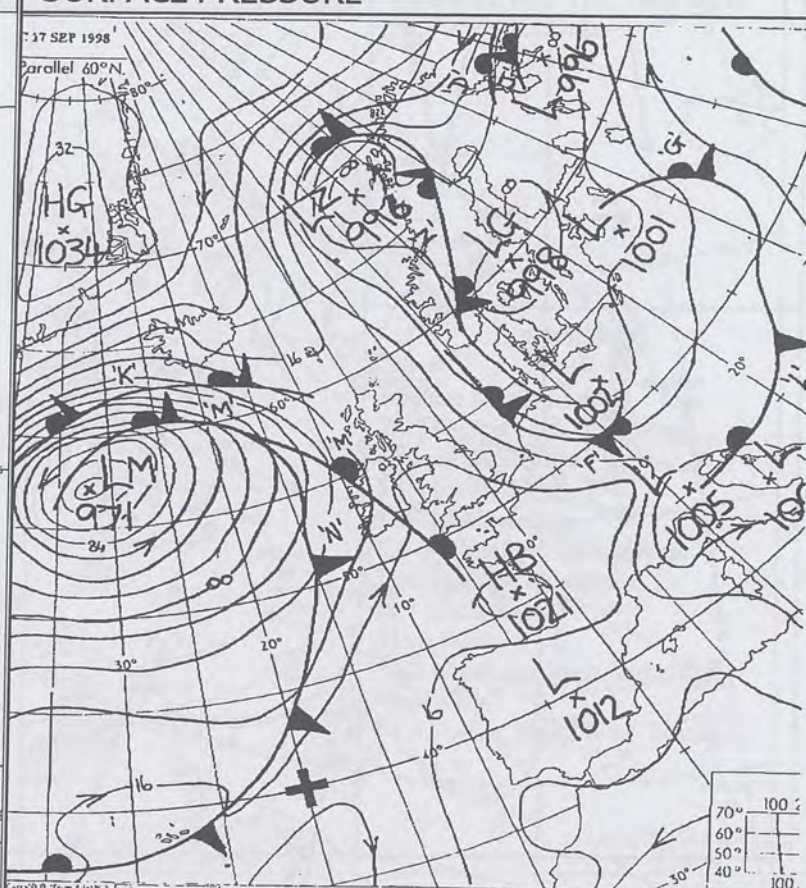


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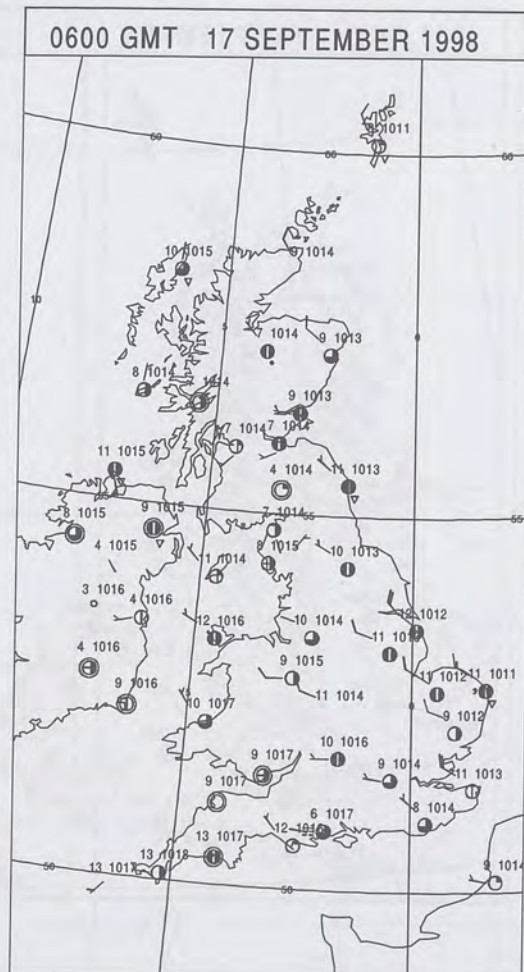
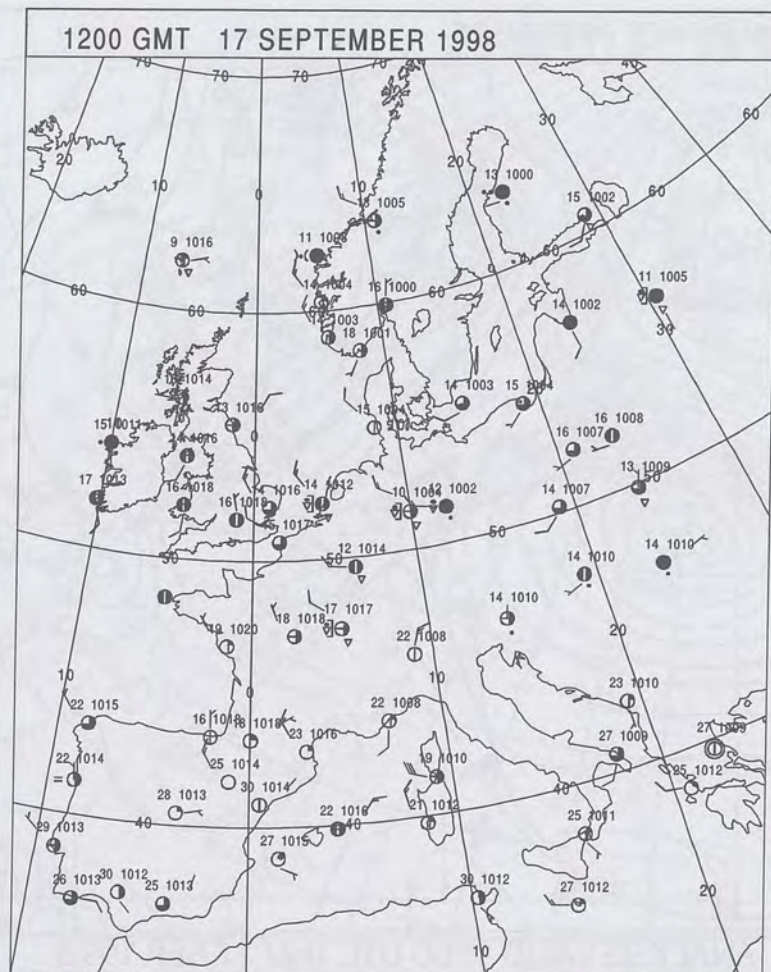
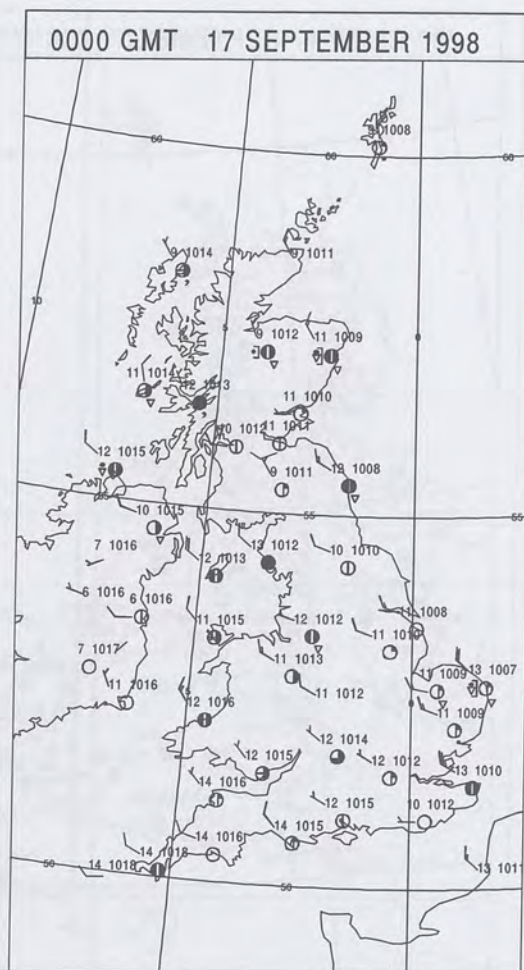
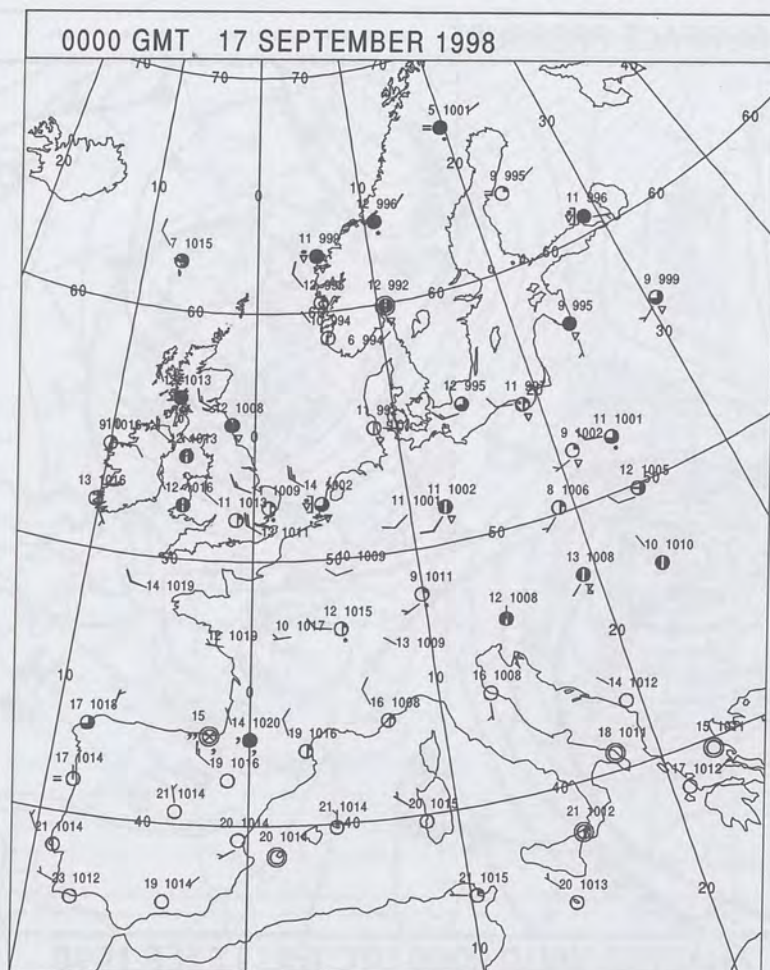
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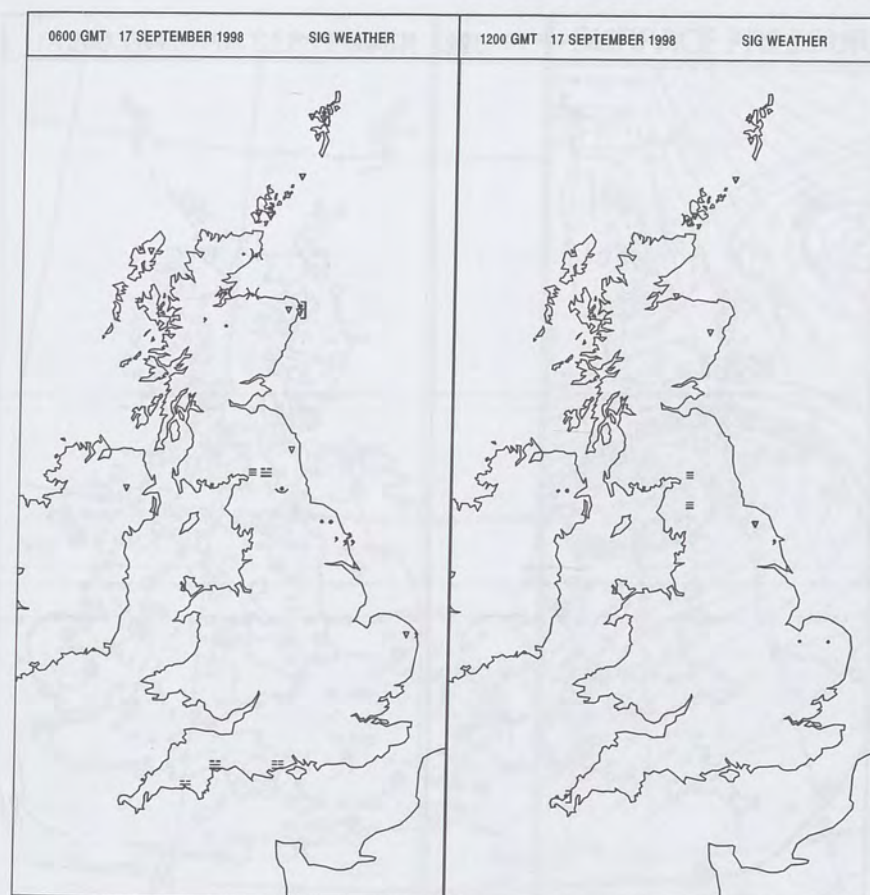
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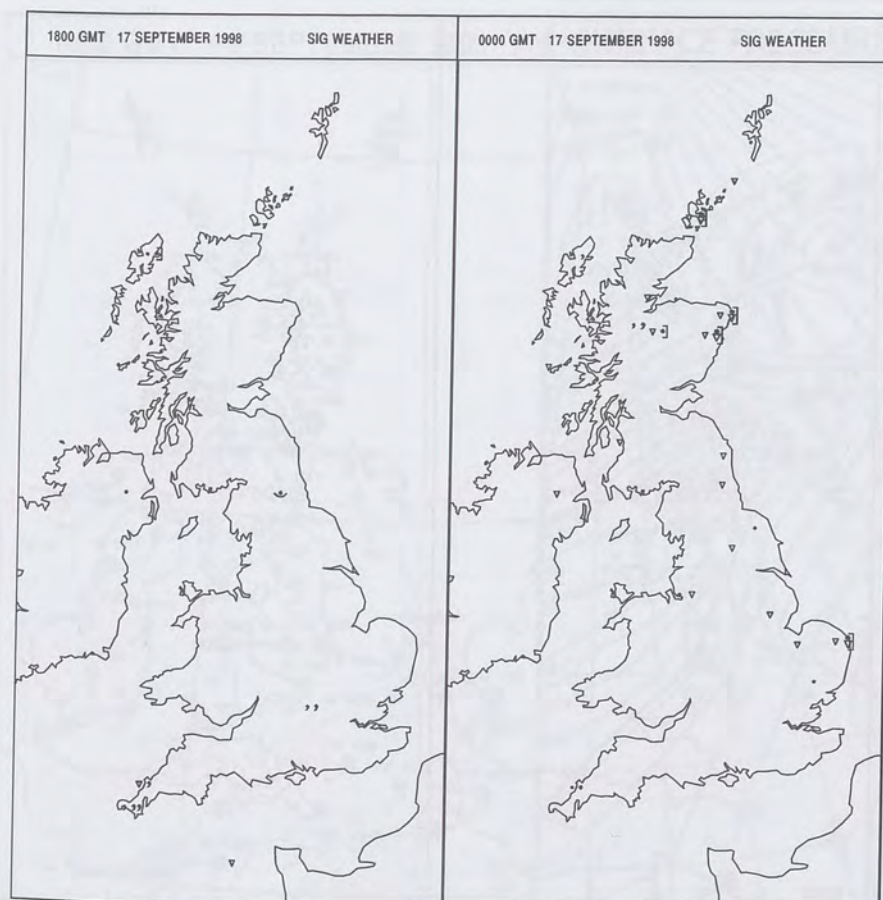
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Summary of UK weather for Thursday 17 September 1998

There was a scattering of showers in the north and east overnight, but much of the UK remained dry with broken cloud. Cornwall though, was rather cloudy with occasional drizzle. Most parts had a bright start to the day. There were still a few showers over northeast Scotland and also over Norfolk, chiefly in the morning, but most parts had a dry day. Cloud amounts were rather variable, but many places had sunny spells. Later in the day, the cloud tended to increase over western parts, bringing occasional light rain or drizzle to Northern Ireland, and westernmost fringes of Scotland, England and Wales in the evening. Remaining areas had a dry evening.

The rain became more persistent over the Western Isles and western parts of Northern Ireland towards midnight.

It rather cool over the more eastern parts of Scotland and England, but elsewhere, the temperatures were close to normal.


EXTREMES
Highest Maximum:

25.1 Detton Hall, Shropshire

Lowest Maximum:

11.0 Foula, Shetland

Lowest Minimum:

0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-8.1 Mickleham, Surrey

Most Rain:

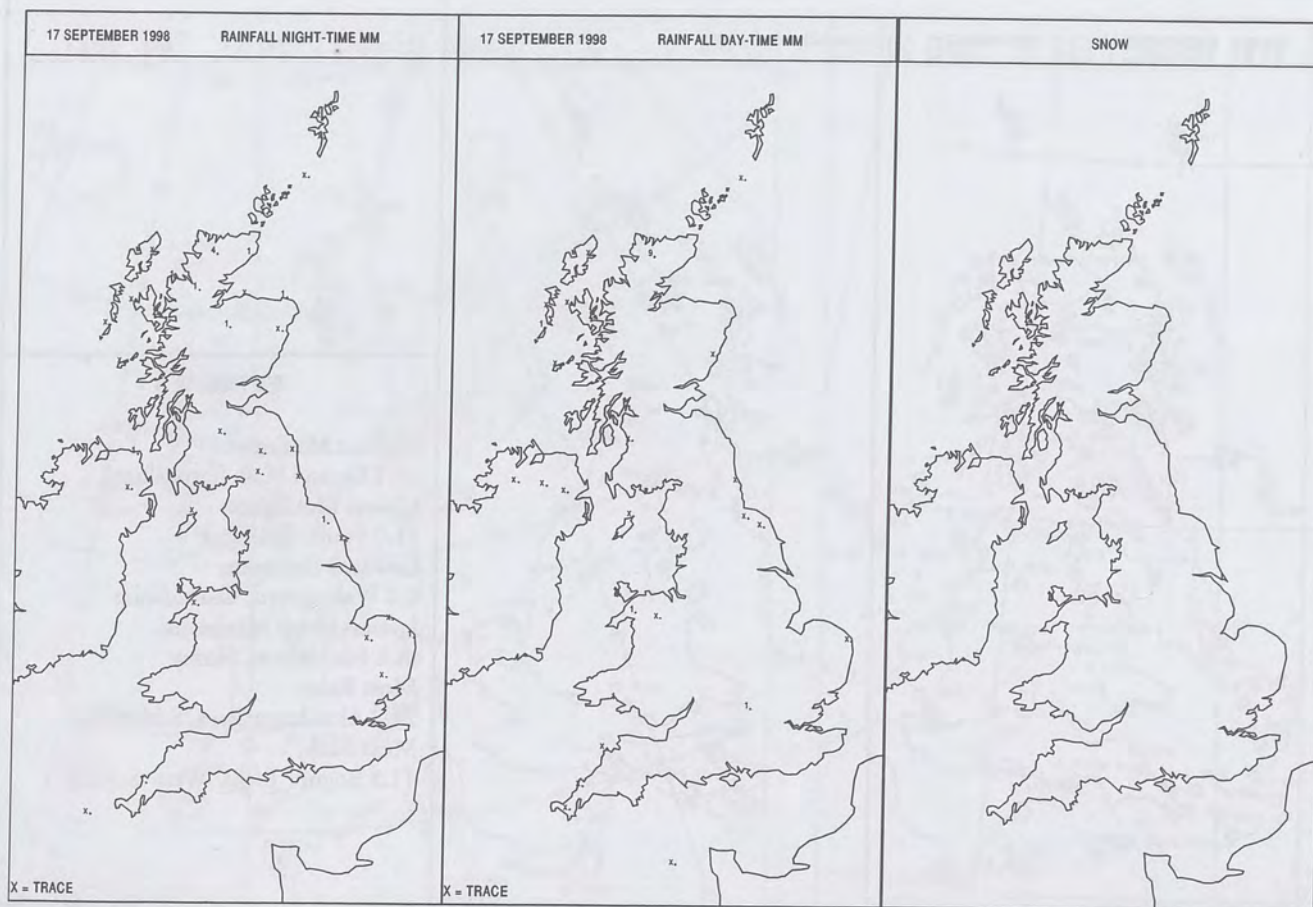
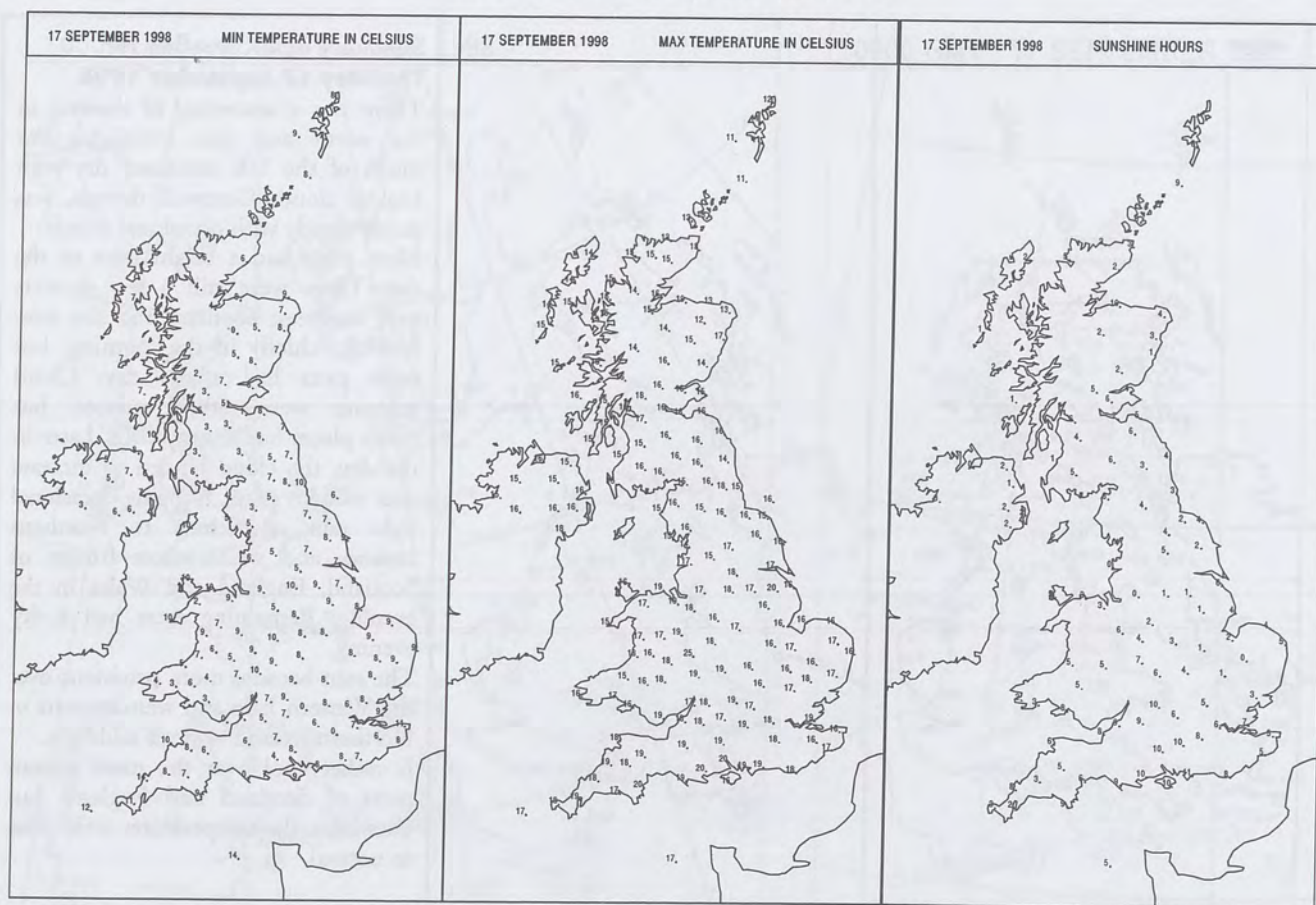
24.2 Altnaharra Saws, Sutherland

Most Sun:

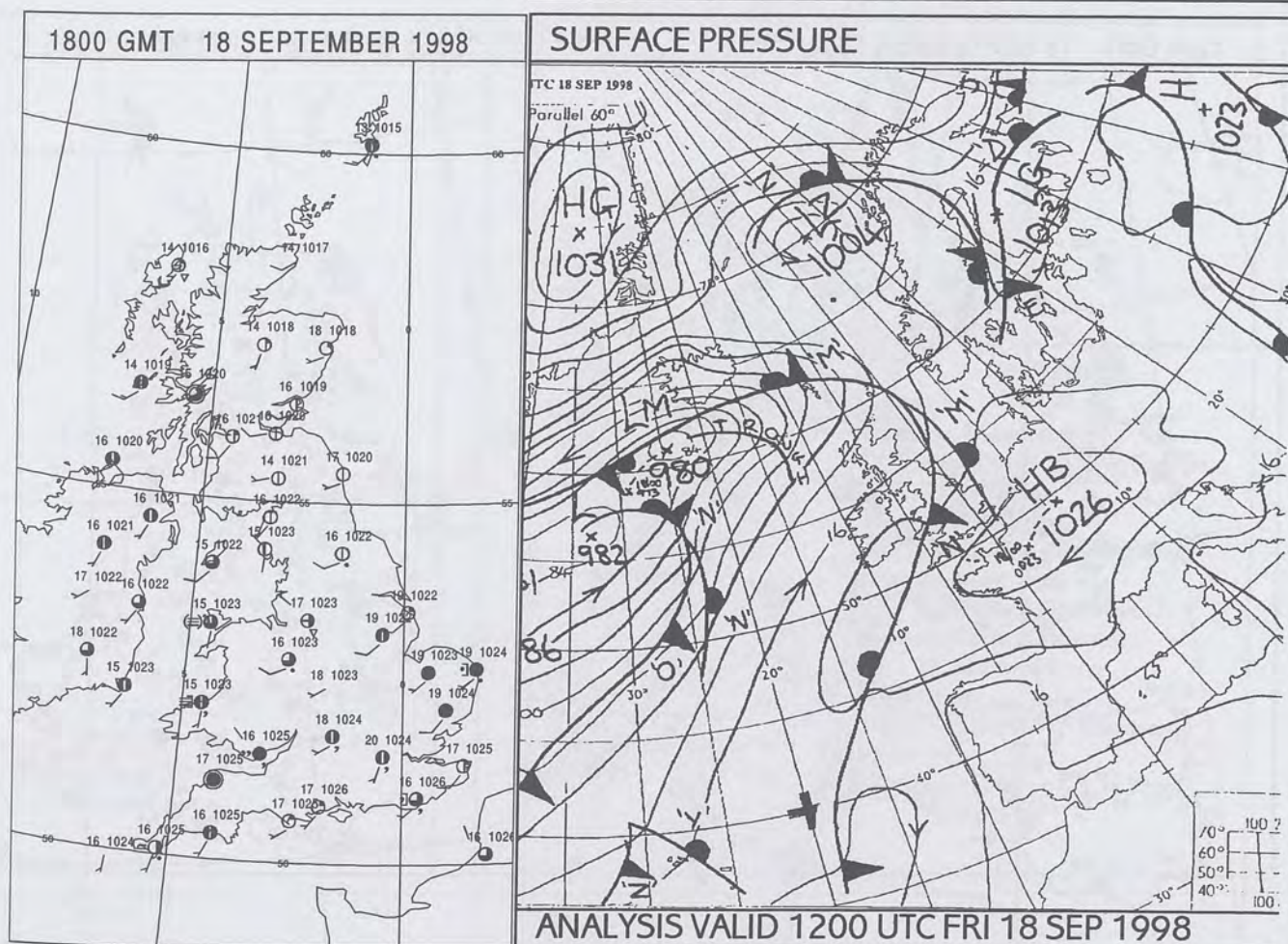
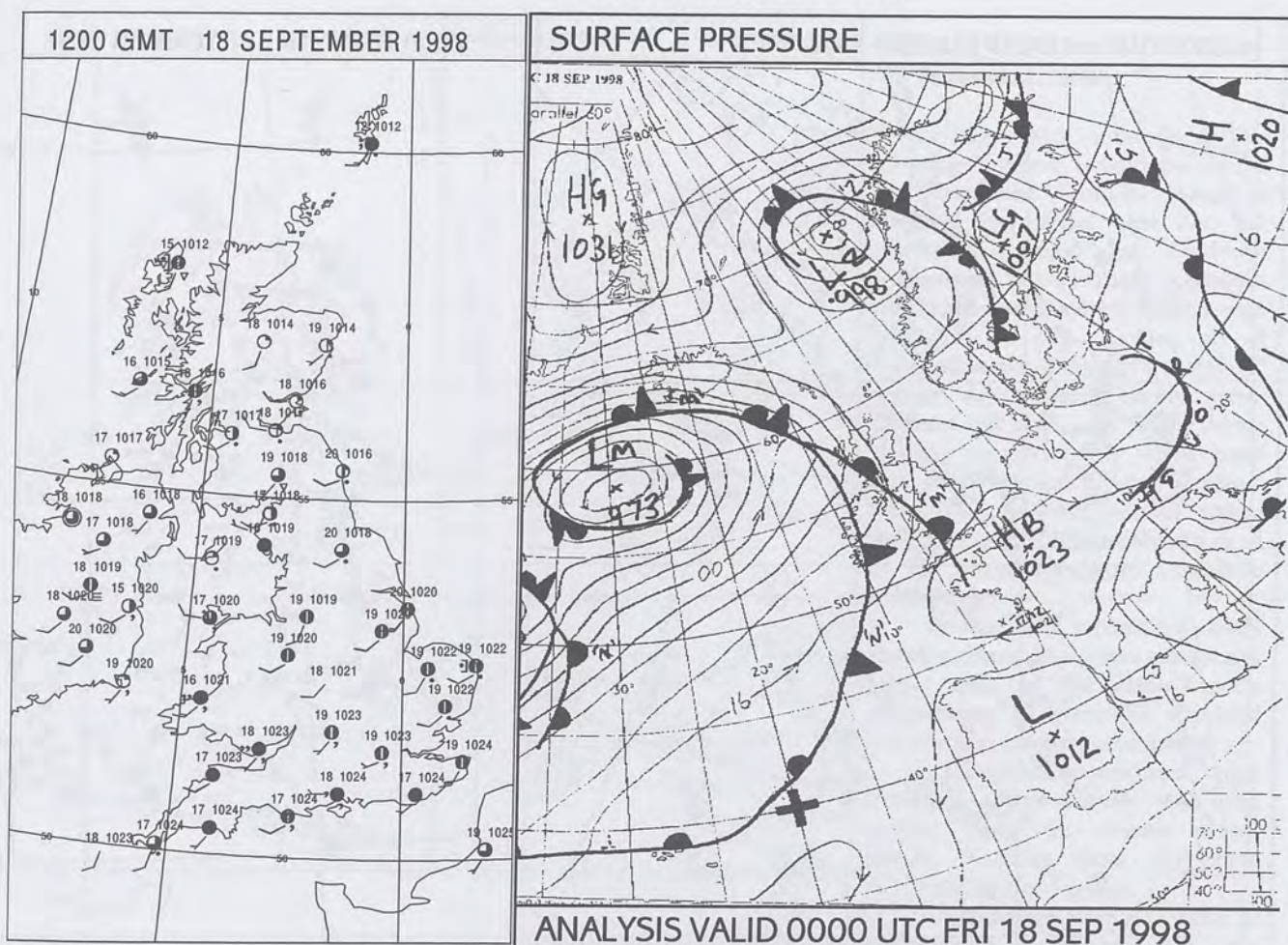
11.3 Bognor Regis, West Sussex

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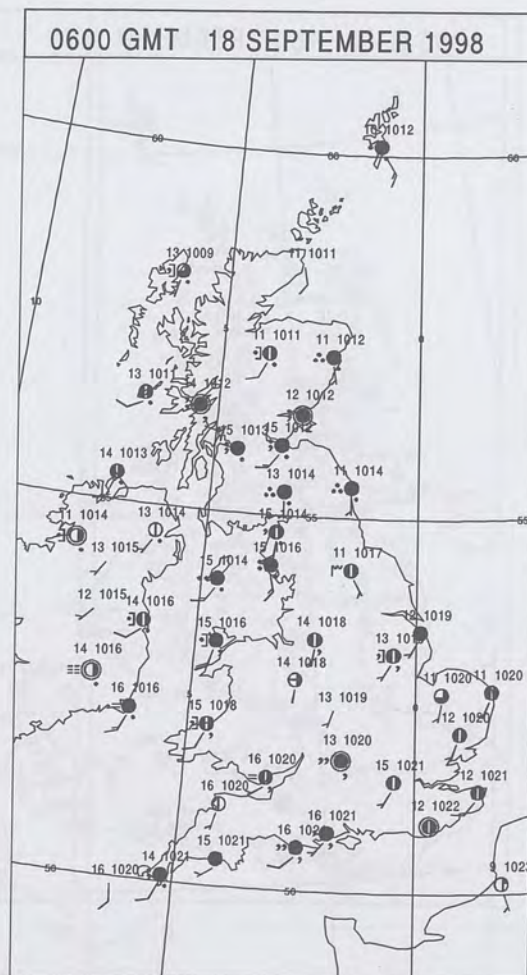
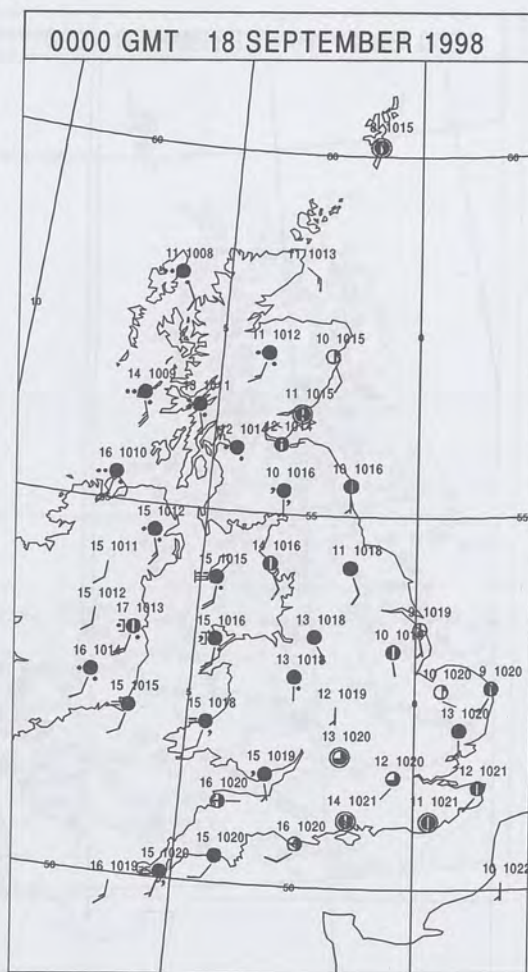
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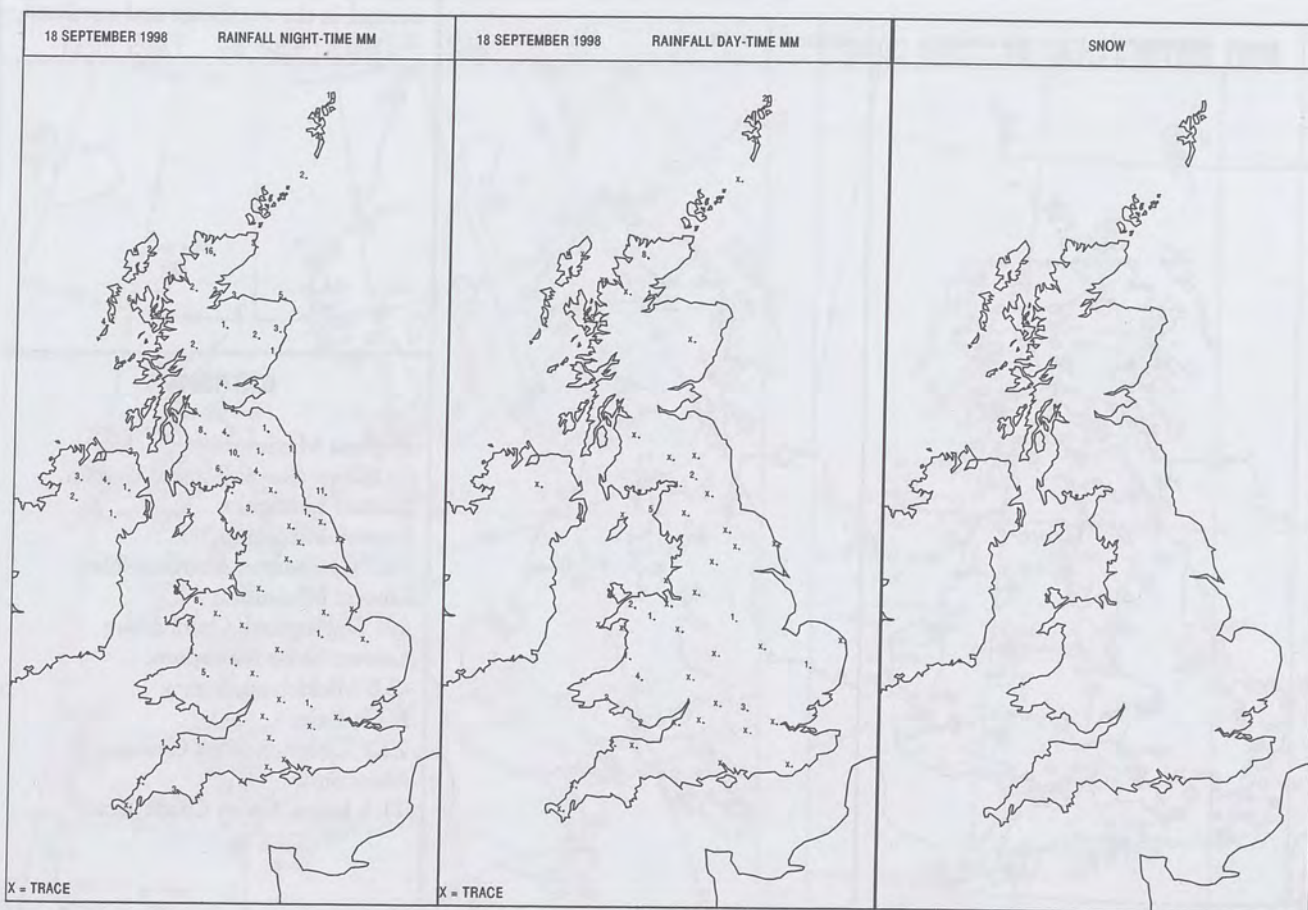
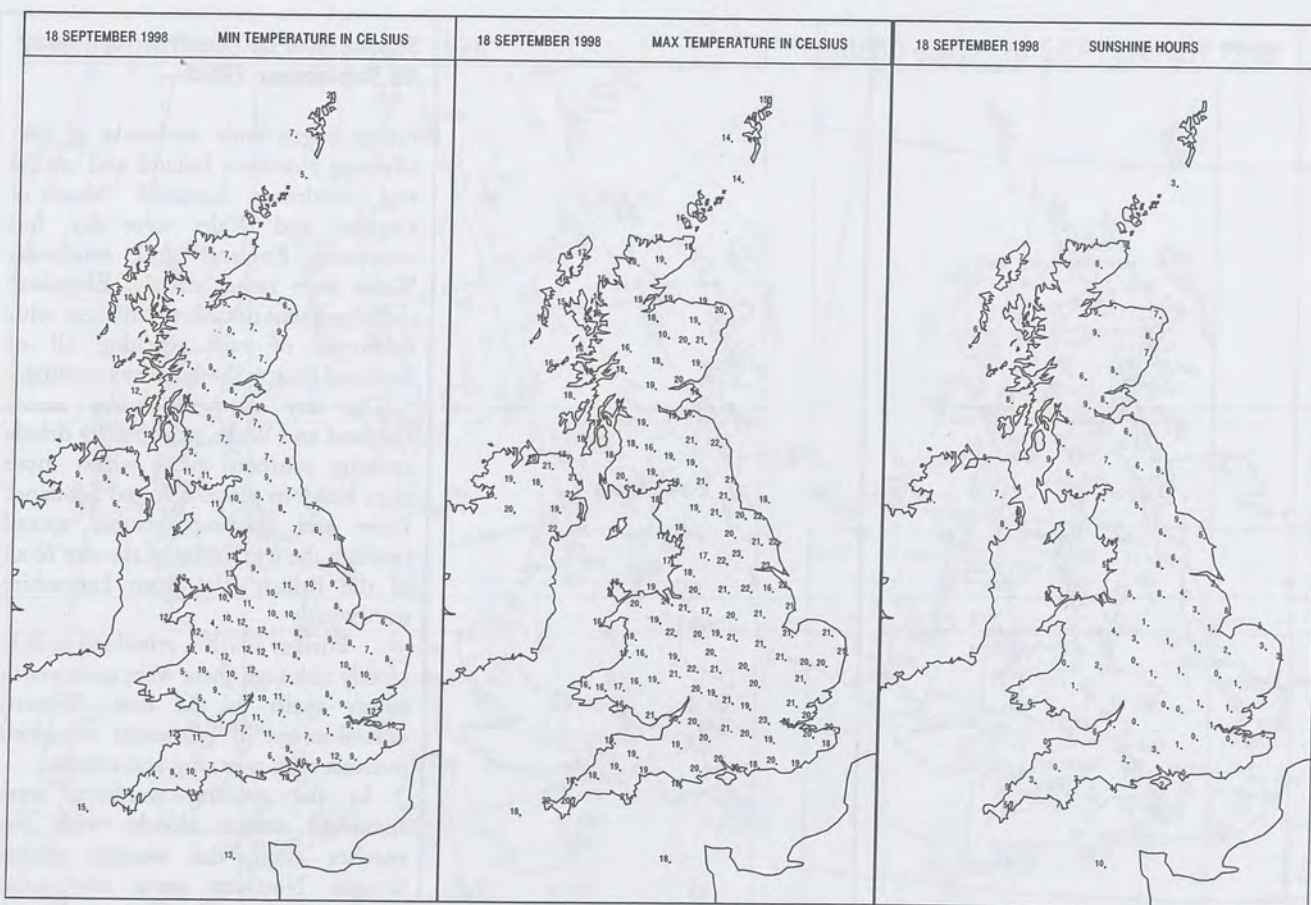


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0600 GMT 18 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 18 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Friday 18 September 1998 Friday began with outbreaks of rain affecting Northern Ireland and central and southwest Scotland. Most of England and Wales were dry, but southwest England and southwest Wales were rather drizzly. Elsewhere the cloud continued to thicken with outbreaks of rain reaching all of Scotland except Shetland by morning. The day dawned cloudy across England and Wales with patchy drizzle crossing southern parts whilst more rain, heavy in places affected Scotland. Drier and brighter weather spread through the remainder of the day to all of the British Isles from Lancashire northwards Further south it remained mainly cloudy although there were some warm sunny spells in the east. Western coastal areas in particular remained overcast with mist, fog and drizzle. In the evening southern areas remained rather cloudy with fog patches along the western coastal fringes. Northern parts saw some patches of mist or fog later. Temperatures were very warm in some places in the east, but near normal in the southwest and northeast.
1800 GMT 18 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 18 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 23.6 Kew (Royal Botanic Garden, Greater London) Lowest Maximum: 10.7 Craibstone, Aberdeenshire Lowest Minimum: 0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire Lowest Grass Minimum: -2.8 Mickleham, Surrey Most Rain: 22.2 Cymmer, West Glamorgan Most Sun: 11.1 Jersey, Gorey Castle, Jersey

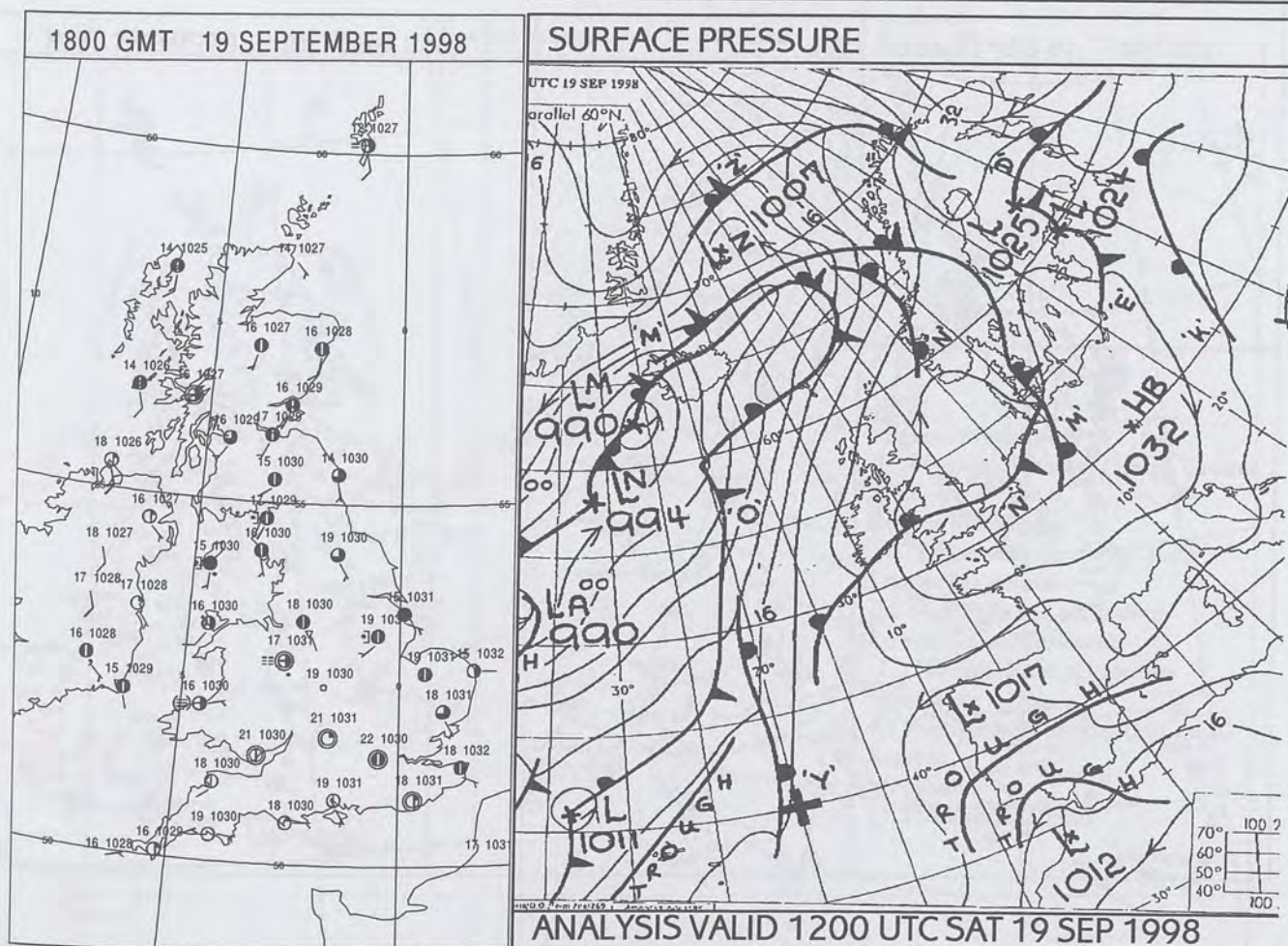
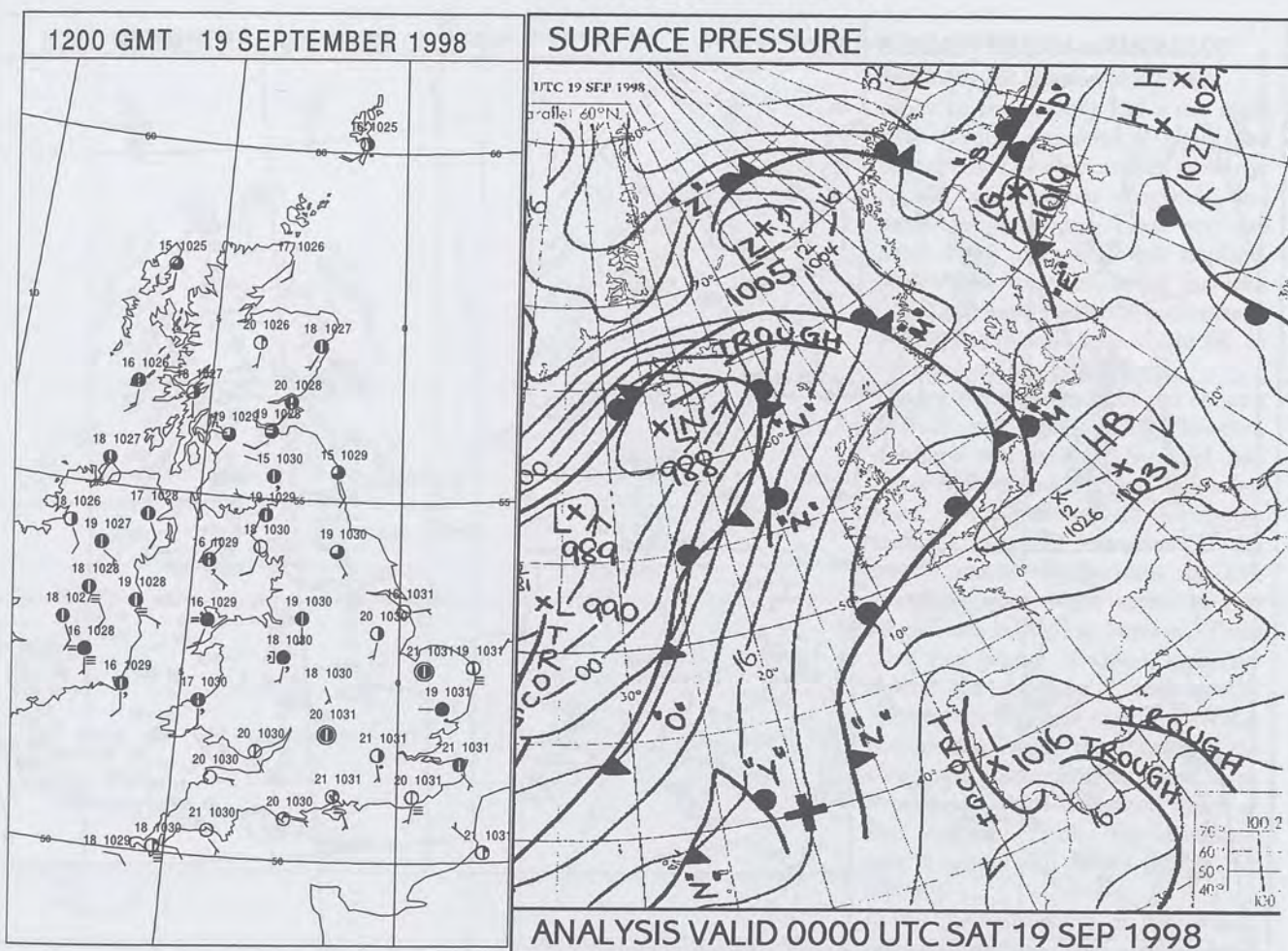
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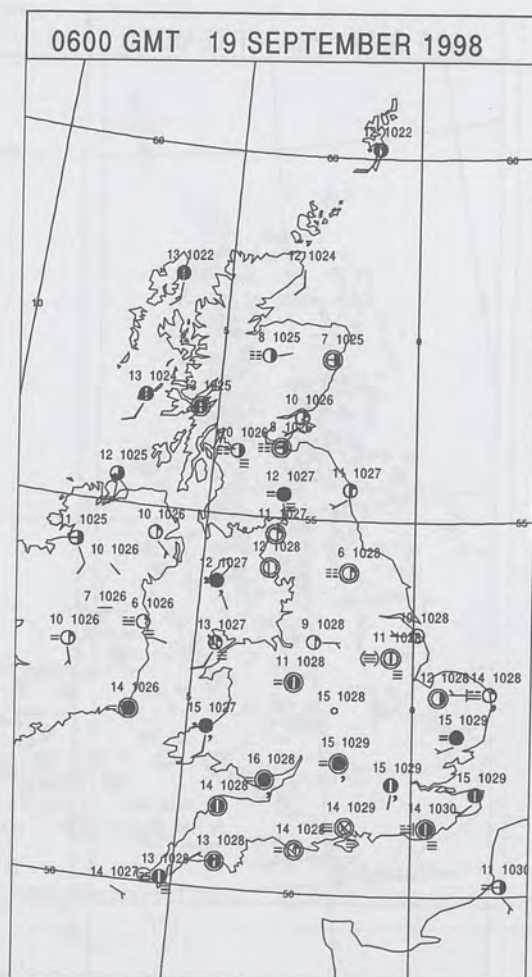
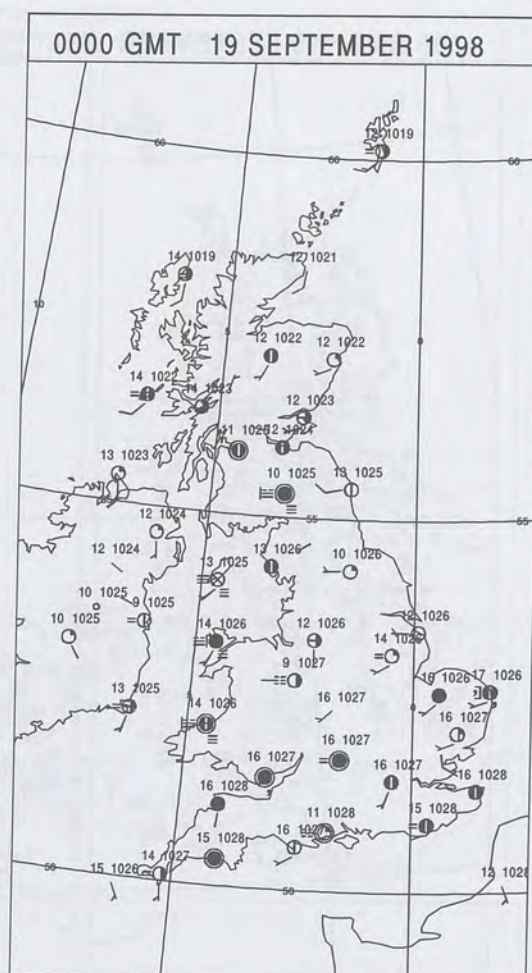


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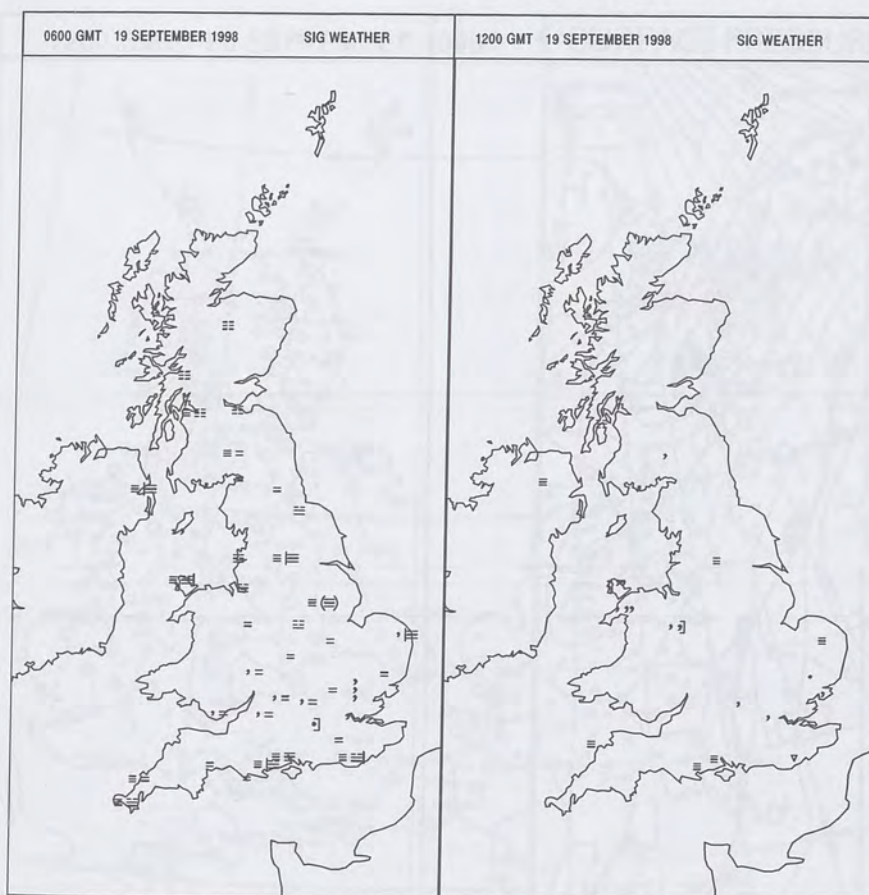
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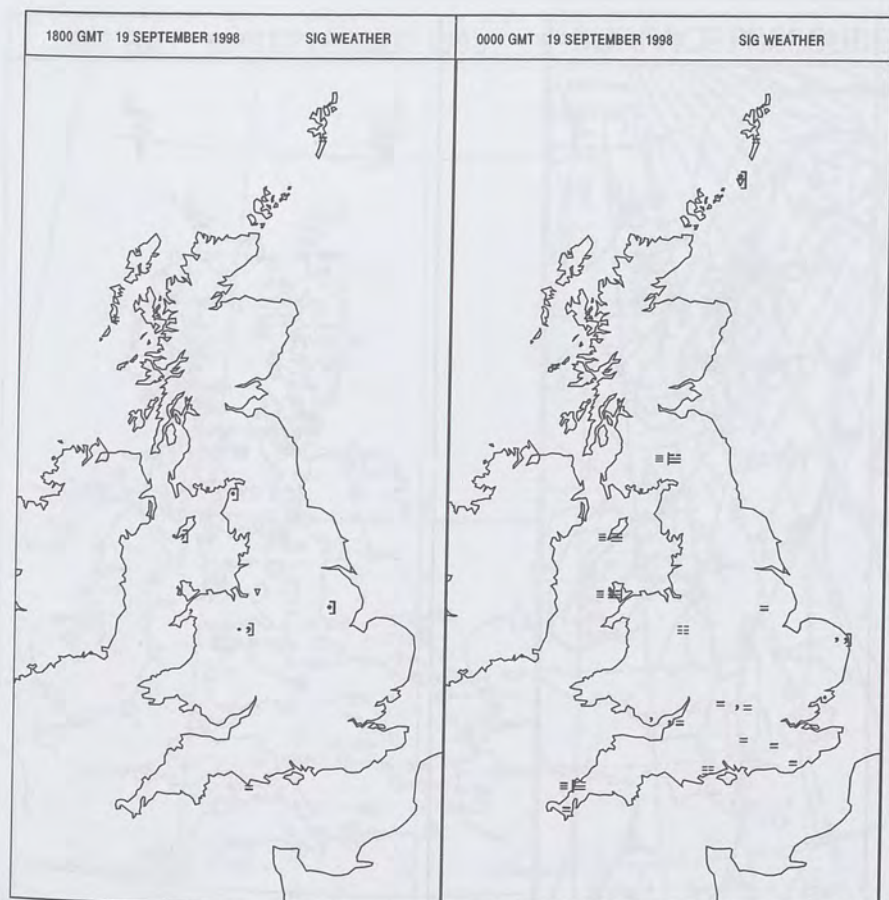


Summary of UK weather for Saturday 19 September 1998

Much of the country had a dry night with variable amounts of cloud and clear spells. The clearest skies were over central and eastern England, and patchy fog developed. There were also areas of fog over southwest England, Wales, and coasts bordering the Irish Sea. These parts had some outbreaks of drizzle, and the odd spot of rain fell in the northern isles of Scotland.

During the day, much of the country was dry with sunny spells. However, northern and western Scotland had rather more cloud at times, with a few spots of rain in Shetland during the morning. Another exception to the mostly sunny weather was an area stretching from Wales across to East Anglia and bordering London. These parts had plenty of cloud, especially during the morning, with patchy drizzle, particularly over the Welsh mountains. During the afternoon, the cloud area decreased to allow some sunshine in south Wales and much of East Anglia. Patchy fog developed over England and Wales during the evening.

It was generally warm or very warm, but only rather warm where cloud persisted.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

25.4 London Weather Centre, Greater London

Lowest Maximum:

14.7 Waterstein, Inverness-Shire

Lowest Minimum:

0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-1.3 Warsop, Nottinghamshire

Most Rain:

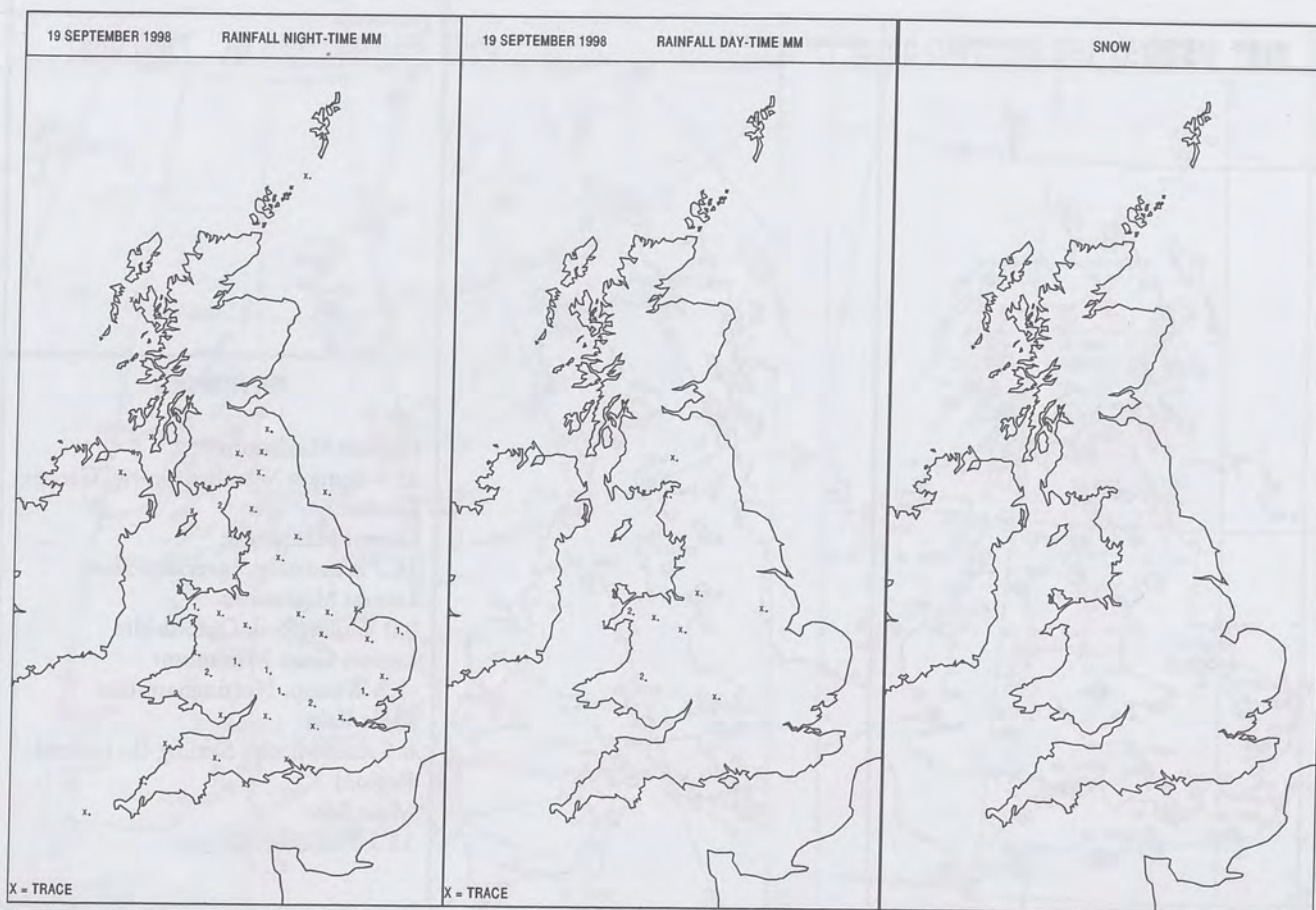
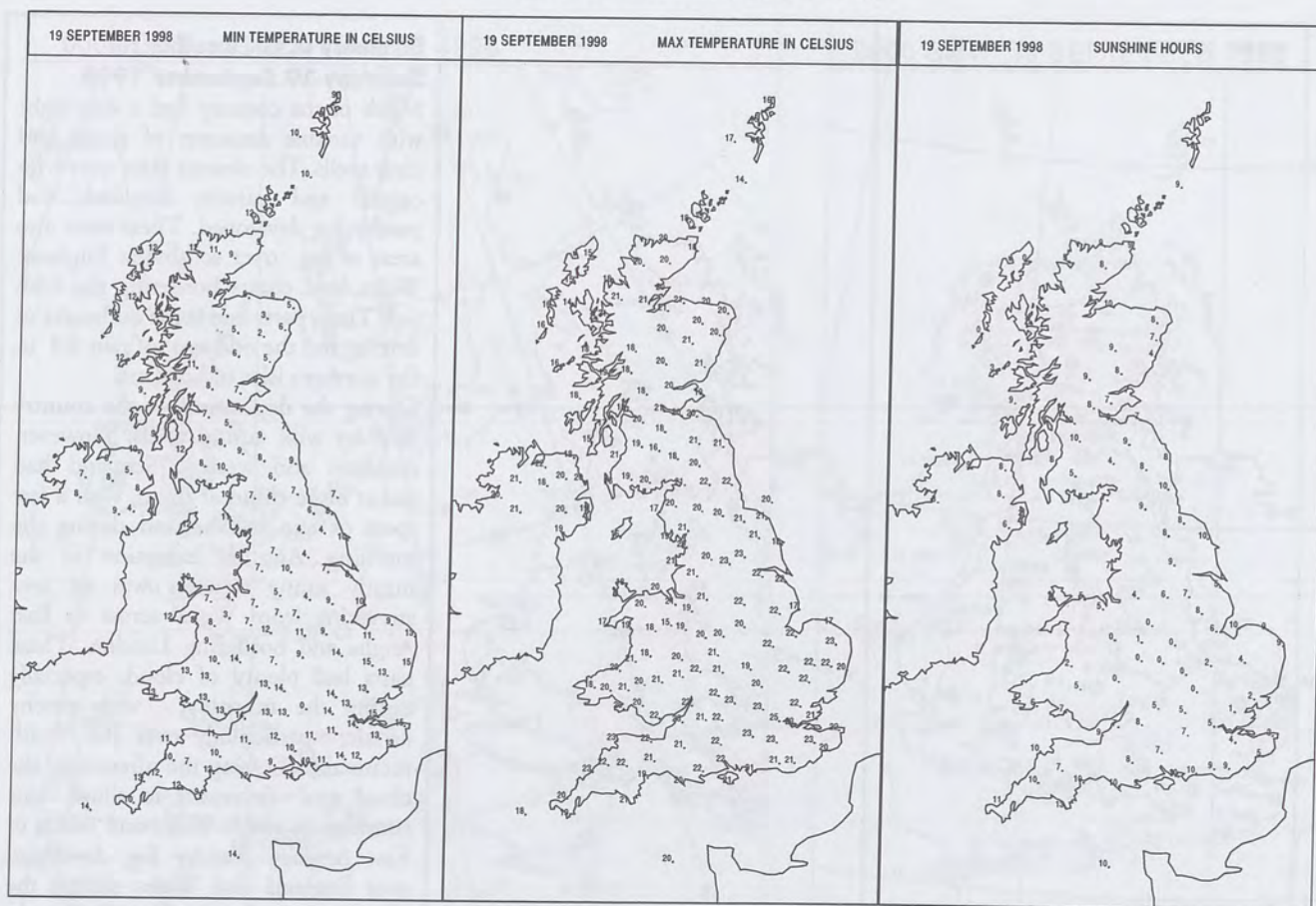
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Most Sun:

13.2 Salcombe, Devon

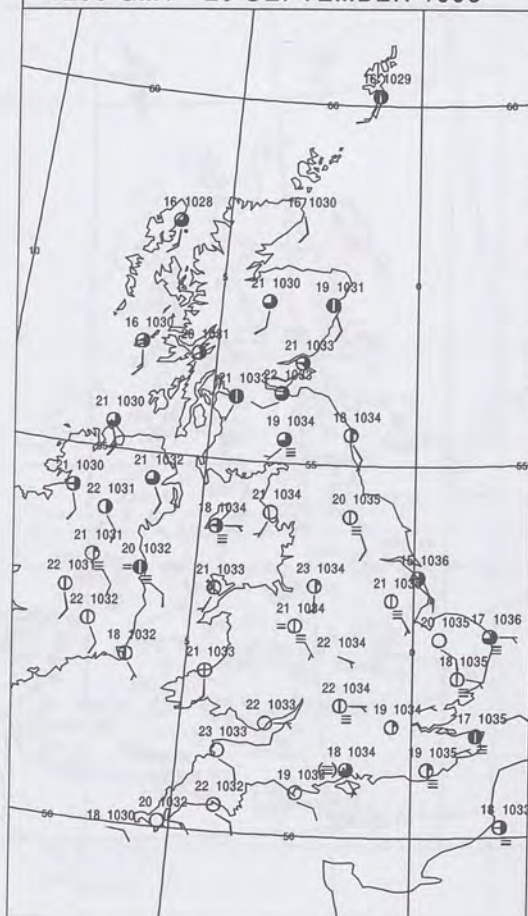
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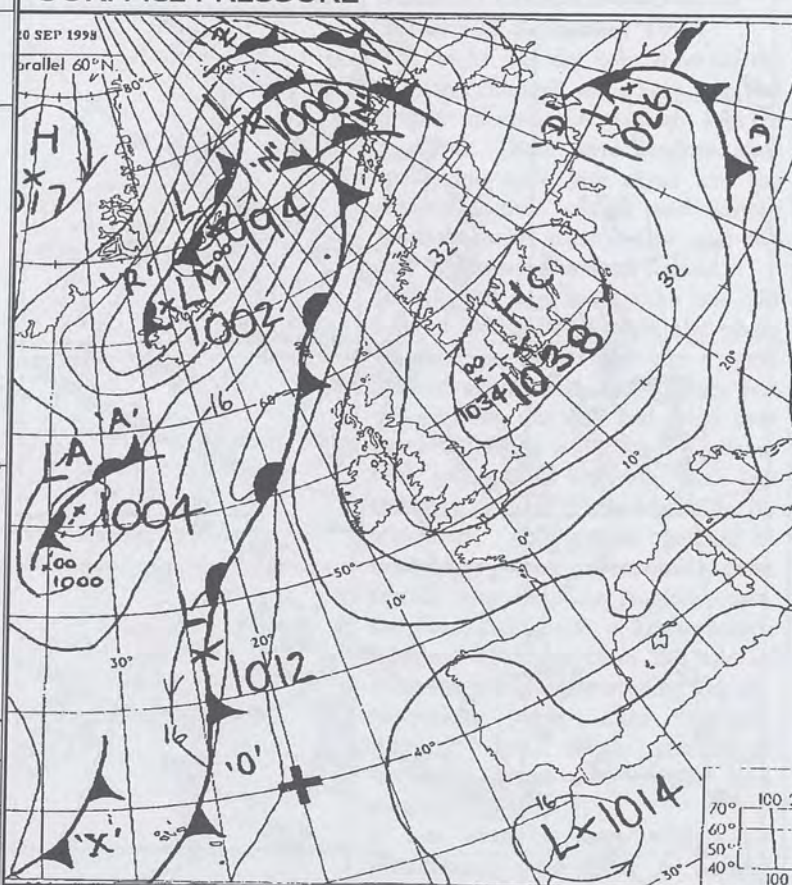


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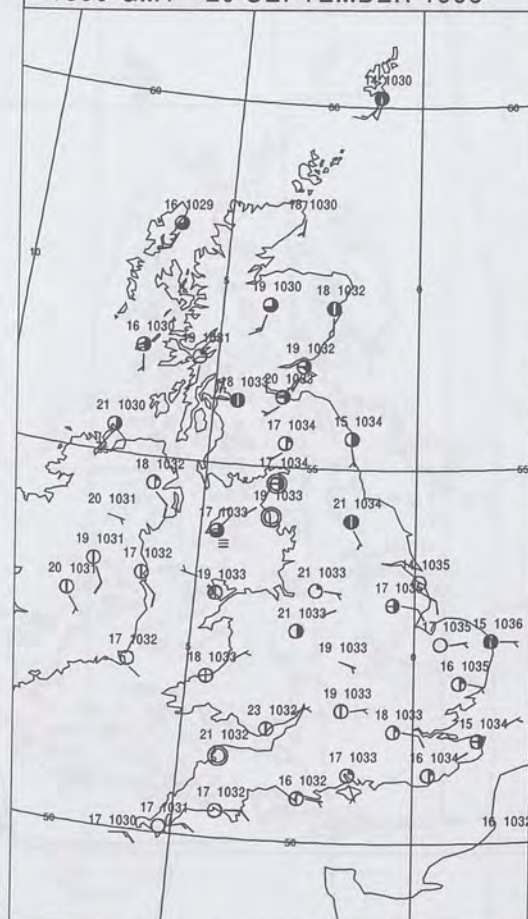


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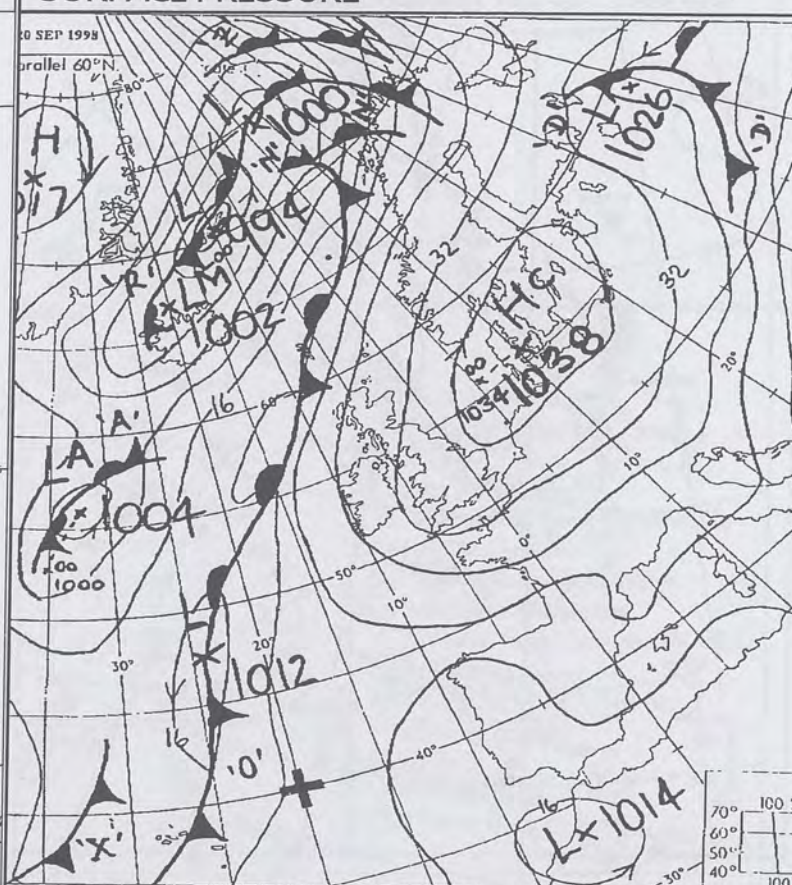


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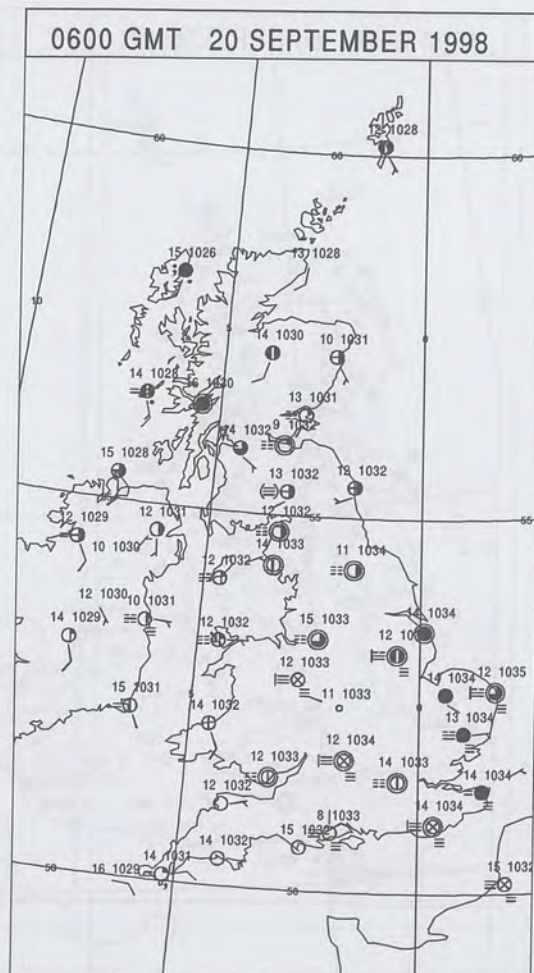
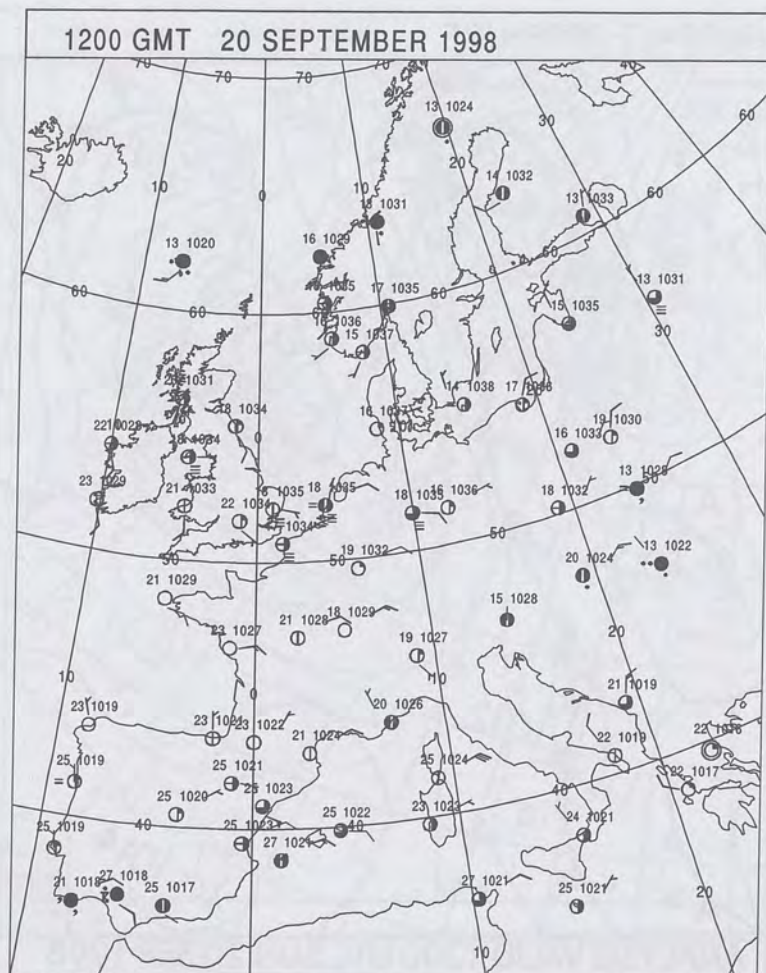
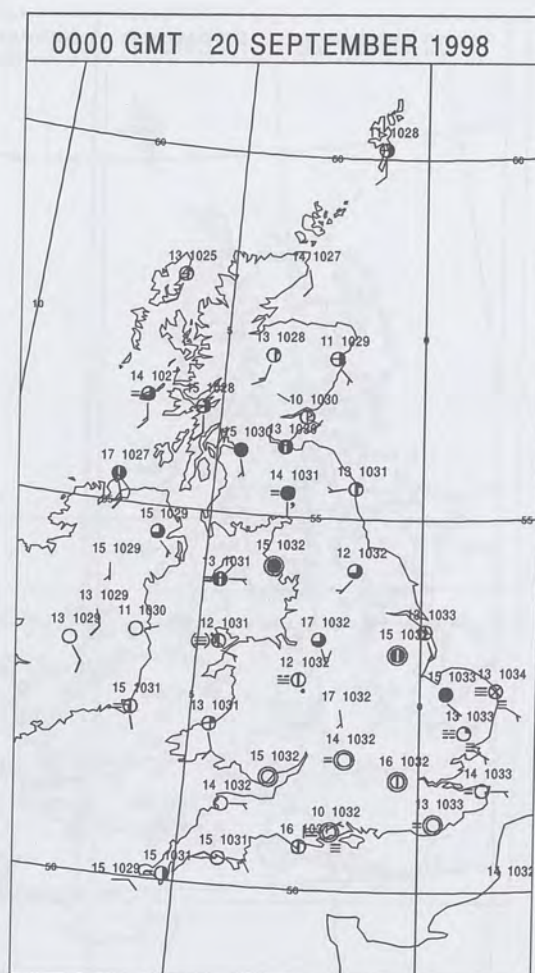
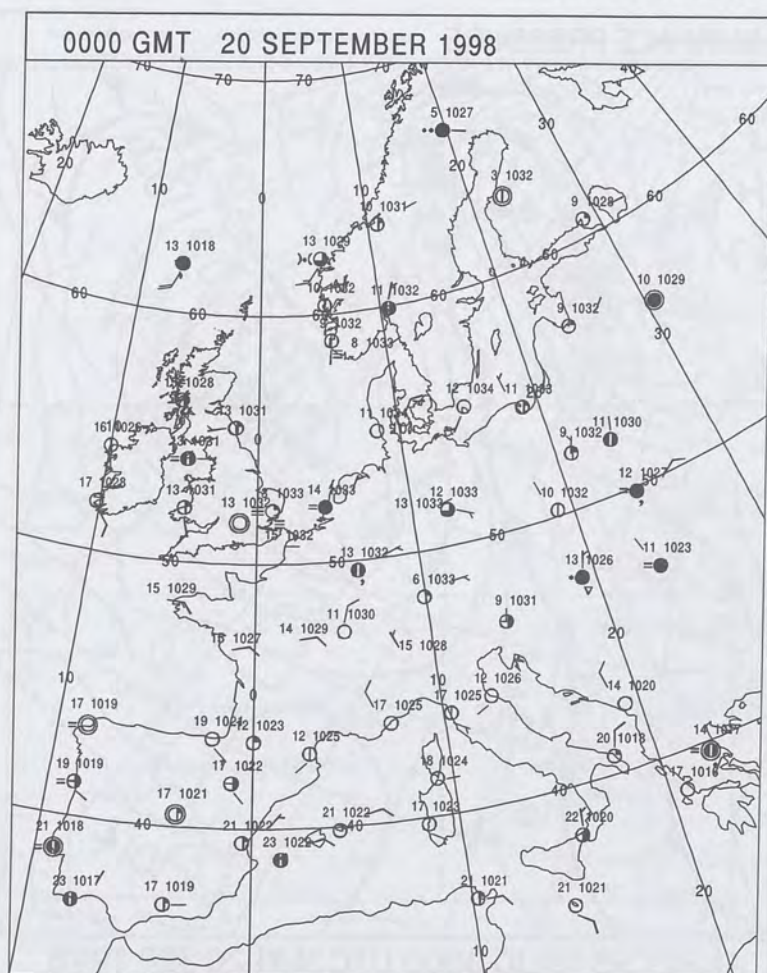
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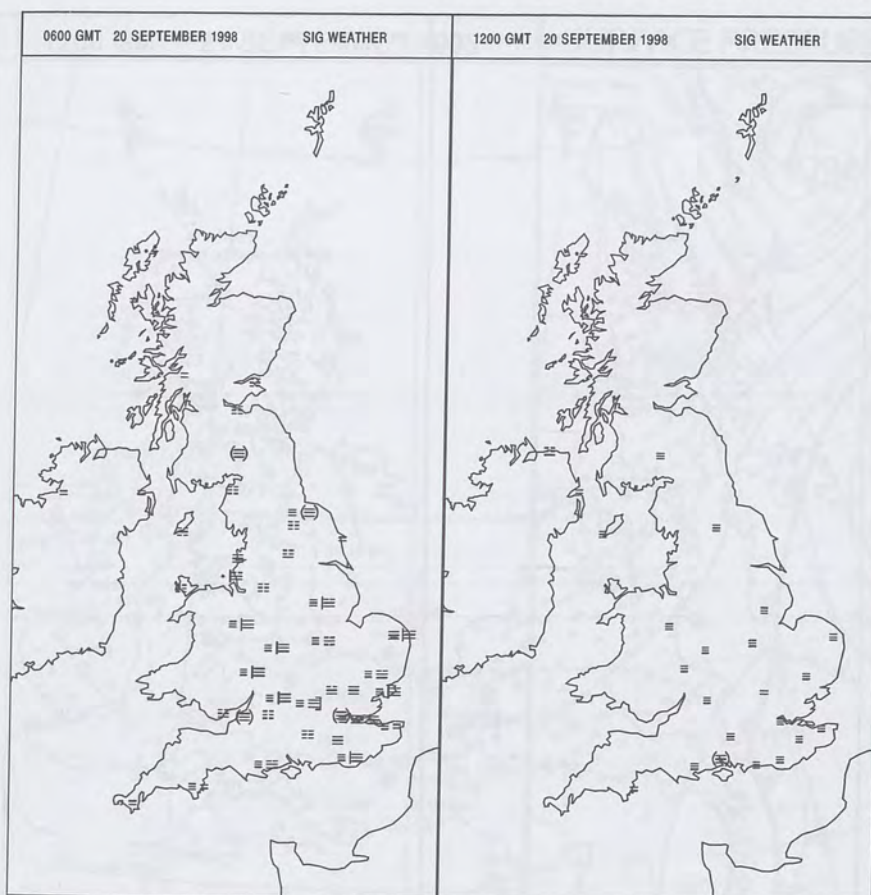
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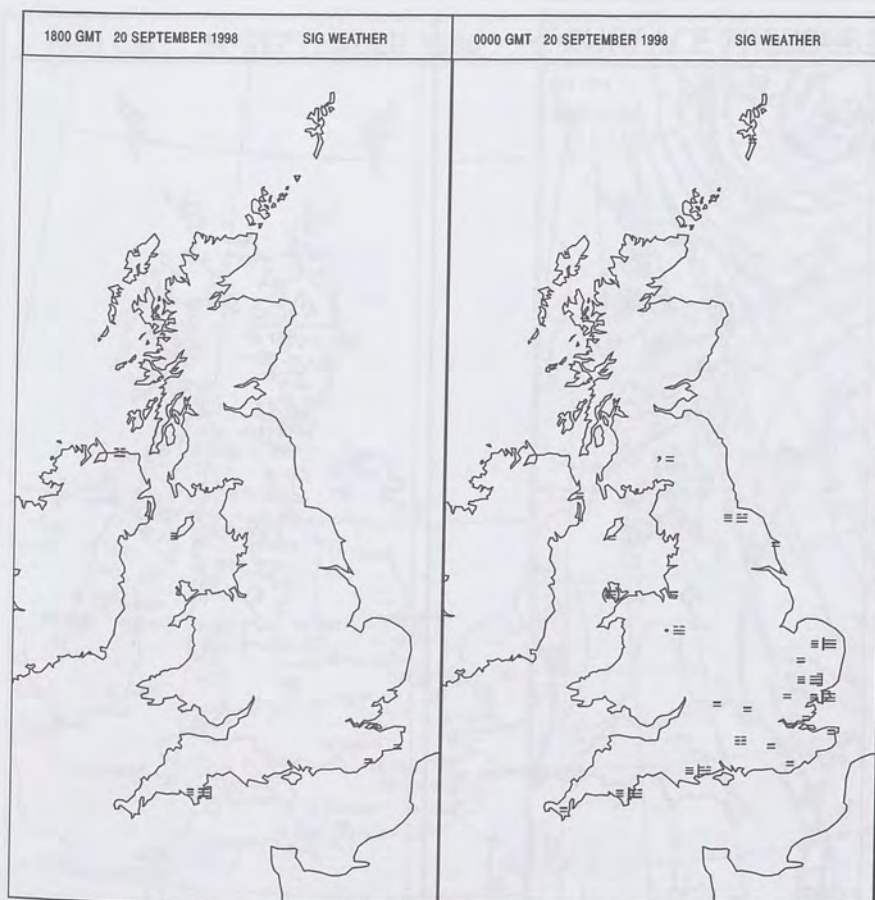


Summary of UK weather for Sunday 20 September 1998

The night was dry over most of the country, although some light rain and drizzle affected the western isles of Scotland. There were lengthy clear spells, but mist, low cloud and fog developed over central and eastern England, with patchy mist and fog over Wales and Northern Ireland.

During the day, apart from the odd spot of drizzle in Fair Isle, the whole country was dry. There was a good deal of sunshine in most places, but the morning was dull and misty over much of central and eastern England, with patchy fog lingering until late morning in parts of the Midlands. By afternoon, only a few patches of misty low cloud remained, these mainly near the East Anglian coast, the Kent coast, with a further patch running westwards from the Isle of Wight to Devon. The evening was dry everywhere with clear periods, although low cloud encroached westwards across East Anglia and southeast England.

It was warm or very warm, but temperatures were closer to normal around some coasts, particularly across eastern England.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

28.7 Cardiff, Bute Park, South Glamorgan

Lowest Maximum:

13.2 Leconfield Saws, Humberside

Lowest Minimum:

0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-1.0 Moel Cynnedd, Powys (North)

Most Rain:

29.7 Lochgilphead, Argyll (In Strathclyde Region)

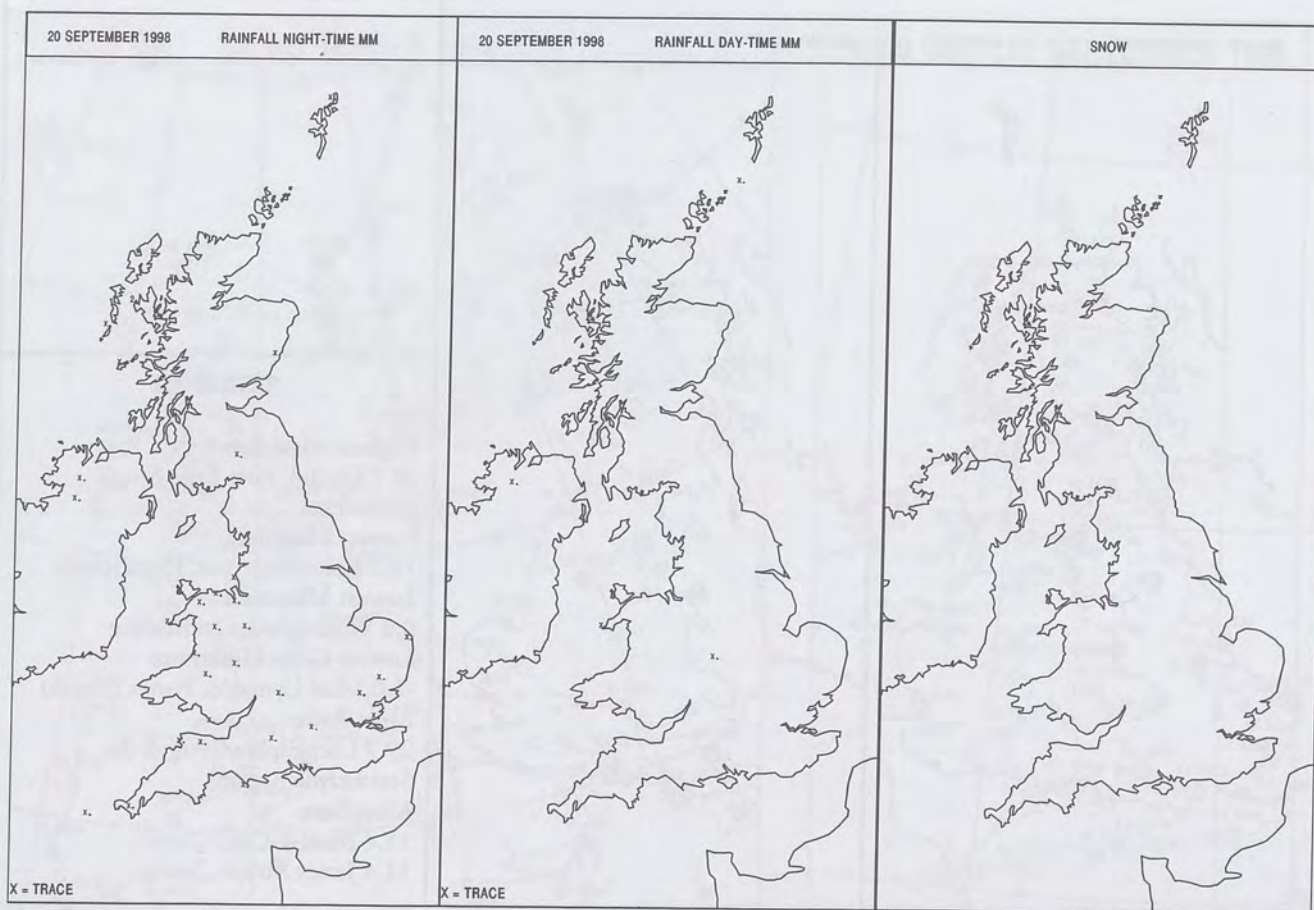
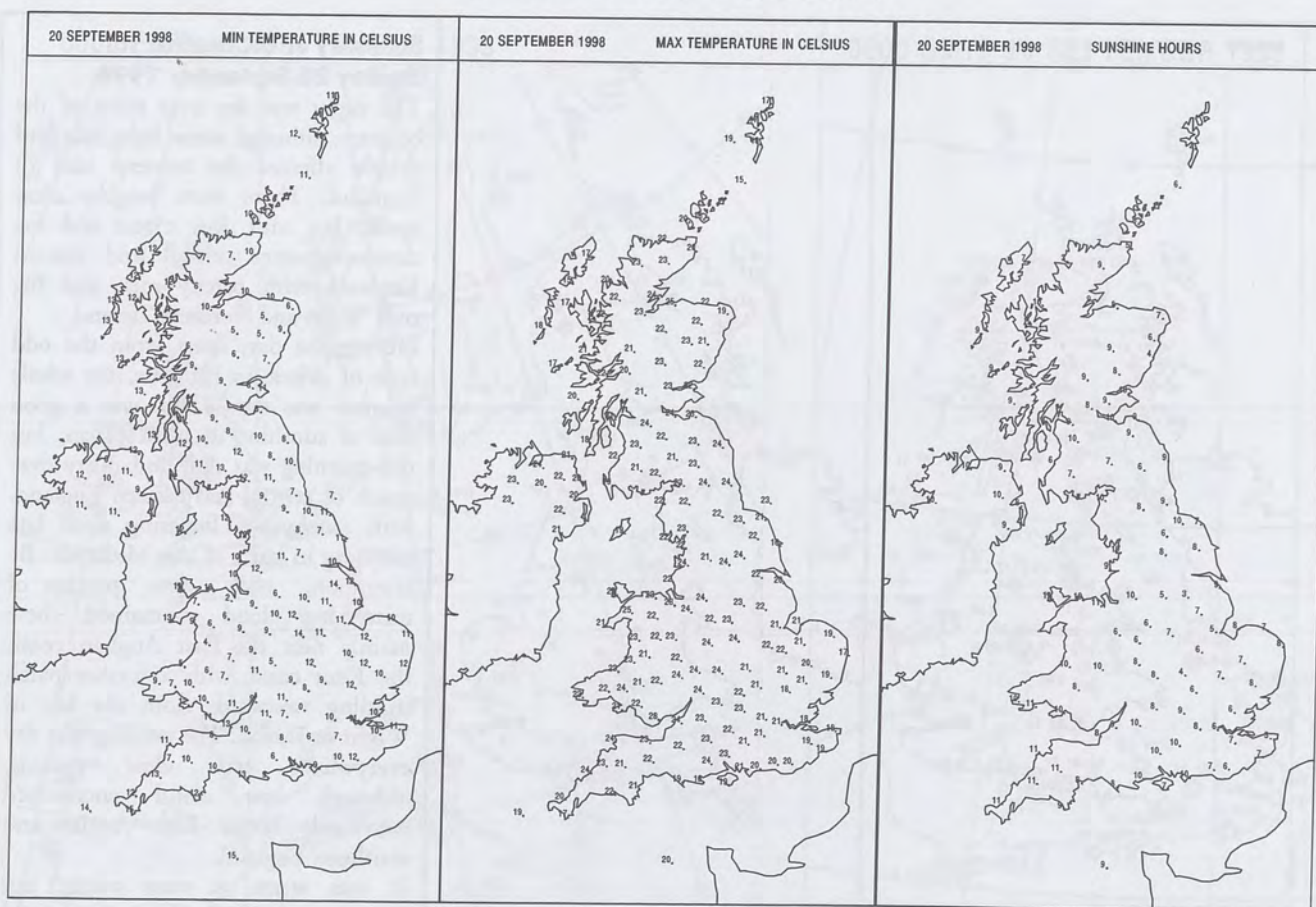
Most Sun:

11.4 Moel-Y-Crio, Clwyd

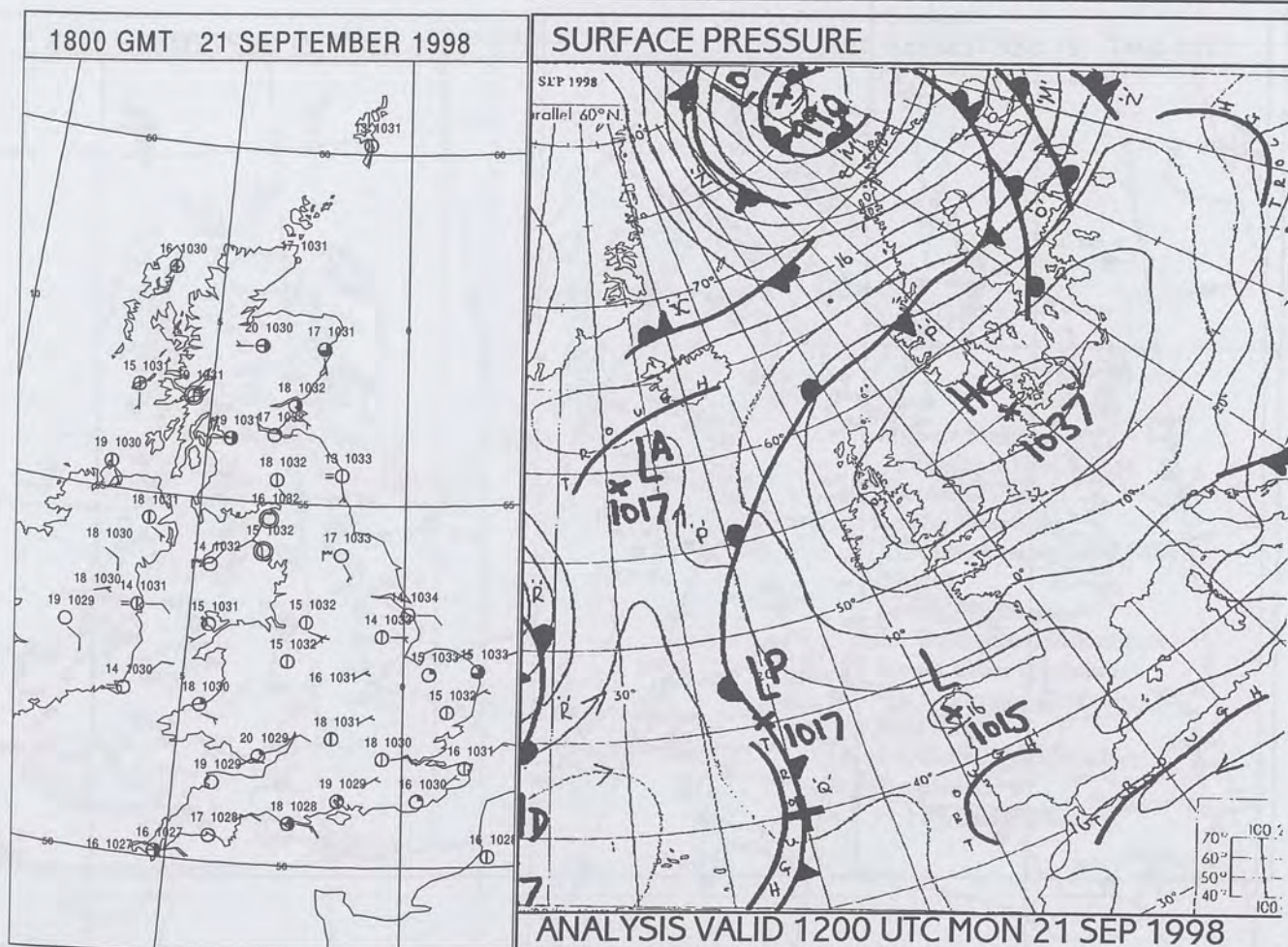
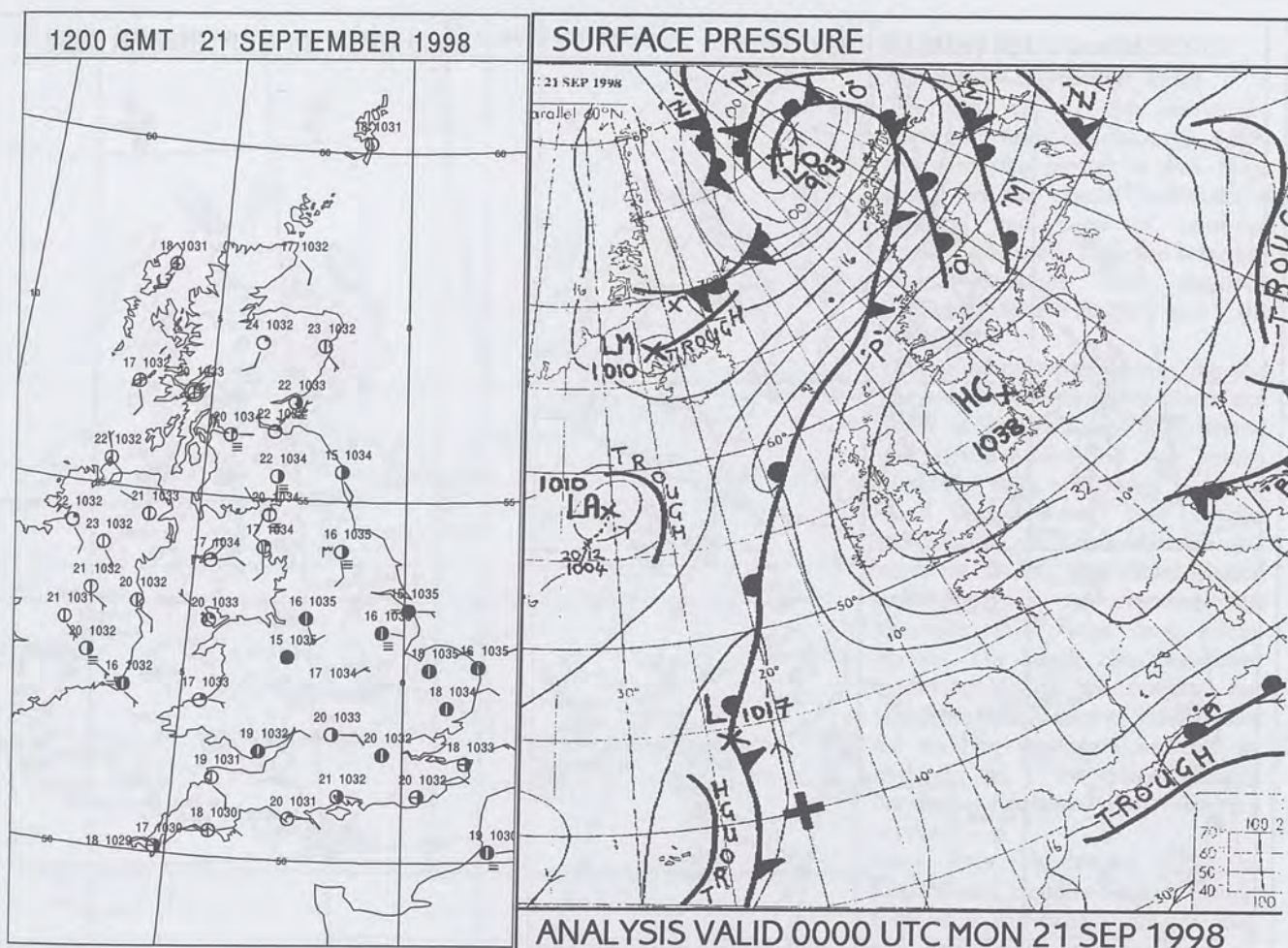
11.4 Jersey Airport, Jersey

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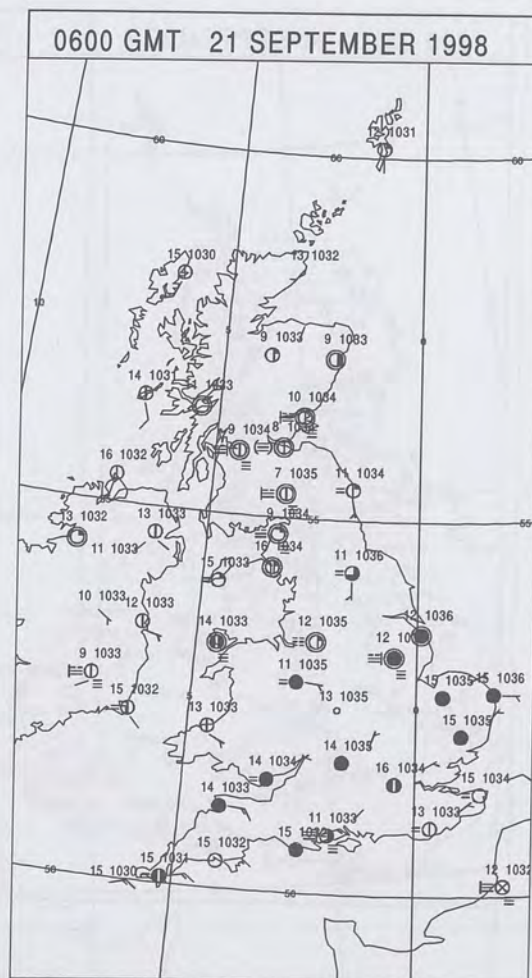
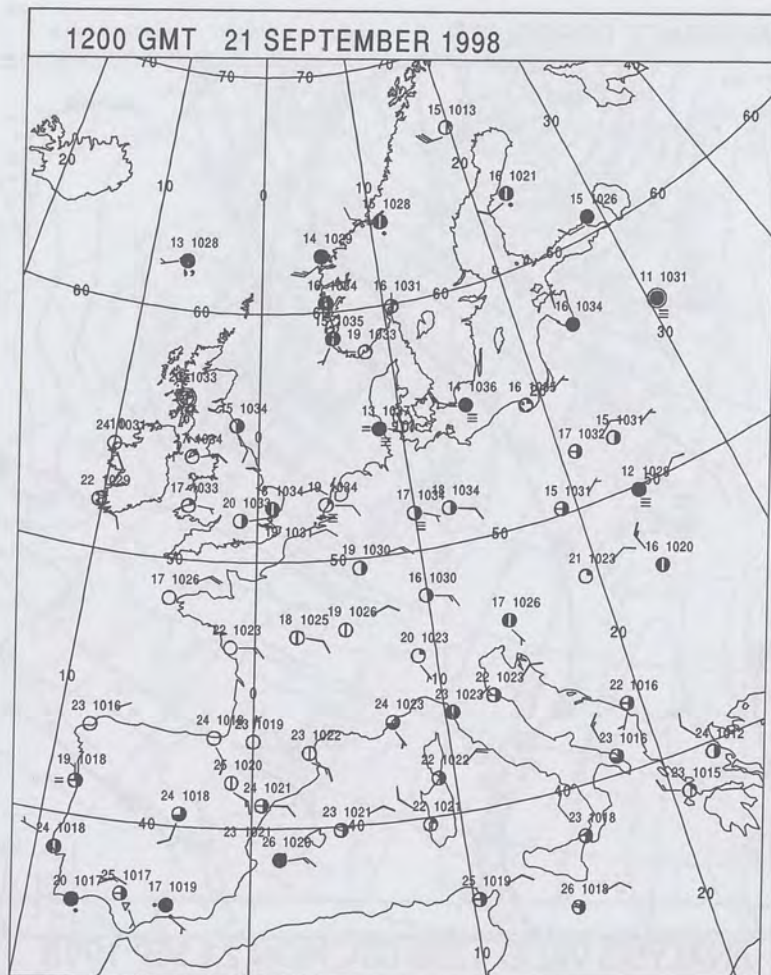
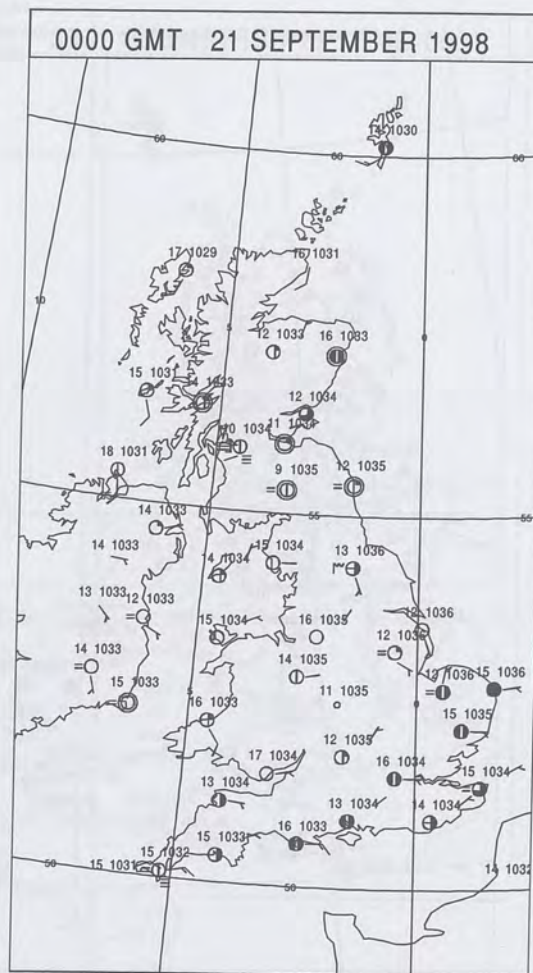
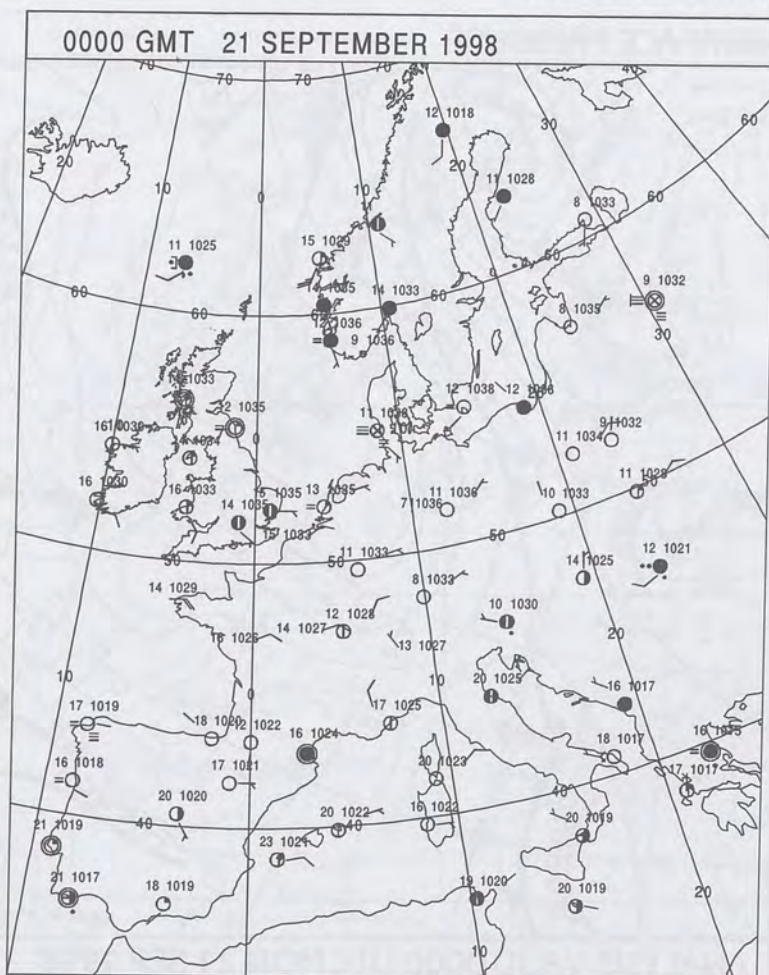


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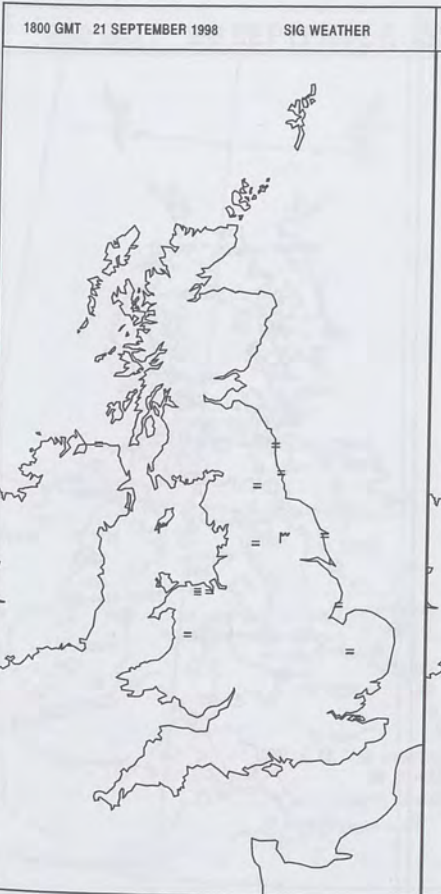
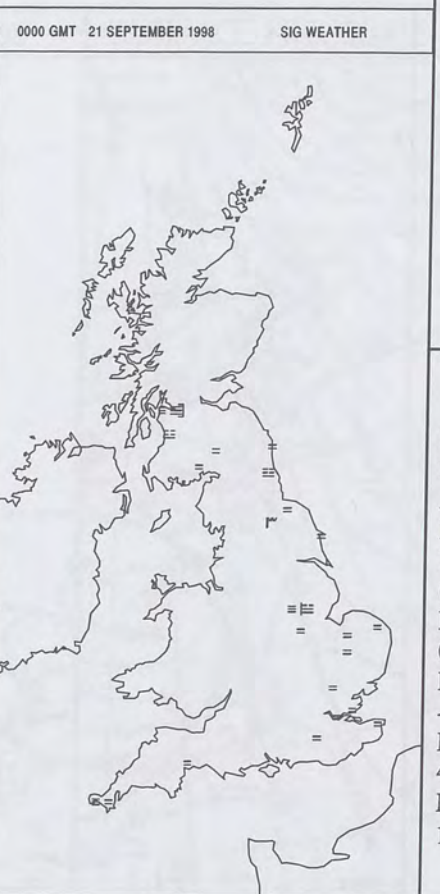


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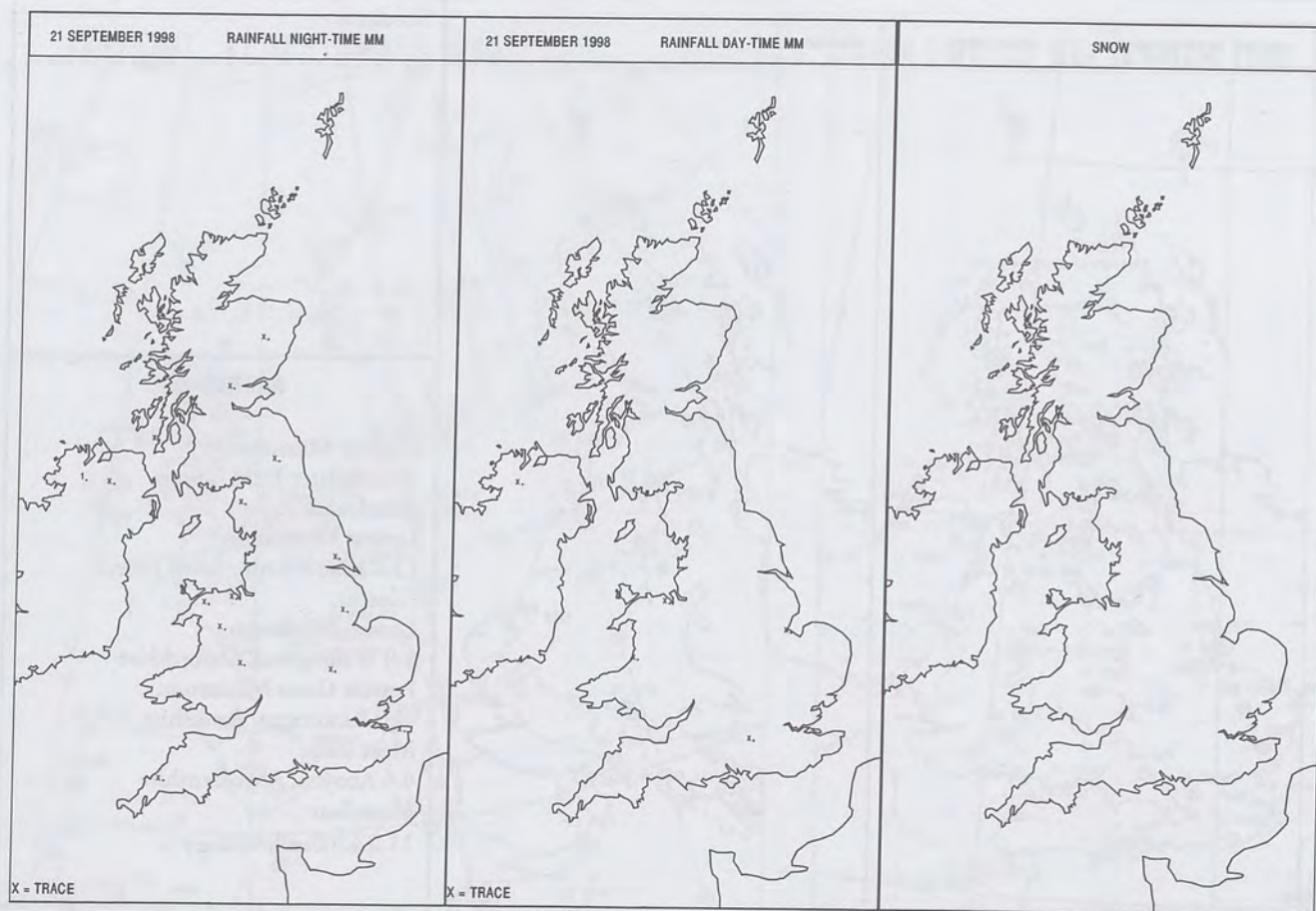
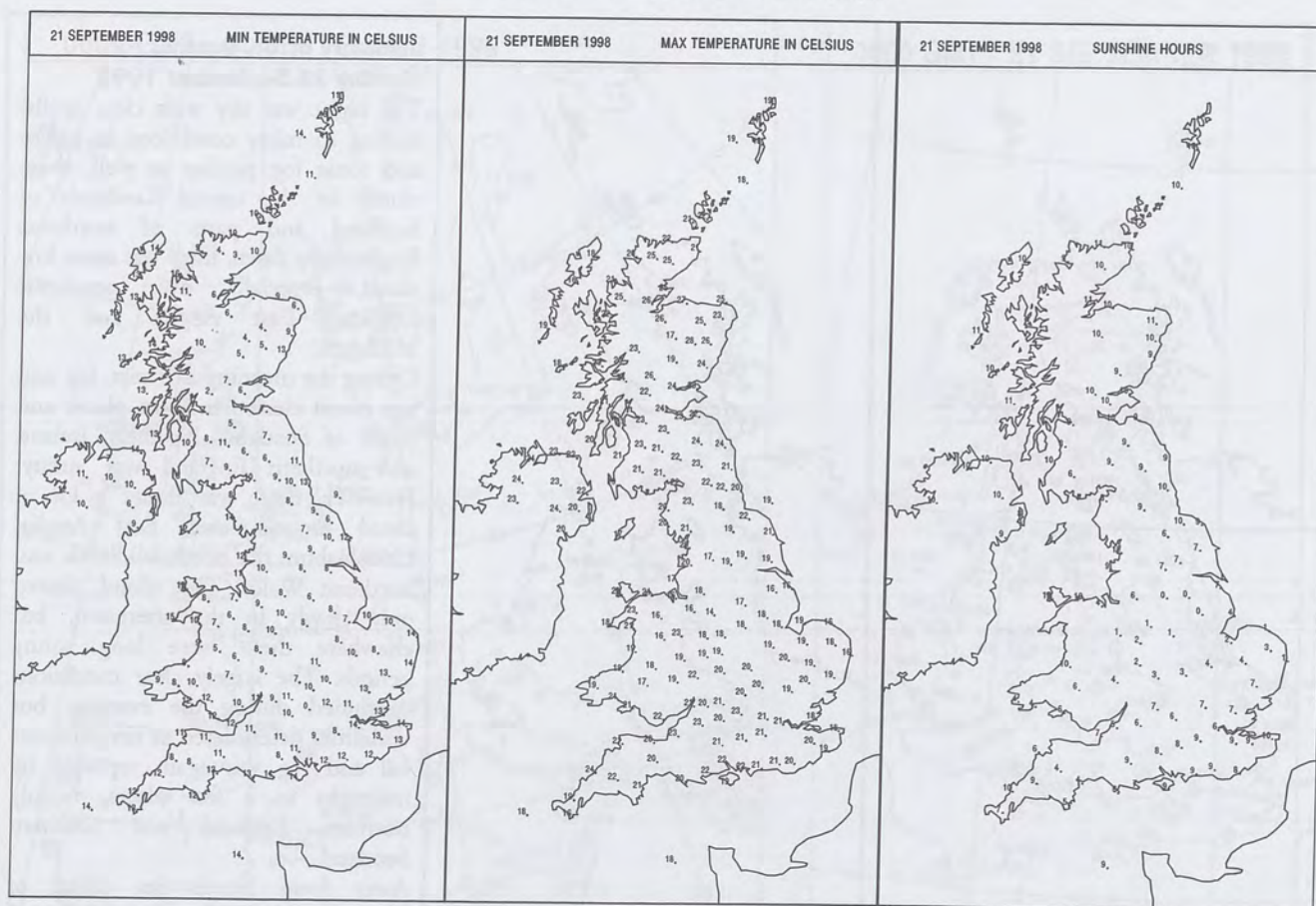


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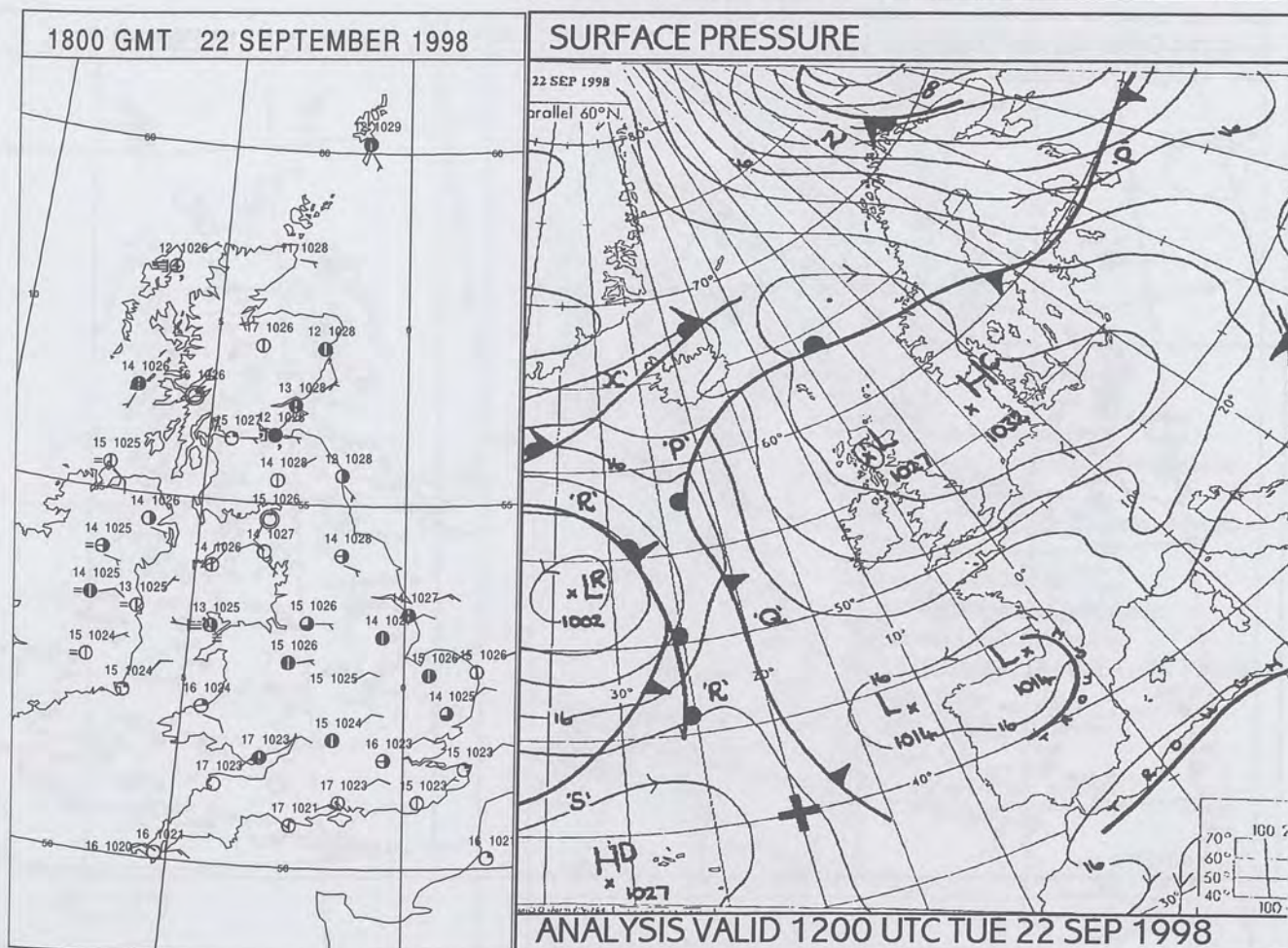
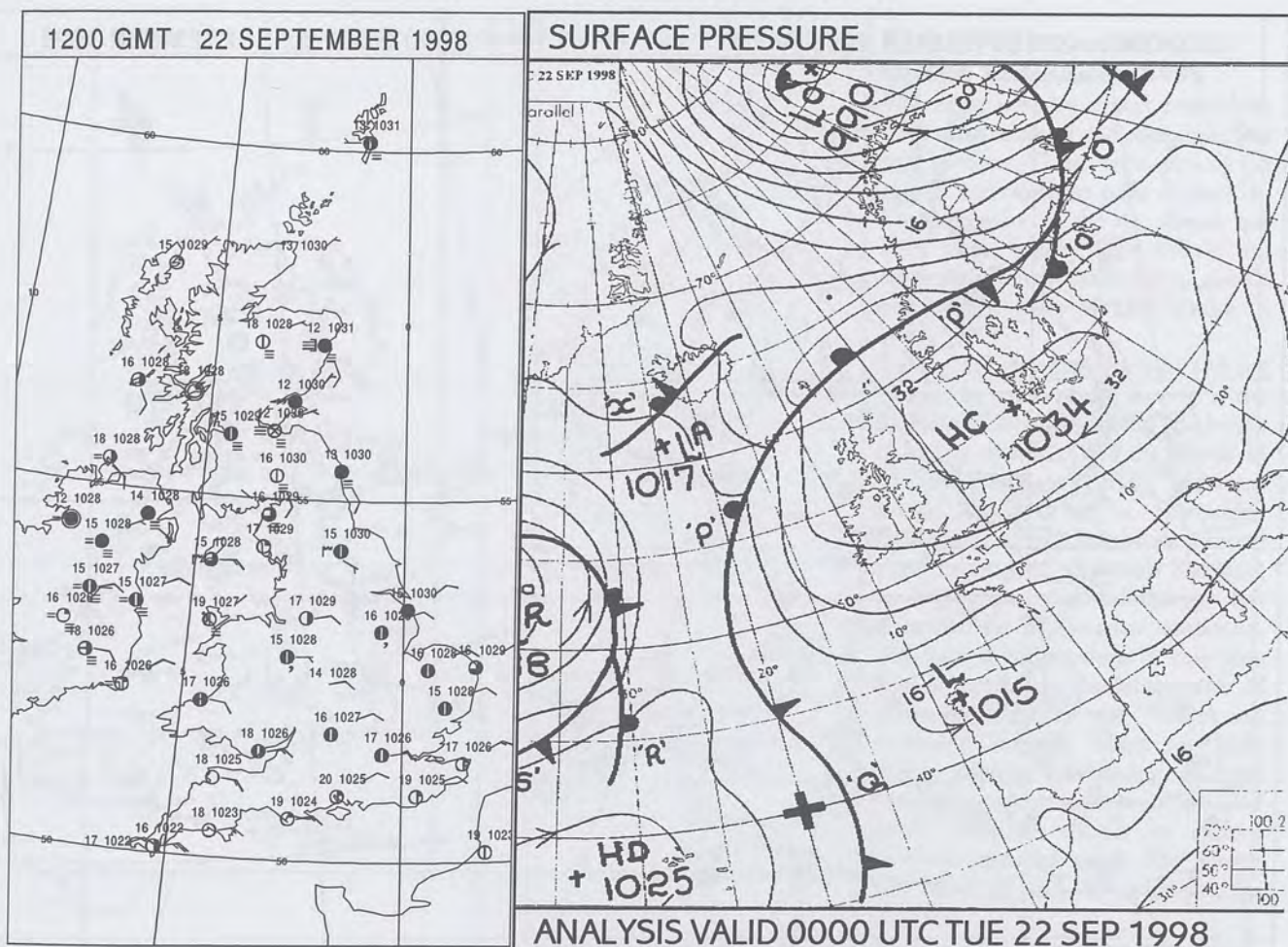
0600 GMT 21 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 21 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK weather for Monday 21 September 1998</p> <p>The night was dry with clear spells, leading to misty conditions in places and some fog patches as well, these chiefly in the central Lowlands of Scotland and parts of northeast England. By dawn, there was some low cloud, especially over southeast England, East Anglia and the Midlands.</p> <p>During the morning the mist, fog and low cloud cleared in most places and much of Scotland, Northern Ireland and northern England was sunny. However, there was rather a lot of cloud around over East Anglia, Lincolnshire, the north Midlands and northeast Wales. That cloud cleared only slowly in the afternoon, but elsewhere there were long sunny periods. The largely clear conditions continued during the evening, but visibilities deteriorated as temperatures fell and fog was again reported by midnight in a few places, mainly northern England and southern Scotland.</p> <p>Away from North Sea coasts of England and cloudier areas of central England, it was quite warm generally, and very warm in some parts of Scotland.</p>
				
1800 GMT 21 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 21 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 28.0 Ballater Field Centre, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 13.6 Lake Vyrnwy Saws, Powys (North)</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: 0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -4.0 Kindrogan, Perthshire</p> <p>Most Rain: 4.6 Aboyne, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Most Sun: 11.2 Kirkwall, Orkney</p>
				

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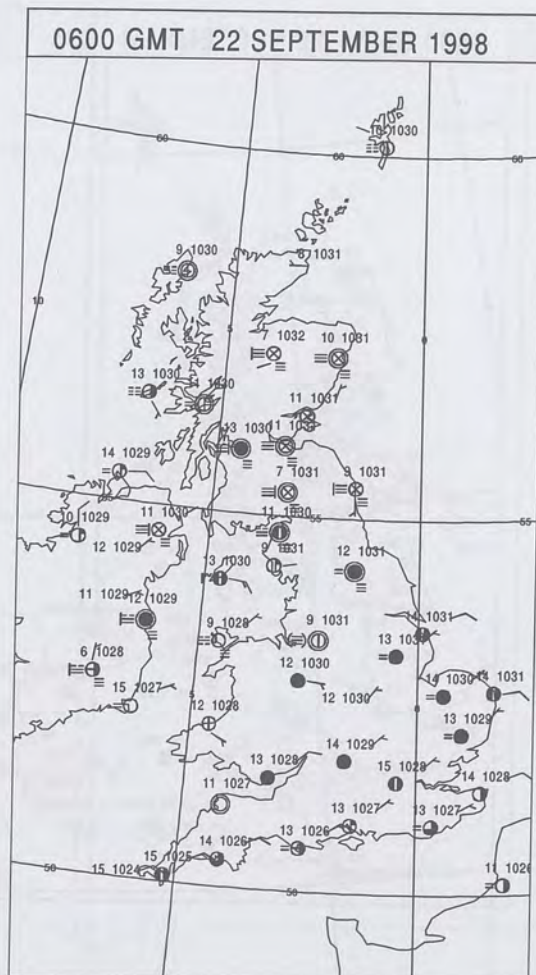
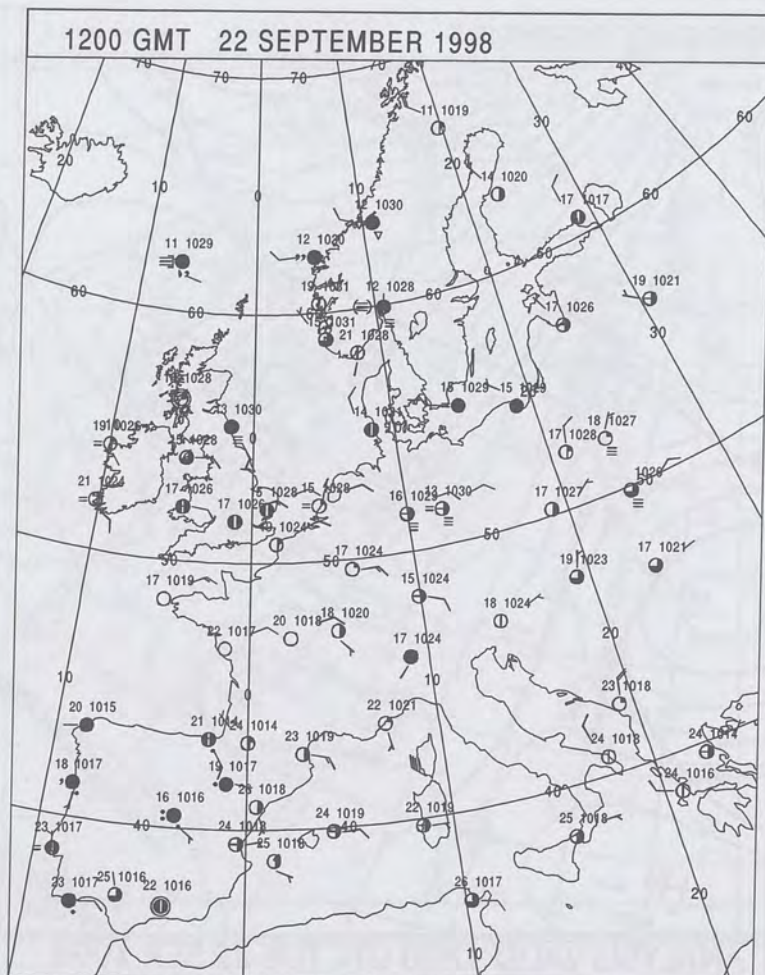
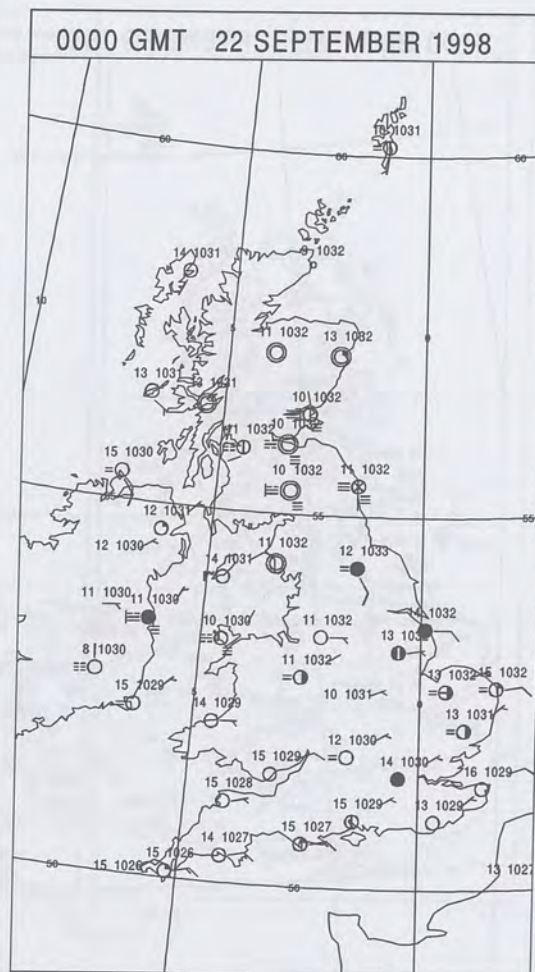
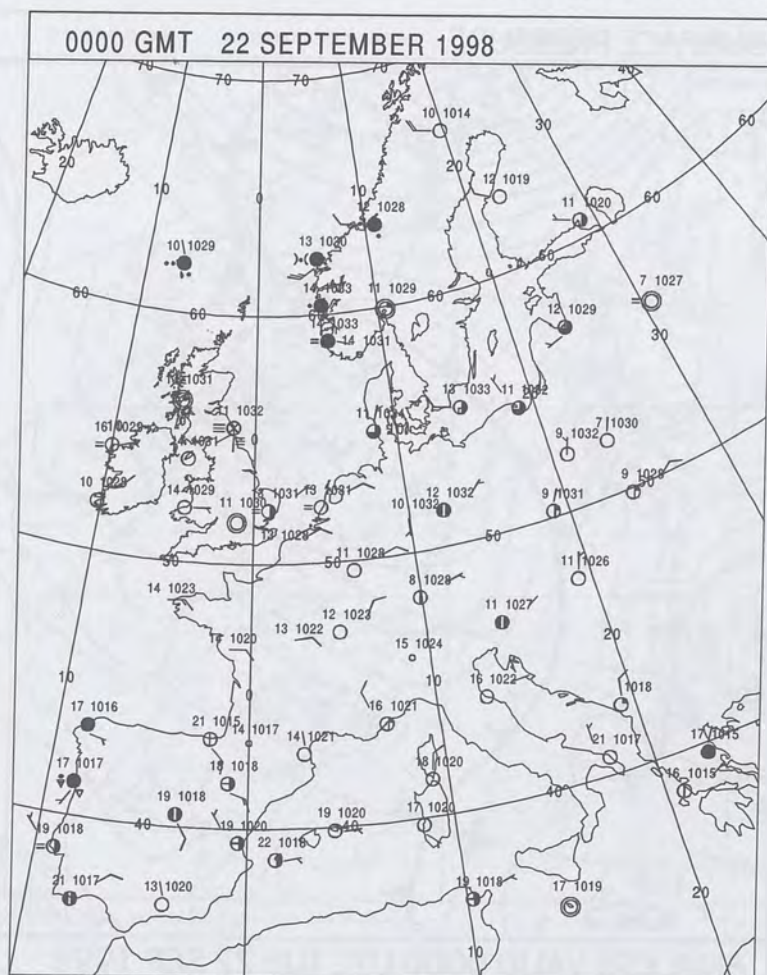


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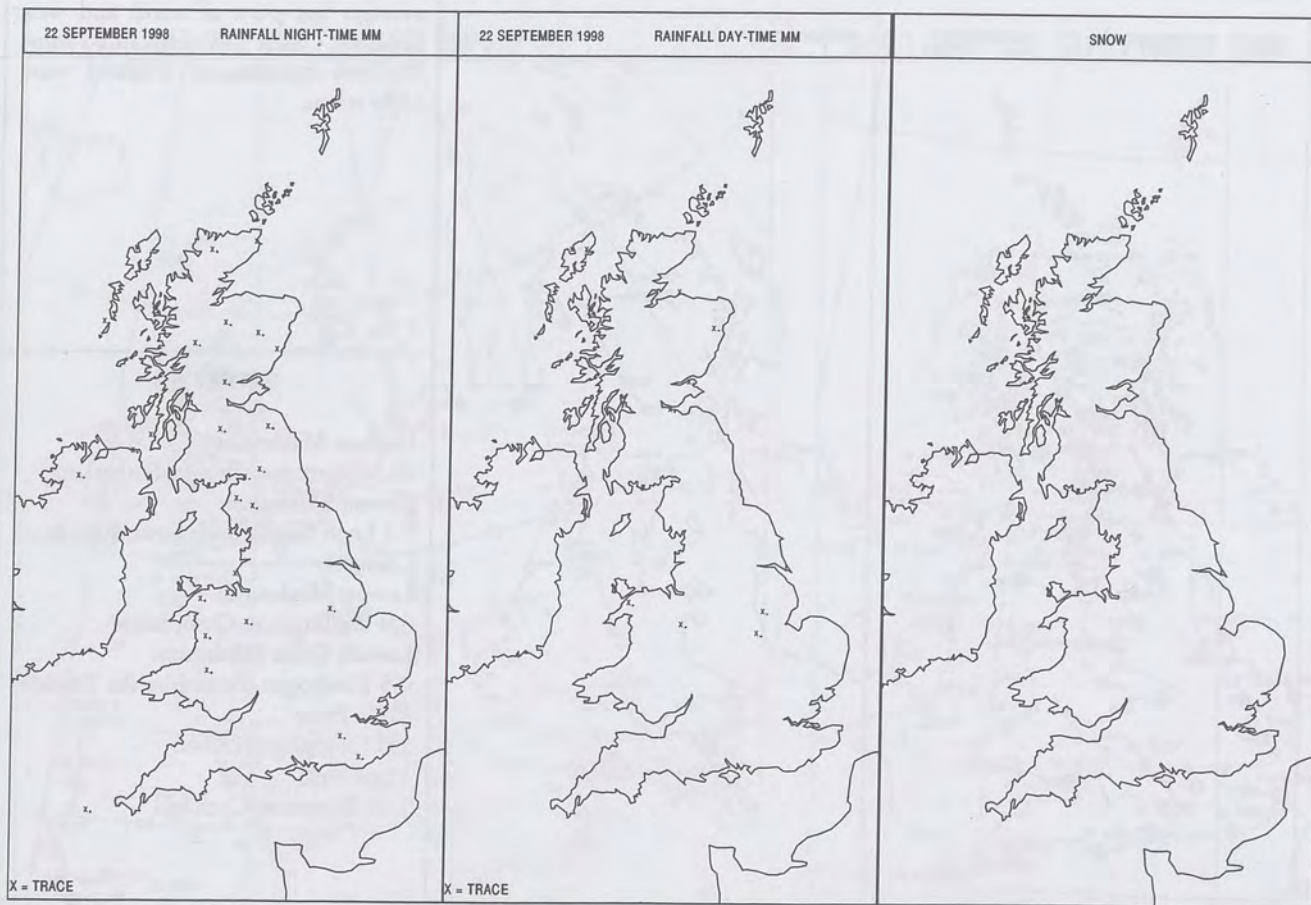
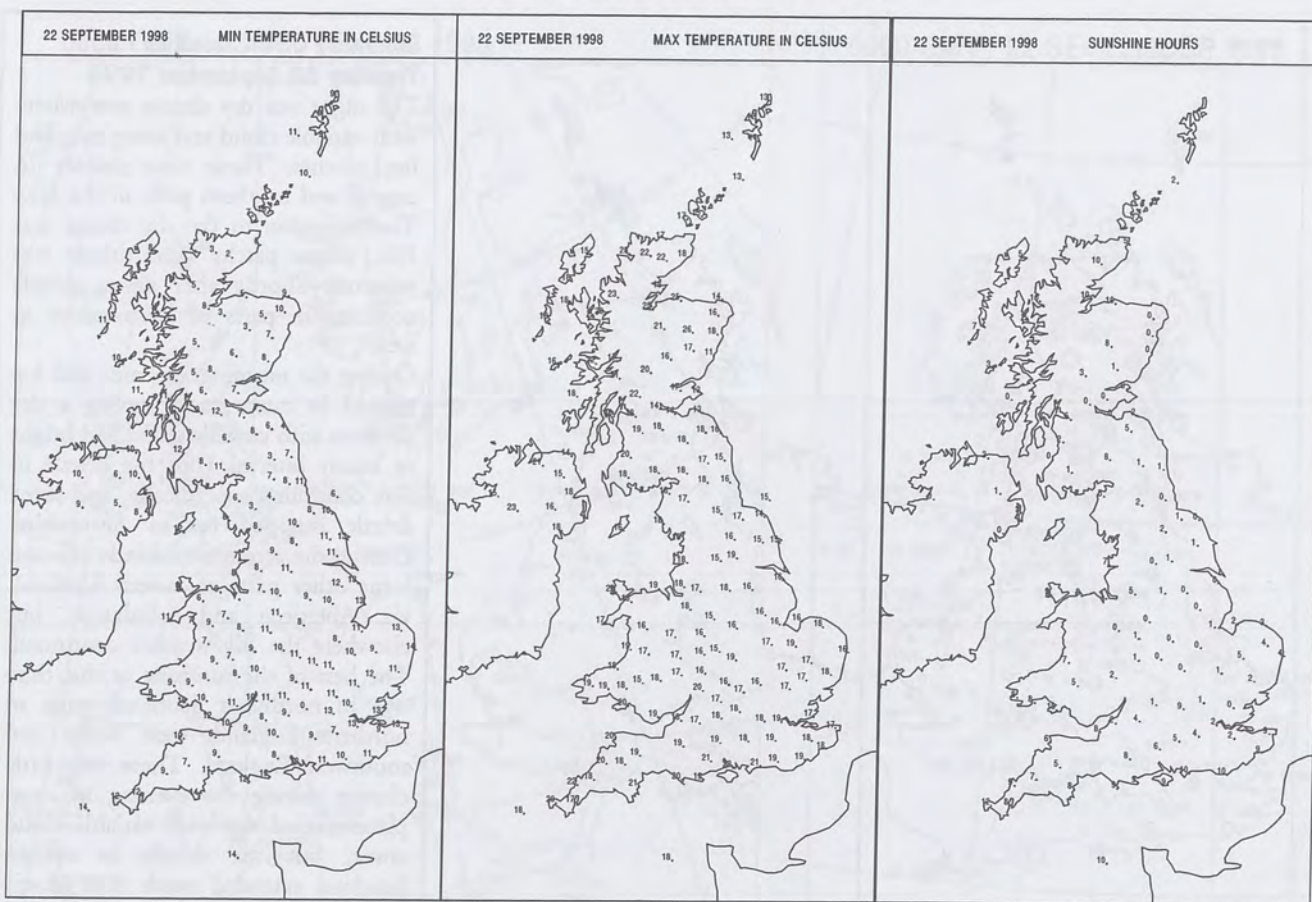


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0600 GMT 22 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 22 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 22 September 1998 <p>The night was dry almost everywhere with variable cloud and some mist and fog patches. These were mainly in central and northern parts of the UK. The exception to the dry theme was Fife, where patchy light drizzle was reported. Shortly after dawn, drizzle occurred in parts of Lincolnshire as well.</p> <p>During the morning, the mist and fog cleared in most places leaving a dry scenario with variable cloud and bright or sunny intervals, but the drizzle in Fife continued sporadically, and some drizzle cropped up in Shropshire. During the afternoon, drizzle affected some other parts of eastern Scotland, viz. Aberdeen and Edinburgh, but elsewhere the dry weather continued. The best of the sunshine at this time was in northwest Scotland, parts of northern England, west Wales and southwest England. There was little change during the evening as most places stayed dry with variable cloud cover, but the drizzle in eastern Scotland extended north into Moray and Shetland and, by midnight, to Glasgow.</p> <p>Temperatures generally were about average, but parts of north and west Scotland, west Wales and some southern counties of England were fairly warm.</p>
1800 GMT 22 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 22 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 28.5 Duartmore Bridge, Sutherland Lowest Maximum: 9.1 Loch Glascarnoch Saws, Ross & Cromarty Lowest Minimum: 0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire Lowest Grass Minimum: 0.5 Kindrogan, Perthshire (In Tayside) Most Rain: 2.0 Clayhanger, Devon Most Sun: 12.6 Penzance, Cornwall

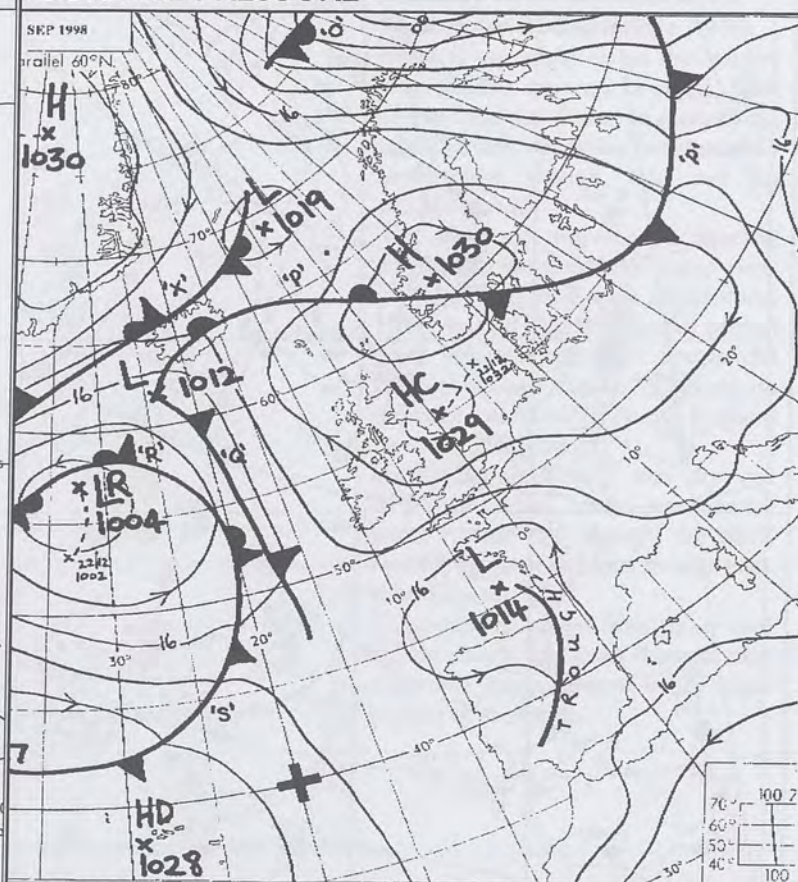
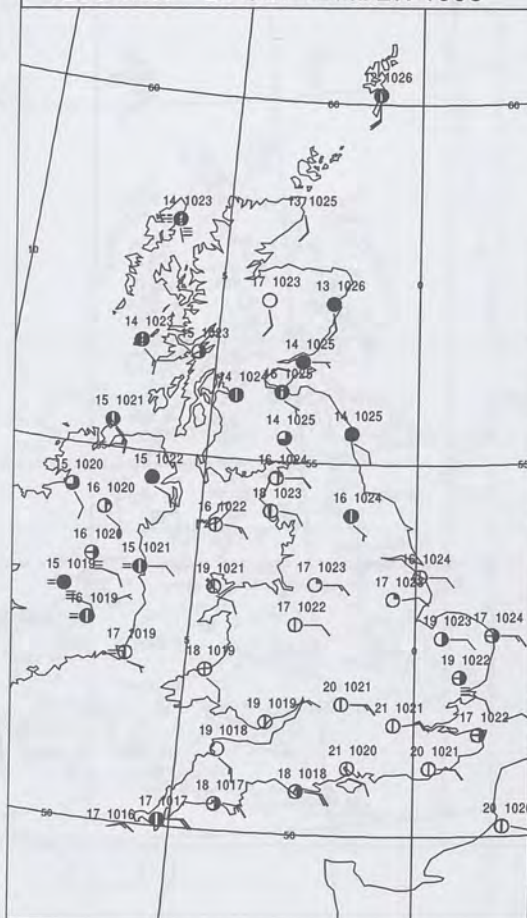
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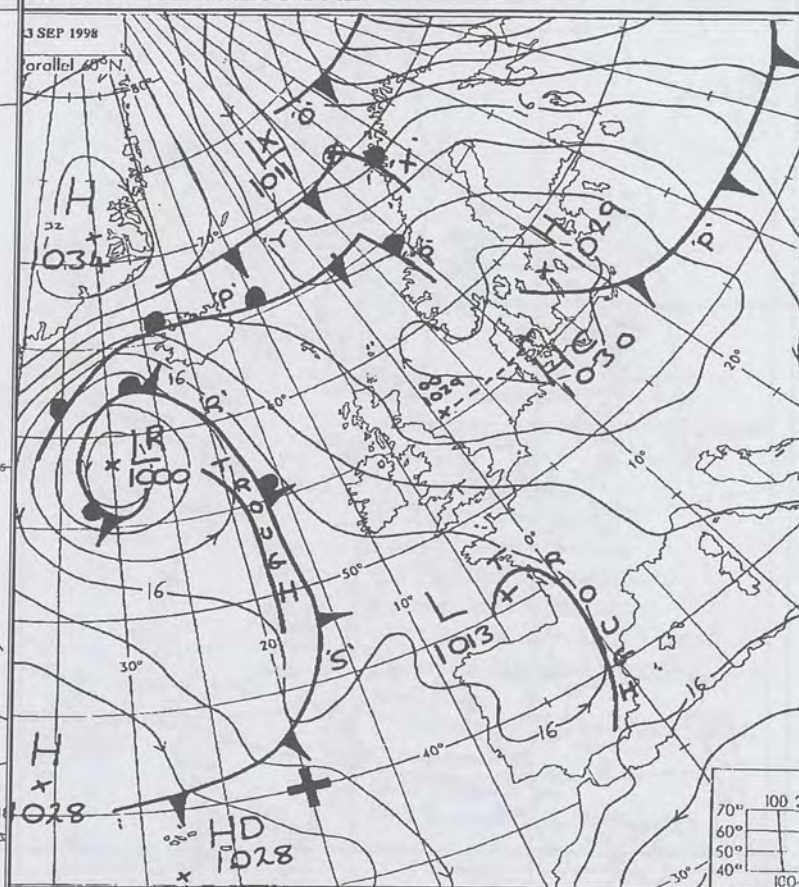
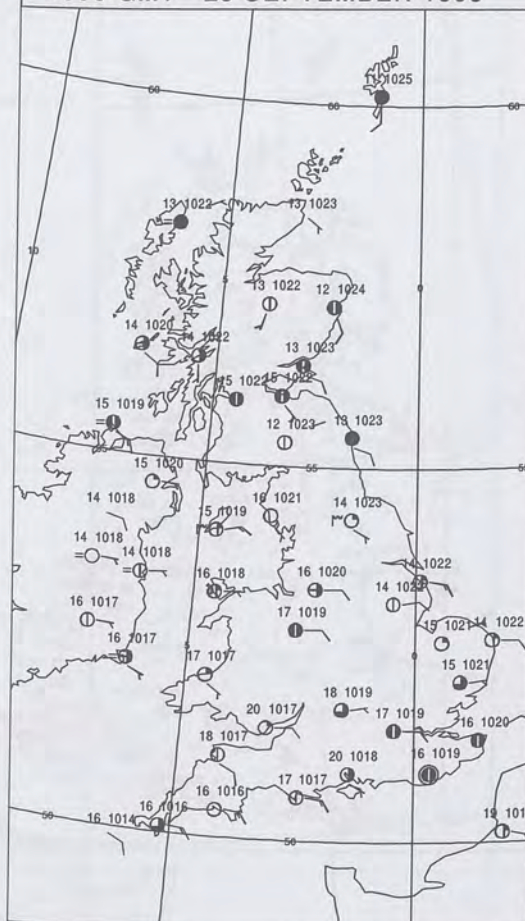
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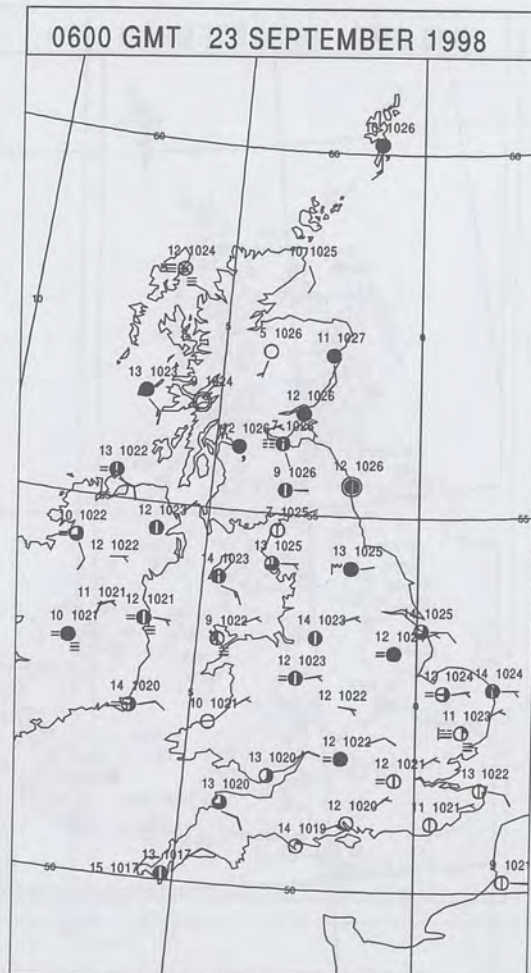
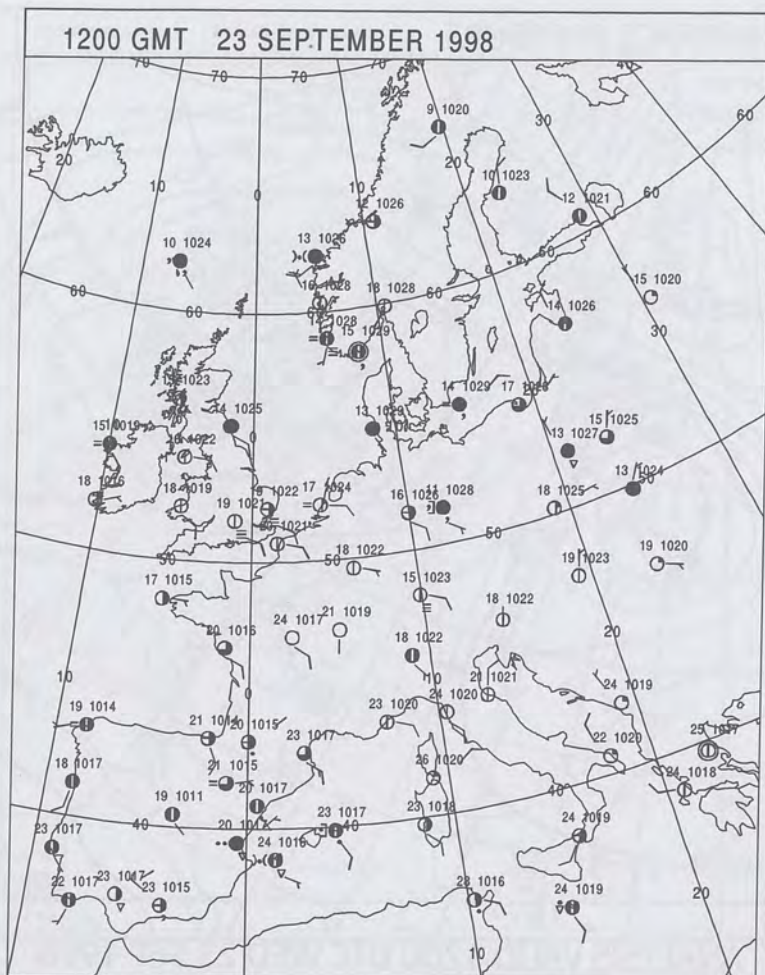
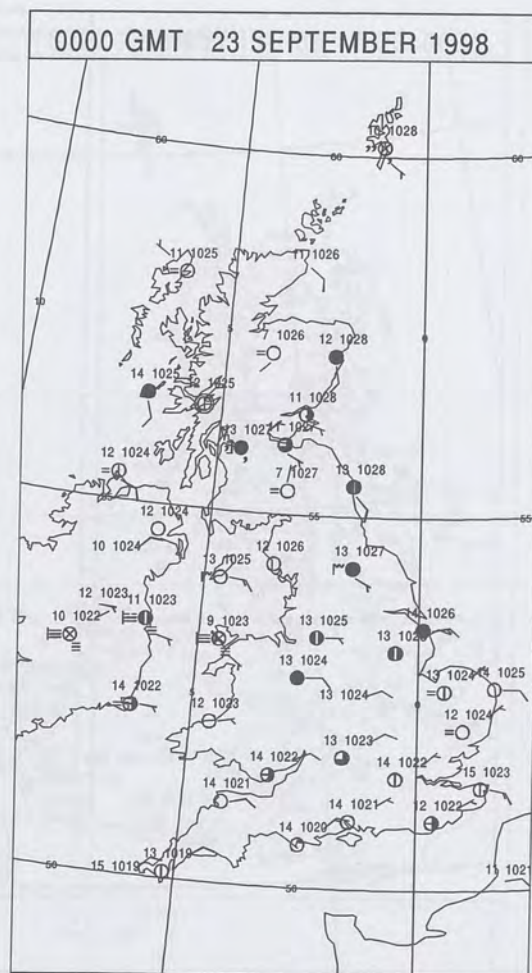
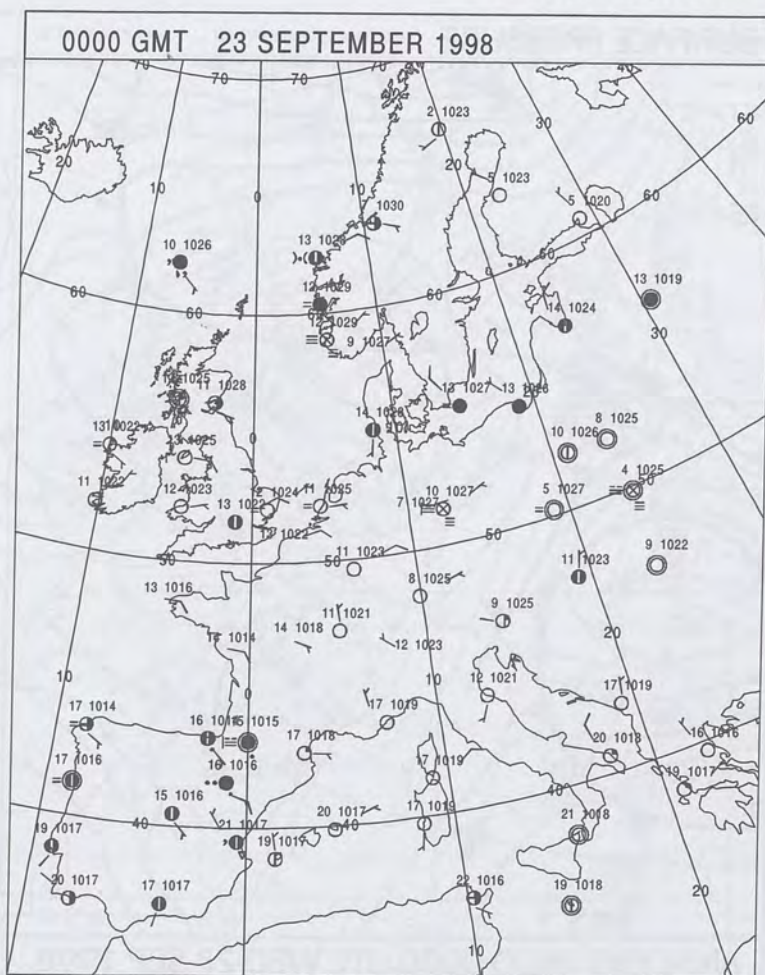
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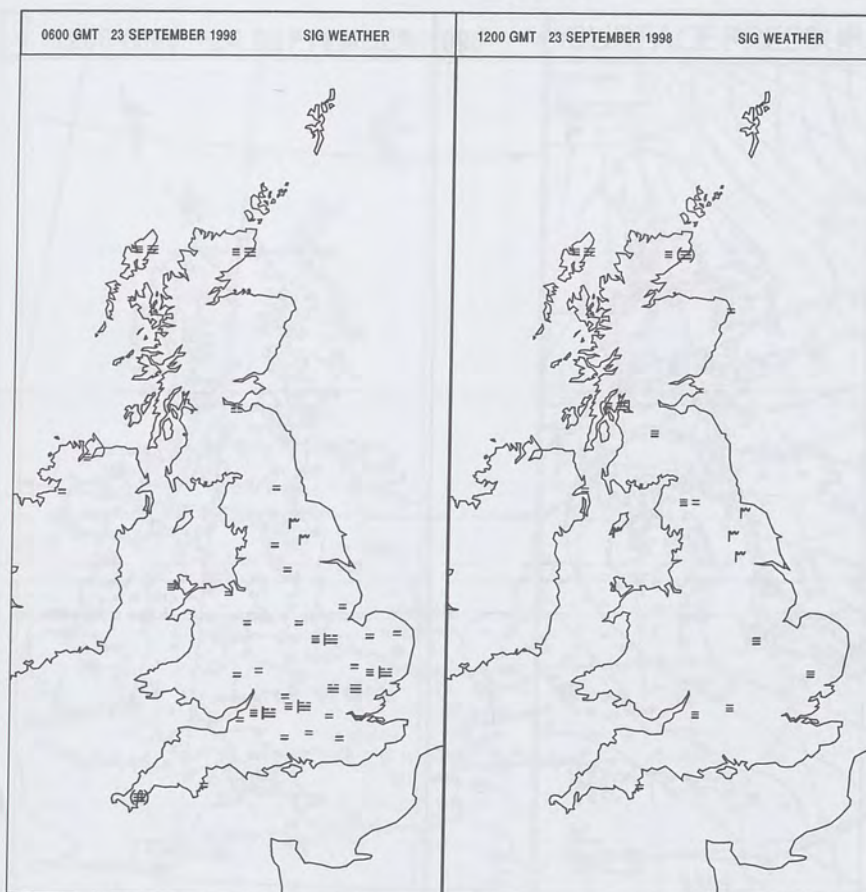
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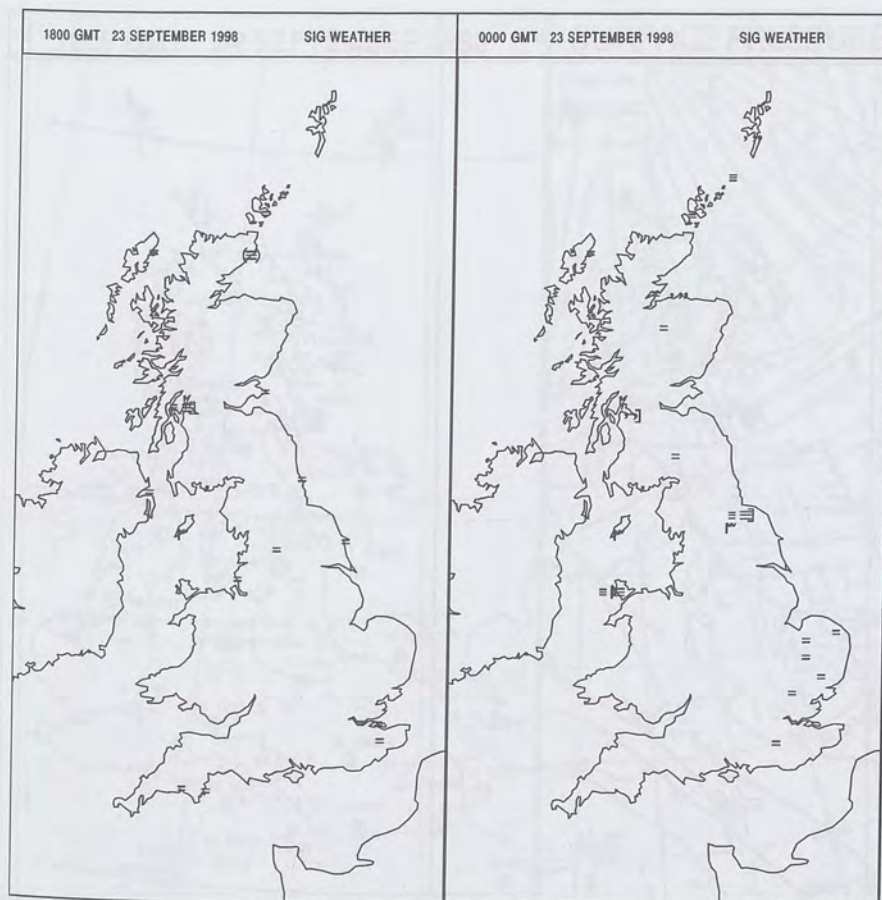
Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 23 September 1998

It was a dry night across the country with variable amounts of cloud. Most of the cloud was down the eastern side, while further west skies were generally clear. Here, though, mist and fog patches formed.

The mist and fog tended to clear during the morning with many parts then enjoying long spells of sunshine. However, the cloud in the east proved more reluctant to clear. Breaks did develop through the day but clung on near the coasts of northeast England and eastern Scotland.

During the evening it was dry and largely clear over central and western parts. Further east, though, the cloud around the coast did start to edge back inland again.

Temperatures ranged from rather cool on the cloudy east coast through near normal in many areas to rather warm in parts of the south.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:
25.0 Aldrouthy, Moray (In Grampian Region)

Lowest Maximum:
10.9 Shap Saws, Cumbria

Lowest Minimum:
0.0 Tomatin, Inverness-Shire

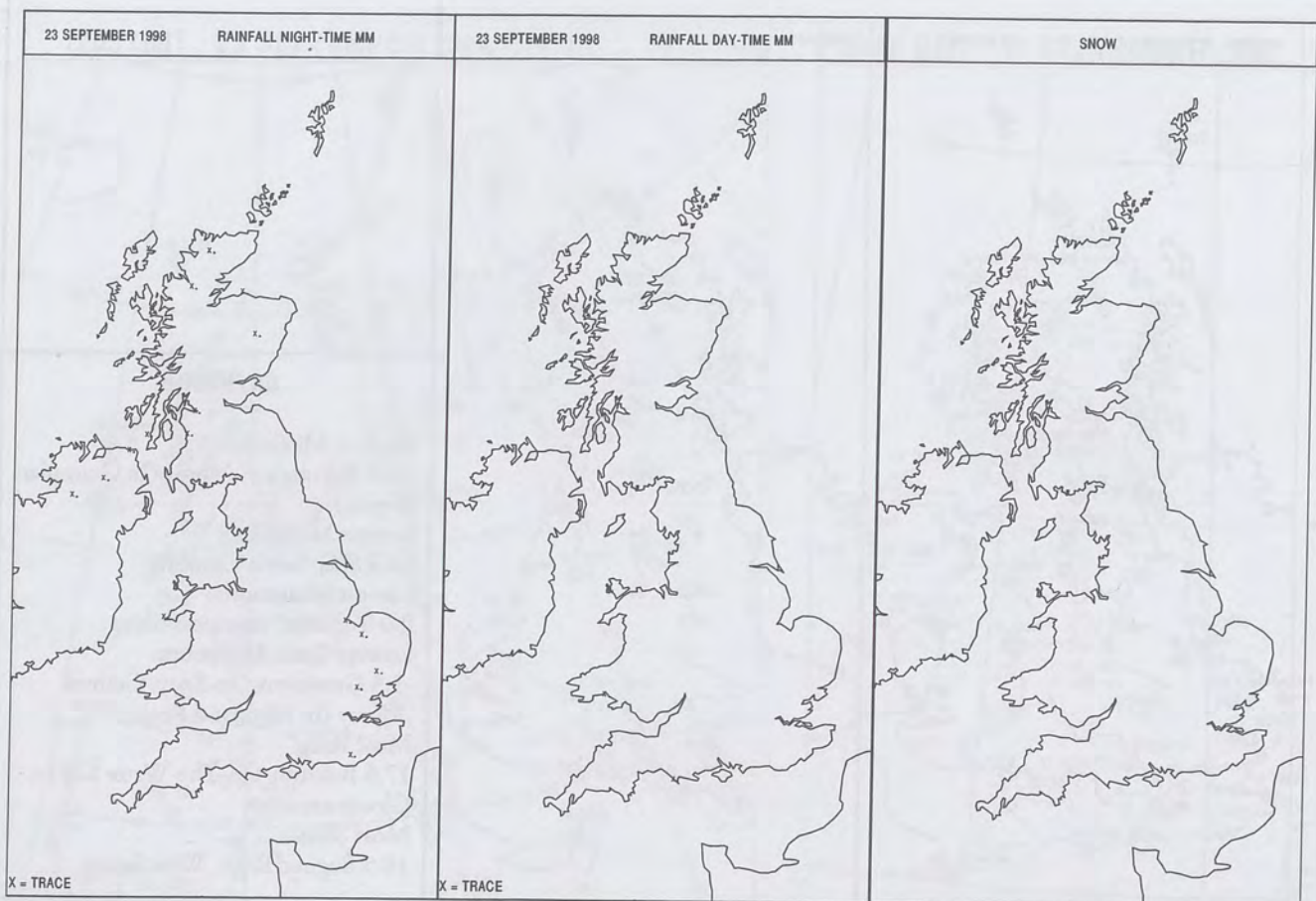
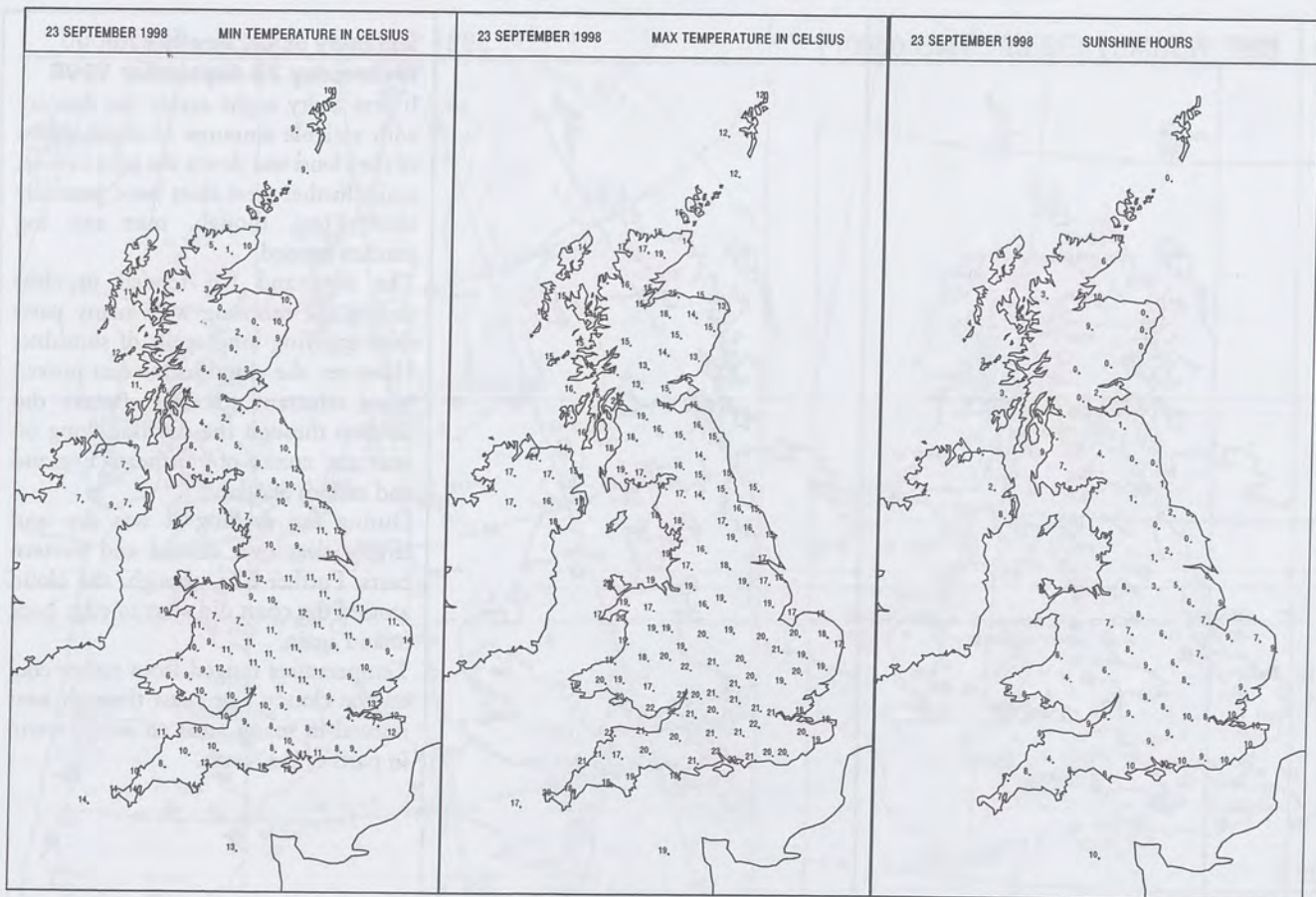
Lowest Grass Minimum:
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Most Rain:
17.6 Bourton-On-The-Water S.Wks, Gloucestershire

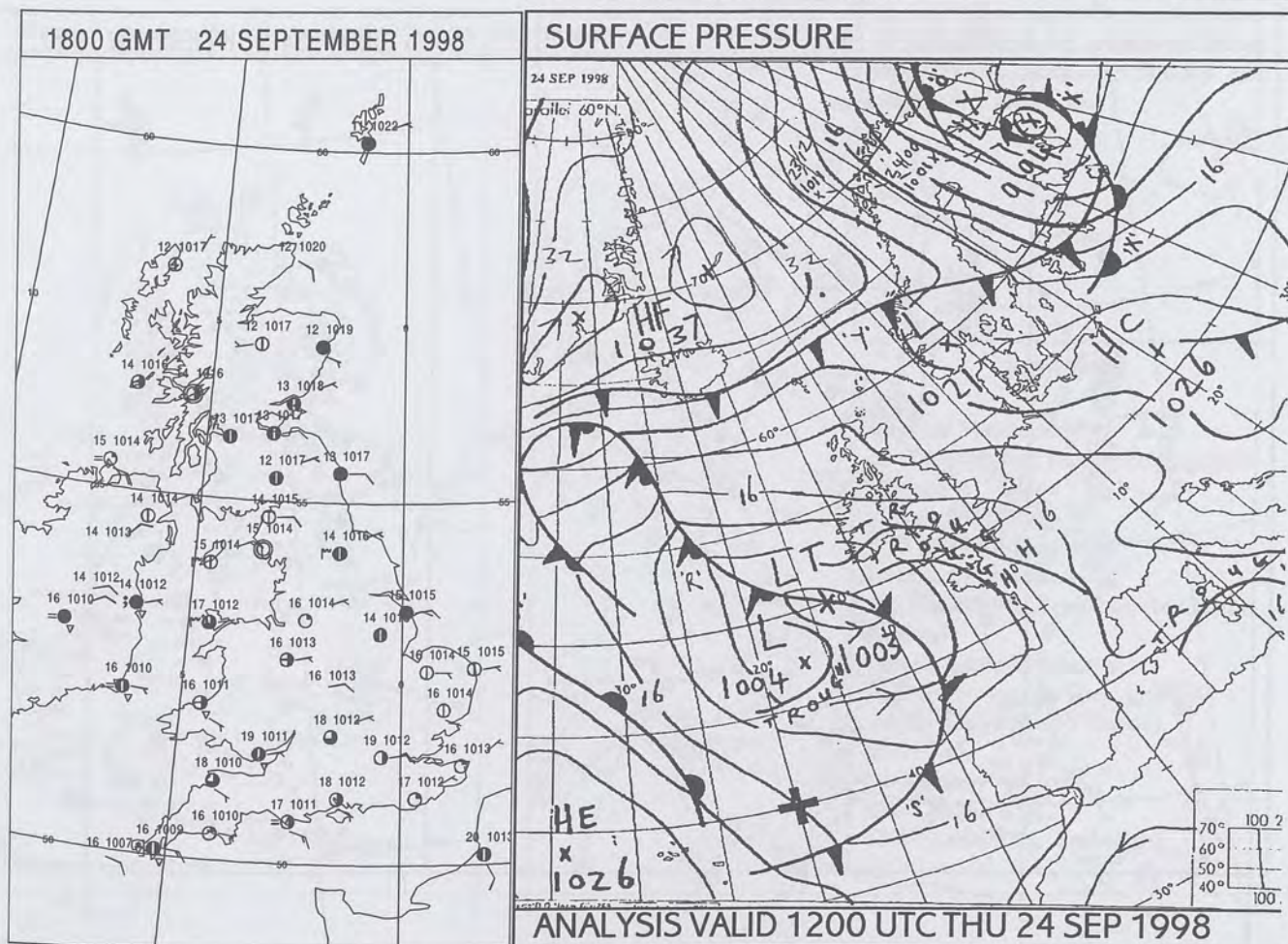
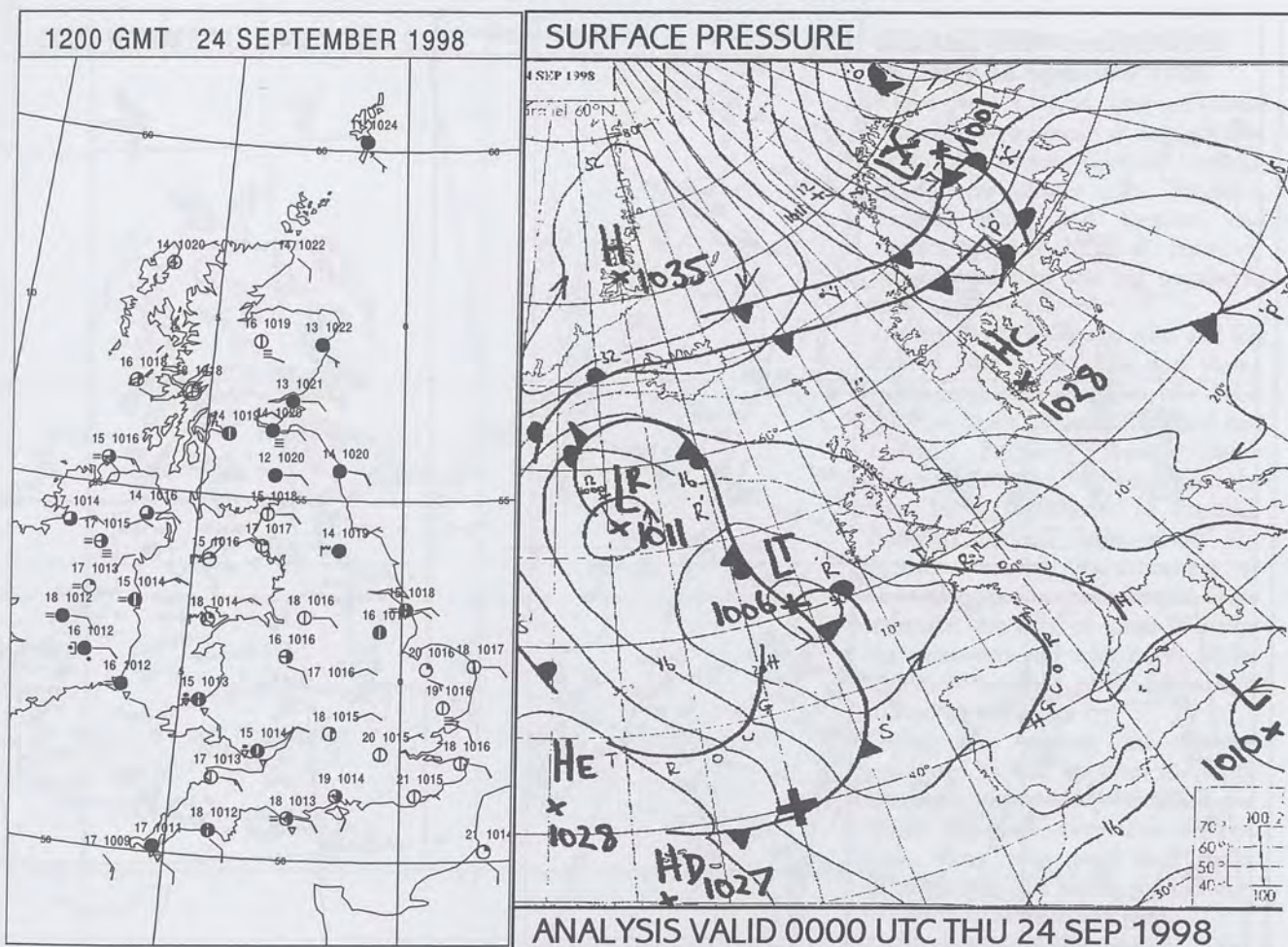
Most Sun:
10.5 Bognor Regis, West Sussex

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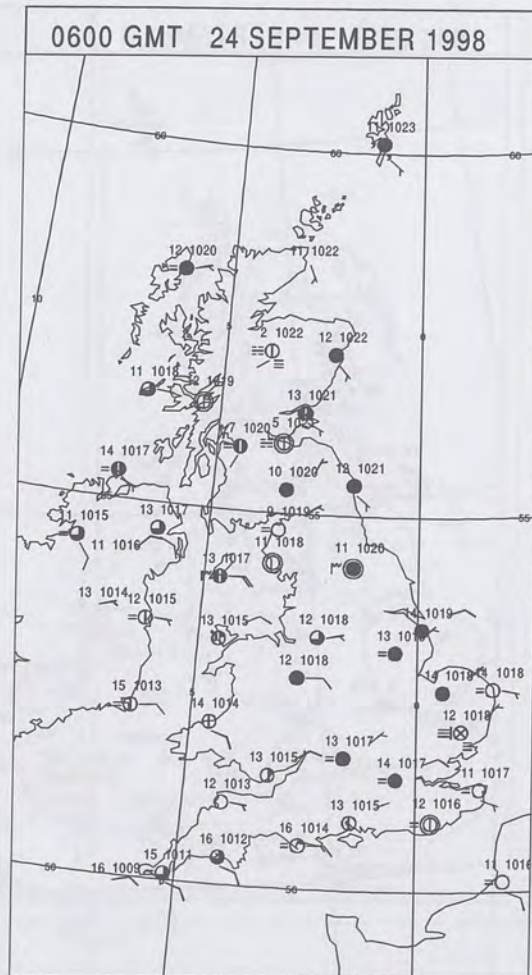
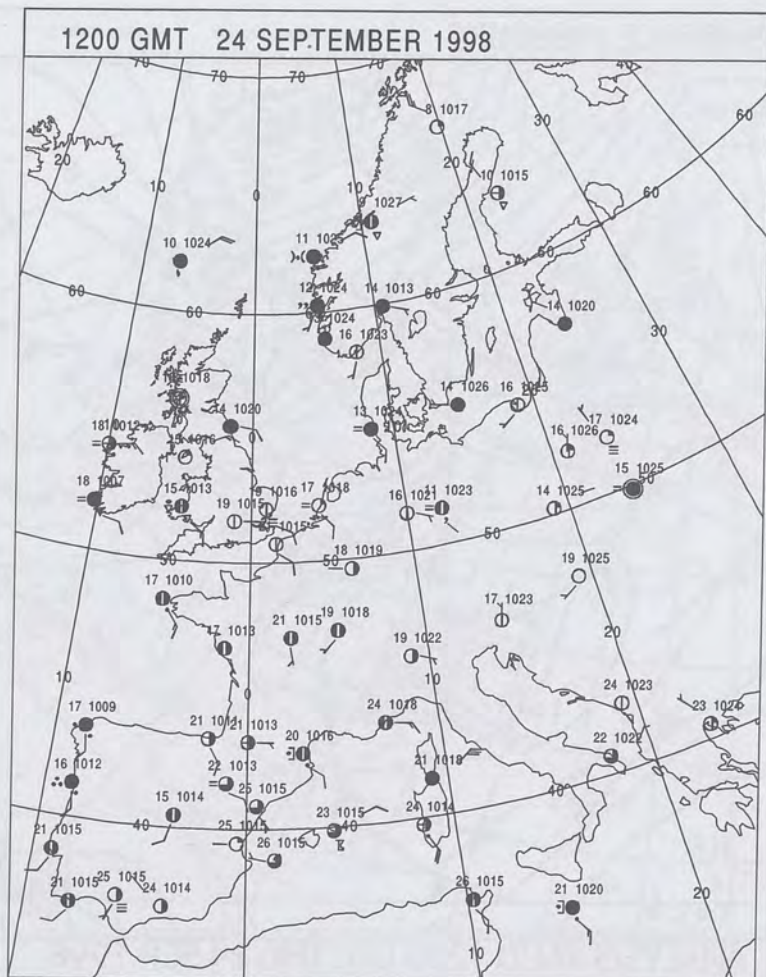
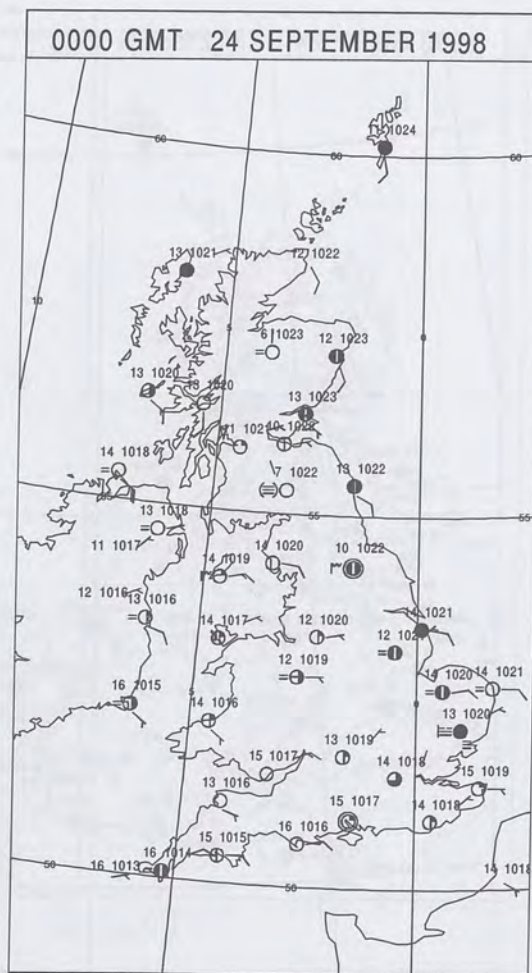
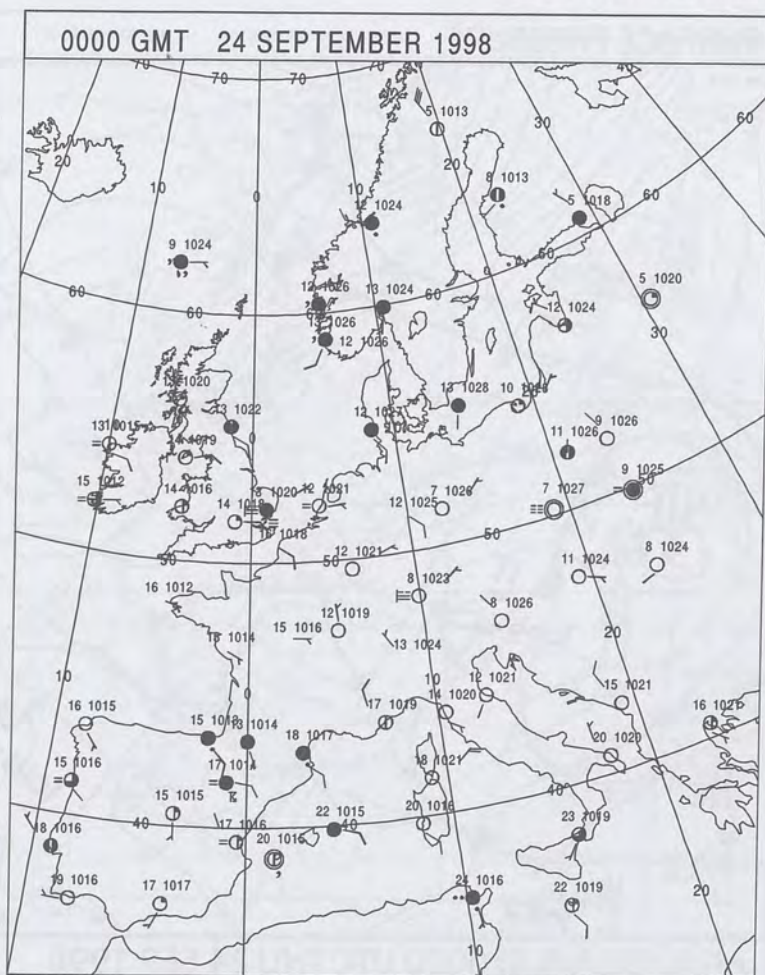


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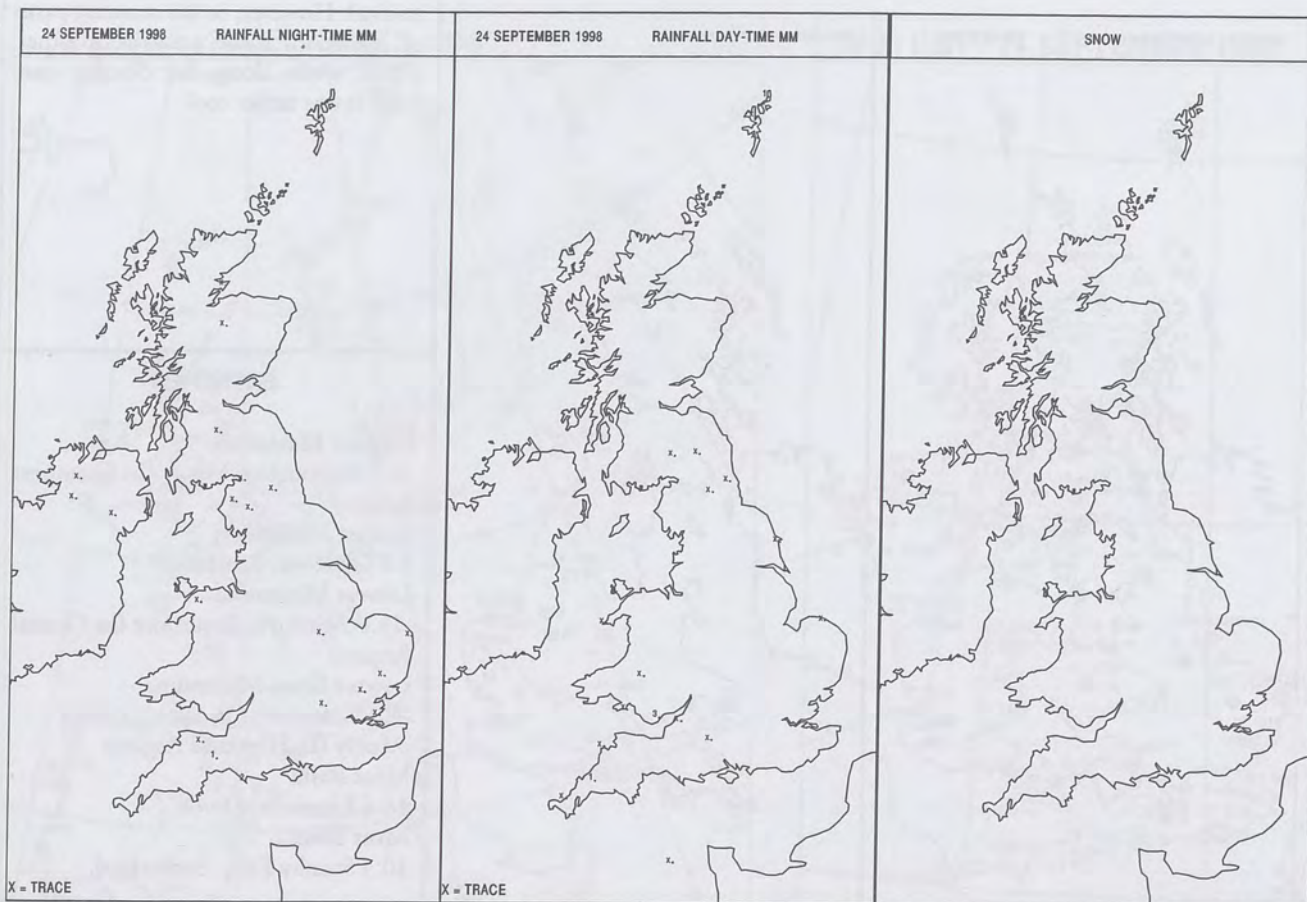
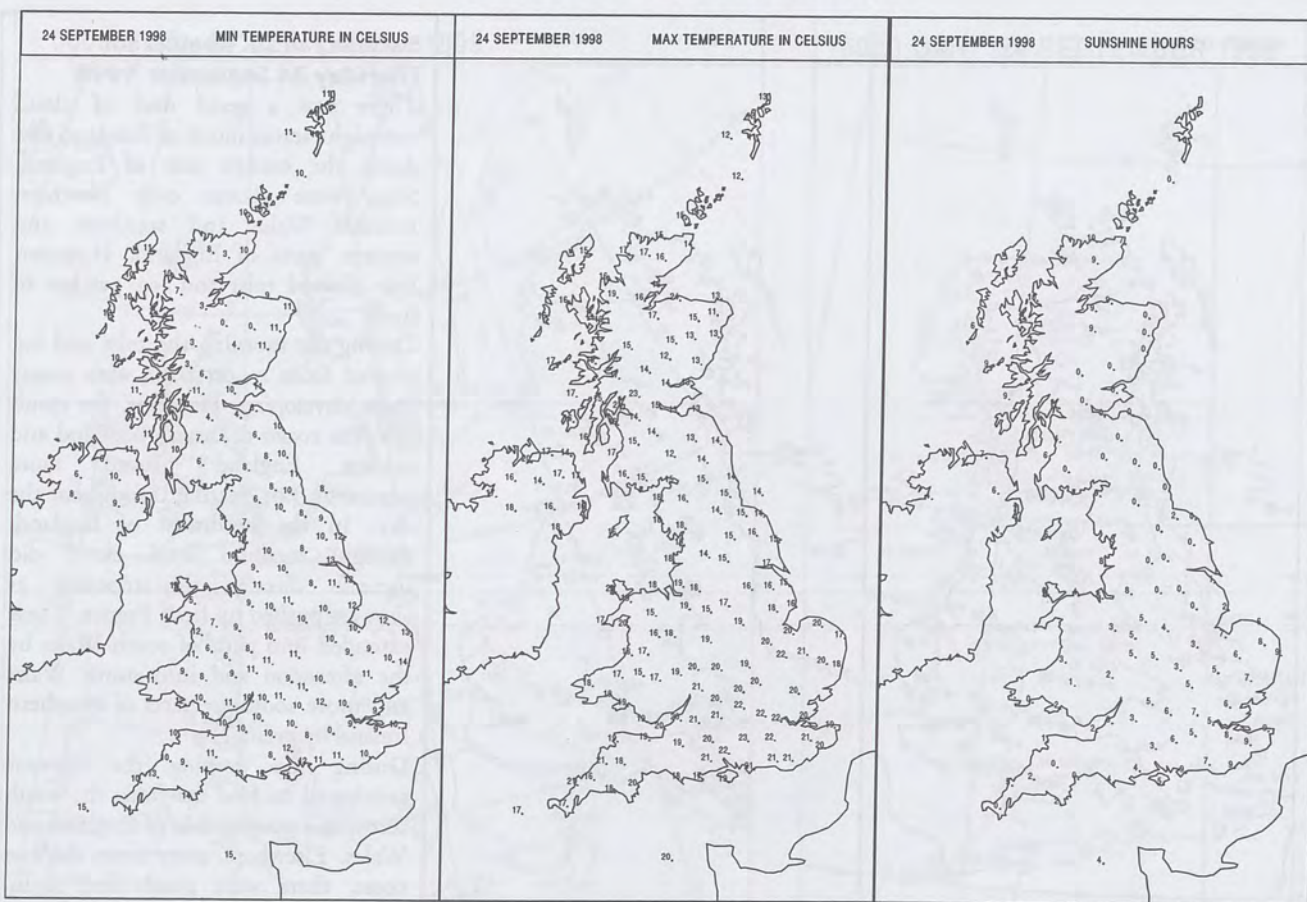


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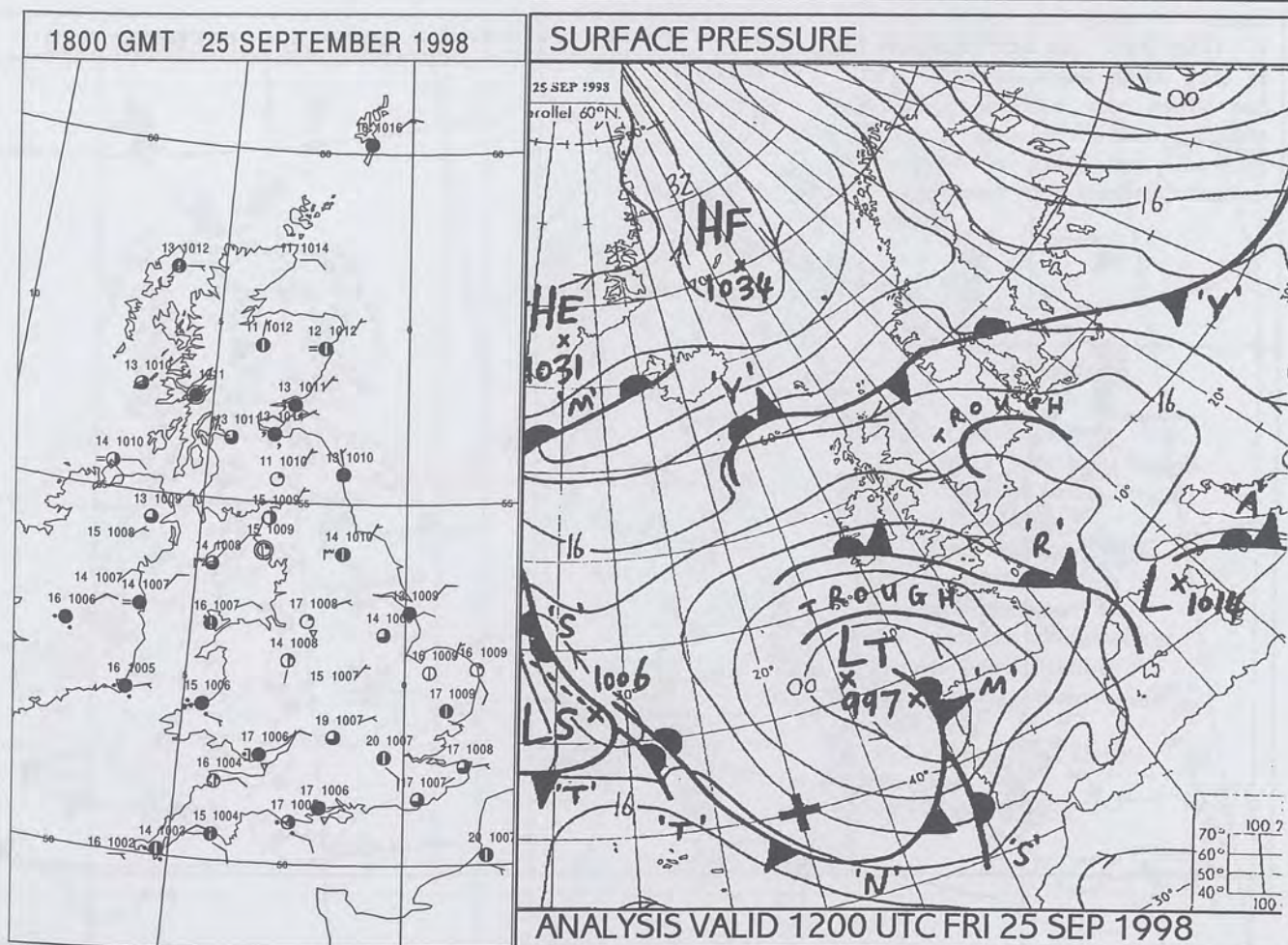
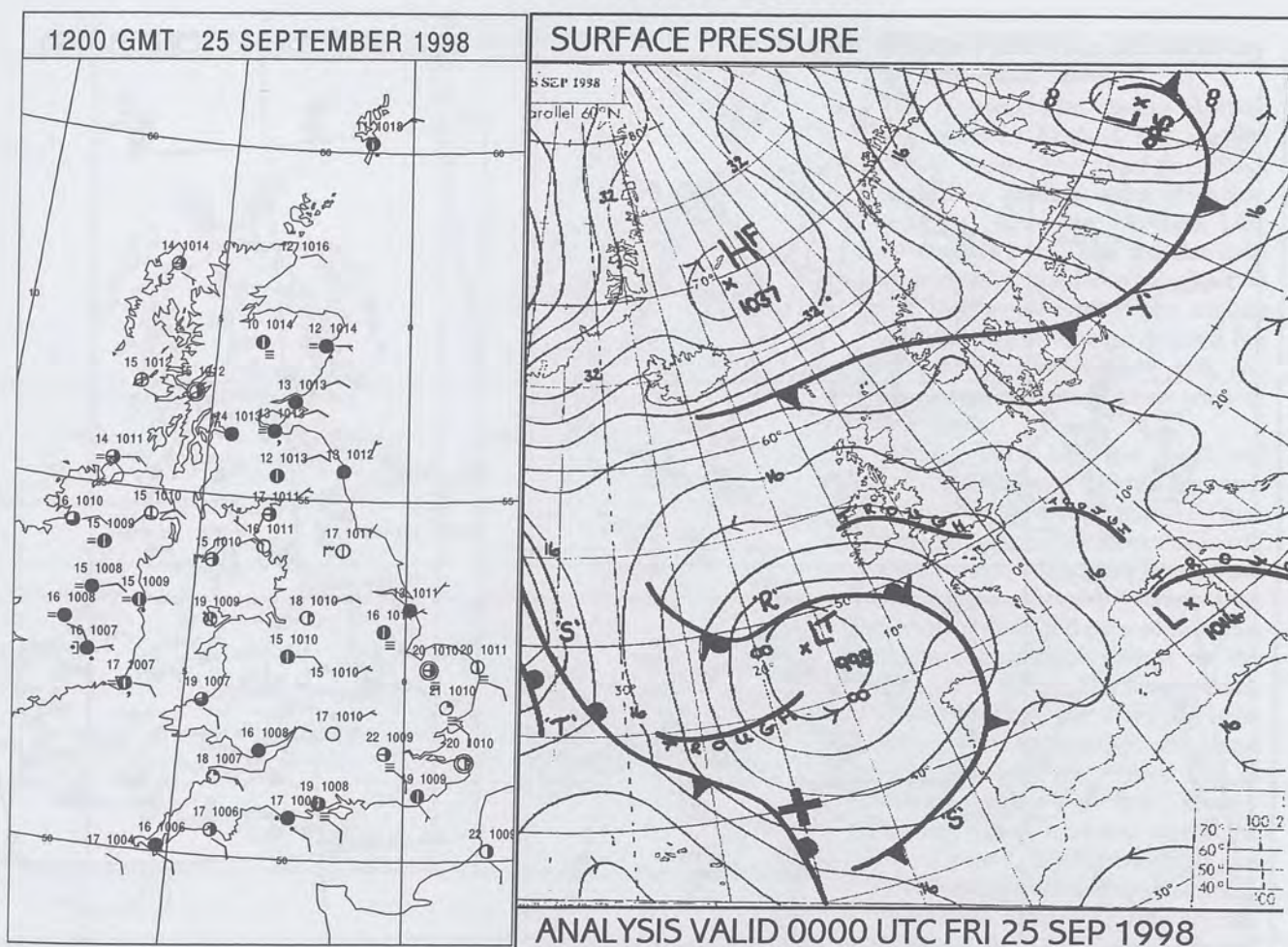
0600 GMT 24 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 24 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Thursday 24 September 1998 <p>There was a good deal of cloud overnight across much of Scotland and down the eastern side of England. Skies were clearer over Northern Ireland, Wales and southern and western parts of England. However, this allowed mist and fog patches to form.</p> <p>During the morning the mist and fog cleared from most parts with sunny spells developing. However, the cloud near the coasts of eastern Scotland and eastern England proved more persistent, not clearing throughout the day. In the southwest of England, though, medium level cloud did increase through the morning as showers pushed up from France. These extended into parts of south Wales by the afternoon and into north Wales and more southern parts of Northern Ireland by evening.</p> <p>During the evening the showers continued to feed up from the south across the western side of England and Wales. Elsewhere, away from the east coast, there were good clear spells, although mist and patchy fog did start to reform in southeastern parts.</p> <p>Temperatures were mostly near normal. However, in the sunniest parts of the south some areas were rather warm, while along the cloudier east coast it was rather cool.</p>
1800 GMT 24 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 24 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 24.5 Aldroughty, Moray (In Grampian Region) Lowest Maximum: 9.8 Glenlivet, Banffshire Lowest Minimum: -11.0 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region) Lowest Grass Minimum: -4.2 Grantown-On-Spey, Gramm, Moray (In Highland Region) Most Rain: 14.6 Exmouth, Devon Most Sun: 10.3 Strathly East, Sutherland

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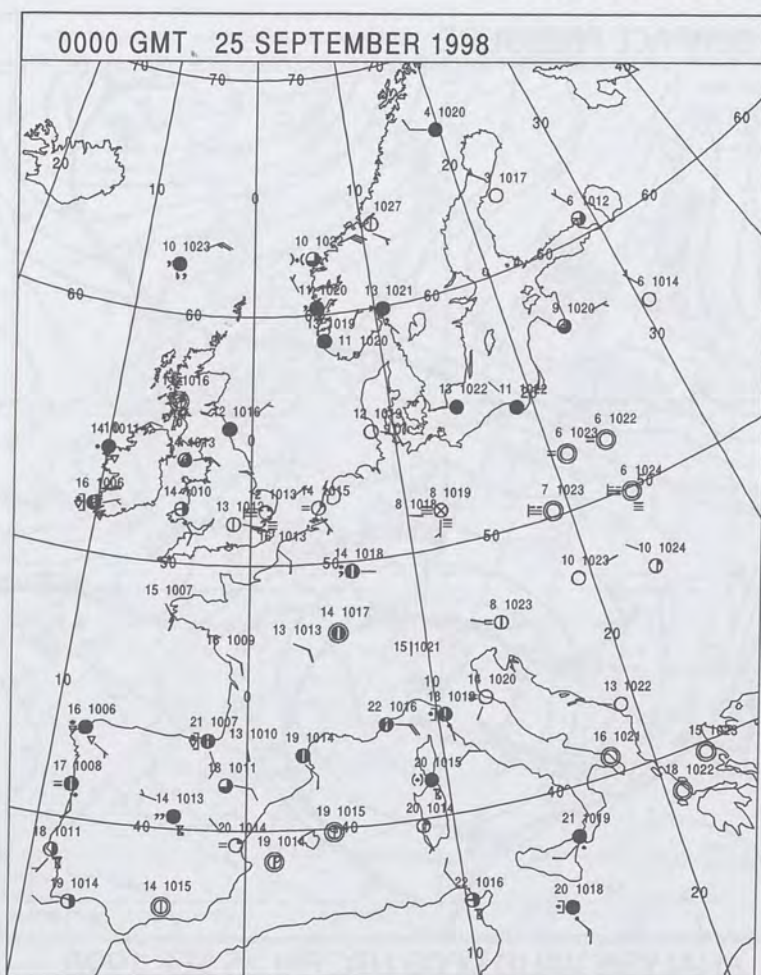


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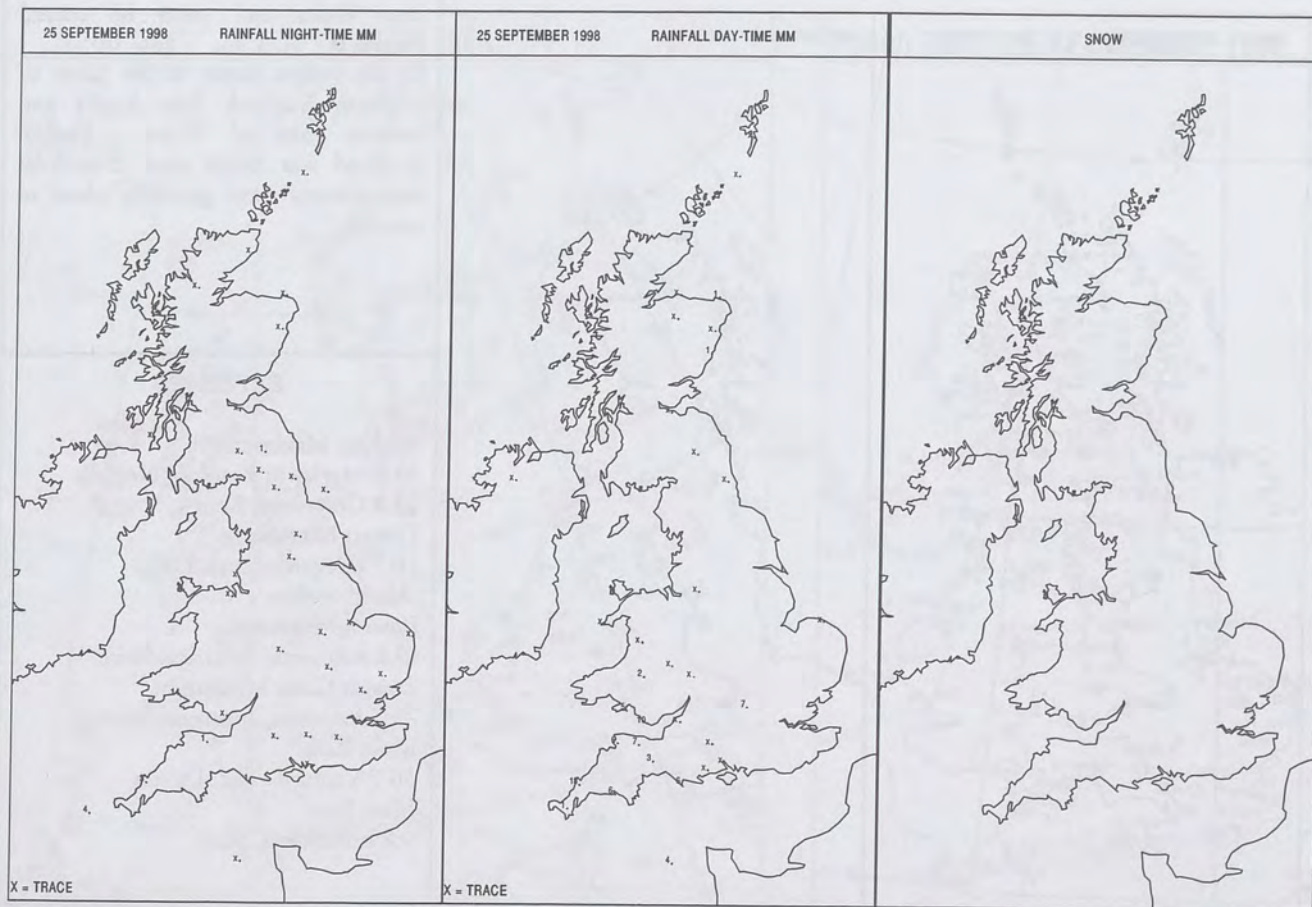
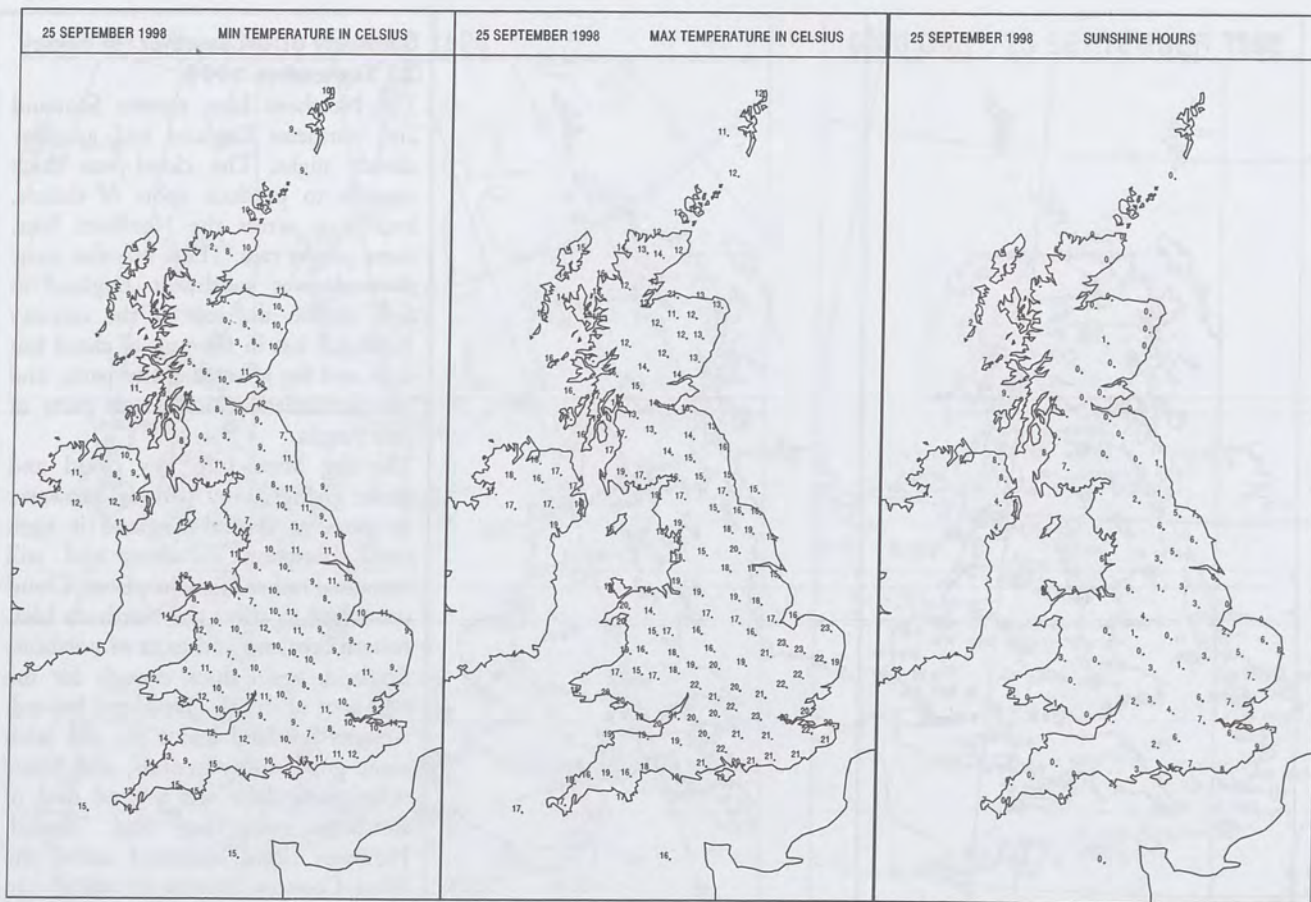


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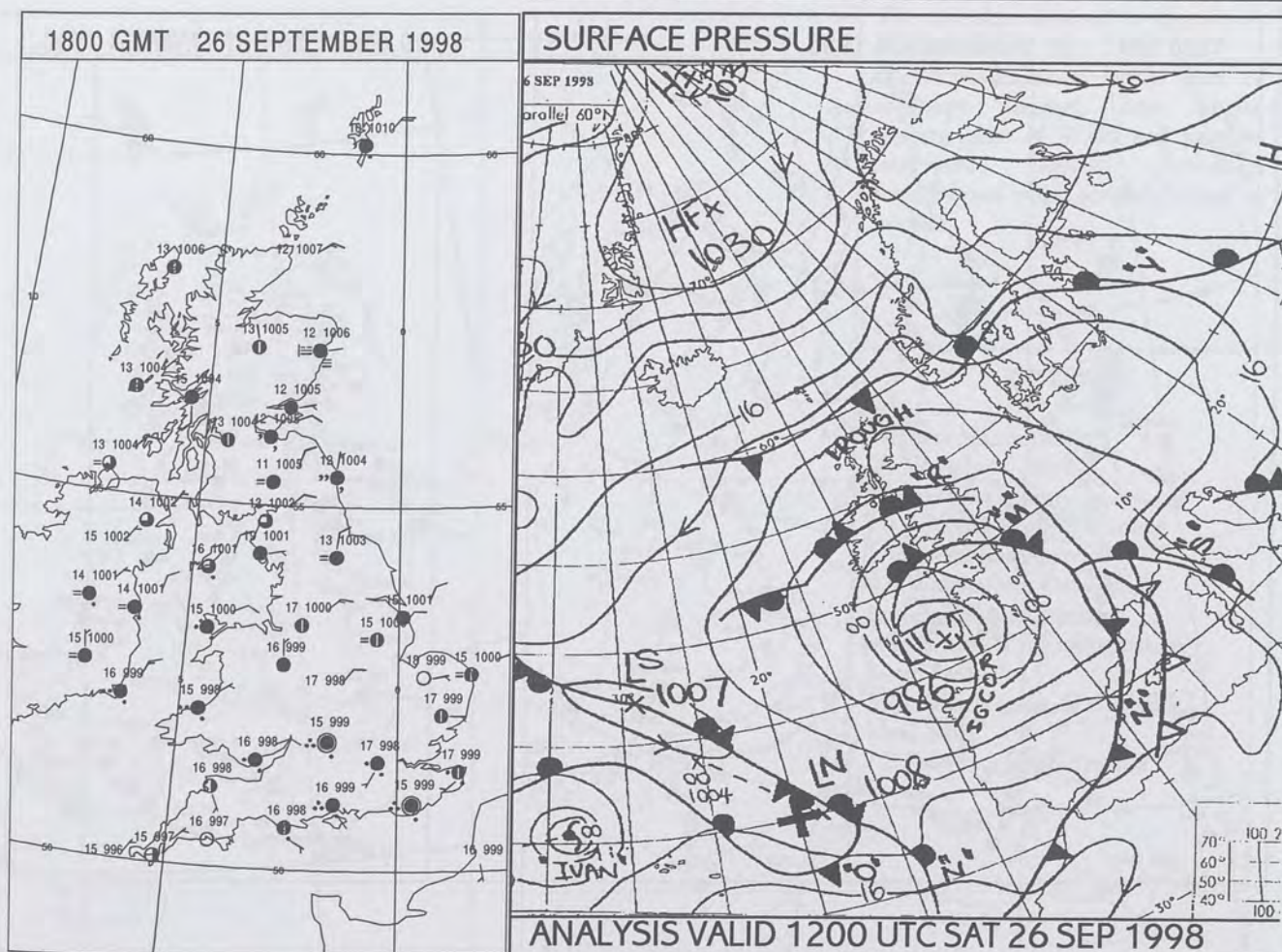
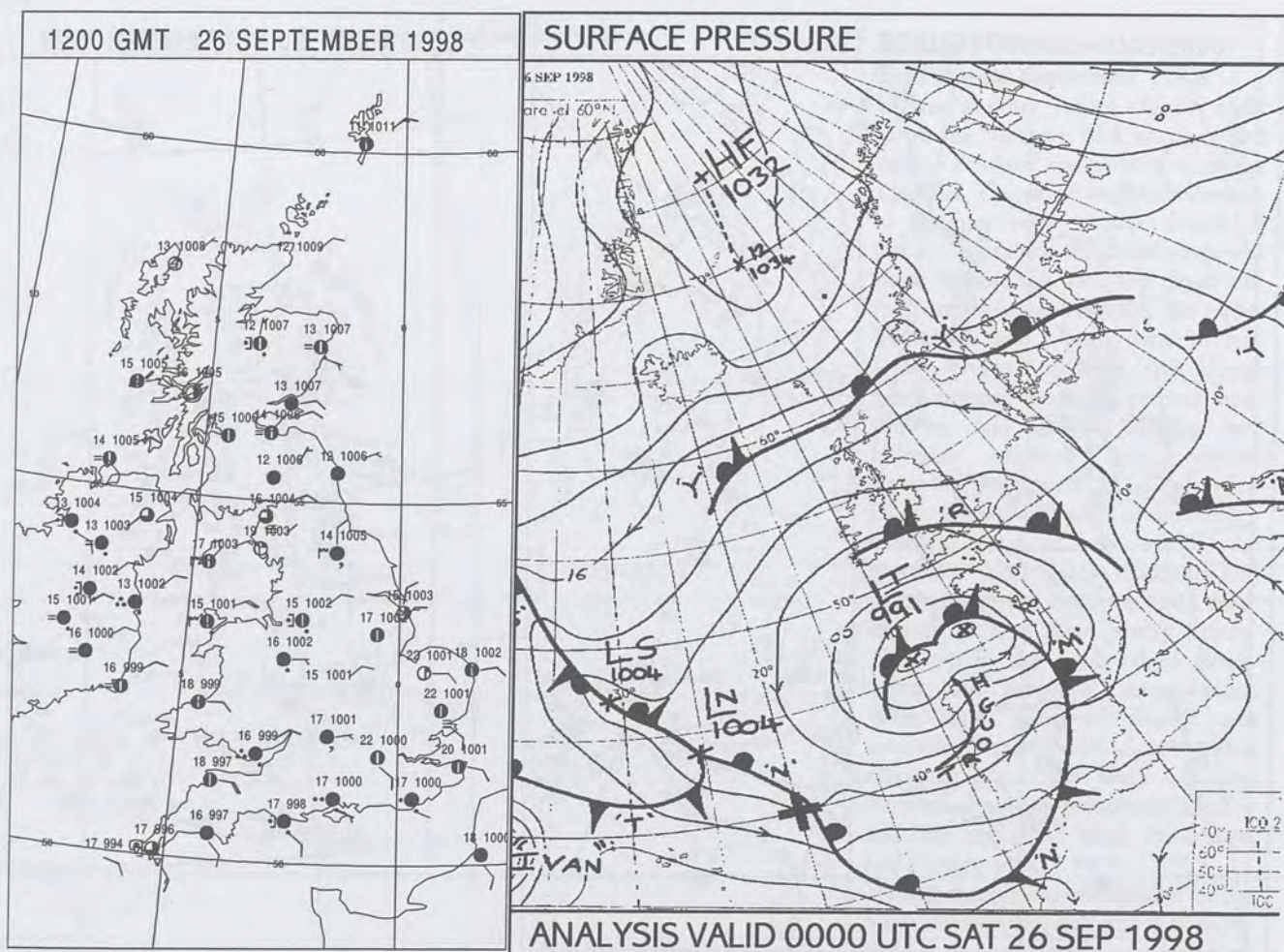
0600 GMT 25 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 25 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Friday 25 September 1998 <p>The Northern Isles, eastern Scotland and northeast England had a rather cloudy night. The cloud was thick enough to produce spots of drizzle, and later, across the Northern Isles, some patchy rain. There was also some showers over southwest England at first. Across the rest of the country there was less in the way of cloud but mist and fog affected many parts, and was particularly thick across parts of East Anglia.</p> <p>The fog lifted into low cloud and broke giving sunny periods. However in parts of central England it took until afternoon to clear, and still remained rather misty in places. Cloud continued to affect the Northern Isles, eastern Scotland and parts of northeast England, again thick enough for the odd spot of drizzle. Northern Ireland, western Scotland had a dry day with some good sunny periods, and across other parts there was a good deal of sunshine once fog had cleared. However cloud increased across the West Country, bringing showery rain across these parts during the afternoon. Through the evening this showery rain spread across southern England, and into Wales and parts of central England.</p> <p>It was rather warm across parts of southern England, East Anglia and western parts of Wales. Eastern Scotland was rather cool. Elsewhere temperatures were generally close to normal.</p>
				
1800 GMT 25 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 26 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 23.8 Morley St Botolph, Norfolk 23.8 Gravesend, Kent Lowest Maximum: 10.7 Corgarff, Castle Lodge, Aberdeenshire Lowest Minimum: -0.8 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire Lowest Grass Minimum: -3.7 Aviemore, Inverness-Shire Most Rain: 36.7 Venford Dam, Devon Most Sun: 9.8 Folkestone, Kent
				

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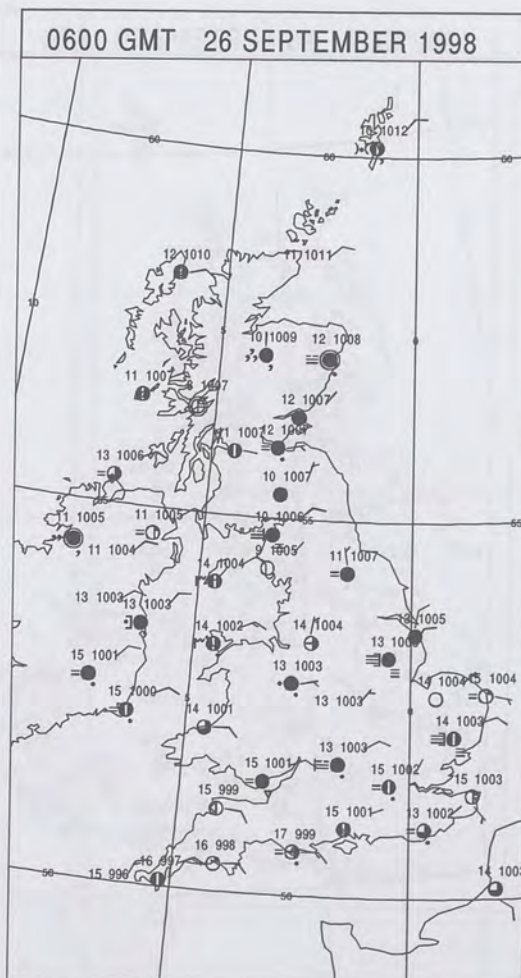
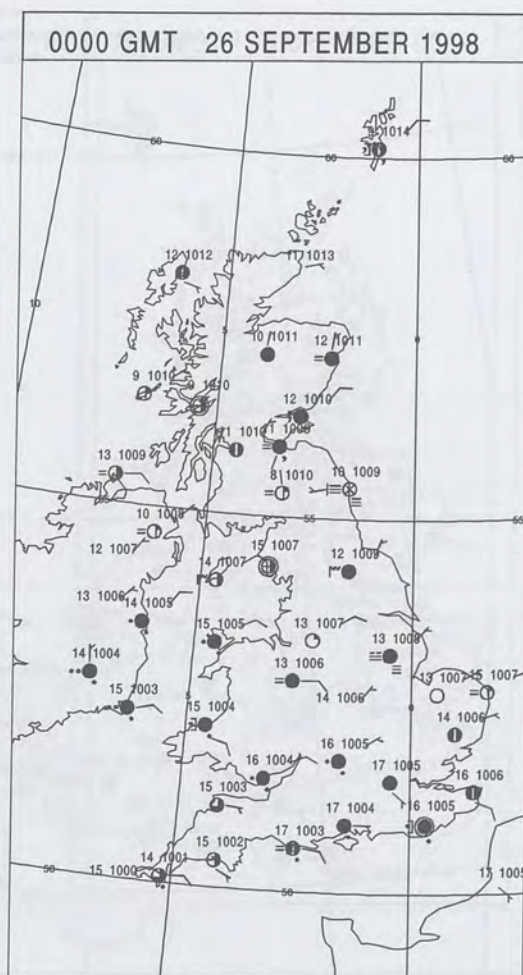
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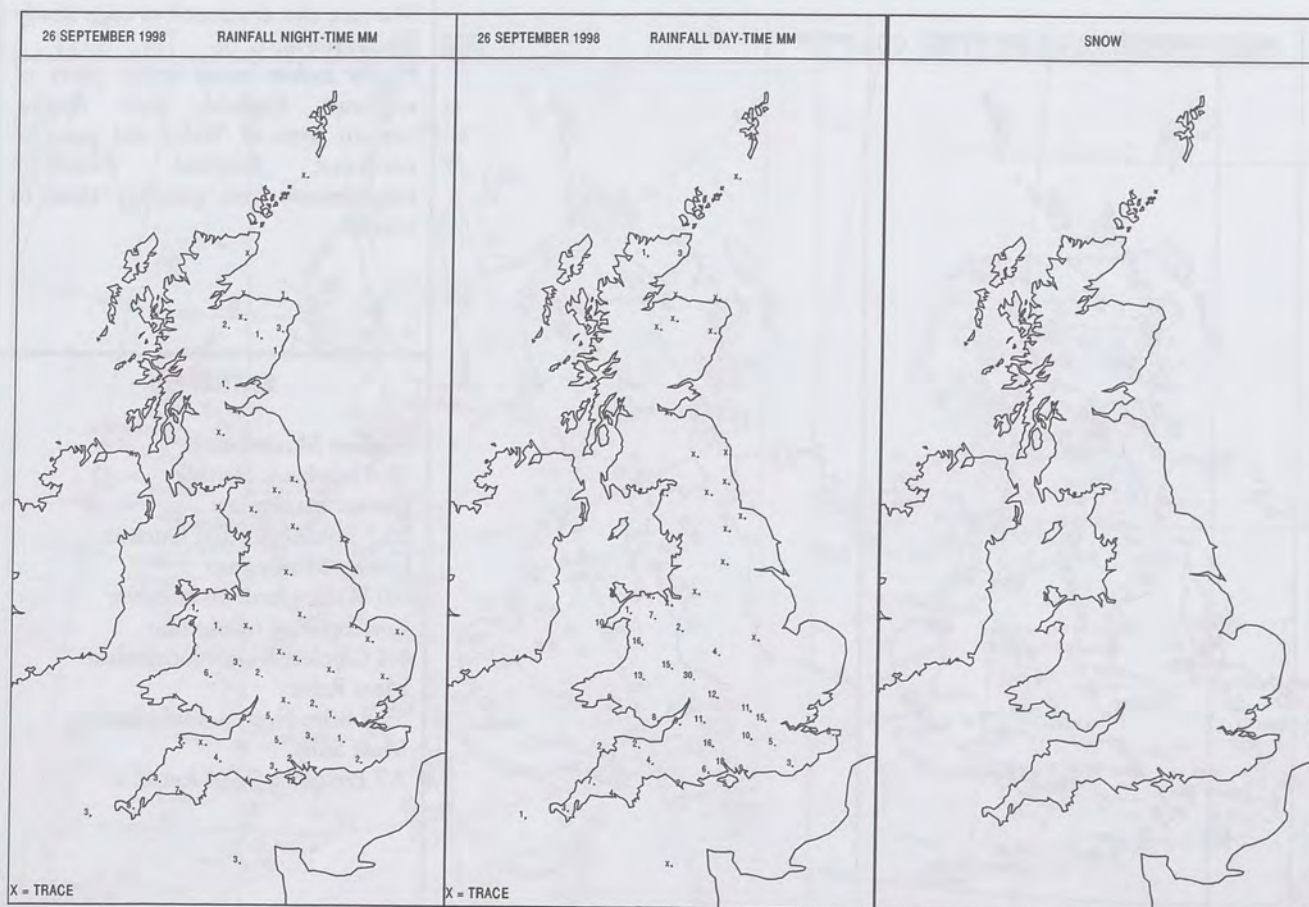
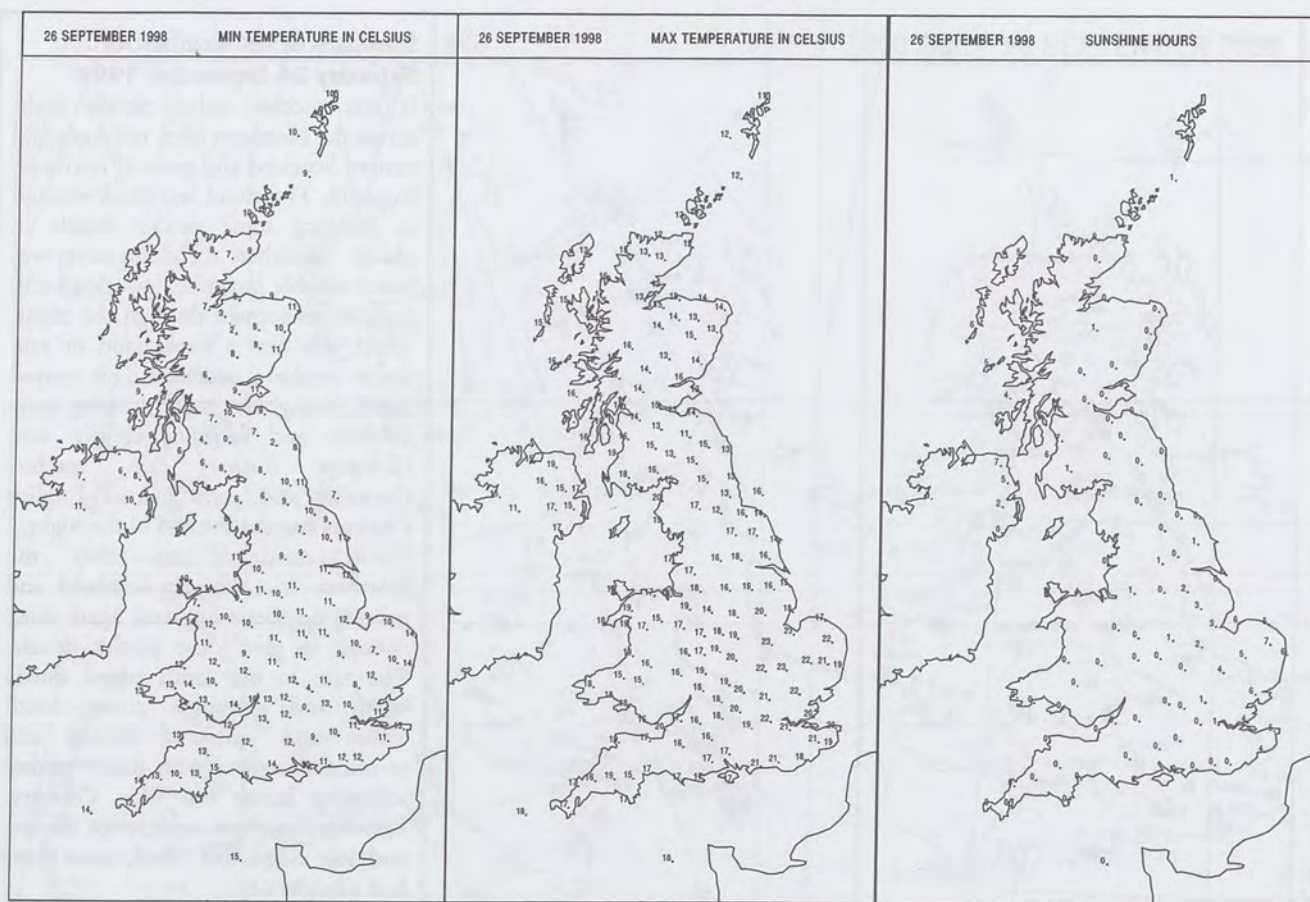


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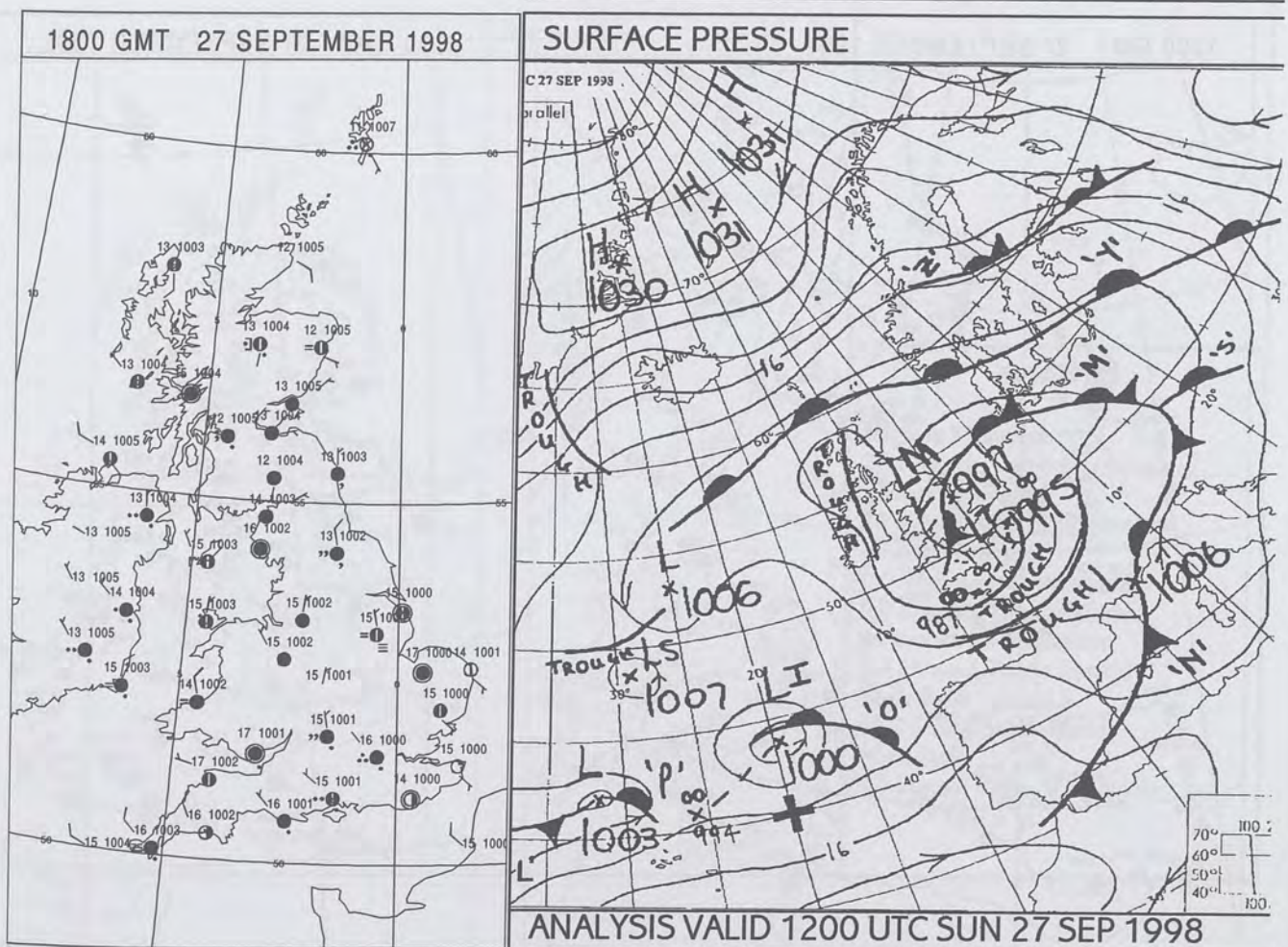
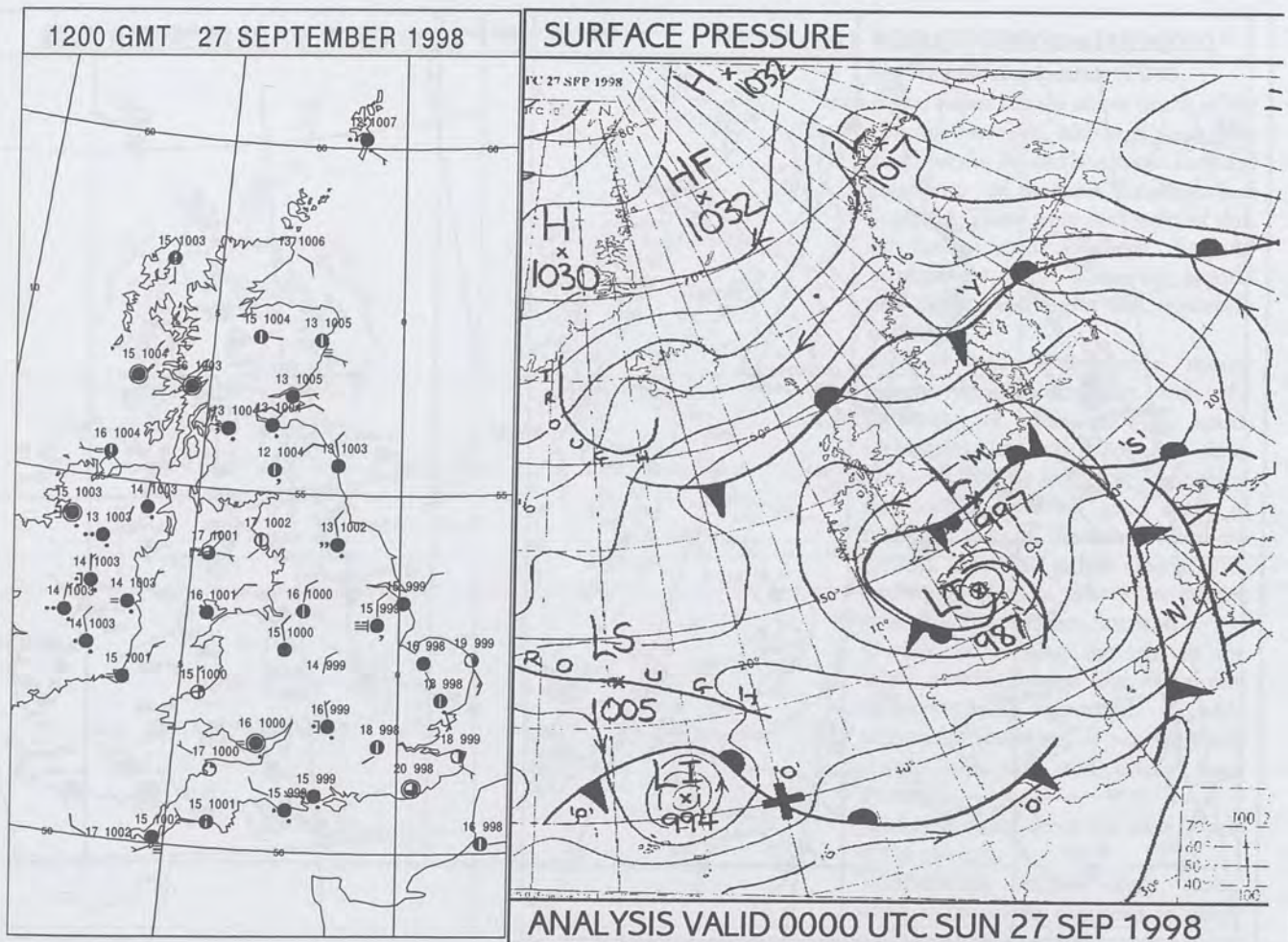
0600 GMT 26 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 26 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	Summary of UK weather for Saturday 26 September 1998 It was another rather cloudy night across the Northern Isles, northern and eastern Scotland and parts of northeast England. The cloud was thick enough to produce some patchy drizzle in places. Elsewhere the cloud cover was more variable but mist, low cloud and fog patches formed through the night. There was also a weak band or rain across southern counties. This moved north through the night, turning more showery and largely petering out. However further rain reached Cornwall and parts of the English Channel coast at the end of the night. Cloud continued to affect the Northern Isles, eastern Scotland and parts of northeast England, again thick enough to give some patchy drizzle. The rain in the south edged slowly north and eastwards across south Wales and parts of central and southeast England with drier weather following across the West Country. Between these two areas, once the fog and low cloud had lifted, most parts had a bright day. During the evening the rainfall in the south intensified with some very heavy and thundery downpours reported. The rain also continued to edge slowly further north.
1800 GMT 26 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	0000 GMT 26 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	EXTREMES Highest Maximum: 23.4 Marham, Norfolk Lowest Maximum: 10.7 Boltshope Park, Durham Lowest Minimum: 0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire Lowest Grass Minimum: 0.4 Glenlee, Kirkcudbrightshire Most Rain: 55.8 Brize Norton, Oxfordshire Most Sun: 7.7 Prestwick Rnas, Ayrshire

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<p>0600 GMT 27 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>1200 GMT 27 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>Summary of UK weather for Sunday 27 September 1998</p> <p>It was rather cloudy across much of the country overnight, although there were good breaks in southernmost England and parts of western England and Scotland. There were outbreaks of rain in central and southern England through the night. There was a good deal of mist and fog as well, especially in the east.</p> <p>England and Wales were mostly cloudy through the day with the outbreaks of rain in the south continuing for much of the time. However, the far southeast of England did remain dry with good spells of sunshine through the day. Northern Ireland, too, was rather cloudy with outbreaks of rain, heavy in places, extending into western Scotland.</p> <p>During the evening the rain in the south slowly petered out. The rain further north pushed steadily eastwards. Elsewhere, it was generally cloudy with rain and drizzle from thicker patches of cloud down the eastern side of the country.</p> <p>Temperatures ranged from rather warm in the sunny southeast to rather cool along the cloudy east coast.</p>
<p>1800 GMT 27 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>0000 GMT 27 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	

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Highest Maximum:
23.1 March, Cambridgeshire

Lowest Maximum:
10.6 Baltasound Saws, Shetland

Lowest Minimum:
0.0 Wallingford, Oxfordshire

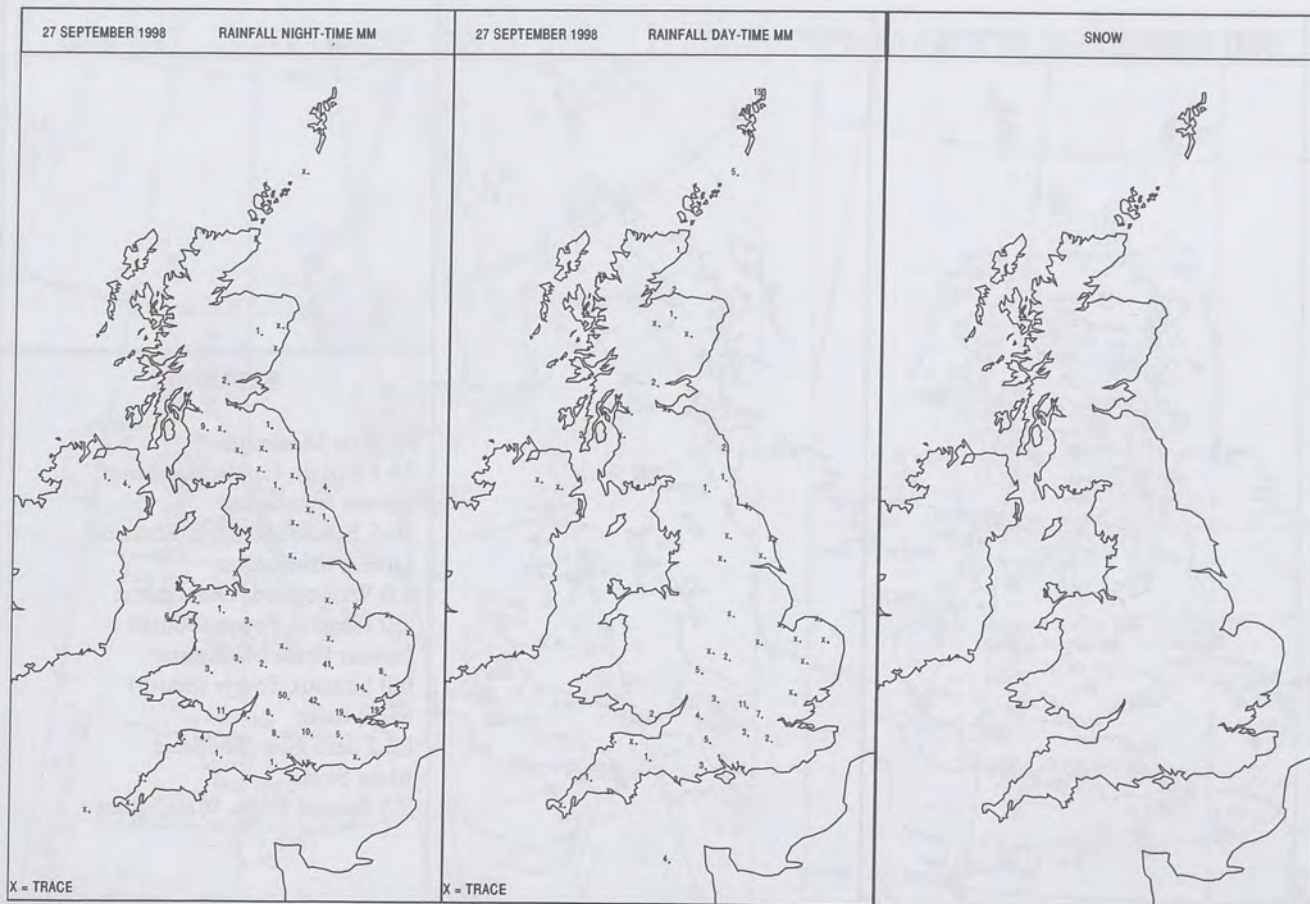
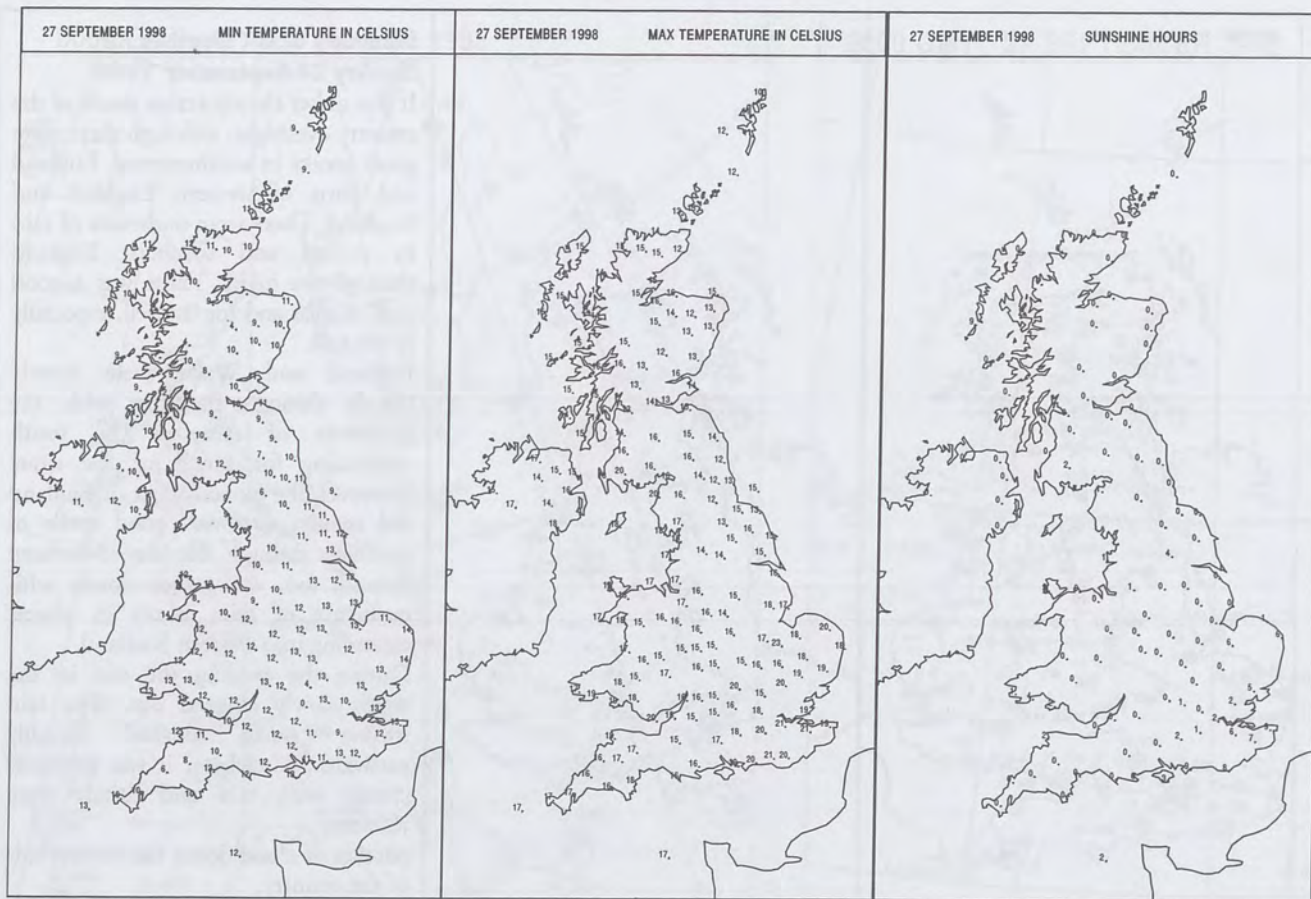
Lowest Grass Minimum:
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Most Rain:
62.2 Sella Ness, Shetland

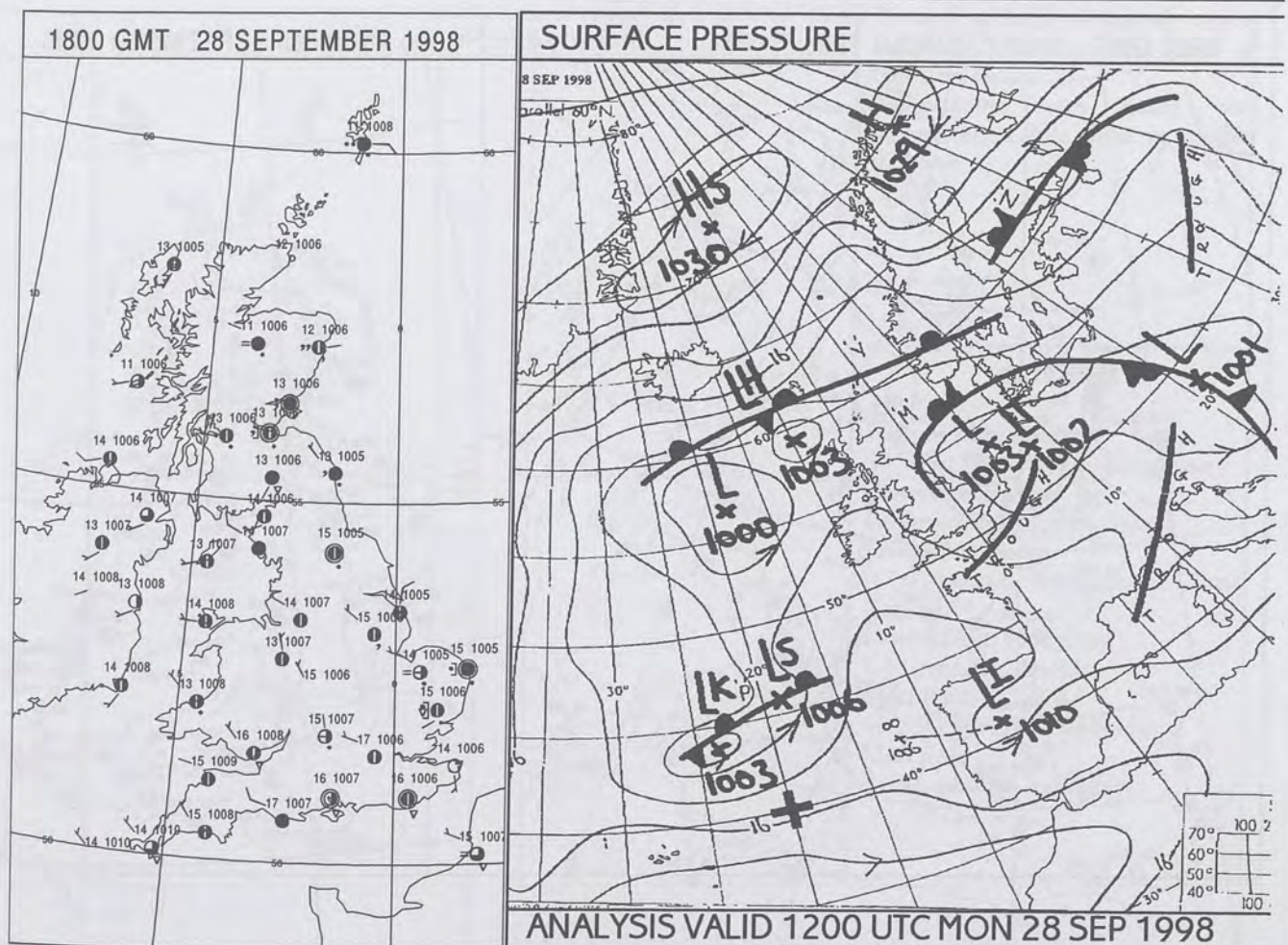
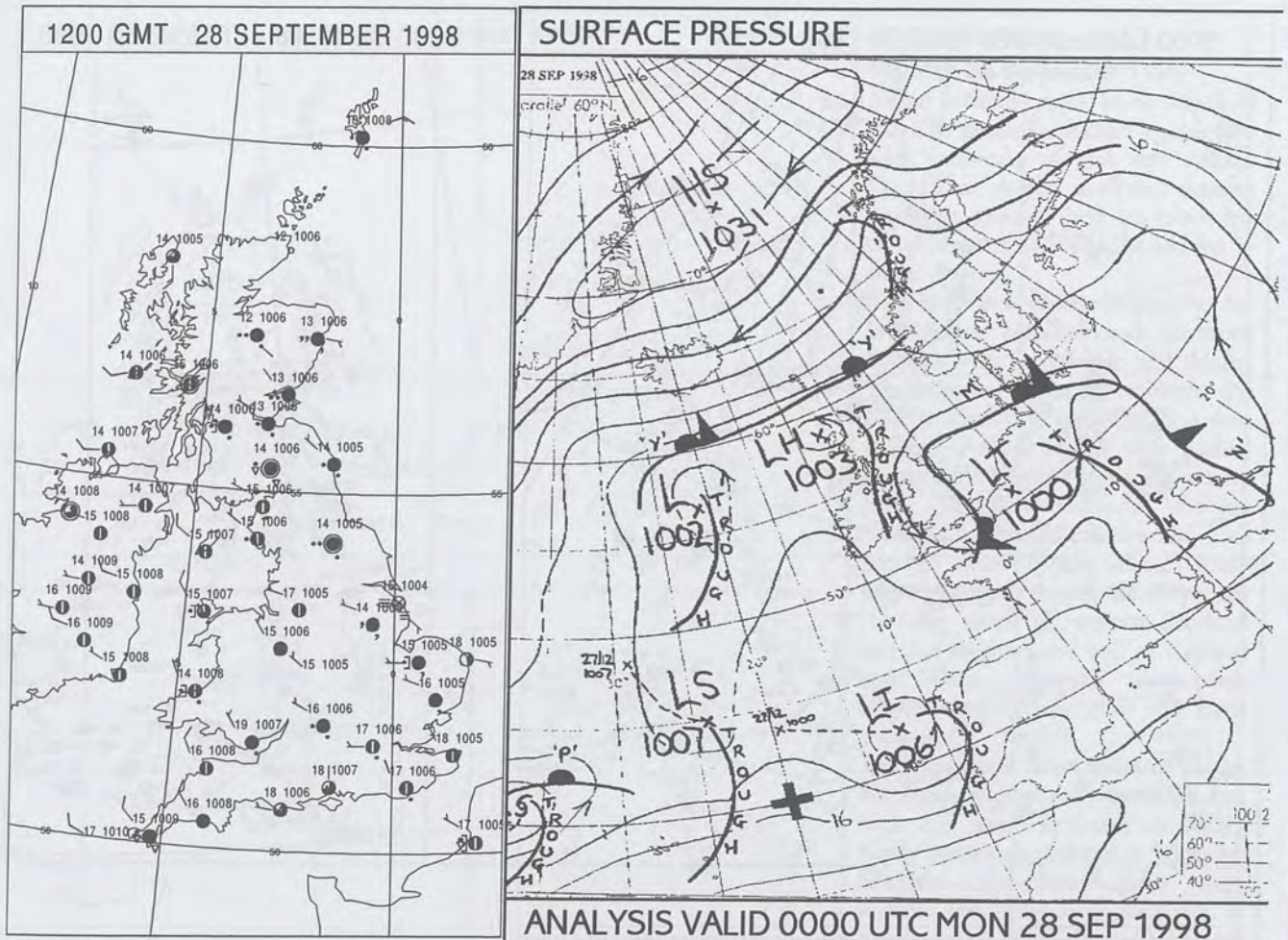
Most Sun:
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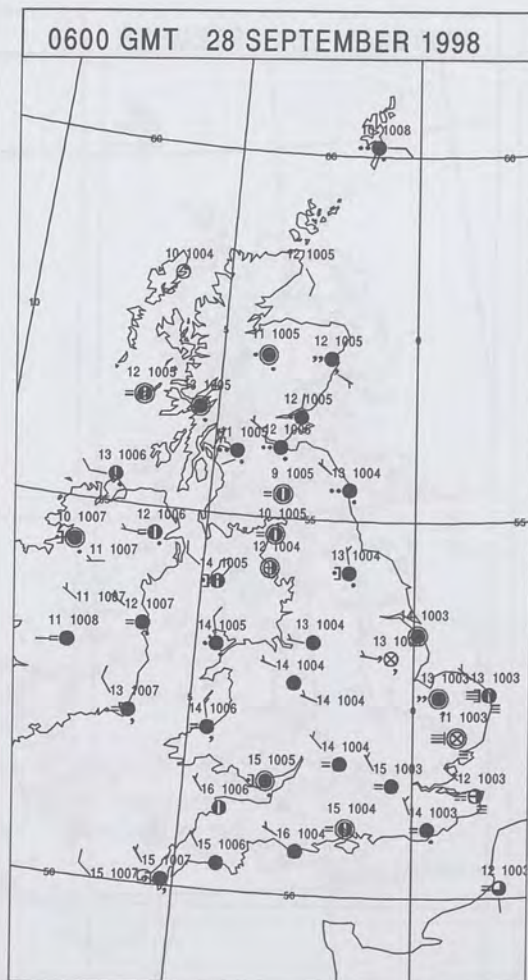
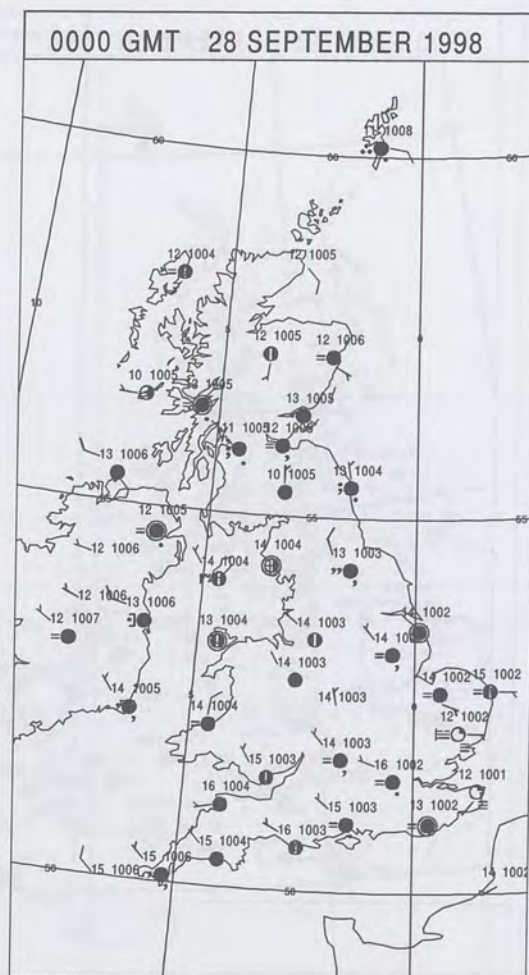
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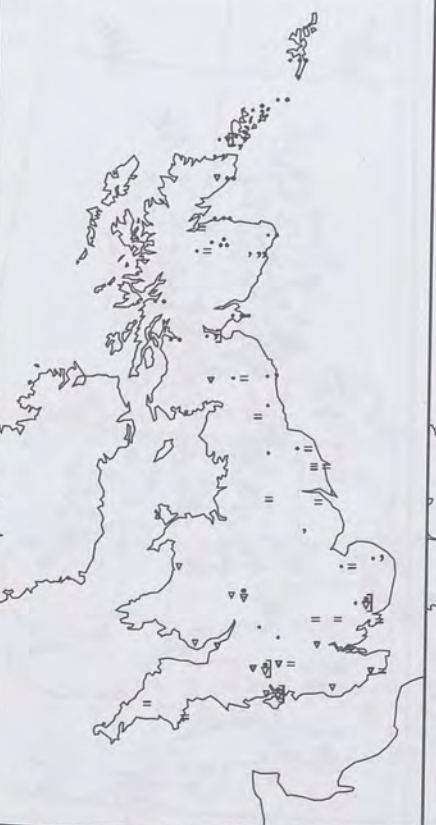

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<p>0600 GMT 28 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>1200 GMT 28 SEPTEMBER 1998 SIG WEATHER</p> 	<p>Summary of UK weather for Monday 28 September 1998</p> <p>It was a cloudy night across much of the UK, generally thickest in the east, with outbreaks of rain and drizzle. Over East Anglia and the extreme southeast, though, there was much less cloud and this allowed mist and fog to form.</p> <p>There was little change during the day for eastern Scotland and northeast England with further rain and drizzle. The mist and fog in the southeast did clear to allow brighter spells for a time before the cloud further west pushed across. More broken cloud did extend into Northern Ireland, though, allowing bright spells to develop. This area of more broken cloud slowly edged eastwards during the afternoon, reaching much of western Scotland and the southwestern half of England and Wales. Although there were brighter spells, there were also some showers.</p> <p>The cloud and rain continued in the northeast through the evening, but with the more persistent outbreaks slowly becoming confined to northeast Scotland. Elsewhere, there were variable but often large amounts of cloud and a scattering of showers. Towards midnight an area of showery rain edged into western parts of Northern Ireland.</p> <p>Temperatures were mostly near normal, but a little above in parts of the south.</p>
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EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:
20.5 Flat Holm, South Glamorgan

Lowest Maximum:
9.0 Inverness, Inverness-Shire

Lowest Minimum:
-11.0 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region)

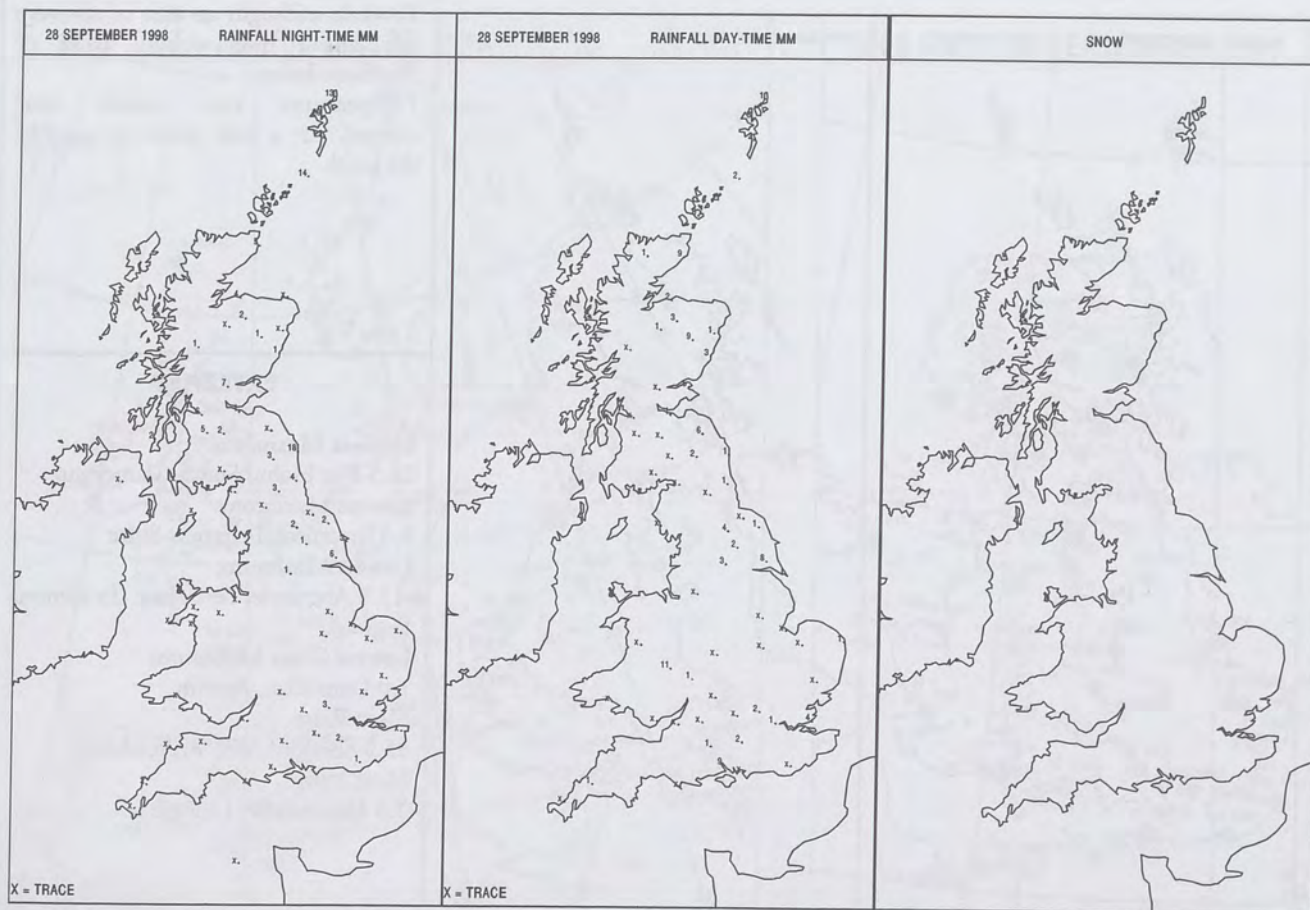
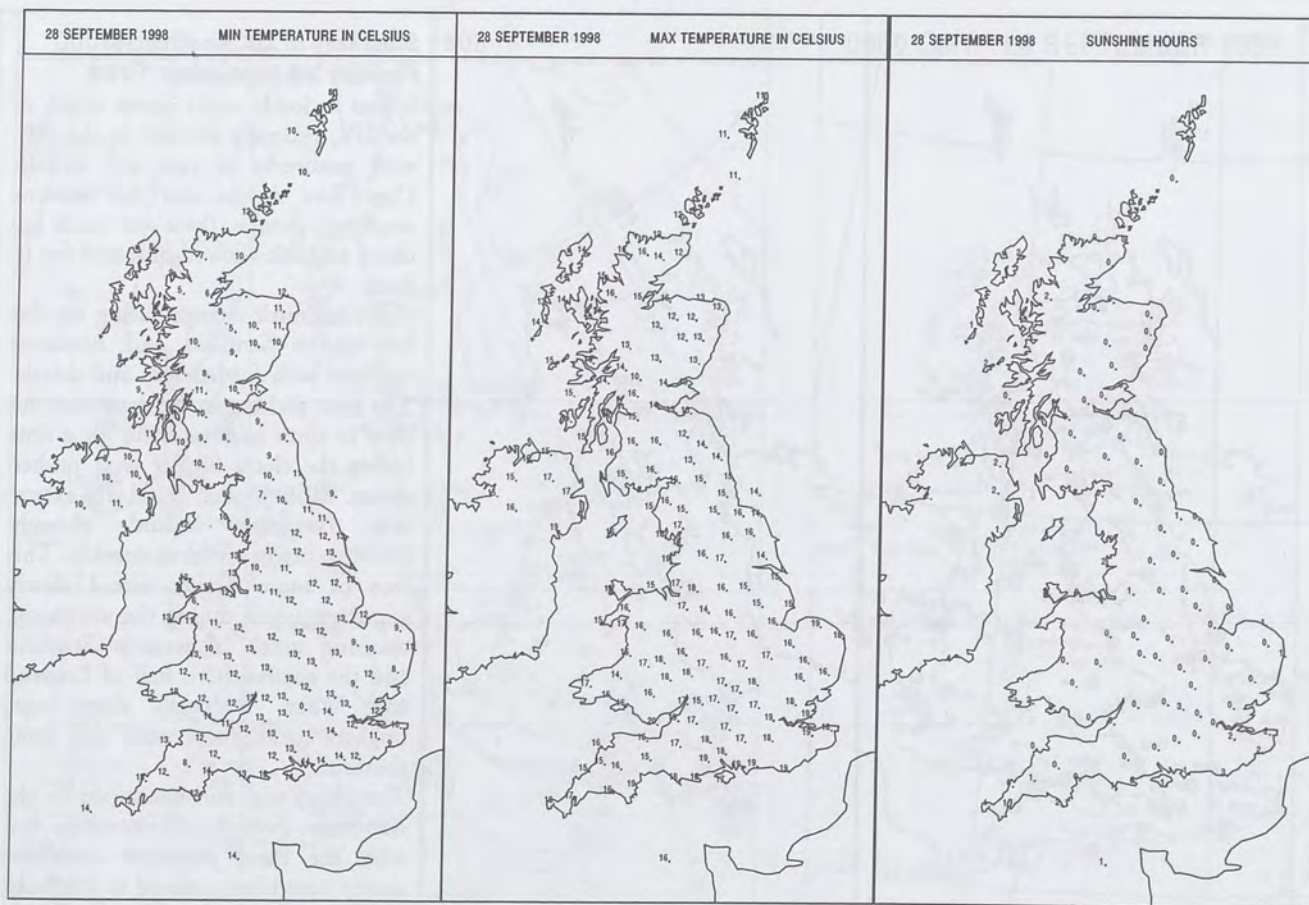
Lowest Grass Minimum:
1.0 Lisnafillan, Antrim

Most Rain:
45.0 Shefford Mill, Bedfordshire

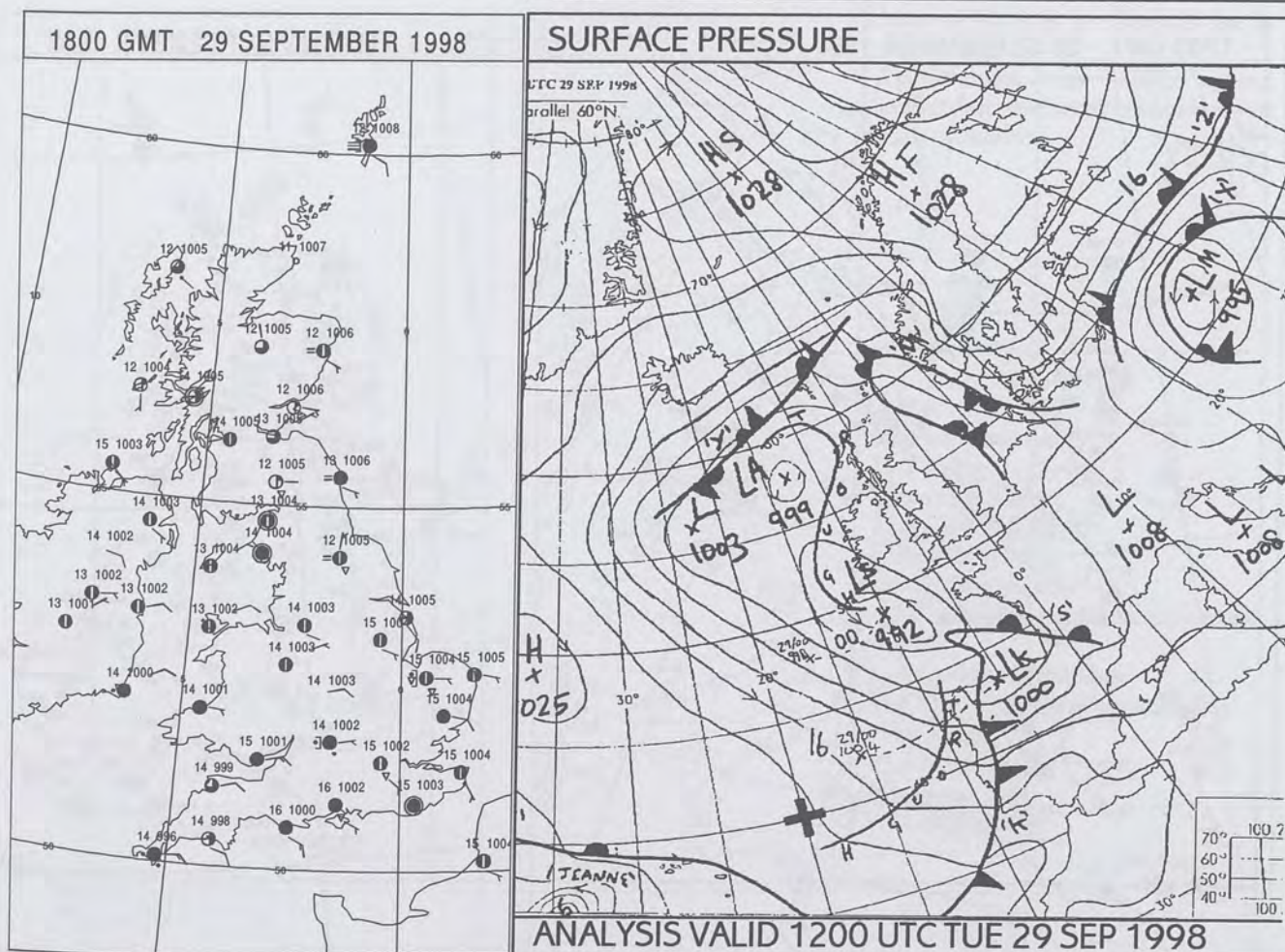
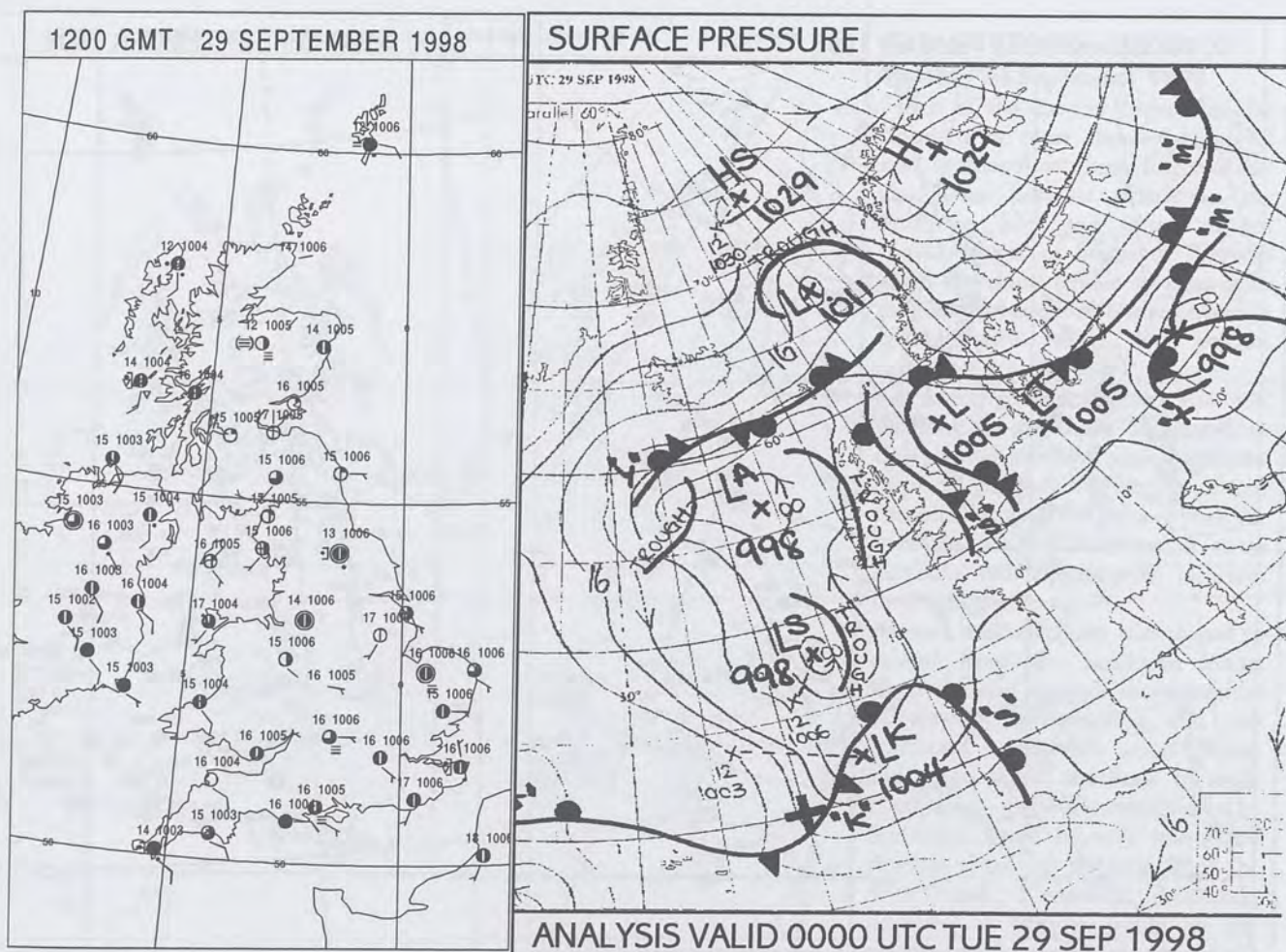
Most Sun:
5.6 Morecambe, Lancashire

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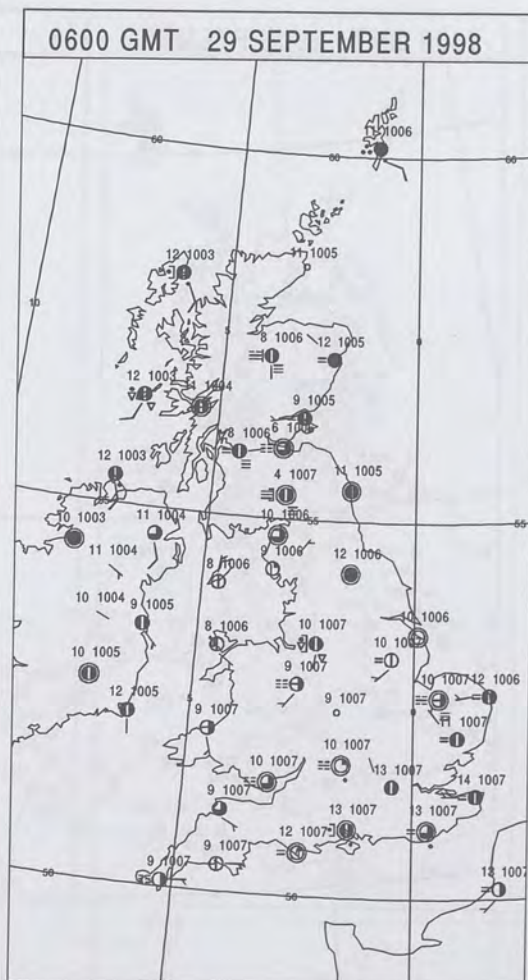
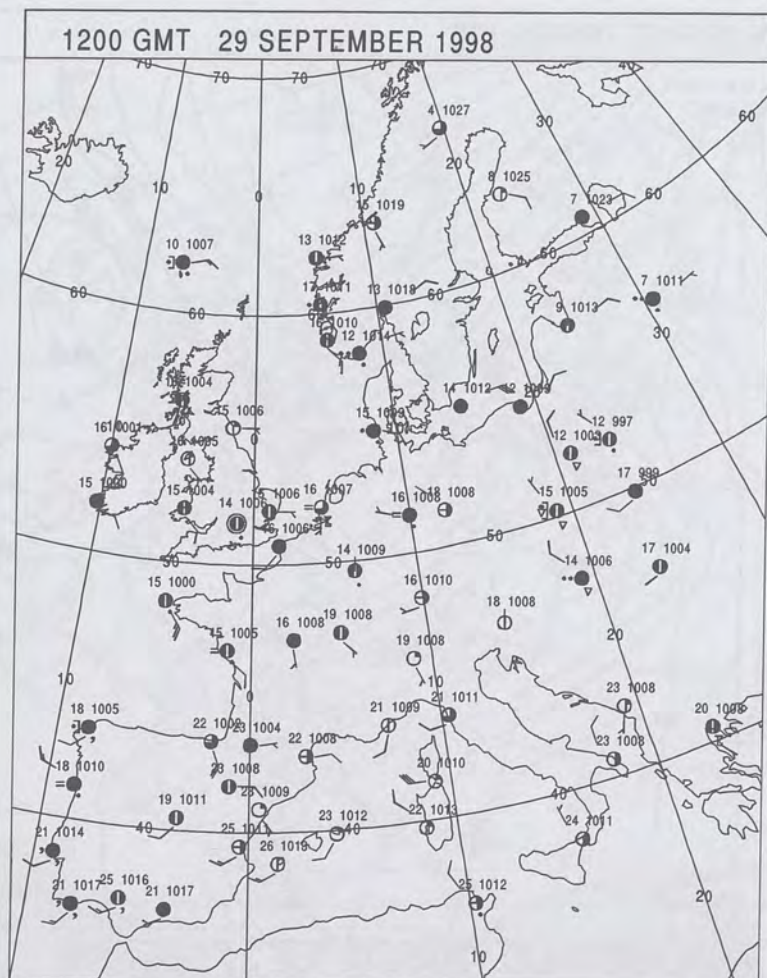
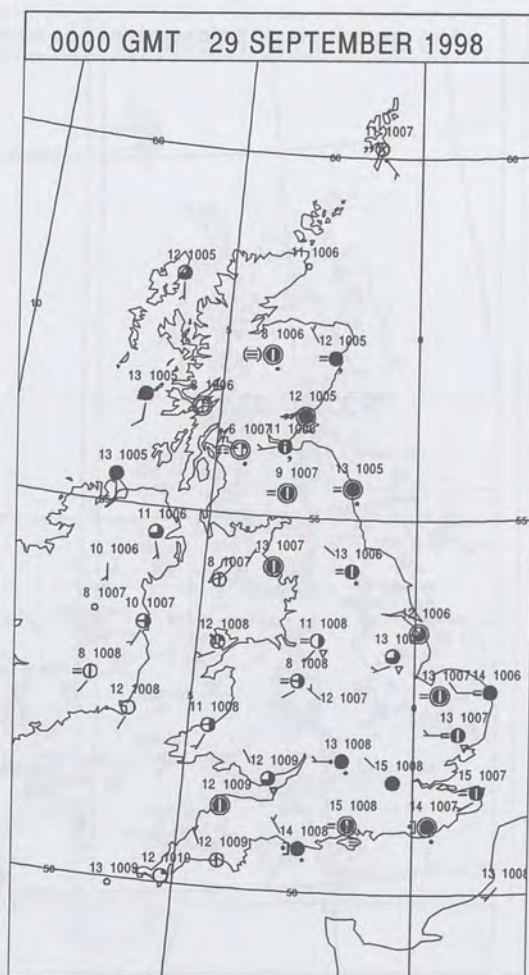
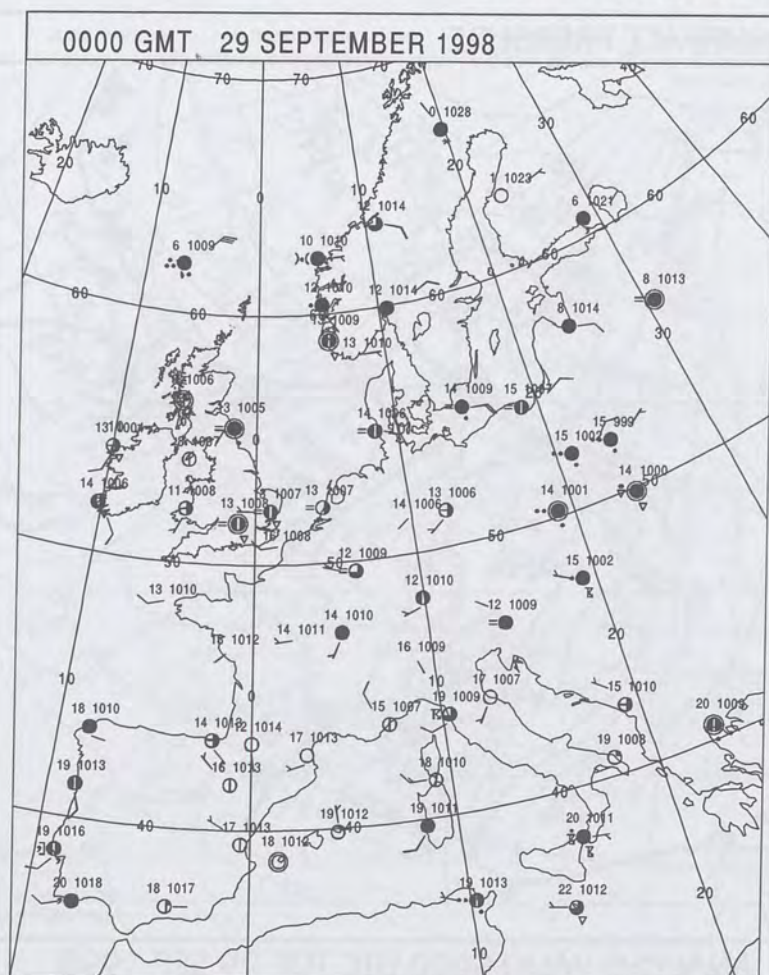


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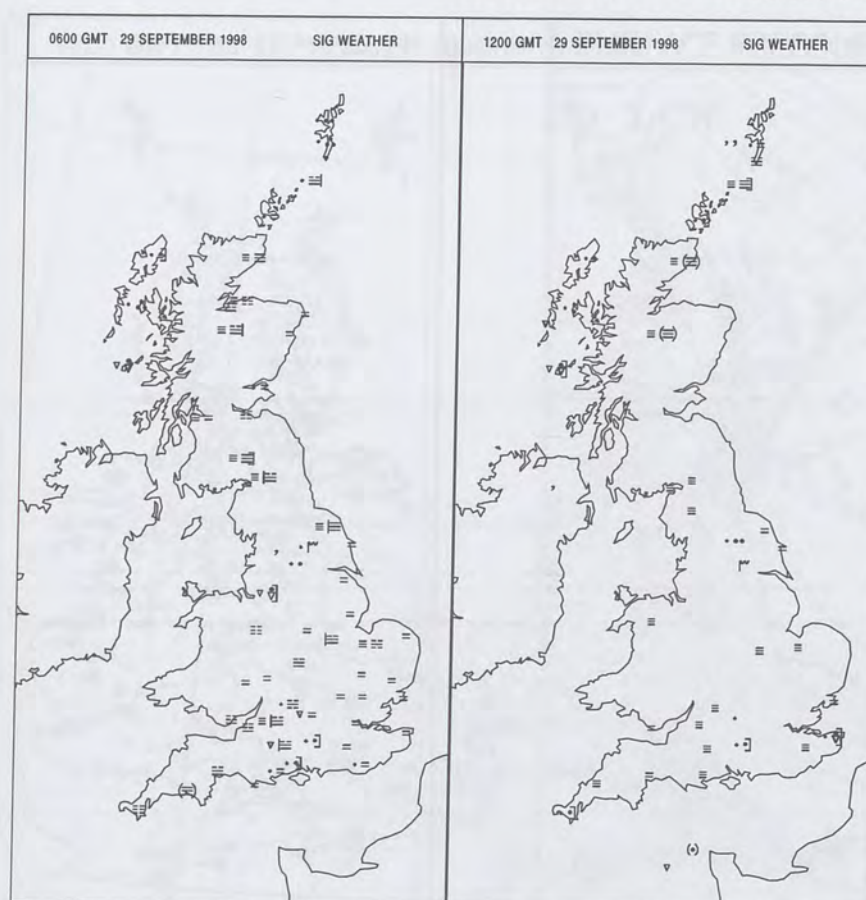


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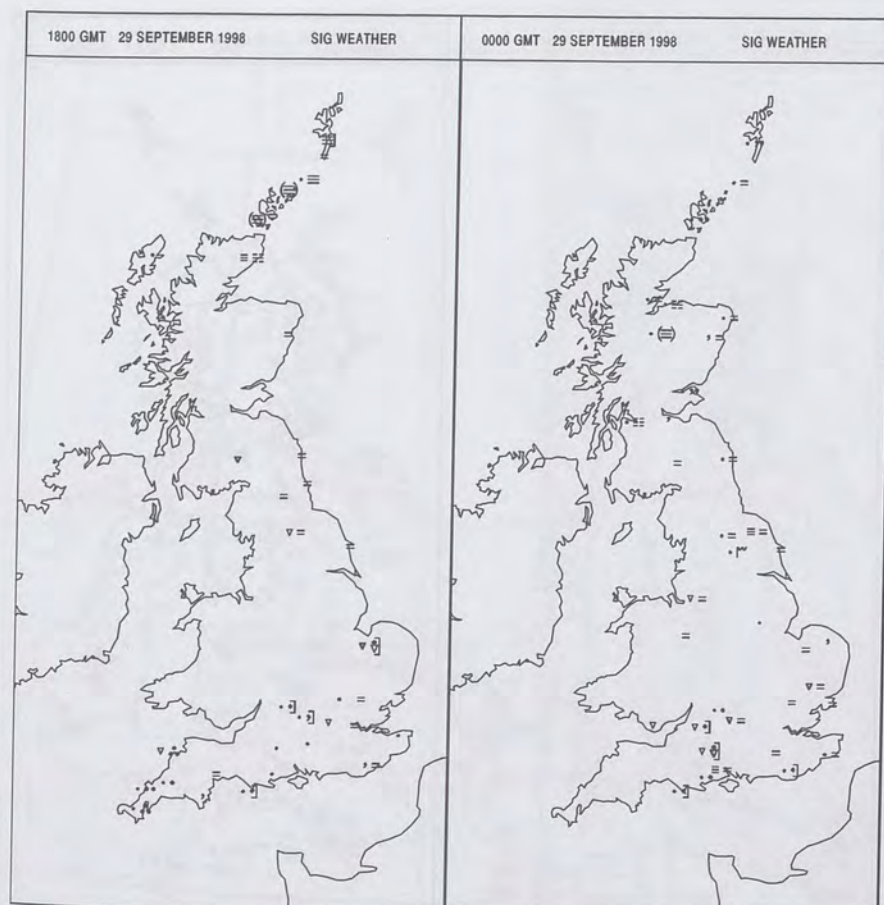
Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 29 September 1998

Much of the country began Tuesday cloudy with some showery bursts of rain in central southern England and also some rain or drizzle in the Northern Isles and along eastern coastal fringes of Scotland. Towards dawn the cloud tended to clear from the west and as this clearance arrived in central parts some fog patches developed as a result.

A few fog patches lingered into mid morning in the north but elsewhere they cleared to allow some brightness in places. Some showery bursts of rain continued to occur in parts of both the north and south with a band of more persistent rain affecting the Hebrides until mid afternoon.

Around mid afternoon rain started to extend from the southwest across Cornwall, and through the remainder of the day and evening, this rain continued northwards across Wales, and more slowly northeast to reach Hampshire and Gloucestershire by midnight. Some showery bursts did develop ahead of the rain over the West and Northwest Midlands, however. It became windy in the southwest with gusts to around 50 knots at Culdrose in Cornwall late in the evening.

Temperatures were mostly around average but were locally rather warm in parts of Scotland.



EXTREMES

Highest Maximum:

19.2 Killowen, Down

Lowest Maximum:

11.8 Clatteringshaws, Kirkcudbrightshire

Lowest Minimum:

-15.0 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region)

Lowest Grass Minimum:

-2.0 Moel Cynnedd, Powys (North)

Most Rain:

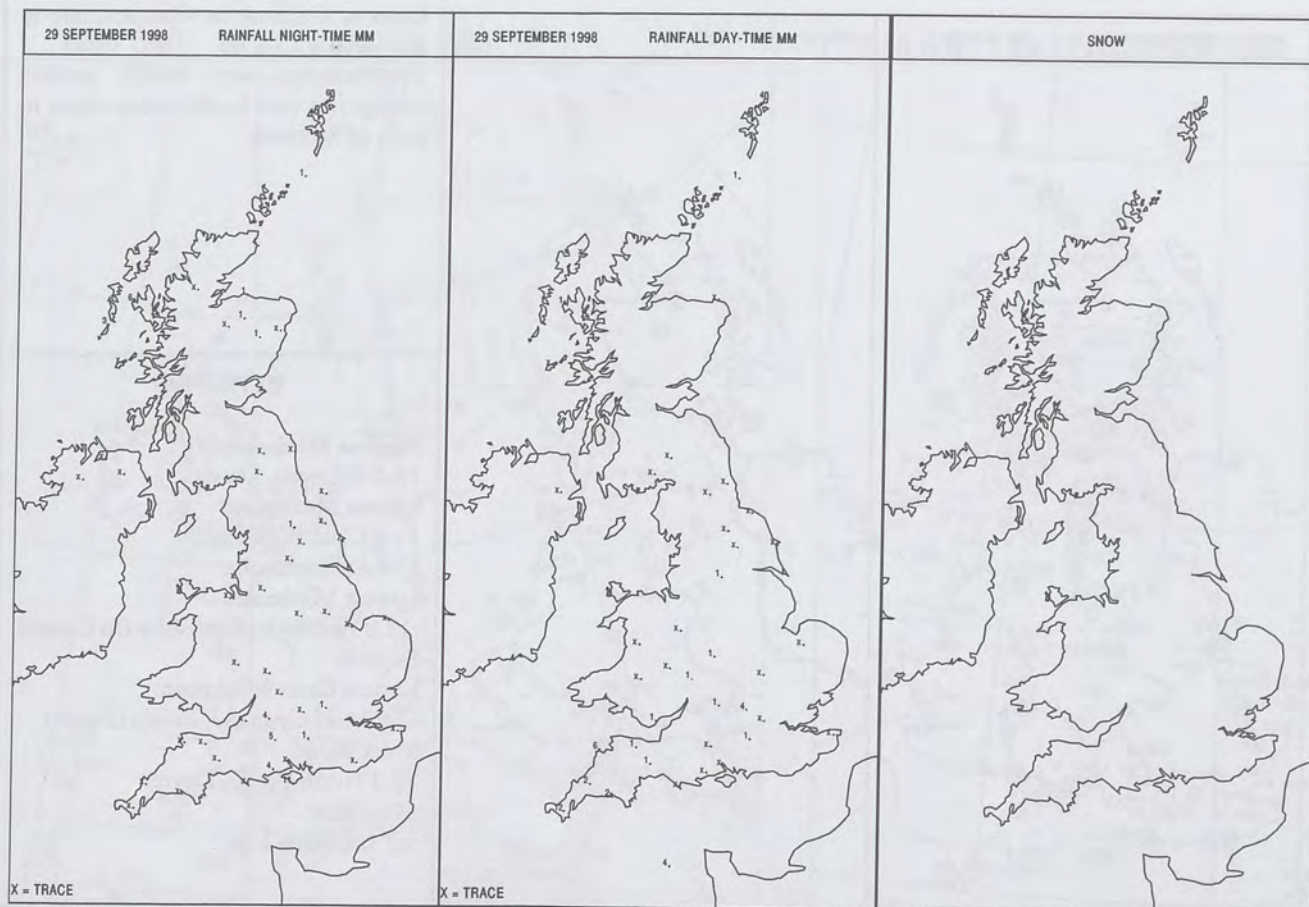
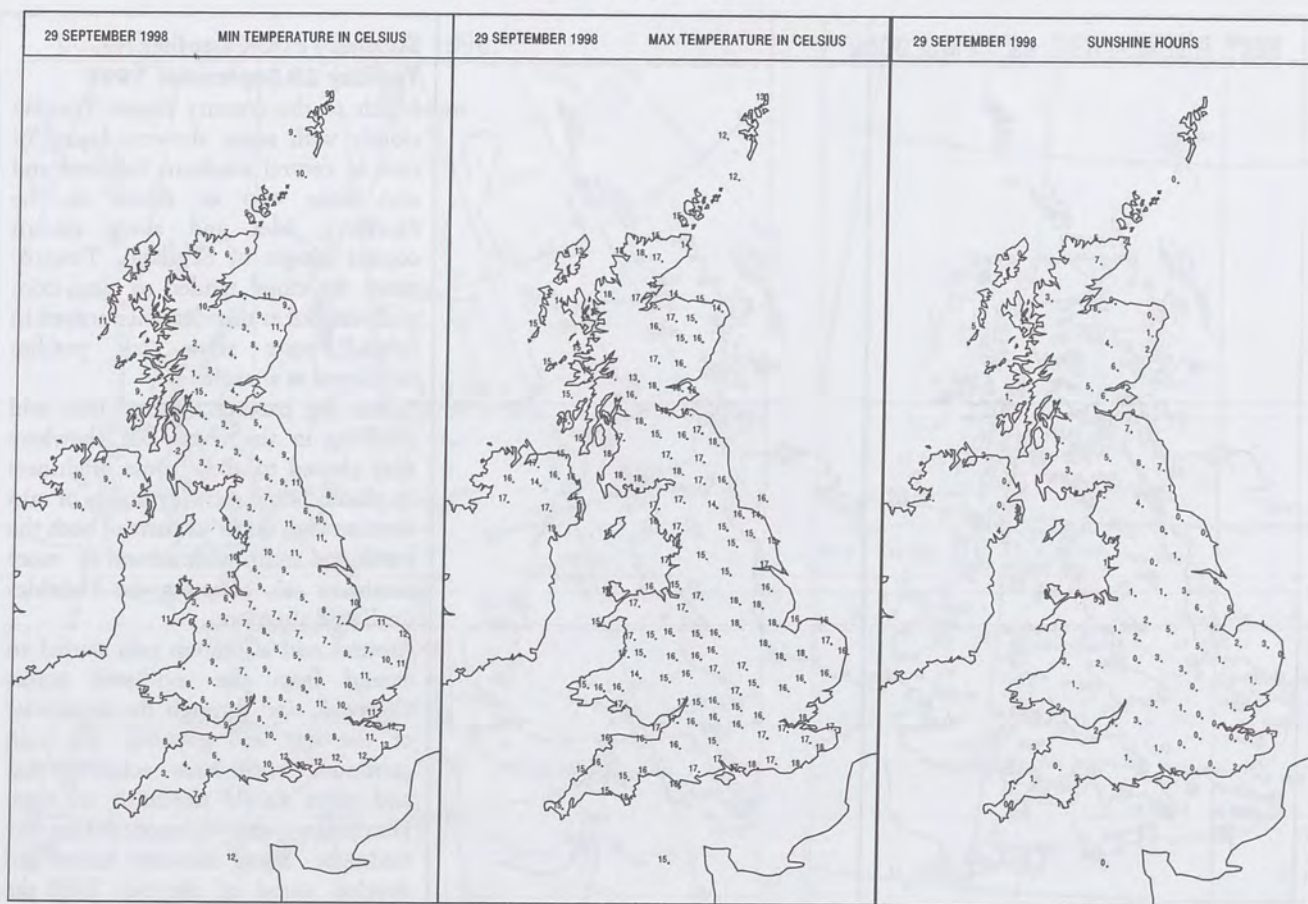
39.3 North Bovey, Devon

Most Sun:

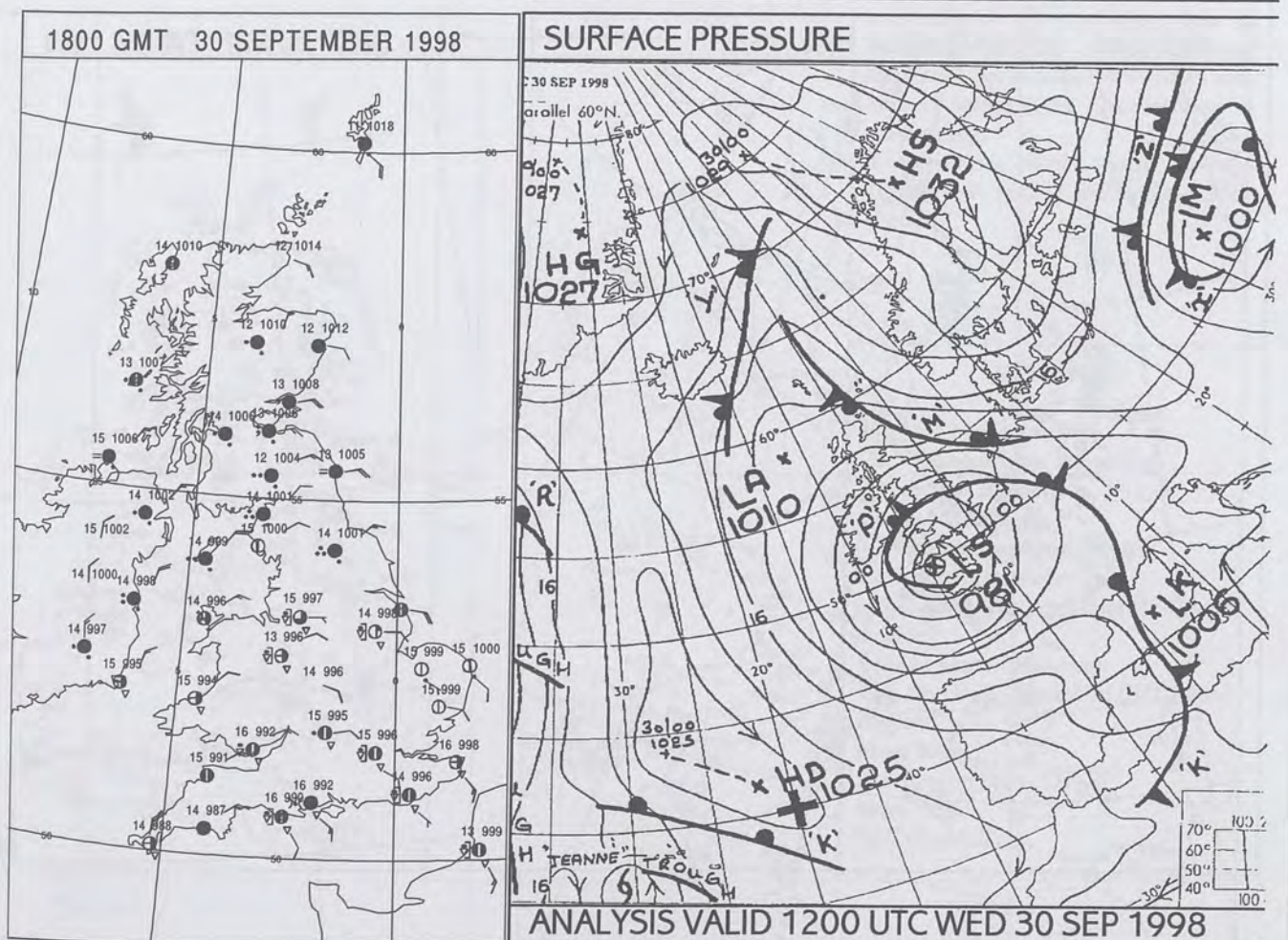
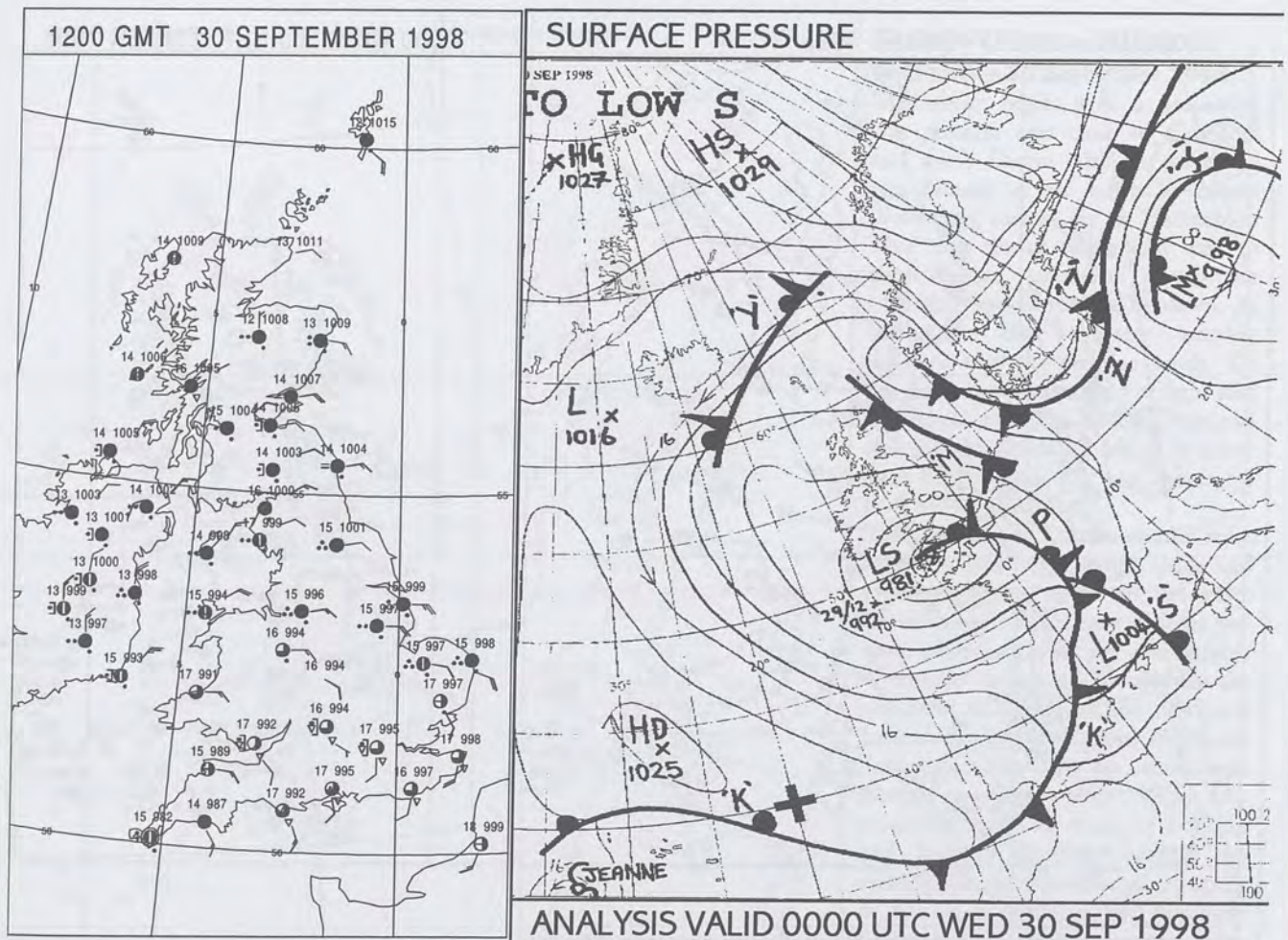
9.7 Leuchars, Fife

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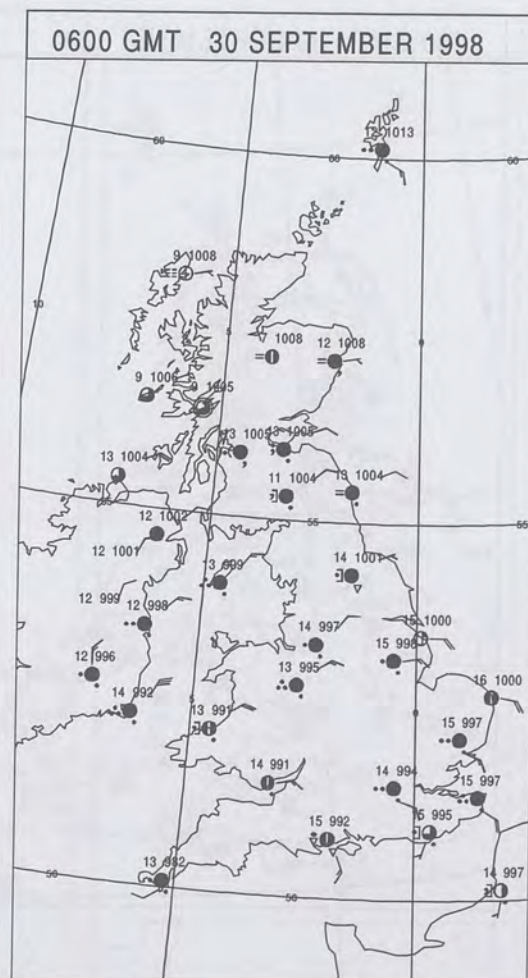
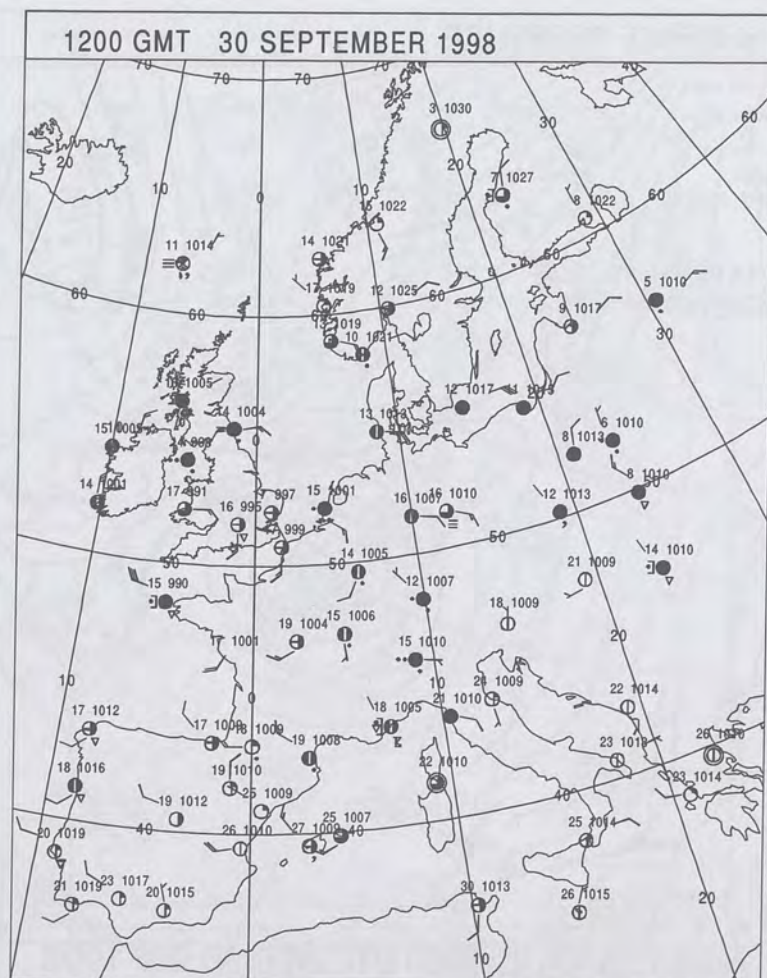
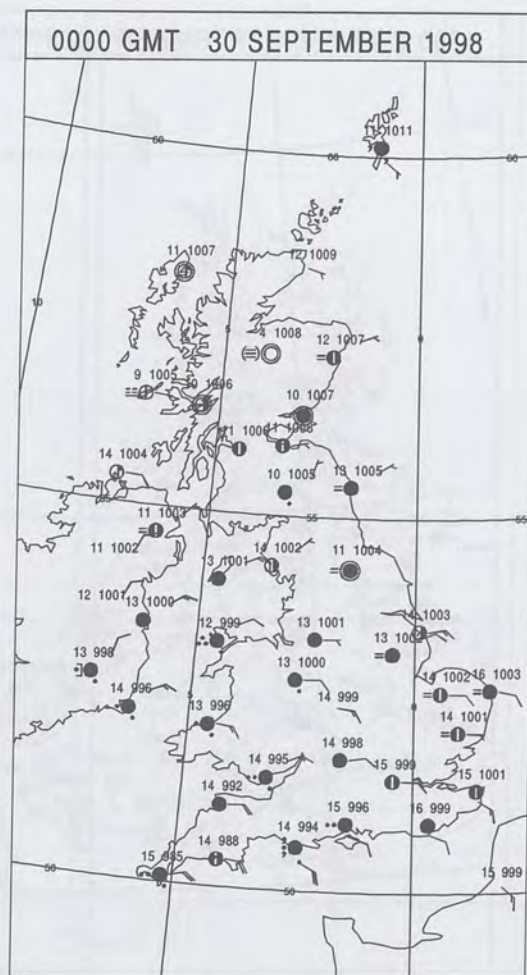
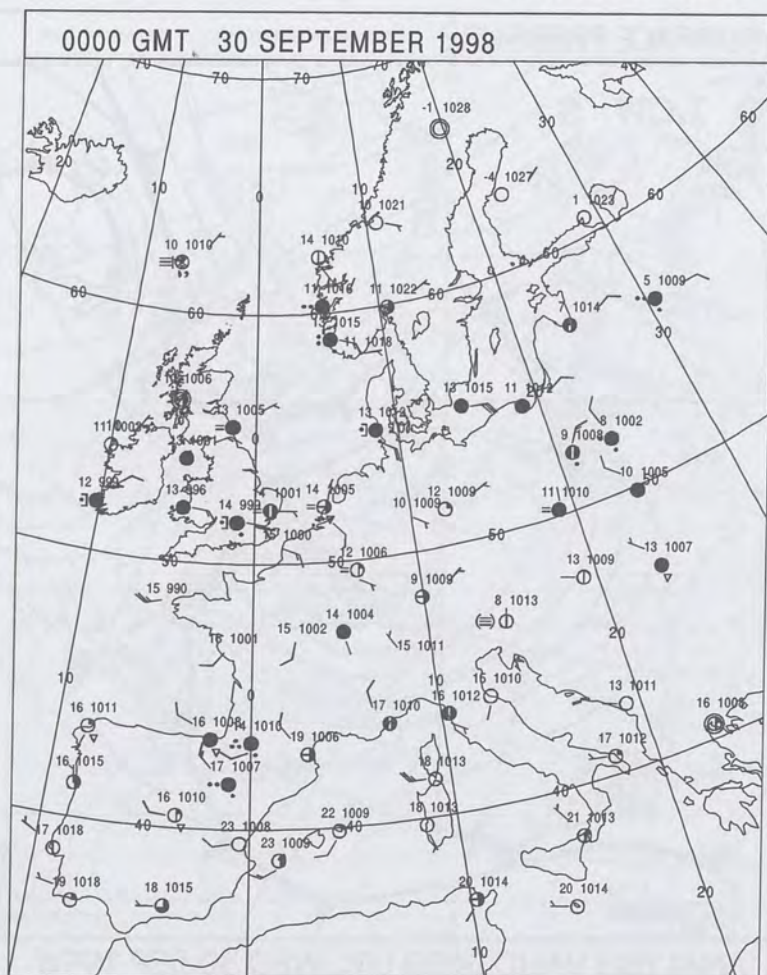


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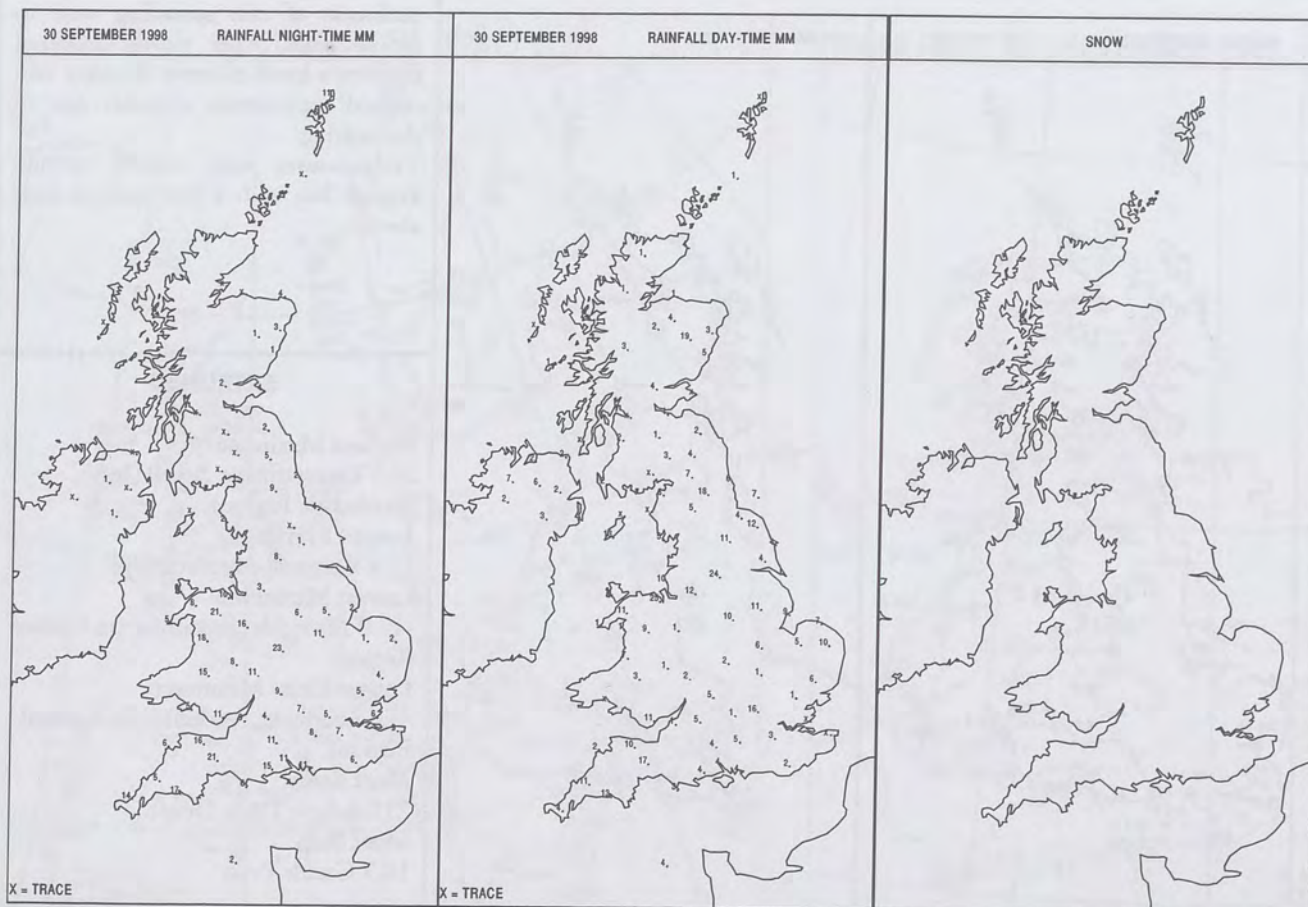
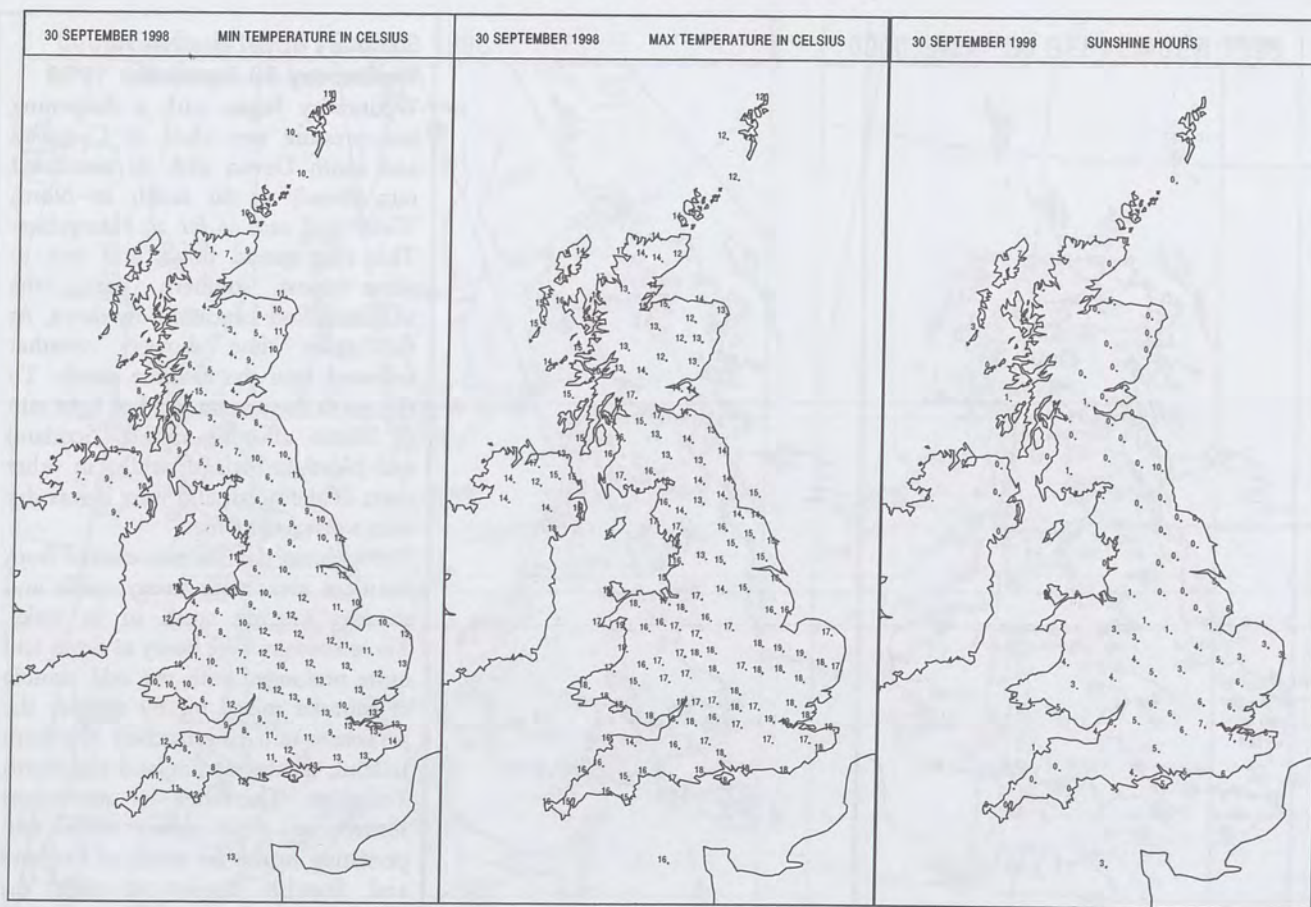


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0600 GMT 30 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	1200 GMT 30 SEPTEMBER 1998	SIG WEATHER	<p>Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 30 September 1998</p> <p>Wednesday began with a deepening low pressure area close to Cornwall and south Devon with its associated rain already as far north as North Wales and east as far as Hampshire. This rain spread north and east to affect most southern parts, the Midlands and Lancashire by dawn. At the same time showery weather followed into the extreme south. To the north there was a band of light rain or drizzle affecting eastern Scotland and Northumberland, whilst in other parts of the north and west it was dry with some patchy fog.</p> <p>Through the day the rain cleared from southern areas with sunny spells and showers moving north in its wake. These showers were heavy at times and quite prolonged with the odd rumble of thunder mixed in. By midday the persistent rain had reached Northern Ireland, northwest England and north Yorkshire. Thereafter its movement started to slow down with rain persisting in the far north of England and Scottish Borders through the evening. There were some sunny spells in northwest Scotland but elsewhere Scotland was largely cloudy with outbreaks of rain spreading west to central parts. After mostly scattered showers a band of heavy showery rain crossed southernmost counties late in the evening.</p> <p>Temperatures were mostly around average but with a few spots a little above.</p>
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				<p>EXTREMES</p> <p>Highest Maximum: 20.7 Dunstaffnage, Argyll (In Strathclyde Region)</p> <p>Lowest Maximum: 11.4 Corgarff, Aberdeenshire</p> <p>Lowest Minimum: -15.0 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region)</p> <p>Lowest Grass Minimum: -9.0 Aberfoyle, Perthshire (In Central Region)</p> <p>Most Rain: 218.4 Avon Dam, Devon</p> <p>Most Sun: 10.7 Cockle Park,</p>

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