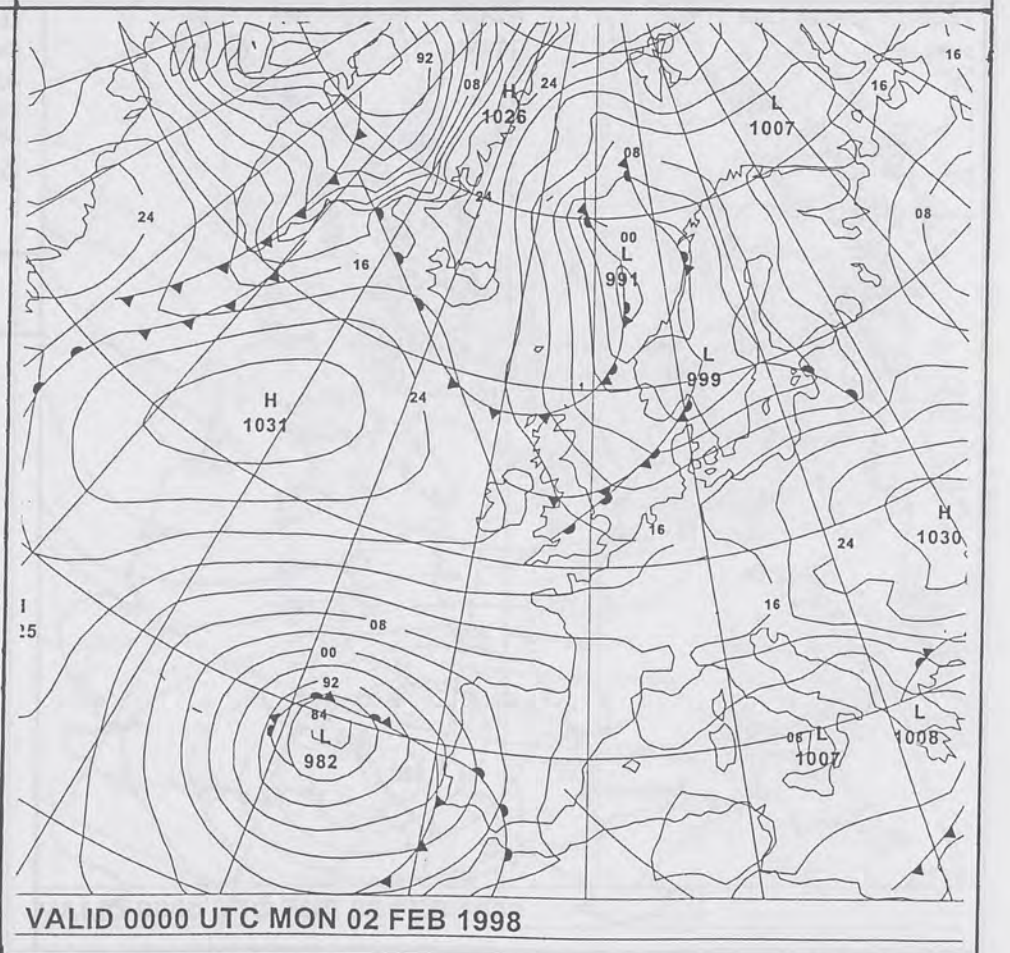
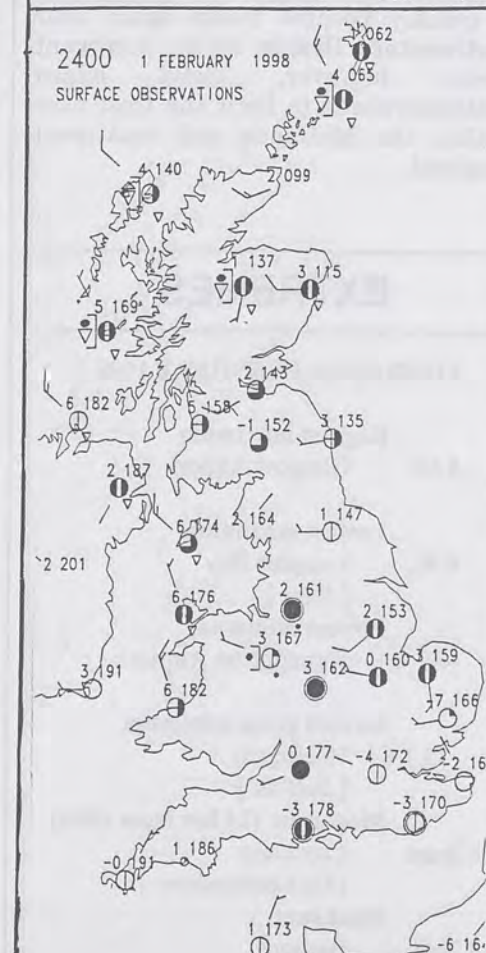
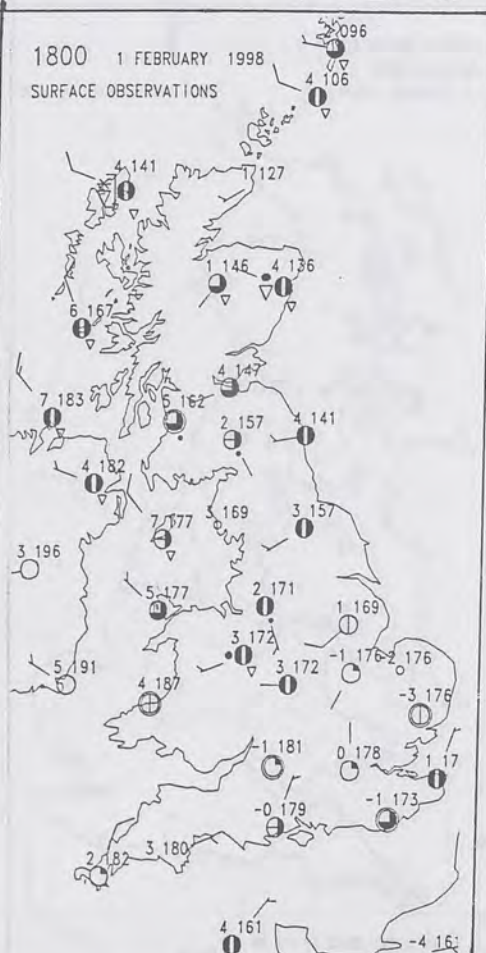
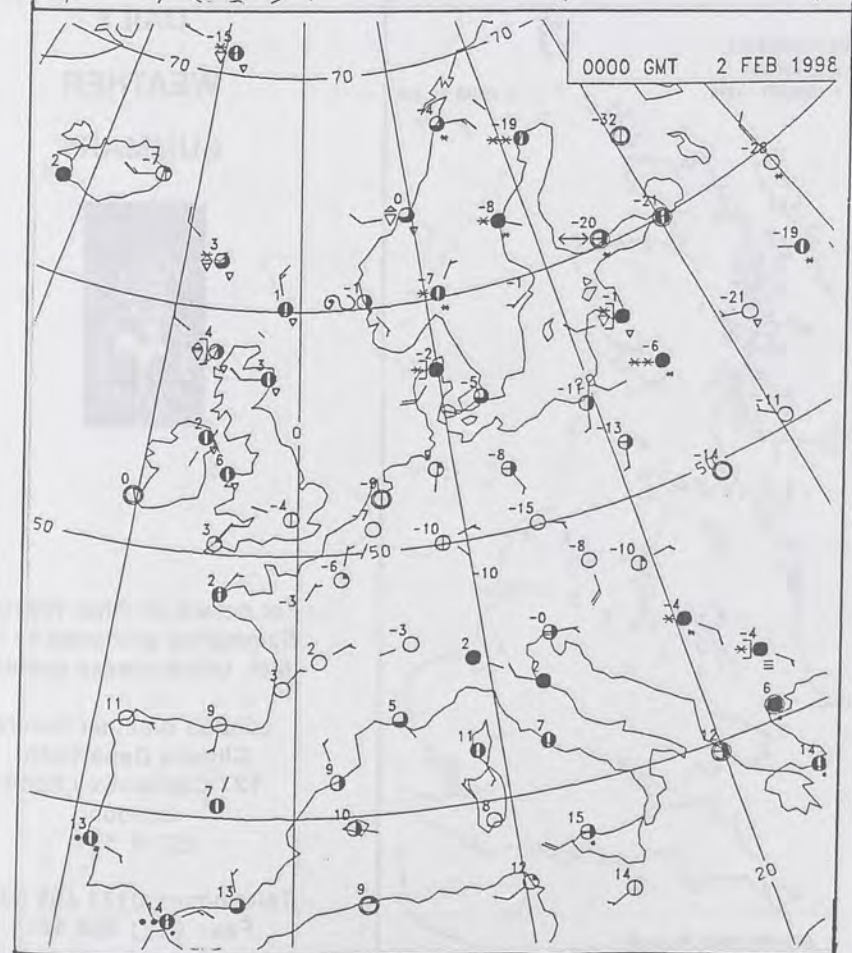
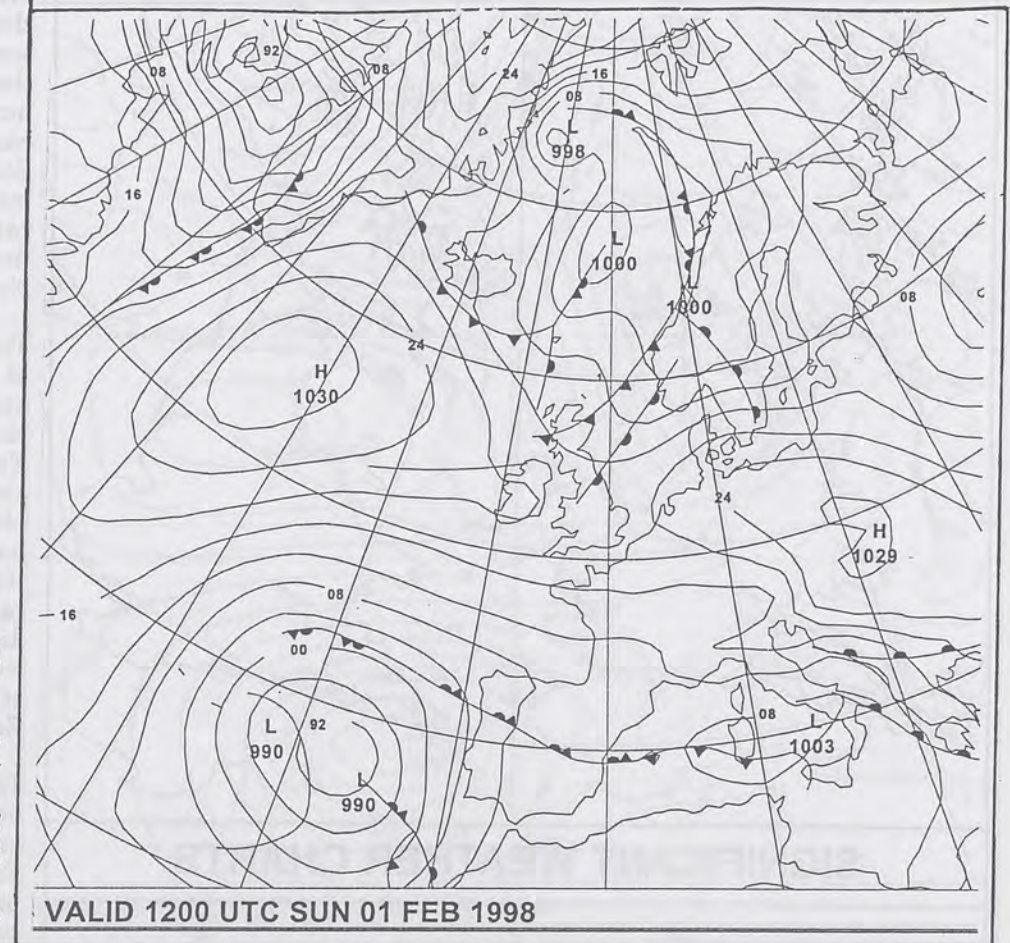
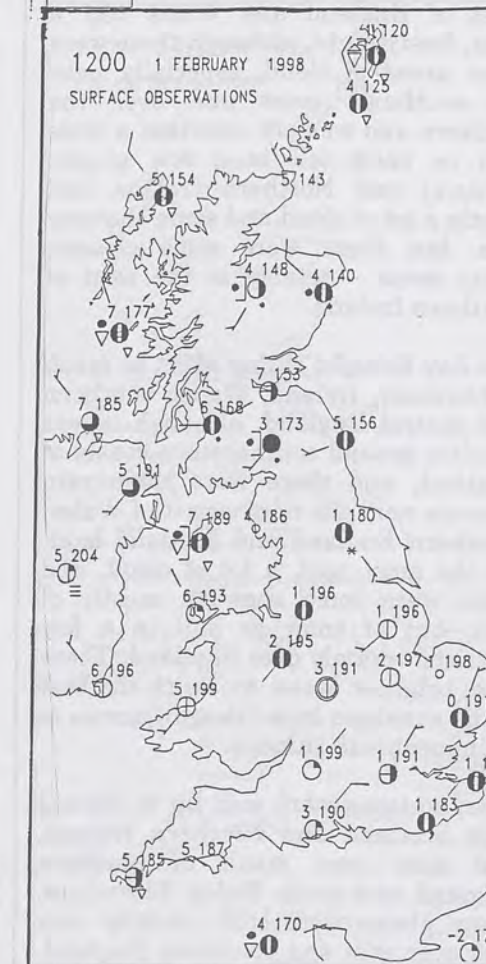
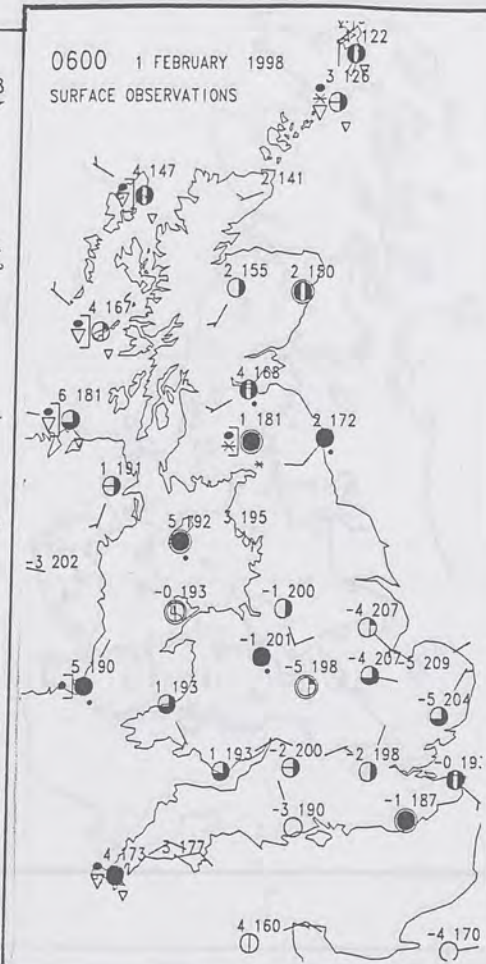
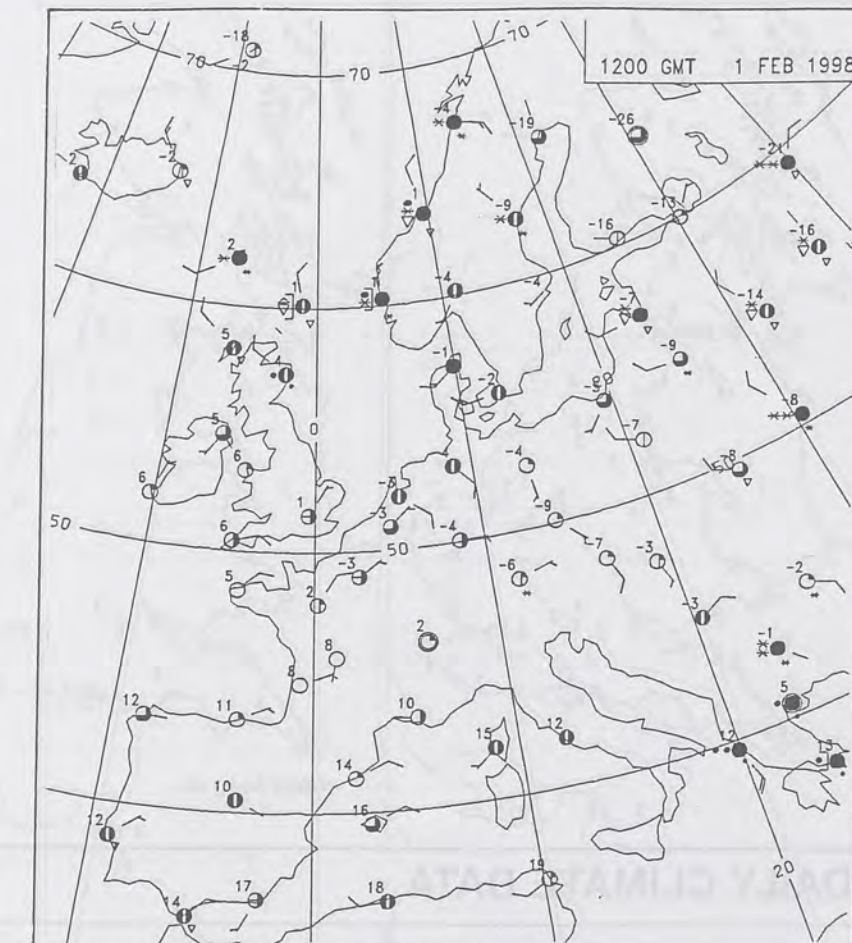
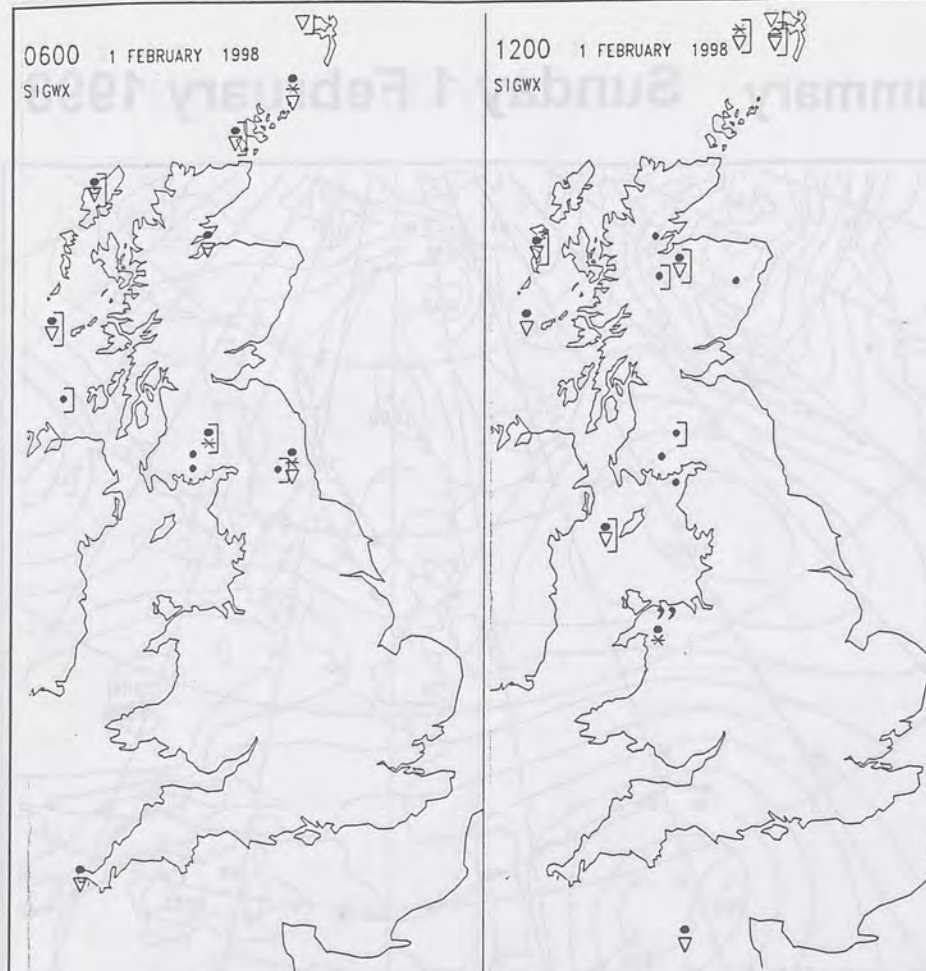


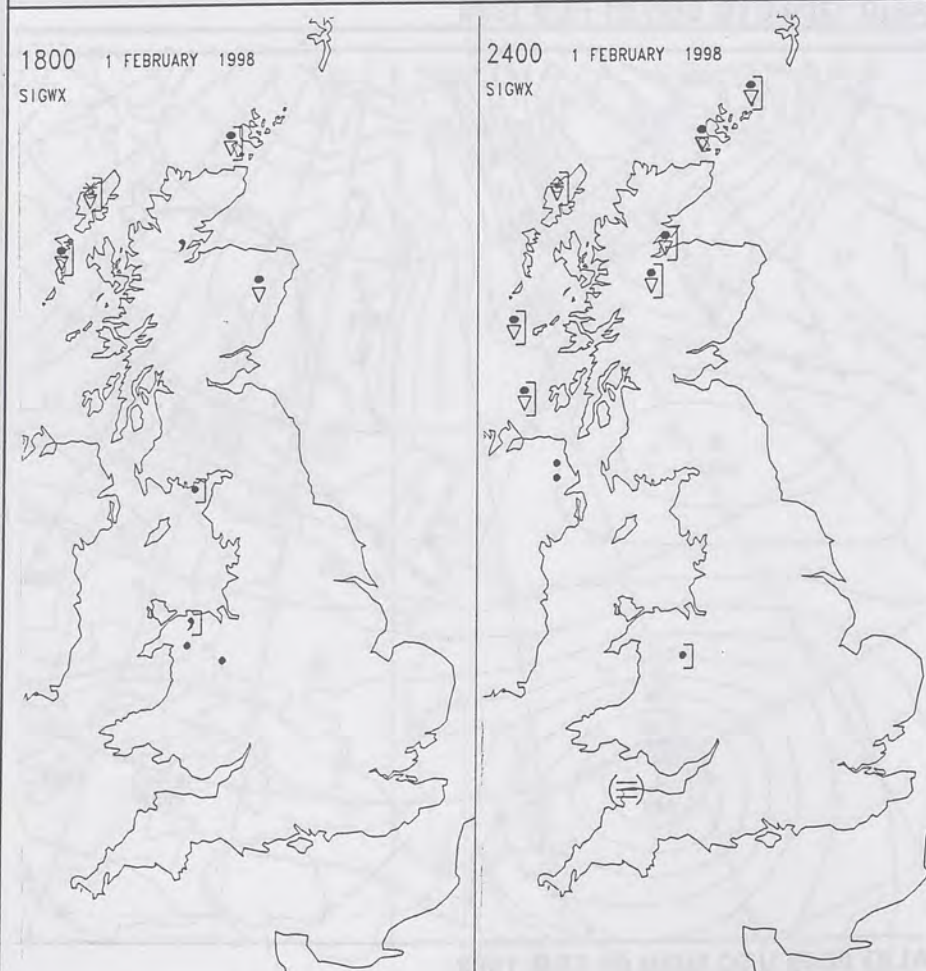


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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS



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Summary of UK weather for Sunday 1st February 1998

Most of England and Wales had a clear, frosty night, although there were some areas of cloud, especially near the southeast coast and over the northern and western counties; a little rain or snow fell in a few places. Scotland and Northern Ireland had mostly a lot of cloud and some showery rain, but there were some clearer, frosty areas - notably in the west of Northern Ireland.

The day brought sunny skies to much of Northern Ireland, Wales, southern and central England, although it was cloudier around southeastern coasts of England, and there were some rain showers near the north coast of Wales. Northern England and Scotland kept, for the most part, a lot of cloud, and there were some showers, mostly of rain, but of snow or hail in a few districts - mainly over Shetland. There were brighter areas, too, with the best of the sunshine from Glasgow across to Edinburgh and Dundee.

Temperatures were well up to normal over Scotland and Northern Ireland, and also over much of northern England and north Wales. Elsewhere, many places were cold - locally very cold over east and southeast England. It quickly became frosty again over southeastern Britain as the sun went down; however, cloud edged southeastwards to limit the frost over Wales, the Midlands and southwest England.

EXTREMES

SUNDAY 1st FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
8.6C	Glasgow Airport
Lowest maximum	
0.9C	Langdon Bay [Kent]
Lowest minimum	
-6.9 C	Birmingham Airport
Lowest grass minimum	
-13.1 C	Honington [Suffolk]
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
5.3mm	Carmonoy [Co.Londonderry]
Most sun	
8.2hrs	Bastreet [Cornwall]

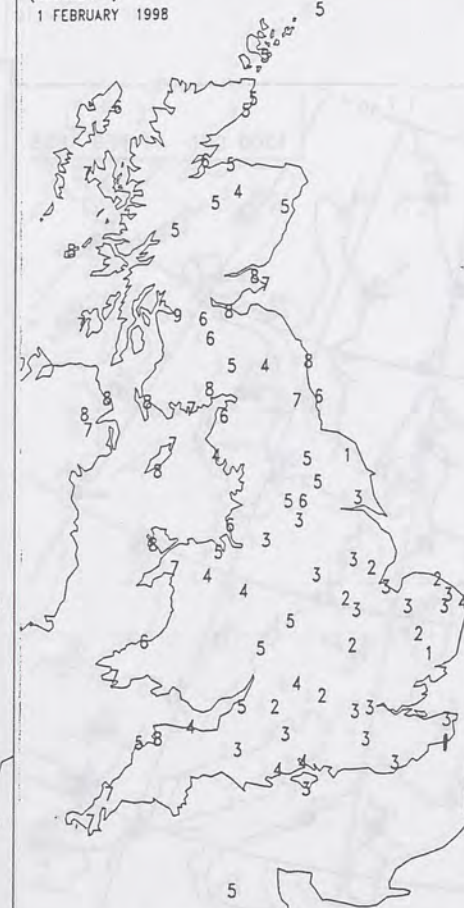
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SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK) (HOURS) 1 FEBRUARY 1998



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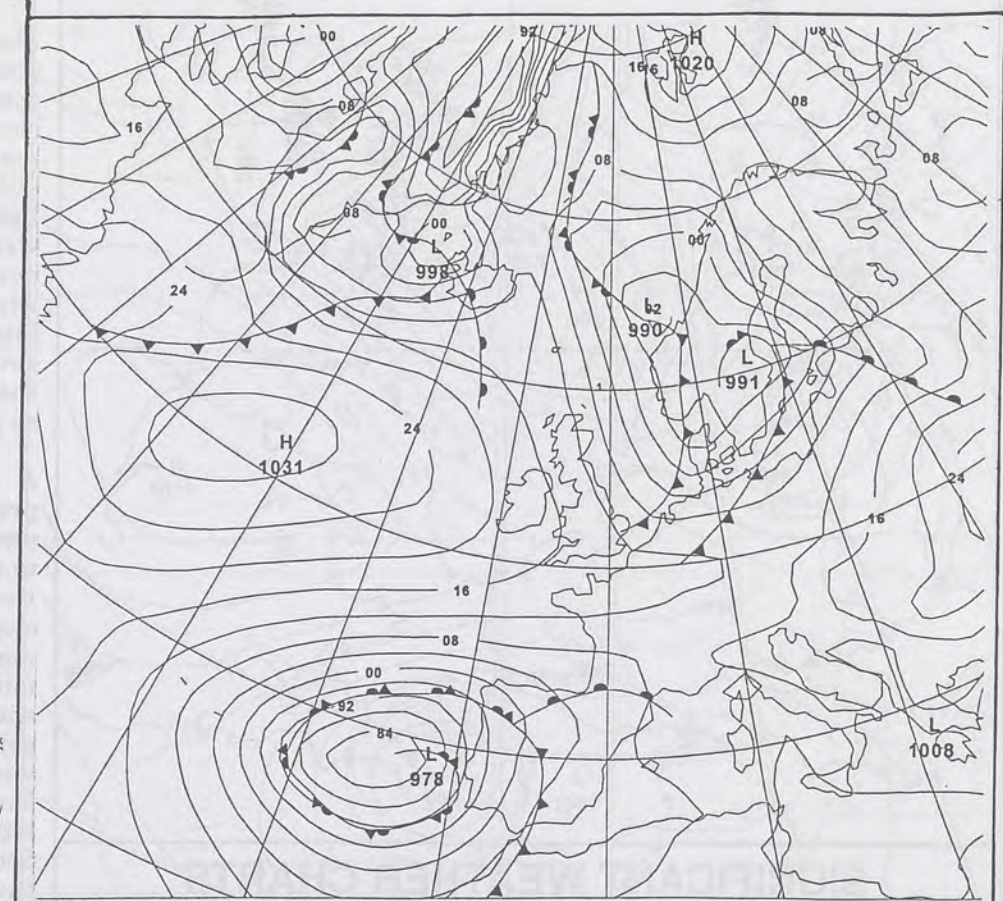
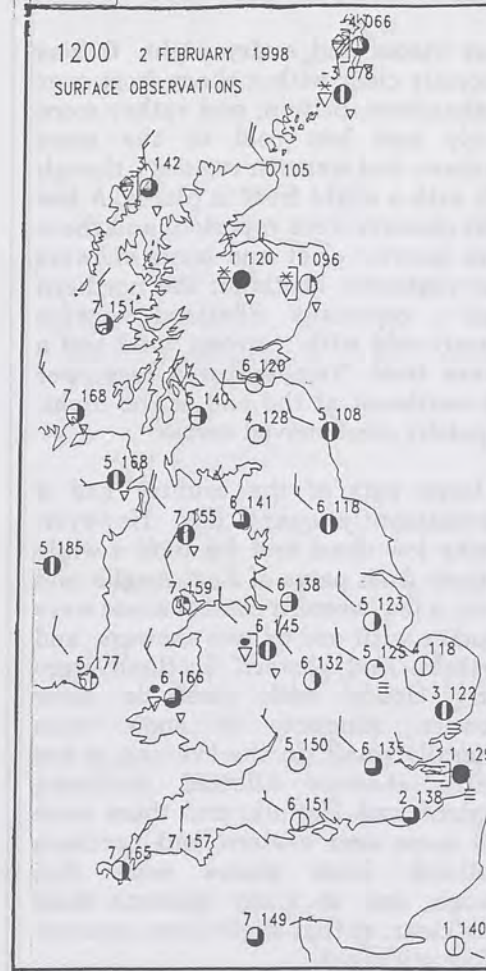
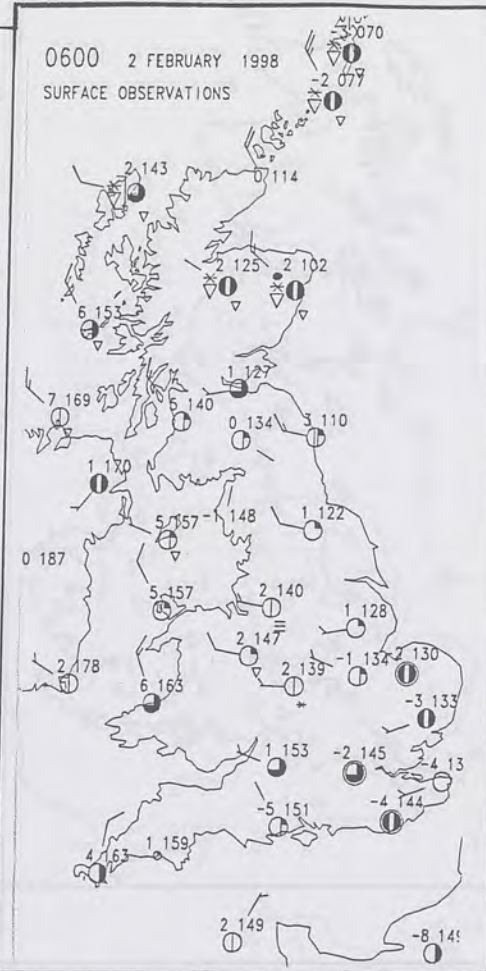
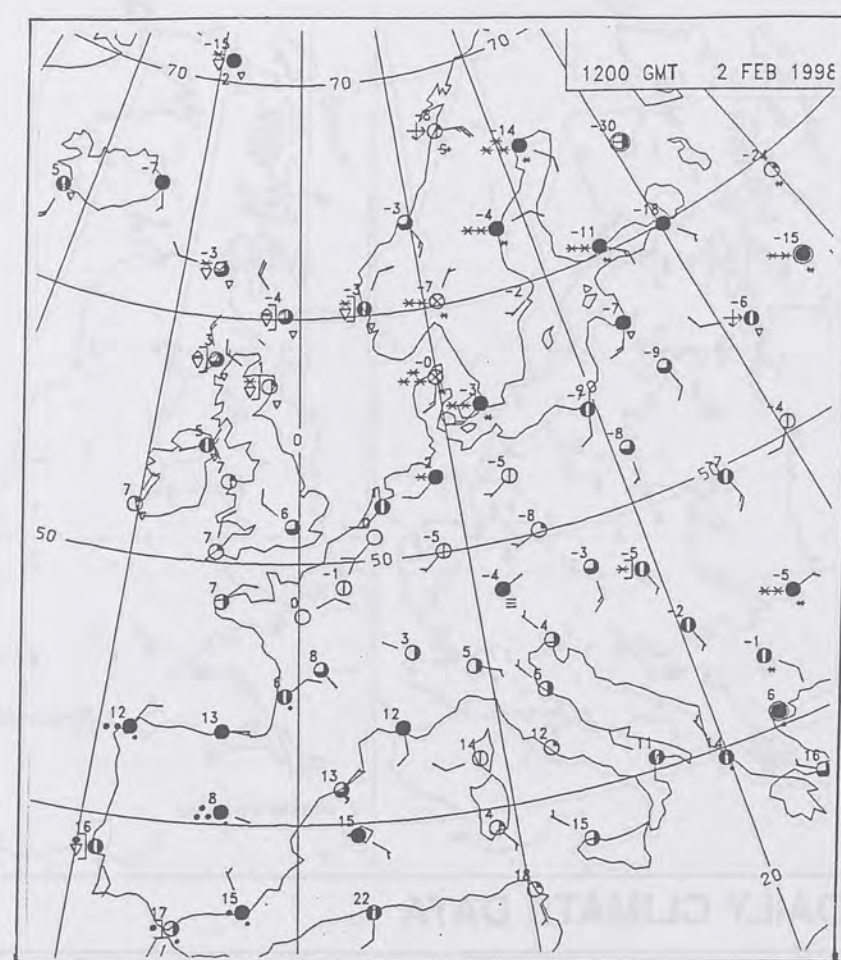
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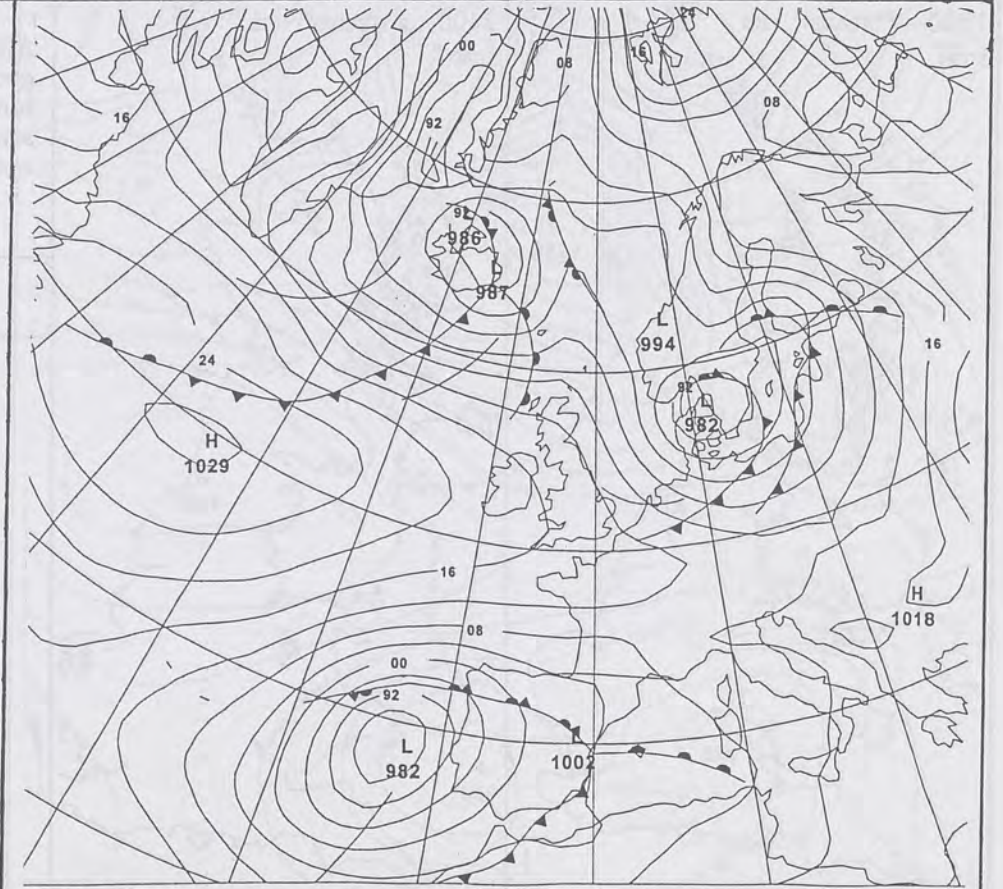
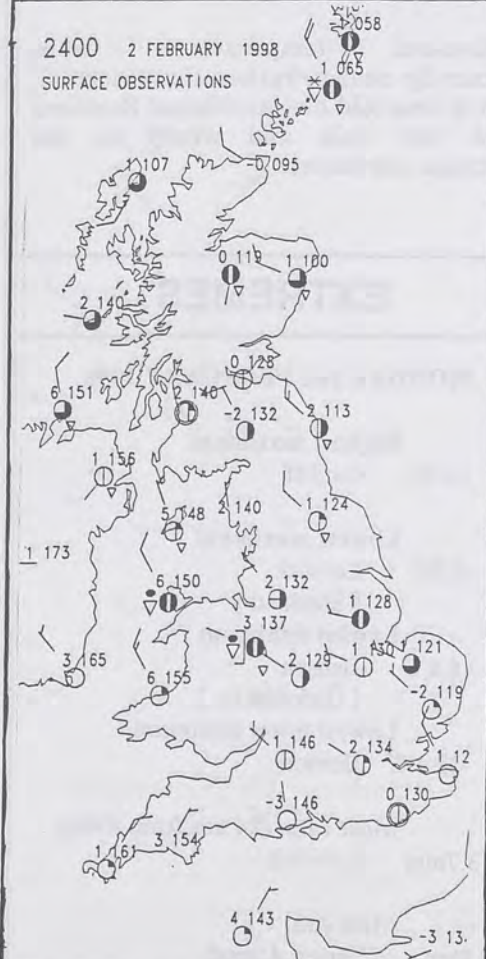
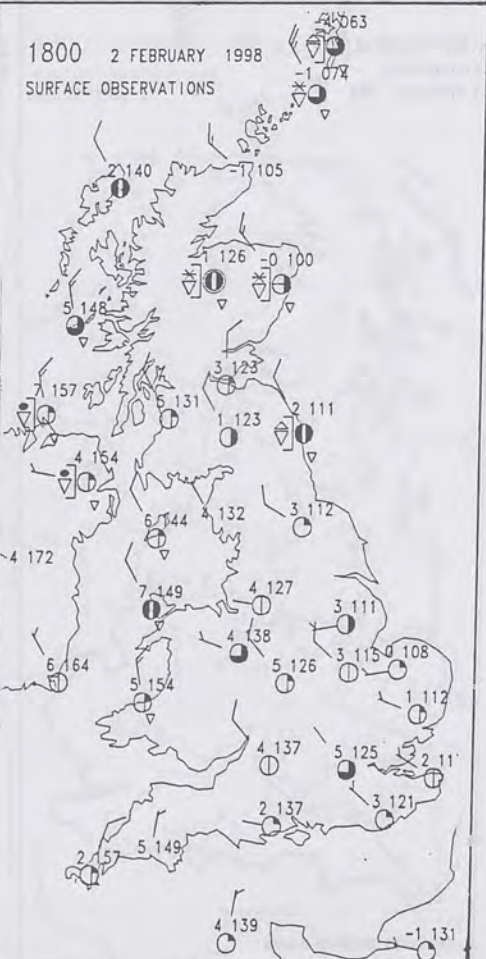
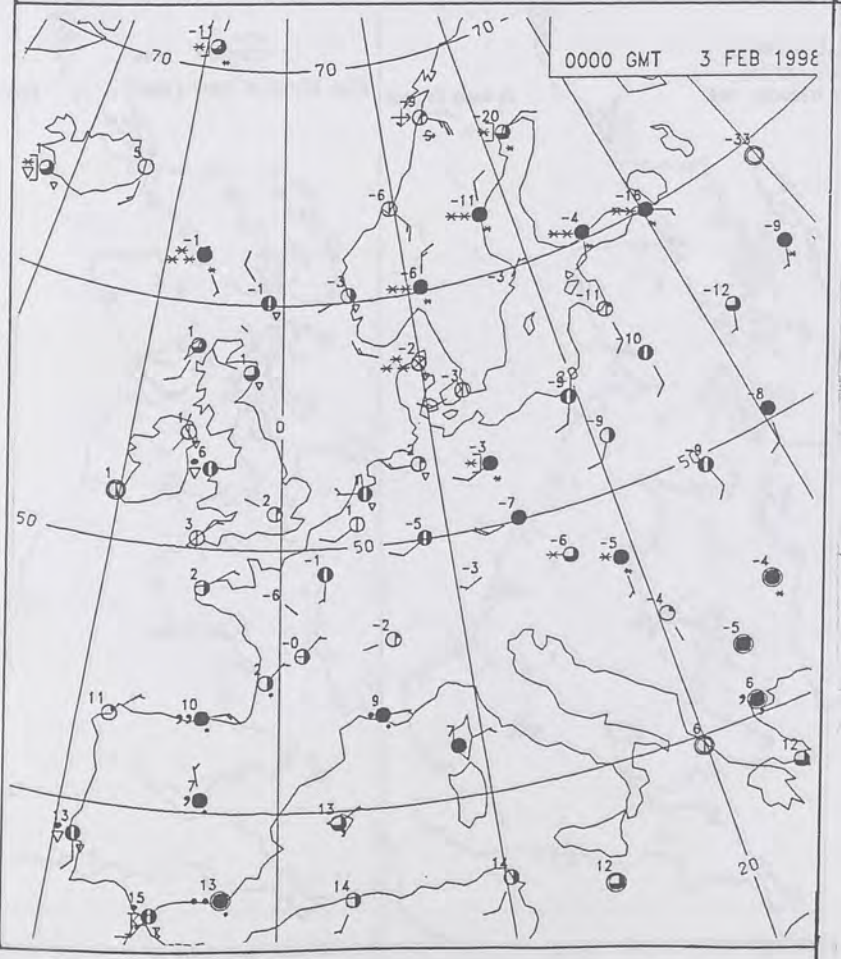
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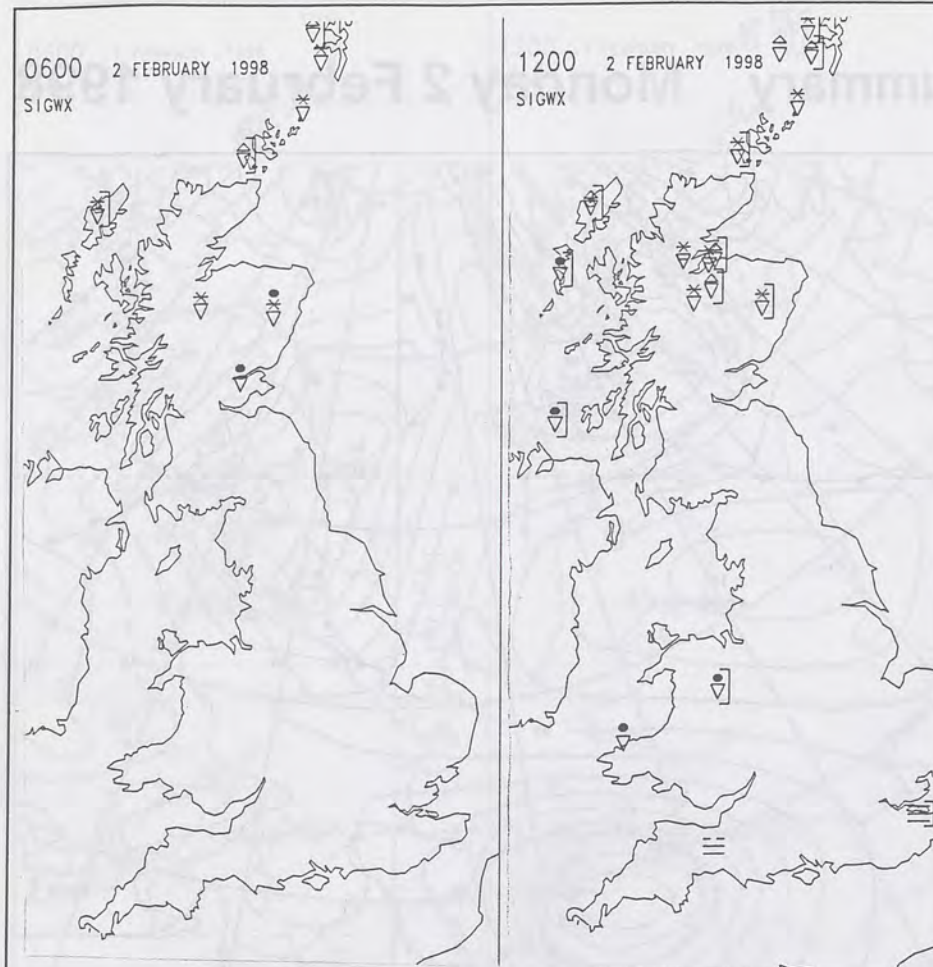
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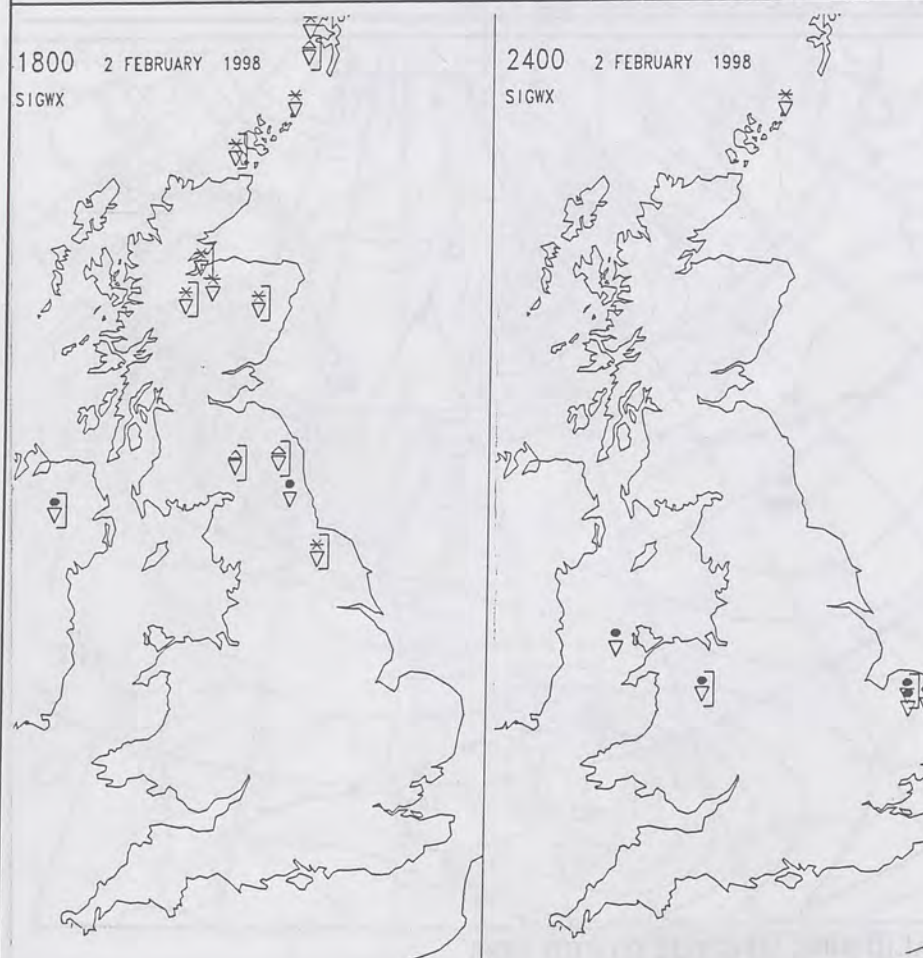
Summary of UK weather for Monday 2nd February 1998

Most places had a dry night. It was generally clear with a sharp frost over southeastern Britain, and rather more cloudy and less cold in the more northern and western regions - though still with a slight frost in places. A few light showers were reported, and there were heavier sleet and snow showers over northeast Scotland; the northern isles - especially Shetland - were bitterly cold with a strong wind and a severe frost. Temperatures rose over the southeast at the end of the night, as patchy cloud moved across.

A large part of the country had a predominantly sunny day. However, patchy low cloud and fog took a while to clear from parts of East Anglia and Kent, a few western coastal areas were cloudier with one or two showers, and northern and eastern Scotland were fairly cloudy with sleet or snow showers. Amounts of snow were generally small. In the evening, a few wintry showers affected northeast England and Norfolk, and there were still some over eastern and northern Scotland. Most places were dry, though, and in many districts skies were clear, so that slight frost returned before midnight.

Afternoon temperatures were generally near or rather above normal, but it was cold over northeast Scotland and very cold and windy in the extreme northeast.

SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS



EXTREMES

MONDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
10.5C Cardiff

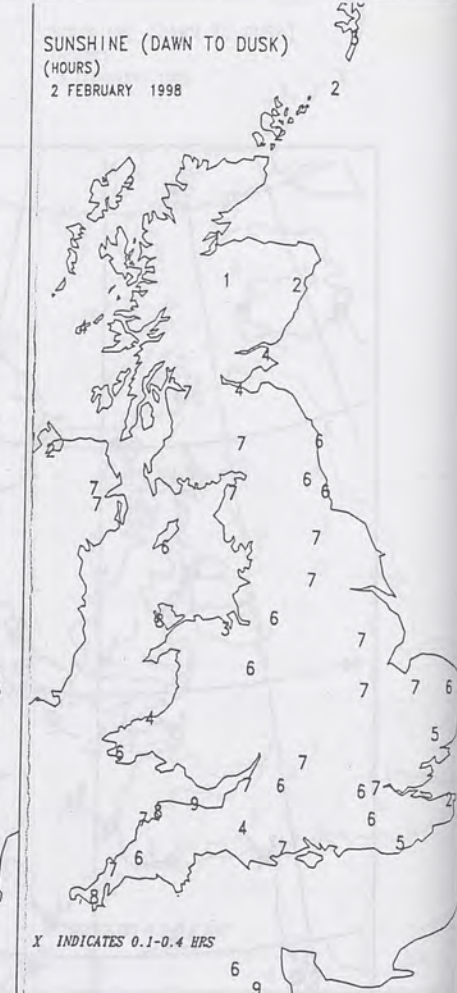
Lowest maximum
-2.2C Lerwick
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum
-6.8 C Benson
[Oxfordshire]

Lowest grass minimum
-12.1 C Benson

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
13.7mm Lerwick

Most sun
8.8hrs Jersey Airport



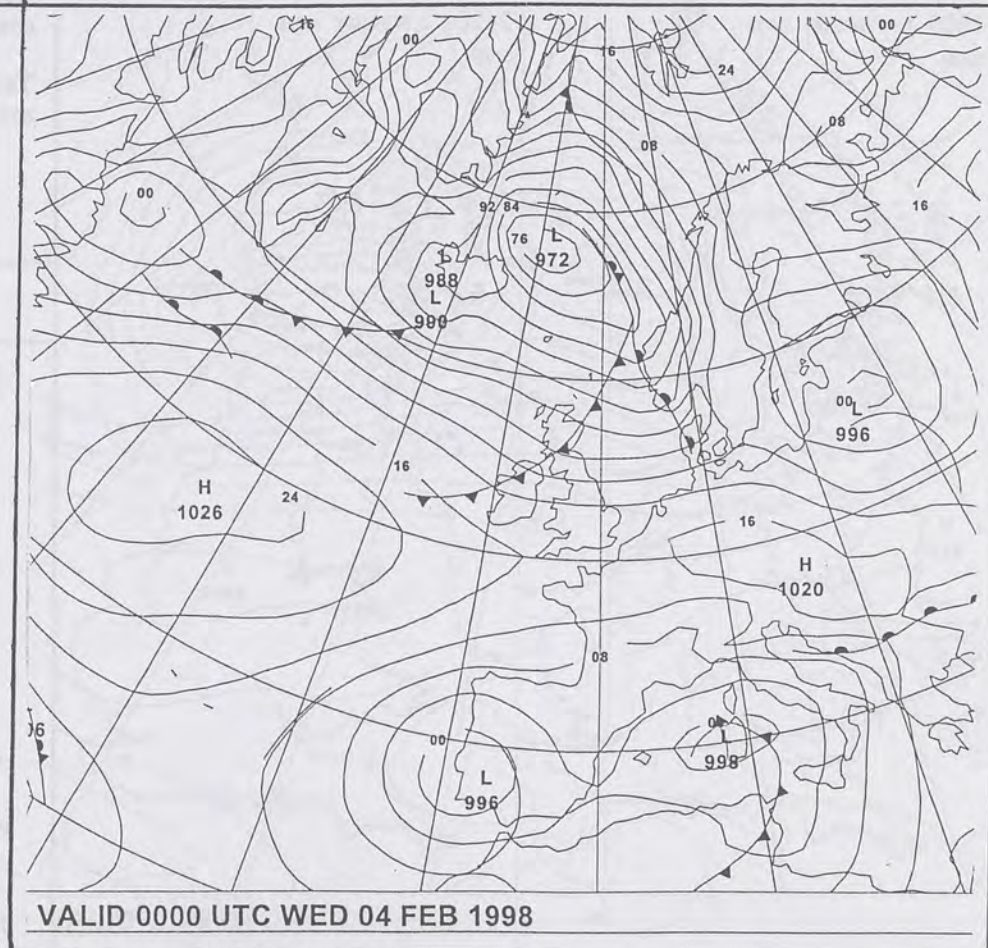
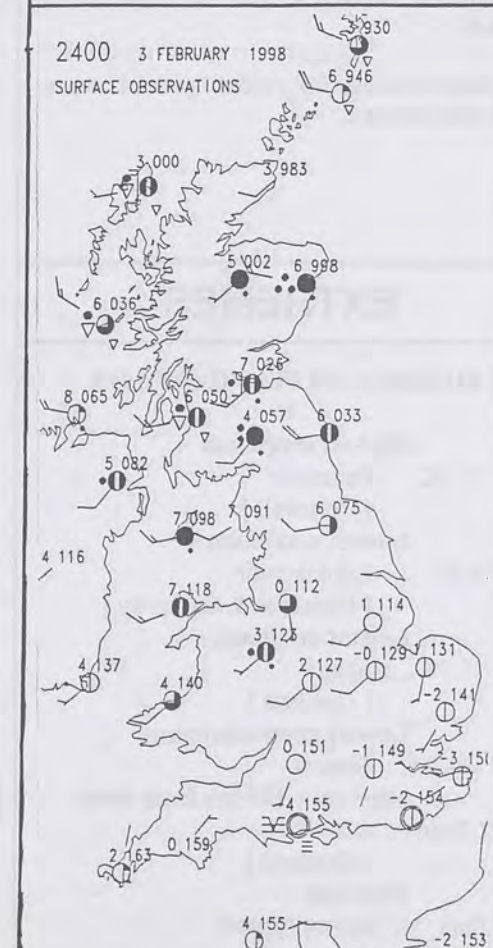
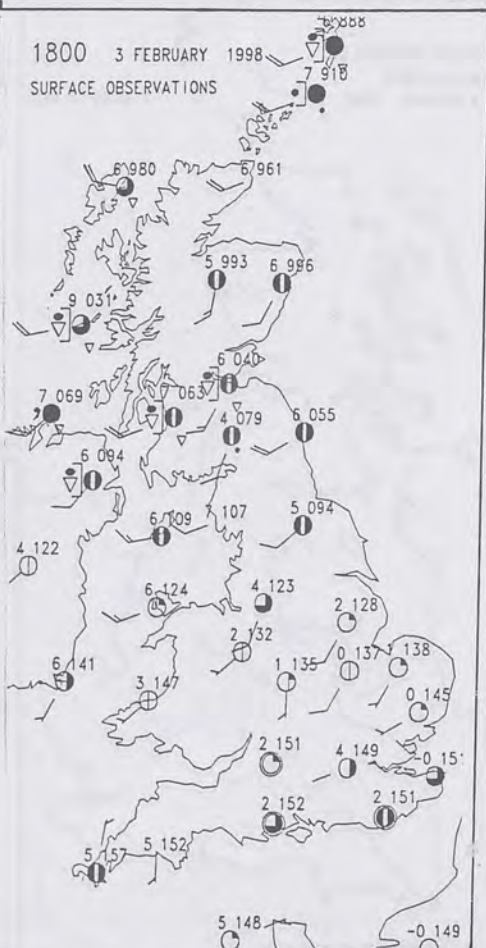
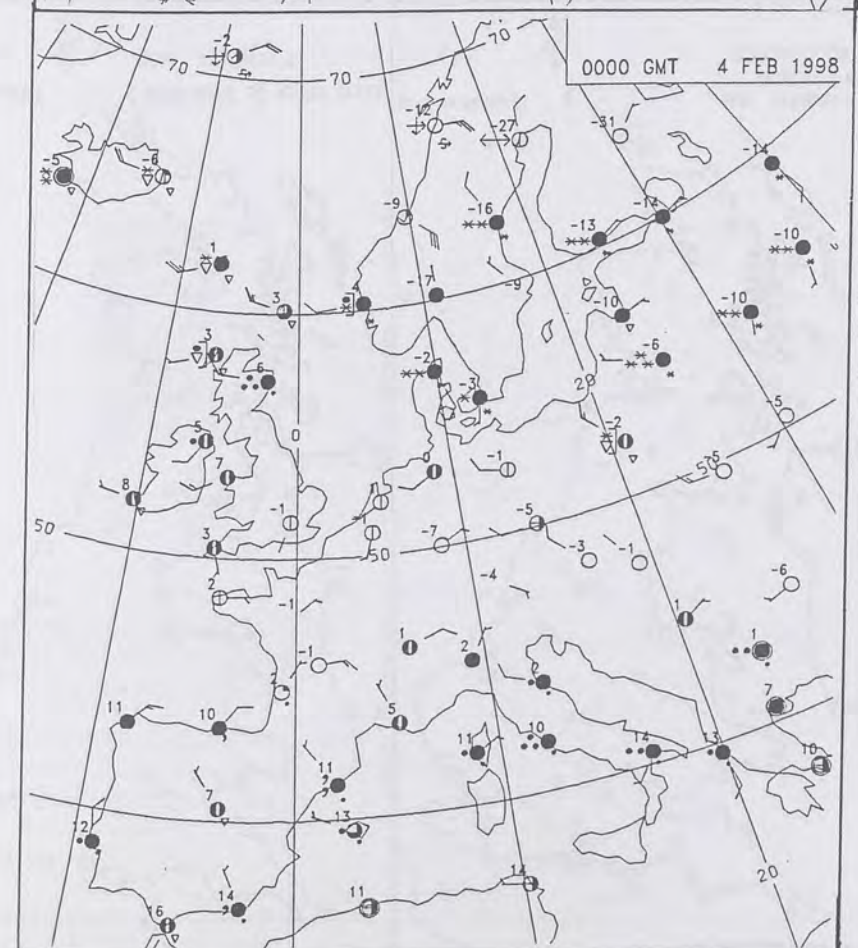
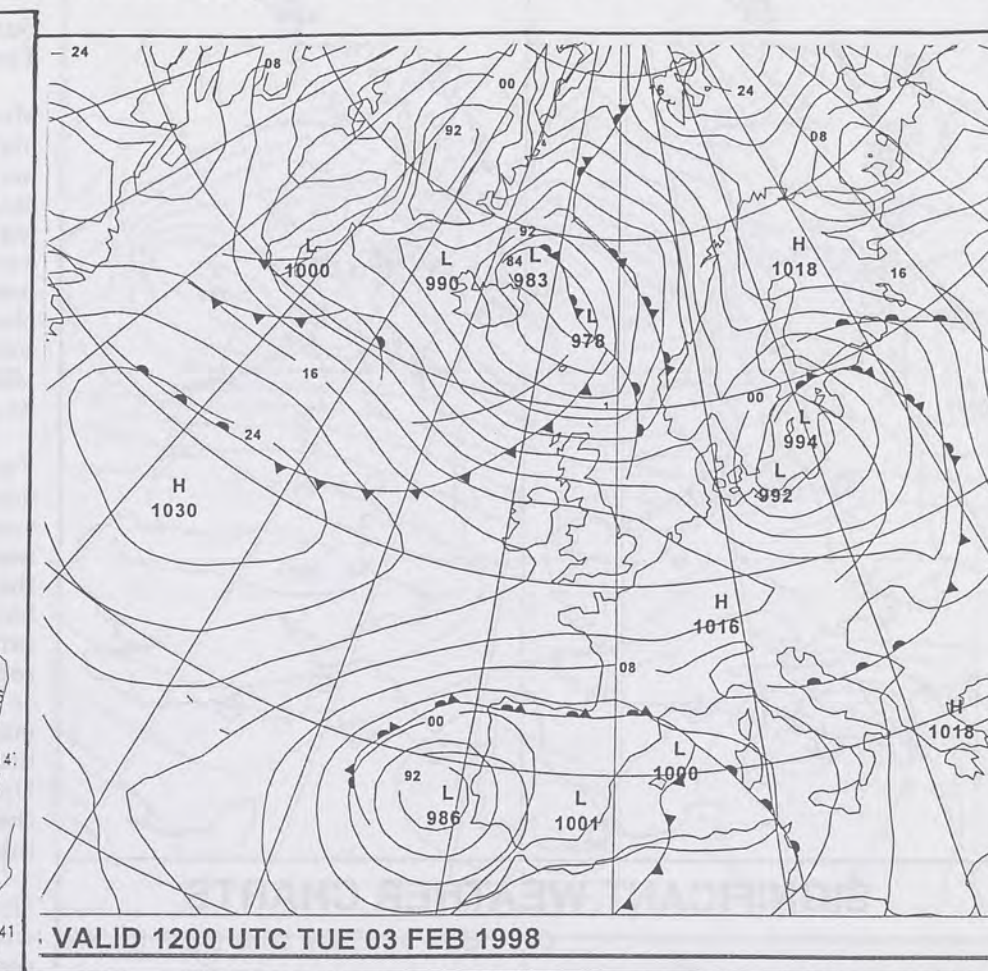
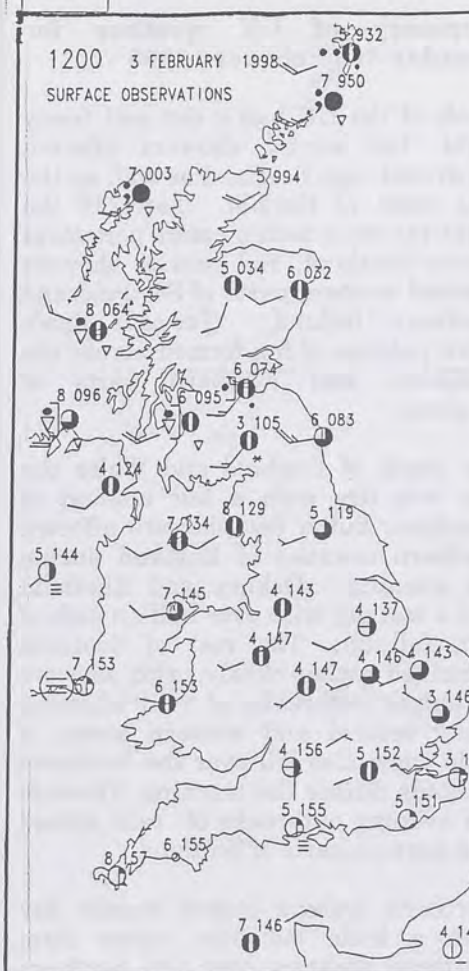
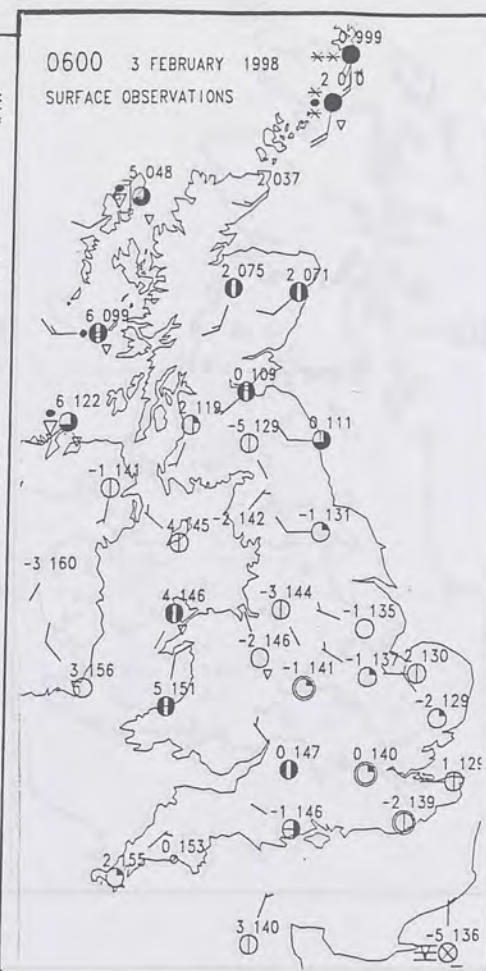
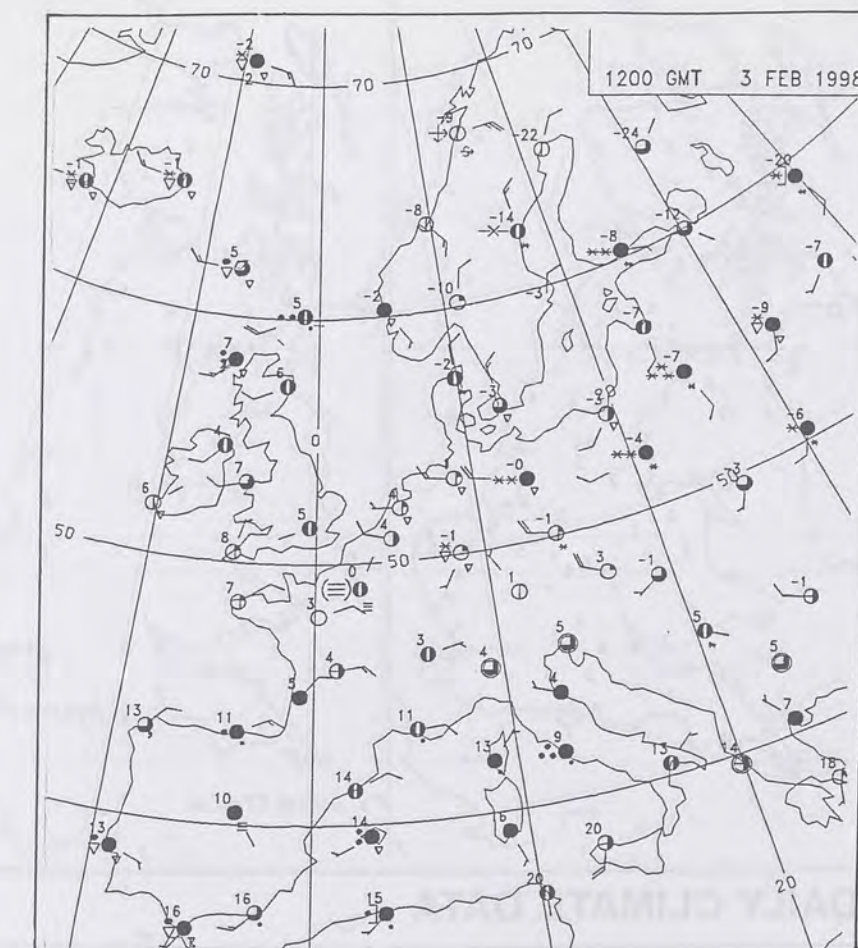
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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS

1800 3 FEBRUARY 1998
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Summary of UK weather for
Tuesday 3rd February 1998

Much of the UK had a dry and frosty night, but wintry showers affected north and east Scotland as well as the east coast of Norfolk. Later in the night the snow became more persistent across Shetland, and rain or showers reached western parts of Scotland and Northern Ireland. Towards dawn some patches of fog formed across the Midlands and southern parts of England.

For much of England and Wales the day was dry with a fair amount of sunshine, but a few showers affected northern counties of England during the evening. Orkney and Shetland had a wet dry with over half an inch of rain falling. The rest of Scotland remained rather cloudy, with showers or longer outbreaks of rain affecting many central and western areas. A little snow also fell over the Southern Uplands during the morning. Through the evening outbreaks of rain spread into eastern parts of Scotland.

Northern Ireland stayed mostly dry with a little sunshine, apart from scattered showers over the northern coast.

Temperatures for most places were around normal

EXTREMES

TUESDAY 3rd FEBRUARY 1998

- Highest maximum**
11.1C Penzance
[Cornwall]
- Lowest maximum**
4.3C Eskdalemuir
[Dumfries & Galloway]
- Lowest minimum**
-5.7C Shap
[Cumbria]
- Lowest grass minimum**
-11.6C Shap
- Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)**
13.3mm Lerwick
[Shetland]
- Most sun**
9.0hrs Jersey Airport

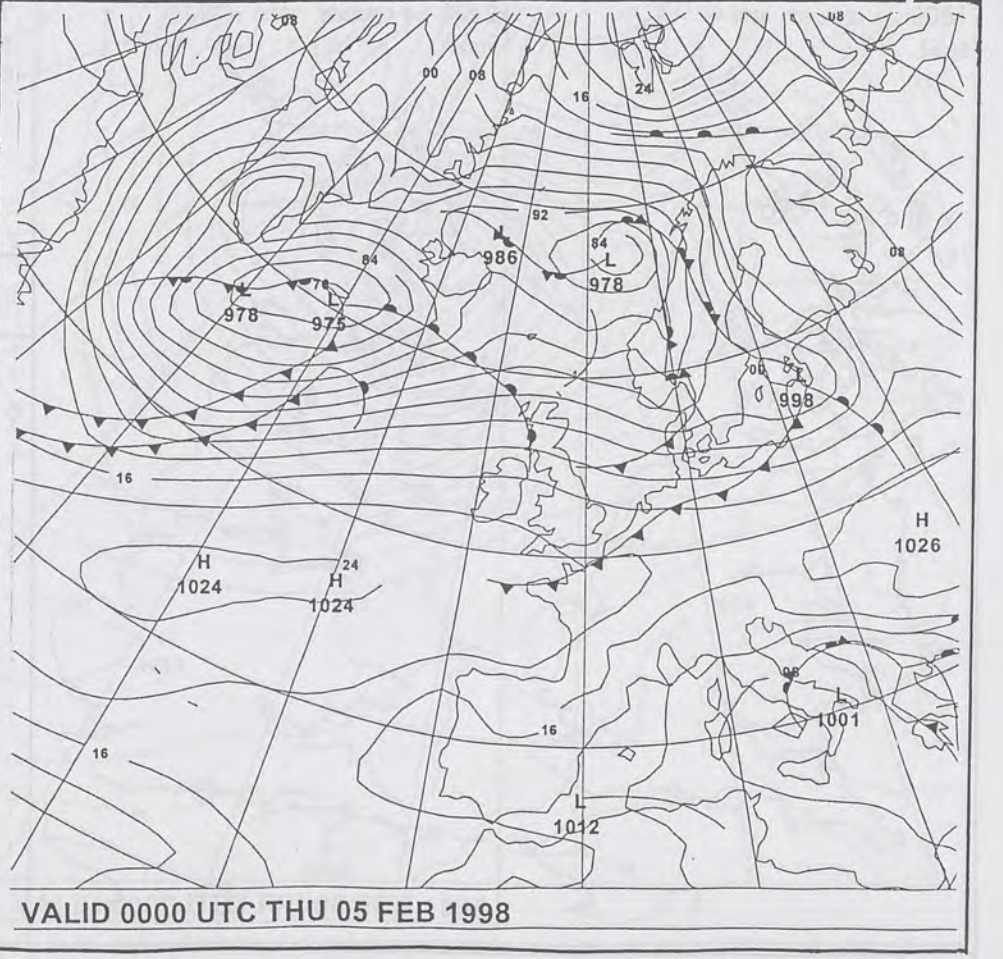
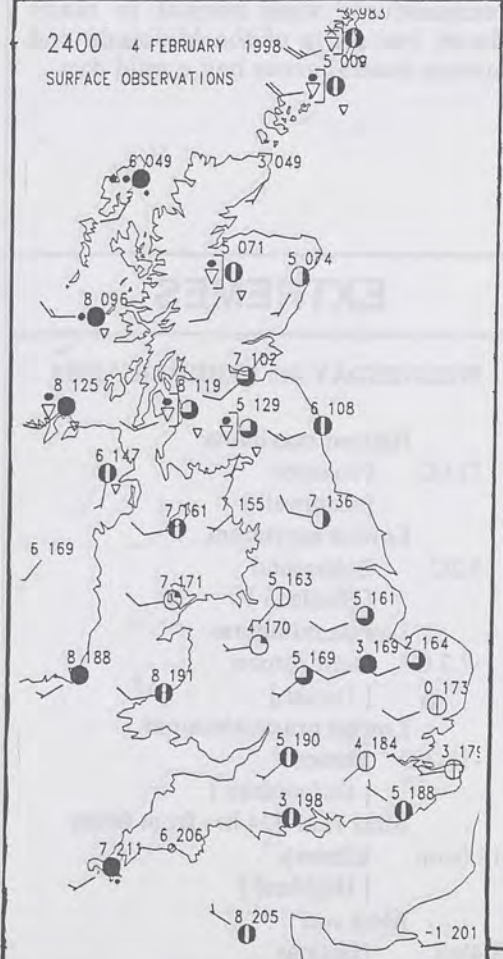
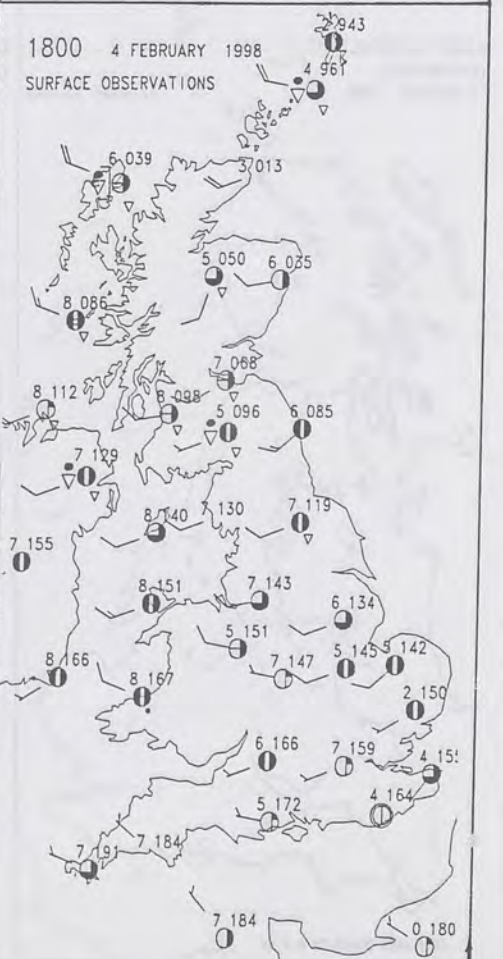
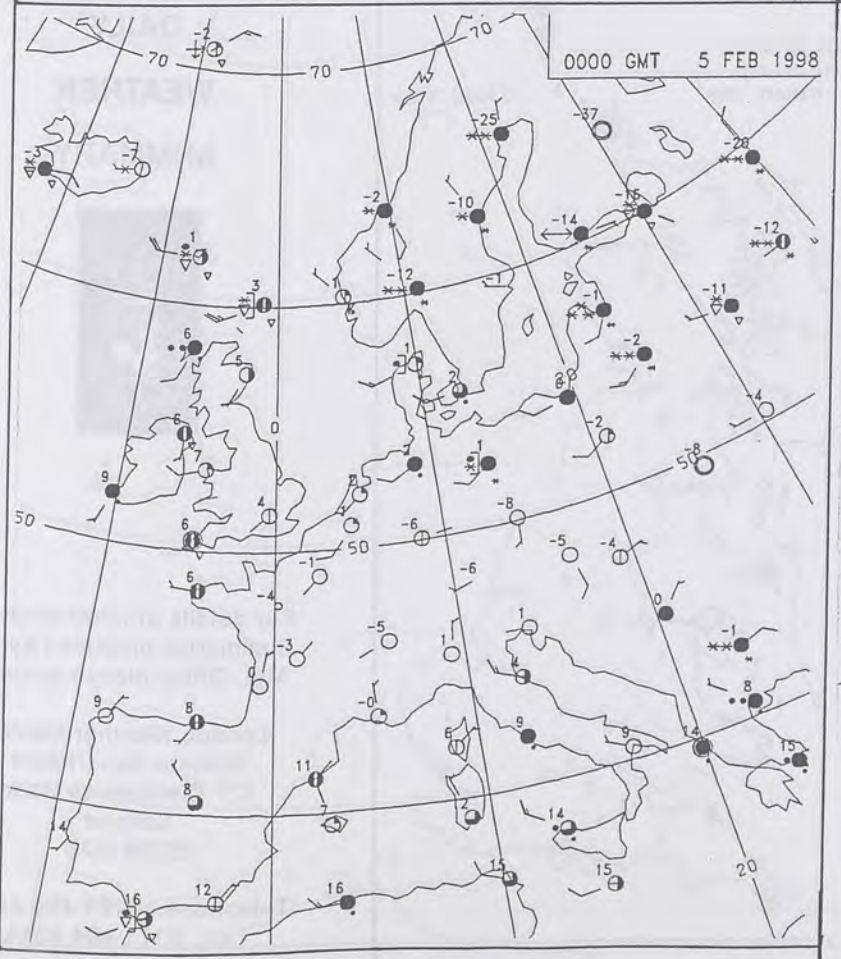
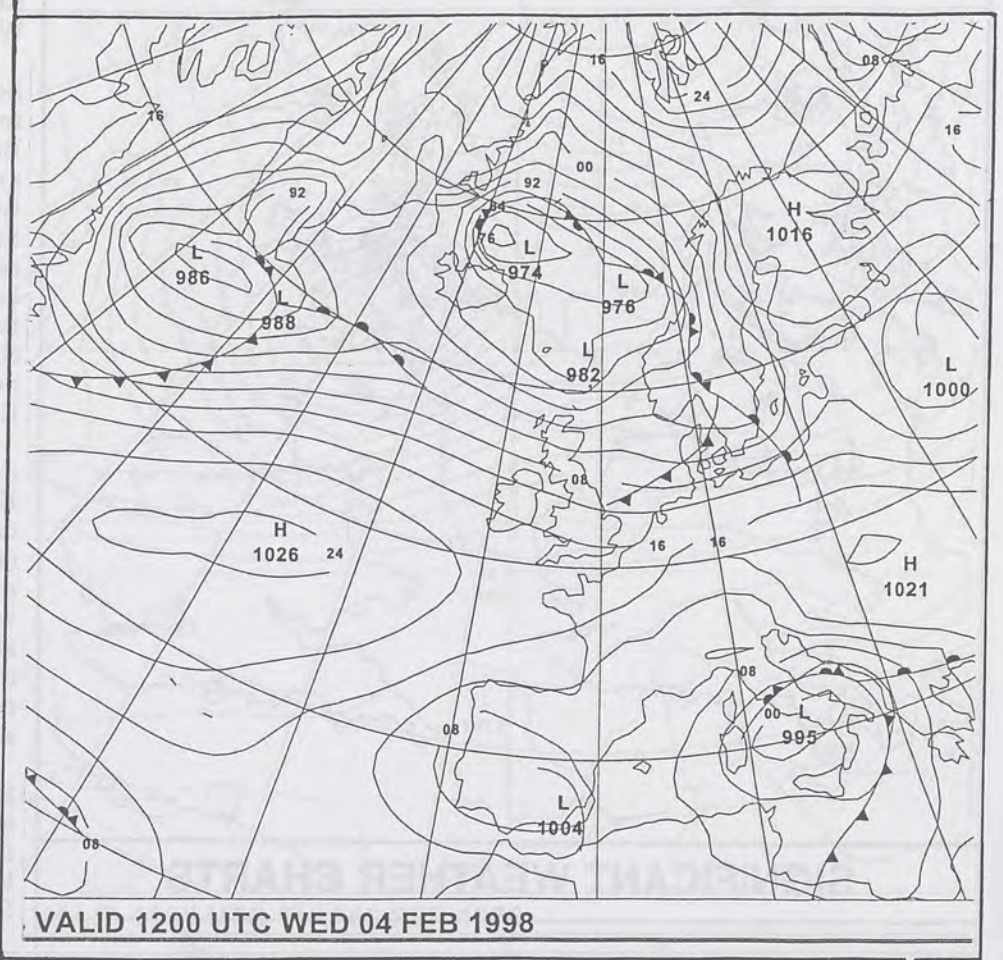
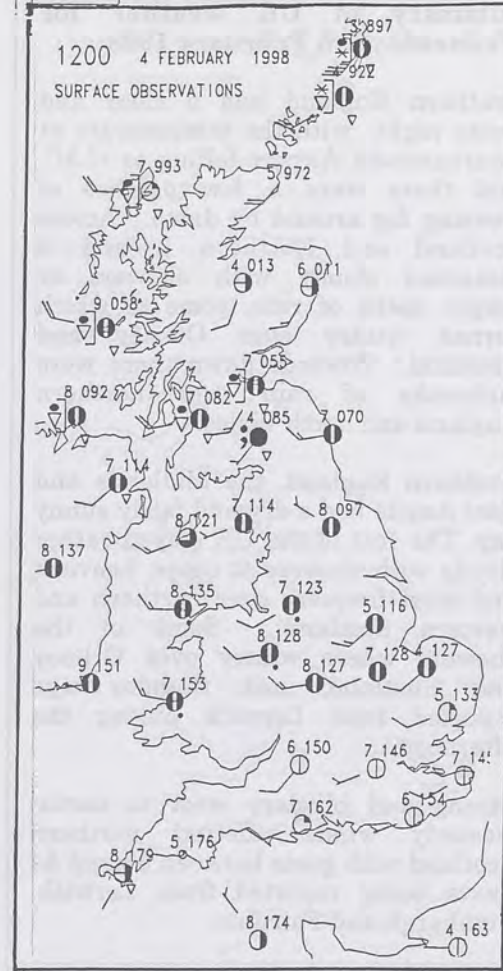
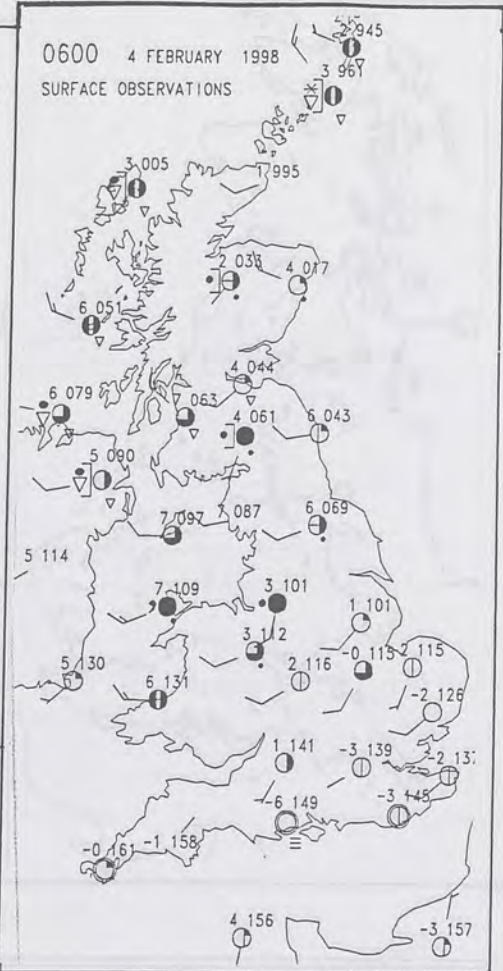
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1200 4 FEBRUARY 1998
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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS

1800 4 FEBRUARY 1998
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Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 4th February 1998

Southern England had a clear and frosty night with the temperature at Bournemouth Airport falling to -7.3C, and there were a few patches of freezing fog around by dawn. Across Scotland and Northern Ireland it remained cloudy with showers or longer spells of rain, some of which turned wintry over Orkney and Shetland. Towards dawn there were outbreaks of rain over northern England and north Wales.

Southern England, the Midlands and East Anglia had a dry and fairly sunny day. The rest of the UK stayed rather cloudy with showers at times, heaviest and most frequent over northern and western Scotland. Some of the showers were wintry over Orkney and Shetland, and thunder was reported from Lerwick during the afternoon.

Strong and blustery west to north-westerly winds affected northern Scotland with gusts between 50 and 54 knots being reported from Lerwick, Sumburgh and Fair Isle.

Temperatures were normal in many places, but parts of the Midlands and eastern coastal areas had a mild day.

EXTREMES

WEDNESDAY 4th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum

12.0C Penzance
[Cornwall]

Lowest maximum

5.2C Baltasound
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum

-7.3 C Hurn Airport
[Dorset]

Lowest grass minimum

-11.3 C Benson
[Oxfordshire]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)

12.0mm Kilmory
[Highland]

Most sun

8.4hrs Hastings
[East Sussex]

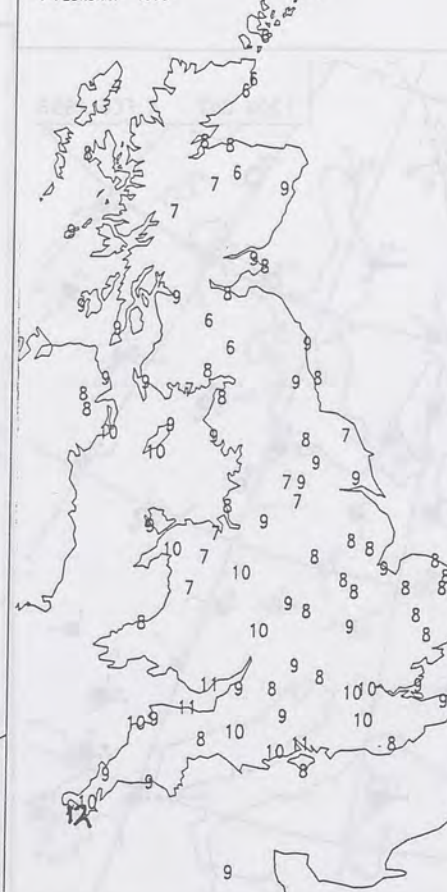
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4 FEBRUARY 1998



DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
4 FEBRUARY 1998



SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
4 FEBRUARY 1998



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DAILY CLIMATE DATA

NIGHT RAINFALL
(MILLIMETRES)
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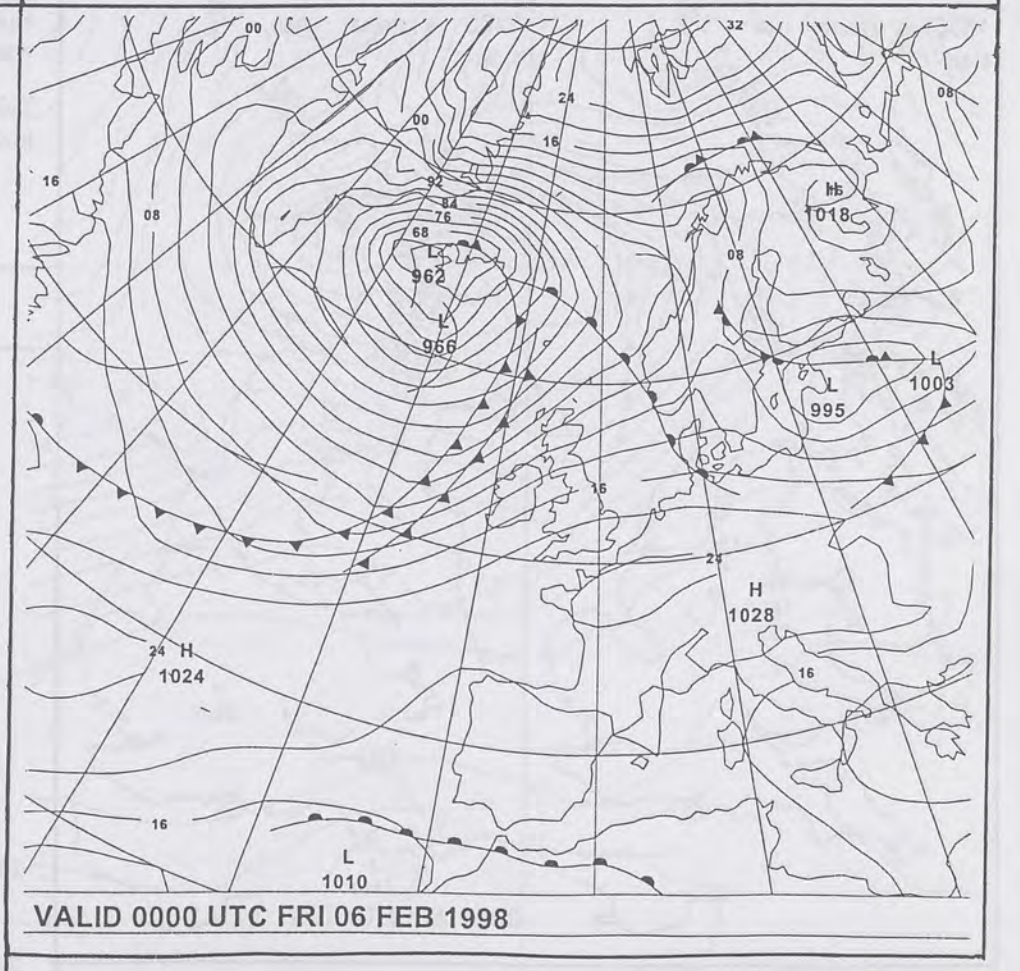
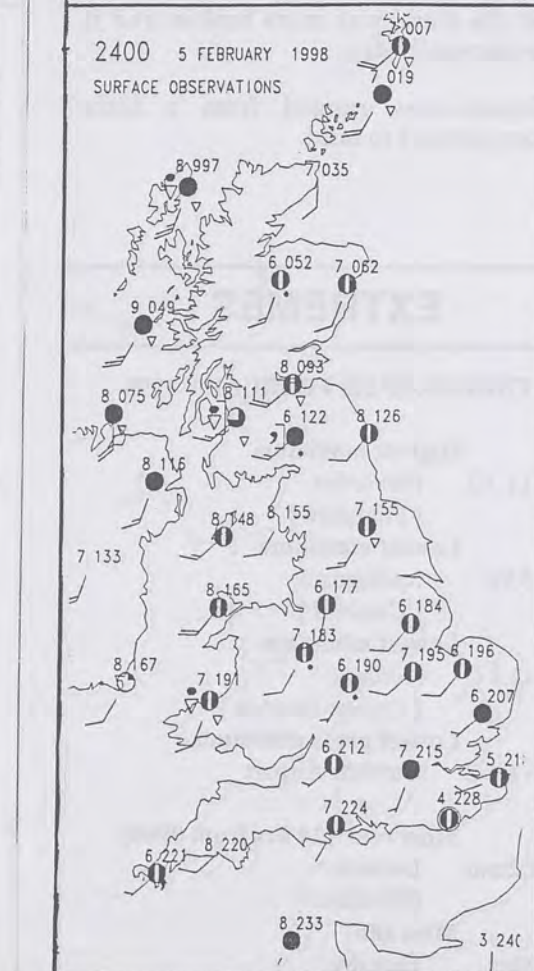
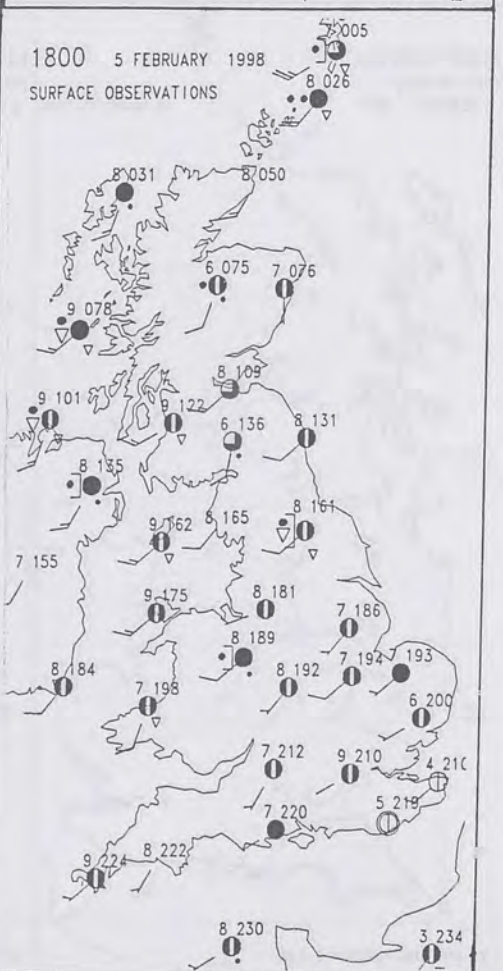
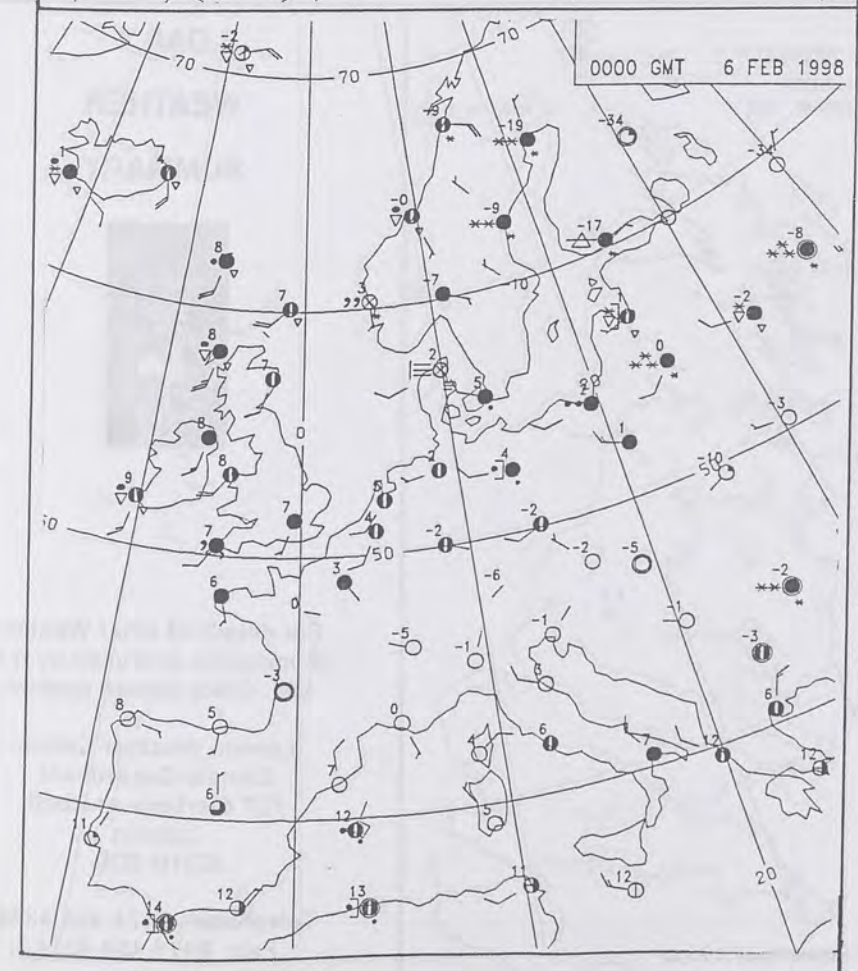
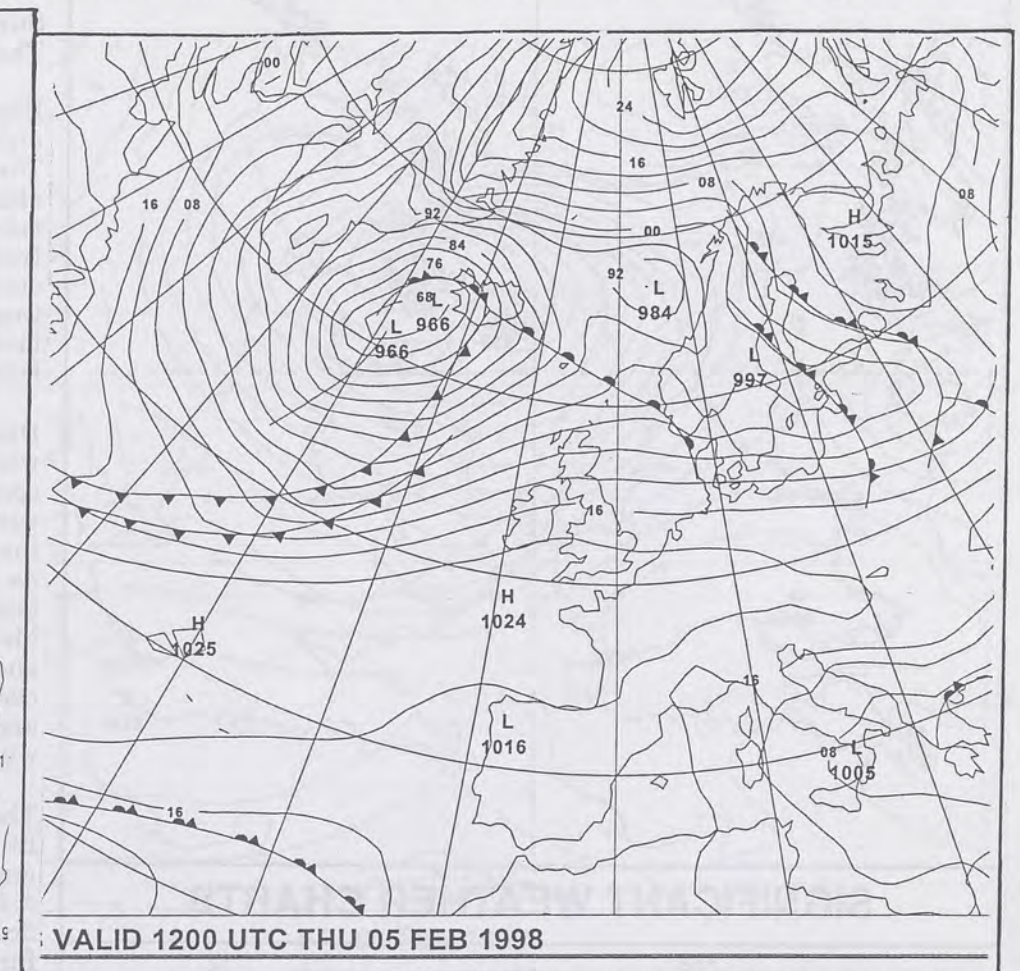
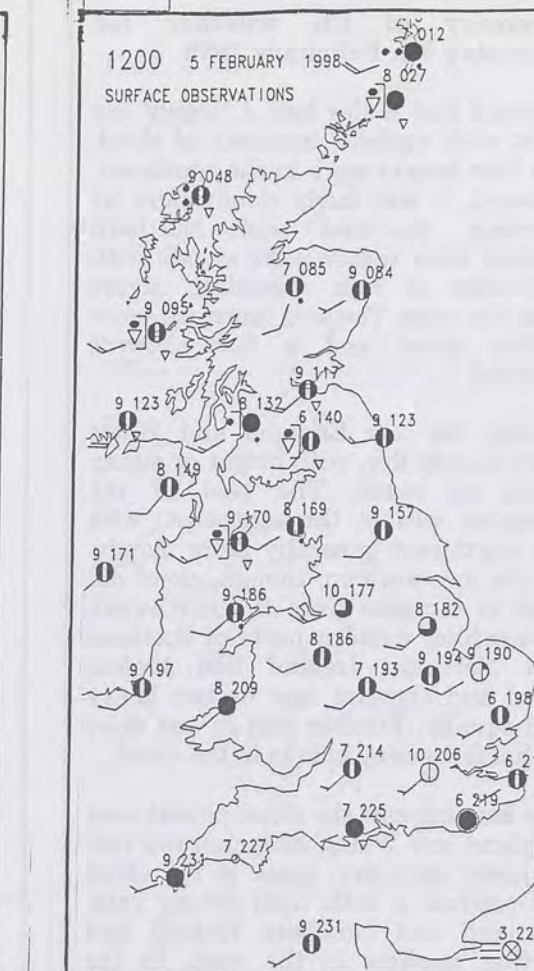
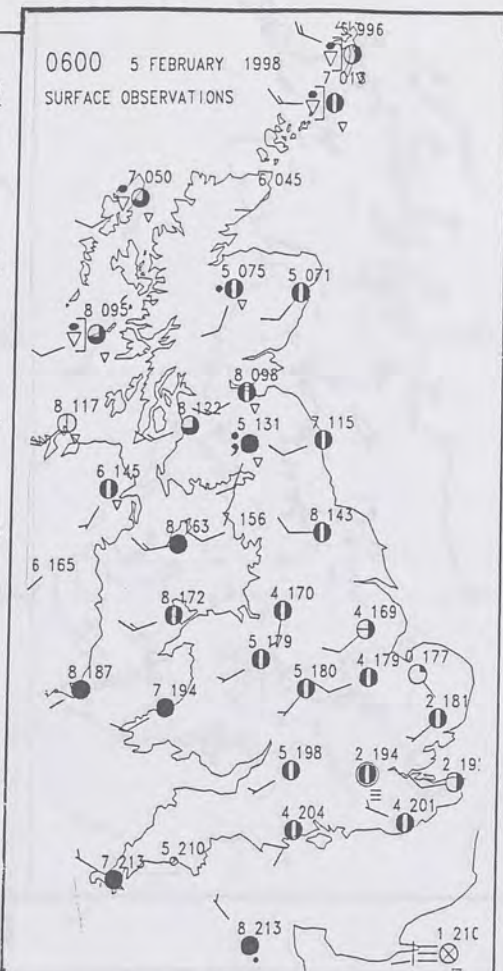
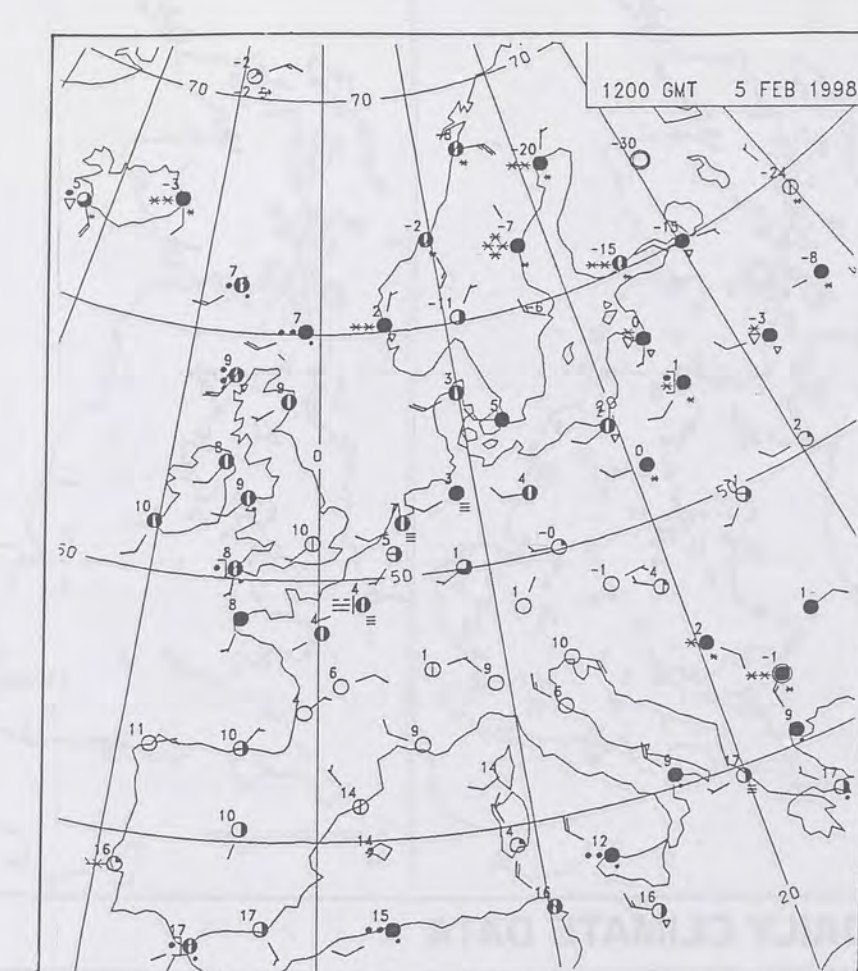
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SIGWX**Summary of UK weather for Thursday 5th February 1998**

England and Wales had a largely dry night with variable amounts of cloud. The best breaks were in the southeast, although it was fairly cloudy here by morning. Scotland and Northern Ireland were rather more cloudy with outbreaks of rain spreading across from the west. Towards morning, more broken cloud and a few showers followed.

During the day England and Wales were largely dry, with bright or sunny spells at times. The best of the sunshine was in the southeast, with the northwest generally more cloudy. As the day wore on, though, cloud did tend to increase from the northwest. Meanwhile, western parts of Scotland and Northern Ireland had broken cloud and showers, one or two heavy and squally. Further east it was drier with a few sunny breaks in the cloud.

The evening saw the cloud persist over England and Wales. Although the vast majority were dry, some of the cloud did produce a little light drizzly rain. Scotland and Northern Ireland had further showers in the west. In the east the cloud was more broken and it was generally dry.

Temperatures ranged from a little above normal to mild.

SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS1800 5 FEBRUARY 1998
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[Flintshire]

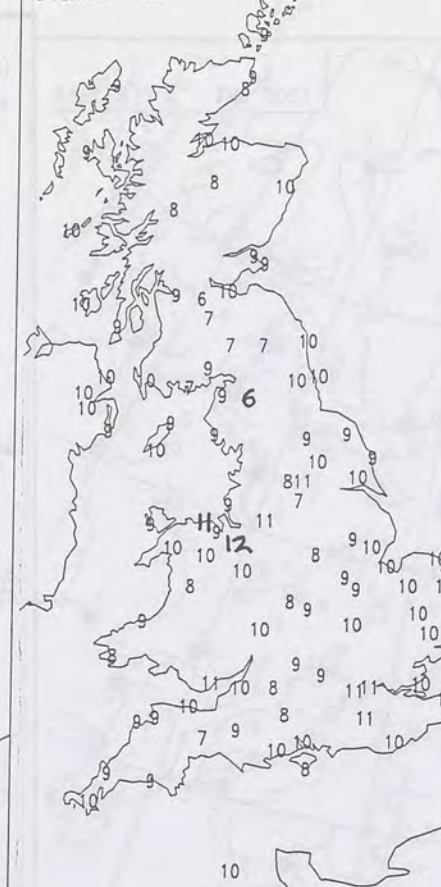
Lowest maximum
5.9C Spadeadam
[Cumbria]

Lowest minimum
-2.8 C Northolt
[Greater London]

Lowest grass minimum
-7.4 C Gatwick Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
12.2mm Lerwick
[Shetland]

Most sun
7.8hrs Hemsby
[Norfolk]

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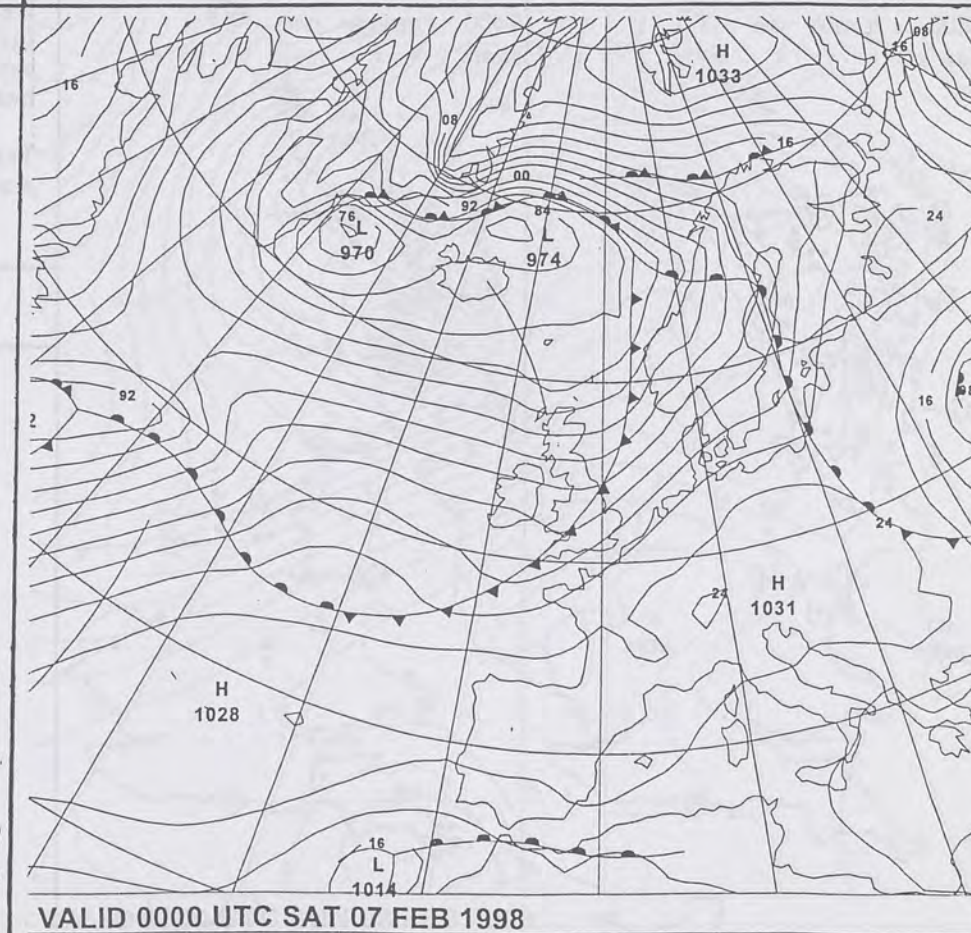
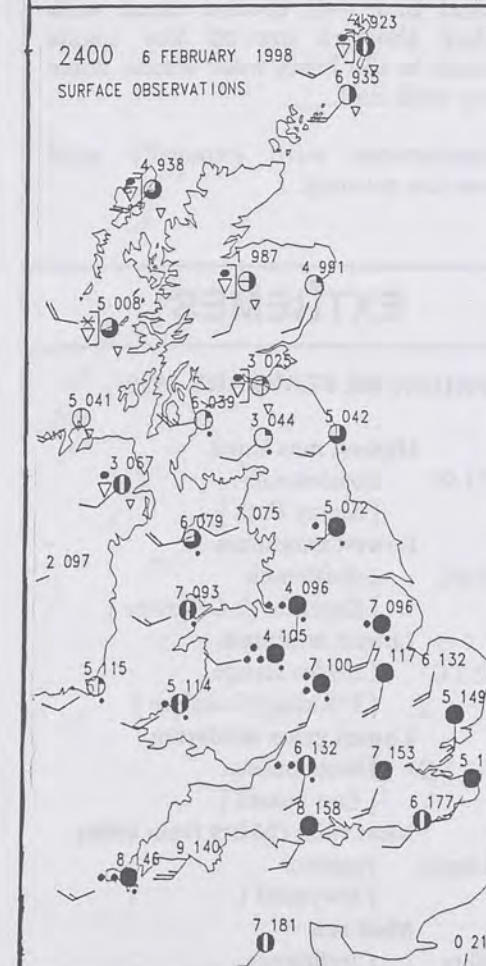
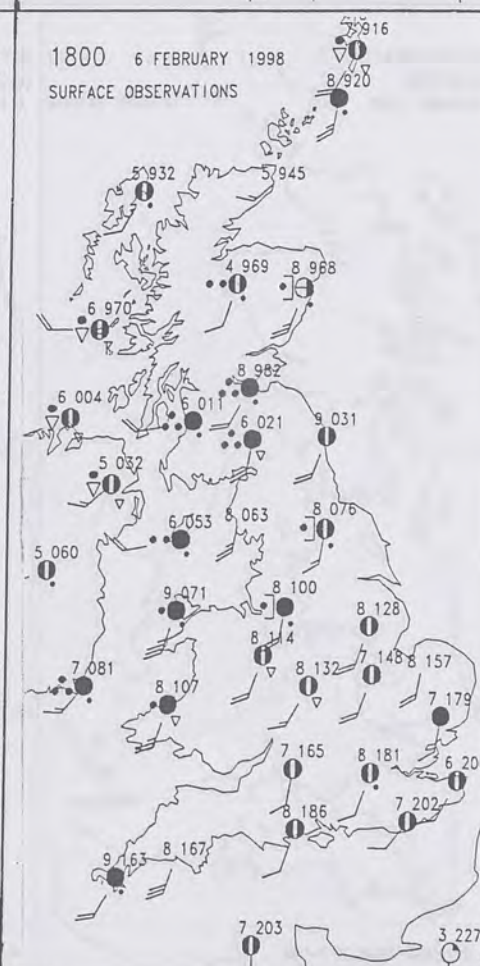
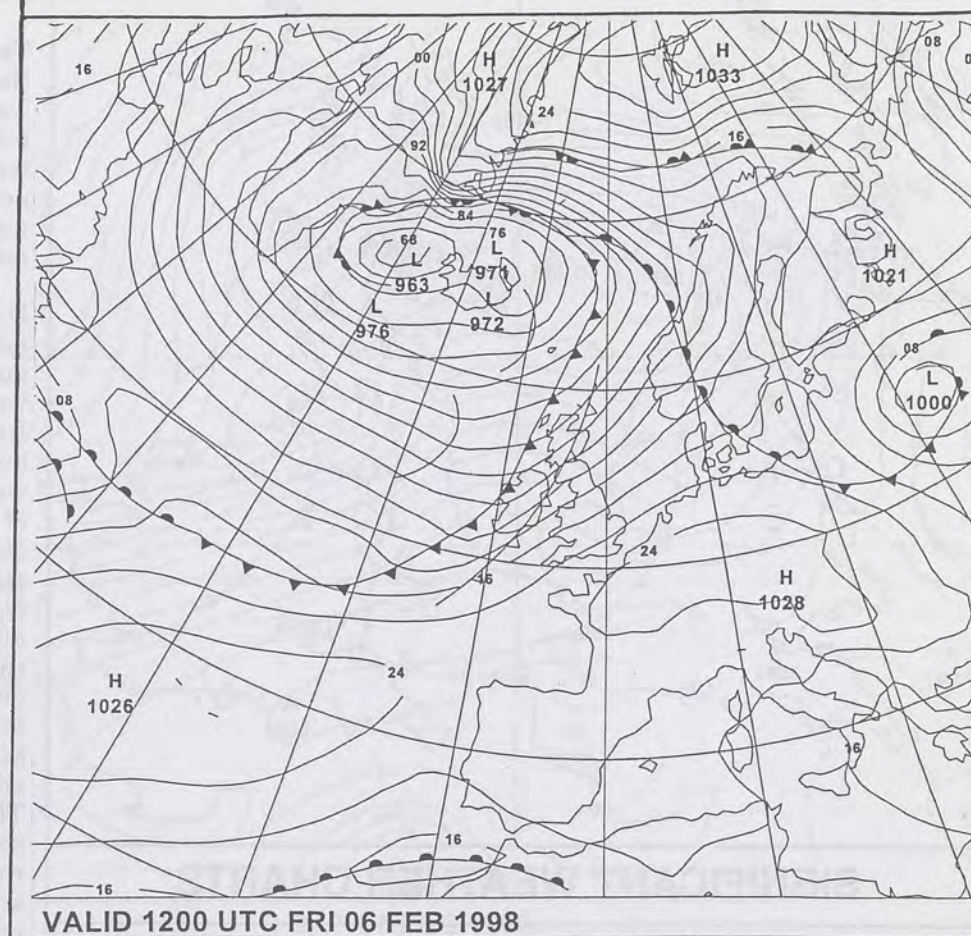
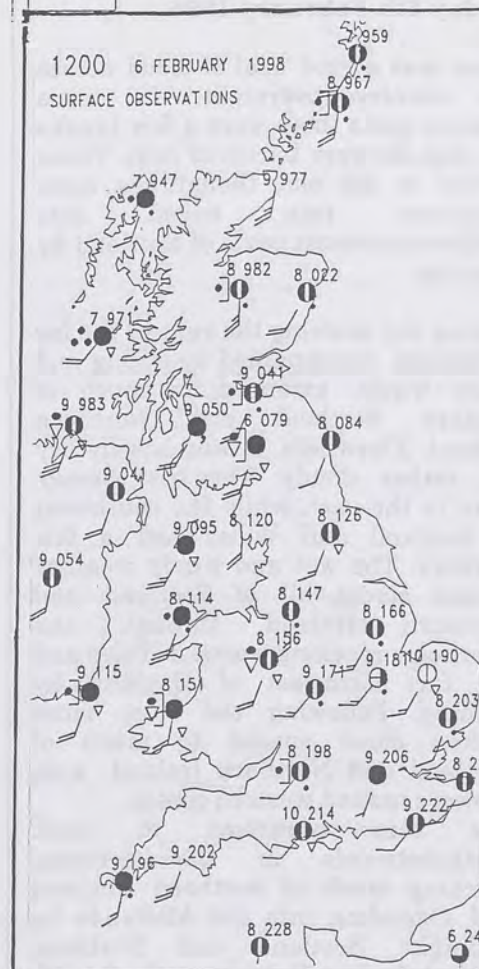
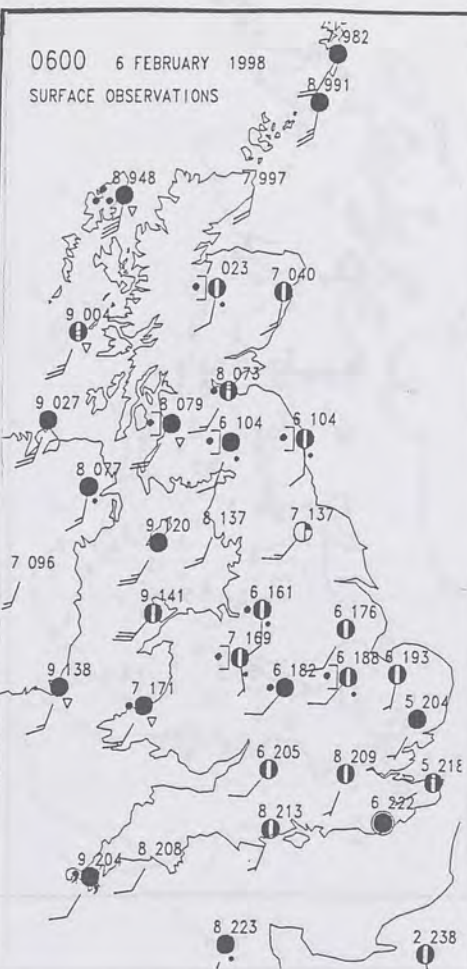
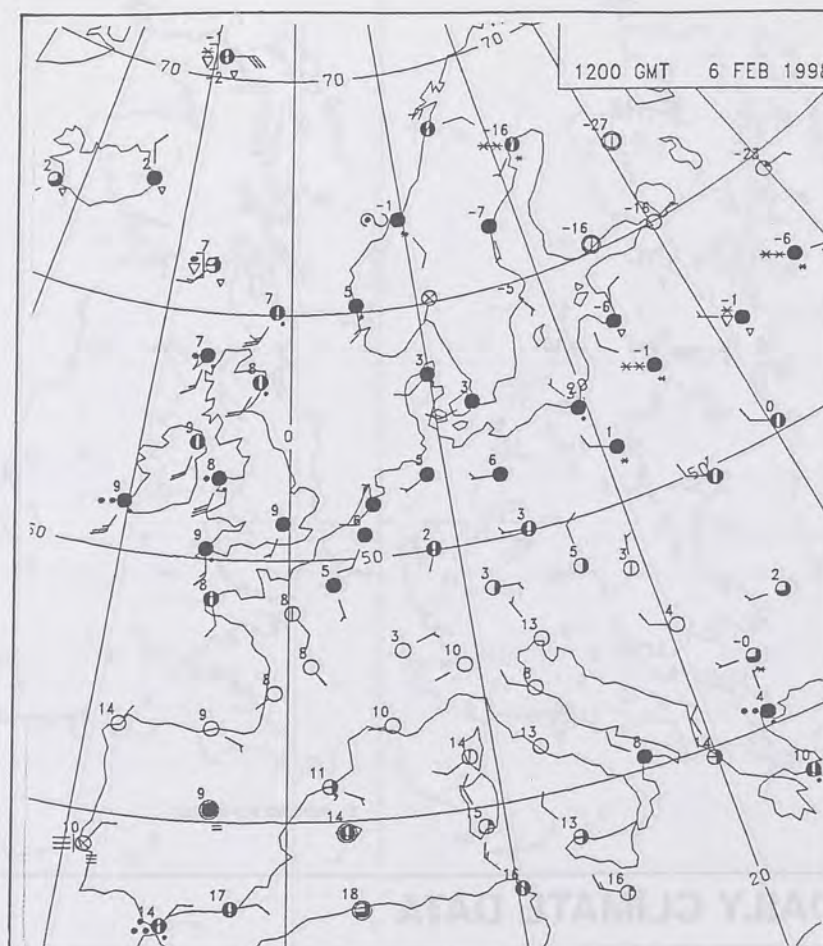
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Summary of UK weather for Friday 6th February 1998

There was a good deal of cloud across the country overnight. In more western parts there were a few breaks but also showery bursts of rain. These tended to die out, though, as more persistent rain edged into northwesternmost parts of Scotland by morning.

During the morning the rain in the far northwest, accompanied by strong and gusty winds, extended to much of western Scotland and Northern Ireland. Elsewhere, it was largely dry but rather cloudy. The best breaks were in the east, while the southwest of England and Wales had a few showers. The wet and windy weather spread across all of Scotland and Northern Ireland through the afternoon, reaching western Wales and the far northwest of England by evening. Following the rain, more broken cloud spread to much of Scotland and Northern Ireland, with showers around western coasts.

The rain continued to push southeastwards in the evening, reaching much of northern England and extending into the Midlands by midnight. Scotland and Northern Ireland had well broken cloud with further showers around the coasts exposed to the brisk west winds, some heavy with hail.

Temperatures were generally mild across the country.

EXTREMES

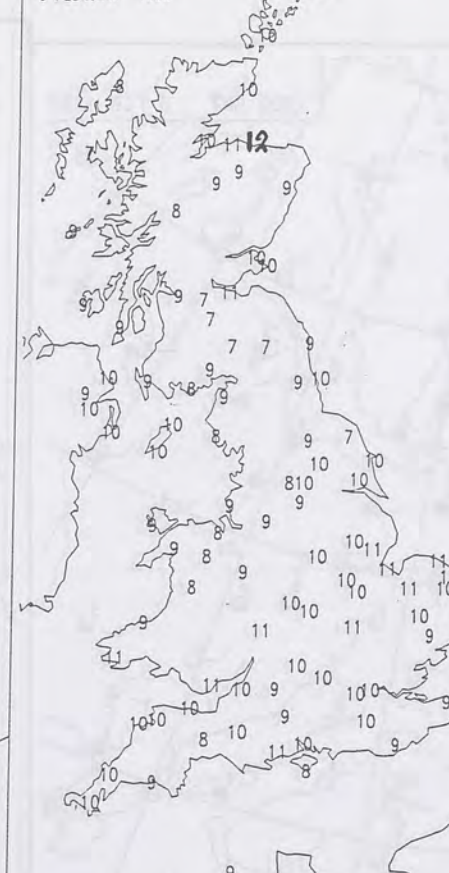
FRIDAY 6th FEBRUARY 1998

- Highest maximum**
11.9C Lossiemouth
[Moray Firth]
- Lowest maximum**
6.6C Eskdalemuir
[Dumfries & Galloway]
- Lowest minimum**
2.7C Cowden Range
[E'Riding/Yorkshire]
- Lowest grass minimum**
-3.3C Herstmonceux
[East Sussex]
- Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)**
18.6mm Nantmor
[Gwynedd]
- Most sun**
6.6hrs Cleethorpes
[Lincolnshire]

NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
6 FEBRUARY 1998



DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
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SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
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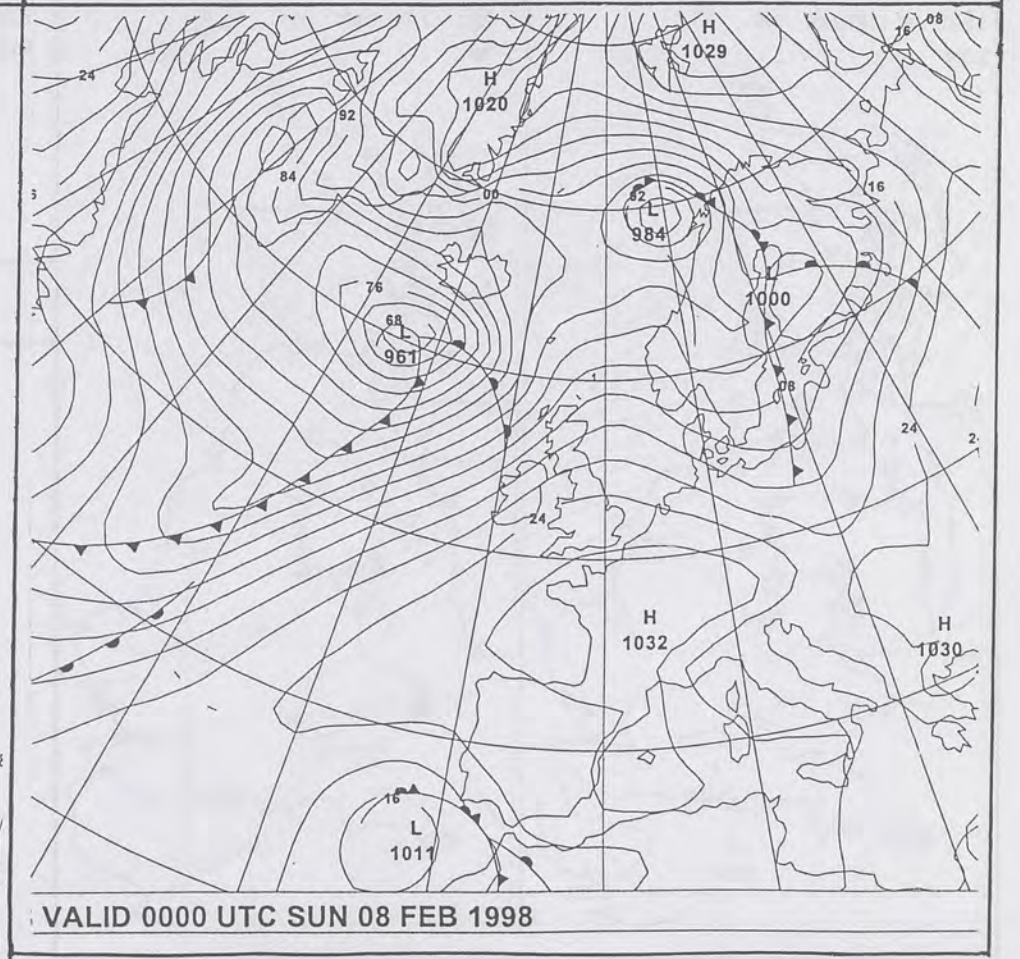
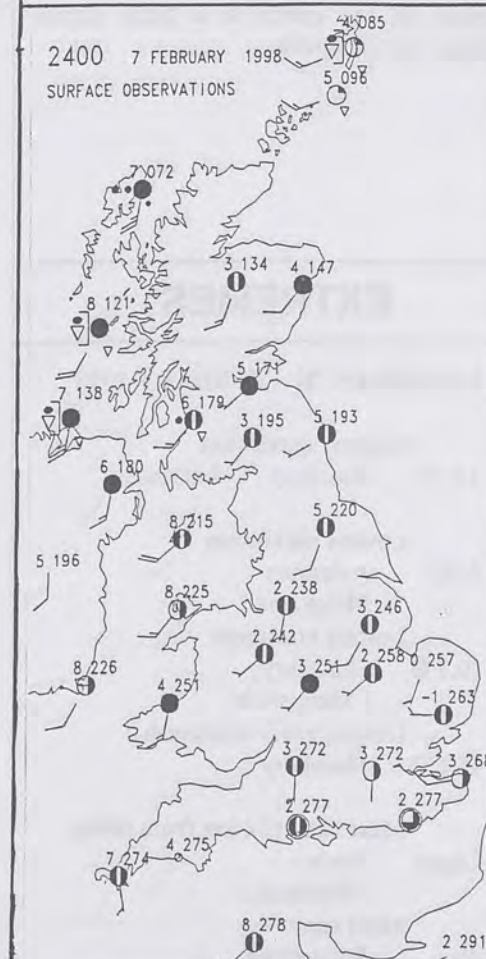
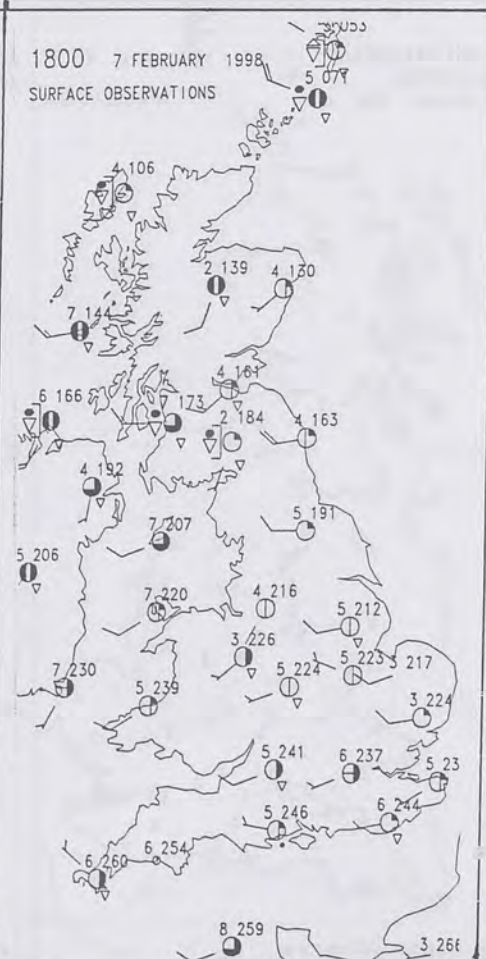
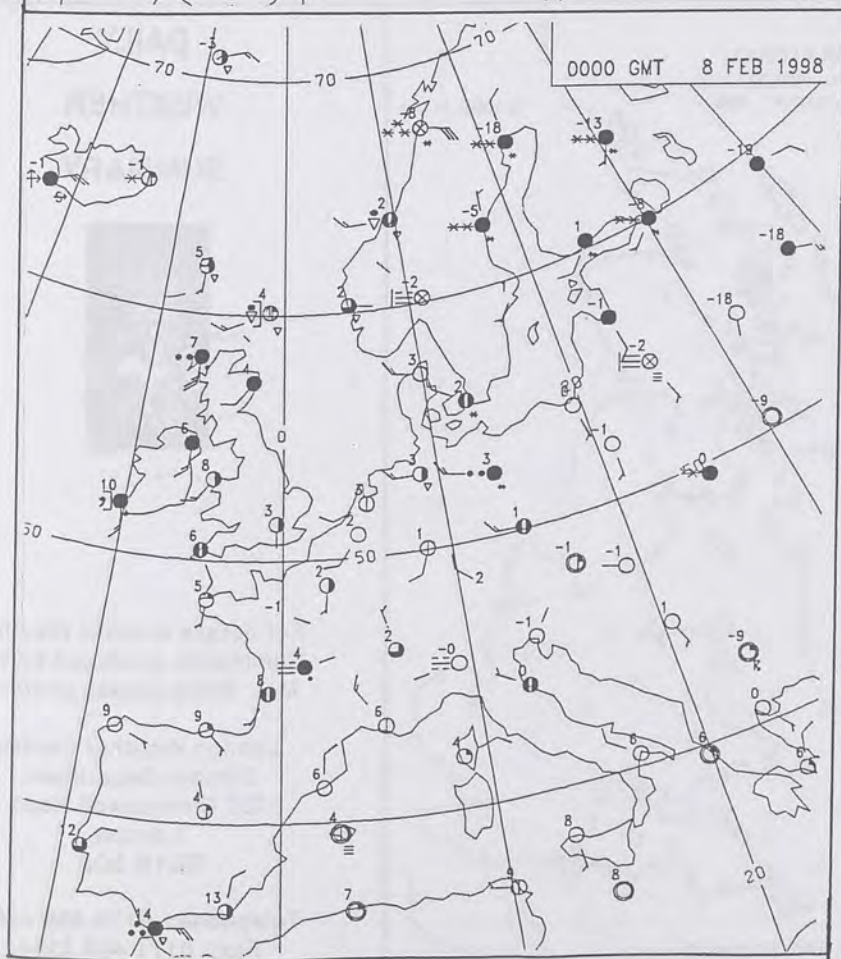
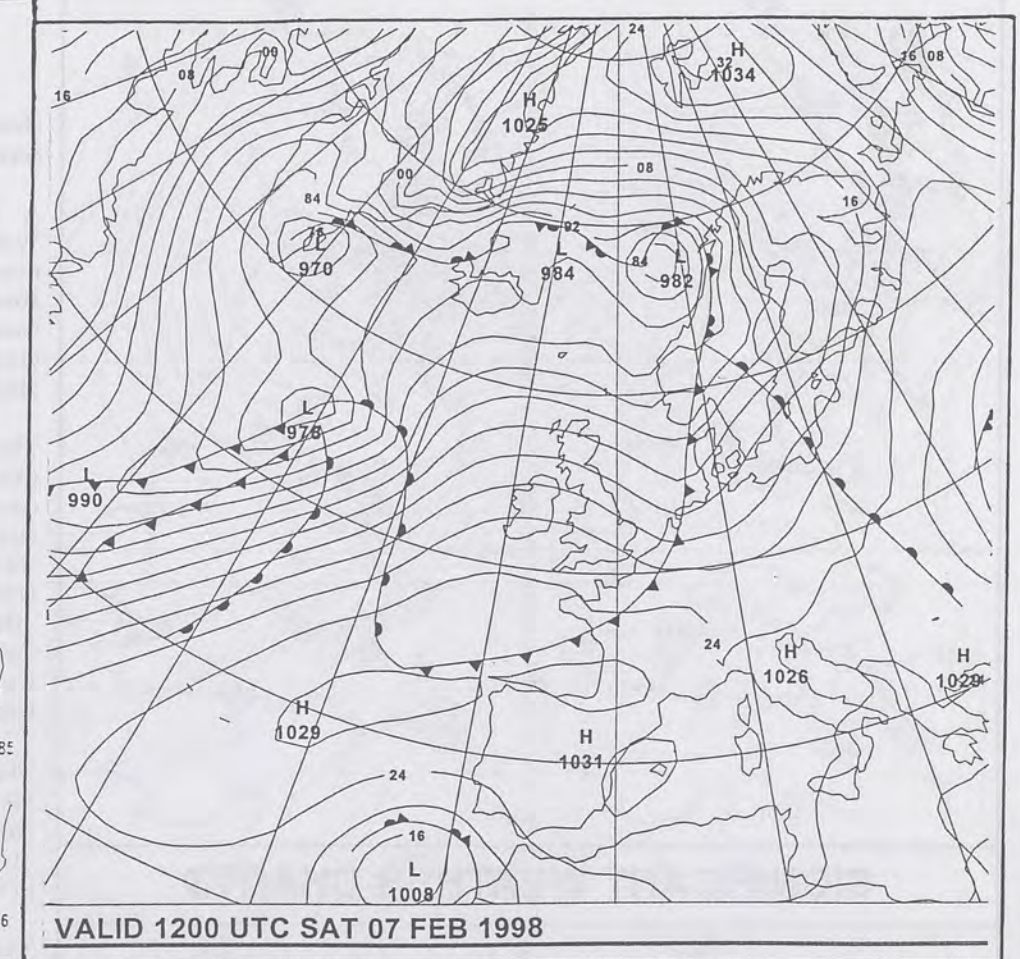
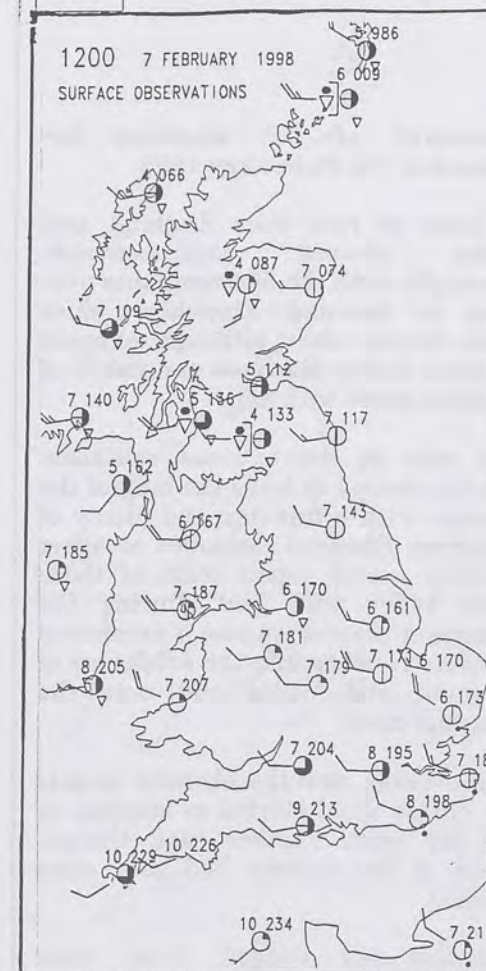
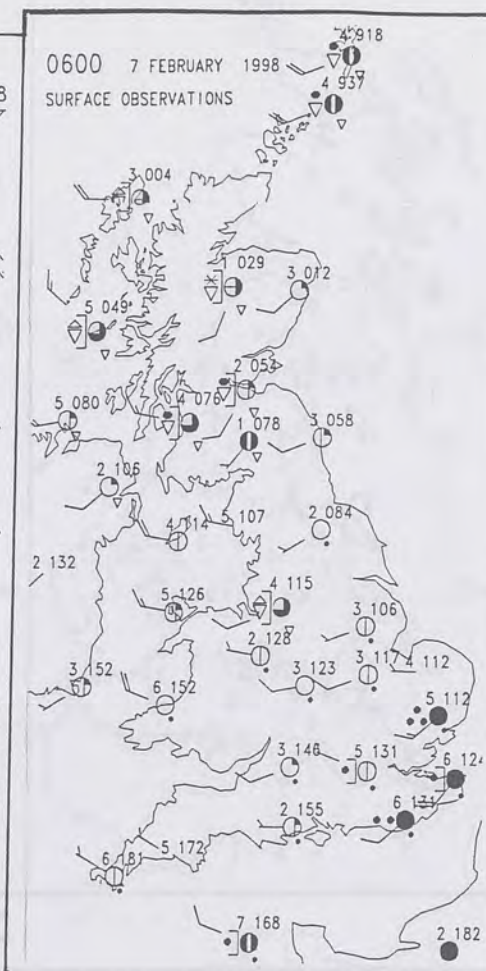
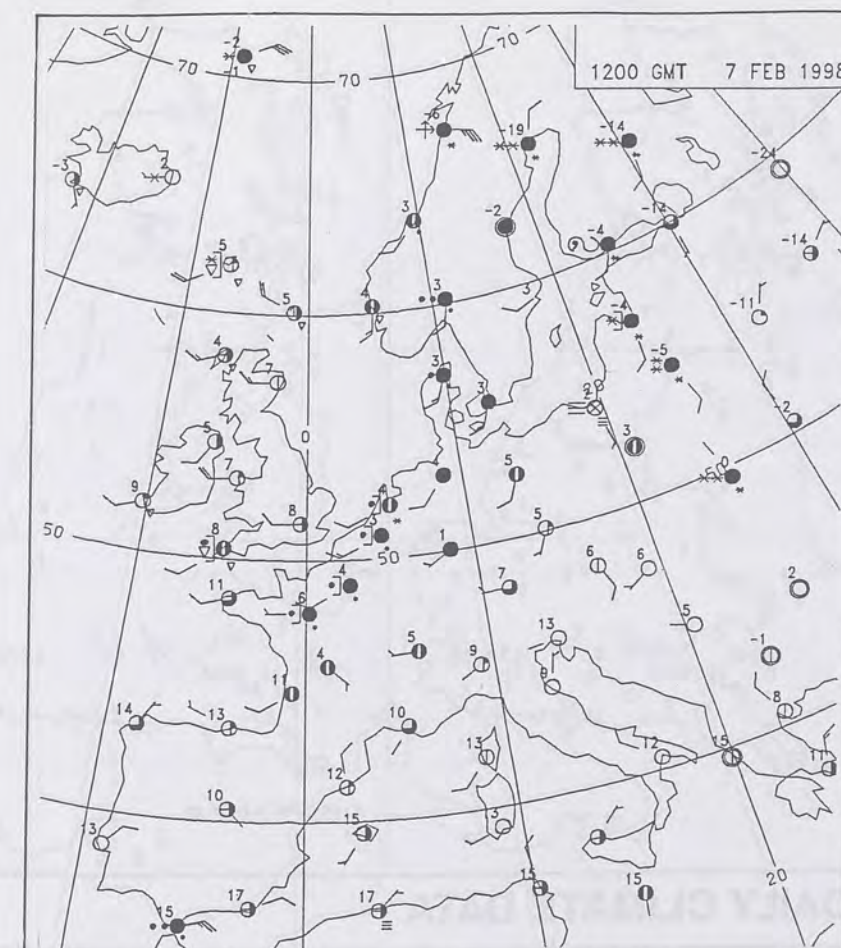
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Summary of UK weather for
Saturday 7th February 1998

A band of rain over England and Wales cleared southeastwards overnight, with the last remnants over Kent by morning. Elsewhere, skies were largely clear although exposed western coasts did have a number of showers, some with hail.

The rain in the extreme southeast quickly cleared to leave the bulk of the country with a fine day and plenty of sunshine. Showers continued to affect western coasts, again some of these were heavy with hail. During the afternoon there were also a number of showers running into the southwest of England and Wales and onto the Channel coast.

The evening saw the showers largely die out as cloud started to increase in the far west. Further east, though, much of the country had good clear periods.

Temperatures ranged from near normal in the north to a little above normal in the south.

EXTREMES

SATURDAY 7th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
12.7C Guernsey / L'Ancrese

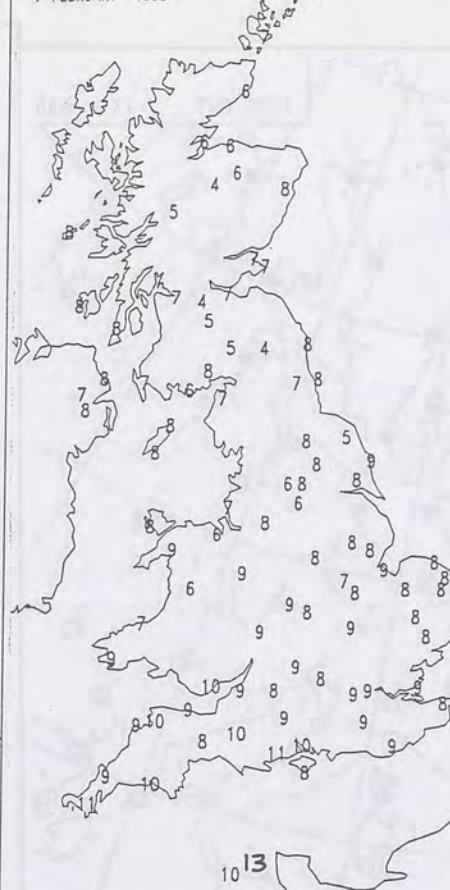
Lowest maximum
4.2C Aviemore
[Highland]

Lowest minimum
-0.7 C Shawbury
[Shropshire]

Lowest grass minimum
-5.1 C Shawbury

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
13.8mm Foula
[Shetland]

Most sun
8.4hrs Sunderland

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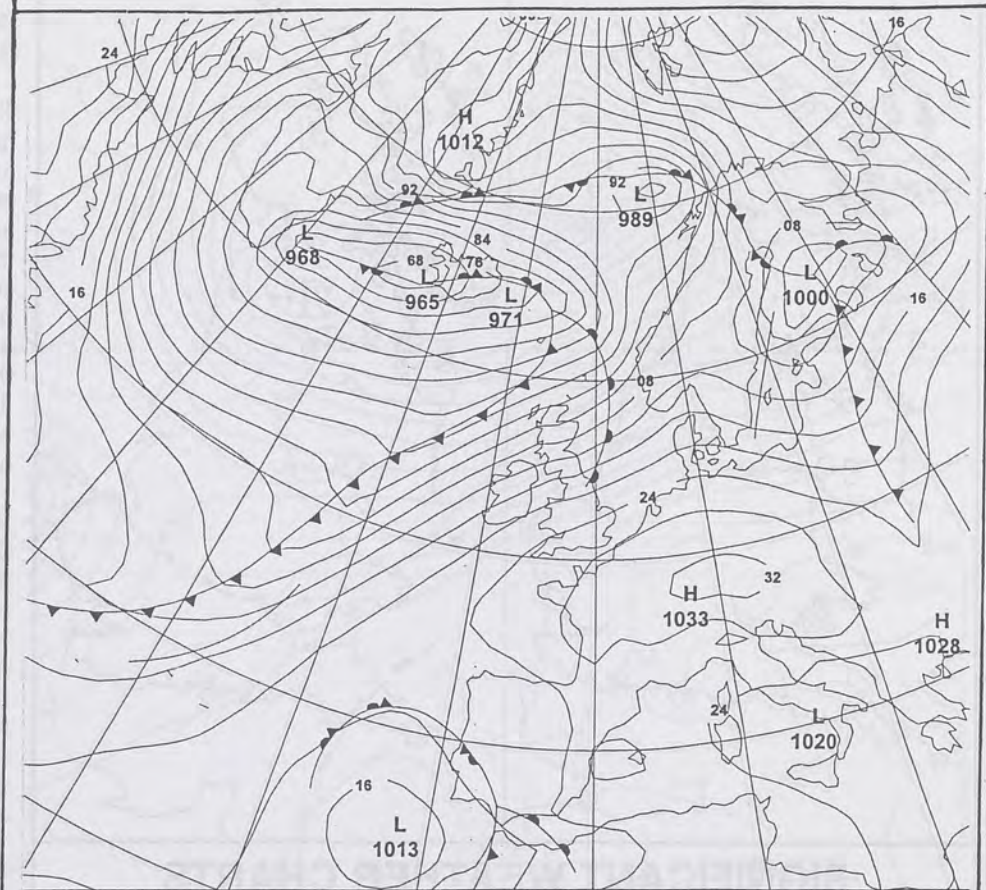
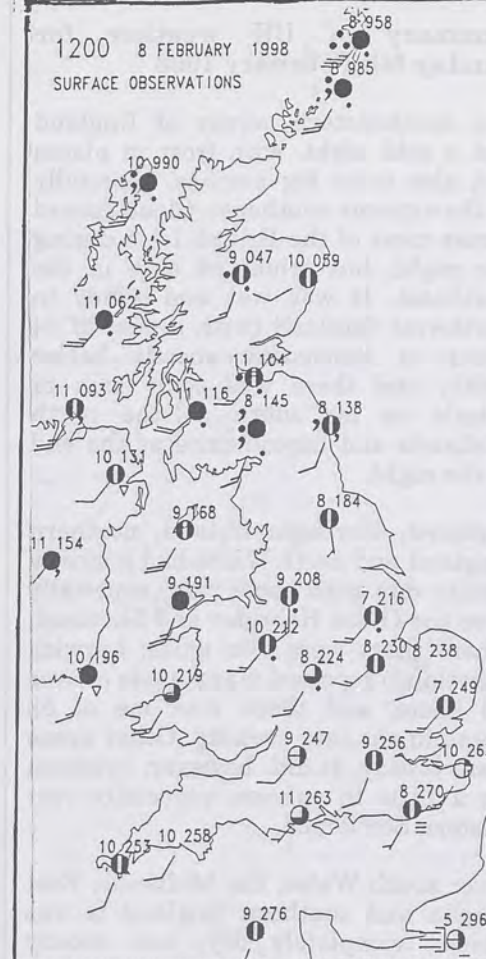
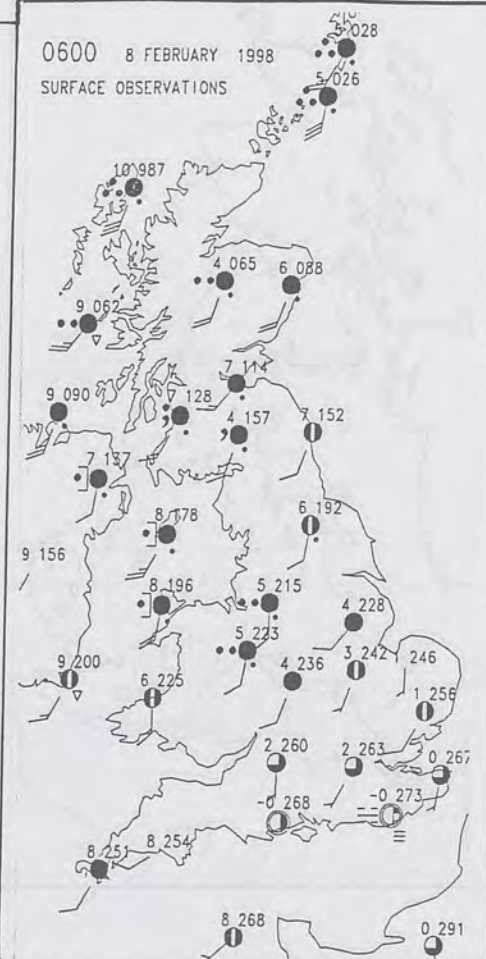
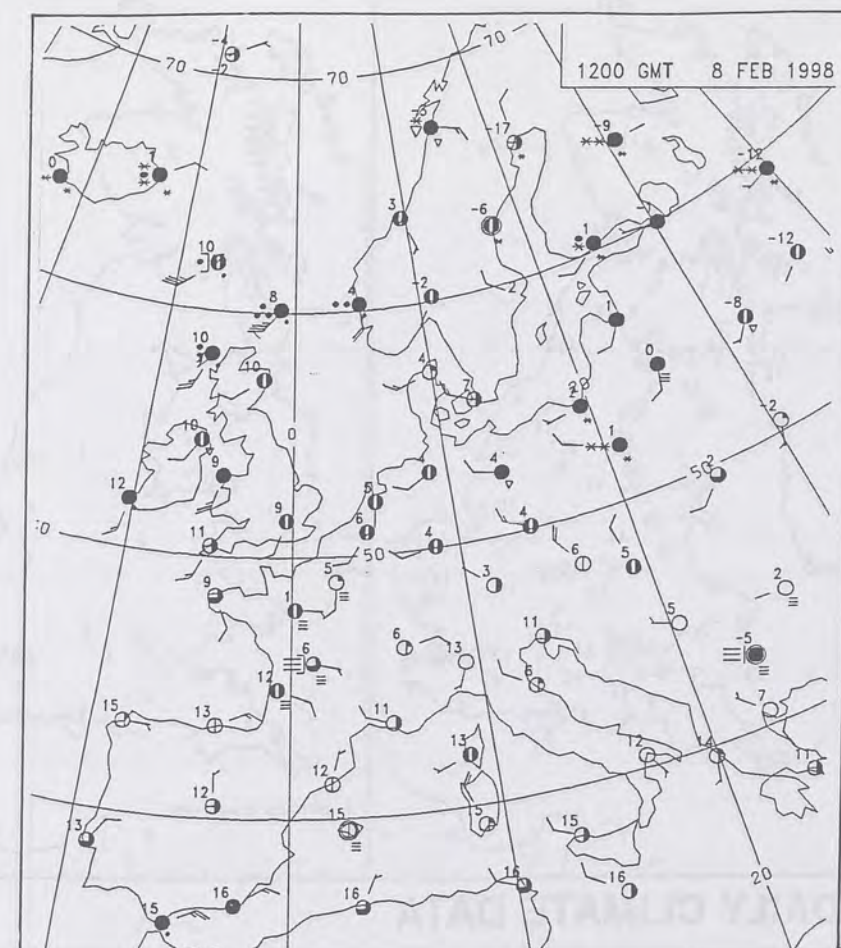
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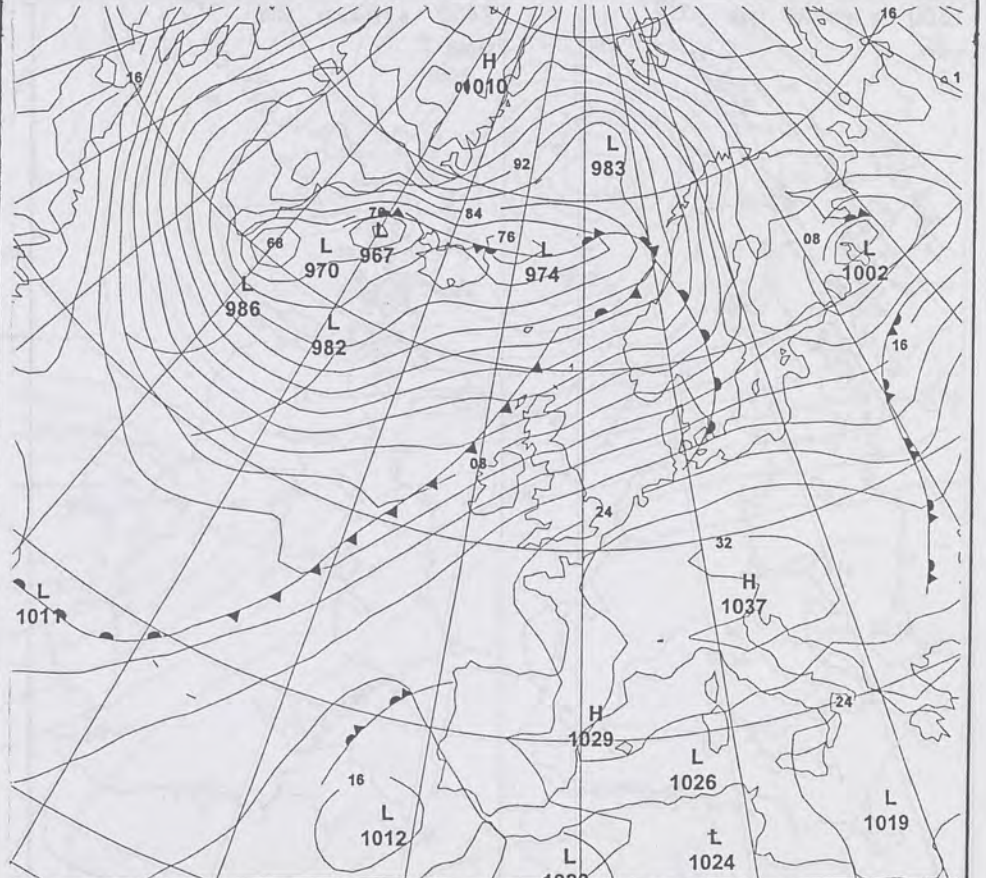
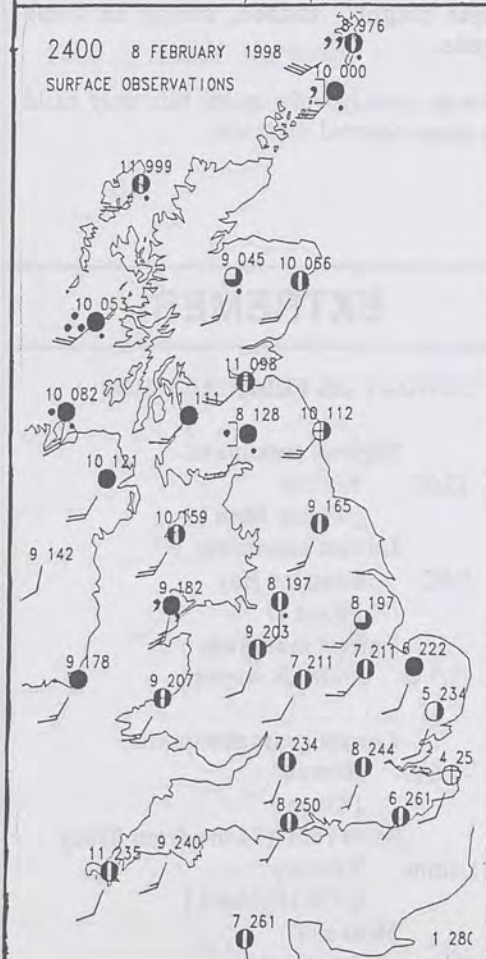
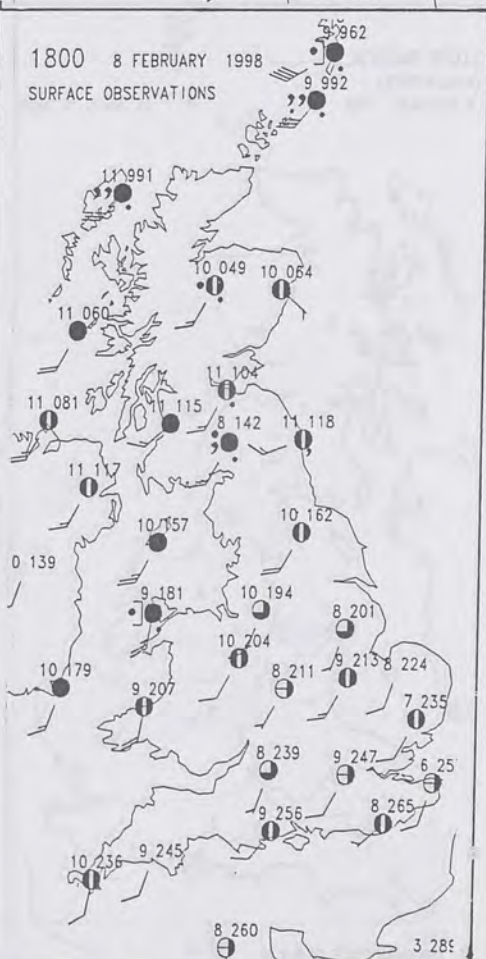
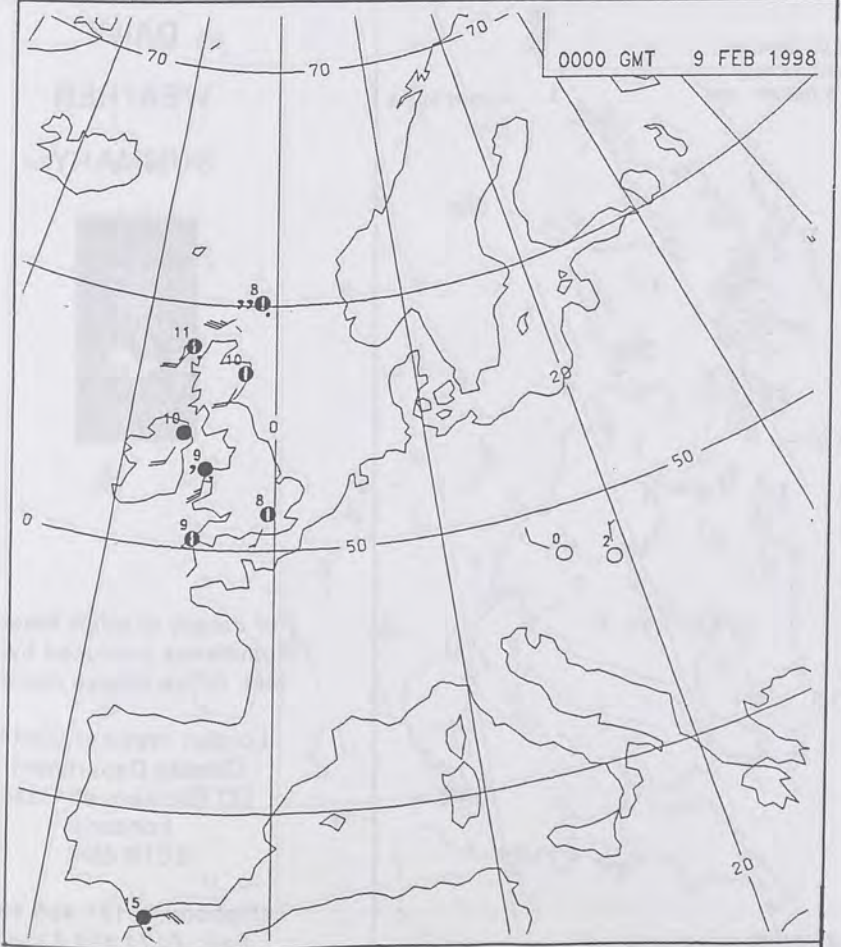
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Summary of UK weather for Sunday 8th February 1998

The southeastern corner of England had a cold night, with frost in places and also some fog patches, especially in the extreme southeast. Cloud spread across most of the British Isles during the night, but remained thin in the southeast. It was wet and windy in northwest Scotland (with a gust of 54 knots at Stornoway shortly before 0500), and there was some rain or drizzle as far south as the north Midlands and Lincolnshire at the end of the night.

Scotland, Northern Ireland, northern England and north Wales had a mostly cloudy day with some rain, especially over the Outer Hebrides and Shetland, where there were also gales; Lerwick (Shetland) reported many gusts of over 50 knots, and there was one of 58 knots in the late evening. Other areas were breezy. It did, however, brighten up a little in places, especially over eastern Scotland.

Over south Wales, the Midlands, East Anglia and southern England it was almost completely dry, and mostly quite bright - indeed, sunny in some areas.

It was mostly very mild, but only mild in some coastal districts.

EXTREMES

SUNDAY 8th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum

13.0C Kinloss
[Moray Firth]

Lowest maximum

7.0C Langdon Bay
[Kent]

Lowest minimum

-3.3 C Gatwick Airport

Lowest grass minimum

-7.6 C Benson
[Oxon]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)

21.5mm Kilmory
[SW Highland]

Most sun

6.6hrs Bognor Regis
[West Sussex]

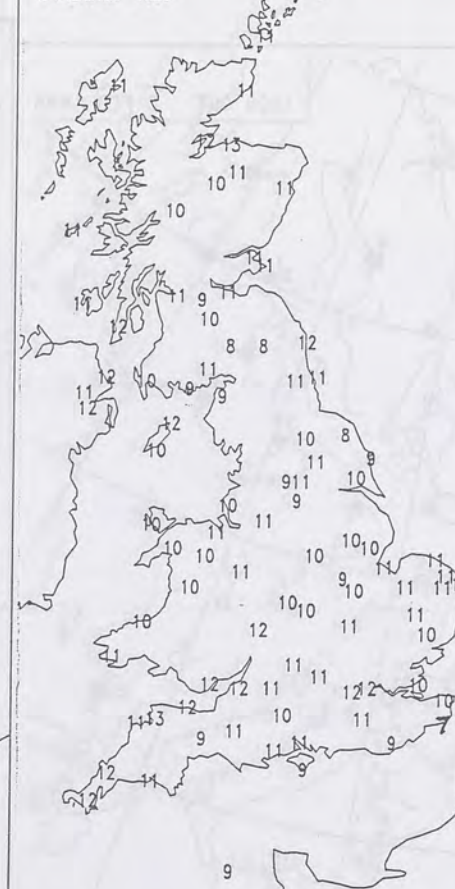
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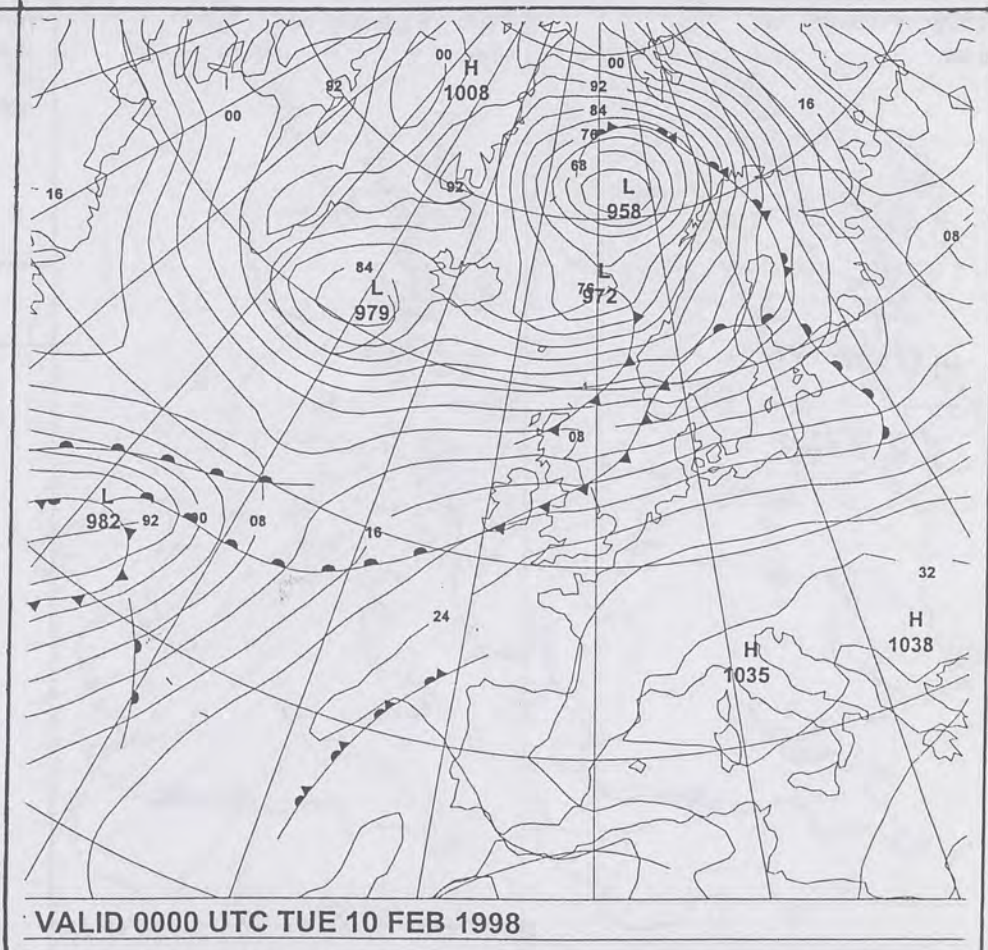
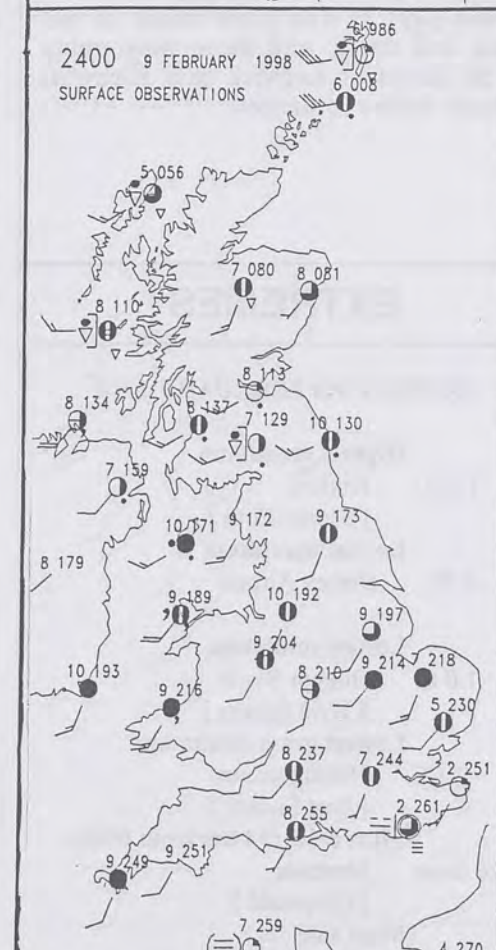
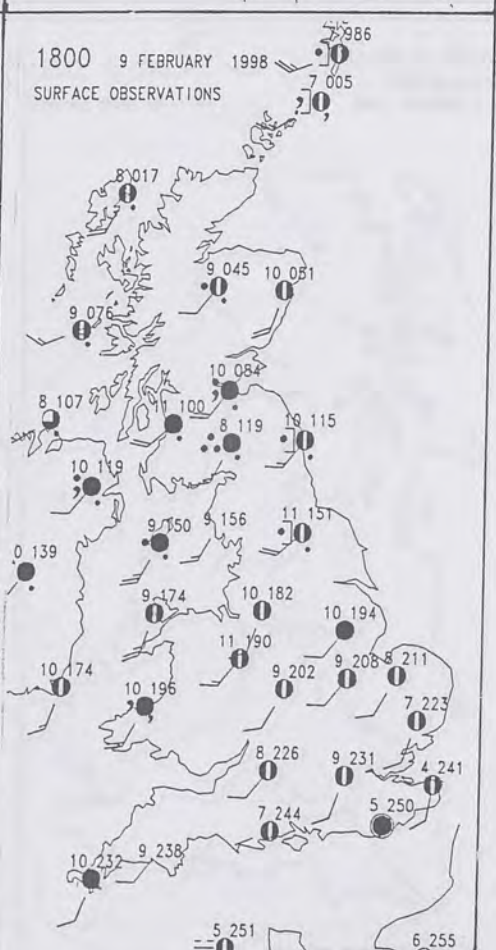
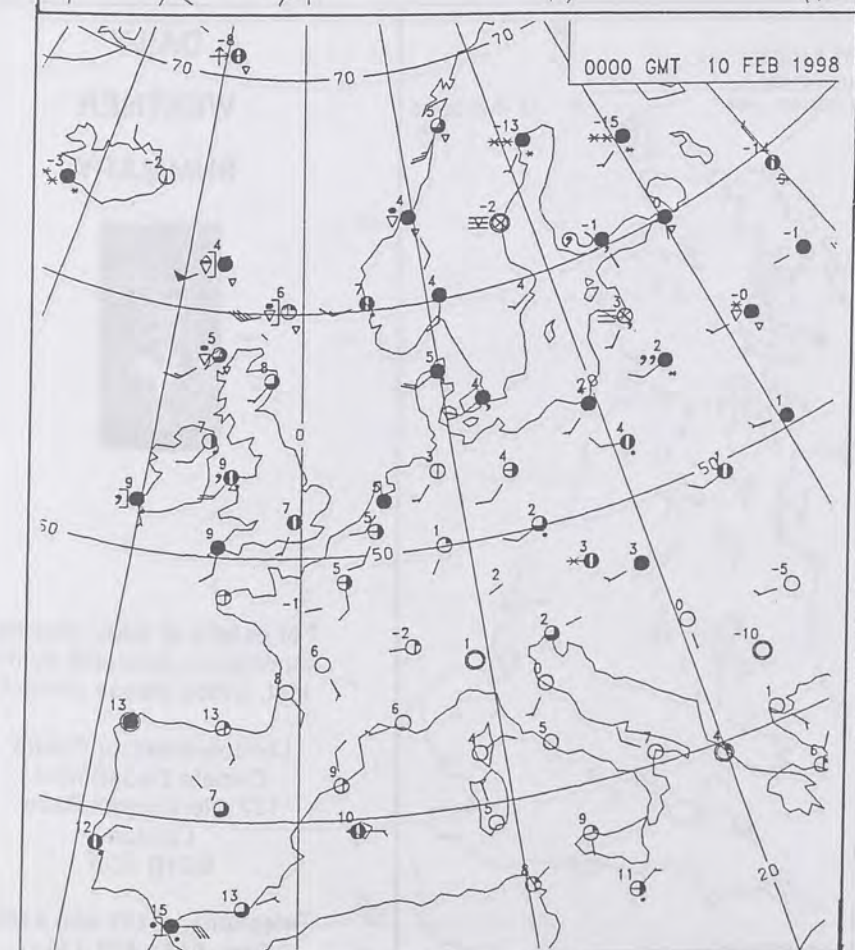
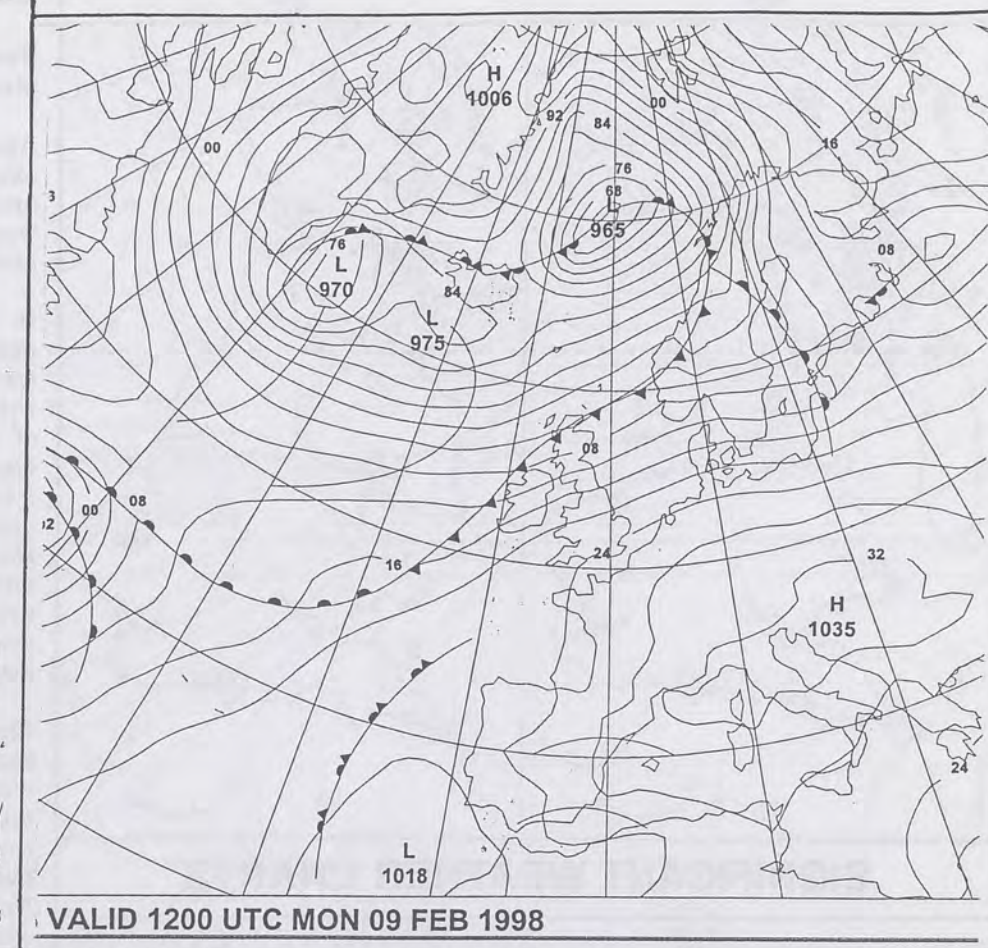
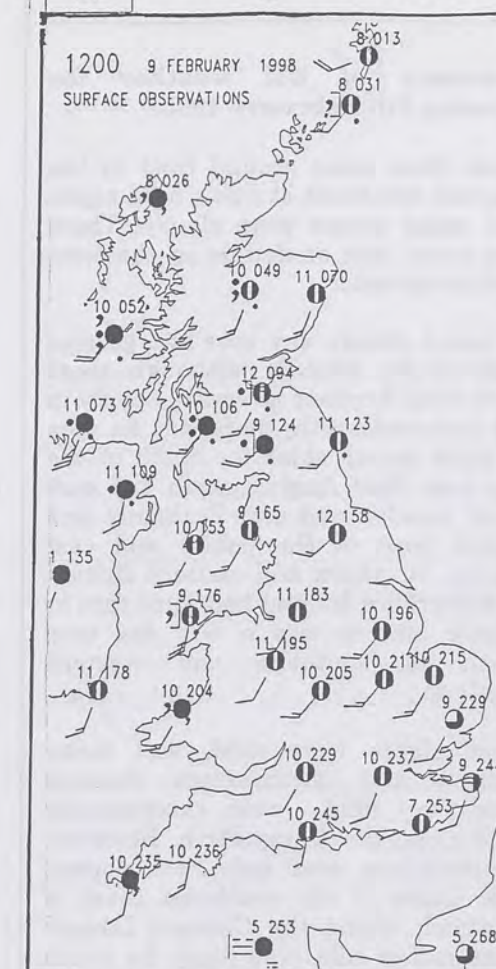
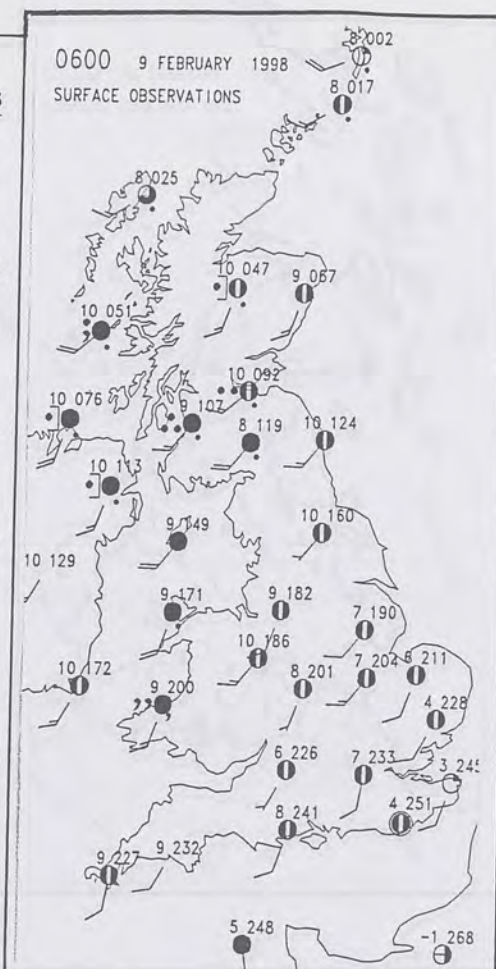
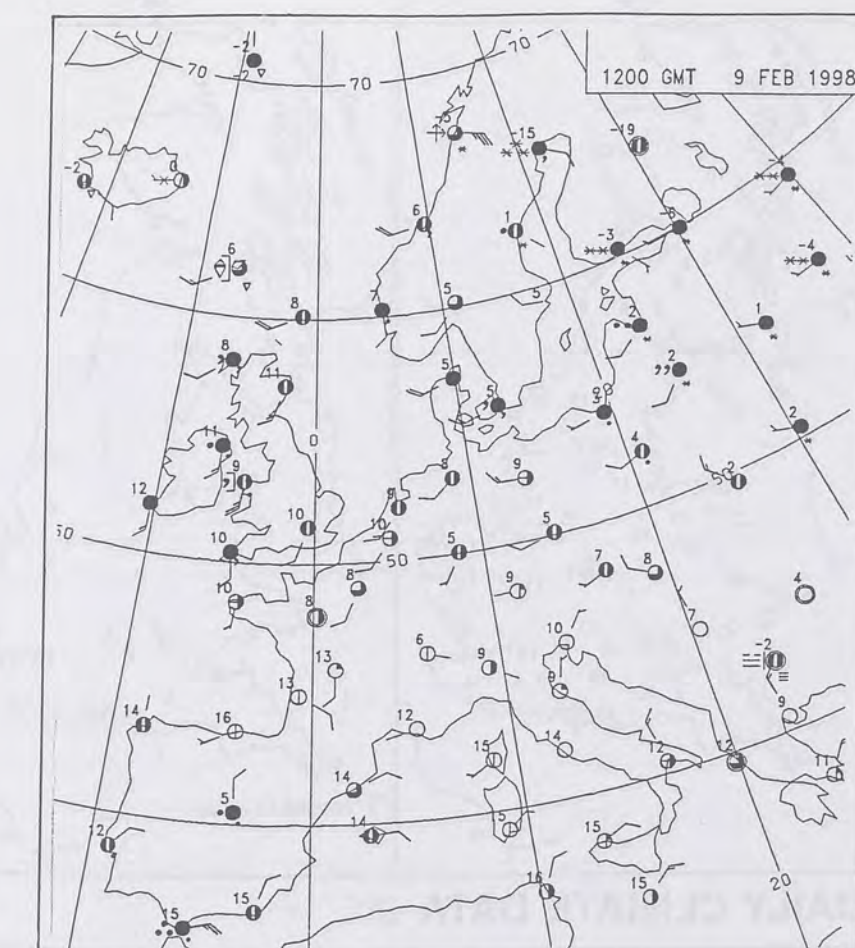
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Summary of UK weather for
Monday 9th February 1998

Apart from some ground frost in the extreme southeast, it was a mild night, and many places were cloudy. There was some rain or drizzle in the west and northwest.

It was a cloudy day over the greater part of the country, although there were some brighter intervals, chiefly in the east and south; there was an area of quite sunny skies for much of the day over East Anglia, north and east Kent, London and east Berkshire and across most of Hampshire and east Dorset. Northern and western Britain and Northern Ireland had some rain or drizzle, and it was a wet day over much of southern and western Scotland.

Most places were mild, and many eastern and northeastern districts were very mild - even exceptionally mild along the Moray Firth. However, temperatures were only near normal near parts of the southeast coast of England, whilst the Channel Islands were rather cold (and foggy for much of the day). It was quite windy in the west and north, and there were gusts of 56 knots at Lerwick and Kirkwall shortly before midnight.

EXTREMES

MONDAY 9th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
14.5C Kinloss
[Moray Firth]

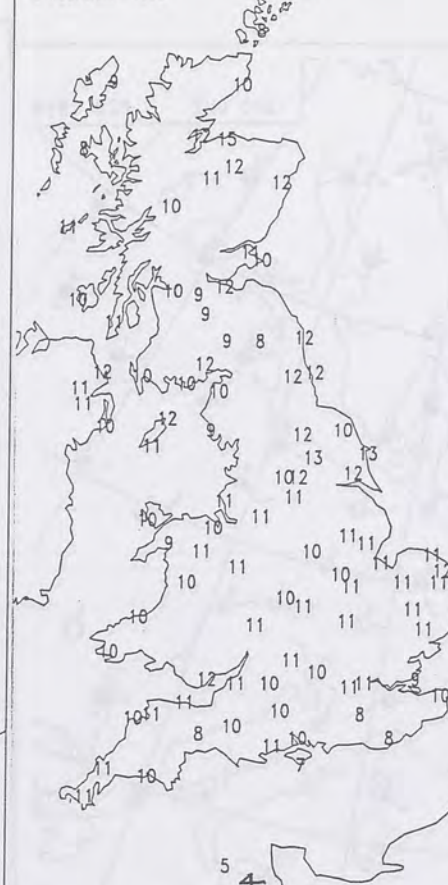
Lowest maximum
4.3C Jersey Airport

Lowest minimum
1.0 C Bognor Regis
[West Sussex]

Lowest grass minimum
-2.1 C Herstmonceux
[East Sussex]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
26.0mm Nantmor
[Gwynedd]

Most sun
6.9hrs Clacton
[Essex]

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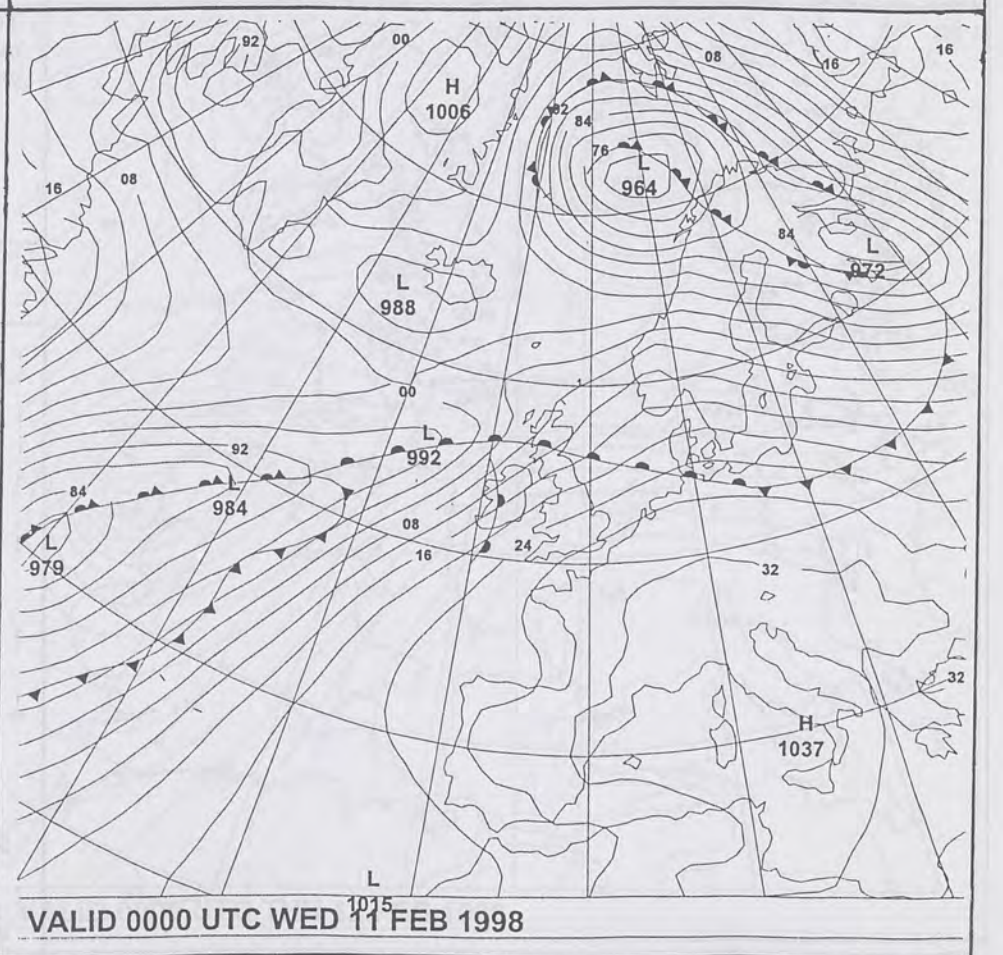
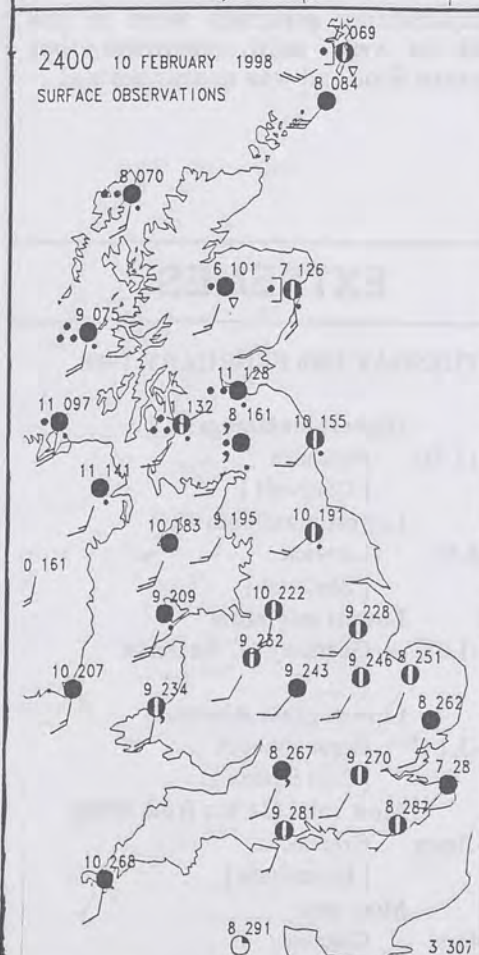
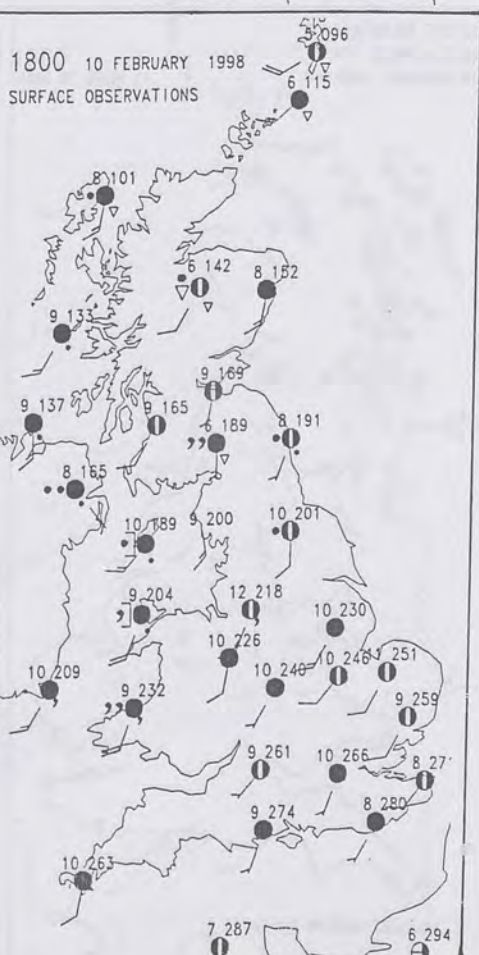
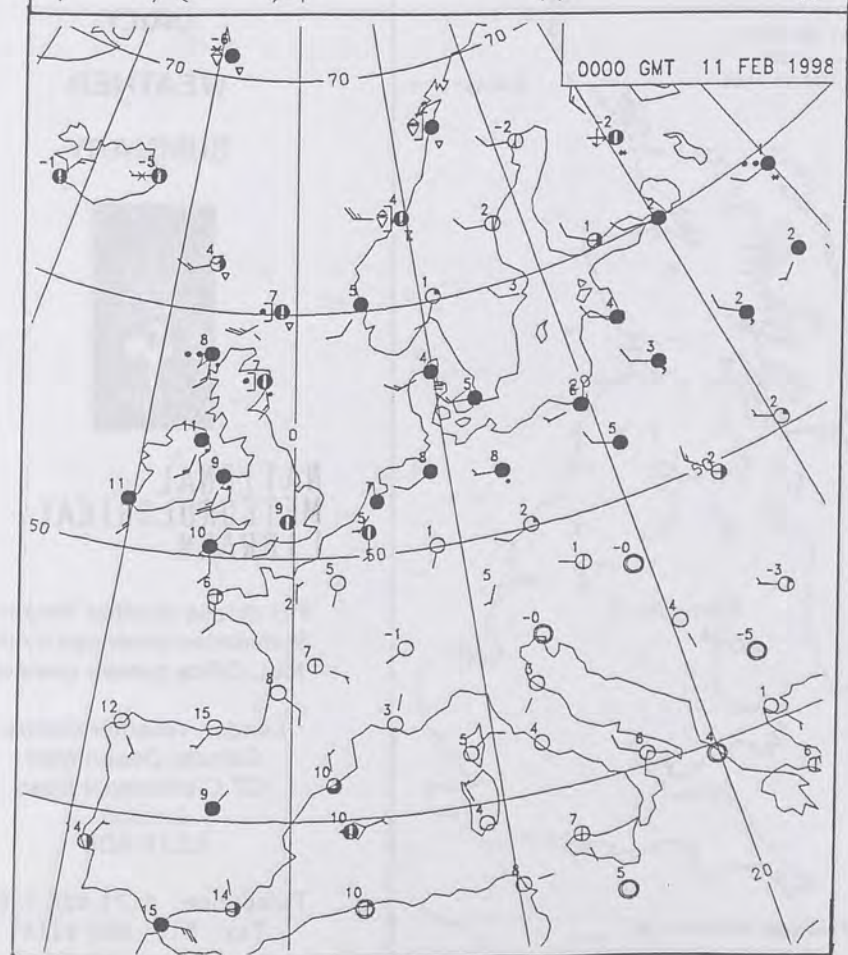
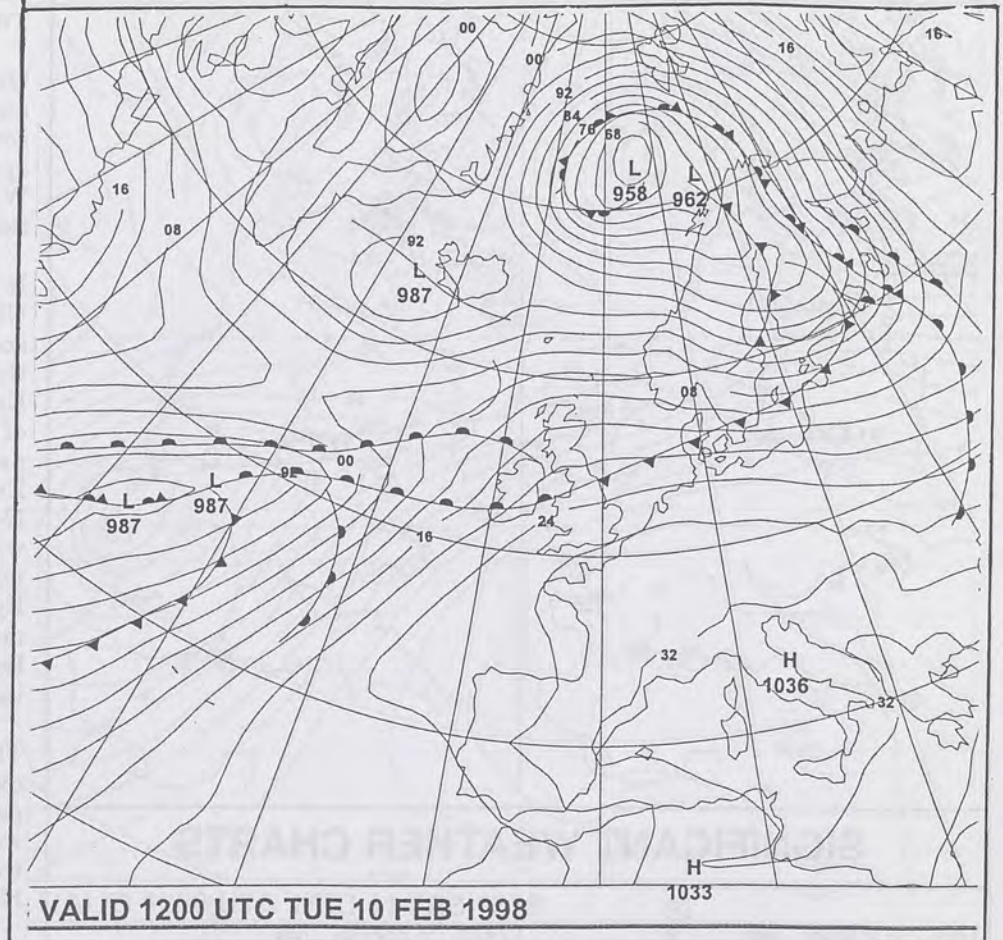
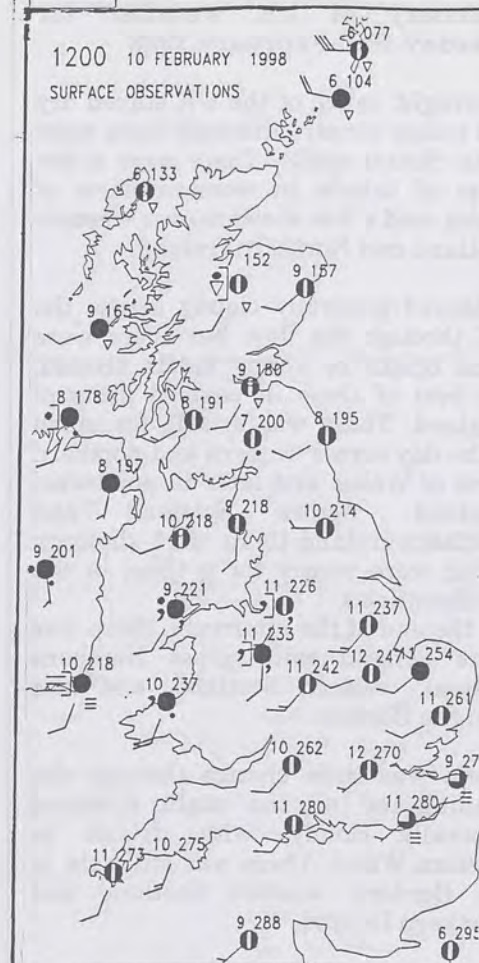
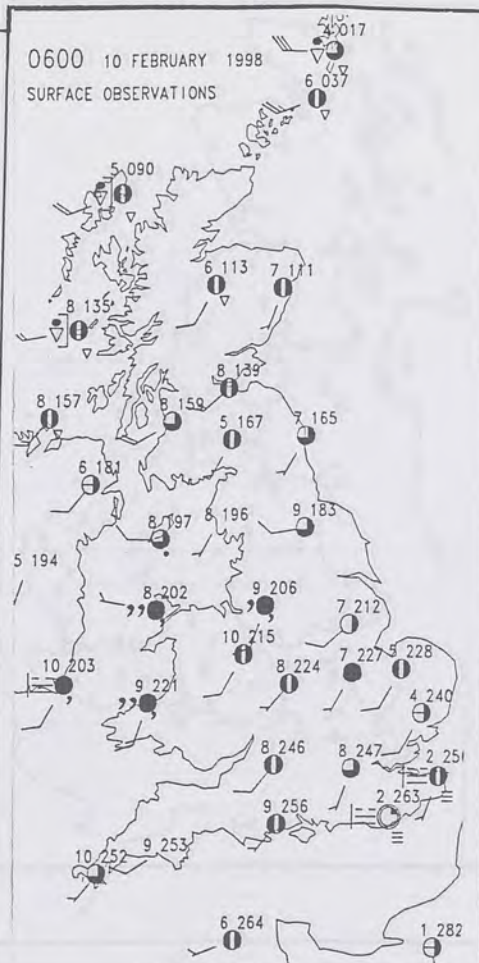
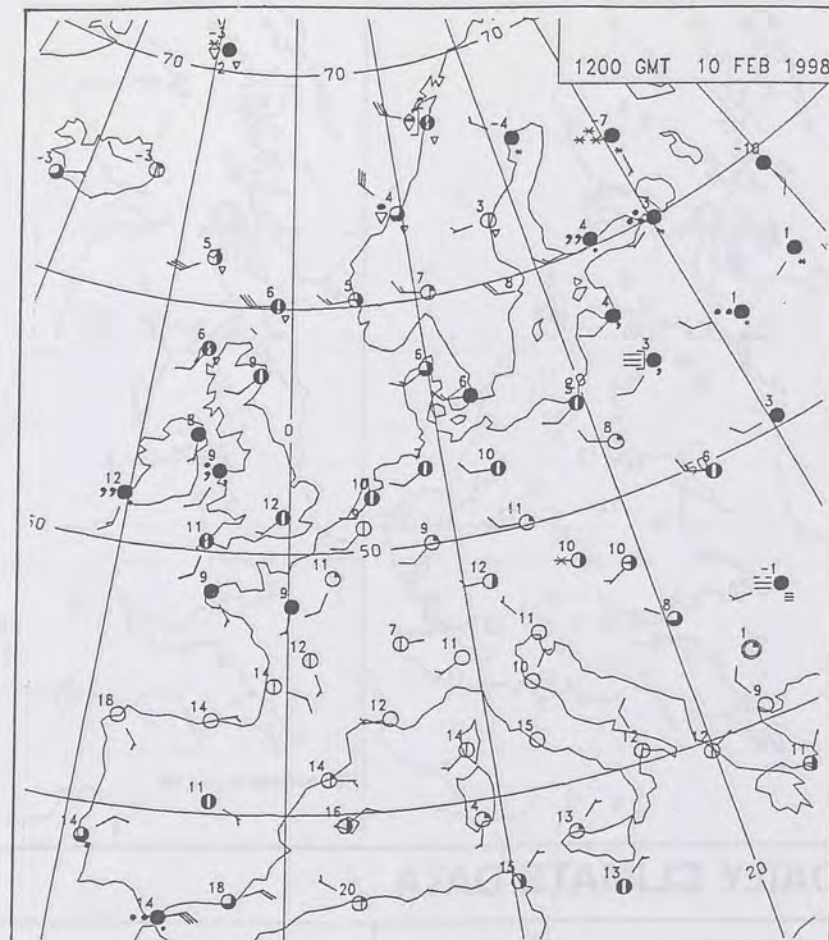
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Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 10th February 1998

Overnight, much of the UK stayed dry and rather cloudy, although there were some clearer spells. There were a few spots of drizzle in western parts of Wales, and a few showers over western Scotland and Northern Ireland.

It stayed generally cloudy across the UK through the day, but there were some bright or sunny spells around, the best of these in eastern parts of England. There was drizzle for much of the day across western and northern parts of Wales, and later in northwest England. Across Scotland and Northern Ireland there were showers, which were wintry for a time, in the northern Isles.

By the end of the afternoon, there was more general rain across Northern Ireland, western Scotland, and also into the Borders.

There was little change through the evening and into the night, it stayed generally cloudy, with drizzle in western Wales. There was still rain in the Borders, western Scotland and Northern Ireland.

Temperatures generally were in the mild to very mild categories, but western Scotland was nearer normal.

EXTREMES

TUESDAY 10th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum

13.7C Penzance
[Cornwall]

Lowest maximum

6.3C Lerwick
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum

-1.0 C Guernsey / L'Ancrese

Lowest grass minimum

-3.1 C Herstmonceux
[East Sussex]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)

54.3mm Greenock
[Inverclyde]

Most sun

5.4hrs Clacton
[Essex]

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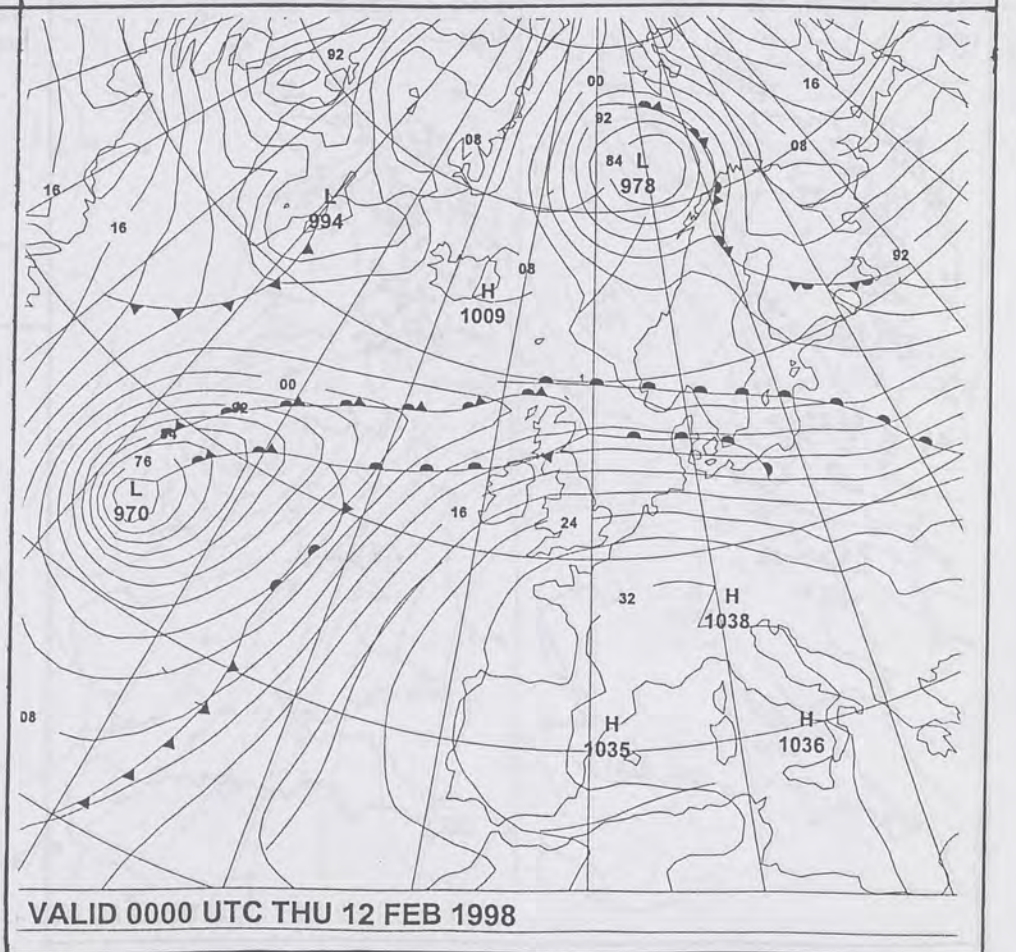
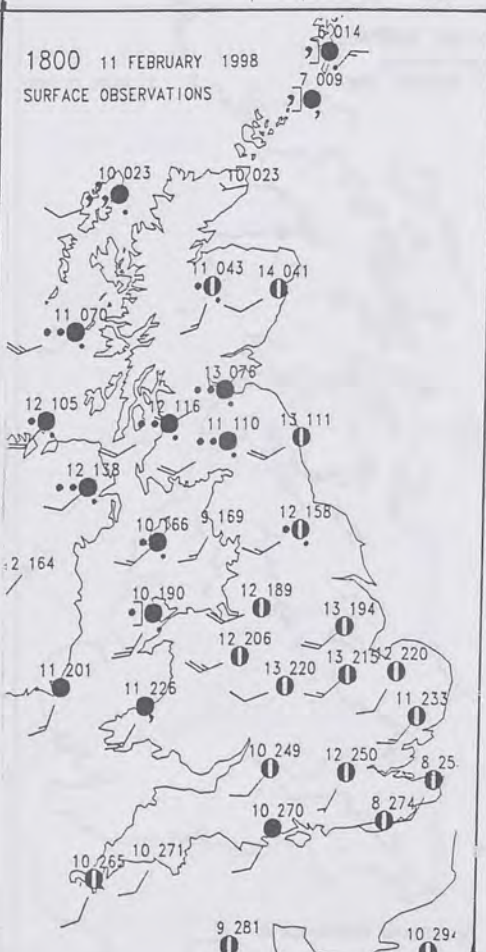
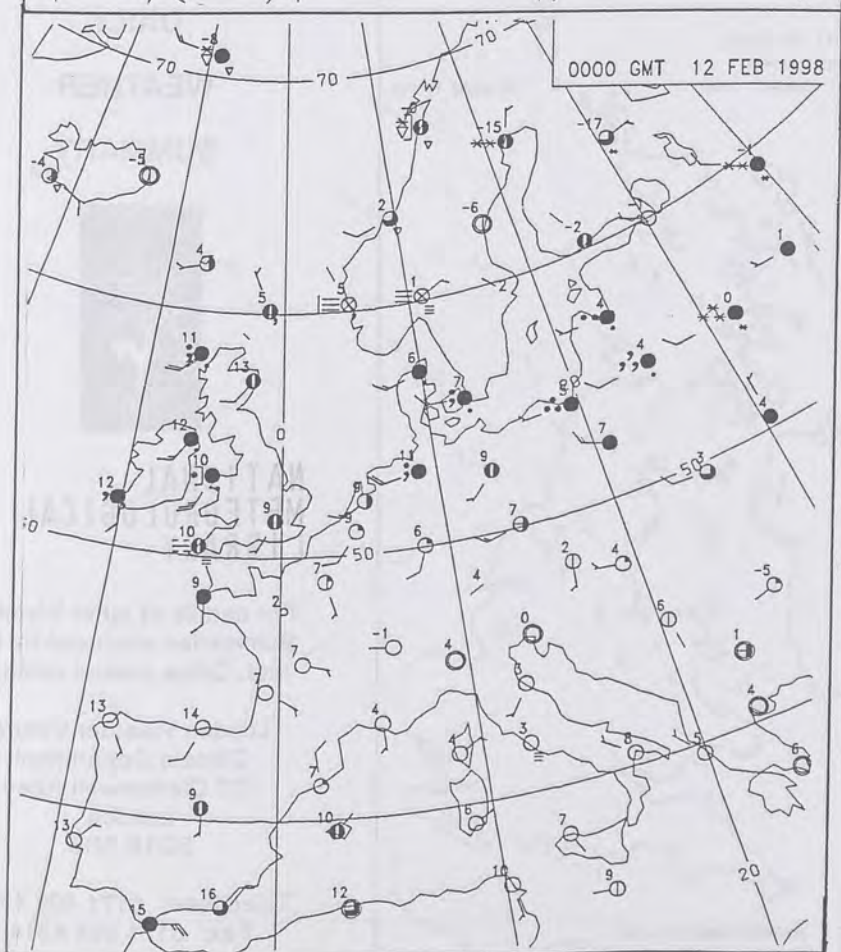
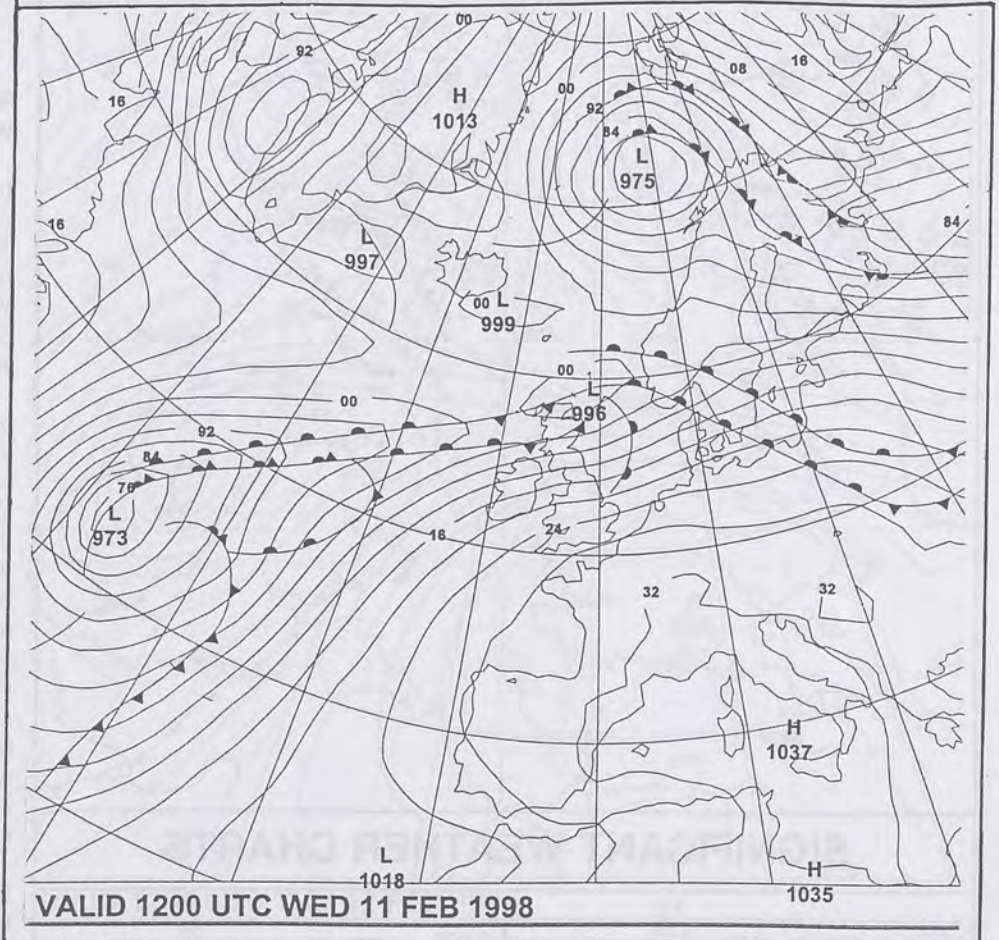
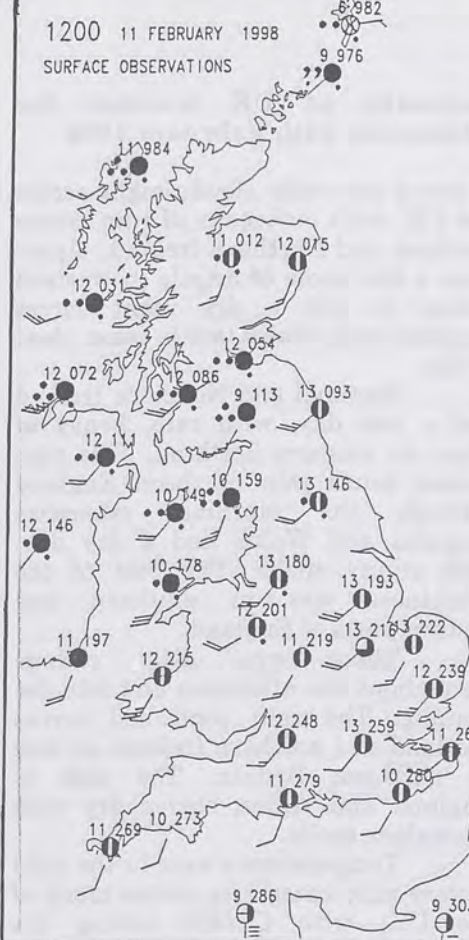
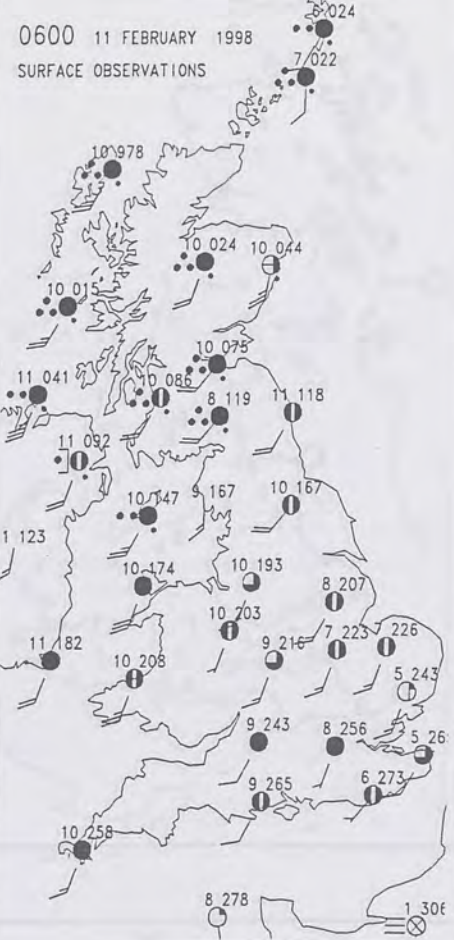
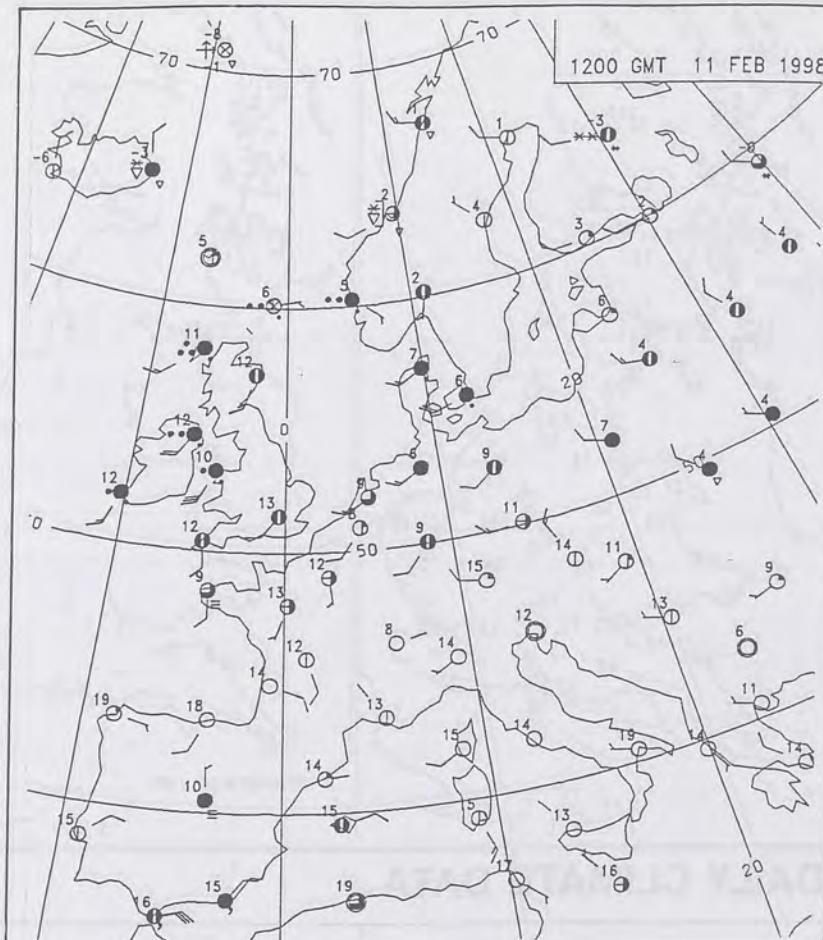
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Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 11th February 1998

It was a generally cloudy night across the UK, with outbreaks of rain across Scotland and Northern Ireland. Apart from a few spots of drizzle in western Wales, it was a dry night across England and Wales, with some clear spells.

Scotland and Northern Ireland had a wet day, with rain, heavy at times in western Scotland. This rain spread south into northern England through the morning, otherwise England and Wales had a dry day, with sunny spells. The best of the brightness was in southern and eastern parts of England.

There was little change throughout the afternoon and into the evening. The rain continued across Scotland and northern Ireland, as well as northern Britain. The rest of England and Wales, stayed dry with some clear spells.

Temperatures were in the mild to very mild categories across much of the UK, with Cardiff having it's warmest February day, since records began.

EXTREMES

WEDNESDAY 11th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
16.1C Aberdeen
[Dyce / Airport]

Lowest maximum
6.7C Lerwick
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum
4.8 C Loch Glascarnoch &
Manston / Kent

Lowest grass minimum
-0.5 C Jersey / Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
45.0mm Kilmory
[SW Highland]

Most sun
6.5hrs Guernsey / Airport

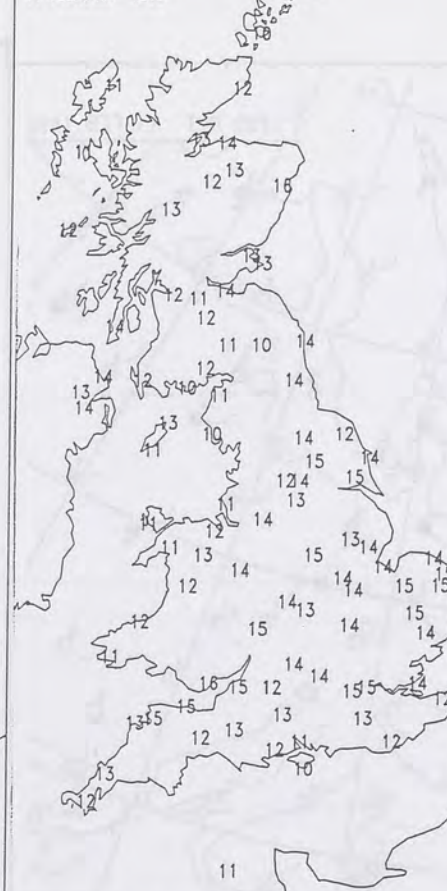
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DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
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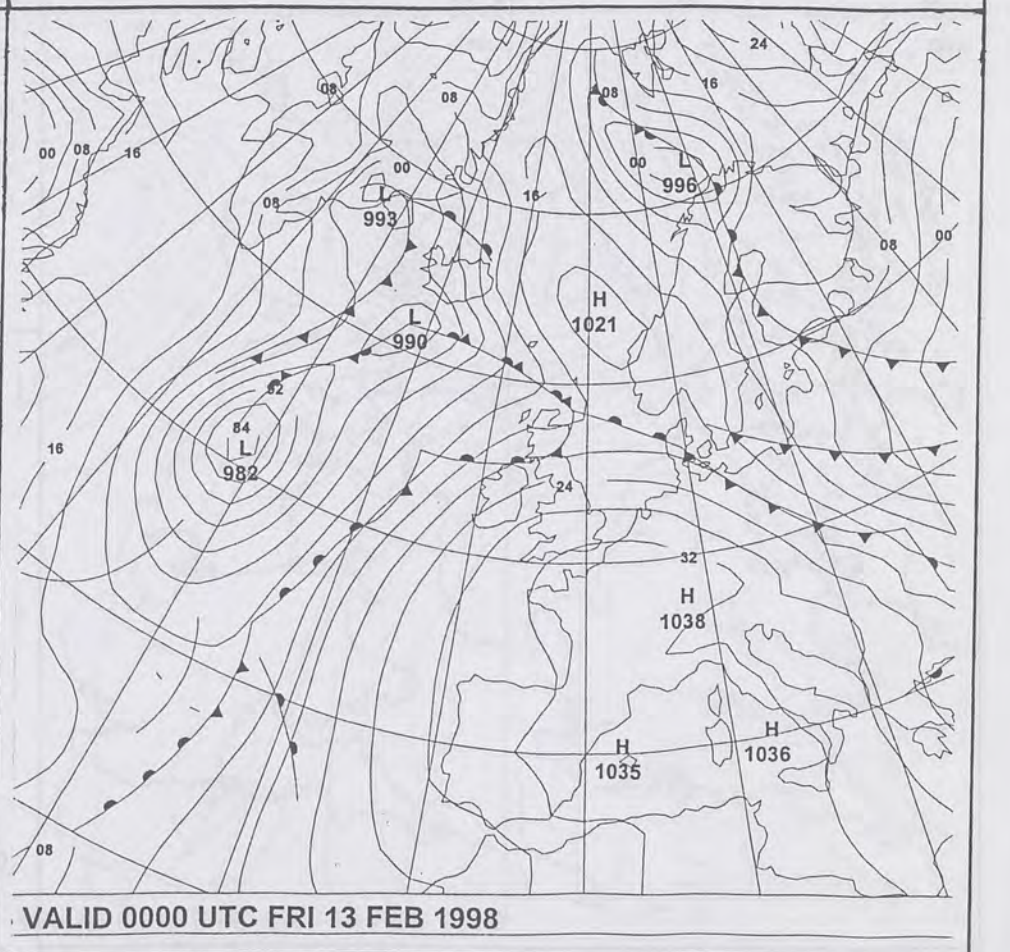
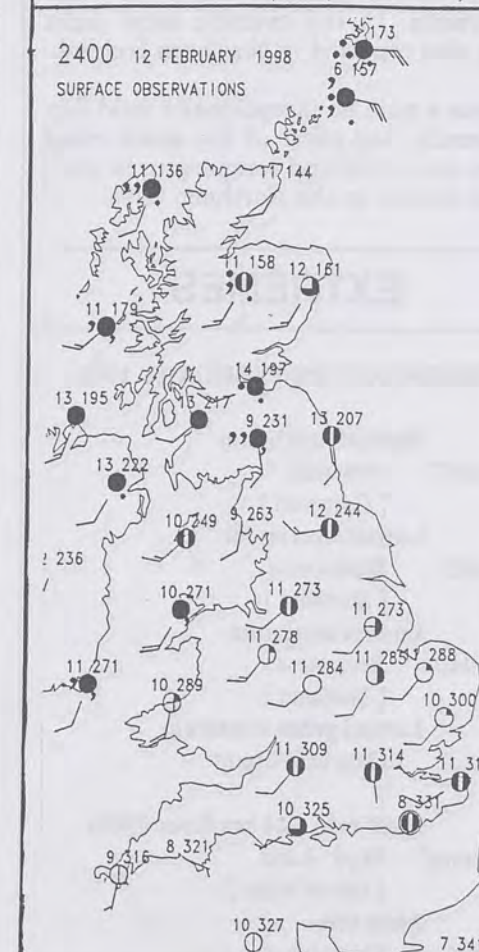
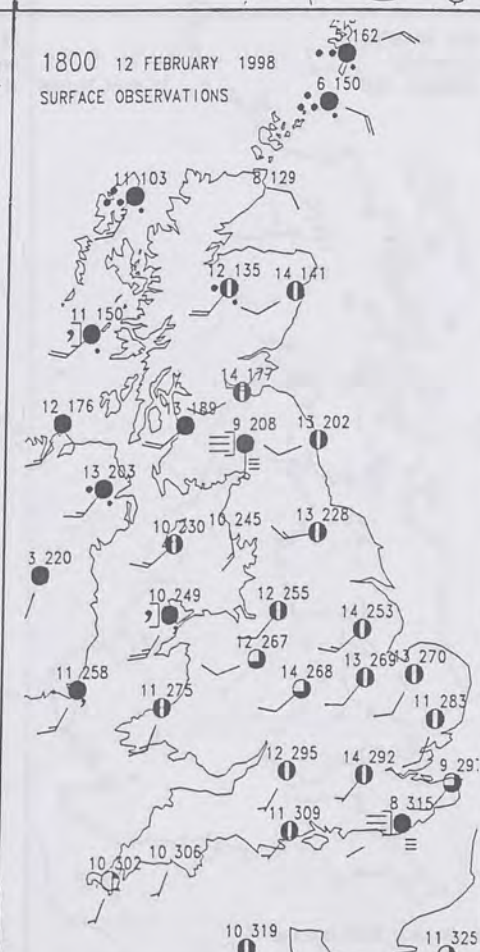
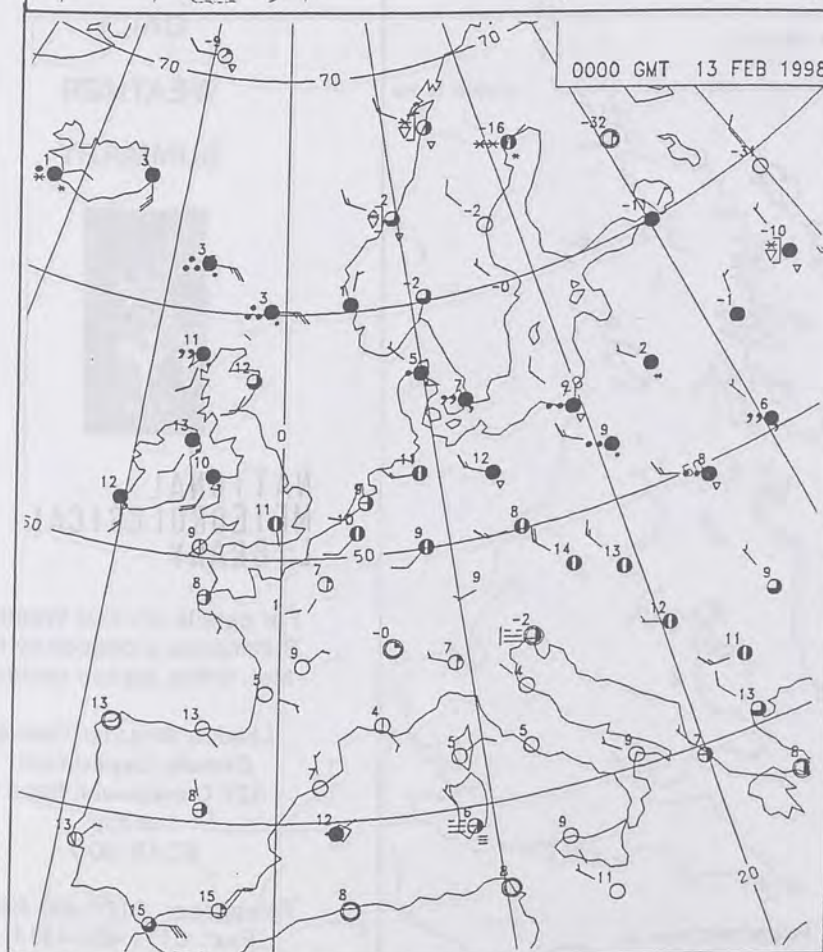
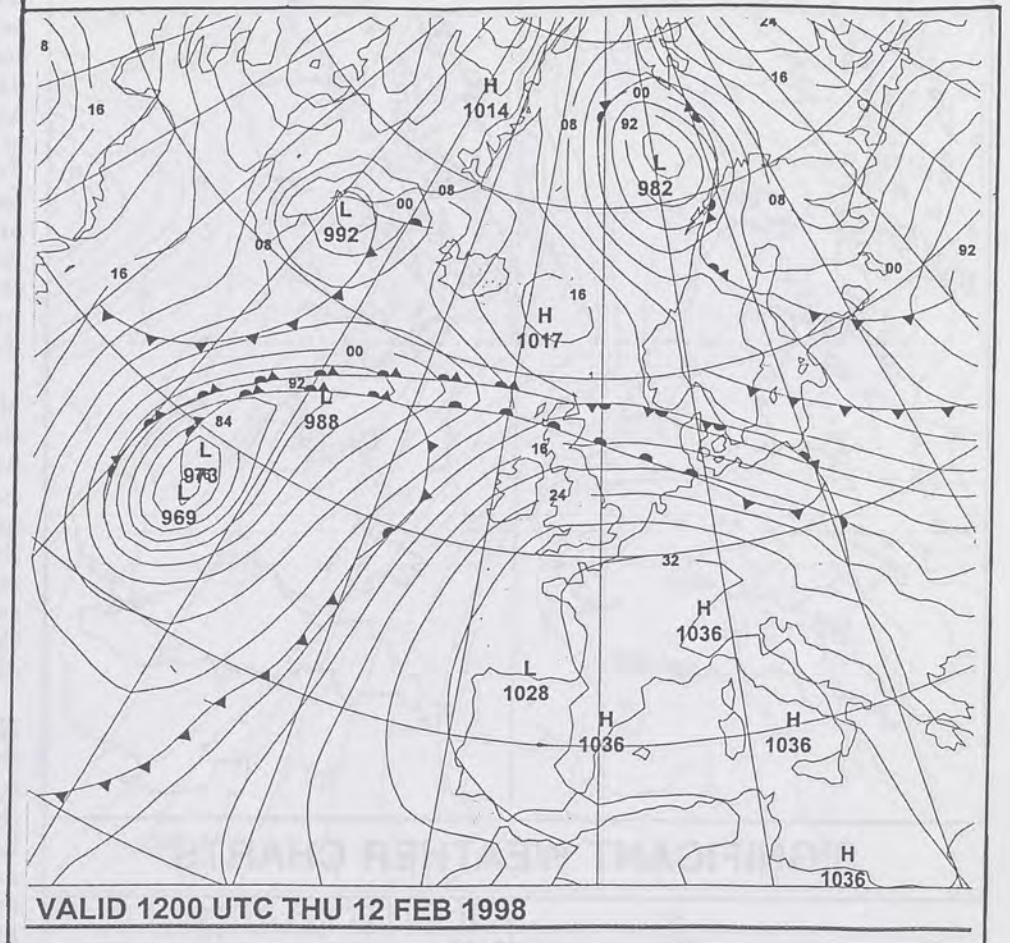
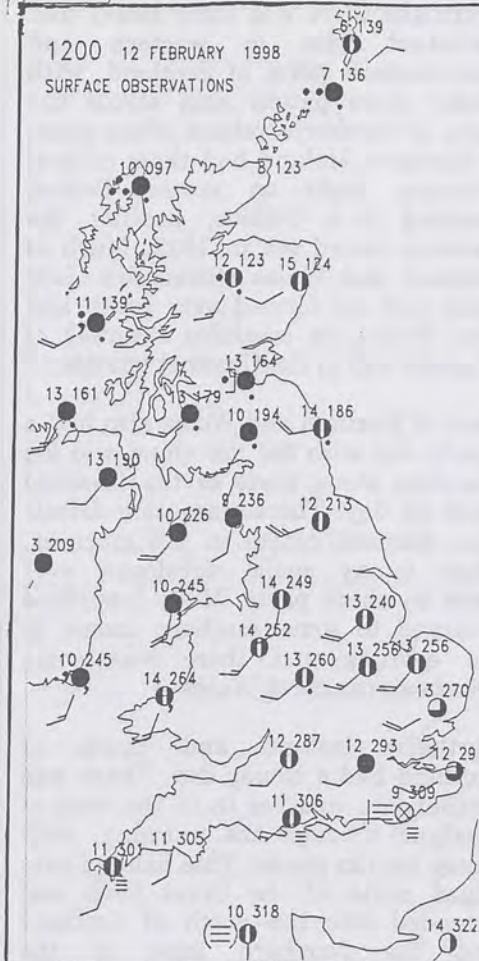
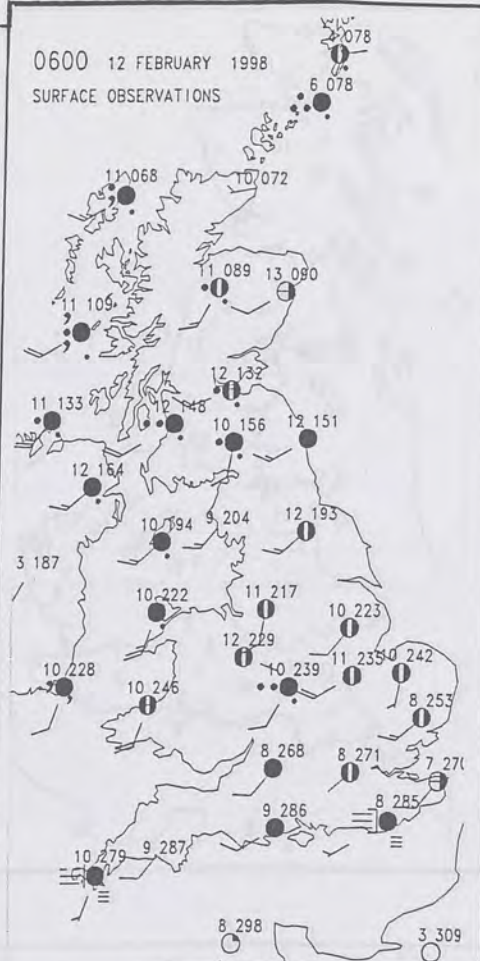
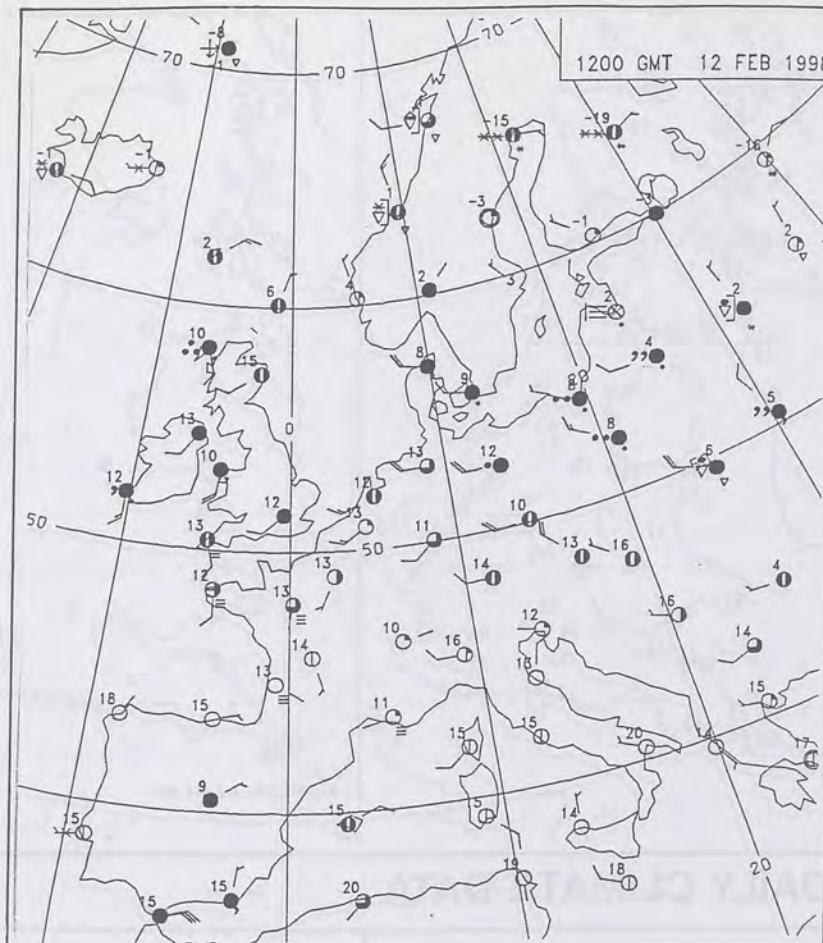
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Summary of UK weather for Thursday 12th February 1998

Overnight there was some heavy and persistent rain in western and southwestern parts of Scotland, with lighter more patchy rain across the north of Northern Ireland. Many parts of Northern Ireland had their mildest February night on record. Belfast recorded 11.4 Celsius, beating the previous record set in 1932. Much of England and Wales stayed dry. Low cloud and fog formed over south and west Wales, in southern counties of England and in the Channel Islands..

Most of England and Wales also had a cloudy day with the low cloud and fog lingering along parts of the Channel coast all day. There was some drizzle near western coasts in the morning. Some sunny spells developed over more southern parts. Misty low cloud returned to some southern coasts in the evening and there was some drizzle across north Wales.

Northern Ireland and much of Scotland had a cloudy day. There was further wet weather in the west of Scotland through the morning, with heavy rain in places. This band of rain edged north of the Great Glen and extended into the north of Scotland and the Northern Isles in the afternoon. In the evening some light rain was reported in Northern Ireland.

It was a mild or exceptionally mild day generally, but parts of the south coast were only mild and temperatures were near normal in the Northern Isles.

EXTREMES

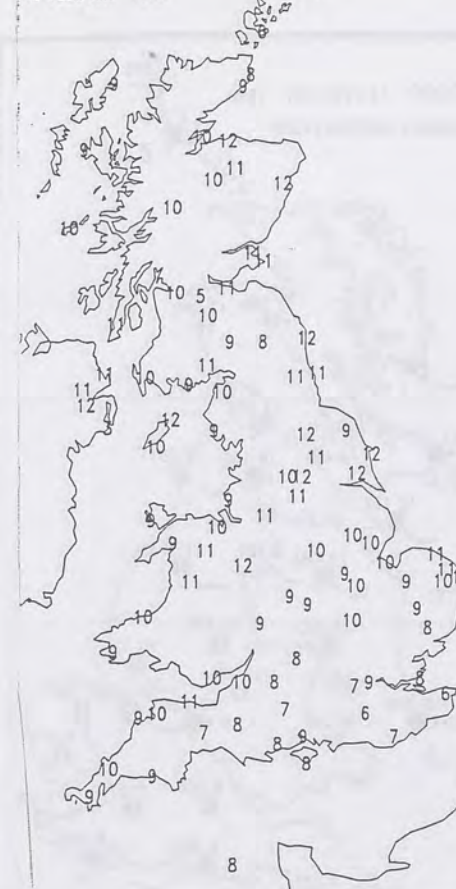
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Highest maximum	
16.6C	Newquay [Cornwall]
Lowest maximum	
6.0C	Baltasound [Shetland]
Lowest minimum	
3.9 C	Sella Ness [Shetland]
Lowest grass minimum	
1.2 C	Gatwick Airport
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
66.2mm	Skye / Lusa [Isle of Skye]
Most sun	
5.5hrs	Falmouth [Cornwall]

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NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
12 FEBRUARY 1998



DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
12 FEBRUARY 1998



SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
12 FEBRUARY 1998



DAILY CLIMATE DATA

NIGHT RAINFALL
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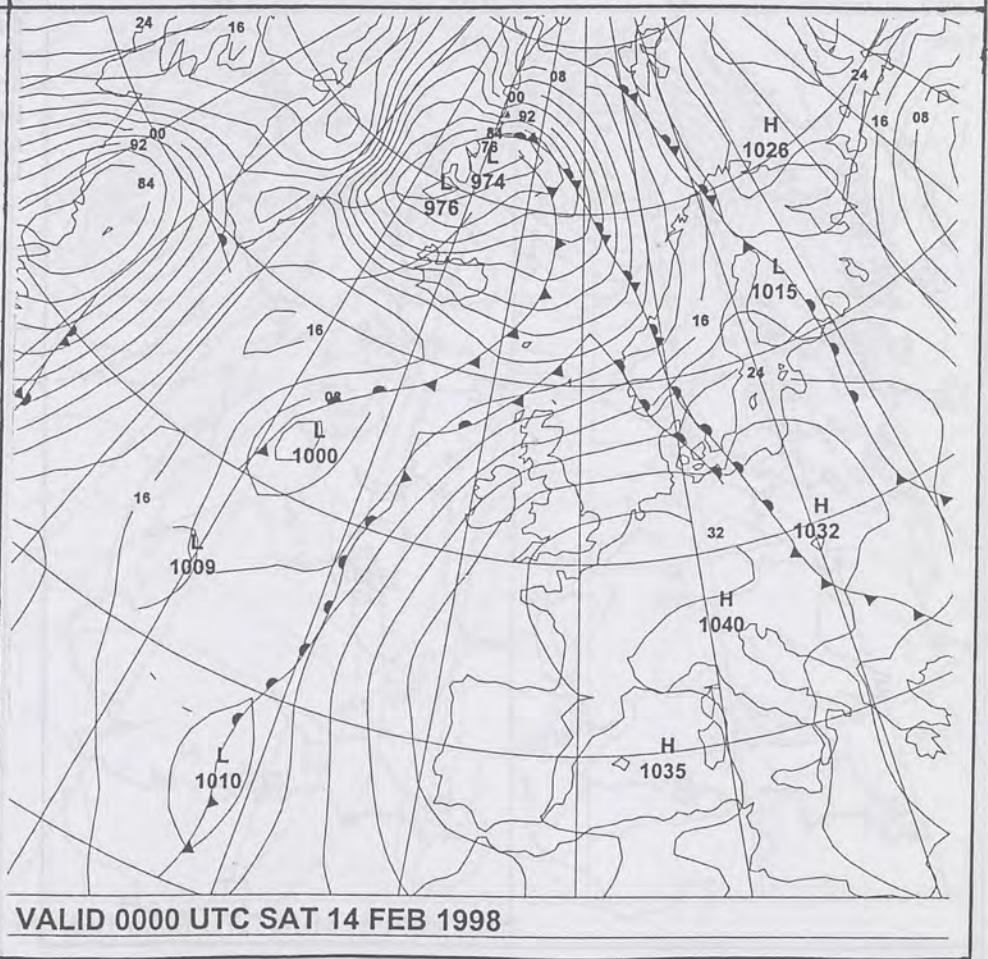
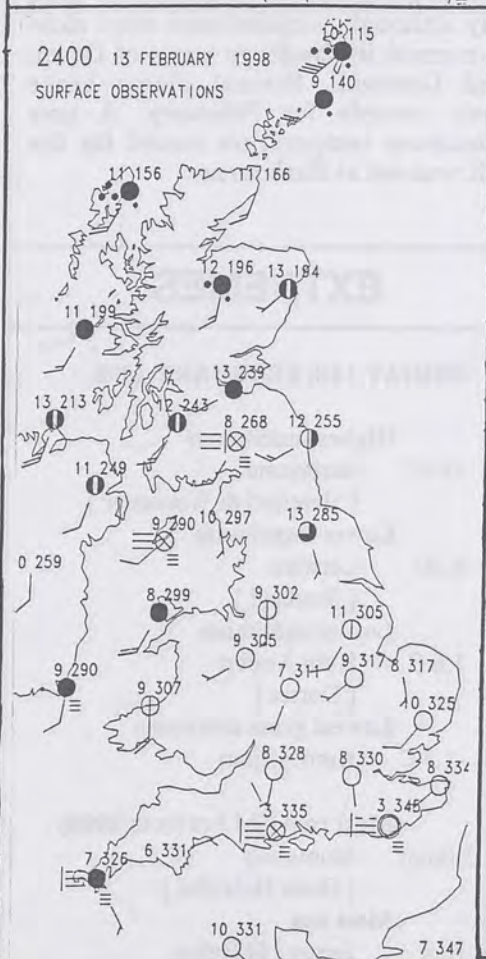
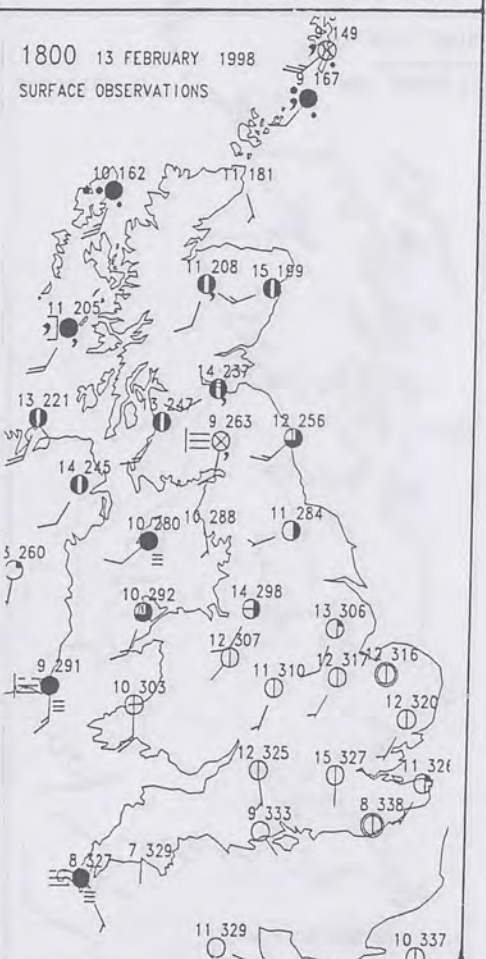
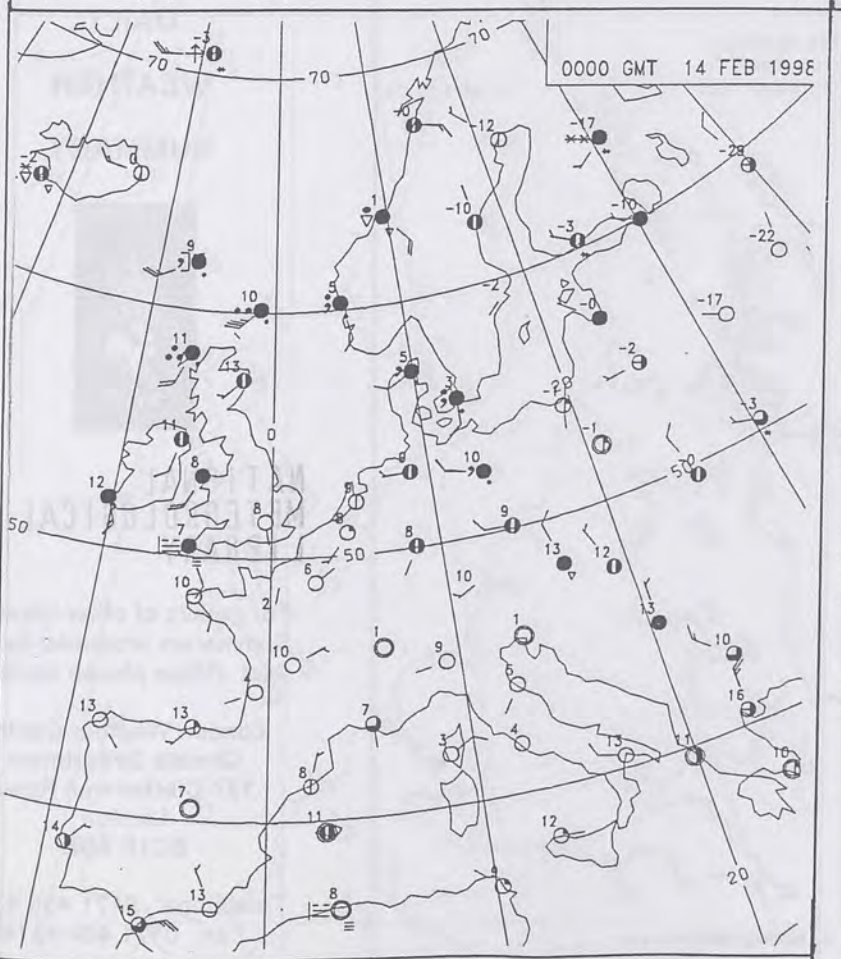
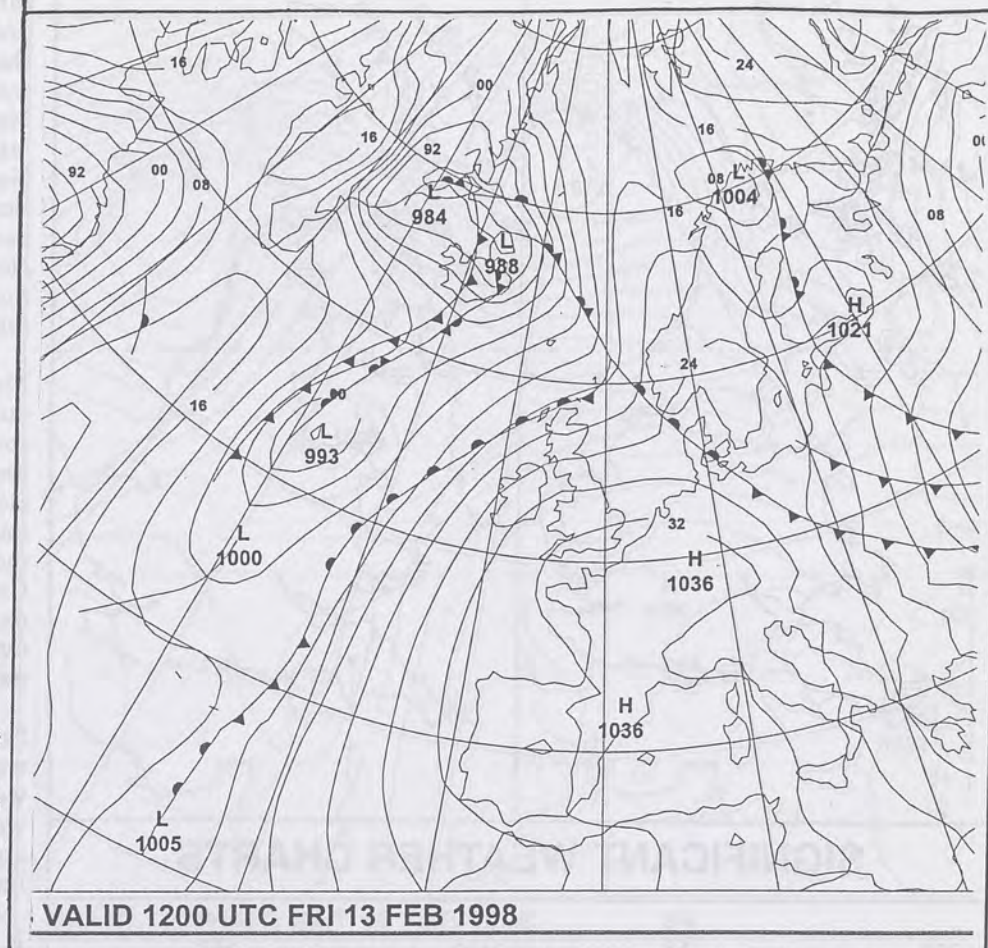
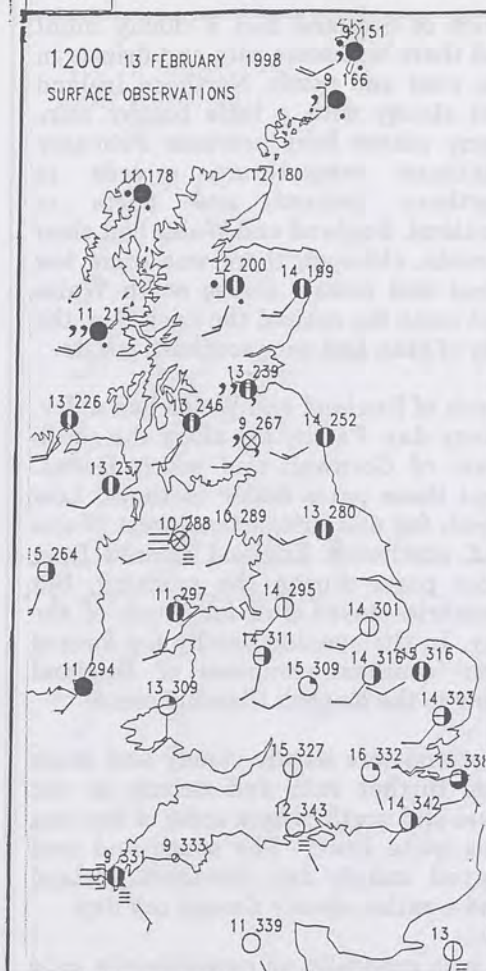
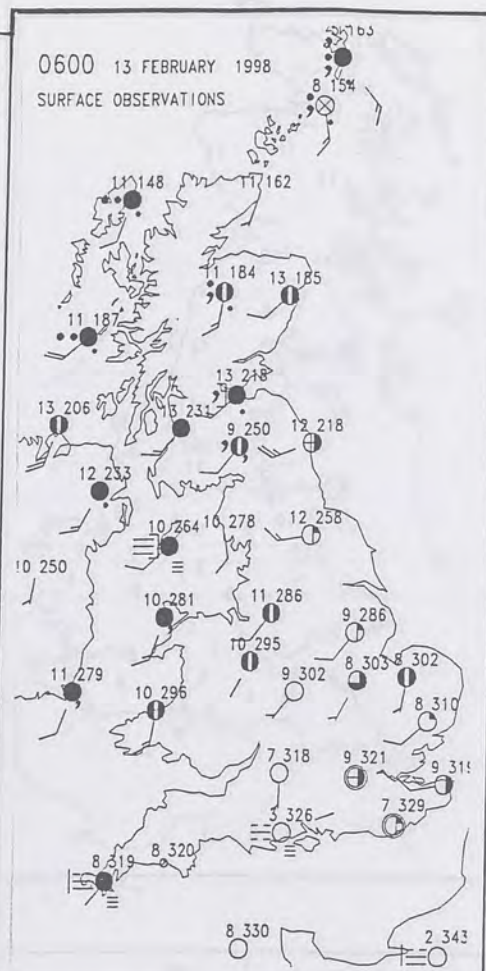
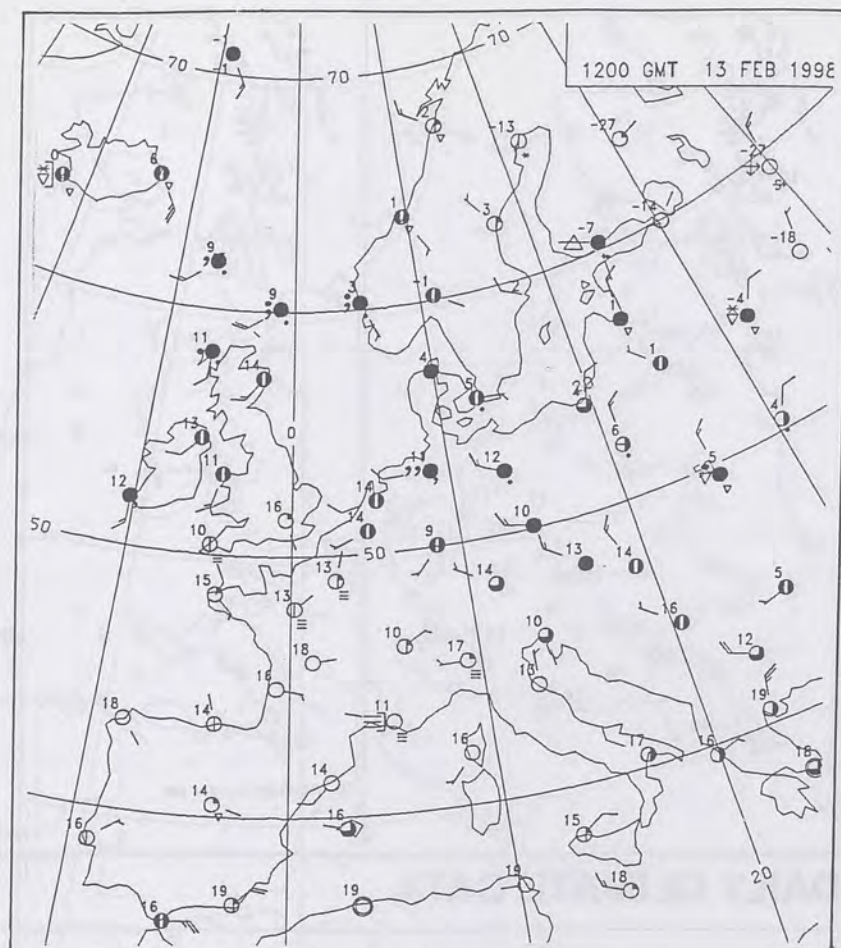
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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS

1800 13 FEBRUARY 1998
SIGWX2400 13 FEBRUARY 1998
SIGWXSummary of UK weather for
Friday 13th February 1998

Much of Scotland had a cloudy night and there was some rain and drizzle in the west and north. Northern Ireland was cloudy with a little patchy rain. Many places beat previous February minimum temperature records in Northern Ireland and parts of Scotland. England and Wales had clear periods, although there was some low cloud and drizzle across north Wales and some fog around the Irish Sea, the Isle of Man and near southern coasts.

Much of England and Wales had a dry, sunny day. Patchy fog along the south coast of Cornwall and south Devon, kept these parts duller at times. Low cloud, fog and drizzle over west Wales and northwest England cleared from most parts during the morning, but Cumbria stayed dull for much of the day. In the evening patchy fog formed over southern counties of England near to the English Channel coast.

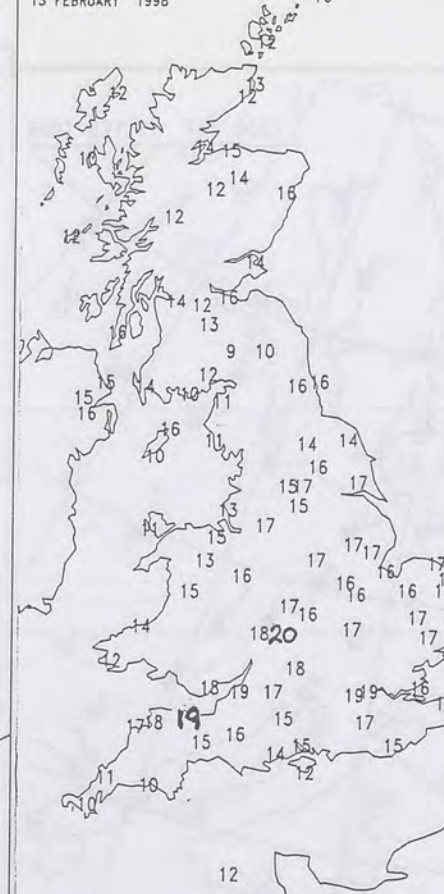
Scotland was mostly cloudy and there was further rain and drizzle in the west and north, where some of the rain was quite heavy. The south and east stayed mainly dry. Northern Ireland had a rather cloudy though dry day.

It was generally an exceptionally mild day although temperatures were close to normal in the foggy parts of Devon and Cornwall. Several places broke their records for February. A new maximum temperature record for the UK was set at Barbourne.

EXTREMES

FRIDAY 13th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
19.6C	Barbourne [Hereford & Worcester]
Lowest maximum	
9.2C	Lerwick [Shetland]
Lowest minimum	
1.6 C	Hurn Airport [Dorset]
Lowest grass minimum	
-1.3 C	Hurn Airport
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
23.0mm	Stornoway [Outer Hebrides]
Most sun	
9.1hrs	Jersey / St Helier

NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
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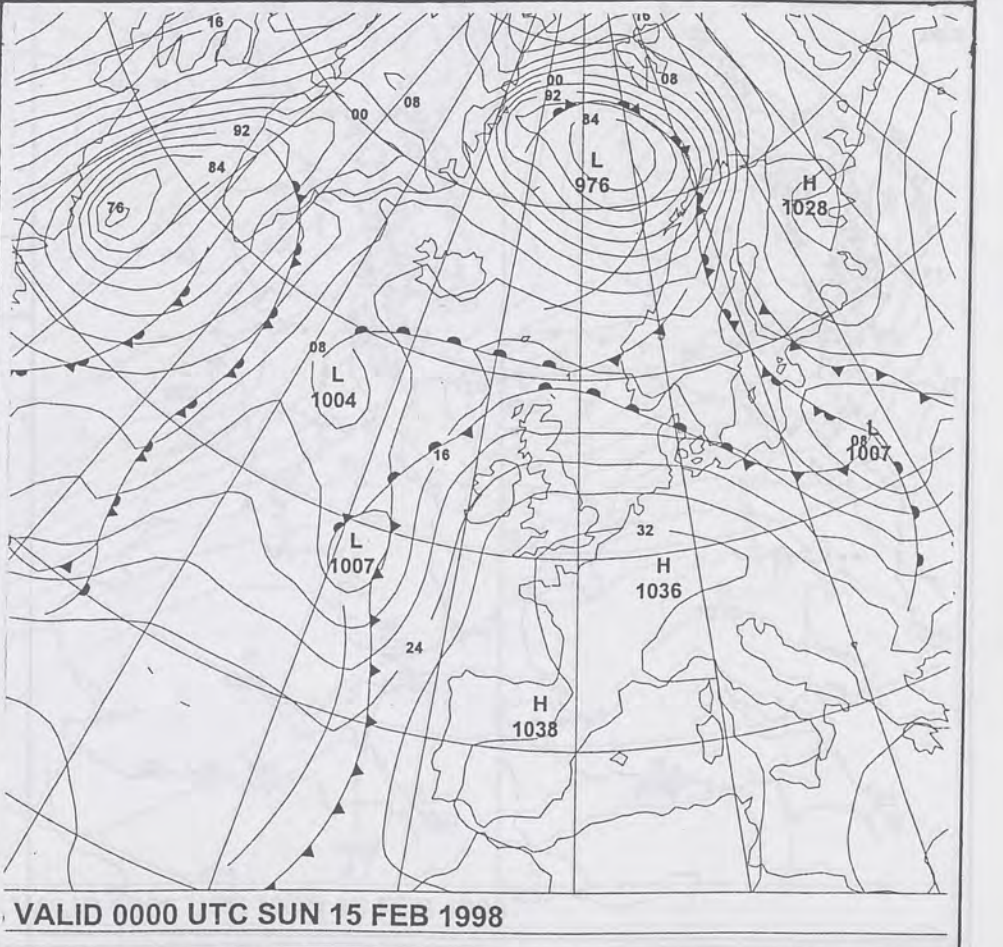
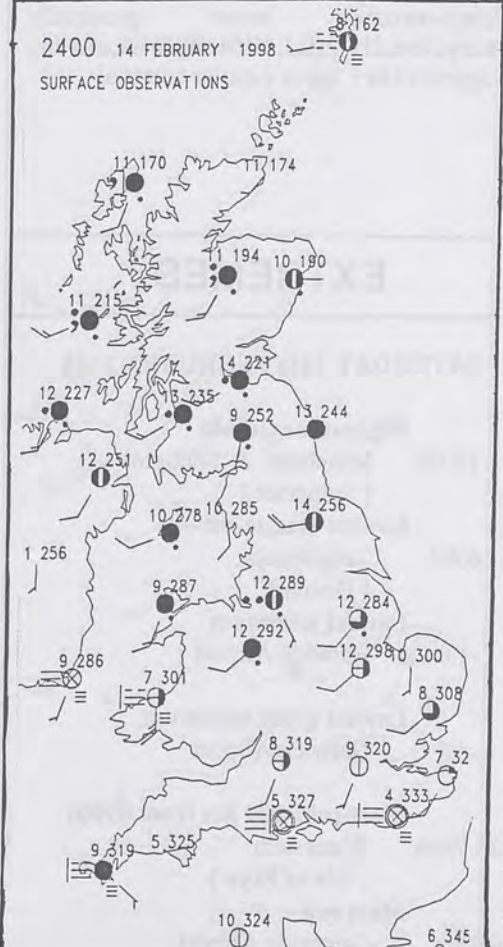
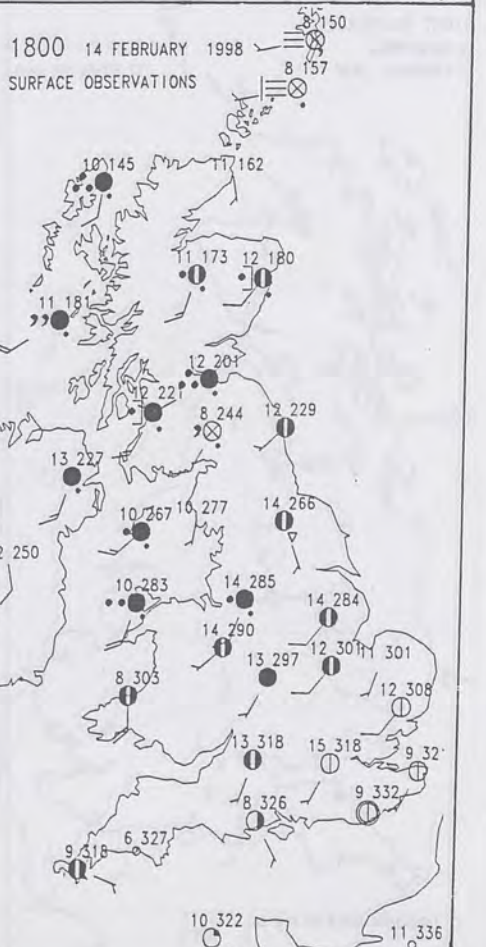
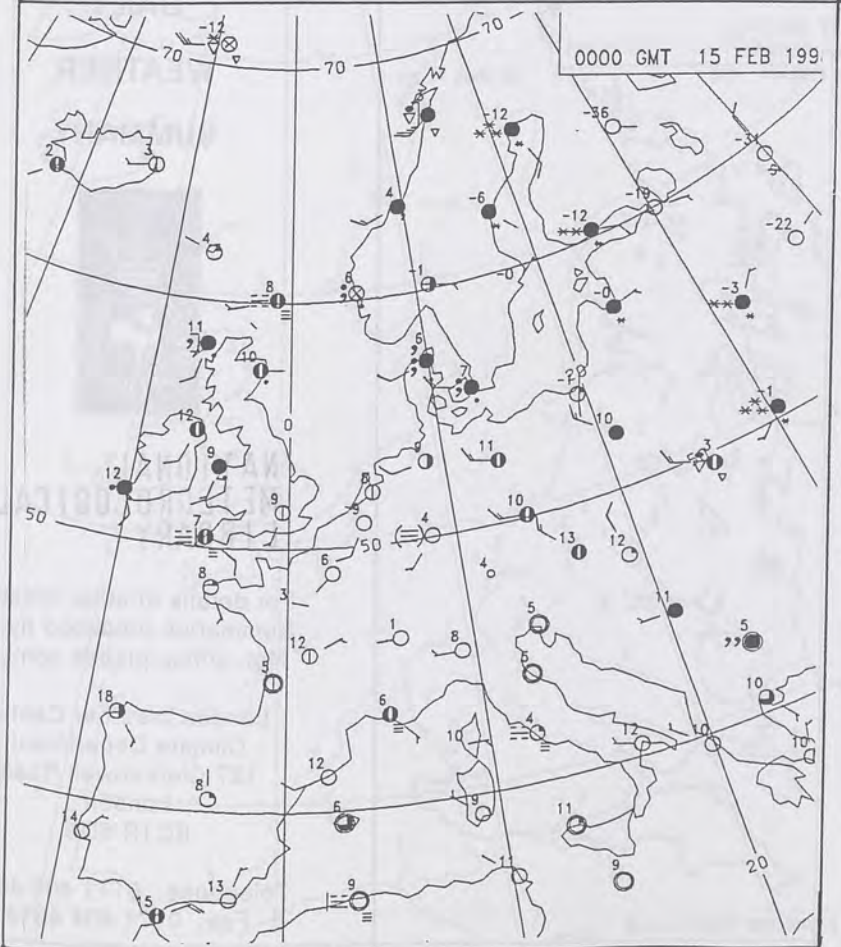
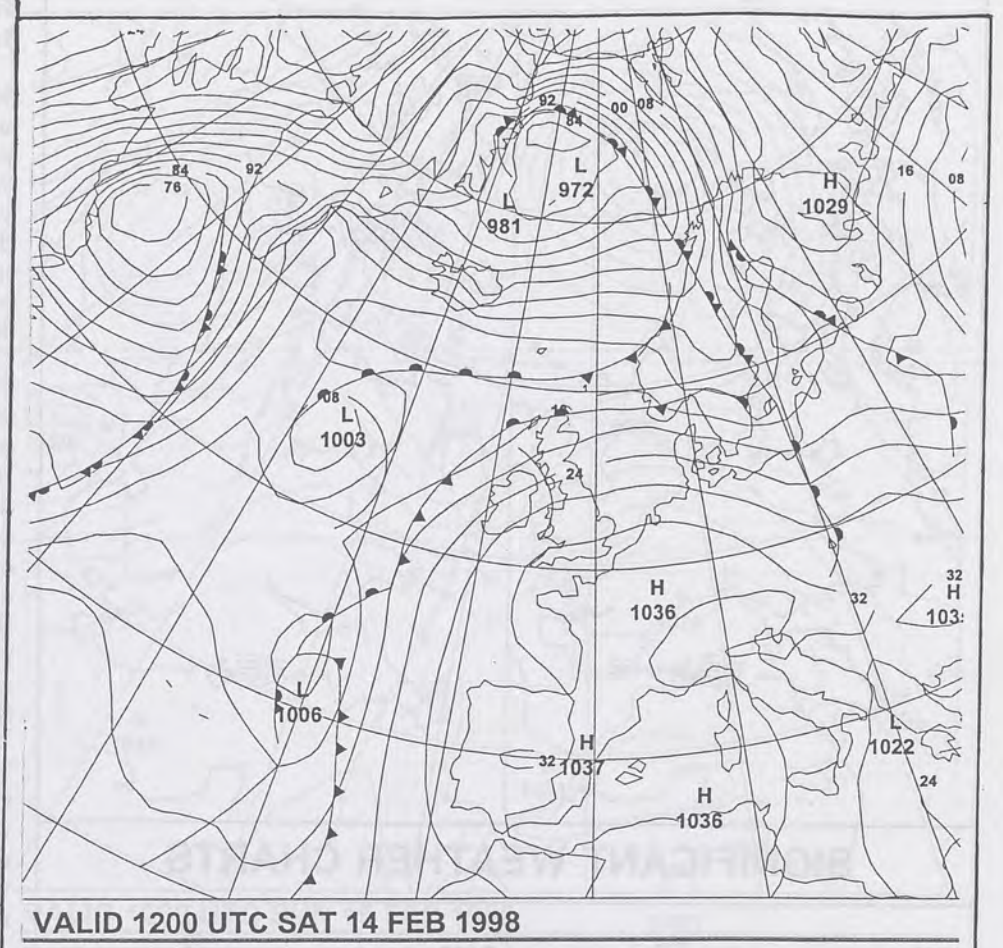
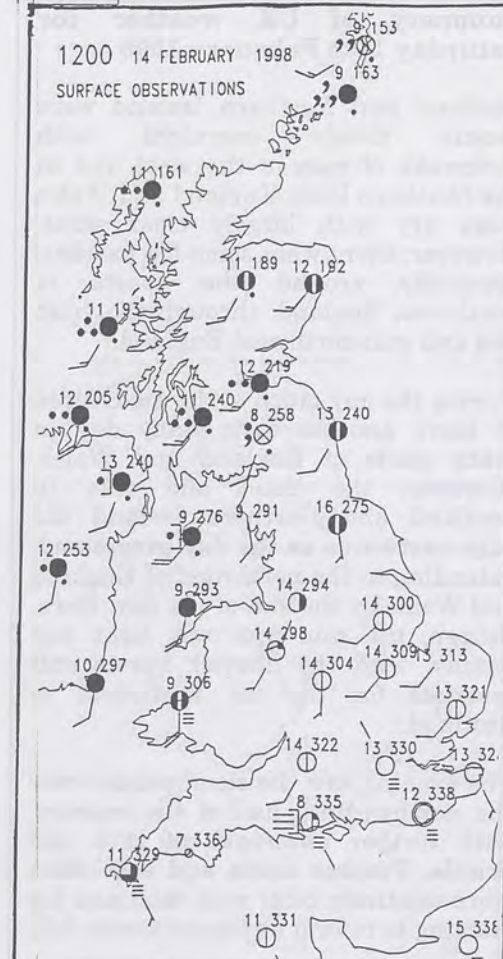
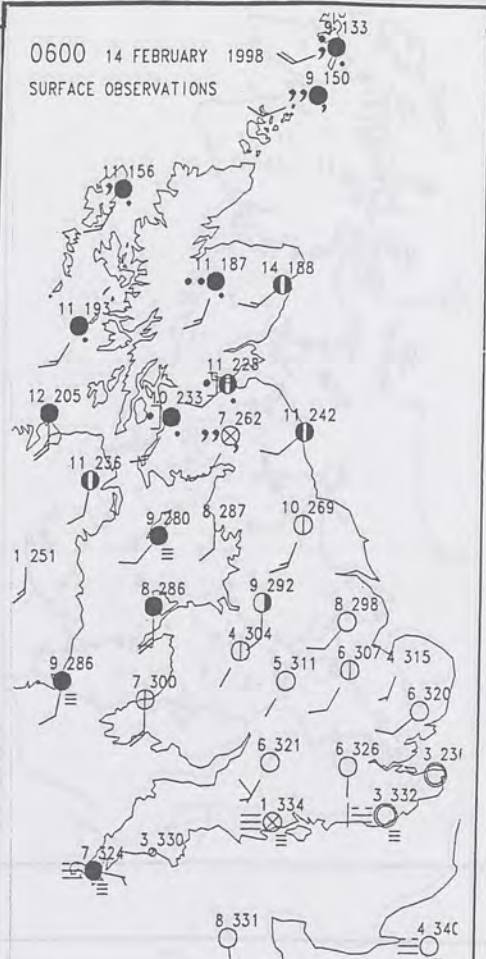
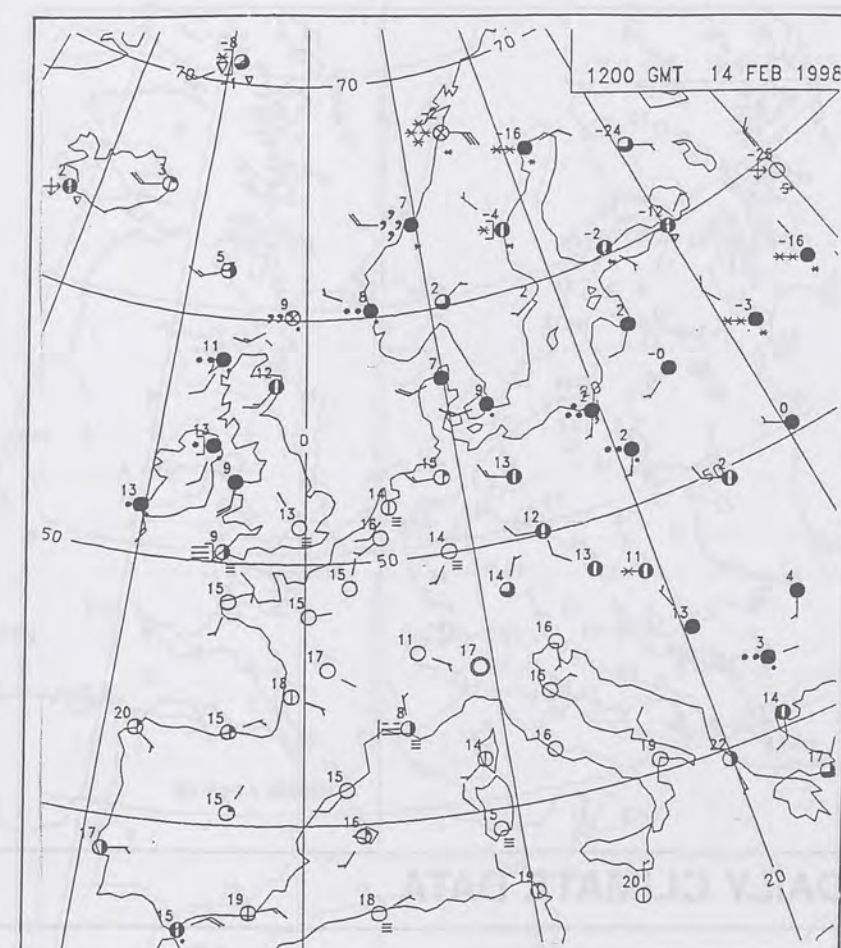
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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS

1800 14 FEBRUARY 1998

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2400 14 FEBRUARY 1998

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Summary of UK weather for Saturday 14th February 1998

Scotland and Northern Ireland were mostly cloudy overnight with outbreaks of rain in the west and in the Northern Isles. England and Wales were dry with largely clear skies. However, there were some fog patches, especially around the coasts of southwest England, through the Irish Sea and into northwest England.

During the day much of the fog cleared to leave another dry, sunny day in many parts of England and Wales. However, the cloud and rain in Scotland and Northern Ireland did edge eastwards as the day progressed, extending to the northwest of England and Wales by the end of the day. Here, though, the rain was only light and patchy, with the heavier bursts still reserved for the far northwest of Scotland.

The evening saw the cloud persist over the northwestern half of the country, with further outbreaks of rain and drizzle. Further south and east skies were relatively clear with mist and fog starting to reform as temperatures fell.

Temperatures were generally exceptionally mild, although where fog lingered they were nearer normal.

EXTREMES

SATURDAY 14th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum

19.1C Minehead & Tivington
[Somerset]

Lowest maximum

6.4C Teignmouth
[Devon]

Lowest minimum

-1.0 C Gatwick Airport

Lowest grass minimum

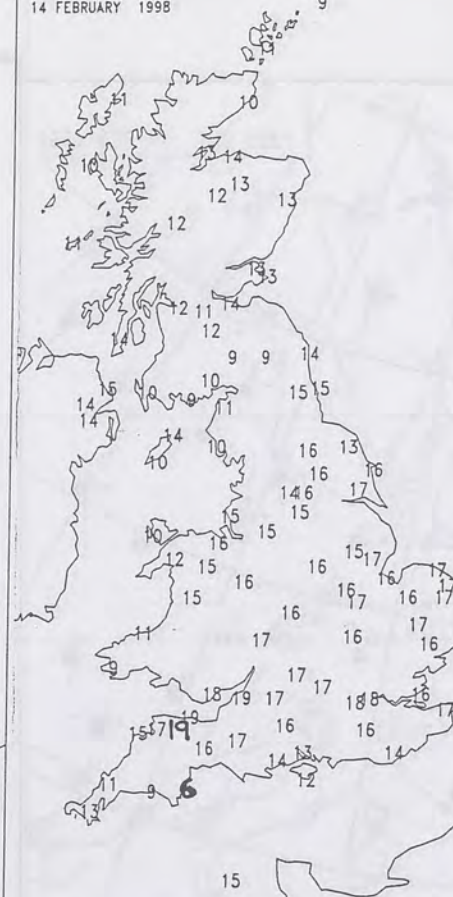
-4.5 C Gatwick Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)

28.7mm Waterstein
[Isle of Skye]

Most sun

9.3hrs Guernsey Airport

NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
14 FEBRUARY 1998DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
14 FEBRUARY 1998SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
14 FEBRUARY 1998

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DAILY CLIMATE DATA

NIGHT RAINFALL
(MILLIMETRES)
14 FEBRUARY 1998

X INDICATES TRACE TO 0.4 MM

DAY RAINFALL
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14 FEBRUARY 1998

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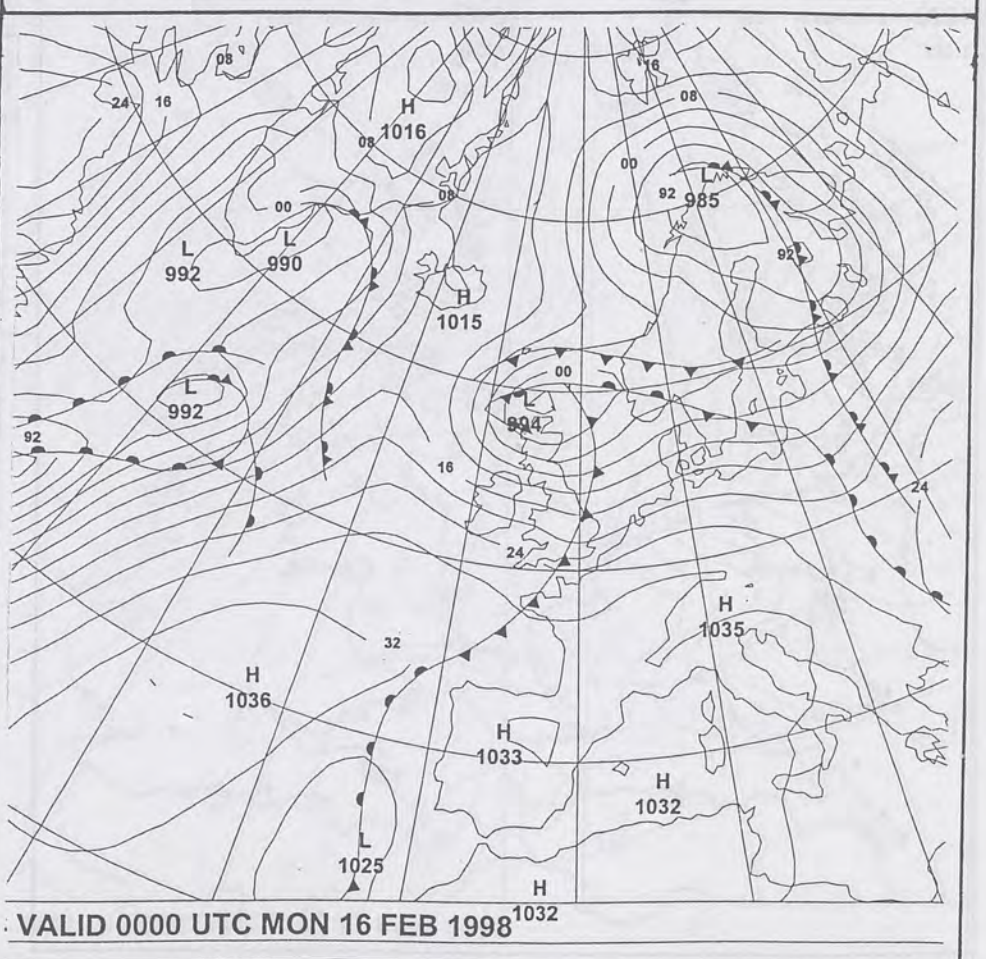
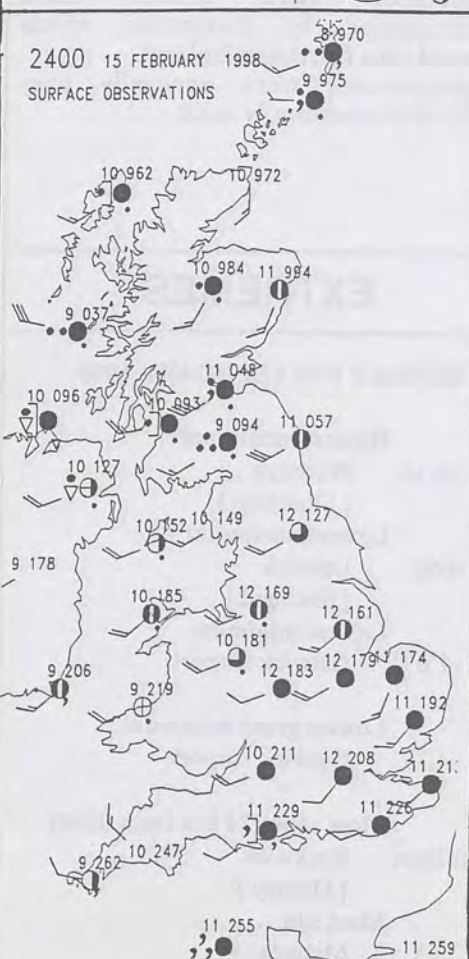
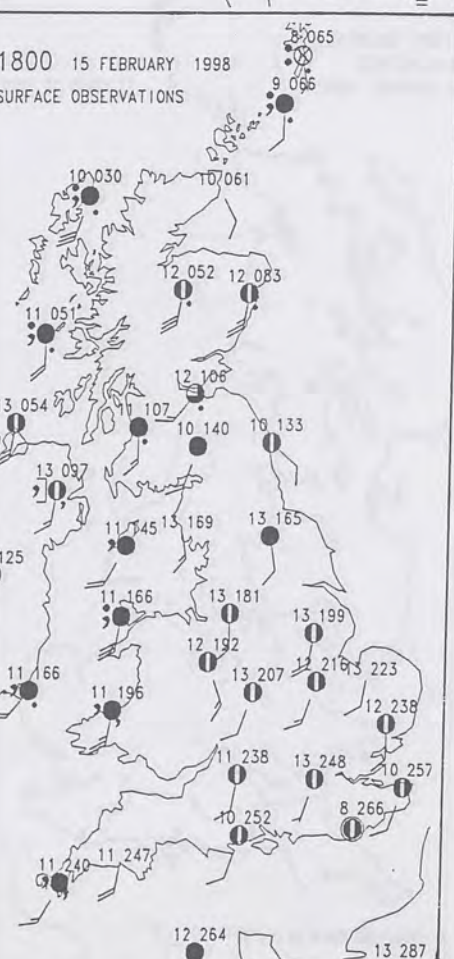
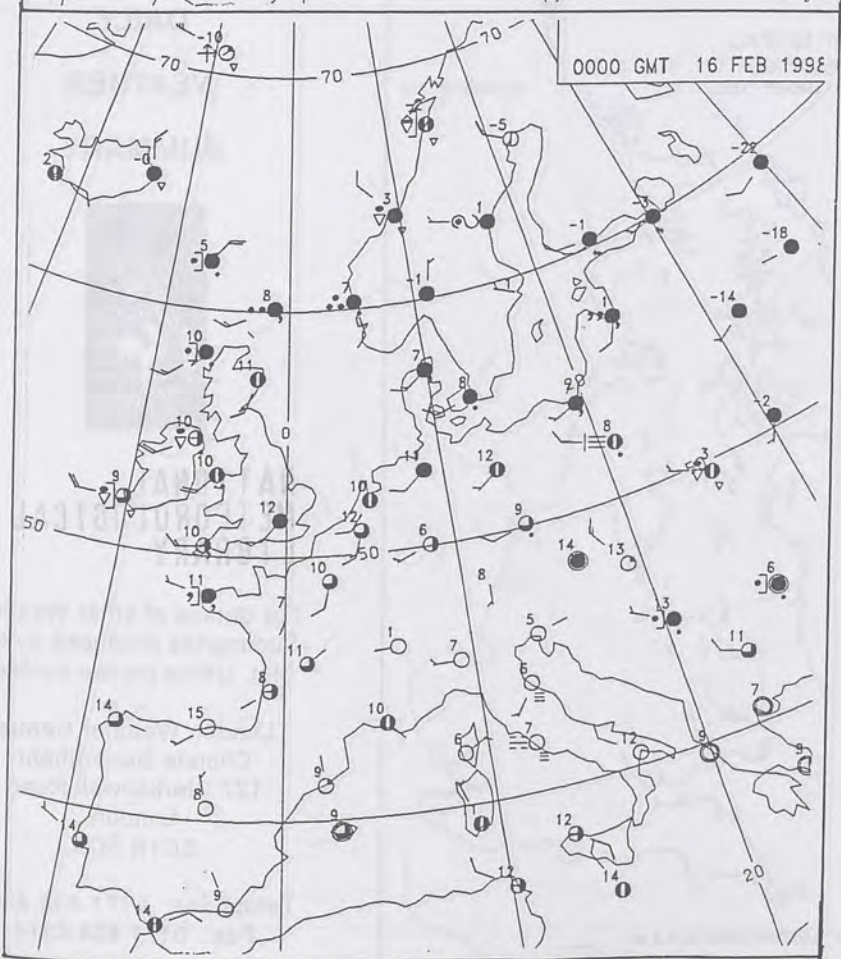
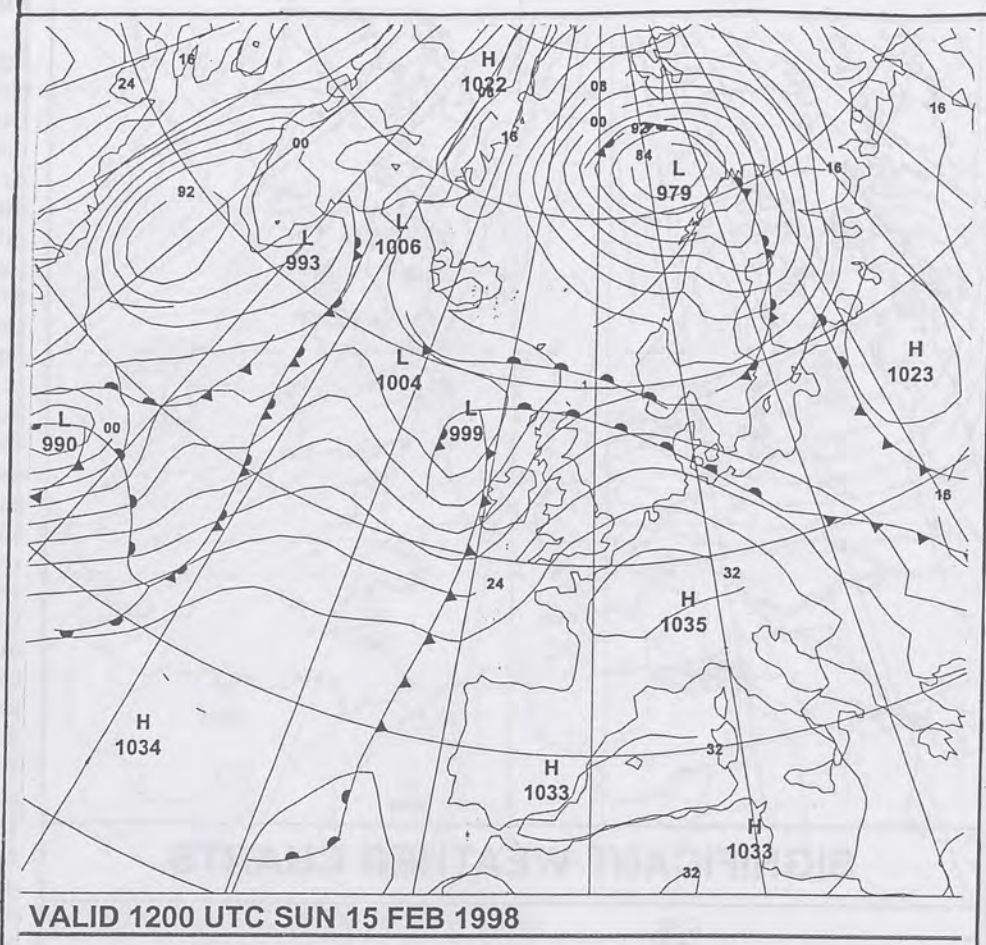
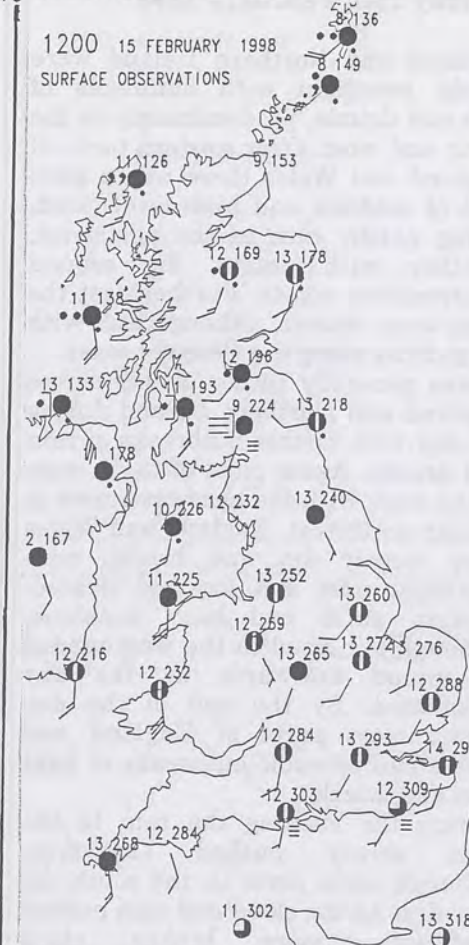
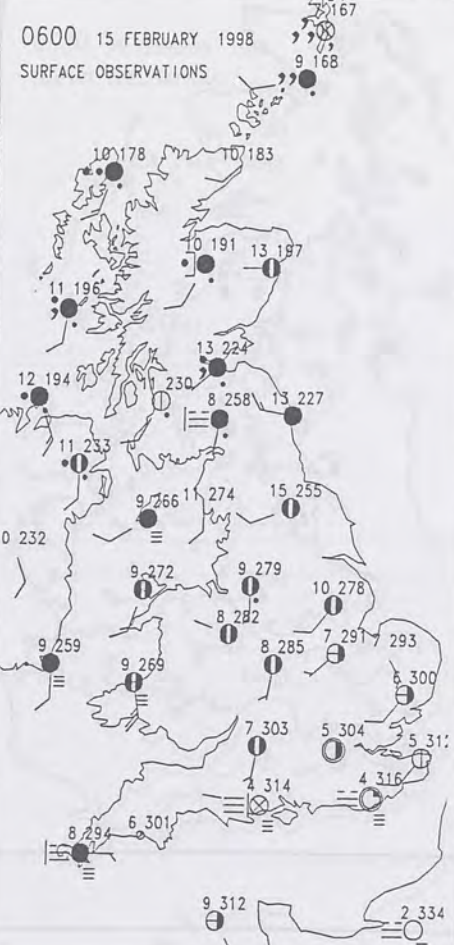
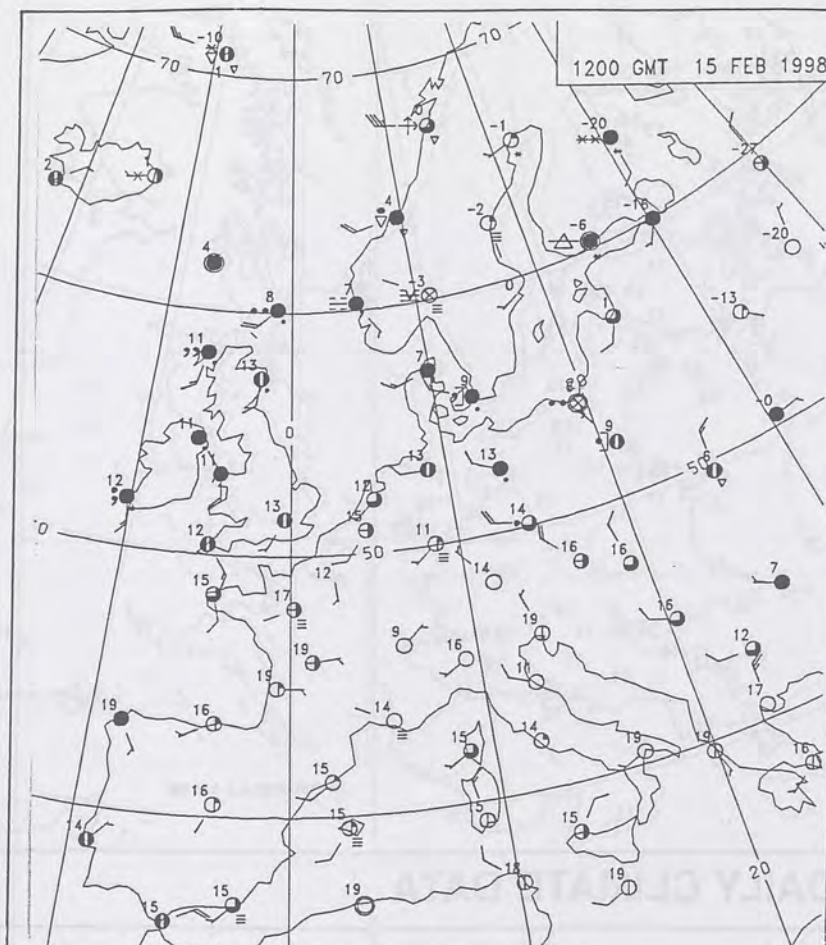
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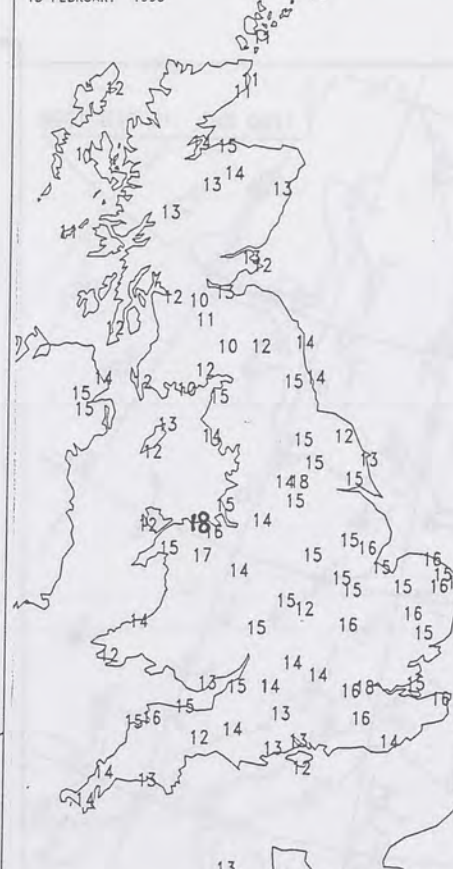
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Summary of UK weather for Sunday 15th February 1998

Scotland and Northern Ireland were cloudy overnight with outbreaks of rain and drizzle, predominantly in the north and west. Over western parts of England and Wales there was a good deal of medium and high level cloud, giving patchy rain in the northwest, together with patchy fog around southwestern coasts. Further east the skies were clearer, although still with fog patches along the Channel coast. It was generally rather cloudy across Scotland and Northern Ireland during the day with further outbreaks of rain and drizzle. Again most of these were in the west, with the heaviest bursts in the far northwest. England and Wales were largely dry and bright, once overnight mist and fog cleared. Eastern parts had hazy sunshine, although the cloud in the west tended to spread eastwards as the day progressed. By the end of the day westernmost parts of England and Wales had sporadic outbreaks of light rain and drizzle.

During the evening the rain in the west slowly pushed eastwards, although some parts in the south did stay dry. As the cloud and rain pushed eastwards, more broken cloud accompanied by freshening winds spread into Northern Ireland. Temperatures were generally very mild or exceptionally mild.

NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
15 FEBRUARY 1998DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
15 FEBRUARY 1998SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
15 FEBRUARY 1998

X INDICATES 0.1-0.4 HRS

SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS

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EXTREMES

SUNDAY 15th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
18.1C Prestatyn
[Flintshire]

Lowest maximum
8.6C Lerwick
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum
-1.6C Gatwick Airport

Lowest grass minimum
-4.7C Gatwick Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
20.3mm Rackwick
[Orkney]

Most sun
6.2hrs Margate
[Kent]

DAILY CLIMATE DATA

NIGHT RAINFALL
(MILLIMETRES)
15 FEBRUARY 1998

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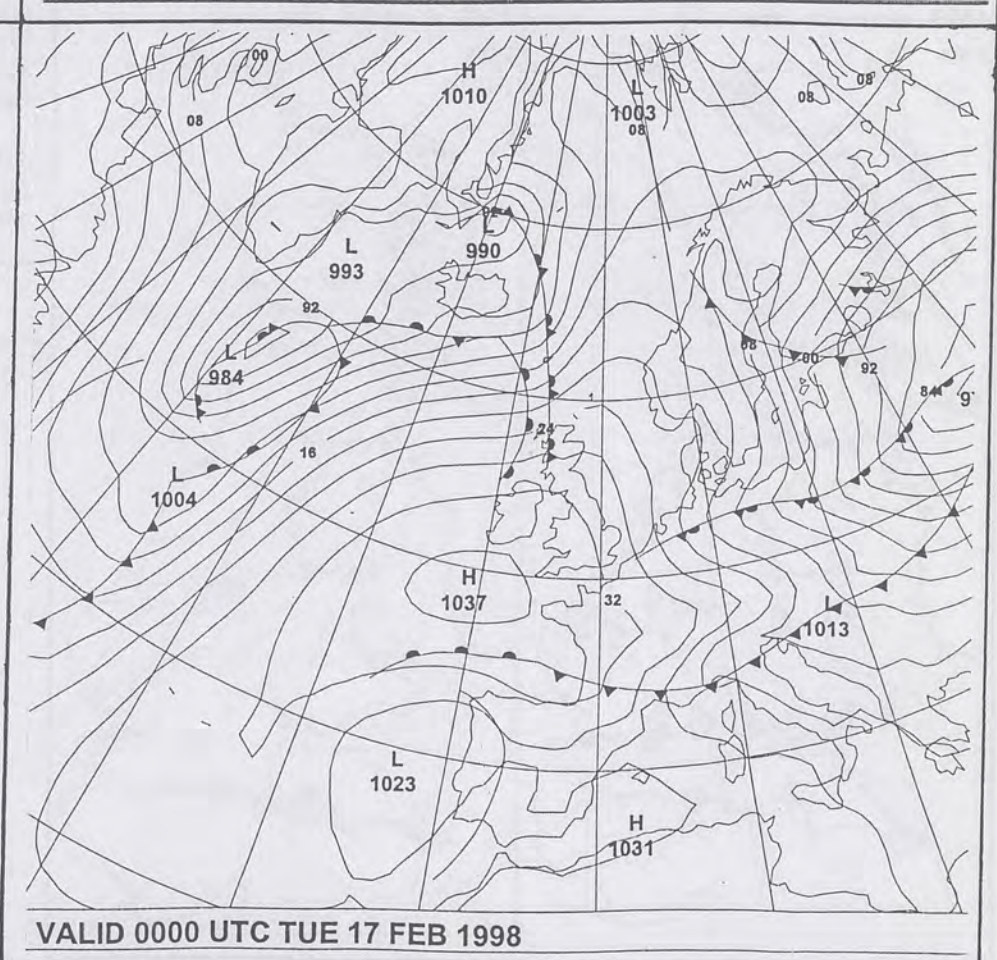
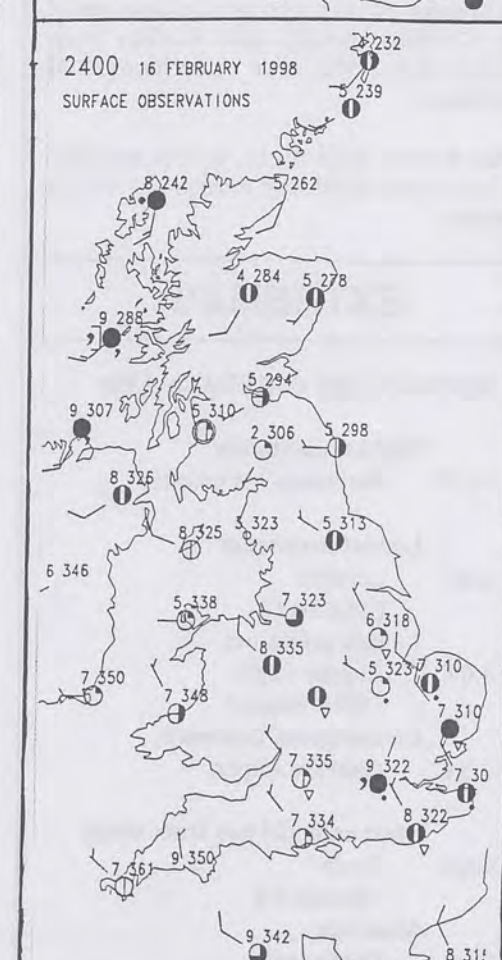
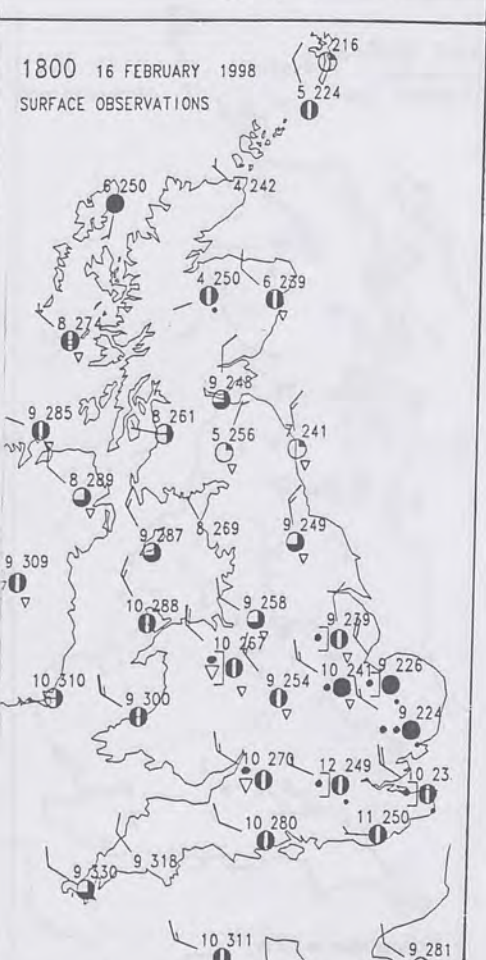
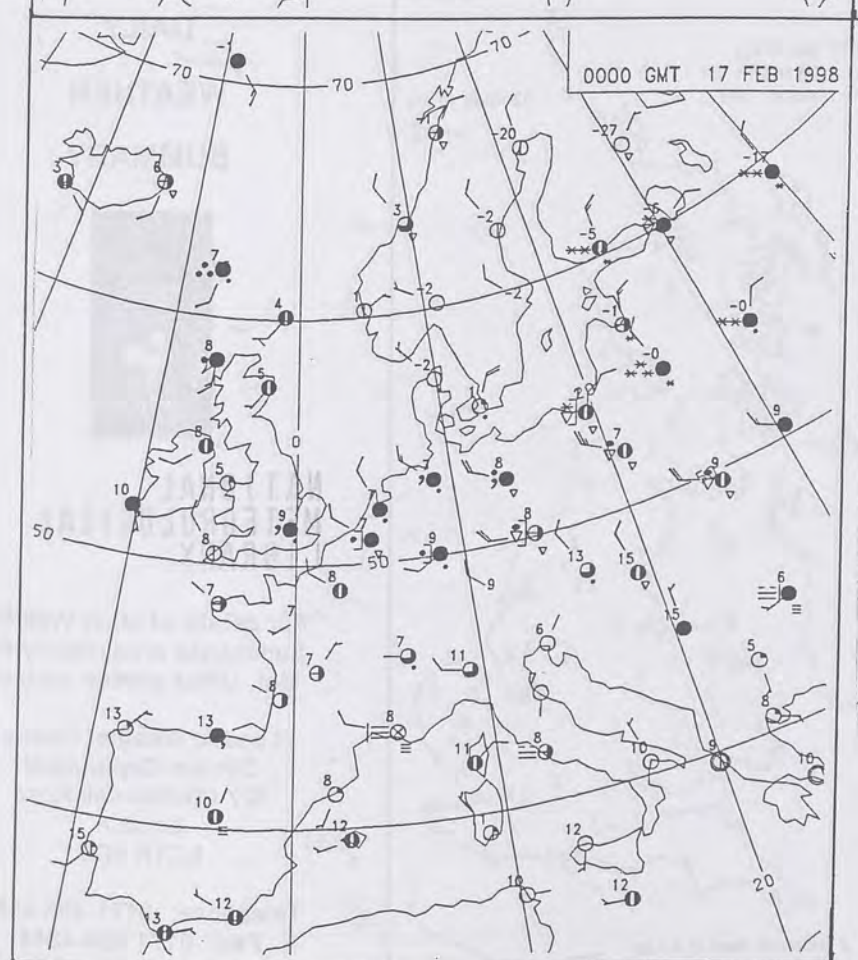
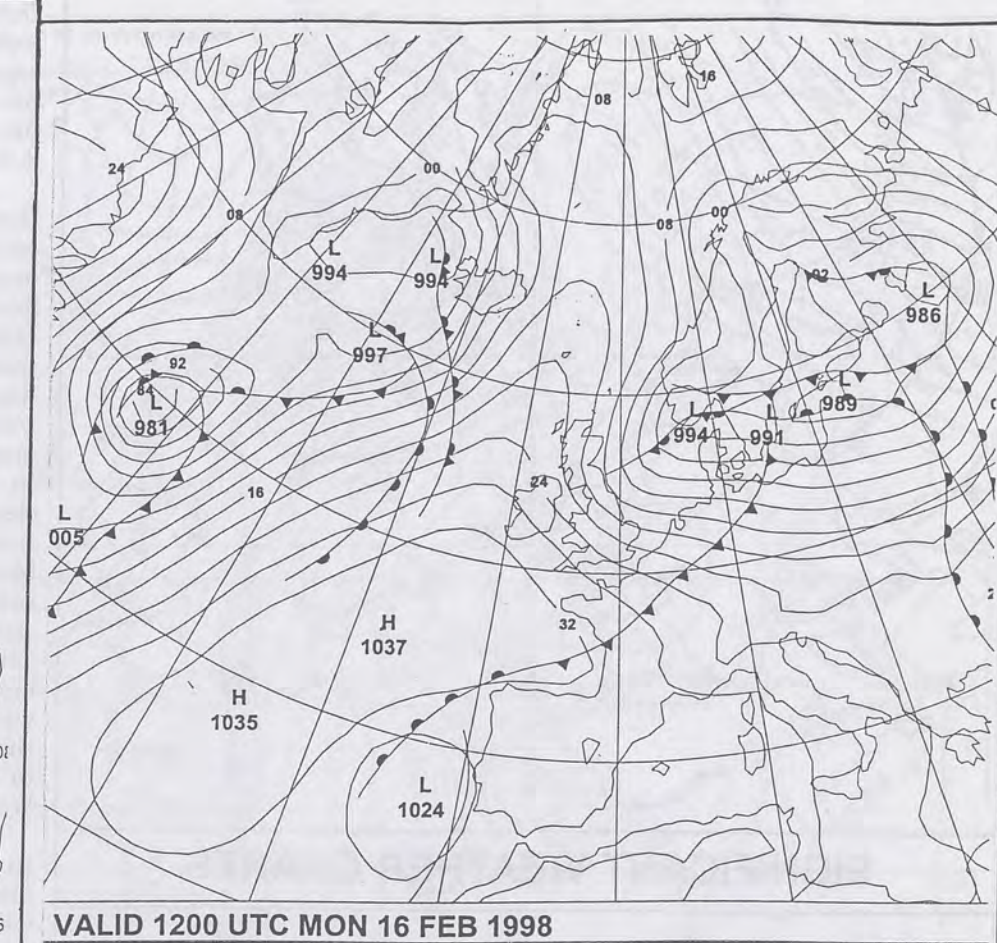
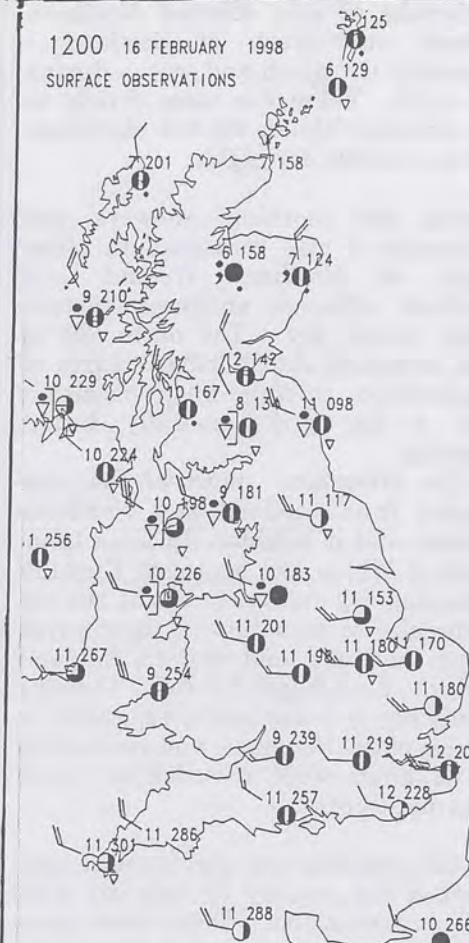
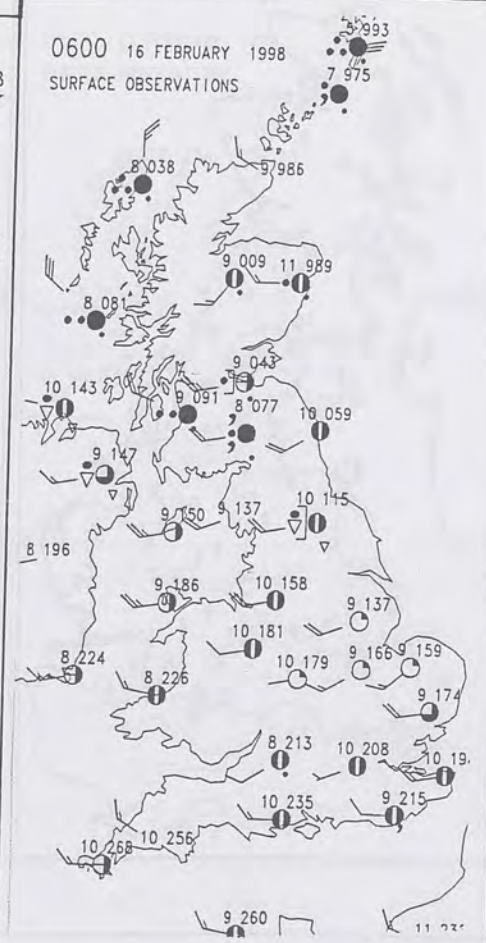
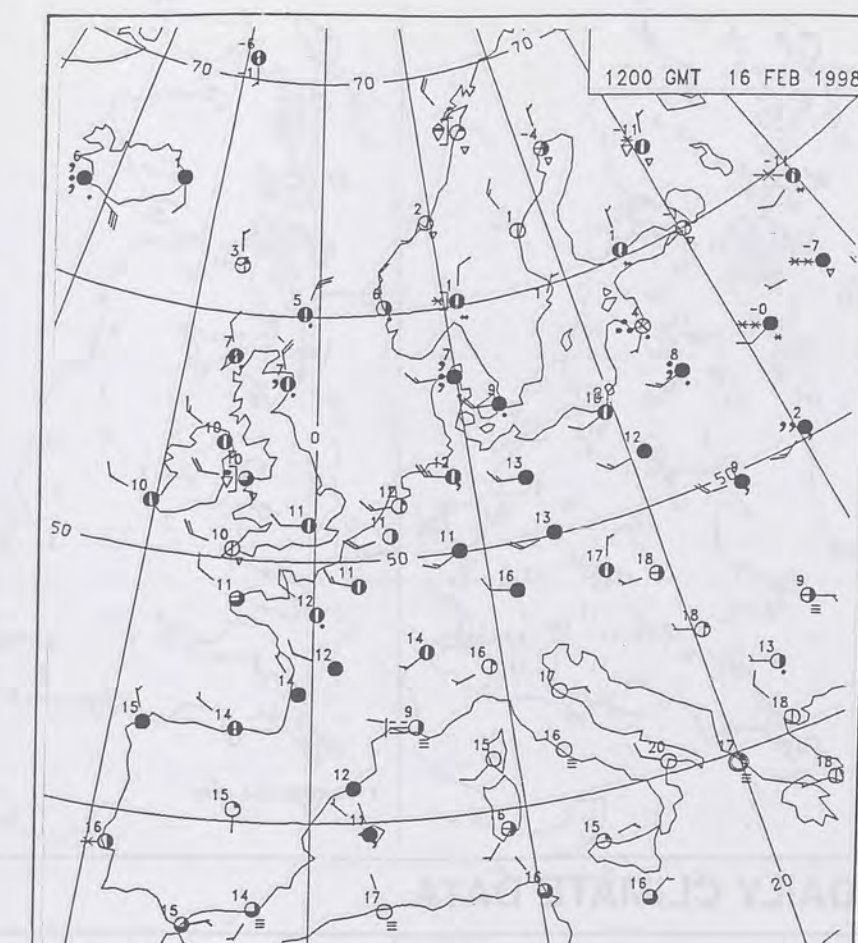
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Summary of UK weather for Monday 16th February 1998

Outbreaks of rain affected Northern Ireland and much of Scotland - especially the north and west - during the night. There was some drizzle in the Channel Islands too but elsewhere it was a mostly dry night.

During the morning, showers and outbreaks of rain continued to affect much of Northern Ireland and Scotland although sheltered eastern areas stayed dry. The outbreaks of rain extended into northern parts of England too. In Wales and the south it was a dry and generally bright morning.

In the afternoon, most of the rain cleared from Scotland and Northern Ireland and it brighten up for a time. Most of Wales and southern England remained dry and fairly bright but the outbreaks of rain moved southwards across northern and eastern England and into East Anglia by dusk. It was a windy day in many areas, especially in the lee of the Pennines, and gusts of up to 64 knots were recorded at Leeds Weather Centre.

In the evening, the winds eased and most of the country became dry with well broken cloud. There were some outbreaks of rain across the southeast for a while though and further rain sprad into the far northwest of Scotland.

After a very mild night, it was another mild or very mild day across the whole country.

EXTREMES

MONDAY 16th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
13.4C Barbourne / Worcester

Lowest maximum
5.4C Lerwick
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum
4.0 C Bognor Regis
[West Sussex]

Lowest grass minimum
1.5 C Gatwick Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
6.9mm Foula
[Shetland]

Most sun
8.7hrs St Mawgan
[Cornwall]

NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
16 FEBRUARY 1998



DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
16 FEBRUARY 1998



SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
16 FEBRUARY 1998



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NIGHT RAINFALL
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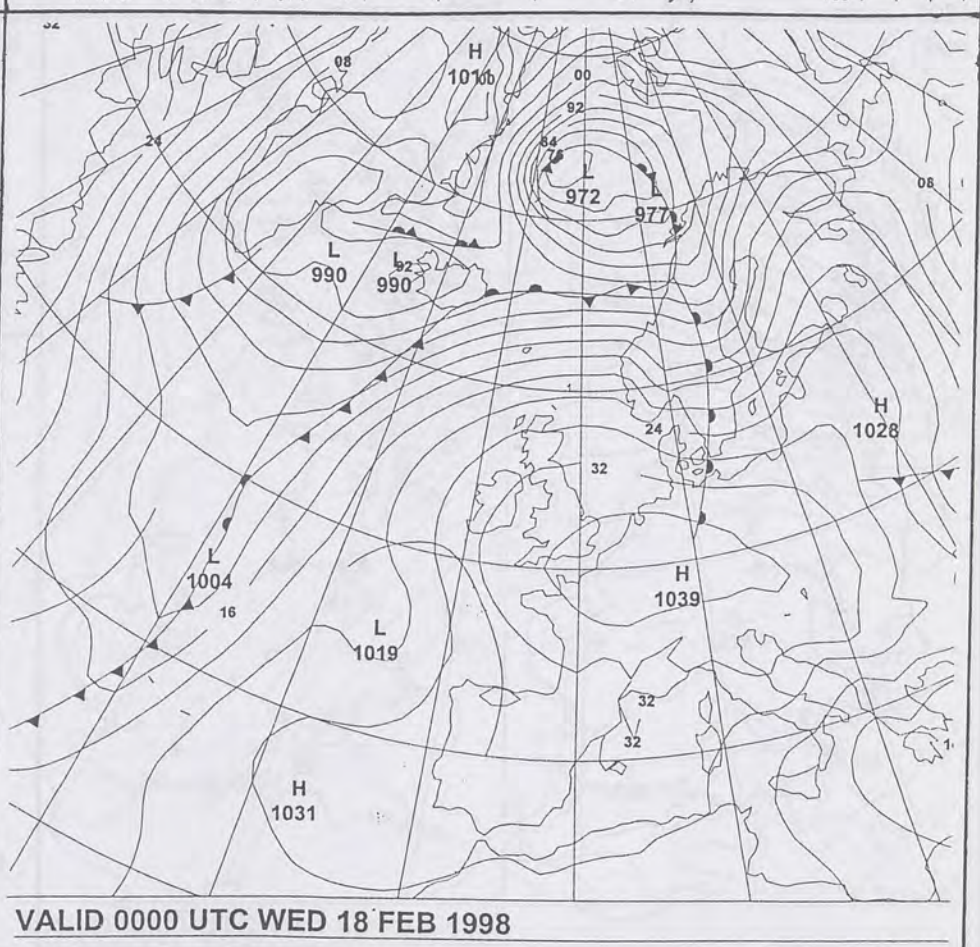
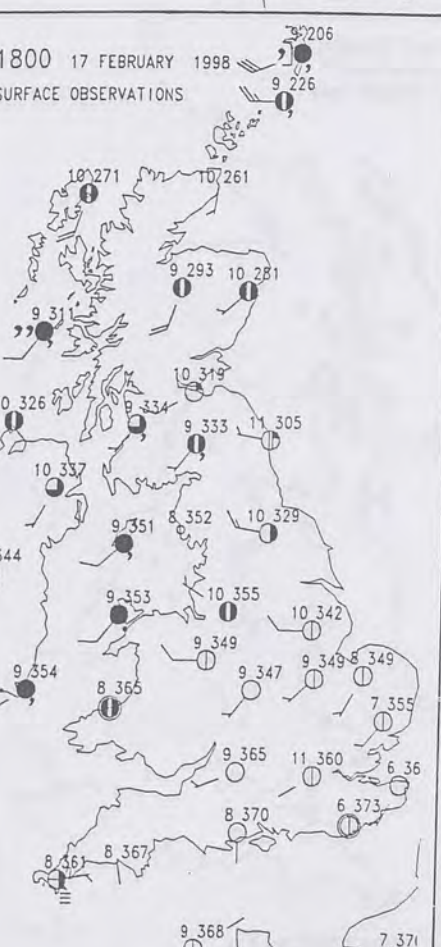
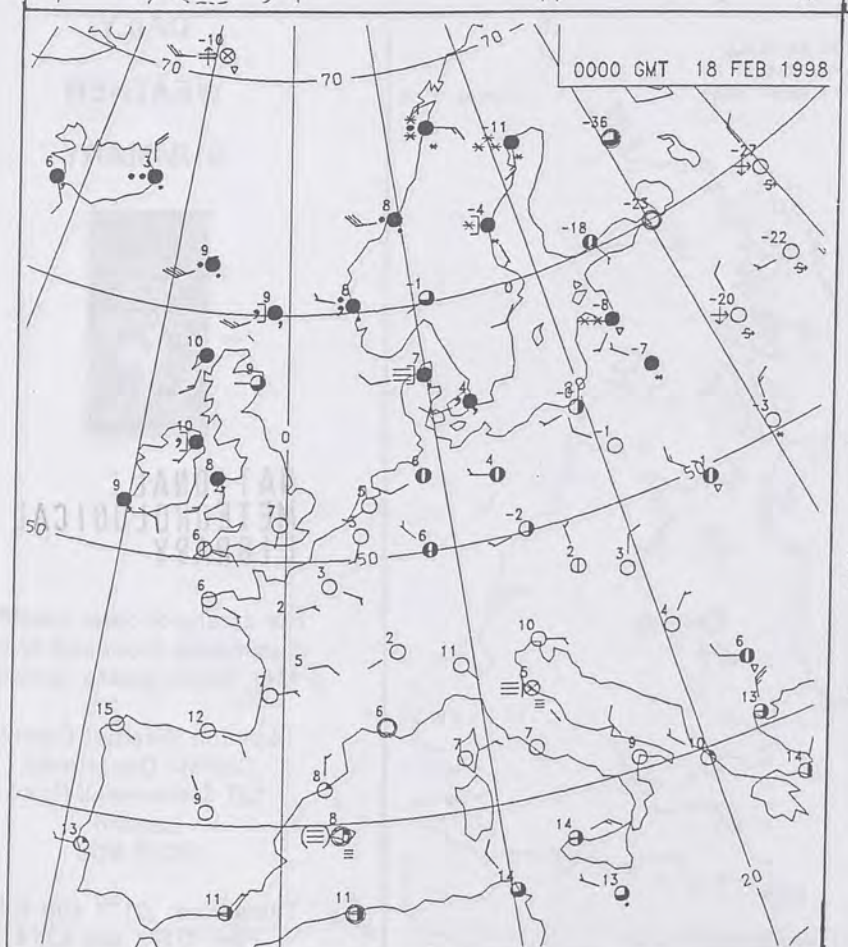
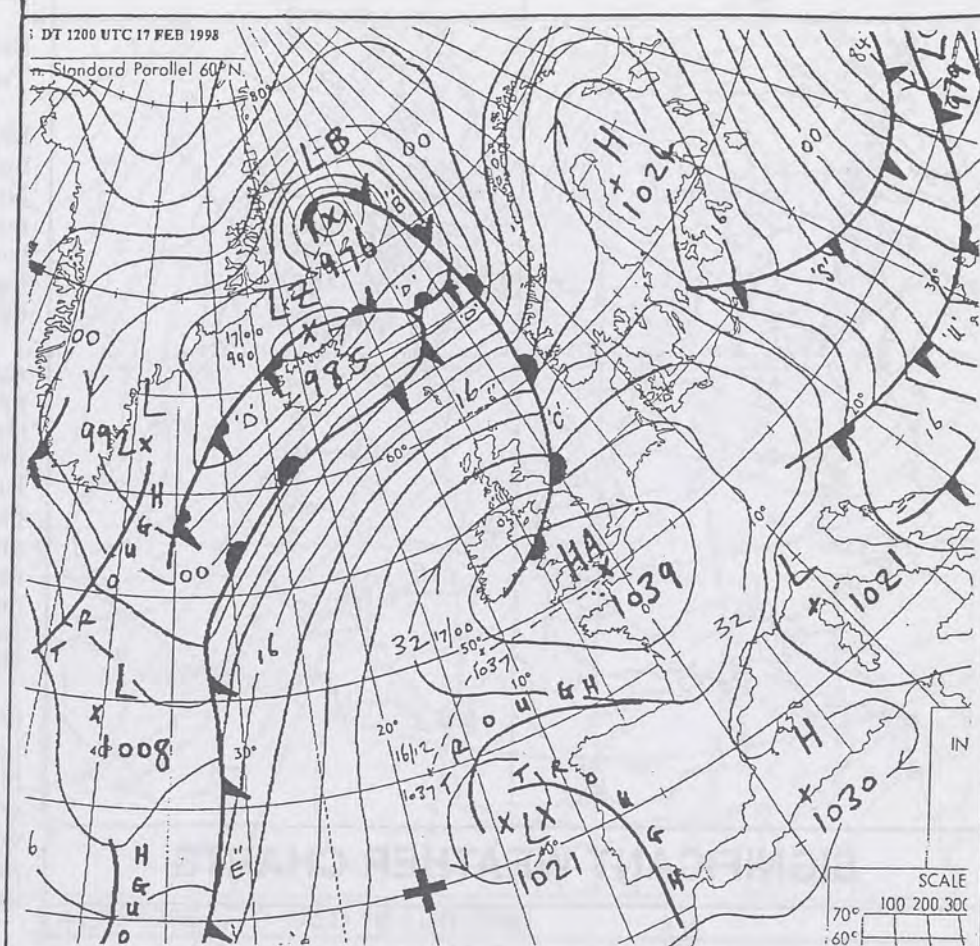
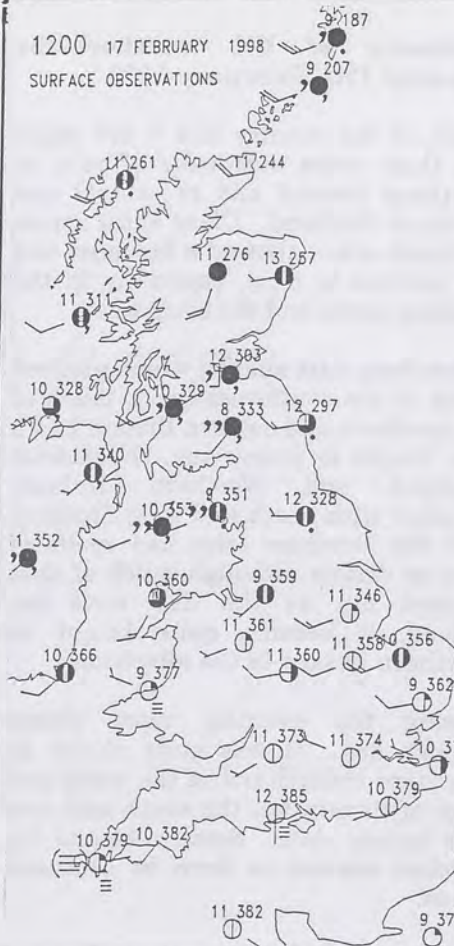
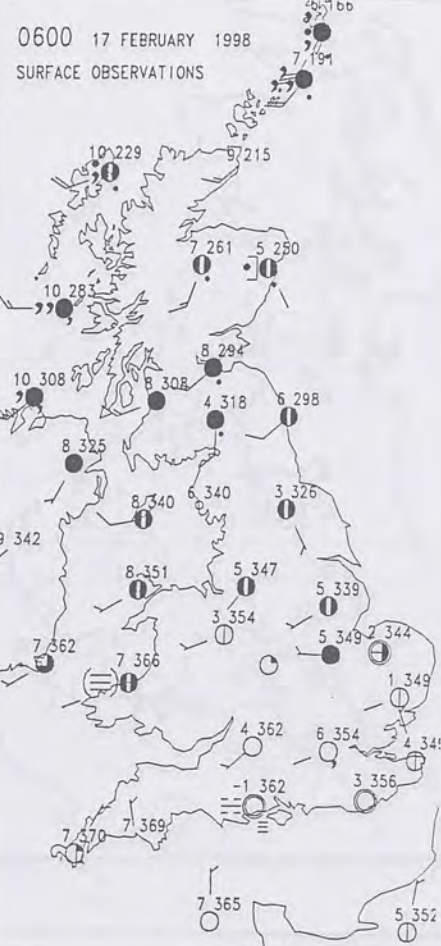
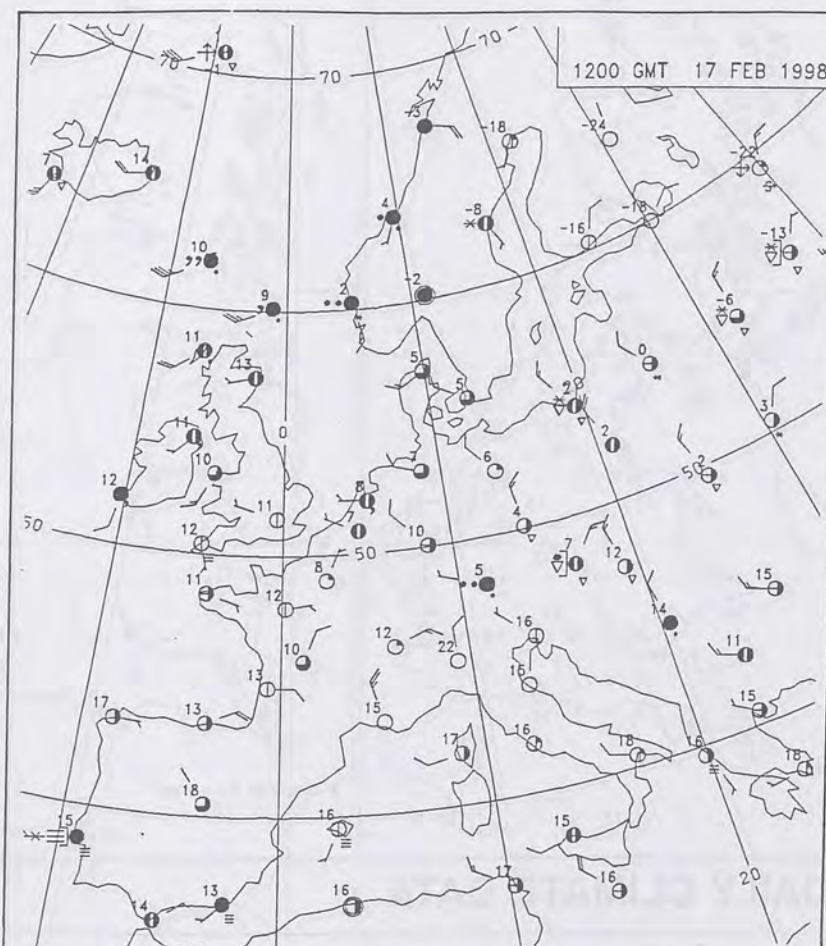
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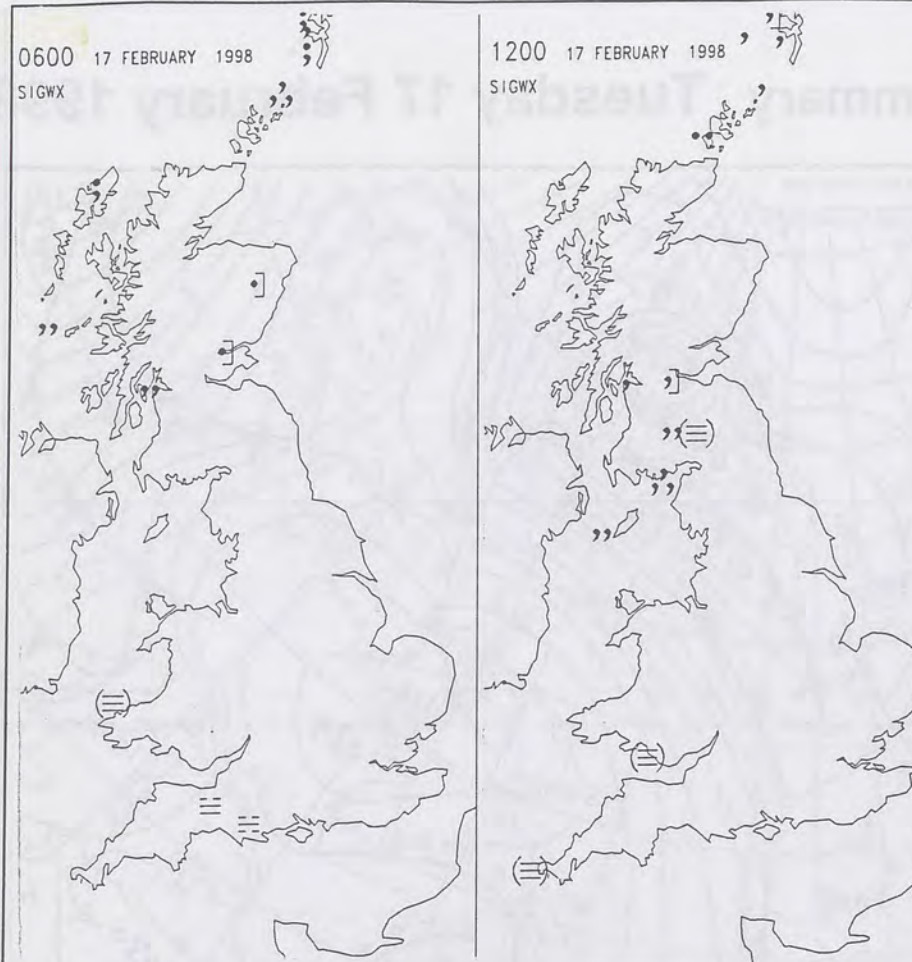
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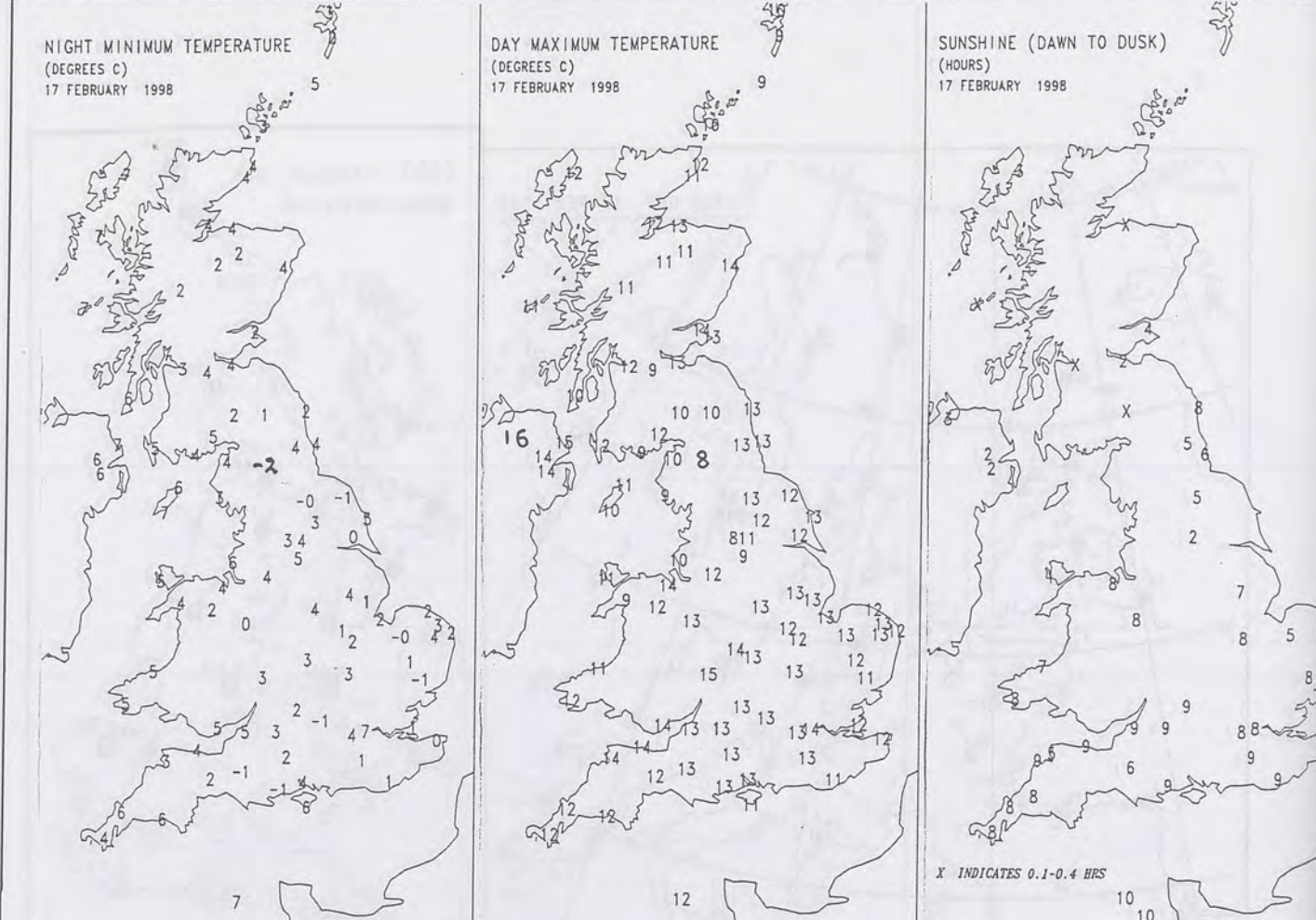
Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 17th February 1998

Much of the country had a dry night but there were outbreaks of rain in Northern Ireland and in central and northern Scotland. Clear skies across southern areas allowed a few mist and fog patches to form, especially in the extreme south and the southwest.

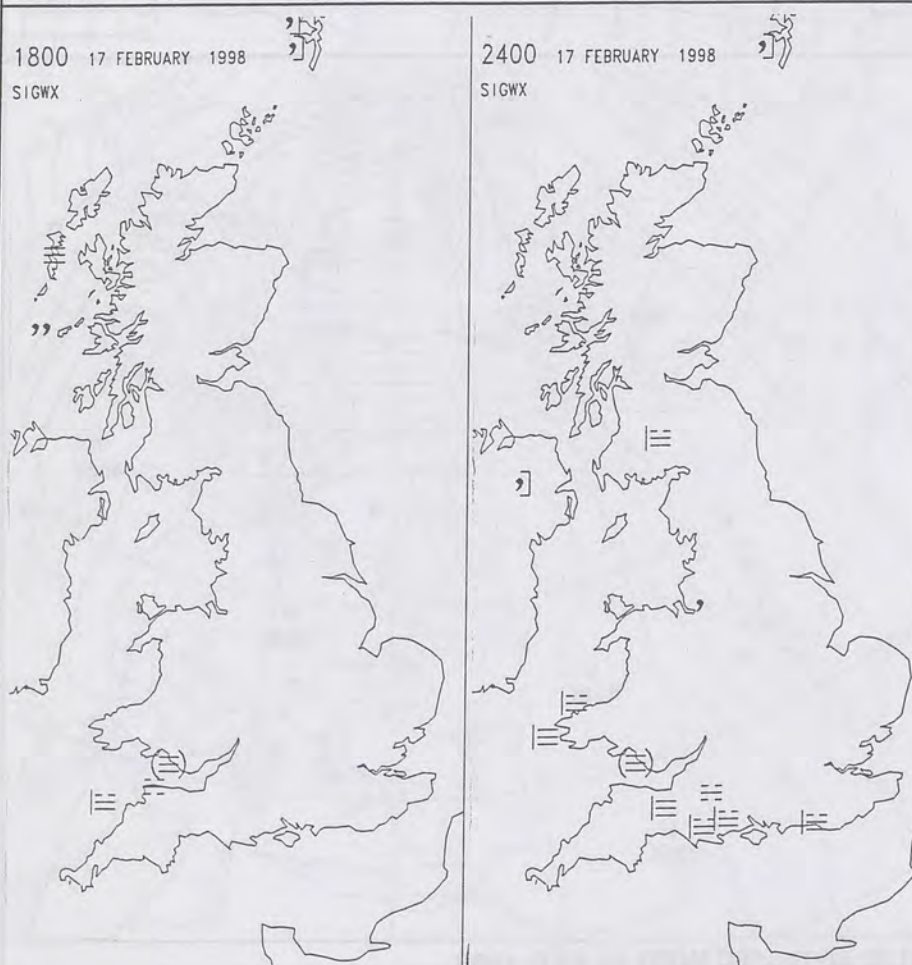
Apart from mist and fog which plagued parts of the southwest coast, much of the southern and eastern Britain had a fine, bright or sunny day. Northwest England and Northern Ireland, together with north and west Scotland and the Northern Isles had spells of rain or drizzle although much of that petered out as the day wore on. Indeed, it became quite bright in Northern Ireland in the afternoon.

During the evening, most places became dry. It was quite cloudy in Northern Ireland and in the north and west of Britain but the south and east was largely clear. Some mist and fog patches started to form in southern areas.

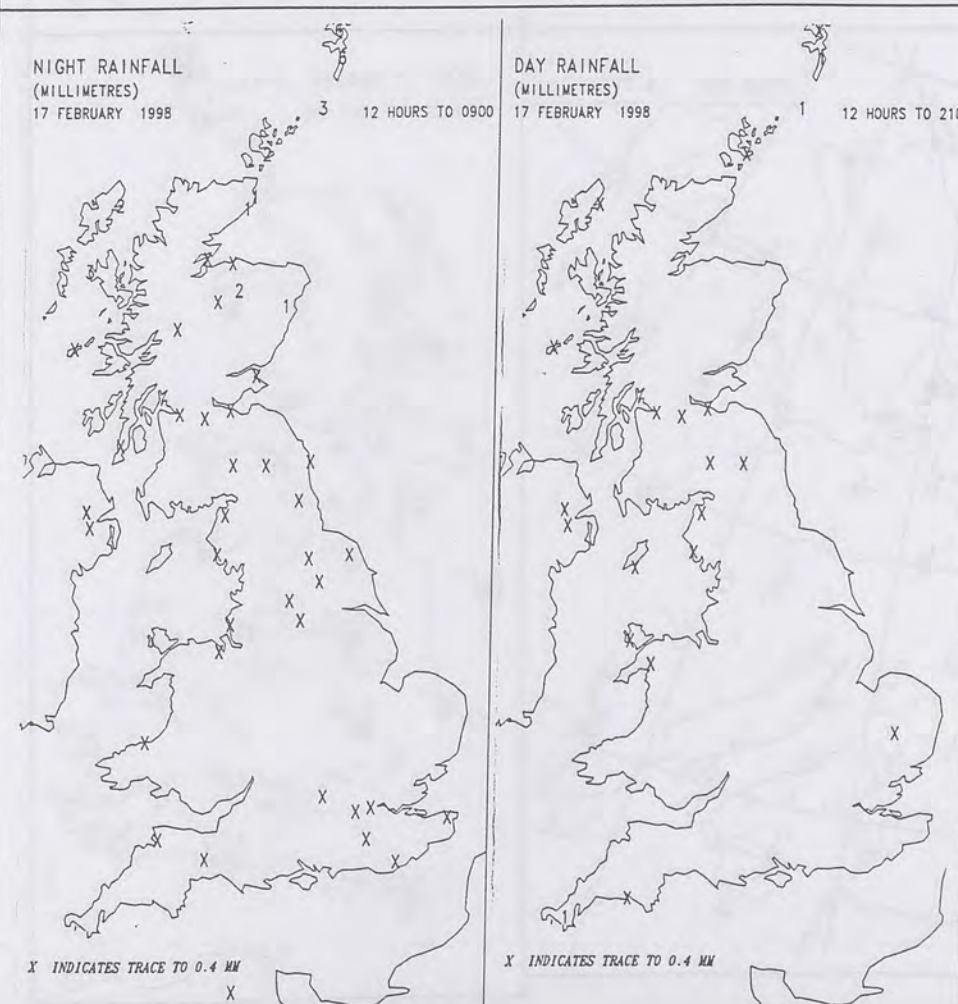
It was another very mild day everywhere and exceptionally mild in some areas.



SIGNIFICANT WEATHER CHARTS



DAILY CLIMATE DATA



EXTREMES

TUESDAY 17th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
15.6C	St Angelo [Co.Fermanagh]
Lowest maximum	
8.2C	Spadeadam [Cumbria]
Lowest minimum	
-2.0 C	Redesdale [Northumberland]
Lowest grass minimum	
-6.0 C	Hurn Airport [Dorset]
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
1.4mm	Lerwick [Shetland]
Most sun	
9.7hrs	Guernsey Airport

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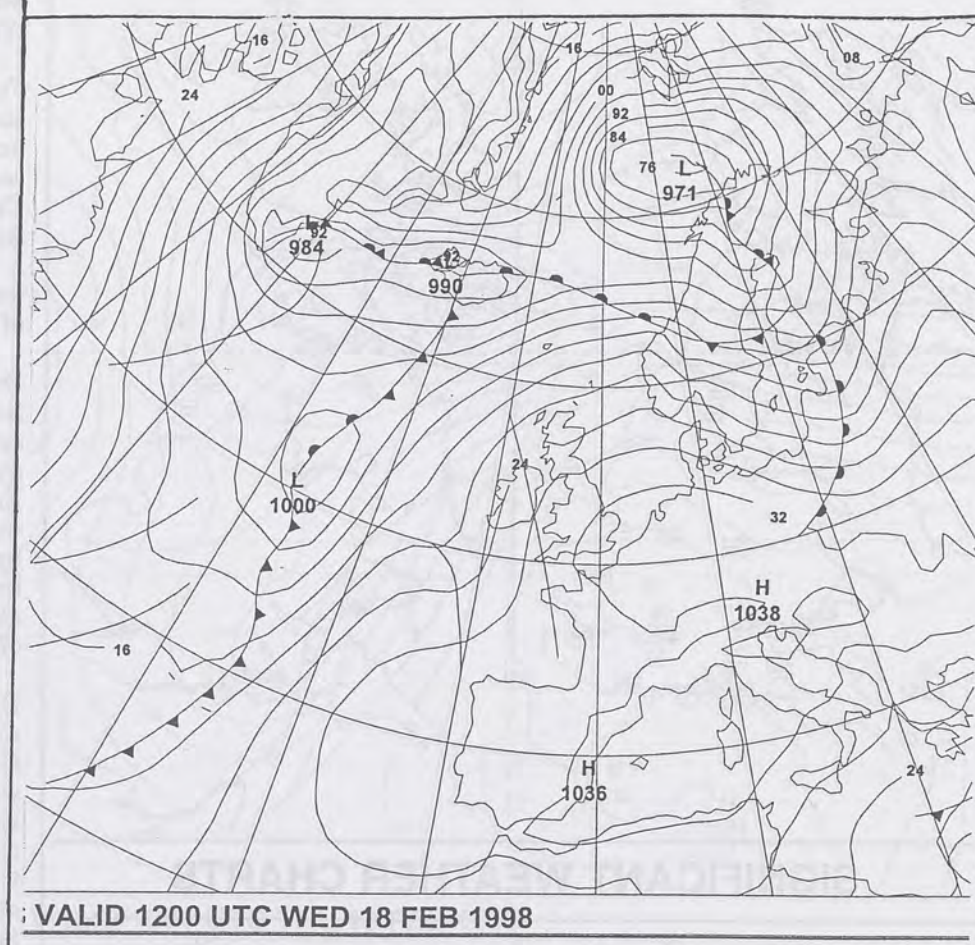
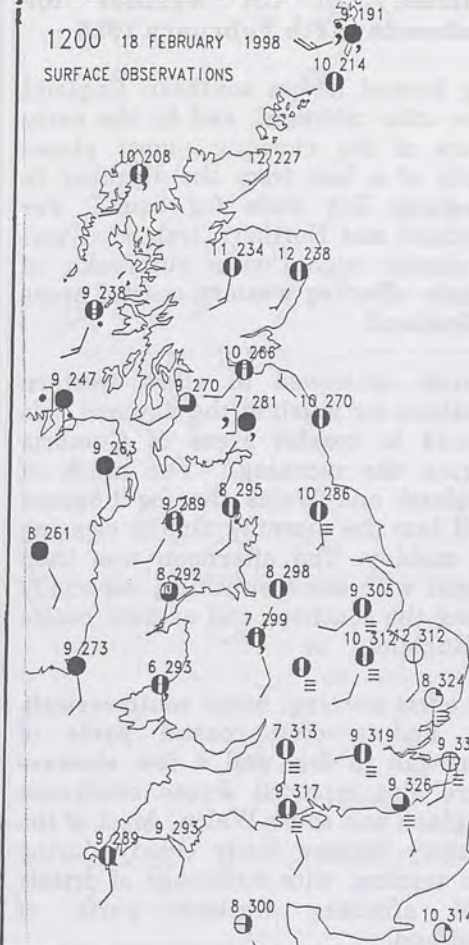
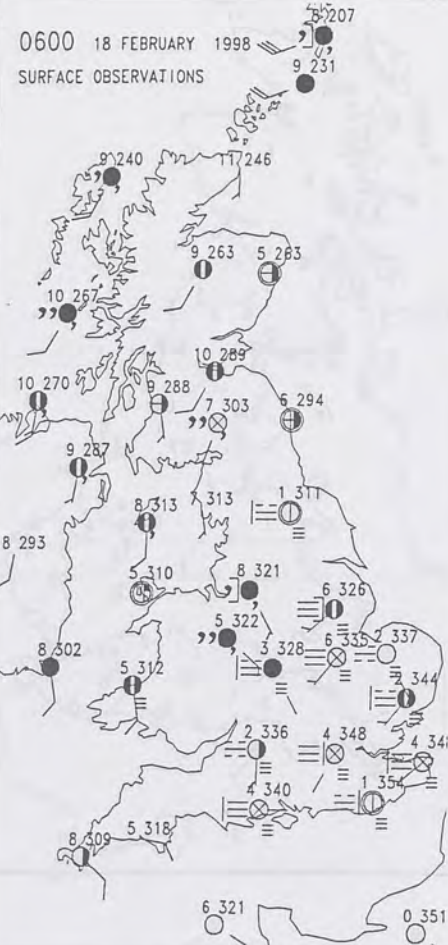
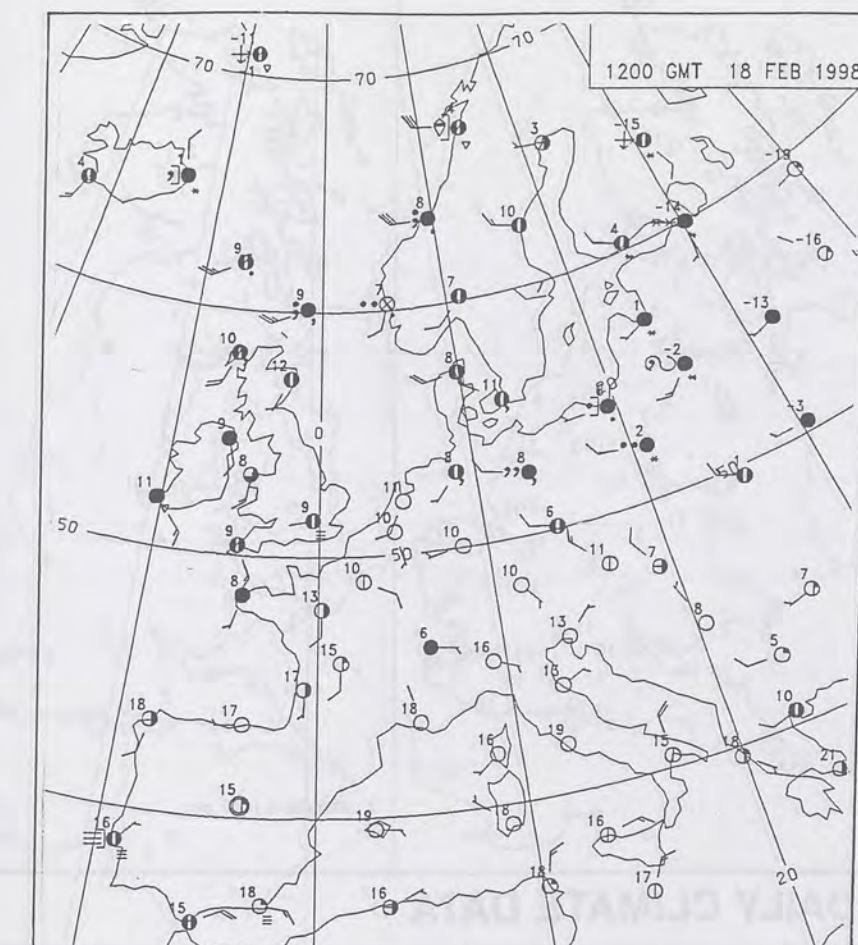
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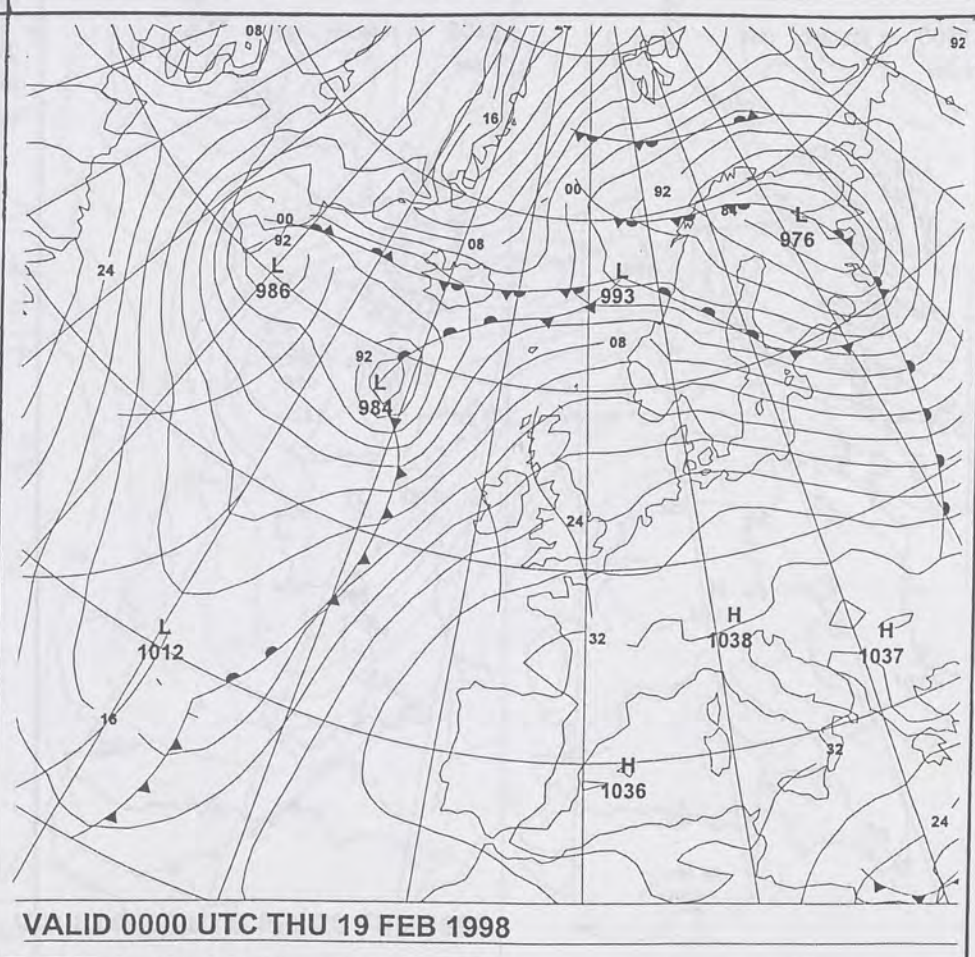
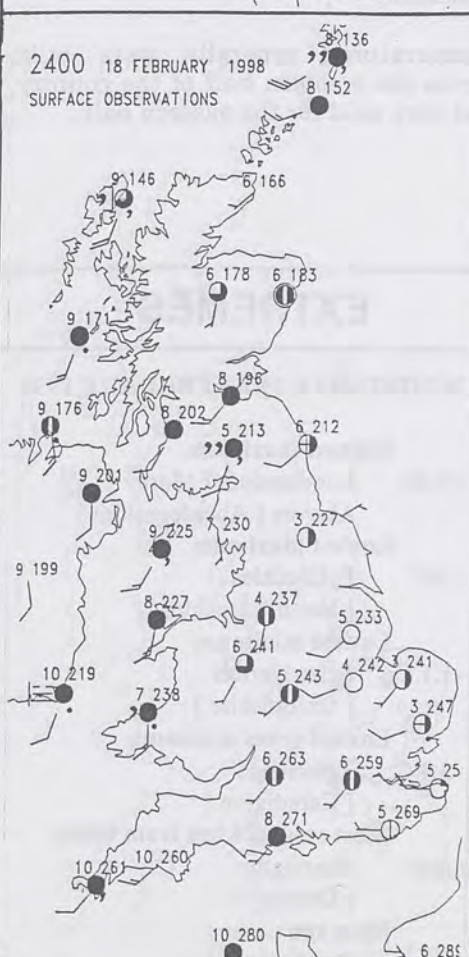
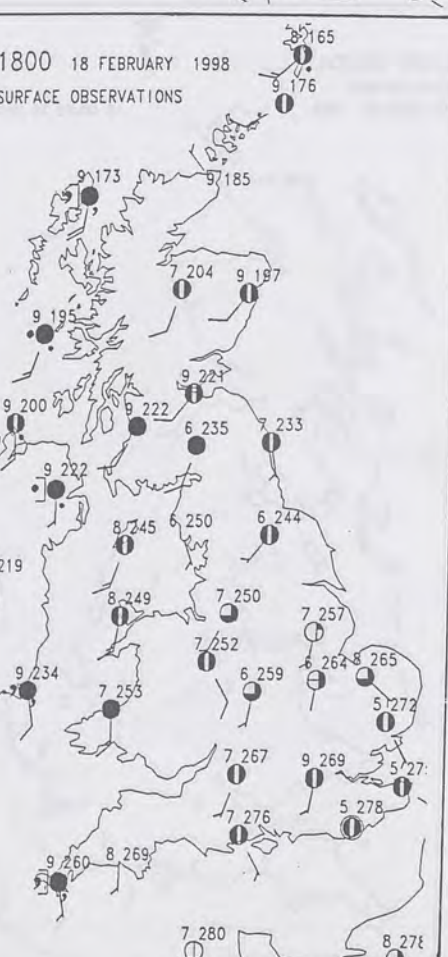
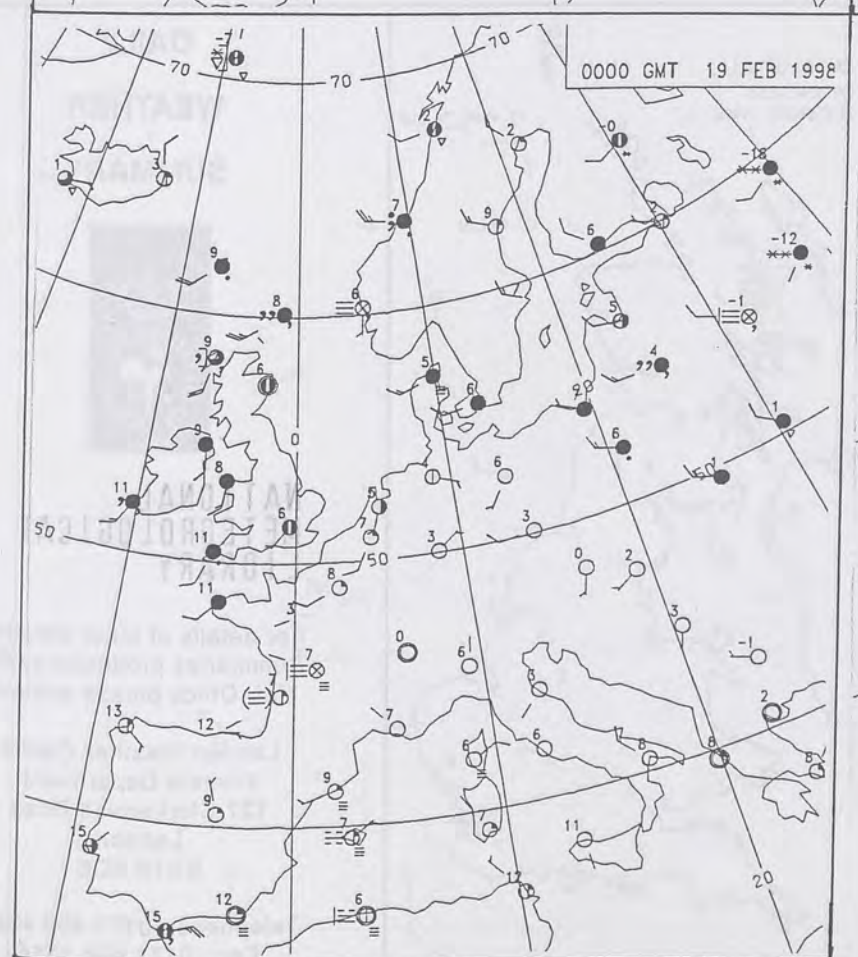
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Summary of UK weather for
Wednesday 18th February 1998

Fog formed across southern England soon after midnight, and by the early hours of the morning most places south of a line from the Humber to Cardigan Bay were fog bound. For Scotland and Northern Ireland it was a cloudy night with outbreaks of drizzle affecting western coastal areas of Scotland.

Drizzle continued to affect western Scotland for much of the day and this spread to coastal areas of Cumbria during the morning. For much of England and Wales the fog lingered well into the morning, finally clearing by midday. The afternoon was then bright with some sunshine, especially along the southern and eastern coasts of England.

By early evening, moist southwesterly air had covered coastal parts of Cornwall in fog, and a few showers were also reported across southwest England and south Wales. Most of the country became fairly cloudy during the evening, with outbreaks of drizzle still affecting western parts of Scotland.

Temperatures generally were mild across the western half of the country and very mild for the eastern half.

EXTREMES

WEDNESDAY 18th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
13.8C Lossiemouth [Moray]
Aboyne [Aberdeenshire]

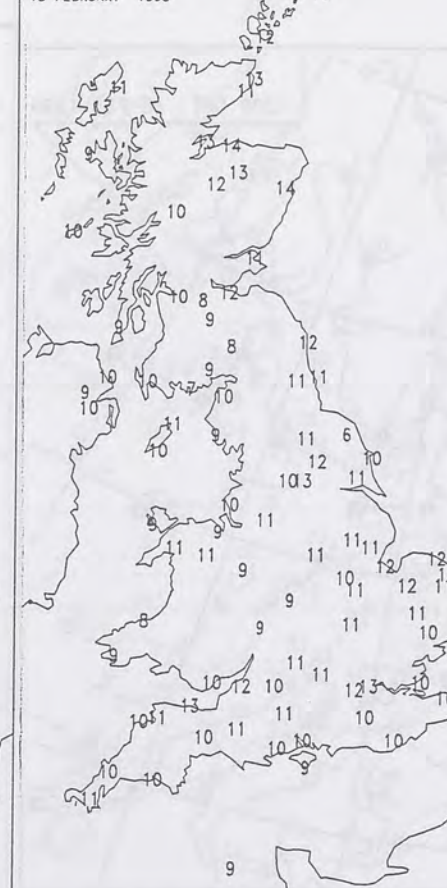
Lowest maximum
5.9C Fylingdales
[North Yorkshire]

Lowest minimum
-1.1 C Brize Norton
[Oxfordshire]

Lowest grass minimum
-5.4 C Trawscoed
[Ceredigion]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
1.4mm Burrington
[Devon]

Most sun
8.5hrs Eastbourne
[East Sussex]

NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
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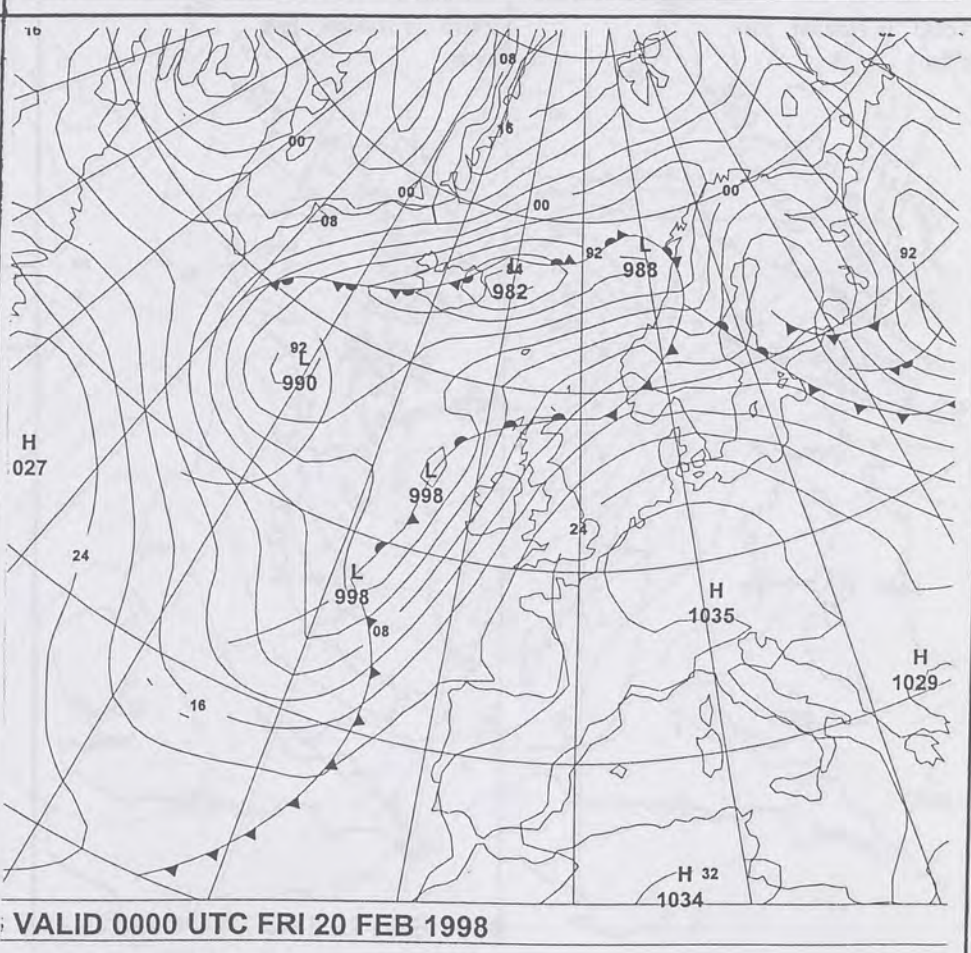
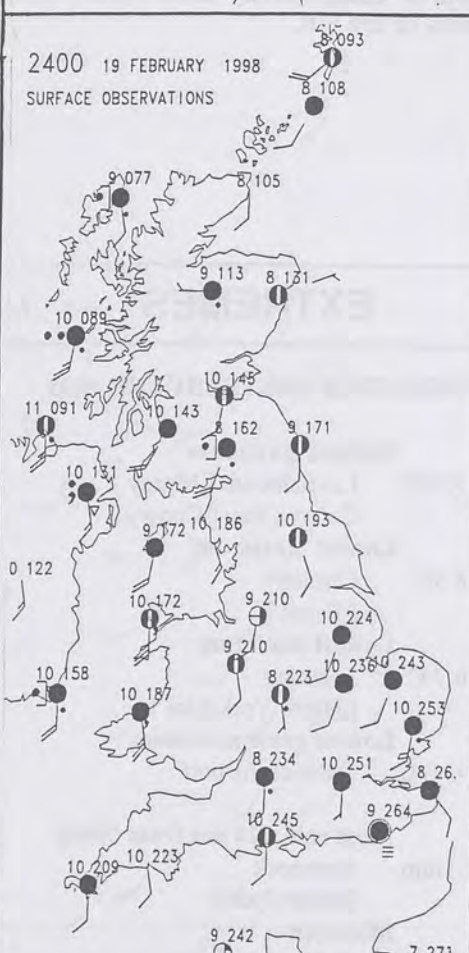
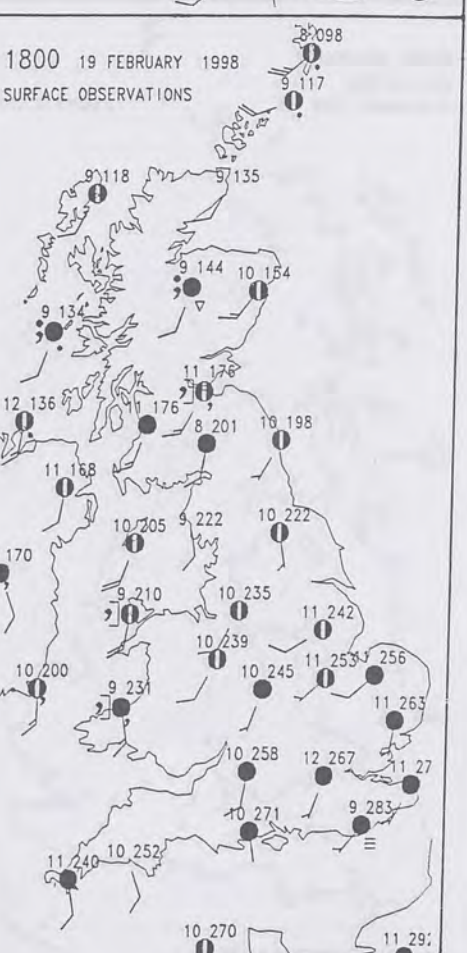
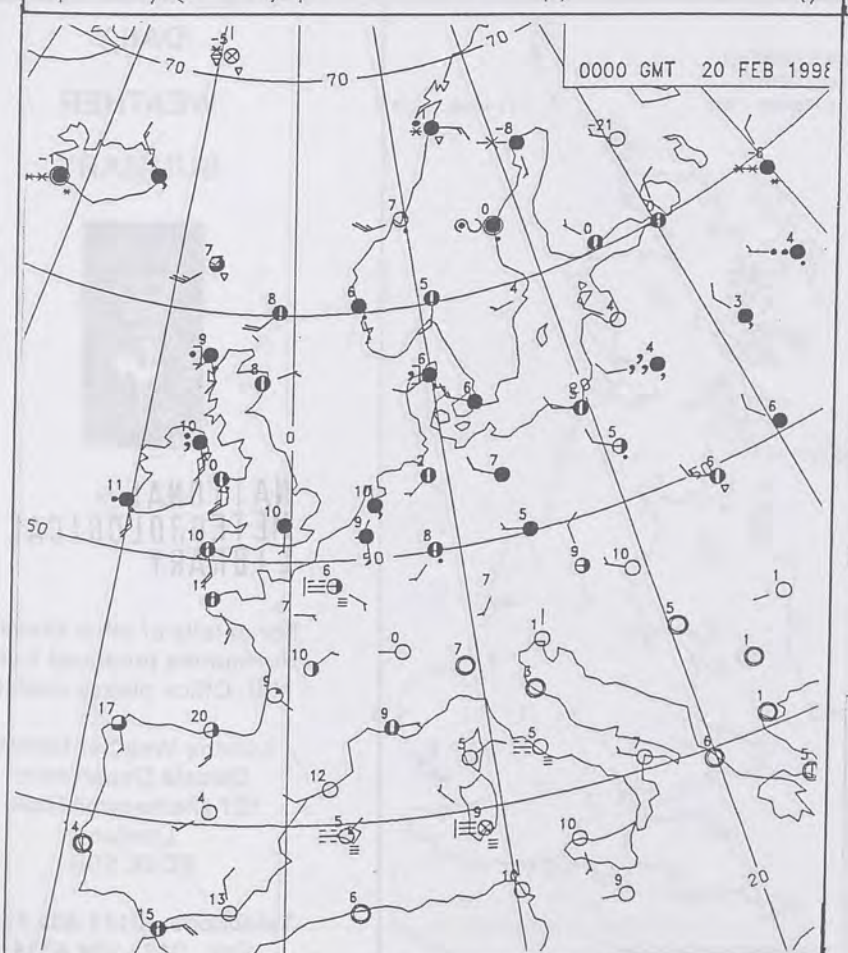
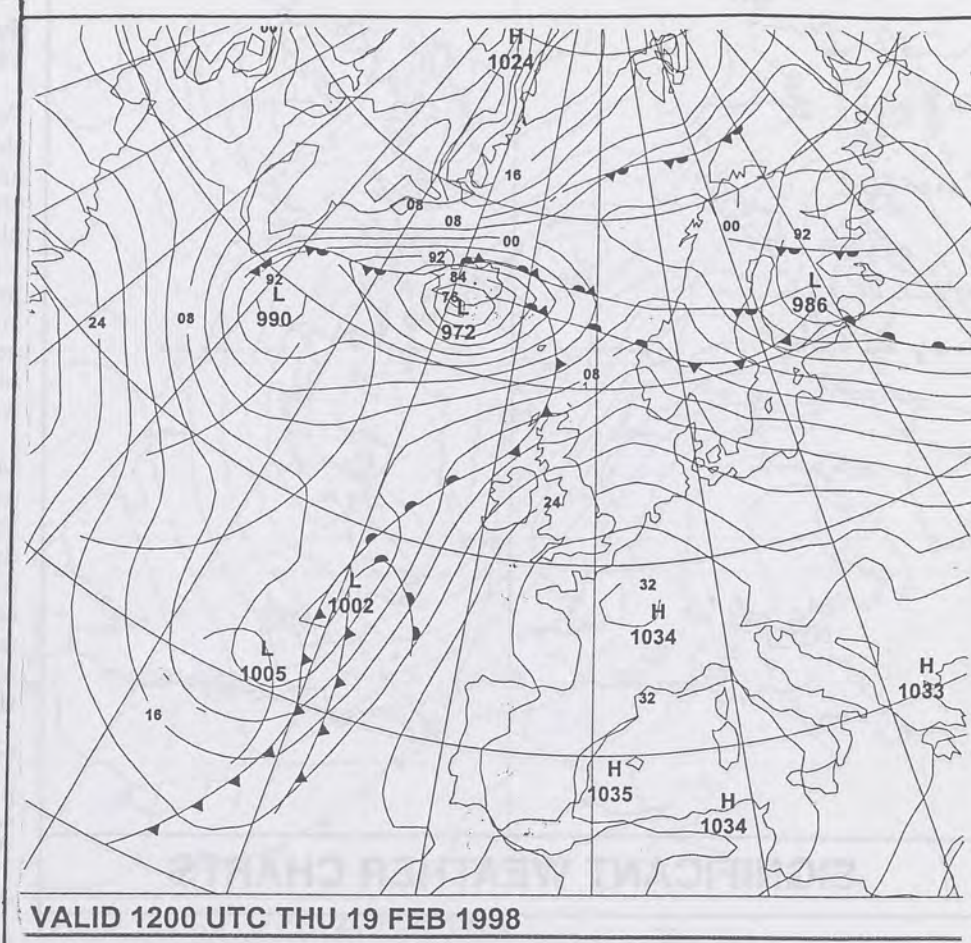
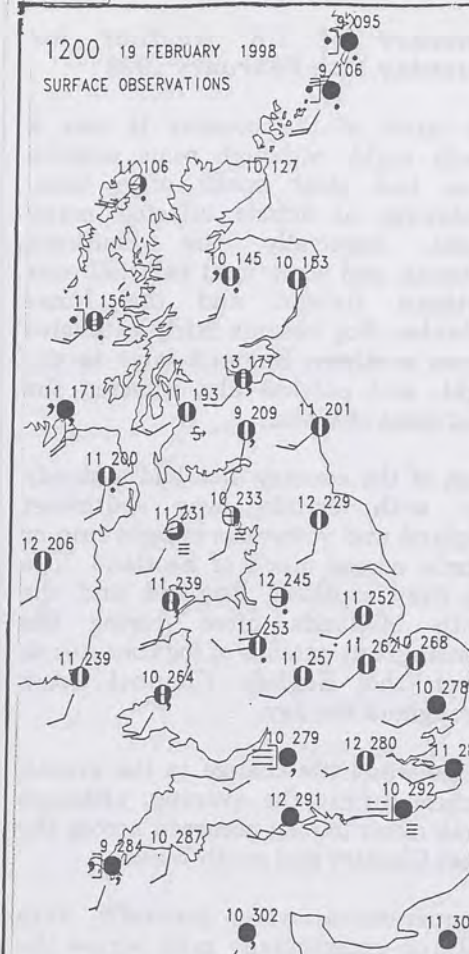
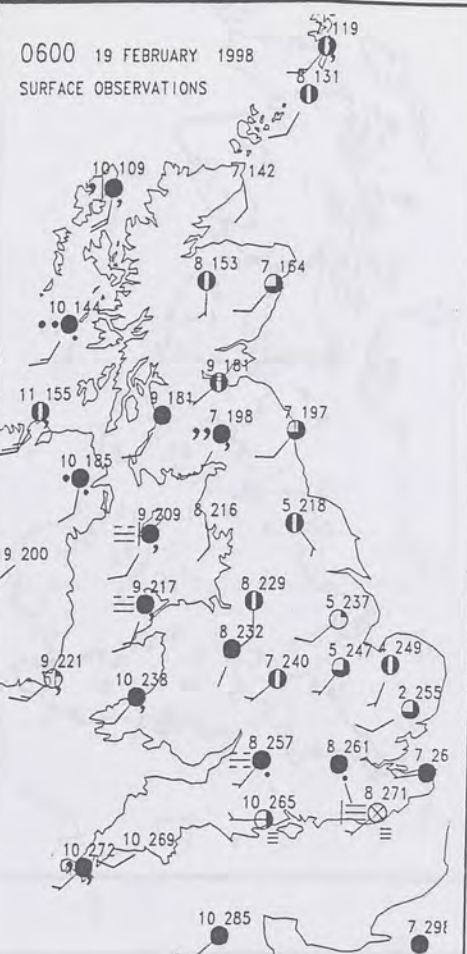
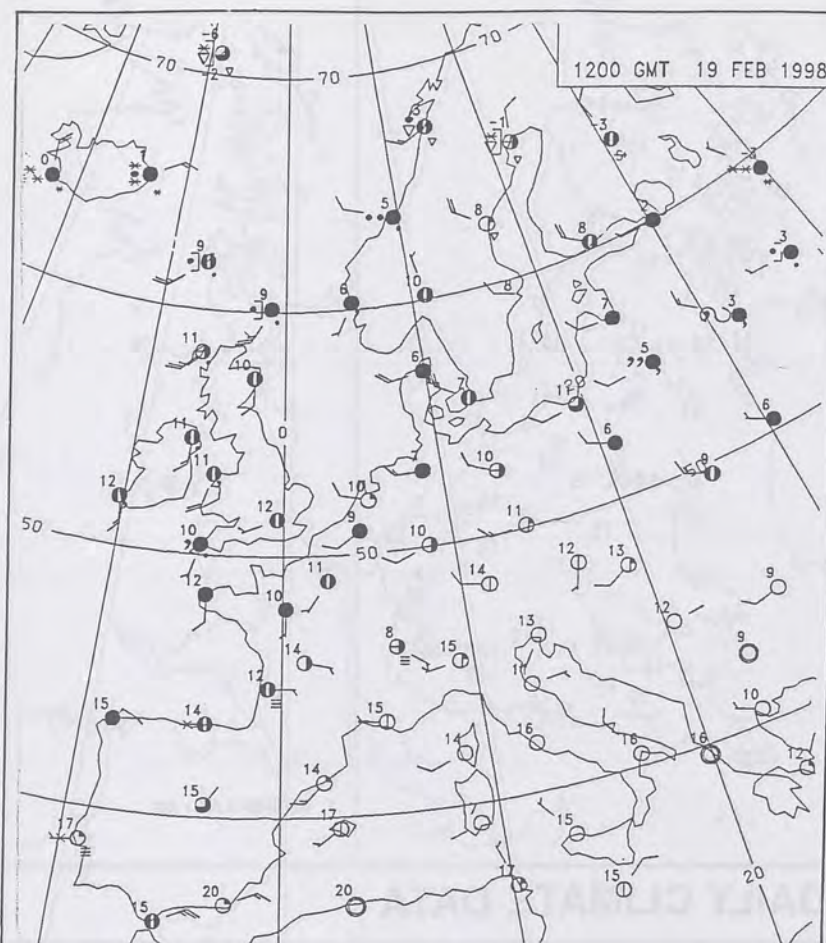
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Summary of UK weather for
Thursday 19th February 1998

For much of the country it was a cloudy night, although some eastern areas had clear spells of a time. Outbreaks of drizzle affected many places, especially the Southern Uplands, and some light rain fell over northern Ireland and the Inner Hebrides. Fog became fairly extensive across southern England later in the night, and patches also affected the west coast of Wales.

Most of the country also had a cloudy day with drizzle over southwest England and outbreaks of light rain or drizzle across much of Scotland. The fog over southern England and the south Midlands lifted during the morning, but patches of fog continue to affect the English Channel coast throughout the day.

There was little change in the overall picture during the evening, although some cloud breaks occurred across the West Country and south Wales.

Temperatures were generally very mild or exceptionally mild across the whole of the UK.

EXTREMES

THURSDAY 19th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
13.8C Lossiemouth [Moray]
Colwyn Bay [Conwy]

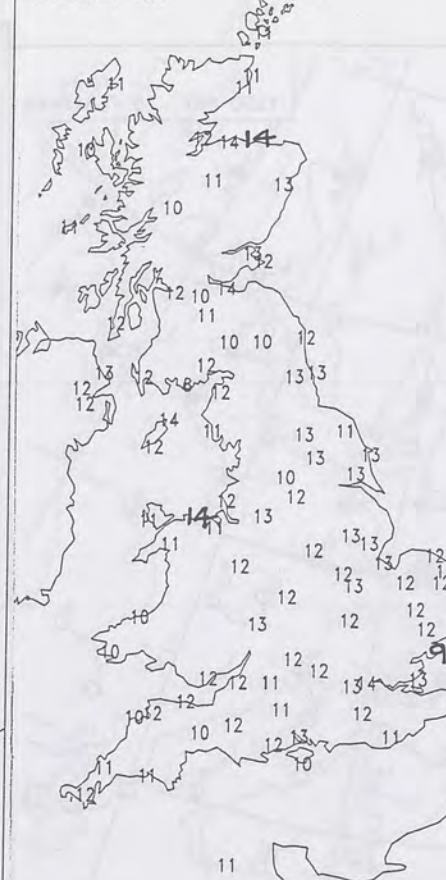
Lowest maximum
8.5C Clacton
[Essex]

Lowest minimum
0.7 C Leeming
[North Yorkshire]

Lowest grass minimum
-3.0 C Gatwick Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
21.1mm Greenock
[Inverclyde]

Most sun
5.3hrs Colwyn Bay and
Cromer [Norfolk]

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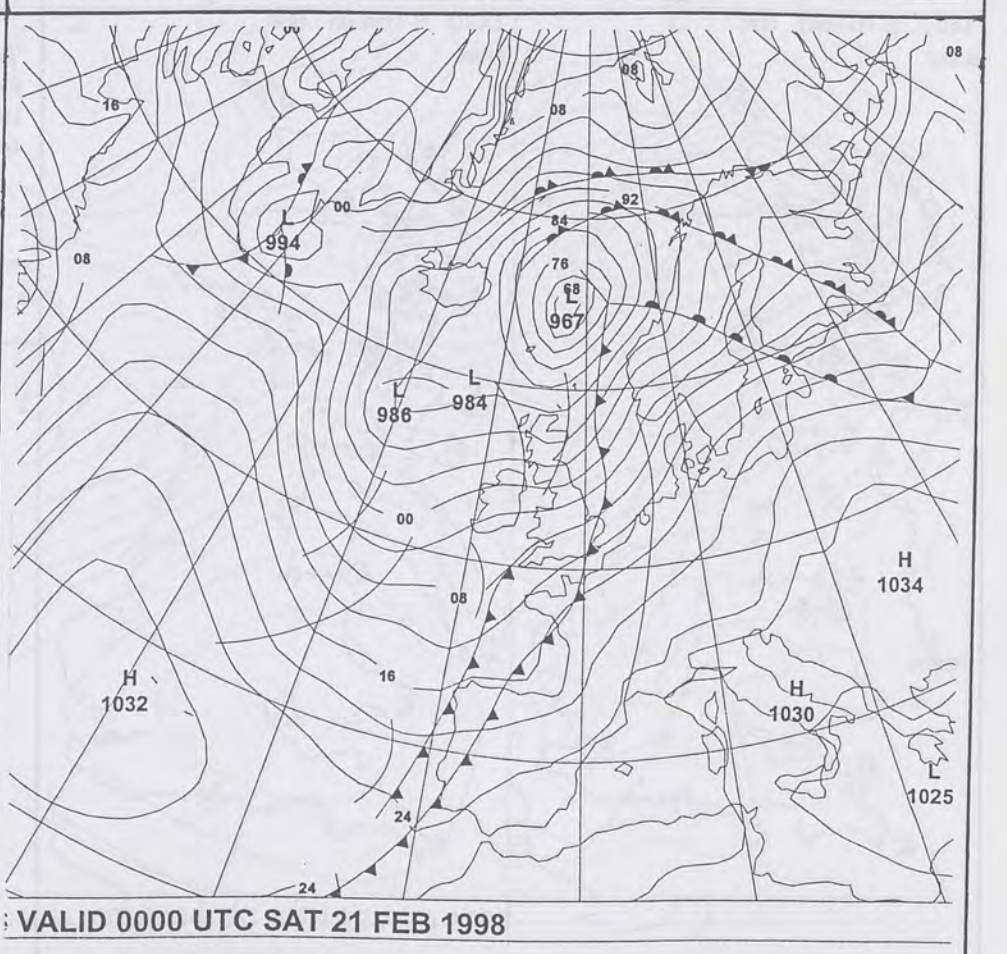
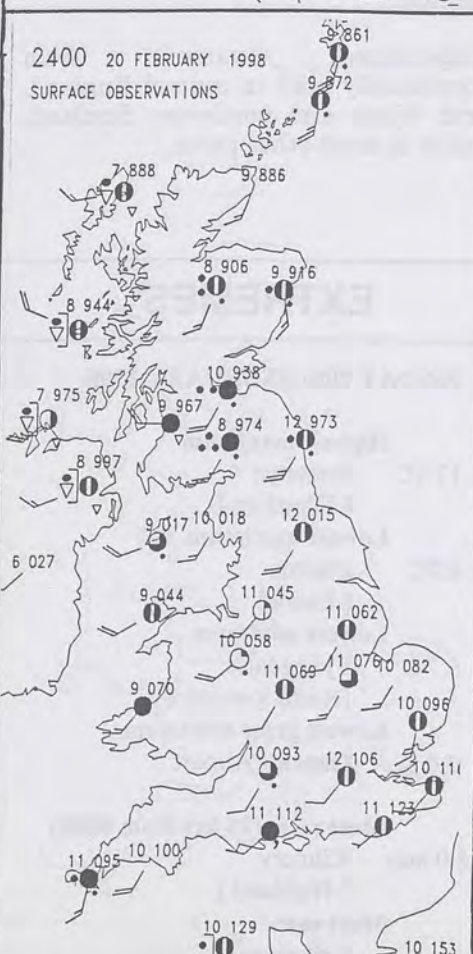
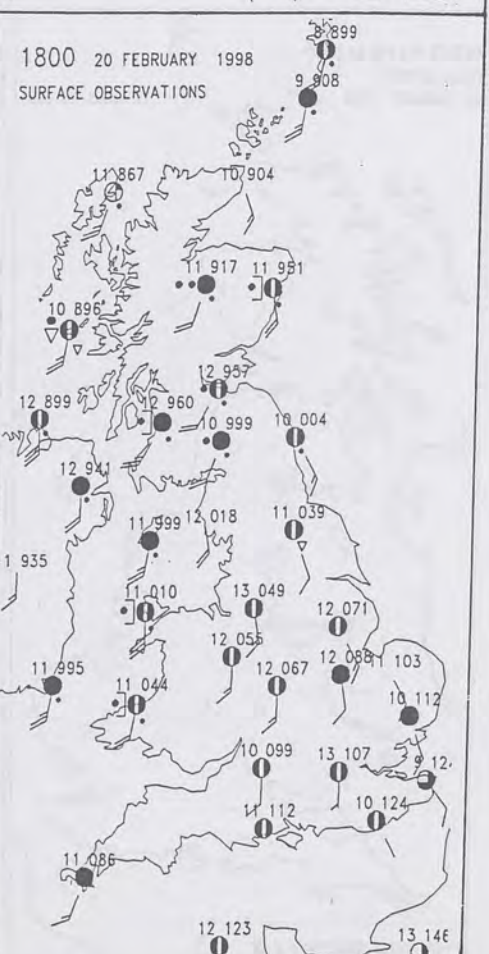
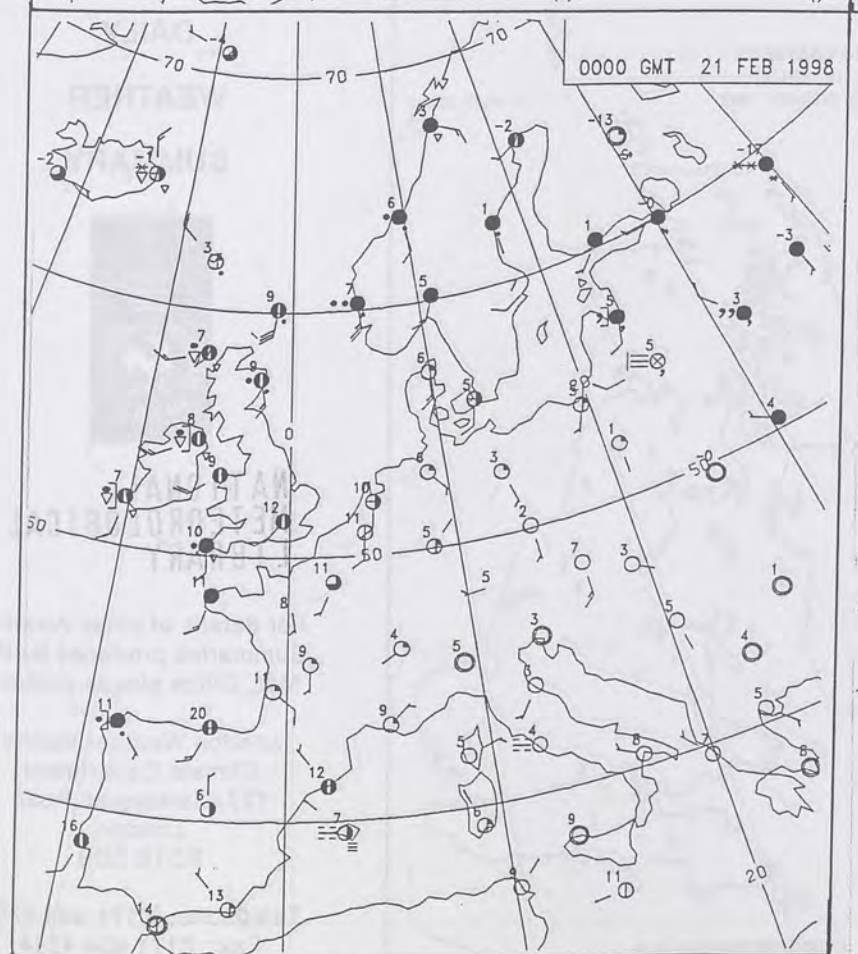
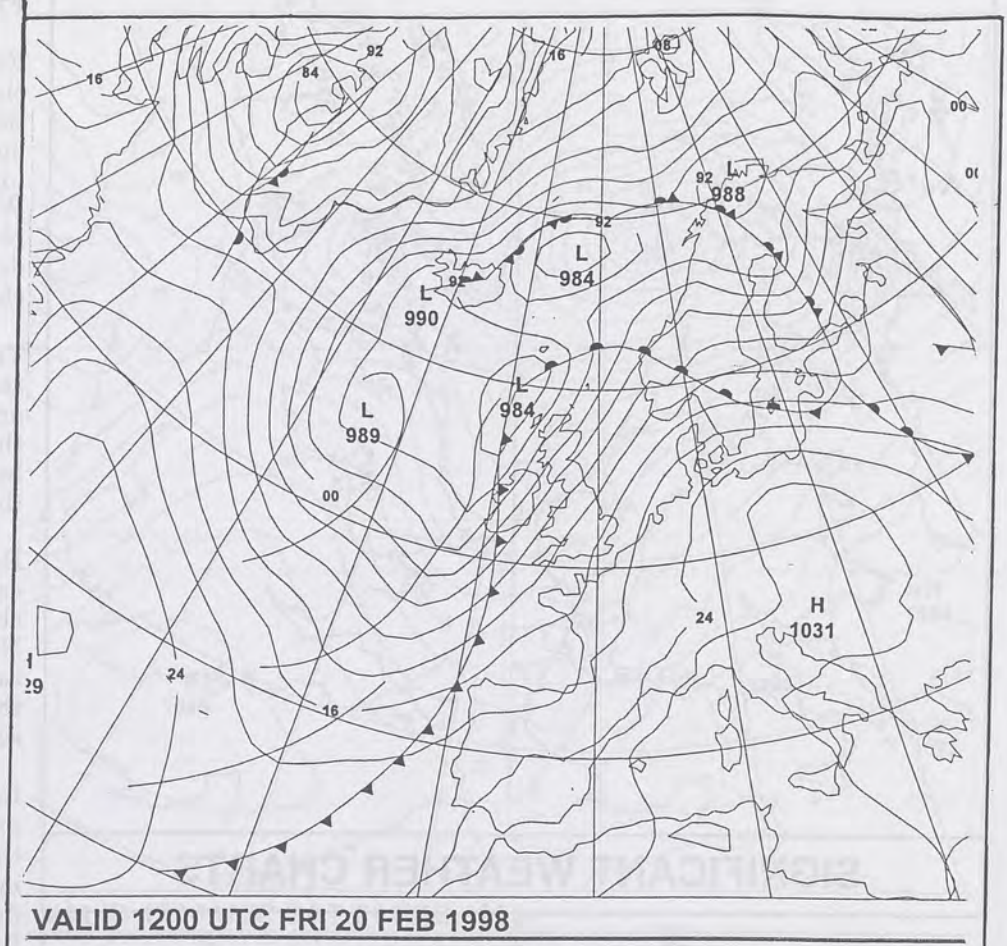
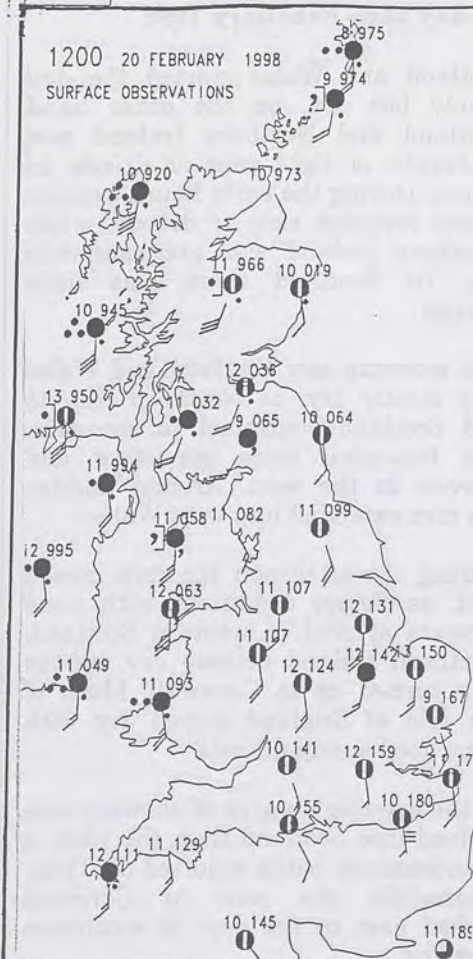
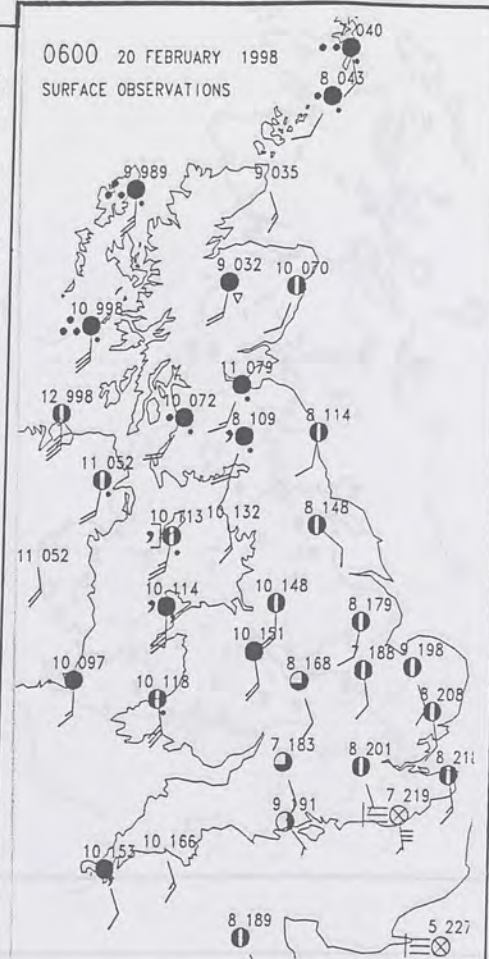
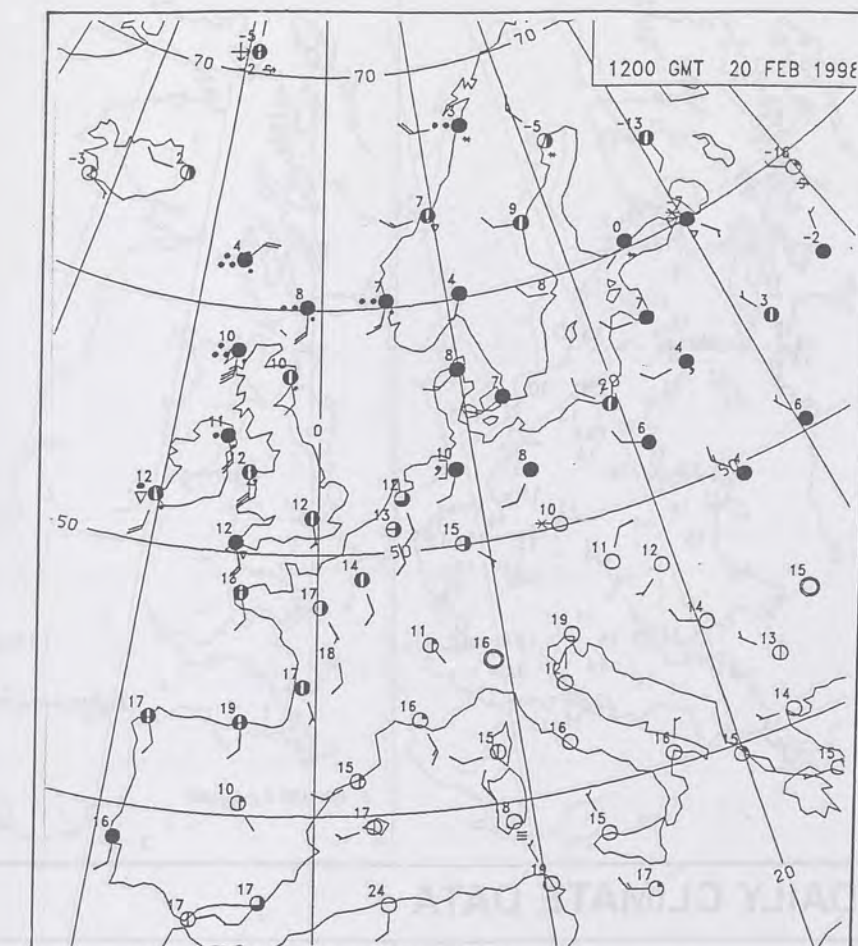
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Summary of UK weather for Friday 20th February 1998

England and Wales started the day cloudy but dry, on the other hand Scotland and Northern Ireland saw outbreaks of light rain or drizzle in places. During the early hours western Wales reported rain or drizzle, while Northern Ireland was predominately dry. In Scotland there was little change.

The morning saw England and Wales stay mostly dry, as Northern Ireland and Scotland continued to see rain, this becoming more persistent and heavier in the west. Around midday the rain extended into west Wales.

During the afternoon the rain moved east, as clearer conditions with some showers arrived in western Scotland. Northern Ireland became dry, as the rain turned up in Cornwall. Much of the rest of England stayed dry with some good sunny periods.

In the evening an area of showery rain arrived into Scotland from the west, a thunderstorm being reported on Tiree, meanwhile the rain in Cornwall drifted east to the rest of southwest England.

Temperatures varied from exceptionally mild in central England, north Wales and northwest Scotland, to mild in most other parts.

EXTREMES

FRIDAY 20th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
17.1C	Prestatyn [Flintshire]
Lowest maximum	
8.7C	Clacton [Essex]
Lowest minimum	
5.7C	Fylingdales [North Yorkshire]
Lowest grass minimum	
2.0C	Gatwick Airport
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
18.0 mm	Kilmory [Highland]
Most sun	
6.3hrs	Folkestone [Kent]

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NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
20 FEBRUARY 1998



DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
20 FEBRUARY 1998



SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
20 FEBRUARY 1998



DAILY CLIMATE DATA

NIGHT RAINFALL
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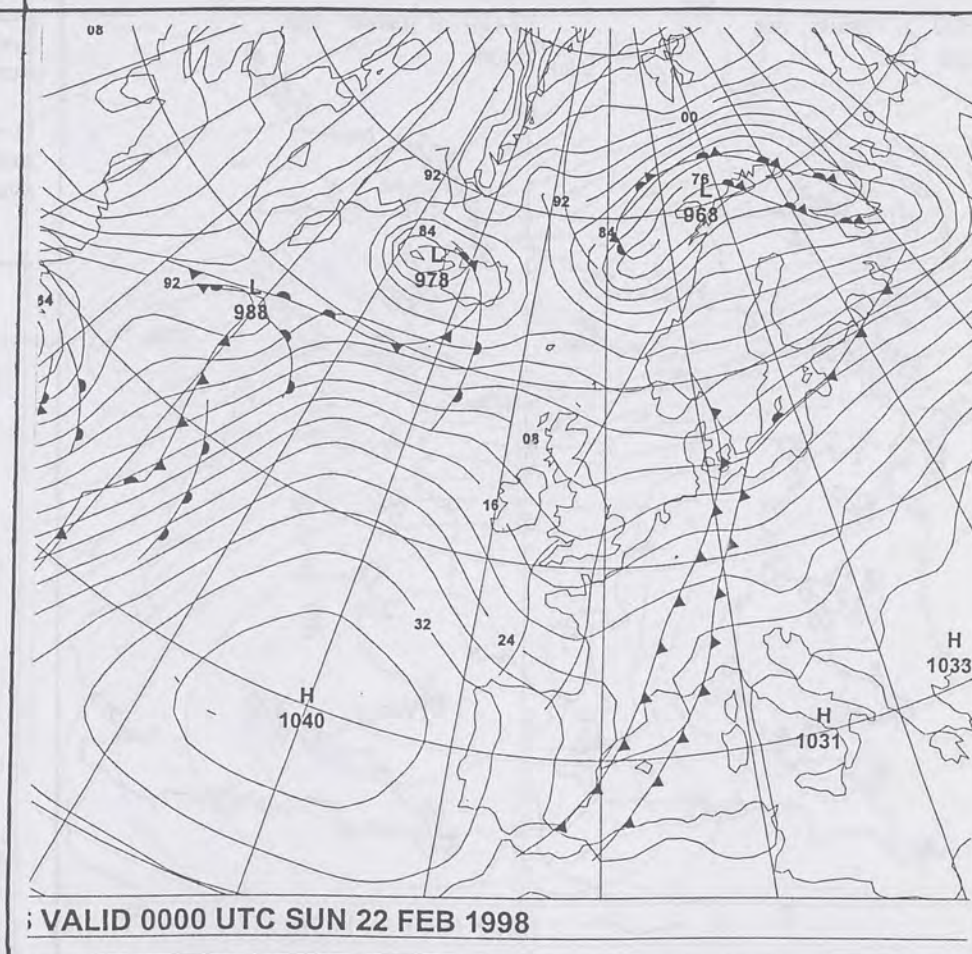
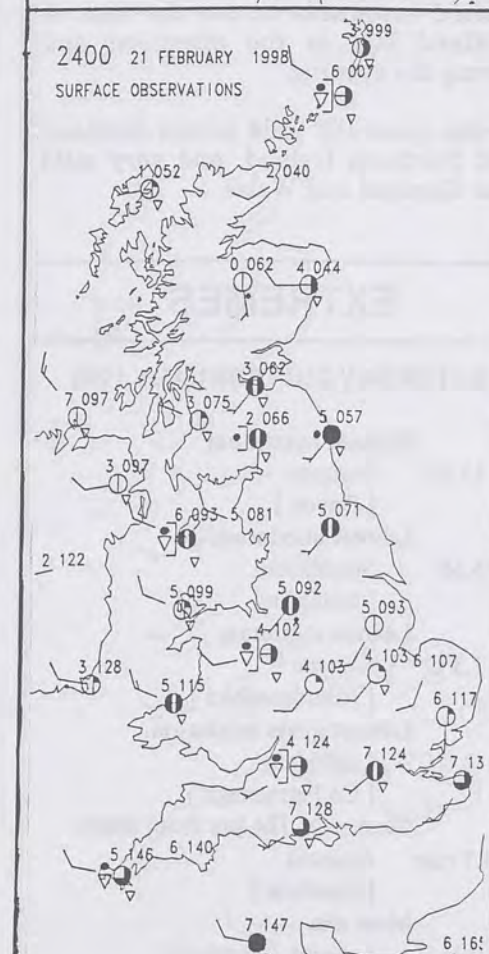
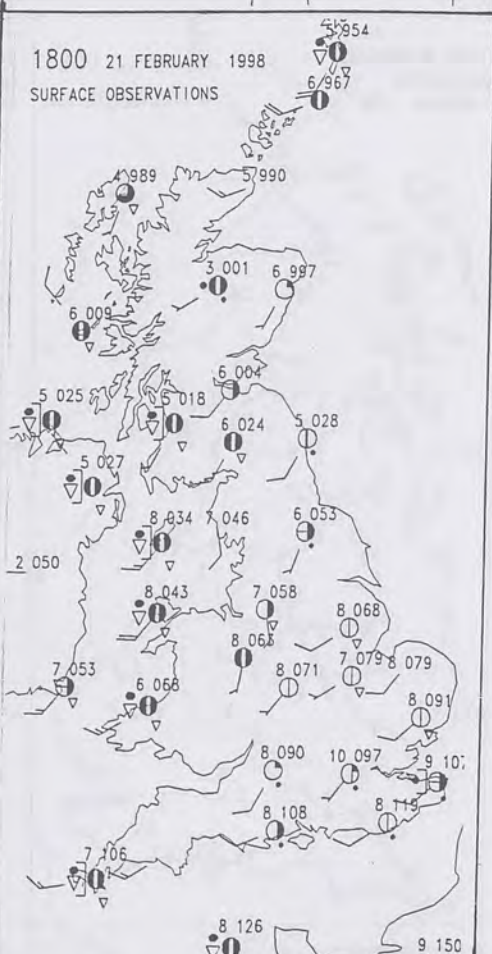
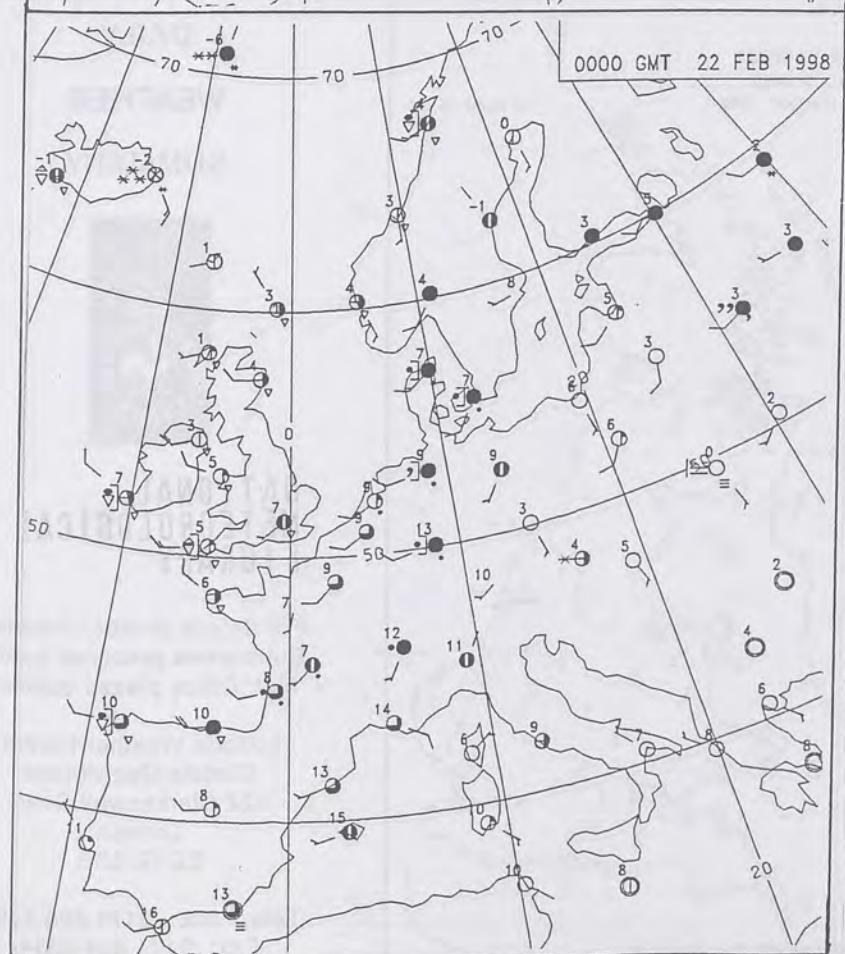
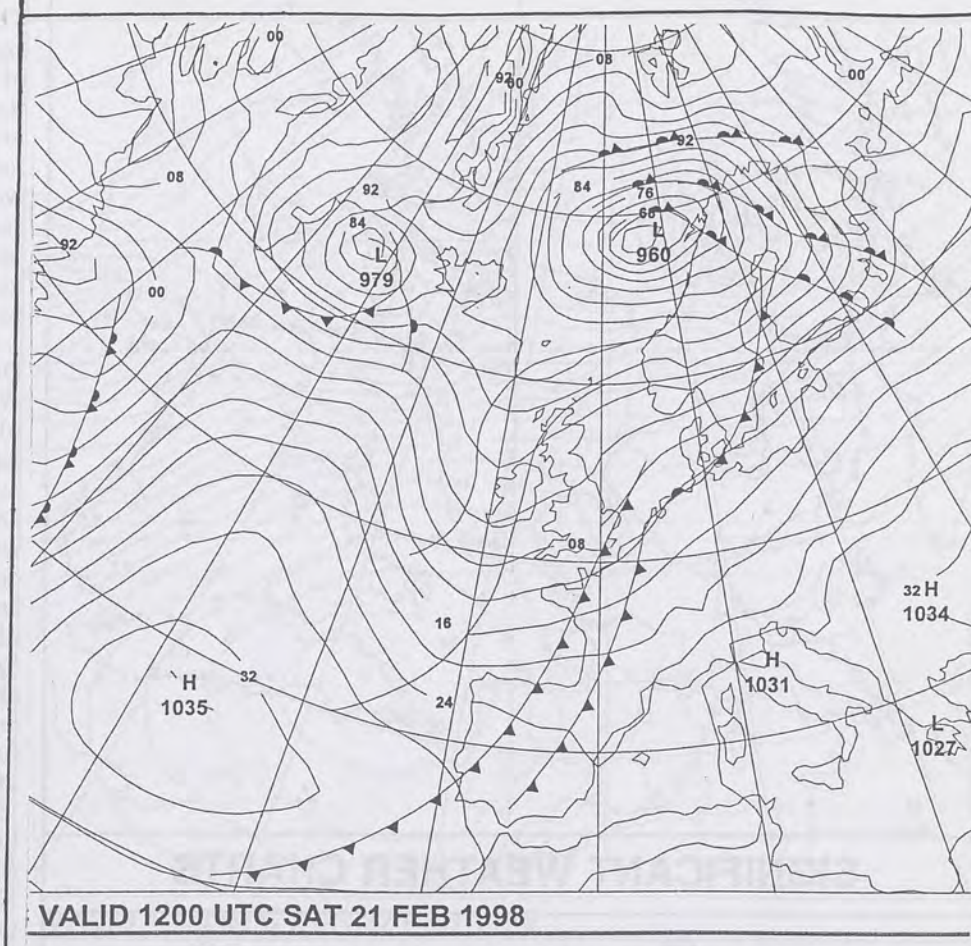
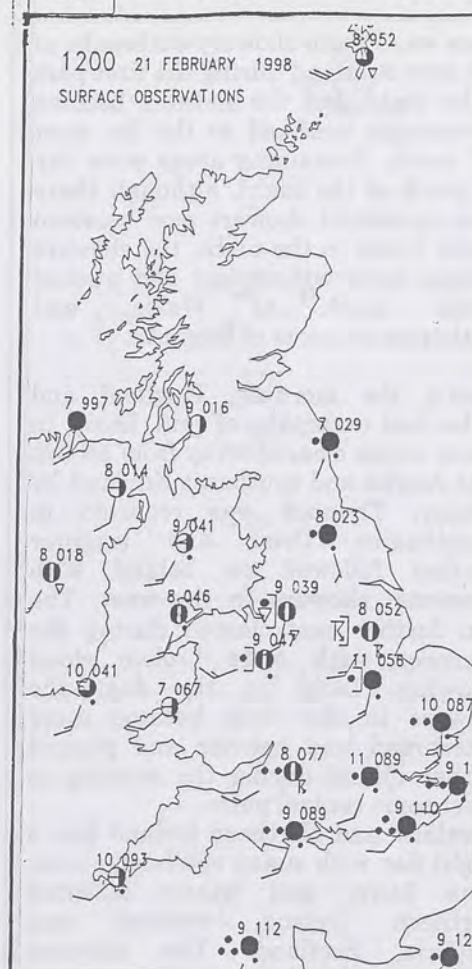
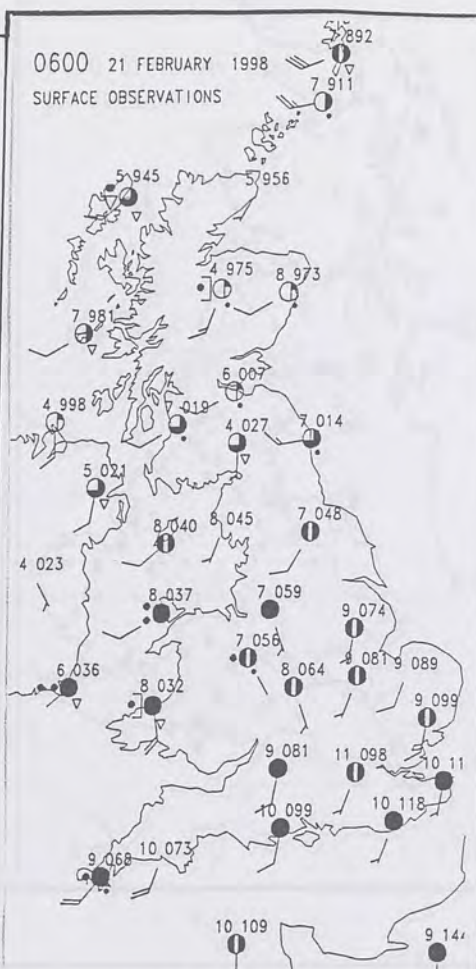
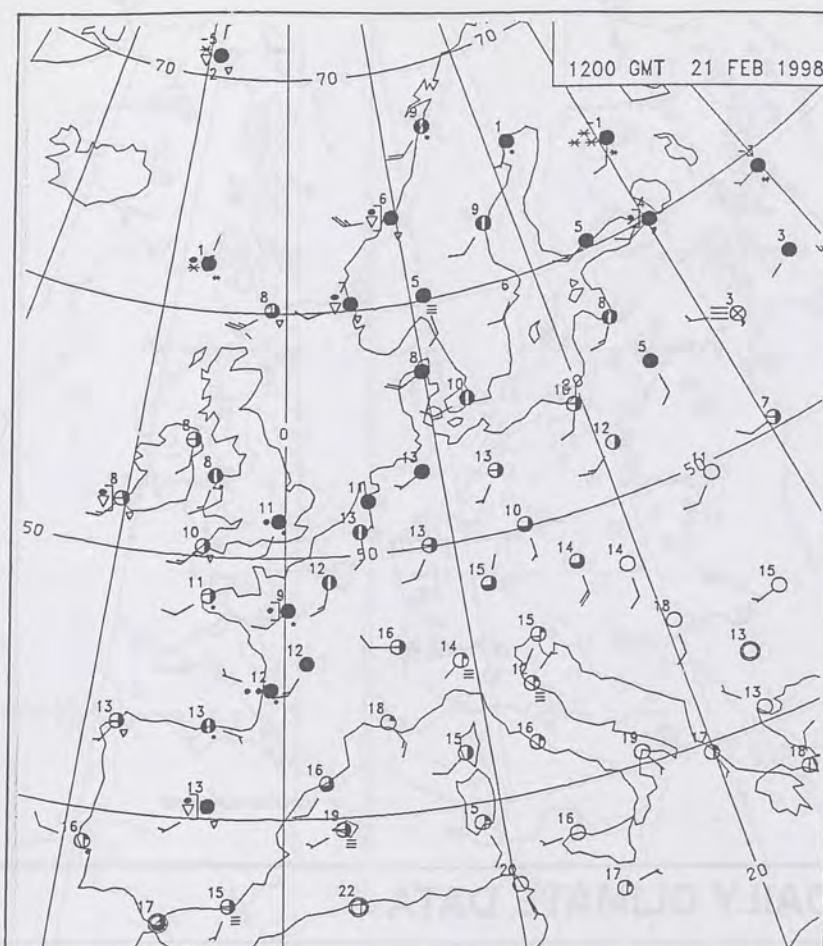
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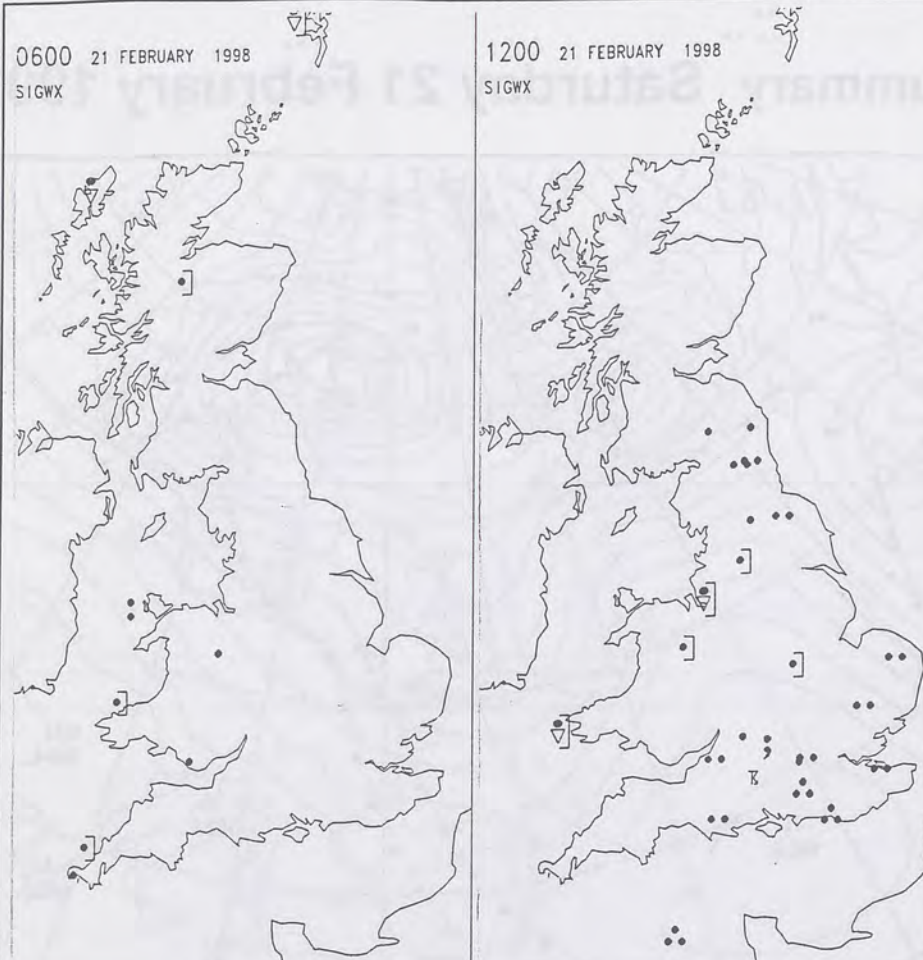
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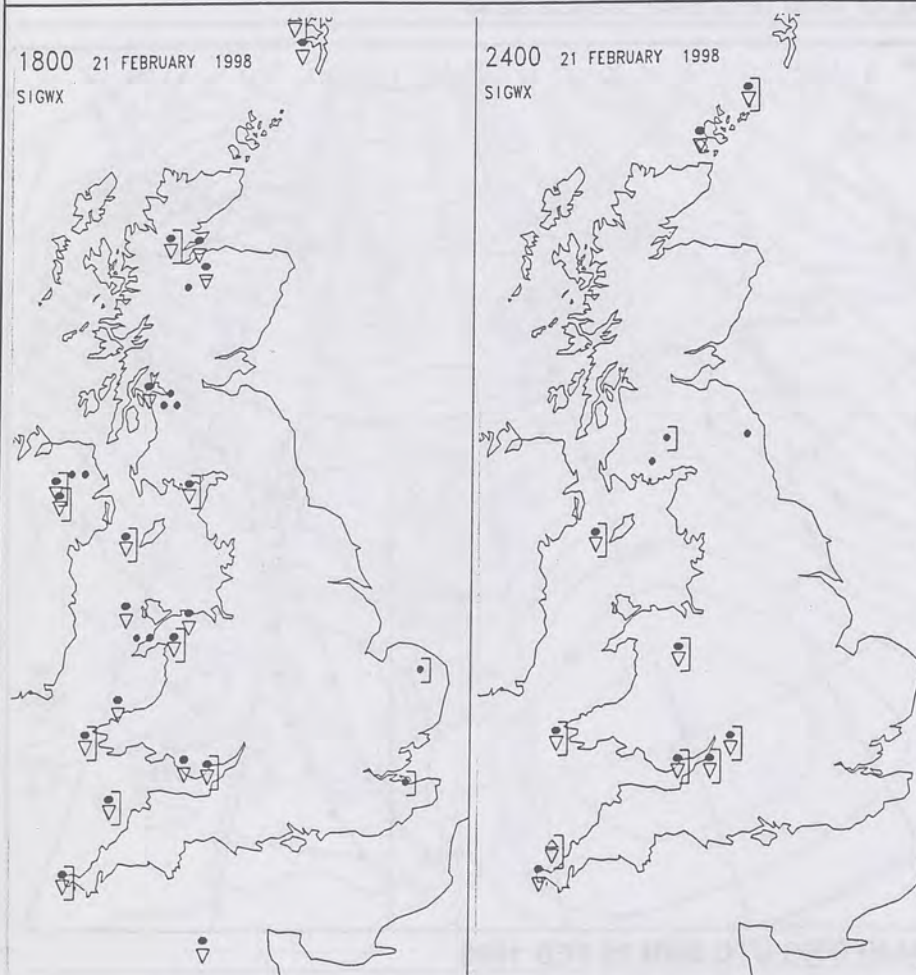


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Summary of UK weather for Saturday 21st February 1998

There were some showery outbreaks of rain over Scotland during the first part of the night, but the showers became increasingly confined to the far west and north. Remaining areas were dry for much of the night, although there were occasional showers near western coasts. Later in the night, the showers became more widespread and pushed across much of Wales, and southernmost parts of England.

During the morning, England and Wales had outbreaks of rain, heavy in places which cleared away from all but East Anglia and southeast England by midday. Thunder was reported in Lincolnshire. Drier and brighter weather followed on behind with occasional showers in the west. The rain further east cleared during the afternoon with more broken cloud following. Later in the day, the showers in the west became more widespread and heavier and pushed further inland during the evening to affect some central parts.

Scotland and Northern Ireland had a bright day with sunny spells. Showers, some heavy and wintry, affected Northern Ireland, western and northern Scotland. The showers pushed eastwards across the rest of Scotland late in the afternoon and during the evening.

It was generally mild across Scotland and Northern Ireland, and very mild over England and Wales.

EXTREMES

SATURDAY 21st FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
13.2C	Torquay [Devon]
Lowest maximum	
5.5C	Spadeadam [Cumbria]
Lowest minimum	
1.5 C	Aboyne [Aberdeenshire]
Lowest grass minimum	
-2.0 C	Castlederg [Co.Fermanagh]
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
14.7 mm	Aspatia [Cumbria]
Most sun	
6.1hrs	Lerwick [Shetland] and Fair Isle

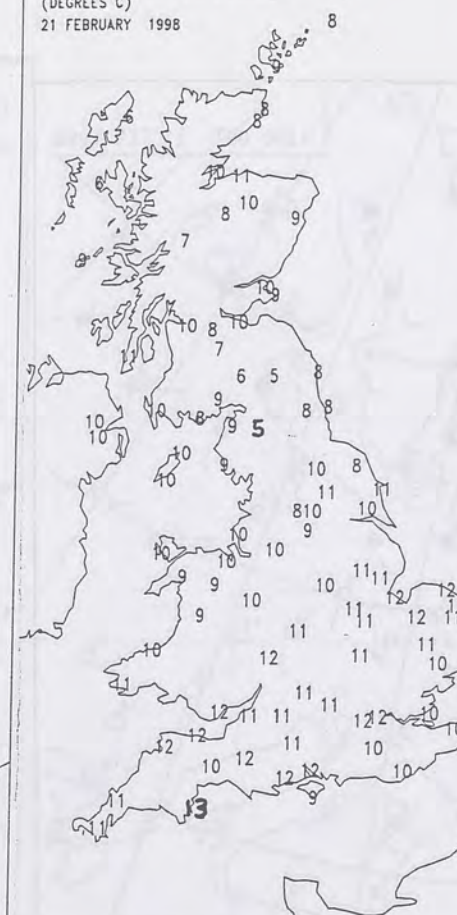
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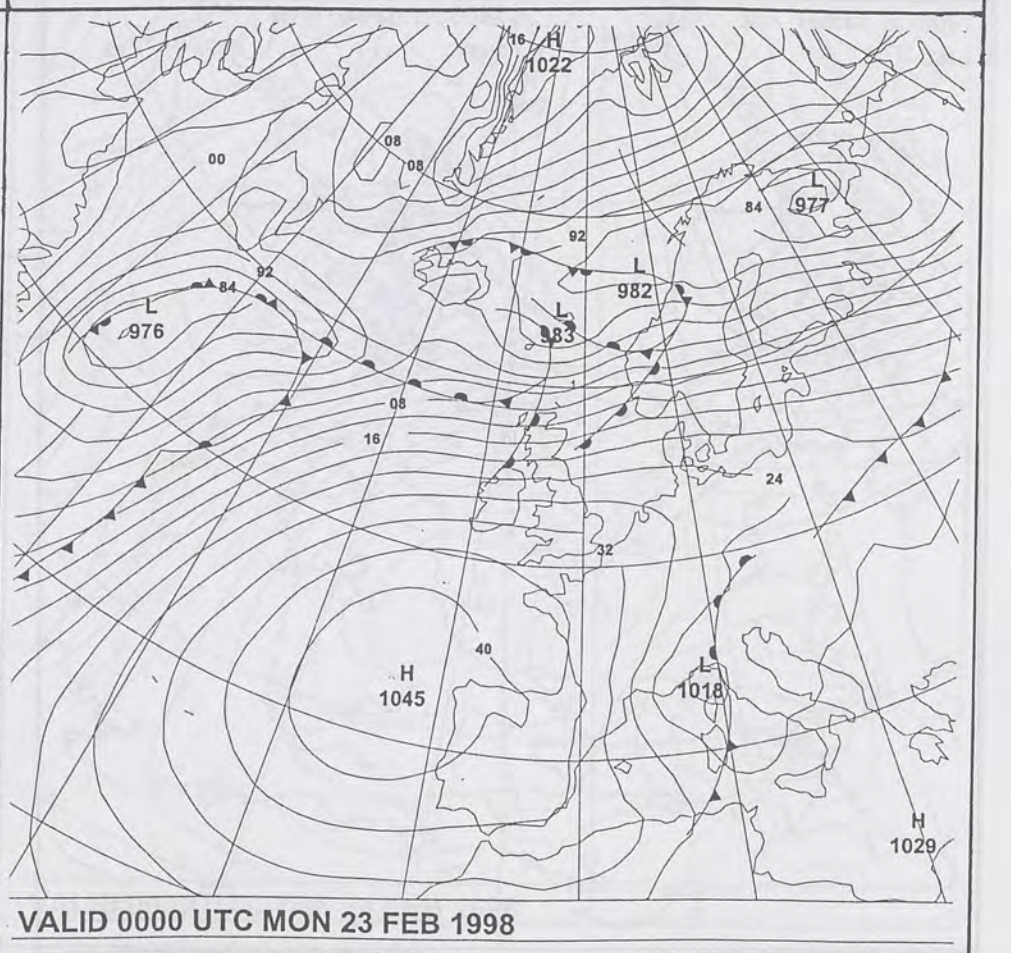
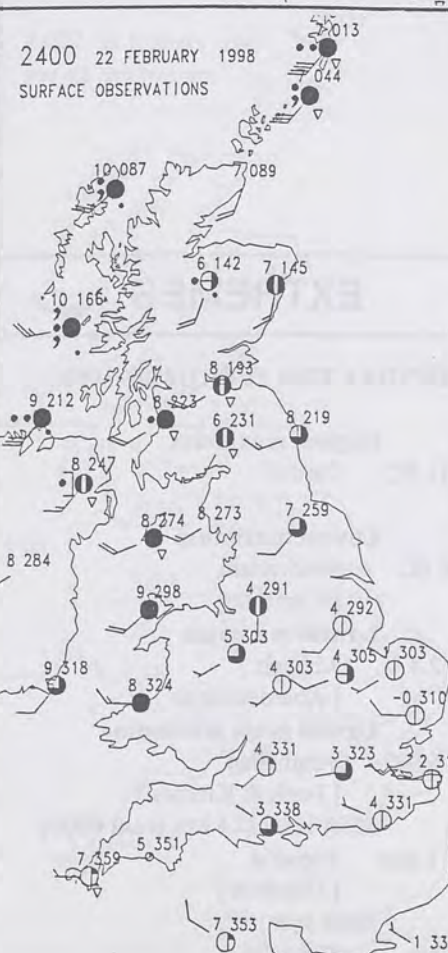
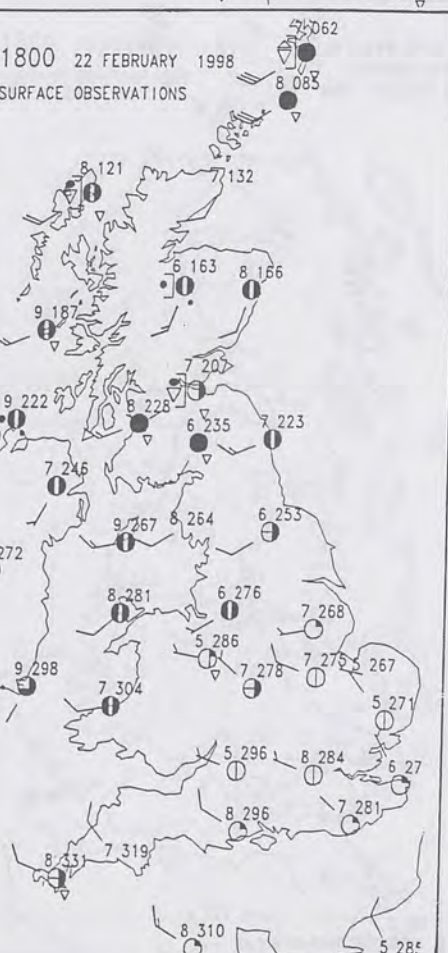
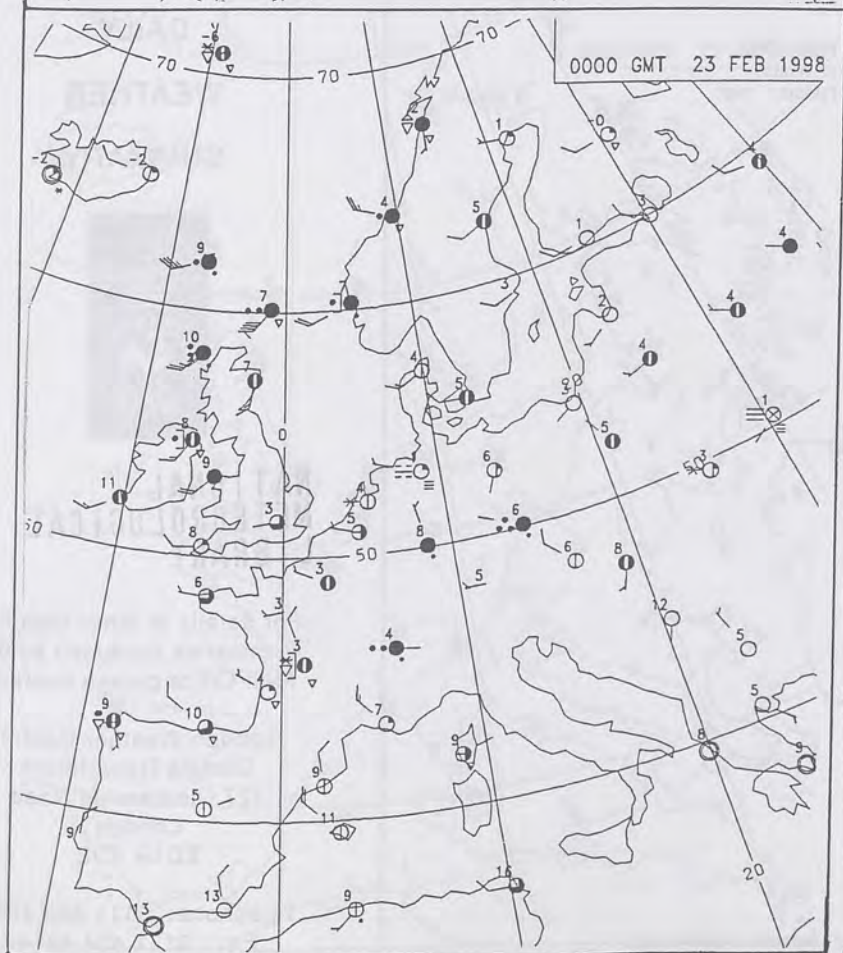
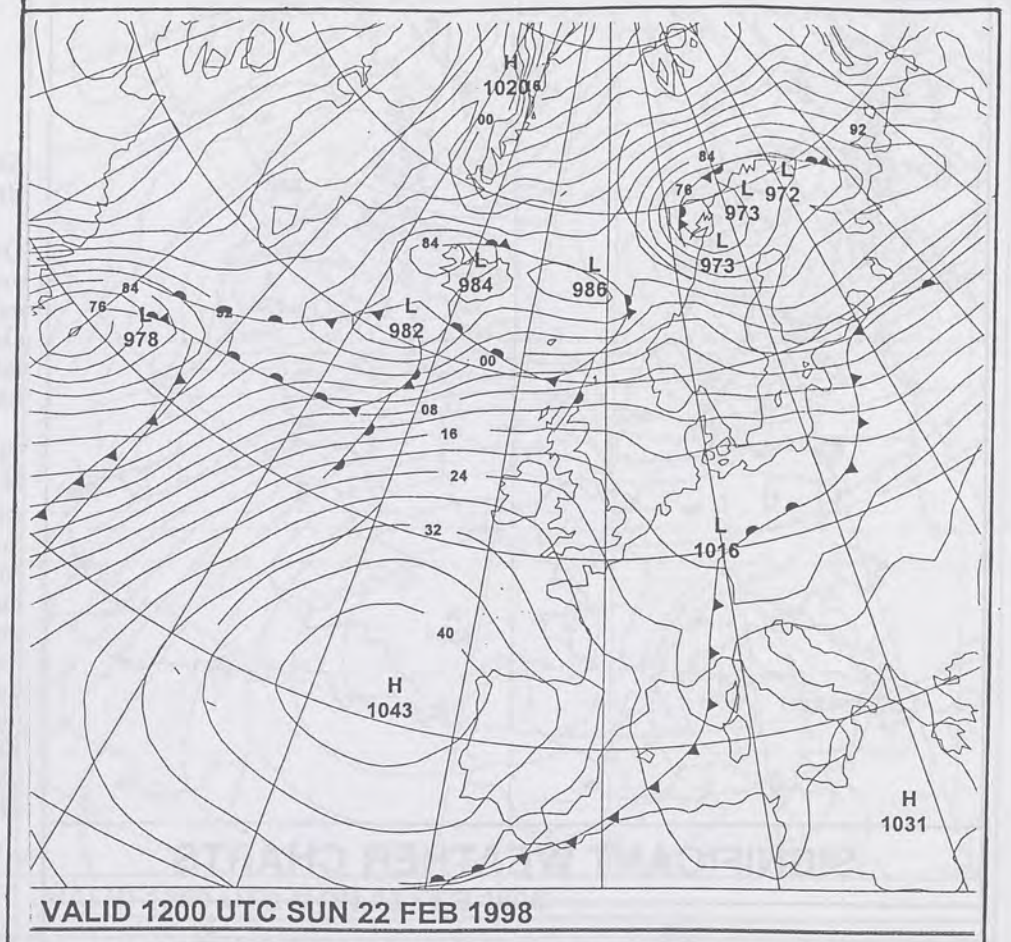
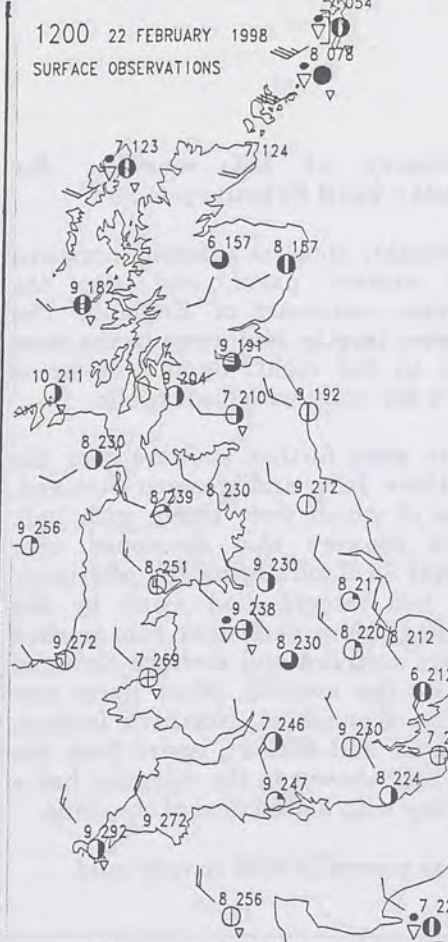
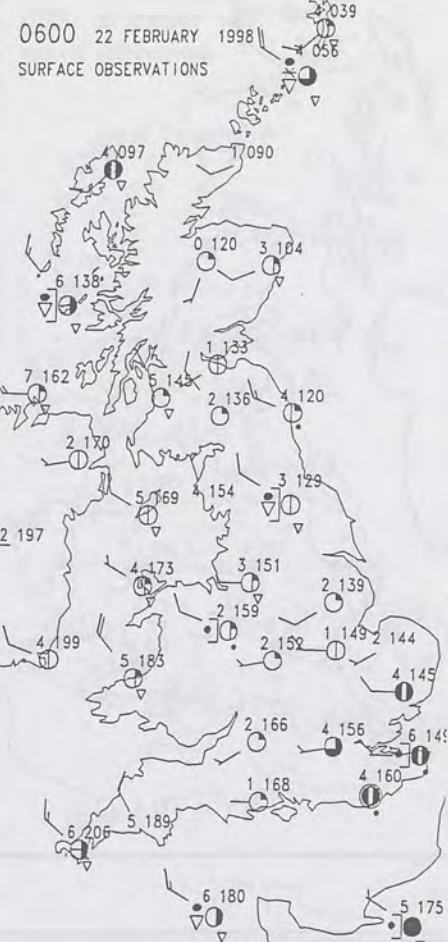
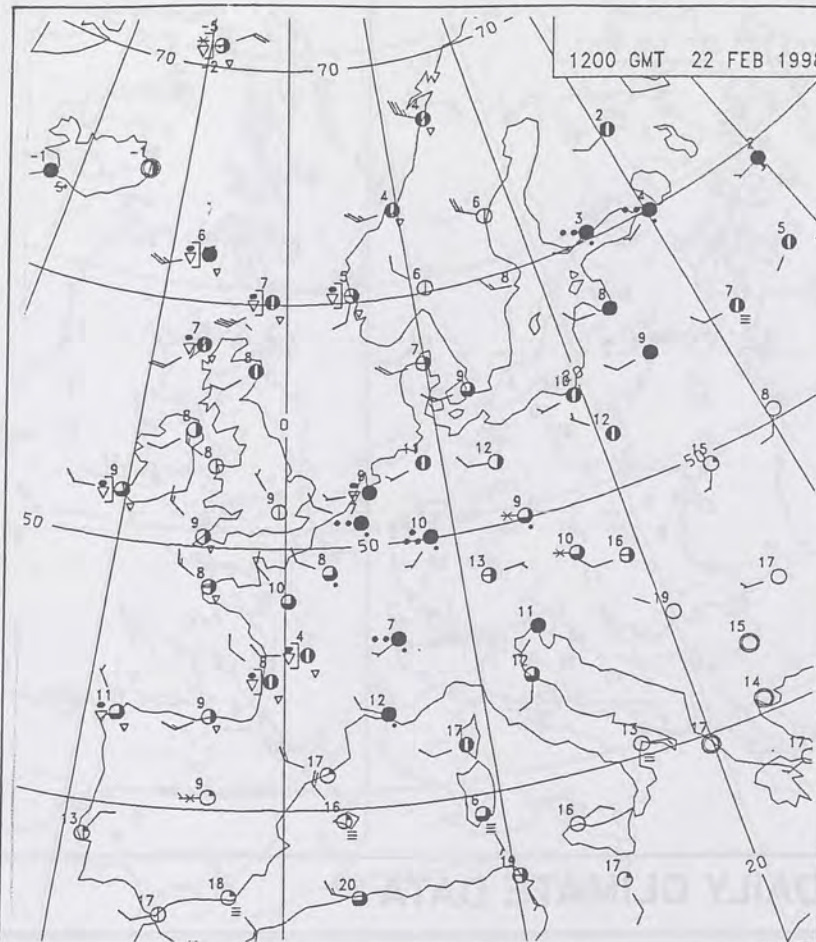
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Summary of UK weather for Sunday 22nd February 1998

Overnight, showers affected northern and western parts, and also the extreme southeast of England. The showers largely died away in the west later in the night. Remaining areas had a dry night with clear spells.

There were further showers over the Northern Isles and western Scotland, some of which were heavy with hail. Some showers also developed over central Scotland during the afternoon, but had largely died away by the evening. More persistent rain pushed across northern and western Scotland during the evening. Most parts saw plenty of sunshine. Northern Ireland, England and Wales, apart from the odd light shower in the morning, had a dry day with a good deal of sunshine.

It was generally mild or very mild.

EXTREMES

SUNDAY 22nd FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
11.9C Cardiff

Lowest maximum
6.6C Spadeadam
[Cumbria]

Lowest minimum
-2.4 C Aboyne
[Aberdeenshire]

Lowest grass minimum
-6.9 C Strathallan
[Perth & Kinross]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
10.1 mm Aspatria
[Cumbria]

Most sun
9.7hrs Swanage
[Dorset]

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NIGHT MINIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
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DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
(DEGREES C)
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SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
(HOURS)
22 FEBRUARY 1998



DAILY CLIMATE DATA

NIGHT RAINFALL
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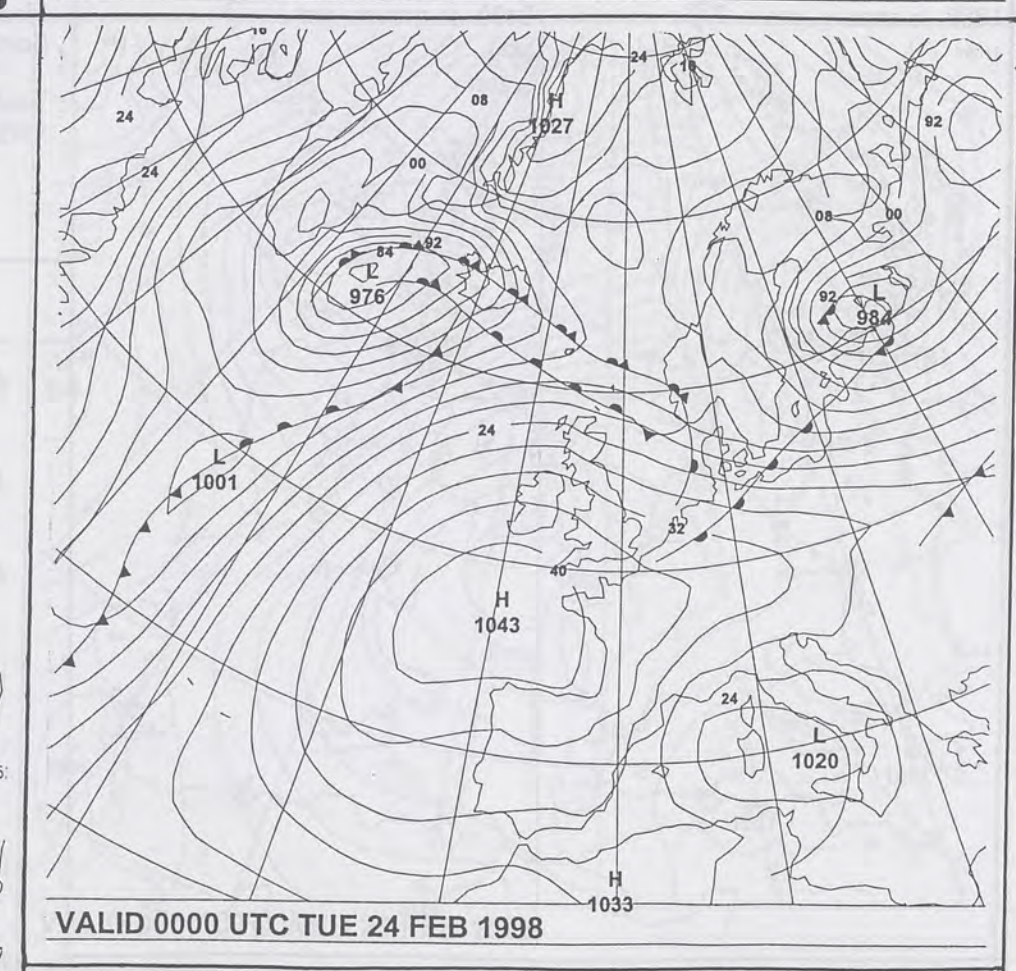
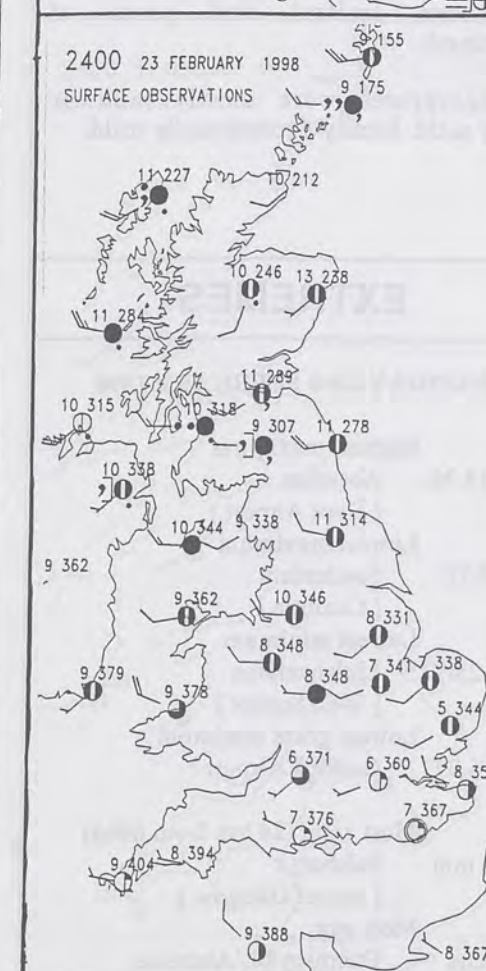
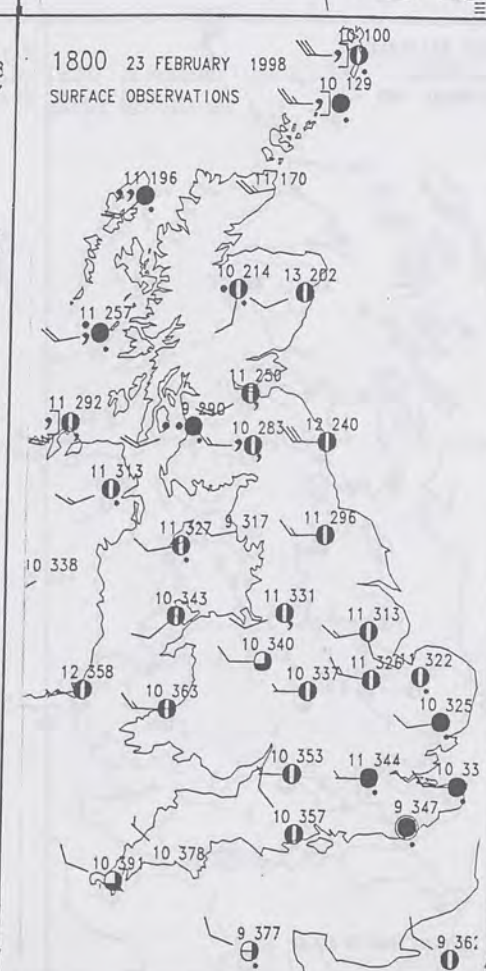
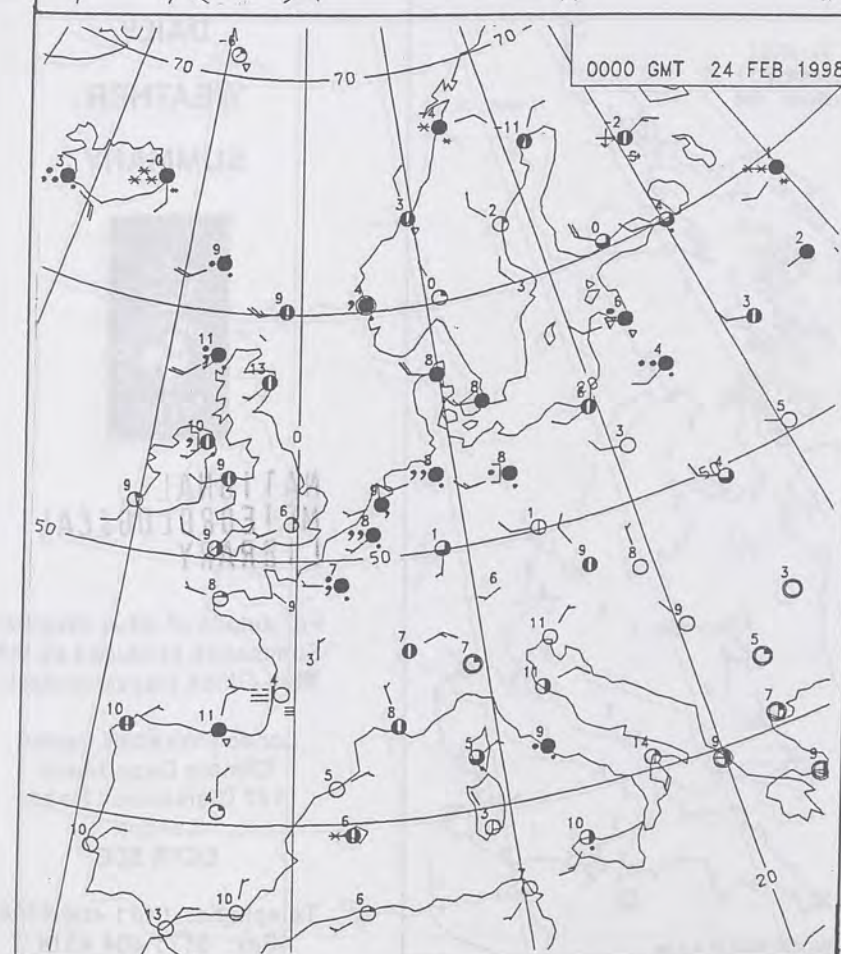
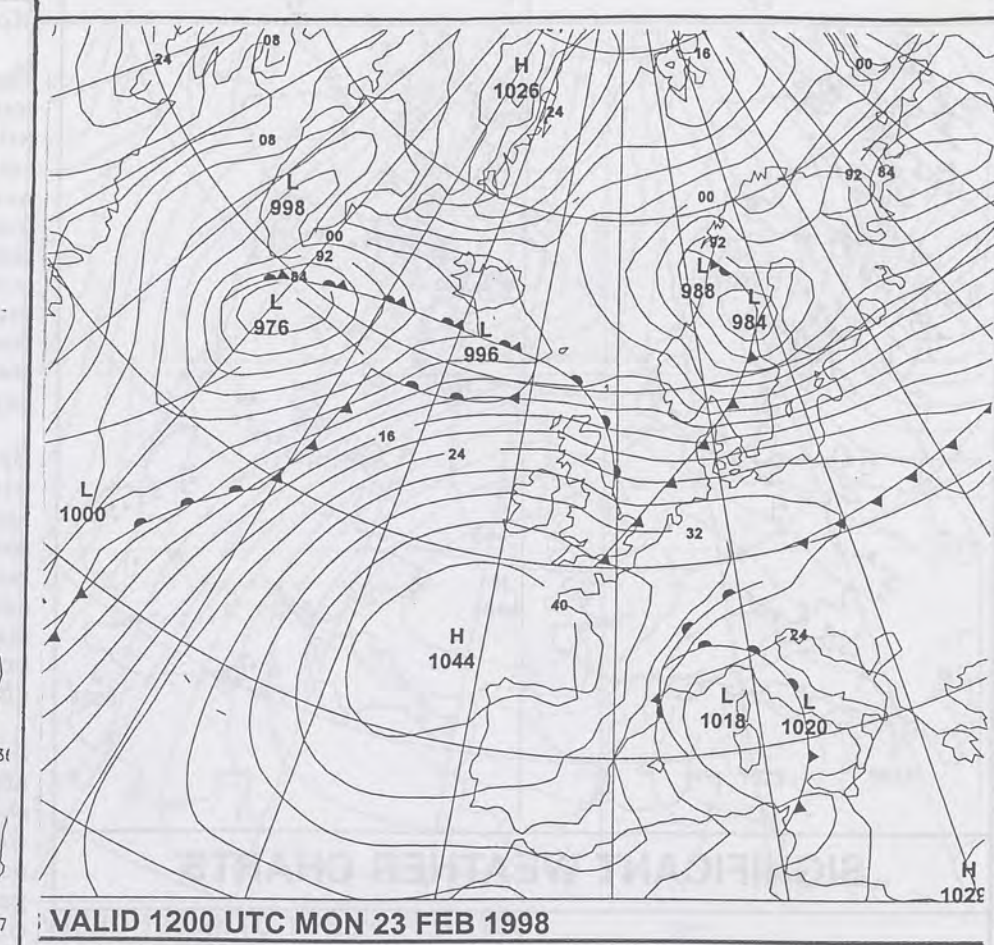
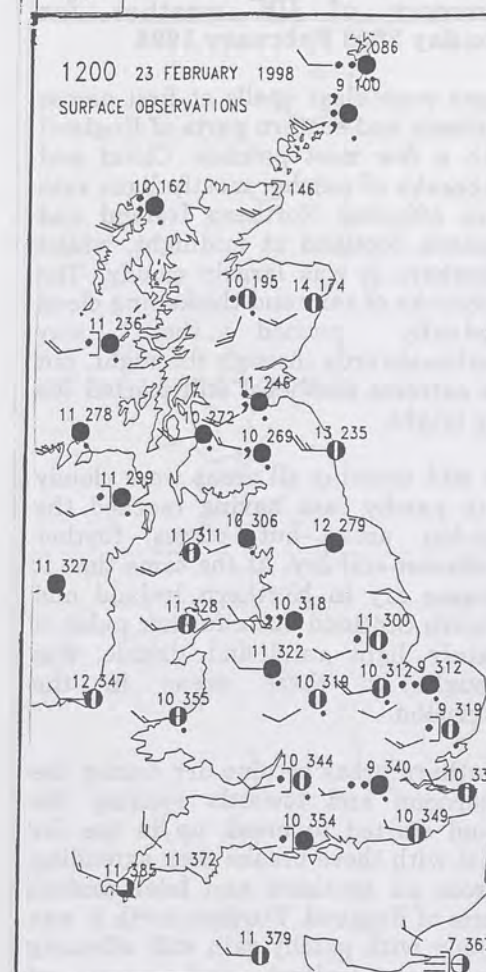
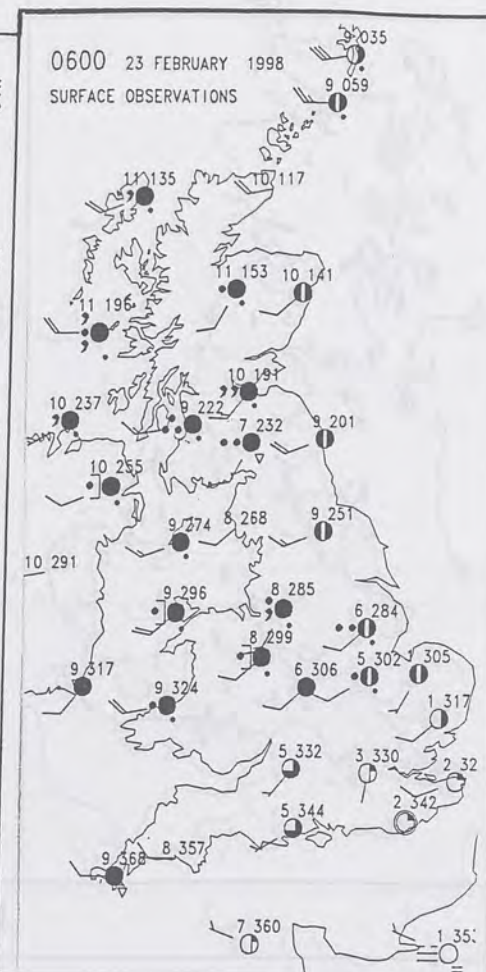
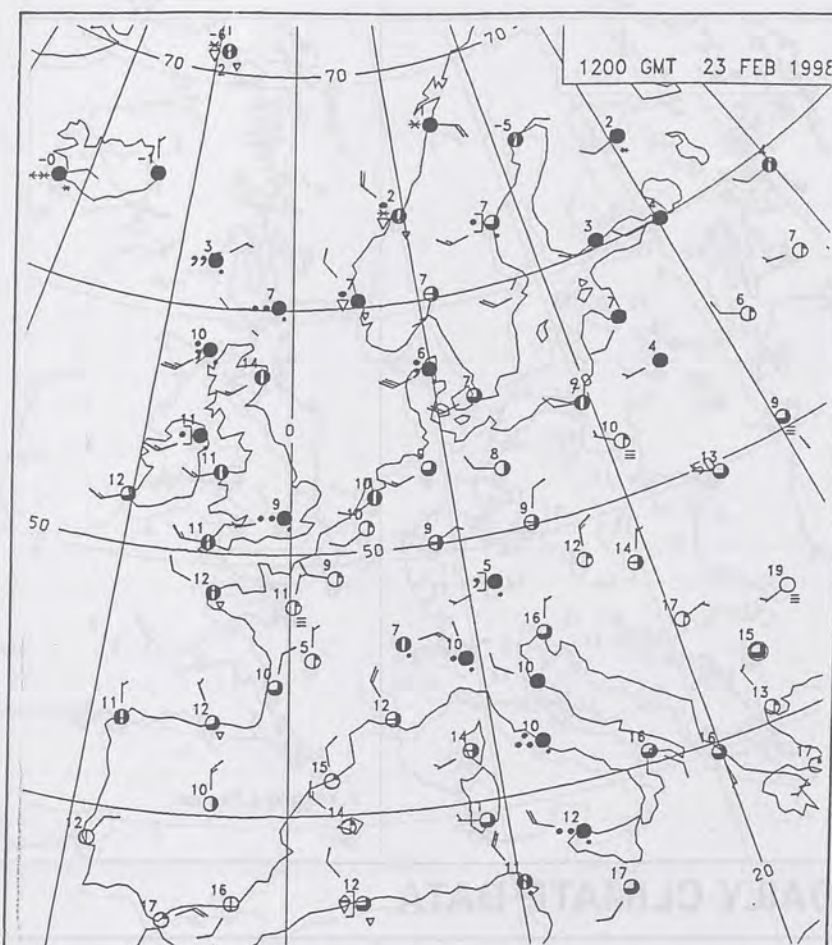
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Summary of UK weather for Monday 23rd February 1998

There were clear spells at first across southern and eastern parts of England with a few mist patches. Cloud and outbreaks of patchy, mostly light rain were affecting Northern Ireland and western Scotland at midnight, whilst elsewhere it was largely cloudy. The outbreaks of rain and thickening cloud gradually pushed their way southeastwards through the night, but the extreme southeast still started the day bright.

By mid morning all areas were cloudy with patchy rain having reached the London area, but places further southeast still dry. At the same time it became dry in Northern Ireland and eastern Scotland but a further pulse of mainly light rain and drizzle was brought to these areas in the afternoon.

Southern areas became dry during the afternoon and towards evening the cloud started to break up in the far west with these breaks then extending across all southern and later central parts of England. Further north it was cloudy with patchy rain still affecting Northern Ireland and parts of Scotland.

Temperatures were mostly mild or very mild, locally exceptionally mild.

EXTREMES

MONDAY 23rd FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
14.7C	Aberdeen (Dyce Airport)
Lowest maximum	
8.7C	Spadeadam [Cumbria]
Lowest minimum	
-2.0 C	Littlehampton [West Sussex]
Lowest grass minimum	
-6.0 C	Gatwick Airport
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
9.0 mm	Salsburgh [east of Glasgow]
Most sun	
6.8hrs	Guernsey / L'Ancrese

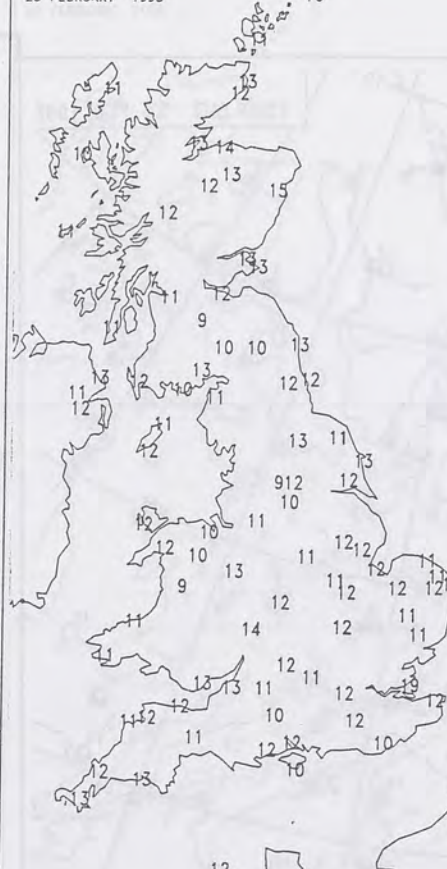
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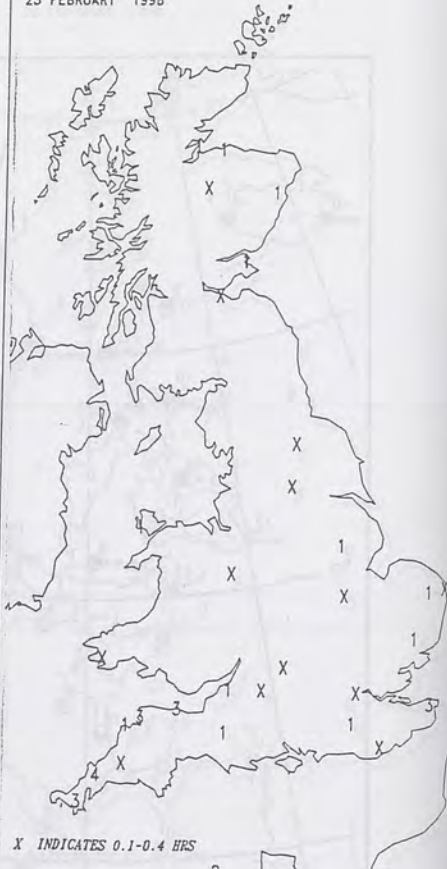
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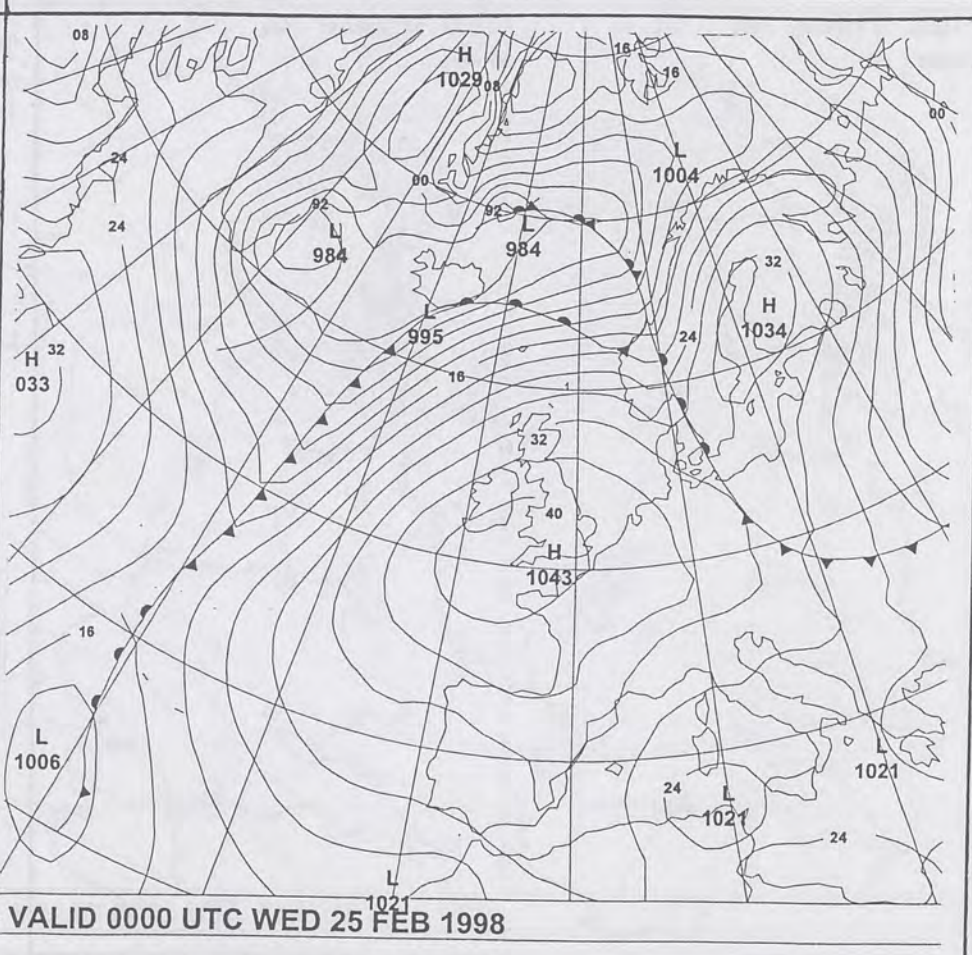
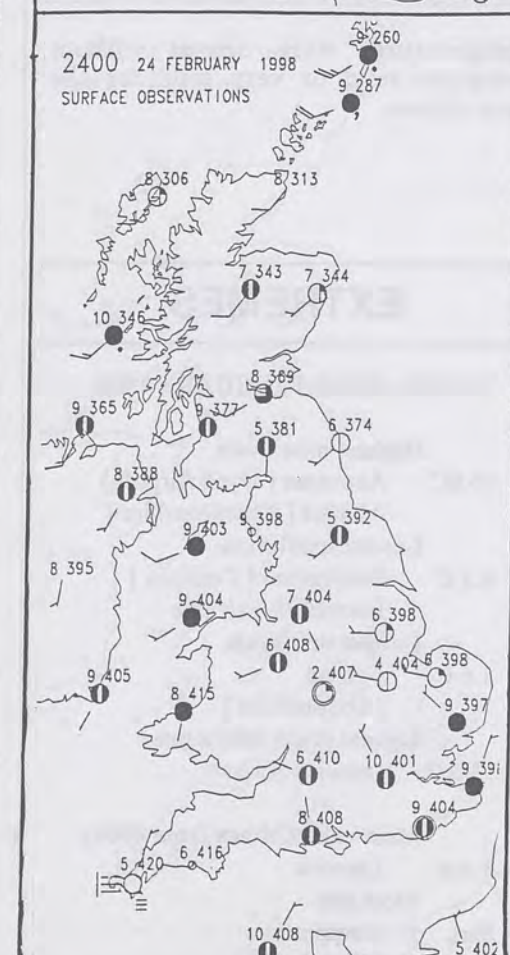
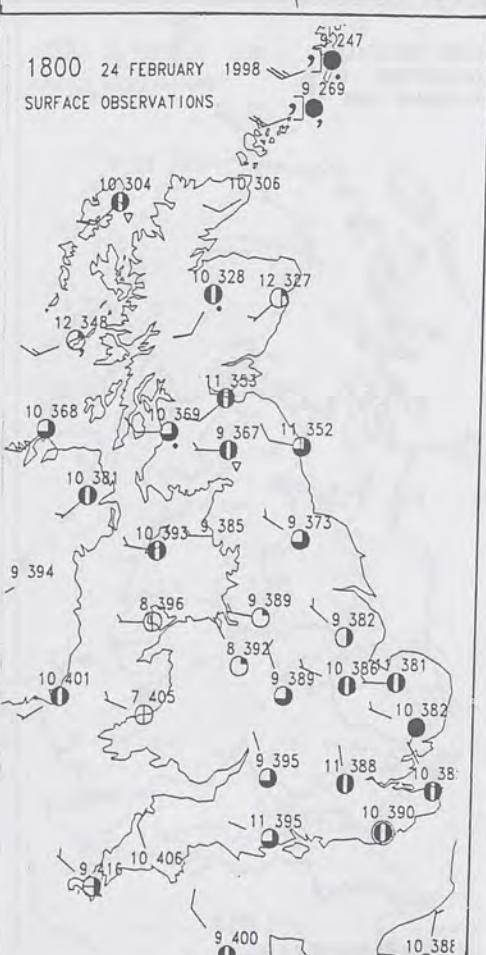
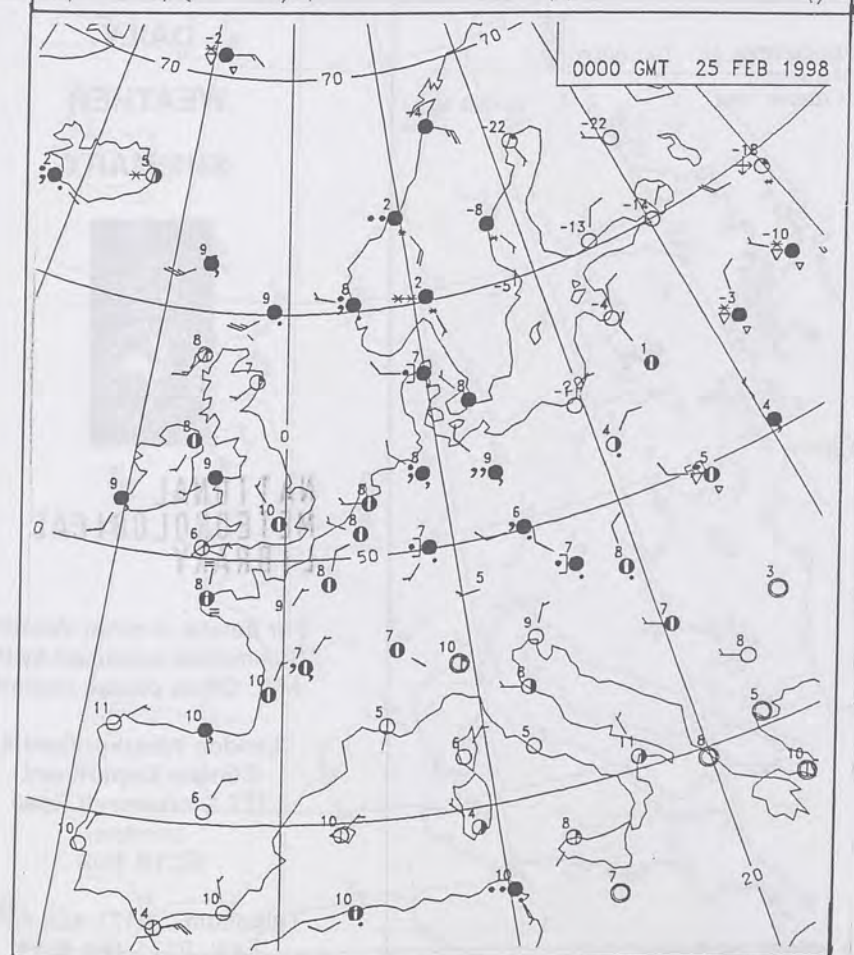
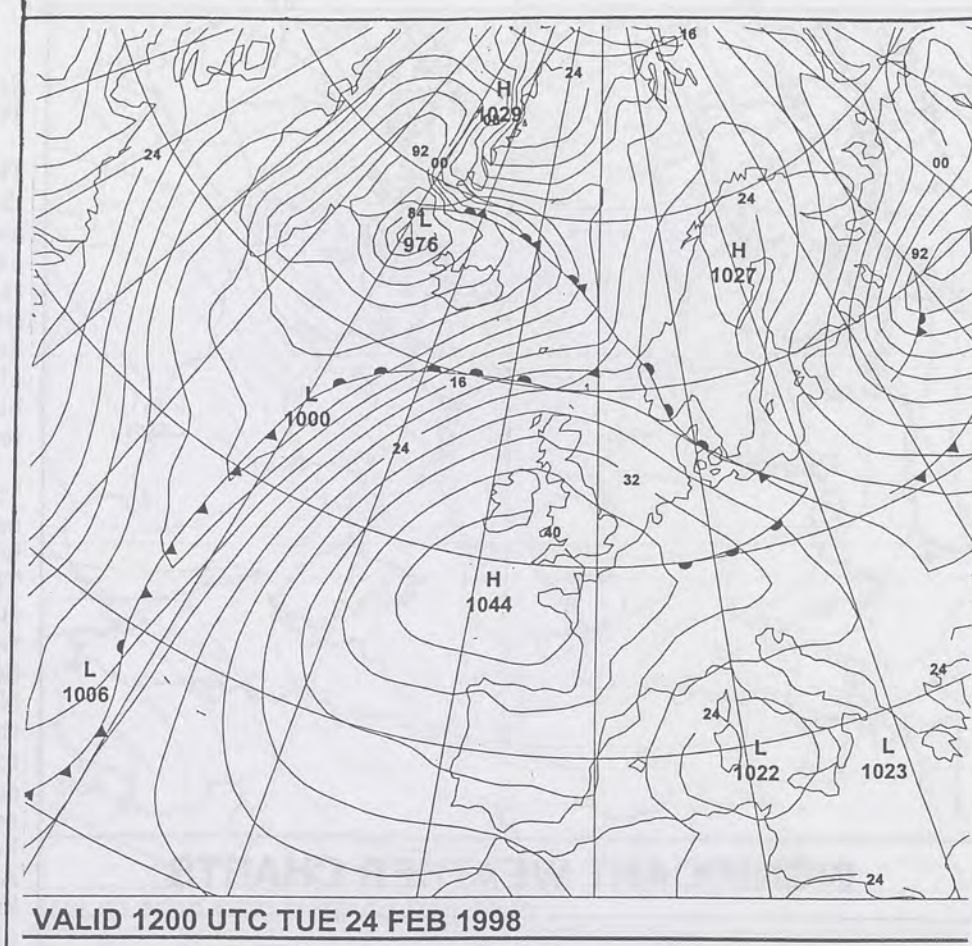
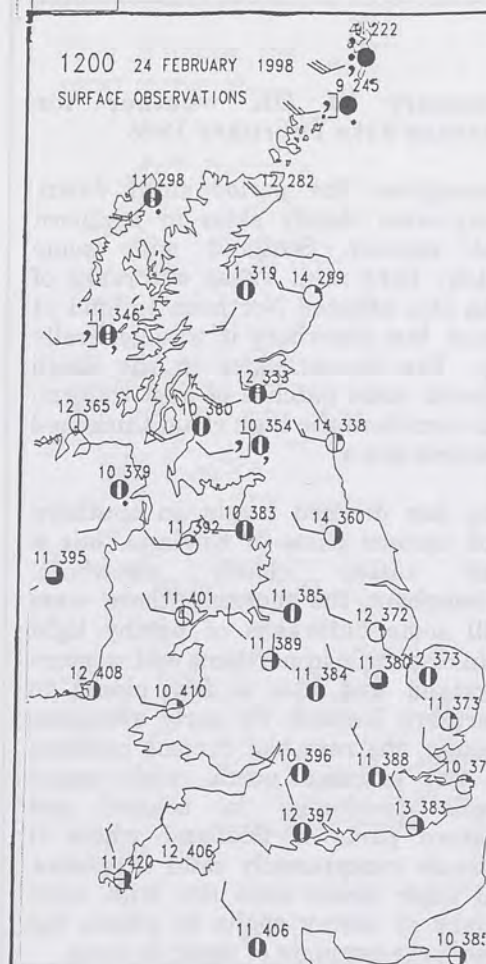
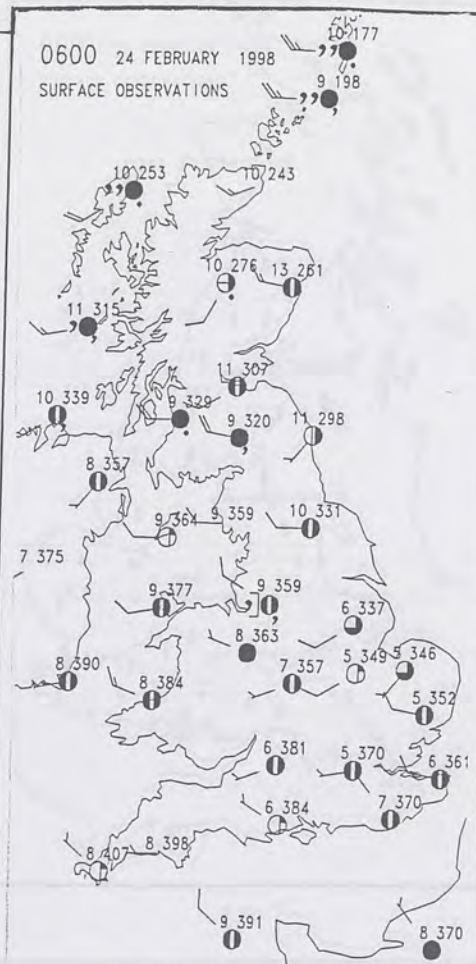
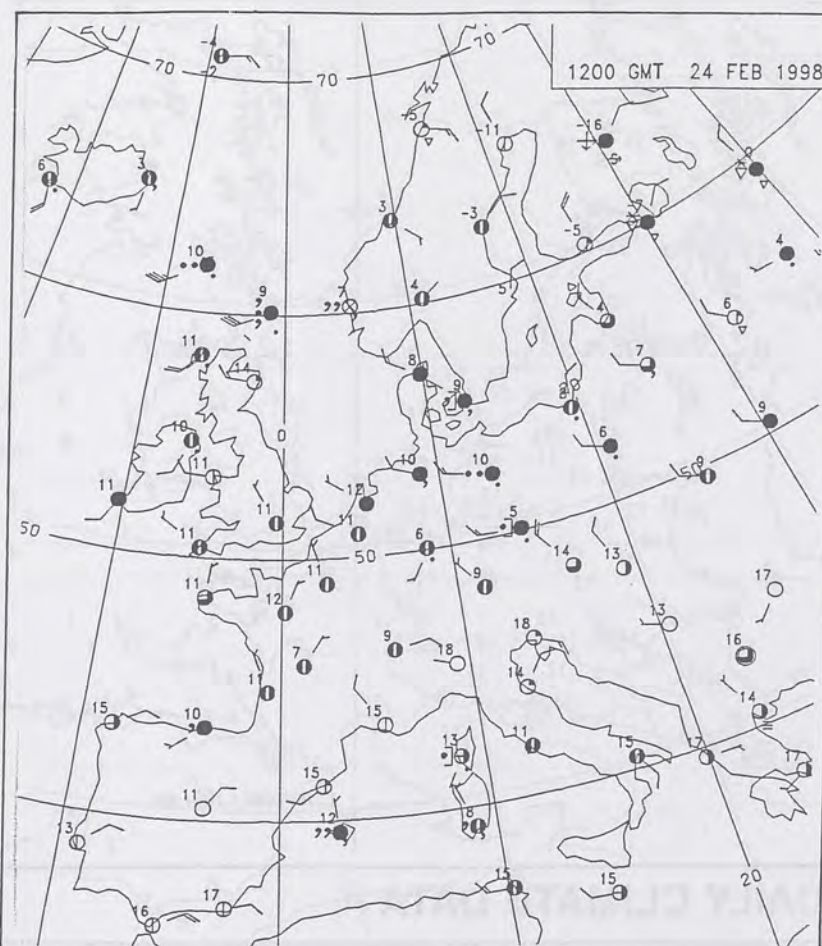
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Summary of UK weather for Tuesday 24th February 1998

Throughout the period until dawn, there were cloudy skies in northern and western Scotland with some patchy light rain. These outbreaks of rain also affected Northern Ireland at times, but elsewhere it was generally dry. The clearer skies in the south allowed some patches of mist to form, but even here the high cloud thickened towards dawn.

The day dawned bright in southern and eastern parts of England, but it was rather cloudy elsewhere. Throughout the morning there were still some outbreaks of patchy light rain or drizzle in northern and western Scotland and also a few places in Northern Ireland. By early afternoon though, the rain had become confined to the extreme north, with sunny spells developing in central and eastern parts of Scotland where it became exceptionally mild in places. All other areas were dry with some bright or sunny spells in places but also large amounts of cloud at times.

Temperatures were almost without exception mild or very mild for the time of year.

EXTREMES

TUESDAY 24th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum

15.0C Aberdeen (Dyce Airport)
Aboyne [Aberdeenshire]

Lowest maximum

9.5 C Spadeadam [Cumbria]
Lerwick & Fair Isle

Lowest minimum

1.6 C Benson
[Oxfordshire]

Lowest grass minimum

-3.0 C Gatwick Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)

4.5 mm Lerwick

Most sun

8.6hrs Aberporth
[Ceredigion]

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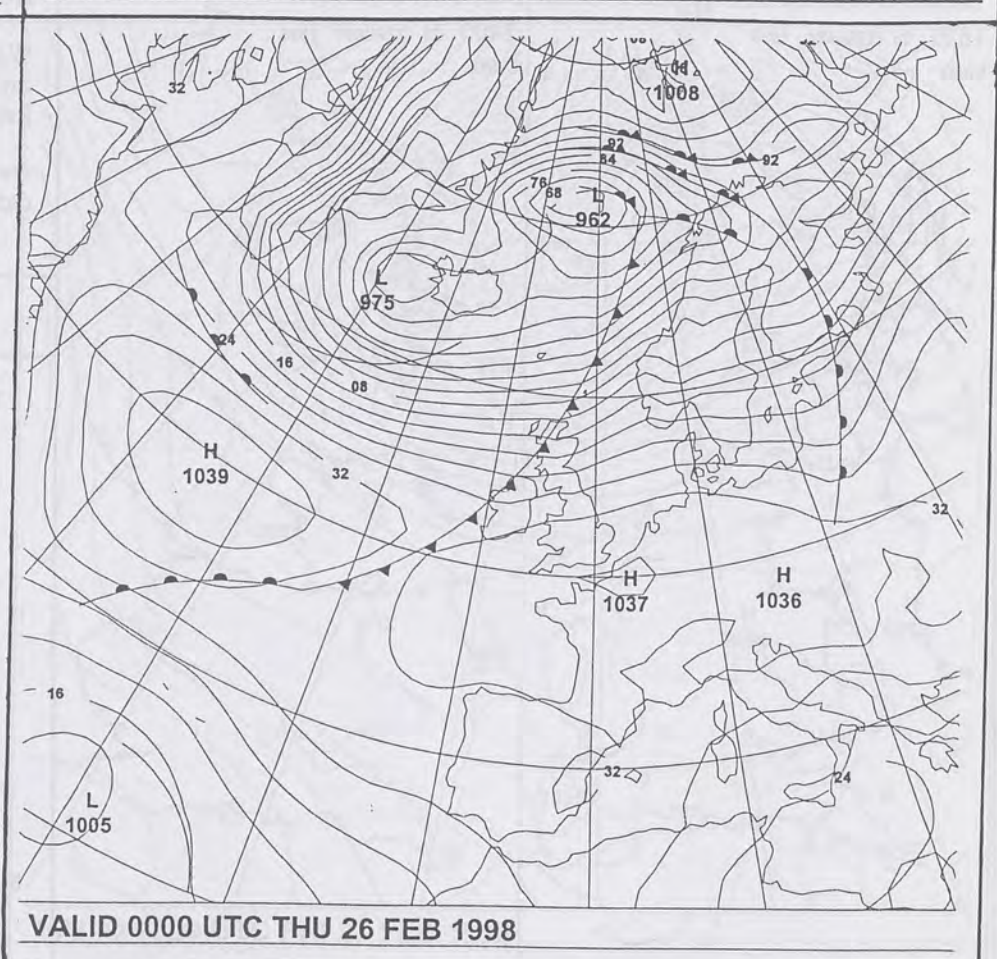
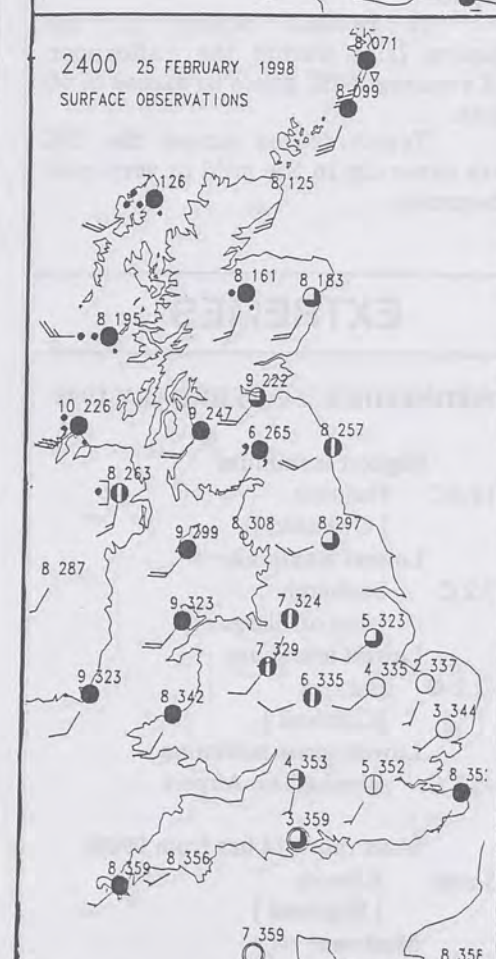
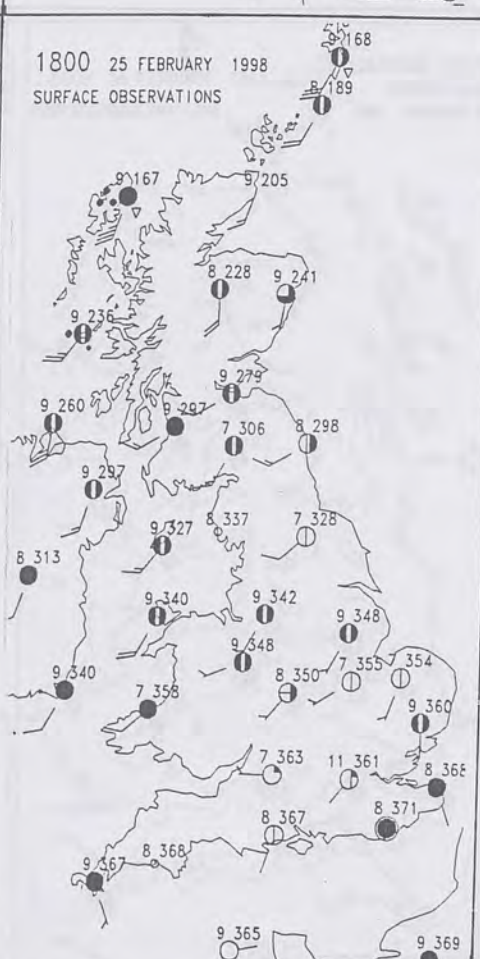
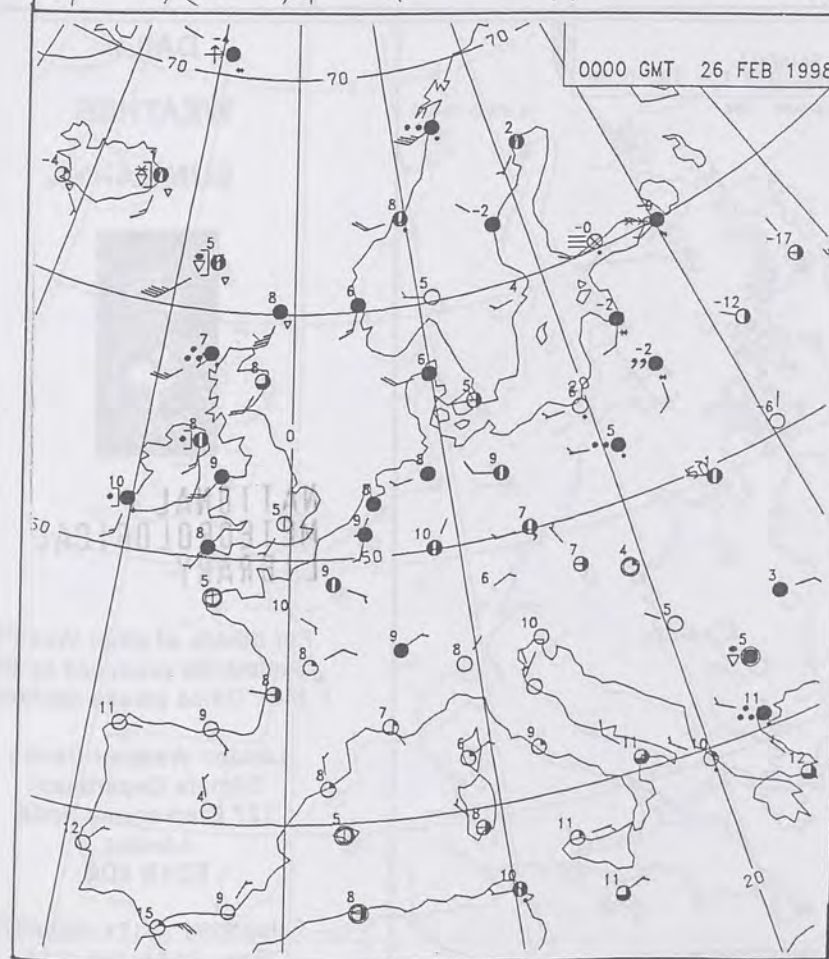
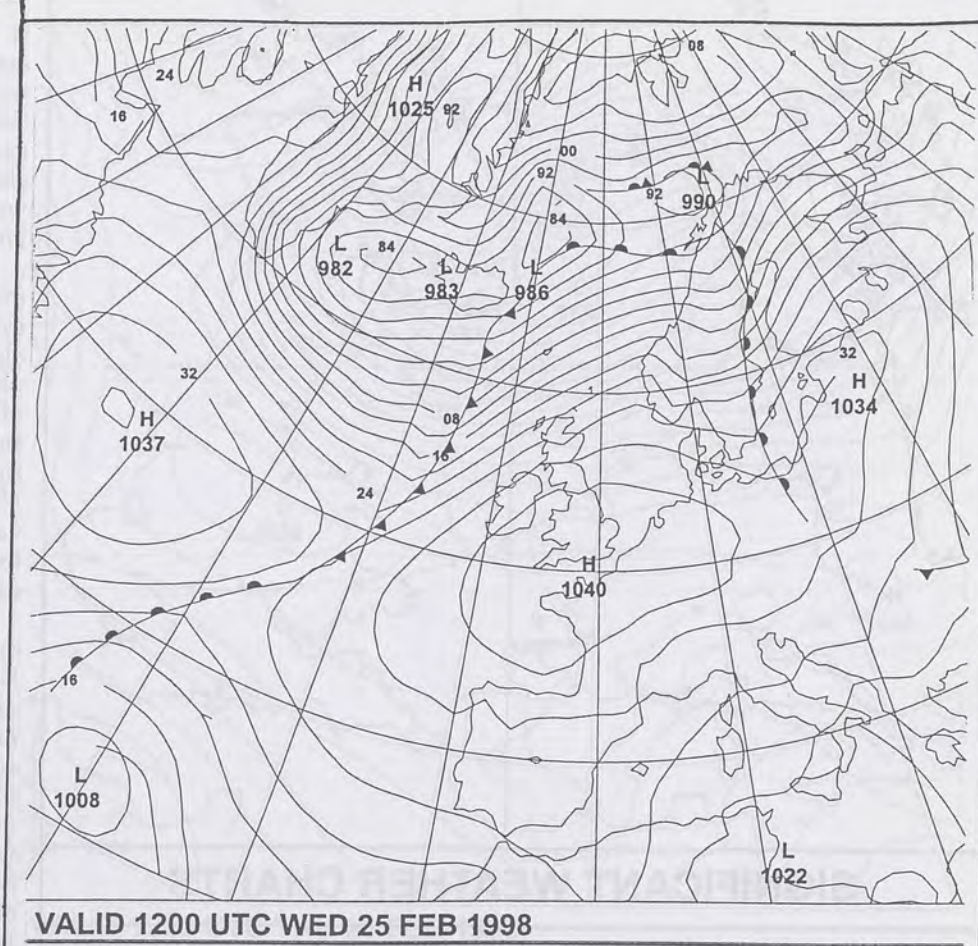
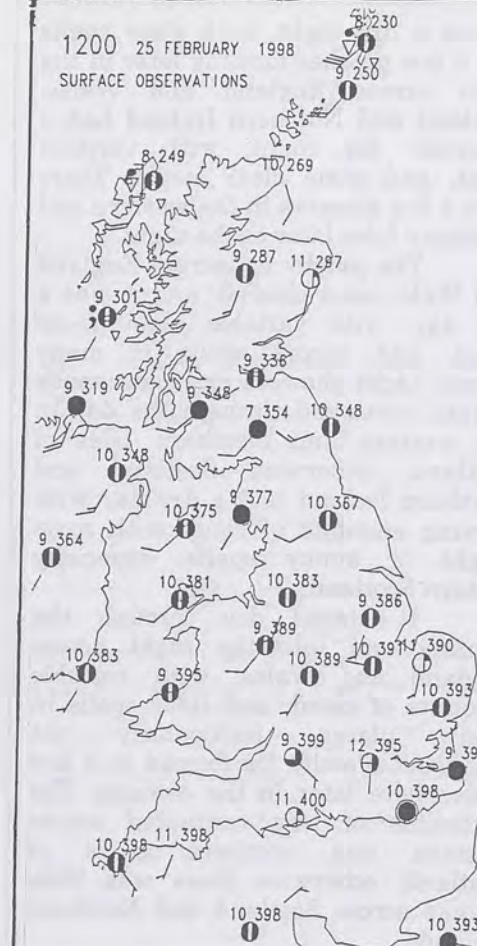
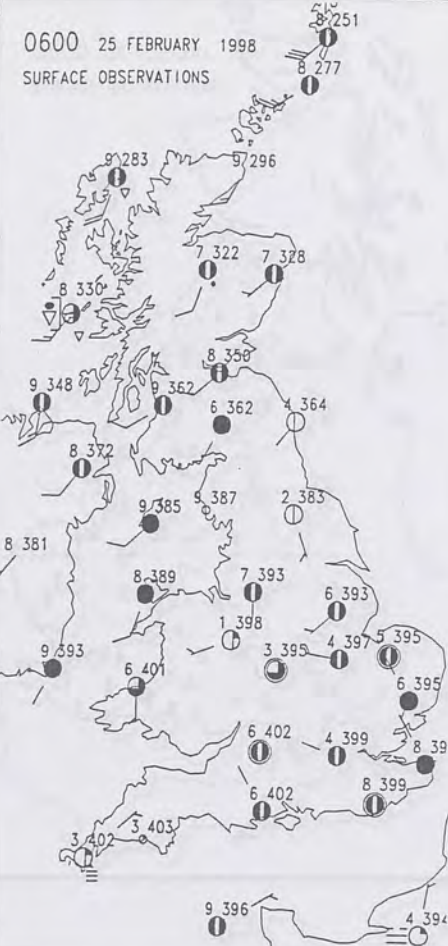
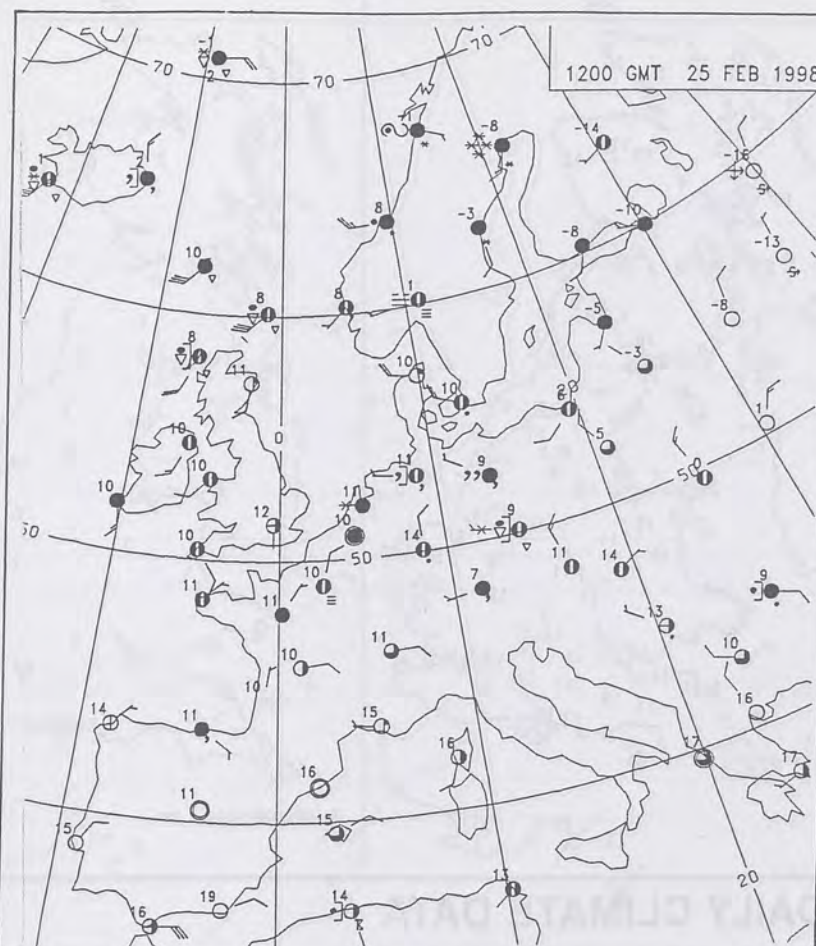
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Summary of UK weather for Wednesday 25th February 1998

It was a dry night, with clear spells and a few patches forming later in the night across England and Wales. Scotland and Northern Ireland had a generally dry night, with variable cloud, and some clear spells. There were a few showers in the western and Northern Isles later in the night.

The patchy fog across England and Wales soon cleared, and it was a dry day, with variable amounts of cloud, and sunny spells in many places. Light showers or longer spells of rain continued through the day in the western and Northern Isles of Scotland, otherwise Scotland and Northern Ireland had a dry day with varying amounts of cloud with some bright or sunny spells, especially eastern Scotland.

It stayed dry through the evening and into the night across England and Wales, with variable amounts of cloud, and clear spells in many places, particularly the southeast. Patchy fog formed in a few places here later in the evening. The outbreaks of rain continued across western and northern parts of Scotland, otherwise there was little change across Scotland and Northern Ireland.

It became windy in the Western Isles during the afternoon and evening, with gusts in excess of 50 knots.

Temperatures across the UK were generally in the mild or very mild categories.

EXTREMES

WEDNESDAY 25th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum

16.0C Nantmor
[Gwynedd]

Lowest maximum

7.2 C Salsburgh
[east of Glasgow]

Lowest minimum

-2.2 C Bastreet
[Cornwall]

Lowest grass minimum

-5.7 C Birmingham Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)

8.3 mm Kilmory
[Highland]

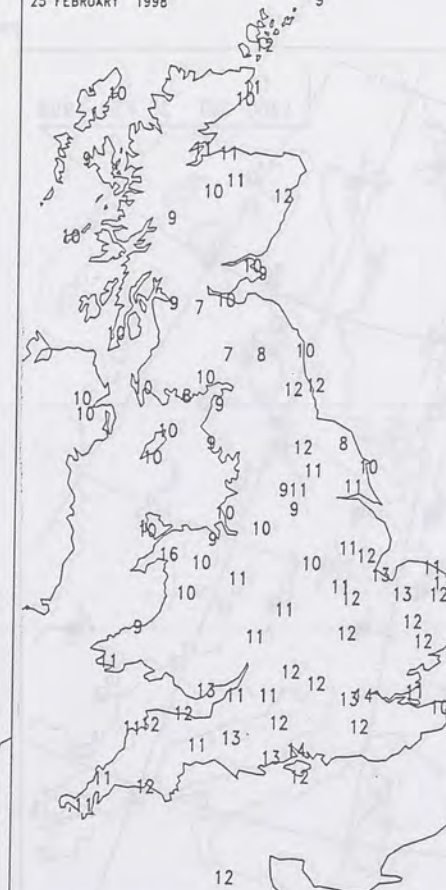
Most sun

8.6hrs Beaufort Park
[Berkshire]

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25 FEBRUARY 1998



DAY MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE
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25 FEBRUARY 1998



SUNSHINE (DAWN TO DUSK)
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25 FEBRUARY 1998



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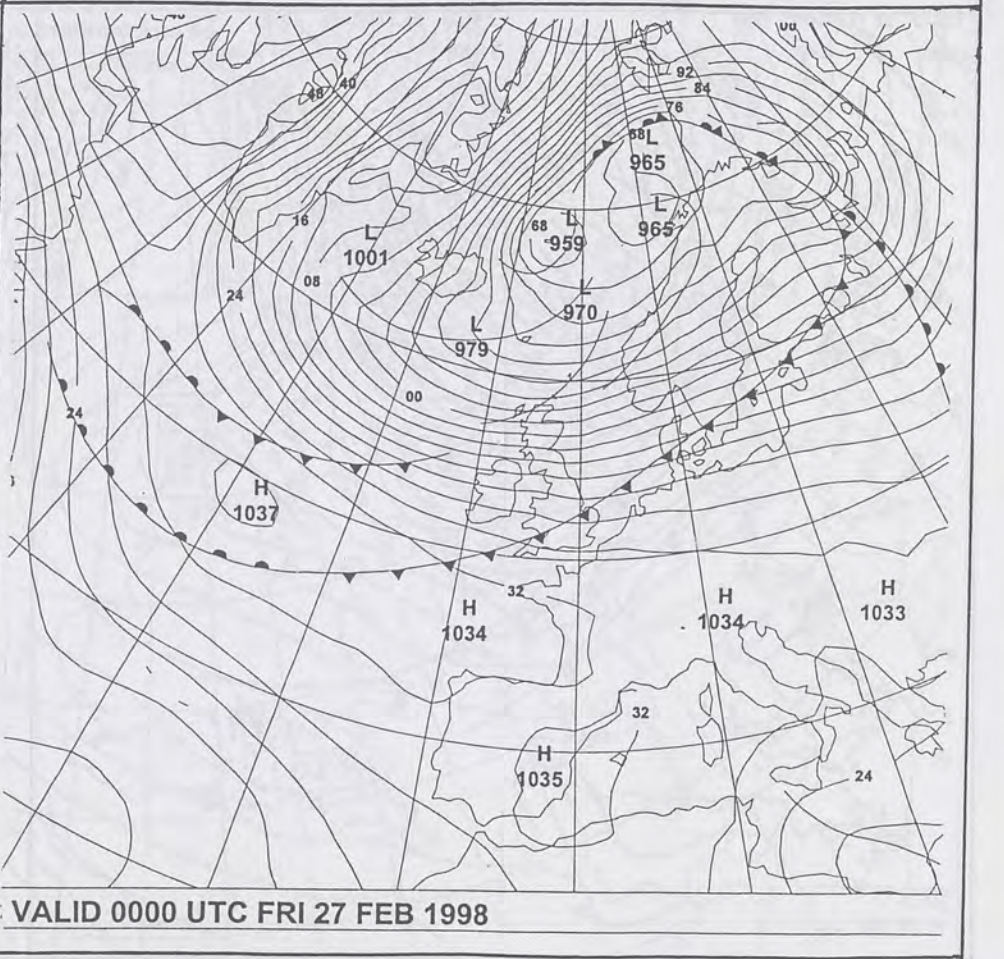
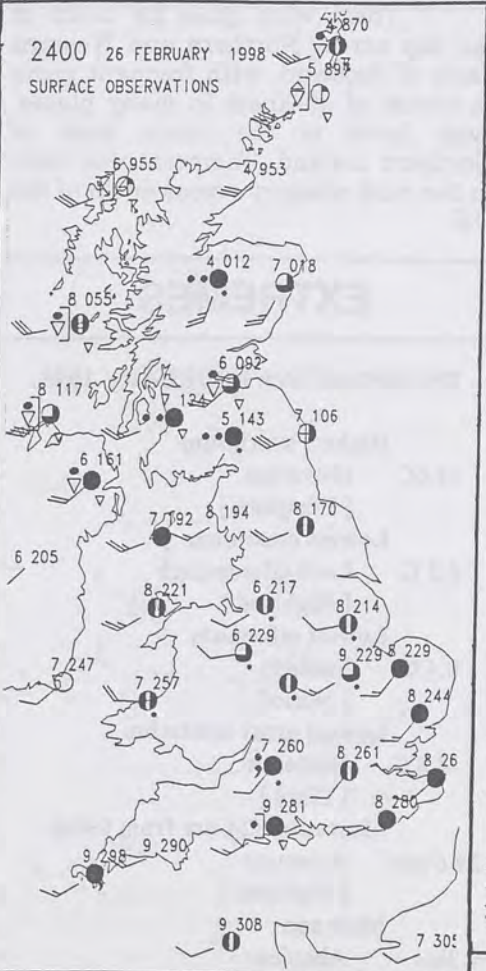
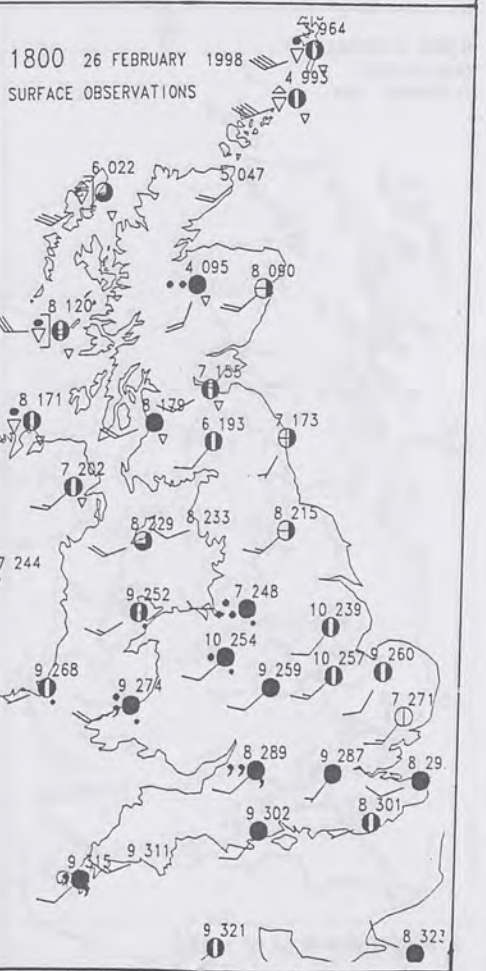
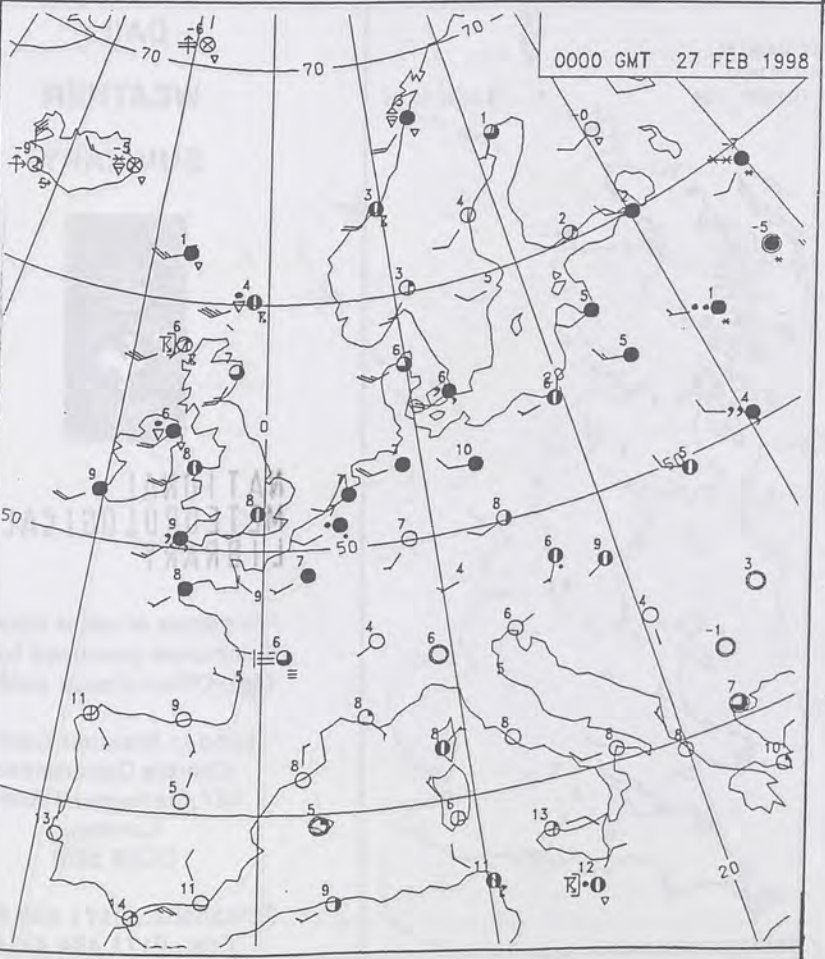
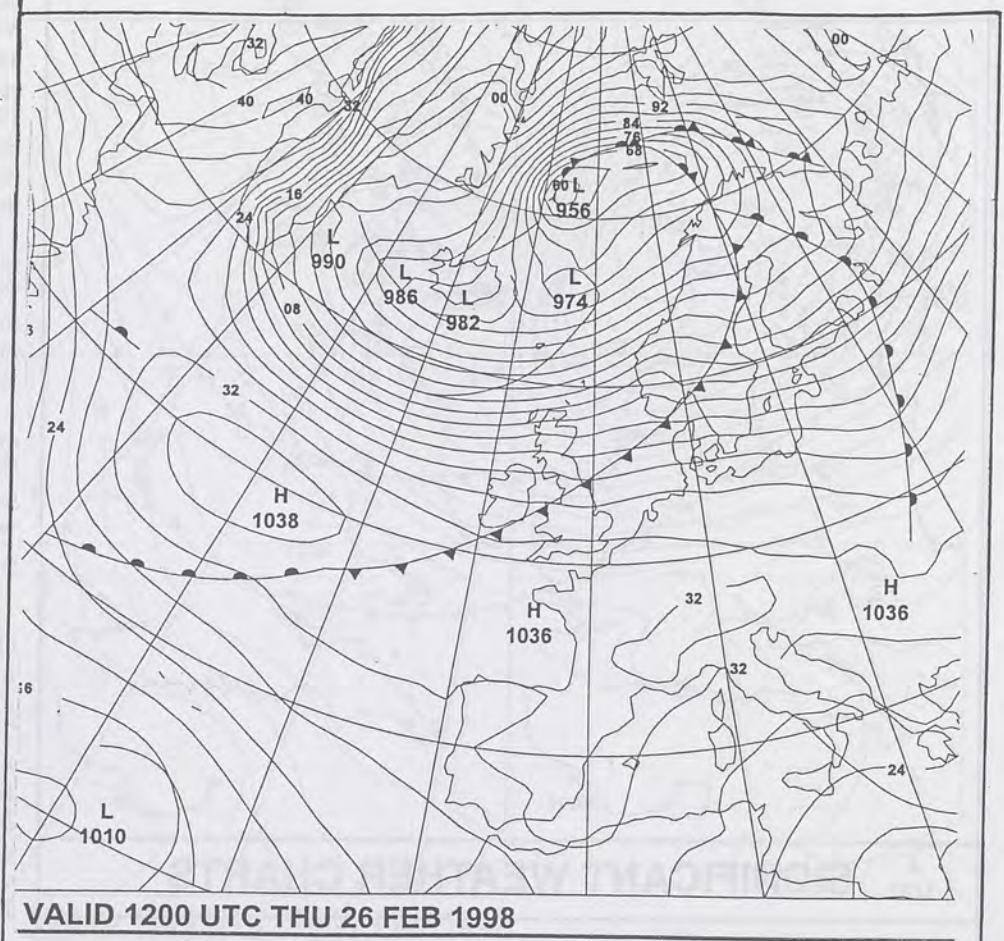
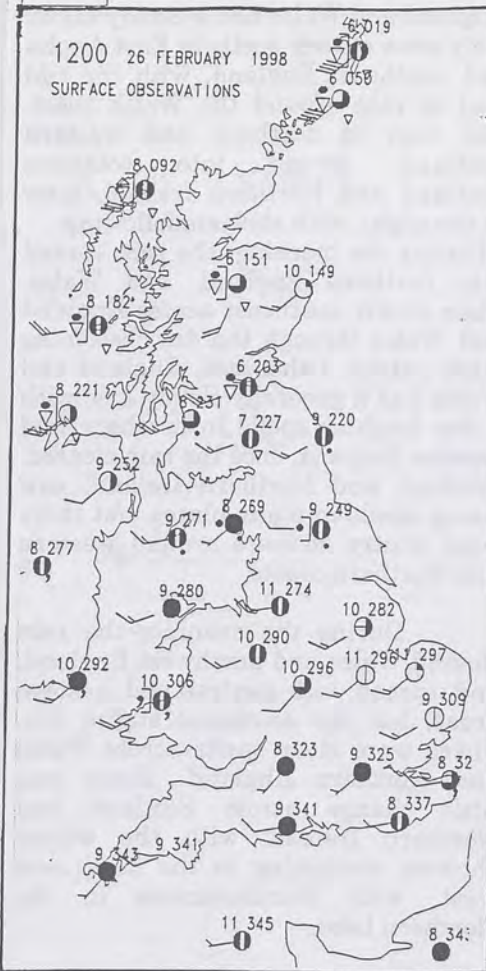
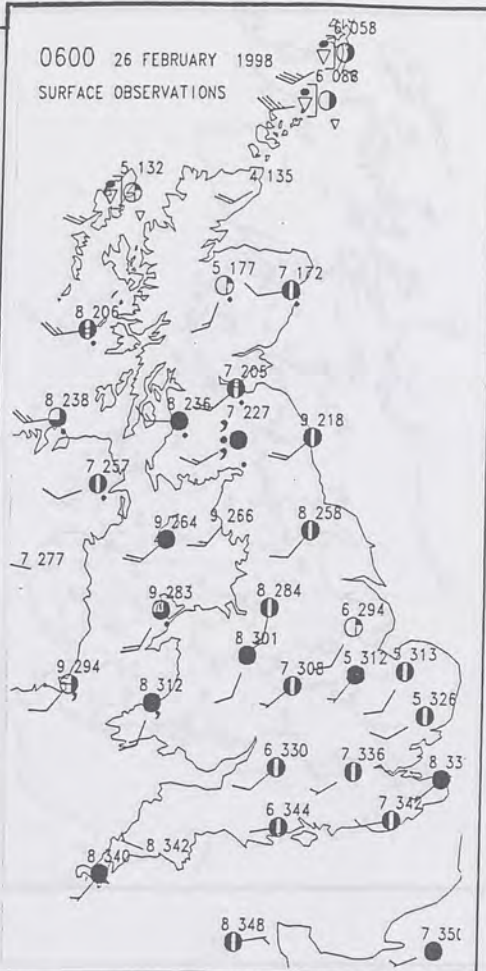
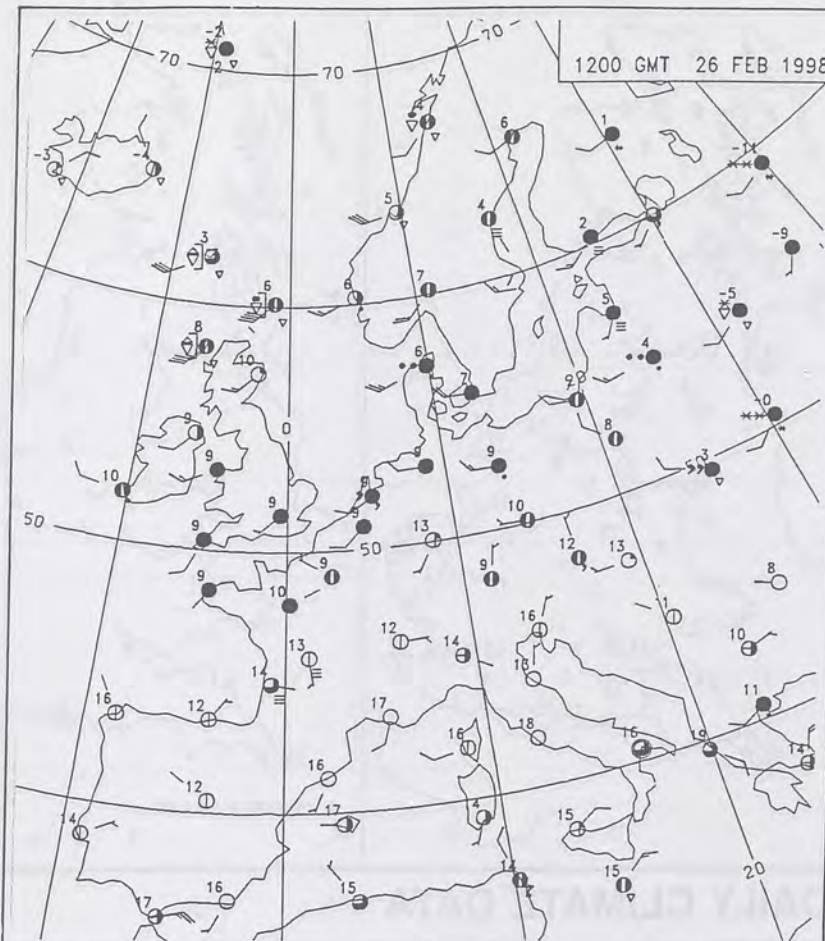
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Summary of UK weather for
Thursday 26th February 1998

England and Wales had a cloudy night, with some clearer spells in East Anglia and southeast England, with the odd spot of rain around the Welsh coast. The rain in northern and western Scotland, spread into southern Scotland and Northern Ireland, later in the night, with showers following.

During the morning, the rain spread into northern England, and Wales. Then slowly southeast across England and Wales through the day, becoming more patchy. Otherwise, England and Wales had a generally cloudy day, with a few brighter spells in northern and eastern England, once the rain cleared. Scotland and Northern Ireland, saw sunny spells in many places, but there were wintry showers around western and Northern coasts.

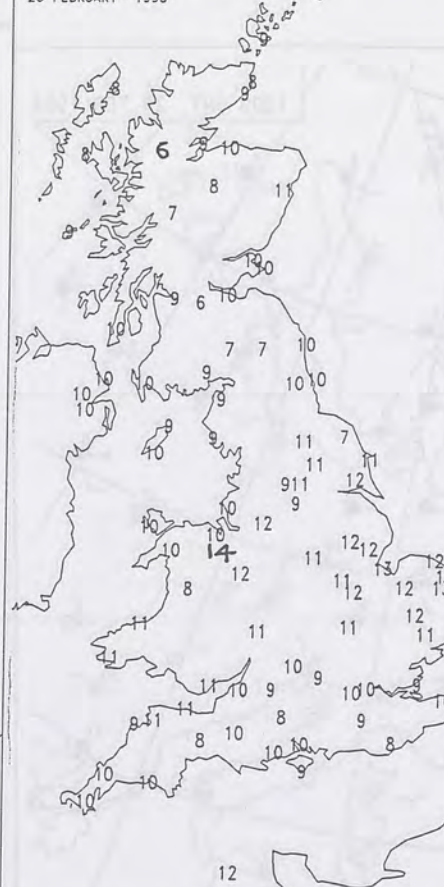
During the evening, the rain cleared Wales and northwest England, and spread into central and eastern areas, but the southeast stayed dry. There were clear spells across Wales and Northern England. There was little change across Scotland and Northern Ireland, with the wintry showers continuing in the north and west, with thunderstorms in the Northern Isles.

There were gales for much of the day across Northern and Western parts of Scotland, with frequent gusts in excess of 50 knots in many places, even down to the north coast of Northern Ireland. Temperatures were in the mild category across much of the UK.

EXTREMES

THURSDAY 26th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum	
13.6C	Hawarden [Flintshire]
Lowest maximum	
6.2 C	Loch Glascarnoch [Highland]
Lowest minimum	
0.4 C	Marham [Norfolk]
Lowest grass minimum	
-4.8 C	Holbeach [Lincs]
Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)	
24.6 mm	Aviemore [Highland]
Most sun	
7.3hrs	Aberdeen (Dyce Airport)

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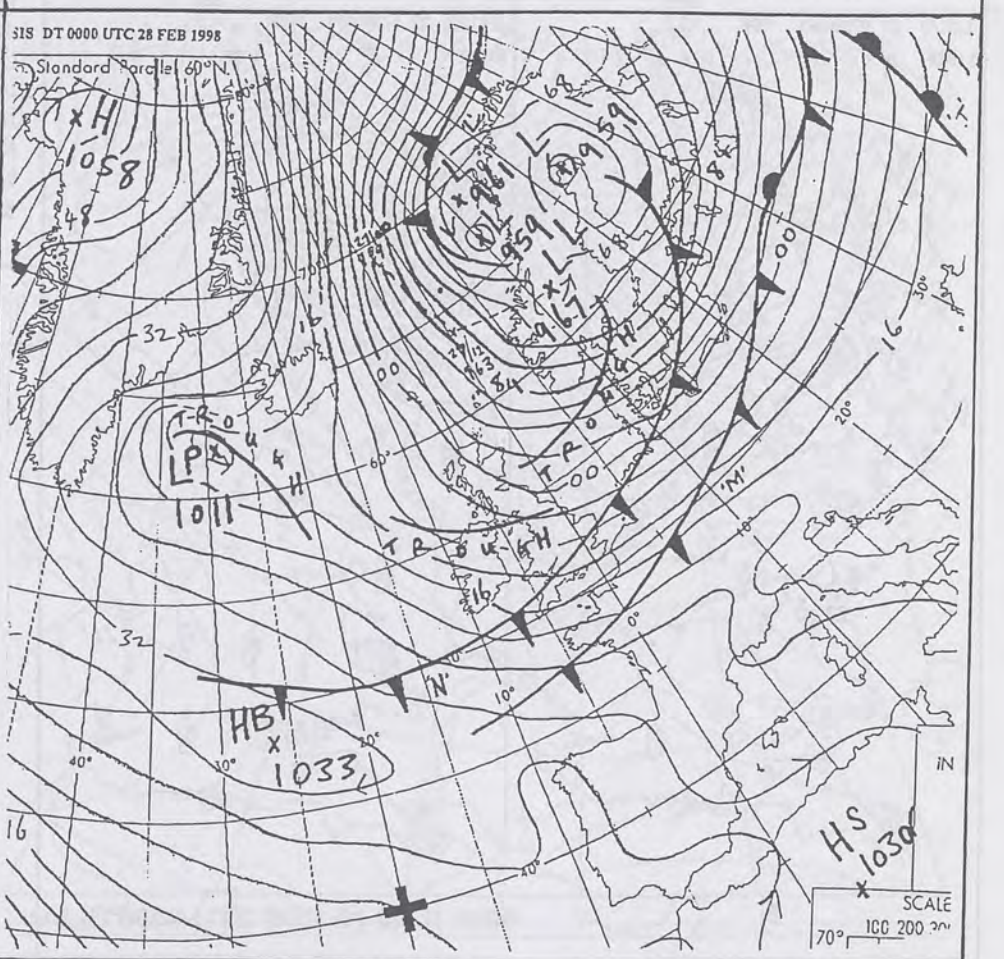
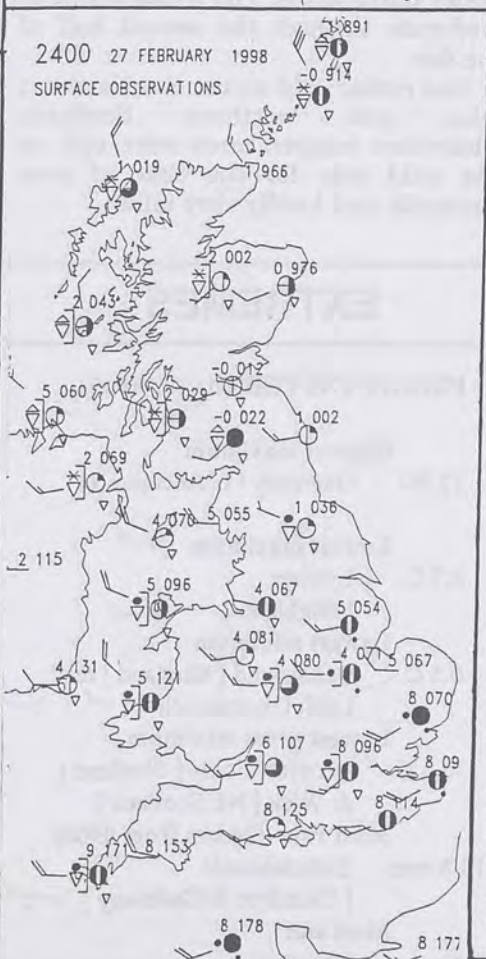
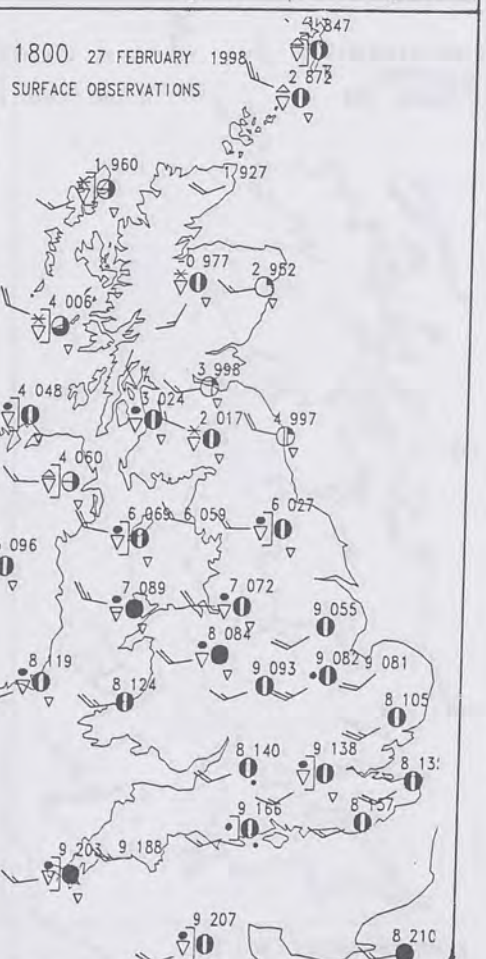
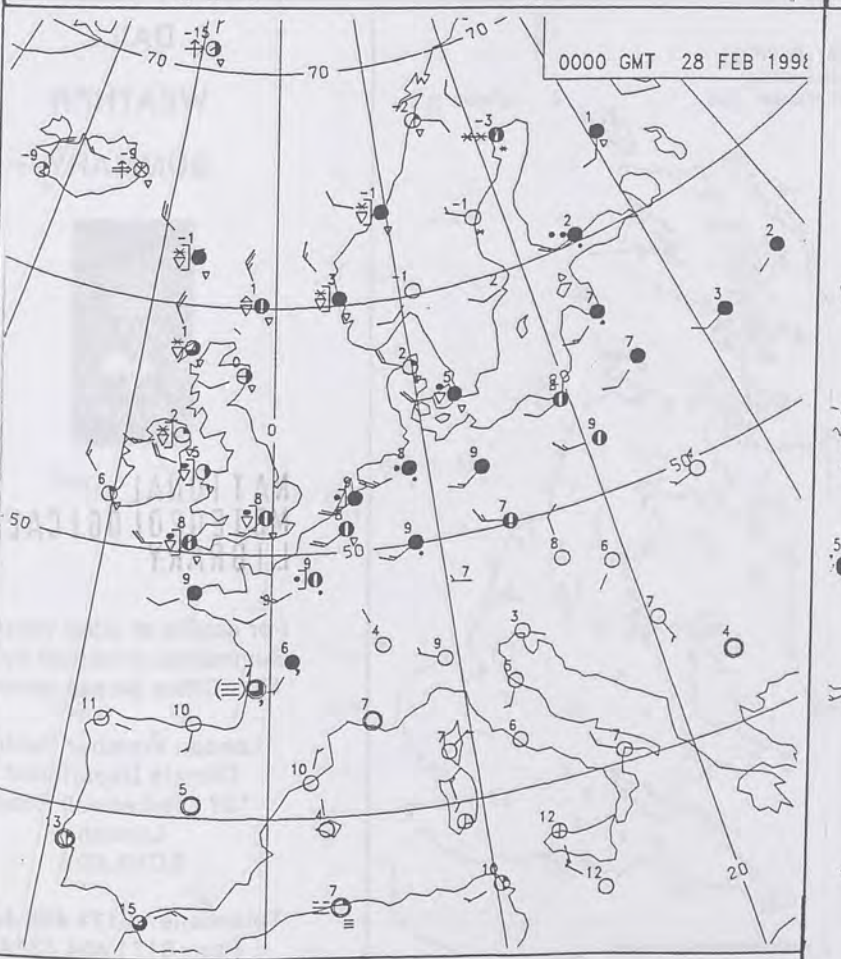
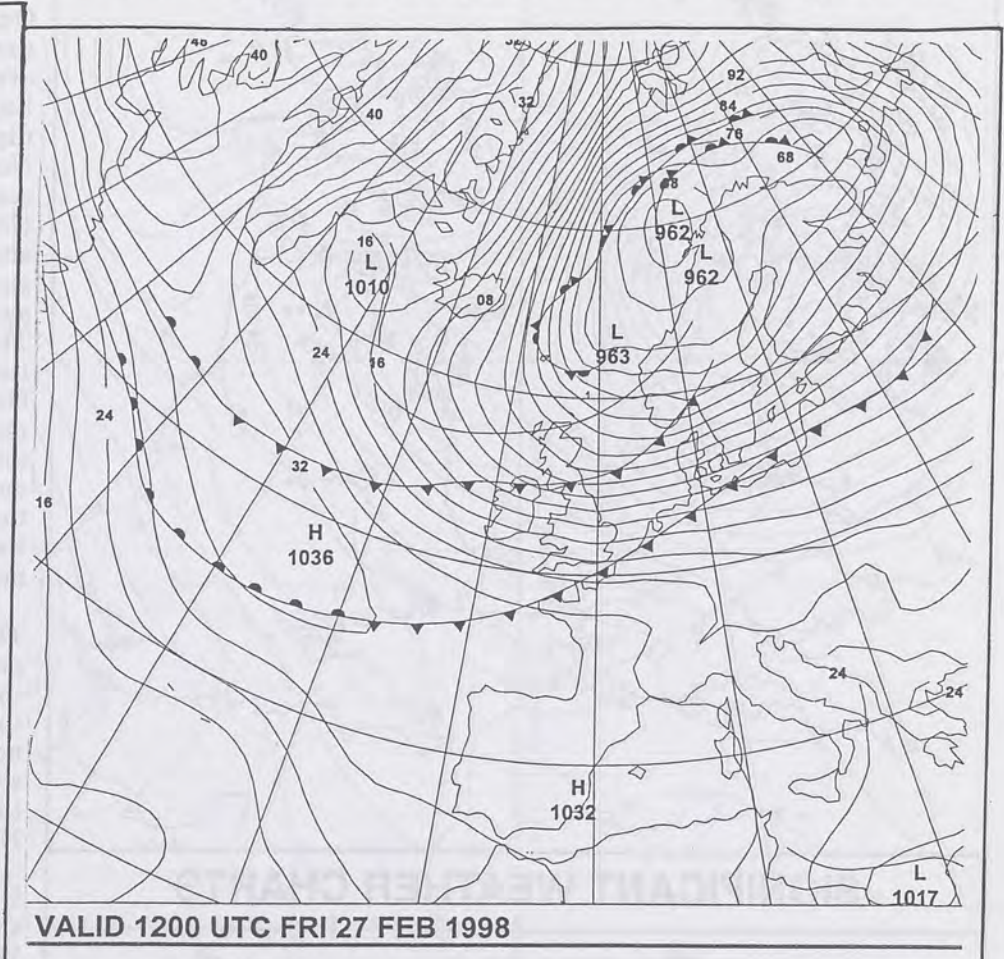
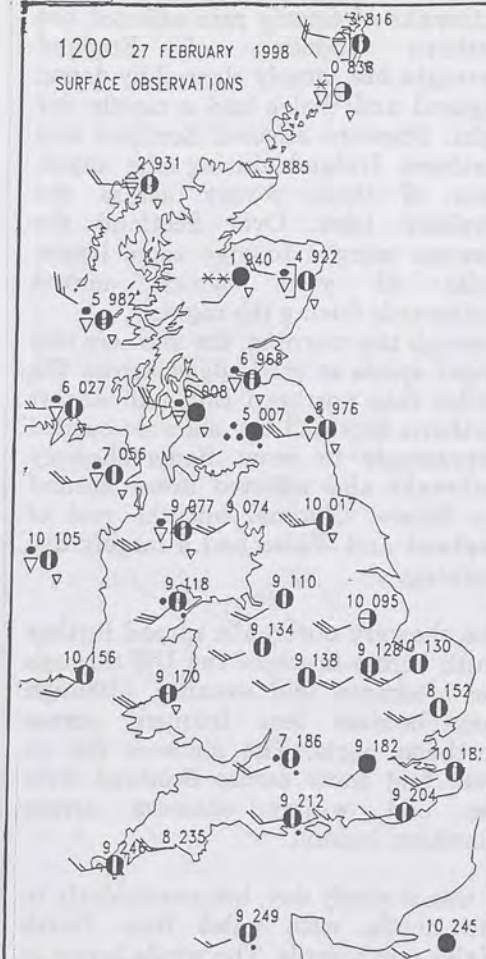
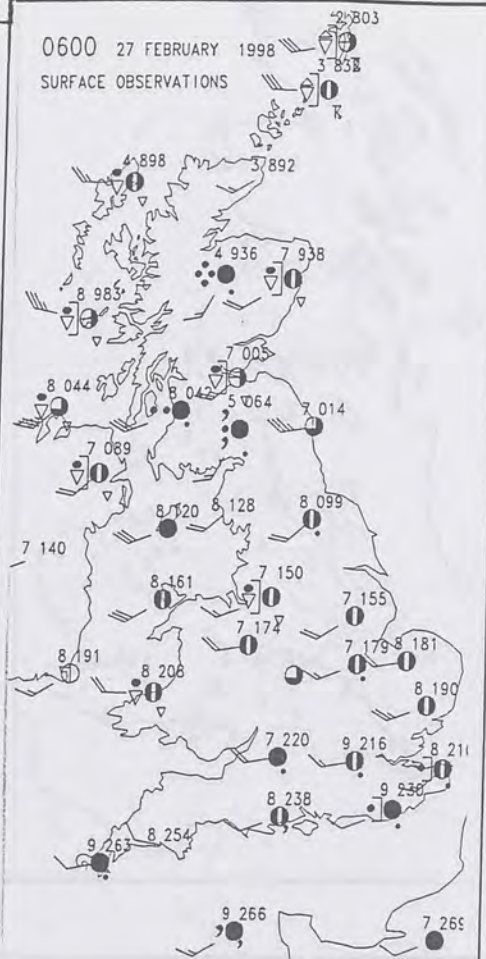
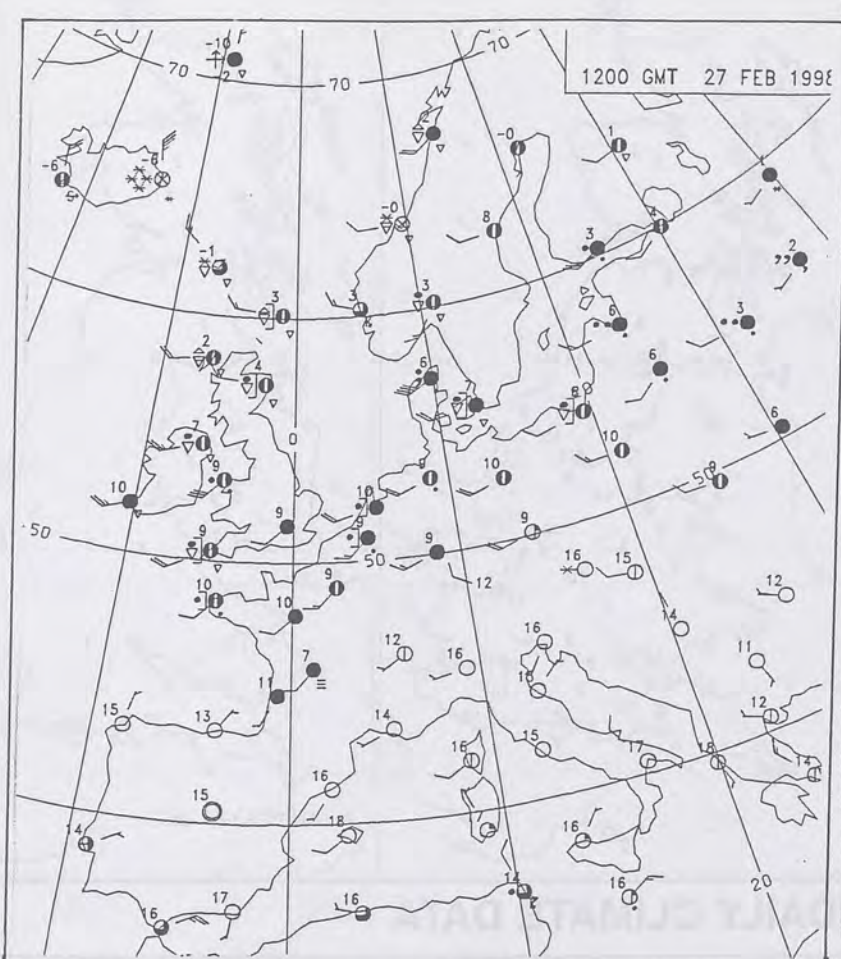
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Summary of UK weather for
Friday 27th February 1998

Outbreaks of drizzly rain affected the southern counties of England overnight but largely cleared by dawn. England and Wales had a mostly dry night. Showers affected Scotland and Northern Ireland during the night, some of them wintry across the Northern Isles. Over Scotland the showers merged to give some longer spells of rain, which moved southwards during the night. Through the morning, the showers and longer spells of rain edged across the border into northern England. Across northern Scotland the showers turned increasingly to snow. Some showery outbreaks also affected areas around the Bristol Channel but the rest of England and Wales had a largely dry morning.

The showery outbreaks spread further south across much of the UK through the afternoon and evening, although they became less frequent across northern parts. The showers fell as sleet and snow across Scotland with the odd wintry showers across Northern Ireland.

It was a windy day, but particularly in the north, with gales from North Wales northwards. The winds began to moderate through the second half of the day.

It was rather cold across the Northern Isles and northern Scotland. Elsewhere temperatures were still on the mild side for the time of year generally and locally very mild.

EXTREMES

FRIDAY 27th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
12.0C Guernsey / L'Ancrese

Lowest maximum
2.7 C Lybster
[Highland]

Lowest minimum
0.5 C Baltasound [Shetland] &
Loch Glascarnoch

Lowest grass minimum
-0.3 C Lerwick, Foula [Shetland]
& Wick [NE Scotland]

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
13.8 mm Esdkdalemuir
[Dumfries & Galloway]

Most sun
4.2hrs Aberdeen
(Dyce Airport)

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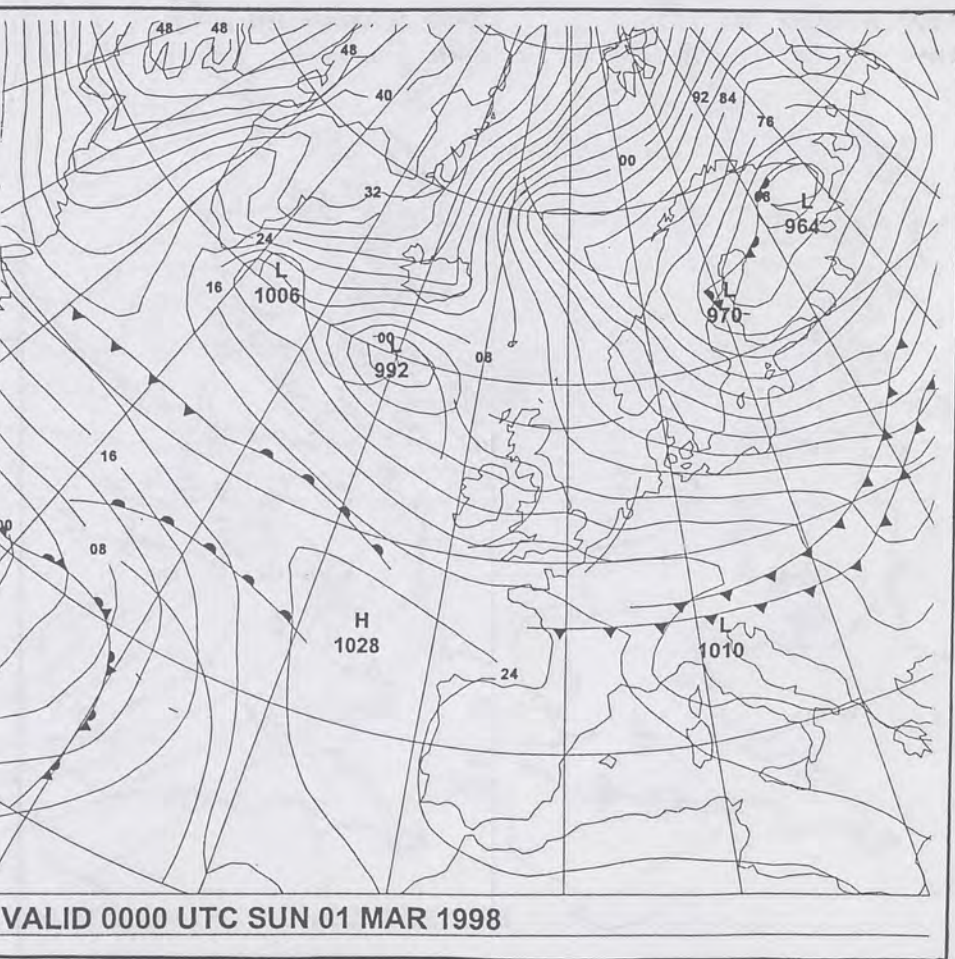
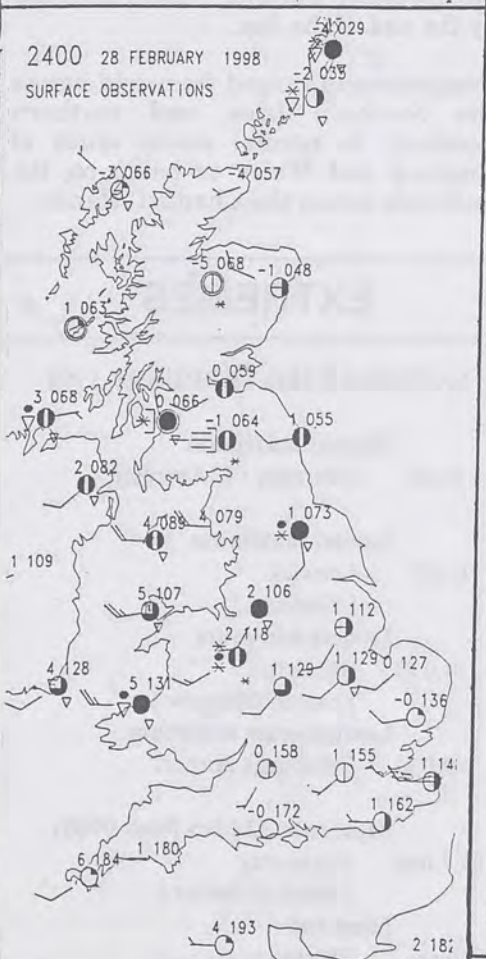
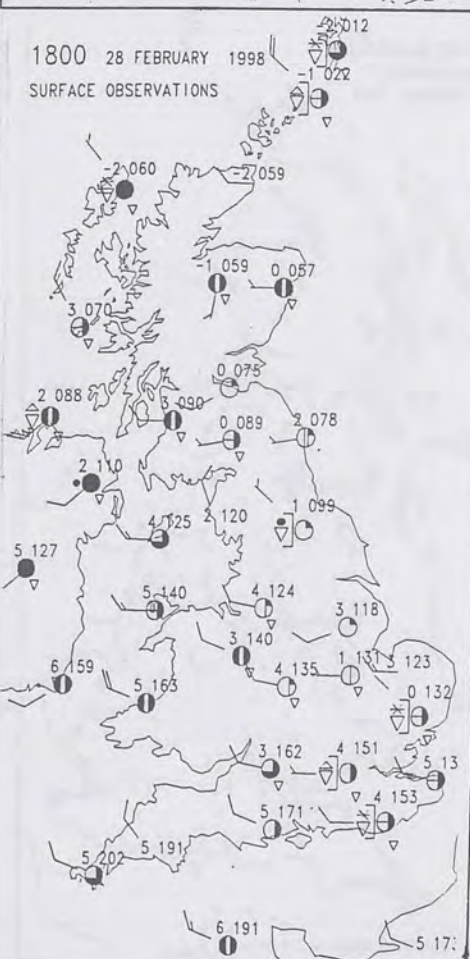
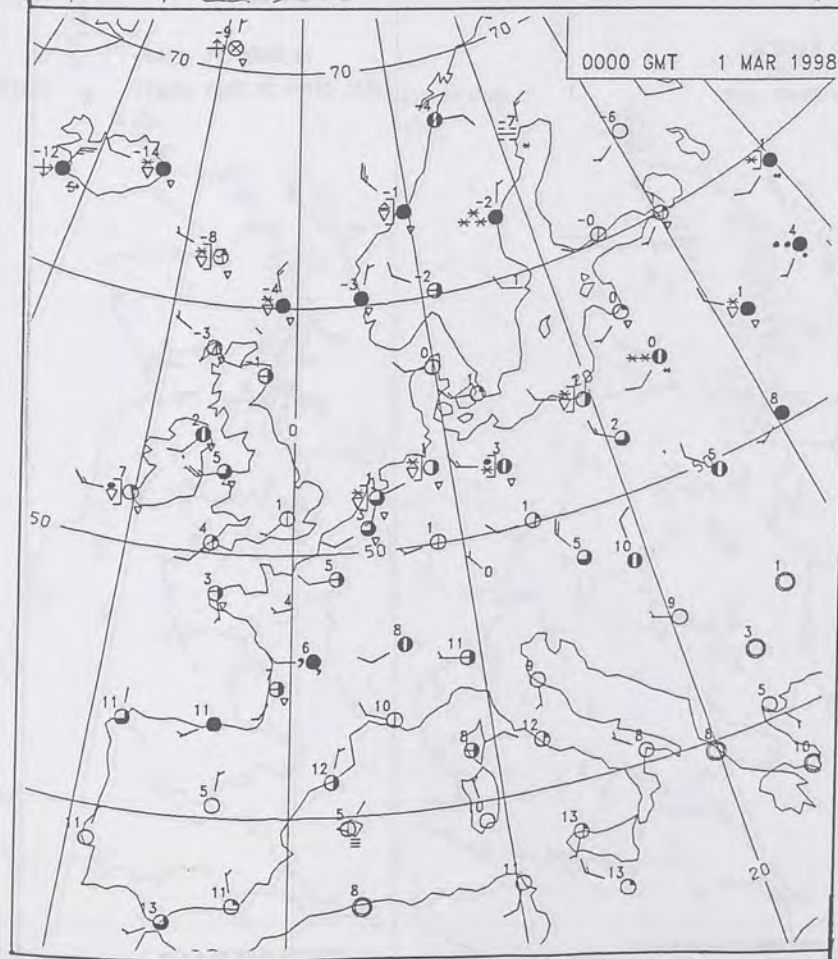
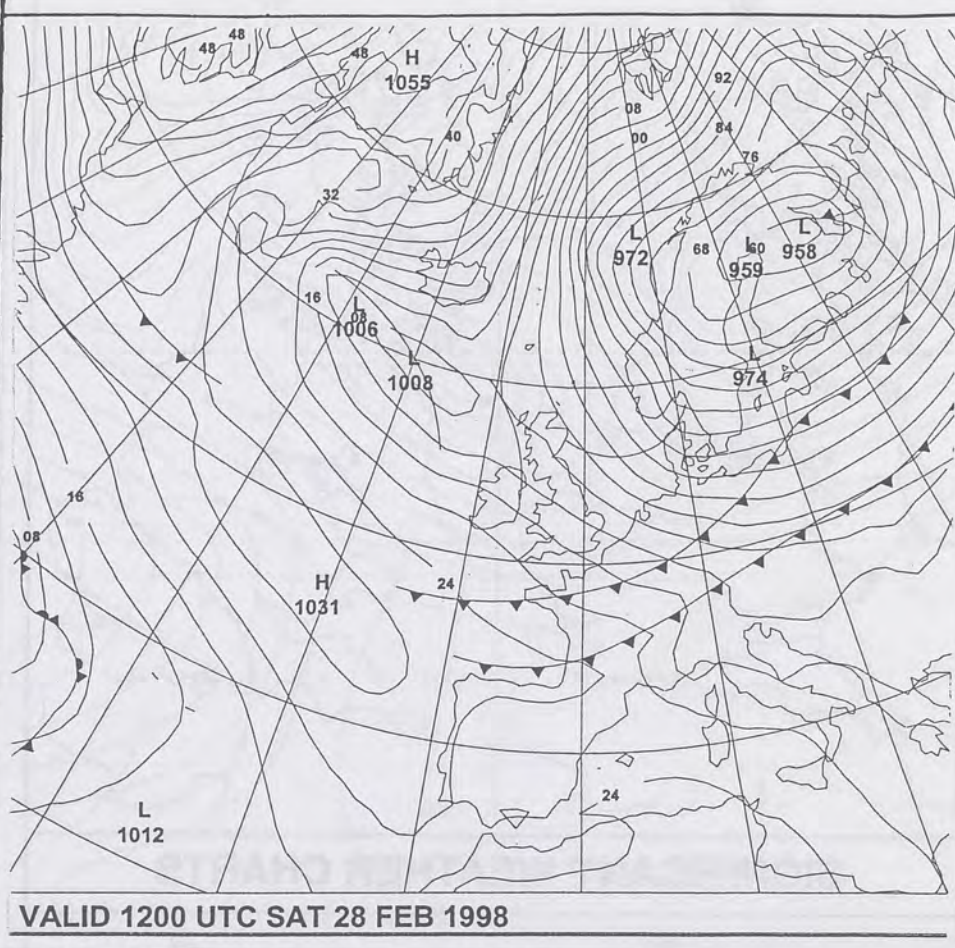
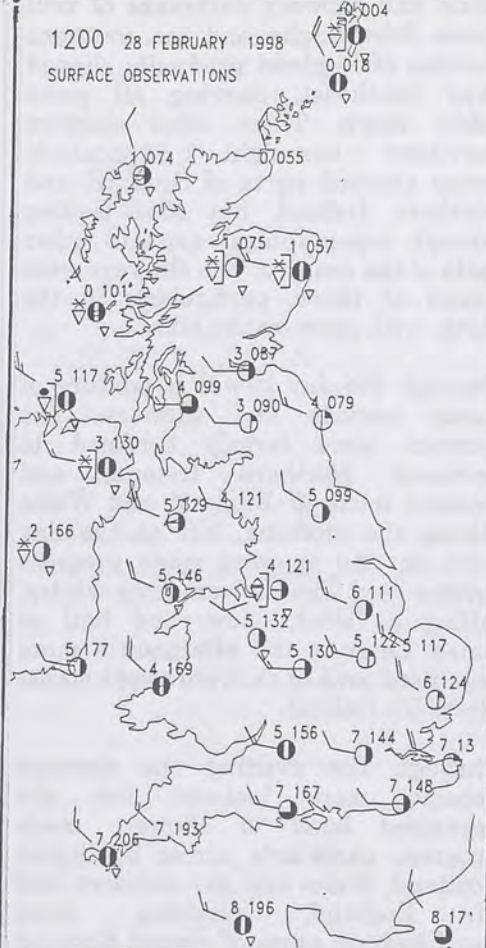
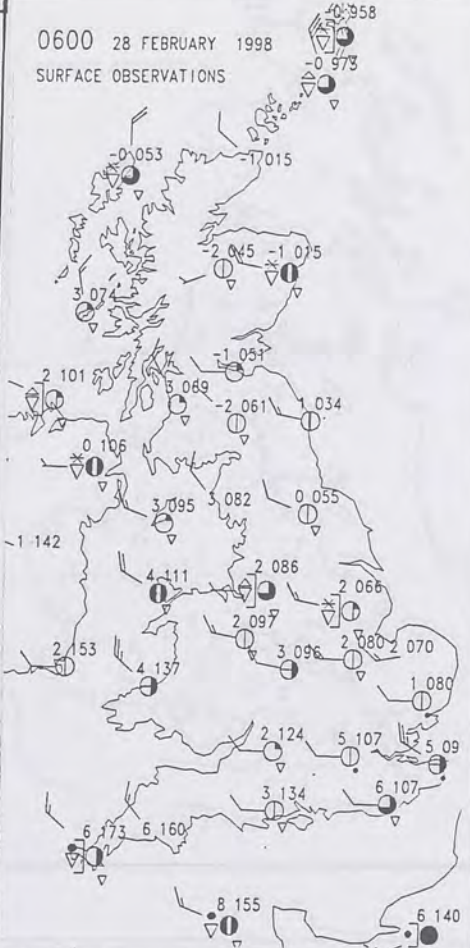
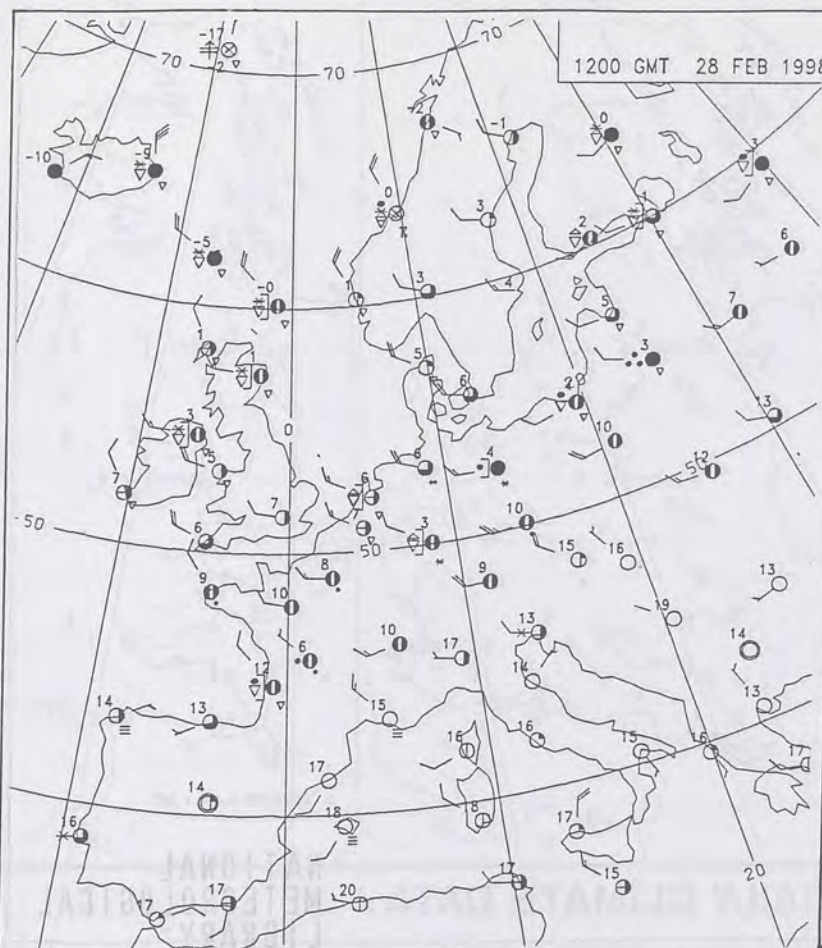
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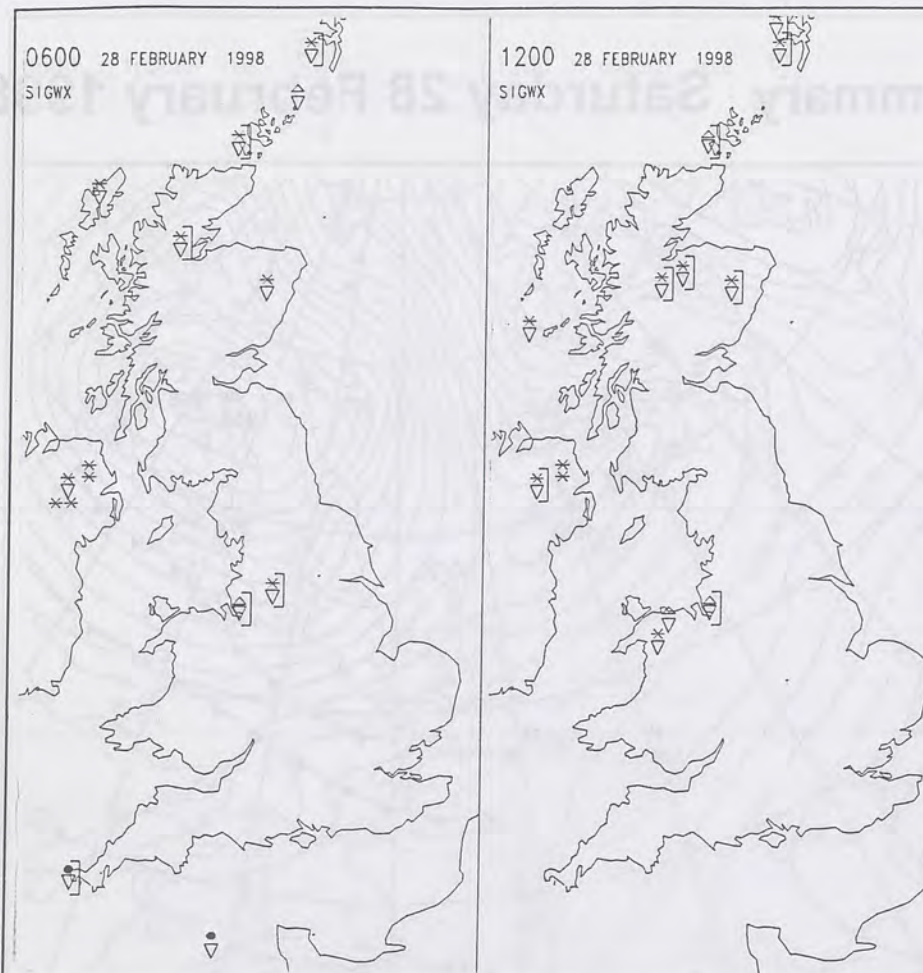
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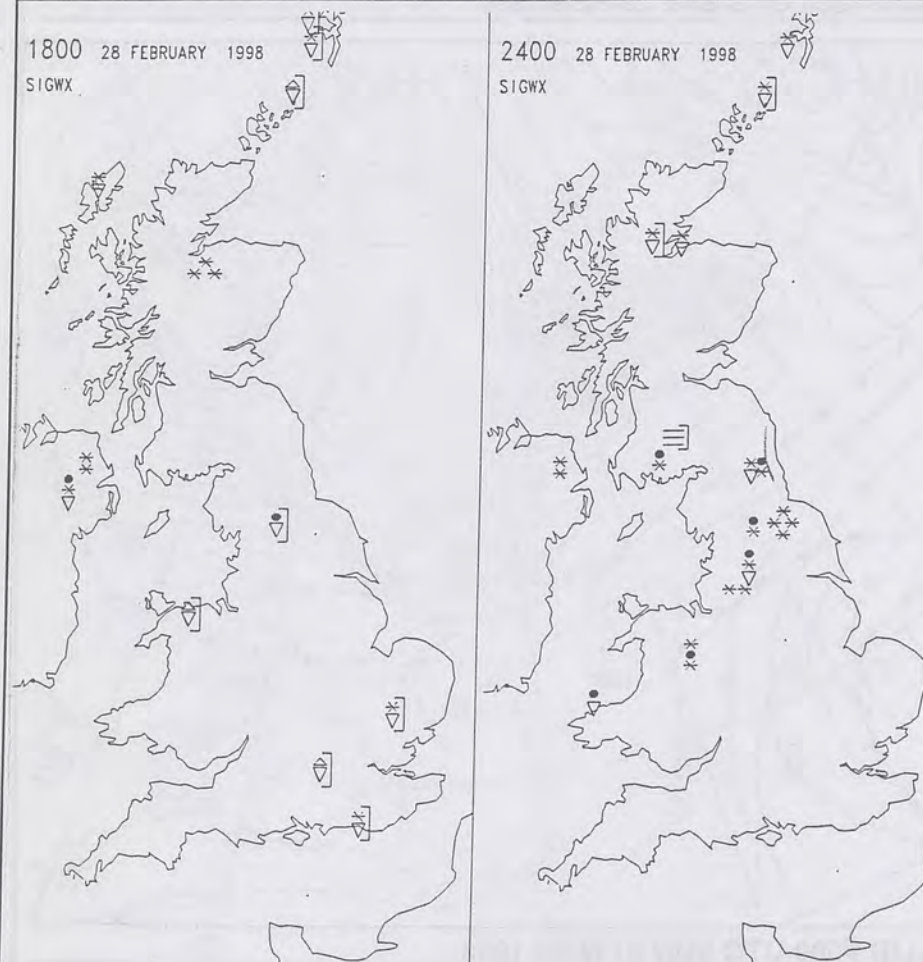
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Summary of UK weather for Saturday 28th February 1998

Cloud and showery outbreaks of rain across East Anglia and the southern counties of England gradually slipped away southeast, clearing all parts before dawn. There were showers elsewhere overnight, particularly across exposed parts of Scotland and Northern Ireland, but also feeding through topographical gaps to other parts of the country. The showers were wintry at times, particularly in the north, with snow on the hills.

Through the day it was a mixture of sunny periods and showers. The showers were largely confined to Scotland, Northern Ireland, and western parts of England and Wales during the morning, but as the day wore on, the showers made progress further east. The showers were wintry, falling as sleet, snow, and hail at times. Later in the afternoon a more organised area of showers swept across Northern Ireland.

Through the evening the showers became more isolated but the organised band of showers made progress eastwards across southwest Scotland, Wales and the northern half of England, reaching some northwestern parts of central England by the end of the day.

Temperatures ranged from cold across the Northern Isles, and northern Scotland, to normal across much of England and Wales to being on the mild side across the Channel Islands.

EXTREMES

SATURDAY 28th FEBRUARY 1998

Highest maximum
10.5C Guernsey / L'Ancrese

Lowest maximum
0.2 C Lerwick
[Shetland]

Lowest minimum
-4.0 C Salsburgh
[east of Glasgow]

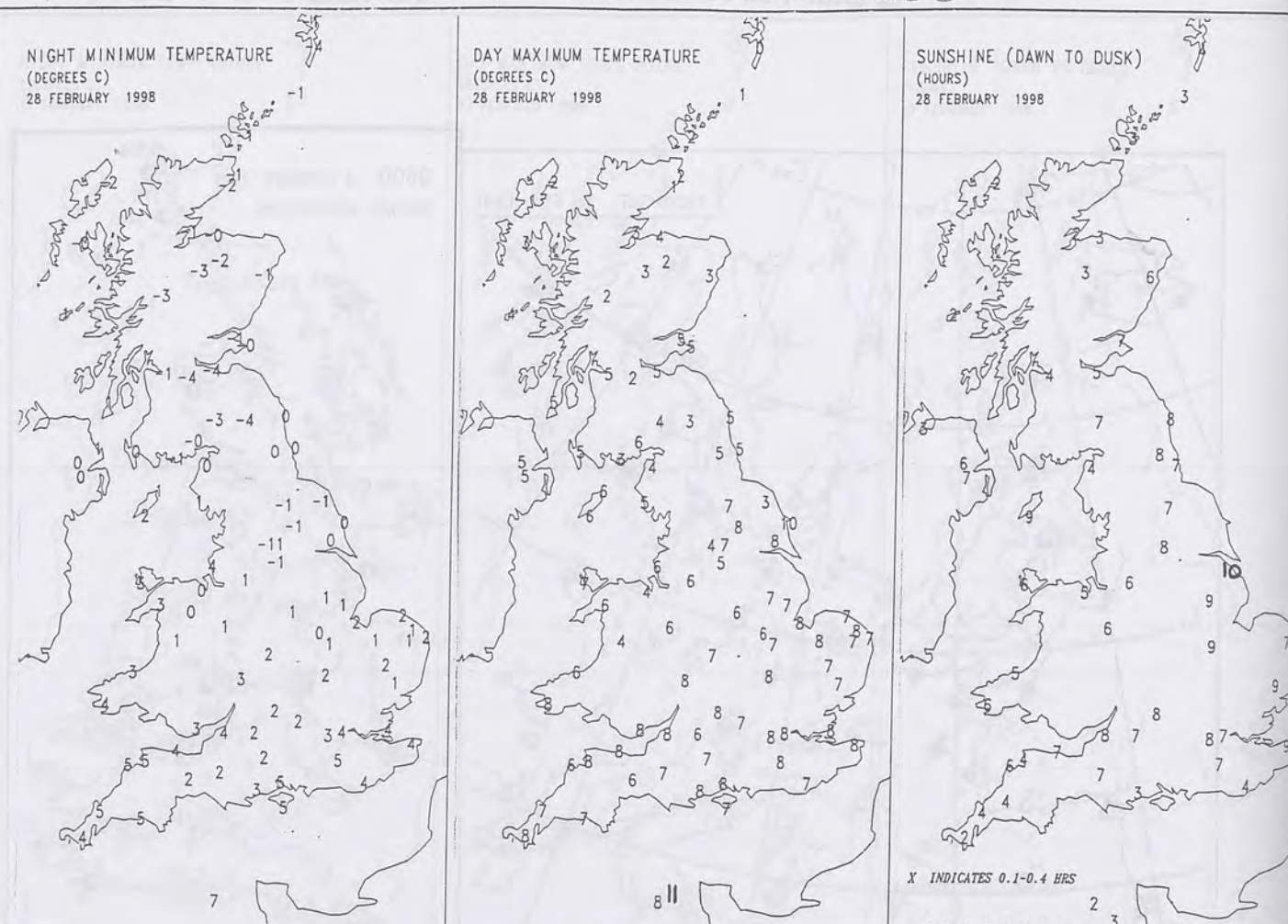
Lowest grass minimum
-9.0 C Edinburgh Airport

Most rain (24 hrs from 0900)
15.7 mm Stornoway
[Outer Hebrides]

Most sun
9.7hrs Cleethorpes
[NE Lincs]

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