



# Daily Weather Maps

**MAY 18, 2009 - MAY 24, 2009**

The following charts are the principal charts of the former National Weather Service publication, "Daily Weather Map." They are the Surface Weather Map, the 500-Millibar Height Contours chart, the Highest and Lowest Temperatures chart, and the Precipitation Areas and Amounts chart. All charts are derived from the operational weather maps prepared at the National Centers for Environmental Prediction, Hydrometeorological Prediction Center, National Weather Service. The symbols on the Surface Weather Map and the 500-Millibar Height contours are standard international symbols.

The Surface Weather Map shows station data and the analysis for 7:00 a.m. EST. Areas of precipitation are indicated by shading. The weather reports displayed here are only a fraction of those on which the analyses are based. Occasional apparent discrepancies between the printed station data and the analyses result from the absence of station reports not included here because of a lack of space.

The 500-Millibar Height Contours chart shows height contours (solid lines), temperatures (dashed lines) and winds (arrows) at the 500-Millibar pressure level at 7:00 a.m. EST. The height contours show the height of the 500-millibar pressure level in dekameters above sea level and isotherms, the lines of constant temperature, are shown in degrees Celsius. Arrows show the wind direction and speed at the 500-Millibar level.

The Highest and Lowest Temperature chart shows the maximum temperature for a period from 7:00 a.m. EST the previous day through 1 a.m. EST and the minimum temperature for the period from 7:00 p.m. EST the previous day through 1 p.m. The maximum temperature is plotted above the station location and the minimum temperature is plotted below.

The Precipitation Areas and Amounts chart shows areas (shaded) that had precipitation during the 24 hours ending at 7:00 a.m. EST, with amounts to the nearest hundredth of an inch. "T" indicates a trace of precipitation.

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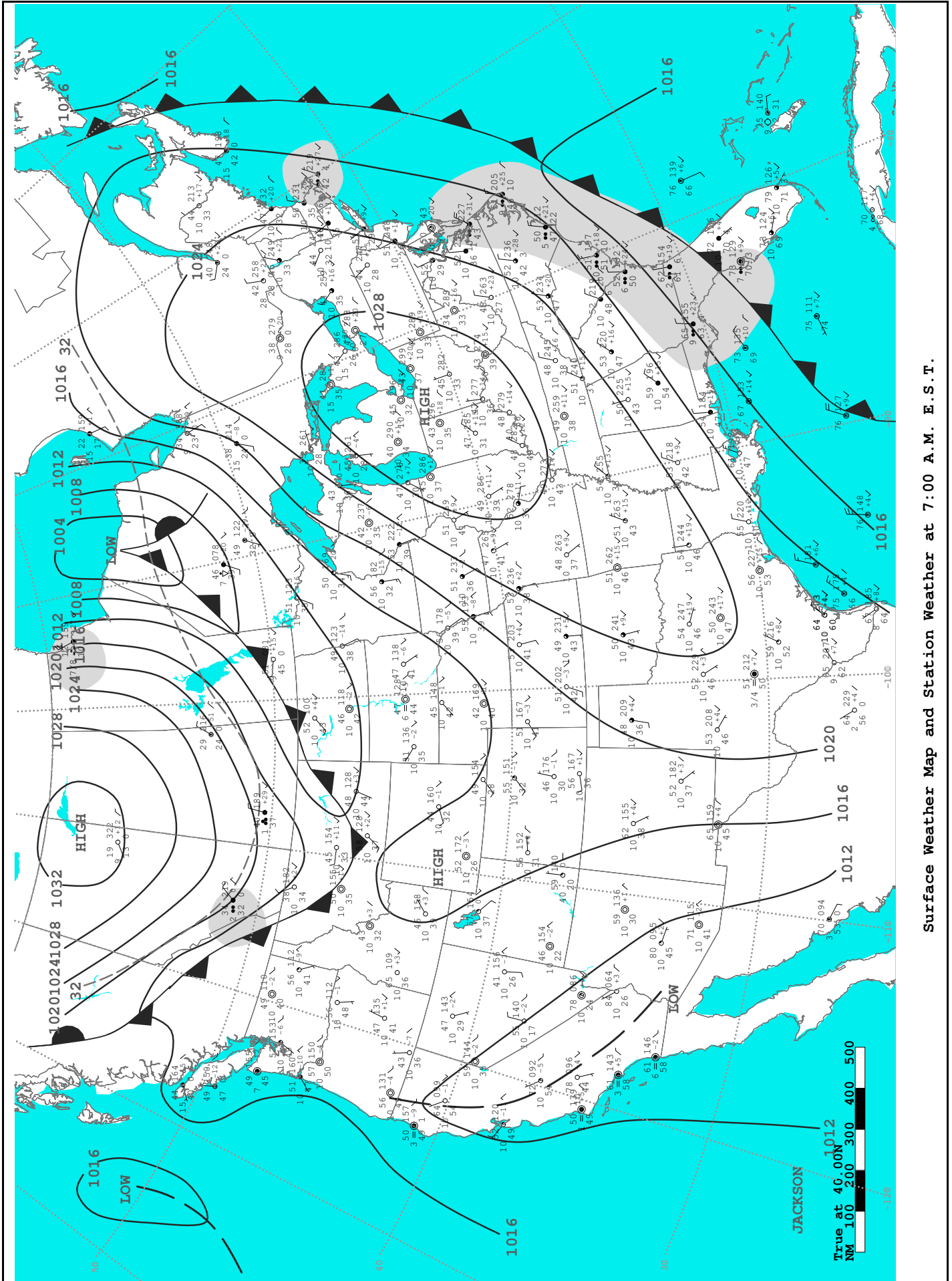
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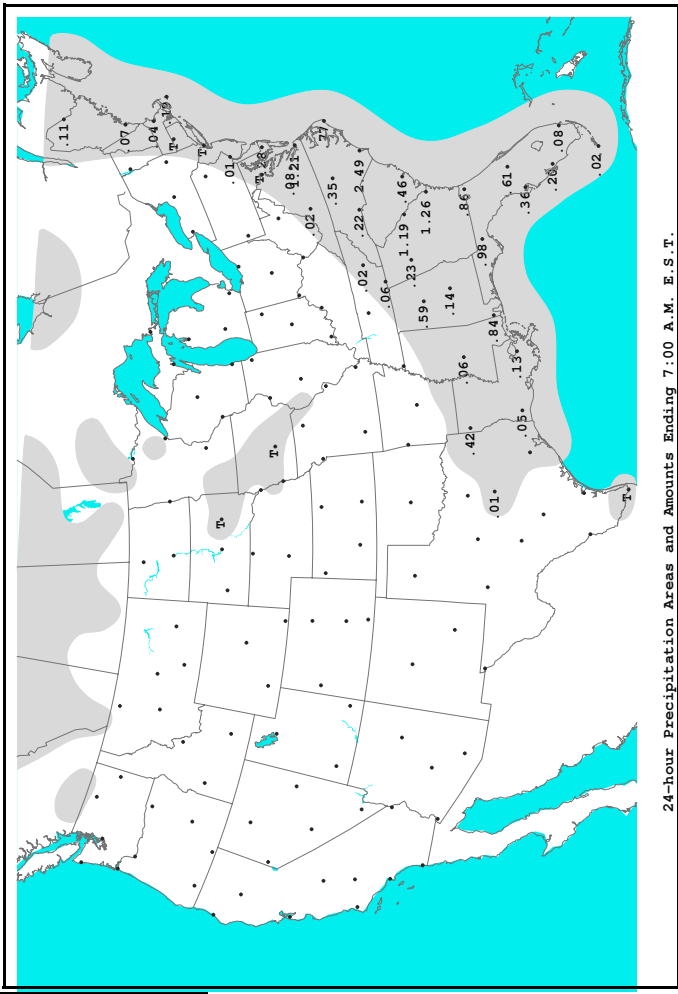
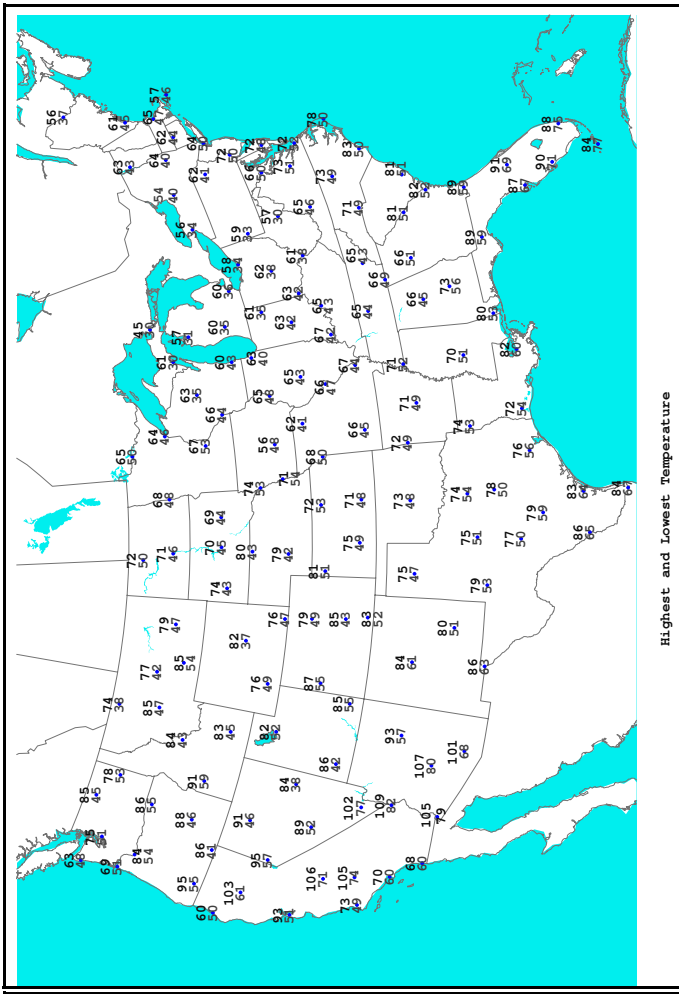
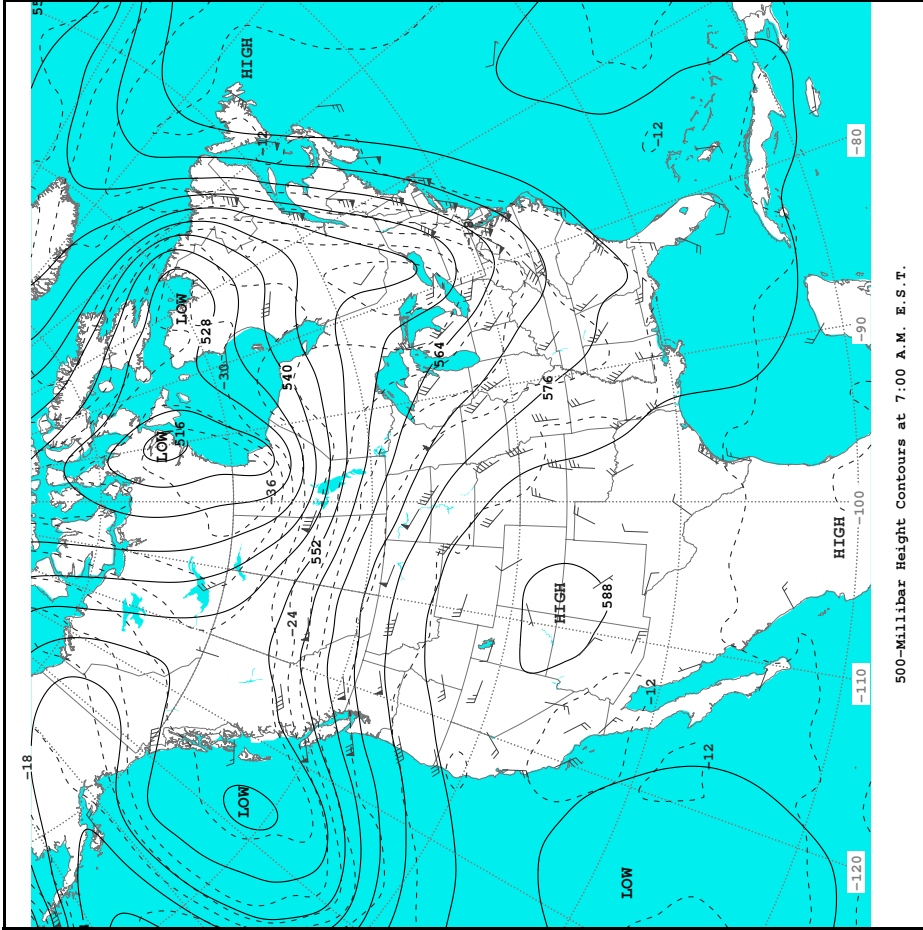
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Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.

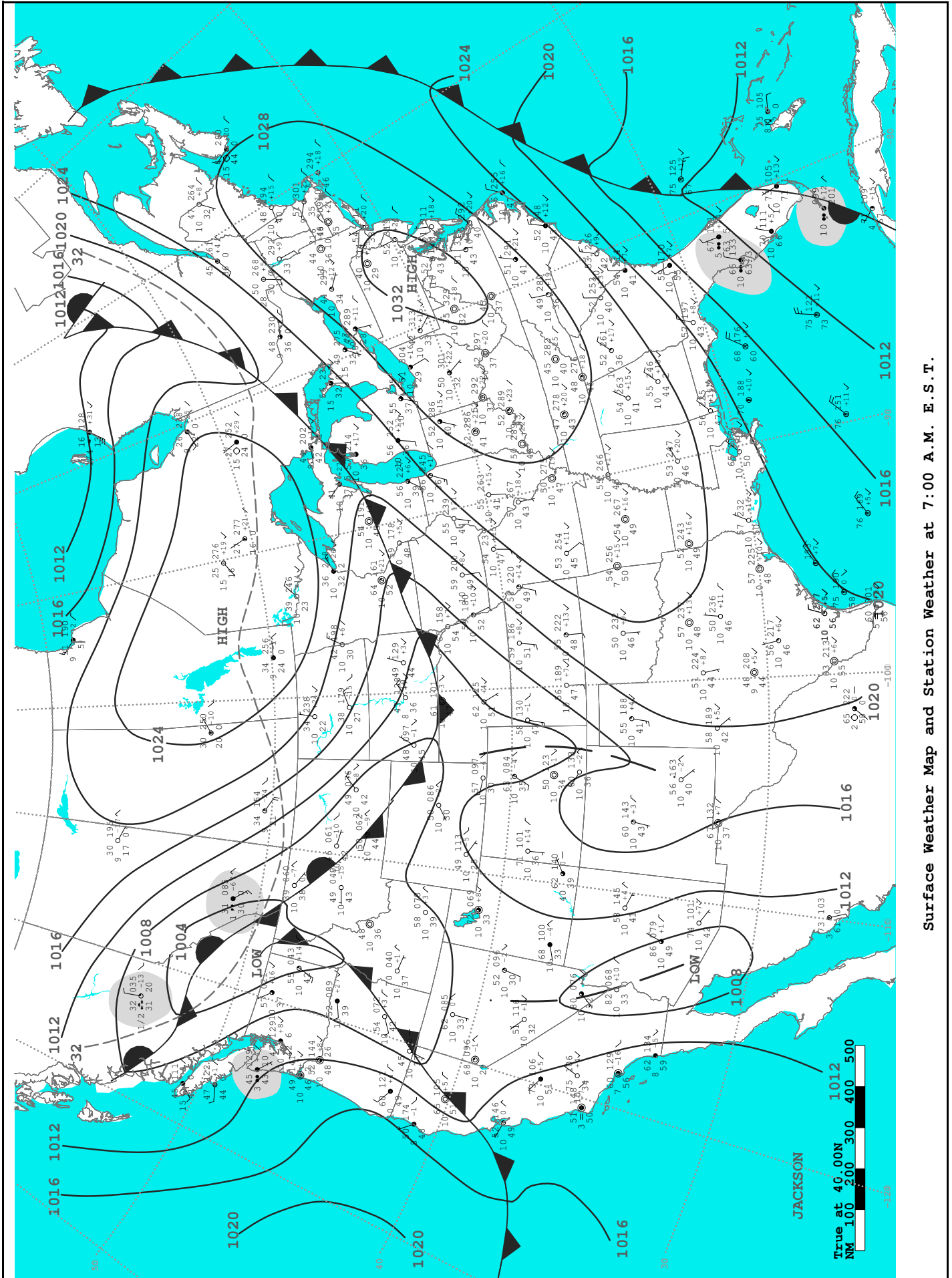


**Station Model**

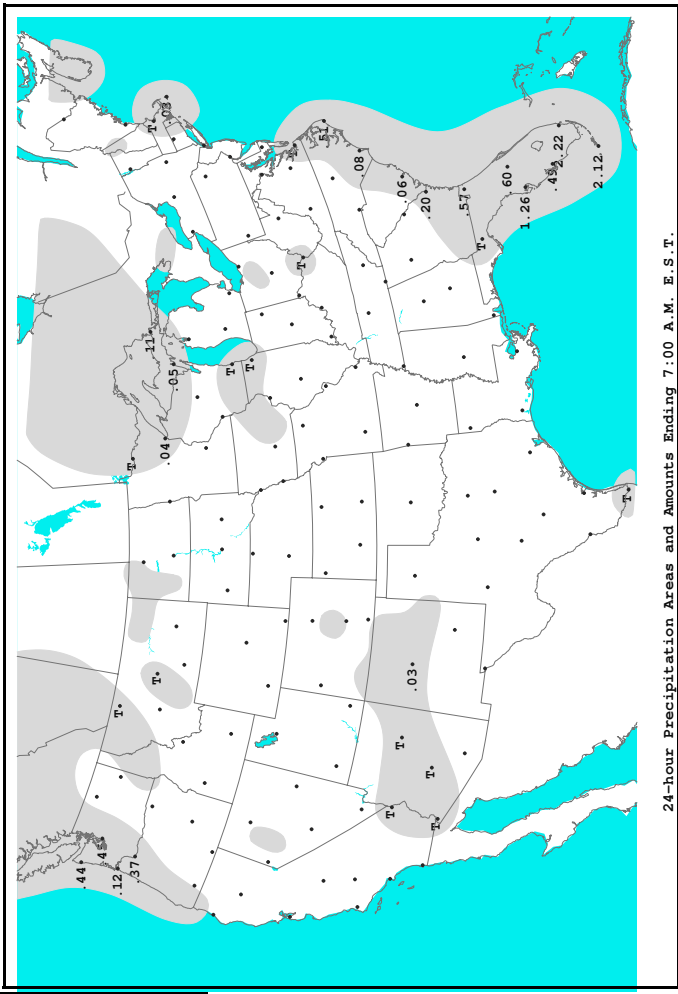
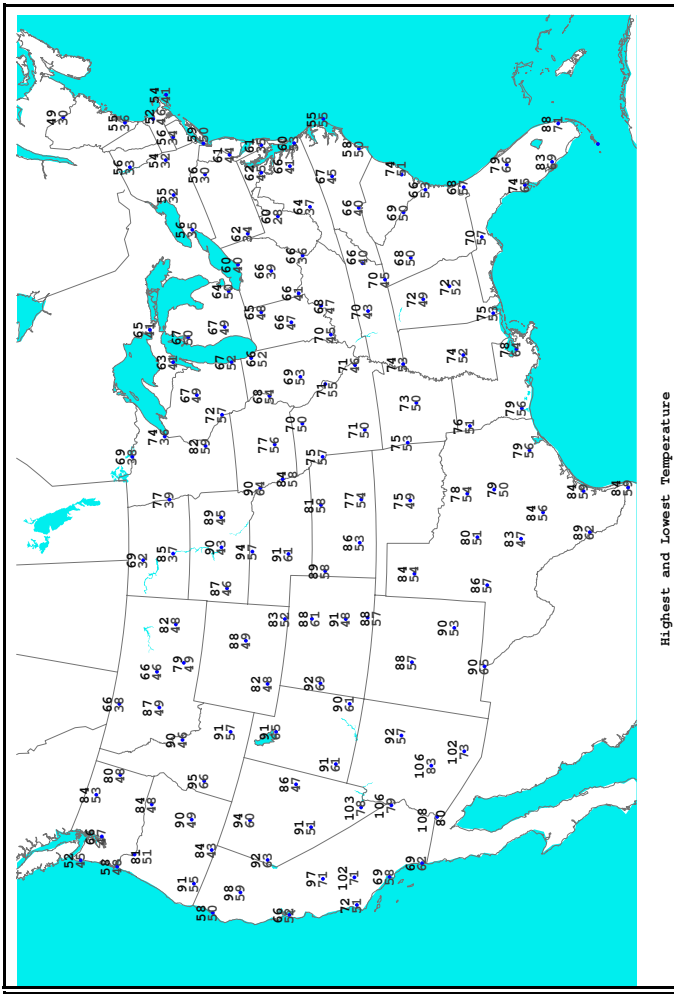
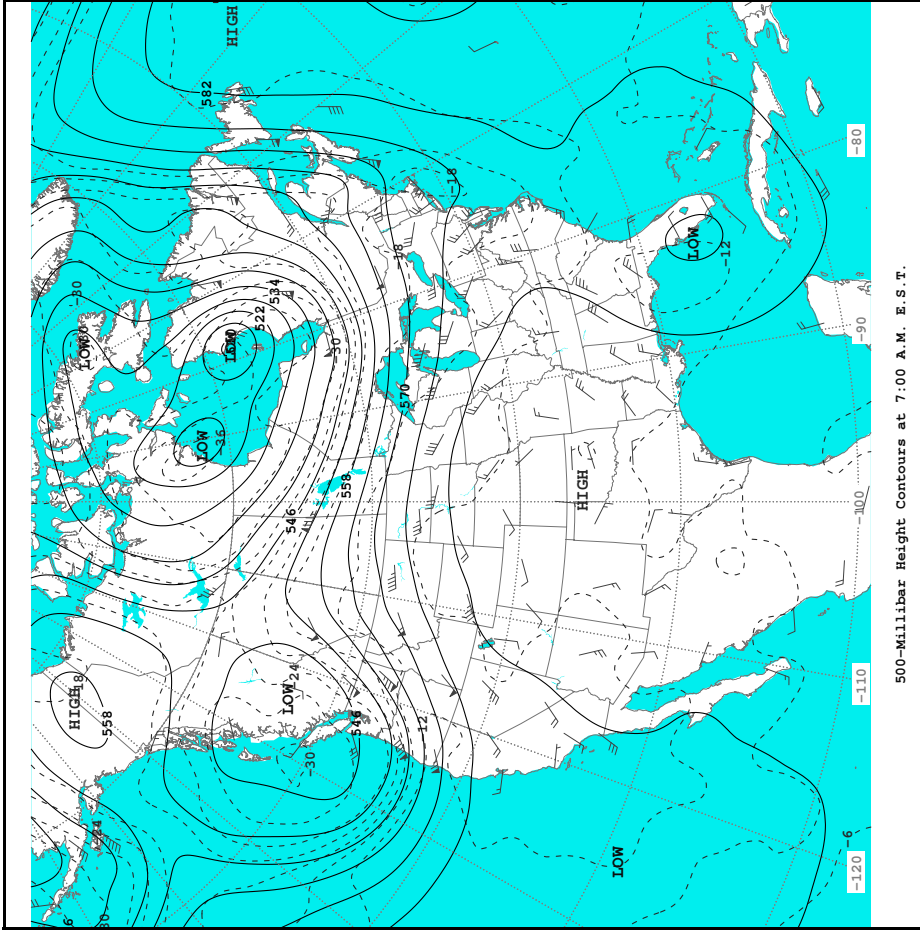
The station model diagram consists of the following elements:

- Wind Direction:** Indicated by a long feather (10 knots) and a short feather (5 knots).
- Current Temperature (in °F):** Represented by the number 'dd'.
- Visibility (in miles):** Represented by the number 'V'.
- Present Weather Symbol:** Represented by a circle containing a symbol (e.g., 'F' for rain).
- Dew Point Temperature:** Represented by the number 'TT'.
- 3-Digit Surface Pressure (in tenths):** Represented by the number 'PPP'.
- 3 Hour Pressure Tendency (in tenths):** Represented by the number 'PP a'.
- 6 Hour Total Precipitation (in hundredths of an inch):** Represented by the number 'RR'.
- Sky Cover:** Represented by a horizontal line.

**MONDAY, MAY 18, 2009**



Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.

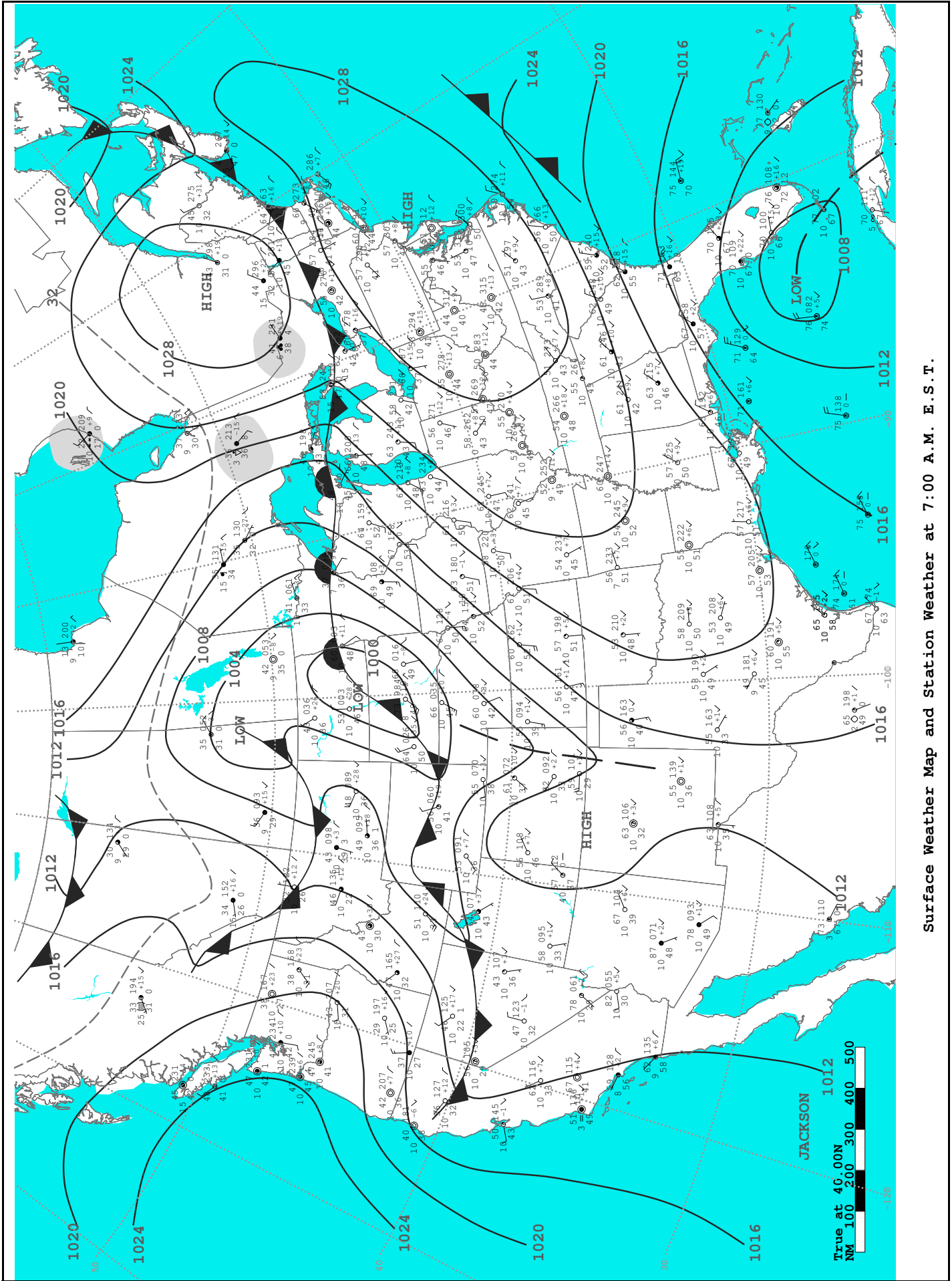


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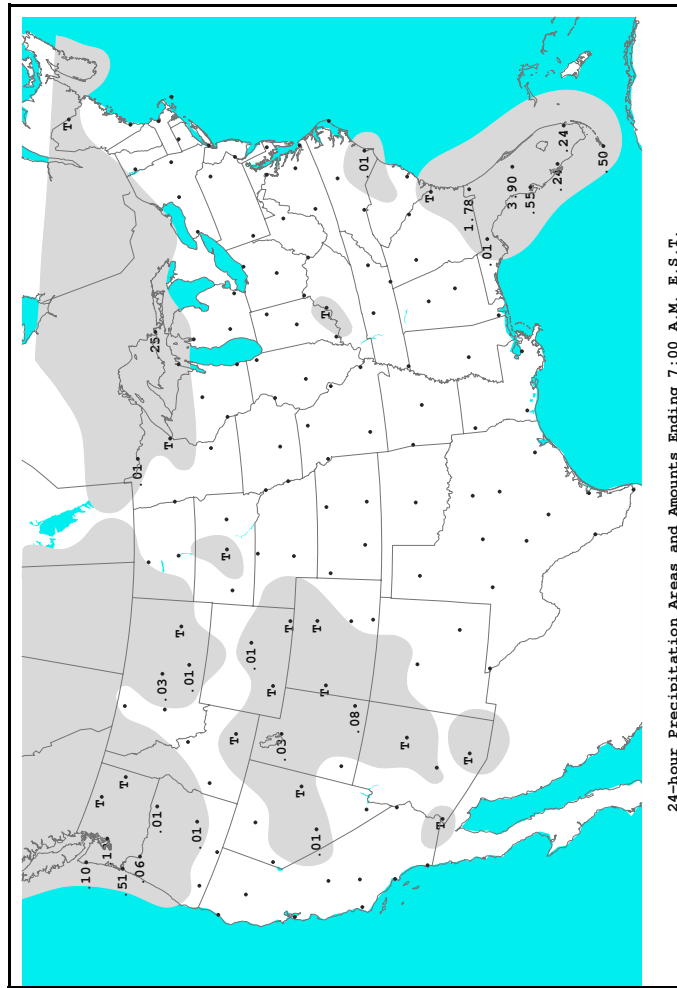
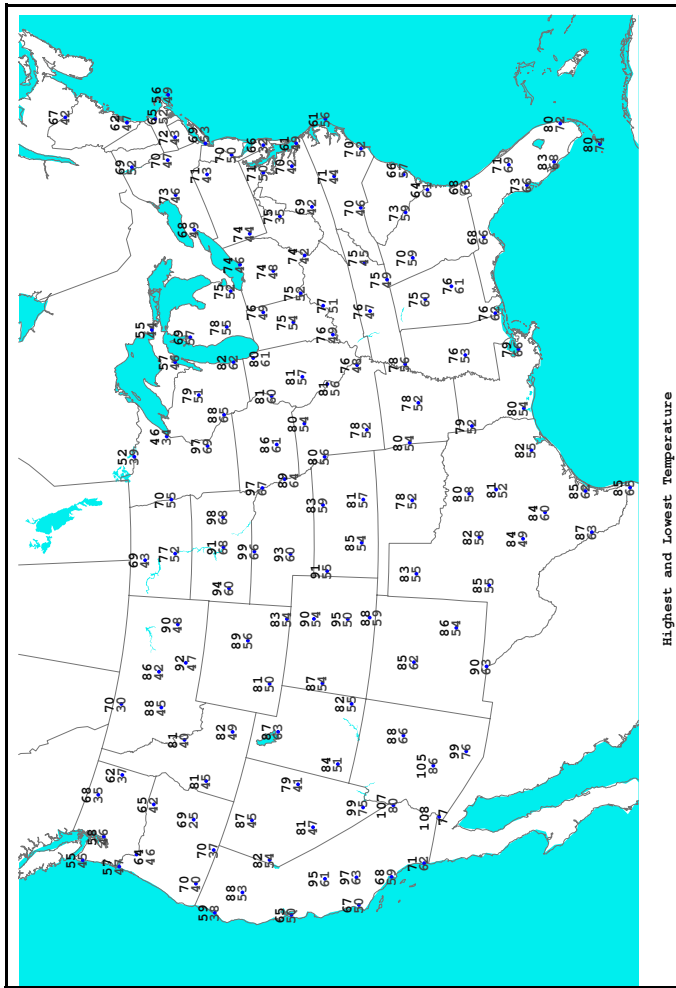
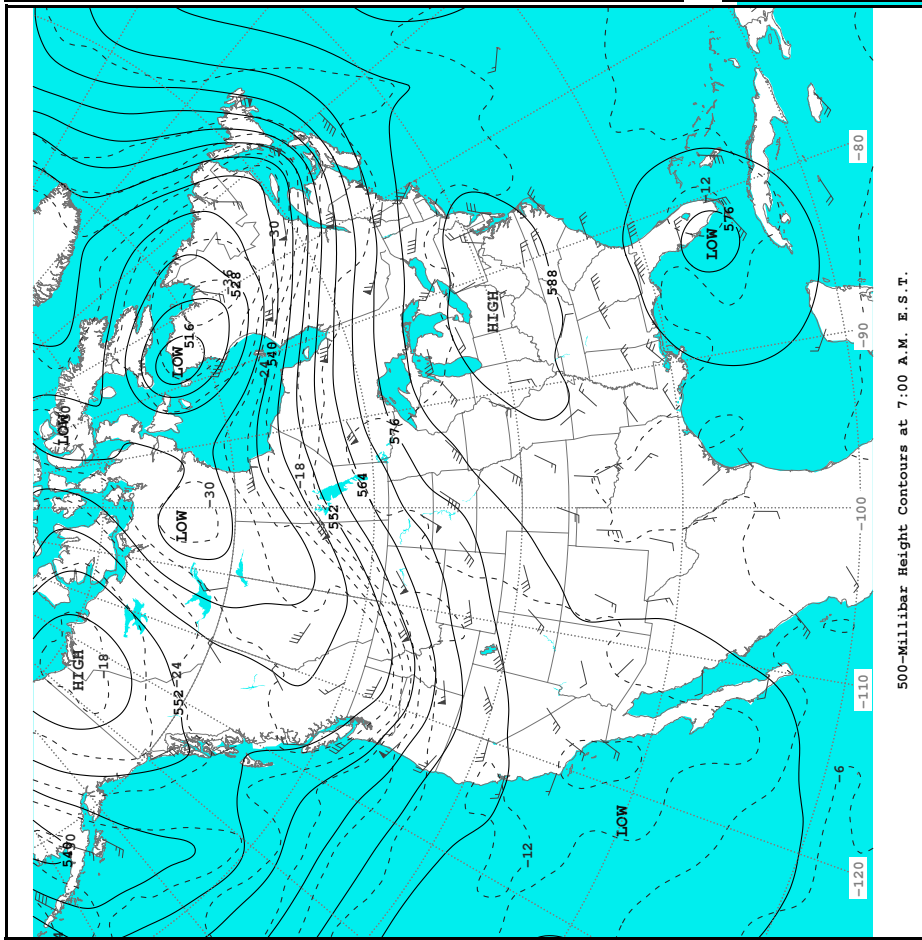
The station model diagram shows the following components:

- Wind Direction:** Indicated by a long feather (10 knots) and a short feather (5 knots).
- Current Temperature (in °F):** Represented by the number 'F'.
- Visibility (in miles):** Represented by the number 'V'.
- Present Weather Symbol:** Represented by a circle with a vertical line through it.
- Dew Point Temperature:** Represented by the number 'DD'.
- 3-Digit Surface Pressure:** Represented by the number 'PPP'.
- 3 Hour Pressure Tendency:** Represented by the number 'PP'.
- 6 Hour Total Precipitation:** Represented by the number 'RR'.
- Sky Cover:** Represented by a circle with a horizontal line through it.

# TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2009



Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.

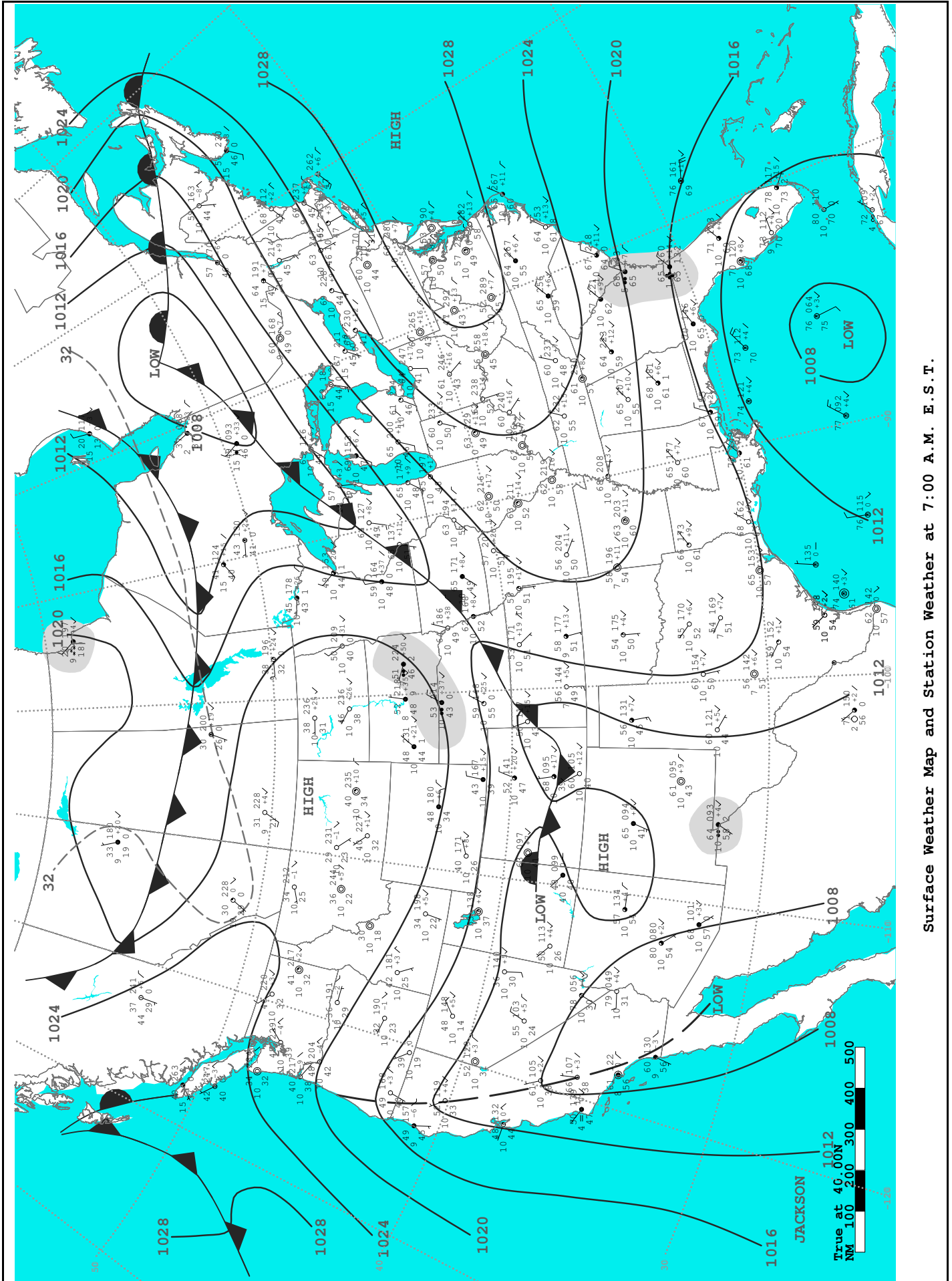


**Station Model**

The diagram shows a station model with the following components:

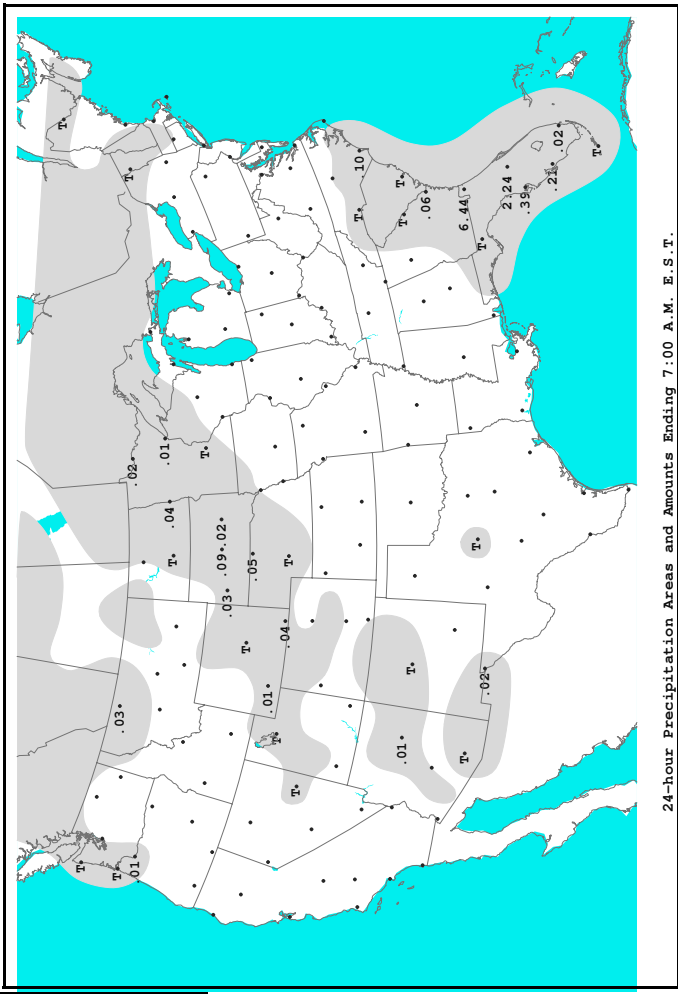
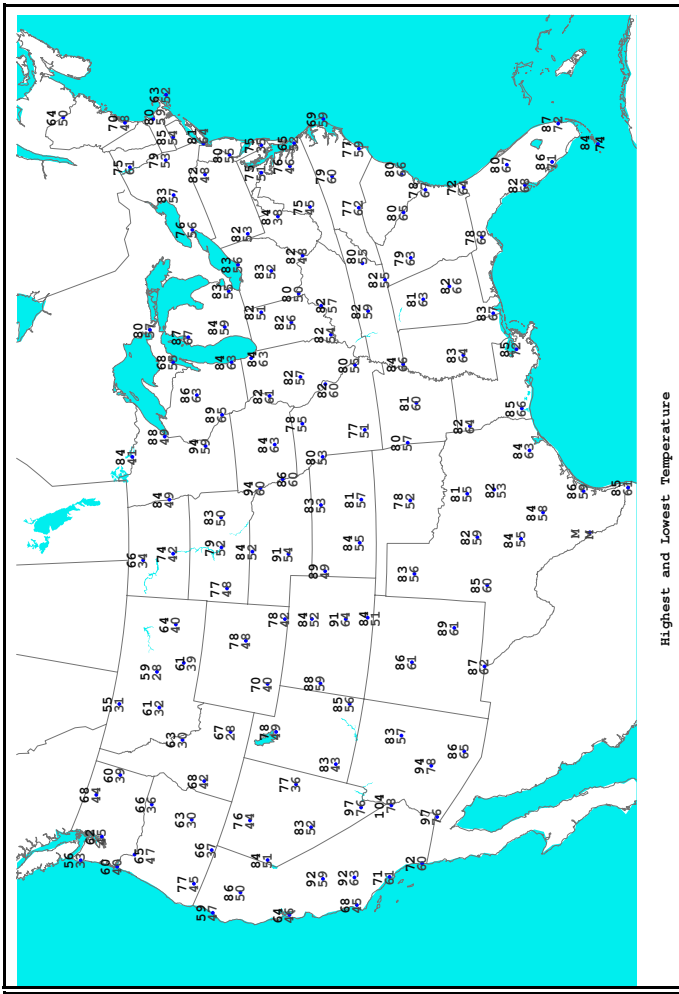
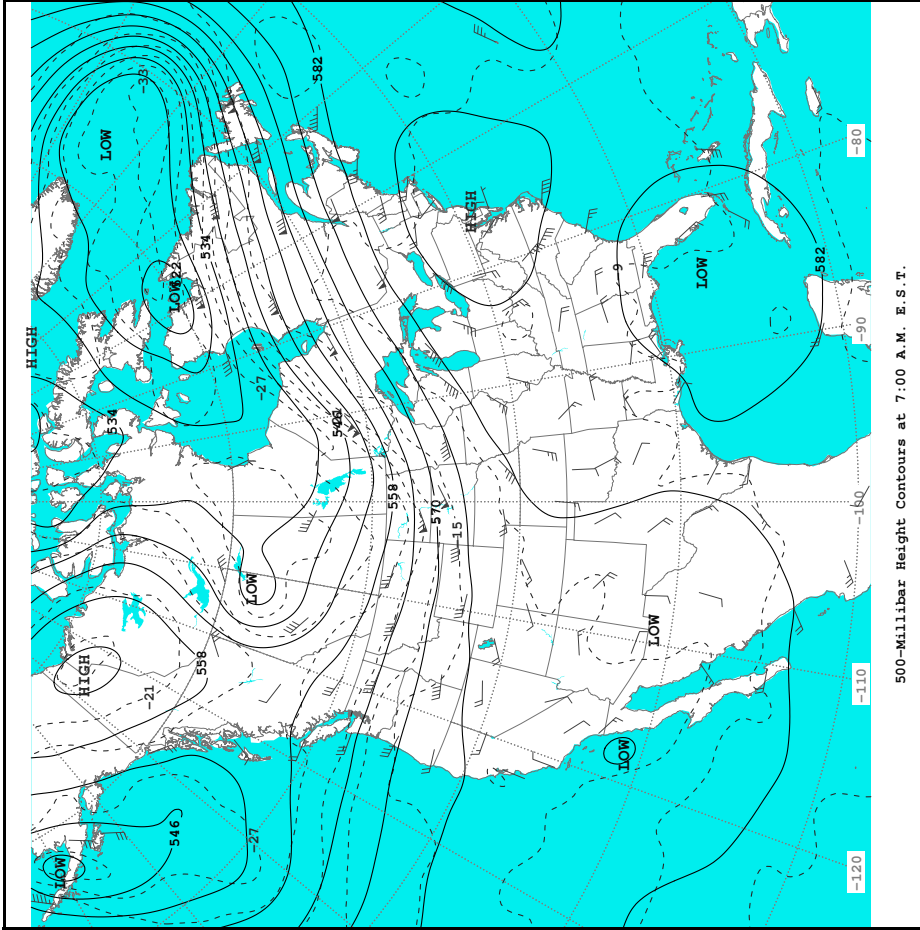
- Wind Direction:** A line with a small arrow pointing in the direction the wind is blowing from.
- Wind Speed:** A long feather for 10 knots and a short feather for 5 knots.
- Current Temperature (in °F):** A large 'F' symbol.
- Visibility (in miles):** A 'V' symbol.
- Present Weather Symbol:** A circle with a vertical line through it.
- Dew Point Temperature:** A 'TD' symbol.
- 3-Digit Surface Pressure (in tenths):** A 'PPP' symbol.
- 3 Hour Pressure Tendency (in tenths):** A 'PPa' symbol.
- 6 Hour Total Precipitation (in hundredths of an inch):** A 'RR' symbol.
- Sky Cover:** A horizontal line with a vertical line through it.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2009**



Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.





**Station Model**

Wind Direction: Wind Speed: Long Feather - 10 knots, Short Feather - 5 knots

Current Temperature (in °F): dd

Visibility (in miles): TT

Present Weather Symbol: V WW

Dew Point Temperature: TD

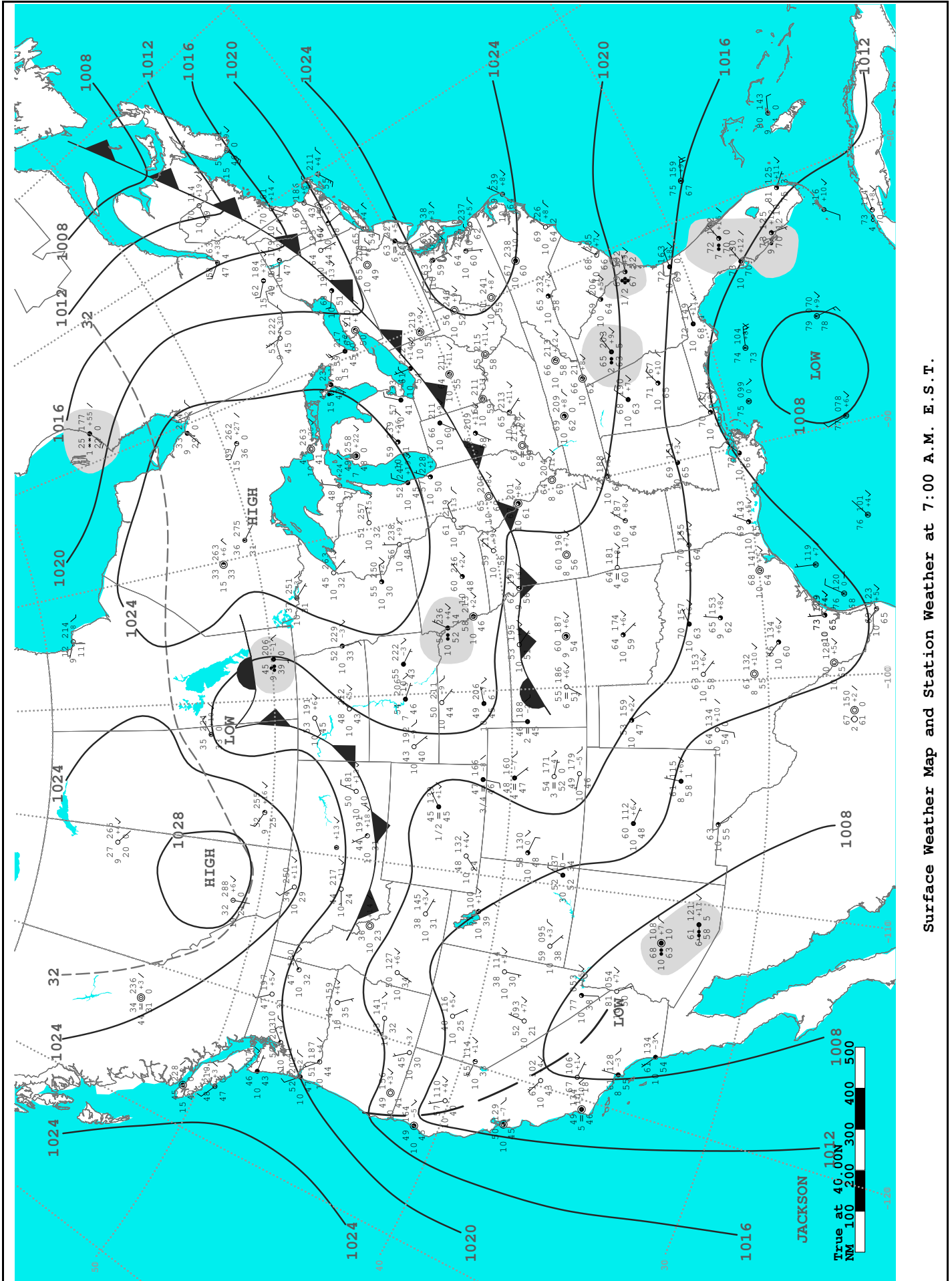
3-Digit Surface Pressure (in tenths): Ex: 989 = 998.9mb, 012 = 1001.2mb

3 Hour Pressure Tendency (in tenths): PP a

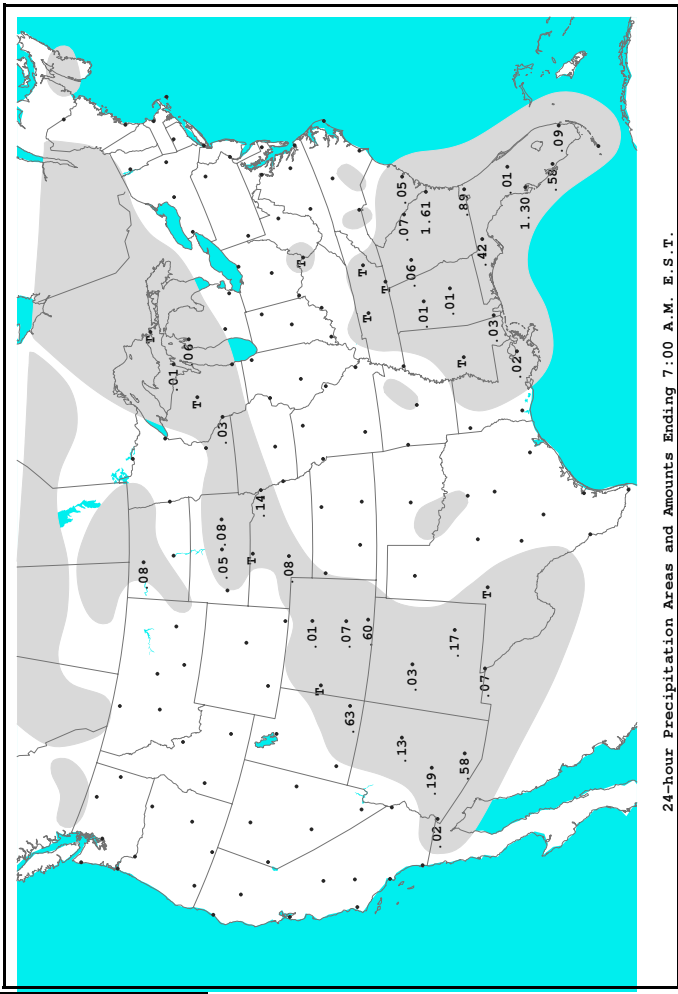
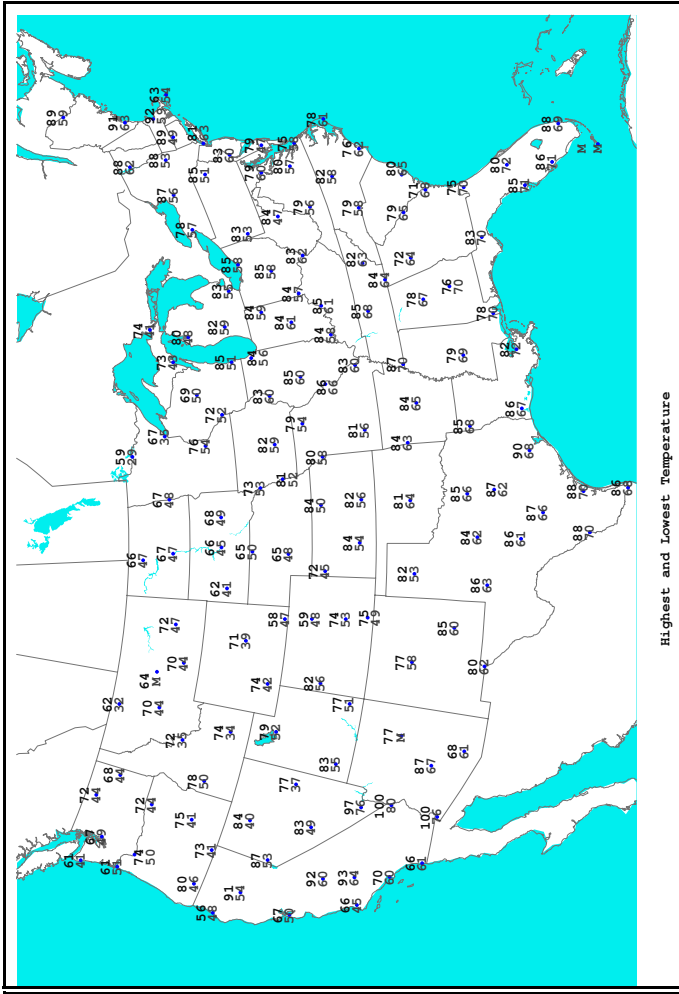
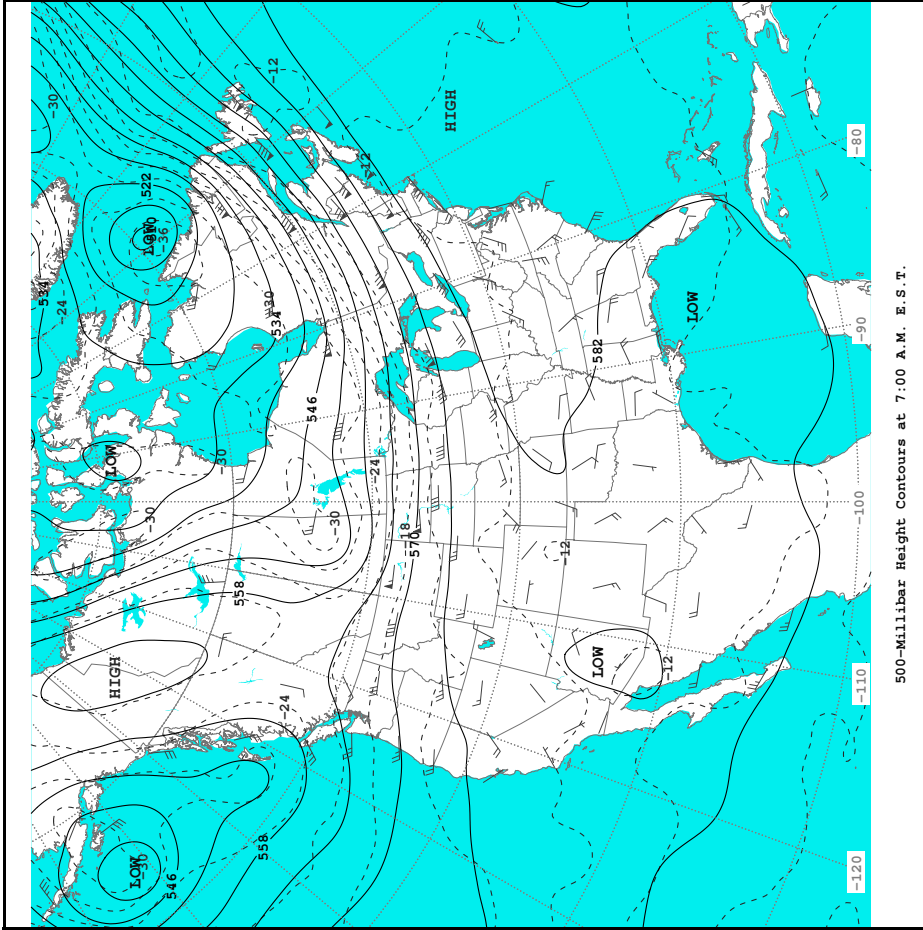
6 Hour Total Precipitation (in hundredths of an inch): RR

Sky Cover: Sky\_Cover

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Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.

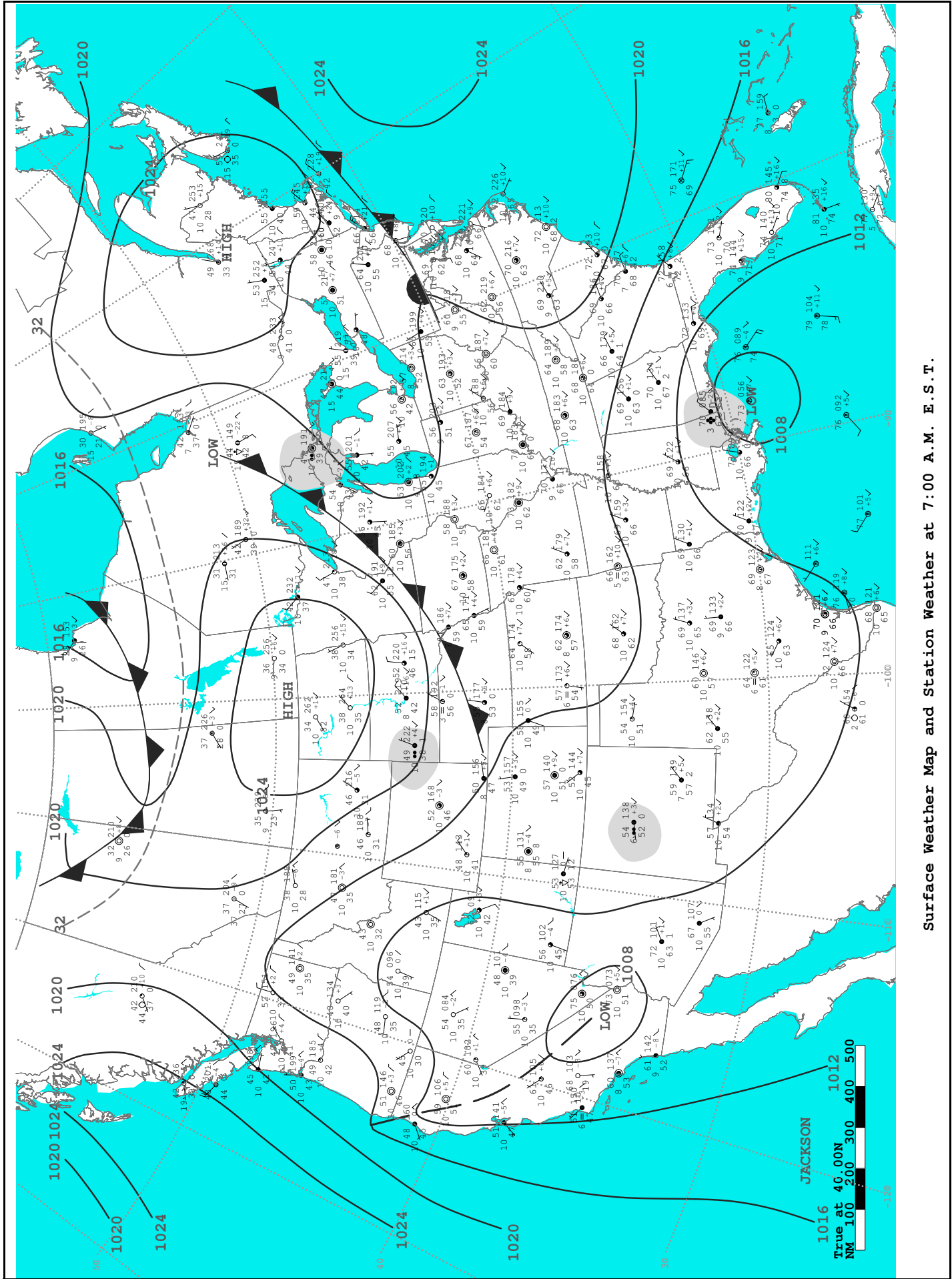


**Station Model**

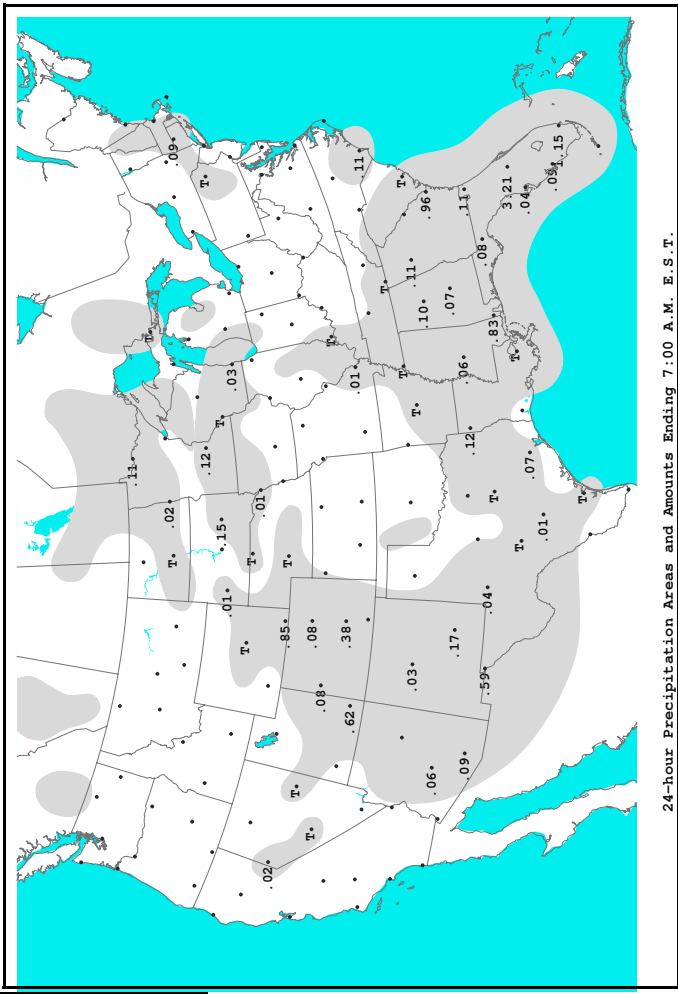
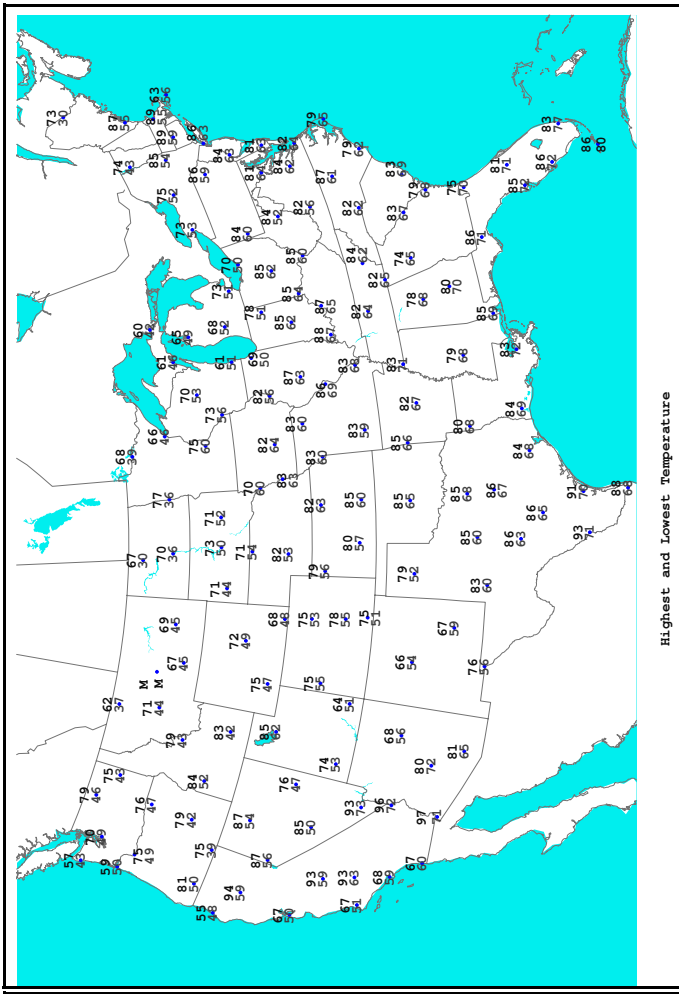
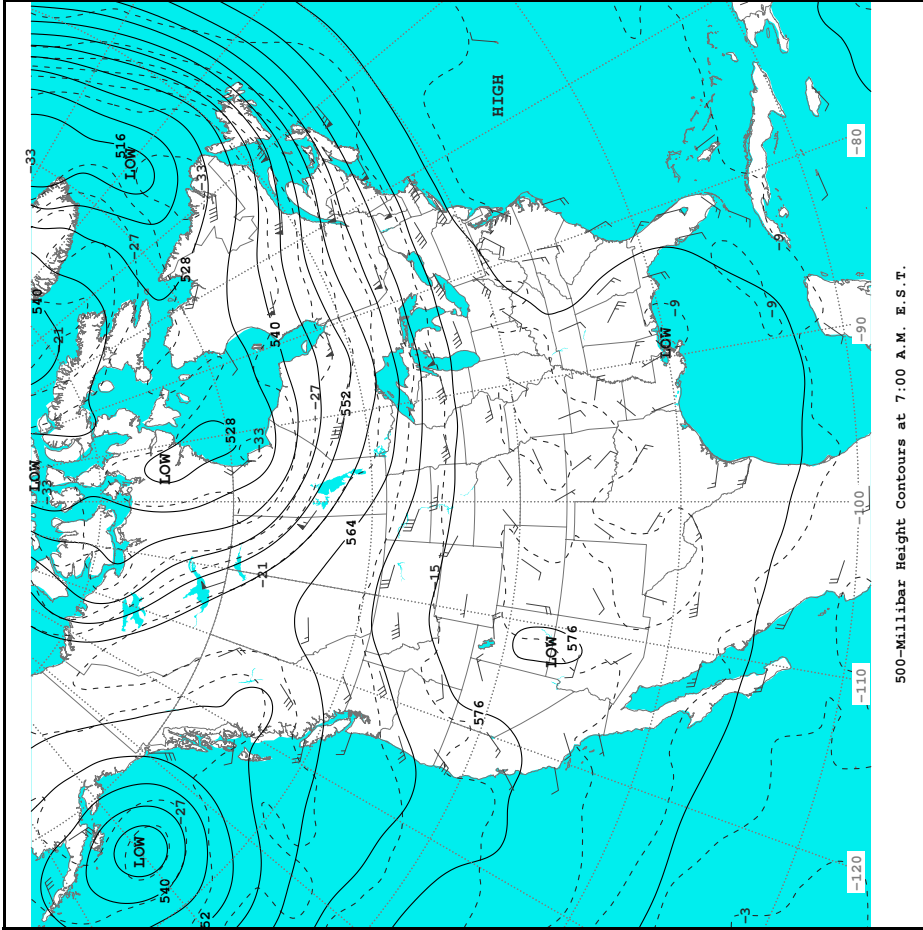
The station model diagram consists of the following elements:

- Wind Direction:** Indicated by a line with a short feather (5 knots) and a long feather (10 knots).
- Current Temperature (in °F):** Represented by the number 'F'.
- Wind Speed:** Represented by the number 'F'.
- Visibility (in miles):** Represented by the number 'V'.
- Present Weather Symbol:** Represented by a circle containing a symbol (e.g., a cloud for overcast).
- Dew Point Temperature:** Represented by the number 'DD'.
- 3-Digit Surface Pressure (in tenths):** Represented by the number 'PPP'.
- 3 Hour Pressure Tendency (in tenths):** Represented by the number 'PP'.
- 6 Hour Total Precipitation (in hundredths of an inch):** Represented by the number 'RR'.
- Sky Cover:** Represented by a circle with a number inside (e.g., 10 for 10% cover).

# FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009



Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.



**Station Model**

Wind Direction: **F** (Long Feather - 10 knots, Short Feather - 5 knots)

Wind Speed: **F** (Long Feather - 10 knots, Short Feather - 5 knots)

Current Temperature (in °F): **dd**

Wind Speed: **ft**

Visibility (in miles): **V**

Present Weather Symbol: **PPP**

3-Digit Surface Pressure (in tenths): **PPP** (Ex: 989 = 998.9mb, 012 = 1001.2mb)

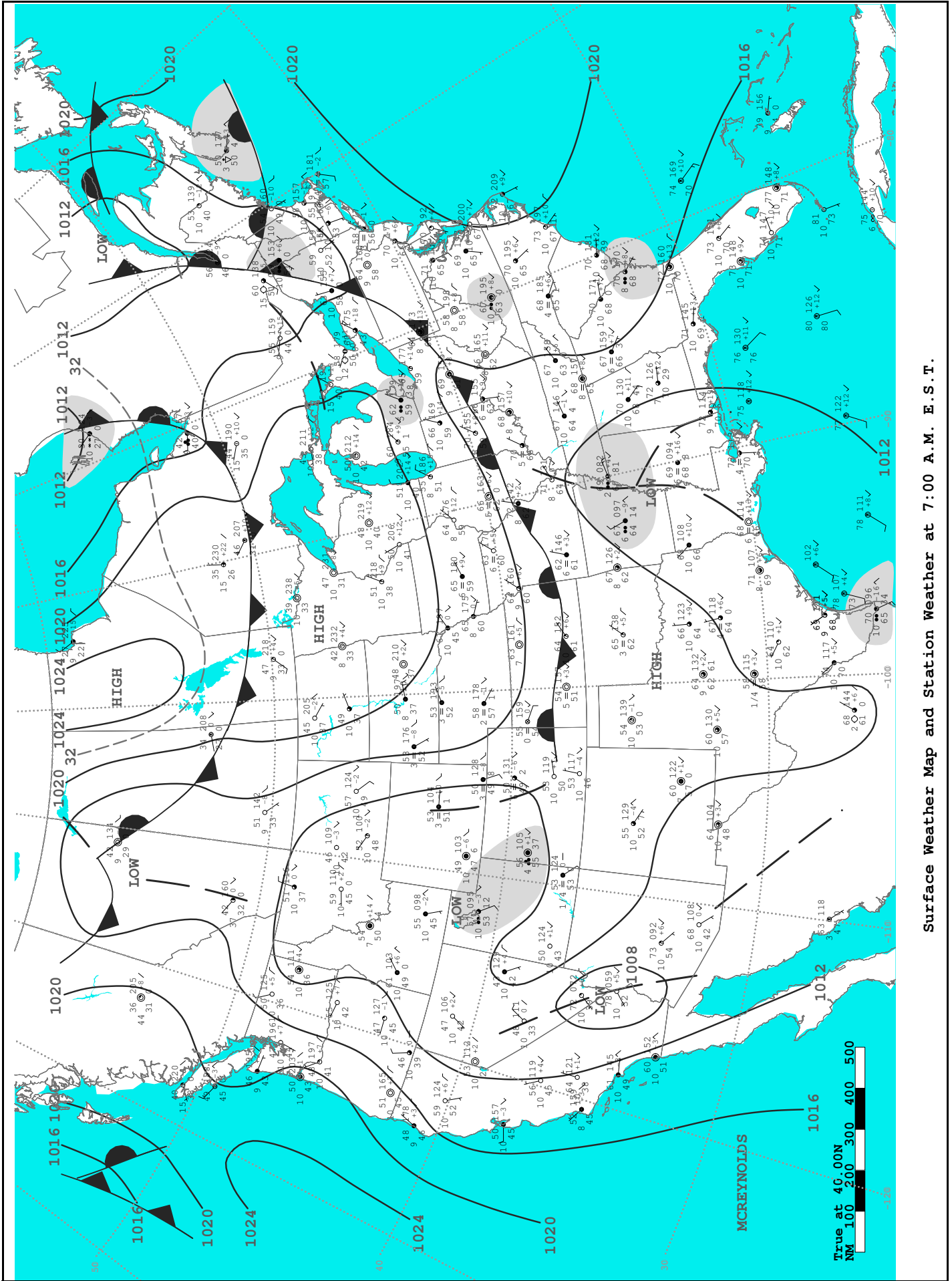
Dew Point Temperature: **TT**

3 Hour Pressure Tendency (in tenths): **PP a**

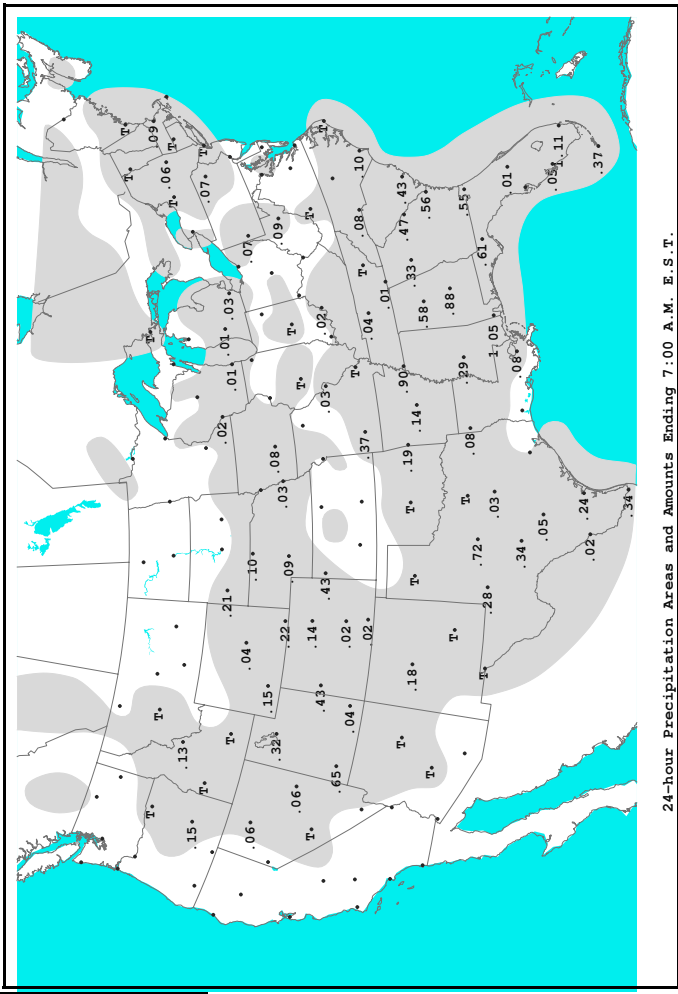
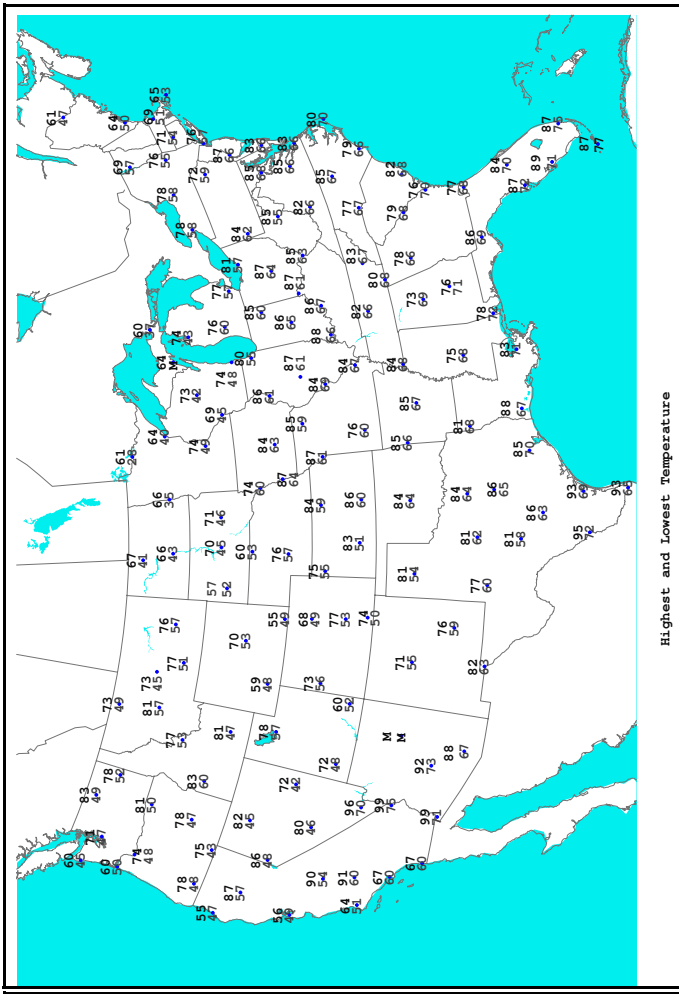
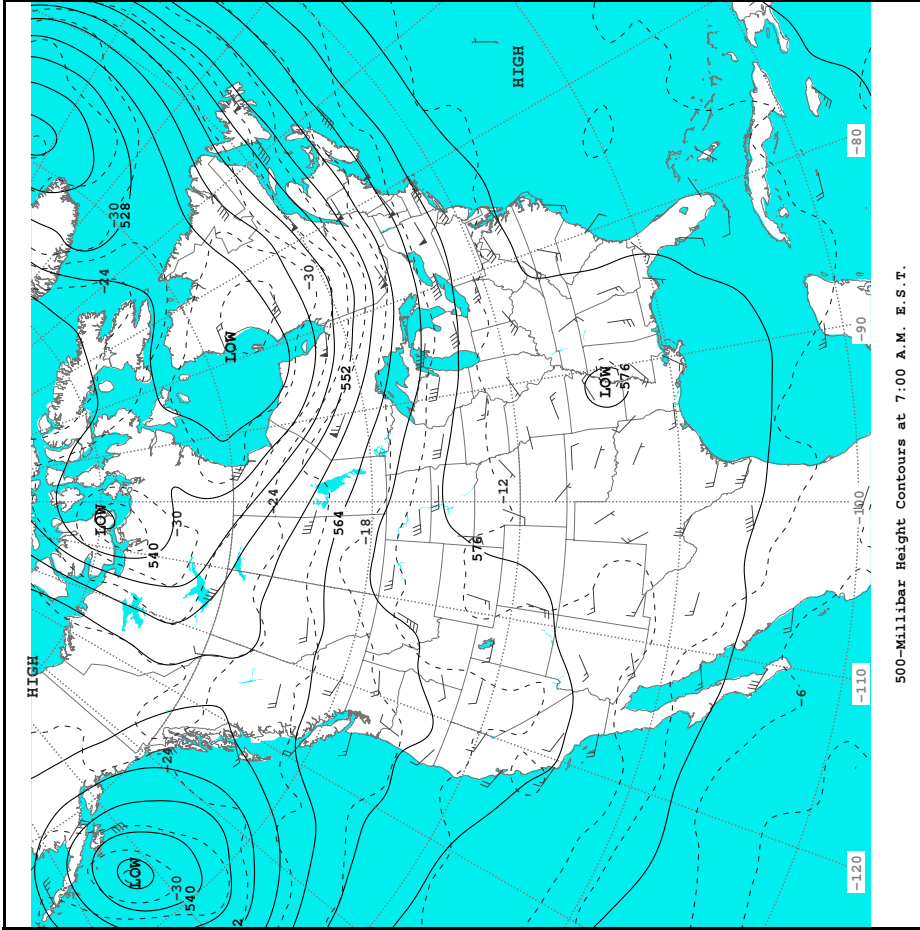
6 Hour Total Precipitation (in hundredths of an inch): **RR**

Sky Cover: **RR**

# SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2009



Surface Weather Map and Station Weather at 7:00 A.M. E.S.T.



**Station Model**

Wind Direction: **W** (Wind Speed: Long Feather - 10 knots, Short Feather - 5 knots)

Current Temperature (in °F): **66** (ft)

Visibility (in miles): **10** (V)

Present Weather Symbol: **PP** (3-Digit Surface Pressure, in tenths; Ex: 989 = 998.9mb, 012 = 1001.2mb)

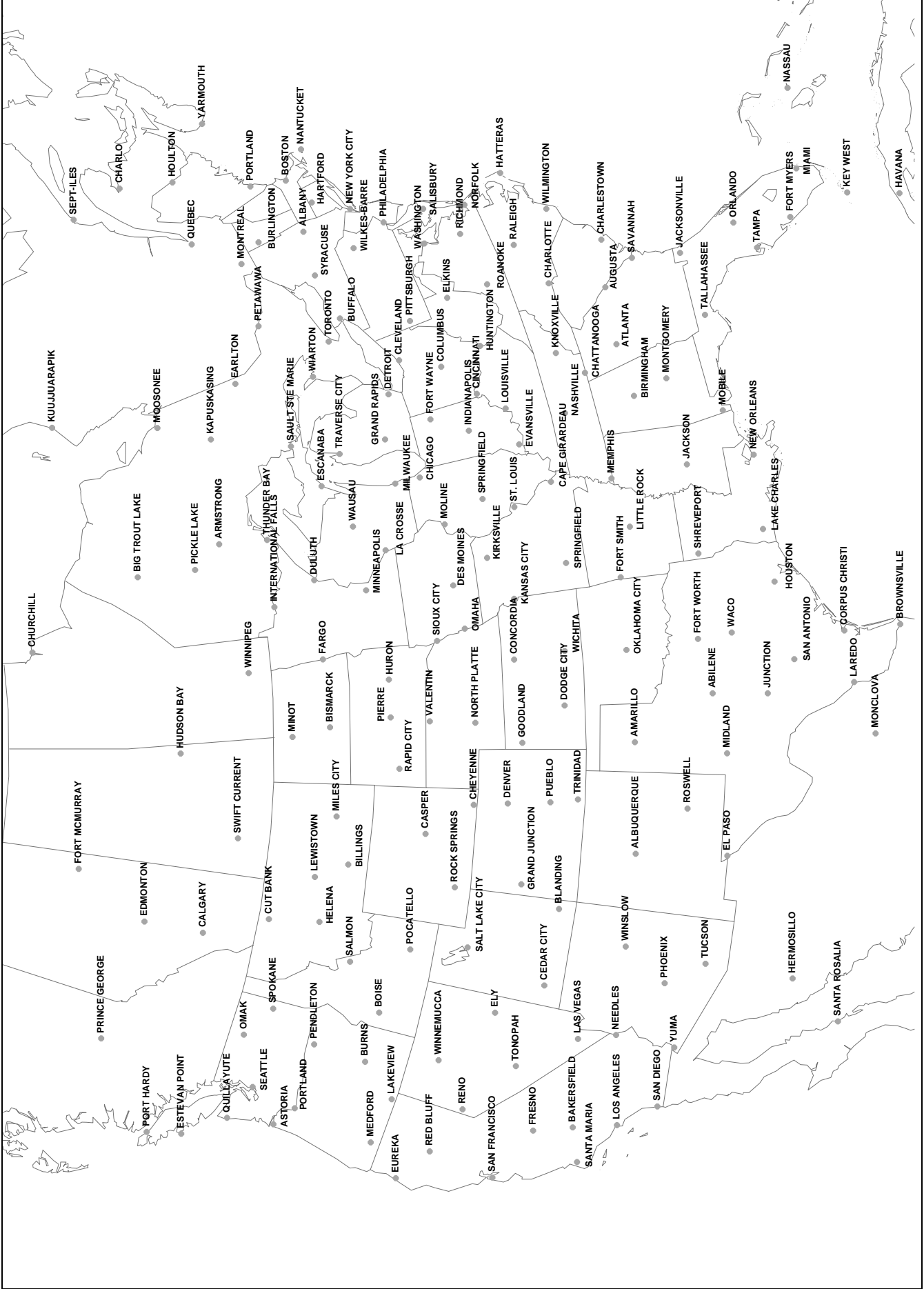
Dew Point Temperature: **57** (TT)

3 Hour Pressure Tendency (in tenths): **02** (PP a)

6 Hour Total Precipitation (in hundredths of an inch): **02** (RR)

Sky Cover: **02** (Sky Cover)

**SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2009**



**Daily Weather Map Station Names and Locations**