

Change in Climatological Charts

Beginning on June 1, 1957, a change was made in surface observation times. This has had the following effect on the charts listed below. Charts not listed are not affected.

Chart V-B. Snow depth is now measured at 7 a. m. EST instead of 7:30.

Charts IX and X. Circle indicates cyclone and anticyclone positions at 7 a. m. EST instead of 7:30.

Chart XI. Average sea-level pressure is computed from the 7 a. m. and p. m. EST readings instead of 7:30 a. m. and p. m.

Charts XII-XVII. All the upper-air charts are now for 1200 GMT instead of 0300 GMT. All winds are based on rawinsonde observations. Use of pibal data has been discontinued in these charts.