

NOTES – LOW AND MIDDLE LEVEL CLOUD COMPARISON

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		<p>Cu hum clouds are more separated. More dense. Larger in size</p> <p>Ac flo clouds are closer to one another (clustered). Less dense and smaller size.</p>		
		<p>Cu med protuberances that are more defined. Vertically orientated. Larger in size.</p> <p>Ac cas less defined vertical protuberances which are horizontally oriented or widespread. Smaller size.</p>		
		<p>Sc str white/dark grey, with shape and shading. Large cloud elements with dark base. Precipitation can occur</p> <p>As opa white and grey, thin base, has shape and shading. Small cloud elements.</p>		

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		<p>St neb. Thin grey layer that looks like a gas. The sun can be visible. Drizzle may occur.</p> <p>As tra Smooth, uniform grey cloud thin enough to show position of the sun or moon. No precipitation.</p>		
		<p>St neb. Thin grey layer that looks like a gas. The sun can be visible. Drizzle may occur.</p> <p>As opa Smooth, uniform, dark grey cloud thick enough to hide the sun or moon. Precipitation can occur.</p>		
		<p>St neb. Thin grey layer that looks like a gas. The sun can be visible. Drizzle may occur.</p> <p>Ns Smooth, uniform, dark grey cloud thick enough to totally block out the sun. Precipitation occurs.</p>		