

# **SPECI CRITERIA**

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with or without precipitation

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including showers

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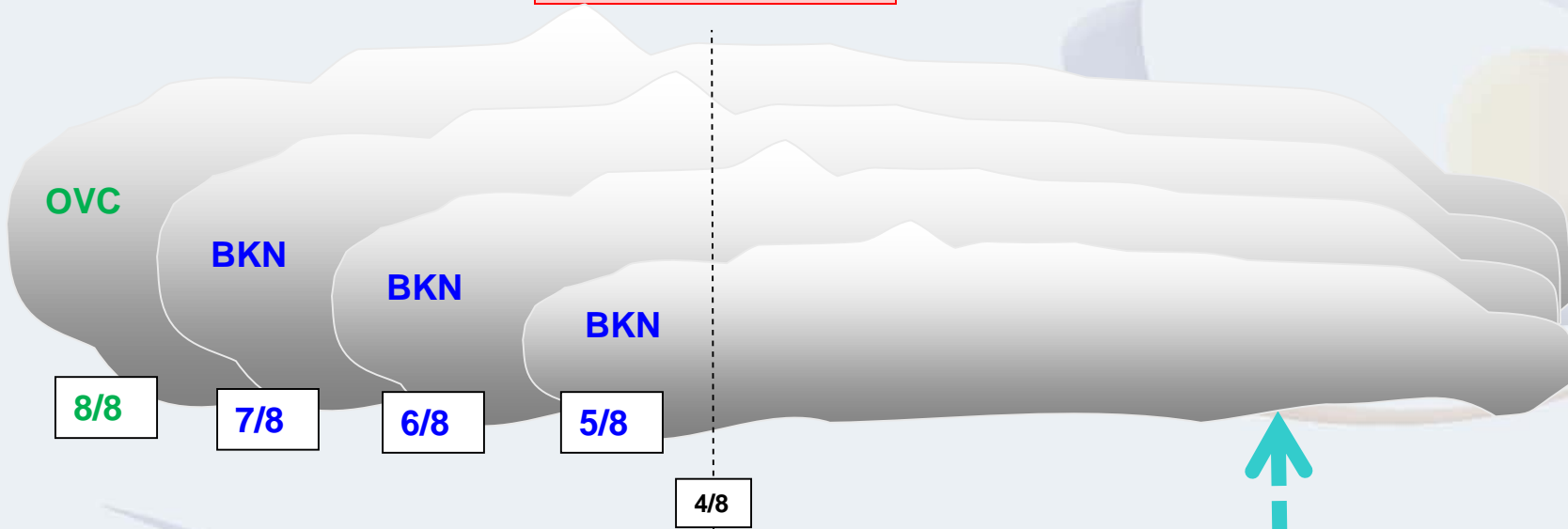
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# Cloud cover



Cloud cover changes from .....

SCT or less → BKN or OVC  
or from  
OVC or BKN → SCT or less

Cloud base ≤ 1500 ft



# Horizontal visibility

Horizontal visibility is deteriorating AND passes through the following...

A deterioration

Using RVR

Runway Visual Range

50m ↔ 175m ↔ 300m ↔ 550m ↔ 800m

800m ↔ 1500m ↔ 3000m ↔ 5000m

Horizontal visibility

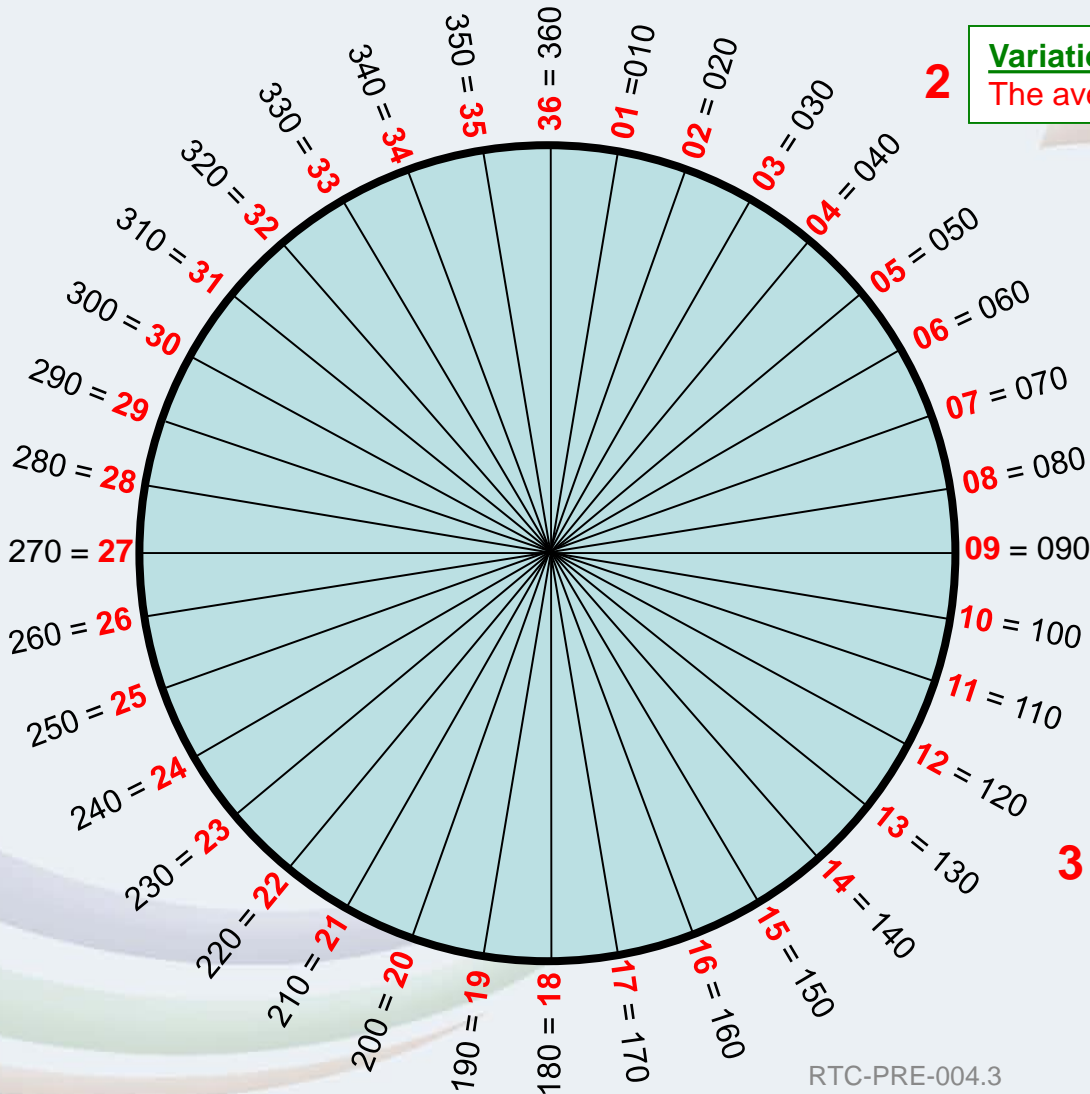
Using eyes & visibility markers

An improvement

Horizontal visibility is improving AND changes to or passes through the following

# Wind direction and/or speed

1 Ave wind speed change of  $\geq 10$  kts



2 Variation between gusts and ave wind speed is  $\geq 10$  kts  
The ave wind speed before and or after being  $\geq 15$  kts

3 Ave wind direction change of  $\geq 60^\circ$   
The ave wind speed before and or after being  $\geq 10$