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**BUFR Table D - Lists of common sequences (Version 13-07/11/2007)**

<b>F</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Category of sequences</b>
3	00	BUFR table entries sequences
3	01	Location and identification sequences
3	02	Meteorological sequences common to surface data
3	03	Meteorological sequences common to vertical soundings data
3	04	Meteorological sequences common to satellite observations
3	05	Meteorological or hydrological sequences common to hydrological observations
3	06	Meteorological or oceanographic sequences common to oceanographic observations
3	07	Surface report sequences (land)
3	08	Surface report sequences (sea)
3	09	Vertical sounding sequences (conventional data)
3	10	Vertical sounding sequences (satellite data)
3	11	Single level report sequences (conventional data)
3	12	Single level report sequences (satellite data)
3	13	Sequences common to image data
3	14	Reserved
3	15	Oceanographic report sequences
3	16	Synoptic feature sequences
3	18	Radiological report sequences
3	21	Radar report sequences
3	40	Additional satellite report sequences

Notes:

- (1) From a conceptual point of view, Table D is not necessary:
  - (a) The Data description section can fully and completely describe the data using only element descriptors, operator descriptors and the rules of description;
  - (b) Such a means of defining the data would involve considerable overheads in terms of the length of the Data description section. Table D is a device to reduce these overheads;
  - (c) Each entry within Table D contains a list of descriptors. Each sequence descriptor that references to Table D may be “expanded” by replacing it with the list corresponding to that entry. The process of “expansion” is well defined, provided it results in a set of element descriptors and operator descriptors;
  - (d) Descriptors listed in entries to Table D may themselves refer to Table D, provided no circularity results on repeated expansion;
  - (e) The initial Table D has been limited to lists of descriptors likely to be used frequently. Every attempt has been made not to produce initial tables that are too comprehensive. Minor differences of reporting practice can be accommodated by not endeavouring to reduce each observation type to a single descriptor. Indeed, much more flexibility is retained if the Data description section is envisaged as containing three or four descriptors.
- (2) It should be noted that, initially, effort has been concentrated on the requirements for observational data. Extensions to forecast data, time series data, products, etc., follow logically, and can be added at an appropriate future date.
- (3) Category 1 contains common sequences of non-meteorological descriptors; categories 2 to 6 contain common sequences of meteorological descriptors; categories 7 to 21 contain sequences which define reports, or major subsets of reports.
- (4) Underwater soundings are included, with some minor omissions, to illustrate the facility to describe data of slightly different contents.
- (5) Satellite data have been split to maximize the benefits of data compression. Compound combinations may easily be defined using the descriptors available.
- (6) Satellite observation data benefit enormously from being split into fragments (1, 2, 3 . . . 7), then applying data compression to many locations within each fragment. Again, BUFR flexibility enables compound forms to be defined if desired.
- (7) Categories 48 to 63 are reserved for local use; all other categories are reserved for future development.
- (8) Entries 192 to 255 within all categories are reserved for local use.

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### Category 00 - BUFR table entries sequences

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	00	002	0	00	002	Table A category, line 1
			0	00	003	Table A category, line 2
3	00	003	0	00	010	F, part descriptor
			0	00	011	X, part descriptor
			0	00	012	Y, part descriptor
3	00	004	3	00	003	
			0	00	013	Element name, line 1
			0	00	014	Element name, line 2
			0	00	015	Units name
			0	00	016	Units scale sign
			0	00	017	Units scale
			0	00	018	Units reference sign
			0	00	019	Units reference value
			0	00	020	Element data width
3	00	010	3	00	003	Table D descriptor to be defined
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	00	030	Descriptor defining sequence

Notes:

- (1) These entries include the facility to update the Table A code figure and data description.
- (2) It is better to use different class 00 descriptors for the defining and defined elements, in the same way as different descriptors correspond to pressure considered as a coordinate and pressure measured at a given point; otherwise special rules would be needed to interpret such message.  
Entries 0 00 010 to 0 00 012 define F, X and Y for Tables B and D; entry 0 00 030 is a descriptor used as data and provides the F, X and Y values defining a sequence for Table D entries.
- (3) It could be argued that, as only additions are possible, only complete lines should be allowed; but it is conceivable that local areas will require changes as well as additions, so it is better and in any case clearer to provide descriptions for all the fields.

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## Category 01 - Location and Identification sequences

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME	
F	X	Y					
3	01	001	0	01	001	WMO block number	
			0	01	002	WMO station number	
3	01	002*	0	01	003	WMO Region number	
			0	01	004	WMO Region sub-area	
			0	01	005	Buoy/platform identifier	
3	01	003	0	01	011	Ship's call sign	
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform	
			0	01	013	Speed of motion of moving observing platform	
						(Surface station identification)	
3	01	004	0	01	001	WMO block number	
			0	01	002	WMO station number	
			0	01	015	Station or site name	
			0	02	001	Type of station	
						(Origin and identification sequence)	
3	01	005	0	01	035	Originating centre	
			0	01	034	Identification of originating/generating sub-centre	
3	01	011	0	04	001	Year	
			0	04	002	Month	
			0	04	003	Day	
3	01	012	0	04	004	Hour	
			0	04	005	Minute	
3	01	013	0	04	004	Hour	
			0	04	005	Minute	
			0	04	006	Second	
						(Time period)	
3	01	014	1	02	002	Replication of 2 descriptors 2 times	
			3	01	011	Year, Month, Day	
			3	01	012	Hour, Minute	
3	01	021	0	05	001	Latitude	high accuracy
			0	06	001	Longitude	
3	01	022	0	05	001	Latitude	high accuracy
			0	06	001	Longitude	
			0	07	001	Height of station	
3	01	023	0	05	002	Latitude	coarse accuracy
			0	06	002	Longitude	

\* Descriptor 3 01 002 should not be used.

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME	
F	X	Y					
3	01	024	0	05	002	Latitude	coarse accuracy
			0	06	002	Longitude	
			0	07	001	Height of station	
3	01	025	3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)	
			0	04	003	Day	
			3	01	012	Time	
3	01	026	3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)	
			0	04	003		
			0	04	003	(Time period in days)	
			0	04	004		
			0	04	004	(Time period in hours)	
			0	04	005		
			0	04	005	(Time period in minutes)	
						<i>(Description of a feature in 3-D or 2-D)</i>	
3	01	027	0	08	007	Dimensional significance, 0=Point, 1=Line, 2=Area, 3=Volume	
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor	
			0	31	001	Replication factor 1	
			3	01	028	Description of horizontal section	
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance, Missing=Cancel	
						<i>(Horizontal section of a feature described as a polygon, circle, line or point)</i>	
3	01	028	0	08	040	Flight level significance	
			0	33	042	Type of limit represented by following (flight level) value	

<sup>1</sup> This replication factor shall have a value of “1” when a 2-D feature is being described, whereas 3-D features may be described via any one of the following methods:

- (a) Via two or more horizontal sections in successive ascending flight levels. In this case, each section shall be described by an identical number of latitude/longitude points listed in identical order (i.e. where each point x of section n is to be joined via a straight line to point x of section n+1), in order to ensure that the overall shape of the 3-D feature is unambiguously described. In this case, all values reported for 0 33 042 shall be “missing”.
- (b) Via a single horizontal section with an appropriate value reported for 0 33 042, as follows. In all such cases, the corresponding horizontal section description applies throughout the entire region.
  - a. A value of “0” to indicate a region above (but not including) the reported flight level and with unspecified upper bound.
  - b. A value of “1” to indicate a region above (and including) the reported flight level and with unspecified upper bound.
  - c. A value of “2” to indicate a region below (but not including) the reported flight level and extending to the surface.
  - d. A value of “3” to indicate a region below (and including) the reported flight level and extending to the surface.
- (c) Via two replications of the same horizontal section at the same reported flight level, in order to indicate a region extending both below and above (and including!) the reported flight level. In this case, the values reported for the two replications of 0 33 042 shall be as follows:
  - a. Values of “3” and “1”, respectively, to indicate a region beginning from below a reported flight level, but continuing through that level upward to some unspecified point above (e.g. TOP ABV FL100).
  - b. Values of “1” and “3”, respectively, to indicate a region beginning from above a reported flight level, but continuing through that level downward to some unspecified point below (e.g. CIGS BLW FL010).

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	07	010	Flight level
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended replication factor 1
			3	01	023	Location
			0	19	007	Radius of feature 2
			0	08	040	Flight level significance, Missing=Cancel
3	01	031	3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	022	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy), height of station
3	01	032	3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	024	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy), height of station
						<i>(Buoy/platform — fixed)</i>
3	01	033	0	01	005	Buoy/platform identifier
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)
						<i>(Buoy/platform — fixed)</i>
3	01	034	0	01	005	Buoy/platform identifier
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
						<i>(Buoy/platform — moving)</i> See note (4)
3	01	035	0	01	005	Buoy/platform identifier
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform
			0	01	013	Speed of motion of moving observing platform
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
						<i>(Ship)</i>
3	01	036	3	01	003	Ship's call sign and motion

<sup>1</sup> This replication factor shall have a value of “1” when a circle or point is being described, and it shall have a value of “2” when a line is being described. A polygon, on the other hand, shall be described via a sequence of three or more contiguous points in accordance with the note to code table 0 08 007.

<sup>2</sup> The value reported for 0 19 007 shall be “missing” unless the horizontal section being described is a circle.

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
						<i>(Land station for vertical soundings)</i>
3	01	037	3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	012	Radiosonde computational method
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	022	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy), height of station
						<i>(Land station for vertical soundings)</i>
3	01	038	3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	012	Radiosonde computational method
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	024	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy), height of station
						<i>(Ship for vertical soundings)</i>
3	01	039	3	01	003	Ship's call sign and motion
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	012	Radiosonde computational method
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
3	01	040	3	01	003	Ship's call sign and motion
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	012	Radiosonde computational method
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	024	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy), height of station
3	01	041	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	021	Satellite instrument data used in processing
			0	02	022	Satellite data processing technique used
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
3	01	042	3	01	041	Satellite identifier, data used, and data processing technique; date/time
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude
3	01	043	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	023	Cloud motion computational method
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude
3	01	044	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	024	Integrated mean humidity computational method
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude
						<i>(Satellite location and velocity)</i>
3	01	045	3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	012	Time (hour, minute)
			2	01	138	Change width to 16 bits
			2	02	131	Change scale to 3
			0	04	006	Second
			2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			3	04	030	Location relative to the Earth's centre
			3	04	031	Velocity relative to the Earth's centre
3	01	046	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform
			0	02	048	Satellite sensor indicator
			0	21	119	Wind scatterometer geophysical model function
			0	25	060	Software identification
			2	02	124	Change scale
			0	02	026	Cross-track resolution
			0	02	027	Along-track resolution
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			0	05	040	Orbit number
						<i>(ERS product header)</i>
3	01	047	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	25	060	Software identification
			0	01	033	Originating/generating centre
			0	01	034	Originating/generating sub-centre
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observation platform
			3	01	045	Satellite location and velocity
			0	02	021	Satellite instrument data used in processing
			3	01	011	Date (year, month, day)
			3	01	012	Time (hour, minute)
			2	01	138	Change bit width to 16 bits
			2	02	131	Change scale to 3
			0	04	006	Second
			2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			3	01	023	Location (latitude, longitude)
						<i>(Radar parameters)</i>
3	01	048	0	02	104	Antenna polarization
			0	02	121	Mean frequency

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y	REFERENCES			
			0	02	113	Number of azimuth looks
			0	02	026	Cross-track resolution
			0	02	027	Along-track resolution
			0	02	111	Radar incidence angle
			0	02	140	Satellite radar beam azimuth angle
			2	02	127	Change scale to −1
			0	01	013	Radar platform velocity
			2	02	126	Change scale to −2
			0	07	001	Radar platform altitude
			2	02	000	Change scale to Table B
			0	25	010	Clutter treatment
			0	21	064	Clutter noise estimate
						<i>(Radar beam data)</i>
3	01	049	0	02	111	Radar incidence angle
			0	02	112	Radar look angle
			0	21	062	Backscatter
			0	21	063	Radiometric resolution (Noise value)
			0	21	065	Missing packet counter
3	01	051	0	01	006	Aircraft flight number
			0	02	061	Navigational system
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude
			0	08	004	Phase of aircraft flight
3	01	055	0	01	005	Buoy/platform identifier
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform
			0	01	014	Platform drift speed (high precision)
						<i>(Radar location(s))</i>
3	01	062	1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	01	001	WMO block and station number
						<i>(ACARS identification)</i>
3	01	065	0	01	006	Aircraft flight number (see Note 1)
			0	01	008	Aircraft registration number (see Note 1)
			0	02	001	Type of station
			0	02	002	Type of instrumentation for wind measurement
			0	02	005	Precision of temperature observation
			0	02	062	Type of aircraft data relay system
			0	02	070	Original specification of latitude/longitude
			0	02	065	ACARS ground receiving station



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(ACARS location)</i>
3	01	066	3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	013	Hour, minute, second
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	02	064	Aircraft roll angle quality
			0	08	004	Phase of aircraft flight
						<i>(Satellite identifier/Generating resolution)</i>
3	01	071	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	01	031	Generating centre
			0	02	020	Satellite classification
			0	02	028	Segment size at nadir in X direction
			0	02	029	Segment size at nadir in Y direction
						<i>(Satellite identification)</i>
3	01	072	3	01	071	Satellite identification, Generation resolution
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude
						<i>(Surface station identification; time, horizontal and vertical co-ordinates)</i>
3	01	090	3	01	004	Surface station identification
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	012	Hour, minute
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	030	Height of station ground above mean sea level
			0	07	031	Height of barometer above mean sea level
						<i>(Surface station instrumentation)</i>
3	01	091	0	02	180	Main present weather detecting system
			0	02	181	Supplementary present weather sensor
			0	02	182	Visibility measurement system
			0	02	183	Cloud detection system
			0	02	184	Type of lightning detection sensor
			0	02	179	Type of sky condition algorithm
			0	02	186	Capability to detect precipitation phenomena
			0	02	187	Capability to detect other weather phenomena
			0	02	188	Capability to detect obscuration
			0	02	189	Capability to discriminate lightning strikes
						<i>(Mobile surface station identification,date/time, horizontal and vertical coordinates)</i>
3	01	092	0	01	011	Mobile land station identifier
			0	01	003	WMO Region number
			0	02	001	Type of station
			3	01	011	Year, Month, Day
			3	01	012	Hour, Minute
			3	01	021	Latitude (high accuracy), Longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	030	Height of station ground above mean sea level

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	07	031	Height of barometer above mean sea level
			0	33	024	Station elevation quality mark
						<i>(Ship identification, movement, date/time, horizontal and vertical coordinates)</i>
3	01	093	3	01	036	Ship identification
			0	07	030	Height of station platform above mean sea level
			0	07	031	Height of barometer above mean sea level
						<i>(Identification of launch site and instrumentation for wind measurements)</i>
3	01	110	3	01	001	WMO block number, WMO station number
			0	01	011	Ship or mobile land station identifier
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	014	Tracking technique/status of system used
			0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
						<i>(Identification of launch site and instrumentation for P, T, U and wind measurements)</i>
3	01	111	3	01	001	WMO block number, WMO station number
			0	01	011	Ship or mobile land station identifier
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	013	Solar and infrared radiation correction
			0	02	014	Tracking technique/status of system used
			0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
						<i>(Identification of launch point and instrumentation of dropsonde)</i>
3	01	112	0	01	006	Aircraft identifier
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	02	013	Solar and infrared radiation correction
			0	02	014	Tracking technique/status of system used
			0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
						<i>(Date/time of launch)(see Note 3)</i>
3	01	113	0	08	021	Time significance (= 18 (launch time))
			3	01	011	Year, month, day of launch
			3	01	013	Hour, minute, second of launch
						<i>(Horizontal and vertical coordinates of launch site)</i>
3	01	114	3	01	021	Latitude (high accuracy)
						Longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	030	Height of station ground above mean sea level
			0	07	031	Height of barometer above mean sea level
			0	07	007	Height of release of sonde above mean sea level
			0	33	024	Station elevation quality mark (for mobile stations)
						<i>(Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information)</i>
3	01	120	3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			0	01	094	WBAN number

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			3	01	121	Radiosonde launch point location
						<i>(Radiosonde launch point location)</i>
3	01	121	0	08	041	Data significance (3 = “balloon launch point”)
			3	01	122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)
			3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	031	Height of barometer above MSL
			0	07	007	Height (of radiosonde release above MSL)
						<i>(Date/time (to hundredths of second)) (see Note 3)</i>
3	01	122	3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			2	01	135	Change data width
			2	02	130	Change scale
			0	04	006	Second
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
						<i>(Radiosonde full header information)</i>
3	01	123	1	02	002	Replicate 2 descriptors 2 times
			0	08	041	Data significance (0 = “parent site”, 1 = “observation site”)
			0	01	062	Short ICAO location identifier
			3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			0	01	094	WBAN number
			0	02	011	Radiosonde type
			0	01	018	Short station or site name
			0	01	095	Observer identification
			0	25	061	Software identification
			0	25	068	Number of archive recomputes
			0	01	082	Radiosonde ascension number
			0	01	083	Radiosonde release number
			0	01	081	Radiosonde serial number
			0	02	067	Radiosonde operating frequency
			0	02	066	Radiosonde ground receiving system
			0	02	014	Tracking technique/status of system used
			0	25	067	Release point pressure correction
			0	25	065	Orientation correction (azimuth)
			0	25	066	Orientation correction (elevation)
			0	02	095	Type of pressure sensor
			0	02	096	Type of temperature sensor
			0	02	097	Type of humidity sensor
			0	02	016	Radiosonde configuration
			0	02	083	Type of balloon shelter
			0	02	080	Balloon manufacturer
			0	02	081	Type of balloon
			0	01	093	Balloon lot number
			0	02	084	Type of gas used in balloon
			0	02	085	Amount of gas used in balloon
			0	02	086	Balloon flight train length

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 02 082	Weight of balloon
			0 08 041	Data significance (2 = "balloon manufacture date")
			3 01 011	Date
				<i>(ASCAT header information)</i>
3	01	125	0 01 033	Identification of originating/generating centre
			0 01 034	Identification of originating/generating sub-centre
			0 25 060	Software identification
			0 01 007	Satellite identifier
			0 02 019	Satellite instruments
			0 01 012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform

- Notes:
- (1) As supplied by originating sub-center ARINC, this value is a pseudo-value rather than the actual value. The relationship between this pseudo value and the true value is known only by ARINC.
  - (2) Descriptors from 3 01 041 to 3 01 049, 3 01 062, 3 01 071 and 3 01 072 should not be used in CREX for transmission.
  - (3) Time of launch shall be reported with the highest possible accuracy available. If the launch time is not available with second accuracy, the entry for seconds shall be put to zero.
  - (4) Descriptor 3 01 055 should be used instead of 3 01 035 to encode moving buoy/platform information.

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## Category 02 - Meteorological sequences common to surface data

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	02	001	0	10	004	Pressure (at station level)
			0	10	051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0	10	061	3-hour pressure change
			0	10	063	Characteristic of pressure tendency
						<i>(High altitude station)</i>
3	02	002	0	10	004	Pressure (at station level)
			0	07	004	Pressure level
			0	10	003	Geopotential of pressure level
			0	10	061	3-hour pressure change
			0	10	063	Characteristic of pressure tendency
3	02	003	0	11	011	Wind direction (10 m)
			0	11	012	Wind speed (10 m)
			0	12	004	Temperature (2 m)
			0	12	006	Dew point (2 m)
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
			0	20	001	Horizontal visibility
			0	20	003	Present weather
			0	20	004	Past weather (1)
			0	20	005	Past weather (2)
						<i>(General cloud information)</i>
3	02	004	0	20	010	Cloud cover (total in %)
			0	08	002	Vertical significance
			0	20	011	Cloud amount
			0	20	013	Height of base of cloud
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	20	012	Cloud type
3	02	005	0	08	002	Vertical significance
			0	20	011	Cloud amount
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	20	013	Height of base of cloud
3	02	006	0	10	004	Pressure (at station level)
			0	10	051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0	10	062	24-hour pressure change
			0	10	063	Characteristic of pressure tendency
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	02	011	3	02	001	Pressure and pressure change
			3	02	003	Wind, temperature, humidity, visibility, weather
			3	02	004	Significant cloud layer
						<i>(High altitude station)</i>

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	02	012	3	02	002	Pressure and pressure change
			3	02	003	Wind, temperature, humidity, visibility, weather
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
3	02	013	3	02	006	Pressure and pressure change
			3	02	003	Wind, temperature, humidity, visibility, weather
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	02	005	Cloud layer information
3	02	021	0	22	001	Direction of waves
			0	22	011	Period of waves
			0	22	021	Height of waves
3	02	022	0	22	002	Direction of wind waves
			0	22	012	Period of wind waves
			0	22	022	Height of wind waves
3	02	023	0	22	003	Direction of swell waves
			0	22	013	Period of swell waves
			0	22	023	Height of swell waves
3	02	024	3	02	022	Wind waves
			1	01	002	Replicate 1 descriptor 2 times
			3	02	023	Swell waves (2 systems of swell)
						<i>(Pressure information)</i>
3	02	031	3	02	001	Pressure data
			0	10	062	24-hour pressure change
			0	07	004	Pressure (standard level)
			0	10	009	Geopotential height of the standard level
						<i>(Temperature and humidity data)</i>
3	02	032	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for temperature and humidity measurement)
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature (scale 2)
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature (scale 2)
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
						<i>(Visibility data)</i>
3	02	033	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for visibility measurement)
			0	20	001	Horizontal visibility
						<i>(Precipitation past 24 hours)</i>
3	02	034	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for precipitation measurement)
			0	13	023	Total precipitation past 24 hours
						<i>(Basic synoptic "instantaneous" data)</i>

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	02	035	3	02	032	Temperature and humidity data
			3	02	033	Visibility data
			3	02	034	Precipitation past 24 hours
			0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			3	02	004	Cloud data
			1	01	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	02	005	Individual cloud layer or mass
						<i>(Clouds with bases below station level)</i>
3	02	036	1	05	000	Delayed replication of 5 descriptors
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	08	002	Vertical significance
			0	20	011	Cloud amount
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	20	014	Height of top of cloud
			0	20	017	Cloud top description
						<i>(State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature)</i>
3	02	037	0	20	062	State of ground (with or without snow)
			0	13	013	Total snow depth
			0	12	113	Ground minimum temperature (scale 2), past 12 hours
						<i>(Present and past weather)</i>
3	02	038	0	20	003	Present weather
			0	04	024	Time period in hours
			0	20	004	Past weather (1)
			0	20	005	Past weather (2)
						<i>(Sunshine data (from 1 hour and 24 hour period))</i>
3	02	039	0	04	024	Time period in hours
			0	14	031	Total sunshine
						<i>(Precipitation measurement)</i>
3	02	040	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for precipitation measurement)
			1	02	002	Replicate next 2 descriptors 2 times
			0	04	024	Time period in hours
			0	13	011	Total precipitation / total water equivalent of snow
						<i>(Extreme temperature data)</i>
3	02	041	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for temperature measurement)
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement <i>(see Notes 1 and 2)</i>
			0	12	111	Maximum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified

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TABLE REFERENCE	TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F X Y				
	0	04	024	Time period or displacement
	0	04	024	Time period or displacement ( <i>see Note 2</i> )
	0	12	112	Minimum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified
				( <i>Wind data</i> )
3 02 042	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for wind measurement)
	0	02	002	Type of instrumentation for wind measurement
	0	08	021	Time significance (= 2 (time averaged))
	0	04	025	Time period (= - 10 minutes, or number of minutes after a significant change of wind)
	0	11	001	Wind direction
	0	11	002	Wind speed
	0	08	021	Time significance (= missing value)
	1	03	002	Replicate next 3 descriptors 2 times
	0	04	025	Time period in minutes
	0	11	043	Maximum wind gust direction
	0	11	041	Maximum wind gust speed
				( <i>Basic synoptic "period" data</i> )
3 02 043	3	02	038	Present and past weather
	1	01	002	Replicate 1 descriptors 2 times
	3	02	039	Sunshine data (from 1 hour and 24 hour period)
	3	02	040	Precipitation measurement
	3	02	041	Extreme temperature data
	3	02	042	Wind data
	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
				( <i>Evaporation data</i> )
3 02 044	0	04	024	Time period in hours
	0	02	004	Type of instrument for evaporation or crop type for evapotranspiration
	0	13	003	Evaporation /evapotranspiration
				( <i>Radiation data (from 1 hour and 24 hour period)</i> )
3 02 045	0	04	024	Time period in hours
	0	14	002	Long-wave radiation, integrated over period specified
	0	14	004	Short-wave radiation, integrated over period specified
	0	14	016	Net radiation, integrated over period specified
	0	14	028	Global solar radiation (high accuracy), integrated over period specified
	0	14	029	Diffuse solar radiation (high accuracy), integrated over period specified
	0	14	030	Direct solar radiation (high accuracy), integrated over period specified
				( <i>Temperature change</i> )
3 02 046	0	04	024	Time period or displacement
	0	04	024	Time period or displacement ( <i>see Note 3</i> )



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	12	049	Temperature change over period specified
						<i>(Direction of cloud drift)</i>
3	02	047	1	02	003	Replicate 2 descriptors 3 times
			0	08	002	Vertical significance
			0	20	054	True direction from which clouds are moving
						<i>(Direction and elevation of cloud)</i>
3	02	048	0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth
			0	07	021	Elevation angle
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth ( = missing to cancel the previous value)
			0	07	021	Elevation angle ( = missing to cancel the previous value)
						<i>(Cloud information reported with vertical soundings)</i>
3	02	049	0	08	002	Vertical significance
			0	20	011	Cloud amount (of low or middle clouds N <sub>h</sub> )
			0	20	013	Height of base of cloud (h)
			0	20	012	Cloud type (low clouds C <sub>L</sub> )
			0	20	012	Cloud type (middle clouds C <sub>M</sub> )
			0	20	012	Cloud type (high clouds C <sub>H</sub> )
			0	08	002	Vertical significance ( = missing value)
						<i>(Radiosonde surface observation)</i>
3	02	050	0	08	041	Data significance (5 = "sfc ob displacement from launch pt)
			0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth
			0	07	005	Height increment
			2	02	130	Change scale
			0	06	021	Distance
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			0	08	041	Data significance (4 = "surface observation")
			2	01	131	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	02	115	Type of surface observing equipment
			0	10	004	Pressure
			0	02	115	Type of surface observing equipment
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			0	02	115	Type of surface observing equipment
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	02	115	Type of surface observing equipment
			1	02	002	Replicate 2 descriptors 2 times
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry bulb temperature
			0	04	024	Time displacement (hour)
			0	02	115	Type of surface observing equipment
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature
			0	12	102	Wet bulb temperature

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			1	01	003	Replicate 1 descriptor 3 times
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	20	011	Cloud amount
			0	20	013	Height of base of cloud
			1	01	002	Replicate 1 descriptor 2 times
			0	20	003	Present weather
3	02	051	0	10	004	Pressure
			0	10	051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0	07	004	Pressure (vertical location)
			0	10	003	Geopotential
			0	12	004	Dry-bulb temperature at 2 m
			0	12	051	Standard deviation temperature
			0	12	016	Maximum temperature at 2 m, past 24 hours
			0	12	017	Minimum temperature at 2 m, past 24 hours
			0	13	004	Vapour pressure
			1	02	004	Replicate 2 descriptors 4 times
			0	08	051	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic
			0	08	020	Total number of missing entities (with respect to accumulation or average)
						<i>(Temperature and humidity data for ship)</i>
3	02	052	0	07	032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for temperature and humidity measurement)
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface (for temperature and humidity measurement)
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature(scale.2)
			0	02	039	Method of wet-bulb temperature measurement
			0	12	102	Wet-bulb temperature (scale 2)
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature (scale 2)
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
						<i>(Visibility data for ship)</i>
3	02	053	0	07	032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for visibility measurement)
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface (for visibility measurement)
			0	20	001	Horizontal visibility
						<i>(Ship "instantaneous" data)</i>
3	02	054	3	02	052	Temperature and humidity data
			3	02	053	Visibility data
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			3	02	034	Precipitation past 24 hours
			0	07	032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			3	02	004	Cloud data
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	02	005	Cloud data
						<i>(Icing and ice)</i>
3	02	055	0	20	31	Ice deposit (thickness)
			0	20	32	Rate of ice accretion
			0	20	33	Cause of ice accretion
			0	20	34	Sea ice concentration

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	20	35	Amount and type of ice
			0	20	36	Ice situation
			0	20	37	Ice development
			0	20	38	Bearing of ice edge
						<i>(Sea/water temperature)</i>
3	02	056	0	02	038	Method of sea/water temperature measurement
			0	07	063	Depth below sea/water surface (for sea surface temperature measurement)
			0	22	043	Sea/water temperature
			0	07	063	Depth below sea/water surface (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
						<i>(Ship marine data)</i>
3	02	057	3	02	056	Sea surface temperature, method of measurement, and depth below sea surface
			3	02	021	Waves data
			3	02	024	Wind waves data
						<i>(Ship extreme temperature data)</i>
3	02	058	0	07	032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for temperature measurement)
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface (for temperature measurement)
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement <i>(see Notes 1 and 2)</i>
			0	12	111	Maximum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement <i>(see Note 2)</i>
			0	12	112	Minimum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified
						<i>(Ship wind data)</i>
3	02	059	0	07	032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for wind measurement)
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface (for wind measurement)
			0	02	002	Type of instrumentation for wind measurement
			0	08	021	Time significance (= 2 (time averaged))
			0	04	025	Time period (= - 10 minutes, or number of minutes after a significant change of wind)
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	08	021	Time significance (= missing value)
			1	03	002	Replicate next 3 descriptors 2 times
			0	04	025	Time period in minutes
			0	11	043	Maximum wind gust direction
			0	11	041	Maximum wind gust speed
						<i>(Ship "period" data)</i>
3	02	060	3	02	038	Present and past weather
			3	02	040	Precipitation measurement
			3	02	058	Ship extreme temperature data
			3	02	059	Ship wind data
						<i>(Dangerous weather phenomena)</i>
3	02	066	0	20	023	Other weather phenomena
			0	20	024	Intensity of phenomena
			0	20	027	Phenomenon occurrence
			0	20	054	True direction from which a phenomenon or clouds are moving
			0	20	023	Other weather phenomena
			0	20	027	Phenomenon occurrence
			0	20	054	True direction from which a phenomenon or clouds are moving
			0	20	025	Obscuration
			0	20	026	Character of obscuration
			0	20	027	Phenomenon occurrence
			0	20	040	Evolution of drift of snow
			0	20	066	Maximum diameter of hailstones

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	20	027	Phenomenon occurrence
			0	20	021	Type of precipitation
			0	20	067	Diameter of deposit
			0	20	027	Phenomenon occurrence
						(Visibility data)
3	02	069	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface
			0	33	041	Attribute of following value
			0	20	001	Horizontal visibility
						(Wind data)
3	02	070	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	11	043	Maximum wind gust direction
			0	11	041	Maximum wind gust speed
			0	11	016	Extreme counterclockwise wind direction of a variable wind
			0	11	017	Extreme clockwise wind direction of a variable wind
						(Wind data from one-hour period)
3	02	071	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface
			0	08	021	Time significance (= 2 (time averaged))
			0	04	025	Time period (= - 10 minutes, or number of minutes after a significant change of wind, if any)
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	08	021	Time significance (= missing value)
			1	03	002	Replicate next 3 descriptors 2 times
			0	04	025	Time period (= - 10 minutes in the first replication, = - 60 minutes in the second replication)
			0	11	043	Maximum wind gust direction
			0	11	041	Maximum wind gust speed
			0	04	025	Time period (= - 10 minutes)
			0	11	016	Extreme counterclockwise wind direction of a variable wind
			0	11	017	Extreme clockwise wind direction of a variable wind
						(Temperature and humidity data)
3	02	072	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature (scale 2)
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature (scale 2)
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
						(Cloud data)
3	02	073	0	20	010	Cloud cover (total)
			1	05	004	Replicate 5 descriptors 4 times
			0	08	002	Vertical significance
			0	20	011	Cloud amount
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	33	041	Attribute of following value
			0	20	013	Height of base of cloud
						(Present and past weather)
3	02	074	0	20	003	Present weather
			0	04	025	Time period

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	20	004	Past weather (1)
			0	20	005	Past weather (2)
						<i>(Intensity of precipitation, size of precipitation element)</i>
3	02	075	0	08	021	Time significance (= 2 (time averaged))
			0	04	025	Time period (= - 10 minutes)
			0	13	055	Intensity of precipitation
			0	13	058	Size of precipitation element
			0	08	021	Time significance (= missing value)
						<i>(Precipitation, obscuration and other phenomena)</i>
3	02	076	0	20	021	Type of precipitation
			0	20	022	Character of precipitation
			0	26	020	Duration of precipitation
			0	20	023	Other weather phenomena
			0	20	024	Intensity of phenomena
			0	20	025	Obscuration
			0	20	026	Character of obscuration
						<i>(Extreme temperature data)</i>
3	02	077	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground
			0	07	033	Height of sensor above water surface
			0	04	025	Time period
			0	12	111	Maximum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified
			0	12	112	Minimum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified
			0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (for ground temperature)
			0	04	025	Time period
			0	12	112	Minimum temperature (scale 2) at height and over period specified (for ground temperature)
						<i>(State of ground and snow depth measurement)</i>
3	02	078	0	02	176	Method of state of ground measurement
			0	20	062	State of ground (with or without snow)
			0	02	177	Method of snow depth measurement
			0	13	013	Total snow depth
						<i>(Precipitation measurement)</i>
3	02	079	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground
			0	02	175	Method of precipitation measurement
			0	02	178	Method of liquid water content measurement of precipitation
			0	04	025	Time period
			0	13	011	Total precipitation / total water equivalent of snow
						<i>(Evaporation measurement)</i>
3	02	080	0	02	185	Method of evaporation measurement
			0	04	025	Time period
			0	13	033	Evaporation /evapotranspiration
						<i>(Total sunshine data)</i>
3	02	081	0	04	025	Time period
			0	14	031	Total sunshine
						<i>Radiation data</i>
3	02	082	0	04	025	Time period
			0	14	002	Long-wave radiation, integrated over period specified
			0	14	004	Short-wave radiation, integrated over period specified

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 14 016	Net radiation, integrated over period specified
			0 14 028	Global solar radiation (high accuracy), integrated over period specified
			0 14 029	Diffuse solar radiation (high accuracy), integrated over period specified
			0 14 030	Direct solar radiation (high accuracy), integrated over period specified
				<i>First order statistics of P, W, T, U data</i>
3	02	083	0 04 025	Time period
			0 08 023	First order statistics
			0 10 004	Pressure
			0 11 001	Wind direction
			0 11 002	Wind speed
			0 12 101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature (scale 2)
			0 13 003	Relative humidity
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= missing value)

### Notes:

- 1) Within RA-IV, the maximum temperature at 1200 UTC is reported for the previous calendar day (i.e. the ending time of the period is not equal to the nominal time of the report). To construct the required time range, descriptor 004024 has to be included two times. If the period ends at the nominal time of the report, value of the second 004024 shall be set to 0.
- 2) Within RA-III, the maximum day-time temperature and the minimum night-time temperature is reported (i.e. the ending time of the period may not be equal to the nominal time of the report). To construct the required time range, descriptor 004024 has to be included two times. If the period ends at the nominal time of the report, value of the second 004024 shall be set to 0.
- 3) To construct the required time range, descriptor 004024 has to be included two times.

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME	
F	X	Y					
3	03	001	0	07	003	Geopotential	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	
3	03	002	0	07	004	Pressure	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	
3	03	003	0	07	004	Pressure	
			0	10	003	Geopotential	
			0	12	001	Temperature	
			0	12	003	Dew point	
3	03	004	0	07	004	Pressure	
			0	10	003	Geopotential	
			0	12	001	Temperature	
			0	12	003	Dew point	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	
3	03	011	0	07	003	Geopotential	
			0	08	001	Vertical sounding significance	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	
3	03	012	0	07	004	Pressure	
			0	08	001	Vertical sounding significance	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	
3	03	013	0	07	004	Pressure	
			0	08	001	Vertical sounding significance	
			0	10	003	Geopotential	
			0	12	001	Temperature	
			0	13	003	Relative humidity	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	
3	03	014	0	07	004	Pressure	
			0	08	001	Vertical sounding significance	
			0	10	003	Geopotential	
			0	12	001	Temperature	
			0	12	003	Dew point	
			0	11	001	Wind direction	
			0	11	002	Wind speed	

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3	03	021	0	07	004	Pressure (1)
			0	07	004	Pressure (2) defines layer
			2	04	007	Add associated field of 7 bits
			0	31	021	Additional field significance
3	03	022	3	03	021	Layer, quality
			0	10	003	Geopotential (layer mean thickness)
			2	04	000	Cancel the added associated field
3	03	023	3	03	021	Layer, quality
			0	12	001	Temperature (layer mean)
			2	04	000	Cancel the added associated field
3	03	024	3	03	021	Layer, quality
			0	13	016	Precipitation water
			2	04	000	Cancel the added associated field
3	03	025	0	02	025	Satellite channel
			2	04	007	Add associated field of 7 bits
			0	31	021	Additional field significance
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			2	04	000	Cancel the added associated field
3	03	026	0	07	004	Pressure
			0	08	003	Vertical significance
			2	04	007	Add associated field of 7 bits
			0	31	021	Additional field significance
			0	12	001	Temperature
			2	04	000	Cancel the added associated field
3	03	027	0	07	004	Pressure
			2	04	007	Add associated field of 7 bits
			0	31	021	Additional field significance
			0	10	003	Geopotential
			2	04	000	Cancel the added associated field
3	03	031	0	07	004	Pressure
			0	08	003	Vertical significance (base of sounding)
			0	07	021	Elevation (local zenith)
			0	07	022	Solar elevation (solar zenith)
			0	08	012	Land/sea qualifier
			0	12	061	Skin temperature
3	03	032	0	20	011	Cloud amount
			0	20	016	Pressure at top of cloud
3	03	033	0	20	010	Cloud cover (total)
			0	20	016	Pressure at the top of cloud



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						<i>(Radiosonde duration of flight and termination information)</i>
3	03	040	0	08	041	Data significance (7 = “flight level termination point”)
			0	04	025	Time displacement (minute)
			0	04	026	Time displacement (second)
			3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)
			3	01	122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)
			2	01	131	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	25	069	Flight level pressure correction
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			0	02	013	Solar and infrared radiation correction
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry bulb temperature
			0	10	009	Geopotential height
			1	02	002	Replicate 2 descriptors 2 times
			0	08	040	Flight level significance
			0	35	035	Reason for termination
						<i>(Wind sequence)</i>
3	03	041	0	02	152	Geostationary satellite instrument used
			0	02	023	Cloud motion computational method
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	02	153	Satellite channel centre frequency
			0	02	154	Satellite channel band width
			0	12	071	Coldest cluster T
						<i>(Wind data at a pressure level with radiosonde position)</i>
3	03	050	0	04	086	Long time period or displacement (since launch time)
			0	08	042	Extended vertical sounding significance
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	05	015	Latitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
			0	06	015	Longitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
						<i>(Wind shear data at a pressure level with radiosonde position)</i>
3	03	051	0	04	086	Long time period or displacement (since launch time)
			0	08	042	Extended vertical sounding significance
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	05	015	Latitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)

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	0	06	015	Longitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	11	061	Absolute wind shear in 1 km layer below
	0	11	062	Absolute wind shear in 1 km layer above
				<i>(Wind data at a height level with radiosonde position)</i>
3 03 052	0	04	086	Long time period or displacement (since launch time)
	0	08	042	Extended vertical sounding significance
	0	07	009	Geopotential height
	0	05	015	Latitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	06	015	Longitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	11	001	Wind direction
	0	11	002	Wind speed
				<i>(Wind shear data at a height level with radiosonde position)</i>
3 03 053	0	04	086	Long time period or displacement (since launch time)
	0	08	042	Extended vertical sounding significance
	0	07	009	Geopotential height
	0	05	015	Latitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	06	015	Longitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	11	061	Absolute wind shear in 1 km layer below
	0	11	062	Absolute wind shear in 1 km layer above
				<i>(Temperature, dew-point and wind data at a pressure level with radiosonde position)</i>
3 03 054	0	04	086	Long time period or displacement (since launch time)
	0	08	042	Extended vertical sounding significance
	0	07	004	Pressure
	0	10	009	Geopotential height
	0	05	015	Latitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	06	015	Longitude displacement since launch site (high accuracy)
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature (scale 2)
	0	12	103	Dew-point temperature (scale 2)
	0	11	001	Wind direction
	0	11	002	Wind speed

- Notes:
- (1) Descriptors 3 03 021 to 3 03 027 are not available in CREX.
  - (2) Long time displacement 0 04 086 represents the time offset from the launch time 3 01 013 (in seconds)
  - (3) Latitude displacement 0 05 015 represents the latitude offset from the latitude of the launch site.  
Longitude displacement 0 06 015 represents the longitude offset from the longitude of the launch site.

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### Category 04 - Meteorological sequences common to satellite observations

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	04	001	0	08	003	Vertical significance
			0	10	004	Pressure
			0	12	001	Temperature
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
3	04	002	0	08	003	Vertical significance
			0	10	004	Pressure
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
3	04	003	0	08	003	Vertical significance
			0	12	001	Temperature
3	04	004	0	08	003	Vertical significance
			0	10	004	Pressure
			0	20	010	Cloud cover (total)
			0	12	001	Temperature
3	04	005	0	02	024	Integrated mean humidity computational method
			0	07	004	Pressure(1)
			0	07	004	Pressure (2) defines layer
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
3	04	006	0	14	001	Outgoing long-wave radiation
			0	14	001	Incoming long-wave radiation
			0	14	003	Outgoing short-wave radiation
						<i>(GOES-IM info)</i>
3	04	011	0	02	163	Height assignment method
			0	02	164	Tracer correlation method
			0	08	012	Land/sea qualifier
			0	07	024	Satellite zenith angle
			0	02	057	Origin of first guess information
			0	08	021	Time significance
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	08	021	Time significance
			0	04	024	Time period or displacement
			1	10	004	Replicate 10 descriptors 4 times
			0	08	021	Time significance
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			0	04	006	Second
			0	08	021	Time significance

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			0	04	006	Second
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			1	03	010	Replicate 3 descriptors 10 times
			0	02	163	Height assignment method
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	12	001	Temperature
						<i>(Location of platform)</i>
3	04	030	0	27	031	In direction of 0 degree longitude, distance from the Earth's centre
			0	28	031	In direction of 90 degrees East longitude, distance from the Earth's centre
			0	10	031	In direction of North Pole, distance from Earth's centre
						<i>(Speed of platform)</i>
3	04	031	0	01	041	Absolute platform velocity – first component
			0	01	042	Absolute platform velocity – second component
			0	01	043	Absolute platform velocity – third component
						<i>(Cloud fraction)</i>
3	04	032	0	02	153	Satellite channel centre frequency
			0	02	154	Satellite channel band width
			0	20	081	Cloud amount in segment
			0	20	082	Amount segment cloud free
			0	20	012	Cloud type
						<i>(Clear sky radiance)</i>
3	04	033	0	02	152	Satellite instrument used in data processing
			0	02	166	Radiance type
			0	02	167	Radiance computational method
			0	02	153	Satellite channel centre frequency
			0	02	154	Satellite channel band width
			0	12	075	Spectral radiance
			0	12	076	Radiance
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
3	04	034	1	02	004	Replicating next two descriptors 4 times
			0	27	001	Latitude (high accuracy)
			0	28	001	Longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	022	Solar elevation
			0	05	043	Field of view number
			0	20	010	Cloud cover (total)
			0	20	016	Pressure at top of cloud
			0	33	003	Quality information table
			0	10	040	Number of retrieved layers

Category 05 - Meteorological or hydrological sequences common to hydrological observations

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	05	003	3	01	012	(SADC-HYCOS measurement array definition)
						Hour, minute of first single measurement minus increment
			0	04	065	Short time increment - time interval between measurements
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	05	001	Single measurement
3	05	006				(MEDHYCOS measurement)
			0	13	072	Downstream water level
			0	13	082	Water temperature
			0	13	019	Precipitation last hour
			0	12	001	Air temperature
			0	13	073	Maximum water height observed
			0	13	060	Total accumulated precipitation
3	05	007				(MEDHYCOS report)
			3	01	029	Identification
			3	01	012	Hour, minute (time of first measurement)
			0	04	065	Short time increment - time interval between measurements
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	05	006	Single measurement
3	05	008				(AOCHYCOS - Chad measurement)
			3	05	006	Same as MEDHYCOS type measurement
			0	12	030	Soil temperature at -50 cm
3	05	009				(AOCHYCOS-Chad report)
			3	01	029	Identification
			3	01	012	Hour, minute (time of first measurement)
			0	04	065	Short time increment - time interval between measurements
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	05	008	Single measurement
3	05	011				(MEDHYCOS report type 2)
			3	01	029	Identification
			3	01	012	Hour, minute (time of first measurement)
			0	04	065	Short time increment - time interval between measurements
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	05	010	Single measurement
3	05	018				(MEDHYCOS report with meteorology and water quality data)
			3	01	029	Identification
			3	01	012	Hour, minute (time) of first measurement
			0	04	065	Hour increment
			1	03	000	Delayed replications of 3 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor

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3	05	008	Same as AOCHYCOS type measurement
3	05	016	Meteorological parameters associated to hydrological data
3	05	017	Water quality measurement

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## Category 06 - Meteorological or oceanographic sequences common to oceanographic observations

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	06	001	0	02	032	Indicator for digitization
			1	02	000	Delayed replication of 2 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	07	062	Depth below sea surface
			0	22	042	Subsurface sea temperature
3	06	002	0	02	031	Method of current measurement (duration and time)
			0	22	004	Direction of current
			0	22	031	Speed of current
3	06	003	0	02	002	Wind instrumentation
			0	11	011	Wind direction (10 m)
			0	11	012	Wind speed (10 m)
			0	12	004	Dry-bulb temperature (2 m)
3	06	004	0	02	032	Indicator for digitization
			0	02	033	Method of salinity/depth measurement
			1	03	000	Delayed replication of 3 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	07	062	Depth below sea surface
			0	22	043	Subsurface sea temperature
			0	22	062	Salinity
3	06	005	0	02	031	Method of current measurement (duration and time)
			1	03	000	Delayed replication of 3 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	07	062	Depth below sea surface
			0	22	004	Direction of current
			0	22	031	Speed of current
						<i>(Under water sounding (optional) parameters)</i>
3	06	006	3	06	003	Surface wind and temperature
			3	06	002	Current
			0	22	063	Total water depth
						<i>(Buoy spare block parameters)</i>
3	06	007	0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform
			0	01	014	Platform drift speed (high precision)
			3	06	008	Buoy instrumentation
			0	04	024	Time period
			0	27	003	Alternate latitude
			0	28	003	Alternate longitude
						<i>(Buoy instrumentation parameters)</i>
3	06	008	0	02	034	Drogue type

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	02	035	Cable length
			0	02	036	Buoy type
						<i>(Tide report identification, water level checks, time increments)</i>
3	06	019	0	01	075	Tide station alphanumeric identification
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	012	Hour, minute
			0	22	042	Sea/water temperature
			0	22	120	Tide station automated water level check
			0	22	121	Tide station manual water level check
			0	04	015	Time increment in minutes (see note)
			0	04	065	Short time increment
3	06	023	0	01	015	Station or site name
			3	01	023	Latitude, longitude
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	012	Hour, minute
			0	22	038	Tidal level with respect to local chart datum
			0	22	039	Meteorological residual tidal elevation
			0	22	120	Tide station automated water level check
			0	22	121	Tide station manual water level check

Note: Range of value for parameter 0 04 015 limited from -99 to 99; CREX common sequence D 06 019 being the original sequence with 2 characters only for the corresponding descriptor.



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## Category 07 - Surface report sequences (land)

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	07	001	3	01	031	Identification, type, date/time, position (high accuracy), height
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	07	002	3	01	032	Identification, type, date/time, position (coarse accuracy), height
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	07	003	3	07	001	Location (high accuracy) and basic report
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	02	005	Cloud layer information
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	07	004	3	07	002	Location (coarse accuracy) and basic report
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	02	005	Cloud layer information
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	07	005	3	07	001	Location (high accuracy) and basic report
			1	01	004	Replicate 1 descriptor 4 times
			3	02	005	Cloud layer information (4 layers)
						<i>(Low altitude station)</i>
3	07	006	3	07	002	Location (coarse accuracy) and basic report
			1	01	004	Replicate 1 descriptor 4 times
			3	02	005	Cloud layer information (4 layers)
						<i>(High altitude station)</i>
3	07	007	3	01	031	Identification, type, date/time, position (high accuracy), height
			3	02	012	Basic surface report
						<i>(High altitude station)</i>
3	07	008	3	01	032	Identification, type, date/time, position (coarse accuracy), height
			3	02	012	Basic surface report
3	07	009	3	01	031	Identification, type, date/time, position (high accuracy), height
			3	02	013	Basic surface report
						<i>(Main part of data for representation of METAR/SPECI code in BUFR)</i>
3	07	011	0	01	063	ICAO location indicator CCCC
			0	02	001	Type of station (AUTO)
			3	01	011	Year, month, day (YY)
			3	01	012	GG, gg
			3	01	024	Latitude-longitude (coarse accuracy), height of station

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	07	006	Height above station (= height of an anemometer)
			0	11	001	Wind direction ddd
			0	11	016	Extreme counterclockwise wind direction of a variable wind $d_n d_n d_n$
			0	11	017	Extreme clockwise wind direction of a variable wind $d_x d_x d_x$
			0	11	002	Wind speed ff
			0	11	041	Maximum wind speed (gusts) $f_m f_m$
			0	07	006	Height above station (= height of a thermometer)
			0	12	001	Temperature $T' T'$
			0	12	003	Dew-point temperature $T'_d T'_d$
			0	10	052	Altimeter setting (QNH) $P_H P_H P_H P_H$
			0	20	009	General Weather Indicator TAF/METAR
						<i>(D<sub>v</sub> VVVV)</i>
3	07	012	1	03	000	Delayed replication of 3 descriptors
			0	31	001	Number of replication (up to 3)
			0	08	023	First order statistics
			0	05	021	Direction of visibility observed $D_v$
			0	20	001	Horizontal visibility VVVV
						<i>(D<sub>R</sub> D<sub>R</sub> V<sub>R</sub> V<sub>R</sub> V<sub>R</sub> V<sub>R</sub>)</i>
3	07	013	1	06	000	Delayed replication of 6 descriptors
			0	31	001	Number of replication (up to 4)
			0	01	064	Runway designator $D_R D_R$
			0	08	014	Qualification for runway visual range
			0	20	061	Runway visual range $V_R V_R V_R V_R$
			0	08	014	Qualification for runway visual range
			0	20	061	Runway visual range $V_R V_R V_R V_R$
			0	20	018	Tendency of runway visual range i
						<i>(w' w')</i>
3	07	014	1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Number of replication (up to 3)
			0	20	019	Significant present weather $w' w'$
						<i>(Clouds group(s))</i>
3	07	015	1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Number of replication
			3	02	005	$(N_s N_s N_s, CC, h_s h_s h_s)$
			0	20	002	Vertical visibility $VV h_s h_s h_s$
						<i>(REw' w')</i>
3	07	016	1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Number of replication (up to 3)
			0	20	020	Significant recent weather phenomena $REw' w'$
						<i>(Wind shear on runways(s))</i>
3	07	017	1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Number of replication

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 11 070	Runway designator of the runway affected by wind shear (including ALL) WS RWYD <sub>R</sub> D <sub>R</sub>
				<i>(Trend-type landing forecast)</i>
3	07	018	0 08 016	Change qualifier of a trend-type forecast or an aerodrome forecast TTTTT
			1 02 000	Delayed replication of 2 descriptors
			0 31 001	Number of replication (up to 2)
			0 08 017	Qualifier of the time when the forecast change is expected (FM, TL, AT) TT
			3 01 012	GG, gg
			1 04 000	Delayed replication of 4 descriptor
			0 31 001	Number of replication (up to 1)
			0 07 006	Height above station
			0 11 001	Wind direction ddd
			0 11 002	Wind speed ff
			0 11 041	Maximum wind speed (gusts) f <sub>m</sub> f <sub>m</sub>
			0 20 009	General Weather Indicator
			1 01 000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0 31 001	Number of replication (up to 1)
			0 20 001	Horizontal visibility VVVV
			3 07 014	w'w'
				<i>(Short METAR/SPECI)</i>
3	07	020	3 07 011	Main part of data
			3 07 014	w'w'
			3 07 016	REw'w'
				<i>(Total sequence for representation of METAR/SPECI code in BUFR)</i>
3	07	021	3 07 011	Main part of data
			3 07 012	D <sub>V</sub> VVVV
			3 07 013	D <sub>R</sub> D <sub>R</sub> V <sub>R</sub> V <sub>R</sub> V <sub>R</sub> V <sub>R</sub>
			3 07 014	w'w'
			3 07 015	Clouds group(s)
			3 07 016	REw'w'
			3 07 017	Wind shear on runway(s)
			3 07 018	Trend-type landing forecast
			3 07 015	Clouds group(s)
				<i>(Ground-based GNSS data)</i>
3	07	022	0 01 015	Station or site name
			3 01 011	Year, Month, Day
			3 01 012	Hour, Minute
			3 01 022	Latitude (high accuracy), Longitude (high accuracy), Height of station
			0 08 021	Time significance (= 23, monitoring period)
			0 04 025	Time period or displacement
			0 10 004	Pressure
			0 12 001	Temperature
			0 13 003	Relative humidity

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	33	038	Quality flags for ground-based GNSS data
			0	08	022	Total number (Number of GNSS satellites used)
			1	06	025	Replication
			0	02	020	Satellite classification
			0	01	050	Platform transmitter Id. number
			0	05	021	Azimuth
			0	07	021	Elevation
			0	15	031	Atmospheric path delay in satellite signal
			0	15	032	Estimated error in atmospheric path delay
			0	08	060	Sample scanning mode significance (=5 for North/South)
			0	15	033	Difference in path delays for limb views at extremes of scan
			0	15	034	Estimated error in path delay difference
			0	08	060	Sample scanning mode significance (=6 for East/West)
			0	15	033	Difference in path delays for limb views at extremes of scan
			0	15	034	Estimated error in path delay difference
			0	15	035	Component of zenith path delay due to water vapour
			2	01	131	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	13	016	Precipitable water
			2	02	000	Reset scale
			2	01	000	Reset data width
			0	15	011	Log <sub>10</sub> of integrated electron density
						<i>(Monthly values of a land station – CLIMAT Data of the month)</i>
3	07	071	3	01	090	Surface station identification; time, horizontal and vertical co-ordinates (See note (1))
			0	04	074	Short time displacement (= UTC – LST) (See note (1))
			0	04	023	Time period (= number of days in the month)
						<i>Monthly mean values of pressure, temperature, extreme temperatures and vapour pressure:</i>
			0	08	023	First order statistics = 4; mean value
			0	10	004	Pressure
			0	10	051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0	07	004	Pressure (standard level) (for lowland stations = missing value)
			0	10	009	Geopotential height of the standard level (for lowland stations = missing value)
			0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (See note (3))
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0	02	051	Indicator to specify observing method for extreme temperatures
			0	04	051	Principal time of daily reading of maximum temperature
			0	12	118	Maximum temperature at height specified, past 24 hours
			0	04	052	Principal time of daily reading of minimum temperature
			0	12	119	Minimum temperature at height specified, past 24 hours
			0	13	004	Vapour pressure
			0	08	023	First order statistics (=63, missing value)
			0	12	151	Standard deviation of daily mean temperature
			0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			1	02	005	Replicate 2 descriptors 5 times

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
	0	08	050	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic = 1 (pressure) = 2 (temperature) = 4 (vapour pressure) = 7 (maximum temperature) = 8 (minimum temperature)
	0	08	020	Total number of missing entities (days)
				<i>Sunshine duration:</i>
	0	14	032	Total sunshine
	0	14	033	Total sunshine
	0	08	050	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic = 6 (sunshine duration)
	0	08	020	Total number of missing entities (days)
				<i>Number of days of occurrence:</i>
	1	02	018	Replicate 2 descriptors 18 times
	0	08	052	Conditions for which number of days of occurrence follows
	0	08	022	Total number (of days)
				<i>Occurrence of extreme values of temperature and wind speed:</i>
	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (See note (3))
	0	08	053	Day of occurrence qualifier = 0 (on 1 day only), = 1 (on 2 or more days)
	0	04	003	Day
	0	12	152	Highest daily mean temperature
	0	08	053	Day of occurrence qualifier = 0 (on 1 day only), = 1 (on 2 or more days)
	0	04	003	Day
	0	12	153	Lowest daily mean temperature
	0	08	053	Day of occurrence qualifier = 0 (on 1 day only), = 1 (on 2 or more days)
	0	04	003	Day
	0	08	023	First order statistics (= 2; maximum value)
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
	0	08	053	Day of occurrence qualifier = 0 (on 1 day only), = 1 (on 2 or more days)
	0	04	003	Day
	0	08	023	First order statistics (= 3; minimum value)
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
	0	08	023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (See note (3))
	0	02	002	Type of instrumentation for wind measurement
	0	08	053	Day of occurrence qualifier = 0 (on 1 day only), = 1 (on 2 or more days)
	0	04	003	Day
	0	11	046	Maximum instantaneous wind speed
	0	08	053	Day of occurrence qualifier (set to missing = 3 to cancel the previous value)
				<i>Precipitation:</i>
	0	04	003	Day (= 1) (See note (2))
	0	04	004	Hour (= 6) (See note (2))
	0	04	023	Time period (= number of days in the month) (See note (2))
	0	07	032	Height of sensor above local ground (See note (3))
	0	13	060	Total accumulated precipitation

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 13 051	Frequency group; precipitation
			0 04 053	Number of days with precipitation equal to or more than 1 mm
			0 08 050	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic = 5 (precipitation)
			0 08 020	Total number of missing entities (days)
				<i>Number of days of occurrence:</i>
			1 02 006	Replicate 2 descriptors 6 times
			0 08 052	Conditions for which number of days of occurrence follows
			0 08 022	Total number (of days)
				<i>Occurrence of extreme precipitation:</i>
			0 08 053	Day of occurrence qualifier = 0 (on 1 day only), = 1 (on 2 or more days)
			0 04 003	Day
			0 13 052	Highest daily amount of precipitation
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above local ground (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
				<i>(Monthly normals from a land station)</i>
3	07	072	0 04 001	Year (of beginning of the reference period)
			0 04 001	Year (of ending of the reference period)
			0 04 002	Month
			0 04 003	Day (= 1) See note (1)
			0 04 004	Hour (= 0) See note (1)
			0 04 074	Short time displacement (= UTC- LST) see note (1)
			0 04 022	Time period (= 1)
				<i>Normals of monthly mean pressure, temperatures, vapour pressure and of standard deviation:</i>
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 4; mean value)
			0 10 004	Pressure
			0 10 051	Pressure reduced to Mean Sea Level
			0 07 004	Pressure (standard level)
			0 10 009	Geopotential height of the standard level
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above local ground (See note (3))
			0 12 101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0 02 051	Indicator to specify observing method for extreme temperatures = 2
			0 04 051	Principal time of daily reading of maximum temperature
			0 12 118	Maximum temperature at height specified, past 24 h.
			0 04 052	Principal time of daily reading of minimum temperature
			0 12 119	Minimum temperature at height specified, past 24 h.
			0 13 004	Vapour pressure
			0 12 151	Standard deviation of daily mean temperature
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above local ground (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
				<i>Normal of sunshine duration:</i>
			0 14 032	Total sunshine
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
				<i>Normals of precipitation:</i>
			0 04 001	Year (of beginning of the reference period)
			0 04 001	Year (of ending of the reference period)
			0 04 002	Month

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 04 003	Day (= 1) See note (2)
			0 04 004	Hour (= 6) See note (2)
			0 04 022	Time period (= 1)
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above local ground (See note (3))
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 4; mean value)
			0 13 060	Total accumulated precipitation
			0 04 053	Number of days with precipitation equal to or more than 1 mm
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
			1 02 008	Replicate 2 descriptors 8 times
			0 08 050	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic = 1 (pressure), = 2 (temperature), = 3 (extreme temperatures), See note (4) = 4 (vapour pressure), = 5 (precipitation), = 6 (sunshine duration) = 7 (maximum temperature), See note (4) = 8 (minimum temperature), See note (4)
			0 08 020	Total number of missing entities (years) See note (4)
				<i>(Representation of CLIMAT data of the actual month and for monthly normals)</i>
3	07	073	3 07 071	Monthly values of a land station – CLIMAT Data of the month
			3 07 072	Monthly normals from a land station
				<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a fixed land station suitable for SYNOP data)</i>
3	07	080	3 01 090	Fixed surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3 02 031	Pressure data
			3 02 035	Basic synoptic “instantaneous” data
			3 02 036	Clouds with bases below station level
			3 02 047	Direction of cloud drift
			0 08 002	Vertical significance
			3 02 048	Direction and elevation of cloud
			3 02 037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			3 02 043	Basic synoptic “period” data
			3 02 044	Evaporation data
			1 01 002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3 02 045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
			3 02 046	Temperature change
				<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a fixed land station suitable for SYNOP data in compliance with reporting practices in RA I)</i>
3	07	081	3 01 090	Fixed surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3 02 031	Pressure data
			3 02 035	Basic synoptic “instantaneous” data
			3 02 036	Clouds with bases below station level
			3 02 047	Direction of cloud drift
			0 08 002	Vertical significance (= missing to cancel the previous value)
			3 02 048	Direction and elevation of cloud

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			3	02	037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			0	12	122	Ground minimum temperature of the preceding night
			0	13	056	Character and intensity of precipitation
			0	13	057	Time of beginning or end of precipitation
			0	20	101	Locust (acridian) name
			0	20	102	Locust (maturity) color
			0	20	103	Stage of development of locusts
			0	20	104	Organization state of swarm or band of locusts
			0	20	105	Size of swarm or band of locusts and duration of passage of swarm
			0	20	106	Locust population density
			0	20	107	Direction of movements of locust swarm
			0	20	108	Extent of vegetation
			3	02	043	Basic synoptic "period" data
			3	02	044	Evaporation data
			1	01	002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3	02	045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
			3	02	046	Temperature change
						<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a fixed land station suitable for SYNOP data in compliance with reporting practices in RA II)</i>
3	07	082	3	01	090	Fixed surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3	02	031	Pressure data
			3	02	035	Basic synoptic "instantaneous" data
			3	02	036	Clouds with bases below station level
			3	02	047	Direction of cloud drift
			0	08	002	Vertical significance (= missing to cancel the previous value)
			3	02	048	Direction and elevation of cloud
			3	02	037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			0	12	121	Ground minimum temperature (at the time of observation)
			0	12	122	Ground minimum temperature of the preceding night
			3	02	043	Basic synoptic "period" data
			3	02	044	Evaporation data
			1	01	002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3	02	045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
			3	02	046	Temperature change
						<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a fixed land station suitable for SYNOP data in compliance with reporting practices in RA III)</i>
3	07	083	3	01	090	Fixed surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3	02	031	Pressure data
			3	02	035	Basic synoptic "instantaneous" data
			3	02	036	Clouds with bases below station level
			3	02	047	Direction of cloud drift
			0	08	002	Vertical significance (= missing to cancel the previous value)
			3	02	048	Direction and elevation of cloud
			3	02	037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			0	12	122	Ground minimum temperature of the preceding night



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			3 02 043	Basic synoptic “period” data
			3 02 044	Evaporation data
			1 01 002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3 02 045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
			3 02 046	Temperature change
				<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a fixed land station suitable for SYNOP data in compliance with reporting practices in RA IV)</i>
3	07	084	3 01 090	Fixed surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3 02 031	Pressure data
			3 02 035	Basic synoptic “instantaneous” data
			3 02 036	Clouds with bases below station level
			3 02 047	Direction of cloud drift
			0 08 002	Vertical significance (= missing to cancel the previous value)
			3 02 048	Direction and elevation of cloud
			3 02 037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			0 20 055	State of sky in tropics
			1 01 000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0 31 001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			2 05 001	Character field of 1 character
			3 02 043	Basic synoptic “period” data
			3 02 044	Evaporation data
			1 01 002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3 02 045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
			3 02 046	Temperature change
				<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a fixed land station suitable for SYNOP data in compliance with reporting practices in RA VI)</i>
3	07	086	3 01 090	Fixed surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3 02 031	Pressure data
			3 02 035	Basic synoptic “instantaneous” data
			3 02 036	Clouds with bases below station level
			0 08 002	Vertical significance (= missing to cancel the previous value)
			3 02 037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			3 02 066	Dangerous weather phenomena
			3 02 043	Basic synoptic “period” data
			3 02 044	Evaporation data
			1 01 002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3 02 045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
				<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a mobile land station suitable for SYNOP MOBIL data)</i>
3	07	090	3 01 092	Mobile surface station identification, time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3 02 031	Pressure data
			3 02 035	Basic synoptic “instantaneous” data
			3 02 036	Clouds with bases below station level
			3 02 047	Direction of cloud drift
			0 08 002	Vertical significance

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			3 02 048	Direction and elevation of cloud
			3 02 037	State of ground, snow depth, ground minimum temperature
			3 02 043	Basic synoptic "period" data
			3 02 044	Evaporation data
			1 01 002	Replicate next descriptor 2 times
			3 02 045	Radiation data (from 1 hour and/or 24 hour period)
			3 02 046	Temperature change

Notes:

- 1) The time identification refers to the beginning of the one-month period.
- 2) In case of precipitation measurements, the one-month period begins at 06 UTC on the first day of the month and ends at 06 UTC on the first day of the following month.
- 3) If the height of the sensor was changed during the period specified, the value shall be that which existed for the greater part of the period.
- 4) The number of missing years within the reference period from the calculation of normal for mean extreme air temperature should be given, if available, for both the calculation of normal maximum temperature and for the calculation of normal minimum temperature in addition to the number of missing years for the extreme air temperatures reported under 0 08 020 preceded by 0 08 050 in which figure 3 is used.

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## Category 08 - Surface report sequences (sea)

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Buoy/platform — fixed)</i>
3	08	001	3	01	033	Identification, type, date/time, position (high accuracy)
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
			0	22	042	Sea-surface temperature
						<i>(Buoy/platform — fixed)</i>
3	08	002	3	01	034	Identification, type, date/time, position (coarse accuracy)
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
			0	22	042	Sea-surface temperature
						<i>(Buoy/platform — moving)</i> See note 4
3	08	003	3	01	035	Identification, movement, type, date/time, position (coarse accuracy)
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
			0	22	042	Sea-surface temperature
						<i>(Ship)</i>
3	08	004	3	01	036	Identification, movement, type, date/time, position (coarse accuracy)
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
			0	22	042	Sea-surface temperature
3	08	005	3	08	004	Basic ship report
			3	02	024	Wind waves and swell waves
						<i>(Buoy Section 1 optional parameters)</i>
3	08	006	0	10	004	Pressure
			0	10	061	3-hour pressure change
			0	10	063	Characteristic of pressure tendency
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	12	004	Dry-bulb temperature at 2 m
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
			0	22	042	Sea temperature
3	08	007	3	01	055	Identification, movement type, date/time, position (high accuracy)
			3	02	011	Basic surface report
			0	07	062	Depth below sea/water surface
			0	22	042	Sea/water temperature
						<i>(Sequence for representation of synoptic reports from a sea station suitable for SHIP data)</i>
3	08	009	3	01	093	Ship identification, movement, date/time, horizontal and vertical coordinates
			3	02	001	Pressure data
			3	02	054	SHIP “instantaneous” data
			0	08	002	Vertical significance
			3	02	055	Icing and ice
			3	02	057	SHIP marine data

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			3 02 060	SHIP "period" data
				<i>(TRACKOB Template)</i>
3	08	010	0 01 011	Ship or mobile land station identifier
			1 13 000	Delayed replication of 13 descriptors
			0 31 001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3 01 011	Date
			3 01 012	Time
			3 01 021	Latitude/Longitude (high accuracy)
			0 04 080	Averaging period for following value
			0 22 049	Sea surface temperature
			0 04 080	Averaging period for following value
			0 22 059	Sea surface salinity
			0 04 080	Averaging period for following value
			0 22 005	Direction of sea surface current
			0 02 042	Indicator for sea surface current speed
			0 22 032	Speed of sea surface current
			0 02 042	Indicator for sea surface current speed (cancel)
			0 04 080	Averaging period for following value (cancel)
				<i>(Monthly values from an ocean weather station – CLIMAT SHIP)</i>
3	08	011	0 01 011	Ship's call sign
			0 02 001	Type of station
			3 01 011	Date (see Note 1)
			3 01 012	Time (see Note 1)
			3 01 023	Latitude (coarse accuracy), Longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0 07 030	Height of station platform above mean sea level (See note 3)
			0 07 031	Height of barometer above mean sea level (See note 3)
				<i>Monthly mean values of pressure, temperature, vapour pressure and sea/water temperature:</i>
			0 04 074	Short time displacement (= UTC – LST) See note (1)
			0 04 023	Time period (= number of days in the month)
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 4; mean value)
			0 10 051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for temperature measurement) (See note 3)
			0 07 033	Height of sensor above water surface (for temperature measurement) (See note 3)
			0 12 101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0 13 004	Vapour pressure
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			0 07 033	Height of sensor above water surface (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			3 02 056	Sea surface temperature, method of measurement, and depth below sea surface
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
				<i>Precipitation:</i>
			0 04 003	Day (= 1) See note (2)
			0 04 004	Hour (= 6) See note (2)
			0 04 023	Time period (= number of days in the month) See note (2)

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (See note 3)
			0 13 060	Total accumulated precipitation
			0 13 051	Frequency group; precipitation
			0 04 053	Number of days with precipitation equal to or more than 1 mm
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
				<i>(Monthly normals from an ocean weather station)</i>
3	08	012	0 04 001	Year (of beginning of the reference period)
			0 04 001	Year (of ending of the reference period)
			0 04 002	Month
			0 04 003	Day (= 1) See note (1)
			0 04 004	Hour (= 0) See note (1)
			0 04 074	Short time displacement (= UTC – LST) See note (1)
			0 04 022	Time period (= 1)
				<i>Normals of monthly mean pressure, temperature, vapour pressure and sea/water temperature:</i>
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 4; mean value)
			0 10 051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for temperature measurement) (See note (3))
			0 07 033	Height of sensor above water surface (for temperature measurement) (See note (3))
			0 12 101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0 13 004	Vapour pressure
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			0 07 033	Height of sensor above water surface (set to missing to cancel the previous value)
			3 02 056	Sea surface temperature, method of measurement, and depth below sea surface
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
			0 04 001	Year (of beginning of the reference period)
			0 04 001	Year (of ending of the reference period)
			0 04 002	Month
			0 04 003	Day (= 1) See note (2)
			0 04 004	Hour (= 6) See note (2)
			0 04 022	Time period (= 1)
				<i>Normals of precipitation:</i>
			0 07 032	Height of sensor above marine deck platform (for precipitation measurement) (See note 3)
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 4; mean value)
			0 13 060	Total accumulated precipitation
			0 04 053	Number of days with precipitation equal to or more than 1 mm
			0 08 023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
				<i>(Representation of CLIMAT SHIP data of the actual month and for monthly normals)</i>
3	08	013	3 08 011	Monthly values from an ocean weather station – CLIMAT SHIP
			3 08 012	Monthly normals from an ocean weather station

Notes:

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- 1) The time identification refers to the beginning of the one-month period.
- 2) In case of precipitation measurements, the one-month period begins at 06 UTC on the first day of the month and ends at 06 UTC on the first day of the following month.
- 3) If the height of the sensor was changed during the period specified, the value shall be that which existed for the greater part of the period.
- 4) Descriptor 3 08 007 should be used instead of 3 08 003 to encode moving buoy/platform information.

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## Category 09 - Vertical sounding sequences (conventional data)

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	001	3	01	037	Identification, etc. (land station, high accuracy position)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	011	Winds at heights
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	002	3	01	038	Identification, etc. (land station, coarse accuracy position)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	011	Winds at heights
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	003	3	01	037	Identification, etc. (land station, high accuracy position)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	012	Winds at pressure levels
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	004	3	01	038	Identification, etc. (land station, coarse accuracy position)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	012	Winds at pressure levels
						<i>(Vertical sounding with relative humidity)</i>
3	09	005	3	01	037	Identification, etc. (land station, high accuracy position)
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	013	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Vertical sounding with relative humidity)</i>
3	09	006	3	01	038	Identification, etc. (land station, coarse accuracy position)
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	013	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Vertical sounding with dew-point data)</i>
3	09	007	3	01	037	Identification, etc. (land station, high accuracy position)
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	014	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Vertical sounding with dew-point data)</i>
3	09	008	3	01	038	Identification, etc. (land station, coarse accuracy position)

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	014	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	011	3	01	039	Ship's identification, etc.
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	011	Winds at heights
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	012	3	01	039	Ship's identification, etc.
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	012	Winds at pressure levels
						<i>(Vertical sounding with relative humidity)</i>
3	09	013	3	01	039	Ship's identification, etc.
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	013	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Vertical sounding with dew-point data)</i>
3	09	014	3	01	039	Ship's identification, etc.
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	014	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	015	3	01	040	Ship's identification, etc.
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	011	Winds at heights
						<i>(Vertical wind profile)</i>
3	09	016	3	01	040	Ship's identification, etc.
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	012	Winds at pressure levels
						<i>(Vertical sounding with relative humidity)</i>
3	09	017	3	01	040	Ship's identification, etc.
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	013	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Vertical sounding with dew-point data)</i>
3	09	018	3	01	040	Ship's identification, etc.
			3	02	004	Significant cloud information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	014	Pressure, geopotential, temperature and wind data
						<i>(Wind profiler — wind data sounding)</i>
3	09	019	3	01	031	Identification, etc.
			0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	03	011	Winds at heights
						<i>(Wind profiler — Cartesian coordinates)</i>
3	09	020	3	01	031	Identification, etc.
			0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
			1	04	000	Delayed replication of 4 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	07	003	Geopotential
			0	11	003	u-component
			0	11	004	v-component
			0	11	005	w-component
						<i>(Ozone sonde flight data)</i> (see Note below)
3	09	030	0	15	004	Ozone sounding correction factor
			0	15	005	Ozone p
			1	04	000	Delayed replication of 4 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	04	015	Time increment since launch time, if needed; in minutes
			0	08	006	Ozone vertical sounding significance
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	15	003	Measured ozone partial pressure
						<i>(Ozone sonde flight data)</i>
3	09	031	0	15	004	Ozone sounding correction factor
			0	15	005	Ozone p
			1	04	000	Delayed replication of 4 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	04	025	Time displacement (since launch time) in minutes
			0	08	006	Ozone vertical sounding significance
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	15	003	Measured ozone partial pressure
						<i>(Sequence for representation of PILOT, PILOT SHIP and PILOT MOBIL observation type data with pressure as the vertical coordinate)</i>
3	09	050	3	01	110	Identification of launch site and instrumentation for wind measurements
			3	01	113	Date/time of launch
			3	01	114	Horizontal and vertical coordinates of launch site

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F	X	Y				
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	050	Wind data at a pressure level
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	051	Wind shear data at a pressure level
						<i>(Sequence for representation of PILOT, PILOT SHIP and PILOT MOBIL observation type data with height as the vertical coordinate)</i>
3	09	051	3	01	110	Identification of launch site and instrumentation for wind measurements
			3	01	113	Date/time of launch
			3	01	114	Horizontal and vertical coordinates of launch site
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	052	Wind data at a height level
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	053	Wind shear data at a height level
						<i>(Sequence for representation of TEMP, TEMP SHIP and TEMP MOBIL observation type data)</i>
3	09	052	3	01	111	Identification of launch site and instrumentation for P, T, U and wind measurements
			3	01	113	Date/time of launch
			3	01	114	Horizontal and vertical coordinates of launch site
			3	02	049	Cloud information reported with vertical soundings
			0	22	043	Sea water temperature
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	054	Temperature, dew-point and wind data at a pressure level
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	051	Wind shear data at a pressure level
						<i>(Sequence for representation of TEMP DROP observation type data)</i>
3	09	053	3	01	112	Identification of launch point and instrumentation of dropsonde
			3	01	113	Date/time of launch
			3	01	114	Horizontal and vertical coordinates of launch site
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	054	Temperature, dew-point and wind data at a pressure level
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	051	Wind shear data at a pressure level

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						<i>(Sequence for representation of CLIMAT TEMP and CLIMAT TEMP SHIP data)</i>
3	09	054	3	01	001	Identification of launch site
			0	01	011	Ship's call sign
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	021	Horizontal and vertical coordinates
			0	07	030	Height of station ground above mean sea level
			0	07	031	Height of barometer above mean sea level
			0	07	007	Height release of sonde above mean sea level
						<i>Monthly mean data:</i>
			0	04	023	Time period (= number of days in the month)
			0	04	059	Times of observations used to compute the reported mean values
			1	15	000	Delayed replication of 15 descriptors
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	08	001	Vertical sounding significance
			0	08	023	First order statistics (= 4; mean value)
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	10	009	Geopotential height
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature
			0	08	023	First order statistics (= 32; vector mean)
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	08	023	First order statistics (= 63; missing value)
			0	11	019	Steadiness of wind
			0	08	050	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic (= 2; temperature)
			0	08	020	Total number of missing entities (days)
			0	08	050	Qualifier for number of missing values in calculation of statistic (= 9; wind)
			0	08	020	Total number of missing entities (days)
						<i>(Radiosonde complete registration and surface observation)</i>
3	09	060	3	01	123	Radiosonde full header information
			3	01	121	Radiosonde launch point location
			3	02	050	Radiosonde surface observation
			3	03	040	Radiosonde duration of flight and termination information
						<i>(Raw PTU)</i>
3	09	061	3	01	120	Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information
			0	08	041	Data significance (6 = "flight level observation" )
			3	01	122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)
			2	01	131	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	25	069	Flight level pressure correction
			0	07	004	Pressure
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			0	33	007	Percent confidence (for Pressure)
			0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Pressure)
			0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Pressure)
			0	13	009	Relative humidity

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	0	33	007	Percent confidence (for Relative humidity)
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Relative humidity)
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Relative humidity)
	0	02	013	Solar and infrared radiation correction
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry bulb temperature
	0	33	007	Percent confidence (for Temperature)
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Temperature)
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Temperature)
				<i>(Raw GPS unsmoothed wind)</i>
3	09	062	3 01 120	Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information
			0 08 041	Data significance (6 = "flight level observation" )
			3 01 122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)
			0 05 001	Latitude (high accuracy)
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Latitude)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for Latitude)
			0 06 001	Longitude (high accuracy)
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Longitude)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for Longitude)
			0 07 007	Height
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Height)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for Height)
			0 11 003	U-component
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for U-component)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for U-component)
			0 11 004	V-component
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for V-component)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for V-component)
			0 33 007	Percent confidence (for Raw GPS unsmoothed wind)
				<i>(Raw GPS smoothed wind)</i>
3	09	063	3 01 120	Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information
			0 08 041	Data significance (6 = "flight level observation" )
			3 01 122	Date/time (to hundredths of second) sequence
			0 05 001	Latitude (high accuracy)
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Latitude)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for Latitude)
			0 06 001	Longitude (high accuracy)
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Longitude)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for Longitude)
			0 07 007	Height
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Height)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for Height)
			0 11 003	U-component
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for U-component)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for U-component)
			0 11 004	V-component
			0 33 035	Manual/automatic quality control (for V-component)
			0 33 015	Data quality-check indicator (for V-component)
			0 33 007	Percent confidence (for Raw GPS smoothed wind)
				<i>(Processed PTU)</i>
3	09	064	3 01 120	Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information

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	0	08	041	Data significance (6 = “flight level observation” )		
	3	01	122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)		
	2	01	131	Change data width		
	2	02	129	Change scale		
	1	04	002	Replicate 4 descriptors 2 times		
	0	25	069	Flight level pressure correction		
	0	07	004	Pressure		
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Pressure)		
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Pressure)		
	0	13	003	Relative humidity		
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Relative humidity)		
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Relative humidity)		
	2	02	000	Cancel change scale		
	2	01	000	Cancel change data width		
	1	04	002	Replicate 4 descriptors 2 times		
	0	02	013	Solar and infrared radiation correction		
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry bulb temperature		
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Temperature)		
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Temperature)		
	0	12	103	Dew-point temperature		
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Dew-point temperature)		
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Dew-point temperature)		
	0	10	009	Geopotential height		
	0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Geopotential height)		
	0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Geopotential height)		
				(Processed GPS)		
3	09	065	3	01	120	Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information
			0	08	041	Data significance (6 = “flight level observation” )
			3	01	122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)
			0	05	001	Latitude (high accuracy)
			0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Latitude)
			0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Latitude)
			0	06	001	Longitude (high accuracy)
			0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Longitude)
			0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Longitude)
			0	07	007	Height
			0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for Height)
			0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for Height)
			0	11	003	U-component
			0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for U-component)
			0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for U-component)
			0	11	004	V-component
			0	33	035	Manual/automatic quality control (for V-component)
			0	33	015	Data quality-check indicator (for V-component)
						(Standard and significant levels)
3	09	066	3	01	120	Radiosonde abbreviated header and launch information
			0	08	041	Data significance (6 = “flight level observation” )
			3	01	122	Date/time (to hundredths of second)
			0	08	040	Flight level significance
			2	01	131	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale

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	0	25	069	Flight level pressure correction
	0	07	004	Pressure
	0	13	003	Relative humidity
	2	02	000	Cancel change scale
	2	01	000	Cancel change data width
	0	02	013	Solar and infrared radiation correction
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry bulb temperature
	0	12	103	Dew-point temperature
	0	10	009	Geopotential height
	0	10	007	Height
	0	11	002	Wind speed
	0	11	001	Wind direction

Note:

Sequence 3 09 030 is deprecated because of incorrect usage of descriptor 0 04 015; sequence 3 09 031 should be used instead.

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## Category 10 - Vertical sounding sequences (satellite data)

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Satellite — brightness temperature)</i>
3	10	001	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	032	Cloud
			1	01	026	Replicate 1 descriptor 26 times
			3	03	025	Satellite channel and brightness temperature
						<i>(Satellite — low level)</i>
3	10	002	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	032	Cloud
			1	01	009	Replicate 1 descriptor 9 times
			3	03	023	Layer mean temperature
						<i>(Satellite — high level)</i>
3	10	003	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	032	Cloud
			1	01	006	Replicate 1 descriptor 6 times
			3	03	023	Layer mean temperature
						<i>(Satellite — precipitable water)</i>
3	10	004	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	032	Cloud
			1	01	003	Replicate 1 descriptor 3 times
			3	03	024	Precipitable water
3	10	005	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	033	Cloud
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	025	Satellite channel and brightness temperature
3	10	006	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	033	Cloud
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	023	Layer mean temperature
3	10	007	3	01	042	Identification, method, date/time
			3	03	031	Significance data, land/sea, skin temperature
			3	03	033	Cloud
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	03	024	Precipitable water

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					<i>(ATOVS HIRS report)</i>
3	10	008	3	10	011 ATOVS field of view variables
			1	01	019 Replicate 1 descriptor 19 times
			3	10	012 ATOVS channel variables
			0	02	150 TOVS/ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number
			0	25	079 Albedo-radiance solar filtered irradiance for ATOVS
			0	25	080 Albedo-radiance equivalent filter width for ATOVS
			0	33	032 Channel quality flags for ATOVS
			0	14	045 Channel radiance
					<i>(ATOVS AMSU-A report)</i>
3	10	009	3	10	011 ATOVS field of view variables
			1	01	015 Replicate 1 descriptor 15 times
			3	10	012 ATOVS channel variables
					<i>(ATOVS AMSU-B / MHS report)</i>
3	10	010	3	10	011 ATOVS field of view variables
			1	01	005 Replicate 1 descriptor 5 times
			3	10	012 ATOVS channel variables
					<i>(ATOVS field of view variables)</i>
3	10	011	0	08	070 TOVS/ATOVS product qualifier
			0	01	033 Identification of originating/generating centre
			0	01	034 Identification of originating/generating centre
			0	08	070 TOVS/ATOVS product qualifier
			0	01	033 Identification of originating/generating centre
			0	01	034 Identification of originating/generating centre
			0	01	007 Satellite identification
			0	02	048 Satellite sensor indicator
			0	05	040 Orbit number
			0	25	075 Satellite antenna corrections version number
			2	01	133 Change width
			0	05	041 Scan line number
			2	01	000 Change width
			0	05	043 Field of view number
			0	25	070 Major frame count
			0	33	030 Scan line status flags for ATOVS
			0	33	031 Scan line quality flags for ATOVS
			0	04	001 Year
			0	04	002 Month
			0	04	003 Day
			0	04	004 Hour
			0	04	005 Minute
			2	02	131 Change scale
			2	01	138 Change width
			0	04	006 Second
			2	01	000 Change width
			2	02	000 Change scale
			0	05	001 Latitude
			0	06	001 Longitude
			2	02	126 Change scale



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	0	07	001	Height of station		
	2	02	000	Change scale		
	0	07	024	Satellite zenith angle		
	0	05	021	Satellite azimuth		
	0	07	025	Solar zenith angle		
	0	05	022	Solar azimuth		
	0	33	033	Field of view quality flags for ATOVS		
	0	02	151	Radiometer identifier		
	0	12	064	Instrument temperature		
	0	02	151	Radiometer identifier		
	0	12	064	Instrument temperature		
	0	02	151	Radiometer identifier		
	0	12	064	Instrument temperature		
	0	02	151	Radiometer identifier		
	0	12	064	Instrument temperature		
				<i>(ATOVS channel variables)</i>		
3	10	012	0	02	150	TOVS/ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number
			0	25	076	Log–10 of (temperature-radiance central wavenumber) for ATOVS
			0	25	077	Bandwidth correction coefficient 1 for ATOVS
			0	25	078	Bandwidth correction coefficient 2 for ATOVS
			0	33	032	Channel quality flags for ATOVS
			2	01	132	Change width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			2	02	000	Change scale
			2	01	000	Change width
						<i>(AVHRR (GAC) report)</i>
3	10	013	0	01	007	Satellite ID
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			0	04	006	Second
			0	05	001	Latitude
			0	06	001	Longitude
			0	07	025	Solar zenith angle
			0	05	043	Field of view number
			0	25	085	Fraction of clear pixels in HIRS field of view
			2	01	131	Change width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	02	150	TOVS/ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number
			0	08	023	First order statistics
			0	08	072	Pixel(s) type
			0	14	027	Albedo
			0	08	072	Pixel(s) type
			0	14	027	Albedo
			0	02	150	TOVS/ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number
			0	08	023	First order statistics
			0	08	072	Pixel(s) type

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	0	14	027	Albedo		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	14	027	Albedo		
	0	02	150	ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number		
	0	08	023	First order statistics		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	14	027	Albedo		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	14	027	Albedo		
	2	02	000	Change scale		
	2	01	000	Change width		
	2	01	132	Change width		
	2	02	129	Change scale		
	0	02	150	ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number		
	0	08	023	First order statistics		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	02	150	ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number		
	0	08	023	First order statistics		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	08	023	First order statistics		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	02	150	ATOVS/AVHRR instrumentation channel number		
	0	08	023	First order statistics		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	0	08	072	Pixel(s) type		
	0	12	063	Brightness temperature		
	2	02	000	Change scale		
	2	01	000	Change width		
				(Satellite — geostationary wind data)		
3	10	014	3	01	072	Satellite identification, date, time, latitude, longitude
			3	03	041	Wind sequence
			3	04	011	GOES-I/M information
						(Meteosat radiance data)
3	10	015	3	01	072	Satellite identification
			0	07	024	Satellite zenith angle
			0	10	002	Height
			3	03	041	Wind sequence
			1	01	003	Replicate next descriptor 3 times
			3	04	032	Cloud fraction
			0	02	152	Satellite instrument used in data processing
			0	02	024	Integrated mean humidity computational method

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	0	07	004	Pressure
	0	07	004	Pressure
	0	13	003	Relative humidity
	1	01	003	Replicate next descriptor 3 times
	3	04	033	Clear sky radiance
				<i>(Meteosat Second Generation (MSG) radiance data)</i>
3	10	016	3 01 072	Satellite identification
			0 07 024	Satellite zenith angle
			0 10 002	Height
			3 03 041	Wind sequence
			1 01 012	Replicate next descriptor 12 times
			3 04 032	Cloud fraction
			0 02 152	Satellite instrument used in data processing
			0 02 024	Integrated mean humidity computational method
			0 07 004	Pressure
			0 07 004	Pressure
			0 13 003	Relative humidity
			1 01 012	Replicate next descriptor 12 times
			3 04 033	Clear sky radiance
				<i>(Retrieved ozone data)</i>
3	10	020	3 10 022	
			3 01 011	Year, month, day
			3 01 013	Hour, minute, second
			3 01 021	Lat., long. (high accuracy)
			3 04 034	
			3 10 021	
3	10	021	1 08 000	Delayed replication of 8 next descriptors
			0 31 001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			2 01 131	Change data width
			2 02 129	Change scale
			0 07 004	Pressure
			0 07 004	Pressure
			2 02 000	Change scale back to Table B
			2 01 000	Change data width back to Table B
			0 15 020	Integrated O <sub>3</sub> density
			0 10 002	Height
3	10	022	0 01 007	Satellite identifier
			0 02 019	Satellite instrument used
			0 01 033	Identification of originating/generating centre
			0 02 172	Product type for retrieved atmospheric gases
				<i>(Geostationary multi-channel satellite radiance data)</i>
3	10	023	3 01 072	Satellite identification
			0 30 021	Number of pixels per row
			0 30 022	Number of pixels per column
			0 08 012	Land/sea qualifier
			0 07 024	Satellite zenith angle
			0 07 025	Solar zenith angle
			0 10 002	Height

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	1	01	012	Replicate next descriptor 12 times		
	3	04	032	Cloud fraction		
	1	05	002	Replicate next 5 descriptors 2 times		
	0	02	152	Satellite instrument used in data processing		
	0	02	024	Integrated mean humidity computational method		
	0	07	004	Pressure		
	0	07	004	Pressure		
	0	13	003	Relative humidity		
	1	01	012	Replicate next descriptor 12 times		
	3	04	033	Radiance		
				<i>(Geostationary three-channel satellite radiance data)</i>		
3	10	024	3	01	072	Satellite identification
			0	30	021	Number of pixels per row
			0	30	022	Number of pixels per column
			0	08	012	Land/sea qualifier
			0	07	024	Satellite zenith angle
			0	07	025	Solar zenith angle
			0	10	002	Height
			1	01	003	Replicate next descriptor 3 times
			3	04	032	Cloud fraction
			1	05	002	Replicate next 5 descriptors 2 times
			0	02	152	Satellite instrument used in data processing
			0	02	024	Integrated mean humidity computational method
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	13	003	Relative humidity
			1	01	003	Replicate next descriptor 3 times
			3	04	033	Radiance
						<i>(SSMIS Temperature data record)</i>
3	10	025	0	01	007	Satellite id
			0	08	021	Scan start
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			2	01	138	Milliseconds
			2	02	131	
			0	04	006	
			2	02	000	
			2	01	000	
			2	01	132	Scan number
			0	05	041	
			2	01	000	
			2	01	129	Scene number
			0	05	043	
			2	01	000	
			0	05	002	Latitude
			0	06	002	Longitude
			0	13	040	Surface flag
			0	20	029	Rain flag

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	1	04	024	Repeat 24 times next 4 descriptors		
	0	05	042	Channel number		
	0	12	163	Temperature		
	0	21	083	Warm target calibration		
	0	21	084	Cold target calibration		
	1	15	003	Replicate ephemeris data (15 descriptors) 3 times		
	0	04	001	Year		
	0	04	002			
	0	04	003			
	2	01	142	Ephemeris milliseconds		
	2	02	131			
	0	04	026			
	2	02	000			
	2	01	000			
	0	05	001	Ephemeris latitude		
	0	06	001	Ephemeris longitude		
	2	01	138			
	2	02	129			
	0	07	001	Ephemeris height		
	2	02	000			
	2	01	000			
	0	08	021	Orbit start, year, month, day, hour, minute		
	0	04	001			
	0	04	002			
	0	04	003			
	0	04	004			
	0	04	005			
	0	05	040	Orbit number		
	1	01	003	Repeat 3 times		
	0	12	070	Warm load temperature		
	0	25	054	SSMIS subframe id number		
	1	01	004	Repeat 4 times		
	0	25	055	Multiplexer housekeeping values		
	0	08	007	Dimensional significance (line)		
	1	04	028	Repeat 28 times next 4 descriptors		
	0	05	002	Latitude		
	0	06	002	Longitude		
	0	02	111	Earth angle		
	0	05	021	Azimuth		
				(Satellite radio occultation data)		
3	10	026	3	10	022	Satellite, instrument and product
			0	25	060	Software identification
			0	08	021	Time significance ('17' = start of phenomenon)
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	012	Hour, minute
			2	01	138	Change width to 16 bits
			2	02	131	Change scale to 3
			0	04	006	Second
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
			0	33	039	Quality flags for Radio Occultation data
			0	33	007	Per cent confidence (for whole message)

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	3	04	030	Location of platform
	3	04	031	Speed of platform
	0	02	020	Satellite classification
	0	01	050	Platform transmitter ID number
	2	02	127	Change scale to 1
	3	04	030	Location of platform
	2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
	3	04	031	Speed of platform
	2	01	133	Change width to 18 bits
	2	02	131	Change scale to 3
	0	04	016	Time increment
	2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B.
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
	3	01	021	Latitude, longitude (high accuracy)
	3	04	030	Location of point
	0	10	035	Earth's local radius of curvature
	0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth
	0	10	036	Geoid undulation
	1	13	000	Delayed replication of 13 descriptors
	0	31	002	Replication factor (16 bits)
	3	01	021	Latitude, longitude (high accuracy)
	0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth
	1	08	000	Delayed replication of 8 descriptors
	0	31	001	Replication factor
	0	02	121	Mean frequency
	0	07	040	Impact parameter
	0	15	037	Bending angle
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('13' = r.m.s.)
	2	01	125	Change width to 20 bits
	0	15	037	Bending angle
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('63' = missing)
	0	33	007	Per cent confidence (all data for current replication)
	1	08	000	Delayed replication of 8 descriptors
	0	31	002	Replication factor (16 bits)
	0	07	007	Height
	0	15	036	Atmospheric refractivity
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('13' = r.m.s.)
	2	01	123	Change width to 14 bits
	0	15	036	Atmospheric refractivity
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('63' = missing)
	0	33	007	Per cent confidence (all data for current height)
	1	16	000	Delayed replication of 16 descriptors
	0	31	002	Replication factor (16 bits)
	0	07	009	Geopotential height
	0	10	004	Pressure
	0	12	001	Temperature
	0	13	001	Specific humidity
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('13' = r.m.s.)
	2	01	120	Change width to 6 bits
	0	10	004	Pressure
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B

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	2	01	122	Change width to 6 bits		
	0	12	001	Temperature		
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B		
	2	01	123	Change width to 9 bits		
	0	13	001	Specific humidity		
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B		
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('63' = missing)		
	0	33	007	Per cent confidence (all data for current height)		
	0	08	003	Vertical significance ('0' = surface)		
	0	07	009	Geopotential height		
	0	10	004	Pressure		
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('13' = r.m.s.)		
	2	01	120	Change width to 6 bits		
	0	10	004	Pressure		
	2	01	000	Change width back to Table B		
	0	08	023	First-order statistics ('63' = missing)		
	0	33	007	Per cent confidence (for surface data)		
				<i>(Layer, ozone, height, temperature and water vapour)</i>		
3	10	029	1	10	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	
			2	01	138	Change data width
			2	02	130	Change scale
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	07	004	Pressure
			2	02	000	Cancel operator
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	15	020	Integrated ozone density
			0	10	002	Height
			0	12	101	Temperature
			0	13	098	Integrated water vapour density
						<i>(MIPAS or GOMOS instruments reporting)</i>
3	10	030	3	10	022	Satellite identification, product type
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude/longitude
			3	04	034	Latitude/longitude, solar elevation, number of layers
			3	10	029	Layer, ozone, height, temperature and water vapour
						<i>(Satellite collocated 1C reports with 3 instruments)</i>
3	10	050	3	10	051	Satellite position and instrument temperatures
			3	10	052	Satellite instrument type and position (AIRS)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	10	053	Satellite channels and brightness temperatures with expanded channel set (AIRS)
			1	01	004	Replicate 1 descriptor 4 times
			3	10	054	Satellite visible channels and albedos with expanded channel set
			0	20	010	Cloud cover (total)
			3	10	052	Satellite instrument type and position (AMSU-A)
			1	01	015	Replicate 1 descriptor 15 times

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	3	10	053	Satellite channels and brightness temperatures with expanded channel set (AMSU-A)		
	3	10	052	Satellite instrument type and position (HSB)		
	1	01	005	Replicate 1 descriptor 5 times		
	3	10	053	Satellite channels and brightness temperatures with expanded channel set (HSB)		
				(Satellite position and instrument temperatures)		
3	10	051	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			2	01	133	Change data width
			0	05	041	Scan line number
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			2	01	132	Change data width
			0	25	070	Major frame count
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			2	02	126	Change scale
			0	07	001	Height of station
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			0	07	025	Solar zenith angle
			0	05	022	Solar azimuth
			1	02	009	Replicate 2 descriptors 9 times
			0	02	151	Radiometer identifier
			0	12	064	Instrument temperature
						(Satellite instrument type and position)
3	10	052	0	02	019	Satellite instruments
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	012	Hour, minute
			2	02	131	Change scale
			2	01	138	Change data width
			0	04	006	Second
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			2	02	000	Cancel change scale
			3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	024	Satellite zenith angle
			0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth
			0	05	043	Field of view number
						(Satellite channels and brightness temperatures with expanded channel set)
3	10	053	2	01	134	Change data width
			0	05	042	Channel number
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			0	25	076	Log-10 of temperature-radiance central wave number for ATOVS
			0	33	032	Channel quality flags for ATOVS
			0	12	163	Brightness temperature (scale 2)
						(Satellite visible channels and albedos with expanded channel set)
3	10	054	2	01	134	Change data width
			0	05	042	Channel number
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			0	25	076	Log-10 of temperature-radiance central wave number for ATOVS
			0	33	032	Channel quality flags for ATOVS



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	2	01	131	Change data width		
	2	02	129	Change scale		
	1	02	002	Replicate 2 descriptors 2 times		
	0	08	023	First-order statistics		
	0	14	027	Albedo		
	0	08	023	First-order statistics		
	2	02	000	Cancel change scale		
	2	01	000	Cancel change data width		
				(Satellite radiance/channel principle components)		
3	10	055	3	10	051	Satellite position and instrument temperatures
			3	10	052	Satellite instrument type and position (AIRS)
			1	02	020	Replicate 2 descriptors 20 times
			0	25	076	Log-10 of temperature-radiance central wave number for ATOVS
			0	25	052	Log-10 of principal components normalized fit to data
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	25	050	Principal components of satellite radiance

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## Category 11 - Single level report sequences (conventional data)

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Aircraft reports)</i>
3	11	001	3	01	051	ASDAR aircraft flight number, navigational system, date/time, position, phase of aircraft flight
			0	07	002	Altitude
			0	12	001	Temperature
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	11	031	Degree of turbulence
			0	11	032	Height of base of turbulence
			0	11	033	Height of top of turbulence
			0	20	041	Airframe icing
						<i>(ACARS reports)</i>
3	11	002	3	01	065	ACARS identification
			3	01	066	ACARS location
			3	11	003	ACARS standard reported variables
			3	11	004	ACARS supplementary reported variables
						<i>(ACARS standard reported variables)</i>
3	11	003	0	10	070	Indicated aircraft altitude
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	12	001	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0	13	002	Mixing ratio
						<i>(ACARS supplementary reported variables)</i>
3	11	004	1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	000	Short delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	11	034	Vertical gust velocity
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	000	Short delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	11	035	Vertical gust acceleration
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	000	Short delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	11	075	Mean turbulence intensity (eddy dissipation rate)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	000	Short delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	11	076	Peak turbulence intensity (eddy dissipation rate)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	000	Short delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	33	025	ACARS interpolated values
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	000	Short delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	33	026	Mixing ratio quality
						<i>(Standard AMDAR reports)</i>
3	11	005	0	01	008	Aircraft identification

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	0	01	023	Sequence number		
	3	01	021	Latitude and longitude		
	3	01	011	Year, month and day		
	3	01	013	Hour, minute and second		
	0	07	010	Flight level		
	0	08	009	Detailed phase of flight		
	0	11	001	Wind direction		
	0	11	002	Wind speed		
	0	11	031	Degree of turbulence		
	0	11	036	Derived equivalent vertical gust speed		
	0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature		
	0	33	025	ACARS interpolated values		
				(AMDAR data or Aircraft data for one level without latitude/longitude)		
3	11	006	0	07	010	Flight level
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	02	064	Roll angle quality
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature
						(Aircraft data for one level with latitude/longitude indicated)
3	11	007	0	07	010	Flight level
			3	01	021	Latitude, longitude
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	02	064	Roll angle quality
			0	12	101	Temperature/dry-bulb temperature
			0	12	103	Dew-point temperature
						(Aircraft ascent/descent profile without latitude/longitude indicated at each level)
3	11	008	0	01	008	Aircraft identification
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	013	Hour, Min, second
			3	01	021	Latitude, Longitude
			0	08	004	Phase of flight
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	11	006	Aircraft data for one level without latitude/longitude
						(Aircraft ascent/descent profile with latitude/longitude given for each level)
3	11	009	0	01	008	Aircraft identification
			3	01	011	Year, month, day
			3	01	013	Hour, Min, second
			3	01	021	Latitude, Longitude
			0	08	004	Phase of flight
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of one descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication factor
			3	11	007	Aircraft data for one level with latitude/longitude indicated

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## Category 12 - Single level report sequences (satellite data)

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	12	001	3	01	043	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			3	04	001	Cloud top pressure, temperature, wind
3	12	002	3	01	043	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			3	04	002	Cloud top pressure, wind
3	12	003	3	01	042	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			3	04	003	Surface temperature
3	12	004	3	01	042	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			3	04	004	Cloud cover
3	12	005	3	01	042	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			0	20	014	Height of top of cloud
3	12	006	3	01	044	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			3	04	005	Layer mean relative humidity
3	12	007	3	01	042	Satellite identifier, instrumentation, location, date/time
			3	04	006	Radiation
						<i>(Orbital information, Part I)</i>
3	12	010	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			0	02	021	Satellite instrumentation
			0	05	041	Scan line number
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	043	Day of year
						<i>(Orbital information, Part II)</i>
3	12	011	2	02	131	Change scale
			2	01	149	Change width
			0	04	006	Second
			2	01	000	Change width
			2	02	126	Change scale
			0	10	002	Height
			2	02	000	Change scale
			0	05	043	Field of view number
			0	05	053	Field of view number increment
						<i>(HIRS brightness temperatures — channels 1–19)</i>
3	12	012	2	02	129	Change scale
			2	01	132	Change width
			1	01	019	Replicate 1 descriptor 19 times
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			2	01	000	Change width
			2	02	000	Change scale

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(HIRS brightness temperatures — channel 20)</i>
3	12	013	0	05	042	Channel number
			2	02	129	Change scale
			2	01	135	Change width
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			2	01	000	Change width
			2	02	000	Change scale
						<i>(HIRS satellite data)</i>
3	12	014	3	12	010	Orbital information, Part I
			3	12	011	Orbital information, Part II
			1	05	056	Replicate 5 descriptors 56 times
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	05	042	Channel number
			0	05	052	Channel number increment
			3	12	012	HIRS brightness temperatures — channels 1–19
			3	12	013	HIRS brightness temperature — channel 20
						<i>(MSU brightness temperatures — channels 1–4)</i>
3	12	015	1	09	011	Replicate 9 descriptors 11 times
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	05	042	Channel number
			0	05	052	Channel number increment
			2	02	129	Change scale
			2	01	132	Change width
			1	01	004	Replicate 1 descriptor 4 times
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			2	02	000	Change scale
			2	01	000	Change width
						<i>(MSU satellite data)</i>
3	12	016	3	12	010	Orbital information, Part I
			3	12	011	Orbital information, Part II
			3	12	015	MSU brightness temperatures — channels 1–4
						<i>(SSU brightness temperatures — channels 1–3)</i>
3	12	017	1	09	008	Replicate 9 descriptors 8 times
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	05	042	Channel number
			0	05	052	Channel number increment
			2	02	129	Change scale
			2	01	132	Change width
			1	01	003	Replicate 1 descriptor 3 times
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			2	02	000	Change scale
			2	01	000	Change width
						<i>(SSU satellite data)</i>
3	12	018	3	12	010	Orbital information, Part I

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			3	12	011	Orbital information, Part II
			3	12	017	SSU brightness temperatures — channels 1–3
						<i>(Wave scatterometer product with width change for wave number (spectral))</i>
3	12	019	3	01	047	Product header
			3	01	048	Radar parameters
			0	15	015	Maximum spectrum composition before normalisation
			0	29	002	Coordinate grid type
			0	21	076	Representation of intensities
			1	06	012	Repeat next 6 descriptors 12 times
			2	01	129	Change width to 14 bits
			0	06	030	Wave number (spectral)
			2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
			1	02	012	Repeat next 2 descriptors 12 times
			0	05	030	Direction (spectral)
			0	21	075	Image spectrum intensity
			0	21	066	Wave scatterometer product confidence data
						<i>(Wave scatterometer product)</i>
3	12	020	3	01	047	Product header
			3	01	048	Radar parameters
			0	15	015	Maximum spectrum composition before normalization
			0	29	002	Coordinate grid type
			0	21	076	Representation of intensities
			1	04	012	Repeat next 4 descriptors 12 times
			0	06	030	Wave number (spectral)
			1	02	012	Repeat next 2 descriptors 12 times
			0	05	030	Direction (spectral)
			0	21	075	Spectral intensity
			0	21	066	Wave scatterometer product confidence data
						<i>(Wind scatterometer product)</i>
3	12	021	3	01	047	Product header
			1	01	003	Repeat 1 descriptor 3 times
			3	01	049	Radar beam data
			0	11	012	Wind speed at 10 m
			0	11	011	Wind direction at 10 m
			0	21	067	Wind product confidence data
						<i>(Radar altimeter product)</i>
3	12	022	3	01	047	Product header
			0	08	022	Number in average
			0	11	012	Wind speed
			0	11	050	Standard deviation of horizontal wind speed
			0	22	070	Significant wave height
			0	22	026	Standard deviation of significant wave height
			3	12	041	Altitude
			0	10	050	Standard deviation of altitude
			0	21	068	Radar altimeter product confidence data

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	21	071	Peakiness
			0	21	072	Altimeter calibration status
			0	21	073	Altimeter instrument mode
			3	12	042	Altitude corrections
			0	21	062	Backscatter
			0	15	011	Log 10 of integrated electron density
						<i>(ATSR sea surface temperature product)</i>
3	12	023	3	01	047	Product header
			1	03	003	Repeat 3 descriptors 3 times
			0	08	022	Number in average
			0	12	061	Skin temperature
			0	22	050	Standard deviation of sea surface temperature
			0	21	069	SST product confidence data
			0	21	085	ATSR sea surface temperature across-track band number
						<i>(Wave scatterometer product enhanced)</i>
3	12	024	3	12	020	(Wave scatterometer product)
			0	08	060	Sample scanning mode significance – range
			0	08	022	Number in sample
			0	08	060	Sample scanning mode signification – horizontal
			0	08	022	Number in sample
			0	25	014	Azimuth clutter cut-off
			0	22	101	Total energy (wavelength > 731 m)
			0	22	097	Mean wavelength of image spectrum
			0	22	098	Wavelength spread (wavelength > 731 m)
			0	22	099	Mean direction (wavelength > 731 m)
			0	22	100	Direction spread (wavelength > 731 m)
						<i>(Wave scatterometer enhanced product (with change of width for wave number (spectral))</i>
3	12	025	3	12	019	Wave scatterometer product with width change for wave
						number (spectral)
			0	08	060	Sample scanning mode significance – range
			0	08	022	Number in sample
			0	08	060	Sample scanning mode significance – horizontal
			0	08	022	Number in sample
			0	25	014	Azimuth clutter cut-off
			0	22	101	Total energy (wavelength > 731 m)
			0	22	097	Mean wavelength of image spectrum
			0	22	098	Wavelength spread (wavelength > 731 m)
			0	22	099	Mean direction (wavelength > 731 m)
			0	22	100	Direction spread (wavelength > 731 m)
						<i>(QUICKSCAT data)</i>
3	12	026	3	01	046	
			3	01	011	Data
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	023	Location
			3	12	031	

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			1	01	004	Replicate 1 descriptor 4 times
			3	12	030	
			0	21	110	Number of inner-beam sigma-0 (forward of satellite)
			3	01	023	Location
			3	21	027	
			0	21	111	Number of outer-beam sigma-0 (forward of satellite)
			3	01	023	Location
			3	21	027	
			0	21	112	Number of inner-beam sigma-0 (aft of satellite)
			3	01	023	Location
			3	21	027	
			0	21	113	Number of outer-beam sigma-0 (aft of satellite)
			3	01	023	Location
			3	21	027	
						<i>(ATSR SST Product (SADIST-2))</i>
3	12	027	3	01	047	ERS product header
			1	05	009	Repeat next 5 descriptors 9 times
			3	01	023	Location (coarse Latitude + Longitude) of 10-arcmin cell
			0	07	021	Elevation: Incidence angle Nadir view [set to zero]
			0	12	061	Skin temperature: SST [Nadir-only view]
			0	07	021	Elevation: Incidence angle Dual view [set to 'missing']
			0	12	061	Skin temperature: SST [Dual view]
			0	21	085	ATSR SST across-track band number [0-9]
			0	21	070	SST product confidence data (SADIST-2) [23-bit flag]
						<i>(SEAWINDS QUIKSCAT data)</i>
3	12	028	3	01	046	
			3	01	011	
			3	01	013	
			3	01	023	
			0	08	025	Time difference qualifier
			2	01	136	Change data width
			0	04	006	Second
			2	01	000	Change data width back to Table B
			3	12	031	
			3	12	032	
			1	01	004	Next descriptor replicated four times
			3	12	030	
			1	01	002	Next descriptor replicated two times
			3	12	033	
			0	21	110	Number of inner-beam sigma-0 (forward of satellite)
			3	01	023	
			3	21	028	
			0	21	111	Number of outer-beam sigma-0 (forward of satellite)
			3	01	023	
			3	21	028	
			0	21	112	Number of inner-beam sigma-0 (aft of satellite)
			3	01	023	
			3	21	028	



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	21	113	Number of outer-beam sigma-0 (aft of satellite)
			3	01	023	
			3	21	028	
3	12	030	2	01	130	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	11	012	Wind speed at 10 m
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			2	01	000	Change data width back to Table B
			0	11	052	Formal uncertainty in wind speed
			2	01	135	Change data width
			2	02	130	Change scale
			0	11	011	Wind direction at 10 m
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			2	01	000	Change data width back to Table B
			0	11	053	Formal uncertainty in wind direction
			0	21	104	Likelihood computed for solution
3	12	031	0	05	034	Along-track row number
			0	06	034	Cross-track cell number
			0	21	109	SEAWINDS wind vector cell quality
			0	11	081	Model wind direction at 10 m
			0	11	082	Model wind speed at 10 m
			0	21	101	Number of vector ambiguities
			0	21	102	Index of selected wind vector
			0	21	103	Total number of sigma-0 measurements
3	12	032	0	21	120	Probability of rain
			0	21	121	SEAWINDS NOF rain index
			0	13	055	Intensity of precipitation
			0	21	122	Attenuation correction on sigma-0 (from tB)
3	12	033	0	02	104	Antenna polarisation
			0	08	022	Total number (with respect to accumulation)
			0	12	063	Brightness temperature
			0	12	065	Standard deviation brightness temperature
						<i>(Altitude)</i>
3	12	041	2	01	141	Change width to 28 bits
			2	02	130	Change scale to 2
			0	07	001	Altitude
			2	01	000	Change width back to Table B
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
						<i>(Altitude corrections)</i>
3	12	042	0	21	077	Altitude correction, ionosphere
			0	21	078	Altitude correction, dry troposphere
			0	21	079	Altitude correction, wet troposphere
			0	21	080	Altitude correction, calibration constant
			0	21	081	Open loop height-time loop calibration correction

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	21	082	Open loop automatic gain control calibration correction
						<i>(AATSR sea surface temperatures)</i>
3	12	045	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	019	Satellite instruments
			0	01	096	Station acquisition
			0	25	061	Software identification and version number
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude/longitude
			0	07	002	Height or altitude
			0	12	180	Average 12 micron BT for all clear pixels at nadir
			0	12	181	Average 11 micron BT for all clear pixels at nadir
			0	12	182	Average 3.7 micron BT for all clear pixels at nadir
			0	12	183	Average 12 micron BT for all clear pixels, forward view
			0	12	184	Average 11 micron BT for all clear pixels, forward view
			0	12	185	Average 3.7 micron BT for all clear pixels, forward view
			0	02	174	Mean across track pixel number
			0	21	086	Number of pixels in nadir only, average
			0	12	186	Mean nadir sea surface temperature
			0	21	087	Number of pixels in dual view, average
			0	12	187	Mean dual view sea surface temperature
			0	33	043	ATS confidence
						<i>(MERIS instrument reporting)</i>
3	12	050	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	019	Instrument type
			0	01	096	Station acquisition
			0	25	061	Software identification
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude/longitude
			0	07	025	Solar zenith angle
			0	05	022	Solar azimuth
			0	10	080	Viewing zenith angle
			0	27	080	Viewing azimuth angle
			0	08	003	Vertical significance
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	13	093	Cloud optical thickness
			0	08	003	Vertical significance
			2	01	131	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	07	004	Pressure
			0	07	004	Pressure
			2	02	000	Cancel operator
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	13	095	Total column water vapour

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Ocean cross spectra – WVS)</i>
3	12	051	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	019	Satellite instrument type
			0	01	096	Station acquisition
			0	25	061	Software identification
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			0	08	075	Ascending/descending orbit qualifier
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude/longitude
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform
			2	01	131	Change data width
			0	01	013	Speed of motion of moving observing platform
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	10	032	Satellite distance to Earth centre
			0	10	033	Altitude (platform to ellipsoid)
			0	10	034	Earth radius
			0	07	002	Height
			0	08	012	Land/sea qualifier
			0	25	110	Image processing summary
			0	25	111	Number of input data gaps
			0	25	102	Number of missing lines excluding data gaps
			0	02	104	Antenna polarisation
			0	25	103	Number of directional bins
			0	25	104	Number of wave-length bins
			0	25	105	First directional bin
			0	25	106	Directional bin step
			0	25	107	First wave-length bin
			0	25	108	Last wave-length bin
			0	02	111	Radar incidence angle
			0	02	121	Mean frequency
			0	02	026	Cross track resolution
			0	02	027	Along track resolution
			0	21	130	Spectrum total energy
			0	21	131	Spectrum maximum energy
			0	21	132	Direction of spectrum max on higher resolution grid
			0	21	133	Wavelength of spectrum max on higher resolution grid
			0	21	064	Clutter noise estimate
			0	25	014	Azimuth clutter cut-off
			0	21	134	Range resolution of cross covariance spectrum
			1	07	018	Replicate next 7 descriptors 18 times
			0	05	030	Direction (spectral)
			1	05	024	Replicate 5 descriptors 24 times
			2	01	130	Change data width
			0	06	030	Wave number (spectral)
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	21	135	Real part of cross spectra
			0	21	136	Imaginary part of cross spectra
			0	33	044	ASAR quality

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						(RA2- Radar Altimeter-2)
3	12	052	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	019	Satellite instrument type
			0	01	096	Station acquisition
			0	25	061	Software identification
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			0	25	120	RA2 L2 processing flag
			0	25	121	RA2 L2 processing quality
			0	25	124	MWR L2 processing flag
			0	25	125	MWR L2 processing quality
			0	25	122	Hardware configuration for RF
			0	25	123	Hardware configuration for HPA
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude/longitude
			0	07	002	Height or altitude
			0	02	119	Instrument operations
			0	33	047	Measurement confidence data
			0	10	081	Altitude of COG above reference ellipsoid
			0	10	082	Instantaneous altitude rate
			0	10	083	Off nadir angle of the satellite from platform data
			0	10	084	Off nadir angle of the satellite from waveform data
			0	02	116	Percentage of 320 MHz band processed
			0	02	117	Percentage of 80 MHz band processed
			0	02	118	Percentage of 20 MHz band processed
			0	02	156	Percentage of valid Ku ocean retracker measurements
			0	02	157	Percentage of valid S ocean retracker measurements
			0	14	055	Solar activity index
			0	22	150	Number of 18 Hz valid points for Ku band
			0	22	151	Ku band ocean range
			0	22	152	STD of 18Hz Ku band ocean range
			0	22	153	Number of 18 Hz valid points for S band
			0	22	154	S band ocean range
			0	22	155	STD of 18 Hz S band ocean range
			0	22	156	Ku band significant wave height
			0	22	157	STD of 18 Hz Ku band significant wave height
			0	22	158	S band significant wave height
			0	22	159	STD 18 Hz S band significant wave height
			0	21	137	Ku band corrected ocean backscatter coefficient
			0	21	138	STD Ku band corrected ocean backscatter coefficient
			0	21	139	Ku band net instrumental correction for AGC
			0	21	140	S band corrected ocean backscatter coefficient
			0	21	141	STD S band corrected ocean backscatter coefficient
			0	21	142	S band net instrumental correction for AGC
			0	10	085	Mean sea surface height
			0	10	086	Geoid height
			0	10	087	Ocean depth/land elevation
			0	10	088	Total geocentric ocean tide height solution 1
			0	10	089	Total geocentric ocean tide height solution 2
			0	10	090	Long period tide height

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	10	091	Tidal loading height
			0	10	092	Solid earth tide height
			0	10	093	Geocentric pole tide height
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	25	126	Model dry tropospheric correction
			0	25	127	Inverted barometer correction
			0	25	128	Model wet tropospheric correction
			0	25	129	MWR derived wet tropospheric correction
			0	25	130	RA2 ionospheric correction on Ku band
			0	25	131	Ionospheric correction from Doris on Ku band
			0	25	132	Ionospheric correction from model on Ku band
			0	25	133	Sea state bias correction on Ku band
			0	25	134	RA2 ionospheric correction on S band
			0	25	135	Ionospheric correction from Doris on S band
			0	25	136	Ionospheric correction from model on S band
			0	25	137	Sea state bias correction on S band
			0	13	096	MWR water vapour content
			0	13	097	MWR liquid water content
			0	11	095	U component of model wind vector
			0	11	096	V component of model wind vector
			0	12	188	Interpolated 23.8 GHz brightness temperature from MWR
			0	12	189	Interpolated 36.5 GHz brightness temperature from MWR
			0	02	158	RA2 instrument
			0	02	159	MWR instrument
			0	33	052	S band ocean retracking quality
			0	33	053	Ku band ocean retracking quality
			0	21	143	Ku band rain attenuation
			0	21	144	Altimeter rain flag
						<i>(Ocean wave spectra)</i>
3	12	053	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	02	019	Satellite instrument type
			0	01	096	Station acquisition
			0	25	061	Software identification and version number
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			0	08	075	Ascending/descending orbit qualifier
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	013	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude/longitude
			0	01	012	Direction of motion of moving observing platform
			2	01	131	Change data width
			0	01	013	Speed of motion of moving observing platform
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	10	032	Satellite distance to Earth centre
			0	10	033	Altitude (platform to ellipsoid)
			0	10	034	Earth radius
			0	07	002	Height or altitude
			0	08	012	Land/sea qualifier
			0	25	110	Image processing summary
			0	25	111	Number of input data gaps

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	25	102	Number of missing lines excluding data gaps
			0	02	104	Antenna polarisation
			0	25	103	Number of directional bins
			0	25	104	Number of wave-length bins
			0	25	105	First directional bin
			0	25	106	Directional bin step
			0	25	107	First wave-length bin
			0	25	108	Last wave-length bin
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	22	160	Normalized inverse wave age
			0	25	138	Average signal to noise ratio
			2	01	130	Change data width
			2	02	129	Change scale
			0	22	021	Height of waves
			2	02	000	Cancel operator
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	33	048	Confidence measure for SAR inversion
			0	33	049	Confidence measure for wind retrieval
			0	02	026	Cross track resolution
			0	02	027	Along track resolution
			0	21	130	Spectrum total energy
			0	21	131	Spectrum max energy
			0	21	132	Direction of spectrum max
			0	21	133	Wave-length of spectrum max
			0	25	014	Azimuth clutter cut-off
			1	06	036	Replicate 6 descriptors 36 times
			0	05	030	Direction (spectral)
			1	04	024	Replicate 4 descriptors 24 times
			2	01	130	Change data width
			0	06	030	Wave number (spectral)
			2	01	000	Cancel operator
			0	22	161	Wave spectra
			0	33	044	ASAR quality
						<i>(ASCAT level 1b cell information)</i>
3	12	055	0	05	033	Pixel size on horizontal-1
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			0	06	034	Cross track cell number
			0	10	095	Height of atmosphere used
			0	21	157	Loss per unit length of atmosphere used
						<i>(Scatterometer wind cell information)</i>
3	12	056	0	25	060	Software identification
			0	01	032	Generating application
			0	11	082	Model wind speed at 10 m
			0	11	081	Model wind direction at 10 m
			0	20	095	Ice probability
			0	20	096	Ice age (a-parameter)
			0	21	155	Wind vector cell quality

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			2	01	133	Increase data width by 5 bits
			0	21	101	Number of vector ambiguities
			0	21	102	Index of selected wind vector
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
						<i>(Ambiguous wind data)</i>
3	12	057	2	01	130	Increase data width by 2 bits
			2	02	129	Increase scaling by 10 <sup>1</sup>
			0	11	012	Wind speed at 10 m
			2	02	000	Cancel change scaling
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			2	01	131	Increase data width by 3 bits
			2	02	129	Increase scaling by 10 <sup>1</sup>
			0	11	011	Wind direction at 10 m
			2	02	000	Cancel change scaling
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			0	21	156	Backscatter distance
			0	21	104	Likelihood computed for solution
						<i>(ASCAT level 1b data)</i>
3	12	058	3	01	125	ASCAT header information
			3	01	011	Date information
			3	01	013	Time information
			3	01	021	Position information
			3	12	055	ASCAT level 1b cell information
			0	21	150	Beam co-location
			1	01	003	Repeat next 1 descriptor 3 times
			3	21	030	ASCAT sigma-0 information
						<i>(Scatterometer wind data)</i>
3	12	059	3	12	056	Scatterometer wind cell information
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of next 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Delayed replication factor
			3	12	057	Ambiguous wind data
						<i>(Scatterometer soil moisture data)</i>
3	12	060	0	25	060	Software identification
			0	25	062	Database identification
			0	40	001	Surface soil moisture (ms)
			0	40	002	Estimated error in surface soil moisture
			0	21	062	Extrapolated backscatter at 40deg incidence angle (sigma0_40)
			0	21	151	Estimated error in sigma0 at 40deg incidence angle
			0	21	152	Slope at 40deg incidence angle
			0	21	153	Estimated error in slope at 40deg incidence angle
			0	21	154	Soil moisture sensitivity
			0	21	062	Dry backscatter
			0	21	088	Wet backscatter
			0	40	003	Mean surface soil moisture
			0	40	004	Rain fall detection

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 40 005	Soil moisture correction flag
			0 40 006	Soil moisture processing flag
			0 40 007	Soil moisture quality
			0 20 065	Snow cover
			0 40 008	Frozen land surface fraction
			0 40 009	Inundation and wetland fraction
			0 40 010	Topographic complexity
				<i>(ASCAT Level 1b and level 2 data)</i>
3	12	061	3 12 058	ASCAT level 1b data
			3 12 060	Scatterometer soil moisture data
			3 12 059	Scatterometer wind data

Notes:

- (1) Separation of single level satellite data into sets of BUFR messages helps compression and results in efficient data transmission and storage.
- (2) Each BUFR message may contain data for a number of locations; the BUFR compression technique involves negligible overheads for data items that are invariant.
- (3) Compound BUFR messages may be described within the data description section, if required (e.g. 3 01 041, 3 04 001, 3 04 002, 3 04 003, 3 04 004, 3 04 005, 3 04 006).



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## Category 13 - Sequences common to image data

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Radar reflectivity values)</i>
3	13	009	0	21	001	Horizontal reflectivity
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	21	001	Horizontal reflectivity
						<i>(Radar rainfall intensities)</i>
3	13	010	0	21	036	Radar rainfall intensity
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	21	036	Radar rainfall intensity
						<i>(Non run-length encoded row for Pixel value (4 bits))</i>
3	13	031	0	06	002	First longitude location minus one increment
			0	06	012	Longitude increment
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended replication factor
			0	30	001	Pixel value (4 bits)
						<i>(Non run-length encoded picture data for Pixel value (4 bits))</i>
3	13	032	0	05	002	First latitude location minus one increment
			0	05	012	Latitude increment (signed value so cannot cross pole)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended replication factor
			3	13	031	Non run-length encoded row
						<i>(Run-length encoded row for Pixel value (4 bits))</i>
3	13	041	0	06	002	First longitude location minus one increment
			1	10	000	Delayed replication of 10 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			1	04	000	Delayed replication of 4 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	06	012	Longitude increment
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	012	Repetition factor
			0	30	001	Pixel value (4 bits)
			0	06	012	Longitude increment
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	30	001	Pixel value (4 bits)
						<i>(Run-length encoded picture data for Pixel value (4 bits))</i>
3	13	042	0	05	002	First latitude location minus one increment
			0	05	012	Latitude increment (signed value so cannot cross pole)
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	002	Extended replication factor
			3	13	041	Run-length encoded row

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Run-length encoded picture data for Pixel value (4 bits), regular grid)</i>
3	13	043	0	06	002	First longitude location minus one increment
			0	05	002	First latitude location minus one increment
			0	05	012	Latitude increment
			1	12	000	Delayed replication of 12 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			1	10	000	Delayed replication of 10 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			1	04	000	Delayed replication of 4 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	06	012	Longitude increment
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	011	Repetition factor
			0	30	001	Pixel value (4 bits)
			0	06	012	Longitude increment
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	30	001	Pixel value (4 bits)

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## Category 15 - Oceanographic report sequences

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Typically reported underwater sounding without optional fields)</i>
3	15	001	0	01	011	Ship's call sign
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			3	06	001	Depth, temperature
						<i>(Typically reported underwater sounding without optional fields)</i>
3	15	002	0	01	011	Ship's call sign
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			3	06	004	Depth, temperature, salinity
						<i>(Temperature and salinity profile observed by profile floats)</i>
3	15	003	0	01	087	WMO Marine observing platform extended identifier
			0	01	085	Observing platform manufacturers model
			0	01	086	Observing platform manufacturers serial number
			0	02	036	Buoy type
			0	02	148	Data collection and/or location system
			0	02	149	Type of data buoy
			0	22	055	Float cycle number
			0	22	056	Direction of profile
			0	22	067	Instrument type for water temperature profile measurement
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			3	01	021	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy)
			0	08	080	Qualifier for quality class
			0	33	050	GTSP quality class
			1	09	000	Delayed replication of 9 descriptors
			0	31	002	Extended delayed descriptor replication factor
			0	07	065	Water pressure
			0	08	080	Qualifier for quality class
			0	33	050	GTSP quality class
			0	22	045	Subsurface sea temperature
			0	08	080	Qualifier for quality class
			0	33	050	GTSP quality class
			0	22	064	Salinity
			0	08	080	Qualifier for quality class
			0	33	050	GTSP quality class

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## Category 16 - Synoptic feature sequences

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	16	001	3	01	011	Year, month, day
			0	04	004	Hour
			3	01	023	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	01	021	Synoptic feature identifier
			0	02	041	Method for estimating reports related to synoptic features
			0	19	001	Type of synoptic feature
			0	10	051	Pressure reduced to mean sea level
			0	19	002	Effective radius of feature
			0	19	003	Wind speed threshold (15 m s <sup>-1</sup> typically)
			0	19	004	Effective radius with respect to wind speeds above threshold
						<i>(Header)</i>
3	16	002	0	08	021	Data time (analysis)
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			0	01	033	Originating/generating centre
			0	08	021	Validity time (fcst)
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (base of chart layer)
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (top of chart layer)
						<i>(Jet stream)</i>
3	16	003	1	10	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (jet stream value)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for line)
			1	04	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	10	002	Flight level (altitude)
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Turbulence)</i>
3	16	004	1	11	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (value for turbulence)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for area)
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (base of layer)

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F	X	Y				
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (top of layer)
			1	02	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	11	031(1)	Degree of turbulence
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Storm)</i>
3	16	005	1	08	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	005	Meteorological attribute significance (storm centre)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for point)
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	01	026	WMO storm name (use "UNKNOWN" for a sandstorm)
			0	19	001	Synoptic features (value for type of storm)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	005	Meteorological attribute significance (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Cloud)</i>
3	16	006	1	12	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (value for cloud)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for area)
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (base of layer)
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (top of layer)
			1	02	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	20	011(2)	Cloud amount
			0	20	012	Cloud type
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Front)</i>
3	16	007	1	10	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011(3)	Meteorological feature (value for type of front)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for line)
			1	04	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	19	005	Direction of feature
			0	19	006	Speed of feature
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Tropopause)</i>
3	16	008	1	11	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	001	Vertical significance (bit 3 set for tropopause)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for point)
			0	08	023(4)	Statistic (type of tropopause value)
			1	03	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	10	002	Height/altitude
			0	08	023	Statistic (cancel)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	001	Vertical significance (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Airframe icing area)</i>
3	16	009	1	11	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (value for airframe icing)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for area)
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (base of layer)
			0	07	002	Flight level (altitude) (top of layer)
			1	02	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	20	041	Airframe icing (type of airframe icing)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Name of feature)</i>
3	16	010	1	07	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for point)
			0	01	022	Name of feature
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Volcano erupting)</i>
3	16	011	1	17	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (value for special clouds)
			0	01	022	Name of feature (volcano name)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (value for point)
			1	02	000	Delayed replication
			0	31	001	Replication

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F	X	Y				
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse)
			0	08	021	Time significance (eruption starting time)
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			0	20	090	Special clouds (clouds from volcanic eruptions)
			0	08	021	Time significance (cancel)
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance (cancel)
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature (cancel/end of object)
						<i>(Forecast data)</i>
3	16	022	0	01	032	Generating application (NWP model name, etc. code table defined by originating/generating centre)
			0	02	041	Method for estimating reports related to synoptic feature
			0	19	001	Type of synoptic feature
			0	19	010	Method for tracing of the centre of synoptic feature
			1	18	000	Delayed replication of 18 descriptors
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	08	021	Time significance (forecast)
			0	04	014	Time increment (hour)
			0	08	005	Surface synoptic feature significance
			3	01	023	Latitude (coarse accuracy), longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	19	005	Direction of motion of feature
			0	19	006	Speed of motion of feature
			0	10	004	Pressure
			0	11	041	Maximum wind speed (gust: e.g. used in US)
			0	08	021	Time significance (forecast time averaged)
			0	04	075	Time period (minutes)
			0	11	040	Maximum wind speed (mean wind)
			0	19	008	Vertical extent of feature
			1	05	004	Replicate 5 descriptors 4 times
			0	05	021	Starting bearing or azimuth
			0	05	021	Ending bearing or azimuth
			1	02	002	Replicate 2 descriptors 2 times
			0	19	003	Wind speed threshold
			0	19	004	Effective radius with respect to wind speed above threshold
						<i>(SIGMET header)</i>
3	16	030	3	01	014	Time period (for which SIGMET is valid)
			0	01	037	SIGMET sequence identifier
			0	10	064	SIGMET cruising level
			0	08	019	Qualifier for location identifier, 1=ATS unit serving FIR
			0	01	062	Short ICAO location identifier
			0	08	019	Qualifier for location identifier, 2=FIR, 3=UIR, 4=CTA
			0	01	065	ICAO region identifier
			0	08	019	Qualifier for location identifier, 6=MWO
			0	01	062	Short ICAO location identifier

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	08	019	Qualifier for location identifier, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(SIGMET, Observed or forecast location and motion)</i>
3	16	031	0	08	021	Time Significance, 16=Analysis, 4=Forecast
			3	01	011	Year, Month, Day
			3	01	012	Hour, Minute
			3	01	027	Description of feature
			0	19	005	Direction of motion
			0	19	006	Speed of motion
			0	20	028	Expected change in intensity
			0	08	021	Time significance, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(SIGMET, Forecast position)</i>
3	16	032	0	08	021	Time Significance, 4=Forecast
			3	01	011	Year, Month, Day
			3	01	012	Hour, Minute
			3	01	027	Description of feature
			0	08	021	Time significance, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(SIGMET, Outlook)</i>
3	16	033	0	08	021	Time Significance, 4=Forecast
			3	01	011	Year, Month, Day
			3	01	012	Hour, Minute
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	01	027	Description of feature
			0	08	021	Time significance, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(Volcanic Ash SIGMET)</i>
3	16	034	0	08	079	Product status, 0=Normal Issue, 1=Correction
			3	16	030	SIGMET Header
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, 17=Volcano
			0	01	022	Name of feature
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance, 0=Point
			3	01	023	Location
			0	08	007	Dimensional significance, Missing=Cancel
			0	20	090	Special Clouds, 5=Clouds from volcanic eruptions
			3	16	031	SIGMET Observed or forecast location and motion
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	000	Short replication factor
			3	16	032	SIGMET Forecast position
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	16	033	SIGMET Outlook
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, Missing=Cancel
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(Thunderstorm SIGMET)</i>
3	16	035	0	08	079	Product status, 0=Normal Issue, 1=Correction
			3	16	030	SIGMET Header
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, 21=Thunderstorm



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	20	023	Other weather phenomenon, bit 2=Squalls or all 18 bits = Missing
			0	20	021	Type of precipitation, bit 14=Hail or all 30 bits=Missing
			0	20	008	Cloud distribution 15=OBSC, 16=EMBD, 12=FRQ, 31=Missing
			3	16	031	SIGMET Observed or forecast location and motion
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, Missing=Cancel
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(Tropical Cyclone SIGMET)</i>
3	16	036	0	08	079	Product status, 0=Normal Issue, 1=Correction
			3	16	030	SIGMET Header
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, 22=Tropical Cyclone
			0	01	027	WMO long storm name
			3	16	031	SIGMET Observed or forecast location and motion
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	000	Short replication factor
			3	16	032	SIGMET Forecast position
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	16	033	SIGMET Outlook
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, Missing=Cancel
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(Turbulence SIGMET)</i>
3	16	037	0	08	079	Product status, 0=Normal Issue, 1=Correction
			3	16	030	SIGMET Header
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, 13=Turbulence
			0	11	031	Degree of turbulence, 10=Moderate, 11=Severe
			3	16	031	SIGMET Observed or forecast location and motion
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, Missing=Cancel
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(Icing SIGMET)</i>
3	16	038	0	08	079	Product status, 0=Normal Issue, 1=Correction
			3	16	030	SIGMET Header
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, 15=Airframe Icing
			0	20	041	Airframe icing, 7=Severe
			0	20	021	Type of precipitation, bit 3=Liquid freezing or all 30 bits = Missing
			3	16	031	SIGMET Observed or forecast location and motion
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, Missing=Cancel
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(Mountain Wave, Duststorm or Sandstorm SIGMET)</i>
3	16	39	0	08	079	Product status, 0=Normal Issue, 1=Correction
			3	16	030	SIGMET Header
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, 23=MountainWave, 24=Duststorm, 25=Sandstorm
			0	20	024	Intensity of phenomena, 3=Heavy, 5=Severe
			3	16	031	SIGMET Observed or forecast location and motion
			0	08	011	Meteorological feature, Missing=Cancel
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Cancellation of SIGMET)</i>
3	16	040	3	16	030	SIGMET header
			0	08	079	Product status, 4=Cancellation
			3	01	014	Time period (of the SIGMET to be cancelled)
			0	01	037	SIGMET sequence identifier (of the SIGMET to be cancelled)
			0	10	064	SIGMET cruising level (of the SIGMET to be cancelled)
			0	08	079	Product status, Missing=Cancel
						<i>(RADOB Template (part A: Information on tropical cyclone))</i>
3	16	050	3	01	001	WMO block and station number
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			0	02	160	Wave length of the radar
			0	08	005	Meteorological attribute significance (=1)
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	08	005	Cancel Meteorological attribute significance
			0	19	100	Time interval to calculate the movement of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	005	Direction of motion of feature
			0	19	006	Speed of motion of feature
			0	19	101	Accuracy of the position of the centre of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	102	Shape and definition of the eye of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	103	Diameter of major axis of the eye of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	104	Change in character of the eye during the 30 minutes
			0	19	105	Distance between the end of spiral band and the centre
						<i>(SAREP Template (part A: Information on tropical cyclone))</i>
3	16	052	3	01	005	Originating centre/sub-centre
			3	01	011	Date
			3	01	012	Time
			0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	25	150	Method of tropical cyclone intensity analysis using satellite data
			1	22	000	Delayed replication of 22 descriptors
			0	31	001	Delayed descriptor replication facto
			0	01	027	WMO long storm name
			0	19	150	Typhoon International Common Number (Typhoon Committee)
			0	19	106	Identification number of tropical cyclone
			0	08	005	Meteorological attribute significance (=1)
			0	05	002	Latitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	06	002	Longitude (coarse accuracy)
			0	08	005	Cancel Meteorological attribute significance
			0	19	107	Time interval of the tropical cyclone analysis
			0	19	005	Direction of motion of feature
			0	19	006	Speed of motion of feature
			0	19	108	Accuracy of geographical position of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	109	Mean diameter of the overcast cloud of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	110	Apparent 24-hour change in intensity of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	111	Current Intensity (CI) number of the tropical cyclone
			0	19	112	Data tropical (DT) number of the tropical cyclone

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES	ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y		
			0 19 113	Cloud pattern type of the DT-number
			0 19 114	Model Expected tropical (MET) number of the tropical cyclone
			0 19 115	Trend of the past 24-hour change (+: Developed, -: Weakened)
			0 19 116	Pattern tropical (PT) number of the tropical cyclone
			0 19 117	Cloud picture type of the PT-number
			0 19 118	Final tropical (T) number of the tropical cyclone
			0 19 119	Type of the final T-number

Notes:

- (1) For MOD OCNL SEV code as 12 (extreme in clear air) or 13 (extreme in cloud)
- (2) Code table values : FRQ = code figure 8 (8 oktas)  
: OCNL EMBD = code figure 6 (6 oktas)  
: ISOL = code figure 2 (2 oktas) when the cloud = Cb.
- (3) Front direction (towards which the front is moving) must always be given as it is needed for plotting purposes. A front direction with a front speed of zero would indicate a slow front. A value in the code table exists to represent a quasi-stationary front.
- (4) The statistic is to determine whether the following tropopause levels are minimum, maximum or spot values (missing code value).

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### Category 18 - Radiological report sequences

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
3	18	001	3	01	025	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy), day and time
			0	24	011	Dose
3	18	003	3	01	026	Latitude and longitude (high accuracy), time periods in days,
						hours and minutes
			0	24	005	Isotope mass
			0	24	004	Element name
			0	24	021	Air concentration
3	18	004	3	01	025	Latitude and longitude (coarse accuracy), day and time
			0	04	023	Time period or displacement
			0	13	011	Total precipitation/total water equivalent
			0	24	005	Isotope mass
			0	24	004	Element name
			0	24	022	Concentration in precipitation

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## Category 21 - Radar report sequences

TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(Wind profiler — antenna characteristics)</i>
3	21	001	0	02	101	Type of antenna
			0	02	114	Antenna effective surface area
			0	02	105	Maximum antenna gain
			0	02	106	3-dB beamwidth
			0	02	107	Sidelobe suppression
			0	02	121	Mean frequency
						<i>(Wind profiler — moment data)</i>
3	21	003	0	21	051	Signal power above 1 mW
			0	21	014	Doppler mean velocity (radial)
			0	21	017	Doppler velocity spectral width
			0	21	030	Signal to noise ratio
						<i>(Wind profiler — moment data sounding)</i>
3	21	004	3	01	031	Identification, type, date/time, position (high accuracy), height
			0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
			1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			3	21	003	Wind profiler — moment data
						<i>(Transmitter-receiver characteristics)</i>
3	21	005	0	25	004	Echo processing
			0	02	121	Mean frequency
			0	02	122	Frequency agility range
			0	02	123	Peak power
			0	02	124	Average power
			0	02	125	Pulse repetition frequency
			0	02	126	Pulse width
			0	02	127	Receiver intermediate frequency
			0	02	128	Intermediate frequency bandwidth
			0	02	129	Minimum detectable signal
			0	02	130	Dynamic range
			0	02	131	Sensitivity time control
						<i>(Integration characteristics)</i>
3	21	006	0	25	001	Range-gate length
			0	25	002	Number of gates averaged
			0	25	003	Number of integrated pulses
			0	25	005	Echo integration
						<i>(Corrections)</i>
3	21	007	0	25	009	Calibration method
			0	25	010	Clutter treatment
			0	25	011	Ground occultation correction
			0	25	012	Range attenuation correction
			0	25	013	Bright-band correction

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	25	015	Radome attenuation correction
			0	25	016	Clear-air attenuation correction
			0	25	017	Precipitation attenuation correction
						<i>(Z to R conversion)</i>
3	21	008	0	25	006	Z to R conversion
			0	25	007	Z to R conversion factor
			0	25	008	Z to R conversion exponent
						<i>(A to Z law)</i>
3	21	009	0	25	018	A to Z law for attenuation factor
			0	25	019	A to Z law for attenuation exponent
						<i>(Antenna characteristics)</i>
3	21	010	0	02	101	Type of antenna
			0	07	002	Altitude of the tower base
			0	02	102	Antenna height above tower base
			0	02	103	Radome
			0	02	104	Antenna polarisation
			0	02	105	Maximum antenna gain
			0	02	106	3-dB beamwidth
			0	02	107	Sidelobe suppression
			0	02	108	Crosspol discrimination (on axis)
			0	02	109	Antenna speed (azimuth)
			0	02	110	Antenna speed (elevation)
			0	02	132	Azimuth pointing accuracy
			0	02	133	Elevation pointing accuracy
						<i>(General characteristics)</i>
3	21	011	0	30	031	Picture type
			0	30	032	Combination with other data
			0	29	002	Coordinate grid type
						<i>(Antenna elevations)</i>
3	21	012	1	01	000	Delayed replication of 1 descriptor
			0	31	001	Replication factor
			0	02	135	Antenna elevation
						<i>(Basic information (System/site header) on Wind profiler/RASS)</i>
3	21	021	0	02	003	Type of measuring equipment used
			0	02	101	Type of antenna
			2	01	130	Change width to 8 bits
			0	02	106	3-dB beam width
			2	01	000	Change width back to table B
			2	01	132	Change width to 11 bits
			2	02	130	Change scale to -6
			0	02	121	Mean frequency
			2	02	000	Change scale back to table B
			2	01	000	Change width back to table B
			2	01	133	Change width to 11 bits

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			2	02	129	Change scale to 0
			0	25	001	Range-gate length
			2	02	000	Change scale back to table B
			2	01	000	Change width back to table B
						<i>(Wind profiler: Processed-data winds)</i>
3	21	022	0	07	007	Height
			2	04	001	Add associated field of 1 bit in length
			0	31	021	Associated field significance
			0	11	001	Wind direction
			2	04	000	Cancel add associated field
			0	11	002	Wind speed
			2	04	001	Add associated field of 1 bit in length
			0	31	021	Associated field significance
			0	11	006	w-component
			2	04	000	Cancel add associated field
			0	21	030	Signal to noise ratio
						<i>Wind profiler: Raw-data winds)</i>
3	21	023	0	07	007	Height
			0	21	091	Radar signal Doppler spectrum 0 <sup>th</sup> moment
			0	21	030	Signal to noise ratio
			2	02	129	Change scale to 2
			0	21	014	Doppler mean velocity (radial)
			2	01	129	Change width to 9 bits
			0	21	017	Doppler velocity spectral width
			2	02	000	Change scale back to table B
			2	01	000	Change width back to table B
						<i>(RASS-Mode: Processed-data RASS)</i>
3	21	024	0	07	007	Height
			2	04	001	Add associated field of 1 bit in length
			0	31	021	Associated field significance
			0	12	007	Virtual temperature
			0	11	006	w-component
			2	04	000	Cancel add associated field
			0	21	030	Signal to noise ratio
						<i>(RASS-Mode: Raw-data RASS)</i>
3	21	025	0	07	007	Height
			0	21	091	Radar signal Doppler spectrum 0 <sup>th</sup> moment
			0	21	030	Signal to noise ratio
			2	02	129	Change scale to 2
			0	21	014	Doppler mean velocity (radial)
			2	01	129	Change width to 9 bits
			0	21	017	Doppler velocity spectral width
			2	02	000	Change scale back to table B
			2	01	000	Change width back to table B
			0	21	092	RASS signal Doppler spectrum 0 <sup>th</sup> moment, referring to RASS signal

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F	X	Y				
			0	21	030	Signal to noise ratio, referring to RASS signal
			0	25	092	Acoustic propagation velocity
			2	01	129	Change width to 9 bits
			2	02	129	Change scale to 2
			0	21	017	Doppler velocity spectral width, referring to RASS signal
			2	02	000	Change scale back to table B
			2	01	000	Change width back to table B
						<i>(RASS data - fluxes)</i>
3	21	026	0	07	007	Height
			2	04	001	Add associated field of 1 bit in length
			0	31	021	Associated field significance
			0	12	007	Virtual temperature
			0	25	091	Structure constant of the refraction index ( $C_n^2$ )
			0	11	071	Turbulent vertical momentum flux
			0	11	072	Turbulent vertical buoyancy flux
			0	11	073	Turbulent kinetic energy
			0	11	074	Dissipation energy
			2	04	000	Cancel add associated field
3	21	027	0	21	118	Attenuation correction on sigma-0
			2	02	129	Change scale
			2	01	132	Change data width
			0	02	112	Radar look angle
			2	01	000	Change data width back to Table B
			2	01	131	Change data width
			0	02	111	Radar incidence angle
			2	01	000	Change data width back to Table B
			2	02	000	Change scale back to Table B
			0	02	104	Antenna polarization
			0	21	105	Normalized radar cross-section
			0	21	106	Kp variance coefficient (alpha)
			0	21	107	Kp variance coefficient (beta)
			0	21	114	Kp variance coefficient (gamma)
			0	21	115	SEAWINDS sigma-0 quality
			0	21	116	SEAWINDS sigma-0 mode
			0	08	018	SEAWINDS land/ice surface type
			0	21	117	Sigma-0 variance quality control
3	21	028	0	21	118	Attenuation correction on sigma-0
			2	02	129	Change scale
			2	01	132	Change data width
			0	02	112	Radar look angle
			2	01	000	Data width back to Table B
			2	01	131	Change data width
			0	02	111	Radar incidence angle
			2	01	000	Data width back to Table B
			2	02	000	Scale back to table B
			0	02	104	Antenna polarization
			0	21	123	SEAWINDS normalized radar cross section



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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
			0	21	106	Kp variance coefficient (alpha)
			0	21	107	Kp variance coefficient (beta)
			0	21	114	Kp variance coefficient (gamma)
			0	21	115	SEAWINDS sigma-0 quality flag
			0	21	116	SEAWINDS sigma-0 mode flag
			0	08	018	SEAWINDS land/ice surface flag
			0	21	117	Sigma-0 variance quality control
						<i>(ASCAT sigma-0 information)</i>
3	21	030	0	08	085	Beam identifier
			2	02	129	Increase scaling by 10 <sup>1</sup>
			2	01	131	Increase data width by 3 bits
			0	02	111	Radar incidence angle
			2	01	000	Cancel change data width
			2	02	000	Cancel change scaling
			0	02	134	Antenna beam azimuth
			0	21	062	Backscatter
			0	21	063	Radiometric resolution (noise value)
			0	21	158	ASCAT kp estimate quality
			0	21	159	ASCAT sigma-0 usability
			0	21	160	ASCAT synthetic data quality
			0	21	161	ASCAT synthetic data quantity
			0	21	162	ASCAT satellite orbit and attitude quality
			0	21	163	ASCAT solar array reflection contamination
			0	21	164	ASCAT telemetry presence and quality
			0	21	165	ASCAT extrapolated reference function
			0	21	166	ASCAT land fraction

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TABLE REFERENCE			TABLE REFERENCES			ELEMENT NAME
F	X	Y				
						<i>(IASI Level 1c data)</i>
3	40	001	0	01	007	Satellite identifier
			0	01	031	Identification of originating/generating centre
			0	02	019	Satellite instruments
			0	02	020	Satellite classification
			0	04	001	Year
			0	04	002	Month
			0	04	003	Day
			0	04	004	Hour
			0	04	005	Minute
			2	02	131	Add 3 to scale
			2	01	138	Add 10 to width
			0	04	006	Second
			2	01	000	Reset width
			2	02	000	Reset scale
			0	05	001	Latitude (high accuracy)
			0	06	001	Longitude (high accuracy)
			0	07	024	Satellite zenith angle
			0	05	021	Bearing or azimuth
			0	07	025	Solar zenith angle
			0	05	022	Solar azimuth
			0	05	043	Field of view number
			0	05	040	Orbit number
			2	01	133	Add 5 to width
			0	05	041	Scan line number
			2	01	000	Reset width
			2	01	132	Add 4 to width
			0	25	070	Major frame count
			2	01	000	Reset width
			2	02	126	Subtract 2 from scale
			0	07	001	Height of station
			2	02	000	Reset scale
			0	33	060	GQisFlagQual
			0	33	061	QGisQualIndex
			0	33	062	QGisQualIndexLoc
			0	33	063	QGisQualIndexRad
			0	33	064	QGisQualIndexSpect
			0	33	065	GQisSysTecSondQual
			1	01	010	Repeat next 1 descriptor 10 times
			3	40	002	IASI Level 1c band description
			1	01	087	Repeat next 1 descriptor 87 times
			3	40	003	IASI Level 1c 100 channel sequence
			0	02	019	Satellite instruments
			0	25	051	AVHRR channel combination
			1	01	007	Repeat next 1 descriptor 7 times
			3	40	004	IASI Level 1c AVHRR single scene sequence

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						<i>(IASI Level 1c band description)</i>
3	40	002	0	25	140	Start channel
			0	25	141	End channel
			0	25	142	Channel scale factor
						<i>(IASI Level 1c 100 channel)</i>
3	40	003	1	04	100	Repeat next 4 descriptor 100 times
			2	01	136	Add 8 to width
			0	05	042	Channel number
			2	01	000	Reset width
			0	14	046	Scaled IASI radiance
						<i>(IASI Level 1c AVHRR single scene)</i>
3	40	004	0	05	060	Y angular position from centre of gravity
			0	05	061	Z angular position from centre of gravity
			0	25	085	Fraction of clear pixels in HIRS FOV
			1	05	006	Repeat next 5 descriptor 6 times
			0	05	042	Channel number
			0	25	142	Channel scale factor
			0	14	047	Scaled mean AVHRR radiance
			0	25	142	Channel scale factor
			0	14	048	Scaled std dev AVHRR radiance