

MeteoCH.output

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1 Meteoschweiz

1.1 Cleanup and required imports

```
[1]: # conda install -c conda-forge pandas matplotlib jupyter pyyaml papermill
      ↪nbconvert pandoc ipynbname
      # 'Soft' reset: Only clears your namespace, leaving history intact.
      %reset -sf
      import pandas as pd
      from datetime import datetime
      import matplotlib.cbook
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1.2 Available weather stations

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[2]: url = 'https://data.geo.admin.ch'
      path = 'ch.meteoschweiz.klima/nbcn-tageswerte'
      wsurl = url + '/' + path + '/' + 'liste-download-nbcn-d.csv'
      ws = pd.read_csv(wsurl, sep=";", header=0, encoding = "ISO-8859-1").dropna()
      ws.drop(['WIGOS-ID', 'CoordinatesE', 'CoordinatesN', 'URL Previous years',
              ↪(verified data)',
              'URL Current year'], axis=1)
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[2]:
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	Station	station/location	Data since	\
0	Altdorf	ALT	01.01.1864	
1	Andermatt	ANT	01.01.1864	
2	Basel / Binningen	BAS	01.01.1755	
3	Bern / Zollikofen	BER	01.01.1864	
4	La Chaux-de-Fonds	CDF	01.01.1900	
5	Château-d'Oex	CHD	01.01.1879	
6	Chaumont	CHM	01.01.1864	
7	Davos	DAV	01.01.1864	
8	Elm	ELM	01.02.1878	
9	Engelberg	ENG	01.01.1864	
10	Grächen	GRC	01.01.1864	
11	Grimsel Hospiz	GRH	01.01.1932	
12	Col du Grand St-Bernard	GSB	01.01.1818	
13	Genève / Cointrin	GVE	01.01.1753	
14	Jungfrauoch	JUN	01.01.1933	

15	Lugano	LUG	01.01.1864
16	Luzern	LUZ	01.01.1864
17	Meiringen	MER	01.07.1889
18	Neuchâtel	NEU	01.01.1864
19	Locarno / Monti	OTL	01.12.1882
20	Payerne	PAY	01.08.1964
21	Bad Ragaz	RAG	01.06.1870
22	Säntis	SAE	01.01.1864
23	Samedan	SAM	01.01.1864
24	S. Bernardino	SBE	01.01.1864
25	Segl-Maria	SIA	01.12.1863
26	Sion	SIO	01.01.1864
27	Zürich / Fluntern	SMA	01.01.1864
28	St. Gallen	STG	01.01.1864

	Station height m. a. sea level	Latitude	Longitude \
0	438.0	46.887069	8.621894
1	1438.0	46.630914	8.580553
2	316.0	47.541142	7.583525
3	553.0	46.990744	7.464061
4	1017.0	47.082947	6.792314
5	1028.0	46.479819	7.139656
6	1136.0	47.049169	6.978825
7	1594.0	46.812969	9.843558
8	958.0	46.923747	9.175350
9	1036.0	46.821639	8.410514
10	1605.0	46.195314	7.836822
11	1980.0	46.571689	8.333256
12	2472.0	45.869092	7.170683
13	411.0	46.247519	6.127742
14	3571.0	46.547556	7.985444
15	273.0	46.004217	8.960322
16	454.0	47.036439	8.301022
17	589.0	46.732222	8.169247
18	485.0	47.000067	6.953297
19	367.0	46.172256	8.787494
20	490.0	46.811581	6.942469
21	497.0	47.016631	9.502594
22	2501.0	47.249447	9.343469
23	1709.0	46.526247	9.879469
24	1639.0	46.463542	9.184700
25	1804.0	46.432331	9.762325
26	482.0	46.218650	7.330203
27	556.0	47.377925	8.565742
28	776.0	47.425475	9.398528

Climate region Canton

0	Central Alpine north slope	UR
1	Central Alpine north slope	UR
2	Eastern Jura	BL
3	Central plateau	BE
4	Western Jura	NE
5	Western Alpine north slope	VD
6	Western Jura	NE
7	Northern and central Grisons	GR
8	Eastern Alpine north slope	GL
9	Central Alpine north slope	OW
10	Valais	VS
11	Western Alpine north slope	BE
12	Alpine south side	VS
13	Western plateau	GE
14	Western Alpine north slope	VS
15	Alpine south side	TI
16	Central plateau	LU
17	Western Alpine north slope	BE
18	Western plateau	NE
19	Alpine south side	TI
20	Western plateau	VD
21	Northern and central Grisons	SG
22	Eastern Alpine north slope	AI
23	Engadine	GR
24	Alpine south side	GR
25	Engadine	GR
26	Valais	VS
27	North-eastern plateau	ZH
28	North-eastern plateau	SG

1.3 Specific weather station

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[3]: # Define the default parameters and tag the cell accordingly
wsno = -1 # default -1 selects the last index, 2 sets BAS weather station
#
# Calling syntax from shell:
#
# time for i in {0..28}; do \
#   papermill MeteoCH.ipynb \
#   MeteoCH.output.ipynb \
#   -p wsno $i; done
#
# The time command at the beginning of the call may be omitted.
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[4]: # Parameters
wsno = 19
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[5]: wstation = ws['Station'].tolist()[wsno]
print(wsno)
ws[ws.Station==wstation]
label = ws[ws.Station==wstation]['station/location'].to_string()[::-1][0:3][::-1]
print(f"The label of weather station {wstation} is {label}.")
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The label of weather station Locarno / Monti is OTL.

1.4 Current online observations

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[6]: maxrows = 400 # displayed number of past days
filenm = "nbcn-daily_"
ext="csv"
currurl = url + "/" + path + "/" + filenm + label + "_current." + ext
prevurl = url + "/" + path + "/" + filenm + label + "_previous." + ext
cf = pd.read_csv(currurl, sep=";", index_col='date', converters={'date':pd.
    to_datetime}).drop(['station/location'], axis=1) #, engine='pyarrow')
for col in cf.columns:
    cf[col] = pd.to_numeric(cf[col], errors='coerce')
pf = pd.read_csv(prevurl, sep=";", index_col='date', converters={'date':pd.
    to_datetime}).drop(['station/location'], axis=1) #, engine='pyarrow')
for col in pf.columns:
    pf[col] = pd.to_numeric(pf[col], errors='coerce')
df = pd.concat([pf, cf], axis=0).tail(maxrows)
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1.5 Summary statistics

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[7]: df.describe()
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[7]:
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	gre000d0	hto000d0	nto000d0	prestad0	rre150d0	sre000d0	\
count	400.000000	400.000000	400.000000	399.000000	400.000000	400.000000	
mean	162.005000	0.010000	55.900000	972.947368	4.831500	381.482500	
std	97.725768	0.157995	31.170322	7.248517	13.734823	247.888739	
min	4.000000	0.000000	0.000000	946.200000	0.000000	0.000000	
25%	82.000000	0.000000	29.000000	969.250000	0.000000	152.000000	
50%	150.500000	0.000000	56.000000	973.400000	0.000000	423.500000	
75%	240.250000	0.000000	83.000000	977.600000	0.925000	596.250000	
max	359.000000	3.000000	100.000000	991.900000	135.300000	809.000000	

	tre200d0	tre200dn	tre200dx	ure200d0
count	400.000000	400.000000	400.000000	400.000000
mean	14.324750	10.726000	18.667500	64.796250
std	6.661103	6.092818	7.472817	16.885539
min	0.600000	-2.800000	2.900000	23.000000
25%	8.975000	5.500000	13.000000	55.500000

50%	14.700000	11.150000	19.050000	65.900000
75%	19.700000	15.700000	24.925000	76.225000
max	28.700000	24.000000	34.900000	97.800000

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[8]: (rows, cols) = df.shape
print(f"{rows} observations from {min(df.index)} to {max(df.index)}.")
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400 observations from 2022-09-19 00:00:00 to 2023-10-23 00:00:00.

1.6 Description of observed parameters

```
[9]: from urllib.request import urlopen
from io import BytesIO
from zipfile import ZipFile

zip_url = url + "/" + path + "/" + "data.zip"
plist = [] # parameter
ulist = [] # unit
dlist = [] # description

with urlopen(zip_url) as f:
    with BytesIO(f.read()) as b, ZipFile(b) as myzipfile:
        rf = myzipfile.open('1_how-to-download-nbcn-d.txt')
        blines = rf.readlines()
        rf.close()
        for i in range(14, 25):
            line = blines[i].decode('unicode-escape').rstrip('\r\n')
            plist.append(line[0:21].strip())
            ulist.append(line[21:38].strip())
            dlist.append(line[38:].strip('\n'))

# list of lists instead of list of tuples
##zipped = zip(plist[1:], ulist[1:], dlist[1:])
list_of_lists = [list(tup) for tup in zip(plist[1:], ulist[1:], dlist[1:])]
cols = [plist[0], ulist[0], dlist[0]]

par = pd.DataFrame(list_of_lists, columns = cols)
print(par)
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	Parameter	Einheit	Beschreibung
0	gre000d0	W/m ²	Globalstrahlung; Tagesmittel
1	hto000d0	cm	Gesamtschneehöhe; Morgenmessung von 6 UTC
2	nto000d0	%	Gesamtbewölkung; Tagesmittel
3	prestad0	hPa	Luftdruck auf Stationshöhe (QFE); Tagesmittel
4	rre150d0	mm	Niederschlag; Tagessumme 6 UTC - 6 UTC Folgetag
5	sre000d0	min	Sonnenscheindauer; Tagessumme
6	tre200d0	°C	Lufttemperatur 2 m über Boden; Tagesmittel
7	tre200dn	°C	Lufttemperatur 2 m über Boden; Tagesminimum

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8 tre200dx      °C      Lufttemperatur 2 m über Boden; Tagesmaximum
9 ure200d0      %      Relative Luftfeuchtigkeit 2 m über Boden; Tage...

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1.7 Air temperature

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[10]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.style.use('_mpl-gallery')
fswidth = 10
fsheight = 5

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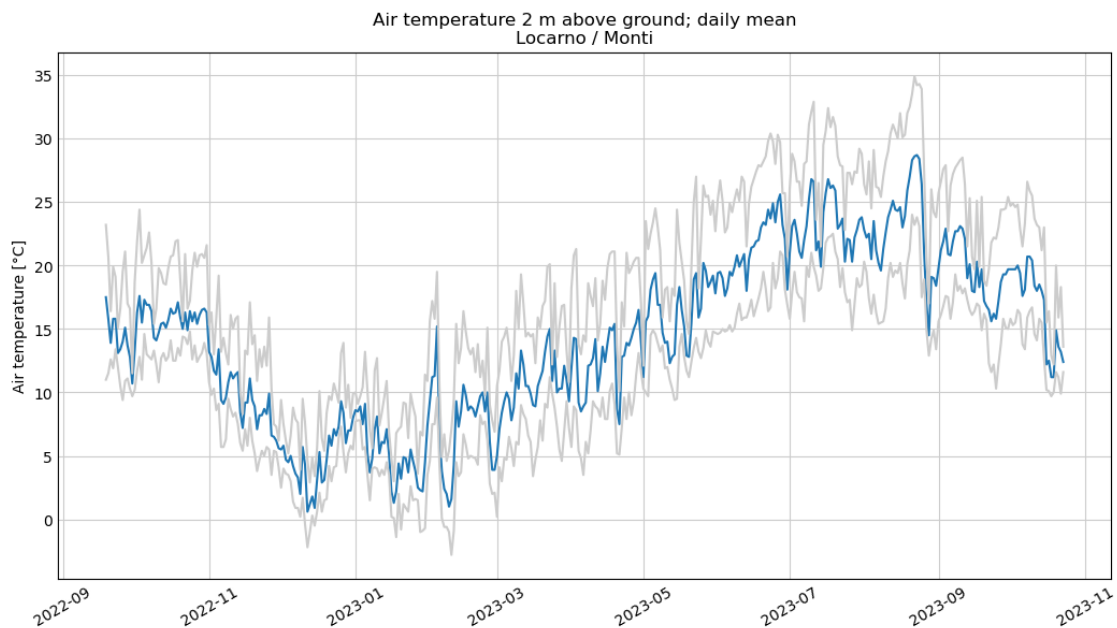
[11]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.tre200d0)
axs.plot(df.index, df.tre200dn, color='0.8')
axs.plot(df.index, df.tre200dx, color='0.8')
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')
#axs.grid(which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Air temperature [°C]')
plt.title('Air temperature 2 m above ground; daily mean\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()

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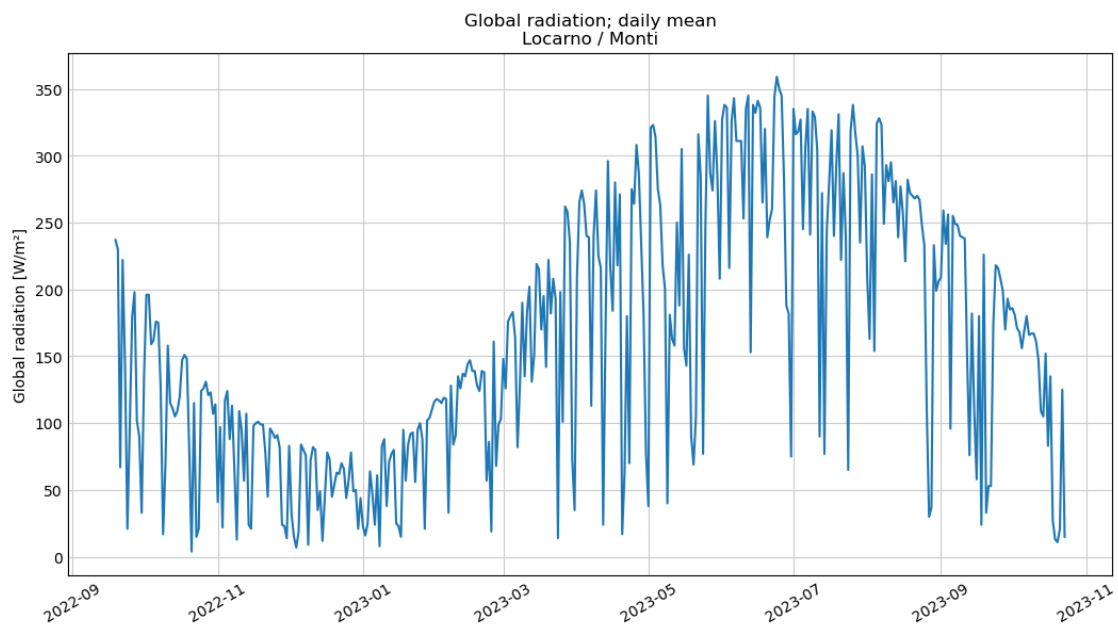
1.8 Global radiation

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[12]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.gre000d0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Global radiation [W/m²]')
plt.title('Global radiation; daily mean\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
```



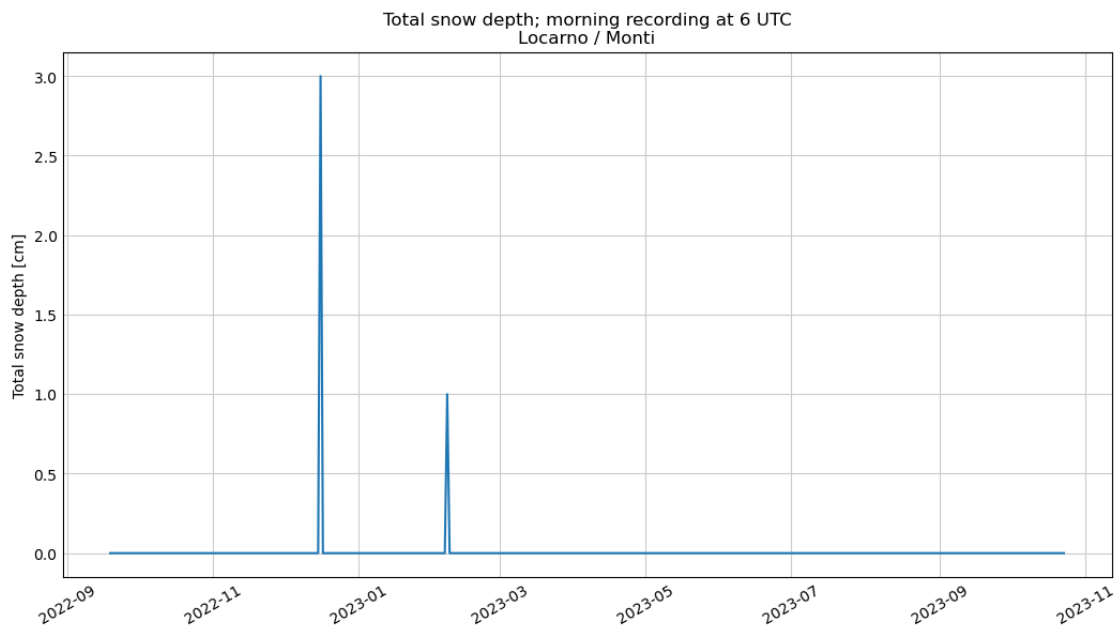
1.9 Total snow depth

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[13]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.hto000d0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Total snow depth [cm]')
plt.title('Total snow depth; morning recording at 6 UTC\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
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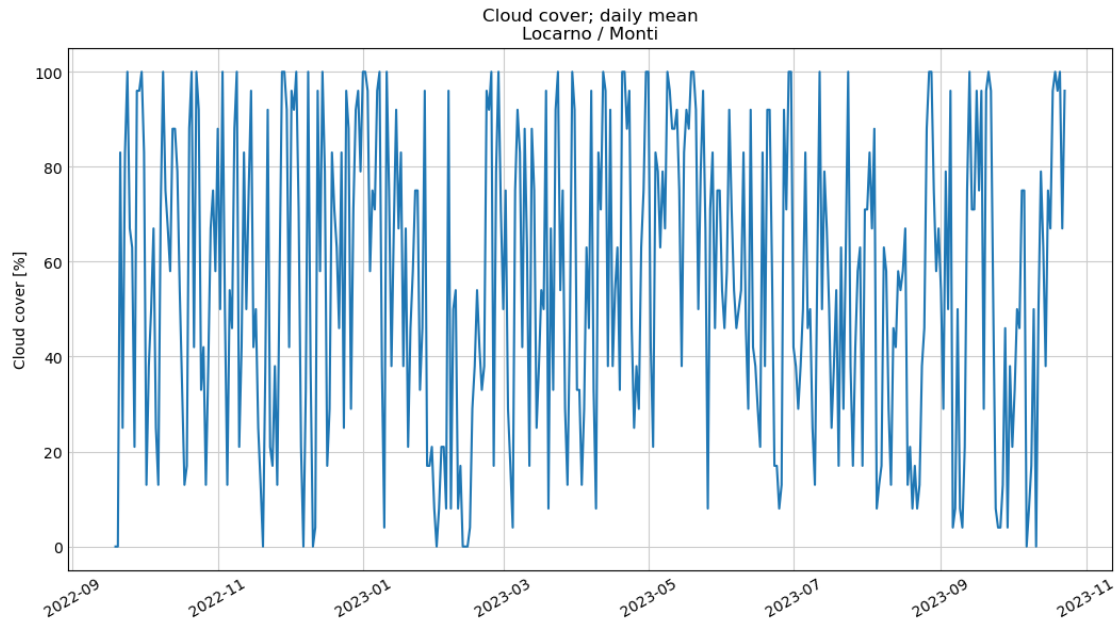
1.10 Cloud cover

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[14]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.nton000d0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Cloud cover [%]')
plt.title('Cloud cover; daily mean\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
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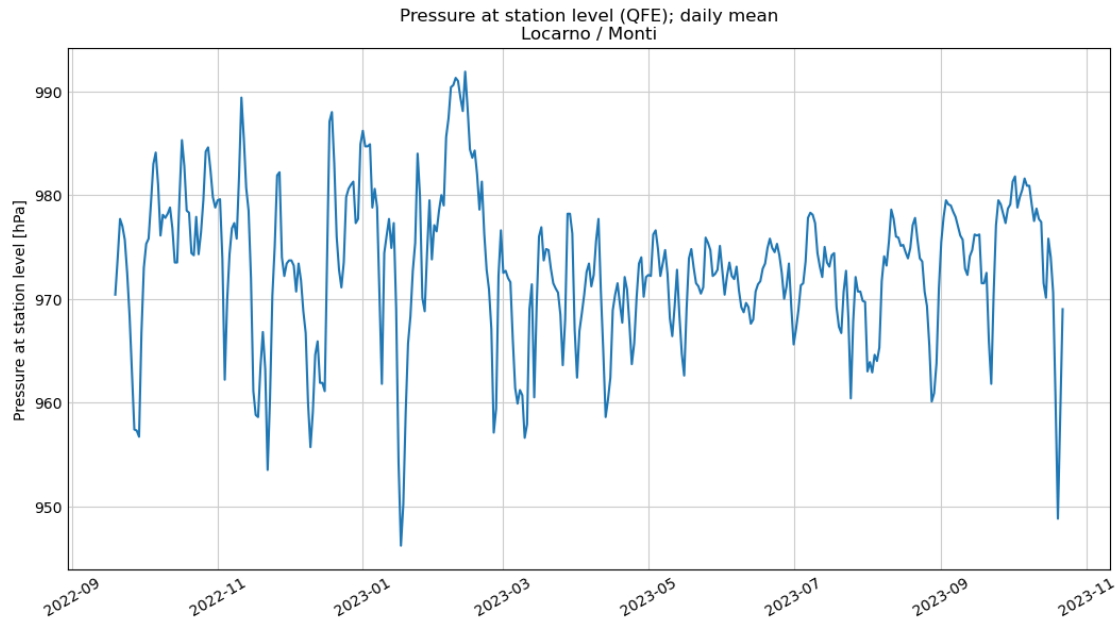
1.11 Pressure at station level

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[15]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.prestad0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Pressure at station level [hPa]')
plt.title('Pressure at station level (QFE); daily mean\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
```



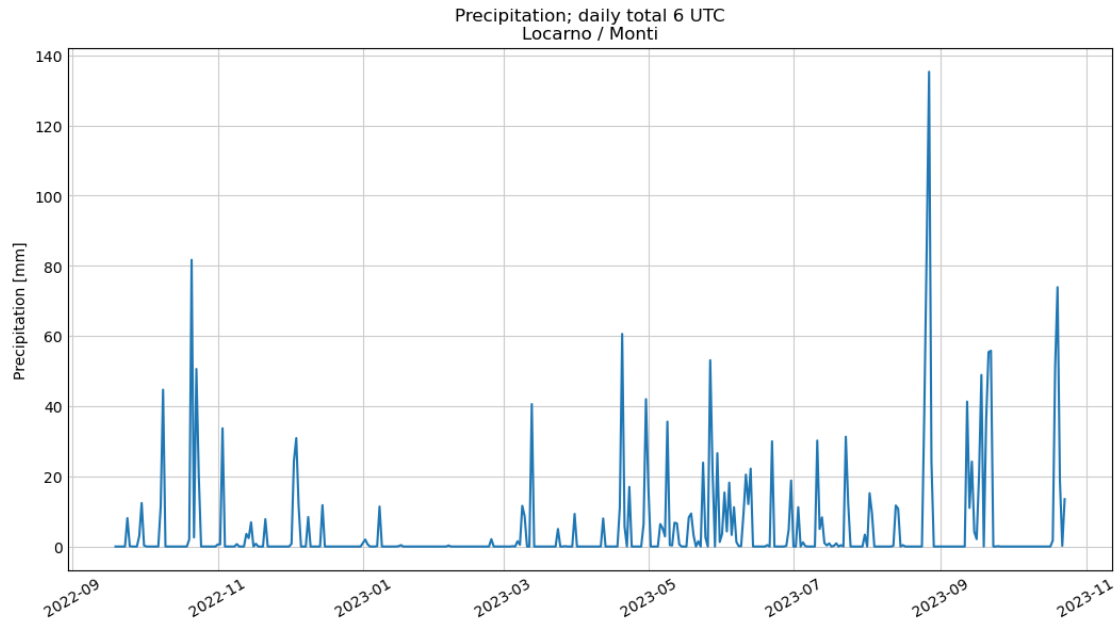
1.12 Precipitation

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[16]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.rre150d0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Precipitation [mm]')
plt.title('Precipitation; daily total 6 UTC\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
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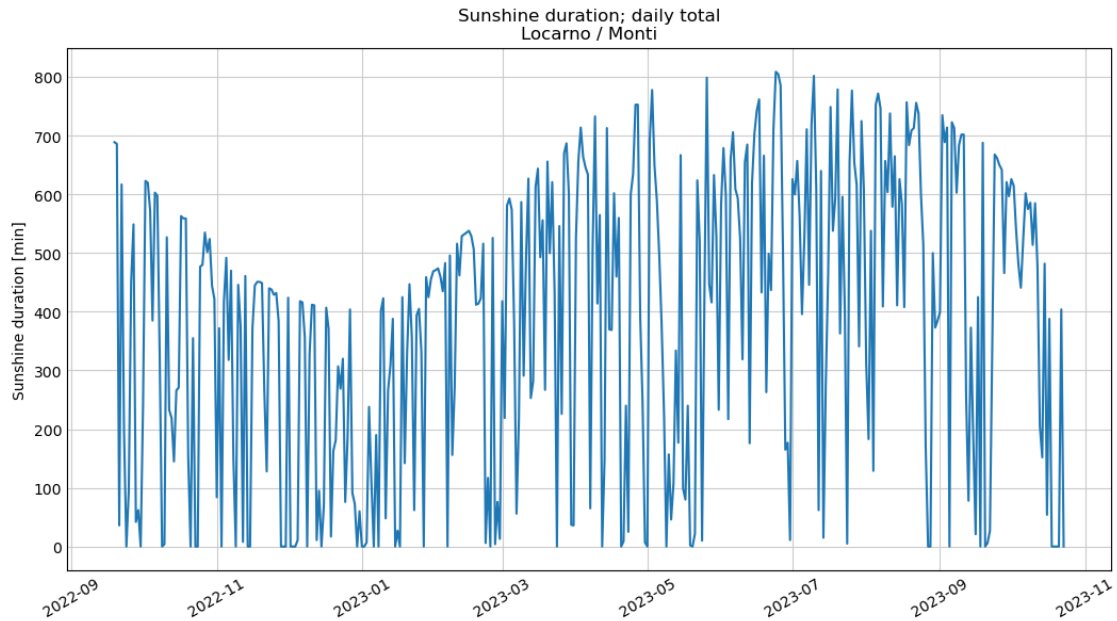
1.13 Sunshine duration

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[17]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.sre000d0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Sunshine duration [min]')
plt.title('Sunshine duration; daily total\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
```



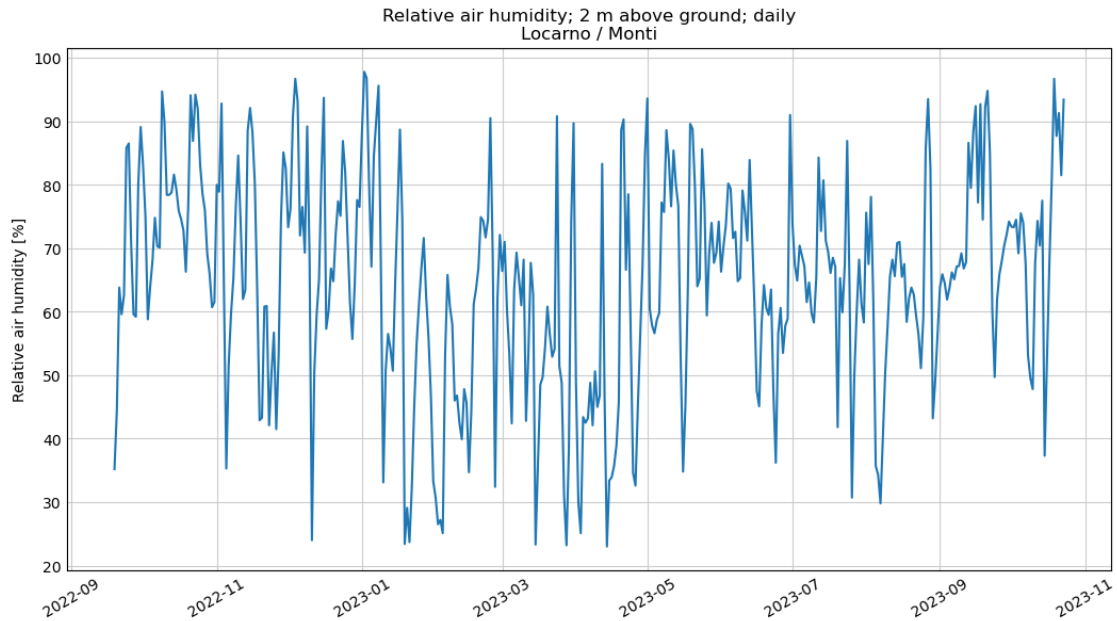
1.14 Relative air humidity

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[18]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

axs.plot(df.index, df.ure200d0)
axs.grid(visible='visible', which='major', color='0.8', linestyle='-')

plt.xlabel('')
plt.ylabel('Relative air humidity [%]')
plt.title('Relative air humidity; 2 m above ground; daily\n' + wstation)
plt.xticks(rotation=30)

plt.show()
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1.15 Export as PDF Report

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[ ]: import os

# Note that this only reliably works when running a notebook in a browser.
# So it does not currently work for things like nbconvert or papermill.
#import ipynbname
nb_fname = 'MeteoCH' # hard-coded: import ipynbname raises an exception...

out_fname = nb_fname + ".output"
#out_fname = nb_fname
#label = "FOOBAR"

static_format = 'pdf' # pdf or html, etc.
os.system(f'jupyter nbconvert --to {static_format} {out_fname}.ipynb')

# Linux
os.system(f'mv {out_fname}.{static_format} {label}.{static_format}')
os.system(f'rm {out_fname}.ipynb')

# Windows
#os.system(f'del {label}.{static_format}')
#os.system(f'ren {out_fname}.{static_format} {label}.{static_format}')

os.system(f'echo done {wsno}: {label}')
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