

# MeteoCH.output

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## 1 Meteoschweiz

### 1.1 Current meteorological observations

```
[1]: # 'Soft' reset: Only clears your namespace, leaving history intact.
%reset -sf
import pandas as pd
from datetime import datetime
import matplotlib.cbook
```

### 1.2 Available weather stations

```
[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(['URL Previous years (verified data)', 'URL Current year'], axis=1)
```

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[2]:
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|    | Station                 | station/location | WIGOS-ID        | Data since | \ |
|----|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|---|
| 0  | Altdorf                 | ALT              | 0-20000-0-06672 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 1  | Andermatt               | ANT              | 0-20000-0-06695 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 2  | Basel / Binningen       | BAS              | 0-20000-0-06601 | 01.01.1755 |   |
| 3  | Bern / Zollikofen       | BER              | 0-20000-0-06631 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 4  | La Chaux-de-Fonds       | CDF              | 0-20000-0-06612 | 01.01.1900 |   |
| 5  | Château-d'Oex           | CHD              | 0-20000-0-06627 | 01.01.1879 |   |
| 6  | Chaumont                | CHM              | 0-20000-0-06608 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 7  | Davos                   | DAV              | 0-20000-0-06784 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 8  | Elm                     | ELM              | 0-20000-0-06682 | 01.02.1878 |   |
| 9  | Engelberg               | ENG              | 0-20000-0-06655 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 10 | Grächen                 | GRC              | 0-20000-0-06728 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 11 | Grimsel Hospiz          | GRH              | 0-20000-0-06744 | 01.01.1932 |   |
| 12 | Col du Grand St-Bernard | GSB              | 0-20000-0-06717 | 01.01.1818 |   |
| 13 | Genève / Cointrin       | GVE              | 0-20000-0-06700 | 01.01.1753 |   |
| 14 | Jungfrauoch             | JUN              | 0-20000-0-06730 | 01.01.1933 |   |
| 15 | Lugano                  | LUG              | 0-20000-0-06770 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 16 | Luzern                  | LUZ              | 0-20000-0-06650 | 01.01.1864 |   |
| 17 | Meiringen               | MER              | 0-20000-0-06637 | 01.07.1889 |   |

|    |                   |     |                 |            |
|----|-------------------|-----|-----------------|------------|
| 18 | Neuchâtel         | NEU | 0-20000-0-06604 | 01.01.1864 |
| 19 | Locarno / Monti   | OTL | 0-20000-0-06760 | 01.12.1882 |
| 20 | Payerne           | PAY | 0-20000-0-06610 | 01.08.1964 |
| 21 | Bad Ragaz         | RAG | 0-20000-0-06686 | 01.06.1870 |
| 22 | Säntis            | SAE | 0-20000-0-06680 | 01.01.1864 |
| 23 | Samedan           | SAM | 0-20000-0-06792 | 01.01.1864 |
| 24 | S. Bernardino     | SBE | 0-20000-0-06783 | 01.01.1864 |
| 25 | Segl-Maria        | SIA | 0-20000-0-06779 | 01.12.1863 |
| 26 | Sion              | SIO | 0-20000-0-06720 | 01.01.1864 |
| 27 | Zürich / Fluntern | SMA | 0-20000-0-06660 | 01.01.1864 |
| 28 | St. Gallen        | STG | 0-20000-0-06681 | 01.01.1864 |

|    | Station height m. a. sea level | CoordinatesE | CoordinatesN | Latitude \ |
|----|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| 0  | 438.0                          | 2690181.0    | 1193564.0    | 46.887069  |
| 1  | 1438.0                         | 2687445.0    | 1165044.0    | 46.630914  |
| 2  | 316.0                          | 2610909.0    | 1265612.0    | 47.541142  |
| 3  | 553.0                          | 2601934.0    | 1204410.0    | 46.990744  |
| 4  | 1017.0                         | 2550919.0    | 1214862.0    | 47.082947  |
| 5  | 1028.0                         | 2577040.0    | 1147655.0    | 46.479819  |
| 6  | 1136.0                         | 2565060.0    | 1211007.0    | 47.049169  |
| 7  | 1594.0                         | 2783519.0    | 1187459.0    | 46.812969  |
| 8  | 958.0                          | 2732266.0    | 1198425.0    | 46.923747  |
| 9  | 1036.0                         | 2674162.0    | 1186069.0    | 46.821639  |
| 10 | 1605.0                         | 2630738.0    | 1116062.0    | 46.195314  |
| 11 | 1980.0                         | 2668583.0    | 1158215.0    | 46.571689  |
| 12 | 2472.0                         | 2579191.0    | 1079754.0    | 45.869092  |
| 13 | 411.0                          | 2498904.0    | 1122632.0    | 46.247519  |
| 14 | 3571.0                         | 2641939.0    | 1155287.0    | 46.547556  |
| 15 | 273.0                          | 2717874.0    | 1095883.0    | 46.004217  |
| 16 | 454.0                          | 2665545.0    | 1209850.0    | 47.036439  |
| 17 | 589.0                          | 2655844.0    | 1175930.0    | 46.732222  |
| 18 | 485.0                          | 2563087.0    | 1205560.0    | 47.000067  |
| 19 | 367.0                          | 2704167.0    | 1114316.0    | 46.172256  |
| 20 | 490.0                          | 2562131.0    | 1184612.0    | 46.811581  |
| 21 | 497.0                          | 2756911.0    | 1209351.0    | 47.016631  |
| 22 | 2501.0                         | 2744188.0    | 1234920.0    | 47.249447  |
| 23 | 1709.0                         | 2787251.0    | 1155685.0    | 46.526247  |
| 24 | 1639.0                         | 2734116.0    | 1147294.0    | 46.463542  |
| 25 | 1804.0                         | 2778576.0    | 1144976.0    | 46.432331  |
| 26 | 482.0                          | 2591633.0    | 1118584.0    | 46.218650  |
| 27 | 556.0                          | 2685118.0    | 1248066.0    | 47.377925  |
| 28 | 776.0                          | 2747866.0    | 1254588.0    | 47.425475  |

|   | Longitude | Climate region             | Canton |
|---|-----------|----------------------------|--------|
| 0 | 8.621894  | Central Alpine north slope | UR     |
| 1 | 8.580553  | Central Alpine north slope | UR     |
| 2 | 7.583525  | Eastern Jura               | BL     |

|    |          |                              |    |
|----|----------|------------------------------|----|
| 3  | 7.464061 | Central plateau              | BE |
| 4  | 6.792314 | Western Jura                 | NE |
| 5  | 7.139656 | Western Alpine north slope   | VD |
| 6  | 6.978825 | Western Jura                 | NE |
| 7  | 9.843558 | Northern and central Grisons | GR |
| 8  | 9.175350 | Eastern Alpine north slope   | GL |
| 9  | 8.410514 | Central Alpine north slope   | OW |
| 10 | 7.836822 | Valais                       | VS |
| 11 | 8.333256 | Western Alpine north slope   | BE |
| 12 | 7.170683 | Alpine south side            | VS |
| 13 | 6.127742 | Western plateau              | GE |
| 14 | 7.985444 | Western Alpine north slope   | VS |
| 15 | 8.960322 | Alpine south side            | TI |
| 16 | 8.301022 | Central plateau              | LU |
| 17 | 8.169247 | Western Alpine north slope   | BE |
| 18 | 6.953297 | Western plateau              | NE |
| 19 | 8.787494 | Alpine south side            | TI |
| 20 | 6.942469 | Western plateau              | VD |
| 21 | 9.502594 | Northern and central Grisons | SG |
| 22 | 9.343469 | Eastern Alpine north slope   | AI |
| 23 | 9.879469 | Engadine                     | GR |
| 24 | 9.184700 | Alpine south side            | GR |
| 25 | 9.762325 | Engadine                     | GR |
| 26 | 7.330203 | Valais                       | VS |
| 27 | 8.565742 | North-eastern plateau        | ZH |
| 28 | 9.398528 | North-eastern plateau        | SG |

### 1.3 Select one weather station

```
[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 \           # ...or /dev/null
#   -p wsno $i; done
#
# The time command at the beginning of the call may be omitted.
```

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[4]: # Parameters
wsno = 27
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[5]: wstation = ws['Station'].tolist()[wsno]
print(wsno)
ws[ws.Station==wstation]
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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 Zürich / Fluntern is SMA.

## 1.4 Read online observations from selected weather station

```
[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)
```

## 1.5 Compute summary statistics

```
[7]: df.describe()
```

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[7]:
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|       | gre000d0   | hto000d0   | nto000d0   | prestad0   | rre150d0   | sre000d0   | \ |
|-------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---|
| count | 400.000000 | 400.000000 | 398.000000 | 400.000000 | 400.000000 | 400.000000 |   |
| mean  | 147.342500 | 0.232500   | 61.595477  | 953.745750 | 2.258000   | 336.097500 |   |
| std   | 104.950019 | 1.046988   | 32.900272  | 7.154824   | 4.789283   | 282.604789 |   |
| min   | 6.000000   | 0.000000   | 0.000000   | 923.200000 | 0.000000   | 0.000000   |   |
| 25%   | 57.000000  | 0.000000   | 33.000000  | 950.300000 | 0.000000   | 60.000000  |   |
| 50%   | 124.000000 | 0.000000   | 67.000000  | 954.250000 | 0.000000   | 309.500000 |   |
| 75%   | 222.000000 | 0.000000   | 92.000000  | 957.925000 | 2.200000   | 588.000000 |   |
| max   | 362.000000 | 8.000000   | 100.000000 | 970.700000 | 34.500000  | 855.000000 |   |

|       | tre200d0   | tre200dn   | tre200dx   | ure200d0   |
|-------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| count | 400.000000 | 400.000000 | 400.000000 | 400.000000 |
| mean  | 10.880000  | 7.065000   | 15.312250  | 72.491500  |
| std   | 7.521915   | 6.579746   | 8.859707   | 14.570046  |
| min   | -5.900000  | -7.700000  | -4.400000  | 37.800000  |
| 25%   | 5.100000   | 2.000000   | 8.200000   | 61.400000  |
| 50%   | 10.600000  | 6.700000   | 15.100000  | 74.450000  |
| 75%   | 17.125000  | 12.925000  | 22.025000  | 84.500000  |
| max   | 27.500000  | 20.800000  | 34.700000  | 97.700000  |

```
[8]: (rows, cols) = df.shape
print(f"{rows} observations from {min(df.index)} to {max(df.index)}.")
```

400 observations from 2022-01-25 00:00:00 to 2023-02-28 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)
```

|   | Parameter | Einheit          | Beschreibung                                      |
|---|-----------|------------------|---|
| 0 | gre000d0  | W/m <sup>2</sup> | 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       |
| 8 | tre200dx  | °C               | Lufttemperatur 2 m über Boden; Tagesmaximum       |
| 9 | ure200d0  | %                | Relative Luftfeuchtigkeit 2 m über Boden; Tage... |

## 1.7 Scatter plot air temperature

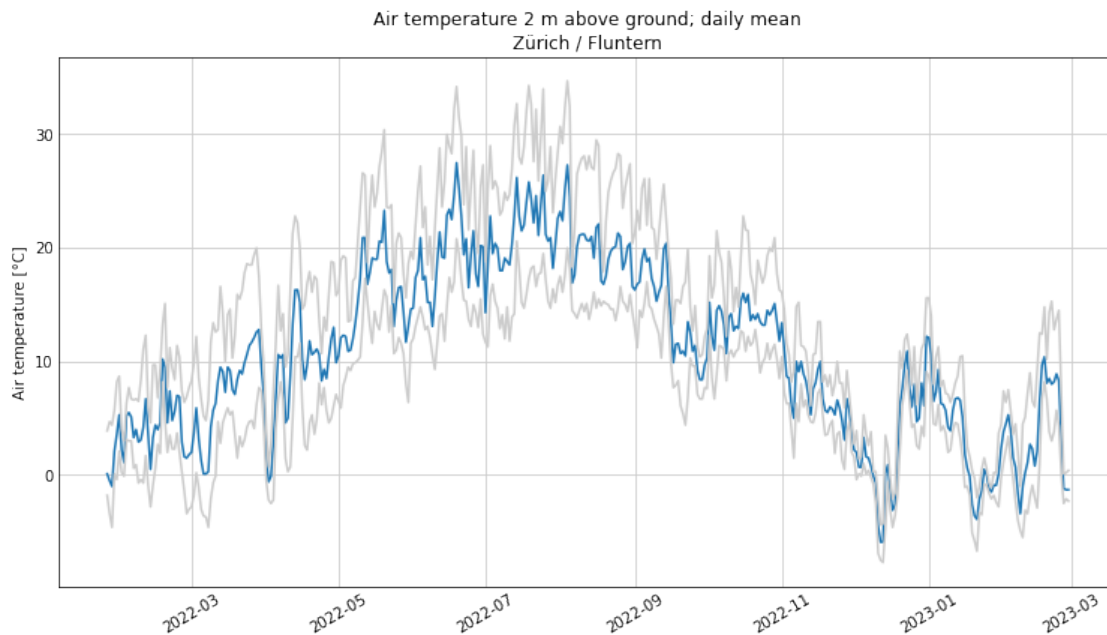
```
[10]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.style.use('_mpl-gallery')
fswidth = 10
fsheight = 5
```

```
[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()
```



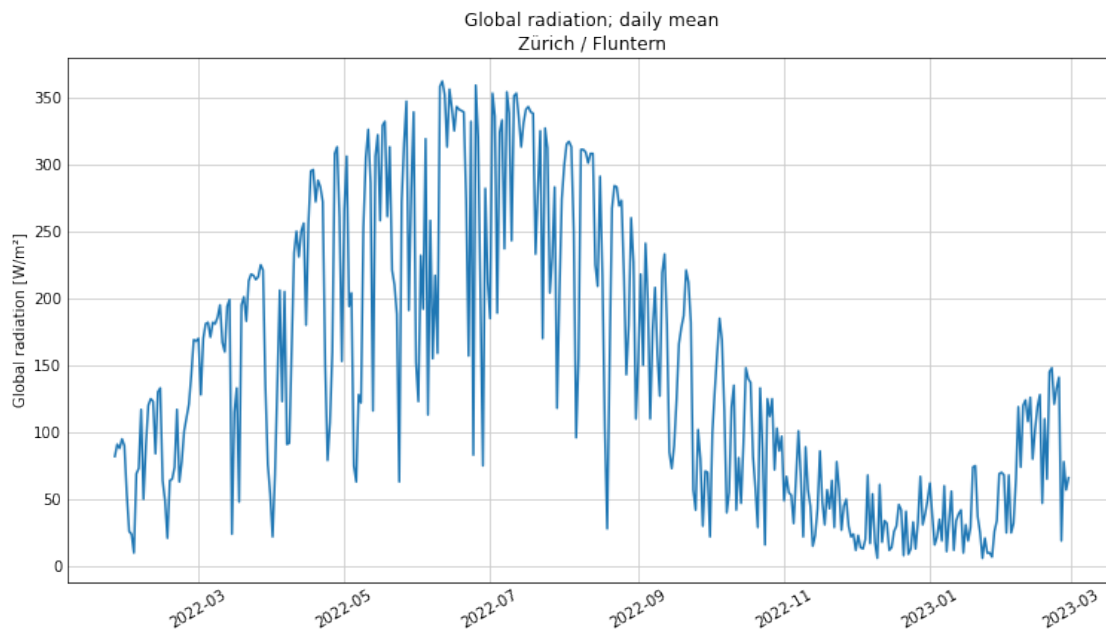
## 1.8 Scatter plot global radiation

```
[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()
```



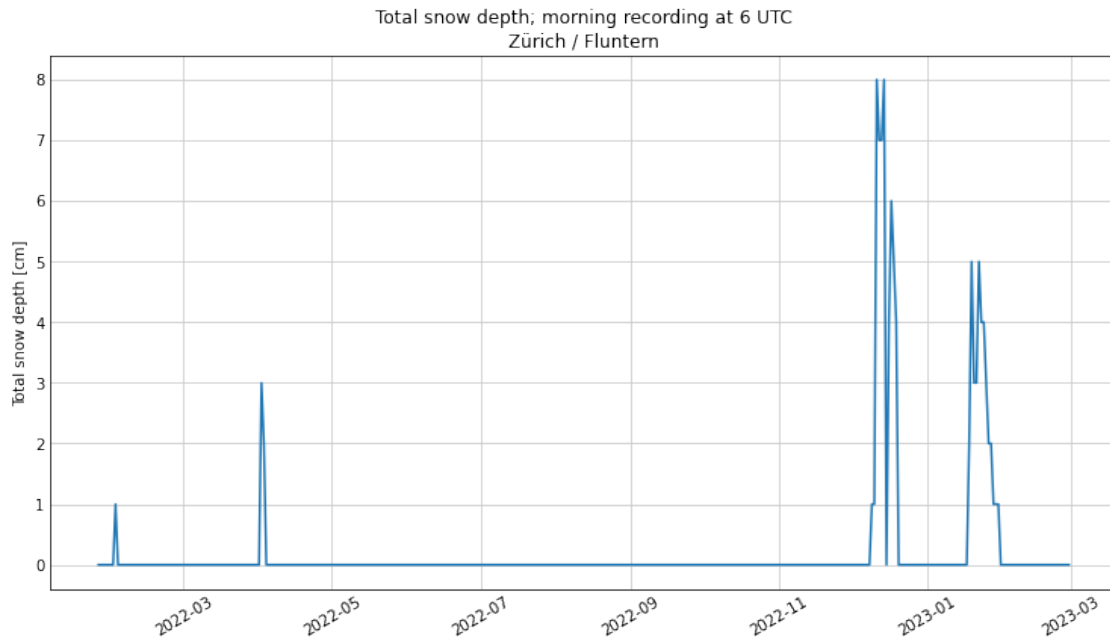
## 1.9 Scatter plot total snow depth

```
[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()
```



### 1.10 Scatter plot cloud cover

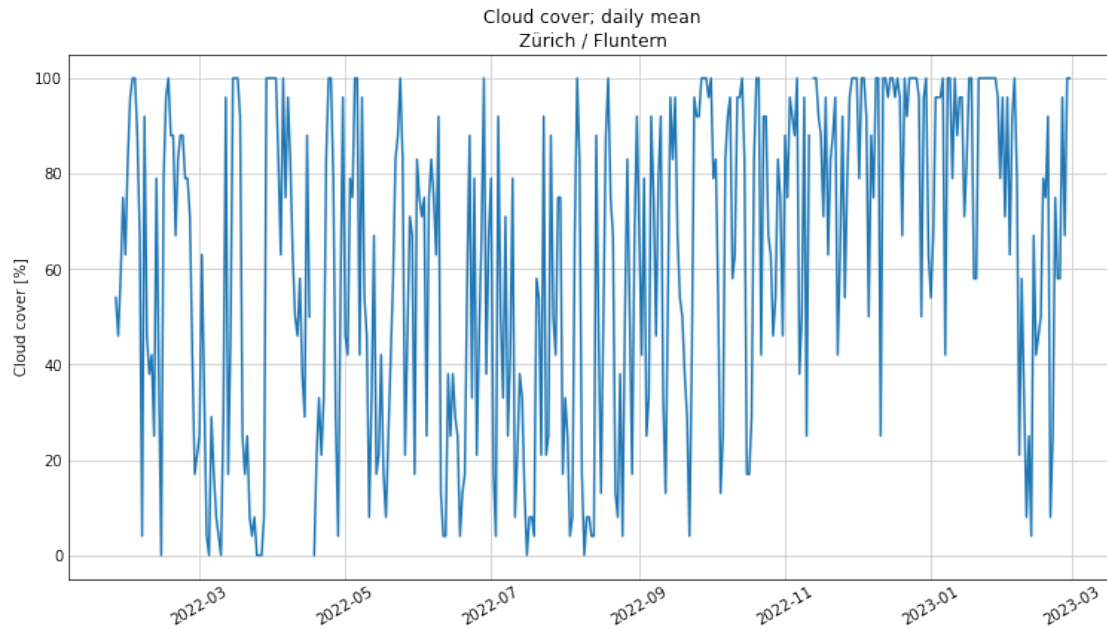
```
[14]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

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()
```





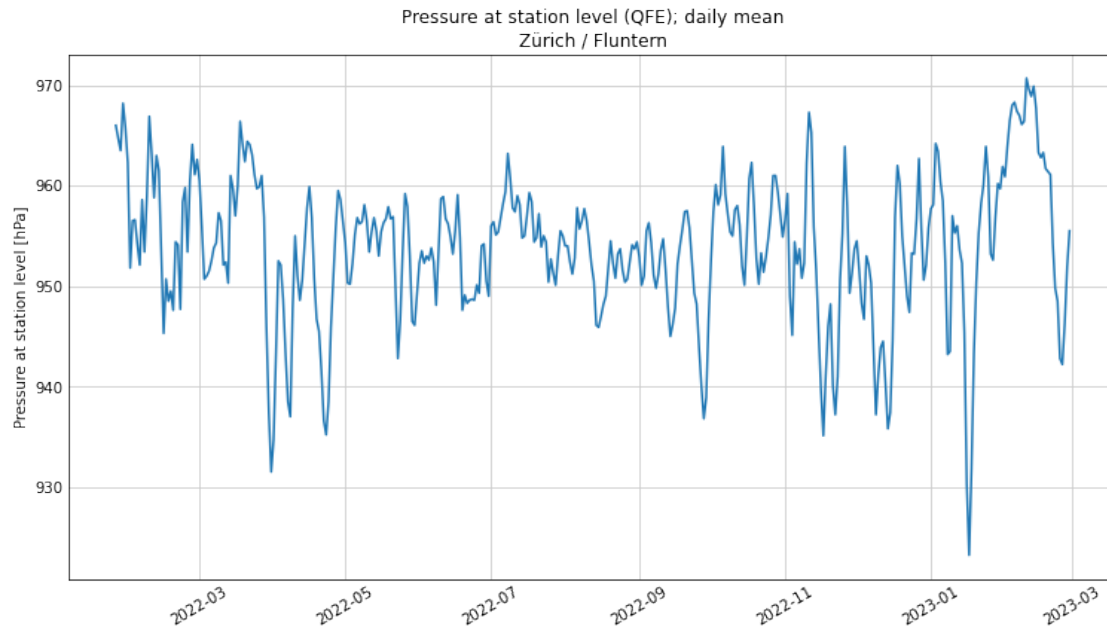
### 1.11 Scatter plot pressure at station level

```
[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()
```



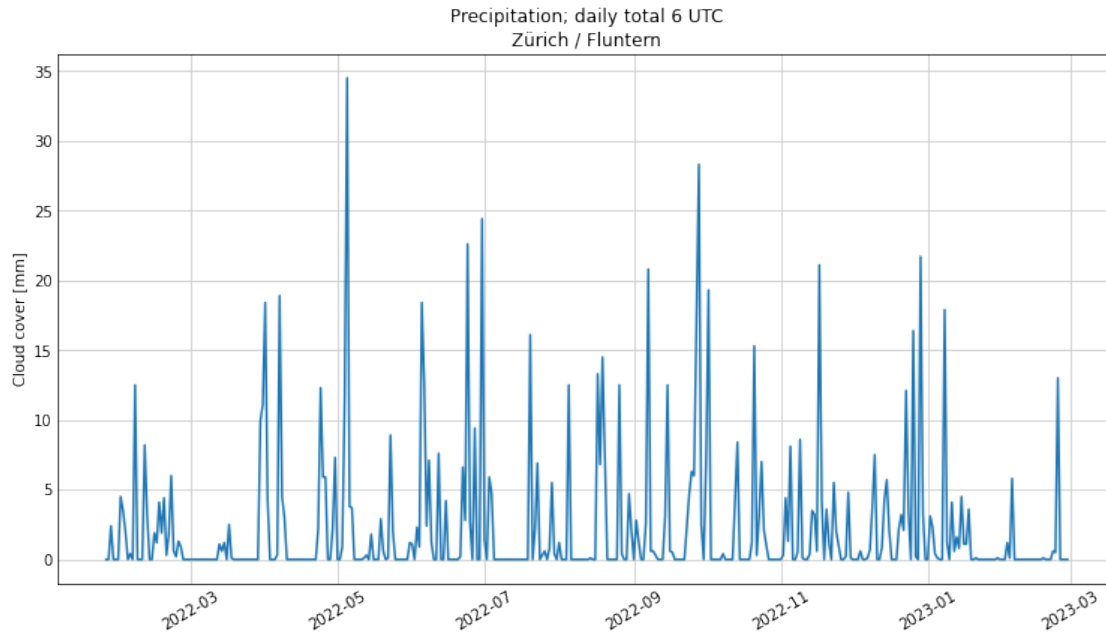
```
[16]: ## Scatter plot cloud cover
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[17]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(fswidth, fsheight))

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

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

plt.show()
```



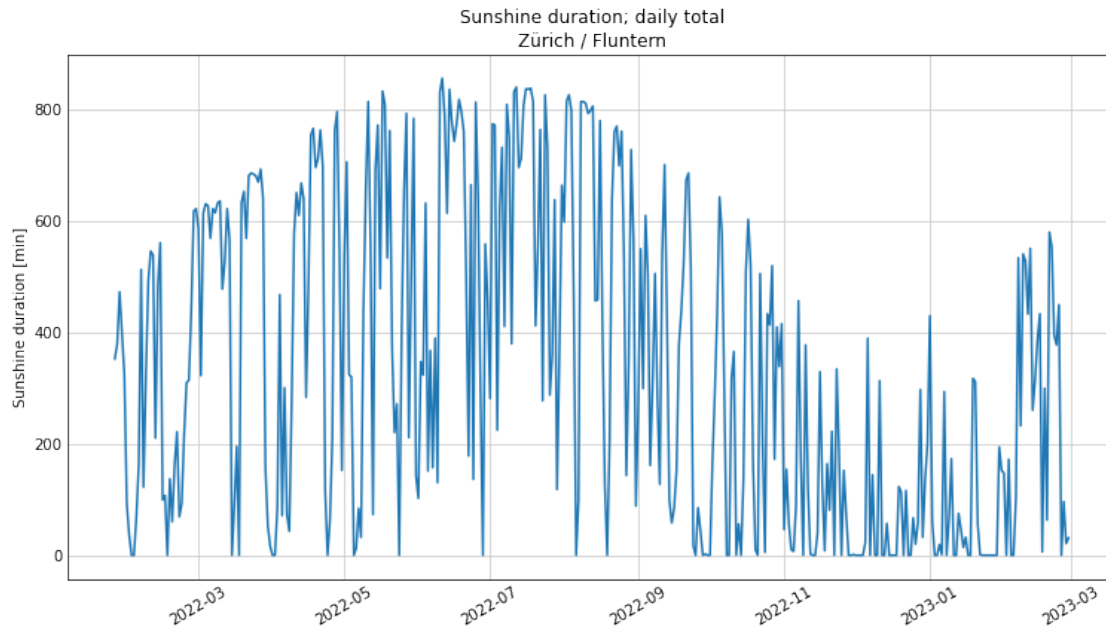
## 1.12 Scatter plot sunshine duration

```
[18]: 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()
```



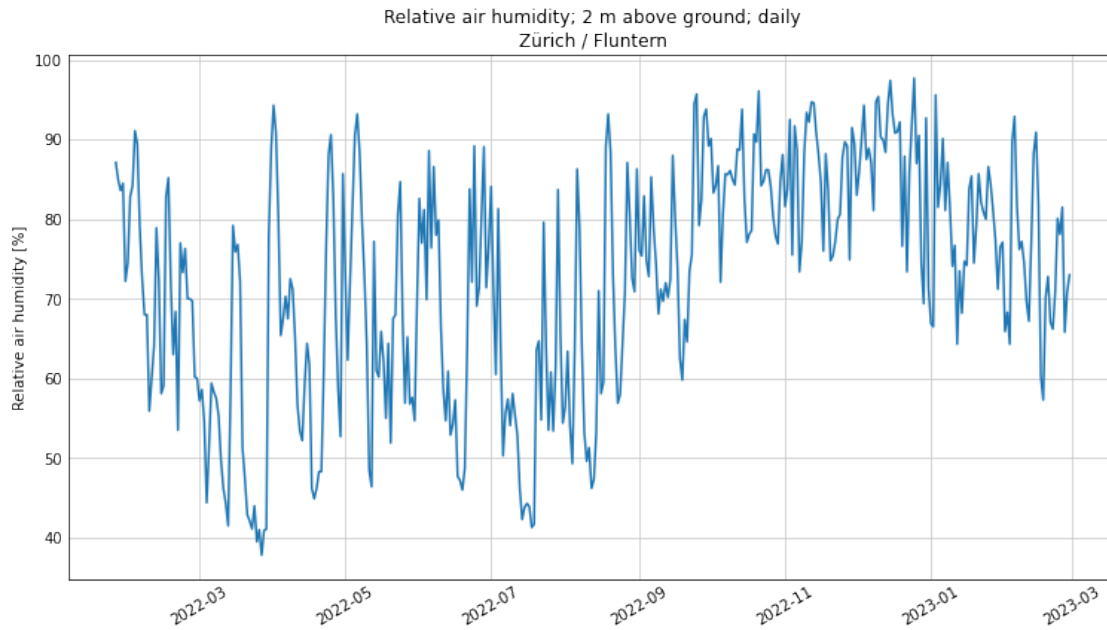
### 1.13 Scatter plot relative air humidity

```
[19]: 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()
```



## 1.14 Export as HTML Report

```
[ ]: import os
      #import ipynbname
      #nb_fname = ipynbname.name()
      nb_fname = 'MeteoCH' # hard-coded: import ipynbname raises an exception...
      #nb_path = ipynbname.path()
      #print(f"{nb_fname=}")
      #print(f"{nb_path=}")

      out_fname = nb_fname + ".output"
      static_format = 'pdf' # pdf or html, etc.
      os.system(f'jupyter nbconvert --to {static_format} {out_fname}.ipynb')
      os.system(f'mv {out_fname}.{static_format} {label}.{static_format}')
```

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[ ]:
```