

**SECTION 12.3** *Gathering Weather Data**In your textbook, read about weather instruments.*

For each item in Column A, write the letter of the matching item in Column B.

Column A	Column B
_____ 1. An instrument that measures the height of cloud layers and estimates cloud cover	<b>a.</b> thermometer
_____ 2. An instrument that measures wind speed and direction	<b>b.</b> barometer
_____ 3. An instrument that measures temperature	<b>c.</b> anemometer
_____ 4. An instrument that measures air pressure	<b>d.</b> hygrometer
_____ 5. A balloon-borne package of sensors that gathers upper-level weather data	<b>e.</b> ceilometer
_____ 6. An instrument that measures relative humidity	<b>f.</b> radiosonde

*In your textbook, read about radar and weather satellites.*

Answer the following questions.

- 7.** What is the Doppler effect? How do meteorologists use it to predict weather?

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- 8.** How do meteorologists combine data from weather radar and weather satellites to gather information about the atmosphere?

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- 9.** What is infrared imagery? How is it used?

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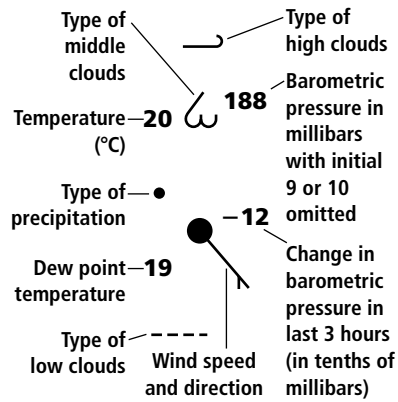


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## SECTION 12.4 *Weather Analysis*

*In your textbook, read about station models.*

Study the station model. Then answer the questions that follow.



1. What is a station model?

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2. What are the advantages of using station models?

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3. List three types of information shown on a station model.

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4. For the station shown, what is the temperature?

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5. For the station shown, how has the barometric pressure changed in the last 3 hours?

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