Cloud Cover

The amount of cloud cover can be measured by dividing an area of the sky into eighths. The fraction of sky covered by cloud is then estimated. Cloud cover is shown in oktas (eighths).

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Symbol	Scale in oktas (eights)
	0
	1
	2
	3
	4 Sky half cloudy
	5
	6
	7
	8 Sky completely cloudy
	9 Sky obstructed from view

Cloud Cover **Answers**

Symbol Scale in oktas (eights)

O Sky completely clear



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