



# SPB Weather 2.0

## User Manual



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## Overview

SPB Weather is the most powerful weather forecast program. It combines the detailed everyday forecasts for 10,000 cities worldwide from several weather sources with the beauty and friendliness of up-to-date satellite images on a 3D Globe.

## Software Features

### Weather Forecasts

The global weather forecast allows you to constantly have access to the current weather and a 5 day weather forecast for the selected city providing you with reliable and detailed night, morning, day, and evening weather information for up to 10 cities.

### Favorite Cities

You can add up to ten favorite cities. The favorite city list will show you all these cities and will provide you an easy way to add/remove them. The city database contains more than 10,000 cities world-wide with more than 50,000 inhabitants in all major countries.

You can switch between your favorite cities in the list using sliding gestures (on the screen of touch-control phones) or see the more detailed day weather forecast by clicking on the corresponding day.

### 3D Globe

The 3D globe allows you to see all your favorite cities on a rotating finger friendly globe. You can see the current time and weather forecasts along with real city locations. It also shows you the weather conditions for the larger areas. Temperature, precipitation, satellite, and rain radar view help you plan your trips or outdoor events. Cloudiness view can direct you where to go, against the wind or following the wind. The Sky view gives real-time information about weather conditions all over the globe.

### Animated Transitions

The animated transitions give you excellent visual cues and keep you oriented. This feature is fully implemented in the SPB Weather panels.

### Homescreen Widget

Powerful weather forecast Homescreen widget with click to see details. Available on Nokia N97 and Nokia N97 mini.





## Installation

Installation of SPB Weather is a very simple process and takes less than five minutes to complete. The following installation guide will help you.

### System Requirements

Make sure your system meets the following minimum OS requirements before installation.

- S60 3rd Edition, Feature Pack 1  
S60 3rd Edition, Feature Pack 2  
S60 5th Edition



### Installing

After you have [downloaded](#) the SPB Weather distribution file you should install it to your device. For a successful installation you will need to download the file to a compatible PC. Connect your device then run the downloaded setup file and follow the onscreen instructions. Or you can transfer the .sisx setup file to your phone using a cable or wireless connection and run it on your device.

### Registration

You will be able to use SPB Weather until the end of the trial version period of 15 days from the first installation. If you have not registered SPB Weather within this timeframe, you will need to do so to continue using it.

To obtain the serial number you need to [purchase](#) an SPB Weather software license. You will receive your serial number by e-mail.

### Uninstalling

To remove the product from your device:

1. Go to Menu > Applications
2. Open the App Manager
3. Select SPB Weather from the list and press the Remove menu item.
4. Choose Yes to confirm removing



## Configure & Use SPB Weather

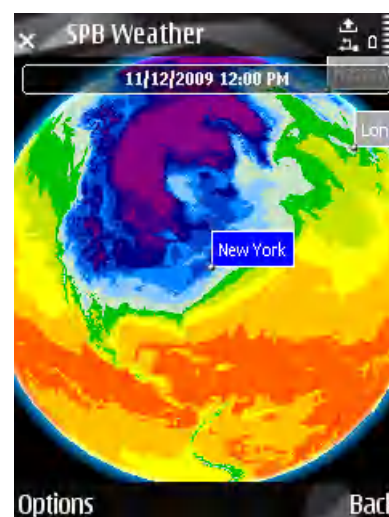
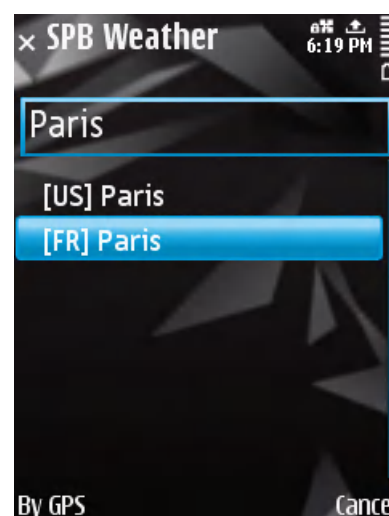
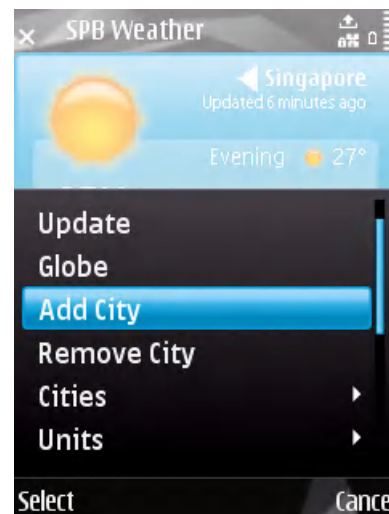
SPB Weather provides you with reliable and detailed night, morning, day, and evening weather information for up to 10 cities.

- Start by adding your favorite cities to the list using the Add City menu item. In the Add City dialog you can add another city to your favorite city list using one of the following options:
  - By Name: Type three or more first letters of the city name to get the matching city list. Just keep typing and as you type, the list of matching cities will narrow down. Finally, select the desired city.
  - By GPS: Use this option if you are in the open air and your phone is GPS enabled to add city according to your location.
- You can use a left/right gesture to switch between added cities and up/down gesture to scroll (on the screen of touch-control phones).
- To get detailed day information, just tap the corresponding day and use the left/right key or gesture to see next/previous day forecast. The detailed forecast for one day contains information on temperature, humidity, pressure and winds split into four periods of the day.

### Globe Screen

SPB Weather animated globe screen displays the weather conditions for the larger areas. Want to follow the hurricane? Check the weather satellite. Temperature and precipitation view help you plan your trips or outdoor events. Cloudiness view can direct you where to go, against the wind or following the wind.

- The animated globe area can be moved with your finger (on the screen of touch-control phones).
- The date and time of the observed sky view.
- Zoom bar, tap-and-hold on the bar area (the right side of the screen) then slid to zoom in or out.
- You can access the weather layers menu to view the available layer view options.
- The animated layer view play/pause button or menu item.





## SPB Weather Options

You may customize SPB Weather to fit your needs.

### Units

Here you can customize the default measurement for weather temperature parameters.

### Connections

Customize the data synchronization options for the weather forecast.

- **Use free only:** Select this option to prevent SPB Weather from using paid Internet connections to update your weather forecasts. The updating will start only when a free Internet connection is available either via your Desktop or Wi-Fi.
- **Use all:** Select this option to allow the forecasts update using any kind of available Internet connection.

### Schedule

In this tab you can configure the update method of the weather forecast.

- **Manual update:** Select to start updating only upon your command by pressing the refresh button.
- **Every 1 Hour, 6 Hours, or Day:** Select the time intervals to start the updating process automatically according to the time you specify.



## Technical Support

This chapter contains technical support information. It includes all the information you need to assist you.

### About The Trial Version

The trial version of SPB Weather includes all of the features available in the registered version. The trial version expires within 15 days after the first installation. You can use the trial version only to check how SPB Weather works. In order to keep using the software you need to purchase the license. There is no need to re-install the SPB Weather in order to use the full version.

To obtain the serial number you need to purchase SPB Weather software license. You will receive your serial number by e-mail. For more information please visit our web site at: <http://www.spb.com/support/general.html>

### Contacting Technical Support

Please take advantage of one of the SPB Software free technical support options:

- Ask SPB technical support team using this form: <http://spb.com/symbian-software/weather/other.html>
- Ask your technical question or post your feature request in the forum to get a quicker reply directly from the developer team. Solutions to your problems are available 24 hours a day at no cost on the SPB Club web site. You must first register as a member before using SPB Club web support: <http://www.spbclub.com/forum/>

Please include the following information to help us isolate the problem:

1. The type of the device that you are using.
2. The software name and version number. Select Menu → About... to view the software name and version number (example: SPB Weather, version 2.0, Build 1407).
3. Any error messages that accompany the problem.
4. A brief description of how we can recreate the issue.