

NEW ZEALAND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE

Summary of the Records of Temperature, Rainfall, and Sunshine for April 1953

Station.	Height of Station Above M.S.L.	Air Temperatures in Degrees (Fahrenheit).								Rainfall in Inches.				Bright Sunshine.	
		Means of		Mean of A and B.	Difference From Normal.	Absolute Maximum and Minimum.				Total Fall.	No. of Rain Days.	Difference From Normal.	Maximum Fall.		
		A Max.	B Min.			Maximum.	Date.	Minimum.	Date.				Amount.		Date.
		°F.	°F.	°F.	(+/-)	°F.		°F.		In.			In.		Hrs.
Te Pahi, Te Hapua ..	200	69.5	55.4	62.4	(+0.8)	73.0	3, 28	45.3	26	3.19	15	(-2.76)	1.60	30	179.5
Kaitiaki ..	253	68.6	56.4	62.5	(+1.5)	72.3	1	49.2	15	3.45	15	(-1.57)	1.08	30	176.0
Kerikeri ..	201	70.2	51.8	61.0	(-0.1)	76.3	26	41.5	15	4.03	16	(-1.57)	1.59	30	139.8
Waipoua State Forest ..	225	68.2	52.9	60.6	+1.0	74.0	1	39.8	16	6.66	15	+0.93	2.75	30	108.4
Dargaville ..	65	69.2	54.1	61.6	..	75.4	2	37.5	17	3.38	17	..	1.82	30	..
Glenbervie, Whangarei ..	350	67.6	51.1	59.3	(+1.2)	74.2	25	34.4	16	7.68	18	(+1.75)	2.97	30	..
Riverhead ..	105	67.4	50.9	59.2	+0.9	71.8	24	32.8	16	6.61	19	(+1.76)	2.11	30	..
Woodhill ..	100	66.6	54.5	60.6	(+0.8)	71.0	3, 29	37.5	17	4.72	20	(+0.20)	1.39	30	..
Whenuapai ..	101	66.6	52.2	59.4	(+0.6)	69.9	29	34.9	16	6.29	18	(+1.45)	2.22	30	..
Auckland ..	160	68.1	55.7	61.9	+0.6	72.9	23	47.6	16	8.27	22	+3.88	2.83	30	131.3
Oratia, Henderson ..	138	66.7	51.8	59.2	(+0.7)	72.0	2	36.2	16	5.59	23	(-0.04)	1.99	30	..
Owairaka ..	134	67.4	52.3	59.8	..	71.6	2, 25	40.3	17	11.54	21	(+6.76)	3.40	30	..
Otara ..	40	66.9	51.2	59.0	..	73.0	2	34.9	16	5.80	20	..	2.12	30	..
Paerata ..	166	67.3	52.9	60.1	(+0.6)	71.6	23	42.0	16, 17	6.61	20	+2.26	2.09	30	..
Tairua ..	10	67.2	50.2	58.7	..	73.0	25, 26	36.5	16	10.04	15	..	3.40	30	..
Maioro ..	172	..	53.3	..	..	..	..	40.6	16	6.28	21	(+1.98)	2.32	30	..
Maramarua ..	170	66.0	49.3	57.6	(-1.0)	71.0	25	35.0	16	6.28	17	(+2.10)	1.85	30	..
Paeroa ..	27	67.4	51.1	59.2	(+0.2)	73.0	28, 29	36.5	16	8.90	18	+4.40	3.49	1	..
Waihi ..	354	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Te Aroha ..	46	67.6	51.4	59.5	-0.1	73.0	30	37.0	16, 17	8.15	22	+3.46	2.29	30	..
Tauranga ..	10	66.9	50.1	58.5	+0.0	71.7	4	37.6	11	7.11	14	+2.09	2.88	30	139.1
Ruakura Farm, Hamilton ..	131	65.9	47.9	56.9	+0.3	70.8	30	33.7	16	5.97	19	+2.23	1.77	30	118.6
Whatawhata ..	340	65.0	50.7	57.8	..	70.2	28	33.8	16	8.58	22	..	3.77	30	115.5
Rukuhia ..	215	65.7	50.7	58.2	(+0.4)	70.6	19	38.1	16	5.63	19	(+1.74)	1.81	30	128.8
Rotoehu Plantation ..	235	66.1	46.6	56.4	+0.3	71.3	20	32.1	11	10.84	13	(+5.04)	5.03	30	..
Whakatane ..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Arapuni ..	402	66.0	47.9	57.0	..	74.0	1	34.0	16	8.76	20	+4.32	3.48	30	..
Rotorua Airfield ..	969	64.1	47.9	56.0	(+0.6)	70.5	25	31.5	16	5.59	12	(+0.96)	1.94	30	125.9
Whakarewarewa ..	1,006	63.5	47.1	55.3	(+0.3)	68.4	25	30.9	16	5.14	13	(+0.33)	1.73	30	..
Kaingaroa ..	1,800	60.9	43.5	52.2	+0.4	68.4	26	27.1	16	5.41	18	+0.78	1.85	30	..
Waiotapu ..	1,000	63.1	42.1	52.6	+0.3	68.0	1, 26	25.6	16	4.68	12	+0.41	1.43	30	..
Wairapukao ..	1,600	63.1	42.3	52.7	..	69.0	26	25.5	16	4.76	15	(+0.66)	1.23	30	..
Pureora State Forest ..	1,800	58.2	44.2	51.2	(-0.3)	64.0	1	29.0	16	8.60	21	..	3.13	30	..
Wairakei ..	1,275	62.1	44.5	53.3	..	69.0	26	28.0	15, 16	5.77	13	..	1.97	30	..
Gisborne ..	12	68.1	48.1	58.1	-0.3	75.2	20	33.7	22	3.51	13	(-0.15)	1.20	4	179.8
Manutuke, Gisborne ..	20	67.7	46.4	57.0	-0.4	74.8	20	35.5	17	2.74	14	(-0.58)	0.94	4	177.8
Waerenga-o-kuri ..	1,130	63.4	47.2	55.3	(+0.1)	69.9	20	36.0	16	4.19	14	(-0.80)	1.24	4	..
Taupo ..	1,221	62.6	45.5	54.0	(-0.1)	67.7	30	29.3	16	5.19	14	(+1.73)	1.65	30	142.0
Minginui Forest ..	1,650	63.1	41.5	52.3	..	70.0	27	25.0	16	4.91	16	..	1.29	20	..
Pukahunui, Kaingaroa ..	2,190	57.9	41.6	49.8	(-0.1)	64.2	1	26.6	16	5.18	19	(-0.71)	1.42	20	..
Lake Waikaremoana ..	2,100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waimihia ..	2,546	57.3	41.8	49.5	..	63.5	1, 26	26.0	16	4.92	18	(-0.53)	1.29	30	..
Taumarunui ..	560	64.9	46.2	55.6	(-1.3)	72.0	1	30.5	15	4.62	22	-0.17	1.28	30	90.9
New Plymouth ..	160	62.6	51.8	57.2	-0.9	69.5	1	39.9	16	3.09	15	-1.69	0.87	30	120.8
Chateau Tongariro ..	3,670	50.6	39.9	45.2	-0.9	58.0	1, 26	27.0	15	11.37	23	(+1.84)	1.15	20	..
Karioi ..	2,125	58.2	42.2	50.2	-0.2	66.0	19	29.0	15, 16	2.89	15	-0.93	0.70	10	..
Waiouru ..	2,660	52.6	36.0	44.3	..	63.0	19	23.0	14	4.96	18	(+1.50)	1.05	7	..
Wairoa ..	21	67.7	49.1	58.4	..	76.2	20	36.0	17	7.65	15	+2.86	3.18	5	..
Tangoio ..	960	63.5	50.0	56.8	..	71.7	30	40.3	11	6.79	16	..	2.29	2	..
Napier ..	5	67.9	49.8	58.8	+0.3	78.0	25	34.3	16	4.12	11	+1.49	1.06	2	161.4
Hastings ..	45	68.9	45.0	57.0	-0.4	80.5	25	29.6	16	3.33	12	+0.58	1.18	3	..
Havelock North ..	37	67.0	42.9	55.0	..	78.4	25	28.8	16	2.60	9	(+0.28)	1.25	3	..
Gwavas ..	1,140	62.6	41.7	52.2	(-1.9)	73.0	29	28.5	16	5.16	13	(+0.94)	1.52	3	..
Wanganui ..	72	64.2	51.1	57.6	+0.1	72.2	19	38.6	16	3.59	15	(+0.79)	0.54	7	128.1
Waipukurau ..	450	65.1	44.6	54.8	(-0.1)	77.2	24	29.0	16	4.01	15	(+1.80)	1.83	3	..
Marton ..	462	61.3	47.6	54.4	-0.7	68.2	25	30.3	15	4.15	17	(+0.68)	0.56	3, 23	..
Ohakea ..	155	63.5	49.6	56.6	(-0.6)	70.4	25	35.8	15	2.67	15	(-0.33)	0.40	7, 23	..
Flock House, Bulls ..	30	62.7	49.2	55.9	(+0.0)	68.4	29	32.5	15	2.39	13	-0.35	0.41	30	..
P.R.B., Palmerston N. ..	110	62.7	47.9	55.3	-1.3	71.0	25	32.0	16	2.89	18	-0.47	0.60	6	101.8
Dannevirke ..	685	60.7	48.2	54.4	..	68.0	25	28.9	16	5.84	18	(+2.69)	2.12	3	..
Pahiatua ..	384	61.4	47.5	54.4	-1.0	68.8	25	29.2	16	4.88	19	+0.52	0.76	6	..
Levin ..	100	62.1	48.3	55.2	(-0.8)	66.2	25, 30	30.8	16	1.87	19	(-1.52)	0.45	6	..
Kapiti Island ..	44	60.8	51.1	56.0	+0.0	63.0	1	45.0	11	1.73	10	-1.81	0.40	6	..
Paraparaumu ..	22	61.8	49.2	55.5	..	65.8	25	35.0	16	2.23	14	..	0.62	6	101.8
Waingawa, Masterton ..	340	62.6	45.1	53.8	-0.7	70.0	19	31.8	11	4.94	18	+2.04	1.33	3	129.6
Cannock, Martinborough ..	770	60.5	46.7	53.6	..	66.8	19	33.2	16	3.58	14	..	0.77	3	..
Wallaceville ..	195	62.4	47.5	55.0	+0.5	69.0	26	31.8	16	2.49	16	-1.20	0.67	6	93.4
Wellington ..	415	58.8	49.8	54.3	-1.8	66.0	13	41.0	11	4.68	16	+0.87	1.69	7	108.9
Nelson Airfield ..	5	62.7	43.8	53.2	-0.9	69.0	26	34.0	16	1.95	9	(-1.00)	1.14	6	171.3
Appleby, Nelson ..	57	64.1	46.0	55.0	-0.9	70.3	26	37.0	15	1.83	7	(-1.51)	1.00	6	..
Woodbourne ..	89	64.6	45.2	54.9	(-1.4)	71.4	25	32.0	12	2.40	10	(+0.41)	0.99	6	..
Blenheim ..	12	64.5	45.1	54.8	-1.2	72.0	25	33.1	11	2.62	8	+0.58	1.05	6	173.0
Lake Grassmere ..	5	62.4	48.9	55.6	..	76.0	13	36.0	11	2.76	12	..	0.73	6	146.0
Golden Downs ..	900	59.9	39.6	49.8	-2.0	65.2	26	29.0	27	3.06	12	-1.57	1.24	6	..
Waihopai ..	860	63.3	42.9	53.1	-1.1	70.6	19	32.0	11	2.41	11	-0.63	0.75	6	..
Westport ..	7	60.5	48.8	54.6	-0.3	67.3	2	41.0	27	8.86	20	(+2.41)	1.72	29	110.2
Molesworth ..	2,930	56.4	35.8	46.1	(-0.9)	70.5	27	21.5	22	2.17	9	(+0.11)	0.55	6	..
Greymouth ..	13	60.0	48.5	54.2	(-0.4)	64.7	5	39.9	11	10.43	20	(+2.37)	1.72	19	105.2
Hanmer ..	1,270	59.8	40.8	50.3	-1.2	70.0	21, 27	28.5	12	4.23	16	+0.89	0.64	3	115.9
Hokitika Airfield ..	15	59.6	45.1	52.4	(-0.5)	68.4	3	35.3	11	11.02	21	(+2.19)	2.88	29	128.6
Balmoral ..	650	61.0	41.0	51.0	(-1.7)	71.0	27	27.5	11	1.96	11	-0.17	0.45	7	..
Happy Valley ..	200	63.4	46.7	55.0	..	76.5	24	36.5	22	3.99	13	..	0.84	2	..
Lake Coleridge ..	1,195	59.7	42.1	50.9	-1.2	69.2	16	29.9	12	3.50	14	+0.82	0.84	29	..
Eyrewell ..	520	61.5	40.8	51.2	..	72.9	19	29.8	22	3.53	14	(+0.64)	1.52	7	..
Ashley Forest ..	460	61.4	45.0	53.2	(+0.3)	76.0	27	36.0	11	3.23	12	(+0.77)	0.74	7	..
Darfield ..	640	61.9	41.4												