

NEW ZEALAND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE—Summary of the Records of Temperature, Rainfall, and Sunshine for January 1956

Station	Height of Station Above M.S.L.	Air Temperatures in Degrees (Fahrenheit)								Rainfall in Inches				Bright Sunshine Hrs.	
		Means of		Mean of A and B	Difference From Normal	Absolute Maximum and Minimum				Total Fall	No. of Rain Days	Difference From Normal	Maximum Full		
		A Max.	B Min.			Maximum	Date	Minimum	Date				Amount		Date
Te Pahi, Te Hapua ..	200	73.6	61.0	67.3	+2.6*	78.3	28	50.5	18	13.27	18	+9.88*	4.45	12	164
Kaitiaki ..	253	73.8	62.3	68.0	+2.4*	80.2	28	54.3	18	10.06	15	+6.58*	2.26	12	157
Kerikeri ..	201	76.5	60.5	68.5	+3.6*	84.9	21	50.9	18	9.35	16	+4.85*	2.41	2	153
Waipoua State Forest ..	225	73.7	59.4	66.6	+3.6	81.0	26, 30	51.0	17	3.77	15	-0.65	1.62	12	125
Dargaville ..	65	74.3	60.9	67.6	..	83.5	30	52.3	18	5.72	14	..	1.18	13	..
Glenbervie, Whangarei ..	350	72.7	57.4	65.0	+1.6*	83.0	21	47.0	18	7.77	15	+3.12*	2.10	7	153
Riverhead ..	105	75.5	58.1	66.8	+4.4	84.0	28	48.7	18	3.55	11	-0.40*	1.82	7	..
Woodhill ..	100	74.8	61.6	68.2	+4.0*	81.2	28	54.0	18	2.37	11	-1.36*	1.14	7	..
Whenuapai ..	101	75.4	60.4	67.9	+4.1*	82.8	30	53.2	18	5.66	11	+2.07*	3.08	7	163
Auckland ..	160	75.8	64.0	69.9	+3.5	83.9	30	59.6	10	2.65	9	-0.53	1.50	7	166
Oratia, Henderson ..	138	75.5	59.7	67.6	+3.9*	83.2	28	51.4	18	7.47	8	+3.15*	3.43	7	..
Owairaka ..	134	75.6	61.9	68.8	..	82.9	30	54.7	18	3.84	10	+0.38*	1.84	7	..
Otara ..	40	75.4	61.7	68.6	..	82.0	28	53.0	18	3.54	10	..	1.19	7	..
Paerata ..	166	76.7	60.1	68.4	+3.7*	85.5	28	55.0	18	2.26	10	-1.11	1.13	7	..
Tairua ..	10	75.7	60.9	68.3	..	87.0	21	54.0	5, 18	3.41	18	..	1.26	..	..
Maioro ..	172	74.8	61.3	68.0	+4.6*	80.0	30	56.7	16	4.66	11	+1.04*	1.93	7	..
Maramarua ..	124	77.7	58.2	68.0	+4.0*	84.1	19	51.0	16	2.18	8	-0.99*	0.82	7	..
Paeroa ..	27	77.2	61.4	69.3	+3.1*	89.0	21	50.5	17	3.10	13	-0.58	1.52	7	..
Waihi ..	354	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Te Aroha ..	46	77.5	62.0	69.8	+2.7	90.0	21	55.0	24	2.82	13	-0.90	1.07	7	..
Tauranga ..	10	74.7	62.0	68.4	+3.8	85.2	20	55.8	18	4.75	12	+0.81	2.57	8	163
Ruakura Farm, Hamilton ..	131	76.3	57.6	67.0	+3.9	83.8	21, 28	48.2	24	1.91	11	-1.57	0.69	30	124
Whatawhata ..	340	75.6	58.5	67.0	..	82.6	28	49.4	2	3.26	10	..	1.13	7	131
Rukuhia ..	215	76.5	59.8	68.2	+3.8*	85.4	21	53.3	24	1.93	8	-1.72	0.85	30	128
Rotoehu Plantation ..	235	74.1	59.2	66.6	+3.3	88.3	20	50.0	11, 21	9.26	12	+4.44*	6.14	8	..
Whakatane ..	6	75.7	62.9	69.3	+3.9*	87.5	22	56.0	12	4.01	12	-0.19*	2.48	8	..
Opotiki ..	27	73.2	60.7	67.0	..	78.0	22	54.5	10	3.59	15	..	1.34	30	160
Kawerau ..	100	76.8	59.8	68.3	..	87.9	22	54.0	12	9.08	12	..	6.20	8	..
Arapuni ..	402	78.0	58.6	68.3	..	87.0	21	50.8	24	3.18	8	-0.69	1.10	30	..
Rotorua Airfield ..	969	73.6	57.5	65.6	+2.8*	88.8	21	50.1	24	7.10	13	+2.74*	3.86	8	116
Whakarewarewa ..	1,006	72.5	57.4	65.0	+2.4*	88.1	21	49.5	11	6.29	13	+1.76*	3.70	8	..
Kaingaroa ..	1,800	71.7	54.6	63.2	+3.8	87.6	22	45.9	24	5.65	15	+0.71	2.95	8	..
Waiotapu ..	1,000	73.2	55.8	64.5	+4.1	88.4	21	45.2	11	6.04	14	+1.78	3.32	8	..
Wairapukao ..	1,600	73.5	53.3	63.4	..	90.0	21	42.2	24	6.53	15	+2.29*	1.81	8	..
Pureora State Forest ..	1,800	68.8	54.8	61.8	+4.0*	82.0	21	49.0	24	6.08	14	..	1.82	30	..
Wairakei ..	1,275	73.8	55.6	64.7	..	91.3	21	44.9	11	4.86	14	..	2.49	8	..
Gisborne ..	12	80.5	57.9	69.2	+4.4	99.8	22	47.5	3	1.27	8	-1.27*	0.61	28	225
Manutuke, Gisborne ..	20	78.5	57.9	68.2	+3.4*	96.7	22	51.5	15	0.82	8	-1.58*	0.35	28	202
Waerenga-o-kuri ..	1,130	74.6	57.1	65.8	+3.4*	93.5	22	50.0	14	1.31	6	-2.39*	0.71	30	..
Taupo ..	1,221	73.8	54.6	64.2	+2.2*	87.0	21	46.0	11	4.10	14	+0.77*	1.69	8	134
Minginui Forest ..	1,650	74.2	54.5	64.4	..	91.0	20	41.8	12	4.53	17	..	1.52	7	..
Pukahunui, Kaingaroa ..	2,190	69.2	52.7	61.0	+3.2*	87.3	21	43.1	12	6.95	22	+1.30*	1.94	7	..
Lake Waikaremoana ..	2,100	70.1	55.9	63.0	+3.0	86.0	21	50.7	1	3.18	13	-2.56	0.90	8	..
Waimihia ..	2,546	68.5	52.3	60.4	..	84.0	21	42.5	24	6.39	15	+1.43*	1.75	8	..
Taumarunui ..	560	77.3	57.2	67.2	+3.4*	89.3	21	48.2	11	4.27	16	+0.48	0.86	8	127
New Plymouth ..	160	72.8	61.3	67.0	+4.8	79.8	19	55.5	31	9.05	15	+4.58	2.00	7	160
Te Wera, New Plymouth ..	590	72.7	56.2	64.4	..	80.0	21	47.5	31	7.19	13	..	1.86	7	..
Chateau Tongariro ..	3,670	62.9	48.8	55.8	+3.5	77.0	20	39.0	24	10.53	21	+1.96*	1.75	30	..
Karioi ..	2,125	72.5	52.6	62.6	+5.6	85.0	21	44.0	1	3.34	16	-0.34	1.15	7	..
Wairoa ..	21	80.9	61.4	71.2	..	93.0	21	51.5	14	1.36	7	-1.93*	0.63	28	..
Tangoio ..	960	75.1	58.8	67.0	..	87.6	22	49.7	1	4.25	9	..	1.60	7	..
Kuripapanga ..	1,600	74.3	55.7	65.0	..	86.9	20	38.2	2	5.75	10	..	1.94	7	..
Napier ..	5	77.8	63.2	70.5	+5.0	93.9	22	57.7	1	2.09	11	-0.52	1.16	7	190
Hastings ..	45	81.6	59.4	70.5	+5.2	97.9	20	51.3	24	1.80	14	-0.73	1.02	7	..
Havelock North ..	37	78.8	58.1	68.4	..	92.2	20	49.1	24	1.45	10	-0.60*	0.86	7	..
Wavvas ..	1,140	75.3	53.4	64.4	+3.6*	88.0	21	43.0	24	5.48	11	+1.04*	2.35	9	..
Wanganui ..	72	75.9	61.9	68.9	+5.4	83.4	30	53.1	11	3.14	12	+0.36*	0.78	7	185
Waipukurau ..	450	77.3	57.1	67.2	+4.5*	87.7	20	49.0	2	2.57	7	+0.02*	0.78	8	161
Marton ..	462	74.1	56.8	65.4	+4.3*	81.6	30	47.3	19	3.01	15	-0.19*	0.82	7	..
Ohakea ..	155	75.5	59.4	67.4	+4.6*	84.0	30	50.9	19	3.19	15	+0.52*	0.75	7	184
Flock House, Bulls ..	30	74.0	59.2	66.6	+4.8*	83.3	30	48.8	19	3.59	14	+1.33	0.59	7	..
P.R.B., Palmerston N. ..	110	75.0	59.1	67.0	+4.6	84.0	30	52.7	20	3.46	18	+0.26	0.54	28	157
Dannevirke ..	685	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pahiatua ..	384	74.9	58.3	66.6	+4.7	83.0	30	49.6	11	3.69	18	-0.11	0.82	28	..
Levin ..	100	72.6	59.1	65.8	+4.4*	80.0	30	51.0	12	6.78	18	+3.72*	1.76	27	142
Kapiti Island ..	44	73.1	56.9	65.0	+3.1	78.0	14	51.1	7	5.20	12	+2.36	0.99	27	..
Paraparaumu ..	22	72.5	60.0	66.2	..	77.0	18	51.5	12	5.40	17	..	1.35	26	152
Waingawa, Masterton ..	340	77.6	57.5	67.6	+5.2	89.1	21	49.5	31	3.16	15	+0.76	1.20	8	199
Ngaumu, Masterton ..	600	75.3	55.0	65.2	..	87.5	20	40.0	25	1.59	12	..	0.44	8	..
Cannock, Martinborough ..	770	76.1	58.1	67.1	..	89.9	20	50.1	25	2.00	13	..	0.60	8	..
Wallaceville ..	195	73.4	57.2	65.3	+4.2	79.8	20	46.9	31	6.14	16	+3.09*	0.89	7	157
Makara ..	800	66.1	57.2	61.6	..	72.6	11	49.9	31	7.98	15	..	1.79	4	..
Wellington ..	415	70.4	59.7	65.0	+4.0	76.0	12	50.5	31	8.87	16	+5.79	2.18	8	179
Nelson Airfield ..	5	72.3	59.1	65.7	+4.1	82.8	22	48.9	31	4.95	14	+2.11*	1.50	6	193
Appleby, Nelson ..	57	74.1	59.0	66.6	+3.8	83.9	22	50.0	31	3.98	14	+0.94	1.35	29	..
Woodbourne ..	89	78.2	59.4	68.8	+5.5*	95.2	21	48.4	31	3.36	14	+1.25*	1.35	29	..
Blenheim ..	12	77.3	58.4	67.8	+5.2*	91.0	21	46.6	31	3.13	13	+1.14*	1.36	29	220
Lake Grassmere ..	5	74.5	59.7	67.1	..	88.0	22	49.0	31	1.52					