

NEW ZEALAND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE—Summary of the Records of Temperature, Rainfall, and Sunshine for December 1965

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.			Maxi-mum	Date	Mini-mum	Date				Amount		Date
	Ft.	°F.	°F.	°F.		°F.		°F.		In.			In.		Hrs.
Te Pahi, Te Hapua ..	190	70.6	54.7	62.6	-0.5	75.3	13	42.0	4, 6	3.86	12	+0.8	2.38	17	200
Kaitaia Aerodrome ..	261	70.8	56.7	63.8	0.0	76.1	25	49.4	3, 6	3.92	13	+0.7	2.12	17	203
Umawera ..	380	70.6	53.2	61.9		77.0	13	44.3	4	4.31	10		1.28	17	..
Kerikeri ..	240	71.9	54.2	63.0	+0.2	77.8	25	44.0	29	3.21	12	+0.5	1.76	17	168
Waipoua Forest ..	290	70.0	52.5	61.2	-0.1	77.5	12	42.5	24	5.37	16	+1.3	1.08	17	..
Dargaville ..	64	71.4	53.8	62.6	+0.2	80.4	12	42.9	3, 5	3.26	13	+0.3	0.76	12	203
Waitangi Forest ..	180	71.7	55.4	63.6		78.2	26	46.6	28	2.97	11		1.74	17	..
Puketurua, Northland ..	330	73.9	52.0	63.0		81.0	31	41.9	3	4.44	12		1.14	19	..
Glenbervie ..	350	70.5	49.8	60.2	-1.0	77.0	31	38.0	6	3.56	11	-0.4	1.30	17	206
Takatu, Matakana ..	230	70.6	55.8	63.2		77.6	31	48.7	6	3.47	9		1.25	17	..
Woodhill ..	100	69.4	53.8	61.6	-0.3	76.4	13	44.6	21	3.67	9	+0.4	1.94	17	..
Riverhead ..	105	70.7	50.4	60.6	+0.1	77.9	13	41.2	21	3.54	10	0.0	1.81	17	..
Whenuapai ..	102	70.5	52.4	61.4	-0.4	77.2	13	43.8	21	3.83	12	+0.3	1.84	17	246
Auckland, Albert Park ..	160	70.7	57.0	63.8	-0.6	75.0	22	50.4	28	3.71	12	+0.6	1.20	17	..
Owairaka ..	133														..
Oratia, Henderson ..	135														..
Port Fitzroy, Gt. Barrier ..	13	71.2	56.2	63.7	+1.0	75.0	13, 31	49.0	5	2.79	8	+0.8	1.37	17	..
Whangapoua Forest ..	12	72.0	49.5	60.8	-1.2	76.3	25	40.2	1	4.00	6		2.23	17	..
Thames ..	10	71.4	56.1	63.8	+0.4	77.3	24	49.2	31	4.18	12	+0.9	1.41	17	218
Tairua Forest ..	11	71.2	53.1	62.2	-1.4	76.2	22	43.5	21	3.42	7	-0.7	2.04	17	..
Ngatea ..	5	72.7	48.7	60.7	-0.7	81.0	13	39.0	5, 31	4.40	12		1.53	17	..
Paeroa ..	27	72.8	49.6	61.2	-2.5	81.0	24	40.3	31	5.06	14	+2.1	1.75	17	..
Waihi ..	300														..
Te Aroha ..	40														..
Tauranga Aerodrome ..	12	72.1	53.4	62.8	+0.1	77.4	25	40.8	1	2.51	9	-0.9	1.46	17	280
Rotochu Forest ..	235	70.5	51.3	60.9	0.0	77.0	3	39.4	28	3.10	10	-1.3	2.17	17	..
Whakatane ..	6	71.2	55.5	63.4	+0.2	77.0	18, 26	44.0	29	2.80	12	-0.6	1.78	17	270
Tokoroa ..	1,098	68.0	47.1	57.6	-1.9	77.0	24	34.9	29	4.77	11	+0.8	1.75	17	..
Kawerau ..	100	75.4	54.0	64.7	+1.5	81.3	12	41.8	29	5.37	11	+0.8	3.62	17	..
Te Teko ..	100	73.0	53.0	63.0		81.0	18	38.1	29	4.12	8		2.36	17	253
Whakarewarewa ..	1,006	69.9	50.7	60.3	0.0	75.9	24	39.6	29	4.57	11	+0.3	1.68	17	216
Rotorua Airport ..	940	70.5	50.1	60.3		78.2	24	37.6	1	4.57	10		1.72	17	..
Tarawera Forest ..	200	74.2	48.8	61.5		80.9	12	33.5	1	5.43	12		3.10	17	..
Waiotapu ..	1,250	72.3	46.5	59.4	+0.2	80.5	24	32.1	1	4.06	9	+0.7	1.55	17	..
Kaingaroa ..	1,785	68.9	48.0	58.4	+0.5	77.5	24	30.5	31	4.02	12	-0.2	2.18	17	..
Wairapukao ..	1,435	71.9	47.9	59.9	+1.6	79.0	12, 24	33.2	29	4.70	16	+1.1	1.47	17	..
Taupo ..	1,232	71.2	50.4	60.8	+0.9	79.1	23	38.7	31	3.69	13	+0.6	1.20	17	212
Wairakei ..	1,122	72.3	50.0	61.2	+0.8	80.2	24	39.5	1	5.55	15	+2.3	1.51	17	..
Wairakei (Soil Con.) ..	1,320	70.8	47.6	59.2		80.2	24	34.7	1	4.40	13		1.67	17	..
Mingini Forest ..	1,650	71.9	48.3	60.1	+1.5	80.8	24	32.2	31	6.74	17	+3.0	2.32	17	..
Waimihia ..	2,400	64.1	45.9	55.0	-0.2	73.0	23, 24	31.3	31	6.46	18	+2.5	1.12	27	..
Opotiki ..	20	69.3	55.1	62.2	-0.1	73.1	8, 26	42.2	29	4.61	9	+1.1	1.98	17	239
Waimana ..	120	72.3	52.5	62.4		76.9	24, 26	39.2	29	4.01	12		2.28	17	..
Otara ..	40	70.0	53.5	61.8	0.0	77.1	13	43.5	31	3.08	13	+0.1	1.22	17	..
Auckland Airport, Mangere ..	25	70.1	57.0	63.6		78.7	13	50.1	31	3.58	11		1.72	17	..
Maioro ..	172	69.2	54.3	61.8	-0.2	76.5	14	45.0	31	5.01	11	+1.9	2.70	17	..
Maramarua ..	124	71.2	48.9	60.0	-1.8	80.5	13	39.5	31	3.60	10	+0.4	1.05	17	..
Te Kauwhata ..	105														..
Ruakura, Hamilton ..	131	71.2	48.6	59.9	-1.1	80.0	13	37.2	31	4.33	11	+1.4	1.36	17	243
Whatawhata ..	340														..
Rukuhia ..	215	70.9	50.4	60.6	-1.4	80.3	13	40.4	30	4.03	11	+0.9	1.25	17	241
Arapuni ..	350	72.6	51.1	61.8	-0.2	81.9	13	35.3	1	4.84	12	+1.2	1.27	17	..
Waikeria, Te Awamutu ..	156		49.4						36.0	3.68	11	+0.6	1.10	17	..
Puketurua ..	470	69.5	48.8	59.2	-0.4	76.9	24	35.0	31	4.33	12	+0.9	1.29	29	..
Te Kuiti ..	201	71.5	51.0	61.2	+0.5	79.0	13	40.1	31	6.28	14	+2.5	1.73	17	205
Pureora Forest ..	1,800	65.8	47.2	56.5	+1.2	76.0	10	36.3	29	6.15	13	+1.3	1.09	17	..
Taumarunui ..	562	74.8	50.8	62.8	+2.0	83.5	24	38.6	31	5.24	19	+1.3	1.70	17	201
New Plymouth ..	160	66.2	52.2	59.2	-1.3	71.7	10	41.4	31	4.76	12	0.0	1.45	17	230
New Plymouth Aerodrome ..	142	66.4	51.4	58.9	-0.7	72.7	16	40.5	31	5.24	12	+0.5	1.46	17	..
Te Wera Forest ..	590	68.0	47.2	57.6	-0.5	77.2	13	34.9	31	6.63	14	+1.0	1.58	17	..
Chateau Tongariro ..	3,670	59.5	39.8	49.6	-0.6	70.0	23	31.0	28, 31	13.07	18	+2.6	3.27	17	..
Ruatoria ..	200	75.3	52.6	64.0	+2.1	85.5	31	40.3	1	1.91	7		0.83	7, 18	..
Mangatu Forest ..	570	73.5	51.5	62.5		82.4	24	39.0	1	2.26	16		0.75	12	..
Waerenga-o-Kuri ..	1,030														..
Gisborne Aerodrome ..	13	74.0	52.8	63.4	+0.5	85.2	6	40.8	1	3.01	6	+1.0	1.56	20	270
Manutuke, Gisborne ..	100	72.9	52.9	62.9	+0.5	80.7	25	43.0	1	1.47	7	-0.3	0.54	7	..
Lake Waikaremoana ..	2,110	68.2	50.1	59.2	+1.3	78.0	12	40.9	29	5.01	17	+0.3	0.97	24	..
Esk Forest ..	1,400	69.1	50.9	60.0	+1.8	80.0	31	38.7	1	6.20	18	+2.3	1.70	12	..
Tangoio ..	980	69.3	53.1	61.2	+0.4	80.5	14	42.5	28	6.31	13	+3.0	1.81	7	..
Kuripapanga ..	1,600		48.2						29	3.31	17	-1.3	0.67	19	..
Napier ..	5	72.3	54.0	63.2	-0.4	82.3	16	41.9	1	3.36	10	+1.4	0.94	19	266
Taradale ..	18	73.6	53.2	63.4		83.1	6	41.5	1	3.89	10		1.58	20	..
Hastings ..	45	74.3	52.8	63.6	+0.1	83.8	16	41.2	1	3.35	10	+1.3	1.30	20	..
Hastings Fire Brigade ..	40	73.4	54.0	63.7		83.7	6	41.5	1	3.28	9		1.05	20	..
Havelock North ..	30	72.1	50.8	61.4	+0.1	80.8	6, 16	37.0	1	2.72	9	+0.9	0.78	20	..
Gwava Forest ..	1,100	69.6	46.2	57.9	-0.3	79.5	31	35.0	1	6.60	19	+3.3	1.15	20	..
Wairoa ..	25	73.5	53.4	63.4	-0.2	84.5	6	43.5	1	2.47	6	-0.3	1.25	20	..
Mangamutu, Pahiatua ..	380	68.2	52.1	60.2	+0.5	79.0	16	40.0	4	5.47	18	+1.3	1.8	20	..
Waingawa, Masterton ..	340	71.8	48.5	60.2	-0.4	81.5	23	37.3	1	2.92	10	0.0	1.03	20	274
Kopua ..	1,020	68.6	48.7	58.6		78.5	16	36.8	1	3.76	12</				