

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE—Summary of the Records of Temperature, Rainfall, and Sunshine for March 1972—continued

Station	Height of Station Above M.S.L.	Air Temperatures in Degrees (Celsius)								Rainfall in Millimetres				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
Metres	°C	°C	°C	°C	°C	°C	°C	mm	mm	Hrs					
Pureora Forest .. .. .	549	20.2	9.5	14.9	+1.5	25.6	1	0.5	14,22	237	14	+135	65	4	..
Otutira .. .. .	579	18.6	10.7	14.7	+0.3	23.7	1	6.7	15	250	12	..	59	9	..
Taumarunui .. .. .	171	22.9	11.9	17.4	+1.2	28.0	2	5.2	19	157	13	+73	48	4	133
Turangi .. .. .	366	20.8	12.1	16.5	..	23.8	11,22	6.6	19	271	15	..	87	4	..
New Plymouth .. .. .	49	20.7	14.0	17.4	+1.0	23.2	3	6.9	19	215	13	+121	75	9	154
Omata .. .. .	61	20.6	15.2	17.9	..	23.2	3	10.8	19	169	13	..	68	9	..
New Plymouth Aerodrome	27	20.9	13.2	17.1	+1.2	23.9	3	5.0	19	164	14	+73	64	9	..
Te Wera Forest .. .. .	180	20.9	11.4	16.2	+1.7	24.0	3	2.0	19	198	9	+91	49	10	..
Lower Retaruke .. .. .	223	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
The Chateau, Tongariro	1,119	15.9	7.9	11.9	+1.3	21.2	2	-0.5	15	358	14	+185	106	4	..
East Cape .. .. .	17	21.8	16.1	19.0	..	27.9	12	11.7	15	296	12	+205	74	9	..
Ruatoria .. .. .	61	23.8	13.0	18.4	+1.3	29.2	12	6.3	19	253	10	+131	65	8	..
Mangatu Forest .. .. .	174	22.7	12.4	17.6	+1.4	28.0	2	5.6	20	266	11	+157	64	4	..
Waerenga-O-Kuri .. .. .	314	21.0	12.8	16.9	+1.8	25.2	11	5.8	19	297	9	+200	112	8	..
Manutuke, Gisborne .. .. .	10	23.6	13.1	18.4	+1.6	28.5	11	6.6	18	215	9	+144	66	8	..
Gisborne Aerodrome .. .. .	4	23.3	13.2	18.3	+1.5	27.8	12	5.9	18	192	10	+116	45	8	186
Whakapunake .. .. .	945	17.2	9.9	13.6	..	21.2	2	5.0	18	324	11	..	55	5	..
Tokomaru Bay .. .. .	26	23.2	14.1	18.7	..	29.0	12	8.4	18	198	9	..	88	8	..
Onepoto, L. Waikaremoana	643	20.2	11.9	16.1	+1.9	25.6	1	7.1	14	312	13	+170	78	5	..
Makahu Spur .. .. .	1,479	15.5	8.4	12.0	..	21.4	2	3.0	14,18	..	..	..	..	..	..
Makahu Saddle .. .. .	974	18.2	9.0	13.6	..	25.0	10	3.4	15	301	9	+98	72	8	178
Esk Forest .. .. .	427	21.3	12.2	16.8	+2.5	25.7	11	5.4	18	261	12	+142	72	8	..
Tangoio .. .. .	299	21.4	13.8	17.6	+1.7	25.7	12	10.2	19	291	13	+169	81	8	..
Kaweka Forest .. .. .	414	21.2	12.3	16.8	..	27.5	11	8.7	19	229	11	..	65	8	..
Napier .. .. .	2	23.5	13.7	18.6	+1.6	30.3	11	6.6	19	143	10	+87	87	8	188
Hastings .. .. .	12	..	13.2	..	..	..	..	6.6	19	135	9	+84	45	9	..
Havelock North .. .. .	9	22.2	11.8	17.4	+1.7	31.2	11	4.6	19	130	10	+79	37	9	..
Gwavas Forest .. .. .	335	21.4	10.4	15.9	+1.9	28.2	11	3.8	19	186	9	+100	57	9	..
Makaretu .. .. .	335	..	11.1	..	..	29.6	23	3.4	19	166	14	..	45	9	..
Mohaka Forest .. .. .	286	21.9	12.5	17.2	..	26.8	11	6.4	18	235	10	..	61	7	..
Frasertown, Wairoa .. .. .	8	23.5	13.8	18.7	+1.5	28.2	11	7.2	19	202	11	+80	56	5	..
Wairoa .. .. .	20	23.3	14.7	19.0	..	29.9	11	7.6	19	154	10	..	39	8	172
Portland Island .. .. .	78	21.3	16.1	18.7	..	26.0	11	13.0	9	145	8	+89	32	9	..
Ballantrae No. 1, Woodville	348	18.7	12.7	15.7	..	24.8	3	8.6	19	156	15	..	85	10	..
Mangamutu, Pahiatua .. .. .	116	20.8	12.6	16.7	+1.5	26.0	3	2.5	19	136	12	+60	63	10	..
Mount Bruce .. .. .	305	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waingawa, Masterton .. .. .	114	22.7	11.1	16.9	+1.5	27.6	3	4.3	19	69	9	+13	29	10	191
Kopua .. .. .	311	21.0	11.3	16.2	..	25.5	11	2.9	19	168	9	..	75	10	..
Waipukurau .. .. .	137	23.0	11.5	17.3	+2.1	29.0	1,12	3.3	19	124	10	+78	37	9	166*
Castlepoint Lighthouse .. .. .	3	21.7	13.4	17.6	..	25.8	26	7.0	18	77	9	+19	40	10	..
Dannevirke .. .. .	207	21.5	12.8	17.2	+1.7	26.7	3	3.2	19	161	11	+95	89	10	164
Ngaumu Forest .. .. .	244	22.2	10.1	16.2	+2.2	28.4	24	1.3	18	71	9	+5	28	10	..
Tauherenikau .. .. .	43	22.4	11.5	17.0	..	28.0	3	5.3	19	97	12	..	39	10	..
Gladstone .. .. .	116	22.3	11.1	16.7	..	27.3	3	3.3	19	70	10	..	38	10	..
Waiorongomai .. .. .	21	20.9	12.2	16.6	..	26.4	3	4.5	19	100	12	+6	49	10	..
Cape Egmont Lighthouse .. .. .	8	21.3	14.8	18.1	..	25.3	3	8.8	19	182	16	..	56	9	..
Stratford Mountain House .. .. .	846	16.9	8.5	12.7	+0.5	21.2	2	2.0	19	561	18	+205	192	4	..
Stratford .. .. .	311	19.5	11.7	15.6	+1.1	23.2	3	3.0	19	203	14	+76	51	4	146
Manaia .. .. .	98	20.9	13.2	17.1	+1.8	24.6	3,26	8.2	19	204	10	+123	67	9	149
Patea .. .. .	43	20.9	14.4	17.7	..	25.5	3	10.0	19	198	..	..	56	9	..
Ohakune .. .. .	599	19.6	9.7	14.7	+1.8	24.7	3	0.5	15	102	11	+28	41	9	142
Karioi Forest .. .. .	648	20.3	9.4	14.9	+2.1	25.0	3	2.1	19	109	10	+43	36	10	..
Waiouru .. .. .	823	18.2	8.5	13.4	+1.8	22.4	2	1.5	15	113	10	+52	49	9	..
Waiouru (Military Camp) .. .. .	821	17.9	8.4	13.2	+1.8	22.2	2	1.5	1	130	11	+59	56	9	..
Kahui, Taihape .. .. .	518	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui .. .. .	22	21.7	14.4	18.1	+1.6	26.4	11	8.9	19	107	14	+51	40	9	139
Kapiti Island .. .. .	12	20.5	15.2	17.9	+1.9	23.2	4	11.5	19	155	11	+81	73	10	..
Paraparaumu Aerodrome .. .. .	7	20.7	14.7	17.7	+1.7	23.7	4	7.1	19	129	9	+60	59	10	150
Flock House, Bulls .. .. .	9	21.1	13.6	17.4	+1.8	25.4	4	6.8	19	154	9	+98	87	10	..
Ohakea .. .. .	48	21.3	13.1	17.2	+0.9	26.4	3	7.4	19	154	12	+96	84	10	152
Wharite .. .. .	915	14.5	9.0	11.8	..	22.0	3	4.7	18	315	20	..	125	10	..
Kairanga (D.S.I.R.) .. .. .	15	21.5	12.9	17.2	..	27.8	3	3.5	19	134	12	..	61	10	..
Palmerston Nth. Aerodrome .. .. .	43	21.3	12.7	17.0	+1.3	26.8	3	4.1	19	135	9	+77	78	10	..
Palmerston Nth. (D.S.I.R.) .. .. .	34	21.4	13.6	17.5	+1.5	26.6	3	6.6	19	139	11	+78	84	10	128
Massey University .. .. .	61	21.1	13.5	17.3	..	26.0	3	6.4	19	135	12	..	82	10	128
Foxton .. .. .	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	147	7	+94	95	10	139
Waitare Forest .. .. .	3	21.0	14.2	17.6	+2.3	24.9	3	6.7	19	133	9	+72	78	10	..
Hokio Beach School .. .. .	6	21.0	13.8	17.4	+2.2	24.6	3	6.6	19	128	11	..	69	10	..
Levin .. .. .	46	21.1	13.8	17.5	+2.0	25.7	3	6.1	19	145	14	+69	82	10	112
Paraparaumu .. .. .	6	21.5	14.6	18.1	..	24.5	4	6.6	19	140	12	..	61	10	..
Porirua .. .. .	18	20.6	14.5	17.6	..	25.5	4	5.5	14	112	7	..	45	10	..
Taita, Lower Hutt .. .. .	65	20.6	13.9	17.3	+2.2	25.1	3	6.6	18	122	9	+33	52	10	153
Pauatohanui .. .. .	31	20.8	13.4	17.1	..	25.0	3	7.2	18	109	11	..	..	..	..
Avalon, Lower Hutt .. .. .	15	20.8	14.0	17.4	+1.1	25.8	4	7.3	18	120	10	..	48	10	..
Kelburn, Wellington .. .. .	127	20.0	13.9	17.0	+1.6	23.7	4	9.3	18	102	9	+26	33	10	162
Makara .. .. .	279	17.6	12.9	15.3	+1.6	21.5	4	8.4	18	108	7	+34	32	10	129
Karori, Wellington .. .. .	152	19.2	13.1	16.2	..	22.6	4	4.6	18	117	9	..	37	10	..
Wainuiomata .. .. .	82	20.7	13.4	16.8	..	24.6	3	5.8	14	86	8	-13	32	10	..