

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		mm			mm		Hrs
Gracefield, Lower Hutt ..	34	20.5	13.9	17.2	+1.4	24.4	3	4.0	18	61	8	-20	23	9	..
Wellington Airport ..	6	20.9	14.7	17.8	+2.0	24.6	3,4	8.6	7	85	7	+21	28	10	..
Kaitoke ..	191	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wallaceville, Upper Hutt ..	56	20.9	12.6	16.8	+2.1	26.1	3	3.0	18	107	10	+23	51	10	160
Whitemans Valley ..	235	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Farewell Spit Lighthouse ..	3	20.9	14.0	17.5	..	23.3	22	9.5	19	215	16	+141	75	25	..
Patons Rock, Takaka ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	363	14	..	137	9	174
Westport Aerodrome ..	2	19.8	12.5	16.2	+1.3	22.7	8	8.4	6	163	17	-2	58	10	136
Cobb Dam ..	824	17.0	8.8	12.9	+1.7	25.4	1	3.1	7	254	15	+114	75	9	..
Murchison ..	159	..	10.8	..	..	28.0	2	4.8	20	153	15	..	51	10	..
Lake Rotoiti ..	634	18.2	8.4	13.3	+1.0	25.9	2	0.9	19	157	16	+55	52	10	..
Hokitika Aerodrome ..	39	19.1	11.9	15.5	+1.2	25.3	9	6.0	6	332	24	+121	71	10	144
Reefton ..	198	20.7	10.9	15.8	+1.5	28.0	2	3.4	6	147	18	+15	31	10	..
Totara Flat ..	77	20.7	10.8	15.8	+2.1	26.4	4	4.0	6	158	15	+23	33	10	..
Greymouth Aerodrome ..	4	19.4	13.1	16.3	+1.4	23.5	9	6.3	18	263	21	+80	82	10	130
Harihari ..	45	..	10.4	..	..	25.0	3	2.7	18	573	24	+304	88	4	..
Franz Josef ..	122	18.6	10.7	14.7	+1.1	24.1	9	3.7	18	776	20	+344	161	4	..
Haast ..	4	18.3	11.7	15.0	+1.3	22.6	9	5.5	18	592	23	+267	79	29	127
Milford Sound ..	3	17.7	10.4	14.1	+0.9	21.8	9	4.7	6	1,381	23	+815	256	4	..
Riwaka, Motueka ..	8	21.4	11.0	16.2	+0.6	26.7	11	5.0	19	163	9	+92	57	25	196*
Golden Downs Forest ..	274	20.3	10.5	15.4	+1.5	36.3	1	2.8	8	134	13	+53	42	10	..
Brightlands Bay, Marl. Sds.	15	20.2	15.2	17.7	..	24.0	5	11.0	18,19	226	10	..	53	10	..
Appleby ..	17	21.1	12.6	16.9	+1.1	25.1	11	8.2	19	140	11	+84	36	9	..
Nelson Aerodrome ..	2	21.2	12.8	17.0	+1.7	25.2	12	7.4	20	153	11	+87	38	9	182
Rai Valley ..	79	21.4	11.7	16.6	+1.8	26.4	22	3.3	19	226	10	+76	45	4	..
Moutere Hills ..	137	20.5	13.4	17.0	+1.0	24.7	22	9.4	18	160	11	+96	29	9	..
Blenheim Aerodrome ..	27	22.9	12.0	17.5	+1.7	27.2	12	5.7	18	68	8	+25	25	9	..
Blenheim ..	4	22.8	12.6	17.7	+1.8	27.7	3	6.0	18	66	7	+25	25	9	219
Wither Hills, Blenheim ..	32	22.8	12.8	17.8	+1.9	28.1	3	6.0	18	59	6	+18	22	9	..
Waihopai ..	26	22.3	10.5	16.4	+1.3	28.3	3	4.2	18	94	9	+38	29	10	..
Black Birch Range ..	1,396	13.7	7.0	10.4	..	22.4	20	5.0	18	123	..	..	..	..	..
Vernon Lagoon ..	2	22.4	11.7	17.1	..	27.2	3	6.1	18,19	41	6	..	22	10	202
Lake Grassmere ..	2	21.6	13.7	17.7	+2.1	26.2	11	8.0	18	55	7	+17	23	9	193
Cape Campbell ..	3	19.6	12.3	16.0	..	23.8	11,12	8.6	18	36	7	-5	11	9	..
Hamner Forest ..	387	21.8	9.0	15.4	+2.1	29.0	3	1.3	8	58	13	-26	18	24	..
Molesworth ..	893	19.9	6.8	13.4	+1.7	26.8	20	-1.4	8	66	9	+23	18	10	..
Kaikoura ..	99	21.3	12.7	17.0	+2.1	32.6	11	9.0	6	39	9	-30	10	10	189
Balmoral Forest ..	198	22.8	8.8	15.8	+1.9	30.0	20	0.2	30	28	8	-18	14	10	..
The Hermitage, Mt. Cook ..	762	17.5	8.1	12.8	+0.5	26.6	2	1.7	18	564	18	+191	153	4	111
Godley Peaks ..	762	19.3	6.9	13.1	..	24.4	23	0.0	6	35	..	-21	13	10	..
Mount John ..	1,027	17.7	7.5	12.6	+0.9	23.6	3,23	2.3	6	22	10	-14	12	10	211
Ski Basin, Craigieburn Rng.	1,555	12.0	4.8	8.4	+1.0	18.3	20	-2.2	6	120	18	..	21	10	..
Craigieburn Forest ..	915	18.6	7.5	13.1	+1.7	25.5	1	0.9	6	80	17	-29	16	10	..
Camp Stream, Craigieburn Rg.	1,433	..	5.5	..	..	..	..	-0.5	6	142	18	..	31	4	..
Lake Coleridge ..	364	21.1	9.4	15.3	+1.8	27.3	3	1.2	8	29	11	-24	12	10	..
Highbank ..	336	20.2	9.8	15.0	+1.7	26.4	11	4.6	6	29	10	-40	10	10	205
Hororata ..	192	22.5	9.9	16.2	+2.4	30.0	23	-0.6	8	35	10	-21	15	10	..
Winchmore ..	160	20.9	9.8	15.4	+2.0	30.2	23	1.5	8	29	9	-24	13	10	..
Ashburton ..	101	22.8	10.2	16.5	+1.8	32.6	23	1.2	8	31	10	-22	14	10	182
Ashley Forest ..	107	20.6	10.6	15.6	+1.6	29.8	11	4.4	11	46	7	-10	14	10	197
Rangiora ..	46	22.0	10.5	16.3	+2.3	30.9	23	3.0	14	30	9	-16	12	10	..
Darfield ..	195	22.4	10.1	16.3	+2.0	30.4	23	1.7	17	28	10	-23	13	10	..
Eyrewell Forest ..	159	22.1	9.8	16.0	+2.5	31.0	11	1.4	8	30	13	-23	13	10	..
Christchurch Airport ..	30	21.5	11.4	16.5	+2.4	31.2	11	3.8	8	25	10	-18	13	10	195
Christchurch ..	7	22.3	11.5	16.9	+2.3	32.0	11	4.1	18	26	9	-17	13	10	..
Bromley, Christchurch ..	10	21.4	12.6	17.0	+2.5	31.0	11	5.4	8	28	8	-13	15	10	..
Mt. Pleasant, Christchurch	137	20.5	13.1	16.8	+2.7	30.2	11	6.5	18	31	7	..	15	10	..
Lincoln ..	11	22.0	10.9	16.5	+2.4	31.1	11	2.2	8	25	10	-21	15	10	199
Onawe, Akaroa ..	46	22.3	12.4	17.4	+2.1	32.0	11	6.2	6	29	9	-37	13	10	189
Lake Tekapo ..	683	20.1	8.2	14.2	+1.0	25.7	23	0.9	6	69	10	+28	32	15	206
Lake Pukaki No. 2 ..	556	19.2	9.0	14.1	..	26.4	2	2.6	6	36	10	..	12	10	..
Fairlie ..	306	21.1	7.4	14.3	+1.3	29.4	23	-1.0	6	53	10	0	27	16	..
Twizel ..	457	20.4	7.1	13.8	..	26.9	2	-1.0	6	51	13	..	12	10	..
Ikawai ..	70	20.6	9.0	14.8	..	28.4	4	1.0	6	34	7	..	15	10	..
Temuka ..	24	21.4	8.4	14.9	+1.3	30.4	4	0.5	26,28	59	8	+6	19	28	..
Timaru Aerodrome ..	23	20.7	9.4	15.1	+1.7	30.5	4	3.0	18	43	13	..	16	10	..
Adair ..	85	20.3	10.8	15.6	+2.0	29.7	4	5.2	18	40	10	-6	12	10	..
Timaru ..	17	20.5	10.8	15.7	+1.5	29.1	4	4.0	6	37	9	-9	13	10	154
Waimate ..	61	20.7	10.7	15.7	+1.5	29.3	21	4.6	18	41	12	-12	13	10	158
Oamaru Aerodrome ..	30	19.6	9.8	14.7	+1.2	27.5	4	1.0	5	42	12	-0.4	17	10	..
Tara Hills, Omarama ..	488	20.3	8.1	14.2	+1.5	27.2	2	0.3	6	58	15	+15	13	4	184
Lake Hawea ..	350	19.4	10.1	14.8	+0.4	28.4	2	3.5	6	114	16	+38	23	4	..
Naseby Forest ..	610	18.9	6.4	12.7	+1.2	26.8	11	-2.0	6	83	8	+30	32	4	..
Herbert Forest ..	61	20.3	7.7	14.0	..	29.0	4	1.7	11	53	12	-3	21	10	..
Palmerston ..	21	20.1	9.1	14.6	..	26.9	4	-0.4	6	56	11	..	19	10	..
Cherry Farm, Waikouaiti	6	19.8	9.6	14.7	+2.5	27.4	4	2.5	7	55	12	+2	16	10	..
Taiaroa Head ..	76	17.2	11.1	14.2	+1.9	25.2	21	2.7	18	53	13	-11	21	10	..