

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

Station	Height of Station Above M.S.L.	Air Temperatures in Degrees (Celsius)								Rainfall in Millimetres				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 Fall		
		A Max.	B Min.			Maximum	Date	Minimum	Date				Amount		Date
	Metres	°C	°C	°C	°C	°C		°C		mm		mm	mm		Hrs
Wellington Airport	6	18.2	11.8	15.0	-0.5	22.3	30	5.7	28	34	15	-60	11	8	..
Kaitoke	226	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wallaceville, Upper Hutt	56	18.2	9.7	14.0	-0.8	23.0	30,31	2.2	4	65	12	-42	15	13	185
Farewell Spit	3	19.5	11.2	15.4	..	22.0	21	8.0	21	57	13	-42	14	25	..
Patons Rock, Takaka	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	89	12	..	19	18	248
Westport Aerodrome	2	17.4	10.2	13.8	-0.4	21.0	1	6.3	28	217	17	+11	46	12	198
Cobb Dam	823	14.8	5.5	10.2	-1.1	22.4	30	0.4	2	126	18	-44	34	25	..
Murchison	158	20.6	7.8	14.2	..	25.5	11	1.7	3	125	16	..	27	23	..
Lake Rotoiti	634	17.3	6.3	11.8	-0.9	23.9	30	0.6	7	156	16	+29	42	25	..
Hokitika Aerodrome	39	17.0	9.5	13.3	-1.1	20.1	17	4.8	2	204	20	-42	49	17	198
Reefton	198	19.5	8.4	14.0	-0.9	25.7	16	2.2	2	178	15	-29	35	12	..
Totara Flat	77	19.3	8.7	14.0	0.0	24.0	16	1.0	2	212	16	+47	40	25	..
Greymouth Aerodrome	4	17.3	10.5	13.9	-0.8	21.0	17	7.2	14	181	16	-45	38	12	175
Harihari	45	18.2	8.9	13.6	-0.3	22.1	17	3.0	2	245	20	..	67	17	..
Franz Josef	122	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Haast	4	16.4	8.9	12.7	-0.6	19.6	1	4.4	14	223	19	-2	34	17	198
Milford Sound	3	16.9	8.3	12.6	-0.7	22.2	6	3.6	14	407	19	-187	86	24	..
Riwaka, Motueka	8	20.3	9.1	14.7	-1.3	25.4	31	5.4	14	30	9	-61	6	18	266
Golden Downs Forest	274	19.1	7.8	13.5	-0.8	26.0	31	3.3	2	86	14	-8	21	25	..
Brightlands Bay, Marl. Sds.	15	17.8	11.9	14.9	..	21.8	31	8.0	14	90	13	..	17	12	..
Elie Bay	9	17.9	11.4	14.7	..	21.5	31	5.6	3	85	..	..	..	..	..
Appleby	17	19.6	9.9	14.8	-1.2	23.3	31	5.1	2	43	10	-28	23	8	..
Nelson Aerodrome	2	19.8	10.1	15.0	-0.5	24.4	20	4.6	2	17	12	-62	3	25	244
Rai Valley	79	..	8.5	..	..	..	..	2.3	14	92	12	-86	29	19	..
Moutere Hills	137	19.6	10.3	15.0	-1.5	24.2	16	5.7	27	37	11	-44	10	8	..
Blenheim Aerodrome	27	21.3	8.5	14.9	-1.6	31.5	31	3.0	14	10	9	-46	29	23	..
Blenheim	4	21.4	10.0	15.7	-0.8	30.4	31	4.2	14	13	10	-35	3	13	268
Wither Hills, Blenheim	32	21.5	10.1	15.8	1.0	31.9	31	4.0	3	14	2	-39	5	13	..
Waihopai	262	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Black Birch Ra.	1,396	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vernon Lagoon	2	20.8	8.9	14.9	..	30.3	31	1.7	3	6	7	..	2	20	238
Lake Grassmere	2	19.3	10.9	15.1	-0.8	30.8	31	-0.5	22	26	12	-17	8	22	233
Cape Campbell	3	17.5	12.1	14.8	..	22.4	24	8.2	2	26	8	-27	8	27	..
Hanmer Forest	387	19.1	6.7	12.9	-1.1	28.7	18	-2.0	3	81	15	-16	22	25	196
Molesworth	893	17.9	4.3	11.1	-1.1	25.6	30	-3.4	3	52	11	+4	20	25	..
Kaikoura	99	18.1	10.1	14.1	-0.8	28.6	24	5.2	3	27	10	-52	8	1,5	206
Balmoral Forest	198	19.8	7.9	13.7	-1.0	28.5	30	0.1	3	46	11	-12	10	25	..
The Hermitage, Mount Cook	765	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Godley Peaks	762	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	9	-22	10	26	..
Mount John	1,026	15.5	5.0	10.3	-1.8	21.6	31	0.2	14	28	6	-23	8	23	245
Ski Basin, Craigieburn Ra.	1,554	9.8	1.3	5.6	-1.8	17.4	30	-5.5	2	166	19	..	35	17	..
Craigieburn Forest	914	15.9	3.5	9.7	-2.1	25.0	29	-1.5	2	120	17	-15	33	25	..
Camp Stream, Craigieburn Ra.	1,433	11.8	2.6	7.2	-1.8	19.5	30	-3.9	2	188	19	..	46	25	..
Lake Coleridge	364	18.1	7.0	12.6	-1.6	26.5	30	1.5	2	66	18	-5	18	25	..
Highbank	336	17.3	7.5	12.4	-1.5	27.0	30	2.5	3	63	11	-31	16	13	195
Hororata	192	19.2	7.2	13.2	-1.3	29.6	30	0.0	3	70	16	-9	21	13	..
Winchmore	160	18.7	7.5	13.1	-1.1	29.4	30,31	3.0	3	51	11	-30	23	13	..
Ashburton	101	20.4	8.2	13.4	-1.1	31.8	31	2.8	14	37	11	-37	19	13	196
Ashley Forest	107	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rangiora	46	19.6	7.9	13.8	-0.8	28.3	18	3.2	3	41	13	-23	12	13	..
Darfield	195	19.9	7.5	13.7	-1.2	31.5	30	0.5	3	63	11	-11	20	13	..
Eyrewell Forest	158	19.3	7.2	13.3	-1.4	30.5	30	-0.5	3	62	14	-14	17	13	..
Christchurch Airport	30	18.8	9.0	13.9	-1.1	29.9	31	4.5	3	41	13	-15	15	13	211
Christchurch	7	19.7	9.3	14.5	-0.9	29.1	31	4.9	2	39	9	-22	21	13	..
Bromley, Christchurch	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mt. Pleasant, Christchurch	137	17.6	9.8	13.7	..	27.6	31	4.8	2	34	11	..	13	13	..
Lincoln	11	19.0	8.0	13.5	-1.3	30.6	31	1.8	3	45	13	-21	16	13	205
Onawe, Akaroa	46	18.8	9.2	14.0	-1.7	29.1	31	5.4	3,4	41	13	-28	11	4	195
Lake Tekapo	683	18.3	6.3	12.3	-1.7	24.8	31	-1.0	2	29	8	-29	7	25	232
Haldon	399	..	6.6	..	..	..	..	0.5	14	38	..	..	..	..	..
Lake Pukaki	556	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fairlie	306	18.1	6.7	12.4	-1.4	28.0	31	0.5	2	51	9	-25	17	8	..
Twizel	457	19.0	6.9	13.0	..	24.3	31	0.2	14	61	10	..	13	8	..
Ikawai	70	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Orari Estate	81	18.9	8.2	13.6	..	30.6	31	1.3	3	54	12	-30	19	13	..
Temuka	24	18.9	8.5	13.7	-0.1	31.5	31	3.5	14	42	9	-39	15	8	..
Timaru Aerodrome	26	18.6	7.9	13.3	-1.0	32.3	31	1.4	3	34	11	-37	9	8	..
Adair	85	17.7	8.5	13.1	-0.8	29.3	31	3.1	3	35	12	-36	11	8	..
Timaru	17	19.0	8.8	13.9	-1.2	30.4	31	2.5	14	51	13	-23	12	8	194
Waimate	61	19.0	9.2	14.1	-0.7	30.5	31	3.0	2	35	13	-44	12	23	195
Livingstone Substation	305	16.6	7.9	12.3	..	23.0	8	3.2	14	35	12	..	13	24	..
Oamaru Aerodrome	30	17.5	8.1	12.8	-1.1	29.5	31	1.7	2	27	11	..	13	23	..
Tara Hills, Omarama	488	19.1	6.8	13.0	-1.1	25.0	30	-1.3	14	30	11	-26	14	23	193
Lake Hawea	350	18.8	7.9	13.4	-2.0	22.5	21	1.7	14	58	11	-6	15	23	..
Naseby Forest	610	17.3	4.5	13.1	-0.9	23.8	31	-3.0	2	46	10	-20	8	3	..
Herbert Forest	61	18.4	7.4	12.9	..	28.2	30	1.0	2	40	10	-39	19	23	..
Palmerston	21	17.6	7.7	12.7	..	29.1	30	-1.2	2	41	13	..	13	23	178
Cherry Farm, Waikouaiti	6	17.0	6.9	12.0	-0.9	25.8	30	0.6	2	42	15	-24	10	23	..
Taiaroa Head	72	14.6	9.1	11.9	-1.0	24.1	31	5.9	2	49	15	-25	13	17	..