

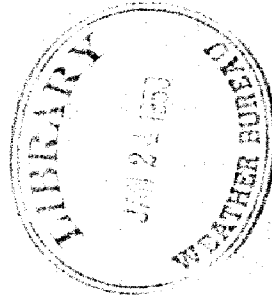
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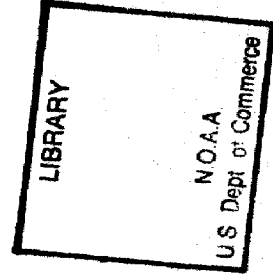
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1953

OXFORD AIRPORT (BAHAMAS)

The mean maximum temperature for January should read 76.3 not 73.4
The mean temperature for January should read 69.3 not 67.8
The mean Maximum temperature for the year should read 83.2 not 83.0
The mean temperature for the year should read 76.6 not 76.4

1954

PEARL'S AIRPORT (GRENADA)

The total rainfall for July should read 3.56 not 3.55 ins. ✓
The total rainfall for August should read 4.94 not 4.74 ins. ✓
The total rainfall for September should read 10.89 not 10.90 ins. ✓
The total rainfall for the year should read 77.95 not 77.74 ins. ✓

MAZARUNI (BRITISH GUYANA)

The maximum rainfall in a day for the year should read 4.21 not 3.81 ins. ✓

LETHEM (BRITISH GUYANA)

The total rainfall for November should read 1.40 not 1.50 ins. ✓
The total rainfall for the year should read 69.96 not 70.06 ins. ✓

1955

PIARCO (TRINIDAD)

The total rainfall for June should read 13.20 not 15.71 ins. ✓
The percentage of average of rainfall for June should read 107% not 127% ✓
The maximum rainfall in a day in June should read 1.74 ins, not 2.85 ins. ✓
The total rainfall for the year should read 77.53 not 80.04 ins. ✓
The total percentage of average of rainfall for the year should read 104% not 107%. ✓

PALISADOES (JAMAICA)

The percentage of average of rainfall for December should read 123 not 110% ✓
The percentage of average of rainfall for the year should read 106 not 105% ✓
At the bottom of the page, the average annual rainfall (1942 - 1954) should read 31.50 not 31.65 ins. ✓

C O N T E N T S

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

List of Stations and General Information.

Name of Station	Latitude N.	Longitude W.	Elevation (feet)	Heights above ground		Standard of Time G.M.T.-hrs.	Supervising Authority
				Thermometers (feet)	Anemometer (feet)		
Green Turtle Cay, Abaco, Bahamas	26 45	77 18	10	5	Director of Telecommunications
West End, Grand Bahama, do.	26 41	78 59	8	...	...	5
Hope Town, Abaco, do.	26 32	76 57	24	...	...	5
Alice Town, Bimini, do.	25 43	79 18	25	...	...	5
Dunmore Town, Eleuthera, do.	25 31	76 38	49	...	...	5
Oakes Airport, Nassau, do.	25 03	77 23	15	4	35	5	Meteorological Service
The Bight, Cat Is., do.	24 18	75 25	6	5	Director of Telecommunications
Mangrove Cay, Andros, do.	24 13	77 36	29	...	...	5
Clarence Town, Long Is., do.	23 06	74 59	29	...	...	5
Albert Town, Crooked Is., do.	22 37	74 22	25	...	...	5
Abraham Bay, Mayaguana, do.	22 22	72 58	14	...	...	5
Duncan Town, Ragged Is., do.	22 11	75 43	10	5	Director of Telecommunications
Matthew Town, Inagua, do.	20 56	73 41	14	...	...	5
Girwin A.C., Jamaica	18 28	77 54	80	...	...	5
Orange River, do.	18 17	76 54	450	...	...	5
Negril Point, do.	18 15	78 23	33	4	18	5	
Guanwood, do.	18 13	76 35	250	5	Director of Agriculture
Castleton Gardens, do.	18 11	76 50	496	5	
Holmwood, do.	18 09	77 31	3004	5	
Grove Place, do.	18 07	77 33	1460	5	

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Name of Station	Latitude N. ° ' "	Longitude W. ° ' "	Elevation (feet)	Heights above ground		Standard of Time G.M.T. -hrs.	Supervising Authority
				Thermometers (feet)	Rain gauge (feet)		
Cinchona (Hill Gardens), Jamaica	18 05	76 39	4897	...	...	5	Director of Agriculture
Hope Laboratory, do.	18 02	76 45	668	...	...	5	Director of Agriculture
St. George's College, do.	17 59	76 48	80	4	3	5	Principal
Bodles, do.	17 56	77 08	48	...	...	5	Director of Agriculture
Palisadoes Airport, do.	17 56	76 47	25	4	1	5	Meteorological Service
Duckenfield, do.	17 55	75 14	24	...	...	5	Jamaica Sugar Estates
Morant Point, do.	17 55	76 11	8	4	10	5	Director of Public Works
Belize, British Honduras	17 30	88 11	17	12	40	6	Director of Information and Communications
La Guerite, St. Kitts	17 20	62 45	157	4	...	4	Supt. of Agriculture
Cotton Station, Antigua	17 09	61 50	190	4	20	4	Chief Cotton Officer
Grove, Montserrat	16 43	62 13	130	4	...	4	Supt. of Agriculture
Botanic Gardens, Dominica	15 18	61 23	60	4	...	4	Supt. of Agriculture
Castries, St. Lucia	14 01	61 00	10	...	...	4	Supt. of Agriculture
Camden Park, St. Vincent	13 10	61 15	30	4	25	4	Supt. of Agriculture
Kingstown, St. Vincent	13 09	61 14	80	4	40	4	Supt. of Agriculture
Codrington, Barbados	13 08	59 36	190	4	40	4	Director of Agriculture
Seawell Airport, Barbados	13 04	59 30	183	4	34	4	Meteorological Service
Pearl's Airport, Grenada	12 09	61 37	22	4	25	4	Meteorological Service
St. Clair, Trinidad	10 40	61 31	67	4	...	4	Director of Agriculture
Imperial College of Tropical Agriculture, Trinidad	10 36	61 24	52	5	10	4	Principal, Imperial College of Tropical Agriculture
Piarco Airport, Trinidad	10 37	61 21	41	4	60	4	Meteorological Service
Mabaruma, British Guiana	08 12	59 47	185	4	25	4	Director of Agriculture
Georgetown, British Guiana	06 49	58 11	7	4	50	4	Director of Agriculture

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Name of Station	Latitude N.	Longitude W.	Elevation	Heights above ground		Standard of Time G.M.T.-hrs.	Supervising Authority
				Thermometers (feet)	Anemometer (feet)		
Atkinson Field, British Guiana	06 49	58 11	95	4	30	1	Director of Civil Aviation
Mazaruni, British Guiana	06 24	58 39	55	4	20	1	Director of Agriculture
Enachu, do.	06 09	60 03	250	4	...	1	
Lethem, do	03 24	59 38	270	4	...	1	

Notes

1. The station elevation refers to the height of the barometer cistern above Mean Sea Level.
2. There are occasional errors in the co-ordinates as given in the individual station summaries; the correct figures are given in this list.
3. Instrumental corrections are applied at the time of observation.
4. All thermometers are exposed in louvered screens.
5. Extreme temperatures are read in the morning and the maximum is entered to the previous day.
6. Rainfall is read in the morning (normally 1200 G.M.T.) and is entered to the previous day.
7. ... implies that the information is not available or is unreliable.

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(Bahamas Division)

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956.

Meteorological Station, Green Turtle Cay, Abaco Isl. 26°45'N; 77°18'W; 10 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)								Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)				
	Means				Extremes				07h	13h	19h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days	Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)
	07h	13h	19h	Mean	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.								
January	61.3	69.8	63.0	72.7	72.7	59.3	66.0	78	52	80	79	3.39	136	1.90	4	9.9
February	67.9	76.0	69.6	78.3	78.3	65.9	72.1	83	59	83	86	1.58	59	1.30	2	9.5
March	67.4	75.8	69.2	78.9	78.9	63.8	71.3	87	51	85	88	1.69	51	1.04	4	9.2
April	71.4	78.6	71.7	81.0	81.0	66.7	73.9	88	59	82	80	1.83	57	0.98	2	10.1
May	77.7	82.5	77.6	86.6	86.6	73.1	79.9	93	70	79	80	0.76	21	0.30	4	9.4
June	79.2	83.0	80.7	88.1	88.1	73.4	80.7	94	70	76	77	4.05	56	1.40	9	7.5
July	80.4	84.6	83.7	89.6	89.6	73.0	81.3	93	70	79	77	4.23	63	1.18	7	7.8
August	81.3	86.4	85.9	91.7	91.7	74.9	83.3	95	72	81	76	4.14	65	2.10	8	6.5
September	78.8	84.9	83.2	88.6	88.6	72.5	80.5	93	71	84	79	9.84	118	1.80	12	8.5
October	77.5	81.6	80.0	85.8	85.8	70.3	78.1	89	67	86	82	10.46	97	6.15	7	9.8
November	72.1	75.6	73.6	79.8	79.8	65.8	72.8	83	54	81	79	5.51	169	1.65	10	10.7
December	68.6	73.5	71.0	77.3	77.3	61.9	69.6	84	51	77	79	0.04	2	0.03	2	8.5
Year	73.6	79.4	75.8	83.2	83.2	68.4	75.8	95	51	81	80	47.52	79	6.15	71	8.9

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1017.9 mb (30.059 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station, West End, Grand Bahama Island: 26°41'N; 76°59'W; 8 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)								Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	Means				Extremes				07h	13h	19h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	13h	19h	Mean	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.								
January	62.3	69.1	64.9	65.6	81	44	89	66	75	75	1.15	87	0.53	3	9.9	
February	67.9	77.7	71.0	72.3	86	54	86	65	76	76	1.85	77	1.20	4	9.7	
March	67.8	77.0	69.7	71.4	88	49	81	60	75	75	0.74	34	0.49	3	11.1	
April	71.2	80.3	73.0	74.0	89	55	73	56	71	71	1.75	56	0.90	4	10.9	
May	77.8	83.8	78.1	79.8	92	63	81	66	76	76	1.99	57	1.00	5	10.1	
June	80.4	87.6	80.9	81.7	97	66	79	61	72	72	1.42	27	1.20	4	6.3	
July	81.7	89.6	82.0	83.7	97	69	81	63	76	76	2.95	44	0.55	13	6.1	
August	80.8	89.0	80.7	83.2	93	68	91	66	84	84	2.93	69	1.00	7	5.0	
September	79.8	84.4	79.6	81.1	94	70	86	73	83	83	5.38	90	2.25	17	8.1	
October	75.8	82.4	77.2	77.6	92	63	86	73	82	82	4.14	48	1.95	11	8.5	
November	69.3	76.4	71.0	71.1	83	47	83	69	79	79	0.99	52	0.30	6	9.9	
December	68.2	76.3	70.6	71.2	86	42	85	70	80	80	0.50	28	0.50	1	6.6	
Year	73.6	81.2	74.9	76.1	98	42	94	66	77	77	26.29	54	2.25	78	8.5	

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1017.5 mb (30.047 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956

Meteorological Station, Hope Town, Abaco Isl. 26°32'N; 76°57'W; 24 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)							Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)				Mean Wind Speed (kts.)	
	Means			Extremes				07h	13h	19h	Total	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days		
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.									Min.
January	61.2	72.0	68.4	73.5	54.3	63.9	79	40	69	80	76	0.32	28	0.25	3	15.3
February	67.6	75.8	73.2	77.4	64.2	70.8	84	57	80	81	80	0.69	42	0.61	2	14.3
March	69.1	78.2	75.0	79.7	65.1	72.4	87	57	79	80	81	0.62	32	0.32	4	15.5
April	71.5	79.2	77.1	80.8	69.4	75.1	87	59	80	80	79	0.77	45	0.61	3	14.9
May	75.9	84.5	81.6	86.3	70.5	78.4	89	68	79	75	77	0.23	7	0.11	3	11.2
June	76.9	85.9	83.6	87.9	71.9	79.9	90	70	78	72	74	0.41	10	0.17	4	9.3
July	77.5	87.3	85.0	89.3	72.2	80.7	90	71	81	71	73	0.20	8	0.10	3	10.5
August	77.5	87.5	85.7	89.3	72.5	80.9	90	70	78	72	73	1.76	54	0.95	9	9.6
September	76.9	86.1	83.2	88.0	71.6	79.8	92	69	78	72	75	3.80	93	0.93	12	10.8
October	75.7	82.9	80.0	84.8	72.3	78.5	90	66	78	76	78	8.10	104	2.80	10	11.7
November	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
December	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Year	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

Mean Pressure at M.S.L.

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(Bahamas Division)

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956.

Meteorological Station, Dunmore Town, Harbour Island (Eleuthera), 25°31'N: 76°38'W, 49 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	Means					Extremes					%			Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h	13h	19h	Total						
January	64.4	71.9	66.4	73.1	62.5	67.8	80	56	81	70	80	0.70	43	0.68	2	9.5		
February	70.1	76.2	70.5	77.1	67.8	72.5	83	61	85	74	86	1.59	99	1.25	3	9.9		
March	70.5	76.5	69.9	78.1	66.3	72.2	84	58	80	67	82	0.34	21	0.20	2	8.8		
April	72.4	77.9	71.8	79.7	68.7	74.2	85	61	82	71	83	0.96	58	0.78	2	9.7		
May	77.2	81.7	76.4	83.2	72.9	78.1	90	68	83	75	86	2.14	57	0.82	5	9.3		
June	79.6	82.9	78.6	84.6	74.9	79.7	88	67	84	79	87	3.44	69	1.57	7	8.5		
July	80.9	85.2	80.7	86.9	76.9	81.9	90	70	87	80	88	3.49	76	1.30	9	8.6		
August	81.9	87.3	82.1	89.7	77.5	83.6	93	70	85	77	87	2.02	39	0.75	6	6.6		
September	80.2	83.9	79.7	86.3	76.1	81.2	90	70	85	81	86	8.73	136	1.91	19	7.9		
October	78.5	82.7	77.9	84.2	74.3	79.3	89	66	86	81	88	9.76	133	1.25	12	9.4		
November	71.9	77.3	72.1	78.9	69.2	74.1	84	59	85	80	86	0.54	27	0.17	5	9.1		
December	71.4	76.3	71.5	77.8	69.1	73.5	82	60	87	78	85	0.36	17	0.22	2	9.8		
Year	74.9	80.0	74.8	81.6	71.3	76.5	93	56	84	76	85	84.07	86	1.91	74	8.9		

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1017.2 mb (30.038 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station. (Oakes Airport, Bahamas). 25003 N; 77023 W; 15 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

MONTH	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity (%)			Rainfall (ins.)			Near Wind Speed (Knots)		
	M e a n s										E x t r e m e s			Total	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days	Bright Sunshine (Hours)
	01h.	07h.	13h.	19h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	01h.	07h.	13h.	19h.							Fall
January	62.3	61.0	73.1	65.3	74.7	59.3	67.0	81	47	79	81	55	73	0.31	27	0.30	2	259.5	8.6
February	68.5	67.2	77.1	71.1	79.1	65.8	72.5	84	58	89	89	67	81	1.93	108	1.03	6	246.5	9.0
March	65.9	65.3	77.7	70.3	79.4	62.7	71.1	84	48	83	86	58	75	0.28	21	0.13	4	285.5	7.7
April	68.8	70.4	79.6	73.0	80.7	66.1	73.4	87	56	87	85	62	78	0.83	31	0.71	5	271.0	9.0
May	73.5	76.1	83.3	77.3	85.4	70.7	78.1	90	62	88	83	65	80	1.83	53	0.47	10	321.6	8.6
June	75.3	77.6	83.2	79.8	86.1	73.0	79.5	89	66	90	88	73	81	4.63	64	2.50	15	228.5	7.5
July	76.7	78.4	86.8	82.2	88.5	74.3	81.4	90	69	87	86	64	74	6.00	96	3.33	14	299.0	7.5
August	77.0	78.4	86.9	82.8	89.9	74.3	82.1	92	70	88	87	63	74	5.28	78	2.14	11	270.0	5.5
September	76.5	77.2	84.8	78.9	87.1	74.2	80.7	90	71	90	89	70	84	8.87	125	1.98	24	216.4	6.4
October	75.0	74.9	83.0	77.1	85.1	72.2	78.7	90	66	88	89	71	83	11.41	139	2.93	18	214.6	6.5
November	69.3	68.7	77.7	70.8	79.4	66.8	73.1	85	54	80	81	63	77	0.70	25	0.19	9	243.7	7.6
December	68.2	67.7	77.4	70.4	79.2	65.9	72.5	83	48	85	88	66	80	0.52	33	0.25	7	234.6	8.0
Year	71.4	71.9	80.9	74.9	82.9	68.8	75.8	92	47	86	86	65	78	42.59	84	3.33	125	3090.9	7.7

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. - 1017.4 mbs. (30.043 ins.)
Average Annual Rainfall (1945-1955) - 50.45 ins.

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station, The Bight, Cat Island, 24°18'N; 75°25'W; 6 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	Means					Extremes					%			Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h	13h	19h							
January	64.4	74.3	69.2	76.6	62.3	69.5	84	54	82	69	78	0.06	4	0.06	1	8.9		
February	70.0	78.3	72.6	81.8	66.9	74.3	85	62	86	71	84	0.65	47	0.32	5	8.2		
March	70.4	79.9	72.6	82.9	65.5	74.2	86	57	80	65	77	0.55	45	0.30	2	7.1		
April	72.4	80.9	74.7	84.2	68.2	76.2	87	58	79	65	78	0.36	27	0.27	4	8.0		
May	76.0	84.5	77.2	87.6	71.9	79.7	93	68	83	65	81	1.83	65	0.79	10	7.9		
June	78.6	84.8	78.2	87.6	73.6	80.6	91	71	86	73	87	4.89	123	2.19	14	6.9		
July	80.6	87.7	80.7	91.5	75.4	83.5	93	72	80	67	82	0.81	39	0.25	7	8.3		
August	81.0	89.1	81.4	92.6	75.9	84.3	95	73	81	65	83	2.19	59	0.49	6	7.1		
September	79.5	85.2	80.7	89.5	74.9	82.2	92	72	87	76	85	6.13	116	1.38	17	6.4		
October	77.4	83.1	78.6	86.8	73.3	80.1	93	68	87	76	86	13.33	141	2.51	17	7.8		
November	72.2	80.1	73.5	83.1	68.9	76.0	95	57	85	72	83	3.12	78	0.83	12	8.0		
December	70.8	79.8	73.1	82.3	68.6	75.5	85	55	87	70	84	1.66	103	0.35	10	8.1		
Year	74.4	82.3	76.0	85.5	70.5	78.0	95	54	84	69	82	35.58	93	2.51	105	7.7		

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1017.0 (30.032 ins.)

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956.

Meteorological Station, Manrove Cay, Andros Island 24°13'N: 77°36'W: 29 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	Means			Extremes			7th	13h	19h	Total Fall	% of Average a day	Max in No. of days		
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean								Max.	Min.
January	63.0	75.2	68.7	78.8	59.3	69.1	82	68	76	0.04	4	0.04	1	6.2
February	70.2	78.7	72.6	82.3	69.1	75.7	86	75	84	1.02	111	0.40	7	7.7
March	69.3	79.8	72.5	82.6	67.9	75.3	82	71	82	1.61	164	1.18	4	6.7.
April	72.3	81.8	75.2	85.3	70.7	78.0	84	72	81	0.48	32	0.40	2	7.0
May	77.5	85.4	78.5	88.0	75.0	81.5	82	70	84	0.15	23	0.30	5	7.4
June	78.3	85.1	80.0	89.4	75.2	82.3	87	77	85	3.56	66	1.70	10	5.8
July	80.9	89.0	82.3	92.3	76.3	84.3	81	70	83	0.83	18	0.22	7	6.7
August	80.2	89.5	82.5	93.3	76.7	85.0	86	71	81	4.79	98	1.62	11	4.4
September	78.3	86.2	81.8	90.0	73.5	81.7	88	77	83	10.19	131	2.85	17	6.1
October	76.9	83.2	79.4	87.0	71.9	79.5	88	77	82	10.80	103	2.01	14	7.0
November	70.8	77.5	74.3	81.1	64.6	72.9	86	80	84	3.59	102	1.95	6	9.0
December	71.1	77.7	73.5	80.8	66.9	73.9	86	81	84	1.19	112	0.48	7	7.6
Year	74.1	82.4	76.8	85.9	70.6	78.3	85	74	82	38.85	85	2.85	91	6.8

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1016.5 mb (30.017 ins.)

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Meteorological Station, Clarence Town, Long Island, 23°06'N; 74°09'W; 29 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)							Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)				Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	Means							Extremes			Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days		
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h	13h						19h
January	66.0	75.5	68.9	77.2	61.6	69.4	84	52	84	72	80	0.64	43	0.30	4	10.0
February	71.3	78.9	73.5	80.2	67.7	73.9	83	50	83	71	84	0.42	47	0.38	2	11.3
March	72.1	79.7	73.7	81.0	68.9	74.9	91	59	91	72	81	0.33	47	0.13	4	10.8
April	74.9	81.4	73.3	83.3	71.1	77.2	80	66	80	73	91	0.25	17	0.20	2	10.6
May	77.9	83.4	77.3	84.2	73.4	78.3	85	68	85	80	90	0.28	12	0.20	3	10.6
June	79.6	83.7	79.5	85.3	75.4	80.6	85	70	85	78	86	6.11	108	2.95	8	9.4
July	81.3	86.0	81.3	87.1	77.9	82.5	82	75	82	76	84	0.34	18	0.19	3	10.8
August	82.0	87.2	82.1	89.3	79.2	84.3	83	76	83	74	84	0.98	29	0.70	4	9.3
September	80.6	86.9	81.7	88.7	76.9	82.8	85	74	85	75	85	3.73	99	1.22	10	7.7
October	79.2	84.0	79.4	86.2	75.9	81.1	86	70	86	78	86	9.49	167	2.10	9	8.9
November	74.3	81.3	75.9	82.7	71.7	77.2	83	64	83	76	83	1.78	67	0.34	9	10.2
December	74.2	79.2	75.7	81.2	70.4	75.3	86	63	86	81	78	0.89	47	0.24	7	12.6
Year	76.1	82.3	76.9	83.9	72.5	73.2	84	50	84	75	84	25.24	80	2.95	65	10.2

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1016.3mb (30.011 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956

Meteorological Station, Albert's Town, Long Cay (Crooked Is.); 22°37'N; 74°22'W; 25 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)
	Means					Extremes					Humidity %			Total Fall	% of Average a day	No. of days	
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h	13h	19h						
January	67.9	76.1	70.2	77.9	65.8	71.9	84	58	87	63	73	73	0.10	14	0.03	5	9.8
February	70.7	80.0	73.6	81.8	69.2	75.5	85	63	86	66	80	80	1.00	128	0.55	4	8.2
March	72.4	81.2	73.6	82.3	70.2	76.7	86	66	81	59	78	78	0.97	111	0.39	4	9.3
April	75.0	82.2	75.3	84.6	72.2	78.4	89	67	80	62	78	80	1.68	64	1.38	5	9.9
May	78.6	84.9	77.9	87.4	74.4	80.9	89	71	77	62	77	77	1.26	55	0.55	8	8.7
June	80.0	85.2	79.7	88.0	76.3	82.1	92	70	82	72	83	80	5.72	118	2.81	13	8.2
July	81.4	88.7	81.5	90.4	77.7	84.1	92	72	78	62	76	76	0.95	28	0.27	11	8.9
August	81.9	89.3	81.9	91.6	77.8	84.7	93	75	80	72	80	80	2.20	73	0.54	12	7.2
September	81.5	89.0	81.5	90.8	77.6	84.2	94	74	79	67	77	77	3.04	74	0.89	15	7.0
October	80.0	84.9	79.1	87.9	75.4	81.7	94	71	83	70	84	84	5.86	89	1.66	17	8.8
November	76.0	81.5	76.8	83.0	72.6	77.8	88	69	83	71	81	81	1.57	86	0.60	21	11.0
December	73.6	81.5	75.3	83.2	71.6	77.4	85	69	86	68	82	82	0.76	43	0.23	14	9.9
Year	76.6	83.7	77.2	85.7	73.4	79.6	94	58	82	66	79	79	25.11	77	2.81	129	8.9

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1017.3 mb (30.041 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station, Abraham's Bay, Navaguana Isl. 22°22'N; 72°53'W; 14 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

	Air Temperature (°F)							Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)			
	Means				Extremes					Total	% of Fall	M... in ad day		No. of days		
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.								Min.	07h	13h	19h
January	65.4	74.3	68.9	79.4	62.4	70.9	85	50	83	69	79	2.86	187	2.57	4	9.5
February	69.6	79.2	71.3	82.9	66.3	74.9	84	60	87	68	82	1.42	93	0.95	6	9.3
March	71.1	78.9	72.8	83.2	67.2	75.2	86	60	84	70	81	4.11	415	2.03	6	9.5
April	75.4	80.9	74.4	84.7	69.4	77.1	88	61	79	69	80	1.23	64	0.76	6	9.8
May	78.5	83.1	76.5	87.4	71.2	79.3	88	67	80	68	81	0.61	23	0.32	6	9.3
June	80.0	81.5	78.9	88.3	74.4	81.3	90	70	82	71	83	4.40	121	1.32	10	9.6
July	81.6	86.2	80.5	90.2	75.3	82.7	92	71	79	67	79	0.86	42	0.43	6	10.5
August	82.3	86.0	81.0	90.7	76.0	83.3	93	72	80	71	83	1.21	55	0.91	7	9.4
September	80.9	85.3	80.3	89.6	76.1	82.9	94	71	82	72	83	1.83	41	1.23	7	7.8
October	79.1	84.1	78.6	88.7	73.1	81.1	92	67	87	72	86	13.01	223	5.30	20	8.3
November	72.9	80.4	74.1	84.4	70.3	77.3	87	63	89	74	86	5.44	116	1.33	16	8.5
December	71.4	80.1	73.7	83.4	69.5	76.4	85	64	87	71	86	1.04	46	0.20	16	9.2
Year	75.6	82.0	76.0	86.1	71.0	79.5	94	50	83	70	82	39.02	113	5.80	110	9.2

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1016.4 mb (30.014 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956

Meteorologic. 1 Station, Duncan's Town, Ragged Island, 22°11'N; 73°43'W; 10 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

MONTH	Air Temperature (°F)							Relative Humidity (%)			Rainfall (ins)				Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	MEANS				EXTREMES			07h	13h	19h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days		
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.									Min.
January	69.2	75.7	70.2	76.7	67.3	72.0	85	54	83	73	83	0.17	23	0.07	3	10.1
February	73.5	80.2	74.4	81.2	71.8	76.5	86	67	81	74	81	0.81	95	0.52	4	12.0
March	73.6	79.9	74.8	81.5	71.4	76.5	84	65	78	72	78	0.94	209	0.48	5	11.7
April	76.3	82.9	76.4	85.2	74.0	79.6	94	69	90	73	90	0.18	20	0.07	3	11.3
May	79.3	85.2	78.6	86.1	76.0	81.0	89	73	82	71	82	0.36	15	0.19	5	11.0
June	80.7	86.4	80.7	87.3	77.4	82.3	91	72	83	75	83	2.74	129	1.38	11	10.3
July	81.7	87.9	81.7	89.1	78.6	83.9	90	73	83	72	83	0.56	62	0.13	6	11.5
August	83.0	89.2	82.7	90.4	78.8	84.6	93	73	81	74	82	0.24	7	0.16	3	9.8
September	81.7	89.1	82.3	90.2	77.7	83.9	94	70	81	70	81	4.90	133	2.65	11	8.2
October	80.1	84.9	80.1	86.4	75.7	81.1	90	69	81	75	81	8.41	232	1.88	14	10.1
November	76.0	80.9	76.9	83.7	73.0	78.3	87	68	83	76	81	2.53	76	0.67	15	9.7
December	75.3	80.9	76.4	82.5	72.3	77.4	85	68	83	74	81	1.31	67	0.24	11	12.0
Year	77.5	83.6	77.9	85.0	74.5	79.8	94	54	81	73	81	23.15	95	2.65	91	10.6

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1016.7 mb (30.033 ins)

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

(Bahamas Division)

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS 1956.

Meteorological Station, Matthew Town, Inagua Island; 20°56'N; 73°41'W; 14 feet above M.S.L.

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Kts.)	
	Means					Extremes					07h	13h	19h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in day		No. of days
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.								
January	68.4	79.1	71.7	81.2	62.0	71.6	88	54	75	64	73	0.72	44	0.30	5	9.6		
February	70.1	83.0	74.0	84.6	64.2	74.4	89	61	82	64	76	0.99	55	0.56	4	9.3		
March	72.0	82.3	74.6	84.6	65.6	75.1	87	62	81	66	76	0.88	122	0.45	3	8.6		
April	75.2	85.0	77.0	87.0	67.8	77.4	90	61	79	65	76	0.20	19	0.20	1	9.3		
May	78.0	85.8	78.7	88.8	68.5	78.7	91	64	74	65	73	3.44	112	1.59	9	9.0		
June	79.9	87.2	80.7	89.0	71.1	80.1	93	65	76	65	75	1.13	73	0.80	5	9.1		
July	80.9	89.7	81.9	91.0	71.4	81.2	92	68	74	62	71	0.39	25	0.23	3	11.1		
August	80.4	89.7	82.4	91.7	70.7	81.2	93	66	75	61	70	1.59	57	1.16	3	7.9		
September	80.9	89.9	82.1	91.8	70.6	81.2	94	69	73	61	69	1.98	56	0.70	8	7.2		
October	77.6	86.1	78.7	89.4	67.8	78.6	92	60	80	66	76	15.69	231	4.08	17	6.1		
November	75.1	84.5	76.6	87.0	66.4	76.7	91	60	79	66	77	2.88	132	0.54	9	7.5		
December	71.9	84.2	74.9	86.0	63.6	74.8	89	60	82	64	80	0.77	46	0.55	5	6.5		
Year	75.9	85.5	77.8	87.7	67.5	77.6	94	54	77	64	74	30.66	81	4.08	72	8.4		

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1015.3 mb (29.982ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station, Irvin A.C. 18°28'N; 77°54'W; 80 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins)			No. of days	
	Means			Extremes			07h	15h	Total	% of Average	Max. in a day		
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	65.1	77.8	77.9	49.7	63.8	83	42	88	72	1.85	79	0.86	5
February	68.6	80.1	80.4	50.9	65.7	84	48	86	77	1.32	85	0.72	3
March	69.4	79.3	79.6	51.7	65.7	85	48	87	79	5.54	570	2.04	4
April	70.9	81.8	81.9	52.7	67.3	86	48	88	80	1.03	45	0.49	4
May	73.7	81.9	82.0	55.0	68.5	88	53	87	82	5.89	100	1.94	8
June	74.3	83.3	83.5	55.9	69.7	88	55	89	79	5.58	83	2.02	6
July	72.9	82.2	86.9	58.0	72.5	90	57	90	71	4.55	112	2.07	4
August	75.3	85.1	89.8	71.1	80.5	92	68	90	69	3.10	57	1.39	5
September	72.1	82.6	82.8	56.5	69.7	89	51	89	73	8.15	101	1.43	7
October	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
November	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
December	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Year	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Average Annual Rainfall (1949 - 1955) = 54.01 ins.

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Orange River Experimental Station 18°17'N; 76°54 W; 80 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright No. of Sunshine (Hours)	
	Means			Extremes			%			Total	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h	15h						Fall
January	64.6	75.2	79.1	58.4	68.7	81	49	91	65	2.10	34	1.26	6	207.5
February	68.4	77.2	80.6	63.0	71.8	84	57	93	74	6.80	168	2.49	15	197.5
March	69.5	76.5	82.4	63.1	72.7	87	58	91	80	12.13	480	2.60	13	—
April	72.0	79.0	83.3	65.6	74.5	88	56	92	76	2.83	75	1.27	3	—
May	74.0	79.3	84.3	67.9	76.1	87	61	91	76	5.50	87	2.08	10	210.4
June	75.0	81.4	85.8	68.5	77.1	89	63	90	74	2.34	47	0.55	9	222.7
July	75.9	83.2	87.2	69.1	78.1	90	64	86	69	2.03	59	0.64	5	253.8
August	73.9	81.9	88.5	67.7	78.1	91	63	93	75	4.49	94	1.30	13	241.9
September	70.4	81.9	88.2	67.0	77.6	92	63	95	76	6.12	106	1.40	14	—
October	71.6	79.5	86.4	67.8	77.1	90	65	95	80	8.83	107	3.05	11	186.0
November	71.7	79.0	83.2	66.5	74.9	87	61	95	78	10.84	142	3.20	15	199.5
December	71.1	77.3	81.6	66.2	73.9	85	59	90.	78	8.12	96	2.30	18	231.5
Year	71.5	79.3	84.2	65.9	75.1	92	49	92	75	72.13	109	3.20	132	—

Average Annual Rainfall (1942 - 1955) = 66.11 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Negril Point Lighthouse 18°55'N; 78°23'W; 33 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)							Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Knots)			
	Means				Extremes			%			Total Fall	% of Average a day	No. of days				
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h	13h					19h		
January	70.5	80.4	73.9	81.9	67.2	74.5	88	57	77	57	70	70	1.80	85	0.74	4	7.1
February	70.8	83.3	76.4	84.9	68.2	76.5	88	64	81	58	77	77	1.45	73	0.43	7	4.8
March	71.5	83.1	76.9	85.1	69.2	77.1	88	65	84	63	78	78	3.38	113	0.60	12	3.9
April	74.4	84.2	78.3	86.3	71.4	78.9	90	66	85	63	80	80	3.40	98	1.59	9	4.1
May	75.5	84.4	77.3	86.3	71.6	78.9	91	69	83	59	85	85	16.92	255	3.30	23	3.0
June	76.5	85.3	78.2	87.5	72.4	79.9	90	68	84	67	85	85	7.57	148	1.40	20	3.3
July	76.1	86.3	80.0	88.6	72.7	80.7	92	70	86	66	81	81	3.74	65	0.82	11	3.3
August	76.2	87.3	79.4	89.2	73.2	81.2	91	71	84	65	82	82	7.70	139	2.56	14	2.3
September	76.0	86.8	79.4	88.2	73.2	80.7	91	71	86	66	83	83	6.86	121	1.54	14	4.0
October	76.0	86.4	78.3	88.0	72.9	80.5	90	70	87	67	85	85	7.15	91	3.41	14	2.6
November	74.8	83.0	77.0	85.1	72.3	78.7	89	69	85	71	83	83	5.98	195	2.17	12	5.3
December	72.3	84.4	76.0	85.5	69.4	77.5	89	66	81	63	81	81	1.48	72	0.98	5	2.6
Year	74.2	84.8	77.6	86.4	71.1	78.7	92	57	83	65	81	81	67.43	129	3.41	145	3.9

Average Annual Rainfall (1921 - 1950) = 52.16 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Caenwood, 18°13'N; 76°35'W; 250 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = C.M.T. - 5 hours).

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			
	Means			Extremes			07h	15h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	69.2	76.6	80.6	64.1	72.3	84	88	80	1.71	39	0.86	5
February	70.4	78.3	81.7	65.2	73.5	85	87	79	21.22	173	8.45	11
March	70.4	77.5	79.8	63.0	71.4	85	89	87	26.69	794	8.49	15
April	71.9	80.2	82.3	64.0	73.1	86	88	81	2.90	45	0.90	11
May	74.0	80.7	83.9	67.7	75.8	86	89	78	11.80	122	2.55	15
June	75.3	80.9	85.0	70.1	77.5	87	90	81	10.82	116	2.47	15
July	76.4	82.9	85.7	70.4	78.1	89	88	76	5.03	38	1.25	13
August	75.1	84.3	86.3	70.1	78.2	89	89	84	5.10	71	0.95	12
September	74.2	84.6	87.8	68.4	78.1	91	88	86	2.70	38	0.51	9
October	73.7	81.4	85.4	67.7	76.5	89	88	83	12.79	118	3.08	17
November	72.5	81.0	83.5	65.5	74.5	88	88	77	14.86	107	3.16	17
December	72.6	78.8	82.3	65.7	74.0	85	86	81	14.14	92	4.98	19
Year	73.0	80.6	83.7	66.8	75.3	91	88	81	129.76	110	8.49	159

Average Annual Rainfall (1949 - 1955) = 117.47 ins.

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Castleton Gardens, 18°11'N; 76°50'W; 496 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)				
	Means			Extremes			7h	15h	Total	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days	
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	63.4	72.4	78.1	57.1	67.6	85	50	78	79	7.36	84	2.25	8
February	65.7	73.1	82.8	57.2	70.0	88	52	83	85	5.31	97	1.24	6
March	67.8	75.2	81.5	62.1	71.8	88	62	88	87	26.16	543	4.45	13
April	69.9	78.5	83.9	64.9	74.4	89	60	88	89	15.12	218	5.22	11
May	72.7	79.5	85.9	67.9	76.9	92	63	83	90	9.00	71	2.00	9
June	72.5	78.3	86.7	68.2	77.5	92	65	90	91	16.28	177	3.75	12
July	71.1	77.6	86.3	67.0	76.7	96	63	89	90	5.71	89	1.96	7
August	70.9	84.4	87.4	65.3	76.3	92	61	86	87	26.81	250	5.90	14
September	68.8	75.9	80.3	63.2	71.7	89	60	84	86	23.61	195	9.77	11
October	67.5	81.1	82.9	62.0	72.5	88	60	86	82	32.04	203	7.69	14
November	66.9	78.0	80.6	63.8	72.2	84	60	88	91	7.34	39	3.50	7
December	68.3	78.8	80.6	63.4	72.0	85	60	90	91	9.14	68	1.50	12
Year	68.8	78.1	83.1	63.5	73.3	96	50	87	87	183.88	147	9.77	124

Average Annual Rainfall (70-Year) = 125.18 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station, Holmwood, 18°02'N; 77°31'W; 3004 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)				
	Means			Extremes			07h	15h	Total	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days	
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	60.6	68.3	73.5	57.5	65.5	82	50	93	79	3.14	123	1.60	8
February	61.6	69.6	79.1	58.7	68.9	83	57	95	87	1.86	54	0.82	6
March	63.7	69.6	77.8	59.1	68.4	81	56	94	87	7.21	60	1.50	13
April	65.4	72.0	78.0	61.1	69.5	82	56	94	84	3.34	49	0.89	10
May	67.3	70.2	79.2	61.0	70.1	81	60	92	89	12.15	167	2.15	19
June	68.4	71.6	80.6	60.3	70.5	82	61	92	90	6.95	139	1.27	15
July	68.1	73.4	82.9	61.9	72.4	84	61	93	91	4.65	116	1.22	12
August	70.0	72.9	82.6	63.1	72.9	85	63	90	81	8.67	131	2.20	13
September	69.0	70.6	77.4	64.1	70.7	84	64	92	93	6.13	52	2.02	7
October	66.8	70.6	75.3	62.7	69.0	79	63	94	94	13.59	175	3.02	19
November	65.8	72.1	76.3	62.1	64.2	79	60	96	89	5.48	165	2.25	9
December	63.7	70.6	76.6	61.3	68.9	79	58	93	81	7.28	280	2.30	10
Year	65.9	71.0	79.3	61.1	69.3	85	50	93	87	80.45	122	3.02	141

Average Annual Rainfall (1952 - 1955) = 66.15 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Grove Place A.C. 18°07'N; 77°33'W; 1460 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)	
	Means			Extremes			07h.	15h.	Total Fall	% of Average a day	No. of days		
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	58.4	75.0	78.2	55.6	66.9	85	47	90	57	0.65	38	5	271.1
February	62.8	76.7	80.8	59.3	70.1	85	53	91	63	0.52	22	7	216.3
March	62.7	75.6	83.3	59.6	71.5	88	54	93	73	4.48	149	15	202.7
April	66.5	75.7	83.1	62.0	72.5	88	53	93	77	7.48	100	13	227.3
May	68.6	73.8	82.6	63.6	73.1	85	59	92	85	7.19	88	19	180.3
June	69.4	76.0	82.4	64.6	73.5	85	58	95	81	3.57	77	15	208.1
July	70.1	77.4	84.5	64.5	74.5	90	58	91	76	5.00	115	13	238.8
August	67.7	76.1	85.0	63.7	74.3	88	60	96	82	3.92	62	16	217.5
September	68.9	76.4	84.8	64.4	74.6	88	60	94	78	8.21	94	14	227.3
October	67.7	74.1	83.3	64.1	73.7	87	61	95	86	13.26	107	23	174.2
November	67.1	75.4	81.8	64.6	73.2	85	60	94	71	5.74	126	17	197.0
December	65.4	75.7	82.2	63.4	72.8	85	56	89	71	2.11	67	10	250.7
Year	66.3	75.7	82.7	62.5	72.5	90	47	93	75	62.13	94	167	2611.3

Average Annual Rainfall (1945 - 1955) = 65.84 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Cinchona (Hill Gardens) 18°05'N; 76°39'W; 4897 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Extremes			Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)		
	Means			Means			Max.	Min.	07h		15h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days
	07h.	15h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	07h			15h						
January	53.6	61.7	66.0	49.9	57.5	73	43	74	76	76	3.91	58	1.20	8	
February	56.3	63.1	67.3	50.9	59.1	71	50	82	82	82	4.94	117	1.10	14	
March	57.4	62.5	69.0	54.5	61.7	74	51	88	89	89	7.28	169	2.08	18	
April	60.2	64.8	70.3	56.5	63.4	76	49	81	86	86	5.31	95	1.72	10	
May	61.3	65.2	71.0	57.2	64.1	75	54	81	87	87	4.55	48	1.72	13	
June	61.8	66.8	72.3	58.7	65.5	81	56	82	85	85	9.96	149	3.12	16	
July	62.1	68.7	73.4	59.1	66.3	79	54	76	78	78	5.48	154	2.20	13	
August	62.4	68.2	73.7	59.3	66.5	78	57	80	87	87	2.13	35	0.48	10	
September	62.9	68.0	74.3	59.9	67.1	79	57	80	83	83	2.01	46	0.40	11	
October	61.6	64.7	70.1	58.5	64.3	75	51	86	92	92	22.35	137	9.07	25	
November	59.9	63.0	68.3	54.1	61.2	72	53	88	93	93	9.12	55	1.58	19	
December	57.8	62.5	68.7	55.5	62.1	78	53	87	87	87	7.60	80	1.67	20	
Year	59.8	64.9	70.4	56.2	63.3	81	43	82	85	85	84.64	85	9.07	177	

Average Annual Rainfall (70-Year) = 99.78 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Hope Laboratory, 18° 02' N; 76° 45' W; 668 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			
	Means			Extremes			07h	15h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	62.2	61.1	86.9	56.2	71.5	95	84	56	0.34	20	0.34	1
February	66.3	83.0	87.1	61.6	74.3	90	87	58	1.77	136	0.54	9
March	68.1	82.4	89.2	63.1	76.1	91	86	65	2.26	115	0.58	10
April	70.1	82.4	88.0	63.3	75.7	90	86	70	4.23	101	1.50	9
May	73.3	81.9	90.1	65.9	78.0	93	83	72	2.93	53	0.72	10
June	73.9	83.8	90.3	67.5	78.9	94	85	65	2.51	53	0.68	10
July	74.2	86.7	89.2	70.7	79.9	96	84	63	3.76	141	1.46	7
August	73.0	82.9	90.3	66.1	78.2	93	84	71	3.23	54	0.92	13
September	73.0	82.5	90.0	65.8	77.9	95	82	72	4.13	58	1.48	10
October	72.7	79.2	87.6	63.8	75.7	90	86	83	15.08	151	8.50	21
November	70.4	81.6	87.0	65.0	76.0	89	88	72	4.83	14	1.32	14
December	67.0	82.6	86.8	63.1	74.9	89	90	65	1.31	7	0.48	7
Year	70.3	82.5	88.5	64.3	76.4	96	85	68	46.38	87	8.50	121

Average Annual Rainfall (70-Year) = 53.34 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, St. George's College, Kingston, 17°59'N; 76°49'W; 80 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity		Rainfall (Inch.)				
	Means			Extremes			%		Total Fall	% of Max. in a day	No. of days		
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h				15h	
January	67.8	82.0	85.8	66.6	76.2	91	62	76	69	0.03	6	0.02	2
February	70.1	82.5	85.1	68.9	77.0	91	67	83	65	1.73	168	0.85	6
March	72.6	82.6	86.8	70.3	78.5	89	65	80	71	1.37	250	0.60	9
April	76.0	84.0	87.4	76.3	81.9	92	68	78	70	3.21	315	1.83	8
May	77.6	84.3	89.0	73.5	81.3	91	71	76	69	0.96	4	0.30	10
June	78.5	84.8	89.0	74.3	81.7	93	70	76	70	2.62	85	0.84	10
July	78.4	85.6	90.1	74.6	82.3	94	72	76	66	4.38	203	1.72	10
August	78.8	85.5	89.9	71.7	80.8	92	72	79	70	2.25	40	0.97	8
September	77.9	85.6	91.0	74.0	82.9	94	72	80	71	1.30	24	0.49	10
October	75.9	82.3	87.9	73.4	80.7	91	71	85	77	15.64	264	8.25	16
November	73.8	83.7	87.4	72.4	79.9	92	69	87	68	2.18	77	1.12	11
December	71.6	84.5	87.5	70.3	78.9	90	68	85	63	0.83	6	0.35	6
Year	74.9	83.9	88.1	72.3	80.2	94	62	80	69	36.50	109	8.25	106

Average Annual Rainfall (1943 - 1955) = 33.45 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Bodles 17°56'N; 77°08'W; 48 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)
	Means			Extremes			07h	15h	Total	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	15h	Mean	Max.	Min.	07h						15h
January	64.1	79.5	83.3	88	50	93	88	0.76	21	0.48	4	290.8
February	66.6	80.8	83.8	87	53	91	64	1.83	109	1.03	10	213.7
March	68.0	81.5	85.2	87	59	94	84	2.31	204	0.82	8	209.8
April	72.3	82.7	85.6	89	58	94	84	1.32	69	0.59	5	240.2
May	75.4	82.4	87.3	89	—	94	85	3.56	92	1.00	11	223.5
June	75.6	83.9	87.8	91	—	92	82	2.41	102	0.73	9	228.9
July	74.3	85.5	92.1	93	—	90	68	4.70	154	2.61	4	258.1
August	72.3	84.8	93.4	94	—	95	88	2.18	41	1.13	6	246.4
September	74.5	84.8	90.1	92	65	96	88	2.13	24	0.55	9	211.9
October	74.0	80.8	84.2	89	67	96	83	20.17	273	6.50	15	215.2
November	72.1	82.4	88.3	91	65	93	77	—	—	—	—	229.8
December	69.8	81.2	86.1	88	61	95	77	1.83	148	0.81	4	240.3
Year	71.6	82.5	87.3	94	—	94	81	—	—	6.50	—	2808.6

Average Annual Rainfall (1950 - 1955) 42.14 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Meteorological Station, Palisades Airport, 17°56'N; 76°47'W; 25 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity (%)				Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)	Mean Wind Speed (Knots)	
	Means					Extremes					%				Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day			No. of days
	01h	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	01h	07h	13h	19h							
January	72.1	70.7	82.0	76.3	83.6	69.0	76.3	88	63	75	77	57	67	0.09	14	0.08	2	273.9	6.0	
February	74.7	73.2	81.2	78.5	83.8	71.5	77.7	87	69	82	84	72	74	1.64	283	1.03	6	225.9	7.1	
March	75.3	74.5	82.8	79.1	84.7	72.6	78.7	87	70	81	79	70	74	0.50	185	0.16	6	247.8	6.4	
April	77.0	77.2	84.5	80.5	86.2	74.6	80.4	89	72	82	80	69	77	2.09	170	1.55	7	272.5	6.3	
May	78.2	79.2	85.2	81.4	87.2	75.8	81.5	89	73	82	77	72	76	1.11	31	0.88	7	233.7	7.9	
June	79.5	80.4	84.9	82.3	87.6	77.0	82.3	89	74	79	75	73	73	1.19	31	0.24	12	240.7	9.7	
July	79.7	80.1	85.9	82.9	88.1	76.8	82.5	92	73	79	76	71	72	5.12	249	2.03	7	258.9	10.2	
August	80.0	79.9	87.4	83.3	88.7	77.6	83.1	91	75	80	77	67	75	0.35	7	0.14	5	270.2	6.6	
September	80.3	80.3	87.1	82.7	88.6	77.5	83.1	90	75	80	78	71	77	0.43	8	0.16	6	240.8	7.6	
October	78.0	77.9	85.3	80.4	87.3	75.7	81.5	90	73	87	85	71	80	12.96	236	7.67	12	220.3	3.8	
November	76.9	76.3	85.7	80.0	87.0	73.1	80.1	89	70	83	82	64	75	1.87	97	1.55	7	242.3	3.8	
December	75.8	74.7	85.1	79.7	86.8	72.1	79.5	89	70	81	82	60	72	0.12	9	0.07	2	266.5	4.1	
Year	77.3	77.0	84.8	80.6	86.6	74.4	80.6	92	63	81	79	68	74	27.47	87	7.67	79	2993.5	6.6	

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1013.5 mbs. (29.929 ins.)

Average Annual Rainfall (1942-1955) = 31.62 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Duckenfield Sugar Estates, 17°55'N; 75°14'W; 24 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)	
	Means			Extremes			7h	15h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.								Min.
January	69.1	78.4	81.2	64.3	72.7	85	83	66	0.40	7	0.24	8	248.5
February	72.7	79.8	82.4	69.5	75.9	85	89	72	10.14	264	5.20	18	178.3
March	74.5	80.9	83.6	69.9	76.7	87	88	74	4.84	220	2.21	13	202.8
April	75.7	81.6	84.5	71.3	77.9	87	88	75	8.57	255	3.15	16	230.2
May	78.9	83.0	85.9	73.6	79.7	88	85	74	4.82	48	1.35	18	197.9
June	78.9	84.6	87.7	74.4	81.1	89	87	73	4.41	48	1.74	22	220.8
July	76.5	85.3	88.7	75.4	82.1	91	90	72	4.42	80	1.55	17	224.7
August	76.3	85.5	88.3	73.8	81.1	91	93	72	8.82	109	2.04	25	222.1
September	75.2	85.1	89.1	72.9	81.0	93	92	73	2.48	21	0.75	16	197.4
October	74.9	83.5	87.4	71.3	79.3	91	91	77	18.27	125	5.12	17	189.5
November	73.4	82.1	85.9	70.6	78.3	91	87	75	6.04	85	1.07	16	221.7
December	75.0	81.1	84.2	71.6	77.9	87	88	73	5.07	70	1.51	21	229.5
Year	75.1	82.6	85.7	71.5	78.6	93	88	73	78.28	91	5.20	207	2563.4

Average Annual Rainfall (1948 - 1955) = 86.32 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Morant Point Lighthouse 17°55'N; 76°11'W; 8 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 5 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)								Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Knots)	
	Means				Extremes				Humidity			Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	07h	13h	19h	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	07h	13h	19h						
January	72.0	79.5	75.8	82.0	65.8	84	56	80	69	75	0.11	3	0.06	2	7.1	
February	75.8	79.8	77.3	82.1	71.0	84	65	86	79	82	10.64	394	4.83	14	7.1	
March	76.4	80.9	80.7	84.7	70.4	87	65	84	79	83	4.86	280	1.95	7	6.0	
April	78.2	82.0	78.7	84.2	69.9	85	66	88	80	87	5.20	163	1.76	12	6.7	
May	79.8	82.5	79.9	84.9	69.6	86	64	88	83	87	5.69	90	1.49	10	6.1	
June	80.7	83.6	80.8	86.2	67.5	88	63	84	81	86	2.56	53	1.08	13	6.7	
July	81.5	84.8	82.1	86.5	72.7	89	69	87	80	86	1.62	48	0.72	10	8.0	
August	81.6	85.7	82.5	87.9	73.3	90	70	88	81	86	4.34	74	1.54	10	7.0	
September	80.9	86.2	82.5	88.1	74.0	90	70	90	83	89	1.53	21	0.40	11	7.7	
October	78.3	84.0	80.4	86.9	71.6	89	68	89	82	87	11.34	95	2.80	14	5.7	
November	77.0	83.2	79.5	89.8	68.6	87	63	86	75	82	2.45	29	0.70	9	8.0	
December	78.6	81.3	79.0	83.1	63.0	84	60	80	76	80	5.00	103	1.02	15	11.7	
Year	78.4	82.8	79.9	85.5	69.8	90	56	86	79	84	55.34	86	4.83	127	7.5	

Average Annual Rainfall (1921 - 1950) = 64.13 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Belize, British Honduras. 17° 30'N; 88° 11'W; 17 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 6 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity (%)				Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Knots)	
	Means										Extremes				Total	% of Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	06h	12h	18h	21h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	06h	12h	18h	21h	Fall					
January	...	...	...	...	79.0	65.1	68.5	86	53	...	...	...	...	1.60	29	..	8	8.1
February	...	...	...	...	83.9	72.4	78.1	90	69	...	...	...	...	2.57	106	..	8	10.6
March	...	...	...	...	85.7	71.0	78.3	94	60	...	...	...	...	1.34	88	..	7	11.9
April	...	...	...	...	88.9	73.6	81.2	92	68	...	...	...	...	.01	1	..	1	11.7
May	...	...	...	...	88.9	73.8	81.3	92	65	...	...	...	...	9.19	225	..	15	11.8
June	...	...	...	...	86.4	75.3	80.8	91	69	...	...	...	...	22.32	288	..	21	8.7
July	...	...	...	...	89.1	74.3	81.7	91	70	...	...	...	...	5.44	84	1.27	16	8.9
August	79.7	87.1	83.2	81.9	89.9	74.7	82.3	91	70	87	74	80	83	5.95	88	1.34	15	6.8	
September	77.2	85.5	82.0	81.1	88.6	73.8	81.2	91	70	91	74	82	84	11.43	125	2.43	17	6.6	
October	76.1	83.9	81.0	80.0	87.3	73.5	80.4	91	70	91	75	79	82	14.38	119	2.79	23	4.7	
November	71.1	79.7	76.4	75.0	83.8	69.8	76.8	88	62	92	80	87	89	5.01	59	1.13	15	4.4	
December	72.7	79.8	76.3	74.9	84.5	71.8	78.1	89	62	95	86	89	92	11.49	159	2.36	21	5.3	
Year	...	...	...	...	86.3	72.4	79.1	94	53	...	...	...	...	90.73	124	..	167	8.3

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1015.6 mbs. (29.994 ins.)

Average Annual Rainfall (1919-1955) = 73.43 ins.

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LA GUERITE, ST. KITTS, 17°20'N; 62°45'W, 157 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Knots)		
	Means			Extremes			09h	15h	Total	Max. in a day	No. of days	09h	15h	
	09h	15h	Mean	Max.	Min.	Fall								
January	78.1	79.0	81.4	71.5	76.5	83	65	72	70	2.21	1.44	8	4.1	5.2
February	77.9	78.7	81.1	71.5	76.3	82	69	66	65	2.18	0.83	11	6.1	6.0
March	79.4	80.2	82.2	72.2	77.2	85	70	69	67	1.86	0.47	14	5.2	5.9
April	80.2	81.4	83.1	71.4	77.3	86	67	71	68	6.01	1.94	12	4.7	4.3
May	81.0	81.8	83.6	73.7	78.7	87	71	74	72	2.33	0.61	12	3.6	4.2
June	81.0	81.7	83.6	73.2	78.5	86	68	73	75	6.97	1.58	18	4.8	5.0
July	81.6	82.3	84.4	75.4	79.9	87	70	75	76	5.42	2.40	14	5.3	6.3
August	82.5	82.9	84.7	74.9	79.8	86	72	76	73	5.24	1.22	18	6.9	6.1
September	82.5	82.4	85.2	75.6	80.4	87	72	75	74	4.95	1.38	13	3.7	4.5
October	82.7	83.1	84.9	74.4	79.7	86	71	75	74	3.40	0.72	16	3.6	3.0
November	80.4	81.4	82.9	72.9	77.9	86	70	74	73	5.52	2.69	15	5.6	5.9
December	78.9	79.5	81.7	71.9	76.8	83	70	75	73	3.76	0.45	20	6.6	6.8
Year	80.5	81.2	83.3	73.2	78.3	87	65	73	72	49.85	2.69	171	5.0	5.3

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1014.8 (29.967 ins.)

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

COTTON EXPERIMENTAL STATION, ANTIGUA: 17°09'N; 61°50'W; 190 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time - G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)	
	Means			Extremes			08h	16h	Total	% of Fall	Max. in a day		No. of days
	08h	16h	Mean	Max.	Min.	Max.								Min.
January	75.6	77.6	75.5	81.6	69.3	83	81	78	2.27	86	1.36	13	156.3
February	75.9	77.8	75.7	81.3	70.1	84	78	76	1.20	68	0.26	7	198.4
March	77.3	79.7	77.3	83.2	71.5	85	85	87	1.32	53	0.43	8	224.6
April	79.4	81.3	78.1	84.8	71.5	89	79	79	3.07	148	1.29	5	214.8
May	80.1	81.3	79.5	85.1	73.3	87	79	77	2.33	69	1.01	9	200.3
June	80.1	81.8	78.9	84.3	73.6	87	83	81	5.64	219	1.04	15	198.0
July	80.5	82.7	80.0	85.5	74.5	90	93	91	4.33	141	3.25	10	185.8
August	80.8	82.5	79.6	85.1	74.1	87	89	85	5.22	86	1.40	12	172.0
September	81.6	82.5	81.1	87.2	75.0	89	82	82	1.86	26	0.51	12	201.4
October	81.4	82.4	80.5	86.0	74.9	91	85	82	6.62	158	3.90	11	222.0
November	79.5	80.1	78.6	85.0	73.2	87	80	79	3.81	99	1.12	12	259.8
December	77.5	78.3	76.3	81.5	71.0	85	90	93	2.38	61	0.31	12	147.3
Year	79.1	80.7	78.4	84.1	72.7	91	84	83	40.10	93	3.90	126	2290.7

Average Annual Rainfall (1948-1955) - 43.29 ins.

Data supplied by the Chief Cotton Officer, Antigua.

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

GROVE BOTANIC STATION, MONTserrat. 16°43'N; 62°13'W; 130 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)		Bright Sunshine (Hours)	Mean Wind Speed (Knots)			
	Means			Extremes			09h	15h	Total Fall	Max. in a day		No. of days	09h	15h	
	09h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.					Min.				
January	77.0	80.7	81.8	70.1	75.9	84	60	78	73	4.12	1.07	13	181.4	12.1	11.2
February	76.8	79.3	80.6	71.0	75.8	84	70	72	69	4.19	1.21	13	193.5	13.9	16.5
March	77.6	81.1	82.8	72.3	77.5	86	69	73	68	5.65	1.44	16	226.0	10.8	12.6
April	80.0	83.2	84.9	73.5	79.2	89	71	73	67	6.62	2.72	16	238.8	10.5	11.4
May	80.6	83.9	84.8	74.1	79.5	88	72	74	67	5.55	1.32	11	235.4	9.2	9.2
June	80.7	84.4	85.4	74.7	80.1	92	70	74	67	7.59	1.74	20	221.8	10.6	9.6
July	80.8	83.2	84.8	75.9	80.3	88	70	77	73	5.00	1.63	24	260.4	15.8	15.5
August	81.1	84.2	85.8	75.2	80.5	89	71	77	73	12.98	6.86	20	234.0	10.2	13.5
September	81.8	86.1	88.2	75.8	82.0	91	72	75	65	5.47	1.83	18	194.5	7.0	7.0
October	82.0	85.6	87.5	74.9	81.2	91	72	75	69	4.79	1.47	19	249.6	6.2	5.3
November	80.2	82.8	84.6	74.6	79.6	87	69	77	71	7.77	2.53	17	224.6	4.7	5.3
December	77.4	80.0	81.3	73.3	77.3	83	70	77	72	6.68	0.92	22	234.0	7.6	7.3
Year	79.7	82.9	84.4	73.8	79.1	92	60	75	69	76.71	6.86	209	2694.0	9.9	10.4

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. 1015.8 mbs (29.997 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Botanic Gardens, Dominica, 15°18'N; 61°23'W; 60 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			No. of days	
	Means		Extremes		Mean	Min.	Max.	09h	15h	Total Fall	% Average		Max. in a day
	09h	15h	Max.	Min.									
January	76.7	82.3	86.3	69.5	77.9	94	67	77	66	5.49	106	2.28	9
February	75.8	81.7	84.3	68.8	76.5	88	66	76	70	5.64	177	1.40	16
March	77.4	83.0	85.5	68.6	77.1	89	66	73	61	4.91	164	0.86	18
April	78.7	80.2	86.6	68.2	77.4	89	67	79	71	3.66	130	0.69	20
May	79.9	81.6	87.3	68.9	78.1	94	67	74	74	3.60	90	0.72	16
June	80.4	83.7	87.4	70.6	79.0	89	62	74	67	11.00	142	2.34	24
July	80.9	84.1	88.4	71.6	80.0	92	69	74	67	8.01	74	1.62	26
August	81.0	84.1	88.2	70.9	79.5	89	69	75	66	11.97	120	2.32	20
September	81.7	84.0	88.6	71.1	79.9	89	70	70	67	4.44	49	1.04	20
October	81.4	84.7	88.6	71.6	80.1	89	70	73	65	10.11	130	1.90	25
November	79.9	82.3	87.0	69.1	78.1	88	67	75	69	10.17	127	1.90	21
December	77.1	82.2	85.5	65.1	75.3	89	58	81	67	6.83	112	1.31	22
Year	79.2	82.8	87.0	69.5	78.2	94	58	75	67	85.83	111	2.34	237

Average Annual Rainfall (1893-1955) = 77.58 ins.
Data supplied by the Agricultural Superintendent Dominica.

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

CASTRIES, St. LUCIA, B.W.I. 14°01'N; 61°00'W; 10 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Extremes			Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)		
	Means			17h	12h	07h	Max.	Min.	07h	12h	17h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days
	07h	12h	17h													Max.	Min.	Mean
January	70.3	81.4	77.9	83.3	68.8	76.3	86	65	93	63	73	6.93	141	1.02	16
February	70.3	78.5	75.5	82.7	68.4	75.5	86	67	96	71	80	9.15	245	1.60	23
March	71.9	80.7	77.0	83.7	69.2	76.5	86	63	89	66	73	5.57	153	1.50	20
April	72.6	82.8	78.3	84.7	70.3	77.5	87	69	91	65	73	4.40	104	0.85	19
May	73.8	82.5	77.8	85.1	71.9	78.5	87	69	91	65	76	4.33	63	0.47	22
June	74.3	82.1	78.1	84.9	72.2	78.5	87	71	90	64	76	10.08	108	1.77	27
July	74.1	82.1	78.6	84.7	70.7	77.7	87	68	88	68	76	9.12	83	1.76	28
August	74.5	80.6	79.4	85.0	70.6	77.8	86	69	86	73	76	9.26	87	1.02	25
September	73.9	83.0	80.8	85.4	69.8	77.6	85	69	92	68	72	4.02	36	0.89	22
October	73.0	84.3	79.7	85.8	70.9	78.3	88	69	93	64	73	11.64	107	2.68	26
November	71.6	82.2	78.5	84.5	70.1	77.3	87	63	95	68	79	15.83	147	3.05	22
December	70.7	81.3	78.0	83.4	67.1	75.2	85	67	92	66	74	11.64	148	1.72	27
Year	72.6	81.8	78.3	84.5	70.0	77.2	88	65	91	67	75	101.92	107	3.05	277

Average Annual Rainfall (1923-1955) = 94.89 inches.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service.

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

GARDEN PARK EXPERIMENTAL STATION, ST. VINCENT. 13°10'N; 61°15'W. 30 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours).

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity		Rainfall (Ins.)		
	Means					Extremes					%		Total	Max. in a day	No. of days
	09h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	09h	15h	%	Fall	in a day	days		
January	80.7	81.8	87.9	71.3	79.6	90	66	74	72	72	5.72	1.24	17		
February	78.7	80.5	82.9	71.0	76.9	86	68	77	70	70	6.29	1.23	19		
March	80.3	81.9	83.9	71.8	77.9	85	67	77	65	65	4.78	0.98	17		
April	81.6	81.3	84.9	71.6	78.3	87	69	72	70	70	4.35	1.24	15		
May	81.5	83.1	85.0	72.1	78.5	87	68	73	68	68	5.94	1.50	16		
June	81.4	82.2	84.7	72.6	78.7	87	69	73	73	73	9.13	1.19	22		
July	81.8	83.3	85.3	71.9	78.6	87	68	72	70	70	7.72	0.73	26		
August	81.6	83.5	85.9	71.5	78.7	88	69	77	71	71	13.05	1.59	24		
September	83.2	84.1	86.1	71.4	78.7	87	69	72	71	71	5.95	1.38	17		
October	83.5	84.0	86.0	71.3	78.7	88	69	74	72	72	9.65	1.53	18		
November	82.6	81.9	85.0	70.6	77.8	87	65	74	75	75	11.47	3.15	21		
December	80.3	...	84.0	70.5	77.3	86	66	78	..	..	7.13	1.50	16
Year	81.4	...	85.1	71.5	78.3	90	65	74	..	..	91.18	3.15	228

Data supplied by the Superintendent of Agriculture, St. Vincent.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service.

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

KINGSTON, ST. VINCENT. 13°09'N; 61°14'W; 80 feet above M.S.L.

Month	Air Temperature (°F)								Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			
	Means				Extremes				%			Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days
	09h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	09h	15h	Average					
	°F	°F	°F	°F	°F	°F	°F	%	%						
January	80.7	82.3	84.7	72.2	78.5	87	65	75	72	8.54	206	1.53	24		
February	79.4	80.9	84.0	71.9	77.9	87	69	77	76	6.77	197	0.88	26		
March	81.3	82.6	84.6	73.3	78.9	87	69	73	71	6.22	174	0.96	21		
April	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	5.41	136	1.72	21
May	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	6.82	102	0.99	24
June	82.4	82.9	85.1	75.3	80.2	87	72	84	85	7.84	90	1.03	26		
July	82.1	84.1	86.2	74.7	80.5	88	71	75	72	7.56	73	0.84	30		
August	82.3	84.5	86.2	74.9	80.5	89	71	77	73	12.70	147	1.64	27		
September	83.2	84.7	86.5	75.2	80.9	89	73	77	75	5.23	46	0.99	26		
October	83.3	84.2	86.5	75.3	80.9	88	72	80	80	8.63	80	1.38	25		
November	82.4	83.0	85.4	73.9	79.7	88	66	80	83	12.13	100	3.82	24		
December	80.5	81.5	84.2	73.9	79.1	86	69	80	79	7.99	101	1.65	27		
Year	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	95.84	105	3.82	301

Average Annual Rainfall (1939-1955) = 91.65 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Codrington, Barbados. 13° 08' N; 59° 36' W; 190 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity (%)		Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)	Mean Wind Speed (Knots)		
	Means			Extremes			08h	16h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day			No. of days	
	08h.	16h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.						Min.			
January	76.8	79.3	82.1	70.8	76.5	84	66	82	72	5.99	240	1.50	22	219.1	7.3
February	76.7	78.7	82.3	70.5	76.4	85	68	76	68	3.29	197	0.73	24	201.6	10.3
March	78.1	80.4	84.5	71.4	77.9	87	69	73	64	1.28	100	0.35	14	261.6	10.5
April	79.2	81.6	85.5	71.8	78.7	87	69	73	63	3.19	213	1.69	13	260.0	9.9
May	81.1	82.3	86.0	73.6	79.8	88	69	69	64	2.16	94	0.60	13	265.0	11.1
June	80.4	82.6	85.6	73.7	79.7	88	71	74	66	6.96	152	2.02	24	256.1	11.1
July	80.6	82.0	85.1	73.7	79.4	87	70	74	69	6.04	112	1.39	23	283.8	9.9
August	79.9	81.6	84.5	73.1	78.8	87	71	80	72	8.42	131	2.42	21	252.2	7.1
September	81.1	82.9	85.7	72.5	79.1	87	69	76	68	4.11	56	1.59	15	260.3	6.5
October	80.0	81.3	84.7	72.6	78.7	87	71	81	75	6.33	85	1.25	25	226.8	6.3
November	79.9	80.2	84.0	72.8	78.4	86	68	79	75	4.97	63	1.49	18	236.0	7.3
December	77.6	79.1	82.4	71.6	77.0	83	67	76	70	3.17	80	0.61	25	243.7	9.7
Year	79.3	81.0	84.4	72.3	78.4	88	66	76	69	55.91	107	2.42	237	3026.2	8.9

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1012.9 mb. (29.910 ins.)

Average Annual Rainfall (1937-1955) = 52.20 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

Seavall Airport, Barbados, 13°04'N; 59°30'W; 183 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity			Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)	Mean Wind Speed (Knots)
	Means					Extremes		%			Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days				
	02h	08h	14h	20h	Max.	Min.	02h	08h	14h	20h								
January	75.0	77.6	81.4	75.6	83.4	72.3	77.9	85	80	72	84	6.46	290	1.58	20	226.2	10.7	
February	74.9	77.3	81.2	75.6	82.9	71.9	77.4	84	74	66	77	4.09	249	1.94	19	257.1	14.5	
March	75.5	78.5	82.3	75.9	84.1	73.0	78.5	96	74	66	80	2.14	146	0.64	18	273.3	13.8	
April	76.5	79.7	83.6	77.0	85.5	74.1	79.8	87	74	65	79	1.72	99	0.50	18	263.9	14.5	
May	77.4	81.0	84.3	78.5	86.5	75.5	81.0	88	73	66	78	2.23	82	0.80	16	261.2	15.3	
June	77.7	80.9	83.7	78.3	86.2	75.1	80.7	88	75	69	81	5.20	117	1.61	21	255.2	15.6	
July	77.3	80.6	83.6	78.0	85.4	74.9	79.9	87	77	73	83	6.10	119	2.16	25	265.3	14.3	
August	77.2	80.4	83.3	77.6	85.1	74.6	79.9	87	80	74	85	7.86	117	1.29	23	254.9	10.9	
September	77.3	81.6	84.0	77.8	85.7	74.5	80.1	87	77	72	84	7.62	113	4.04	17	273.7	10.9	
October	76.5	80.9	83.3	78.0	85.2	74.1	79.7	87	80	75	86	6.02	84	1.75	22	250.2	9.6	
November	76.1	80.1	82.7	77.3	84.9	74.2	79.5	87	78	73	84	3.26	48	0.63	20	232.3	10.4	
December	75.7	78.2	81.8	76.3	83.4	73.3	78.3	85	76	68	80	5.46	142	1.83	23	240.0	13.7	
Year	76.4	79.7	82.9	77.2	84.9	74.0	79.4	88	77	70	82	58.16	115	4.04	242	3053.3	12.9	

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1013.8 mbs. (29.938 ins.)
 Average Annual Rainfall (1943 - 1955) = 50.60 ins.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Pearl's Airport, Grenada 12°09'N; 61°37'W; 22 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)							Extremes			Relative Humidity %			Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind* Speed (Knots)	
	Means			Means				Max.	Min.	08h	11h	14h	14h	14h	Average	Max. in a day		No. of days
	08h	11h	14h	Max.	Min.	Mean												
January	78.8	82.3	82.6	85.2	73.8	79.5	87	67	80	73	73	73	73	73	7.35	1.99	27	8.0
February	78.3	81.3	81.3	83.9	73.3	78.6	86	70	79	75	75	75	75	75	4.35	1.00	24	8.6
March	79.7	82.6	82.1	84.9	74.7	79.8	87	71	79	75	74	74	74	74	2.69	0.55	23	9.7
April	81.4	84.2	83.8	86.4	76.0	81.2	87	73	77	71	71	71	71	71	2.40	0.48	15	9.0
May	81.7	84.0	83.6	86.2	76.4	81.3	87	73	79	77	77	77	77	77	3.93	0.82	27	9.3
June	81.9	84.6	84.3	86.7	76.3	81.5	88	72	80	74	74	75	75	75	6.63	1.35	26	9.7
July	81.3	83.3	83.6	85.7	75.6	80.7	87	70	81	78	77	77	77	77	6.26	1.00	30	8.9
August	82.1	84.5	84.3	86.9	75.5	81.2	88	72	81	78	78	78	78	78	8.52	1.87	29	6.3
September	82.2	84.8	84.8	86.9	75.2	81.5	88	73	81	76	76	76	76	76	4.23	0.78	28	7.8
October	82.5	84.8	84.4	87.0	75.4	81.2	88	70	80	77	77	77	77	77	5.76	1.48	28	7.7
November	80.9	83.3	83.4	85.5	72.5	79.5	87	66	82	78	77	77	77	77	7.27	3.11	-	8.8
December	80.0	82.7	82.4	84.8	74.7	79.7	86	72	78	75	75	75	75	75	5.17	0.82	27	11.7
Year	80.9	83.5	83.4	85.9	75.0	80.5	88	66	80	76	76	75	75	75	64.56	3.11	-	8.8

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1013.1 mbs. (29.917 ins.)

Average Annual Rainfall (1947-1955) = 69.79 ins.

* Mean for the three times of observation only.

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Agricultural Department, St. Clair. 10° 40'N; 61° 31'W; 67 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity (%)		Rainfall (Ins.)				
	Means			Extremes			08h	15h	Total	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days	
	08h	15h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	76.2	83.9	86.3	70.6	78.5	89	63	91	70	4.58	171	0.61	16
February	77.5	83.3	86.2	69.7	77.9	89	67	86	68	3.08	197	0.89	18
March	78.5	83.8	87.1	70.6	78.9	90	68	83	67	2.23	123	0.45	18
April	80.1	85.6	88.5	70.0	79.3	92	67	77	64	1.92	95	0.62	10
May	80.6	85.6	88.8	71.7	80.3	92	70	79	65	2.18	59	0.35	17
June	80.6	85.1	88.2	71.3	79.7	91	69	77	67	5.68	75	1.10	17
July	80.2	84.3	88.2	71.4	79.8	91	69	81	70	5.91	69	2.80	19
August	79.7	83.6	87.4	71.6	79.5	91	70	83	75	7.72	79	1.47	24
September	79.9	84.2	87.9	71.6	79.7	92	69	83	73	7.30	96	1.83	20
October	80.8	82.8	88.3	71.6	79.9	91	70	80	75	9.58	143	1.69	21
November	80.0	83.8	87.8	71.4	79.6	91	60	81	75	4.56	63	0.81	14
December	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.79	97	1.31	19
Year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59.53	93	2.80	213

Average Annual Rainfall (1862-1955) = 64.22 ins.

Data supplied by the Director of Agriculture, Trinidad and Tobago.

British Caribbean Meteorological Service

SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Imperial College of Tropical Agriculture, 10°38'N; 61°24'W; 68 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative humidity (%)		Rainfall (Ins.)		Bright Sunshine (Hours)	
	Means			Extremes			08h	16h	Total	Max. in a day		
	08h.	16h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.					Min.	Fall	days
January	76.7	81.6	85.7	69.4	77.5	88	65	71	4.56	1.38	17	209.1
February	77.1	80.9	85.6	67.9	76.7	88	63	69	2.96	0.86	20	209.9
March	79.0	81.9	86.9	69.4	78.1	89	65	67	1.77	0.70	14	247.4
April	79.6	82.5	83.2	69.7	78.9	90	65	76	2.63	0.51	16	223.1
May	80.4	83.1	87.6	71.7	79.7	90	67	79	3.10	0.66	22	228.1
June	80.3	82.1	86.5	71.1	78.8	89	69	73	6.67	1.37	18	215.4
July	80.1	83.7	87.4	70.7	79.1	90	67	81	3.75	0.63	21	243.4
August	78.8	82.6	87.4	70.9	79.1	90	68	78	8.70	1.52	23	206.7
September	79.0	83.2	87.4	70.6	79.0	90	68	76	4.81	0.94	18	176.8
October	80.3	81.4	87.6	71.0	79.3	90	68	81	7.17	2.07	19	205.2
November	79.7	81.2	87.3	70.7	79.0	91	64	83	6.43	1.23	19	211.3
December	77.7	80.9	85.3	69.9	77.6	88	64	81	5.67	1.49	20	184.9
Year	79.1	82.1	86.9	70.3	78.6	91	63	81	58.22	2.07	227	2561.3

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1012.2 mb. (29.889 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Meteorological Station, Piarco Airport, 10° 37' N; 61° 21' W; 41 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity (%)			Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (hours)	Mean Wind Speed (Knots)	
	Means										Extremes			Total	% of Average	Max. in a day			No. of days
	02h.	09h.	14h.	20h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	02h.	08h.	14h.	20h.							20h. Fall
January	71.7	74.8	84.1	74.9	86.7	69.9	78.3	88	66	94	90	66	89	4.48	134	1.74	18	207.9	4.1
February	71.0	74.6	83.6	73.9	85.9	68.9	77.4	88	63	94	87	62	90	4.48	176	0.93	20	227.7	5.7
March	72.3	76.5	84.2	74.9	87.0	70.4	78.7	89	67	96	86	65	90	1.90	140	0.28	16	236.0	6.7
April	72.8	78.1	85.3	75.8	88.4	70.9	79.7	92	67	95	85	63	89	4.76	270	1.25	26	213.0	6.5
May	74.3	78.7	84.2	76.6	87.7	73.0	80.3	90	69	95	87	69	90	5.26	96	1.41	26	219.6	7.2
June	73.9	78.5	84.0	76.5	86.8	72.5	79.7	90	69	96	88	71	91	8.90	77	2.02	26	203.9	6.1
July	73.4	78.4	84.5	76.6	88.1	71.9	80.0	91	68	95	87	68	89	5.87	55	1.47	25	241.6	5.4
August	73.4	77.7	83.7	76.9	87.6	71.9	79.7	91	69	97	89	73	91	11.13	109	2.16	25	204.1	2.3
September	73.1	78.1	84.9	76.2	87.9	71.6	79.7	91	69	96	88	69	92	7.29	108	1.27	16	181.2	3.8
October	73.6	78.9	83.7	76.4	88.2	72.2	80.2	91	69	97	87	74	93	5.37	92	1.65	23	192.0	4.1
November	72.7	77.5	84.0	75.9	87.5	71.1	79.3	91	64	97	89	73	93	10.87	148	3.13	21	169.6	3.9
December	72.1	75.6	82.6	74.1	85.2	70.4	77.8	89	66	95	90	71	91	6.38	90	1.34	23	173.5	5.9
Year	72.9	77.3	84.1	75.7	87.3	71.2	79.2	92	63	96	88	69	91	76.69	103	3.13	259	2461.1	5.2

Average Annual Rainfall (1946-1955) = 74.77 ins.
 Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1012.5 mbs. (29.899 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956

MABARUMA, BRITISH GUYANA, 08°12'N; 59°47'W; 185 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)										Relative Humidity		Rainfall (Ins.)			Mean Wind Speed (Knots)	
	Means					Extremes					%		Total	No. of days		14h	
	08h	14h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	08h	14h	08h	14h	Max. in a day	Fall	08h	14h		
January	77.3	81.0	85.5	71.3	78.4	89	70	91	79	79	21.06	3.55	18	4.0	4.3		
February	75.5	84.0	86.1	70.2	75.1	89	65	91	65	65	3.97	0.79	13	1.5	9.4		
March	78.1	83.2	86.3	71.0	78.7	85	69	84	71	71	11.63	2.13	13	4.8	10.4		
April	79.2	86.2	87.1	71.5	79.3	90	70	83	63	63	7.69	4.33	7	5.7	8.7		
May	79.7	82.3	85.8	72.7	79.3	88	71	84	75	75	16.37	2.76	20	3.8	10.8		
June	77.9	82.3	85.3	72.3	78.8	89	70	89	75	75	15.97	2.14	16	3.7	9.1		
July	78.5	81.7	87.0	71.5	79.3	90	68	87	79	79	13.23	2.05	16	3.3	4.3		
August	79.1	82.2	88.5	72.0	80.1	91	70	87	79	79	13.94	1.97	14	3.8	9.2		
September	79.1	82.0	87.3	71.9	79.6	91	69	87	77	77	8.17	1.90	10	3.5	7.2		
October	78.8	81.6	87.4	72.4	79.9	92	69	90	81	81	18.78	2.02	19	3.9	7.7		
November	79.9	83.3	88.4	72.3	80.3	93	70	86	76	76	9.91	1.50	21	5.1	7.3		
December	77.2	81.7	84.1	71.1	77.6	90	69	91	77	77	33.10	6.29	23	3.6	6.8		
Year	78.4	82.6	86.6	71.7	79.1	93	65	87	75	75	173.87	6.29	190	3.9	7.9		

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Georgetown, British Guiana. 06° 49' N; 58° 11' W; 7 feet ab 70 M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 3hrs.45 mins.)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity (%)		Rainfall (Ins.)			Bright Sunshine (Hours)		Mean Wind Speed (Knots)		
	Means			Extremes			08h	14h	Total Fall	% of Average	Max. in a day	No. of days	08h	14h		
	08h.	14h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.									Min.	
January	78.2	82.4	83.3	74.5	78.9	85	70	88	77	8.58	92	2.18	22	177.3	2.5	5.4
February	78.5	82.1	83.1	74.4	78.7	86	70	84	75	3.80	67	1.37	16	208.2	3.3	6.1
March	78.9	82.4	83.3	74.7	79.0	85	71	84	75	6.63	113	2.60	16	208.1	3.5	5.3
April	80.4	83.5	84.7	75.7	80.2	87	72	82	73	4.43	68	2.57	14	234.9	3.1	5.3
May	78.4	80.8	82.5	74.9	78.7	85	72	90	84	14.46	123	1.59	24	111.5	2.3	4.9
June	78.2	82.5	83.8	74.0	78.9	85	72	91	80	12.99	103	1.71	27	186.2	1.6	6.1
July	77.9	82.8	83.7	73.4	78.5	87	71	91	77	15.71	148	1.88	27	204.3	1.2	4.6
August	77.9	83.3	85.1	73.5	79.3	87	71	91	77	12.99	192	2.80	23	235.1	1.1	3.7
September	79.6	82.9	84.8	74.4	79.6	88	72	87	78	13.60	435	3.17	21	200.8	2.1	4.6
October	81.0	83.7	85.8	75.3	80.5	87	72	85	75	4.60	156	0.75	14	205.8	2.0	5.7
November	80.3	83.3	84.9	75.3	80.1	88	72	87	78	5.76	100	0.88	19	205.5	2.0	4.0
December	77.7	80.5	82.6	74.2	78.4	86	72	91	84	17.35	144	3.40	25	116.7	1.5	3.7
Year	78.9	82.5	84.0	74.5	79.2	88	70	88	78	120.90	130	3.17	248	2294.4	2.2	4.9

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1013.0 mb. (29.914 ins.)

Average Annual Rainfall (1880-1955) = 92.96 ins.

Data supplied by the Director of Agriculture, British Guiana.

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Atkinson Field, British Guiana. 06°30'N; 58°15'W. 95 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 3.45 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)								Relative Humidity (%)			Rainfall (Ins.)		Mean Wind Speed (Knots)			
	Means				Extremes				02h 00h	14h 20h	Total Fall	Max. in a day					
	02h.	08h.	14h.	20h.	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.					Min.				
January	73.3	75.7	83.7	75.9	85.5	73.6	78.5	90	63	97	93	90	93	9.51	2.22	20	3.8
February	72.0	75.1	84.1	75.1	85.1	69.9	77.5	88	67	95	91	87	91	3.83	1.74	14	4.5
March	72.4	76.4	84.2	75.6	86.2	70.6	78.4	90	67	99	93	69	93	5.11	1.05	18	4.6
April	72.8	78.1	86.7	75.3	89.1	71.2	79.7	90	68	92	89	64	93	6.30	3.95	15	5.1
May	73.5	76.3	81.9	75.8	84.1	72.2	78.1	89	71	99	94	79	95	17.52	3.46	28	3.6
June	73.3	76.5	82.4	76.1	85.5	71.9	78.7	89	69	90	93	75	93	10.89	1.37	28	3.5
July	73.0	76.0	82.5	76.1	86.6	71.0	78.6	90	69	97	91	75	93	10.32	1.34	27	3.1
August	72.9	76.7	82.1	75.7	86.6	71.0	78.8	91	70	99	91	75	93	12.89	1.50	26	2.8
September	73.3	79.3	84.7	76.4	87.7	71.5	79.6	92	70	97	87	67	92	5.27	0.65	19	3.5
October	73.6	76.0	85.4	76.6	88.2	71.9	80.1	92	70	98	87	69	93	11.01	3.21	18	3.3
November	73.3	78.5	85.0	76.7	87.2	71.9	79.5	94	70	98	89	71	93	7.16	2.21	14	3.7
December	73.4	75.6	80.9	75.1	83.3	71.3	77.3	90	68	97	94	81	97	18.52	2.62	24	3.3
Year	73.1	76.6	83.6	75.9	86.2	71.3	78.7	94	67	98	91	72	93	118.33	3.95	251	3.7

Mean Pressure at M.S.L. = 1012.1 mb (29.887 ins.)

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Georgetown, British Guiana 6°24'N; 58°39'W; 47 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 3h.45m.)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)			
	Means			Extremes			08h	14h	Total Fall	% of Average a day	Max. in a day	No. of days
	08h	14h	Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.							Min.
January	74.2	82.6	86.0	70.5	78.2	89	92	89	11.29	134	1.00	19
February	74.4	82.0	87.8	70.2	79.0	89	92	74	4.62	81	0.94	9
March	77.9	83.0	84.9	71.2	78.0	91	86	78	7.27	127	1.70	12
April	76.0	85.2	88.1	71.3	79.2	90	91	68	2.99	37	1.22	7
May	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
June	74.8	78.8	83.5	73.9	78.7	87	70	87	12.60	96	1.52	20
July	75.3	79.5	86.3	71.5	78.9	89	70	86	7.57	70	0.78	21
August	75.3	83.0	87.5	71.2	79.3	89	69	77	11.14	147	2.62	19
September	76.1	81.9	88.5	72.0	80.2	97	70	79	5.12	91	1.11	13
October	76.9	82.5	88.5	72.3	80.4	95	70	79	8.57	166	2.82	15
November	72.6	83.5	91.2	72.3	81.7	100	71	77	5.57	84	1.44	15
December	75.5	79.8	85.4	71.2	78.3	91	70	83	15.88	153	2.42	20
Year	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Average Annual Rainfall (1900-1955) = 100.83
Data Supplied by the Director of Agriculture, British Guiana

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Geachu, British Guiana. 06°09'N; 60°03'W; 250 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air Temperature (°F)						Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Inch.)		Mean Wind Speed (Knots)	
	Means			Extremes			08h	14h	Total	Maximum a day	08h	14h
	08h	14h	Mean	Max.	Min.	Mean							No. of days
January	73.6	82.9	78.2	90	69	97	67	11.20	1.94	22	0.0	2.0
February	73.2	81.7	77.8	89	67	96	73	8.72	1.48	22	0.5	1.8
March	74.3	83.7	78.5	90	69	92	67	5.12	2.02	17	0.3	1.9
April	77.0	84.8	79.3	90	67	85	66	5.59	1.23	14	0.8	3.0
May	75.9	81.7	78.1	90	70	93	77	15.85	2.13	27	0.4	2.6
June	75.0	82.7	78.7	89	70	94	73	11.26	2.81	25	0.3	2.5
July	74.8	84.3	79.1	89	68	94	67	4.79	0.65	22	0.3	3.4
August	75.1	85.7	80.1	92	68	93	65	8.52	1.46	23	0.3	2.2
September	76.7	85.8	80.3	93	69	91	66	3.87	1.74	18	0.3	4.1
October	76.8	87.2	80.8	92	69	91	63	2.58	0.60	17	0.2	2.6
November	77.3	86.8	80.7	93	71	90	61	2.65	1.15	11	0.9	2.0
December	74.1	83.2	78.3	90	69	95	71	12.02	3.55	22	0.3	1.6
Year	75.3	84.2	79.2	93	67	93.	68	92.17	3.55	240	0.4	2.5

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SUMMARY OF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS - 1956.

Lethem, British Guiana, 3°24'N; 59°38'W; 270 feet above M.S.L.

(Standard Time = G.M.T. - 4 hours)

Month	Air temperatures (°F)						Extremes		Relative Humidity %		Rainfall (Ins.)		
	Means			Max.	Min.	Mean	Max.	Min.	08h	14h	Total Fall	Maximum a day	No. of days
	03h	14h	Mx.										
January	76.9	35.6	90.0	93	70	31.1	93	70	92	61	1.77	0.39	10
February	77.3	37.4	90.3	93	70	31.6	93	70	78	69	0.02	0.02	1
March	76.9	37.0	90.9	92	70	31.8	92	70	83	57	1.28	0.41	5
April	78.3	36.9	90.3	93	70	31.4	93	70	76	56	6.59	5.14	5
May	76.3	34.0	87.6	91	72	30.5	91	72	87	69	17.13	3.05	27
June	76.3	33.8	87.3	91	71	30.0	91	71	84	67	14.61	2.17	24
July	77.0	34.3	88.2	92	70	30.4	92	70	83	63	3.11	2.38	17
August	77.2	34.3	89.4	92	70	31.3	92	70	83	63	8.70	0.98	24
September	79.1	35.7	90.9	92	65	31.9	92	65	77	62	3.71	1.24	13
October	79.7	38.3	91.0	94	70	32.9	94	70	76	53	4.65	1.26	9
November	80.1	33.3	91.1	93	70	33.0	93	70	74	53	3.86	1.73	7
December	78.2	36.1	89.6	92	71	31.7	92	71	76	55	3.03	1.99	5
Year	77.8	36.2	89.8	94	65	31.5	94	65	80	61	73.46	5.24	147

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Summary of Rainfall recorded at Selected Precipitation Stations - 1956.

Station	Lat.		Long.	Altitude (feet)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total for year (ins.)	Max. fall in day (ins.)
	N	W																
Grand Cayman, Cayman Is.	0	19 15	81 25	20	0.60	0.04	0.06	0.51	15.84	3.75	1.30	4.15	7.94	4.65	1.76	1.38	41.98	3.60
Richmond Estate, Jamaica		18 28	77 16	50	3.83	4.98	7.04	...	...	...	1.72	...	0.84	4.80	11.00	4.66	...	...
Port Antonio, do.		18 12	76 27	10	...	10.30	18.11	3.50	14.83	12.77	8.70	7.94	4.97	13.82	12.85	...	...	...
Croft's Hill, do.		18 10	77 14	1860	0.00	2.34	5.06	12.99	8.77	5.30	11.60	3.63	4.47	15.63	...	1.46	...	...
Millbank, do.		18 08	76 24	600	8.55	37.20	38.49	14.00	19.28	23.59	21.52	11.78	6.42	22.40	29.31	23.03	255.57	13.30
Windsor, do.		17 58	77 43	1700	2.85	2.81	4.94	4.23	10.49	2.80	2.70	4.99	6.69	13.78	7.29	3.73	67.30	2.44
Corozal, Br. Honduras		18 23	88 25	80	0.39	1.62	1.28	0.13	5.26	8.30	4.02	2.25	12.99	6.88	0.72	3.78	47.62	...
Central Farm do.		17 10	89 01	210	1.22	3.70	1.40	0.03	7.54	9.41	7.19	5.05	5.19	8.67	4.57	7.40	61.37	...
Stann Creek do.		16 59	88 20	150	1.57	2.18	3.01	...	...	10.78	5.41	...	9.08	11.82	6.21	11.50	...	...
Mango Creek do.		16 33	88 25	10	2.40	0.85	5.28	0.24	6.47	40.20	9.05	9.91	12.49	9.28	5.26	8.73	110.16	...
Punta Gorda do.		16 08	88 51	100	8.59	3.02	3.28	2.53	18.54	24.56	23.51	26.83	17.53	9.63	8.69	10.84	157.55	...
Tortola, Br. Virgin Is.		18 25	64 36	20	2.80	2.72	1.62	1.94	3.28	6.97	1.34	4.57	5.14	6.30	5.20	3.35	45.23	...
Godwington, Barbuda		17 38	61 50	20	3.91	1.75	0.50	4.54	0.63	6.06	2.50	5.49	2.12	7.39	2.24	1.01	38.14	4.06
Fabies, St. Kitts		17 23	62 50	250	5.49	3.39	2.76	8.94	10.23	11.01	6.84	5.54	7.46	5.74	10.56	6.87	84.83	...
Prospect, Nevis		17 08	62 36	200	4.20	2.59	2.07	5.61	3.59	8.10	3.17	7.07	5.44	4.39	7.32	3.71	57.26	4.47
Gaynors, Antigua		17 04	61 43	100	4.32	0.91	0.92	3.54	1.31	4.35	4.02	4.68	2.26	4.46	5.16	1.81	37.74	3.42
Union, St. Lucia		14 02	60 58	200	4.43	5.56	3.15	...	2.55	6.11	6.97	8.18	3.22	7.35	11.25	9.00	...	...
Troumassé, do.		13 49	60 54	40	4.03	...	2.54	...	2.61	7.22	3.67	6.20	2.80	8.66	7.49	4.95	...	...
Botanic Station, Grenada		12 03	61 45	100	10.44	8.93	4.83	3.11	3.57	12.28	10.09	15.80	5.37	10.64	11.00	9.41	105.47	...
Richmond Hill, do.		12 03	61 44	509	8.16	5.71	4.49	3.24	3.58	9.89	7.50	13.95	4.48	9.19	8.65	8.15	86.98	3.19
Hermilage, Tobago		11 19	60 35	25	7.48	5.07	3.95	4.92	7.33	6.85	6.27	8.21	8.68	10.92	11.10	10.38	91.61	4.31
Botanic Station, Tobago		11 10	60 44	60	2.86	3.14	2.61	3.92	2.98	9.10	5.15	10.78	6.17	9.54	3.91	5.53	65.69	2.28
Sangre Grande, Trinidad		10 34	61 07	60	5.34	7.70	7.34	7.33	8.47	12.64	7.75	17.88	8.39	10.54	19.16	13.44	125.98	3.99
San Fernando, do.		10 16	61 25	55	4.41	2.71	3.19	3.04	4.66	8.70	4.71	14.50	7.52	11.97	4.79	6.52	76.72	2.97
Guayaguayare, do.		10 08	61 04	25	9.91	7.17	6.21	4.88	6.11	10.68	5.06	18.12	7.58	11.24	16.54	13.98	117.48	6.14

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Charity, Br. Guiana	07	34	58	36	3	10.31	6.69	10.50	3.67	17.50	14.41	14.04	14.86	13.00	6.62	8.78	29.10	149.48	...
Pln. Hague, do.	06	52	58	17	3	8.92	5.73	10.65	5.02	14.22	...	6.27	9.13	7.09	3.40	5.60	15.01	...	...
Pln. Providence (Demerara), Br. Guiana	06	33	58	12	5	9.73	5.64	4.91	4.98	15.18	12.24	15.97	16.83	10.38	5.52	6.60	18.09	126.07	...
Mahaicony-Abary Rice Scheme, Br. Guiana	06	33	57	40	6	9.74	2.19	6.91	4.96	16.67	9.37	11.38	10.09	5.90	3.64	12.40	20.67	113.92	...
Fort Wellington, Br. Guiana	06	24	57	36	4	9.89	2.79	1.63	2.55	13.49	5.14	3.15	7.61	1.40	1.25	4.31	37.44	90.65	...
Public Gardens (N.A.) do.	06	15	57	35	3	12.93	4.35	5.29	2.48	13.38	11.73	8.36	19.55	8.16	5.09	11.11	19.49	121.92	...
Mackenzie, do.	06	01	58	18	10	8.45	8.94	13.00	5.67	19.37	20.68	10.84	19.47	11.93	5.40	10.06	17.87	151.68	...
Pln. Sheldon, do.	05	52	57	14	4	6.88	4.44	5.80	3.35	13.99	8.69	7.30	5.78	5.39	3.53	7.22	9.67	82.04	...
Ebini Downs, do.	05	40	57	47	60	9.68	4.00	10.51	5.15	10.68	11.68	10.58	18.22	7.93	4.79	7.07	10.48	110.77	...
72 Miles Potaro Rd., do.	05	35	58	55	400	9.19	5.01	12.79	7.40	12.70	...	6.51	7.02	5.96	10.78	1.60	...	...	...
Annai, do.	03	58	59	07	400	10.00	1.00	2.70	4.45	11.77	5.65	3.30	3.00	2.95	3.60	1.50	3.35	53.27	...