

Capital City Temperatures and Rainfall Summary for 2001

City	Highest Temperature Date (°C)	Lowest Temperature Date (°C)	Average Maximum Long term Average Anomaly (°C)	Average Minimum Long term Average Anomaly (°C)	Rainfall (mm) & no. rain days Long term Average (mm) Decile Range
Perth	39.7 3 March	0.7 13 July	24.2 24* +0.2	11.9 12* -0.1	688.6 on 106 days 869* 2
Darwin	36.6 27 September	15.3 1 August	32.1 32.0 +0.1	23.1 23.3 -0.2	1451.0 on 128 days 1705.5 2
Adelaide	43.3 13 January	2.8 18 June	22.1 22.1* 0.0	12.2 12.1* +0.1	717.8 on 132 days 585* 10
Brisbane	39.7 24 December	3.5 8 July	26.7 25.6 +1.1	15.9 16.4 -0.5	1061.2 on 119 days 1217.7 5
Sydney	35.9 24 December	5.8 7 July	23.1 22.1 +1.0	14.7 14.2 +0.5	1358.6 on 133 days 1302.2 7
Canberra	39.9 24 January	-6 30 May	20.7 19.6 +1.1	6.5 6.5 0.0	500 on 90 days 623.2 3
Melbourne	40.7 11 January	3.8 22 July	20.5 20.0 0.5	12.0 11.0 +1.0	605.2 on 146 days 638.8 4
Hobart	37.7 8 February	0.0 5 July	17.3 17.1 +0.2	9.1 8.7 +0.4	681.8 on 165 days 586.4 8

Notes:

- 1.* These long term averages are estimates because of a recent change in the official observation site.
2. The long term averages are based on the 1961 to 1990 period.
3. Decile Ranges: 1 - Lowest 10% of records, 2 - next lowest 10% of records, .. ,10 - highest 10% of records.
4. Data may not yet have been quality controlled.