

MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW - ARMIDALE NSW
MARCH 2020

March 2020 was a warm, cloudy and damp month with mostly light falls of rain.

The rainfall total of 59.4 millimetres was six millimetres less than the average with mostly light falls throughout the month with the exception of the evening of the 25th when 25.8 mm fell during and following thunderstorms.

Numerous cloudy days and nights kept day temperatures lower than normal and overnight temperatures higher than normal. There were no notable extremes.

There were only eight sunny days, no hail or frosts, and winds were predominantly light to moderate easterlies.

There were no noteworthy events.

MARCH 2020 STATISTICS (long term averages in brackets)

Rainfall: 59.4 mm (65.4 mm)

Rain days: 15 (10)

2020 rainfall total Jan to Mar: 432.8 mm (253.7 mm)

Average maximum temp: 22.3 deg (23.6 deg)

Average minimum temp: 11.5 deg (10.4 deg)

Highest maximum temp: 28.6 deg on 2nd

Lowest maximum temp: 16.1 deg on 9th

Highest minimum temp: 17.6 deg on 6th

Lowest minimum temp: 3.6 deg on 19th

Fine sunny days: 8 (15)

Ideal weather days: 1 (2)

Days with thunderstorms: 2 (3)

Days with frosts: 0 (1)

Days with fogs: 2 (3)

Wind direction at airport at 3pm & number of days: E: 17, W: 7, SW: 3, NE: 2, SE: 1, N : 1

Average daily pan evaporation: 2.9 mm (3.7 mm)

Thunderstorm details:

3rd: 3.35-4.30pm - slight storm from west

25th: 8.00-9.00pm slight storm

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