

## Meteorological Department St. Maarten

## Climatological Summary – July 2020





Temperature			
Daily Average Air Temperature		29.0°C	84°F
Absolute Maximum Temperature	28 <sup>th</sup> Jul.	32.8°C	91°F
Absolute Minimum Temperature	7 <sup>th</sup> Jul.	24.2°C	76°F
Average Relative Humidity		74 %	
Rainfall			
Total Monthly Rainfall		129.0 mm	5.1 in.
24-hr Maximum Rainfall	29 <sup>th</sup> Jul.	46.2 mm	1.8 in.
Number of Rain Days (with 1.0+ mm)		14 days	
Number of Heavy Rain Days (with 10.0+ mm)		3 days	
Number of days with thunderstorm		4 days	
2020 Cumulative Rainfall		488.5 mm 19.2 in.	
Sunshine & Clouds			
Daily Average Sunshine Duration		9:32 (hrs:mins)	
Maximum Daily sunshine	18 <sup>th</sup> Jul.	11:54 (hrs:mins)	
Minimum Daily sunshine	29 <sup>th</sup> Jul.	0:24 (hrs:mins)	
Average Cloud Coverage	Fair to Partly cloudy	44.83%	
Wind & Pressure			
Average Wind Speed		10 kt.	12 mph
Maximum Wind Gust	29 <sup>th</sup> Jul.	44 kt.	51 mph
Average Air Pressure (QNH) 1017.0 mb			
Remarks: Rainfall for the month of July was above the normal range. A tropical storm warning			
was issued for the island on July 28 <sup>th</sup> for expected impacts from potential tropical cyclone #9. The			
system became tropical storm Isaias after passing about 160 miles southwest of St. Maarten.			
Rainfall from this system amounted to 46.2mm or 1.8inches on the 29 <sup>th</sup> and the highest gust			

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measured was 44kts/51mph. There were 12 hot days in July and one (1) very hot day as well as

three (3) heat waves the longest being four (4) days ( $1^{st}$  to  $4^{th}$ ).