

Meteorological Department St. Maarten

Climatological Summary - May 2014



Recorded at: Princess Juliana International Airport, St. Maarten

Temperature			
Daily Average Air Temperature		26.8 °C	<i>80</i> °F
Absolute Maximum Temperature	6^{th}	30.5 °C	87 °F
Absolute Minimum Temperature	10^{th}	21.2 °C	<i>70</i> °F
Average Relative Humidity		73 %	
Rainfall			
Total Monthly Rainfall		175.1 mm	6.9in.
24-hr Maximum Rainfall	10^{th}	65.9 mm	2.6in.
Number of Rain Days (with 1.0+ mm)		9 days	
Number of Heavy Rain Days (with 10.0+ mm)		3 day	
2014 Cumulative Rainfall		369.4 mm	14.5in.
Sunshine & Clouds			
Daily Average Sunshine Duration		7:44 (hrs:mins)	
Maximum Daily sunshine	6^{th}	11:42 (hrs:mins)	
Minimum Daily sunshine	9 th	0:06 (hrs:mins)	
Cloud Coverage	Cloudy	62.0 %	
Wind & Pressure			
Average Wind Speed		9 kts	10 mph
Maximum Wind Gust	30^{th}	31 kts	36 mph
Average Air Pressure (QNH)		1016.5 mb	
Evaporation			
Daily Average Evaporation		5.43 mm	
Monthly Total Evaporation		168.5 mm	
Maximum Evaporation	6^{th}	7.80 mm	

Remarks: Instability brought about by an upper level disturbance produced heavy rainfall from the 8^{th} to the 12^{th} .