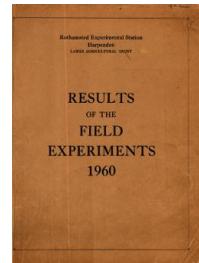


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 (Departure from long period means in brackets)

Month	Total sunshine: hours	Air (1)	Mean temperature:		Ground frosts	Drain-age through 20 in. soil:in.	Wind (4) m.p.h.
			Dew point	°F 1 ft. 4 ft.			
Jan.	37 (-16.4)	37.9 (+0.6)	36.5	39.9	44.3	18	2.33
Feb.	86 (+16.8)	38.7 (+0.5)	35.4	39.0	42.8	14	1.97
Mar.	59 (-57.9)	42.4 (+1.1)	38.7	42.8	43.3	9	0.75
Apr.	153 (-3.0)	47.1 (+1.3)	41.0	47.2	45.4	8	0.04
May	175 (-21.5)	54.3 (+2.4)	47.2	53.7	48.7	2	5.5
June	261 (+58.4)	59.7 (+2.4)	51.7	60.7	53.7	0	3.9
July	144 (-50.9)	58.7 (-2.1)	53.5	60.1	56.3	0	-
Aug.	164 (-19.6)	58.5 (-1.7)	53.6	60.4	57.5	0	4.3
Sept.	132 (-13.7)	55.5 (-0.6)	51.7	57.9	57.5	0	3.8
Oct.	66 (-38.2)	50.1 (+1.1)	47.9	51.7	54.5	2	0.91
Nov.	58 (-3.7)	44.2 (+1.7)	42.6	45.3	50.3	7	3.0
Dec.	42 (-2.6)	38.8 (+0.1)	36.8	40.7	46.5	18	2.19
Year*	1377 (-152.3)	48.8 (+0.5)	44.7	49.9	50.1	78	36.37 (+7.87)

(1) Mean of maximum and minimum.
 (2) Number of nights grass minimum was 30° F or less.

(3) Number of days rainfall was 0.01 in. or more.
 (4) At 2 metres above ground level.

*Mean or total