## April 2023 Climate Summary for West Central and Southwest Florida

Temperatures averaged about 2 to 5 degrees Fahrenheit above normal in April with numerous sites ending up in the Top Ten Warmest for April.

## APRIL TEMPERATURE RANKINGS ( ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ ):

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\begin{array}{ccccc} 
& \text { April } 2023 & \text { Normal } & \text { Dep fm } & \text { Records } \\
\text { Rank } & \text { Avg Temp } & \text { Apr Temp } & \text { Normal } & \text { Began }
\end{array}
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Location

Plant City

Tampa Area
Venice

Bartow
Wauchula 2 N

St. Leo

Fort Myers Area
St Petersburg Area
Lakeland Area

Punta Gorda Area
Sarasota-Bradenton Area
Winter Haven Area

Archbold Bio Stn
Myakka River State Pk
Inverness 3 SE
Tarpon Springs
Brooksville Area
Chiefland 5 ESE
$\begin{array}{cc}\text { 2nd Warmest } & 79.0^{\circ} \\ \text { 1st Warmest } & 77.9^{\circ} \\ \text { 2nd Warmest } & 77.2^{\circ} \\ \text { 2nd Warmest } & 77.0^{\circ} \\ \text { 3rd Warmest } & 77.0^{\circ} \\ \text { 2nd Warmest } & 76.6^{\circ} \\ \text { 4th Warmest (tie) } & 76.6^{\circ} \\ \text { 1st Warmest } & 76.2^{\circ} \\ \text { 7th Warmest } & 76.2^{\circ} \\ \text { 7th Warmest(tie) } & 75.9^{\circ} \\ \text { 3rd Warmest } & 75.6^{\circ} \\ \text { 2nd Warmest (tie) } & 75.0^{\circ} \\ \text { 4th Warmest } & 74.9^{\circ} \\ \text { 8th Warmest (tie) } & 74.9^{\circ} \\ \text { 5th Warmest } & 74.2^{\circ} \\ \text { 18th Warmest } & 74.2^{\circ} \\ \text { 7th Warmest } & 74.3^{\circ} \\ \text { 18th Warmest } & 70.0^{\circ}\end{array}$
Departure from Normal Temperature (F)

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4 / 1 / 2023-4 / 30 / 2023
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Temperature (F)
4/1/2023-4/30/2023

$74.8^{\circ}$
$73.5^{\circ}$
$74.1^{\circ}$
$73.2^{\circ}+3.8^{\circ}$ Jan 1915
$73.9^{\circ}+3.1^{\circ}$ Apr 1890
$72.5^{\circ}+4.1^{\circ}$ May 1955
$73.1^{\circ}+3.5^{\circ}$ May 1914
$72.6^{\circ}+3.6^{\circ}$ Jan 1911
$73.8^{\circ}+2.4^{\circ}$ Mar 1941
$72.5^{\circ}+3.4^{\circ}$ Jun 1892
$71.0^{\circ}+4.6^{\circ}$ Jan 1933
$71.7^{\circ}+3.3^{\circ} \quad$ Jan 1969
$72.5^{\circ}+2.4^{\circ}$ Mar 1956
$71.4^{\circ}+3.5^{\circ}$ Apr 1895
$68.5^{\circ}+5.7^{\circ}$ Jul 1948
$72.2^{\circ}+2.0^{\circ} \quad$ Jan 1892
$69.2^{\circ}+5.1^{\circ}$ Jan 189
$68.4^{\circ}+1.6^{\circ}$ Jul 1956

As far as rainfall, April is usually one of the drier months of the year, and in areas from around Tampa Bay north across the Nature Coast this was true. However, we did see a couple of cold fronts along with a few upperlevel disturbances that brought some decent showers and thunderstorms to the eastern half of the Florida peninsula and southwest Florida.

## APRIL RAINFALL (inches):

Location
April 2023

Punta Gorda Area
Archbold Bio Stn Bartow
Plant City
Fort Myers Area
Sarasota-Bradenton Area Winter Haven Area St. Leo
Venice
Chiefland 5 ESE
Inverness 3 SE Brooksville Area
Myakka River State Pk Wauchula 2 N Lakeland Area Tarpon Springs Tampa Area
St. Petersburg Area

Rank
4th Wettest
4th Wettest
28 th Wettest
28 th Wettest
18th Wettest
23 rd Wettest
25 th Wettest
79 th Driest
$39 t h$ Driest
$29 t h$ Driest
27 th Driest
45 th Driest
32 nd Driest
25 th Driest
$30 t h ~ D r i e s t ~$
44 th Driest (tie)
36 th Driest
$28 t h ~ D r i e s t ~$

4th Wettest 4th Wettest 28th Wettest 28th Wettest 18th Wettest 23rd Wettest 25th Wettest 79th Driest 39th Driest 29th Driest 27th Driest 45th Driest 32nd Driest 25th Driest 30th Driest 44th Driest(tie) 28th Driest

Rain Total

Normal Apr Rain
6.07
5.64
4.24
4.04
3.99
3.63
$2.87 \quad 2.50$
2.86
2.11
2.09
1.59
1.56
1.56
1.38
1.22
1.22
0.88
0.72
2.23
2.54
2.72
2.88
2.44
2.46
2.50
3.06
2.47
2.97
2.69
2.18
2.98
2.92
2.82
2.69
2.55
1.93

Dep fm Normal
$+3.84$
$+3.10$
$+1.52$
+1. 16
+1. 55
$+1.17$
$+0.37$
-0.20
$-0.36$
-0.88
$-1.10$
-0.62
-1. 42
-1. 54
-1. 60
-1. 47
-1. 67
-1.21

Records Began

May 1914
Jan 1969
Jun 1892
Jan 1893
Jan 1902
Jan 1911
Mar 1941
Apr 1895
May 1955
Jul 1956
Jul 1948
Jan 1892
Sep 1943
Jan 1933
Jan 1915
Jan 1892
Apr 1890
Aug 1914


April 2023 Rainfall


Percent

Percent of Normal Rain

On the following pages are tables of the top ten warmest, coolest, wettest, and driest Aprils at some official NWS locations, which includes the average/total so far for this April where available, and the 1991-2020 average temperature and rainfall for the month of April.

CHIEFLAND 5 ESE (records began in July 1956):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 173.0 in 1991 | 163.4 in 1961 | 114.61 in 1982 | 10.00 in 1967 |
| 272.5 in 2002 | 264.8 in 2005 | 28.46 in 1997 | 0.30 in 1963 |
| 372.2 in 1999 | 364.9 in 2004 | 37.39 in 1995 | 30.31 in 1969 |
| 471.8 in 1970 | 65.0 in 1962 | 47.16 in 1985 | 0.42 in 2016 |
| 571.5 in 2020 | 565.3 in 1993 | 57.13 in 1991 | $5 \quad 0.79$ in 1989 |
| 671.3 in 2017 | 665.5 in 2000 | $6 \quad 6.65$ in 1957 | 60.80 in 2000 |
| 71.3 in 2011 | 765.6 in 2007 | 76.48 in 1983 | 70.88 in 2001 |
| 871.2 in 1911 | 866.4 in 1966 | $8 \quad 6.22$ in 2005 | 0.88 in 1998 |
| 71.2 in 1965 | 966.6 in 1984 | 96.20 in 1961 | 90.91 in 1993 |
| 1070.9 in 1994 | 1066.9 in 1986 | $10 \quad 6.12$ in 1979 | 0.91 in 1981 |
| 1870.0 in 2023 |  | 372.09 in 2023 | 292.09 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at CHIF1 $=68.4^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at CHIF1 = 2.97 in.

INVERNESS 3 SE (records began in July 1948):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 175.5 in 1954 | 164.8 in 1993 | 17.88 in 1953 | 10.00 in 1967 |
| 274.9 in 2015 | 266.1 in 2004 | 25.89 in 1991 | 20.06 in 2001 |
| 374.5 in 1968 | 366.2 in 2000 | 35.76 in 2011 | $3 \quad 0.07$ in 1998 |
| 474.3 in 1967 | 466.3 in 2007 | 45.52 in 2021 | 40.20 in 1978 |
| 574.2 in 2023 | 566.4 in 1996 | 55.49 in 2022 | 50.26 in 1987 |
| 674.1 in 1965 | 666.8 in 2003 | 5.20 in 1997 | $6 \quad 0.31$ in 1977 |
| 774.0 in 1970 | 66.8 in 1992 | 75.15 in 1959 | 0.31 in 1974 |
| 873.5 in 2002 | 867.1 in 1998 | 85.01 in 2018 | 80.65 in 1999 |
| 973.1 in 1969 | 967.3 in 1988 | 95.00 in 1982 | 90.73 in 1968 |
| 73.1 in 1963 | 1067.4 in 1950 | 104.89 in 1984 | 100.76 in 1981 |
|  |  | 491.59 in 2023 | 27 1.59 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at INVF1 $=68.5^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at INVF1 = 2.69 in.

BROOKSVILLE AREA (records began in January 1892):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 175.5 in 1947 | 164.3 in 2005 | 114.49 in 1928 | 1 Trace in 2017 |
| 75.5 in 1945 | 64.3 in 2004 | 28.05 in 1900 | Trace in 1967 |
| 75.5 in 1929 | 364.8 in 1901 | 37.54 in 1935 | 30.04 in 2001 |
| 475.2 in 2015 | 465.3 in 2000 | 47.41 in 1949 | 40.10 in 1903 |
| 574.5 in 1927 | 566.8 in 2007 | 57.38 in 1991 | 50.16 in 1977 |
| 674.4 in 1994 | 667.1 in 1950 | 66.92 in 1953 | 60.20 in 1981 |
| 774.3 in 2023 | 767.3 in 1892 | 76.48 in 1937 | 70.21 in 1932 |
| 874.0 in 1909 | 867.5 in 1998 | 86.39 in 1918 | 80.25 in 2006 |
| 973.9 in 2020 | 967.6 in 1926 | 96.33 in 1982 | 90.26 in 1998 |
| 1073.8 in 1981 | 1067.7 in 1952 | 106.20 in 1926 | 100.32 in 1896 |
|  |  | - 851.56 in 2023 | 45 1.56 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at BKV $=69.2^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at BKV $=2.18$ in.

ST. LEO (records began in April 1895):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 176.8 in 1908 | 166.4 in 1931 | 115.55 in 1953 | 1 Trace in 1967 |
| 276.0 in 1954 | 266.7 in 1987 | 211.22 in 1928 | 20.06 in 1981 |
| 76.0 in 1947 | 66.7 in 1928 | 37.41 in 1937 | 0.06 in 1922 |
| 475.7 in 1945 | 467.7 in 1950 | 47.02 in 1997 | 40.09 in 2001 |
| 575.5 in 2015 | 67.7 in 1915 | 56.86 in 1991 | 50.11 in 1903 |
| 675.4 in 2002 | 67.7 in 1901 | 66.75 in 1949 | 60.12 in 1963 |
| 775.3 in 1994 | 768.0 in 1903 | 6.75 in 1941 | 70.13 in 2017 |
| 874.9 in 2023 | 868.4 in 1916 | 86.61 in 2018 | 80.20 in 1911 |
| 74.9 in 1991 | 968.6 in 1993 | 96.33 in 1895 | 90.21 in 1998 |
| 1074.6 in 2006 | 1068.7 in 1913 | 106.32 in 2020 | 100.23 in 1896 |
| 74.6 in 1999 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 502.86 in 2023 | 792.86 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at STLF1 $=71.4^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at STLF1 = 3.06 in.

TARPON SPRINGS (records began in January 1892):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils |  | Driest Aprils |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 176.5 in 2015 | 165.7 in 1987 | 1 | 7.63 in 1931 | 1 | 0.00 in | 1967 |
| 276.4 in 1947 | 267.1 in 1915 | 2 | 7.20 in 1942 | 2 | Trace in | 1896 |
| 376.0 in 1991 | 367.2 in 1962 | 3 | 6.97 in 1949 | 3 | 0.05 in | 1922 |
| 475.3 in 1945 | 467.4 in 1950 | 4 | 6.66 in 1928 | 4 | 0.07 in | 1981 |
| 575.1 in 1994 | 67.4 in 1940 | 5 | 6.31 in 1953 |  | 0.07 in | 1972 |
| 675.0 in 2020 | 667.5 in 1903 | 6 | 6.01 in 1957 | 6 | 0.08 in | 1923 |
| 774.9 in 1948 | 767.8 in 1916 | 7 | 6.00 in 2020 | 7 | 0.16 in | 1998 |
| 874.8 in 1922 | 867.9 in 1971 | 8 | 5.97 in 1933 | 8 | 0.18 in | 1903 |
| 74.8 in 1912 | 67.9 in 1961 | 9 | 5.90 in 1959 | 9 | 0.20 in | 2017 |
| 1074.7 in 2002 | 67.9 in 1910 | 10 | 5.70 in 1941 | 10 | 0.23 in | 1910 |
| 74.7 in 1929 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1274.6 in 2017 |  | 85 | 1.22 in 2023 | 44 | 1.22 in | 2023 |
| 74.6 in 1954 |  |  | 1.22 in 1962 |  | 1.22 in | 1962 |
| 74.6 in 1908 |  |  | 1.22 in 1919 |  | 1.22 in | 1919 |
| 1574.5 in 1927 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1674.4 in 1911 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1774.3 in 2011 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1874.2 in 2023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Normal Temperature for April at TRPF1 $=72.2^{\circ}$ Normal Rainfall for April at TRPF1 $=2.69 \mathrm{in}$.

TAMPA AREA (records began in April 1890):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 178.0 in 2015 | 166.3 in 1987 | 110.71 in 1997 | 1 Trace in 1981 |
| 277.1 in 2017 | 266.7 in 1901 | 28.04 in 1920 | Trace in 1967 |
| 377.0 in 2023 | 367.2 in 1993 | 37.23 in 1931 | 30.02 in 2001 |
| 476.9 in 2022 | 467.7 in 1950 | 46.76 in 2022 | 40.05 in 1969 |
| 576.8 in 1991 | 568.1 in 1903 | 56.73 in 2020 | 50.16 in 1922 |
| 676.6 in 1947 | 668.2 in 1899 | 66.59 in 1957 | 0.16 in 1898 |
| 776.4 in 1908 | 768.6 in 1983 | 76.14 in 1933 | 70.21 in 1963 |
| 876.3 in 2011 | 68.6 in 1961 | 85.75 in 1926 | 80.31 in 1892 |
| 76.3 in 2002 | 68.6 in 1915 | 95.48 in 1959 | 90.35 in 1938 |
| 1076.0 in 1945 | 68.6 in 1891 | 10 5.38 in 1895 | 100.37 in 1946 |
|  |  | 990.88 in 2023 | $33^{6} 0.88$ in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at TPA $=73.9^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at TRA $=2.55$ in.

ST. PETERSBURG (records began in August 1914):


Normal Temperature for April at $\operatorname{SPG}=74.1^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at $\mathrm{SPG}=1.93$ in.

PLANT CITY (Temperature records began in Sep 1892 and Rainfall records began in Jan 1893):


Normal Temperature for April at PLCF1 $=73.5^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at PLCF1 = 2.88 in.

LAKELAND AREA (records began in January 1915):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils |  | Driest Aprils |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 177.2 in 2015 | 167.3 in 1950 | 1 | 8.48 in 1959 | 1 | 0.00 | in 1967 |
| 277.0 in 2023 | 268.3 in 2005 | 2 | 8.36 in 1939 | 2 | 0.04 | in 2001 |
| 376.6 in 2020 | 68.3 in 1952 | 3 | 8.35 in 1934 | 3 | 0.05 | in 1963 |
| 476.5 in 1991 | 468.5 in 1987 | 4 | 8.15 in 1951 | 4 | 0.09 | in 1981 |
| 576.3 in 1994 | 568.6 in 1961 | 5 | 7.71 in 1928 | 5 | 0.22 | in 1977 |
| 676.2 in 1922 | 68.6 in 1951 | 6 | 6.84 in 1997 | 6 | 0.25 | in 1922 |
| 776.1 in 2011 | 768.7 in 2007 | 7 | 6.77 in 1957 | 7 | 0.42 | in 1972 |
| 875.8 in 1947 | 868.9 in 1973 | 8 | 6.66 in 1920 |  | 0.42 | in 1969 |
| 975.6 in 1945 | 969.0 in 1983 | 9 | 5.82 in 1926 | 9 | 0.43 | in 1932 |
| 1075.4 in 1929 | 1069.5 in 1931 | 10 | 5.60 in 1941 | 10 | 0.44 | in 1945 |
|  | 69.5 in 1915 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 79 | 1.22 in 2023 | 30 | 1.22 | in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at LLDF1 $=73.2^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at LLDF1 $=2.82 \mathrm{in}$.

WINTER HAVEN AREA (records began in March 1941):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 178.6 in 2015 | 167.0 in 1987 | 17.36 in 1951 | 1 | 0.00 in 1981 |
| 277.8 in 1947 | 268.5 in 1983 | 27.29 in 1941 |  | 0.00 in 1967 |
| 377.5 in 1991 | 68.5 in 1973 | 36.51 in 2008 | 3 | 0.18 in 1963 |
| 477.1 in 1945 | 469.0 in 1961 | 46.34 in 1957 | 4 | 0.28 in 1946 |
| 576.6 in 2002 | 569.1 in 1971 | $5 \quad 5.55$ in 1947 | 5 | 0.46 in 1952 |
| 676.3 in 2011 | 669.7 in 2005 | 65.30 in 1960 | 6 | 0.51 in 2017 |
| 776.2 in 2023 | 69.7 in 1962 | $7 \quad 5.11$ in 1997 | 7 | 0.56 in 2001 |
| 876.0 in 2020 | 869.9 in 1993 | 85.01 in 1959 | 8 | 0.61 in 1978 |
| 975.8 in 1994 | 970.0 in 1951 | 94.42 in 2018 | 9 | 0.62 in 1968 |
| 1075.7 in 1948 | 1070.1 in 2004 | 4.42 in 1991 | 10 | 0.64 in 1986 |
|  |  | 25 2.87 in 2023 | 55 | 2.87 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at GIF $=73.8^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at GIF $=2.50$ in.

BARTOW (records began in June 1892):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 178.7 in 1908 | 165.9 in 1926 | 19.70 in 1920 | 10.00 in 1967 |
| 277.2 in 1945 | 266.3 in 1901 | 28.40 in 1951 | 2 Trace in 2000 |
| 376.1 in 1991 | 366.9 in 1915 | $3 \quad 6.89$ in 1941 | Trace in 1907 |
| 476.0 in 1999 | 467.3 in 1928 | $4 \quad 6.69$ in 1934 | 0.04 in 1922 |
| 76.0 in 1947 | 568.0 in 1913 | $5 \quad 6.43$ in 1937 | 50.11 in 1981 |
| 76.0 in 1922 | 668.1 in 1987 | $6 \quad 6.14$ in 1935 | 60.17 in 1938 |
| 775.9 in 2023 | 768.4 in 1950 | 76.12 in 1954 | $7 \quad 0.20$ in 1987 |
| 75.9 in 2014 | 68.4 in 1931 | 6.12 in 1895 | $8 \quad 0.21$ in 2006 |
| 975.7 in 1965 | 968.8 in 1952 | 95.94 in 1933 | 90.28 in 2001 |
| 1075.6 in 2002 | 1068.9 in 1937 | 105.87 in 1991 | 100.34 in 1919 |
| 75.6 in 1954 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 284.24 in 2023 | 1034.24 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at BARF1 $=72.5^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at BARF1 $=2.72$ in.

SARASOTA-BRADENTON AREA (records began in January 1911):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 176.2 in 2023 | 165.9 in 1987 | 110.23 in 1957 | 10.00 in 1967 |
| 275.9 in 2015 | 267.0 in 1916 | 29.82 in 1920 | 2 Trace in 2017 |
| 75.9 in 1945 | 367.1 in 1915 | $3 \quad 8.78$ in 1997 | 30.01 in 1923 |
| 475.2 in 2020 | 467.5 in 1931 | 7.36 in 2020 | 0.03 in 1981 |
| 575.1 in 1994 | 567.8 in 1986 | 57.22 in 1933 | 50.08 in 1963 |
| 675.0 in 2017 | 668.3 in 2005 | 67.09 in 1951 | 60.10 in 1998 |
| 774.9 in 1947 | 68.3 in 1950 | 75.55 in 1930 | 70.10 in 1922 |
| 874.6 in 2002 | 868.4 in 1993 | 85.11 in 1953 | 80.14 in 2006 |
| 974.5 in 2022 | 968.5 in 1971 | 94.87 in 1916 | 0.14 in 2001 |
| 74.5 in 1954 | 68.5 in 1940 | 104.85 in 1960 | $10 \quad 0.15$ in 1938 |
|  |  | 23 3.63 in 2023 | 913.63 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at $\mathrm{SRQ}=72.6^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at SRQ = 2.46 in.

VENICE (records began in May 1955):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils | Driest Aprils |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 176.9 in 2015 | 165.5 in 1987 | 113.85 in 1957 | 10.00 in 1967 |
| 276.6 in 2023 | 268.0 in 1986 | 27.86 in 1997 | 20.06 in 1975 |
| 376.2 in 2011 | 368.5 in 1993 | 36.10 in 1962 | 30.07 in 1987 |
| 476.1 in 1994 | 468.6 in 2005 | 45.20 in 1993 | 0.07 in 1978 |
| 575.9 in 2013 | 568.8 in 1983 | 55.18 in 1984 | 50.09 in 1963 |
| 675.5 in 2002 | 68.8 in 1962 | 65.09 in 1991 | 60.15 in 2006 |
| 775.0 in 2020 | 769.0 in 1988 | 74.51 in 2013 | 70.16 in 2001 |
| 874.5 in 2017 | 869.3 in 1984 | 4.51 in 1982 | 80.17 in 1970 |
| 74.5 in 1999 | 969.4 in 2007 | 94.12 in 1966 | 90.18 in 1999 |
| 1074.4 in 2012 | 1069.6 in 1956 | 104.01 in 2004 | 100.24 in 1972 |
|  |  | $3{ }^{3} \mathbf{2} 211$ in 2023 | 392.11 in 2023 |

Normal Temperature for April at VNCF1 $=72.5^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at VNCF1 $=2.47$ in.

MYAKKA RIVER STATE PARK (Temperature records began in March 1956 and Rainfall records began in Sep 1943):


Normal Temperature for April at MKCF1 $=72.5^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at MKCF1 $=2.98$ in.

WAUCHULA $2 \mathbf{N}$ (records began in January 1933):


Normal Temperature for April at WAUF1 $=71.0^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at WAUF1 $=2.92$ in.

ARCHBOLD BIO STN (records began in January 1969):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils |  | Driest Aprils |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 176.6 in 2015 | 163.0 in 1987 | 1 | 9.53 in 2021 | 1 | 0.03 | in 2006 |
| 275.0 in 2023 | 266.4 in 1986 | 2 | 5.90 in 1972 | 2 | 0.08 | in 1971 |
| 75.0 in 2020 | 366.7 in 2004 | 3 | 5.65 in 2015 | 3 | 0.16 | in 1981 |
| 474.8 in 1991 | 466.9 in 1993 | 4 | 5.64 in 2023 | 4 | 0.19 | in 1970 |
| 574.4 in 2011 | 567.4 in 2005 | 5 | 5.47 in 1997 | 5 | 0.21 | in 1986 |
| 674.1 in 1994 | 67.4 in 1983 | 6 | 5.37 in 2013 | 6 | 0.42 | in 2016 |
| 773.7 in 1982 | 767.7 in 2000 | 7 | 4.91 in 1992 | 7 | 0.43 | in 1978 |
| 873.5 in 1975 | 868.6 in 1971 | 8 | 4.90 in 1973 | 8 | 0.52 | in 1987 |
| 973.4 in 2013 | 968.7 in 1992 | 9 | 4.15 in 1982 | 9 | 0.59 | in 2009 |
| 1073.1 in 2017 | 1068.8 in 2007 | 10 | 4.10 in 2004 | 10 | 0.69 | in 1977 |
|  | 68.8 in 1984 |  |  |  |  |  |

Normal Temperature for April at ACHF1 $=71.7^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at ACHF1 $=2.54 \mathrm{in}$.

PUNTA GORDA AREA (records began in May 1914):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils |  | Driest Aprils |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 178.7 in 1945 | 167.9 in 1987 | 1 | 8.70 in 1920 | 1 | 0.00 in 1981 |
| 278.2 in 1947 | 268.7 in 1915 | 2 | 7.93 in 1957 |  | 0.00 in 1963 |
| 376.9 in 1944 | 369.1 in 2004 | 3 | 7.08 in 1931 |  | 0.00 in 1946 |
| 476.6 in 2023 | 69.1 in 1916 | 4 | 6.07 in 2023 | 4 | Trace in 1975 |
| 76.6 in 2015 | 569.2 in 2005 | 5 | 5.80 in 1994 |  | Trace in 1967 |
| 76.6 in 1994 | 669.7 in 1971 | 6 | 5.52 in 1941 | 6 | 0.03 in 1922 |
| 776.1 in 1954 | 770.0 in 1993 | 7 | 5.36 in 1947 | 7 | 0.05 in 2006 |
| 876.0 in 1991 | 70.0 in 1986 | 8 | 5.20 in 1933 | 8 | 0.09 in 1970 |
| 76.0 in 1946 | 970.1 in 2000 | 9 | 5.15 in 1997 | 9 | 0.10 in 2001 |
| 1075.9 in 1948 | 1070.2 in 1950 | 10 | 5.08 in 1965 | 10 | 0.11 in 1987 |
|  |  |  | 5.08 in 1948 |  |  |

Normal Temperature for April at $P G D=73.1^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at $P G D=2.23 \mathrm{in}$.

FORT MYERS AREA (records began in January 1902):

| Warmest Aprils | Coolest Aprils | Wettest Aprils |  | Driest Aprils |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 179.2 in 2020 | 168.5 in 1950 | 1 | 8.42 in 1939 | 1 | Trace in 1970 |
| 279.0 in 2023 | 268.8 in 1987 | 2 | 7.66 in 1941 |  | Trace in 1967 |
| 378.8 in 2015 | 369.3 in 1915 | 3 | 6.06 in 1933 |  | Trace in 1903 |
| 477.7 in 2011 | 469.6 in 1903 | 4 | 5.89 in 1930 | 4 | 0.01 in 2006 |
| 77.7 in 1991 | 570.1 in 1983 | 5 | 5.83 in 2022 |  | 0.01 in 1946 |
| 77.7 in 1947 | 70.1 in 1910 | 6 | 5.68 in 1994 | 6 | 0.02 in 1922 |
| 777.5 in 2022 | 770.2 in 1952 | 7 | 5.61 in 1916 | 7 | 0.08 in 1981 |
| 877.4 in 1994 | 870.4 in 1971 | 8 | 5.50 in 1949 |  | 0.08 in 1950 |
| 977.3 in 1908 | 970.6 in 1931 | 9 | 5.34 in 1995 | 9 | 0.11 in 1974 |
| 1076.9 in 2018 | 1070.8 in 2005 | 10 | 5.01 in 1991 | 10 | 0.14 in 1987 |
| 76.9 in 2013 | 70.8 in 1993 |  |  |  |  |
| 76.9 in 2002 | 70.8 in 1961 | 18 | 3.99 in 2023 | 105 | 3.99 in 2023 |
| 76.9 in 1945 | 70.8 in 1907 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 70.8 in 1902 |  |  |  |  |

Normal Temperature for April at $\mathrm{FMY}=74.8^{\circ}$
Normal Rainfall for April at FMY $=2.44$ in.

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