



## Seasonal rainfall, summer , 1981-2010

### Metadata

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#### Language

eng

#### Character Set

##### Character Set Code

utf8

#### Hierarchy Level

##### Scope Code

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### Date Stamp

#### Date

2017-10-13

## Metadata Standard Name

ANZLIC Metadata Profile: An Australian/New Zealand Profile of AS/NZS ISO 19115:2005, Geographic information - Metadata

## Metadata Standard Version

1.1

## Reference System Info

### Reference System

#### Reference System Identifier

##### Identifier

##### Code

NZGD49 / New Zealand Map Grid

## Identification Info

### Data Identification

#### Citation

##### Citation

##### Title

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### Abstract

Rain is vital for life – it supplies the water we need to drink and to grow our food, keeps our ecosystems healthy, and supplies our electricity. New Zealand’s mountainous terrain and location in the roaring forties mean rainfall varies across the country. Changes in rainfall amount or timing can significantly affect agriculture, energy, recreation, and the environment. For example, an increase or decrease of rainfall in spring can have marked effects on crops or fish populations. More information on this dataset and how it relates to our environmental reporting indicators and topics can be found in the attached data quality pdf.

### Status

#### Progress Code

completed

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Resource Maintenance

Maintenance Information

Maintenance And Update Frequency

Maintenance Frequency Code

irregular

Resource Format

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Name

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Version

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Descriptive Keywords

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New Zealand

Type

Keyword Type Code

theme

Thesaurus Name

Citation

Title

ANZLIC Jurisdictions

Date

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Version 2.1

Edition Date

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ANZLIC the Spatial Information Council

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Role Code

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Descriptive Keywords

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CLIMATE-AND-WEATHER-Rainfall

Type

Keyword Type Code

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grid

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Distribution Info  
Distribution

## Transfer Options

### Digital Transfer Options

#### On Line

##### Online Resource

###### Linkage

###### URL

<https://data.mfe.govt.nz/layer/89414-seasonal-rainfall-summer-19812010/>

## Data Quality Info

### DQ \_ Data Quality

#### Scope

##### DQ \_ Scope

###### Level

###### Scope Code

dataset

###### Level Description

###### Scope Description

###### Other

dataset

## Lineage

### LI \_ Lineage

#### Statement

Source: NIWA Method: NIWA interpolated seasonal rainfall totals, measured at climate station locations across the country, to create a regular 500m resolution grid of average seasonal rainfall for each year from 1981 to 2010. Missing data were infilled using Virtual Climate Station Network data (NIWA, nd). Summer is defined as the months of December, January and February.

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