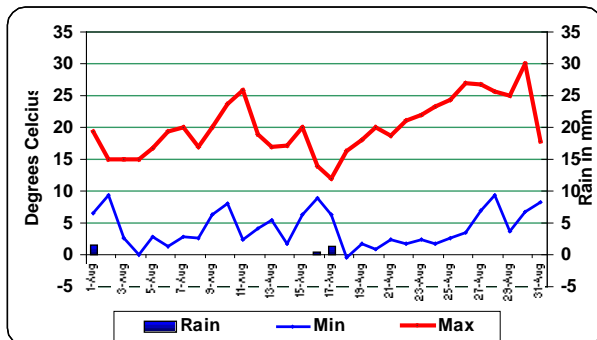


**August 2007** The month was extremely dry and sunny. A new record maximum for August was established on the 30<sup>th</sup> with a reading of 30 degrees, surpassing the previous highest of 29.1 degrees of 2004. Maximums for the month were a significant 2.6 degrees above average. Winter rainfall over June to August was the 4<sup>th</sup> lowest on record with a mere 20mm falling. Only the winters of 1914, 1919 and 1940 were marginally drier.

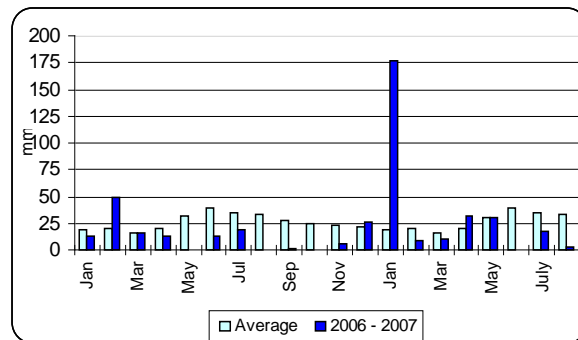
## Hawker Weather Almanac

August minimum temperatures			August maximum temperatures		
Highest on record	17.3°C	11 <sup>th</sup> 1977	Highest on record	29.1°C	25 <sup>th</sup> 2004
Highest this month	9.4°C	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Highest this month	30.0°C	30 <sup>th</sup>
Average this month	4.2°C	-0.2°C	Average this month	20.2°C	+2.5°C
Long term average	4.4°C		Long term average	17.7°C	
Lowest this month	-0.5°C	18 <sup>th</sup>	Lowest this month	12.0°C	17 <sup>th</sup>
Lowest on record	-2.8°C	12 <sup>th</sup> 1988	Lowest on record	9.2°C	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1975
August rainfall			Year- to- date		
Wettest on record	119.7mm	1886	Average rain to August	213.1 mm	37.1 days
Wettest day this month	1.6 mm	1 <sup>st</sup>	Total for 2007	278.7 mm	39 days
Total this month	3.2 mm	3 days	Total end August 2006	123.1 mm	24 days
Long term average	32.8mm	6.8 days	Wettest day	125.4 mm	Jan 20
Driest on record	0.0 mm	1914	Lowest temperature	-3.2°C	Jun 20
			Highest temperature	41.3°C	Jan 10

## Hawker Temperatures August 2007



## Hawker Rainfall 2006 - 2007

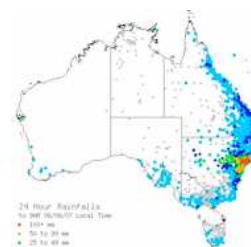


## Weather Cartoon



## Weather on the Web

### Detailed 24 hour rainfall map



This interactive colour coded map shows the latest 24-hour rainfall recordings for over 600 locations around Australia. Also updated hourly to show rain since 9am.

Use this map to explore individual states and districts (eg Northern Agricultural) and view the rain for specific locations such as Hawker.

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