MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW - ARMIDALE NSW JUNE 2025

June 2025 was a cold and cloudy month with light rainfall.

The rainfall total of 20.6 millimetres was 34 mm less than the average, and it was the driest month in the first half of 2025.

Temperatures were close to normal although there were a number of cold, cloudy and windy days associated with cold fronts or low pressure troughs moving across the state. Maximum temperatures were less than 10.0C on six days which is two days higher than the average. There were two cold outbreaks, the first from the 9th to the 13th, and the second from the 30th continuing into the first few days of July.

Despite the numerous cloudy days morning frosts were common, mostly in the second half of the month, five of the frosts were severe (minimum temperature below -3.9C).

There were no thunderstorms, hail or snow apart from a few snowflakes on the 9th - see below. Winds were mostly moderate westerlies which is normal for this time of year.

Noteworthy events:.

9th: Cold, windy and showery conditions affected the Northern Tablelands with light snowfalls in the higher areas including Black Mountain, Guyra and Ben Lomond. In Armidale there was no snow apart from a few snowflakes mixed with rain showers during the morning. The extreme weather conditions were the result of very cold south-westerly winds following a front and low pressure trough combined with upper level cold air. The maximum temperature in Armidale on the 9th was 7.4C, although it felt much colder due to the strong westerly winds.

JUNE 2025 STATISTICS (long term averages in brackets)

Rainfall: 20.6 mm (54.3 mm) Rain days: 8(10)2025 rainfall total Jan to Jun: 500.4 mm (397.8 mm) Average maximum temp: 13.1 deg (13.3 deg) Average minimum temp: 0.5 deg (0.8 deg)Highest maximum temp: 17.6 deg on the 22nd Lowest maximum temp: 7.4 deg on the 9th Highest minimum temp: 8.5 deg on the 1st Lowest minimum temp: -5.9 deg on the 18th Fine sunny days: 8 (13) Ideal weather days: 1 (3) Days with thunderstorms: 0 (0.5) Days with frosts: 18 (17) light: 4, moderate: 9, severe: 5 Days with fogs: 7 (4) Wind direction at airport at 3pm & number of days: W: 12, SE: 6, SW: 3, NW: 3, S: 3, E: 2, N: 1 Average daily pan evaporation: 1.0 mm (1.2 mm)

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