

Weather Summary for Antigua and Barbuda May 2010

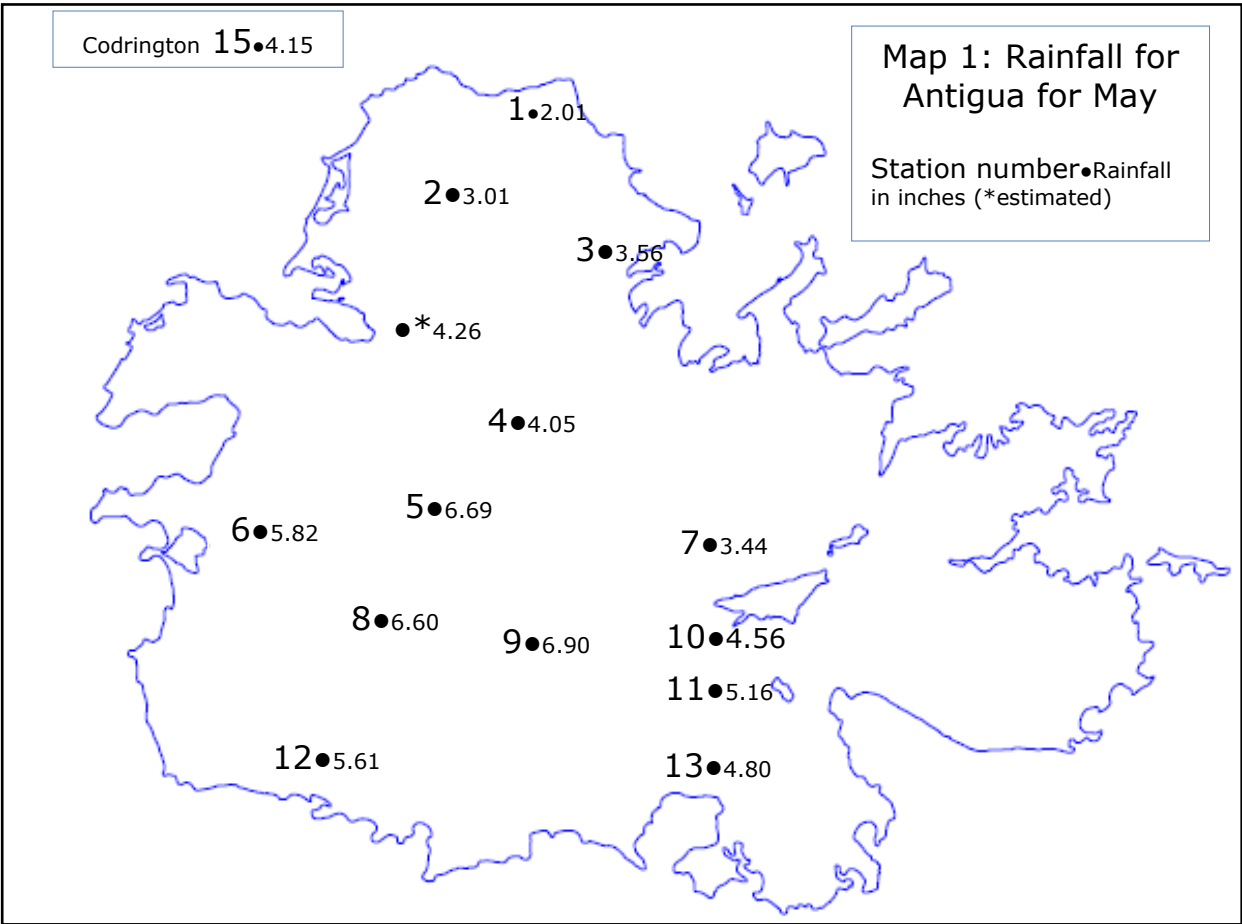
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Antigua experienced above normal rainfall during May. The total for the month was 5.13 inches, while the normal is 4.17 inches (1971 – 2000). The rainfall total for this month was over 123% the normal total. The rains for the month were due mainly to various trough systems.

The mean temperature for Coolidge of 27.6°C or 81.7°F was above normal and the sixth highest on record for May. Coolidge also had a maximum temperature of 33.0°C, which was well above normal and the second highest ever. The area also had a well above normal minimum temperature of 23.8°C; this was the highest since 2001 and the second highest on record for the month.

TEMPERATURE SUMMARY FOR ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA – MAY 2010									
	Mean			Maximum			Minimum		
Station	Temp (°C)	Rank (Total)	Anomaly (°C)	Temp (°C)	Rank (Total)	Anomaly (°C)	Temp (°C)	Rank (Total)	Anomaly (°C)
Coolidge	27.6	6(40)	+0.6	33.0	2(40)	+1.8	23.8	2(40)	+2.2
Codrington	27.8	-	-	32.3	-	-	23.2	-	-
Bethesda	27.2	-	-	32.5	-	-	22.2	-	-

Table 1: Temperature Summary for Antigua and Barbuda – May 2010. Temperatures are ranked from the highest to the lowest.



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