

SEASONAL OUTLOOK FOR ANTIGUA - NOVEMBER 2015 TO JANUARY 2016



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...Lower than normal to normal rainfall and higher than normal temperature...

Based upon models, observations and subjective inputs, the following are being projected for November 2015-January 2016 for Antigua with respect to rainfall and temperature:

Rainfall

Lower than normal to normal **rainfall** is most likely with a confidence of 80%. There is also a slight chance of severely dry conditions. The chance of wetter than normal weather is slight – 20%. Mostly likely, the island average rainfall will be less than **226.1 mm** (8.9 inches). Probabilistically, there is a

- 20% chance of above normal rainfall ;
- 35% chance of near normal rainfall (226.1 to 378.5 mm or 8.9 to 14.9 inches) and
- **45% chance of below normal rainfall.**

Temperature

Higher than usual **mean temperature** is most likely with a confidence of 60%. The chance of cooler than normal weather is only 10%. Mostly likely, the **mean temperature** will be higher than **26.2 °C** (79.2 °F). Probabilistically, there is a

- **60% chance of above normal temperature;**
- 30% chance of near normal temperature (25.8 to 26.2 °C or 78.4 to 79.2 °F) and
- 10% chance of below normal temperature.

In addition, daytime highs and night-time lows are most likely to be higher than normal or normal. At and in the vicinity of the V. C. Bird International Airport, the **mean minimum temperature** is likely to be higher than **23.4 °C** (74.1 °F) with a confidence of 55% as compared to the 1981-2010 normal of 22.9 to 23.4 °C (73.2 to 74.1 °F). This means that night-time could be **warmer than usual**. Meanwhile, the **mean maximum temperature** is expected to be above **28.8 °C** (83.8 °F) with a confidence of 80% as compared to the 1981-2010 normal of 28.8 to 29.2 °C (83.8 to 84.6 °F).

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Definition

The following definitions are being observed based on the 1981 to 2010 (baseline) dataset:

- **Below normal** (less or lower than normal): Values in the lowest 33.3% of the dataset
- **Near normal** (normal or usual): Values in the middle 33.3% of the dataset

- **Above normal** (more or higher than normal): Values in the highest 33.3% of the dataset

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