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Quantity	Date	Value
Temperature		
Average		$-27.5^{\circ}\text{C}\ (-17.5^{\circ}\text{F})$
Departure from Normal		$+0.5^{\circ}\text{C} \ (+0.9^{\circ}\text{F})$
Maximum	21 Jan	$-16.6^{\circ}\text{C}\ (2.1^{\circ}\text{F})$
Minimum	31 Jan	$-35.0^{\circ}\text{C}\ (-31.0^{\circ}\text{F})$
Atmospheric Pressure		
Average		$685.0\mathrm{mb}$
Highest	23 Jan	$695.1\mathrm{mb}$
Lowest	25 Jan	$670.9\mathrm{mb}$
Physiological Altitude		
Average		$3182\mathrm{m}\ (10,440\mathrm{ft})$
Highest	25 Jan	$3345\mathrm{m}\ (10,973\mathrm{ft})$
Lowest	23 Jan	$3067\mathrm{m}\ (10,064\mathrm{ft})$
Visibility		
0 days with $1/4$ mile or less		
Wind		
Average Wind Speed		$9.6\mathrm{mph}\ (8.3\mathrm{kts})$
Maximum Wind Speed	20 Jan	$36\mathrm{mph}\ (31\mathrm{kts})$
Maximum Wind Direction	1	Grid North
Average Vectored Wind		050° at $5.6\mathrm{kts}$
Prevailing Direction		Grid East 070°

Records:

- 20 Dec: The average wind speed of 15 kts (17.3 mph) broke the previous record of 14.6 kts (16.8 mph) set in 2002.
- 20 Dec: The maximum wind speed of 31 kts (35.7 mph) broke the previous record of 26 kts (29.9 mph) set in 1972.
- 21 Dec: The maximum temperature of $-16.6\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (2.12 $^{\circ}\text{F}$) broke the previous record of $-19.2\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($-2.56\,^{\circ}\text{F}$) set in 1999.
- 24 Dec: The average wind speed of 17.4 kts (20.0 mph) broke the previous record of 15.8 kts (18.2 mph) set in 2000.