

WINTER (DJF) 2009/2010 AIR TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION FOR MACEDONIA

Average seasonal air temperature for winter (December, January and February) 2009/2010 over the territory of Macedonia was above normal. The seasonal air temperature anomalies in reference to 1971-2000 (1961-1990) period have been in range from $1,1^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($1,4^{\circ}\text{C}$) for Lazaropole, and $3,6^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($3,7^{\circ}\text{C}$) for Bitola

The warmest winter month was December 2009. Air temperature anomalies in reference to 1971-2000 (1961-1990) have been in range from of $2,7^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($2,8^{\circ}\text{C}$) for Lazaropole and $5,6^{\circ}\text{C}$ for Bitola.

The seasonal precipitation amounts were above normal. Compared with the period 1971-2000 (1961-1990), the precipitation anomalies have been in range from 55.5 mm (51.1 mm) for Gevgelija and 225.2mm (187.7mm) in Lazaropole.

The highest precipitation amounts were registered in February.