

Regional Climate Summary

March 2024

Weather Forecast Office
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- March ended a couple degrees above average for much of the region with the Marfa Plateau and portions of the Rio Grande Valley staying cooler than normal.
- Precipitation was hard to come by, particularly across southeast New Mexico, south over the Davis Mountains, and across the Big Bend. The eastern Permian Basin received near normal rainfall.
- The last night below freezing was March 10th and if it holds would be 17 days earlier than the average last freeze.
- MAF recorded a trace of snow, but from hail and not from actual snow. Severe storms moved through the area on March 15th with some spots accumulating small hail.

Midland Int'l Airport March Statistics:

- Warmest Day: 84°F on the 31st
- Coldest Night: 31°F on the 10th
- Average Temperature: 58.6°F (Normal: 58.0°F)
- Precipitation Total: 0.60" (Normal: 0.68")
- Snowfall Total: T (From hail, not snow)
- Highest Wind Gust: 61 mph on the 24th



Dreary Spring Day - Dave Munyan



Small Hail Accumulating in Midland - Bobby Hulett



Vibrant West Texas Sunset at the Office

March Rankings
Carlsbad 🌡️: 17 th Warmest ☔️: Outside Top 25
Fort Stockton 🌡️: 9 th Warmest ☔️: Tied Driest
Midland 🌡️: 18 th Warmest ☔️: Outside Top 25
Big Lake 🌡️: Outside Top 25 ☔️: Outside Top 25
Snyder 🌡️: 24 th Warmest ☔️: Outside Top 25
Van Horn 🌡️: Outside Top 25 ☔️: T-18 th Driest
Wink 🌡️: T-12 th Warmest ☔️: Outside Top 25

