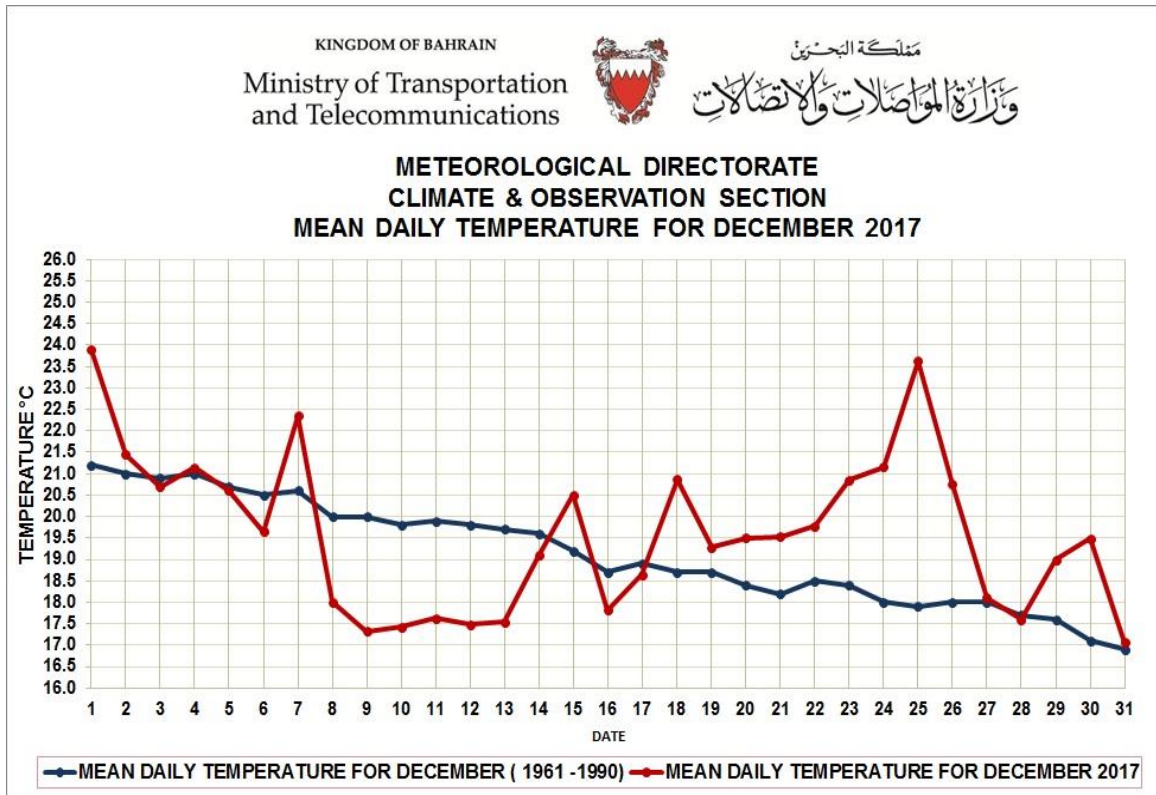




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MONTHLY WEATHER SUMMARY – DECEMBER 2017

December 2017, was warmer than normal in temperatures with below average precipitation and relative humidities.



The mean temperature of the month was 19.6°C which is 0.4°C above the long-term normal.

The mean maximum temperature of the month was 22.9°C which is 0.6°C above the long-term normal. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 28.9°C which occurred on the 25th of December at Bahrain International Airport.

The mean minimum temperature of the month was 16.6°C which is 0.4°C above the long-term normal. The lowest temperature recorded was 13.5°C set on the 28th of December at Bahrain International Airport but recorded 11.7°C on the 23rd of December at Durrat Al Bahrain.



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The mean relative humidity for December was 65% whereas the mean maximum relative humidity was 81% and the mean minimum relative humidity was 48%.

Light rain was reported in some places on the 2nd of December where the long-term mean total precipitation for the month of December is 10.9 mm - the highest monthly rainfall ever recorded during December was 119.6 mm which occurred in December 2006.