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## Worldwide Bioclimatic Classification System

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TANDIL (ARGENTINA)

Altitude: 176 m.

Latitude: 37°14'S Longitude: 59°14'W

Temperature observation period.: 1944-1994 (51)

Rainfall observation period....: 1944-1994 (51)

(C/mm)	Ti	Mi	mi	M'i	m'i	Pi	Epi
Jan.	21.39	30.00	12.78	42.22	2.22	67.1	123.74
Feb.	20.84	28.89	12.78	42.22	1.11	80.5	101.04
Mar.	18.61	26.11	11.11	37.78	0.00	96.5	85.77
Apr.	14.45	21.11	7.78	32.22	-3.89	80.0	52.73
May.	11.11	17.22	5.00	30.00	-7.22	63.0	33.74
Jun.	7.78	12.78	2.78	25.00	-10.00	47.5	18.31
Jul.	7.50	12.78	2.22	27.22	-8.89	38.9	18.67
Aug.	8.89	15.00	2.78	22.78	-7.22	38.9	26.10
Sep.	11.11	17.22	5.00	30.00	-6.11	65.8	38.34
Oct.	14.17	21.11	7.22	33.89	-5.00	58.9	62.16
Nov.	16.95	23.89	10.00	37.22	-1.11	81.5	83.40
Dec.	17.50	22.78	12.22	41.11	-1.11	72.4	94.01
Year	14.19	20.74	7.64	33.47	-3.94	791	738.02

### BIOCLIMATIC INDICES AND DIAGNOSIS

Thermicity index.....(It):	292
Compensated thermicity index.....(Itc):	292
Simple continentality index.....(Ic):	13.9
Diurnality index.....(Id):	17.2
Annual ombrothermic index.....(Io):	4.64
Monthly estival ombrothermic index.....(Ios1):	3.14
Bimonthly estival ombrothermic index.....(Ios2):	3.50
Three monthly estival ombrothermic index.....(Ios3):	3.68
Four monthly estival ombrothermic index.....(Ios4):	3.93
Annual ombro-evaporation index.....(Ioe):	1.53
Annual positive temperature.....(Tp):	1703
Annual negative temperature.....(Tn):	0
Estival temperature.....(Ts):	597
Positive precipitation.....(Pp):	791

N. of	P>4T	P:2T-4T	PT-2T	P<T	T<0
Months	10	2	0	0	0

Latitudinal Belt...: Low eutemperate

Continentalty.....: Oceanic - Low Semihyperoceanic

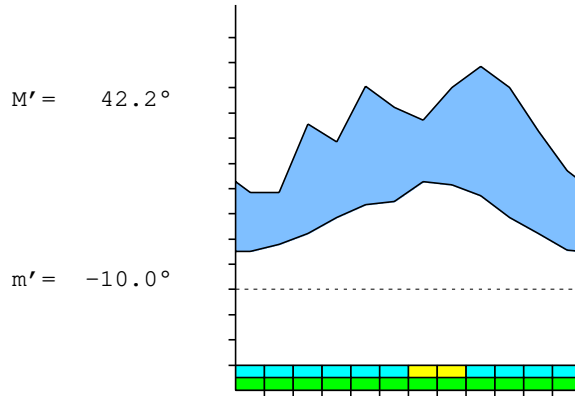
Bioclimate.....: TEMPERATE OCEANIC

Bioclimatic Belt...: UPPER THERMOTEMPERATE LOW SUBHUMID

TANDIL (ARGENTINA)

176 m

P= 791      37° 14' S      59° 14' W      51/51 y.  
 T= 14.2°    Ic= 13.9      Tp= 1703      Tn= 0  
 m= 2.2°      M= 12.8°      Itc= 292      Io= 4.6



TEMPERATE OCEANIC  
 UPPER THERMOTEMPERATE LOW SUBHUMID

WATER INDEX CARD  
 Altitude: 176 m.

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(C/mm)	T	PE	P	VR	R	RE	DF	SP	DR	HC
Jul.	7.5	19	39	4	100	19	0	17	8	1.0
Aug.	8.9	26	39	0	100	26	0	13	11	0.4
Sep.	11.1	38	66	0	100	38	0	27	19	0.7
Oct.	14.2	62	59	-3	97	62	0	0	10	0.0
Nov.	17.0	83	82	-2	95	83	0	0	5	0.0
Dec.	17.5	94	72	-22	73	94	0	0	2	-0.2
Jan.	21.4	124	67	-57	17	124	0	0	1	-0.4
Feb.	20.8	101	81	-17	0	97	4	0	1	-0.2
Mar.	18.6	86	97	11	11	86	0	0	0	0.1
Apr.	14.4	53	80	27	38	53	0	0	0	0.5
May.	11.1	34	63	29	67	34	0	0	0	0.8
Jun.	7.8	18	48	29	96	18	0	0	0	1.5
Year	14.2	738	791	*	*	734	4	57	57	*

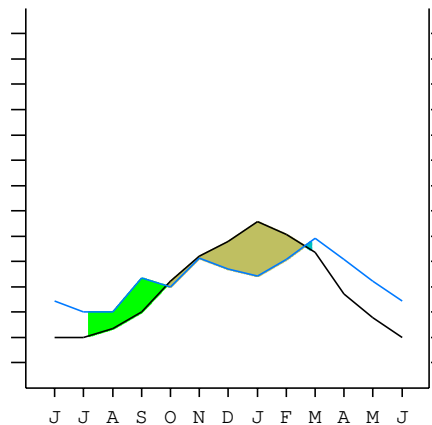
R = Reserve    VR = Variation of the reserve    RE = Real evapotranspiration  
 DR = Drainage    HC = Humidity coefficient    DF = Deficit    SP = Superavit

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T= 14.2    Ic= 13.9    TEMPERATE OCEANIC  
 m= 2.2    Tp= 1703    UPPER THERMOTEMPERATE  
 M= 12.8    Tn= 0    LOW SUBHUMID  
 M' = 42.2    Itc= 292  
 m' = -10.0    Io= 4.6  
 P= 791    mm    ———  
 PE= 738    mm    ———

Imbibing	20 Feb.
Saturation	6 Jul.
Reserve Use	27 Sep.
Deficit	25 Feb.



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SUMMARY OF RIVAS-MARTINEZ CLASSIFICATION

Continental Index [B1b]  
 + Type .....: B. Oceanic  
 + Subtype .....: 1. Semihyperoceanic  
 + Variant .....: b. Low  
 Thermic types [B1.B4]  
 + Latitudinal zone .....: B. Temperate  
 + Latitudinal belt .....: 1. Low eutemperate  
 + Thermic type .....: B. Temperate  
 + Thermic subtype .....: 4. Temperate  
 Bioclimatic types [C3.2a.6b]  
 + Macrobioclimate .....: C. TEMPERATE  
 + Bioclimate .....: 3. OCEANIC  
 + Bioclimatic variant ..:  
 + Thermic type.....: 2. THERMOTEMPERATE  
 + Thermic subtype.....: a. UPPER  
 + Ombrothermic type ...: 6. SUBHUMID  
 + Ombrothermic subtype : b. LOW  
 Bioclimatic Classification .....: Teco.Tte.Shu

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PRECIPITATION PARAMETERS

Warmest semester of the year.....(Pss): 478  
 Coldest semester of the year.....(Psw): 313  
 Warmest four months period of the year.....(Pcm1): 317  
 Following warmest four months period.....(Pcm2): 229  
 Positive precipitation dryest 3 months.....(Ppd): 125  
 Positive precipitation dryest 2 months.....(Ppd2): 78  
 Positive precipitation dryest 1 month.....(Ppd1): 39  
 Positive precipitation warmest 3 months.....(Pps): 244  
 Positive precipitation warmest 2 months.....(Pps2): 148  
 Positive precipitation warmest 1 month.....(Pps1): 67  
 Positive precipitation coldest 3 months.....(Ppw): 125  
 Positive precipitation coldest 2 months.....(Ppw2): 86  
 Positive precipitation coldest 1 month.....(Ppw1): 39

Seasons	Winter Tr1-W	Spring Tr2-P	Summer Tr3-S	Automn Tr4-F
Rainfall	125	206	220	239

Seasonal rainfall rhythms: F > S > P > W

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TEMPERATURE PARAMETERS

Average warmest month [T].....(Tmax): 21.4  
 Average coldest month [T].....(Tmin): 7.5  
 Maximum temp. warmest month [M].....(Tmmax): 30.0  
 Minimum temp. coldest month [m].....(Tmmin): 2.2  
 Absolute Max.temp. warmest month [M'].....(Tamax): 42.2  
 Absolute Min.temp. coldest month [m'].....(Tamin): -10.0  
 First warmest contrasted month [M].....(Tcmax): 30.0 (1)  
 First coldest contrasted month [m].....(Tcmin): 12.8 (1)  
 Estival temperature.....(Ts): 597  
 Positive temperature dryest 3 months.....(Tpd): 242  
 Positive temperature dryest 2 months.....(Tpd2): 164  
 Positive temperature dryest 1 month.....(Tpd1): 75  
 Positive temperature warmest 3 months.....(Tps): 608  
 Positive temperature warmest 2 months.....(Tps2): 422  
 Positive temperature warmest 1 month.....(Tps1): 214  
 Positive temperature coldest 3 months.....(Tpw): 242  
 Positive temperature coldest 2 months.....(Tpw2): 153  
 Positive temperature coldest 1 month.....(Tpw1): 75

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SEASONAL PARAMETERS

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Warmest semester...(Sms)	o	o	o	o							o	o
Dryest semester....(Smd)					o	o	o	o	o	o		
Warmest 4 months...(Cm1)	o	o	o									o
Dryest 4 months....(Cmd)					o	o	o	o				
Vegetation Activity(Pav)	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o
Ultragelid...[M' <=0] (Pf)												
Hypergelid...[M <=0] (Pf)												
Gelid.....[T <=0] (Pf)												
Subgelid.....[m <=0] (Pf)												
Pregelid.....[m' <=0] (Pf)			o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	o
Agelid.....[m' > 0] (Pf)	o	o										
HiperAgelid..[all>0] (Pf)	o	o										

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OMBROTHERMIC PARAMETERS

Annual aridity index.[PE/P].....(Iar): 0.93  
 Mediterranean index of January.....(Im1): 1.84  
 Mediterranean index of January & February.....(Im2): 1.52  
 Mediterranean index of December to February...(Im3): 1.45

Months	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.
Pp(x10)	724	671	805	965	800	630	475	389	389	658	589	815
Tp	175	214	208	186	145	111	78	75	89	111	142	170
Io (Iom)	4.14	3.14	3.86	5.19	5.54	5.67	6.11	5.19	4.38	5.92	4.16	4.81
Seasons	Summer			Autumn			Winter			Spring		
Pp(x10)/Tp	2200 / 597			2395 / 442			1253 / 242			2062 / 422		
Io (Iot)	3.683			5.422			5.184			4.883		
Semesters	December-May						June-November					
Pp(x10)/Tp	4595 / 1039						3315 / 664					
Io (Iosm)	4.423						4.992					

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Aridity Value Index (AVI)

[10xPP/TP=IO]: 7910/1703=4.64 **There is No Yearly Aridity**

Months	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.
Pp [P*10]	724	671	805	965	800	630	475	389	389	658	589	815
Tp [T*10]	175	214	208	186	145	111	78	75	89	111	142	170
Iom [Pp/Tp]	414	314	386	519	554	567	611	519	438	592	416	481
Avm [200-Iom]	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Seasons	Summer			Autumn			Winter			Spring		
Pp / Tp	2200 / 597			2395 / 442			1253 / 242			2062 / 422		
Iot [Pp/Tp]	368			542			518			488		
Avs E[Avm<200]	***			***			***			***		

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BIOCLIMATIC INDICES I

CI of Supan (1884) [Tmax-Tmin] .....	(Sp):	13.89
CI of Gorezinski (1920) [1.7*Sp/sin(Lat)-20.4] .....		18.63
CI of Conrad (1946) [1.7*Sp/sin(Lat+10)-14] .....		18.16
+ Hyperoceanic (-20<CI<20)		
CI of Currey (1974) [CI=Sp/(1+Lat/3)] .....		1.04
+ Oceanic (0.6<CI<1.1)		
Rainfall Index of Lang (1925) [R=P/T] .....		55.74
+ Semiarid (60>R>40)		
Aridity Index of Martonne (1926) [Ia=P/(T+10)] .....		32.70
+ Humid (60>Ia>30)		
I of Emberger (1930) [Q=100*P/(Tmax <sup>2</sup> -Tmin <sup>2</sup> )] .....		88.37
+ Subhumid (90>Q>50)		
I of Dantin & Revenga (1940) [DR=100*T/P] .....		1.79
+ Humid (2>DR>0)		
Aridity Index of UNEP [I=P/PE] .....		1.07
+ Humid (I>0.65)		
Potential Erosion I of Fournier (1960) [K=Pi <sup>2</sup> /P] .....		11.77
+ Very low (K<60)		

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BIOCLIMATIC INDICES II

Bioclimatic classification of Gaussen & Bagnouls (1957)  
 + Climate .....

- + Climate .....
- + Region .....
- + Thermic type: 4. Mesothermic

Thornthwaite (1948)												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
P-E ratio	0.26	0.32	0.42	0.38	0.32	0.26	0.21	0.20	0.34	0.27	0.36	0.31
T-E ratio	9.63	9.38	8.37	6.50	5.00	3.50	3.38	4.00	5.00	6.38	7.63	7.88
Precipitation-effectiveness: 36.53						Temperature-efficiency .....						76.64
Moisture Index [MI=100*(P-PE)/PE] .....												7.18
+ C2.Subhumid humid (0<MI<20)												
Index of dryness [DI=100*d/PE] .....												0.53
+ No deficit (0<DI<16.7)												
Index of humidity [HI=100*s/PE] .....												7.71
+ No surplus (0<HI<10)												
Potential Evapotranspiration PE .....												738.02
+ Second mesothermic (712<PE<855)												

