HOP REPORT

MONTH - JULY

YEAR	2015	2014	30-years average
avg. temperature	20,5	20,0	18
precipitation	47,2	127,6	59
	Day	Value	
max. precipitation	05.07.2015	16,4	mm
min. temperature	11.07.2015	5,8	°C
max. temperature	22.07.2015	36,4	°C

Comments

Compared to 30-years averages July was much above average as to temperatures and much below average as to precipitation. This year is (so far) the most dry year during last 20 years. The shortage of water and several extremely warm days had rather negative influence on the growth of hopplants. Hops are in the phase of blossom and cones creation now and are in very good health condition. Chemical protection against Downy Mildew, Aphides and Red Spider Mite duly effected.

Due to extremely dry and warm weather only an average crop (yield) can be expected (irrigated gardens above average, non-irrigated gardens below average). Our current estimation is between 1,0 - 1,1 mt / 1 ha max., however, the final result depends on the course of weather within next 2 - 3 weeks (according to weather forecast next 7 - 10 days should be also dry and warm). The harvest will start between 17th and 20th August.

The Charts Average Temperatures and Precipitation

YEAR	MONTH	AVG TEMPER	PRECIPITATION	LONG AVG TEMPER	LONG PRECIP
2015	January	2,6	13,6	-2,0	20
2015	February	0,8	2,4	-0,2	19
2015	March	5,2	32,2	3,6	23
2015	April	8,7	34,0	8,5	32
2015	May	13,3	18,8	13,4	54
2015	Jun	16,4	85,4	16,7	56
2015	July	20,5	47,2	18,0	59
2015	August			17,4	62
2015	September			13,5	40
2015	October			8,4	29
2015	November			3,1	24
2015	December			0,4	25
[mm][°C]					







