

# AREA AVERAGE PRECIPITATION (mm) AND STANDARDIZED PRECIPITATION INDEX (SPI-n) PER HYDROLOGICAL REGION

## MONTH: OCTOBER 2023

**Note 1 (SPI According to):**

Desert Action, IES(Institute for Environment and Sustainability) and JRC (European Commission)

SPI-1 to SPI-3 are indicators for immediate impacts such as reduced soil moisture, snowpack, and flow in smaller creeks

SPI-3 to SPI-12 are indicators for reduced stream flow and reservoir storage

SPI-12 to SPI-48 are indicators for reduced reservoir and groundwater recharge

SPI VALUES (According to WMO-No.1090)	
2.0 +	extremely wet
1.5 to 1.99	very wet
1.0 to 1.49	moderately wet
-0.99 to 0.99	near normal
-1.0 to -1.49	moderately dry
-1.5 to -1.99	severely dry
-2 and less	extremely dry

**Note 2 (Deciles):**

1 = Very Much Below Average, Lowest on Record  
 2-3 = Below Average  
 4-7 = Average  
 8-9 = Above Average  
 10 = Highest on Record, Very Much Above Average

Hydrological Region	PRECIPITATION (mm)				DRY SPELLS	STANDARDIZED PRECIPITATION INDEX (SPI-n)									
	Monthly Area Aver. Precip.					Dry Spells Periods for selected Meteorological Rainfall Stations (Dry days: <=2.0 mm)	SPI-1	SPI-3	SPI-6	SPI-9	SPI-12	SPI-24	SPI-36	SPI-48	SPI-60
1-Pafos	50.9	34.9	146%	8	094-Asprokremmos		1, 11, 3, 12	0.68	0.88	0.45	0.44	-0.64	0.49	-0.23	0.23
2-Polis	44.4	33.9	131%	7	063-Evretou	17, 13	0.52	0.62	0.20	0.57	-0.39	0.45	-0.11	0.27	1.13
3-Morfou	29.9	22.4	134%	7	370-Kapoura	12, 16	0.46	0.57	0.52	0.31	-0.51	0.20	-0.22	0.15	1.39
6-Lefkosia	39.5	20.6	192%	9	565-Politiko (Tamasos)	1, 7, 4, 16	0.92	0.88	1.11	1.07	0.15	0.82	0.36	0.36	1.63
7-Kokkinochoria	13.0	17.4	75%	5	845-Frenaros	20, 10	-0.10	-0.13	-0.57	-0.50	0.17	0.22	-0.28	0.19	1.25
8-Larnaka	32.5	24.4	133%	8	592-Lefkara	8, 4, 3, 12	0.51	1.08	0.95	0.38	-0.51	0.40	-0.32	-0.05	1.48
9-Lemesos	33.0	27.9	118%	7	313-Kouris	1, 7, 6, 13	0.37	0.47	0.05	-0.21	-0.92	0.21	-0.54	0.02	1.73
<b>CYPRUS</b>	<b>36.5</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>136%</b>	<b>7</b>			<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.76</b>	<b>0.49</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>-0.57</b>	<b>0.42</b>	<b>-0.26</b>	<b>0.16</b>	<b>1.62</b>

