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**OCTOBER 2001 PRELIMINARY CLIMATOLOGICAL SUMMARY FOR KETCHIKAN,
ALASKA. OBSERVATIONS BY THE FLIGHT SERVICE OFFICE, KETCHIKAN
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.**

TEMPERATURES

Mean	_____	45.0
Normal	_____	46.3
Departure	_____	-1.3

Highest mean temperature of record for OCTOBER	_____	51.5 in 1952
Lowest mean temperature of record for OCTOBER	_____	42.8 in 1991

Highest temperature this month	_____	63 on 5th
Lowest temperature this month	_____	34 on 25, 14

Highest temperature of record for OCTOBER	_____	72 in 1923
Lowest temperature of record for OCTOBER	_____	17 in 1984

PRECIPITATION

Total	_____	18.07"
Normal	_____	22.95"
Departure	_____	-4.88"

Greatest precipitation of record for OCTOBER	_____	42.37" in 1974
Least precipitation of record for OCTOBER	_____	10.40" in 1992

Greatest precipitation in 24 hours this month	_____	3.51" 9-10
Greatest precipitation in 24 hours of record	_____	8.71" in 1977

No. of days with measurable precipitation	_____	22
Greatest # of days with measurable precipitation	_____	31 in 1924
Least # of days with measurable precipitation	_____	12 in 1969

Total precipitation since January	_____	154.07"
Normal precipitation since January	_____	117.48"
Departure from normal	_____	+36.59"

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