

SUNSHINE GUIDE TO SEVILLE AND ANDALUSIA, SPAIN

LOCATION: Seville (*Sevilla*) is located in southwestern Spain. The city is situated on the left bank of the Rio Guadalquivir, less than fifty miles from its mouth on the Atlantic Ocean. Seville is the capital of both the province of the same name and of the region of Andalusia. Upstream, the city is surrounded by prosperous agricultural lands. Downstream are the marshes, where the famous fighting bulls are raised. Elevations are everywhere close to sea level.

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
HOURS OF DAYLIGHT	9:54	10:47	11:56	13:09	14:10	14:43	14:29	13:37	12:28	11:16	10:13	9:39
HOURS OF SUNSHINE	5:29	6:23	6:05	7:53	9:25	10:56	11:54	10:54	8:20	6:39	5:36	5:05
AREA OF BLUE SKY	58%	57%	54%	57%	63%	75%	88%	87%	74%	61%	58%	55%
LOW FOR MONTH	34°	35°	39°	44°	48°	55°	60°	61°	56°	48°	40°	34°
SUNRISE TEMPERATURE	41°	44°	48°	51°	57°	63°	67°	68°	64°	57°	49°	44°
AFTERNOON TEMPERATURE	59°	63°	68°	74°	80°	89°	97°	97°	89°	78°	67°	60°
HIGH FOR MONTH	67°	72°	79°	85°	94°	102°	108°	107°	101°	91°	77°	68°
FROSTY MORNINGS	6%	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%
AFTERNOONS OVER 90°	0%	0%	0%	0%	13%	44%	82%	84%	58%	7%	0%	0%
AFTERNOON HUMIDITY	69%	65%	60%	57%	52%	44%	38%	40%	46%	58%	66%	69%
NEARBY WATERS	60°	59°	59°	61°	63°	66°	69°	71°	70°	67°	64°	60°
DRY DAYS	75%	75%	71%	76%	83%	95%	99%	99%	92%	82%	75%	74%
REASONABLY DRY DAYS	87%	85%	84%	86%	91%	97%	99%	99%	96%	88%	83%	85%
5-DAY PRECIPITATION	0.34	0.45	0.40	0.36	0.24	0.12	0.01	0.02	0.16	0.43	0.55	0.48
SNOWY DAYS	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
THUNDER DAYS	0%	0%	3%	4%	3%	3%	0%	0%	3%	1%	1%	0%
FOGGY DAYS	22%	18%	16%	7%	8%	6%	5%	5%	12%	15%	17%	24%

COMMENTS: Seville has a typical Mediterranean three-season year. Spring (February through April) is a season of blossoms and lengthening days. Summers (May through September) are long, hot, sunny, and dry. Winters (October through January) are still fairly sunny, mild, and slightly wet. Winter is presumed to start with the first heavy rains of October, and grades imperceptibly into Spring. There is no autumn, since virtually all of the woody vegetation is evergreen, and crops grow throughout the year. These Andalusian plains are generally considered to be the hottest part of all Europe, and the two summer months are best avoided.