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Ranks are based on the annual average or sum from 1940 to present day (for ERA5 data), and from 1985 to present day (for CRW data). A value of 1 indicates the highest rank, while a rank of 85 (ERA5 data) or 40 (CRW data) indicates the lowest rank. Anomalies are calculated relative to a 1941-1970 or 1985-1990 average (baseline). ERA5 reanalysis and CRW data represent model-based temperature estimates that may differ from direct observational measurements, particularly in data-sparse regions or during extreme events. To see more information on our methods, refer to our methodology document.

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Analysis based on ERA5 data

ID	Name	Mean Temp	Baseline (1941 - 1970)	Baseline (1985 - 1990)	Anomaly (1941 - 1970)	Anomaly (1985 - 1990)	Rank	Percentile
170	Isla del Coco	28.44	27.6	27.6	0.84	0.84	6	7%
650	Nationalparken i Nord-og Ostg	-1.55	-1.68	-1.64	0.14	0.1	13	15%
2628_B	Great Barrier Reef	26.81	25.89	25.95	0.92	0.86	4	5%
2628_E	Great Barrier Reef	26.47	25.5	25.51	0.97	0.96	3	4%
10708	Archipelago de Colon (Galapagos)	24.26	23.94	23.82	0.32	0.44	30	35%
11753	Galapagos	24.33	24.01	23.88	0.32	0.45	29	34%
303552	Malpelo	27.74	26.82	26.73	0.92	1	5	6%
309888	Phoenix Islands Protected Area	29.5	28.65	28.66	0.85	0.85	7	8%
345888	Terres Australes Francaises	8.53	7.55	7.84	0.97	0.69	2	2%
354083_A	Freycinet	16.67	14.42	15.06	2.26	1.61	1	1%
354086_A	Macquarie Island	4.78	4.75	5.07	0.03	-0.29	57	67%
354086_C	Macquarie Island	5.42	5.41	5.63	0.01	-0.21	49	58%
365015	Pelagos Sanctuary For The Conservation Of Marine Mammals	19.09	17.77	17.82	1.32	1.28	3	4%
478047	Sub-Antarctic Deep	8.43	8.29	8.51	0.14	-0.08	36	42%
478048	Antipodes Transect	8.41	7.99	8.37	0.42	0.04	17	20%
478053	Hikurangi Deep	15.67	15.15	15.41	0.52	0.26	16	19%
478191	South Orkney Islands Southern Shelf Marine Protected Area	-1.38	-1.65	-1.19	0.27	-0.19	38	45%
478297	Kermadec	21.27	20.19	20.35	1.07	0.91	2	2%
555512062	Kermadec	21.37	20.58	20.54	0.79	0.83	5	6%
555512063	Arrow Plateau	14.06	13.1	13.31	0.97	0.75	4	5%
555512160	Prince Edward Island Marine Protected Area	6.91	5.57	5.79	1.33	1.12	1	1%





555512240	MAR North of the Azores High Seas MPA	17.76	16.37	16.15	1.39	1.61	1	1%
555512241	Charlie-Gibbs South High Seas MPA	12.46	12.12	11.51	0.34	0.95	18	21%
555514309	Mayotte	28.57	27.44	27.57	1.13	0.99	1	1%
555515499	Antipodes Transect	8.6	8.23	8.48	0.37	0.12	21	25%
555547601	South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands Marine Protected Area	0.54	-0.02	0.53	0.56	0.01	23	27%
555556866_C	Abrolhos	22.54	21.68	21.8	0.87	0.74	5	6%
555556868_B	Argo-Rowley Terrace	28.66	27.64	27.74	1.02	0.92	4	5%
555556874_B	Central Eastern	23.62	22.3	22.34	1.32	1.29	1	1%
555556875_A	Coral Sea	27.66	26.81	26.96	0.85	0.7	4	5%
555556875_B	Coral Sea	27.06	26.22	26.38	0.83	0.68	4	5%
555556875_C	Coral Sea	26.36	25.51	25.64	0.85	0.72	4	5%
555556888_C	Kimberley	28.83	27.99	28.25	0.84	0.58	6	7%
555556890_B	Lord Howe	21.85	20.46	20.47	1.39	1.38	1	1%
555556895_B	Norfolk	21.55	20.51	20.57	1.04	0.98	2	2%
555556896_C	Oceanic Shoals	29.12	28.42	28.77	0.7	0.35	8	9%
555556901_A	South-west Corner	17.74	16.95	16.94	0.79	0.81	4	5%
555556901_B	South-west Corner	17.2	16.45	16.34	0.76	0.86	6	7%
555556901_C	South-west Corner	17.76	16.83	16.82	0.92	0.94	5	6%
555557191	Svalbard East	0.25	-1.4	-1.12	1.65	1.37	3	4%
555557228	Charlie-Gibbs North High Seas MPA	9.57	9.48	8.58	0.09	0.99	24	28%
555566876	15JA2 b (Bollons)	9.83	9.06	9.44	0.77	0.39	9	11%
555577434	Heard Island and McDonald Islands	2.61	1.93	2.03	0.68	0.58	5	6%
555577562	Natural Park of the Coral Sea	25.75	24.96	25.03	0.79	0.71	4	5%
555587040	Agoa	28.83	27.43	27.14	1.4	1.69	1	1%
555596226	Corredor de migracion de cetaceos del Mediterraneo	19.62	18.37	18.64	1.25	0.98	3	4%



555597297	Martinique	28.94	27.56	27.25	1.38	1.69	1	1%
555599922	Saint Helena Island Marine Protected Area	23.23	22.2	22.62	1.03	0.61	1	1%
555621413	Common fishery right area(Hokkaido)	11.33	8.26	8.04	3.06	3.29	2	2%
555622118	Palau National Marine Sanctuary	29.7	28.77	28.85	0.93	0.85	1	1%
555624172	Pitcairn Islands	24.22	24.25	24.3	-0.03	-0.07	56	66%
555624229	Seaflower	29.06	27.86	27.51	1.2	1.55	1	1%
555624307	Pacifico Mexicano Profundo	27.85	27.19	27.03	0.66	0.82	5	6%
555624810_A	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	-1.52	-1.61	-1.5	0.09	-0.02	22	26%
555624810_B	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	1.24	1.1	1.72	0.14	-0.48	51	60%
555624810_D	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	-1.41	-1.39	-1.22	-0.02	-0.19	60	71%
555624810_E	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	-1.56	-1.68	-1.58	0.12	0.02	23	27%
555624907_A	Marae Moana (Cook Islands Marine Park)	28.24	27.65	27.51	0.58	0.72	1	1%
555624907_F	Marine Protected Area (Aitutaki & Ngaputora)	26.84	26.62	26.52	0.22	0.32	26	31%
555629385	Revillagigedo	25.95	25.33	25.42	0.62	0.53	18	21%
555635928	Monumento Natural Do Arquipelago De Sao Pedro E Sao Paulo	27.77	26.99	27.23	0.78	0.54	2	2%
555635929	Monumento Natural Das Ilhas De Trindade E Martim Vaz E Do Monte Columbia	26.53	25.26	25.66	1.27	0.87	1	1%
555635930	Area De Protecao Ambiental Do Arquipelago De Trindade E Martim Vaz	26.25	25.07	25.48	1.17	0.77	1	1%
555635931	Area De Protecao Ambiental Do Arquipelago De Sao Pedro	28.14	27.22	27.38	0.92	0.76	1	1%



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555636046	Yurupari - Malpelo	27.73	26.72	26.69	1.01	1.04	5	6%
555636411	Area Marina Protegida de la Reserva de Biosfera Seaflower	29.06	27.86	27.51	1.2	1.55	1	1%
555637925_B	Tallurutiup Imanga National Marine Conservation Area	-0.69	-1.28	-1.09	0.6	0.4	10	12%
555643548	Aldabra Group (Marine) National Park	28.15	26.97	27.09	1.19	1.06	1	1%
555643549	Amirantes (Marine) to Fortune Bank (Marine) Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty	28.67	27.57	27.67	1.11	1	1	1%
555643566	Yaganes	4.55	4.56	5.09	-0.01	-0.54	66	78%
555643567	Yaganes	4.72	4.74	5.27	-0.03	-0.55	68	80%
555643633	Mers Celtiques - Talus du golfe de Gascogne	15	14.07	14.16	0.93	0.84	3	4%
555645488	Domestic Fishing Zone	29.69	28.8	28.85	0.89	0.84	1	1%
555651558	Ascension Island Marine Protected Area	26.47	25.54	25.84	0.93	0.63	1	1%
555651732	Northeast Newfoundland Slope Closure	6.36	4.89	4.24	1.46	2.11	1	1%
555651733	Offshore Pacific Seamounts and Vents Closure	11.71	10.9	11.18	0.81	0.53	13	15%
555703762	Tuvaijuittuq Marine Protected Area	-1.69	-1.69	-1.69	0	0	60	71%
555705293	Cordillera de Coiba	28.52	27.51	27.46	1.02	1.07	5	6%
555705568	Niue Moana Mahu Marine Protected Area	26.68	26.37	26.08	0.31	0.6	15	18%
555711865	Lena-Del`ta	-0.36	-1.56	-1.32	1.2	0.96	4	5%
555714943	Novosibirskie ostrova	-0.96	-1.66	-1.46	0.7	0.5	8	9%
555715155	North Atlantic Current and Evlanov Basin	14.95	13.87	13.35	1.08	1.6	2	2%
555720256	Tristan da Cunha	14.58	13.8	14.18	0.78	0.41	13	15%
555721445	Izu-Ogasawara Trench	23.84	22.67	22.49	1.16	1.35	1	1%



555721447	Northern part of Naka Mariana Ridge and West Mariana Ridge	27.82	26.84	26.7	0.98	1.12	2	2%
555744944	Montes Submarinos	28.09	27.3	27.27	0.79	0.83	6	7%
555745151	Hernandad	26.96	26.4	26.36	0.57	0.61	13	15%
555745302	Dorsal de Nasca	20.02	19.63	19.82	0.39	0.2	28	33%
555756442	Tainui Atea	26.42	26.07	26.17	0.35	0.25	12	14%
555759264_B	Christmas Island	28.4	27.4	27.7	0.99	0.7	4	5%
555759265_A	Cocos (Keeling) Islands	28.22	27.33	27.45	0.89	0.77	1	1%
555760583	Marine Mammal Reserve	26.64	25.58	25.57	1.06	1.07	1	1%
555786064	Rapa Nui	22.36	22.46	22.4	-0.1	-0.04	60	71%
555786068	Mar de Juan Fernandez	17	16.73	17.01	0.27	-0.01	36	42%
555786069	Islas Diego Ramirez y Paso Drake	4.78	4.77	5.44	0.01	-0.67	69	81%
555790084	Motu Motiro Hiva	22.16	22.07	22.04	0.09	0.12	44	52%
555790085	Nazca-Desventuradas	18.8	18.73	18.9	0.07	-0.1	53	62%
555790567	New England Seamount	22.27	21.93	21.74	0.35	0.53	14	16%
555790568	Fogo Seamount	17.87	16.51	16.72	1.35	1.14	7	8%
555790578	Courner Rise Seamount	22.35	21.58	21.54	0.76	0.8	5	6%



Analysis based on CRW data

ID	Name	Mean Temp	Baseline (1985 - 1990)	Anomaly (1985 - 1990)	Rank	Percentile
170	Isla del Coco	28.45	27.5	0.94	5	12%
650	Nationalparken i Nord-og Ostg	-1.56	-1.72	0.16	15	38%
2628_B	Great Barrier Reef	26.78	25.95	0.83	3	8%
2628_E	Great Barrier Reef	26.49	25.65	0.84	3	8%
10708	Archipelago de Colon (Galapagos)	24.32	23.67	0.66	15	38%
11753	Galapagos	24.34	23.68	0.66	15	38%
303552	Malpelo	27.72	26.62	1.11	3	8%
309888	Phoenix Islands Protected Area	29.53	28.64	0.88	2	5%
345888	Terres Australes Francaises	8.55	7.93	0.62	2	5%
354083_A	Freycinet	16.76	15.08	1.68	1	2%
354086_A	Macquarie Island	4.81	5.16	-0.35	26	65%
354086_C	Macquarie Island	5.48	5.63	-0.14	15	38%
365015	Pelagos Sanctuary For The Conservation Of Marine Mammals	19.22	17.88	1.33	3	8%
478047	Sub-Antarctic Deep	8.43	8.46	-0.04	11	28%
478048	Antipodes Transect	8.38	8.26	0.12	9	22%
478053	Hikurangi Deep	15.66	15.41	0.24	12	30%
478191	South Orkney Islands Southern Shelf Marine Protected Area	-1.46	-1.18	-0.28	29	72%
478297	Kermadec	21.32	20.3	1.02	1	2%
555512062	Kermadec	21.39	20.48	0.91	2	5%
555512063	Arrow Plateau	14.07	13.18	0.89	4	10%
555512160	Prince Edward Island Marine Protected Area	6.92	5.87	1.05	1	2%
555512240	MAR North of the Azores High Seas MPA	17.77	16	1.77	1	2%
555512241	Charlie-Gibbs South High Seas MPA	12.47	11.43	1.04	5	12%



555514309	Mayotte	28.59	27.58	1.01	1	2%
555515499	Antipodes Transect	8.59	8.45	0.14	10	25%
555547601	South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands Marine Protected Area	0.52	0.67	-0.15	18	45%
555556866_C	Abrolhos	22.57	21.78	0.8	4	10%
555556868_B	Argo-Rowley Terrace	28.65	27.85	0.8	3	8%
555556874_B	Central Eastern	23.66	22.22	1.44	1	2%
555556875_A	Coral Sea	27.69	26.86	0.83	3	8%
555556875_B	Coral Sea	27.05	26.27	0.78	3	8%
555556875_C	Coral Sea	26.36	25.61	0.75	3	8%
555556888_C	Kimberley	28.84	28.23	0.62	4	10%
555556890_B	Lord Howe	21.92	20.46	1.46	1	2%
555556895_B	Norfolk	21.58	20.59	0.99	1	2%
555556896_C	Oceanic Shoals	29.13	28.79	0.35	6	15%
555556901_A	South-west Corner	17.78	16.95	0.83	4	10%
555556901_B	South-west Corner	17.25	16.4	0.86	6	15%
555556901_C	South-west Corner	17.78	16.82	0.96	3	8%
555557191	Svalbard East	0.29	-0.99	1.28	3	8%
555557228	Charlie-Gibbs North High Seas MPA	9.52	8.49	1.03	9	22%
555566876	15JA2 b (Bollons)	9.79	9.43	0.36	7	18%
555577434	Heard Island and McDonald Islands	2.6	2.08	0.52	5	12%
555577562	Natural Park of the Coral Sea	25.76	24.97	0.79	3	8%
555587040	Agoa	28.84	27.04	1.8	1	2%
555596226	Corredor de migracion de cetaceos del Mediterraneo	19.62	18.62	1.01	3	8%
555597297	Martinique	28.96	27.17	1.78	1	2%
555599922	Saint Helena Island Marine Protected Area	23.24	22.53	0.71	1	2%
555621413	Common fishery right area(Hokkaido)	11.46	9.52	1.94	2	5%
555622118	Palau National Marine Sanctuary	29.71	28.82	0.89	1	2%



555624172	Pitcairn Islands	24.24	24.33	-0.09	31	78%
555624229	Seaflower	29.07	27.58	1.49	1	2%
555624307	Pacifico Mexicano Profundo	27.86	27.03	0.83	5	12%
555624810_A	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	-1.6	-1.56	-0.05	18	45%
555624810_B	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	1.06	1.36	-0.3	28	70%
555624810_D	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	-1.48	-1.24	-0.24	26	65%
555624810_E	Ross Sea Region Marine Protected Area	-1.63	-1.61	-0.02	16	40%
555624907_A	Marae Moana (Cook Islands Marine Park)	28.25	27.38	0.87	1	2%
555624907_F	Marine Protected Area (Aitutaki & Ngaputora)	26.87	26.39	0.48	14	35%
555629385	Revillagigedo	25.96	25.34	0.62	10	25%
555635928	Monumento Natural Do Arquipelago De Sao Pedro E Sao Paulo	27.79	26.98	0.81	2	5%
555635929	Monumento Natural Das Ilhas De Trindade E Martim Vaz E Do Monte Columbia	26.55	25.6	0.94	1	2%
555635930	Area De Protecao Ambiental Do Arquipelago De Trindade E Martim Vaz	26.26	25.4	0.86	1	2%
555635931	Area De Protecao Ambiental Do Arquipelago De Sao Pedro E Sao Paulo	28.16	27.2	0.96	1	2%
555636046	Yurupari - Malpelo	27.74	26.54	1.2	3	8%
555636411	Area Marina Protegida de la Reserva de Biosfera Seaflower	29.07	27.58	1.49	1	2%
555637925_B	Tallurutiup Imanga National Marine Conservation Area	-0.67	-1.09	0.41	10	25%
555643548	Aldabra Group (Marine) National Park	28.17	26.93	1.25	1	2%
555643549	Amirantes (Marine) to Fortune Bank (Marine) Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty	28.69	27.52	1.17	1	2%
555643566	Yaganes	4.51	5.1	-0.58	32	80%
555643567	Yaganes	4.73	5.33	-0.6	35	88%
555643633	Mers Celtiques - Talus du golfe de Gascogne	15	14.11	0.89	3	8%
555645488	Domestic Fishing Zone	29.71	28.82	0.89	1	2%



555651558	Ascension Island Marine Protected Area	26.48	25.81	0.67	1	2%
555651732	Northeast Newfoundland Slope Closure	6.39	4.27	2.12	1	2%
555651733	Offshore Pacific Seamounts and Vents Closure	11.69	11.09	0.6	9	22%
555703762	Tuvaijuittuq Marine Protected Area	-1.78	-1.8	0.01	13	32%
555705293	Cordillera de Coiba	28.49	27.4	1.1	2	5%
555705568	Niue Moana Mahu Marine Protected Area	26.7	25.91	0.79	7	18%
555711865	Lena-Del` ta	0.1	-1.14	1.24	5	12%
555714943	Novosibirskie ostrova	-0.92	-1.52	0.59	8	20%
555715155	North Atlantic Current and Evlanov Basin	15.04	13.38	1.67	1	2%
555720256	Tristan da Cunha	14.61	14.08	0.54	8	20%
555721445	Izu-Ogasawara Trench	23.87	22.44	1.43	1	2%
555721447	Northern part of Naka Mariana Ridge and West Mariana Ridge	27.84	26.81	1.03	2	5%
555744944	Montes Submarinos	28.06	27.09	0.97	5	12%
555745151	Hermandad	26.98	26.03	0.95	6	15%
555745302	Dorsal de Nasca	19.98	19.85	0.14	15	38%
555756442	Tainui Atea	26.43	26.12	0.31	9	22%
555759264_B	Christmas Island	28.42	27.7	0.72	3	8%
555759265_A	Cocos (Keeling) Islands	28.25	27.36	0.89	1	2%
555760583	Marine Mammale Reserve	26.6	25.83	0.77	1	2%
555786064	Rapa Nui	22.37	22.31	0.06	29	72%
555786068	Mar de Juan Fernandez	17	17	-0.01	24	60%
555786069	Islas Diego Ramirez y Paso Drake	4.82	5.5	-0.68	38	95%
555790084	Motu Motiro Hiva	22.16	21.94	0.22	19	48%
555790085	Nazca-Desventuradas	18.79	18.88	-0.09	31	78%
555790567	New England Seamount	22.31	21.54	0.77	14	35%
555790568	Fogo Seamount	18.09	17.13	0.96	12	30%
555790578	Courner Rise Seamount	22.38	21.45	0.94	4	10%