

California sees third-warmest October

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This past month was the third-warmest October in California since officials began keeping records more than a century ago, continuing the state's pattern in what is likely to be its hottest year ever, according to government climatologists.

The average temperature statewide last month was 64.5 degrees, less than one degree under the all-time record set in 2003, the National Climatic Data Center reported.

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