

## **MICROCLIMATE AND (OR) TOPOCLIMATE - REPRESENTATION OF CLIMATE FACTORS IN DEFINING THE CLIMATE ELEMENTS**

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*Determination of prevailing weather conditions over some area is related to a specific point where the climatic parameters are measured during the climatic period. The section of the climatic conditions, based on climatological monitoring, refers to the immediate environment of the weather station with the identical climate factors. Thus, defined climate for the given space is called microclimate. Microclimate is a climatic determinant that manifests itself in its own typological definition (greek: micros; small) only on small districts of identical natural factors that determine the climatic elements. It is the climate of a certain place and is often called a local climate, and more often the topoclimate.*

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