

Abstract: This paper presents an analysis of the highest wind speed values recorded at the Meteorological Observatory of the Maria Curie-Skłodowska University in Lublin. The study uses values recorded data (3 times a day) for the period 1981–2005. During the 25 years of the study period there were 19 occasions of wind speed $\geq 10 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ and 14 cases of winds gusting at or over $20 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$. Both kinds of situation were noticed most often in January and did not occur in May, June, July or August.

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