

Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 1999, through March 25, 2000, has been 3 percent warmer than last year and 13 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/99 thru 03/25/00	Previous 07/01/98 thru 03/25/99	Normal 07/01 thru 03/25	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	3,478	3,591	3,979	-3	-13
Cities					
Albuquerque	3,297	3,374	3,968	-2	-17
Amarillo	3,230	3,273	3,836	-1	-16
Asheville	3,365	3,330	3,808	1	-12
Atlanta	2,205	2,138	2,790	3	-21
Billings	4,960	5,103	6,025	-3	-18
Boise	4,135	4,417	4,972	-6	-17
Boston	4,401	4,475	4,778	-2	-8
Buffalo	5,147	5,288	5,693	-3	-10
Cheyenne	5,148	5,327	5,961	-3	-14
Chicago	4,764	4,846	5,667	-2	-16
Cincinnati	4,080	4,266	4,656	-4	-12
Cleveland	4,624	4,792	5,283	-4	-12
Columbia, SC	2,270	2,031	2,495	12	-9
Denver	4,350	4,561	5,086	-5	-14
Des Moines	4,637	5,065	5,797	-8	-20
Detroit	4,874	5,030	5,646	-3	-14
Fargo	6,806	7,142	8,049	-5	-15
Hartford	4,821	4,946	5,345	-3	-10
Houston	1,044	977	1,548	7	-33
Jacksonville	1,182	958	1,385	23	-15
Kansas City	3,814	4,094	4,852	-7	-21
Las Vegas	1,598	1,789	2,215	-11	-28
Los Angeles	907	1,238	1,105	-27	-18
Memphis	2,301	2,331	2,894	-1	-20
Miami	83	74	201	12	-59
Milwaukee	5,007	5,209	6,162	-4	-19
Minneapolis	5,729	6,112	7,015	-6	-18
Montgomery	1,800	1,583	2,118	14	-15
New York	3,686	3,708	4,265	-1	-14
Oklahoma City	2,577	2,706	3,404	-5	-24
Omaha	4,567	4,834	5,632	-6	-19
Philadelphia	3,741	3,771	4,365	-1	-14
Phoenix	779	869	1,245	-10	-37
Pittsburgh	4,471	4,714	5,155	-5	-13
Portland, ME	5,590	5,560	6,137	1	-9
Providence	4,462	4,496	4,969	-1	-10
Raleigh	2,889	2,793	3,171	3	-9
Richmond	3,199	3,218	3,606	-1	-11
St. Louis	3,486	3,776	4,319	-8	-19
Salem, OR	3,505	3,617	3,900	-3	-10
Salt Lake City	4,246	4,431	4,942	-4	-14
San Francisco	1,938	2,508	2,336	-23	-17
Seattle	3,742	3,670	3,893	2	-4
Shreveport	1,594	1,650	2,177	-3	-27
Washington, DC	3,236	3,342	3,664	-3	-12

¹See Glossary.

Note:• The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1998 - June 30, 1999) was 4,246 and the normal is 4,575. • A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.