

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

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted cooling degree-days from July 1, 1999, through July 22, 2000, has been 1 percent cooler than last year and 8 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 01/01/00 thru 07/22/00	Previous 01/01/99 thru 07/22/99	Normal 01/01 thru 07/22	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	631	640	584	-1	8
Cities					
Albuquerque	893	579	644	54	39
Amarillo	797	553	697	44	14
Asheville	466	371	380	26	23
Atlanta	1,057	829	830	28	27
Billings	287	189	283	52	1
Boise	405	355	324	14	25
Boston	307	475	306	-35	0
Buffalo	137	390	241	-65	-43
Cheyenne	246	138	136	78	81
Chicago	344	533	367	-35	-6
Cincinnati	476	595	498	-20	-4
Cleveland	313	497	304	-37	3
Columbia, SC	1,228	1,010	988	22	24
Denver	453	288	325	57	39
Des Moines	464	554	552	-16	-16
Detroit	341	502	313	-32	9
Fargo	198	286	289	-31	-31
Hartford	319	459	341	-31	-6
Houston	1,745	1,723	1,354	1	29
Jacksonville	1,255	1,252	1,240	0	1
Kansas City	654	585	663	12	-1
Las Vegas	2,007	1,581	1,598	27	26
Los Angeles	210	197	191	7	10
Memphis	1,179	1,199	1,102	-2	7
Miami	2,336	2,206	2,139	6	9
Milwaukee	250	418	232	-40	8
Minneapolis	339	408	377	-17	-10
Montgomery	1,297	1,147	1,086	13	19
New York	545	690	480	-21	14
Oklahoma City	941	872	899	8	5
Omaha	541	580	577	-7	-6
Philadelphia	545	649	522	-16	4
Phoenix	2,463	2,024	2,097	22	17
Pittsburgh	336	436	322	-23	4
Portland, ME	133	249	102	-47	30
Providence	325	452	259	-28	25
Raleigh	865	795	684	9	26
Richmond	696	644	653	8	7
St. Louis	754	816	798	-8	-6
Salem, OR	86	85	87	***	***
Salt Lake City	642	507	471	27	36
San Francisco	79	39	36	***	***
Seattle	47	39	65	***	***
Shreveport	1,386	1,291	1,182	7	17
Washington, DC	673	814	758	-17	-11

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal cooling degree-days or less, or ratio in calculable.

Note: • The total cooling degree-days for the previous cooling season (January 1, 1999 - December 31, 1999) was 1,220 and the normal is 1,192. • 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.