

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, 2000, through November 18, 2000, has been 13 percent cooler than last year and 3 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/00 thru 11/18/00	Previous 07/01/99 thru 11/18/99	Normal 07/01 thru 11/18	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	663	588	641	13	3
Cities					
Albuquerque	787	412	608	91	29
Amarillo	707	458	553	54	28
Asheville	625	602	649	4	-4
Atlanta	296	278	340	6	-13
Billings	1,484	998	1,287	49	15
Boise	1,084	698	1,010	55	7
Boston	769	760	712	1	8
Buffalo	982	978	983	0	0
Cheyenne	1,580	1,144	1,384	38	14
Chicago	832	775	895	7	-7
Cincinnati	683	646	711	6	-4
Cleveland	851	807	860	5	-1
Columbia, SC	297	312	311	-5	-5
Denver	1,269	774	1,003	64	27
Des Moines	833	722	866	15	-4
Detroit	831	855	957	-3	-13
Fargo	1,398	1,366	1,501	2	-7
Hartford	915	873	872	5	5
Houston	209	101	116	107	80
Jacksonville	101	115	102	-12	-1
Kansas City	749	490	685	53	9
Las Vegas	352	43	203	719	73
Los Angeles	190	86	117	121	62
Memphis	319	220	335	45	-5
Miami	0	0	0	***	***
Milwaukee	930	821	1,061	13	-12
Minneapolis	1,045	995	1,215	5	-14
Montgomery	225	247	232	-9	-3
New York	507	510	559	-1	-9
Oklahoma City	528	217	386	143	37
Omaha	852	719	875	18	-3
Philadelphia	574	568	613	1	-6
Phoenix	189	0	76	***	***
Pittsburgh	874	822	884	6	-1
Portland, ME	1,056	1,155	1,183	-9	-11
Providence	790	790	796	0	-1
Raleigh	461	451	415	2	11
Richmond	516	530	500	-3	3
St. Louis	599	410	550	46	9
Salem, OR	925	735	942	26	-2
Salt Lake City	1,092	673	871	62	25
San Francisco	545	430	535	27	2
Seattle	1,033	943	988	10	5
Shreveport	296	159	193	86	53
Washington, DC	485	498	446	-3	9

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal heating degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note:• The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,062 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.