

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 February 3, 2001, has been 18 percent cooler than last year and 7 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current	Previous	Normal	Percent Change	
	07/01/00 thru 02/03/01	07/01/99 thru 02/03/00	07/01 thru 02/03	Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	2,958	2,500	2,762	18	7
Cities					
Albuquerque	2,970	2,355	2,858	26	4
Amarillo	2,999	2,394	2,704	25	11
Asheville	2,908	2,458	2,675	18	9
Atlanta	2,189	1,683	1,964	30	11
Billings	4,433	3,473	4,342	28	2
Boise	3,782	2,994	3,649	26	4
Boston	3,380	3,052	3,202	11	6
Buffalo	4,016	3,630	3,840	11	5
Cheyenne	4,441	3,660	4,236	21	5
Chicago	4,152	3,484	3,927	19	6
Cincinnati	3,536	3,031	3,229	17	10
Cleveland	3,833	3,313	3,592	16	7
Columbia, SC	2,057	1,729	1,755	19	17
Denver	3,939	3,075	3,602	28	9
Des Moines	4,330	3,421	4,039	27	7
Detroit	3,942	3,500	3,866	13	2
Fargo	5,735	4,900	5,669	17	1
Hartford	3,858	3,405	3,665	13	5
Houston	1,384	860	1,094	61	27
Jacksonville	1,233	900	970	37	27
Kansas City	3,746	2,759	3,402	36	10
Las Vegas	1,595	1,133	1,618	41	-1
Los Angeles	776	527	725	47	7
Memphis	2,452	1,721	2,037	42	20
Miami	180	64	144	181	25
Milwaukee	4,220	3,603	4,262	17	-1
Minneapolis	4,873	4,174	4,919	17	-1
Montgomery	1,908	1,412	1,505	35	27
New York	2,863	2,525	2,836	13	1
Oklahoma City	2,816	1,895	2,395	49	18
Omaha	4,133	3,326	3,965	24	4
Philadelphia	3,027	2,621	2,954	15	2
Phoenix	844	575	887	47	-5
Pittsburgh	3,804	3,260	3,557	17	7
Portland, ME	4,201	3,893	4,236	8	-1
Providence	3,463	3,113	3,346	11	3
Raleigh	2,441	2,130	2,191	15	11
Richmond	2,746	2,332	2,485	18	11
St. Louis	3,457	2,546	2,996	36	15
Salem, OR	2,771	2,446	2,839	13	-2
Salt Lake City	3,772	3,042	3,553	24	6
San Francisco	1,629	1,369	1,711	19	-5
Seattle	2,799	2,684	2,849	4	-2
Shreveport	1,971	1,260	1,540	56	28
Washington, DC	2,799	2,339	2,491	20	12

¹See Glossary.

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.