

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 May 12, 2001, has been 17 percent cooler than last year and 3 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/00 thru 05/12/01	Previous 07/01/99 thru 05/12/00	Normal 07/01 thru 05/12	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	4,593	3,939	4,467	17	3
Cities					
Albuquerque	4,245	3,557	4,391	19	-3
Amarillo	4,366	3,561	4,214	23	4
Asheville	4,271	3,824	4,232	12	1
Atlanta	3,070	2,436	2,982	26	3
Billings	7,076	5,715	6,883	24	3
Boise	5,735	4,663	5,668	23	1
Boston	5,675	5,100	5,508	11	3
Buffalo	6,554	5,984	6,549	10	0
Cheyenne	7,125	5,980	6,964	19	2
Chicago	6,460	5,453	6,384	18	1
Cincinnati	5,269	4,590	5,167	15	2
Cleveland	6,052	5,341	6,041	13	0
Columbia, SC	2,848	2,435	2,645	17	8
Denver	6,201	4,984	5,824	24	6
Des Moines	6,741	5,141	6,413	31	5
Detroit	6,166	5,539	6,416	11	-4
Fargo	9,275	7,695	9,006	21	3
Hartford	6,251	5,508	6,041	13	3
Houston	1,820	1,094	1,599	66	14
Jacksonville	1,613	1,256	1,434	28	12
Kansas City	5,560	4,214	5,322	32	4
Las Vegas	2,249	1,619	2,407	39	-7
Los Angeles	1,544	1,076	1,343	43	15
Memphis	3,398	2,489	3,074	37	11
Miami	186	83	200	124	-7
Milwaukee	6,798	5,808	7,068	17	-4
Minneapolis	7,903	6,431	7,824	23	1
Montgomery	2,570	1,939	2,224	33	16
New York	4,745	4,210	4,841	13	-2
Oklahoma City	4,077	2,839	3,650	44	12
Omaha	6,466	5,076	6,208	27	4
Philadelphia	4,796	4,224	4,898	14	-2
Phoenix	1,165	794	1,350	47	-14
Pittsburgh	5,823	5,087	5,822	14	0
Portland, ME	7,031	6,487	7,093	8	-1
Providence	5,724	5,155	5,737	11	0
Raleigh	3,577	3,195	3,440	12	4
Richmond	4,176	3,538	3,939	18	6
St. Louis	5,050	3,873	4,707	30	7
Salem, OR	4,518	4,147	4,613	9	-2
Salt Lake City	5,661	4,743	5,609	19	1
San Francisco	2,597	2,284	2,773	14	-6
Seattle	4,649	4,415	4,600	5	1
Shreveport	2,622	1,706	2,264	54	16
Washington, DC	4,314	3,595	4,027	20	7

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.