

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, 2000, through July 14, 2001, has been the same as last year and 9 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current	Previous	Normal	Percent Change	
	01/01/01 thru 07/14/01	01/01/00 thru 07/14/00	01/01 thru 07/14	Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	545	547	500	0	9
Cities					
Albuquerque	765	755	532	1	44
Amarillo	710	643	585	10	21
Asheville	349	393	315	-11	11
Atlanta	714	890	718	-20	-1
Billings	299	208	219	44	37
Boise	444	279	245	59	81
Boston	330	266	234	24	41
Buffalo	175	124	188	41	-7
Cheyenne	206	199	96	***	***
Chicago	330	298	296	11	11
Cincinnati	394	427	413	-8	-5
Cleveland	243	294	245	-17	-1
Columbia, SC	1,008	1,055	860	-4	17
Denver	419	361	253	16	66
Des Moines	450	409	456	10	-1
Detroit	301	303	249	-1	21
Fargo	244	174	233	40	5
Hartford	281	266	269	6	4
Houston	1,362	1,536	1,209	-11	13
Jacksonville	1,168	1,072	1,103	9	6
Kansas City	616	557	551	11	12
Las Vegas	1,798	1,740	1,384	3	30
Los Angeles	170	172	156	-1	9
Memphis	1,033	999	958	3	8
Miami	2,120	2,155	1,989	-2	7
Milwaukee	241	220	177	10	36
Minneapolis	359	302	302	19	19
Montgomery	939	1,106	953	-15	-1
New York	516	466	384	11	34
Oklahoma City	845	779	761	8	11
Omaha	496	479	479	4	4
Philadelphia	537	477	426	13	26
Phoenix	2,288	2,175	1,863	5	23
Pittsburgh	241	315	261	-23	-8
Portland, ME	164	122	70	***	***
Providence	296	276	195	7	52
Raleigh	745	759	578	-2	29
Richmond	574	610	548	-6	5
St. Louis	763	664	678	15	13
Salem, OR	73	57	63	***	***
Salt Lake City	576	490	360	18	60
San Francisco	82	79	30	***	***
Seattle	29	31	49	***	***
Shreveport	1,178	1,186	1,037	-1	14
Washington, DC	567	588	636	-4	-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, 2000 - December 31, 2000) was 1,252 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.