

**Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities**  
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days<sup>1</sup>)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2001, through October 13, 2001, has been 22 percent warmer than last year and 5 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/01 thru 10/13/01	Previous 07/01/00 thru 10/13/00	Normal 07/01 thru 10/13	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	165	211	173	-22	-5
Cities					
Albuquerque	58	122	83	***	***
Amarillo	92	177	85	***	***
Asheville	217	219	162	-1	34
Atlanta	66	96	44	***	***
Billings	310	471	462	-34	-33
Boise	153	269	320	-43	-52
Boston	162	245	178	-34	-9
Buffalo	273	396	292	-31	-7
Cheyenne	355	483	517	-27	-31
Chicago	253	278	226	-9	12
Cincinnati	177	250	151	-29	17
Cleveland	275	322	235	-15	17
Columbia, SC	58	80	42	***	***
Denver	231	323	282	-28	-18
Des Moines	223	259	195	-14	14
Detroit	266	312	259	-15	3
Fargo	461	533	503	-14	-8
Hartford	225	340	228	-34	-1
Houston	10	56	1	***	***
Jacksonville	4	27	4	***	***
Kansas City	160	218	141	-27	13
Las Vegas	0	11	7	***	***
Los Angeles	4	22	34	***	***
Memphis	46	87	42	***	***
Miami	0	0	0	***	***
Milwaukee	286	344	310	-17	-8
Minneapolis	339	354	359	-4	-6
Montgomery	28	72	21	***	***
New York	106	128	102	-17	4
Oklahoma City	68	130	44	***	***
Omaha	187	260	202	-28	-7
Philadelphia	118	165	115	-28	3
Phoenix	0	0	0	***	***
Pittsburgh	253	331	244	-24	4
Portland, ME	333	406	415	-18	-20
Providence	197	265	214	-26	-8
Raleigh	118	134	59	***	***
Richmond	128	146	91	***	***
St. Louis	110	188	86	***	***
Salem, OR	230	294	350	-22	-34
Salt Lake City	128	231	222	-45	-42
San Francisco	233	243	281	-4	-17
Seattle	404	381	406	6	0
Shreveport	25	76	10	***	***
Washington, DC	108	140	65	***	***

<sup>1</sup>See 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 4,700 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.