

**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 January 19, 2002, has been 22 percent warmer than last year and 15 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current	Previous	Normal	Percent Change	
	07/01/01 thru 01/19/02	07/01/00 thru 01/19/01	07/01 thru 01/19	Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	1,967	2,517	2,307	-22	-15
Cities					
Albuquerque	2,039	2,489	2,419	-18	-16
Amarillo	1,874	2,547	2,266	-26	-17
Asheville	2,018	2,497	2,236	-19	-10
Atlanta	1,263	1,857	1,608	-32	-21
Billings	3,110	3,913	3,730	-21	-17
Boise	2,671	3,192	3,135	-16	-15
Boston	2,189	2,874	2,647	-24	-17
Buffalo	2,642	3,442	3,210	-23	-18
Cheyenne	3,262	3,874	3,671	-16	-11
Chicago	2,685	3,512	3,271	-24	-18
Cincinnati	2,277	2,984	2,675	-24	-15
Cleveland	2,498	3,275	2,983	-24	-16
Columbia, SC	1,234	1,757	1,436	-30	-14
Denver	2,791	3,390	3,087	-18	-10
Des Moines	2,634	3,656	3,364	-28	-22
Detroit	2,612	3,355	3,230	-22	-19
Fargo	3,884	4,914	4,795	-21	-19
Hartford	2,554	3,291	3,059	-22	-17
Houston	747	1,192	879	-37	-15
Jacksonville	633	1,028	772	-38	-18
Kansas City	2,250	3,192	2,824	-30	-20
Las Vegas	1,112	1,320	1,352	-16	-18
Los Angeles	567	621	605	-9	-6
Memphis	1,384	2,088	1,667	-34	-17
Miami	65	126	99	***	***
Milwaukee	2,797	3,572	3,576	-22	-22
Minneapolis	3,164	4,118	4,132	-23	-23
Montgomery	1,146	1,608	1,225	-29	-6
New York	1,738	2,413	2,326	-28	-25
Oklahoma City	1,729	2,417	1,970	-28	-12
Omaha	2,597	3,499	3,319	-26	-22
Philadelphia	1,823	2,557	2,431	-29	-25
Phoenix	545	681	730	-20	-25
Pittsburgh	2,487	3,230	2,969	-23	-16
Portland, ME	2,970	3,551	3,568	-16	-17
Providence	2,341	2,944	2,785	-20	-16
Raleigh	1,621	2,107	1,803	-23	-10
Richmond	1,698	2,345	2,045	-28	-17
St. Louis	1,996	2,944	2,467	-32	-19
Salem, OR	2,148	2,417	2,471	-11	-13
Salt Lake City	2,902	3,269	3,020	-11	-4
San Francisco	1,187	1,387	1,484	-14	-20
Seattle	2,355	2,462	2,491	-4	-5
Shreveport	1,115	1,684	1,249	-34	-11
Washington, DC	1,680	2,377	2,034	-29	-17

<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.