

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, 2001, through April 6, 2002, has been 17 percent warmer than last year and 13 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/01 thru 04/06/02	Previous 07/01/00 thru 04/06/01	Normal 07/01 thru 04/06	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	3,618	4,333	4,138	-17	-13
Cities					
Albuquerque	3,618	4,038	4,114	-10	-12
Amarillo	3,536	4,180	3,968	-15	-11
Asheville	3,550	4,104	3,946	-13	-10
Atlanta	2,327	2,999	2,865	-22	-19
Billings	5,921	6,521	6,289	-9	-6
Boise	4,768	5,261	5,179	-9	-8
Boston	4,170	5,279	5,005	-21	-17
Buffalo	5,073	6,119	5,961	-17	-15
Cheyenne	5,926	6,415	6,257	-8	-5
Chicago	5,042	6,154	5,892	-18	-14
Cincinnati	4,162	5,063	4,825	-18	-14
Cleveland	4,664	5,723	5,516	-19	-15
Columbia, SC	2,158	2,785	2,558	-23	-16
Denver	5,130	5,683	5,315	-10	-3
Des Moines	5,030	6,505	6,009	-23	-16
Detroit	4,941	5,842	5,890	-15	-16
Fargo	7,282	8,711	8,365	-16	-13
Hartford	4,659	5,872	5,572	-21	-16
Houston	1,411	1,802	1,579	-22	-11
Jacksonville	1,079	1,572	1,411	-31	-24
Kansas City	4,217	5,422	5,015	-22	-16
Las Vegas	2,017	2,157	2,292	-6	-12
Los Angeles	1,137	1,331	1,176	-15	-3
Memphis	2,632	3,345	2,971	-21	-11
Miami	83	186	200	-55	-58
Milwaukee	5,301	6,369	6,435	-17	-18
Minneapolis	6,092	7,473	7,285	-18	-16
Montgomery	2,032	2,516	2,165	-19	-6
New York	3,393	4,476	4,458	-24	-24
Oklahoma City	3,316	3,986	3,507	-17	-5
Omaha	5,037	6,210	5,832	-19	-14
Philadelphia	3,444	4,552	4,547	-24	-24
Phoenix	871	1,127	1,291	-23	-33
Pittsburgh	4,480	5,546	5,365	-19	-16
Portland, ME	5,449	6,454	6,417	-16	-15
Providence	4,380	5,321	5,208	-18	-16
Raleigh	2,828	3,444	3,273	-18	-14
Richmond	3,078	3,998	3,728	-23	-17
St. Louis	3,762	4,940	4,456	-24	-16
Salem, OR	3,778	4,026	4,092	-6	-8
Salt Lake City	5,257	5,233	5,147	0	2
San Francisco	2,116	2,319	2,454	-9	-14
Seattle	4,131	4,118	4,089	0	1
Shreveport	2,102	2,594	2,220	-19	-5
Washington, DC	3,138	4,124	3,795	-24	-17

¹See 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.