

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, 2001, through June 29, 2002, has been 6 percent warmer than last year and 20 percent warmer than normal.

Location	Current	Previous	Normal	Percent Change	
	01/01/02 thru 06/29/02	01/01/01 thru 06/29/01	01/01 thru 06/29	Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	424	400	354	6	20
Cities					
Albuquerque	546	537	335	2	63
Amarillo	563	451	389	25	45
Asheville	251	225	198	12	27
Atlanta	604	511	515	18	17
Billings	121	119	113	2	7
Boise	262	230	122	14	115
Boston	148	255	117	-42	26
Buffalo	133	126	100	6	33
Cheyenne	148	82	36	***	***
Chicago	285	223	182	28	57
Cincinnati	321	300	268	7	20
Cleveland	245	189	145	30	69
Columbia, SC	820	761	627	8	31
Denver	324	214	132	51	145
Des Moines	349	280	290	25	20
Detroit	239	212	148	13	61
Fargo	196	150	138	31	42
Hartford	190	208	145	-9	31
Houston	1,240	1,088	952	14	30
Jacksonville	1,053	904	861	16	22
Kansas City	432	396	358	9	21
Las Vegas	1,227	1,390	1,004	-12	22
Los Angeles	54	110	97	***	***
Memphis	758	771	701	-2	8
Miami	2,052	1,856	1,732	11	18
Milwaukee	227	155	93	***	***
Minneapolis	249	217	173	15	44
Montgomery	879	697	713	26	23
New York	340	370	225	-8	51
Oklahoma City	488	573	519	-15	-6
Omaha	446	316	305	41	46
Philadelphia	399	385	257	4	55
Phoenix	1,821	1,837	1,444	-1	26
Pittsburgh	236	192	161	23	47
Portland, ME	46	132	20	***	***
Providence	136	223	89	***	***
Raleigh	658	565	389	16	69
Richmond	534	411	360	30	48
St. Louis	539	553	461	-3	17
Salem, OR	41	28	31	***	***
Salt Lake City	316	338	187	-7	69
San Francisco	21	71	15	***	***
Seattle	34	16	20	***	***
Shreveport	918	902	777	2	18
Washington, DC	514	415	417	24	23

¹See Glossary.

*** = Normal cooling degree-days or less, or ratio incalculable.

Note:• The total cooling degree-days for the previous cooling season (January 1, 2001 - December 31, 2001) was 1,275 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.