

Exploring Weather Trends

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Data Extraction from Database using SQL

I wanted to compare weather trends of **Dallas City, USA** with global weather trends. So, first I have extracted data for Dallas from **city_data** table. I have also extracted global data from **global_data** table.

SQL Query for dallas city data:

```
SELECT * FROM city_data WHERE city = 'Dallas';
```

SQL Query for global data:

```
SELECT * FROM global_data;
```

I was able to download **csv** file after successfully running the SQL query.

Read the Tables and Some Exploratory Analysis

Since I will use python for other projects so I think its better to use python for this project too.

import required python library

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
```

```
In [2]: # for inline figure
%matplotlib inline
```

```
In [3]: # set figure size and figure format

plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = [10, 6]
%config InlineBackend.figure_format = 'svg'
```

Following code for not to scroll figure, figure will be fixed in place.

```
In [4]: %%javascript
IPython.OutputArea.prototype._should_scroll = function(lines){
    return false;
}
```

Dallas City Trends

```
In [5]: # read dallas city data and called it trend_dallas

trend_dallas = pd.read_csv('data/city_data_dallas.csv')
```

lets look at the dimensions of the table, there are 194 rows and 4 columns.

```
In [6]: trend_dallas.shape
```

```
Out[6]: (194, 4)
```

since there are 194 rows lets look at few rows

```
In [7]: trend_dallas.head()
```

Out[7]:

	year	city	country	avg_temp
0	1820	Dallas	United States	16.88
1	1821	Dallas	United States	17.33
2	1822	Dallas	United States	17.87
3	1823	Dallas	United States	17.46
4	1824	Dallas	United States	17.90

lets see is there any missing value. From the table below it seems there is no missing value.

```
In [8]: trend_dallas.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 194 entries, 0 to 193
Data columns (total 4 columns):
year          194 non-null int64
city          194 non-null object
country       194 non-null object
avg_temp      194 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(1), int64(1), object(2)
memory usage: 6.1+ KB
```

Some descriptive statistics would not be bad idea.

```
In [9]: trend_dallas.describe()
```

Out[9]:

	year	avg_temp
count	194.000000	194.000000
mean	1916.500000	18.065876
std	56.147128	0.680021
min	1820.000000	16.540000
25%	1868.250000	17.612500
50%	1916.500000	18.025000
75%	1964.750000	18.437500
max	2013.000000	20.450000

So the data from year 1820 to 2013 and minimum average temperature was 16.54 and maximum was 20.45 Degree Celsius.

Since year column contain date data I think its better to read that column as dates. What I can do is read the table again with some different parameter.

```
In [10]: trend_dallas = pd.read_csv('data/city_data_dallas.csv',  
                                     parse_dates=True,  
                                     index_col='year')
```

```
In [11]: trend_dallas.head()
```

Out[11]:

	city	country	avg_temp
	year		
1820-01-01	Dallas	United States	16.88
1821-01-01	Dallas	United States	17.33
1822-01-01	Dallas	United States	17.87
1823-01-01	Dallas	United States	17.46
1824-01-01	Dallas	United States	17.90

Now it seems right and looks good too.

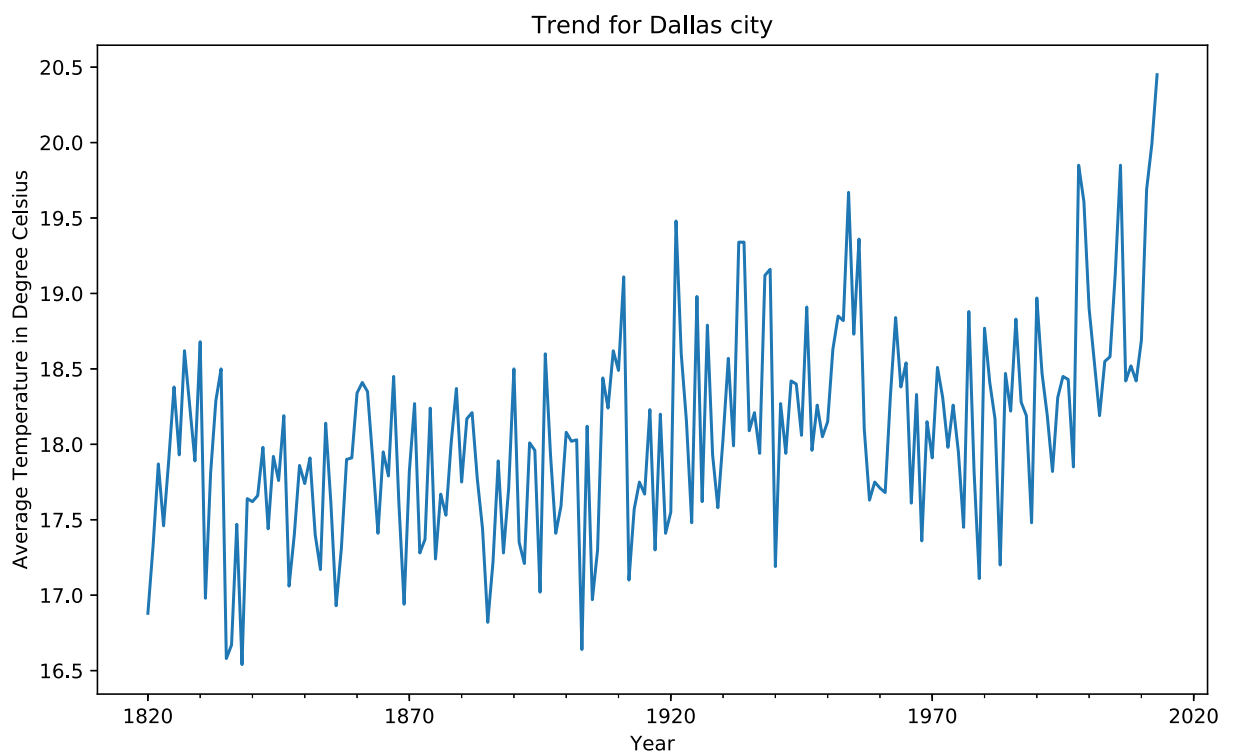
I want to see the trend of average temperature in Dallas city.

I will subset the **avg_temp** column and **year** column and will save as **trend_dallas_unsmoothed** and will plot using matplotlib.

```
In [12]: trend_dallas_unsmoothed = trend_dallas['avg_temp']['1820-01-01':'2013-01-01']
```

```
In [13]: #plot raw data

trend_dallas_unsmoothed.plot();
plt.xlabel('Year');
plt.ylabel('Average Temperature in Degree Celsius');
plt.title('Trend for Dallas city');
%config InlineBackend.figure_format = 'svg'
```



From above plot it is very hard to see the trend. To see the trend I will calculate moving average of avg_temp and then I will plot again. I will use pandas rolling method and will chain it to mean.

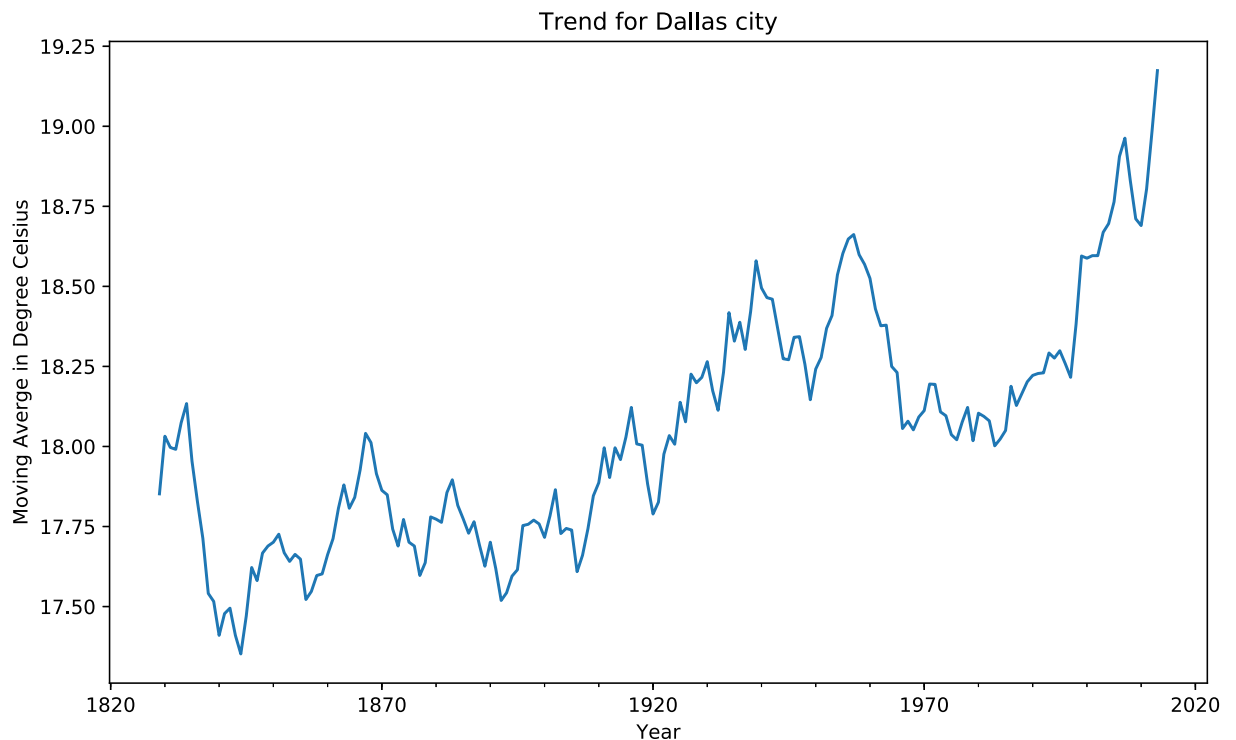
see the code for details

```
In [14]: # for reference
# trend_dallas_unsmoothed = trend_dallas['avg_temp']['1820-01-01':'2013-01-01']

# it will continuously calculate average for 10 years
dallas_mov_avg = trend_dallas_unsmoothed.rolling(window = 10).mean()
```

```
In [15]: # plot moving average

dallas_mov_avg.plot();
plt.xlabel('Year');
plt.ylabel('Moving Average in Degree Celsius');
plt.title('Trend for Dallas city');
```



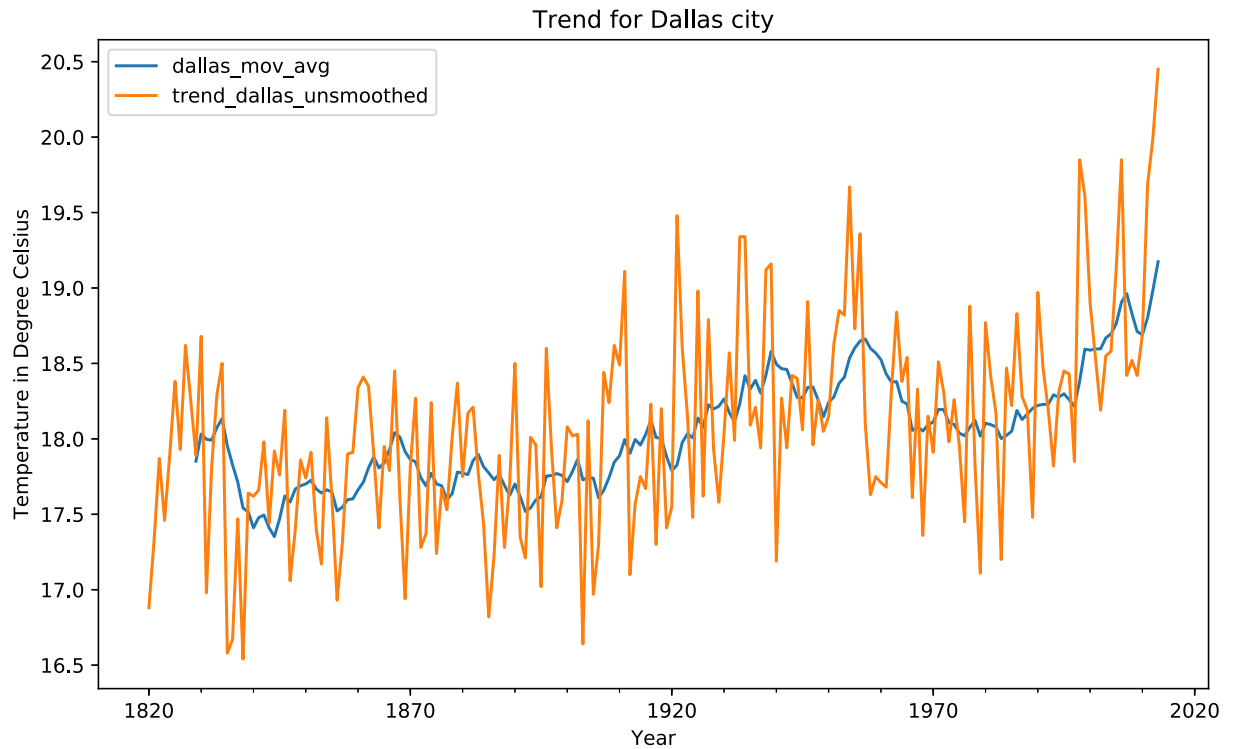
Above plot tells much more than earlier plot about trend.

If I want to see both in the same plot I can do that.

```
In [16]: # create dataframe from dallas_mov_avg and
# trend_dallas_unsmoothed data

dallas_trend_compare = pd.DataFrame({
    "dallas_mov_avg": dallas_mov_avg,
    "trend_dallas_unsmoothed": trend_dallas_unsmoothed
})
```

```
In [17]: # plot and compare how moving average improved the plot
dallas_trend_compare.plot();
plt.xlabel('Year');
plt.ylabel('Temperature in Degree Celsius');
plt.title('Trend for Dallas city');
```



Obviously the moving average reduces the noise and make the plot understandable.

Global Trends

```
In [18]: # read the global data
trend_global = pd.read_csv('data/global_data.csv',
                           parse_dates=True,
                           index_col='year')
```

```
In [19]: # take look at the global data
```

```
trend_global.head()
```

Out[19]:

	avg_temp
year	
1750-01-01	8.72
1751-01-01	7.98
1752-01-01	5.78
1753-01-01	8.39
1754-01-01	8.47

```
In [20]: trend_global.shape
```

Out[20]: (266, 1)

```
In [21]: trend_global.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
DatetimeIndex: 266 entries, 1750-01-01 to 2015-01-01
Data columns (total 1 columns):
avg_temp      266 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(1)
memory usage: 4.2 KB
```

```
In [22]: trend_global.describe()
```

Out[22]:

	avg_temp
count	266.000000
mean	8.369474
std	0.584747
min	5.780000
25%	8.082500
50%	8.375000
75%	8.707500
max	9.830000

So there is no missing data and that's good.

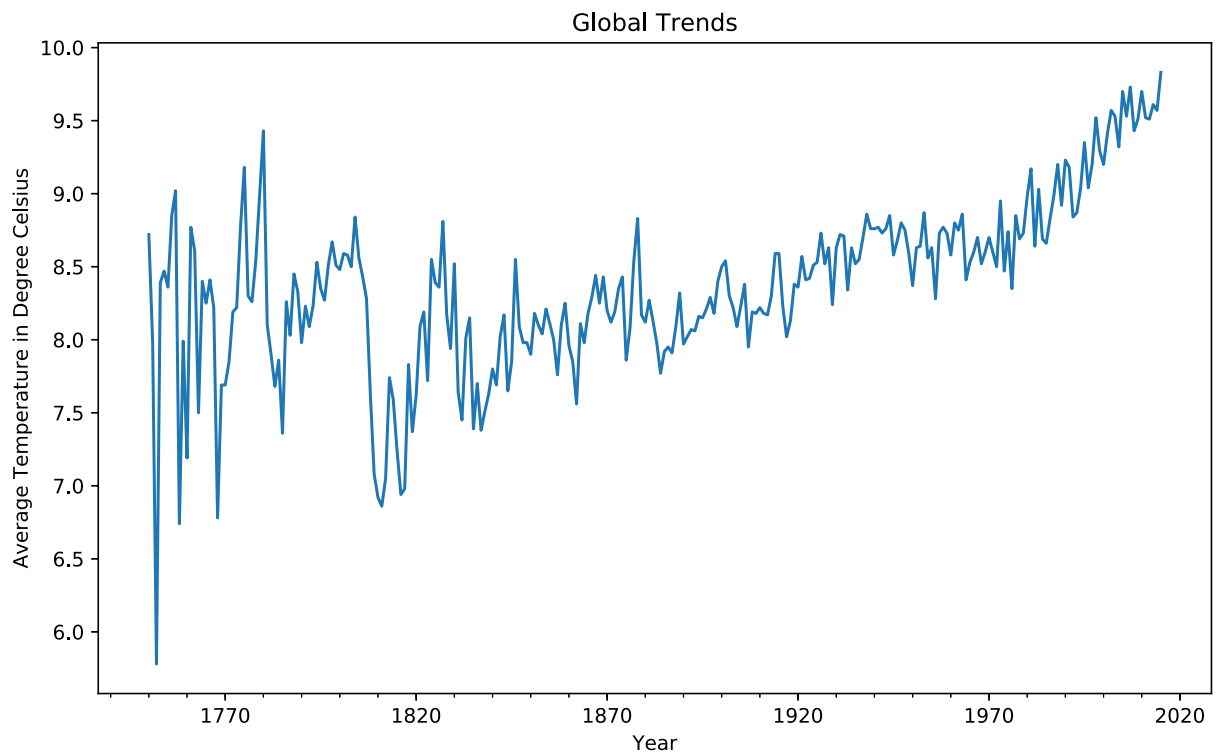
The data are from year 1750 to year 2015.

Minimum average temperature was 5.78 and maximum was 9.83 degree Celsius.

For dallas city we have data from 1820 to 2013 only. We don't have data from 1750 to 1819 for dallas. So we can drop those value from global_data and only compare from 1820 to 2013 or we can keep the value. I will keep the all the value.

```
In [23]: # convert to series
trend_global_unsmoothed = trend_global['avg_temp']['1750-01-01':'2015-01-01']
```

```
In [24]: trend_global_unsmoothed.plot();
plt.xlabel('Year');
plt.ylabel('Average Temperature in Degree Celsius');
plt.title('Global Trends');
```



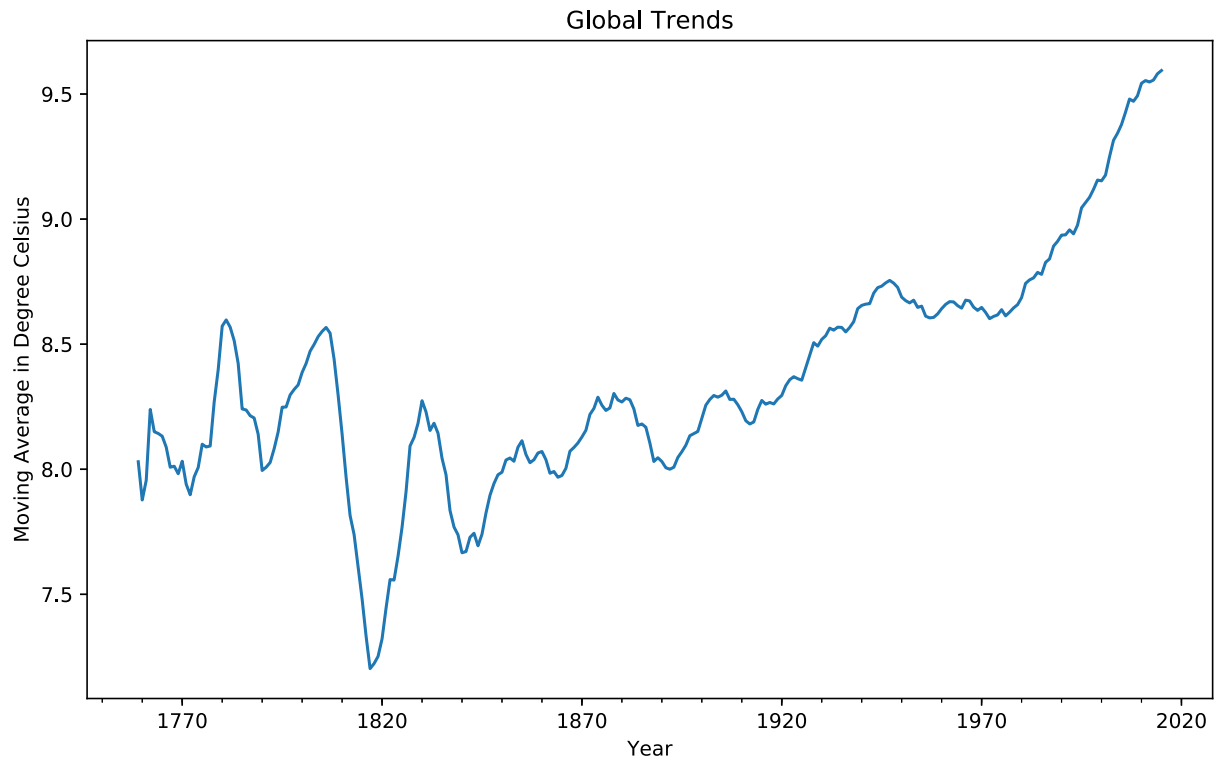
Again there is lot of noise and I am going to convert to moving average.

```
In [25]: # moving average with window 10

global_mov_avg = trend_global_unsmoothed.rolling(window=10).mean()
```

```
In [26]: # plot global moving average
```

```
global_mov_avg.plot();  
plt.xlabel('Year');  
plt.ylabel('Moving Average in Degree Celsius');  
plt.title('Global Trends');
```

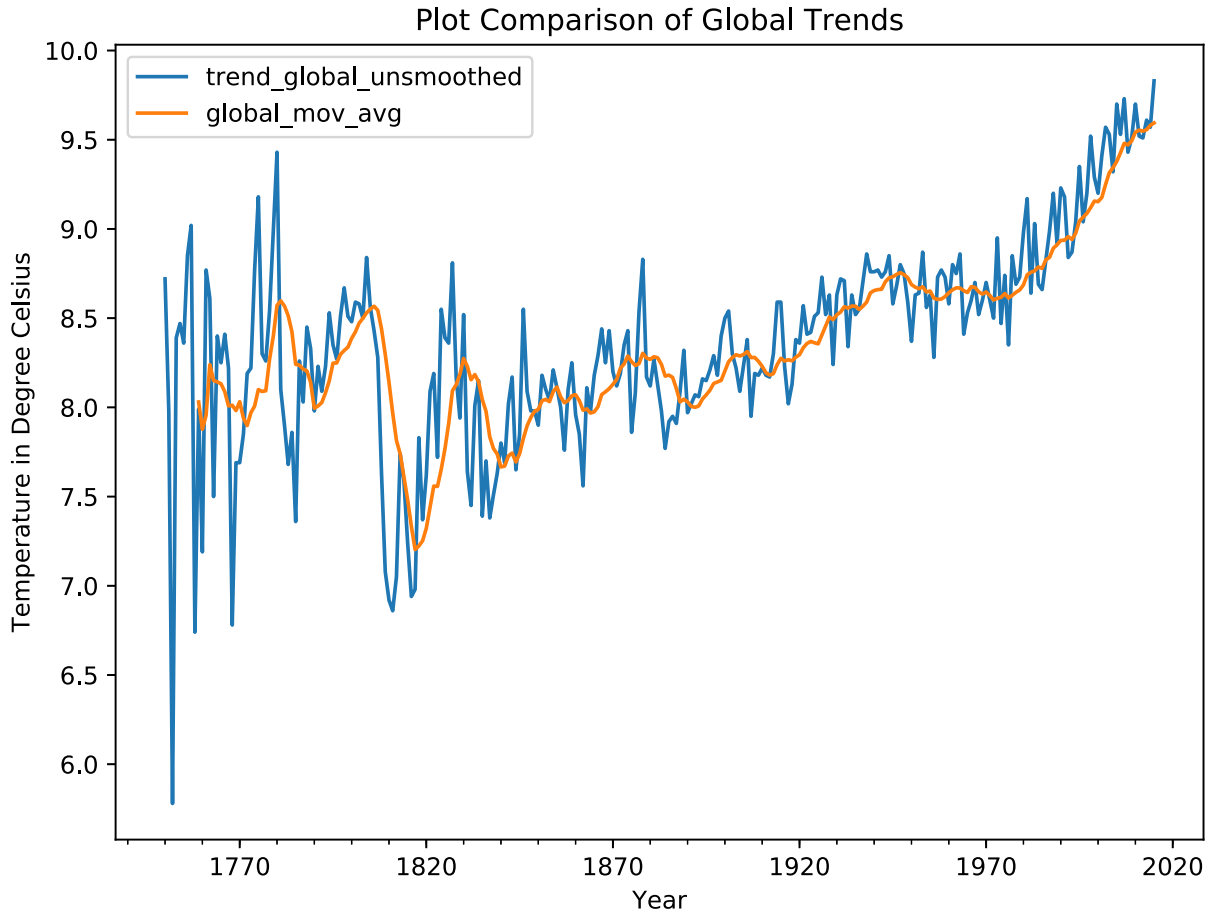


```
In [27]: # create dataframe and compare how plot improved
```

```
global_trend_compare = pd.DataFrame({  
    "trend_global_unsmoothed": trend_global_unsmoothed,  
    "global_mov_avg": global_mov_avg  
})
```

```
In [28]: # plot both global plot in same plot
global_trend_compare.plot(figsize= (8,6));
plt.ylabel('Temperature in Degree Celsius');
plt.xlabel('Year')
plt.title('Plot Comparison of Global Trends')
```

```
Out[28]: Text(0.5,1,'Plot Comparison of Global Trends')
```



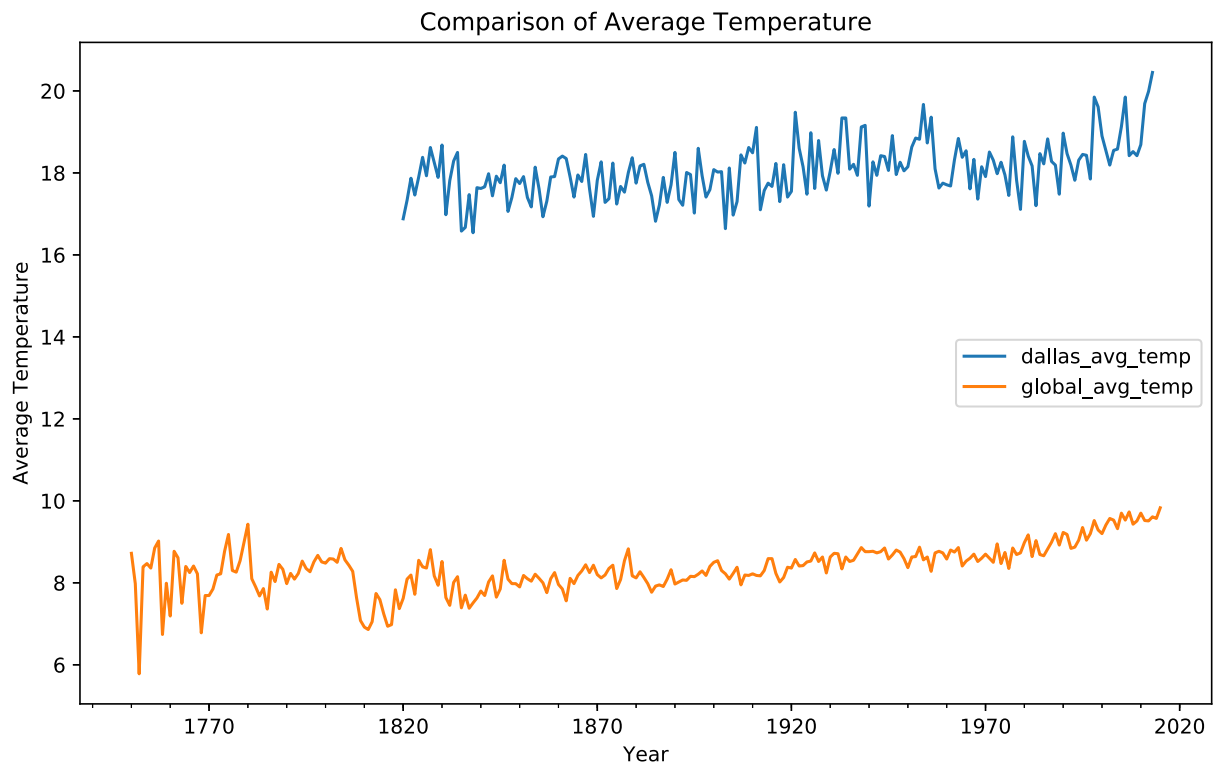
Similarities and Differences between Global Trends and Dallas City Trends

Observations

```
In [29]: # plot average temperature of global and dallas city

trend_dallas_unsmoothed.plot(label= 'dallas_avg_temp');
trend_global_unsmoothed.plot(label= 'global_avg_temp');
plt.legend(loc =7);
plt.xlabel('Year');
plt.ylabel('Average Temperature');
plt.title('Comparison of Average Temperature')
```

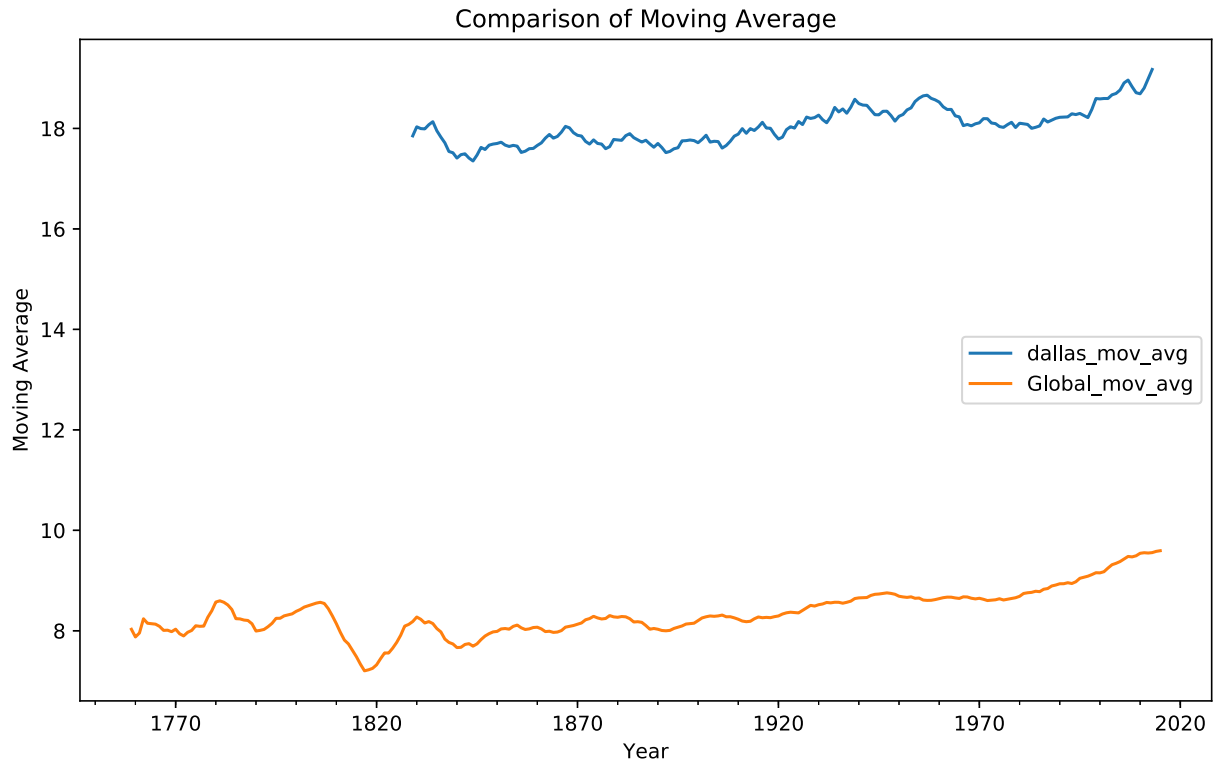
```
Out[29]: Text(0.5,1,'Comparison of Average Temperature')
```



```
In [30]: # plot moving average of global and dallas city
```

```
dallas_mov_avg.plot(label= 'dallas_mov_avg');  
global_mov_avg.plot(label='Global_mov_avg');  
plt.legend(loc =7);  
plt.xlabel('Year');  
plt.ylabel('Moving Average');  
plt.title('Comparison of Moving Average')
```

```
Out[30]: Text(0.5,1,'Comparison of Moving Average')
```



Observation 01

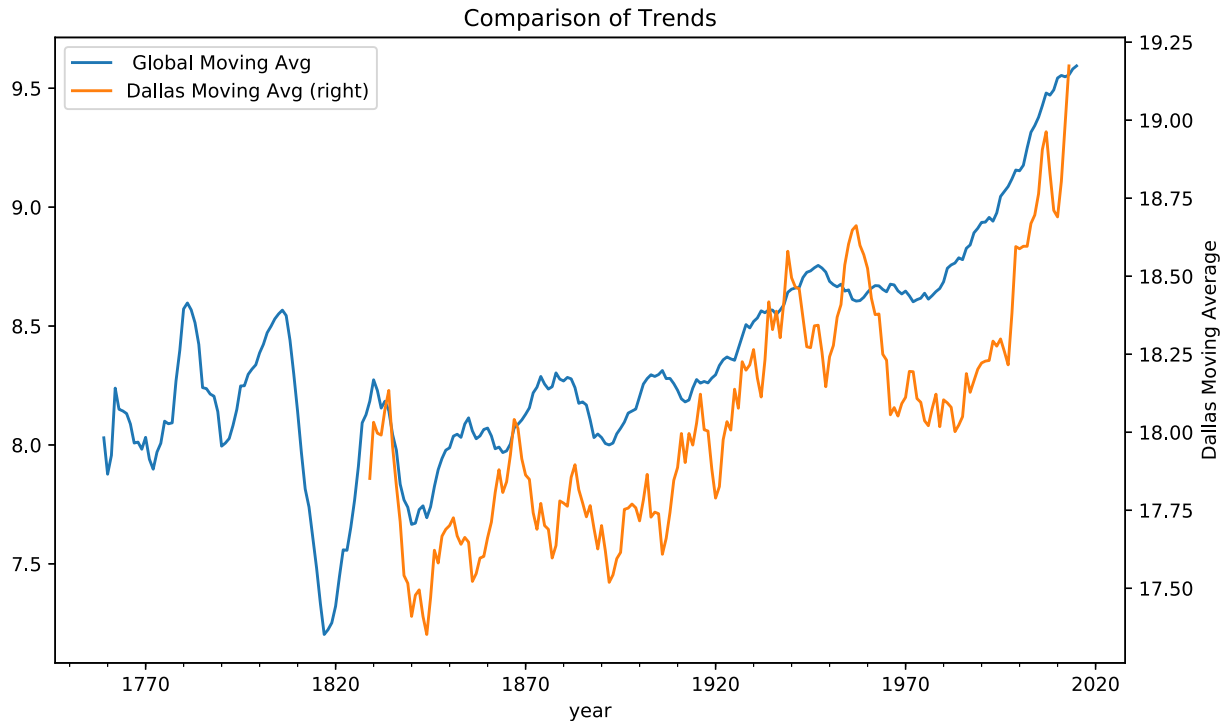
From above two plots I can say that Dallas city's average temperature was always higher than global average temperature that means **Dallas is hotter** than global average temperature. The higher temperature of Dallas city compared to global temperature is always consistent over time.

Observation 02

At first sight the plot below might be confusing. So let's walk through it first and then interpret. The left y-axis represents the global moving average (7 to 10) and the right y-axis represents the Dallas moving average (17 to 19.25) and also see the legend for trend lines.

Similar pattern of fluctuation in the plot suggests that when **Global** average temperature gets **high**, the average temperature of **Dallas** city also gets **high**. But there are few years like 1865-1875 when opposite occurs, in this case (1865-1875) when global temperature increases Dallas city's temperature decreases.

```
In [31]: global_mov_avg.plot(label=" Global Moving Avg",  
                             legend=True, );  
dallas_mov_avg.plot(secondary_y= True,  
                    label= "Dallas Moving Avg", legend= True );  
plt.ylabel('Dallas Moving Average');  
plt.title('Comparison of Trends');
```



Observation 03

Continuing from 1820, **overall trends** of **both** global and Dallas temperature is **going up**. What that means is the **world is getting hotter**. Starting from 1990, both trend line is going up **faster** than before which means world is getting hotter faster in last two decades.

Observation 04

We don't have data for Dallas city before 1820, but global temperature for 18th century was higher than 19th century.

In 20th century global temperature is higher than last two centuries.

In 19th century overall temperature for Dallas city did not increased.

But in last hundred year average temperature increased more than one degree Celsius for both global and Dallas city.

Correlation and Linear Regression

Correlation

If I want to know is there any correlation between global average temperature and Dallas city average temperature I can do that.

```
In [32]: # lets create dataframe called temp_corr that contain global average t
          # emperature
          # and dallas average temperature

temp_corr = pd.DataFrame({
    'dallas_avg_temp': trend_dallas['avg_temp'],
    'global_avg_temp': trend_global['avg_temp']
})
```

```
In [33]: # descriptive statistics
```

```
temp_corr.describe()
```

```
Out[33]:
```

	dallas_avg_temp	global_avg_temp
count	194.000000	266.000000
mean	18.065876	8.369474
std	0.680021	0.584747
min	16.540000	5.780000
25%	17.612500	8.082500
50%	18.025000	8.375000
75%	18.437500	8.707500
max	20.450000	9.830000

```
In [34]: # structure of dataframe
```

```
temp_corr.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>  
DatetimeIndex: 266 entries, 1750-01-01 to 2015-01-01  
Freq: AS-JAN  
Data columns (total 2 columns):  
dallas_avg_temp    194 non-null float64  
global_avg_temp    266 non-null float64  
dtypes: float64(2)  
memory usage: 6.2 KB
```

```
In [35]: # checking missing value
```

```
temp_corr.isnull().sum()
```

```
Out[35]: dallas_avg_temp    72  
global_avg_temp          0  
dtype: int64
```

Dallas city contain missing value so I will drop them for now.

```
In [36]: temp_corr.dropna(inplace=True);
```

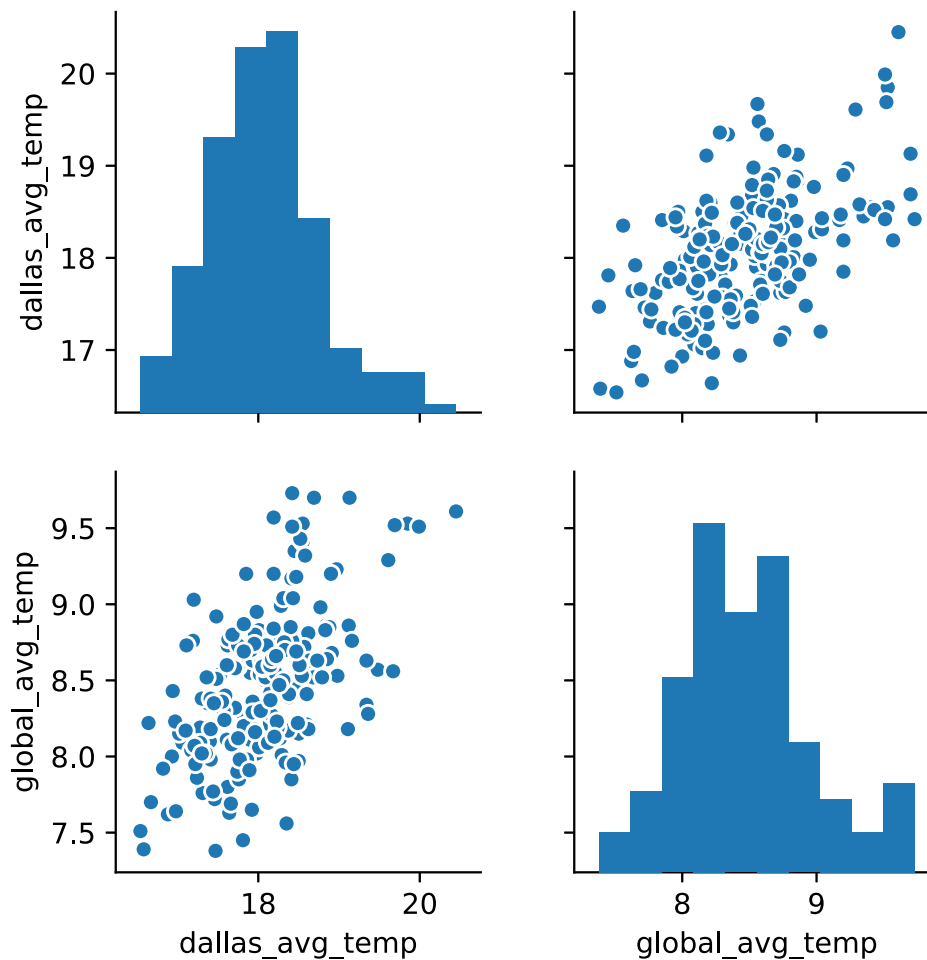


```
In [37]: # check again
temp_corr.info()
```

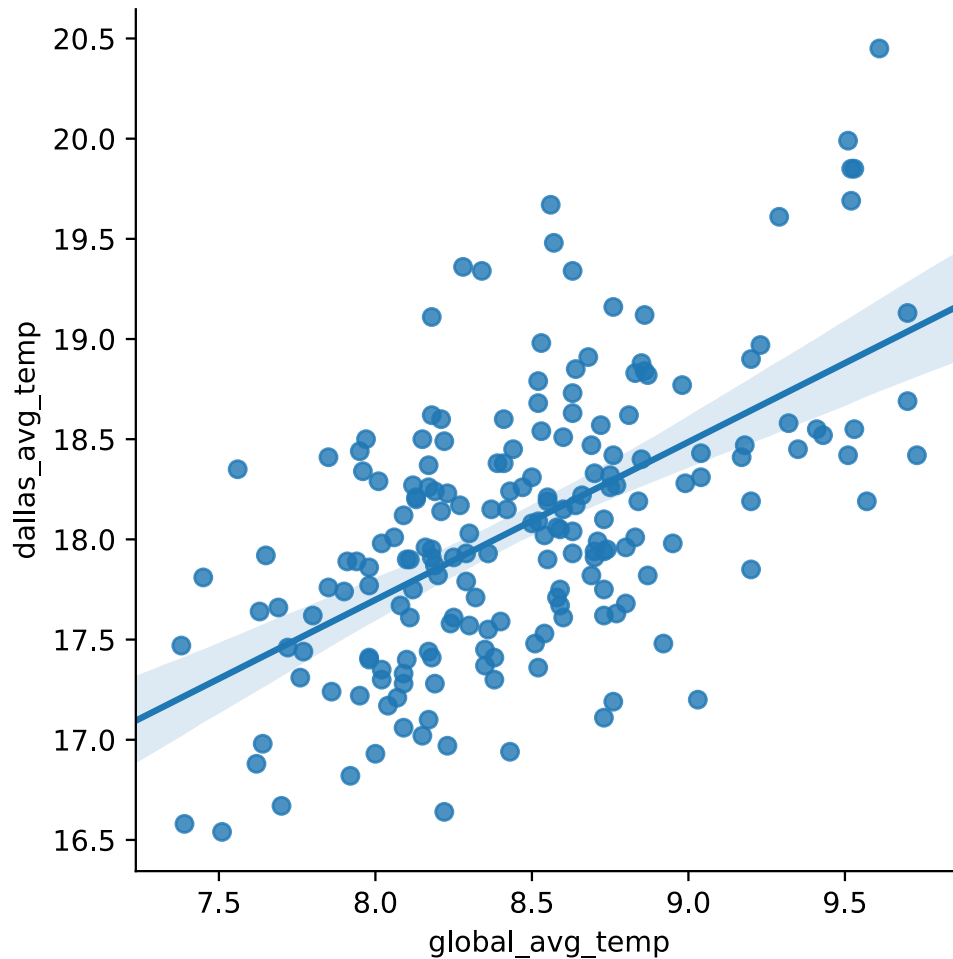
```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
DatetimeIndex: 194 entries, 1820-01-01 to 2013-01-01
Freq: AS-JAN
Data columns (total 2 columns):
dallas_avg_temp    194 non-null float64
global_avg_temp    194 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(2)
memory usage: 4.5 KB
```

```
In [38]: # I can use pairplot from seaborn to see distribution and scatter plot

sns.pairplot(temp_corr);
```



```
In [39]: ## add regression line
sns.lmplot(x="global_avg_temp", y="dallas_avg_temp", data=temp_corr,);
```



```
In [40]: # find the correlation coefficient

temp_corr.corr()
```

Out[40]:

	dallas_avg_temp	global_avg_temp
dallas_avg_temp	1.000000	0.573722
global_avg_temp	0.573722	1.000000

Correlation Coefficient value 0.57 indicates that there is correlation between global temperature and Dallas city temperature.

Linear Regression Model Using scikit-learn

I can build linear regression model which will predict Dallas city average temperature from global average temperature.

```
In [41]: # import require library

from sklearn import linear_model
```

```
In [42]: X = pd.DataFrame(temp_corr['global_avg_temp'])
y = pd.DataFrame(temp_corr['dallas_avg_temp'])
```

```
In [43]: lm = linear_model.LinearRegression()
```

```
In [44]: model = lm.fit(X,y)
```

```
In [45]: predictions = lm.predict(X)
```

```
In [46]: # R squared value
round(lm.score(X,y), 4)
```

```
Out[46]: 0.3292
```

R^2 value 0.3292 suggests that 32.92 percent variability in dependent variable(Dallas avg. temp) can be explained by Independent variable(global avg. temp)

Linear Regression Model Using statsmodels

```
In [47]: import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
```

```
In [48]: reg = smf.ols('dallas_avg_temp ~ global_avg_temp', data = temp_corr).fit()
```

In [49]: `reg.summary()`

Out[49]: OLS Regression Results

Dep. Variable:	dallas_avg_temp	R-squared:	0.329
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared:	0.326
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	94.21
Date:	Tue, 18 Sep 2018	Prob (F-statistic):	2.25e-18
Time:	19:27:11	Log-Likelihood:	-161.24
No. Observations:	194	AIC:	326.5
Df Residuals:	192	BIC:	333.0
Df Model:	1		
Covariance Type:	nonrobust		

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
Intercept	11.3964	0.688	16.557	0.000	10.039	12.754
global_avg_temp	0.7877	0.081	9.706	0.000	0.628	0.948

Omnibus:	4.124	Durbin-Watson:	1.727
Prob(Omnibus):	0.127	Jarque-Bera (JB):	4.035
Skew:	0.353	Prob(JB):	0.133
Kurtosis:	2.972	Cond. No.	148.

Warnings:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

From the above table, the p value of F statistics is less than 0.05 which indicate that this regression model significantly different than using average value of global avg. temperature to predict Dallas city avg. temperature.
