Project – Explore Weather Trends

Outline

1. Write a SQL query to make sure the city list contains my living city

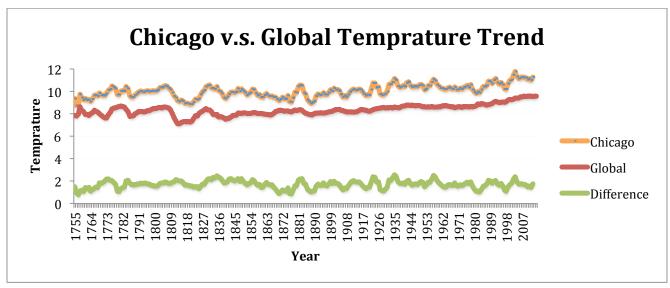
SELECT *
FROM city_list
WHERE city = 'Chicago';

2. Write SQL queries to retrieve the data temperature data from global_data and city_data respectively

SELECT *
FROM city_data
WHERE city = 'Chicago';
SELECT *
FROM global data;

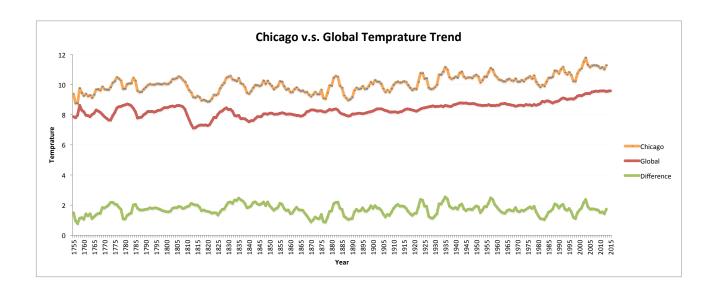
- 3. Open the two CSVs using Excel and combine them into one sheet with the same year at one row
- 4. Since Chicago's annual temperature was recorded starting from 1743 but no record in 1746-1749, while Global annual temperature started from 1750, therefore I choose to disregard the records of Chicago from 1743 to 1745 but use both records starting from 1750.
- 5. Then, I decide to calculate 5-year average to show temperature trends. Using the moving average rather than the yearly averages would smooth out the lines, making trends more observable. I choose 5-year since I believe it is a reasonable period to show the change, if applicable. (Worksheet attached)
- 6. To visualize and compare the temperature trend of Chicago and Global since 1750, I use the line chart in Excel to put two series on the same timeline, starting from 1755, which is the first year that can calculate a meaningful 5-year average temperature data. Since using 5-year average, the horizontal axis also uses 5-year as the major interval.
- 7. To put two series on the same timeline, it would be easier to observe the similarities and differences between the trends of two lines. I also add another column to calculate the difference between Chicago and Global temperatures each year and add that series called 'Difference' to make it more easily to observe.

Line Chart & Observations



(Line Chart PDF also attached)

- 1. The moving average temperature of Chicago is always higher than the moving average of Global temperature, but the difference has not been consistent over time, as the Difference line shows fluctuation.
- 2. From 1750 to 1840, the trends between Chicago and Global are similar, especially between 1790 and 1810, both have stable and slow increasing trends and then experiencing a sharp decline around 1810-1813, which is also reflected as the flatter Difference line during that period.
- 3. After 1840, the two lines demonstrate different volatility. The moving average temperature of Chicago is more volatile than the Global.
- 4. Overall, both Chicago and Global lines show an increasing trend, which represents an overall hotter environment. However, the increasing trend is not consistent all the time. After 1980, both Chicago and Global temperatures started to quickly increase in a short time, which are reflected as the steeper lines after 1980.



year	city	country	city_avg_temp	5-year average	year	global_avg_temp	5-year average	Difference
1743	Chicago	United States	5.44					
1744	Chicago	United States	11.73					
1745	Chicago	United States	1.8					
1746	Chicago	United States						
1747	Chicago	United States						
1748	Chicago	United States						
1749	Chicago	United States						
1750	Chicago	United States	10.49		1750	8.72		
1751	Chicago	United States	11.19		1751	7.98		
1752	Chicago	United States	4.5		1752	5.78		
1753	Chicago	United States	10.04		1753	8.39		
1754	Chicago	United States	10.64		1754	8.47		
1755	Chicago	United States	7.41	9.372	1755	8.36	7.868	1.504
1756	Chicago	United States	11.15	8.756	1756	8.85	7.796	0.96
1757	Chicago	United States	9.5	8.748	1757	9.02	7.97	0.778
1758	Chicago	United States	8.61	9.748	1758	6.74	8.618	1.13
1759	Chicago	United States	9.59	9.462	1759	7.99	8.288	1.174
1760	Chicago	United States	8.05	9.252	1760	7.19	8.192	1.06
1761	Chicago	United States	10.4	9.38	1761	8.77	7.958	1.422
1762	Chicago	United States	9.82	9.23	1762	8.61	7.942	1.288
1763	Chicago	United States	7.72	9.294	1763	7.5	7.86	1.434
1764	Chicago	United States	10.63	9.116	1764	8.4	8.012	1.104
1765	Chicago	United States	9.78	9.324	1765	8.25	8.094	1.23
1766	Chicago	United States	10.49	9.67	1766	8.41	8.306	1.364
1767	Chicago	United States	9.41	9.688	1767	8.22	8.234	1.454
1768	Chicago	United States	8.95	9.606	1768	6.78	8.156	1.45
1769	Chicago	United States	9.79	9.852	1769	7.69	8.012	1.84
1770	Chicago	United States	9.66	9.684	1770	7.69	7.87	1.814
1771	Chicago	United States	10.44	9.66	1771	7.85	7.758	1.902
1772	Chicago	United States	10.27	9.65	1772	8.19	7.646	2.004
1773	Chicago	United States	10.42	9.822	1773	8.22	7.64	2.182
1774	Chicago	United States	10.27	10.116	1774	8.77	7.928	2.188
1775	Chicago	United States	10.99	10.212	1775	9.18	8.144	2.068
1776	Chicago	United States	9.98	10.478	1776	8.3	8.442	2.036
1777	Chicago	United States	9.67	10.386	1777	8.26	8.532	1.854
1778	Chicago	United States	7.63	10.266	1778	8.54	8.546	1.72
1779	Chicago	United States	10.32	9.708	1779	8.98	8.61	1.098
1780	Chicago	United States	12.54	9.718	1780	9.43	8.652	1.066
1781	Chicago	United States	10.18	10.028	1781	8.1	8.702	1.326
1782	Chicago	United States	9.69	10.068	1782	7.9	8.662	1.406
1783	Chicago	United States	9.44	10.072	1783	7.68	8.59	1.482
1784	Chicago	United States	9.4	10.434	1784	7.86	8.418	2.016
1785	Chicago	United States	9.2	10.25	1785	7.36	8.194	2.056
1786	Chicago	United States	9.75	9.582	1786	8.26	7.78	1.802
1787	Chicago	United States	9.78	9.496	1787	8.03	7.812	1.684
1788	Chicago	United States	10.28	9.514	1788	8.45	7.838	1.676
1789	Chicago	United States	10.03	9.682	1789	8.33	7.992	1.69
1790	Chicago	United States	9.93	9.808	1790	7.98	8.086	1.722
1791	Chicago	United States	10.12	9.954	1791	8.23	8.21	1.744
1792	Chicago	United States	9.62	10.028	1792	8.09	8.204	1.824
1793	Chicago	United States	10.2	9.996	1793	8.23	8.216	1.78
1794	Chicago	United States	10.3	9.98	1794	8.53	8.172	1.808
1795	Chicago	United States	10.01	10.034	1795	8.35	8.212	1.822
1796	Chicago	United States	9.92	10.05	1796	8.27	8.286	1.764
1797	Chicago	United States	9.66	10.01	1797	8.51	8.294	1.716

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1801	Chicago United States	10.47	10.046	1801	8.59	8.488	1.558
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1803	Chicago United States	10.48	10.356	1803	8.5	8.566	1.79
1804	Chicago United States	10.41	10.366	1804	8.84	8.532	1.834
1805	Chicago United States	10.63	10.426	1805	8.56	8.598	1.828
1806	Chicago United States	10.1	10.53	1806	8.43	8.614	1.916
1807	Chicago United States	9.88	10.456	1807	8.28	8.582	1.874
1808	Chicago United States	9.84	10.3	1808	7.63	8.522	1.778
1809	Chicago United States	9.04	10.172	1809	7.08	8.348	1.824
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1818	Chicago United States	9.42	8.978	1818	7.83	7.298	1.68
1819	Chicago United States	9.19	8.928	1819	7.37	7.316	1.612
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1821	Chicago United States	9.08	8.888	1821	8.09	7.348	1.54
1822	Chicago United States	9.87	9.05	1822	8.19	7.578	1.472
1823	Chicago United States	9.31	9.316	1823	7.72	7.82	1.496
1824	Chicago United States	9.57	9.294	1824	8.55	7.798	1.496
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1834	Chicago United States	10.92	10.22	1834	8.15	7.912	2.308
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1841	Chicago United States	9.83	9.544	1841	7.69	7.604	1.94
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1843	Chicago United States	8.78	9.954	1843	8.17	7.73	2.224
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1888	Chicago	United States	8.74	8.954	1888	8.09	7.906	1.048
1889	Chicago	United States	10.02	9.018	1889	8.32	7.928	1.09
1890	Chicago	United States	10.21	9.152	1890	7.97	8.038	1.114
1891	Chicago	United States	10.29	9.602	1891	8.02	8.048	1.554
1892	Chicago	United States	9.21	9.78	1892	8.07	8.062	1.718
1893		United States	8.91	9.694	1893	8.06	8.094	1.6
1894	Chicago	United States	10.79	9.728	1894	8.16	8.088	1.64
1895	-	United States	9.32	9.882	1895	8.15	8.056	1.826
1896	_	United States	10.39	9.704	1896	8.21	8.092	1.612
1897	_	United States	10.05	9.724	1897	8.29	8.13	1.594
1898	_	United States	10.24	9.892	1898	8.18	8.174	1.718
1899	_	United States	10.12	10.158	1899	8.4	8.198	1.96
1900	_	United States	10.63	10.024	1900	8.5	8.246	1.778
1901	_	United States	9.87	10.286	1901	8.54	8.316	1.97
1902	_	United States	10.04	10.182	1902	8.3	8.382	1.8
1903	_	United States	9.57	10.18	1903	8.22	8.384	1.796
1904	_	United States	8.56	10.046	1904	8.09	8.392	1.654
1905	_	United States	9.42	9.734	1905	8.23	8.33	1.404
1906	_	United States	10.56	9.492	1906	8.38	8.276	1.216
1907	_	United States	9.32	9.63	1907	7.95	8.244	1.386
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1910	_	United States	10.2	9.974	1910	8.22	8.186	1.788
1911	Ū	United States	10.87	10.13	1911	8.18	8.184	1.946
1912	Ū	United States	8.95	10.192	1912	8.17	8.144	2.048
1913	Ū	United States	10.83	10.118	1913	8.3	8.188	1.93
1914	Ū	United States	10.2	10.148	1914	8.59	8.21	1.938
1915	Chicago	United States	9.98	10.21	1915	8.59	8.292	1.918
1916	Chicago	United States	9.84	10.166	1916	8.23	8.366	1.8
1917	Chicago	United States	8.06	9.96	1917	8.02	8.376	1.584
1918	Chicago	United States	10.06	9.782	1918	8.13	8.346	1.436
1919	Chicago	United States	10.64	9.628	1919	8.38	8.312	1.316
1920	Chicago	United States	9.83	9.716	1920	8.36	8.27	1.446
1921	Chicago	United States	12.28	9.686	1921	8.57	8.224	1.462
1922	Chicago	United States	10.92	10.174	1922	8.41	8.292	1.882
1923	Chicago	United States	10.12	10.746	1923	8.42	8.37	2.376
1924	Chicago	United States	8.77	10.758	1924	8.51	8.428	2.33
1925	Chicago	United States	9.93	10.384	1925	8.53	8.454	1.93
1926	Chicago	United States	9.12	10.404	1926	8.73	8.488	1.916
1927	_	United States	10.54	9.772	1927	8.52	8.52	1.252
1928	_	United States	10.21	9.696	1928	8.63	8.542	1.154
1929	Ū	United States	9.28	9.714	1929	8.24	8.584	1.13
1930	Ū	United States	10.79	9.816	1930	8.63	8.53	1.286
1931	J	United States	12.39	9.988	1931	8.72	8.55	1.438
1932	_	United States	10.61	10.642	1932	8.71	8.548	2.094
1933	_	United States	11.09	10.656	1933	8.34	8.586	2.07
1934	_	United States	10.87	10.832	1934	8.63	8.528	2.304
1935	_	United States	10.01	11.15	1935	8.52	8.606	2.544
1936	J	United States	9.86	10.994	1936	8.55	8.584	2.41
1937	_	United States	9.99	10.488	1937	8.7	8.55	1.938
1938	Ū	United States	11.4	10.466	1938	8.86	8.548	1.816
1939	Ū	United States	11.35	10.304	1939	8.76	8.652	1.774
1939	Ū		9.67	10.420				1.774
1940	J	United States	11.41	10.522	1940 1941	8.76 8.77	8.678 8.726	1.728
1941	_	United States			1941		8.77	
	_	United States	10.41 9.72	10.764		8.73		1.994
1943	_	United States		10.848	1943	8.76	8.776	2.072
1944	_	United States	10.82	10.512	1944	8.85	8.756	1.756
1945	_	United States	9.96	10.406	1945	8.58	8.774	1.632
1946	_	United States	11.4	10.464	1946	8.68	8.738	1.726
1947	_	United States	10.22	10.462	1947	8.8	8.72	1.742
1948		United States	10.41	10.424	1948	8.75	8.734	1.69
1949	_	United States	11.18	10.562	1949	8.59	8.732	1.83
1950	_	United States	9.43	10.634	1950	8.37	8.68	1.954
1951	_	United States	9.42	10.528	1951	8.63	8.638	1.89
1952	_	United States	10.91	10.132	1952	8.64	8.628	1.504
1953	_	United States	11.67	10.27	1953	8.87	8.596	1.674
1954	_	United States	11.11	10.522	1954	8.56	8.62	1.902
1955	•	United States	11.01	10.508	1955	8.63	8.614	1.894
1956	_	United States	10.72	10.824	1956	8.28	8.666	2.158
1957	_	United States	10.42	11.084	1957	8.73	8.596	2.488
1958	_	United States	9.9	10.986	1958	8.77	8.614	2.372
1959	_	United States	10.43	10.632	1959	8.73	8.594	2.038
1960	_	United States	10.11	10.496	1960	8.58	8.628	1.868
1961	_	United States	10.58	10.316	1961	8.8	8.618	1.698
1962	_	United States	9.99	10.288	1962	8.75	8.722	1.566
1963	_	United States	9.89	10.202	1963	8.86	8.726	1.476
1964	_	United States	11.06	10.2	1964	8.41	8.744	1.456
1965	Chicago	United States	10.34	10.326	1965	8.53	8.68	1.646

1966	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.05	10.372	1966	8.6	8.67	1.702
1967	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.84	10.266	1967	8.7	8.63	1.636
1968	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.66	10.236	1968	8.52	8.62	1.616
1969	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.03	10.39	1969	8.6	8.552	1.838
1970	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.34	10.184	1970	8.7	8.59	1.594
1971	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.58	10.184	1971	8.6	8.624	1.56
1972	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.39	10.29	1972	8.5	8.624	1.666
1973	Chicago Unit	ted States	11.55	10.2	1973	8.95	8.584	1.616
1974	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.35	10.378	1974	8.47	8.67	1.708
1975	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.82	10.442	1975	8.74	8.644	1.798
1976	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.79	10.538	1976	8.35	8.652	1.886
1977	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.46	10.38	1977	8.85	8.602	1.778
1978	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.46	10.594	1978	8.69	8.672	1.922
1979	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.37	10.176	1979	8.73	8.62	1.556
1980	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.05	9.98	1980	8.98	8.672	1.308
1981	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.54	9.826	1981	9.17	8.72	1.106
1982	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.99	9.976	1982	8.64	8.884	1.092
1983	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.94	9.882	1983	9.03	8.842	1.04
1984	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.66	10.178	1984	8.69	8.91	1.268
1985	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.11	10.436	1985	8.66	8.902	1.534
1986	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.82	10.448	1986	8.83	8.838	1.61
1987	Chicago Unit	ted States	12.04	10.504	1987	8.99	8.77	1.734
1988	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.86	10.914	1988	9.2	8.84	2.074
1989	Chicago Unit	ted States	9.8	10.898	1989	8.92	8.874	2.024
1990	Chicago Unit	ted States	11.5	10.726	1990	9.23	8.92	1.806
1991	Chicago Unit	ted States	11.58	11.004	1991	9.18	9.034	1.97
1992	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.24	11.156	1992	8.84	9.104	2.052
1993	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.18	10.796	1993	8.87	9.074	1.722
1994	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.56	10.66	1994	9.04	9.008	1.652
1995	Chicago Unit	ted States	10.57	10.812	1995	9.35	9.032	1.78
1996	Chicago Unit		9.56	10.626	1996	9.04	9.056	1.57
1997	Chicago Unit		10.14	10.222	1997	9.2	9.028	1.194
1998	Chicago Unit		12.81	10.202	1998	9.52	9.1	1.102
1999	Chicago Unit		11.72	10.728	1999	9.29	9.23	1.498
2000	Chicago Unit		11.09	10.96	2000	9.2	9.28	1.68
2001	Chicago Unit		11.7	11.064	2001	9.41	9.25	1.814
2002	Chicago Unit		11.53	11.492	2002	9.57	9.324	2.168
2003	Chicago Unit		10.48	11.77	2003	9.53	9.398	2.372
2004	Chicago Unit		10.94	11.304	2004	9.32	9.4	1.904
2005	Chicago Unit		11.58	11.148	2005	9.7	9.406	1.742
2006	Chicago Unit		11.87	11.246	2006	9.53	9.506	1.74
2007	Chicago Unit		11.45	11.28	2007	9.73	9.53	1.75
2008	Chicago Unit		10.24	11.264	2008	9.43	9.562	1.702
2009	Chicago Unit		10.3	11.216	2009	9.51	9.542	1.674
2010	Chicago Unit		11.82	11.088	2010	9.7	9.58	1.508
2011	Chicago Unit		11.21	11.136	2011	9.52	9.58	1.556
2012	Chicago Unit		12.82	11.004	2012	9.51	9.578	1.426
2013	Chicago Unit	ted States	11.59	11.278	2013	9.61	9.534	1.744
					2014	9.57	9.57	
					2015	9.83	9.582	