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Lon: 71°17W

Station: FIRST CONN LAKE, NH

Climate Division: NH 1 NWS Call Sign:

Temperature (°F) Degree Days (1) Mean (1) Mean Number of Days (3) **Extremes** Base Temp 65 Max Max Max Max Min Min Highest Lowest Daily Daily Highest Lowest Month(1) Month(1) Cooling >= >= >= <= <= <= Month Mean Year Day Year Year Day Year Heating Max Min Daily(2) Daily(2) Mean Mean 100 90 50 32 32 0 20.8 -2.5 9.2 60 +1995 16 19.6 1990 -44 1994 20 -1.0 1994 1733 0 .0 .0 .3 25.4 30.8 18.2 Jan 24.0 -2.0 11.0 60 2000 28 22.2 1981 -40+1973 19 1.1 1979 1513 0 .0 .0 .6 21.8 27.9 16.8 Feb Mar 33.9 9.2 21.6 69+ 1998 29 30.1 1973 -30 1968 14.6 1984 1346 0 .0 .0 3.1 14.1 30.0 9.6 24.3 42.2 1975 Apr 45.7 35.0 82 +1990 28 1986 -17 1954 5 28.3 901 0 .0 .0 10.2 3.1 24.8 .5 May 60.4 36.4 48.4 89 1955 30 53.6 1998 17+ 1966 8 42.1 1997 515 0 .0 .0 25.5 .1 10.3 .0 1994 25 3 54.0 Jun 69.1 46.7 57.9 90+ 19 61.8 1999 1986 1986 218 5 .0 .1 29.5 .0 1.3 .0 Jul 73.5 51.7 62.6 93 1953 19 65.6 1994 29 1992 2 58.8 1992 100 25 .0 31.0 (a) 0. .0 .0 1982 71.7 49.8 60.8 91 1975 3 64.3 1973 28 1989 25 57.5 148 16 .0 .1 31.0 .0 .4 .0 Aug 382 Sep 63.0 41.6 52.3 87 1959 10 58.3 1999 18 1980 29 47.9 1978 0 .0 .0 28.2 .0 5.6 0. 48.5 8 35.6 1974 Oct 51.0 31.7 41.4 80 +1951 6 1971 1972 20 733 0 .0 .0 17.2 .9 18.4 .0 22.2 29.9 72 1950 3 35.6 1979 -11 1989 25 25.1 1980 1054 0 .0 .0 4.5 10.4 26.3 1.1 Nov 37.6 Dec 25.8 6.6 16.2 63 1966 11 25.5 1996 -33+1989 25 -1.9 1989 1511 0 .0 .0 .6 22.5 30.5 11.2 Jul Jul Jan Dec 48.0 26.3 37.2 93 1953 19 65.6 1994 -44 1994 20 -1.9 1989 10154 46 .0 .2 181.7 98.3 206.3 57.4 Ann

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										Pı	recipi	tation	(incl	nes)										
	Mo	ans/	P	recip	itatio	on Total	s			M	ean N	Numbo Pays (3		Precipitation Probabilities (1) Probability that the monthly/annual precipitation will be equal to or less than the indicated amount Monthly/Annual Precipitation vs Probability Levels										
		ans(1)				Extremes	5			Daily Precipitation				These values were determined from the incomplete gamma distribution										
Month	Mean	Med- ian	Highest Daily(2)	Year	Day	Highest Monthly(1)	Year	Lowest Monthly(1)	Year	>= 0.01	>= 0.10	>= 0.50	>= 1.00	.05	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90	.95
Jan	3.06	2.74	2.05	1986	27	6.49	1998	.82	1981	19.3	7.8	1.4	.2	1.20	1.48	1.89	2.22	2.53	2.86	3.20	3.61	4.12	4.90	5.61
Feb	2.26	2.23	1.60	1955	12	4.22	1981	.65	1978	15.4	6.3	.8	.1	.96	1.17	1.45	1.69	1.91	2.13	2.37	2.64	2.99	3.52	4.00
Mar	2.95	3.01	1.69	1992	29	4.22	1972	1.28	1996	16.2	8.4	1.4	.3	1.65	1.88	2.19	2.42	2.64	2.86	3.08	3.34	3.66	4.13	4.54
Apr	3.12	2.88	1.35	1974	24	6.88	1974	.90	1986	13.9	8.3	1.8	.4	1.27	1.56	1.96	2.30	2.61	2.93	3.27	3.66	4.17	4.93	5.63
May	4.15	4.26	1.70	2000	7	7.83	2000	1.61	1980	14.7	9.4	2.9	.6	1.77	2.15	2.67	3.10	3.51	3.91	4.35	4.86	5.49	6.46	7.34
Jun	4.79	4.51	3.23	1990	21	8.87	1990	1.65	1995	15.0	10.3	3.4	.7	2.23	2.65	3.23	3.69	4.12	4.56	5.02	5.55	6.22	7.22	8.13
Jul	4.59	4.47	2.37	1990	24	9.12	1972	2.20	1986	14.5	9.4	3.4	.9	2.20	2.59	3.13	3.57	3.98	4.38	4.81	5.31	5.92	6.85	7.69
Aug	4.83	4.56	2.11	1988	15	11.38	1988	1.88	1987	14.4	9.5	3.3	1.2	2.27	2.69	3.27	3.73	4.17	4.60	5.07	5.59	6.26	7.26	8.16
Sep	4.20	3.65	2.83	1999	17	7.55	1999	1.79	1984	13.3	8.5	2.7	1.0	1.97	2.34	2.84	3.25	3.63	4.00	4.41	4.87	5.45	6.32	7.11
Oct	3.81	3.55	2.43	1991	7	9.36	1990	1.50	1994	14.9	8.7	2.1	.5	1.64	1.99	2.46	2.86	3.22	3.59	3.99	4.45	5.02	5.90	6.69
Nov	3.86	3.73	1.98	1990	11	7.55	1983	2.01	1978	17.8	10.0	2.0	.3	2.17	2.47	2.87	3.18	3.46	3.74	4.04	4.37	4.78	5.40	5.94
Dec	3.30	3.02	1.87	2000	18	7.65	1973	1.65	1989	19.9	9.1	1.5	.2	1.54	1.83	2.23	2.55	2.84	3.14	3.46	3.82	4.28	4.97	5.59
Ann	44.92	44.32	3.23	Jun 1990	21	11.38	Aug 1988	.65	Feb 1978	189.3	105.7	26.7	6.4	36.91	38.55	40.59	42.12	43.45	44.72	46.01	47.42	49.11	51.51	53.56

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^{**} Statistics not computed because less than six years out of thirty had measurable precipitation

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										Snov	v (incl	hes)													
						Sno	ow To	tals							Mean Number of Days (1)										
	Mean	s/Medi	ians (1)	1	Extremes (2)											Snow Fall >= Thresholds						Snow Depth >= Thresholds			
Month	Snow Fall Mean	Snow Fall Median	Snow Depth Mean	Snow Depth Median	Highest Daily Snow Fall	Year	Day	Highest Monthly Snow Fall	Year	Highest Daily Snow Depth	Year	Day	Highest Monthly Mean Snow Depth	Year	0.1	1.0	3.0	5.0	10.0	1	3	5	10		
Jan	34.8	36.7	17	17	16.0	1994	18	52.8	1978	35+	1979	31	26	1982	17.7	12.0	3.6	1.4	.1	30.4	29.2	28.2	24.5		
Feb	26.1	24.8	24	24	14.0	1995	5	38.8	1993	42	1971	24	36	1979	13.9	9.9	2.9	1.1	.1	27.6	27.6	27.3	26.0		
Mar	24.1	22.8	24	24	16.0	1992	29	43.7	1997	52	1971	8	44	1971	12.0	8.5	3.1	1.1	.2	30.0	30.0	29.9	27.6		
Apr	10.3	9.8	11	11	10.5	1987	2	20.5	1983	41	1972	14	36	1972	5.8	4.0	1.2	.6	.1	17.6	16.3	15.5	10.5		
May	.9	.0	1	0	4.0	1997	8	6.0	1997	24	1972	1	7	1972	.6	.4	.1	.0	.0	1.2	.9	.6	.3		
Jun	.0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0		
Jul	.0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0		
Aug	.0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0		
Sep	.0	.0	#	0	.3	1980	27	.3	1980	#	1980	27	#	1980	@	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0		
Oct	1.9	1.0	#	#	6.0	1979	10	10.5	1979	6	1979	10	1+	2000	1.7	1.0	.1	@	.0	1.5	.2	.1	.0		
Nov	15.6	15.1	2	2	11.0	1990	12	28.8	1980	17	1999	18	6+	1997	9.4	6.7	1.8	.5	.1	13.8	8.0	4.1	.5		
Dec	30.6	30.1	9	8	14.0	1978	18	60.3	1995	31	1995	31	19	1995	16.3	12.2	3.6	1.3	.1	28.6	25.8	21.8	12.7		
Ann	144.3	140.3	N/A	N/A	16.0+	Jan 1994	18	60.3	Dec 1995	52	Mar 1971	8	44	Mar 1971	77.4	54.7	16.4	6.0	.7	150.7	138.0	127.5	102.1		

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^{-9/-9.9} represents missing values Annual statistics for Mean/Median snow depths are not appropriate

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				Freez	e Data										
			Spri	ng Freeze D	ates (Month/	Day)									
Temp (F)		P	obability of	later date i	n spring (thr	u Jul 31) tha	n indicated(*)							
Temp (F)	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90						
36	7/18	7/10	7/04	6/29	6/25	6/20	6/15	6/10	6/02						
32	6/22	6/16	6/11	6/08	6/04	5/31	5/27	5/23	5/16						
28	6/05	5/31	5/28	5/25	5/22	5/19	5/16	5/13	5/08						
24	5/15	5/11	5/08	5/06	5/04	5/02	4/29	4/27	4/23						
20	5/02	4/29	4/26	4/24	4/21	4/19	4/17	4/14	4/10						
16	4/23	4/19	4/16	4/14	4/12	4/09	4/07	4/04	3/31						
			Fal	l Freeze Da	tes (Month/D	ay)		•	1						
To (E)	Probability of earlier date in fall (beginning Aug 1) than indicated(*)														
Temp (F)	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90						
36	8/10	8/16	8/21	8/25	8/29	9/01	9/05	9/10	9/17						
32	8/27	9/01	9/04	9/07	9/09	9/12	9/15	9/18	9/22						
28	9/11	9/16	9/20	9/23	9/26	9/29	10/02	10/06	10/11						
24	9/28	10/02	10/05	10/08	10/11	10/14	10/16	10/20	10/24						
20	10/07	10/12	10/15	10/18	10/21	10/24	10/27	10/30	11/04						
16	10/22	10/26	10/30	11/02	11/05	11/07	11/10	11/14	11/19						
•				Freeze F	ree Period			•							
Temp (F)			Probability (of longer th	an indicated	freeze free p	eriod (Days)								
remp (r)	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90						
36	101	88	79	71	64	57	49	40	27						
32	120	112	106	101	97	92	87	81	73						
28	143	137	133	130	126	123	119	115	109						
24	176	170	166	163	159	156	152	148	143						
20	200	194	189	185	182	178	175	170	164						
16	225	218	214	210	206	203	199	194	188						

^{*} Probability of observing a temperature as cold, or colder, later in the spring or earlier in the fall than the indicated date.

0/00 Indicates that the probability of occurrence of threshold temperature is less than the indicated probability.

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				Deg	ree Days to	o Selected	Base Tem	peratures	(°F)				
Base						Heatin	g Degree l	Days (1)					
Below	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ann
65	1733	1513	1346	901	515	218	100	148	382	733	1054	1511	10154
60	1578	1373	1191	751	364	100	23	52	239	578	904	1356	8509
57	1485	1289	1098	661	280	52	6	21	165	487	814	1263	7621
55	1423	1233	1036	601	229	31	1	9	123	427	754	1201	7068
50	1268	1093	881	455	124	5	0	1	49	286	604	1046	5812
32	713	594	357	78	2	0	0	0	0	14	130	521	2409

Base						Coolin	g Degree I	Days (1)					
Above	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ann
32	3	5	34	167	510	777	948	890	609	304	66	33	4346
55	0	0	0	0	24	117	236	187	42	4	0	0	610
57	0	0	0	0	13	79	179	136	24	2	0	0	433
60	0	0	0	0	5	37	103	75	8	0	0	0	228
65	0	0	0	0	0	5	25	16	0	0	0	0	46
70	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	3

										Gro	wing	Degre	e Uni	ts (2)										
Base					Growin	g Degree	Units (M	(Ionthly)					Growing Degree Units (Accumulated Monthly)											
	Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec											Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
40	0	0	6	57	295	546	704	645	371	129	25	1	0	0	6	63	358	904	1608	2253	2624	2753	2778	2779
45	0	0	1	20	176	400	549	491	237	65	7	0	0	0	1	21	197	597	1146	1637	1874	1939	1946	1946
50	0	0	0	8	94	264	397	338	137	24	2	0	0	0	0	8	102	366	763	1101	1238	1262	1264	1264
55	0	0	0	0	38	151	252	202	60	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	189	441	643	703	705	705	705
60	50 0 0 0 0 12 64 127 97 22 0 0 0									0	0	0	0	0	12	76	203	300	322	322	322	322		
Base				Gro	wing De	gree Unit	s for Co	rn (Mont	thly)				Growing Degree Units for Corn (Accumulated Monthly)											
50/86	0	0	6	47	186	325	431	390	220	82	13	0	0	0	6	53	239	564	995	1385	1605	1687	1700	1700

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Note: For corn, temperatures below 50 are set to 50, and temperatures above 86 are set to 86

Notes

- a. The monthly means are simple arithmetic averages computed by summing the monthly values for the period 1971-2000 and dividing by thirty. Prior to averaging, the data are adjusted if necessary to compensate for data quality issues, station moves or changes in station reporting practices. Missing months are replaced by estimates based on neighboring stations.
- b. The median is defined as the middle value in an ordered set of values. The median is being provided for the snow and precipitation elements because the mean can be a misleading value for precipitation normals.
 - c. Only observed validated values were used to select the extreme daily values.
 - d. Extreme monthly temperature/precipitation means were selected from the monthly normals data.

Monthly snow extremes were calculated from daily values quality controlled to be consistent with the Snow Climatology.

e. Degree Days were derived using the same techniques as the 1971-2000 normals.

Compete documentation for the 1971-2000 Normals is available on the internet from:

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f. Mean "number of days statistics" for temperature and precipitation were calculated from a serially complete daily data set .

Documentation of the serially complete data set is available from the link below:

g. Snowfall and snow depth statistics were derived from the Snow Climatology.

Documentation for the Snow Climatology project is available from the link under references.

Data Sources for Tables

Several different data sources were used to create the Clim20 climate summaries. In some cases the daily extremes appear inconsistent with the monthly extremes and or the mean number of days statistics. For example, a high daily extreme value may not be reflected in the highest monthly value or the mean number of days threshold that is less than and equal to the extreme value. Some of these difference are caused by different periods of record. Daily extremes are derived from the station's entire period of record while the serial data and normals data were are for the 1971-2000 period. Therefore extremes observed before 1971 would not be included in the 1971-2000 normals or the 1971-2000 serial daily data set. Inconsistencies can also occur when monthly values are adjusted to reflect the current observing conditions or were replaced during the 1971-2000 Monthly Normals processing and are not reconciled with the Summary of the Day data.

- a. Temperature/ Precipitation Tables
 - 1. 1971-2000 Monthly Normals
 - 2. Cooperative Summary of the Day
 - 3. National Weather Service station records
 - 4. 1971-2000 serially complete daily data

- c. Snow Tables
 - 1. Snow Climatology
 - 2. Cooperative Summary of the Day
- d. Freeze Data Table

1971-2000 serially complete daily data

- b. Degree Day Table
 - 1. Monthly and Annual Heating and Cooling Degree Days Normals to Selected Bases derived from 1971-2000 Monthly Normals
 - 2. Daily Normal Growing Degree Units to Selected Base Temperatures derived from 1971-2000 serially complete daily data

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