

Climatography of the United States

No. 20

1971-2000

Station: XENIA 6 SSE, OH

COOP ID: 339361

Climate Division: OH 8

NWS Call Sign:

Elevation: 968 Feet

Lat: 39° 37N

Lon: 83° 54W

Temperature (°F)

Mean (1)				Extremes										Degree Days (1) Base Temp 65		Mean Number of Days (3)					
Month	Daily Max	Daily Min	Mean	Highest Daily(2)	Year	Day	Highest Month(1) Mean	Year	Lowest Daily(2)	Year	Day	Lowest Month(1) Mean	Year	Heating	Cooling	Max >= 100	Max >= 90	Max >= 50	Max <= 32	Min <= 32	Min <= 0
Jan	35.7	19.5	27.6	73	1950	25	37.6	1990	-28	1984	21	13.3	1977	1161	0	.0	.0	4.2	12.0	26.6	2.9
Feb	40.4	22.8	31.6	74	1999	11	39.7	1976	-20	1985	3	15.7	1978	935	0	.0	.0	7.4	7.9	22.2	1.9
Mar	51.4	31.8	41.6	83+	1986	30	48.9	1973	-5	1980	3	33.6	1984	726	0	.0	.0	17.0	1.8	17.7	.2
Apr	62.8	40.5	51.7	89	1942	30	56.9	1985	14	1982	6	46.0	1975	402	2	.0	.0	26.9	@	6.8	.0
May	72.4	50.6	61.5	95	1941	29	68.7	1991	25	1966	10	57.5	1997	171	63	.0	@	30.9	.0	.5	.0
Jun	80.1	59.2	69.7	102	1988	25	73.4	1994	37	1972	11	65.7	1974	21	160	@	1.5	30.0	.0	.0	.0
Jul	83.5	62.6	73.1	108+	1936	14	77.4	1999	42	1988	1	69.4	1984	1	251	.1	4.0	31.0	.0	.0	.0
Aug	82.0	60.2	71.1	107	1936	19	76.4	1995	38+	1986	29	66.9	1992	11	199	.0	2.2	31.0	.0	.0	.0
Sep	76.2	53.3	64.8	103	1939	8	69.4	1998	25	1983	24	59.0	1974	85	79	.0	.6	30.0	.0	.3	.0
Oct	65.3	42.4	53.9	91	1939	8	61.3	1971	16+	1981	24	47.0	1988	359	14	.0	.0	29.1	.0	4.8	.0
Nov	52.4	33.8	43.1	80+	1987	1	48.5	1994	-8	1958	30	35.3	1976	657	0	.0	.0	16.8	.6	14.9	.0
Dec	40.7	24.6	32.7	74	1982	2	42.3	1982	-24	1989	22	18.7	1989	1002	0	.0	.0	7.4	7.0	24.2	1.1
Ann	61.9	41.8	51.9	108+	Jul 1936	14	77.4	Jul 1999	-28	Jan 1984	21	13.3	Jan 1977	5531	768	.1	8.3	261.7	29.3	118.0	6.1

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Precipitation (inches)																								
	Precipitation Totals									Mean Number of Days (3)				Precipitation Probabilities (1) Probability that the monthly/annual precipitation will be equal to or less than the indicated amount										
	Means/ Medians(1)		Extremes							Daily Precipitation				Monthly/Annual Precipitation vs Probability Levels 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	2.62	2.60	4.72	1959	21	5.80	1982	.26	1981	8.5	6.4	1.5	.4	.73	.97	1.35	1.68	2.00	2.34	2.71	3.15	3.73	4.63	5.47
Feb	2.30	2.13	1.98	1975	23	4.87	1990	.49	1978	7.5	5.8	1.3	.4	.58	.79	1.13	1.42	1.72	2.02	2.37	2.78	3.31	4.16	4.95
Mar	3.13	3.22	3.12	1945	6	6.55	1975	1.25	1999	9.0	7.0	2.1	.4	1.29	1.58	1.98	2.31	2.62	2.94	3.28	3.68	4.17	4.94	5.63
Apr	3.88	3.69	3.56	1964	19	8.24	1996	1.02	1971	10.1	8.1	2.6	.7	1.16	1.53	2.09	2.56	3.02	3.50	4.03	4.66	5.46	6.72	7.88
May	4.57	4.41	3.44	1968	24	9.39	1981	1.21	1986	10.0	8.4	3.5	1.1	1.58	2.02	2.64	3.17	3.68	4.20	4.77	5.44	6.29	7.60	8.82
Jun	4.01	3.78	3.10	1949	15	7.31	2000	.70	1988	9.2	7.3	2.9	.9	1.38	1.76	2.31	2.78	3.22	3.69	4.19	4.78	5.53	6.69	7.76
Jul	4.13	3.83	5.30	1975	4	8.67	1980	.96	1974	9.1	7.7	3.1	1.0	1.34	1.73	2.31	2.80	3.28	3.77	4.31	4.94	5.75	7.01	8.17
Aug	3.64	3.12	3.75	1944	13	10.87	1979	1.16	1998	7.9	6.5	2.8	1.1	1.22	1.56	2.07	2.50	2.91	3.33	3.80	4.34	5.04	6.12	7.12
Sep	2.71	2.60	3.72	1979	14	6.51	1972	.28	1995	6.5	5.0	2.0	.7	.41	.64	1.03	1.41	1.80	2.22	2.71	3.31	4.12	5.43	6.68
Oct	2.82	2.72	2.10	1995	5	6.26	1983	.48	1982	7.4	5.7	1.9	.6	.83	1.10	1.50	1.85	2.18	2.54	2.93	3.39	3.98	4.91	5.77
Nov	3.25	3.04	1.89	1938	18	10.10	1985	.40	1976	8.6	7.0	2.5	.6	.91	1.22	1.69	2.10	2.49	2.91	3.37	3.91	4.61	5.71	6.74
Dec	3.00	2.81	2.50	1990	18	8.77	1990	.34	1976	8.8	6.8	1.8	.7	1.01	1.29	1.71	2.06	2.40	2.75	3.13	3.58	4.15	5.04	5.86
Ann	40.06	38.50	5.30	Jul 1975	4	10.87	Aug 1979	.26	Jan 1981	102.6	81.7	28.0	8.6	29.56	31.62	34.25	36.24	37.99	39.68	41.43	43.34	45.66	49.01	51.89

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

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Snow (inches)																							
Snow Totals															Mean Number of Days (1)								
Means/Medians (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	7.7	5.0	1	0	9.0	1978	20	30.0	1978	22	1978	21	13	1978	3.4	3.3	.9	.3	.0	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9
Feb	5.0	4.0	#	0	6.0	1972	6	17.5	1979	5	1972	9	2	1971	2.8	2.5	.7	.2	.0	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9
Mar	2.9	2.0	#	0	7.0	1999	9	8.5	1975	4	1974	24	#+	1998	1.5	1.3	.4	.1	.0	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9
Apr	.4	.0	#	0	3.0	1982	9	3.0+	1987	1	1972	7	#+	1997	.3	.2	.1	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.0
May	.0	.0	0	0	.5	1989	7	.5	1989	0	0	0	0	0	@	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
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	0	.0	0	0	.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Oct	.2	.0	0	0	3.5	1993	30	3.5	1993	0	0	0	0	0	.1	.1	@	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Nov	.9	.0	#	0	4.0	1972	28	6.3	1972	1	1971	23	#	1971	.6	.5	@	.0	.0	.2	.0	.0	.0
Dec	3.4	3.0	#	0	7.0	1974	1	11.0	1985	5	1984	6	#+	2000	1.9	1.5	.3	.2	.0	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9
Ann	20.5	14.0	N/A	N/A	9.0	Jan 1978	20	30.0	Jan 1978	22	Jan 1978	21	13	Jan 1978	10.6	9.4	2.4	.8	.0	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9	-9.9

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-9/-9.9 represents missing values

Annual statistics for Mean/Median snow depths are not appropriate

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Freeze Data									
Spring Freeze Dates (Month/Day)									
Temp (F)	Probability of later date in spring (thru Jul 31) than indicated(*)								
	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90
36	5/19	5/14	5/11	5/08	5/06	5/03	4/30	4/27	4/22
32	5/09	5/04	5/01	4/28	4/25	4/23	4/20	4/16	4/11
28	4/26	4/22	4/19	4/16	4/14	4/11	4/09	4/06	4/01
24	4/17	4/12	4/08	4/05	4/02	3/30	3/27	3/23	3/18
20	4/03	3/29	3/25	3/21	3/18	3/15	3/12	3/08	3/03
16	3/26	3/20	3/15	3/11	3/08	3/04	3/01	2/24	2/18
Fall Freeze Dates (Month/Day)									
Temp (F)	Probability of earlier date in fall (beginning Aug 1) than indicated(*)								
	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90
36	9/19	9/23	9/25	9/27	9/29	10/01	10/03	10/05	10/09
32	9/26	10/01	10/05	10/08	10/11	10/14	10/18	10/21	10/27
28	9/30	10/07	10/12	10/16	10/20	10/24	10/28	11/02	11/09
24	10/15	10/22	10/27	10/31	11/04	11/07	11/11	11/16	11/23
20	10/31	11/06	11/11	11/15	11/18	11/22	11/26	12/01	12/07
16	11/07	11/15	11/20	11/25	11/29	12/03	12/08	12/13	12/21
Freeze Free Period									
Temp (F)	Probability of longer than indicated freeze free period (Days)								
	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90
36	165	158	154	150	146	142	138	133	127
32	190	183	177	173	168	164	160	154	147
28	216	206	200	194	189	183	177	171	161
24	242	233	226	220	215	209	204	197	187
20	268	260	254	249	244	240	235	229	221
16	292	283	276	271	266	260	255	249	240

* 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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Degree Days to Selected Base Temperatures (°F)													
Base	Heating Degree Days (1)												
Below	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ann
65	1161	935	726	402	171	21	1	11	85	359	657	1002	5531
60	1006	795	573	263	88	4	0	1	31	234	509	847	4351
57	913	711	487	189	52	1	0	0	14	171	423	759	3720
55	851	658	430	147	35	0	0	0	7	135	369	702	3334
50	708	528	299	66	10	0	0	0	1	67	242	558	2479
32	265	161	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	173	653

Base	Cooling Degree Days (1)												
Above	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ann
32	128	150	334	590	916	1129	1273	1211	983	678	350	194	7936
55	0	3	14	47	238	439	560	498	301	100	11	10	2221
57	0	0	9	29	193	380	498	436	247	74	5	5	1876
60	0	0	2	13	135	293	405	344	174	44	1	0	1411
65	0	0	0	2	63	160	251	199	79	14	0	0	768
70	0	0	0	0	22	62	115	87	23	3	0	0	312

Growing Degree Units (2)																								
Base	Growing Degree Units (Monthly)												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	34	56	173	377	681	899	1035	973	751	440	180	56	34	90	263	640	1321	2220	3255	4228	4979	5419	5599	5655
45	9	22	106	255	527	749	880	818	601	299	105	26	9	31	137	392	919	1668	2548	3366	3967	4266	4371	4397
50	1	7	58	153	376	599	725	663	453	184	54	6	1	8	66	219	595	1194	1919	2582	3035	3219	3273	3279
55	0	0	26	82	241	449	570	508	309	96	20	2	0	0	26	108	349	798	1368	1876	2185	2281	2301	2303
60	0	0	6	34	136	311	415	353	186	42	3	0	0	0	6	40	176	487	902	1255	1441	1483	1486	1486
Base	Growing Degree Units for Corn (Monthly)												Growing Degree Units for Corn (Accumulated Monthly)											
50/86	11	33	109	233	420	599	709	654	482	265	98	32	11	44	153	386	806	1405	2114	2768	3250	3515	3613	3645

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

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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.
Complete 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 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.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Temperature/ Precipitation Tables<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. 1971-2000 Monthly Normals2. Cooperative Summary of the Day3. National Weather Service station records4. 1971-2000 serially complete daily datab. Degree Day Table<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Monthly and Annual Heating and Cooling Degree Days Normals to Selected Bases derived from 1971-2000 Monthly Normals2. Daily Normal Growing Degree Units to Selected Base Temperatures derived from 1971-2000 serially complete daily data | <ol style="list-style-type: none">c. Snow Tables<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Snow Climatology2. Cooperative Summary of the Dayd. Freeze Data Table
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