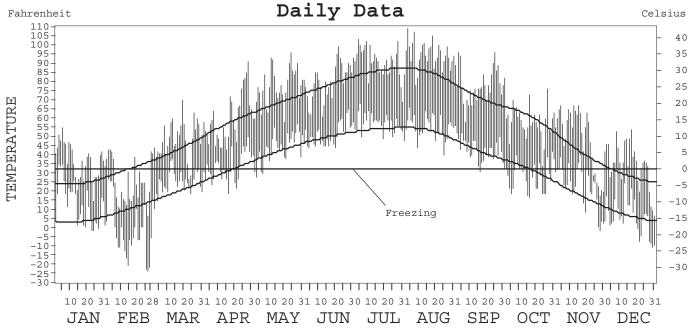
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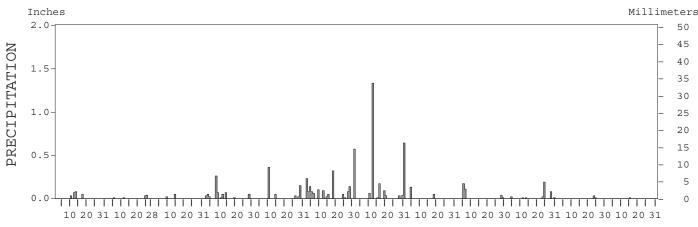
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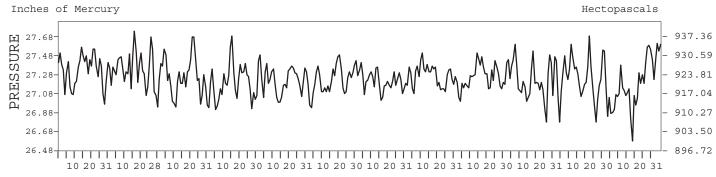


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### METEOROLOGICAL DATA FOR 2001

HAVRE, MT (HVR)

LATITUDE: LONGITUDE: ELEVATION (FT): TIME ZONE: WBAN: 94012 48° 33′ 34″ N 109° 46′ 48″ W GRND: 2581 MOUNTAIN (UTC + 7) BARO: 2584 ELEMENT JAN FEB MAR APR MAY MITT SEP OCT NOV DEC YEAR MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM 36.7 24.4 48.4 60.0 76.7 80.0 91.0 94.4 78.2 58.9 49.5 35.0 61.1 HIGHEST DAILY MAXIMUM 55 43 70 91 96 99 103 109 96 82 67 54 109 AUG 03 17 DATE OF OCCURRENCE 05 03 +19 2.8 24 22 04 03 25+ 0.1 15+ 7.4 24.9 57.4 MEAN DAILY MINIMUM 13.1 -1.733.4 43.6 50.9 54.8 43.2 28.9 23.3 31.6 -10LOWEST DAILY MINIMUM -1 -2311 19 2.8 44 49 40 31 17 -1 -23DATE OF OCCURRENCE 24+ 26 02 16 03 20+ 19 25 16 16 28 30 FEB 26 AVERAGE DRY BULB 36.7 74.2 24.9 11.4 46.7 60.2 65.5 74.6 60.7 43.9 36.4 21.2 46.4 MEAN WET BULB 22.5 10.5 31.5 38.5 46.7 53.4 59.5 56.5 49.1 36.2 30.5 18.4 37.8 MEAN DEW POINT 17.2 5.1 23.5 28.2 30.9 42.3 48.4 40.2 37.6 25.7 21.0 11.5 27.6 NUMBER OF DAYS WITH: MAXIMUM ≥ 90° Λ Ω Λ 5 5 2.0 25 4 Λ Ω Λ 60  $MAXIMUM \le 32$ 10 21 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 Λ 9 49 MINIMIM < 322.8 2.8 2.7 17 4 Ω 0 0 1 18 2.4 3.0 177 MINIMUM ≤ 0 3 16 Λ 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 27 HEATING DEGREE DAYS 1236 1496 870 545 187 72 146 646 848 1352 7404 COOLING DEGREE DAYS 0 0 0 46 92 298 308 25 0 0 0 775 6 MEAN (PERCENT) 73 72 62 53 36 49 32 54 59 68 54 45 47 HOUR 05 LST 76 75 73 70 71 71 54 69 69 67 74 69 56 RH HOUR 11 LST 70 69 57 43 26 38 36 22 37 47 51 65 47 HOUR 17 LST 70 67 48 40 20 32 26 17 29 41 52 42 64 HOUR 23 LST 76 76 67 62 56 36 52 58 72 60 PERCENT POSSIBLE SUNSHINE NUMBER OF DAYS WITH: 0 HEAVY FOG(VISBY  $\leq$  1/4 MI) 5 0 23 THUNDERSTORMS 0 7 12 4 0 0 0 0 3 2 3 0 31 SUNRISE-SUNSET: (OKTAS) CEILOMETER (≤ 12,000 FT.) SATELLITE (> 12,000 FT.) CLOUDINESS MIDNIGHT-MIDNIGHT: (OKTAS) CEILOMETER (≤ 12,000 FT.) SATELLITE (> 12,000 FT.) NUMBER OF DAYS WITH: CLEAR PARTLY CLOUDY CLOUDY MEAN STATION PRESS. (IN.) 27.33 27.36 27.25 27.19 27.23 27.23 27.21 27.27 27.27 27.21 27.24 27.25 MEAN SEA-LEVEL PRESS. (IN.) 30.13 30.20 30.02 29.92 29.92 29.90 29.87 29.92 29.96 29.95 29.98 30.01 30.01 RESULTANT SPEED (MPH) 2.5 3.7 0.8 3.2 5.8 3.7 3.8 0.3 0.6 6.9 3.9 8.0 6.9 RES. DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.) 24 25 23 24 27 27 24 01 25 25 22 24 25 MEAN SPEED (MPH) 7.5 9.7 7.8 9.2 12.0 10.1 8.5 10.4 13.3 11.1 10.5 10.2 10.8 PREVAIL.DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.) 07 22 22 25 23 23 23 23 08 23 23 23 23 MAXIMUM 2-MINUTE WIND: SPEED (MPH) 47 40 3.0 41 40 37 45 47 43 46 46 41 33 DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.) 22 2.6 2.1 2.8 09 31 32 23 31 2.6 22 29 2.6 DATE OF OCCURRENCE OCT 31 0.5 2.8 19 02 19 15 2.8 +04 19 31 14 17 MAXIMUM 5-SECOND WIND: SPEED (MPH) 49 51 47 58 53 62 36 51 61 62 43 51 40 DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.) 25 21 28 24 32 31 22 23 33 2.7 2.7 3.0 2.2 DATE OF OCCURRENCE JIII. 28 05 2.8 19 2.8 19 15 2.8 04 19 31 2.0 17 WATER EQUIVALENT: 2.97 0.07 TOTAL (IN.) 0.23 0.09 0.62 0.61 1.45 0.18 0.33 0.34 0.04 0.01 6.94 GREATEST 24-HOUR (IN.)
DATE OF OCCURRENCE 0.06 0.05 0.32 0.15 0.32 0.36 1.33 0.13 0.22 0.19 0.04 0.01 1.33 12-13 24-25 14 08-09 10 18 12 04 05-06 24 23-24 15 лтт. 12 NUMBER OF DAYS WITH: PRECIPITATION ≥ 0.01 4 10 5 14 10 65 PRECIPITATION ≥ 0.10 0 0 0 1 2 5 4 1 2 1 0 0 16 PRECIPITATION ≥ 1.00 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 Λ 0 0 0 1 SNOW, ICE PELLETS, HAIL: TOTAL (IN.) GREATEST 24-HOUR (IN.) DATE OF OCCURRENCE MAXIMUM SNOW DEPTH (IN.) DATE OF OCCURRENCE NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:  $SNOWFALL \ge 1.0$ 

## NORMALS, MEANS, AND EXTREMES

HAVRE, MT (HVR)

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	LATITUDE: LONGITUI 33'34" N 109°46'		W (		VATION 2581		: ARO:	2584		CIME Z	IN (U	TC +		3AN: 94	1012
	ELEMENT NORMAL DAILY MAXIMUM	POR 30	JAN 24.7	FEB 32.0	MAR 42.6	APR 56.7	MAY 67.9	JUN 77.8	JUL 85.4	AUG 84.1		OCT 60.0	NOV 41.6	DEC 28.2	YEAR 56.0
TEMPERATURE °F	MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM HIGHEST DAILY MAXIMUM YEAR OF OCCURRENCE MEAN OF EXTREME MAXS. NORMAL DAILY MINIMUM MEAN DAILY MINIMUM LOWEST DAILY MINIMUM YEAR OF OCCURRENCE MEAN OF EXTREME MINS. NORMAL DRY BULB MEAN DRY BULB MEAN WET BULB MEAN DEW POINT NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH: MAXIMUM \( \geq 90^\) MAXIMUM \( \sq 32^\) MINIMUM \( \sq 32^\)	2 2 30 2 2 30 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	32.8 555 2001 51.00 3.8 8.2 -16 2000 -8.5 14.3 20.5 18.7 13.8	30.2 58 2000 50.5 10.2 4.8 -23 2001 -18.0 21.1 17.5 15.8 10.8	49.1 77 1999 71.7 24.4 3 2000 8.0 31.1 36.8 31.3 23.6	58.7 91 2001 81.3 30.8 30.8 14 2000 16.3 43.8 44.8 37.6	70.4 96 2001 90.3 41.5 40.8 25 1999 27.0 54.7 55.6 45.2	76.2 99 2001 93.3 49.5 48.0 36 2000 38.7	87.5 103 2001 102.3 53.8 53.0 39 2000 42.3 69.7 70.3 56.7	88.9 109 2001 103.3 52.5 53.6 37 2000 40.3 68.3 71.3 55.5	72.9 96 2001 93.0 41.9 41.4 21 2000 27.0 56.5 57.2 47.4	59.2 82	46.1 78 1999 70.0 17.6 20.8 -6 2000 2.0 29.6 33.5 26.5	34.8 56 199.9 53.7 6.6 9.9 -30 2000 -10.3 17.4 22.4 19.5 12.8	58.9 109 AUG 2000: 78.3 29.9 30.4 -30 DEC 2000 14.7 43.0 44.7 37.0 28.0
H/	NORMAL HEATING DEG. DAYS NORMAL COOLING DEG. DAYS	3 0 3 0		1229 0	1051	636 0		117 78	18 164	70 172	296 461	595 0	1062	1476 0	8447 881
RH	NORMAL (PERCENT) HOUR 05 LST HOUR 11 LST HOUR 17 LST HOUR 23 LST														
Ø	PERCENT POSSIBLE SUNSHINE														
M/O	MEAN NO. DAYS WITH: HEAVY FOG(VISBY≤1/4 MI) THUNDERSTORMS	2		2.5		0.7		0.0	0.3 12.3	0.7 6.0	0.0 3.7	1.7	2.0	3.0	22.2 36.8
CLOUDINESS	MEAN: SUNRISE-SUNSET (OKTAS) MIDNIGHT-MIDNIGHT (OKTAS) MEAN NO. DAYS WITH: CLEAR PARTLY CLOUDY CLOUDY														
	MEAN STATION PRESSURE(IN) MEAN SEA-LEVEL PRES. (IN)		27.30 30.10												27.26 30.00
	MEAN SPEED (MPH) PREVAIL.DIR(TENS OF DEGS) MAXIMUM 2-MINUTE:	2	8.8	8.0	10.5	11.1	11.6	10.8	9.9	9.3	9.9	9.6	9.9	10.9	10.0
WINDS	SPEED (MPH) DIR. (TENS OF DEGS) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE MAXIMUM 5-SECOND:	2	40 26 2001	38 26 2000	28	49 28 2000		32	23	25	31	60 27 1999	23	45 29 2001	60 27 OCT 1999
	SPEED (MPH) DIR. (TENS OF DEGS) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	2	49 25 2001	46 24 2000	51 28 2001	58 28 2000	32	47 31 2001	62 22 2001	46 25 1999	51 33 2001	69 26 1999	46 33 2000	53 30 2001	69 26 OCT 1999
TATIO	NORMAL (IN) MAXIMUM MONTHLY (IN) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE MINIMUM MONTHLY (IN) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	30 2	l	0.36 0.11 2000	0.44	0.94 1.39 1999	2.06		2.97		1.21	0.53 0.87 1999		0.15	11.16 3.27 JUN 1999 0.00 DEC
PRECIPI	MAXIMUM IN 24 HOURS (IN) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH: PRECIPITATION ≥ 0.01 PRECIPITATION ≥ 1.00	2	0.15 2001				0.96 2000				0.79 1999	0.58 1999			1.51 JUN 1999
SNOWFALL	NORMAL (IN) MAXIMUM MONTHLY (IN) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE MAXIMUM IN 24 HOURS (IN) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE MAXIMUM SNOW DEPTH (IN) YEAR OF OCCURRENCE NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH: SNOWFALL ≥ 1.0											T 1999 T 1999			

PRECIPITATION (inches) 2001 HAVRE, MT (HVR)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1999 2000 2001	0.15 0.23	0.11	0.19 0.44 0.07	1.39 0.54 0.62	1.80 2.06 0.61	3.27 0.59 1.45	0.39 1.79 2.97	1.01 0.13 0.18	1.21 0.93 0.33	0.87 0.64 0.34	0.18 0.18 0.04	0.02 0.15 0.01	7.71 6.94
POR= 3 YRS	0.13	0.08	0.24	0.86	1.49	1.77	1.72	0.44	0.83	0.62	0.14	0.07	8.39

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE (°F) 2001 HAVRE, MT (HVR)

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YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1999 2000	16.1	23.7	37.7 36.1	42.7 45.0	52.5 54.2	60.1 60.7	65.5 71.2	69.8 69.3	54.0 56.9	45.8 42.8	38.2 25.8	32.4 13.6	43.0
2001	24.9	11.4	36.7	46.7	60.2	65.5	74.2	74.6	60.7	43.9	36.4	21.2	46.4
POR= 3 YRS	13.7	11.7	36.8	44.8	55.7	62.1	70.3	71.3	57.2	44.2	33.5	22.4	43.6

HEATING DEGREE DAYS (base 65°F) 2001 HAVRE, MT (HVR)

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YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
1998-99									841	660	389	153	
1999-00 2000-01	9	17 38	333 254	586 683	799 1170	1002 1585	1508 1236	1192 1496	889 870	593 545	330 187	147 72	7481 8145
2001-	4	2	146	646	848	1352							

COOLING DEGREE DAYS (base 65°F) 2001 HAVRE, MT (HVR)

COOPIL	AG DEGI	KEE DA	rs (bas	Se 65 E	) 2001	HAVE	Œ, MI	(HVK)					
YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1999			0	0	9	12	108	175	10	0	0	0	
2000 2001	0	0	0	0 6	3 46	25 92	205 298	178 308	15 25	0	0	0 0	426 775

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YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
POR=													

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### REFERENCE NOTES:

#### PAGE 1:

THE TEMPERATURE GRAPH SHOWS NORMAL MAXIMUM AND NORMAL MINIMUM DAILY TEMPERATURES (SOLID CURVES) AND THE ACTUAL DAILY HIGH AND LOW TEMPERATURES (VERTICAL BARS).

#### PAGE 2 AND 3:

H/C INDICATES HEATING AND COOLING DEGREE DAYS.

RH INDICATES RELATIVE HUMIDITY

W/O INDICATES WEATHER AND OBSTRUCTIONS

S INDICATES SUNSHINE.

PR INDICATES PRESSURE.

CLOUDINESS ON PAGE 3 IS THE SUM OF THE CEILOMETER AND SATELLITE DATA NOT TO EXCEED EIGHT EIGHTHS (OKTAS).

#### GENERAL:

T INDICATES TRACE PRECIPITATION, AN AMOUNT GREATER THAN ZERO BUT LESS THAN THE LOWEST REPORTABLE VALUE. + INDICATES THE VALUE ALSO OCCURS ON EARLIER DATES. BLANK ENTRIES DENOTE MISSING OR UNREPORTED DATA. NORMALS ARE 30-YEAR AVERAGES (1961 - 1990). ASOS INDICATES AUTOMATED SURFACE OBSERVING SYSTEM. PM INDICATES THE LAST DAY OF THE PREVIOUS MONTH. POR (PERIOD OF RECORD) BEGINS WITH THE JANUARY DATA MONTH AND IS THE NUMBER OF YEARS USED TO COMPUTE THE MEAN. INDIVIDUAL MONTHS WITHIN THE POR MAY BE MISSING.

WHEN THE POR FOR A NORMAL IS LESS THAN 30 YEARS,
THE NORMAL IS PROVISIONAL AND IS BASED ON THE NUMBER
OF YEARS INDICATED

0.\* OR \* INDICATES THE VALUE OR MEAN-DAYS-WITH IS BETWEEN 0.00 AND 0.05.

CLOUDINESS FOR ASOS STATIONS DIFFERS FROM THE NON-ASOS OBSERVATION TAKEN BY A HUMAN OBSERVER. ASOS STATION CLOUDINESS IS BASED ON TIME-AVERAGED CEILOMETER DATA FOR CLOUDS AT OR BELOW 12,000 FEET AND ON SATELLITE DATA FOR CLOUDS ABOVE 12,000 FEET.

THE NUMBER OF DAYS WITH CLEAR, PARTLY CLOUDY, AND CLOUDY CONDITIONS FOR ASOS STATIONS IS THE SUM OF THE CEILOMETER AND SATELLITE DATA FOR THE SUNRISE TO SUNSET PERIOD.

#### GENERAL CONTINUED:

CLEAR INDICATES 0 - 2 OKTAS, PARTLY CLOUDY INDICATES 3 - 6 OKTAS, AND CLOUDY INDICATES 7 OR 8 OKTAS. WHEN AT LEAST ONE OF THE ELEMENTS (CEILOMETER OR SATELLITE) IS MISSING, THE DAILY CLOUDINESS IS NOT COMPUTED.

WIND DIRECTION IS RECORDED IN TENS OF DEGREES (2 DIGITS) CLOCKWISE FROM TRUE NORTH. "00" INDICATES CALM. "36" INDICATES TRUE NORTH.

RESULTANT WIND IS THE VECTOR AVERAGE OF THE SPEED AND DIRECTION.

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE IS THE SUM OF THE MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM TEMPERATURE DIVIDED BY 2.

SNOWFALL DATA COMPRISE ALL FORMS OF FROZEN PRECIPITATION, INCLUDING HAIL.

A HEATING (COOLING) DEGREE DAY IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE AVERAGE DAILY TEMPERATURE AND  $65\,^{\circ}$  F.

DRY BULB IS THE TEMPERATURE OF THE AMBIENT AIR.

DEW POINT IS THE TEMPERATURE TO WHICH THE AIR MUST BE

COOLED TO ACHIEVE 100 PERCENT RELATIVE HUMIDITY.

WET BULB IS THE TEMPERATURE THE AIR WOULD HAVE IF THE MOISTURE CONTENT WAS INCREASED TO 100 PERCENT RELATIVE HUMIDITY.

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### 2001 HAVRE, MONTANA (HVR)

Havre, Montana, is located in a level valley formed by the Milk River, which courses through the city from west to east. Most of the city lies on the south side of the river. On the north side, hills rise abruptly to about 200 feet above the valley floor. The land mass north to the Canadian border is gently rolling and increases slightly in elevation. During winter months, frequent invasions of cold polar continental air move down across these rolling plains, bringing snow and sub-zero temperatures.

The Bearpaw Mountains extend from 15 to 30 miles south of Havre. Most of the peaks are from 4,000 to 5,000 feet above sea level, and several are above 6,000 feet. The highest is Old Baldy, 6,916 feet above sea level.

Winters are cold in the Havre area, but snow cover is seldom more than a few inches, and usually some ground is bare. Spells of mild weather do occur at least a few times each winter, arriving with sometimes fresh to strong southwest to west foehn winds. During winter months, rain rarely falls. Winter precipitation is almost always in the form of snow. The transition from winter to spring conditions is fairly rapid in the usual year, but cold snaps and snow can occur as late as early May or as early as September.

Summers are characterized by warm weather, seldom exceeding 95 degrees. Daytime warmest readings usually run from the 80s to the mid-90s during most of July and August, but summer relative humidities are seldom as high as 50 percent during afternoon hours. Summertime night temperatures are rarely oppressively warm. Most spring and summer precipitation falls as showers, but occasionally steady rains lasting several hours are observed in May and June, and again in September. Fall seasons are characterized by much clear weather, although cold snaps of a day or two, with some snow, can occur as early as mid-September.

### STATION LOCATION

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AIRPORT																
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