

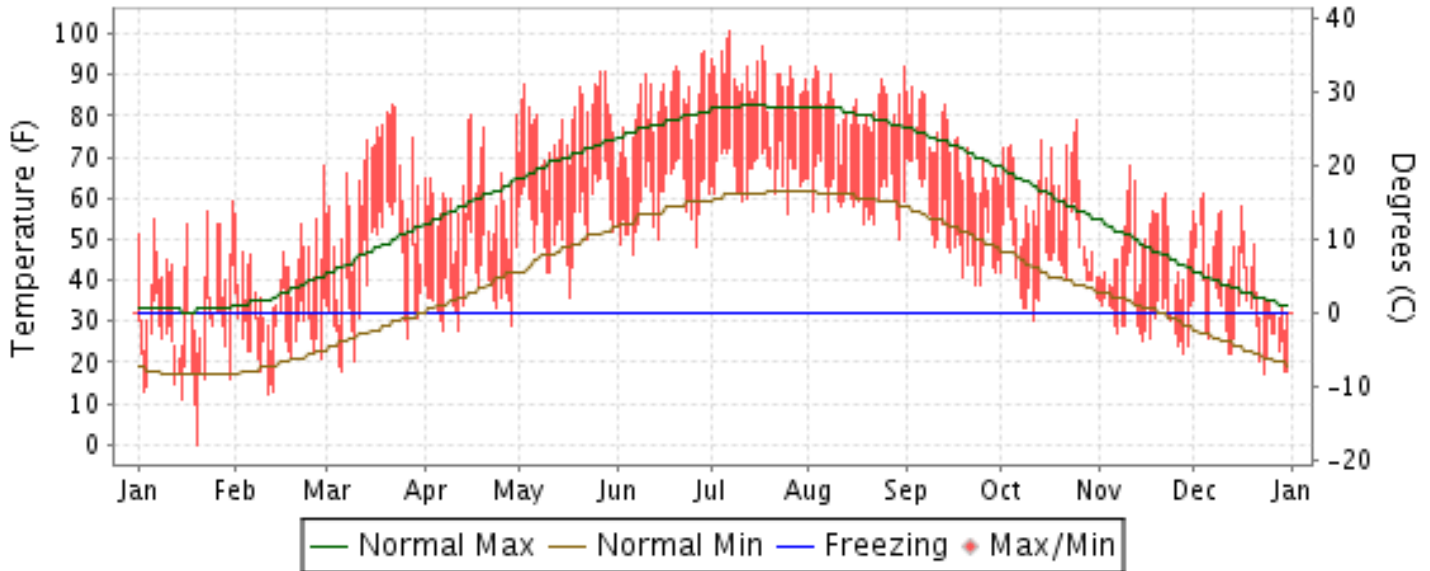


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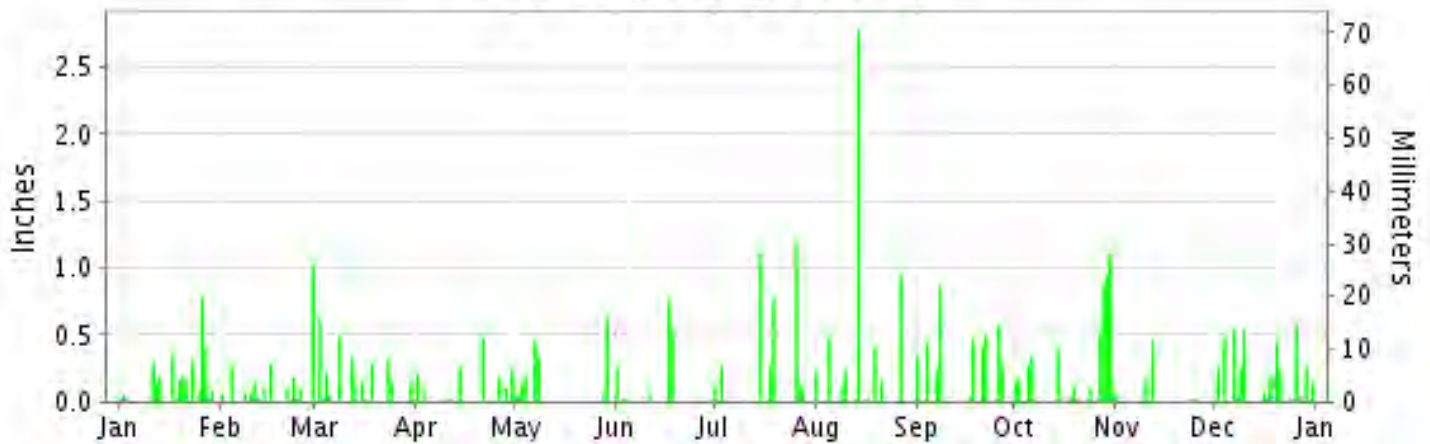
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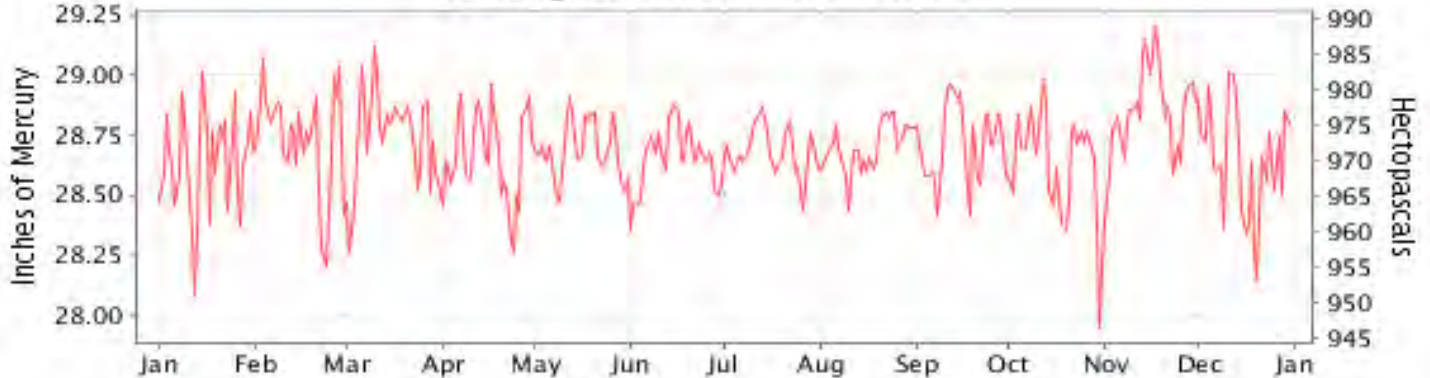
### Daily Max/Min Temperature



### Daily Precipitation



### Daily Station Pressure



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# METEOROLOGICAL DATA FOR 2012

## AKRON (KCAK)

LATITUDE: 40° 55'N      LONGITUDE: 81° 25'W      ELEVATION (FT): GRND: 1208 BARO: 1274      TIME ZONE: EASTERN (UTC -5)      WBAN: 14895

ELEMENT		JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR	
TEMPERATURE °F	MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM	39.2	41.6	61.8	60.3	78.4	82.6	88.7	82.6	73.0	60.7	48.0	43.6	63.4	
	HIGHEST DAILY MAXIMUM	59	68	83	80	91	96	101	92	87	79	68	61	101	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	31	29	22	30+	28+	29	07	31+	03	25	11	04	JUL 07	
	MEAN DAILY MINIMUM	23.9	26.0	40.3	38.1	54.7	58.7	66.3	60.3	52.5	44.4	31.0	31.0	43.9	
	LOWEST DAILY MINIMUM	0	12	18	28	36	46	56	50	39	30	22	17	0	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	20	11	06	12+	17	06	25	30	24+	11	28	23	JAN 20	
	AVERAGE DRY BULB	31.6	33.8	51.1	49.2	66.6	70.7	77.5	71.5	62.8	52.6	39.5	37.3	53.7	
	MEAN WET BULB	28.5	30.6	44.4	41.6	57.7	60.4	67.0	62.7	56.6	47.2	34.9			
	MEAN DEW POINT	22.8	24.7	37.3	32.2	51.0	53.0	61.0	56.8	51.6	41.9	28.3			
	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
	MAXIMUM >= 90°	0	0	0	0	2	7	13	4	0	0	0	0	0	26
	MAXIMUM <= 32°	11	5	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	29	
MINIMUM <= 32°	27	25	12	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	18	17	106		
MINIMUM <= 0°	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
H/C	HEATING DEGREE DAYS	1029	897	446	472	66	26	0	2	145	388	759	852	5082	
	COOLING DEGREE DAYS	0	0	22	3	121	204	396	207	85	8	0	0	1046	
RH	MEAN (PERCENT)	71	70	63	56	60	56	60	63	69	70	66	78	65	
	HOUR 01 LST	75	74	70	67	74	70	73	77	79	75	73	80	74	
	HOUR 07 LST	77	78	71	62	66	63	68	72	79	77	78	82	73	
	HOUR 13 LST	65	61	50	45	44	38	46	45	52	58	52	72	52	
	HOUR 19 LST	69	70	63	52	57	52	56	59	69	71	66	78	64	
W/O	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
	HEAVY FOG(VISBY <= 1/4 MI)	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
	THUNDERSTORMS	0	1	5	1	8	4	11	5	4	0	0	0	39	
PR	MEAN STATION PRESS. (IN.)	28.64	28.73	28.74	28.67	28.69	28.66	28.68	28.69	28.72	28.63	28.84	28.65	28.70	
	MEAN SEA-LEVEL PRESS. (IN.)	30.00	30.08	30.07	29.99	29.99	29.96	29.97	29.99	30.03	29.96	30.20	30.08	30.03	
WINDS	RESULTANT SPEED (MPH)	7.0	4.2	3.8	3.1	0.8	2.5	2.0	1.4	2.1	3.2	2.2	3.4	2.7	
	RES. DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.)	23	26	23	31	26	26	27	24	23	25	25	23	25	
	MEAN SPEED (MPH)	11.5	9.2	9.6	9.4	6.9	8.2	7.0	5.7	6.1	10.0	7.0	9.0	8.3	
	PREVAIL.DIR.(TENS OF DEGS.)	23	23	19	36	21	23	23	20	20	19	28	20	19	
	MAXIMUM 2-MINUTE WIND														
	SPEED (MPH)	38	38	36	38	33	35	48	29	30	38	32	35	48	
	DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.)	28	25	26	34	26	28	33	27	27	34	28	22	33	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	17	24	02	23	29	18	15	21	07	30	23	21	JUL 15	
	MAXIMUM 3-SECOND WIND:														
	SPEED (MPH)	51	51	54	54	45	47	61	36	39	49	40	44	61	
DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.)	29	27	27	23	27	27	34	26	28	35	27	22	34		
DATE OF OCCURRENCE	17	24	28	16	29	03	15	21	07	29	23	21	JUL 15		
PRECIPITATION	WATER EQUIVALENT:														
	TOTAL (IN.)	3.38	2.45	2.93	1.62	1.94	1.71	3.96	5.42	4.27	5.29	0.75	4.21	37.93	
	GREATEST 24-HOUR (IN.)	1.05	1.02	0.61	0.48	0.79	1.13	1.21	2.79	1.11	1.35	0.46	0.69	2.79	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	26-27	29	02	21	07-08	17-18	26	13-14	07-08	29-30	12	09-10	AUG 13-14	
	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
PRECIPITATION 0.01	19	13	13	10	9	9	9	12	14	20	7	18	153		
PRECIPITATION 0.10	10	7	10	6	2	3	7	8	9	10	2	11	85		
PRECIPITATION 1.00	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	5		
SNOWFALL	SNOW,ICE PELLETS,HAIL														
	TOTAL (IN.)	14.2	10.7	3.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	0.5	13.8	42.8	
	GREATEST 24-HOUR (IN.)	3.5	3.2	2.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	0.3	5.8	5.8	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	13	11	04	11						31	25	26	DEC 26	
	MAXIMUM SNOW DEPTH (IN.)	6	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	T	6	6	6	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	21	13	05							27+	31+		DEC 31+	
	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
SNOWFALL >= 1.0	5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	14		



**PRECIPITATION (inches) 2012 AKRON (KCAK)**

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1983	1.58	1.38	3.76	5.13	4.53	2.03	3.38	3.06	2.73	3.22	4.16	3.43	38.39
1984	1.15	3.02	3.00	2.82	5.44	1.64	3.02	3.77	2.62	2.66	3.41	2.58	35.13
1985	1.33	1.80	4.64	1.14	6.49	2.72	2.56	3.47	0.72	1.55	9.39	2.80	38.61
1986	1.38	3.17	2.07	1.83	2.11	3.05	3.70	1.24	3.51	3.23	3.41	2.81	31.51
1987	2.05	0.31	2.87	4.02	2.61	3.83	2.85	3.96	2.11	1.99	1.38	2.33	30.31
1988	1.15	2.69	2.11	2.82	1.88	0.37	5.05	3.89	4.92	2.63	3.88	1.83	33.22
1989	2.23	2.11	3.86	2.46	5.98	8.42	2.83	1.13	3.38	2.45	2.49	1.98	39.32
1990	2.18	5.01	1.27	5.12	7.28	3.60	10.03	6.26	9.02	7.10	2.11	6.72	65.70
1991	2.44	1.96	2.66	3.04	1.49	0.81	0.67	1.70	2.50	1.49	1.99	3.33	24.08
1992	1.94	1.97	3.87	3.72	3.02	1.59	10.94	4.96	3.71	2.07	5.10	2.25	45.14
1993	4.03	1.92	3.99	3.96	1.36	5.46	1.86	1.66	3.95	4.43	5.85	2.76	41.23
1994	3.53	1.61	3.38	5.95	3.50	2.99	3.07	7.54	1.74	1.07	3.15	2.98	40.51
1995	4.87	1.36	1.67	3.24	6.38	3.70	2.12	2.67	1.11	4.80	1.78	1.95	35.65
1996	3.80	2.12	2.84	5.60	4.68	6.63	3.40	1.78	5.73	3.60	2.72	4.02	46.92
1997	1.53	1.59	3.11	2.51	6.53	3.84	1.20	3.88	2.69	0.97	2.36	2.08	32.29
1998	3.73	2.49	2.69	5.78	2.73	5.84	2.44	5.73	0.61	3.95	2.15	2.14	40.28
1999	3.53	2.78	2.15	3.07	3.11	1.19	5.78	2.85	3.63	2.32	3.53	1.87	35.81
2000	2.51	2.41	2.02	5.18	6.50	4.93	6.80	4.00	3.96	2.39	1.71	3.09	45.50
2001	1.44	1.55	1.69	3.53	4.29	2.92	1.18	4.03	2.52	4.54	2.83	2.34	32.86
2002	1.96	2.12	3.87	5.92	5.33	3.09	2.01	2.70	4.48	1.88	4.35	2.91	40.62
2003	1.80	1.90	2.77	2.28	8.16	2.41	12.55	3.19	7.48	2.55	3.10	2.91	51.10
2004	2.71	1.22	3.67	3.39	6.52	6.62	3.12	6.14	5.57	1.81	3.13	2.40	46.30
2005	5.63	2.09	2.11	4.35	2.38	0.84	6.12	6.90	3.00	3.89	2.51	1.35	41.17
2006	3.15	2.31	2.22	2.85	5.53	5.30	6.29	2.97	3.35	4.73	2.54	2.69	43.93
2007	4.34	1.28	3.62	2.61	2.08	3.01	3.07	7.10	2.44	3.59	3.41	4.34	40.89
2008	2.03	5.73	5.80	1.59	2.84	7.76	2.57	1.12	3.81	2.08	3.23	3.44	42.00
2009	2.76	1.94	2.70	2.76	3.59	4.31	3.26	4.58	2.03	3.61	1.13	2.94	35.61
2010	1.74	2.84	3.11	2.21	3.94	5.93	4.07	1.53	3.95	1.78	4.80	1.95	37.85
2011	1.63	4.44	4.44	4.94	7.25	5.38	6.80	4.49	4.38	5.02	4.86	4.75	58.38
2012	3.38	2.45	2.93	1.62	1.94	1.71	3.96	5.42	4.27	5.29	0.75	4.21	37.93
POR= 64 YRS	2.70	2.31	3.17	3.41	3.89	3.59	4.09	3.43	3.23	2.57	2.90	2.80	38.09

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**AVERAGE TEMPERATURE (°F) 2012 AKRON (KCAK)**

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1983	28.8	32.8	41.7	47.3	56.7	68.4	75.0	73.8	65.4	54.0	44.5	24.7	51.1
1984	22.2	36.2	30.0	48.5	54.7	70.5	69.8	70.1	60.2	56.7	40.1	37.1	49.7
1985	19.7	24.8	40.7	53.6	60.6	63.1	70.7	69.3	65.3	54.2	45.5	24.3	49.3
1986	26.3	29.1	39.6	51.7	61.2	67.3	72.8	68.9	66.3	53.4	39.1	31.7	50.6
1987	26.8	30.9	40.2	49.4	62.2	69.8	74.4	70.6	63.4	46.8	44.7	33.9	51.1
1988	24.6	26.8	37.3	47.6	60.4	68.0	76.2	73.5	62.8	45.7	42.7	29.8	49.6
1989	34.2	25.3	39.6	45.4	57.0	67.5	73.0	70.1	63.0	52.3	39.2	18.2	48.7
1990	34.9	34.2	42.1	49.3	55.9	66.7	70.3	69.1	62.8	53.5	44.4	35.5	51.6
1991	27.8	33.4	42.7	54.0	68.7	72.8	75.5	73.0	63.6	54.3	38.7	33.2	53.1
1992	29.0	32.4	36.0	48.1	57.5	64.5	70.8	66.5	61.9	48.7	40.8	33.0	49.1
1993	31.4	25.0	35.2	47.9	59.3	67.3	74.2	73.9	61.2	50.0	41.0	29.5	49.7
1994	18.4	26.2	35.9	50.5	54.8	69.8	72.7	68.8	62.9	53.0	46.1	36.4	49.6
1995	28.3	24.7	39.8	46.7	58.3	70.8	73.6	75.7	61.0	53.6	35.5	24.7	49.4
1996	23.9	26.7	31.8	46.6	56.9	68.9	69.0	70.1	62.8	52.0	34.4	34.3	48.1
1997	25.1	33.1	38.0	45.0	52.8	68.0	71.0	67.5	61.1	51.2	37.1	31.7	48.5
1998	33.6	37.0	39.6	49.3	64.1	66.8	70.4	71.6	65.9	52.0	43.0	35.3	52.4
1999	27.2	33.5	34.0	51.1	61.4	69.8	75.8	68.1	63.6	51.5	44.4	32.5	51.1
2000	25.4	33.5	43.3	48.0	61.0	68.2	67.8	68.1	61.5	54.1	38.3	20.6	49.2
2001	26.4	31.7	33.6	52.1	59.1	68.0	70.8	72.4	61.3	53.1	47.2	35.7	51.0
2002	32.9	32.5	37.8	50.4	54.9	69.8	75.1	72.8	67.5	50.0	38.9	28.7	50.9
2003	19.2	23.2	39.0	50.9	57.7	65.6	71.0	71.8	61.8	49.8	44.9	31.2	48.8
2004	20.5	28.4	39.7	48.8	62.8	65.2	70.0	67.1	64.6	52.4	43.4	30.0	49.4
2005	26.4	30.0	32.7	50.3	55.2	72.1	74.5	72.7	66.5	53.0	42.9	26.4	50.2
2006	37.9	28.9	36.7	52.3	58.2	66.0	73.3	71.8	60.5	49.0	43.6	37.4	51.3
2007	29.8	17.8	40.8	46.5	62.9	68.9	69.8	73.1	66.6	58.2	40.0	31.5	50.5
2008	28.6	26.4	33.4	52.0	55.6	69.3	72.0	69.1	65.4	50.6	38.6	30.5	49.3
2009	18.4	29.5	40.5	50.2	60.4	67.4	68.1	70.6	63.7	49.2	45.8	29.4	49.4
2010	24.4	25.6	41.6	54.1	62.6	70.5	74.8	74.2	64.8	53.1	42.1	24.1	51.0
2011	22.1	28.2	36.5	50.9	62.4	69.1	76.8	71.4	64.5	52.6	46.5	36.3	51.4
2012	31.6	33.8	51.1	49.2	66.6	70.7	77.5	71.5	62.8	52.6	39.5	37.3	53.7
POR= 64 YRS	26.1	28.4	37.4	48.9	59.2	68.1	72.1	70.6	63.5	52.3	41.4	30.6	49.9

**HEATING DEGREE DAYS (base 65°F) 2012 AKRON (KCAK)**

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
1983-84	10	0	103	338	608	1244	1321	831	1078	493	323	7	6356
1984-85	7	16	180	254	740	860	1397	1119	746	371	174	82	5946
1985-86	3	5	116	329	578	1254	1192	999	783	403	158	53	5873
1986-87	2	43	70	361	770	1023	1178	945	765	466	160	32	5815
1987-88	2	23	88	558	606	957	1243	1103	853	515	175	67	6190
1988-89	8	11	95	599	659	1083	949	1106	784	583	280	38	6195
1989-90	3	13	124	391	764	1444	923	856	707	494	280	69	6068
1990-91	14	3	130	352	611	909	1143	880	684	349	76	4	5155
1991-92	0	0	139	345	782	978	1111	939	893	509	251	76	6023
1992-93	7	38	145	497	717	986	1036	1116	914	506	192	56	6210
1993-94	2	1	161	458	715	1093	1438	1081	892	437	324	42	6644
1994-95	0	21	100	365	560	878	1131	1122	775	540	217	12	5721
1995-96	7	0	141	348	880	1244	1266	1104	1022	547	294	25	6878
1996-97	17	3	116	395	910	942	1230	888	828	590	373	43	6335
1997-98	2	35	136	442	832	1026	965	775	794	458	92	83	5640
1998-99	0	3	64	400	653	911	1166	874	955	408	134	50	5618
1999-00	2	9	113	411	609	1000	1221	908	666	501	166	54	5660
2000-01	16	21	169	328	795	1370	1188	927	968	398	194	55	6429
2001-02	15	1	145	368	527	904	987	906	835	460	324	31	5503
2002-03	0	3	43	486	776	1115	1415	1164	801	421	234	70	6528
2003-04	0	5	120	462	592	1040	1370	1055	778	482	136	76	6116
2004-05	2	40	69	382	638	1075	1190	975	997	435	302	15	6120
2005-06	0	6	31	385	660	1190	833	1003	872	375	255	52	5662
2006-07	2	0	143	493	634	849	1083	1317	741	550	140	30	5982
2007-08	7	11	67	255	741	1033	1125	1116	972	387	298	30	6042
2008-09	1	6	56	444	785	1063	1439	990	755	461	169	36	6205
2009-10	8	14	78	485	571	1099	1251	1099	720	335	136	12	5808
2010-11	3	1	84	365	679	1259	1323	1025	877	422	159	25	6222
2011-12	0	0	98	380	550	883	1029	897	446	472	66	26	4847
2012-	0	2	145	388	759	852							

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**COOLING DEGREE DAYS (base 65°F) 2012 AKRON (KCAK)**

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
1983	0	0	0	2	11	153	326	279	122	5	0	0	898
1984	0	0	0	3	12	179	163	180	43	4	0	0	584
1985	0	0	0	36	44	32	186	149	134	1	1	0	583
1986	0	0	2	13	47	131	249	169	119	10	0	0	740
1987	0	0	0	5	84	184	298	203	48	0	1	0	823
1988	0	0	0	0	38	163	362	283	35	6	0	0	887
1989	0	0	5	0	40	121	257	176	70	4	0	0	673
1990	0	0	7	30	5	128	187	137	70	3	0	0	567
1991	0	0	0	25	198	245	335	255	106	21	0	0	1185
1992	0	0	0	7	25	68	195	93	58	0	0	0	446
1993	0	0	0	0	22	129	295	285	57	0	0	0	788
1994	0	0	0	10	15	193	248	142	44	0	0	0	652
1995	0	0	0	0	15	191	281	339	25	2	0	0	853
1996	0	0	0	1	47	152	147	172	55	0	0	0	574
1997	0	0	0	0	0	139	196	118	25	23	0	0	501
1998	0	0	12	0	72	146	173	214	98	3	0	0	718
1999	0	0	0	0	29	202	346	116	75	0	0	0	768
2000	0	0	1	0	51	154	112	125	71	0	0	0	514
2001	0	0	0	20	20	151	200	238	43	6	0	0	678
2002	0	0	0	30	18	182	320	252	124	28	0	0	954
2003	0	0	0	3	16	94	191	219	29	0	0	0	552
2004	0	0	0	5	77	88	160	114	65	0	0	0	509
2005	0	0	0	2	4	232	300	250	83	21	0	0	892
2006	0	0	0	0	50	87	268	218	14	2	0	0	639
2007	0	0	0	1	81	155	163	271	122	51	0	0	844
2008	0	0	0	3	14	164	224	142	75	2	0	0	624
2009	0	0	0	22	30	115	109	195	46	0	0	0	517
2010	0	0	0	13	68	182	313	293	89	5	0	0	963
2011	0	0	0	6	83	155	373	204	89	1	0	0	911
2012	0	0	22	3	121	204	396	207	85	8	0	0	1046

## SNOWFALL (inches) 2012 AKRON (KCAK)

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
1983-84	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.4	8.8	10.5	21.1	12.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	57.5
1984-85	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	7.8	20.9	12.4	1.2	5.3	0.0	0.0	50.2
1985-86	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	10.7	9.5	7.6	5.3	2.6	0.0	0.0	35.7
1986-87	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.4	0.8	11.0	1.8	9.8	20.9	0.0	0.0	49.7
1987-88	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	2.7	13.3	7.7	8.1	16.7	0.4	0.0	0.0	48.9
1988-89	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.6	8.0	4.1	5.4	11.4	3.2	1.5	0.0	35.4
1989-90	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	2.5	13.2	11.5	6.3	0.5	3.9	0.0	0.0	41.6
1990-91	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	0.3	7.4	7.4	10.3	2.1	0.1	0.0	T	27.6
1991-92	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	6.6	5.3	12.4	5.7	14.0	4.2	T	0.0	48.2
1992-93	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	5.3	8.1	5.8	16.3	14.6	1.2	0.0	0.0	51.8
1993-94	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.6	2.3	11.7	23.5	12.7	6.1	2.4	T	0.0	65.3
1994-95	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.7	12.3	3.9	4.8	0.4	0.0	T	23.9
1995-96	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		14.9	18.7	6.4					
1996-97					2.4	6.5	4.4	T	8.9	0.0	T	T	
1997-98													
1998-99	0.0	0.0	T	T	T	4.2	24.3	9.7	18.6	T	0.0	0.0	56.8
1999-00	0.0	0.0	T	0.0	3.9	5.7	14.1	10.3	1.9	1.4	T	0.0	37.3
2000-01	0.0	0.0	T	0.8	6.7	20.6	10.0	5.5	9.4	1.1	T	0.0	54.1
2001-02	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	T	1.6	5.7	8.0	6.4	2.2	0.0	T	23.9
2002-03	0.0	T	0.0	0.1	5.4	11.5	19.1	17.3	2.5	T	0.0	0.0	55.9
2003-04	0.0	0.0	T	T	0.9	18.6	11.5	5.2	12.2	2.9	0.0	0.0	51.3
2004-05	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	17.8	11.8	9.2	10.1	10.9	T	0.0	60.1
2005-06	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	4.2	11.9	3.8	12.1	2.9	0.6	0.0	0.0	35.8
2006-07	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	4.6	11.8	13.9	5.6	2.2	0.0	0.0	38.8
2007-08	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	13.3	8.0	25.8	20.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	68.1
2008-09	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	10.5	5.6	29.0	7.3	1.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	55.3
2009-10	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	T	9.3	14.7	37.2	1.9	T	0.0	0.0	63.1
2010-11	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	19.5	18.9	18.4	8.2	T	0.0	0.0	65.3
2011-12	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	0.1	2.4	14.2	10.7	3.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	31.0
2012-	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	0.5	13.8							
POR= 63 YRS	0.0	T	T	0.5	3.9	10.0	12.1	10.2	8.5	2.3	0.1	T	47.6

WBAN : 14895

### 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.

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

CLEAR INDICATES 0 - 2 OKTAS, PARTLY CLOUDY INDICATES 3 - 6 OKTAS, AND CLOUDY INDICATES 7 OR 8 OKTAS.

GENERAL CONTINUED:

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 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.

ON JULY 1, 1996, THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE BEGAN USING THE "METAR" OBSERVATION CODE THAT WAS ALREADY EMPLOYED BY MOST OTHER NATIONS OF THE WORLD. THE MOST NOTICEABLE DIFFERENCE IN THIS ANNUAL PUBLICATION WILL BE THE CHANGE IN UNITS FROM TENTHS TO EIGHTHS(OKTAS) FOR REPORTING THE AMOUNT OF SKY COVER.

STATION HISTORY STOPPED WITH THE 2009 ANNUAL. IF YOU NEED STATION HISTORY INFORMATION GO TO "Historical Observing Metadata Repository", URL IS:

<http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/homr/>

SNOWFALL STOPPED MONTH & YEAR INDICATED ABOVE. NO FURTHER YEARS INCLUDED UNLESS RESTARTED.

### NOTE:

The "Period of Record:(POR)" for all "averages" is based on "Summary of the Day First Order Station" and "Cooperative Summary of the Day" archives.

The 2012 Annual Publications were reproduced on 6/05/13 to correct two problems that occurred when the Publications were first produced on 02/28/13.

- 1) A small number of stations did not correctly show number of days with thunderstorms and heavy fog.
- 2) Climate Normals in the Annual Publications were based on a first edition of the 1981-2010 Normals release. With the release of Service Pack 1 (SP1) new normals for 83 stations are available and now included. Additional information on SP1 is available at:  
<http://www1.ncdc.noaa.gov/pub/data/normals/1981-2010/status.txt>.

# 2012 AKRON OHIO (KCAK)

The station at the Akron-Canton Airport is located about midway between Akron and Canton, a few miles south of the crest separating the Lake Erie and Muskingum River drainage areas. Precipitation at the station and southward drains through the Muskingum River into the Ohio, while northward of the crest the Cuyahoga and other streams flow into Lake Erie. The terrain is rolling with highest elevations near 1,300 feet above sea level and many small lakes provide water for local industry as well as recreational facilities for the densely populated region. The area is mainly industrial, agricultural operations having diminished rapidly in recent years.

Lake Erie has considerable influence on the area weather, tempering cold air masses during the late fall and winter, as well as contributing to the formation of brief, but heavy snow squalls until the lake freezes over.

The arrival of spring is late in this area, but has the good effect of retarding plant growth and allowing growing of normally frost-susceptible fruits. Summers are moderately warm, but quite humid, while the months of September, October, and sometimes November are usually pleasant although with considerable morning fog. The average last occurrence of freezing temperatures in spring is the end of April, and the first occurrence in fall is late October. In past years, growing seasons for most vegetation has varied from 120 to 211 days. Temperatures and occurrences of frost vary widely over the area because of the hilly terrain. Due to the influence of Lake Erie, snowfall is usually much heavier north of the station.

# Station History

AKRON, OH

NAME	Begin Date	End Date	Latitude	Longitude	Elevation Feet	Relocation	Platform
AKRON CANTON REGIONAL AP	1962-01-01	1969-01-01	40° 55'	-81° 25'	1208		AIRWAYS, COOP
AKRON CANTON REGIONAL AP	1969-01-01	1995-09-01	40° 55'	-81° 25'	1208		COOP, WXSVC
AKRON CANTON REGIONAL AP	1995-09-01	Present	40° 55'	-81° 25'	1208		ASOS, COOP
AKRON CANTON REGIONAL AP	1948-07-01	1962-01-01	40° 55'	-81° 25'	1214		AIRWAYS, COOP

# Element History

Element	Begin Date	End Date	Frequency	Time Of Observation	Equipment *	Equipment * Modifications	Equipment Exposure
PRECIP	1948-07-01	1988-01-06	HOURLY	2400			
PRECIP	1948-07-01	1988-01-06	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
TEMP	1995-03-28	1995-07-01	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
PRECIP	1995-07-01	Present	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
PRECIP	1995-03-28	1995-07-01	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
PRECIP	1988-01-06	1995-03-28	HOURLY	2400			
TEMP	1988-01-06	1995-03-28	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
PRECIP	1995-03-28	1995-07-01	HOURLY	2400			
TEMP	1995-07-01	Present	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
PRECIP	1988-01-06	1995-03-28	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	ROOF
TEMP	1948-07-01	1988-01-06	DAILY	2400			
PRECIP	1995-07-01	Present	HOURLY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	

\* For explanation of codes and abbreviations see Station Metadata link below.

Other Station Information can be found at:

ASOS Implementation by NWS: <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/ops2/Surface/asosimplementation.htm>

Station Metadata website: <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/homr>

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