

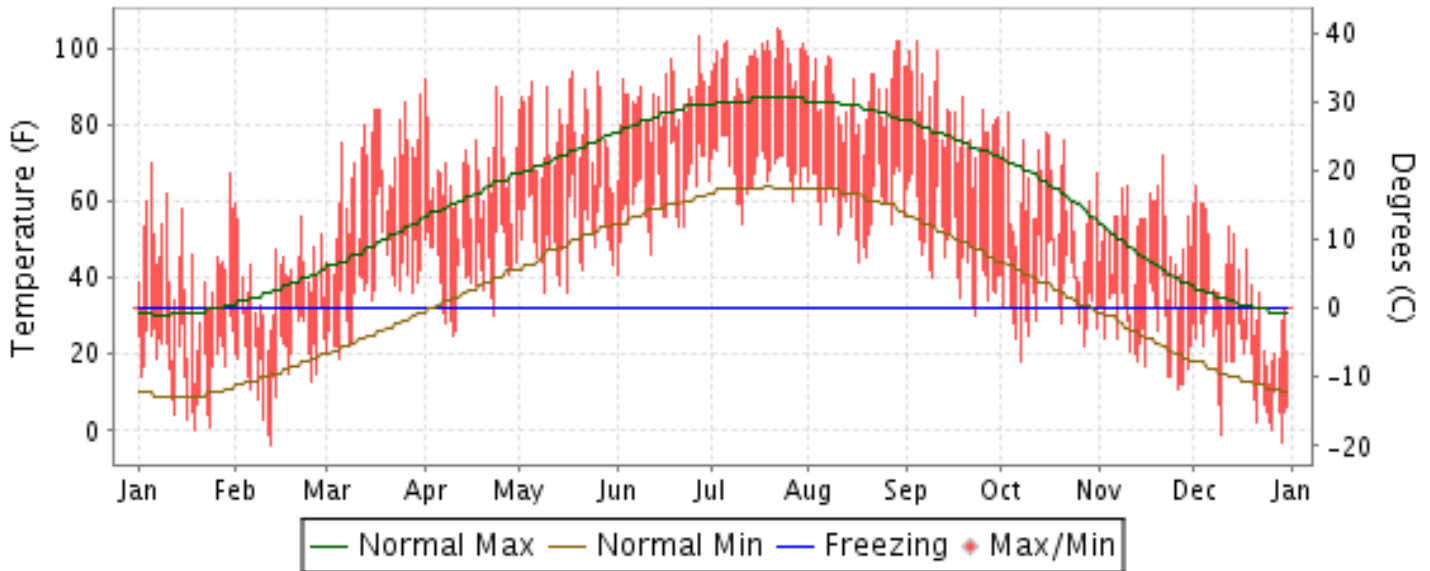


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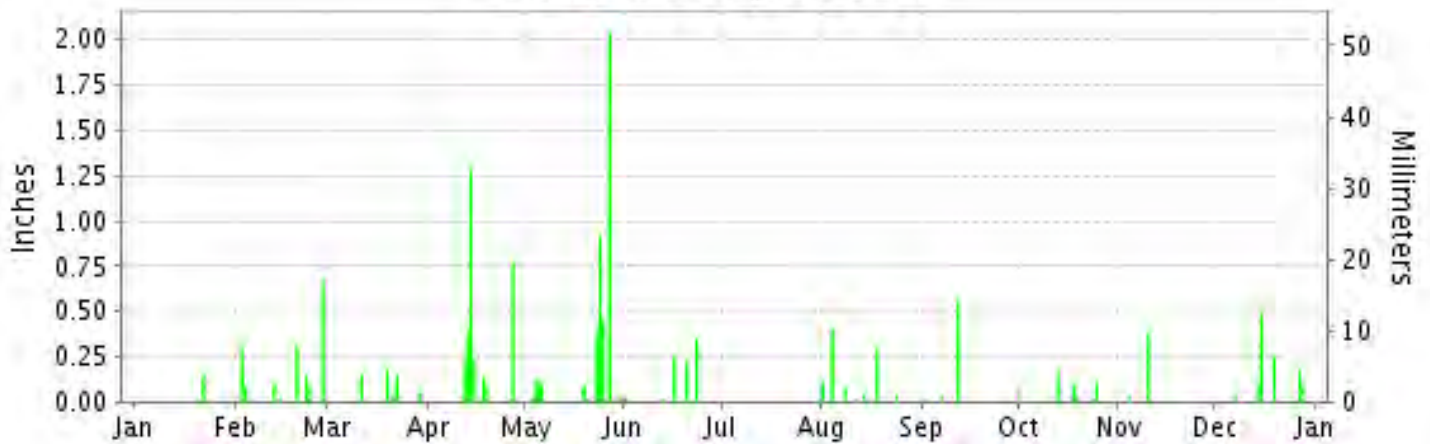
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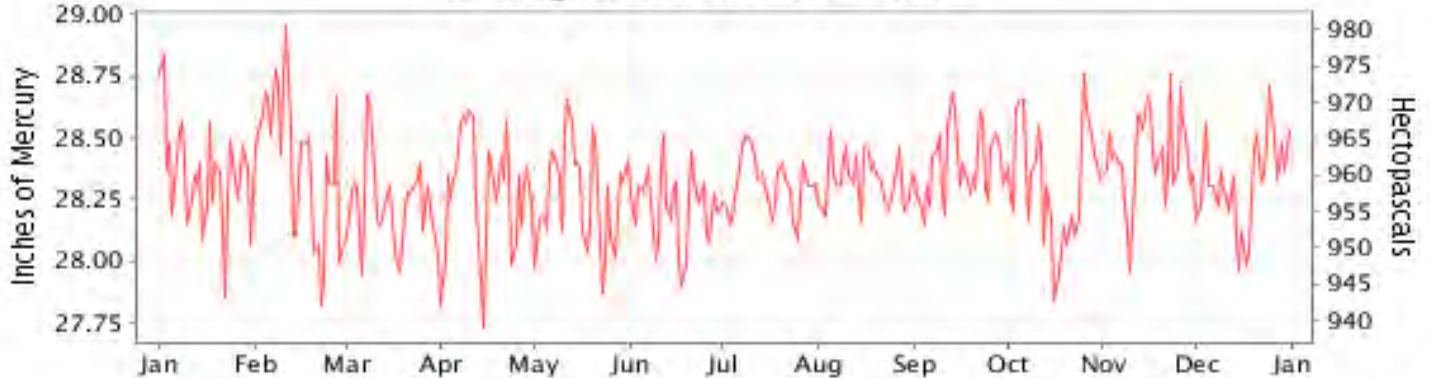
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METEOROLOGICAL DATA FOR 2012

NORFOLK (KOFK)

LATITUDE: 41° 59'N LONGITUDE: 97° 26'W ELEVATION (FT): GRND: 1551 BARO: 1537 TIME ZONE: CENTRAL (UTC -6) WBAN: 14941

ELEMENT		JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR	
TEMPERATURE °F	MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM	42.1	39.8	68.1	67.7	78.6	86.3	96.9	88.4	82.3	60.9	51.3	37.1	66.6	
	HIGHEST DAILY MAXIMUM	70	59	88	92	94	103	105	102	102	83	72	64	105	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	05	01	31	01	26+	27	22	30+	04	03	21	02	JUL 22	
	MEAN DAILY MINIMUM	16.8	18.7	38.0	41.2	50.6	60.9	68.0	58.8	47.0	34.9	26.1	15.7	39.7	
	LOWEST DAILY MINIMUM	0	-4	19	25	36	41	54	44	30	18	11	-3	-4	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	19	12	05	10	16+	01	11	17	23	07	26	29	FEB 12	
	AVERAGE DRY BULB	29.5	29.3	53.1	54.5	64.6	73.6	82.5	73.6	64.7	47.9	38.7	26.4	53.2	
	MEAN WET BULB	24.5	25.9	45.2	46.7	55.4	64.2	68.8	62.8	52.5	41.4	33.9	23.5	45.4	
	MEAN DEW POINT	15.3	20.0	37.1	37.2	47.2	57.9	61.6	56.0	41.4	32.6	26.7	17.4	37.5	
	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
	MAXIMUM >= 90°	0	0	0	2	6	10	26	14	7	0	0	0	0	65
	MAXIMUM <= 32°	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	13	30	
MINIMUM <= 32°	31	27	8	6	0	0	0	0	2	13	21	30	138		
MINIMUM <= 0°	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6		
H/C	HEATING DEGREE DAYS	1095	1031	385	330	115	16	0	11	108	523	781	1189	5584	
	COOLING DEGREE DAYS	0	0	21	20	111	281	548	286	106	0	0	0	1373	
RH	MEAN (PERCENT)	59	71	61	56	57	60	52	59	48	58	65	71	60	
	HOUR 00 LST	64	75	70	66	69	71	64	71	59	66	73	75	69	
	HOUR 06 LST	70	77	78	74	76	76	76	82	73	75	77	79	76	
	HOUR 12 LST	51	62	47	44	45	47	37	42	31	46	51	63	47	
	HOUR 18 LST	52	67	45	43	40	44	35	42	29	48	57	65	47	
W/O	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
	HEAVY FOG(VISBY <= 1/4 MI)	3	4	1	2	1	0	0	4	1	3	2	3	24	
	THUNDERSTORMS	0	1	2	4	10	1	0	5	0	1	1	0	25	
PR	MEAN STATION PRESS. (IN.)	28.34	28.40	28.22	28.29	28.27	28.23	28.31	28.33	28.38	28.31	28.42	28.31	28.32	
	MEAN SEA-LEVEL PRESS. (IN.)	30.04	30.10	29.87	29.93	29.88	29.83	29.91	29.94	30.01	29.97	30.11	30.01	29.97	
WINDS	RESULTANT SPEED (MPH)	5.2	3.2	4.0	0.7	1.1	5.4	4.6	2.9	1.6	3.7	2.6	2.3	1.7	
	RES. DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.)	29	29	20	07	19	16	17	19	20	30	26	29	23	
	MEAN SPEED (MPH)	11.2	10.3	11.1	11.4	11.5	10.9	9.1	8.9	8.1	11.7	9.3	9.5	10.3	
	PREVAIL.DIR.(TENS OF DEGS.)	32	28	17	13	17	18	19	20	17	32	32	33	32	
	MAXIMUM 2-MINUTE WIND														
	SPEED (MPH)	41	39	41	41	44	33	26	40	32	46	37	40	46	
	DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.)	33	28	33	33	28	16	14	29	33	31	33	34	31	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	11	29	04	15	27	23	28	01	19	18	23	03	OCT 18	
	MAXIMUM 3-SECOND WIND:														
	SPEED (MPH)	52	56	53	52	59	44	35	48	44	60	46	51	60	
DIR. (TENS OF DEGS.)	33	27	33	33	28	20	32	29	19	31	32	34	31		
DATE OF OCCURRENCE	11	29	04	15	27	18	22	01	10	18	23	03	OCT 18		
PRECIPITATION	WATER EQUIVALENT:														
	TOTAL (IN.)	0.18	1.73	0.58	3.14	4.33	0.89	T	0.99	0.61	0.49	0.43	1.13	14.50	
	GREATEST 24-HOUR (IN.)	0.16	0.68	0.19	1.37	2.05	0.35	T	0.40	0.56	0.18	0.39	0.58	2.05	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	22	28	21-22	14-15	27	23	25+	04	12	13	10	14-15	MAY 27	
	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
	PRECIPITATION 0.01	3	9	5	10	12	6	0	8	3	6	2	7	71	
PRECIPITATION 0.10	1	5	3	6	7	3	0	3	1	2	1	3	35		
PRECIPITATION 1.00	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2		
SNOWFALL	SNOW,ICE PELLETS,HAIL														
	TOTAL (IN.)	2.1	5.1	T	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	T	7.5	14.7	
	GREATEST 24-HOUR (IN.)	2.0	1.6	T	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	T	3.1	3.1	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	22	04	02							28+	26+	19-20	DEC 19-20	
	MAXIMUM SNOW DEPTH (IN.)	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	T	0	4	4	
	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	23	05								25		30+	DEC 30+	
	NUMBER OF DAYS WITH:														
SNOWFALL >= 1.0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8		

NORMALS, MEANS, AND EXTREMES NORFOLK (KOFK)

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	ELEMENT	POR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YEAR
TEMPERATURE °F	NORMAL DAILY MAXIMUM	30	33.0	37.0	48.6	61.9	72.3	81.8	86.4	84.2	76.5	63.5	47.1	34.1	60.5
	MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM	65	30.3	35.5	46.4	61.4	72.4	82.0	87.1	84.7	76.2	64.4	47.4	34.4	60.2
	HIGHEST DAILY MAXIMUM	67	74	76	88	95	103	106	113	107	102	95	83	71	113
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		2002	2002	2012	1992	1967	1988	1954	1983	2012	1990	2005	1962	JUL 1954
	MEAN OF EXTREME MAXS.	65	54.0	58.9	72.9	85.4	90.8	96.9	99.1	97.4	92.8	85.5	71.0	57.6	80.2
	NORMAL DAILY MINIMUM	30	12.1	16.5	26.2	37.3	48.6	58.6	63.6	61.5	51.1	38.5	25.6	14.5	37.8
	MEAN DAILY MINIMUM	65	9.5	15.0	24.9	37.3	48.9	58.8	64.1	61.8	51.0	38.8	25.4	14.5	37.5
	LOWEST DAILY MINIMUM	67	-27	-26	-20	2	24	38	42	40	26	11	-15	-30	-30
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		1974	1981	1960	1975	1976	1990	1971	1986	1995	1993	1964	1989	DEC 1989
	MEAN OF EXTREME MINS.	65	-13.7	-7.9	3.5	21.4	33.2	44.9	52.0	49.1	34.1	21.7	6.4	-6.9	19.8
	NORMAL DRY BULB	30	22.6	26.8	37.4	49.6	60.5	70.2	75.0	72.8	63.8	51.0	36.4	24.3	49.2
	MEAN DRY BULB	65	19.9	25.2	35.7	49.3	60.7	70.6	75.6	73.3	63.6	51.6	36.4	24.4	48.9
	MEAN WET BULB	29	19.2	22.6	31.9	41.4	52.3	61.8	66.7	64.9	55.1	43.1	30.6	21.5	42.6
	MEAN DEW POINT	29	16.2	19.6	28.2	37.6	49.0	58.9	64.7	62.9	52.3	39.3	27.9	18.9	39.6
	NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH: MAXIMUM >= 90	30	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.1	4.1	9.5	6.2	2.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	24.3
	MAXIMUM <= 32	30	13.8	10.2	3.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	4.2	12.7	44.7
MINIMUM <= 32	30	30.3	26.3	22.3	9.1	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	7.5	22.6	29.9	149.2	
MINIMUM <= 0	30	6.1	3.1	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	4.0	14.2	
H/C	NORMAL HEATING DEG. DAYS	30	1316	1071	856	474	190	30	4	12	126	443	860	1261	6643
	NORMAL COOLING DEG. DAYS	30	0	0	0	12	49	186	314	255	90	9	0	0	915
RH	NORMAL (PERCENT)	30	72	72	68	63	65	65	68	71	67	65	72	75	69
	hour 00 LST	30	75	77	76	71	74	75	79	82	76	73	76	78	76
	hour 06 LST	30	77	79	81	80	82	82	84	87	84	80	81	80	81
	hour 12 LST	30	64	63	59	52	52	52	55	57	52	50	62	68	57
	hour 18 LST	30	68	65	57	49	50	48	52	55	52	53	66	72	57
S	PERCENT POSSIBLE SUNSHINE														
W/O	MEAN NO. DAYS WITH: HEAVY FOG(VISBY <= 1/4 MI)	38	1.7	2.1	2.4	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.1	2.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	2.0	19.4
	THUNDERSTORMS	54	0.0	0.2	1.1	3.7	7.7	9.3	9.5	9.1	5.1	2.0	0.5	0.1	48.3
CLOUDINESS	MEAN: SUNRISE-SUNSET (OKTAS)	51	4.9	5.0	5.3	5.0	4.9	4.2	3.6	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.9	4.9	4.5
	MIDNIGHT-MIDNIGHT (OKTAS)	20	4.4	4.6	4.8	4.4	4.4	4.0	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.7	4.3	4.2	4.1
	MEAN NO. DAYS WITH: CLEAR	51	8.8	7.7	7.4	7.8	7.8	10.1	12.6	12.5	12.9	12.2	8.4	8.8	117.0
	PARTLY CLOUDY	51	7.6	7.1	7.7	8.4	9.7	10.1	11.3	10.4	7.6	7.9	7.4	7.5	102.7
	CLOUDY	51	14.5	13.5	15.9	13.8	13.5	9.8	7.1	8.1	9.5	10.9	14.2	14.7	145.5
PR	MEAN STATION PRESSURE(IN)	29	28.41	28.40	28.35	28.28	28.28	28.28	28.33	28.35	28.37	28.37	28.37	28.40	28.35
	MEAN SEA-LEVEL PRES. (IN)	29	30.12	30.13	30.03	29.93	29.91	29.89	29.94	29.97	29.99	30.02	30.05	30.11	30.01
WINDS	MEAN SPEED (MPH)	29	10.9	11.1	11.9	12.4	11.4	10.2	9.1	8.9	9.8	10.4	10.8	10.8	10.6
	PREVAIL.DIR(TENS OF DEGS)	32	33	33	34	34	19	19	19	19	19	19	33	33	33
	MAXIMUM 2-MINUTE: SPEED (MPH)	16	48	44	51	49	47	54	53	47	49	46	51	46	54
	DIR. (TENS OF DEGS)		32	34	32	26	22	28	23	22	17	31	31	32	28
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		2005	2007	2005	2001	2011	2011	2011	2007	2007	2012	1997	1997	JUN 2011
	MAXIMUM 3-SECOND SPEED (MPH)	16	56	56	60	60	59	79	69	63	76	60	63	56	79
	DIR. (TENS OF DEGS)		32	27	32	26	28	28	29	22	16	31	31	32	28
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		2009	2012	2005	2001	2012	2011	2000	2007	2007	2012	1997	2010	JUN 2011	
PRECIPITATION	NORMAL (IN)	30	0.59	0.76	1.77	2.65	3.93	4.26	3.32	3.25	2.69	2.07	1.37	0.75	27.41
	MAXIMUM MONTHLY (IN)	67	2.33	3.18	7.27	7.47	8.61	12.22	9.11	8.02	8.13	6.81	3.97	2.62	12.22
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		1949	1971	1987	1984	1977	1967	1950	2007	1970	2007	1983	2006	JUN 1967
	MINIMUM MONTHLY (IN)	67	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.23	0.38	0.54	T	0.53	0.30	T	0.03	0.05	0.03
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		1986	1949	1994	1969	2009	1987	2012	1971	1956	1958	2007	2002	NOV 2007
	MAXIMUM IN 24 HOURS (IN)	67	1.30	2.41	2.76	2.16	4.12	5.51	3.46	5.06	3.88	2.79	2.22	1.34	5.51
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		1982	1971	1987	2007	1973	1974	1952	1995	1970	1968	2000	1981	JUN 1974
	NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH: PRECIPITATION >= 0.01	30	5.9	5.8	8.2	9.3	11.3	10.5	9.1	8.7	8.1	7.4	5.8	6.0	96.1
PRECIPITATION >= 1.00	30	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.0	6.4	
SNOWFALL	NORMAL (IN)	30	6.4	5.5	5.1	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	4.1	6.0	30.5
	MAXIMUM MONTHLY (IN)	67	19.1	22.8	20.8	13.2	2.7	T	0.0	T	1.1	6.5	22.6	30.8	30.8
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		2011	1984	1960	1984	1947	1996	2012	1992	1985	1991	1983	2009	DEC 2009
	MAXIMUM IN 24 HOURS (IN)	67	12.8	22.5	9.8	9.7	2.7	T	T	T	1.1	5.6	14.6	13.3	22.5
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		1982	1984	1995	1984	1947	1996	1995	1992	1985	1991	1983	2009	FEB 1984
	MAXIMUM SNOW DEPTH (IN)	64	25	19	28	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	17	19	28
	YEAR OF OCCURRENCE		2010	1969	1960	1997						1997	1983	2009	MAR 1960
NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH: SNOWFALL >= 1.0	30	1.8	1.8	1.5	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.5	1.9	9.4	

PRECIPITATION (inches) 2012 NORFOLK (KOFK)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1983	0.75	0.55	3.68	2.27	3.28	6.82	2.73	1.35	1.61	1.16	3.97	0.68	28.85
1984	0.34	2.34	2.33	7.47	4.14	5.48	2.31	1.50	0.72	4.30	1.62	1.13	33.68
1985	0.25	0.15	1.46	5.49	2.85	4.53	1.62	2.48	4.61	0.96	0.89	0.47	25.76
1986	0.06	1.12	2.67	4.39	3.37	5.32	4.00	2.81	3.57	2.61	0.48	0.38	30.78
1987	0.28	0.77	7.27	0.70	5.60	0.54	3.68	3.38	3.21	1.11	1.19	0.78	28.51
1988	0.74	0.46	0.21	2.30	5.21	1.34	4.56	2.46	5.47	0.03	1.03	0.88	24.69
1989	1.18	0.58	0.90	0.90	1.71	1.96	3.68	0.89	3.61	0.33	0.06	0.75	16.55
1990	0.66	0.46	2.31	0.72	3.31	7.64	5.13	2.36	1.01	1.50	1.26	0.51	26.87
1991	0.87	0.46	1.94	2.72	7.55	6.52	1.19	1.30	1.52	1.96	2.28	0.80	29.11
1992	0.61	1.48	2.48	0.66	2.14	4.04	4.36	5.06	2.87	3.14	1.30	0.96	29.10
1993	1.30	1.70	1.14	3.68	2.41	6.39	8.97	2.86	3.17	1.40	0.82	0.43	34.27
1994	0.78	0.84	0.04	1.96	1.10	5.35	9.01	3.66	2.70	0.95	1.34	1.01	28.74
1995	0.50	0.44	2.97	3.70	6.81	1.94	2.34	5.96	5.33	2.25	0.69	0.47	33.40
1996	0.90	0.05	0.60	0.72	5.14	2.69	3.65	3.74	3.20	.26	3.68	.34	24.97
1997	0.10	0.86	0.58	2.54	3.34	3.97	1.76	1.37	2.75	2.42	0.12	0.37	20.18
1998	0.20	0.31	2.41	3.95	2.48	7.42	5.77	6.16	0.54	3.74	2.05	0.13	35.16
1999	0.23	0.62	0.68	5.35	4.24	5.45	4.05	2.02	0.36	0.20	0.46	0.20	23.86
2000	0.16	1.16	1.14	1.15	2.55	4.18	5.17	1.54	1.26	2.28	2.78	0.17	23.54
2001	1.16	0.34	0.75	3.02	6.32	1.17	2.84	5.52	2.34	1.05	2.94	0.06	27.51
2002	0.37	0.35	0.62	1.89	2.54	3.44	0.51	5.63	1.31	3.08	0.19	0.05	19.98
2003	0.39	0.72	0.70	2.17	4.98	2.60	2.75	1.30	4.21	1.00	1.03	0.21	22.06
2004	0.60	1.49	2.56	3.10	5.92	2.91	4.08	0.71	3.27	0.60	1.96	0.15	27.35
2005	0.44	1.26	0.59	4.74	4.31	3.81	1.58	2.57	1.61	2.62	2.15	0.49	26.17
2006	0.35	0.17	3.13	2.74	0.70	3.55	0.22	6.26	5.16	1.62	0.26	2.62	26.78
2007	0.80	1.30	2.60	4.12	4.92	2.35	1.32	8.02	3.71	6.81	0.03	1.83	37.81
2008	0.41	0.33	1.00	1.98	8.52	4.60	0.64	0.97	3.02	5.13	0.90	1.29	28.79
2009	0.64	0.88	1.18	1.46	0.38	6.11	1.57	4.28	2.33	3.73	0.40	2.00	24.96
2010	0.78	0.93	0.90	1.70	2.12	10.71	3.42	4.48	2.79	0.70	0.36	0.42	29.31
2011	1.56	0.59	0.84	3.53	5.13	3.12	1.45	2.23	0.62	1.08	0.10	0.79	21.04
2012	0.18	1.73	0.58	3.14	4.33	0.89	T	0.99	0.61	0.49	0.43	1.13	14.50
POR= 65 YRS	0.59	0.78	1.62	2.40	3.83	4.26	3.27	2.95	2.33	1.67	1.00	0.69	25.39

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AVERAGE TEMPERATURE (°F) 2012 NORFOLK (KOFK)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL
1983	24.5	29.5	37.1	43.6	57.2	69.8	78.2	81.0	66.6	52.2	37.0	6.9	48.6
1984	22.8	31.4	29.0	46.0	58.5	72.1	75.3	76.5	60.8	52.8	38.9	24.2	49.0
1985	18.1	23.4	41.3	54.5	64.6	67.4	73.9	70.0	60.7	51.1	25.0	17.4	47.3
1986	30.9	24.1	42.5	50.3	61.6	72.9	76.8	69.1	63.9	51.5	33.3	28.8	50.5
1987	27.3	35.7	39.4	54.2	66.0	73.1	77.7	70.0	64.0	46.2	40.6	29.0	51.9
1988	16.2	22.9	39.5	49.2	66.2	76.2	75.4	75.4	64.8	48.0	38.4	29.3	50.1
1989	30.6	15.2	34.0	53.2	59.9	68.3	76.9	73.5	62.6	52.1	34.6	15.6	48.0
1990	31.4	29.0	40.3	49.4	57.4	72.9	73.6	74.2	67.8	51.7	40.0	20.4	50.7
1991	17.2	34.7	40.4	52.8	64.5	75.0	76.0	74.6	65.4	49.2	28.8	31.0	50.8
1992	32.6	35.7	41.6	48.7	61.1	67.8	68.5	67.6	62.9	51.5	33.2	24.2	49.6
1993	17.7	18.1	33.8	46.7	60.1	67.7	73.3	72.9	59.3	50.2	33.1	29.4	46.9
1994	17.2	18.2	40.8	49.4	64.4	73.3	71.8	70.8	67.1	54.8	39.5	25.8	49.4
1995	22.7	31.5	36.8	45.7	55.7	69.9	76.6	78.0	62.1	51.5	34.8	26.8	49.3
1996	16.4	28.6	30.7	46.3	57.0	70.7	70.9	70.8	61.0	51.1	28.7	17.3	45.8
1997	17.1	27.8	39.7	42.8	55.4	71.0	74.7	71.5	65.4	52.7	33.4	28.7	48.4
1998	25.0	34.5	29.9	49.1	64.5	66.8	75.4	73.9	69.3	53.9	40.5	29.5	51.0
1999	22.5	34.5	38.5	48.8	60.4	67.4	77.2	71.6	61.5	51.5	45.1	30.5	50.8
2000	25.9	34.1	42.8	50.0	63.6	68.8	74.9	75.8	65.3	54.2	28.4	15.3	49.9
2001	24.9	18.6	33.6	51.8	61.8	70.5	77.3	74.0	64.0	52.3	46.5	30.2	50.5
2002	29.5	30.9	29.9	51.1	57.2	74.9	79.8	72.9	65.3	44.5	36.2	31.6	50.3
2003	23.3	24.7	39.2	51.4	57.9	68.5	76.0	75.8	61.0	54.7	35.8	30.1	49.9
2004	20.5	24.6	42.4	52.5	61.4	66.6	72.5	69.6	69.3	52.6	38.7	29.3	50.0
2005	20.8	33.9	40.0	53.0	60.0	73.1	77.6	73.7	69.9	53.9	40.7	23.5	51.7
2006	36.6	27.7	37.6	54.4	63.9	72.5	78.7	73.3	60.8	48.6	37.2	31.7	51.9
2007	21.6	20.6	44.7	49.0	64.7	71.2	76.5	75.4	64.2	54.5	38.8	20.0	50.1
2008	18.3	22.4	35.4	45.5	57.4	69.4	75.5	72.6	64.1	51.1	37.5	18.6	47.3
2009	21.6	28.8	36.5	47.6	61.3	68.3	70.3	70.0	63.1	43.7	43.2	17.4	47.7
2010	16.5	19.6	39.4	54.0	58.7	71.1	75.4	75.4	63.7	54.0	36.8	22.8	49.0
2011	15.8	24.5	36.2	48.2	59.7	69.9	79.6	74.2	59.9	54.5	38.4	27.7	49.1
2012	29.5	29.3	53.1	54.5	64.6	73.6	82.5	73.6	64.7	47.9	38.7	26.4	53.2
POR= 65 YRS	19.9	25.2	35.7	49.3	60.7	70.6	75.6	73.3	63.6	51.6	36.4	24.4	48.9

HEATING DEGREE DAYS (base 65°F) 2012 NORFOLK (KOFK)

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
1983-84	0	0	120	391	838	1798	1302	969	1109	563	220	6	7316
1984-85	0	1	196	375	775	1260	1451	1160	730	344	79	52	6423
1985-86	1	15	241	424	1195	1469	1048	1140	692	434	127	3	6789
1986-87	0	26	85	413	943	1114	1161	817	783	350	81	9	5782
1987-88	2	45	89	575	726	1110	1508	1218	783	469	61	6	6592
1988-89	4	14	96	520	790	1101	1063	1392	956	417	190	45	6588
1989-90	3	7	156	402	906	1531	1035	1002	759	500	238	19	6558
1990-91	4	0	87	425	739	1379	1477	843	755	381	149	1	6240
1991-92	0	0	130	489	1080	1048	1001	842	717	492	176	21	5996
1992-93	13	42	119	426	949	1259	1460	1308	962	545	167	52	7302
1993-94	0	11	188	473	952	1097	1472	1305	742	487	115	14	6856
1994-95	0	12	75	309	759	1209	1303	934	870	572	279	45	6367
1995-96	4	0	166	427	898	1178	1501	1051	1056	553	276	31	7141
1996-97	6	2	177	434	1080	1472	1475	1035	776	659	297	8	7421
1997-98	6	21	81	424	943	1117	1233	849	1082	471	101	82	6410
1998-99	0	0	38	339	727	1091	1313	849	814	477	164	60	5872
1999-00	1	3	161	415	590	1064	1207	888	682	448	105	36	5600
2000-01	3	3	128	338	1093	1537	1237	1293	966	417	156	42	7213
2001-02	0	1	104	399	549	1072	1096	946	1082	429	283	7	5968
2002-03	0	7	112	630	856	1028	1285	1125	796	422	230	40	6531
2003-04	0	0	174	331	871	1076	1374	1163	694	385	167	54	6289
2004-05	17	38	34	386	785	1101	1364	863	766	358	199	4	5915
2005-06	4	2	44	378	723	1279	872	1038	844	326	134	5	5649
2006-07	0	2	157	535	828	1026	1339	1238	621	501	83	12	6342
2007-08	0	0	119	344	779	1387	1441	1225	910	579	248	1	7033
2008-09	0	0	95	428	816	1429	1339	1008	877	525	161	66	6744
2009-10	6	24	85	654	645	1472	1497	1266	785	333	251	4	7022
2010-11	0	0	85	344	840	1300	1519	1127	885	498	213	19	6830
2011-12	0	0	194	349	792	1149	1095	1031	385	330	115	16	5456
2012-	0	11	108	523	781	1189							

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COOLING DEGREE DAYS (base 65°F) 2012 NORFOLK (KOFK)

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
1983	0	0	0	0	23	188	416	501	175	3	0	0	1306
1984	0	0	0	2	23	226	326	365	76	6	0	0	1024
1985	0	0	0	34	73	135	283	177	119	0	0	0	821
1986	0	0	4	1	30	249	372	159	56	0	0	0	871
1987	0	0	0	32	119	259	405	207	67	1	0	0	1090
1988	0	0	0	2	111	349	333	345	97	0	0	0	1237
1989	0	0	2	69	39	150	382	278	89	6	0	0	1015
1990	0	0	0	38	10	263	280	292	178	16	0	0	1077
1991	0	0	0	21	140	309	348	302	148	6	0	0	1274
1992	0	0	0	9	61	114	130	131	60	14	0	0	519
1993	0	0	0	0	25	141	263	259	23	20	0	0	731
1994	0	0	0	27	103	271	215	198	143	2	0	0	959
1995	0	0	0	0	0	197	368	408	87	17	0	0	1077
1996	0	0	0	0	36	209	198	187	65	10	0	0	705
1997	0	0	0	0	8	196	311	227	99	50	0	0	891
1998	0	0	0	2	94	142	328	284	173	3	0	0	1026
1999	0	0	0	0	24	139	384	215	62	4	0	0	828
2000	0	0	0	0	71	157	316	345	143	9	0	0	1041
2001	0	0	0	27	64	213	389	287	80	12	0	0	1072
2002	0	0	0	22	45	309	462	259	129	0	0	0	1226
2003	0	0	0	24	15	154	346	342	61	18	0	0	960
2004	0	0	0	16	63	107	255	186	168	7	0	0	802
2005	0	0	0	6	51	253	403	277	199	41	0	0	1230
2006	0	0	0	15	108	238	434	267	38	32	0	0	1132
2007	0	0	0	25	80	205	364	327	100	27	0	0	1128
2008	0	0	0	0	22	141	334	243	75	6	0	0	821
2009	0	0	0	9	53	171	180	186	33	0	0	0	632
2010	0	0	0	7	66	193	330	332	49	8	0	0	985
2011	0	0	0	0	59	171	461	290	45	33	0	0	1059
2012	0	0	21	20	111	281	548	286	106	0	0	0	1373

SNOWFALL (inches) 2012 NORFOLK (KOFK)

YEAR	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	TOTAL
1983-84	0.0	0.0	T	0.0	22.6	7.8	3.5	22.8	16.2	13.2	0.0	0.0	86.1
1984-85	0.0	0.0	T	0.4	1.1	5.6	3.1	0.9	6.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	17.9
1985-86	0.0	0.0	1.1	T	7.7	6.2	0.6	4.2	5.3	6.5	0.0	0.0	31.6
1986-87	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.7	2.6	3.3	4.2	5.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.8
1987-88	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	3.9	3.4	7.2	4.4	0.7	3.0	0.0	0.0	22.6
1988-89	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	2.1	3.8	5.8	6.7	0.1	T	0.0	23.5
1989-90	T	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	6.0	6.5	4.1	0.3	1.1	0.0	T	19.2
1990-91	0.0	T	0.0	0.4	8.6	5.0	9.5	1.9	8.8	0.0	T	T	34.2
1991-92	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.5	9.2	T	1.0	1.7	3.0	3.1	T	0.0	24.5
1992-93	0.0	T	0.0	T	2.6	7.7	13.0	17.8	3.2	0.2	T	T	44.5
1993-94	T	0.0	0.0	T	5.0	4.6	6.4	8.4	0.5	5.3	T	0.0	30.2
1994-95	T	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	10.1	3.3	1.4	9.8	2.9	0.0	0.0	29.0
1995-96	T	0.0	T	1.1	1.6	6.6	13.3	0.1	6.7	3.6	0.0	T	33.0
1996-97	T	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.1	8.0	2.8	8.2	0.1	12.6	0.0	0.0	36.8
1997-98	0.0	T	0.0	2.9	0.8	3.1	1.5	0.6	12.9	0.2	T	T	22.0
1998-99	0.0	0.0	T	T	3.9	3.9	4.2	8.7	2.5	T	0.0	0.0	23.2
1999-00	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	2.8	1.2	3.8	0.5	T	0.0	0.0	9.8
2000-01	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.5	3.4	10.9	3.0	1.0	T	0.0	0.0	26.8
2001-02	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	1.0	6.6	3.0	7.6	T	T	0.0	18.2
2002-03	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	2.8	0.5	9.0	5.5	2.8	5.6	T	0.0	30.0
2003-04	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	2.0	8.8	11.2	7.6	T	0.0	0.0	31.1
2004-05	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	T	6.9	2.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.4
2005-06	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.6	3.3	T	2.4	18.4	T	0.0	0.0	36.7
2006-07	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	T	T	12.7	7.6	2.1	T	0.0	0.0	22.4
2007-08	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	14.1	9.2	3.7	1.2	3.4	0.0	0.0	31.6
2008-09	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	15.6	8.5	5.1	1.1	2.0	0.0	0.0	34.9
2009-10	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	0.0	30.8	9.2	10.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	55.0
2010-11	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	2.3	4.6	19.1	3.1	7.6	3.8	0.0	0.0	40.5
2011-12	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	8.1	2.1	5.1	T	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.3
2012-	0.0	0.0	0.0	T	T	7.5							
POR= 65 YRS	T	T	T	0.5	3.3	6.2	6.3	5.8	6.0	1.9	T	T	30.0

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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.

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 NORFOLK NEBRASKA (KOFK)

Norfolk is located in northeastern Nebraska, in the valley of the Elkhorn River. The city of Norfolk lies at an average elevation of 1,550 feet above sea level. The surrounding country is moderately rolling in all directions. The terrain becomes more level to the south and southwest. Norfolk is situated near the western limit of the Corn Belt. To the east the climate and soils are favorable for diversified farming and dairying. To the west precipitation becomes lighter, and the farming country gives way to the grazing lands of the Great Plains. There are no local topographic features of sufficient importance to affect the climate of the area.

Northeast Nebraska has a climate typical of the interior of large continents in middle latitudes. The rainfall is moderate. Summers are hot and winters cold, and there are great variations in temperature and precipitation from day to day and from season to season. Most of the moisture which falls over this area is brought in from the Gulf of Mexico. The rapid changes in temperature are caused by the interchange of warm air from the south and southwest with cold air from the north. The rapid day to day changes in weather conditions produce an invigorating and healthful climate in northeast Nebraska.

Daily temperature ranges of 30 to 40 degrees are not uncommon. Summertime precipitation is almost wholly in the form of showers and thunderstorms. Practically all precipitation in the colder months is in the form of snow. As a rule, nearly 85 percent of the snowfall occurs from December to March and the ground is covered by snow during this period.

Norfolk is subject to the strong and persistent winds which prevail over the Great Plains states. Winds of 40 to 50 mph are not uncommon in this area, and gusts up to 100 mph have been recorded at Norfolk. Prevailing winds are from the south and southwest from May through September, with prevailing northwesterly winds during the remainder of the year.

Based on the 1951-1980 period, the average first occurrence of 32 degrees Fahrenheit in the fall is October 5 and the average last occurrence in the spring is May 1.

Station History

NORFOLK, NE

NAME	Begin Date	End Date	Latitude	Longitude	Elevation Feet	Relocation	Platform
NORFOLK MUNICIPAL AP	1947-12-01	1951-12-01	41° 58'	-97° 25'	1544		AIRWAYS, COOP
NORFOLK CITY AUDITORIUM	1945-10-01	1946-09-30	42° 1'	-97° 25'			WXSVC
NORFOLK KARL STEFAN MEMORIAL AP	2004-07-09	Present	41° 59'	-97° 26'	1551		ASOS, COOP, WXSVC
NORFOLK KARL STEFAN FIELD	1951-12-01	1965-07-01	41° 58'	-97° 25'	1544		AIRWAYS, COOP
NORFOLK KARL STEFAN MEMORIAL AP	1996-04-01	2004-07-09	41° 58'	-97° 26'	1550		ASOS, COOP, WXSVC
NORFOLK MUNICIPAL AP	1946-10-05	1947-12-01	41° 58'	-97° 25'	1545		AIRWAYS
NORFOLK KARL STEFAN MEMORIAL AP	1965-07-01	1973-01-01	41° 58'	-97° 25'	1544		AIRWAYS, COOP
NORFOLK KARL STEFAN MEMORIAL AP	1973-01-01	1996-04-01	41° 58'	-97° 25'	1544		COOP, WXSVC

Element History

Element	Begin Date	End Date	Frequency	Time Of Observation	Equipment *	Equipment * Modifications	Equipment Exposure
PRECIP	1946-10-05	1982-01-01	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
PRECIP	1988-01-25	1995-07-01	HOURLY	2400			
PRECIP	1995-07-01	1996-04-01	HOURLY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
PRECIP	1996-04-01	2004-07-09	HOURLY	2400	TB	RCRD	
PRECIP	1982-01-01	1988-01-25	HOURLY	2400			
TEMP	1988-01-25	1995-07-01	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
TEMP	1946-10-05	1982-01-01	DAILY	2400			
TEMP	1982-01-01	1988-01-25	DAILY	2400			
PRECIP	1995-07-01	1996-04-01	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
PRECIP	2004-07-09	Present	DAILY	2400	PCPN1		
TEMP	1995-07-01	1996-04-01	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
TEMP	1996-04-01	2004-07-09	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
PRECIP	1982-01-01	1988-01-25	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
PRECIP	1988-01-25	1995-07-01	DAILY	2400	UNIV	RCRD	
TEMP	2004-07-09	Present	DAILY	2400	HYGR		
PRECIP	1996-04-01	2004-07-09	DAILY	2400	TB	RCRD	
PRECIP	2004-07-09	Present	HOURLY	2400	TB	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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