

Climate Data, Delaware 2002

Percent Probability of Last 32-Degree F. Temperature Occurring On Or After Date In Spring

Station	10% 1 Yr. In 10	33% 1 Yr. In 3	50% 1 Yr. In 2	67% 2 Yrs. In 3	90% 9 Yrs. In 10
Wilmington	Apr 24	Apr 16	Apr 12	Apr 08	Mar 31
Newark	May 10	Apr 29	Apr 23	Apr 17	Apr 06
Dover	Apr 19	Apr 12	Apr 08	Apr 04	Mar 28
Georgetown	May 06	Apr 27	Apr 22	Apr 17	Apr 08

Percent Probability Of First 32-Degree F. Temperature Occurring On Or Before Date In Fall

Station	10% 1 Yr. In 10	33% 1 Yr. In 3	50% 1 Yr. In 2	67% 2 Yrs. In 3	90% 9 Yrs. In 10
Wilmington	Oct 15	Oct 24	Oct 29	Nov 03	Nov12
Newark	Oct 05	Oct 15	Oct 20	Oct 25	Nov03
Dover	Oct 14	Oct 22	Oct 27	Nov 01	Nov 09
Georgetown	Oct 02	Oct 11	Oct 16	Oct 21`	Oct 30

Precipitation¹: Monthly & Annual by County & State, with Departures 2002 Delaware

Month	New Castle		Kent		Sussex		State	
	Total Precipitation	Departure from Normal						
January	2.72	-0.71	2.57	-1.37	2.83	-1.18	2.73	-1.17
February	0.43	-2.38	0.61	-2.43	1.08	-2.14	0.83	-2.27
March	4.05	0.08	4.40	---	4.86	0.41	4.59	0.23
April	2.26	-1.13	4.45	0.98	3.76	0.22	3.75	0.25
May	3.40	-0.75	3.79	-0.50	3.31	-0.60	3.48	-0.59
June	4.96	1.37	4.82	1.05	2.41	-0.74	3.58	0.16
July	1.40	-2.88	2.82	-1.34	3.26	-0.93	2.83	-1.36
August	2.03	-1.48	2.28	-2.45	2.89	-2.45	2.56	-2.30
September	3.42	-0.59	5.81	1.25	7.82	4.05	6.49	2.43
October	6.16	3.08	8.82	5.56	7.62	4.20	7.78	4.46
November	4.47	1.28	6.20	3.04	6.84	3.51	6.27	3.01
December	4.50	1.10	4.92	1.42	3.61	- .06	4.17	0.59
Annual Total	39.80	-3.01	51.49	5.21	50.29	4.29	49.04	3.44

Temperatures¹: Monthly & Annual by County & State, with Departures 2002 Delaware

Month	New Castle		Kent		Sussex		State	
	Average Temperature	Departure from Normal						
January	37.8	6.3	40.5	5.2	43.0	6.6	41.4	6.1
February	39.4	5.2	42.5	4.8	44.7	6.4	43.2	5.7
March	44.3	1.6	47.8	2.4	49.0	3.4	47.9	2.8
April	55.7	3.3	58.1	3.5	59.8	5.2	58.6	4.4
May	62.9	-0.4	63.7	-0.6	65.4	1.4	64.5	0.5
June	71.8	0.3	74.2	1.3	75.1	2.6	74.3	1.8
July	77.5	0.9	78.9	1.1	79.4	2.1	78.9	1.6
August	77.8	2.8	78.9	2.7	78.9	3.0	78.7	2.9
September	69.3	1.6	71.1	1.2	72.3	2.1	71.4	1.7
October	55.5	-0.3	58.6	-0.2	61.4	2.2	59.6	1.0
November	43.6	-2.3	46.7	-2.5	49.0	-1.0	47.4	-1.7
December	34.3	-2.1	36.5	-3.4	39.4	-1.7	37.7	-2.3
Annual Average	55.8	1.4	58.1	1.3	59.8	2.7	58.6	2.0

¹ Source: National Climatic Data Center, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration.