

**AMERICAN GAS ASSOCIATION  
Interoffice Memorandum**

TO: Distribution

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SUBJECT: Weekly Cooling Degree Day Data

**COOLING DEGREE DAY SUMMARY**

For the week ending May 9, the weather in the United States was 15.4 percent cooler than last year and was 21.4 percent cooler than normal. All regions were cooler than last year except the New England, E.N. Central, W.S. Centreal, and Mountain regions. All regions were cooler than normal except the New England, South Atlantic, and Mountain regions. For the month of April, the weather in the United States was 18.6 percent warmer than last year and 83.3 percent warmer than normal.

**WEEKLY COMPARISON**

<b>Week</b>				<b>% Change: 2026</b>		<b>% Change: 2026</b>	
<b>Ending</b>	2026	2025	Normal	<b>From 2025</b>		<b>From Normal</b>	
05/02/26	12	17	12	29.4	Cooler	-	nc
05/09/26	11	13	14	15.4	Cooler	21.4	Cooler
<b>Cumulative</b>	23	30	26	23.3	Cooler	11.5	Cooler

**MONTHLY COMPARISON COOLING DEGREE DATA**

<b>Month</b>				<b>% Change: 2026</b>		<b>% Change: 2026</b>	
<b>Ending</b>	2026	2025	Normal	<b>From 2025</b>		<b>From Normal</b>	
April	55	48	30	14.6	Warmer	83.3	Warmer

**COOLING DEGREE DAYS BY CENSUS REGION FOR THE WEEK ENDING: May 9, 2026**

Region	2026	2025	Normal	% Change: 2026		% Change: 2026	
				From 2025		From Normal	
New England	0	0	0	0.0	nc	0.0	nc
Middle Atlantic	0	1	1	100.0	Cooler	100.0	Cooler
E N Central	0	0	5	0.0	nc	100.0	Cooler
W N Central	1	3	7	66.7	Cooler	85.7	Cooler
South Atlantic	30	42	28	28.6	Cooler	7.1	Warmer
E S Central	11	15	19	26.7	Cooler	42.1	Cooler
W S Central	33	30	42	10.0	Warmer	21.4	Cooler
Mountain	15	9	14	66.7	Warmer	7.1	Warmer
Pacific	2	3	6	33.3	Cooler	66.7	Cooler
United States	11	13	14	15.4	Cooler	21.4	Cooler

**CUMULATIVE COOLING DEGREE DAYS BY CENSUS REGION**

Region	2026	2025	Normal	% Change: 2026		% Change: 2026	
				From 2025		From Normal	
New England	0	0	0	0.0	nc	0.0	nc
Middle Atlantic	0	2	1	100.0	Cooler	100.0	Cooler
E N Central	0	0	7	0.0	nc	100.0	Cooler
W N Central	2	5	11	60.0	Cooler	81.8	Cooler
South Atlantic	57	82	52	30.5	Cooler	9.6	Warmer
E S Central	27	53	30	49.1	Cooler	10.0	Cooler
W S Central	82	89	76	7.9	Cooler	7.9	Warmer
Mountain	21	14	26	50.0	Warmer	19.2	Cooler
Pacific	2	3	11	33.3	Cooler	81.8	Cooler
United States	23	30	26	23.3	Cooler	11.5	Cooler

The regional degree day statistics stated in this memo are weighted by electric home air conditioning customers instead of population.

The definition of cooling degree days is a measure of the need for air conditioning (cooling) based on temperature and humidity.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.