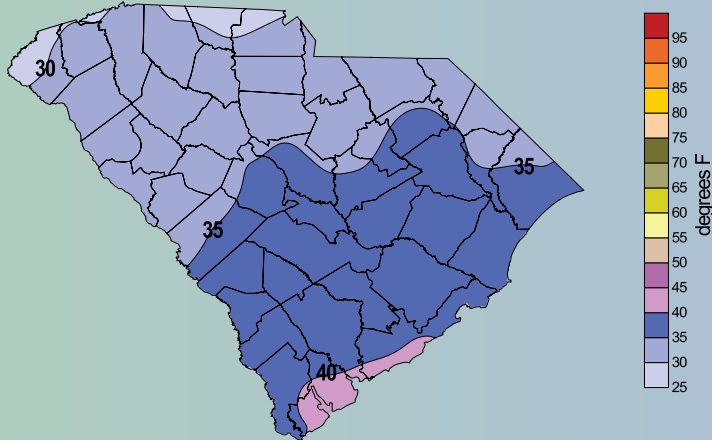
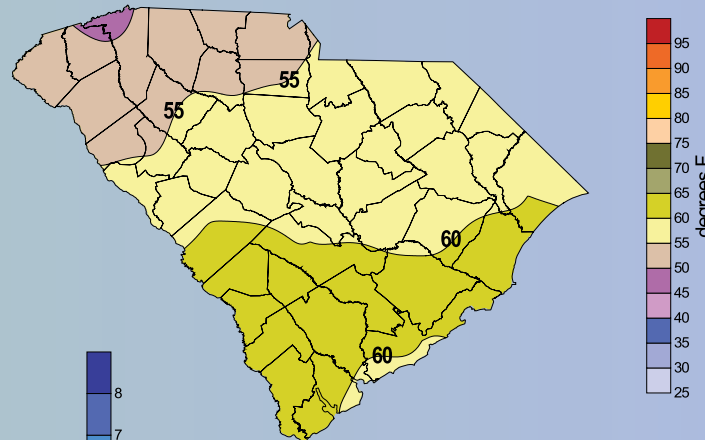


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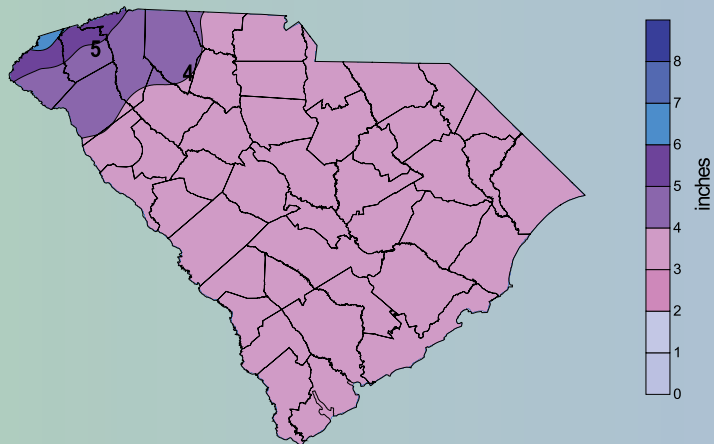
**December Average Minimum Temperature
(1971-2000)**



**December Average Maximum Temperature
(1971-2000)**



**December Average Precipitation
(1971-2000)**



December Normals, Means, Extremes

Element	Charleston	Columbia	Greer
TEMPERATURE (DEGREES F)			
MEAN DAILY MAXIMUM	61.3	58.4	53.3
HIGHEST DAILY MAX.	83	83	76
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1972	1978	1998
MEAN DAILY MINIMUM	39.4	35	33.7
LOWEST DAILY MINIMUM	8	4	5
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1962	1958	1985
NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH			
MAXIMUM \geq 90	0	0	0
MAXIMUM \leq 32	0.1	0.2	0.4
MINIMUM \leq 32	9.2	14.7	15.4
RELATIVE HUMIDITY (%)	72	71	68
% POSSIBLE SUNSHINE	56	59	54
MEAN NO. DAYS WITH			
HEAVY FOG (VISBY \leq 1/4 MI)	3.6	3	4.6
THUNDERSTORMS	0.6	0.4	0.5
CLEAR	9.4	10.1	11
PARTLY CLOUDY	7.1	6.1	5.8
CLOUDY	14.5	14.7	14.2
MEAN WIND SPEED (MPH)	8.4	6.6	7.4
PREVAIL. DIRECTION	NNE	WSW	NE
PRECIPITATION NORMAL (IN)	3.24	3.38	3.86
MAXIMUM MONTHLY (IN)	7.09	8.54	8.45
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1953	1981	1983
MINIMUM MONTHLY (IN)	0.66	0.32	0.37
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1984	1955	1965
MAXIMUM 24 HOURS (IN)	3.4	3.18	3
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1978	1970	1972
NORMAL NO. DAYS WITH			
PRECIPITATION \geq 0.01	8.4	9.2	10
PRECIPITATION \geq 1	0.9	1	1.1
SNOWFALL NORMAL (IN)	0.5	0.1	0.7
MAXIMUM MONTHLY (IN)	8	9.1	11.4
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1989	1958	1971
MAXIMUM 24 HOURS (IN)	6.6	8.8	11.4
YEAR OF OCCURRENCE	1989	1958	1971

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