

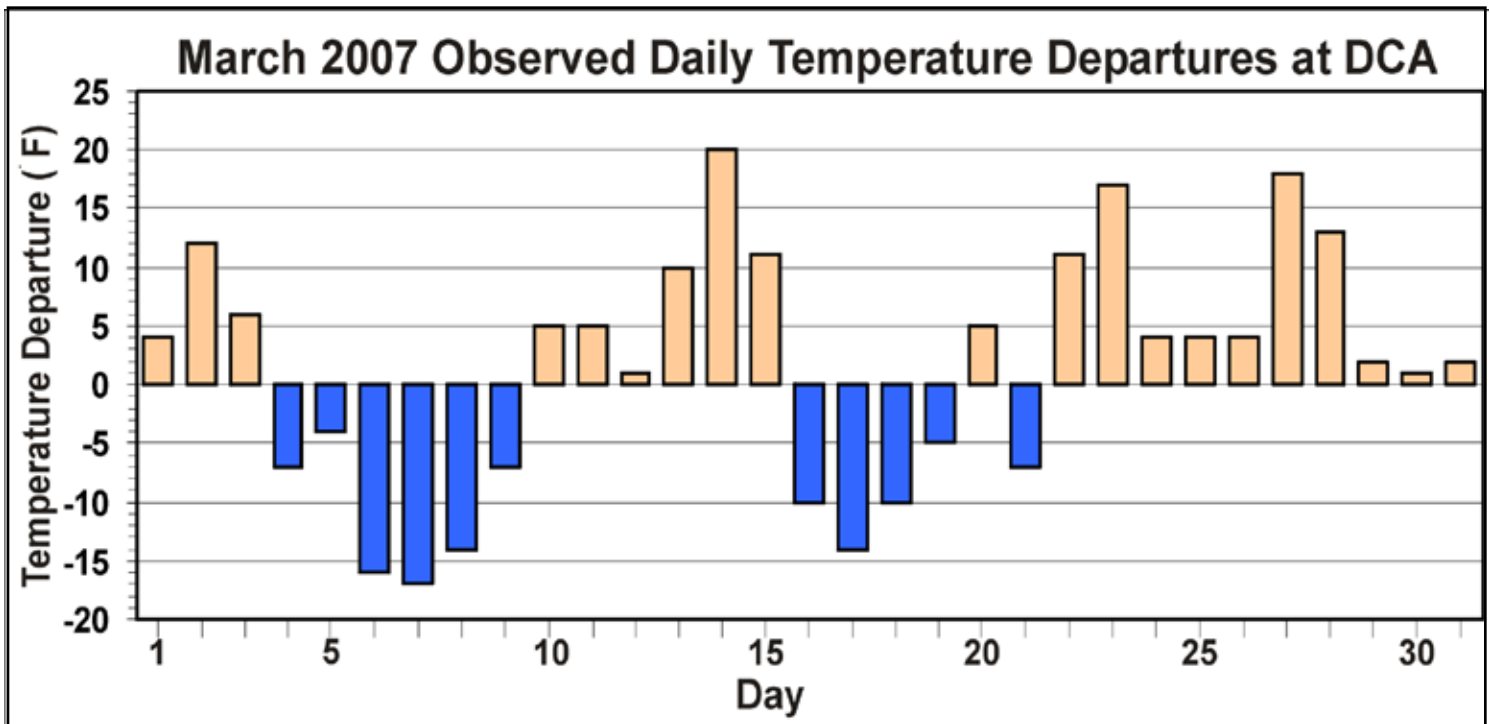


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PREcipitation Summary and Temperature Observations
For the Washington, DC & Baltimore, MD Area



MARCH 2007: Wild Swings In Temperature Across Washington/Baltimore Area



March Highlights

- ✦ Above normal temperatures and near normal precipitation across the area
- ✦ Two days with highs at or above 80°F and 7 days with highs at or above 70°F at DCA, BWI and IAD
- ✦ Five days with highs below 40°F at BWI and IAD
- ✦ On 5th, wind gusts up to 50 mph resulted in tree damage and loss of power to portions of Montgomery County, MD, and Rockingham and Augusta Counties in Virginia
- ✦ Lows plummeted to teens at most locations from 6th-8th; IAD reading of 11°F and BWI low of 14°F is lowest since March 10, 1996
- ✦ First March day (7th) with a subfreezing high at DCA since March 9, 1999
- ✦ On 7th, about 2" of snow fell across the D.C. area with more than 5" reported in parts of Frederick County, MD
- ✦ On 15th-16th, more than 2 inches of rain soaked the metro area, resulting in numerous road closures; Precipitation ended as sleet and then snow with as much as 8" of snow in Frederick County, MD