

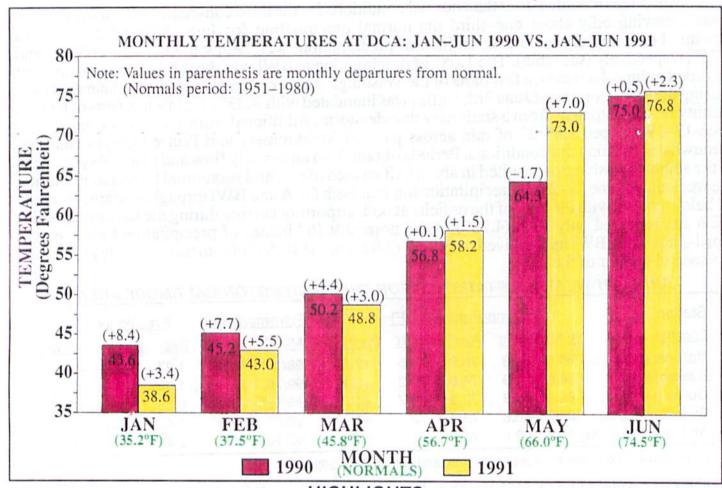




PRECIPITATION SUMMARY AND TEMPERATURE OBSERVATIONS FOR THE WASHINGTON, DC & BALTIMORE, MD AREA

JUNE 1991

WARMEST JANUARY-JUNE ON RECORD AT DCA SURPASSING THE SAME SIX-MONTH PERIOD OF 1990 (THE WARMEST YEAR ON RECORD).



HIGHLIGHTS:

- Most number of 90°F or greater readings (23) in Washington during March 1—June 30 period.
- 40% of days during June recorded temperatures at or above 90°F at DCA.
- Ninth consecutive warmer than normal month in Washington— the second longest such period on record.
- Third consecutive month with less than 2" of rain at DCA and BWI (longest stretch since Mar

 –June '86 at DCA and July

 –Sept '83 at BWI).
- Driest start to a year in Washington since 1986.
- Fourth wettest June ever recorded at IAD and also the most rain in June since 1975.

Andrew H. Horvitz and Ralph E. Meiggs 763–8402 Satellite Data Services Division, NCDC/NESDIS/NOAA

Joe Harrison, 763–4670 Climate Analysis Center, NMC/NWS/NOAA

(for more details turn over)