All-Time EXTREMES for Poughkeepsie, NY

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Temperature (Degrees Fahrenheit)

Record	Measurement	Date(s)
Lowest	-30°F	January 21, 1961
Highest	104°F	August 1, 1933
Low Maximum	1°F	January 15, 1957
High Minimum	80°F	August 2, 2006
Coldest Month	14.0°F	February 1934
Warmest Month	77.8°F	July 2020
Coldest Year	47.5°F	1958
Warmest Year	53.4°F	1941 & 2012
Shortest Growing Season	113 days	May 24 - September 15, 1963
Longest Growing Season	197 days	April 14 - October 29, 1942

Record	Measurement	Date(s)
Earliest First 32°F or below	32°F	September 15, 1963
Latest First 32°F or below	30°F	November 5, 1971
Earliest Last 32°F or below	32°F	March 31, 1941
Latest Last 32°F or below	32°F	May 25, 1949
Most # of Days -20°F or below in a Year	3 days	1961
Most # of Days zero or below in a Year	23 days	1970
Most # of Days zero or below in a Month	19 days	January 1970
Most Consecutive Days Lows -20°F or below	2 days	January 21-22, 1994 & 1961
		January 11-12, 1968
Most Consecutive Days Lows zero or below	12 days	January 19-30, 1961
Most Consecutive Days Highs 32°F or less	23 days	January 23 - February 14, 1936

Record	Measurement	Date(s)
Earliest 80+ degrees	82°F	March 9, 2016
Latest First 80+ degrees	82°F	May 26, 1931
Latest 80+ degrees	80°F	November 6, 2024
Least # of Days 80+ in a Year	58 days	1992
Most # of Days 80+ in a Year	113 days	1941
Most Consecutive Days Highs 80+	48 days	July 10 – August 26, 2015
Earliest 90+ degrees	90°F	April 7, 2010
Latest First 90+ degrees	90°F	July 26, 1951
Latest 90+ degrees	90°F	October 5, 1941
Earliest Heat Wave / 90+ for 3+ days		April 17-19, 1976
Latest Heat Wave / 90+ for 3+ days		September 10-12, 1961
Most # of Days 90+ in a Month	17 days	July 1955 & July 2020
Years with no 90+ days		None
Most # of Days 90+ in a Year	38 days	1943
Most Consecutive Days Highs 90+	12 days	August 28 - September 5, 1953
Most # of Days 100+ in a Year	7 days	1933
Most Consecutive Days Highs 100+	3 days	Jul 30-Aug 1, 1933 & Jul 18-20, 1991

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Degree Days (base 65)

Cooling Degree Days (CDD) January 1st - December 31st / Heating Degree Days (HDD) July 1st - June 30th

Record	Measurement	Date(s)
Greatest CDD Monthly	403	July 2020
Greatest HDD Monthly	1567	January 1970
Least CDD Year	386	2000
Least HDD Season	4758	2011-12
Greatest CDD Year	1056	2005
Greatest HDD Season	6926	1962-63

Precipitation (Inches)

Record	Measurement	Date(s)
Wettest Date	7.57 inches	October 8, 2005
Driest Month	0.15 inches	March 1981
Wettest Month	17.59 inches	October 2005
Driest Year	24.52 inches	1964
Wettest Year	62.01 inches	2011
Most Consecutive Days with No Measurable	35 days	September 23 - October 27, 1947