OCTOBER 2007: Warmest October On Record
In Washington and at IAD

Five Warmest Octobers on Record at Washington and IAD

October Highlights

- Warmest October ever recorded at DCA (+8.2°F) and IAD (+8.6°F); and 5th warmest at BWI (8.0°F)
- Highs at or above 90°F from 7th-9th including record 94°F at all three major airports
- First occurrence at IAD of 3 consecutive days at or above 90°F in October
- Greatest number of days at or above 80°F in October: DCA, 15; IAD, 12; BWI, 11
- First freeze of season at IAD (31°F) on 29th
- Fifth month in last sixth and 15th in last 22 months with above normal readings at DCA
- DCA records a record 34 days without measurable precipitation; ends on 19th
- Beneficial rains of 3"-7" from 24th-27th across area lessen severe drought conditions
- IAD annual precipitation departure for January through October: -12.86"

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