

Snow Cover History

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Year	Date of first snow cover greater than ...		Date of last snow cover greater than ...		Days of snow cover greater than ...		January median temp.	Comments
	1 inch	8 inches	8 inches	1 inch	1 inch	8 inches		
49-50	2/26/50			3/17/50	4		45.6	
50-51	11/26/50			3/26/51	9		38.5	
51-52	12/15/51			3/3/52	11		40.5	
52-53	11/30/52			3/9/53	10		40.7	
53-54	11/7/53	11/7/53	11/7/53	1/25/54	13	1	36.5	
54-55	11/3/54			1/15/55	8		36.1	
55-56	11/19/55			3/19/56	10		36.1	
56-57	1/7/57			4/13/57	12		34.3	
57-58	11/23/57	2/16/58	3/10/58	3/14/58	21	5	33.5	
58-59	12/14/58			4/13/59	7		34.7	
59-60	1/6/60	3/3/60	3/19/60	3/26/60	40	14	38.0	
60-61	12/12/60	1/20/61	2/16/61	2/18/61	50	17	31.8	
61-62	11/20/61	3/6/62	3/11/62	3/14/62	42	6	34.5	
62-63	12/21/62	12/22/62	12/26/62	3/12/63	28	3	32.3	
63-64	12/23/63	2/11/64	2/12/64	3/30/64	44	2	37.6	
64-65	1/11/65			3/20/65	20		35.4	
65-66	12/21/65	1/27/66	2/10/66	2/27/66	26	15	32.0	
66-67	12/13/66	12/25/66	12/25/66	2/22/67	37	1	40.2	
67-68	11/30/67			3/2/68	36		31.3	
68-69	11/10/68	3/2/69	3/2/69	3/10/69	17	1	32.2	
69-70	12/26/69	12/26/69	12/30/69	2/18/70	35	5	30.0	
70-71	1/1/71	1/1/71	3/27/71	4/7/71	25	6	32.4	
71-72	11/25/71	2/19/72	2/19/72	2/24/72	14	1	38.6	
72-73	1/9/73			3/22/73	10		37.6	
73-74	12/17/73			3/13/74	14		42.1	
74-75	12/1/74			3/15/75	21		38.9	
75-76	12/21/75			3/11/76	5		31.3	
76-77	11/12/76			2/4/77	36		24.9	
77-78	11/28/77	1/20/78	2/4/78	3/14/78	63	13	28.5	
78-79	1/6/79	2/13/79	2/23/79	2/25/79	22	7	32.7	
79-80	10/10/79	1/5/80	3/4/80	3/15/80	35	7	35.4	
80-81	1/1/81			3/19/81	2		31.5	
81-82	11/24/81	1/15/82	2/28/82	3/2/82	34	2	27.5	
82-83	12/12/82	2/11/83	2/12/83	2/25/83	7	2	34.8	

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83-84	3/13/84			3/13/84	1		32.2	
84-85	1/17/85			2/2/85	5		30.8	
85-86							36.2	no snow cover
86-87	1/2/87	1/22/87	1/29/87	2/19/87	13	6	33.7	
87-88							31.6	no snow cover
88-89							42.9	no snow cover
89-90							44.1	no snow cover
90-91	12/28/90			12/28/90	1		38.4	
91-92							37.5	no snow cover
92-93	2/27/93			2/27/93	1		37.4	
93-94	1/1/94	3/3/94	3/3/94	3/3/94	3	1	27.2	
94-95	1/7/95	1/31/95	1/31/95	2/15/95	14	1	38.7	
95-96	1/8/96	1/8/96	2/8/96	3/8/96	16	12	34.4	
96-97	12/6/96			2/14/97	15		35.5	
Median Values								
	17-Dec	24-Jan	14-Feb	9-Mar	14	5	35.1	