

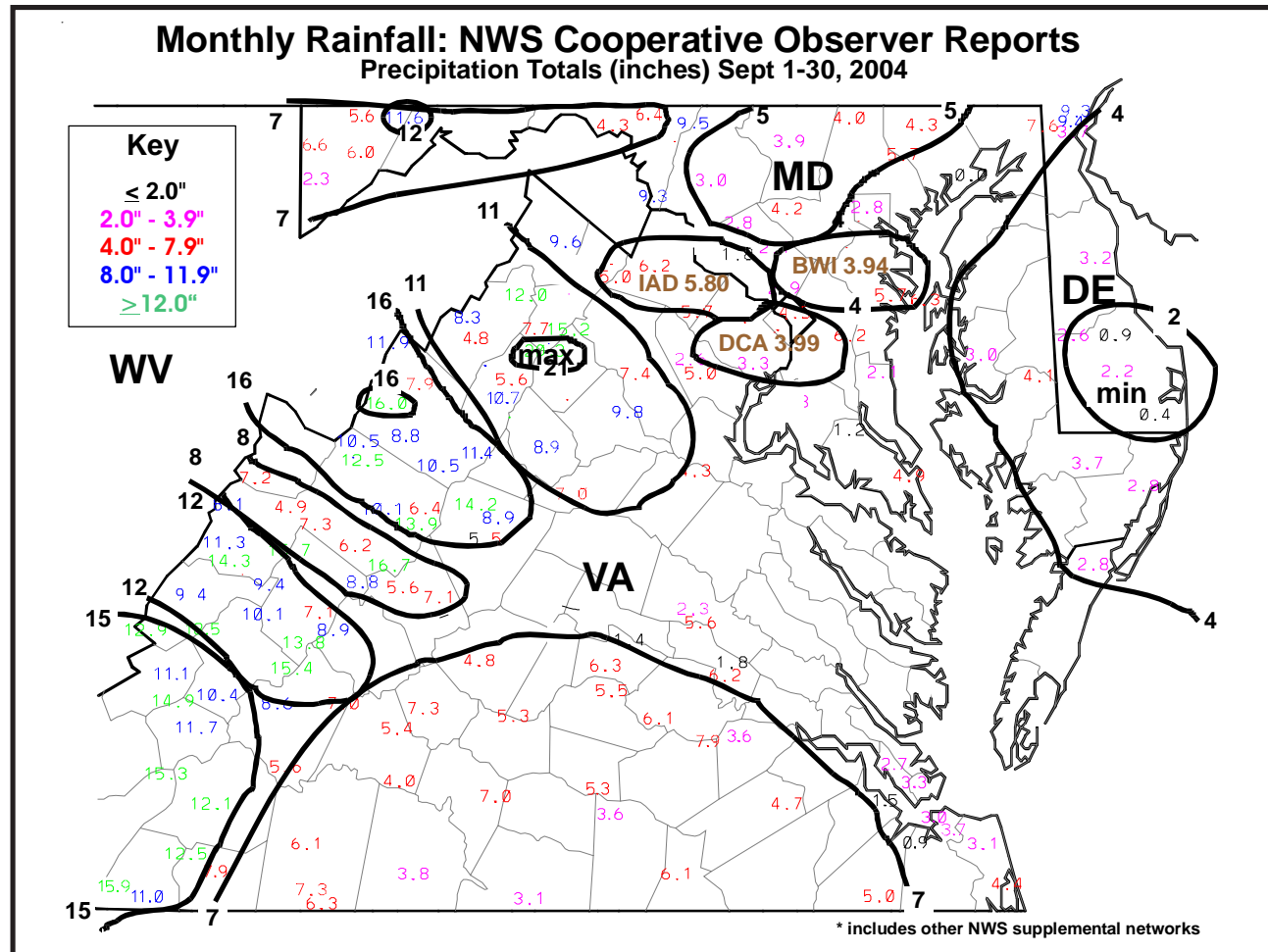


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PRECipitation Summary and Temperature Observations
For the Washington, DC & Baltimore, MD Area



SEPTEMBER: Remnants of Three Tropical Systems Batter Region with Severe Weather, Flooding



Monthly Highlights

- ◆ Above normal temperatures across the Washington/Baltimore area
- ◆ At or above normal highs on 24 days at DCA
- ◆ No days with highs at or above 90°F at DCA
- ◆ Only 11 days with highs at or above 90°F in 2004 at DCA (the fewest since 1905) and BWI, and 8 at IAD
- ◆ Precipitation near normal at DCA and Baltimore, well above normal at IAD, and amounts exceeding a foot well north and west of area.
- ◆ Remnants from three tropical systems, Frances, Ivan and Jeanne resulted in significant impacts to region with tornadoes and flooding. Storms cause two fatalities, thousands of homes damaged and numerous destroyed, businesses damaged, power outages, flooded roadways, streams and rivers, according to press reports (see details on summary page)