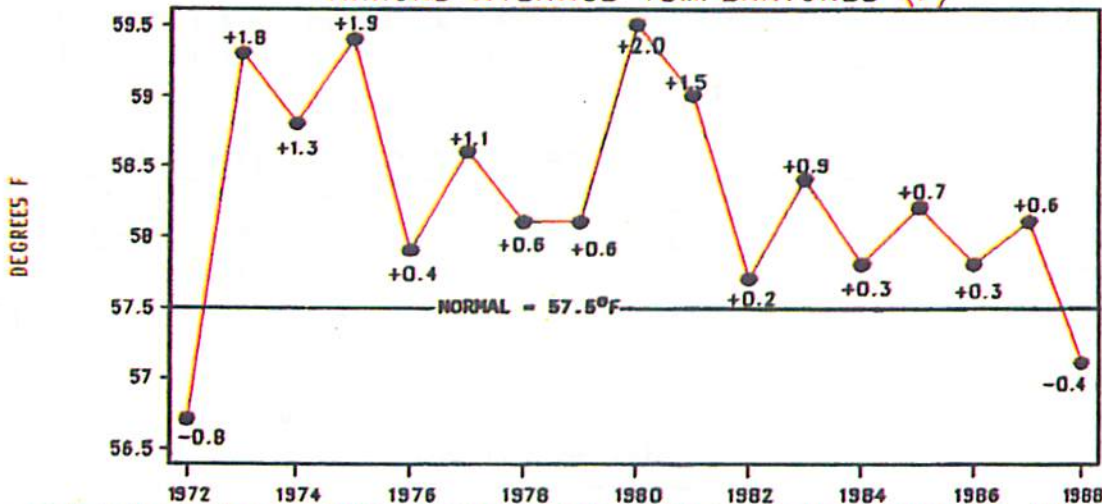


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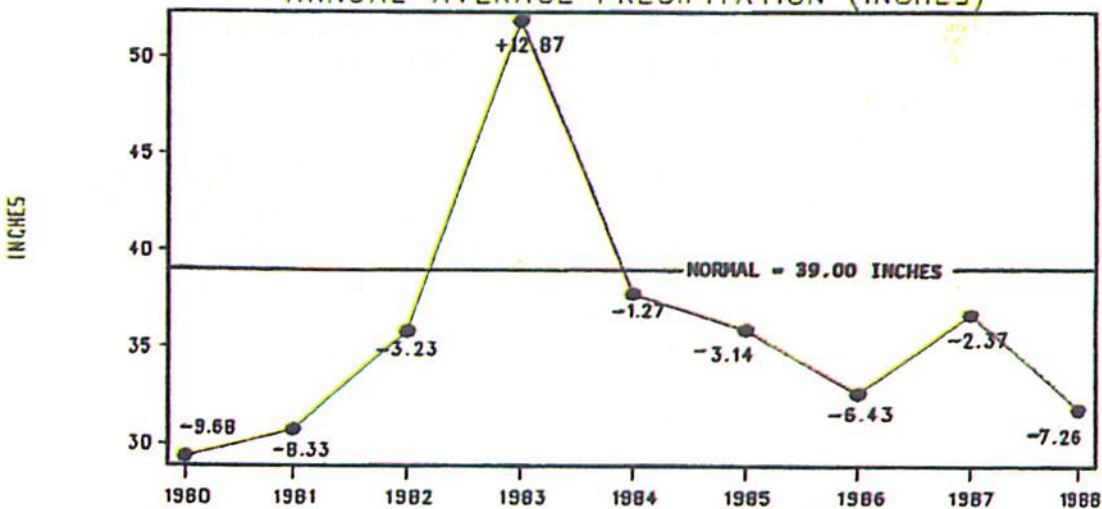
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ANNUAL AVERAGE TEMPERATURES (F)



**FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1972, DCA'S TEMPERATURES AVERAGED BELOW NORMAL EVEN AFTER AN UNSEASONABLY WARM SUMMER;**

WASHINGTON NATIONAL AIRPORT (DCA)  
ANNUAL AVERAGE PRECIPITATION (INCHES)



**FIFTH CONSECUTIVE AND 8 OUT OF THE LAST 9 YEARS DRIER THAN NORMAL AT BOTH WASHINGTON/NATIONAL (DCA) AND BALTIMORE/WASHINGTON (BWI) AIRPORTS.**

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