

## SUNSHINE GUIDE TO THE SAVANNAH AREA, GEORGIA

LOCATION: The gracious old Southern city of Savannah is located on Georgia's Atlantic coast near the border with South Carolina. The city is situated on the south bank of the Savannah River (South Carolina has the north bank), near the head of that river's delta. Elevations are generally within a hundred feet of sea level. The city is noted for its antebellum homes and stylish city planning.

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
HOURS OF DAYLIGHT	10:19	11:02	11:58	12:57	13:47	14:13	14:02	13:20	12:24	11:25	10:34	10:06
HOURS OF SUNSHINE	5:35	6:19	7:31	8:57	9:27	9:15	8:36	8:06	7:16	7:14	6:36	5:26
AREA OF BLUE SKY	44%	45%	48%	52%	50%	45%	42%	43%	45%	54%	48%	46%
LOW FOR MONTH	23°	26°	31°	40°	51°	61°	67°	66°	57°	42°	30°	24°
SUNRISE TEMPERATURE	42°	44°	50°	56°	64°	70°	73°	73°	69°	59°	49°	43°
AFTERNOON TEMPERATURE	61°	63°	69°	76°	83°	88°	90°	89°	85°	77°	68°	62°
HIGH FOR MONTH	76°	79°	84°	89°	94°	98°	98°	97°	94°	89°	82°	78°
FROSTY MORNINGS	17%	13%	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	14%
AFTERNOONS OVER 90°	0%	0%	0%	2%	12%	33%	49%	45%	17%	1%	0%	0%
AFTERNOON HUMIDITY	56%	53%	50%	49%	52%	56%	59%	60%	61%	55%	53%	56%
NEARBY WATERS	51°	52°	59°	67°	74°	81°	85°	85°	82°	73°	64°	54°
DRY DAYS	71%	68%	71%	75%	72%	62%	55%	57%	65%	79%	78%	73%
REASONABLY DRY DAYS	80%	80%	80%	85%	80%	74%	69%	72%	78%	88%	89%	84%
5-DAY PRECIPITATION	0.47	0.57	0.57	0.49	0.53	0.93	1.06	1.16	0.94	0.46	0.35	0.46
SNOWY DAYS	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
THUNDER DAYS	3%	4%	8%	11%	18%	28%	43%	38%	18%	4%	1%	1%
FOGGY DAYS	12%	9%	8%	6%	7%	4%	2%	4%	8%	7%	12%	11%

COMMENTS: Bright sunshine is probable on 62% of the year's daylight hours. This might range from a low of 54% in December and January, to a high of 69% in April and May. The year's lowest temperature should be close to 19°, and the highest might well be near 100°. Sensible afternoon temperatures (the ones you actually feel) will be essentially the same as actual ones from September through May, and up to 6° hotter than actual ones during the summer. The area has a standard mid-latitude four-season year, with long, hot to very hot summers and short mild winters. Precipitation is abundant in all months. Summer afternoons are sunny, humid, and hot to very hot. Summer nights are generally warm and very humid. Winter afternoons are moderately sunny, moderately humid, and cool to mild. Very rarely will any afternoon fail to rise above freezing. Below-freezing nights occur about once a week during the three winter months. Snow is a rarity.