

## SUNSHINE GUIDE TO THE HAVANA AREA, CUBA

LOCATION: Havana, the capital of the island nation of Cuba, is located on the northwestern shore of the island. The city is situated on the western side of Havana Bay, which is the estuary of the Rio Martin Perez. City elevations are close to sea level.

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
HOURS OF DAYLIGHT	10:54	11:23	12:01	12:41	13:15	13:32	13:25	12:57	12:19	11:39	11:04	10:45
HOURS OF SUNSHINE	7:24	7:31	8:53	9:48	9:34	10:15	11:03	10:06	9:08	7:30	6:54	6:53
AREA OF BLUE SKY	52%	51%	56%	57%	50%	46%	49%	47%	44%	46%	48%	51%
LOW FOR MONTH	54°	54°	57°	61°	66°	70°	71°	71°	71°	67°	60°	55°
SUNRISE TEMPERATURE	64°	64°	67°	68°	72°	74°	74°	75°	74°	72°	69°	66°
AFTERNOON TEMPERATURE	79°	79°	81°	84°	86°	88°	89°	89°	88°	85°	82°	79°
HIGH FOR MONTH	86°	87°	88°	90°	91°	92°	92°	92°	92°	91°	88°	87°
FROSTY MORNINGS	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
AFTERNOONS OVER 90°	0%	1%	4%	10%	21%	31%	41%	46%	33%	9%	2%	0%
AFTERNOON HUMIDITY	65%	63%	60%	60%	64%	68%	66%	67%	69%	70%	68%	66%
NEARBY WATERS	75°	74°	75°	77°	80°	83°	85°	86°	85°	82°	79°	77°
DRY DAYS	78%	79%	83%	84%	72%	59%	67%	61%	56%	56%	71%	78%
REASONABLY DRY DAYS	85%	88%	90%	90%	81%	71%	77%	75%	70%	69%	82%	88%
5-DAY PRECIPITATION	0.44	0.35	0.30	0.35	0.73	1.05	0.74	0.81	0.99	1.09	0.50	0.35
SNOWY DAYS	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
THUNDER DAYS	2%	3%	4%	9%	23%	40%	47%	45%	40%	17%	3%	2%
FOGGY DAYS	3%	7%	6%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%

COMMENTS: Bright sunshine is likely on 72% of the year's daylight hours. This might range from a low of 62% in November, to a high of 82% in July. The year's lowest temperature should be close to 50°, and the highest should be near 94°. Sensible afternoon temperatures (the ones you actually feel) will be essentially the same as actual ones from November through May, and up to 10° (July and August) warmer than actual ones during the summer. Havana, like most of the Caribbean, has a sub-tropical two-season year. The high season runs from December through early May. It is somewhat less sunny, being the low-sun period, but temperatures are much more pleasant, and there are about half as many rainy days. The rainy season runs from late May through November, and corresponds to the tropical storm season. Afternoons are sunnier, but uncomfortably hot and humid. Some rain will fall on two days out of five.