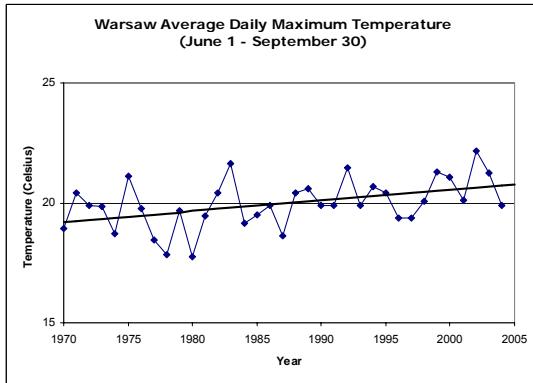
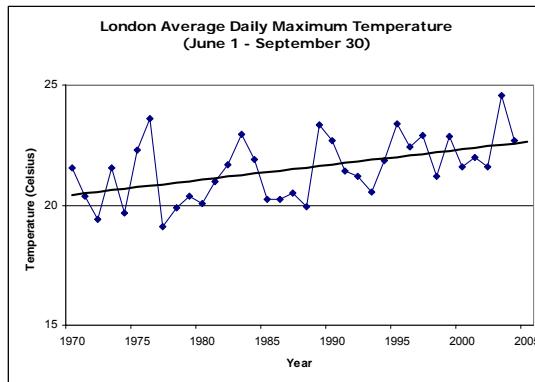
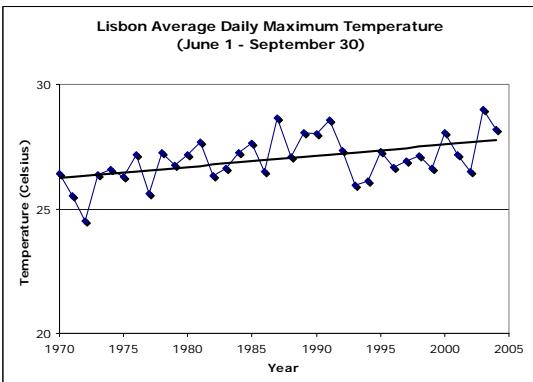
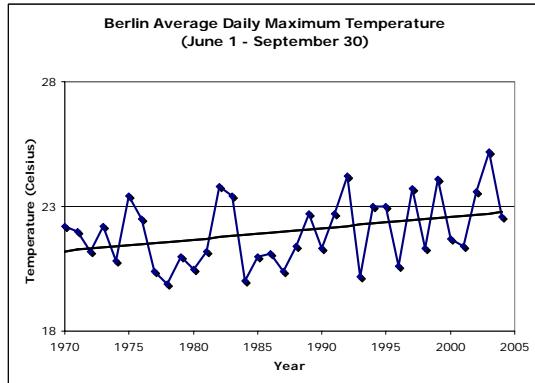
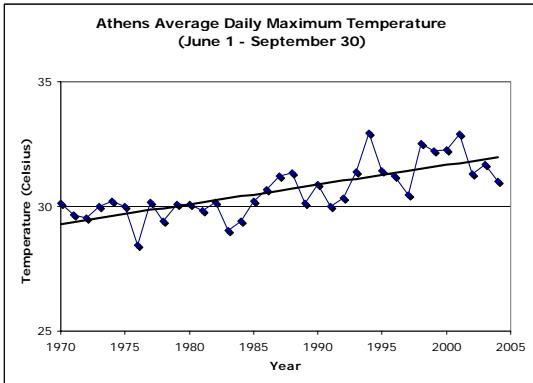




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Results: Summer maximum mean temperatures were analyzed and the greatest increase between 1970-'74 and 2000-'04 was in London (2°C), followed by Athens and Lisbon (1.9°C), Warsaw (1.3°C), and Berlin (1.2°C). Overall temperature trends (1970-2004) for these five cities are displayed below and trendlines (straight lines) rose significantly in all 5 cities.

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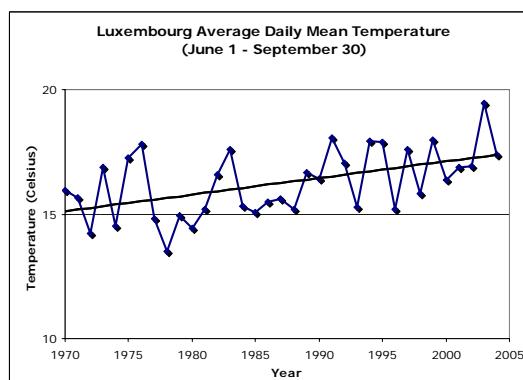
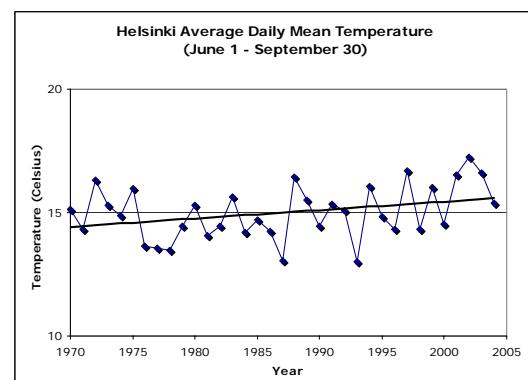
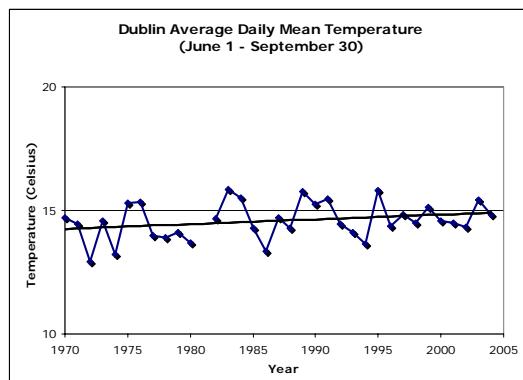
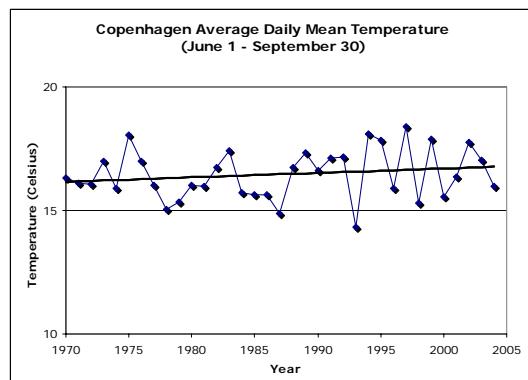
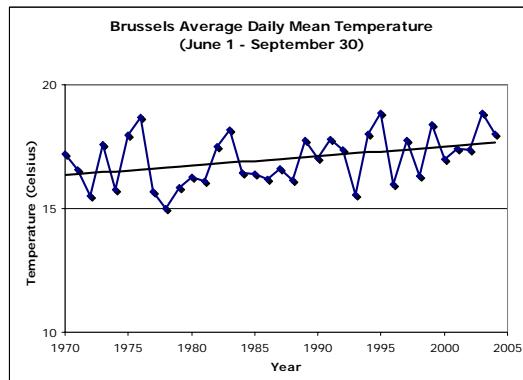
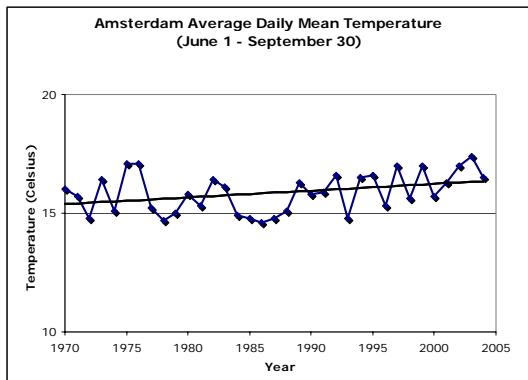
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Results: Other cities did not record a rise using summer maximum temperature and in some cases such data was difficult to obtain. Therefore, WWF analyzed summer mean temperatures. The greatest rise was in Madrid (2.2°C), followed by Luxembourg (2.0°C), Stockholm (1.5°C), Brussels (1.2°C), Rome (1.2°C), Vienna (1.2°C), Paris (1.0°C), Amsterdam (1.0°C), Helsinki (0.8°C), Dublin (0.7°C), and Copenhagen (0.2°C). Overall temperature trends (1970-2004) for these 11 cities are displayed below and trendlines (straight lines) rose significantly in 9 cities (Copenhagen and Dublin did not have a significant rise).



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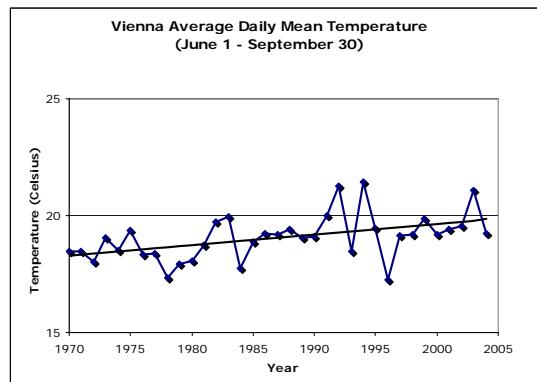
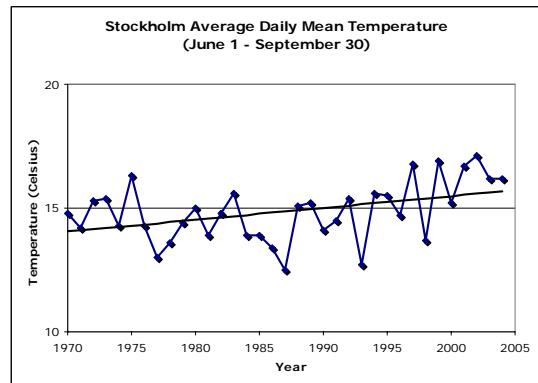
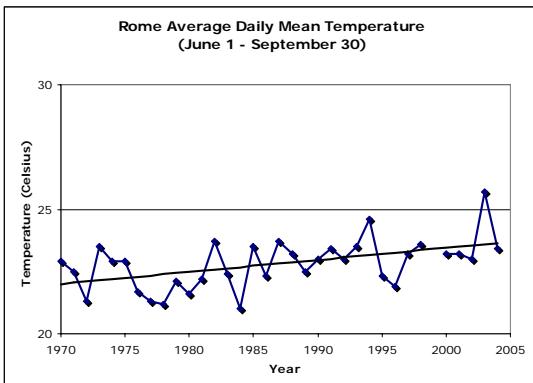
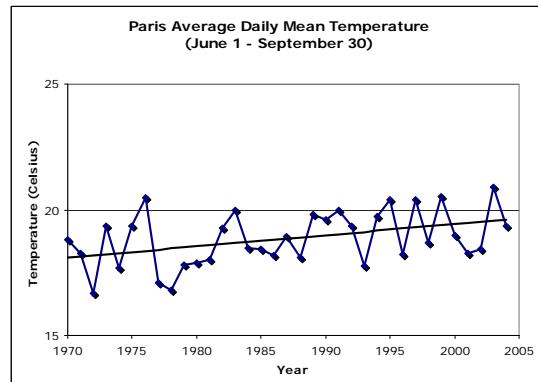
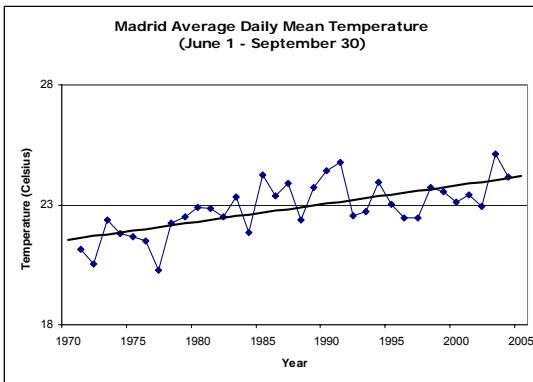
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