Global Warming Data 2023

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Drivers of Global Warming



The linear fit from 1980-2022 yields 1.60-ppmCO₂/year.





U.S. SO₂ trend; this contributes to global cooling and air pollution.







Global Warming



1980 is essentially the start of super global warming. Perhaps 1980 is the <u>trigger date</u> often mentioned. A linear fit to the <u>1980-2022 data</u> yields 0.0183 °C/year; 0.0114 °C/ppm-CO₂.



Consequences of Global Warming



Total mass change (gigaton) of the Greenland ice sheet; contributes to global sea level.



Total mass change (gigaton) of Antarctica ice sheet; contributes to global sea level.



Contributes to global sea level.









U.S. Drought Monitor 2000-Oct 2023

U.S. Drought Monitor Category		% of U.S.
	D0 - Abnormally Dry	15.3%
	D1 - Moderate Drought	13.5%
	D2 - Severe Drought	12.3%
	D3 - Extreme Drought	5.4%
	D4 - Exceptional Drought	2.19%
	Total Area in Drought (D1–D4)	33.39%



A linear fit from 1980-2020 yields about 2.5-mm/year.



Melting sea ice does not contribute to global sea level.



The red curve is the 10-years running mean and the green curve is the quadratic fit.



Hurricanes in the North Atlantic, 1878-2020



The red curve is the 10-years running mean and the green curve is the linear fit.









U.S. Wild Fire Potential Index (WFPI)



Projected change in annual wildfire risk to properties over 30 years, among properties with any risk in 2022.

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