

Seasonal Temperature Patterns



Try This:

- Click on the "Related Materials" drop-down menu and select the *Graph* - "Seasonal Temperature Ranges."



Notice ...

- Five centuries ago, winter monthly mean temperatures were far more variable than summer monthly mean temperatures.
- The Pacific Forest was the only ecological province that, some winters, experienced a January average temperature above freezing.



Consider!

- The Canadian territory offered strong climatic challenges to living in a pre-industrial age.
- The significance of temperature has diminished in Canadians' mind for several centuries, but is once again becoming important in the 21st century as Canadians ponder "climate change."

