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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE LOS ANGELES/OXNARD CA  
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...IT WAS A SCORCHING SEPTEMBER DAY ACROSS MUCH OF SOUTHWESTERN CALIFORNIA...

THE COMBINATION OF UNSEASONABLY STRONG HIGH PRESSURE ALOFT AND WEAK OFFSHORE LOW LEVEL FLOW MADE FOR AN EXTREMELY HOT DAY ACROSS MUCH OF SOUTHWESTERN CALIFORNIA TODAY. THE HIGHEST TEMPERATURES... GENERALLY BETWEEN 110 AND 113 DEGREES...WERE FOUND ACROSS INTERIOR SECTIONS OF THE COASTAL PLAIN AND IN THE COASTAL VALLEYS...WHERE COMPRESSIONAL HEATING OF THE AIR AS IT DESCENDED INTO LOWER ELEVATIONS OF THE ATMOSPHERE ADDED A FEW DEGREES TO THE TEMPERATURES. THE TEMPERATURE REGIME TODAY WAS FAIRLY TYPICAL OF WEAK OFFSHORE FLOW PATTERNS...WHERE THE HIGHEST TEMPERATURES OFTEN OCCUR IN THE LOWER VALLEYS AND ACROSS INTERIOR SECTIONS OF THE COASTAL PLAIN WHERE THE SEA BREEZES ARE DELAYED. HOWEVER...THE INTENSITY OF THE HEAT TODAY WAS RATHER EXTREME...RESULTING IN MANY RECORDS FOR THE DATE...AS WELL AS SOME MONTHLY AND SOME ALL-TIME RECORDS.

HERE IS A LIST OF HIGH TEMPERATURES TODAY AT OFFICIAL RECORD SITES IN SOUTHWESTERN CALIFORNIA...THE PREVIOUS RECORDS FOR THE DATE... AND ALL TIME RECORDS AT THAT LOCATION. TEMPERATURES DENOTED WITH AN ASTERISK BROKE OR TIED RECORDS FOR THE DATE...AND THOSE WITH TWO ASTERISKS BROKE OR TIED ALL-TIME RECORDS.

	HIGH TODAY	RECORD FOR THE DATE (YEAR)	ALL TIME RECORD (DATE)
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DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES	113**	106 (1963)	112 ( 6/26/1990)
LONG BEACH AIRPORT	111**	109 (1963)	111 (10/15/1961)
BURBANK AIRPORT	110*	104 (1963)	113 ( 9/12/1971)
WOODLAND HILLS	111*	107 (1993)	119 ( 7/22/2006)
LOS ANGELES AIRPORT	105*	105 (1963)	110 ( 9/26/1963)
SAN GABRIEL	110*	108 (1963)	112 ( 9/04/1988)
UCLA	108*	104 (1963)	109 ( 9/20/1939)
LANCASTER AIRPORT	103*	103 (2003)	114 ( 7/18/1960)
PALMDALE AIRPORT	102*	102 (2003)	113 ( 7/05/2007)
SANTA BARBARA AIRPORT	100*	99 (1970)	109 ( 6/27/1990)
SANTA MARIA AIRPORT	105*	99 (1917)	110 ( 6/20/2008)

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PASO ROBLES AIRPORT	108*	105 (1963)	115 ( 6/14/2000)
SAN LUIS OBISPO CALPOLY	109*	104 (1993)	112 ( 9/14/1971)
OXNARD (NWS)	100*	99 (1963)	103 ( 9/24/1978)

HERE IS A LIST OF HIGH TEMPERATURES AT OTHER SITES AROUND  
SOUTHWESTERN CALIFORNIA TODAY...WITH UNOFFICIAL RECORDS WHERE  
AVAILABLE

	HIGH TODAY	UNOFFICIAL RECORD FOR THE DATE (YEAR)	UNOFFICIAL ALL TIME RECORD (DATE)
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PASADENA	111	106 (1963)	113 ( 6/17/1917)
POMONA FAIRPLEX	111	107 (1963)	117 ( 6/17/1917)
OJAI	112	104 (1963)	119 ( 6/16/1917)
SANTA BARBARA CITY	107	103 (1963)	115 ( 6/17/1917)
TORRANCE	105	106 (1963)	111 ( 9/01/1955)

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

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DEL VALLE	112
DUARTE	112
CHATSWORTH	111
HAWTHORNE	111
CLAREMONT	111
NORTHRIDGE	110
GETTY CENTER	110
SAUGUS	110
BELLFLOWER	109
LA CANADA	107
AVALON AIRPORT	104
SANTA MONICA AIRPORT	103

VENTURA COUNTY

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SANTA PAULA	113
FILLMORE	112
LAKE CASITAS	112
THOUSAND OAKS	110
MOORPARK	110
SIMI VALLEY	109
PIRU	108
CHEESEBORO	108
VENTURA	104

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

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MONTECITO HILLS	112
SANTA YNEZ	109
VANDENBERG HILLS	104
LOMPOC	99

SAN LUIS OBISPO CNTY

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SAN LUIS OBISPO ARPT	110
LAKE LOPEZ	110
CRESTON	108
LAS TABLAS	108
ARROYO GRANDE	104
MORRO BAY	102

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