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Wettest and driest months! In this country June is one of the wettest months of the year, except on the Pacific coast. In the Mississippi Valley, except along the Gulf, it is the wettest, due to the frequency of thundershowers. The driest months are usually in the spring or fall, but are more scattered throughout the year than the wettest months, except in the extreme Southwest and the West Coast, where the summer season is the driest. Excepting the West Coast, the monthly amounts of rainfall are fairly uniform. The variation of rainfall throughout the year is not explained by any single factor but by several. -----