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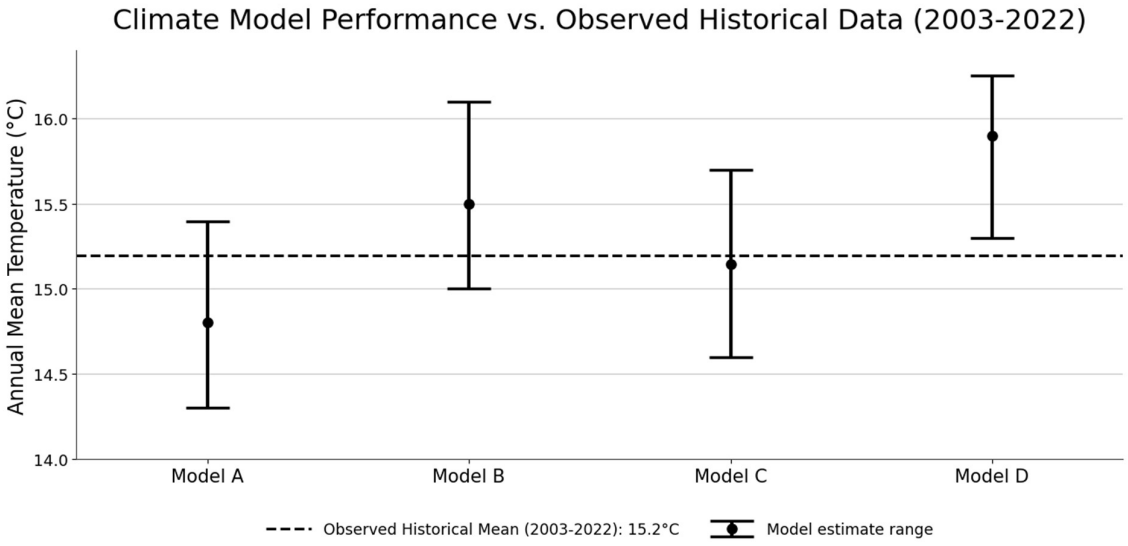
Part 1

You should spend about 20 minutes on this task. Write at least 150 words.

The chart below analyses the performance of four predictive climate models (A-D) against 20 years of observed historical data for annual mean temperature in a region, showing both the average projected temperature and the range of uncertainty for each model.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.



Part 2

You should spend about 40 minutes on this task. Write at least 250 words.

Write about the following topic:

The proliferation of ‘smart city’ technologies—from widespread sensors and facial recognition to integrated data platforms—can improve urban efficiency and public safety. However, it also raises concerns about pervasive surveillance and the use of data for social control. Some argue that some loss of privacy is an inevitable and worthwhile trade-off for greater security and efficiency. Others believe that these technologies fundamentally undermine civil liberties and should be strictly limited, even at the cost of some operational benefits.

Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Give reasons for your answer and include any relevant examples from your own knowledge or experience.

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