

Table 21. F.O.B.^a Costs of Imported Crude Oil by Selected Country
(Dollars per Barrel)

| Year Month | Selected Countries | | | | | | | Persian Gulf ^b | Total OPEC ^c | Non OPEC |
|---------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| | Angola | Colombia | Mexico | Nigeria | Saudi Arabia | United Kingdom | Venezuela | | | |
| 1978 | 13.32 | — | 13.24 | 14.05 | 12.70 | 13.82 | 12.38 | 12.77 | 13.31 | 13.23 |
| 1979 | 19.85 | — | 20.27 | 21.69 | 17.28 | 21.70 | 16.90 | 18.77 | 19.88 | 20.92 |
| 1980 | 33.45 | W | 31.06 | 35.93 | 28.17 | 34.36 | 24.81 | 28.92 | 32.21 | 32.85 |
| 1981 | 35.55 | — | 33.01 | 38.31 | 32.60 | 36.06 | 28.95 | 33.00 | 35.17 | 35.12 |
| 1982 | 31.86 | — | 28.08 | 35.13 | 33.73 | 33.42 | 23.74 | 33.55 | 33.48 | 30.58 |
| 1983 | 28.14 | — | 25.20 | 29.81 | 27.53 | 29.91 | 21.48 | 27.70 | 28.46 | 27.20 |
| 1984 | 27.46 | — | 26.39 | 29.51 | 27.67 | 28.87 | 24.23 | 27.48 | 27.79 | 27.45 |
| 1985 | 26.30 | — | 25.33 | 28.04 | 22.04 | 27.64 | 23.64 | 23.31 | 25.67 | 25.96 |
| 1986 | 13.30 | 12.34 | 11.84 | 14.35 | 11.36 | 13.84 | 10.92 | 11.35 | 12.21 | 12.87 |
| 1987 | 17.27 | 17.84 | 16.36 | 18.47 | 15.12 | 18.28 | 15.08 | 15.97 | 16.43 | 16.99 |
| 1988 | 13.70 | 13.61 | 12.18 | 15.16 | 12.16 | 14.80 | 12.96 | 12.38 | 13.43 | 13.05 |
| 1989 | 17.66 | 17.89 | 15.96 | 18.31 | 16.29 | 17.89 | 16.09 | 16.61 | 17.06 | 16.72 |
| 1990 | 20.23 | 20.75 | 19.26 | 22.46 | 20.36 | 23.43 | 19.55 | 18.54 | 20.40 | 20.32 |
| 1991 | 18.47 | 18.49 | 15.37 | 20.29 | 14.62 | 20.81 | 14.91 | 15.22 | 16.99 | 16.77 |
| 1992 | 18.41 | 18.02 | 15.26 | 19.98 | 15.85 | 19.61 | 14.39 | 16.35 | 16.87 | 16.66 |
| 1993 | 16.23 | 15.87 | 13.74 | 17.79 | 13.77 | 16.64 | 12.46 | 14.21 | 14.78 | 14.65 |
| 1994 | 15.40 | 14.99 | 13.68 | 16.32 | 14.12 | 15.66 | 12.21 | 13.97 | 14.00 | 14.34 |
| 1995 | 16.58 | 16.73 | 15.64 | 17.40 | W | 16.94 | 13.86 | W | 15.36 | 16.02 |
| 1996 | 20.71 | 21.33 | 19.14 | 21.27 | 19.28 | 19.43 | 17.73 | 19.22 | 18.94 | 19.65 |
| 1997 | 18.81 | 18.85 | 16.72 | 19.43 | 15.16 | 18.59 | 15.33 | 15.24 | 16.26 | 17.51 |
| 1998 | 12.11 | 12.56 | 10.49 | 12.97 | 8.87 | 12.52 | 9.31 | 9.09 | 10.20 | 11.21 |
| 1999 | 17.46 | 17.20 | 15.89 | 17.32 | 17.65 | 19.14 | 14.33 | 17.15 | 15.90 | 16.84 |
| 2000 | 27.90 | 29.04 | 25.39 | 28.70 | 24.62 | 27.21 | 24.45 | 24.72 | 25.56 | 26.77 |
| 2001 | 23.25 | 24.25 | 18.89 | 24.85 | 18.98 | 23.30 | 18.01 | 18.89 | 19.73 | 21.04 |
| 2002 | 24.09 | 24.64 | 21.60 | 25.38 | 23.92 | 24.50 | 20.13 | 23.38 | 22.18 | 22.93 |
| 2003 | 28.22 | 28.89 | 24.83 | 29.40 | 25.03 | 28.76 | 23.81 | 25.17 | 25.36 | 26.21 |
| 2004 | 37.26 | 37.73 | 31.55 | 38.71 | 34.08 | 37.30 | 31.78 | 33.08 | 33.95 | 33.58 |
| 2005 | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 38.20 | W | 31.51 | 44.43 | 38.52 | W | 34.35 | 36.03 | 37.51 | 34.34 |
| February | 42.77 | W | 33.21 | 48.24 | 40.11 | 42.58 | 37.82 | 39.37 | 41.07 | 37.30 |
| March | 48.06 | 47.05 | 39.32 | 53.76 | 42.67 | 53.98 | 42.94 | 43.00 | 45.71 | 42.96 |
| April | 48.46 | 50.25 | 40.43 | 51.72 | 45.68 | W | 43.01 | 43.71 | 45.34 | 42.45 |
| May | 45.35 | W | 40.31 | 49.59 | 44.09 | W | 41.78 | 43.65 | 44.44 | 41.46 |
| June | 50.91 | 52.64 | 44.83 | 55.81 | 53.37 | W | 47.06 | 50.98 | 51.11 | 46.19 |
| July | 54.88 | W | 46.74 | 59.03 | W | 57.71 | 49.28 | 54.95 | 53.46 | 50.37 |
| August | 62.16 | 55.44 | 50.54 | 65.78 | W | 64.87 | 57.54 | 57.34 | 59.86 | 54.70 |
| September | 60.64 | 63.89 | 52.19 | 63.73 | W | W | 62.43 | W | 60.70 | 55.52 |
| October | 54.80 | W | 48.62 | 60.89 | W | 60.09 | 51.19 | 49.61 | 54.61 | 51.10 |
| November | 52.01 | 49.49 | 43.22 | 56.11 | W | W | 46.98 | 49.88 | 50.88 | 46.93 |
| December | 53.74 | 55.82 | 45.83 | 59.33 | W | — | 48.22 | 48.77 | 52.26 | 47.67 |
| 2005 | 52.48 | 51.89 | 43.00 | 55.95 | 47.96 | 54.48 | 46.39 | 47.21 | 49.60 | 45.79 |
| 2006 | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 59.28 | 60.78 | 50.21 | 63.73 | W | W | 52.56 | 52.65 | 56.14 | 52.32 |
| February | 57.55 | 53.07 | 48.33 | 60.20 | W | W | 50.93 | 53.66 | 54.39 | 49.19 |
| March | 60.07 | 54.10 | 50.16 | 64.05 | W | 63.13 | 56.29 | 55.84 | 58.34 | 51.87 |
| April | W | 62.26 | 57.12 | 71.85 | W | W | 62.93 | 61.12 | 65.06 | 59.75 |
| May | 66.95 | 66.17 | 55.62 | 70.83 | 65.35 | 68.98 | 61.70 | 63.45 | 65.31 | 60.81 |
| June | 67.10 | 63.43 | 55.07 | 69.96 | 65.87 | 69.34 | 60.87 | 63.99 | 64.69 | 59.04 |
| July | 70.81 | 69.24 | 60.24 | 75.63 | W | W | 64.60 | 61.76 | 67.61 | 64.23 |
| August | 68.94 | 65.45 | 59.97 | 72.67 | 54.21 | — | 60.48 | 56.14 | 62.58 | 62.76 |
| September | 56.89 | 55.49 | 52.01 | 62.74 | 53.27 | W | 52.02 | 52.13 | 55.87 | 53.58 |
| October | 54.00 | 52.38 | 47.64 | 58.62 | 52.19 | W | 48.97 | 50.62 | 52.73 | 48.86 |
| November | 57.67 | 56.16 | 48.13 | 61.20 | 48.43 | W | 48.54 | 49.57 | 53.07 | 50.26 |
| December | 58.28 | 53.99 | 50.09 | 62.24 | 52.76 | W | 49.13 | 51.89 | 54.26 | 51.68 |
| 2006 | 62.23 | 59.77 | 52.91 | 65.69 | 56.09 | 66.03 | 55.80 | 56.02 | 59.18 | 55.35 |
| 2007 | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 52.04 | 48.98 | 43.27 | 56.03 | W | 53.57 | 44.79 | 50.06 | 50.92 | 45.31 |
| February | 55.18 | 57.10 | 47.47 | 58.32 | W | — | 49.80 | 52.43 | 53.84 | 49.98 |
| March | 60.34 | 58.44 | 50.21 | 64.88 | W | 62.04 | 52.01 | 56.22 | 57.79 | 52.91 |
| April | 65.45 | 58.26 | 54.36 | 69.72 | W | W | 56.48 | 58.82 | 62.32 | 56.42 |
| May | 65.85 | 62.06 | 55.60 | 71.40 | W | W | 57.47 | 63.71 | 63.77 | 57.78 |
| June | 69.63 | 67.21 | 59.91 | 75.55 | W | W | 61.01 | 65.45 | 67.05 | 61.12 |
| July | 74.18 | 70.77 | 64.61 | 79.08 | W | 76.35 | 66.02 | 70.75 | 72.04 | 66.48 |
| August | 68.38 | 70.46 | 61.80 | 74.08 | W | W | 63.79 | 70.97 | 68.86 | 64.18 |
| September | 75.62 | 70.66 | 65.95 | 80.10 | W | W | 68.99 | 77.63 | 75.30 | 68.38 |
| October | 80.20 | 79.10 | 72.04 | 88.88 | W | W | 74.87 | 85.03 | 82.10 | 73.38 |
| November | 90.85 | W | 79.13 | 94.71 | 86.74 | W | 83.61 | 84.11 | 87.15 | 80.07 |
| December | 88.27 | 90.11 | 80.49 | 96.18 | 81.45 | W | 80.57 | 81.14 | 86.61 | 77.78 |
| 2007 | 67.80 | 67.93 | 61.35 | 76.64 | W | 69.96 | 64.10 | 69.93 | 69.58 | 62.69 |

Dash (—) = No data reported.

W = Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

^a Free on Board. See Glossary.

^b Includes Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates.

^c Includes Algeria, Angola (January 2007-present), Ecuador (1983-1992), Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and Venezuela. In addition, it included Gabon in 1983-1995.

Notes: Values through 1980 reflect the month of reporting; values since then reflect the month of acquisition, which can be the month of landing, or sometime between those events. Prices for crude oil can be determined at a time other than the acquisition date. See the Explanatory Notes section for additional detail.

Sources: Energy Information Administration, Form FEA-F701-M-0, "Transfer Pricing Report," January 1978 through December 1978; Form ERA-51, "Transfer Pricing Report," January 1979 through September 1982; Form EP-51, "Monthly Foreign Crude Oil Transaction Report," October 1982 through June 1984; Form EIA-856, "Monthly Foreign Crude Oil Acquisition Report," July 1984 to present.