

Table 4c. U.S. Regional Motor Gasoline Prices and Inventories
 Energy Information Administration/Short-Term Energy Outlook - December 2008

	2007				2008				2009				Year		
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	2007	2008	2009
Prices (cents per gallon)															
Refiner Wholesale Price	176	238	222	234	249	315	315	150	132	143	150	147	218	257	143
Gasoline Regular Grade Retail Prices Excluding Taxes															
PADD 1 (East Coast)	186	244	231	246	263	325	331	188	142	152	160	158	227	277	153
PADD 2 (Midwest)	183	254	243	245	260	325	331	174	142	154	162	157	232	272	154
PADD 3 (Gulf Coast)	181	247	233	243	260	323	330	181	140	150	158	155	226	273	151
PADD 4 (Rocky Mountain)	182	259	246	248	255	321	343	190	136	153	168	162	235	277	155
PADD 5 (West Coast)	213	266	235	257	268	339	342	199	154	172	175	174	243	287	169
U.S. Average	188	251	236	247	262	327	332	184	143	156	163	160	231	276	156
Gasoline Regular Grade Retail Prices Including Taxes															
PADD 1	235	295	280	296	312	374	383	239	189	200	208	206	277	327	201
PADD 2	229	302	292	294	307	373	381	223	187	200	208	203	280	321	200
PADD 3	222	289	275	284	301	364	374	224	181	192	199	197	268	316	192
PADD 4	228	307	292	295	302	367	391	237	183	200	215	210	281	325	202
PADD 5	268	326	292	316	327	398	406	261	208	227	229	228	301	348	223
U.S. Average	236	302	285	297	311	376	385	236	190	203	211	208	281	327	203
Gasoline All Grades Including Taxes	241	306	290	302	316	381	391	242	195	208	216	213	285	332	208
End-of-period Inventories (million barrels)															
Total Gasoline Inventories															
PADD 1	54.3	53.5	51.8	59.9	59.4	59.2	45.8	55.5	57.0	60.1	56.5	57.5	59.9	55.5	57.5
PADD 2	49.1	49.8	49.9	52.7	52.4	51.3	48.8	49.2	48.8	48.7	48.6	50.2	52.7	49.2	50.2
PADD 3	63.7	65.3	63.3	67.2	71.5	64.7	61.9	65.0	66.5	67.3	65.4	68.4	67.2	65.0	68.4
PADD 4	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.5	7.0	6.6	5.7	5.6	6.3	6.5	7.0	6.3
PADD 5	28.0	30.7	28.8	31.8	31.3	28.0	26.4	29.2	28.3	28.4	26.8	28.0	31.8	29.2	28.0
U.S. Total	201.6	205.5	200.0	218.1	221.2	209.8	189.5	206.0	207.1	210.2	203.0	210.4	218.1	206.0	210.4
Finished Gasoline Inventories															
PADD 1	25.8	29.9	29.5	29.1	27.0	28.8	20.1	23.5	22.0	26.7	24.4	25.2	29.1	23.5	25.2
PADD 2	33.6	34.5	34.1	35.6	34.5	33.6	30.3	31.4	30.6	31.1	31.6	33.2	35.6	31.4	33.2
PADD 3	37.0	38.1	36.8	35.7	36.1	33.8	31.6	32.3	32.0	33.7	32.0	34.4	35.7	32.3	34.4
PADD 4	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.5	4.4	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.6	4.5	4.1
PADD 5	8.2	9.8	8.4	6.5	7.7	6.3	6.0	4.8	5.2	5.8	4.3	3.4	6.5	4.8	3.4
U.S. Total	109.2	116.6	113.2	111.4	110.0	107.0	92.3	96.5	94.2	101.2	96.2	100.4	111.4	96.5	100.4
Gasoline Blending Components Inventories															
PADD 1	28.5	23.6	22.3	30.8	32.4	30.5	25.7	32.0	34.9	33.4	32.1	32.3	30.8	32.0	32.3
PADD 2	15.5	15.3	15.8	17.1	17.9	17.6	18.5	17.8	18.2	17.5	17.0	17.1	17.1	17.8	17.1
PADD 3	26.7	27.2	26.5	31.6	35.3	30.9	30.3	32.7	34.5	33.6	33.4	34.0	31.6	32.7	34.0
PADD 4	1.9	1.9	1.7	2.0	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.2	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.1
PADD 5	19.8	21.0	20.4	25.2	23.6	21.7	20.4	24.4	23.1	22.6	22.5	24.5	25.2	24.4	24.5
U.S. Total	92.4	88.9	86.8	106.7	111.2	102.8	97.1	109.5	112.9	108.9	106.8	110.0	106.7	109.5	110.0

- = no data available

Notes: The approximate break between historical and forecast values is shown with historical data printed in bold; estimates and forecasts in italics.

Regions refer to Petroleum Administration for Defense Districts (PADD).

See "Petroleum for Administration Defense District" in EIA's Energy Glossary (<http://www.eia.doe.gov/glossary/index.html>) for a list of States in each region.

Historical data: Latest data available from Energy Information Administration databases supporting the following reports: *Petroleum Marketing Monthly*, DOE/EIA-0380; *Petroleum Supply Monthly*, DOE/EIA-0109; *Petroleum Supply Annual*, DOE/EIA-0340/2; and *Weekly Petroleum Status Report*, DOE/EIA-0208.

Minor discrepancies with published historical data are due to independent rounding.

Projections: Generated by simulation of the EIA Regional Short-Term Energy Model.