

Table 24. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to Residential and Commercial Sector Consumers by Local Distribution and Marketers in Selected States, 2006-2007
(Nominal Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)

State	Residential							
	2006				2007			
	Local Distribution Company Average Price ^a	Marketer Average Price ^b	Combined Average Price ^c	Percent Sold by Local Distribution Company	Local Distribution Company Average Price ^a	Marketer Average Price ^b	Combined Average Price ^c	Percent Sold by Local Distribution Company
Florida.....	21.48	24.62	21.54	97.95	20.55	23.23	20.61	97.79
Georgia.....	15.84	18.81	^R 18.37	14.70	14.64	18.02	17.53	14.35
Maryland.....	16.14	17.41	16.36	82.27	14.95	16.26	15.17	83.26
New Jersey.....	14.87	17.69	^R 14.91	98.66	14.45	16.50	14.48	98.35
New York.....	15.09	16.99	15.35	86.06	15.50	15.46	15.49	84.07
Ohio.....	14.41	14.36	14.39	58.77	13.05	13.95	13.47	53.01
Pennsylvania.....	16.48	16.06	16.45	91.81	14.56	15.77	14.66	92.01
Virginia.....	16.13	16.86	16.20	90.36	15.33	16.28	15.42	90.29

State	Commercial							
	2006				2007			
	Local Distribution Company Average Price ^a	Marketer Average Price ^b	Combined Average Price ^c	Percent Sold by Local Distribution Company	Local Distribution Company Average Price ^a	Marketer Average Price ^b	Combined Average Price ^c	Percent Sold by Local Distribution Company
District of Columbia.....	16.33	14.26	14.67	19.95	15.08	13.38	13.70	18.85
Florida.....	14.71	13.28	13.91	43.91	13.47	12.76	13.07	43.63
Georgia.....	13.55	14.37	^R 14.20	20.63	12.63	13.32	13.18	20.42
Maryland.....	14.22	12.87	13.28	30.42	13.28	11.90	12.30	29.12
Michigan.....	11.34	9.71	10.75	63.99	10.38	9.41	10.02	62.51
New York.....	12.28	11.56	11.91	49.39	12.36	11.15	11.72	46.75
Ohio.....	13.51	12.46	12.83	35.13	12.31	11.47	11.74	32.39
Pennsylvania.....	15.48	12.55	14.30	59.84	13.58	11.63	12.77	58.51
Virginia.....	12.80	11.95	12.46	59.88	12.35	11.48	11.99	58.84

^a Price derived from Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition."

^b Price derived from Form EIA-910, "Monthly Natural Gas Marketer Survey."

^c Prices combined by weighting percent sold by local distribution companies versus percent sold by marketers according to volumes reported on Form EIA-176.

^R Revised data.

Note: Prices represent the annual-average retail price for volumes delivered to residential and commercial customers by marketers who report on Form EIA-910, "Monthly Natural Gas Marketer Survey," and local distribution companies who report on Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition." Both sets of prices include the cost of the gas commodity/supply

and all transportation and delivery charges. Since the prices reflect each State's aggregate of multiple local distribution companies and marketers, a comparison of the aggregate prices may not represent the realized price savings that an individual customer might have obtained. Localized tariff rates, distinct contract/pricing options, and contract timing may affect the price differential between marketers and licensed distribution companies. Additionally, the 2005 hurricane season may have affected future contract offerings beginning in 2006 as prices rose sharply during that period.

Sources: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition"; and Form EIA-910, "Monthly Natural Gas Marketer Survey."