

Table 16. U.S. Refiner Residual Fuel Oil Prices

(Dollars per Gallon Excluding Taxes)

| Year Month | Sulfur Less Than or Equal to 1 Percent | | Sulfur Greater Than 1 Percent | | Average | |
|-------------------|---|---------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| | Sales to End Users | Sales for Resale | Sales to End Users | Sales for Resale | Sales to End Users | Sales for Resale |
| 1985 | 0.644 | 0.610 | 0.582 | 0.560 | 0.610 | 0.577 |
| 1986 | 0.372 | 0.328 | 0.317 | 0.289 | 0.343 | 0.305 |
| 1987 | 0.447 | 0.412 | 0.396 | 0.362 | 0.423 | 0.385 |
| 1988 | 0.372 | 0.333 | 0.300 | 0.271 | 0.334 | 0.300 |
| 1989 | 0.436 | 0.407 | 0.344 | 0.331 | 0.385 | 0.360 |
| 1990 | 0.505 | 0.472 | 0.400 | 0.372 | 0.444 | 0.413 |
| 1991 | 0.402 | 0.364 | 0.306 | 0.292 | 0.340 | 0.314 |
| 1992 | 0.389 | 0.351 | 0.312 | 0.286 | 0.336 | 0.308 |
| 1993 | 0.397 | 0.337 | 0.303 | 0.256 | 0.337 | 0.293 |
| 1994 | 0.401 | 0.345 | 0.330 | 0.287 | 0.352 | 0.317 |
| 1995 | 0.436 | 0.383 | 0.377 | 0.338 | 0.392 | 0.363 |
| 1996 | 0.526 | 0.456 | 0.433 | 0.389 | 0.455 | 0.420 |
| 1997 | 0.488 | 0.415 | 0.403 | 0.366 | 0.423 | 0.387 |
| 1998 | 0.354 | 0.299 | 0.287 | 0.269 | 0.305 | 0.280 |
| 1999 | 0.405 | 0.382 | 0.362 | 0.329 | 0.374 | 0.354 |
| 2000 | 0.708 | 0.627 | 0.566 | 0.512 | 0.602 | 0.566 |
| 2001 | 0.642 | 0.523 | 0.492 | 0.428 | 0.531 | 0.476 |
| 2002 | 0.640 | 0.546 | 0.544 | 0.508 | 0.569 | 0.530 |
| 2003 | 0.804 | 0.728 | 0.651 | 0.588 | 0.698 | 0.661 |
| 2004 | 0.835 | 0.764 | 0.692 | 0.601 | 0.739 | 0.681 |
| 2005 | 1.168 | 1.115 | 0.974 | 0.842 | 1.048 | 0.971 |
| 2006 | 1.342 | 1.202 | 1.173 | 1.085 | 1.218 | 1.136 |
| 2007 | 1.436 | 1.406 | 1.350 | 1.314 | 1.374 | 1.350 |
| 2008 | 2.144 | 1.918 | 1.889 | 1.843 | 1.964 | 1.866 |
| 2009 | 1.413 | 1.337 | 1.306 | 1.344 | 1.341 | 1.342 |
| 2010 | | | | | | |
| January | 1.852 | 1.767 | 1.660 | 1.705 | 1.725 | 1.721 |
| February | 1.862 | 1.725 | 1.574 | 1.650 | 1.681 | 1.666 |
| March | 1.862 | 1.739 | 1.609 | 1.700 | 1.692 | 1.711 |
| April | 1.887 | 1.827 | 1.655 | 1.725 | 1.718 | 1.748 |
| May | 1.898 | 1.675 | 1.601 | 1.675 | 1.686 | 1.675 |
| June | 1.874 | 1.629 | 1.555 | 1.604 | 1.636 | 1.612 |
| July | 1.858 | 1.686 | 1.536 | 1.604 | 1.639 | 1.629 |
| August | 1.895 | 1.705 | 1.571 | 1.625 | 1.676 | 1.642 |
| September | 1.883 | 1.716 | 1.558 | 1.612 | 1.645 | 1.632 |
| October | 1.913 | 1.793 | 1.637 | 1.688 | 1.721 | 1.712 |
| November | 2.025 | 1.865 | 1.701 | 1.741 | 1.804 | 1.768 |
| December | 2.215 | 2.036 | 1.784 | 1.814 | 1.931 | 1.865 |
| 2010 | 1.920 | 1.756 | 1.619 | 1.679 | 1.713 | 1.697 |
| 2011 | | | | | | |
| January | 2.302 | NA | 1.870 | 1.896 | 2.013 | 1.918 |
| February | 2.451 | 2.100 | 2.019 | 2.079 | 2.150 | 2.086 |
| March | 2.654 | 2.344 | 2.245 | 2.307 | 2.403 | 2.321 |
| April | 2.741 | 2.555 | 2.370 | 2.427 | 2.475 | 2.448 |
| May | 2.786 | 2.463 | 2.325 | 2.374 | 2.440 | 2.392 |
| June | 2.905 | 2.467 | 2.312 | 2.377 | 2.473 | 2.402 |
| July | 2.877 | 2.547 | 2.362 | 2.430 | 2.508 | 2.474 |
| August | 2.896 | 2.394 | 2.342 | 2.392 | 2.512 | 2.392 |
| September | 2.882 | 2.368 | 2.318 | 2.370 | 2.473 | 2.369 |
| October | 2.891 | 2.512 | 2.276 | 2.375 | 2.454 | 2.406 |
| November | 2.853 | 2.566 | 2.368 | 2.424 | 2.521 | 2.459 |
| December | 2.891 | 2.473 | 2.348 | 2.335 | 2.509 | 2.371 |
| 2011 | 2.736 | 2.389 | 2.257 | 2.316 | 2.401 | 2.336 |
| 2012 | | | | | | |
| January | 2.965 | 2.591 | 2.452 | 2.480 | 2.620 | 2.512 |
| February | 3.070 | 2.739 | 2.556 | 2.632 | 2.705 | 2.654 |
| March | 3.159 | 2.921 | 2.601 | 2.717 | 2.784 | 2.772 |
| April | 3.201 | 2.805 | 2.596 | 2.624 | 2.731 | 2.670 |
| May | 3.170 | 2.589 | 2.652 | R 2.501 | 2.784 | R 2.527 |
| June | 3.083 | 2.275 | 2.179 | 2.185 | 2.476 | 2.210 |

NA = Not available.

R Revised data.

Notes: Values shown for the current month are preliminary. Values shown for previous months are revised. Data are final upon publication in the *Petroleum Marketing Annual*.

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