**U.S. diesel fuel prices increase**

The U.S. average retail price for on-highway diesel fuel rose to $2.13 a gallon on Monday. That’s up 1.3 cents from a week ago, based on the weekly price survey by the U.S. Energy Information Administration.

Diesel prices were highest in the West Coast states at 2.33 a gallon, up 1 ½ cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast states at 1.99 a gallon, up 9-tenths of a penny.

This is Amerine Woodyard, with EIA, in Washington.

For more information, contact Amerine Woodyard, 202-586-1256