U.S. diesel fuel price increases

The U.S. average retail price for on-highway diesel fuel rose to $5.70 a gallon on Monday. That’s up 16.4 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 6.44 a gallon, up 30.7 cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast region at 5.31 a gallon, up 12.9 cents.

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