U.S. diesel fuel prices increase

The U.S. average retail price for on-highway diesel fuel rose to $2.40 a gallon on Monday. That’s up 8 tenths of a penny 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 $2.93 a gallon, up 5 tenths of a penny from last week. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast region at $2.15 a gallon, up by 7 tenths of a penny from a week ago.

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