U.S. gasoline price decreases (long version)

The U.S. average retail price for regular gasoline fell to $4.49 a gallon on Monday. That’s down 15.6 cents from a week ago, based on the weekly price survey by the U.S. Energy Information Administration.

Pump prices were highest in the West Coast states at 5.39 a gallon, down 17.7 cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast region at $4 a gallon, down 19 cents.

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