U.S. gasoline price increases (long version)

The U.S. average retail price for regular gasoline rose to $2.72 a gallon on Monday. That’s up 8.7 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 3.36 a gallon, up 2-tenths of a penny from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast states at 2.34 a gallon. This is Amerine Woodyard, with EIA, in Washington.

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