U.S. gasoline price decreases (long version)

The U.S. average retail price for regular gasoline fell to $3.88 a gallon on Monday. That’s down 5.8 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 4.85 a gallon, down 6.5 cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast region at $3.40 a gallon, down 2.5 cents.

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