U.S. gasoline prices fall to lowest level since January 2011 (long version)

The U.S. average retail price for regular gasoline fell to its lowest level since January 2011 at $3.12 a gallon on Monday. That’s down 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 3.42 a gallon, down 11.2 cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast region at 2.91 a gallon, down 9.6 cents.

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