U.S. gasoline prices decrease to lowest level since May 2009 (long version)

The U.S. average retail price for regular gasoline fell to its lowest level since May 2009 to $2.30 a gallon on Monday. That’s down 10.4 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 2.62 a gallon, down 8.2 cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast region at 2.07 a gallon, down 10.3 cents.

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