U.S. gasoline prices decrease for first time in three weeks (long version)

The U.S. average retail price for regular gasoline fell for the first time in three weeks to $3.65 a gallon on Monday. That’s down 3.6 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 region at 3.93 a gallon, down 2 1/2 cents from a week ago. Prices were lowest in the Gulf Coast States at 3.48 a gallon, down 2.9 cents.

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