

Table 9.4 Retail Motor Gasoline and On-Highway Diesel Fuel Prices
(Dollars^a per Gallon, Including Taxes)

| | Platt's / Bureau of Labor Statistics Data | | | | U.S. Energy Information Administration Data | | | |
|--------------|---|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---|--|-----------|------------------------|
| | Motor Gasoline by Grade | | | | Regular Motor Gasoline by Area Type | | | On-Highway Diesel Fuel |
| | Leaded Regular | Unleaded Regular | Unleaded Premium ^b | All Grades ^c | Conventional Gasoline Areas ^d | Reformulated Gasoline Areas ^e | All Areas | |
| 1950 Average | 0.268 | NA | NA | NA | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1955 Average | .291 | NA | NA | NA | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1960 Average | .311 | NA | NA | NA | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1965 Average | .312 | NA | NA | NA | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1970 Average | .357 | NA | NA | NA | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1975 Average | .567 | NA | NA | NA | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1980 Average | 1.191 | 1.245 | NA | 1.221 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1985 Average | 1.115 | 1.202 | 1.340 | 1.196 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 1990 Average | 1.149 | 1.164 | 1.349 | 1.217 | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 1995 Average | -- | 1.147 | 1.336 | 1.205 | 1.103 | 1.163 | 1.111 | 1.109 |
| 2000 Average | -- | 1.510 | 1.693 | 1.563 | 1.462 | 1.543 | 1.484 | 1.491 |
| 2001 Average | -- | 1.461 | 1.657 | 1.531 | 1.384 | 1.498 | 1.420 | 1.401 |
| 2002 Average | -- | 1.358 | 1.556 | 1.441 | 1.313 | 1.408 | 1.345 | 1.319 |
| 2003 Average | -- | 1.591 | 1.777 | 1.638 | 1.516 | 1.655 | 1.561 | 1.509 |
| 2004 Average | -- | 1.880 | 2.068 | 1.923 | 1.812 | 1.937 | 1.852 | 1.810 |
| 2005 Average | -- | 2.295 | 2.491 | 2.338 | 2.240 | 2.335 | 2.270 | 2.402 |
| 2006 Average | -- | 2.589 | 2.805 | 2.635 | 2.533 | 2.654 | 2.572 | 2.705 |
| 2007 Average | -- | 2.801 | 3.033 | 2.849 | 2.767 | 2.857 | 2.796 | 2.885 |
| 2008 Average | -- | 3.266 | 3.519 | 3.317 | 3.213 | 3.314 | 3.246 | 3.803 |
| 2009 Average | -- | 2.350 | 2.607 | 2.401 | 2.315 | 2.433 | 2.353 | 2.467 |
| 2010 Average | -- | 2.788 | 3.047 | 2.836 | 2.742 | 2.864 | 2.782 | 2.992 |
| 2011 Average | -- | 3.527 | 3.792 | 3.577 | 3.476 | 3.616 | 3.521 | 3.840 |
| 2012 Average | -- | 3.644 | 3.922 | 3.695 | 3.552 | 3.757 | 3.618 | 3.968 |
| 2013 Average | -- | 3.526 | 3.843 | 3.584 | 3.443 | 3.635 | 3.505 | 3.922 |
| 2014 Average | -- | 3.367 | 3.713 | 3.425 | 3.299 | 3.481 | 3.358 | 3.825 |
| 2015 Average | -- | 2.448 | 2.866 | 2.510 | 2.334 | 2.629 | 2.429 | 2.707 |
| 2016 January | -- | 1.967 | 2.455 | 2.034 | 1.843 | 2.170 | 1.949 | 2.143 |
| February | -- | 1.767 | 2.248 | 1.833 | 1.681 | 1.936 | 1.764 | 1.998 |
| March | -- | 1.958 | 2.411 | 2.021 | 1.895 | 2.124 | 1.969 | 2.090 |
| April | -- | 2.134 | 2.585 | 2.196 | 2.027 | 2.293 | 2.113 | 2.152 |
| May | -- | 2.264 | 2.710 | 2.324 | 2.199 | 2.413 | 2.268 | 2.315 |
| June | -- | 2.363 | 2.807 | 2.422 | 2.303 | 2.497 | 2.366 | 2.423 |
| July | -- | 2.225 | 2.702 | 2.287 | 2.157 | 2.411 | 2.239 | 2.405 |
| August | -- | 2.155 | 2.629 | 2.218 | 2.119 | 2.300 | 2.178 | 2.351 |
| September | -- | 2.208 | 2.682 | 2.269 | 2.161 | 2.339 | 2.219 | 2.394 |
| October | -- | 2.243 | 2.719 | 2.304 | 2.186 | 2.382 | 2.249 | 2.454 |
| November | -- | 2.187 | 2.675 | 2.246 | 2.105 | 2.343 | 2.182 | 2.439 |
| December | -- | 2.230 | 2.698 | 2.289 | 2.192 | 2.385 | 2.254 | 2.510 |
| Average | -- | 2.142 | 2.610 | 2.204 | 2.070 | 2.296 | 2.143 | 2.304 |
| 2017 January | -- | 2.351 | 2.815 | 2.409 | 2.285 | 2.482 | 2.349 | 2.580 |
| February | -- | 2.299 | 2.793 | 2.360 | 2.227 | 2.467 | 2.304 | 2.568 |
| March | -- | 2.323 | 2.827 | 2.386 | 2.243 | 2.498 | 2.325 | 2.554 |
| April | -- | 2.418 | 2.909 | 2.479 | 2.340 | 2.579 | 2.417 | 2.583 |
| May | -- | 2.386 | 2.894 | 2.448 | 2.303 | 2.577 | 2.391 | 2.560 |
| June | -- | 2.337 | 2.859 | 2.400 | 2.257 | 2.536 | 2.347 | 2.511 |
| July | -- | 2.281 | 2.800 | 2.344 | 2.211 | 2.486 | 2.300 | 2.496 |
| August | -- | 2.374 | 2.883 | 2.436 | 2.297 | 2.557 | 2.380 | 2.595 |
| September | -- | 2.630 | 3.120 | 2.688 | 2.570 | 2.802 | 2.645 | 2.785 |
| October | -- | 2.484 | 2.996 | 2.545 | 2.430 | 2.663 | 2.505 | 2.794 |
| November | -- | 2.548 | 3.056 | 2.608 | 2.474 | 2.751 | 2.564 | 2.909 |
| December | -- | 2.459 | 2.985 | 2.521 | 2.388 | 2.663 | 2.477 | 2.909 |
| Average | -- | 2.408 | 2.911 | 2.469 | 2.333 | 2.586 | 2.415 | 2.650 |
| 2018 January | -- | 2.539 | 3.042 | 2.596 | 2.467 | 2.738 | 2.555 | 3.018 |
| February | -- | 2.575 | 3.091 | 2.632 | 2.488 | 2.795 | 2.587 | 3.046 |
| March | -- | 2.572 | 3.101 | 2.631 | 2.488 | 2.808 | 2.591 | 2.988 |

^a Prices are not adjusted for inflation. See "Nominal Dollars" in Glossary.
^b The 1981 average (available in Web file) is based on September through December data only.
^c Also includes grades of motor gasoline not shown separately.
^d Any area that does not require the sale of reformulated gasoline.
^e "Reformulated Gasoline Areas" are ozone nonattainment areas designated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency that require the use of reformulated gasoline (RFG). Areas are reclassified each time a shift in or out of an RFG program occurs due to federal or state regulations.
 NA=Not available. -- =Not applicable.
 Notes: • See Note 5, "Motor Gasoline Prices," at end of section. • See "Motor Gasoline Grades," "Motor Gasoline, Conventional," "Motor Gasoline, Oxygenated," and "Motor Gasoline, Reformulated" in Glossary. • Geographic coverage: for columns 1-4, current coverage is 85 urban areas; for columns 5-7, coverage is the 50 states and the District of Columbia; for column 8, coverage is the 48 contiguous

states and the District of Columbia.
 Web Page: See <http://www.eia.gov/totalenergy/data/monthly/#prices> (Excel and CSV files) for all available annual data beginning in 1949 and monthly data beginning in 1973.
 Sources: • **Motor Gasoline by Grade, Monthly Data: October 1973 forward**—U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), *U.S. City Average Gasoline Prices*. • **Motor Gasoline by Grade, Annual Data: 1949-1973**—*Platt's Oil Price Handbook and Oilmanac*, 1974, 51st Edition. **1974 forward**—calculated by the U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA) as simple averages of the BLS monthly data. • **Regular Motor Gasoline by Area Type:** EIA, calculated as simple averages of weighted weekly estimates from "Weekly U.S. Retail Gasoline Prices, Regular Grade." • **On-Highway Diesel Fuel:** EIA, calculated as simple averages of weighted weekly estimates from "Weekly Retail On-Highway Diesel Prices."