

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
April	--	2.737	3.258	2.795	2.652	2.978	2.757	3.096
May	--	2.907	3.423	2.963	2.808	3.096	2.901	3.244

^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."