

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
2005 Average	--	2.295	2.491	2.338	2.240	2.335	2.270	2.402
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 Average	--	2.142	2.610	2.204	2.070	2.296	2.143	2.304
2017 Average	--	2.408	2.911	2.469	2.333	2.586	2.415	2.650
2018 Average	--	2.735	3.270	2.794	2.631	2.904	2.719	3.178
2019 Average	--	2.636	3.212	2.698	2.501	2.827	2.604	3.056
2020 Average	--	2.174	2.791	2.242	2.074	2.370	2.168	2.551
2021 Average	--	3.051	3.692	3.133	2.908	3.224	3.008	3.287
2022 January	--	3.413	4.102	3.500	3.187	3.595	3.315	3.724
February	--	3.592	4.244	3.675	3.400	3.773	3.517	4.032
March	--	4.312	5.015	4.401	4.078	4.535	4.222	5.105
April	--	4.271	5.037	4.369	3.960	4.435	4.109	5.120
May	--	4.604	5.318	4.695	4.272	4.818	4.444	5.571
June	--	5.058	5.774	5.149	4.764	5.291	4.929	5.754
July	--	4.667	5.459	4.768	4.413	4.879	4.559	5.486
August	--	4.101	4.916	4.205	3.822	4.307	3.975	5.013
September	--	3.881	4.732	3.990	3.563	3.998	3.700	4.993
October	--	4.016	4.914	4.130	3.637	4.197	3.815	5.211
November	--	3.853	4.679	3.958	3.530	4.021	3.685	5.255
December	--	3.356	4.167	3.459	3.084	3.486	3.210	4.714
Average	--	4.094	4.863	4.192	3.803	4.274	3.951	4.989
2023 January	--	3.452	4.192	3.555	3.254	3.523	3.339	4.576
February	--	3.514	4.287	3.622	3.304	3.573	3.389	4.413
March	--	3.551	4.339	3.660	3.316	3.655	3.422	4.211
April	--	3.735	4.485	3.839	3.493	3.843	3.603	4.099
May	--	3.685	4.468	3.794	3.432	3.824	3.555	3.915
June	--	3.712	4.497	3.821	3.446	3.844	3.571	3.802
July	--	3.732	4.526	3.842	3.477	3.860	3.597	3.882
August	--	3.955	4.740	4.064	3.727	4.086	3.840	4.370
September	--	3.988	4.844	4.107	3.690	4.155	3.836	4.563
October	--	3.782	4.701	3.910	3.439	3.991	3.613	4.507
November	--	3.500	4.385	3.623	3.172	3.634	3.318	4.254
December	--	3.289	4.162	3.411	3.014	3.393	3.134	3.972
Average	--	3.658	4.469	3.771	3.397	3.783	3.519	4.214
2024 January	--	3.221	4.053	3.353	2.957	3.331	3.075	3.854
February	--	3.359	4.162	3.486	3.102	3.446	3.212	4.044
March	--	3.581	4.379	3.707	3.318	3.657	3.426	4.022
April	--	3.776	4.604	3.907	3.466	3.922	3.611	4.002
May	--	3.755	4.580	3.885	3.459	3.916	3.603	3.822
June	--	3.601	4.413	3.729	3.326	3.730	3.455	3.722
July	--	3.622	4.411	3.747	3.378	3.713	3.484	3.810
August	--	3.521	4.322	3.648	3.295	3.594	3.389	3.700
September	--	3.344	4.189	3.478	3.106	3.450	3.214	3.558
October	--	3.279	4.122	3.412	3.036	3.357	3.137	3.585
November	--	3.181	4.026	3.315	2.958	3.255	3.053	3.522
December	--	3.145	3.980	3.277	2.926	3.214	3.018	3.494
Average	--	3.449	4.270	3.579	3.191	3.547	3.304	3.760

^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."