

**Table 1.6 Cost of Fuels to End Users in Constant (1982-1984) Dollars**

	Consumer Price Index (Urban) <sup>a</sup>	Motor Gasoline <sup>b</sup>		Residential Heating Oil <sup>c</sup>		Residential Natural Gas <sup>d</sup>		Residential Electricity <sup>b</sup>	
	Index 1982-1984=100	Cents per Gallon	Dollars per Million Btu	Cents per Gallon	Dollars per Million Btu	Cents per Thousand Cubic Feet	Dollars per Million Btu	Cents per Kilowatt-hour	Dollars per Million Btu
<b>1973 Average</b> .....	44.4	NA	NA	NA	NA	290.5	2.85	5.6	16.50
<b>1974 Average</b> .....	49.3	NA	NA	NA	NA	290.1	2.83	6.3	18.43
<b>1975 Average</b> .....	53.8	NA	NA	NA	NA	317.8	3.12	6.5	19.07
<b>1976 Average</b> .....	56.9	NA	NA	NA	NA	348.0	3.41	6.5	19.06
<b>1977 Average</b> .....	60.6	NA	NA	NA	NA	387.8	3.81	6.8	19.83
<b>1978 Average</b> .....	65.2	100.0	8.00	75.2	5.42	392.6	3.86	6.6	19.33
<b>1979 Average</b> .....	72.6	121.5	9.71	97.0	6.99	410.5	4.03	6.3	18.57
<b>1980 Average</b> .....	82.4	148.2	11.85	118.2	8.52	446.6	4.36	6.6	19.21
<b>1981 Average</b> .....	90.9	148.8	11.90	131.4	9.47	471.9	4.60	6.8	19.99
<b>1982 Average</b> .....	96.5	132.7	10.61	120.2	8.67	535.8	5.22	7.2	20.96
<b>1983 Average</b> .....	99.6	123.0	9.83	108.2	7.80	608.4	5.90	7.2	21.19
<b>1984 Average</b> .....	103.9	115.3	9.22	105.0	7.57	589.0	5.72	6.88	20.17
<b>1985 Average</b> .....	107.6	111.2	8.89	97.9	7.06	568.8	5.52	6.87	20.13
<b>1986 Average</b> .....	109.6	84.9	6.79	76.3	5.50	531.9	5.17	6.77	19.84
<b>1987 Average</b> .....	113.6	84.2	6.74	70.7	5.10	487.7	4.73	6.56	19.22
<b>1988 Average</b> .....	118.3	81.4	6.51	68.7	4.96	462.4	4.49	6.32	18.53
<b>1989 Average</b> .....	124.0	85.5	6.83	72.6	5.23	454.8	4.41	6.17	18.08
<b>1990 Average</b> .....	130.7	93.1	7.44	81.3	5.86	443.8	4.31	5.99	17.56
<b>1991 Average</b> .....	136.2	87.8	7.02	74.8	5.39	427.3	4.14	5.90	17.30
<b>1992 Average</b> .....	140.3	84.8	6.78	66.6	4.80	419.8	4.07	5.85	17.15
<b>1993 Average</b> .....	144.5	81.2	6.49	63.0	4.55	426.3	4.15	5.76	16.88
<b>1994 Average</b> .....	148.2	79.2	6.36	59.6	4.30	432.5	4.20	5.65	16.57
<b>1995 Average</b> .....	152.4	79.1	6.37	56.9	4.10	397.6	3.87	5.51	16.15
<b>1996 Average</b> .....	156.9	82.1	6.61	63.0	4.54	404.1	3.93	5.33	15.62
<b>1997 Average</b> .....	160.5	80.4	6.48	61.3	4.42	432.4	4.21	5.25	15.39
<b>1998 Average</b> .....	163.0	68.4	5.51	52.3	3.77	418.4	4.05	5.07	14.85
<b>1999 Average</b> .....	166.6	73.3	5.91	52.6	3.79	401.6	3.91	4.90	14.36
<b>2000 Average</b> .....	172.2	90.8	7.32	76.1	5.49	450.6	4.39	4.79	14.02
<b>2001 Average</b> .....	177.1	86.4	6.97	70.6	5.09	543.8	5.27	4.87	14.27
<b>2002</b> January .....	177.1	68.3	5.51	61.9	4.47	R 416.7	4.05	4.57	13.39
February .....	177.8	68.1	5.49	61.0	4.40	R 406.6	3.95	4.61	13.50
March .....	178.8	74.0	5.97	61.5	4.44	R 397.1	3.86	4.57	13.39
April .....	179.8	83.0	6.70	62.1	4.48	R 426.0	R 4.14	4.66	13.66
May .....	179.8	83.9	6.76	60.8	4.38	R 475.0	4.62	4.81	14.08
June .....	179.9	82.8	6.67	58.8	4.24	R 532.5	5.18	4.85	14.21
July .....	180.1	83.1	6.70	57.1	4.12	R 572.5	R 5.56	4.89	14.34
August .....	180.7	83.5	6.73	57.4	4.14	R 577.8	R 5.61	4.85	14.21
September .....	181.0	83.3	6.71	60.7	4.38	R 565.2	R 5.49	4.78	14.02
October .....	181.3	84.7	6.83	63.3	4.57	R 474.9	4.62	4.69	13.76
November .....	181.3	84.6	6.82	65.1	4.69	R 440.7	R 4.28	4.60	13.48
December .....	180.9	81.6	6.58	68.4	4.93	R 435.0	4.23	4.48	13.12
<b>Average</b> .....	<b>179.9</b>	<b>80.1</b>	<b>6.46</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>4.52</b>	<b>R 438.6</b>	<b>R 4.26</b>	<b>4.70</b>	<b>13.78</b>
<b>2003</b> January .....	181.7	85.7	6.91	73.3	5.29	R 444.7	R 4.30	4.39	12.87
February .....	183.1	92.1	7.43	82.4	5.94	R 462.0	R 4.47	4.36	12.79
March .....	184.2	97.2	7.84	83.6	6.02	R 523.3	R 5.07	4.51	13.21
April .....	183.8	92.7	7.48	73.2	5.28	R 546.8	R 5.29	4.79	14.05
May .....	183.5	86.5	6.98	69.0	4.98	R 581.5	R 5.63	4.90	14.36
June .....	183.7	84.8	6.84	66.2	4.78	R 651.1	R 6.30	5.01	14.68
July .....	183.9	85.2	6.87	63.3	4.56	R 686.2	R 6.64	4.97	14.57
August .....	184.6	90.5	7.30	63.7	4.59	R 689.1	R 6.67	4.97	14.57
September .....	185.2	95.6	7.71	64.1	4.63	R 658.2	R 6.37	4.81	14.08
October .....	185.0	89.0	7.18	66.8	4.82	R 568.6	R 5.50	4.81	14.08
November .....	184.5	85.5	6.90	69.5	5.01	R 523.6	R 5.07	4.74	13.88
December .....	184.3	83.5	6.73	72.8	5.25	R 509.5	R 4.93	4.52	13.25
<b>Average</b> .....	<b>184.0</b>	<b>89.0</b>	<b>7.18</b>	<b>73.6</b>	<b>5.31</b>	<b>R 517.4</b>	<b>R 5.01</b>	<b>4.73</b>	<b>13.86</b>
<b>2004</b> January .....	185.2	88.3	7.12	76.5	5.52	R 523.8	R 5.07	4.45	13.04
February .....	186.2	92.1	7.43	76.9	5.55	R 528.5	R 5.12	4.47	13.10
March .....	187.4	96.5	7.79	75.4	5.44	R 533.6	5.17	4.60	13.48
April .....	188.0	99.7	8.04	75.1	5.41	559.6	R 5.42	4.75	13.92
May .....	189.1	108.4	8.74	75.1	5.41	R 614.0	R 5.94	4.80	14.07
June .....	189.7	109.8	8.86	74.2	5.35	687.9	R 6.66	4.88	14.29
July .....	189.4	104.6	8.44	75.4	5.44	R 709.6	R 6.87	4.93	14.45
August .....	189.5	102.4	8.26	79.1	5.70	R 726.6	R 7.03	5.00	14.65
September .....	189.9	101.8	8.21	84.1	6.07	R 698.8	R 6.76	4.93	14.46
October .....	190.9	108.5	8.75	R 94.6	R 6.82	610.3	R 5.91	4.77	13.97
November .....	191.0	107.5	8.67	95.3	6.87	599.0	5.80	4.69	13.75
December .....	190.3	101.2	8.16	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Average</b> .....	<b>188.9</b>	<b>101.8</b>	<b>8.21</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>

<sup>a</sup> Consumer Price Index, All Urban Consumers, All Items, 1982-1984 = 100.0.

<sup>b</sup> Includes taxes.

<sup>c</sup> Excludes taxes.

R=Revised. NA=Not available.

Notes: • Fuel costs are calculated by using the Urban Consumer Price Index (CPI) developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. • Annual averages may not equal average of months due to independent rounding.

• Geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

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Sources: • **Fuel Prices:** Tables 9.4 (All Types), 9.8c, 9.11, and 9.9, adjusted by the CPI. • **CPI: 1973-2001**—*Economic Report of the President*, February 2004, Table B-60. **2002 forward**—Council of Economic Advisers, *Economic Indicators*, February 2005, "Consumer Prices - All Urban Consumers." • **Conversion Factors:** Tables A1, A3, A4, and A6.