

Table 9.5 Refiner Prices of Residual Fuel Oil
(Dollars^a per Gallon, Excluding Taxes)

	Residual Fuel Oil Sulfur Content Less Than or Equal to 1%		Residual Fuel Oil Sulfur Content Greater Than 1%		Average	
	Sales for Resale	Sales to End Users	Sales for Resale	Sales to End Users	Sales for Resale	Sales to End Users
1978 Average	0.293	0.314	0.245	0.275	0.263	0.298
1980 Average .....	.608	.675	.479	.523	.528	.607
1985 Average .....	.610	.644	.560	.582	.577	.610
1990 Average .....	.472	.505	.372	.400	.413	.444
1995 Average .....	.383	.436	.338	.377	.363	.392
2000 Average .....	.627	.708	.512	.566	.566	.602
2001 Average .....	.523	.642	.428	.492	.476	.531
2002 Average .....	.546	.640	.508	.544	.530	.569
2003 Average .....	.728	.804	.588	.651	.661	.698
2004 Average .....	.764	.835	.601	.692	.681	.739
2005 Average	1.115	1.168	.842	.974	.971	1.048
2006 Average	1.202	1.342	1.085	1.173	1.136	1.218
2007 Average	1.406	1.436	1.314	1.350	1.350	1.374
2008 Average	1.918	2.144	1.843	1.889	1.866	1.964
2009 Average	1.337	1.413	1.344	1.306	1.342	1.341
2010 Average	1.756	1.920	1.679	1.619	1.697	1.713
2011 Average	2.389	2.736	2.316	2.257	2.336	2.401
2012 Average	2.548	3.025	2.429	2.433	2.457	2.592
2013 Average	2.363	2.883	2.249	2.353	2.278	2.482
2014 Average	2.153	2.694	1.996	2.221	2.044	2.325
2015 Average .....	.971	1.529	.999	1.227	.996	1.285
2016 January .....	.477	W	.502	.641	.499	.710
February .....	.475	NA	.508	.606	.504	.632
March .....	.582	NA	.555	.672	.558	.693
April .....	.633	W	.614	.734	.616	.782
May .....	.729	W	.722	.868	.723	.922
June .....	.850	W	.823	.911	.825	.983
July .....	.876	W	.834	.948	.835	1.030
August .....	.842	W	.811	.924	.815	.990
September .....	.846	W	.855	1.059	.854	1.076
October .....	.961	W	.935	1.091	.938	1.115
November .....	.920	NA	.907	1.040	.908	1.106
December	1.024	W	1.031	1.206	1.030	1.230
Average .....	.736	1.138	.746	.897	.745	.945
2017 January	1.099	W	1.121	1.249	1.119	1.309
February	1.174	W	1.115	1.243	1.121	1.291
March	1.103	W	1.075	1.186	1.077	1.239
April	1.038	W	1.039	1.147	1.039	1.201
May .....	.986	W	1.047	1.153	1.043	1.213
June .....	.937	W	.995	1.129	.991	1.195
July	1.026	W	1.040	1.154	1.039	1.211
August	1.042	W	1.081	1.142	1.079	1.204
September	1.150	W	1.137	1.295	1.138	1.314
October	1.153	W	1.178	1.249	1.176	1.304
November	1.302	W	1.277	1.384	1.279	1.413
December	1.254	W	1.249	1.447	1.249	1.484
Average	1.112	W	1.117	1.237	1.116	1.287
2018 January	1.301	W	1.311	1.476	1.310	1.507
February	1.221	W	1.325	1.415	1.319	1.490
March	1.227	W	1.306	1.386	1.302	1.452
April	1.311	W	1.349	1.438	1.348	1.504
May	1.462	W	1.501	1.615	1.500	1.667
June	1.487	W	1.558	1.643	1.553	1.731
July	1.543	W	1.583	1.709	1.581	1.767
August	1.499	W	^R 1.552	^R 1.680	1.549	^R 1.764
September	1.520	W	1.561	1.694	1.560	1.761

^a Prices are not adjusted for inflation. See "Nominal Dollars" in Glossary.
R=Revised. NA=Not available. W=Value withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

Notes: • Sales for resale are those made to purchasers other than ultimate consumers. Sales to end users are those made directly to ultimate consumers, including bulk consumers (such as agriculture, industry, and electric utilities) and commercial consumers. • Values for the current month are preliminary.
• Through 1982, prices are U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA)

estimates. See Note 6, "Historical Petroleum Prices," at end of section.
• Geographic coverage is the 50 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 1978 and monthly data beginning in 1982.

Sources: • **1978–2007:** EIA, *Petroleum Marketing Annual 2007*, Table 17.
• **2008 forward:** EIA, *Petroleum Marketing Monthly*, December 2018, Table 16.