

Table 26. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Residential Consumers by State, 1967-1994
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)

State	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Alabama.....	1.13	1.10	1.09	1.13	1.19	1.27	1.37	1.55	1.57	1.99
Alaska.....	1.51	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.53	1.55	1.57	1.58	1.63	1.65
Arizona.....	0.96	0.97	1.04	1.20	1.23	1.24	1.37	1.50	1.53	2.12
Arkansas.....	0.72	0.70	0.71	0.75	0.79	0.83	0.87	1.06	1.12	1.23
California.....	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.99	1.03	1.08	1.16	1.38	1.57	1.77
Colorado.....	0.66	0.68	0.69	0.72	0.75	0.78	0.83	1.00	1.16	1.27
Connecticut.....	1.83	1.81	1.82	1.91	2.07	2.09	2.25	2.79	3.29	3.41
D.C.....	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
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Delaware.....	1.60	1.59	1.50	1.58	1.63	1.71	1.85	2.11	2.43	2.61
Florida.....	2.26	2.59	2.48	2.51	2.54	2.66	2.70	2.85	2.74	2.81
Georgia.....	1.03	1.02	1.02	1.05	1.13	1.26	1.30	1.40	1.50	1.69
Hawaii.....	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Idaho.....	1.29	1.36	1.37	1.39	1.49	1.51	1.52	1.80	2.18	2.24
Illinois.....	1.02	1.02	1.00	1.05	1.07	1.13	1.21	1.35	1.61	1.90
Indiana.....	0.98	0.94	0.94	1.01	1.08	1.14	1.20	1.28	1.45	1.69
Iowa.....	0.93	0.93	0.94	0.97	1.03	1.11	1.17	1.22	1.43	1.61
Kansas.....	0.59	0.63	0.64	0.68	0.72	0.74	0.75	0.90	1.03	1.48
Kentucky.....	0.84	0.79	0.80	0.83	0.88	0.93	0.99	1.10	1.23	1.32
Louisiana.....	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.77	0.84	0.91	0.97	1.12	1.37	1.57
Maine.....	^b 1.96	^b 2.05	^b 1.97	^b 1.99	^b 2.05	^b 2.14	^b 2.17	^b 2.38	^b 2.65	^b 2.68
Maryland.....	^a 1.44	^a 1.42	^a 1.42	^a 1.45	^a 1.51	^a 1.65	^a 1.68	^a 0.50	^a 2.33	^a 2.57
Massachusetts....	1.88	1.86	1.86	1.92	2.12	2.29	2.40	2.71	3.15	3.64
Michigan.....	0.98	0.98	0.98	1.01	1.06	1.10	1.18	1.37	1.62	1.90
Minnesota.....	1.03	1.03	1.07	1.10	1.18	1.23	1.30	1.41	1.57	1.74
Mississippi.....	0.88	0.97	0.88	0.88	0.94	1.08	1.09	1.23	1.41	1.71
Missouri.....	0.84	0.86	0.89	0.96	1.02	1.10	1.16	1.27	1.49	1.70
Montana.....	0.80	0.82	0.88	0.91	0.93	0.97	1.09	1.12	1.30	1.36
Nebraska.....	0.79	0.80	0.83	0.85	0.92	0.99	1.04	1.14	1.28	1.37
Nevada.....	1.42	1.51	1.49	1.51	1.51	1.52	1.54	1.72	1.95	2.04
New Hampshire ..	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b
New Jersey.....	1.91	1.91	1.85	1.89	1.95	2.02	2.08	2.25	2.69	3.14
New Mexico.....	0.91	0.89	0.91	0.93	0.95	0.97	1.00	1.24	1.33	1.36
New York.....	1.42	1.38	1.37	1.40	1.50	1.62	1.74	2.00	2.54	2.87
North Carolina.....	1.31	1.29	1.25	1.30	1.34	1.41	1.51	1.69	2.02	2.13
North Dakota.....	0.94	0.93	0.95	1.02	1.10	1.13	1.14	1.19	1.51	1.79
Ohio.....	0.86	0.85	0.87	0.90	0.98	1.05	1.11	1.24	1.50	1.77
Oklahoma.....	0.78	0.77	0.82	0.84	0.87	0.90	0.92	1.05	1.22	1.50
Oregon.....	1.57	1.54	1.49	1.51	1.60	1.68	1.76	2.00	2.20	2.68
Pennsylvania.....	1.15	1.15	1.18	1.24	1.28	1.36	1.48	1.66	1.93	2.14
Rhode Island.....	1.81	1.78	1.78	1.83	1.93	2.05	2.37	2.55	3.09	3.36
South Carolina....	1.40	1.32	1.33	1.35	1.47	1.62	1.65	1.97	2.13	2.29
South Dakota.....	0.99	0.99	1.01	1.04	1.10	1.13	1.19	1.29	1.40	1.50
Tennessee.....	0.90	0.88	0.89	0.91	0.98	1.02	1.08	1.17	1.29	1.61
Texas.....	0.87	0.87	0.90	0.92	0.99	1.01	1.04	1.17	1.52	1.99
Utah.....	0.68	0.74	0.83	0.85	0.87	0.90	0.99	1.07	1.22	1.38
Vermont.....	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b
Virginia.....	1.46	1.44	1.43	1.49	1.52	1.60	1.68	1.87	2.24	2.54
Washington.....	1.48	1.43	1.36	1.40	1.43	1.47	1.55	1.77	2.27	2.70
West Virginia.....	0.84	0.87	0.88	0.89	0.94	0.96	0.97	1.10	1.45	1.67
Wisconsin.....	1.02	1.10	1.16	1.25	1.26	1.34	1.43	1.50	1.75	2.11
Wyoming.....	0.66	0.67	0.68	0.68	0.71	0.74	0.77	0.85	1.02	1.18
Total.....	1.04	1.04	1.05	1.09	1.15	1.21	1.29	1.43	1.71	1.98

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 26. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Residential Consumers by State, 1967-1994
(Continued)
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)

State	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Alabama.....	2.31	2.71	3.65	4.04	4.77	5.58	6.22	6.26	6.41
Alaska.....	1.71	1.76	1.71	1.73	1.95	1.79	2.33	2.49	2.81
Arizona.....	2.61	3.07	3.50	4.05	4.63	5.92	6.63	7.16	7.00
Arkansas.....	1.98	1.96	1.57	2.47	3.04	3.82	4.40	4.37	4.43
California.....	1.89	1.99	2.47	3.51	3.74	4.43	5.41	5.84	5.72
Colorado.....	1.62	1.94	2.48	3.23	4.17	4.89	5.51	5.24	5.10
Connecticut.....	4.34	4.47	4.74	5.84	6.85	8.51	9.70	8.80	9.15
D.C.....	a	a	a	4.57	5.50	6.64	8.10	8.05	7.91
Delaware.....	3.25	4.06	4.03	4.30	5.53	6.04	6.59	6.67	7.06
Florida.....	3.53	3.54	3.70	4.80	5.31	6.59	6.85	7.18	7.46
Georgia.....	1.97	2.33	2.88	3.67	4.34	5.33	6.10	6.41	6.60
Hawaii.....	NA	NA	NA	12.99	15.57	15.70	16.46	17.36	18.12
Idaho.....	2.86	3.41	3.73	4.97	5.57	6.92	7.38	6.89	6.89
Illinois.....	2.21	2.50	3.01	3.61	4.05	4.73	5.46	5.37	5.55
Indiana.....	2.02	2.17	2.65	3.15	3.60	4.38	5.49	5.69	5.54
Iowa.....	1.93	2.25	2.68	3.19	3.89	4.69	5.52	5.56	5.39
Kansas.....	1.73	1.77	1.95	2.36	3.03	4.06	4.68	4.49	4.12
Kentucky.....	1.79	1.94	2.35	3.03	3.49	4.46	5.30	5.20	5.31
Louisiana.....	1.97	2.47	2.71	3.40	4.15	5.32	6.12	5.96	5.67
Maine.....	^b 3.62	^b 3.57	^b 4.10	6.34	7.45	8.63	9.82	9.58	9.07
Maryland.....	^a 3.18	^a 3.40	^a 3.76	4.46	5.07	6.12	7.42	7.44	7.25
Massachusetts.....	3.95	4.17	4.55	5.42	6.37	7.54	8.32	7.83	7.83
Michigan.....	2.22	2.31	2.64	3.19	3.84	4.79	5.84	5.97	6.29
Minnesota.....	2.13	2.41	2.86	3.22	4.09	4.96	5.90	6.00	5.80
Mississippi.....	2.11	2.40	2.83	3.47	3.99	4.93	5.88	5.52	5.46
Missouri.....	2.18	2.29	2.75	3.28	4.02	5.20	6.12	5.85	5.49
Montana.....	1.82	1.89	2.21	3.05	3.75	4.45	4.62	4.86	4.81
Nebraska.....	1.80	1.97	2.30	2.72	3.45	4.15	4.95	5.09	5.01
Nevada.....	2.78	2.80	2.83	4.06	4.84	5.56	6.81	6.95	7.04
New Hampshire.....	b	b	b	4.66	5.68	6.85	7.47	7.02	7.15
New Jersey.....	3.42	3.53	4.30	5.06	5.87	7.03	7.43	7.30	7.49
New Mexico.....	2.11	2.50	2.73	3.32	3.86	4.94	5.50	5.90	6.08
New York.....	3.28	3.68	4.12	4.95	5.50	6.51	7.87	7.64	7.74
North Carolina.....	2.81	3.00	3.52	4.11	5.17	5.73	6.65	6.68	6.60
North Dakota.....	2.11	2.33	2.88	3.85	4.28	4.61	5.56	6.38	5.59
Ohio.....	2.21	2.43	2.81	3.54	3.97	4.96	6.08	6.07	6.04
Oklahoma.....	1.78	1.93	2.20	2.46	2.94	3.53	4.33	4.56	4.58
Oregon.....	3.43	3.83	4.12	5.60	6.06	6.92	7.23	7.18	6.93
Pennsylvania.....	2.51	2.63	3.19	3.80	4.51	5.42	6.44	6.56	6.72
Rhode Island.....	4.23	4.18	3.67	5.69	6.61	7.95	8.66	7.50	7.87
South Carolina.....	2.87	3.00	3.50	4.19	4.90	5.51	6.38	6.62	6.62
South Dakota.....	1.83	2.10	2.61	3.13	3.91	4.71	5.59	6.16	5.75
Tennessee.....	2.09	2.14	2.37	2.89	3.44	4.32	5.26	5.04	5.12
Texas.....	2.39	2.73	3.21	3.40	4.20	5.21	5.55	5.82	5.77
Utah.....	1.64	1.93	2.22	2.74	3.23	3.41	4.26	5.68	4.86
Vermont.....	b	b	b	6.22	7.00	7.24	6.79	6.30	6.28
Virginia.....	3.03	3.27	3.72	4.26	4.66	6.02	7.03	6.99	7.02
Washington.....	3.12	3.48	3.95	5.31	6.02	6.87	6.87	6.84	6.60
West Virginia.....	2.55	2.61	2.93	3.59	4.24	5.20	6.00	6.12	6.39
Wisconsin.....	2.50	2.68	3.06	3.83	4.77	5.64	6.48	6.51	6.47
Wyoming.....	1.59	1.91	2.51	2.81	3.51	4.53	5.13	5.84	5.17
Total.....	2.35	2.56	2.98	3.68	4.29	5.17	6.06	6.12	6.12

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Table 26. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Residential Consumers by State, 1967-1994
(Continued)
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)

State	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994
Alabama.....	6.52	6.64	6.51	6.27	6.57	7.05	6.74	7.10	7.41
Alaska.....	3.25	3.21	3.46	3.63	3.79	4.18	3.79	3.96	3.60
Arizona.....	6.28	6.11	6.99	6.94	6.85	6.99	7.24	7.20	7.54
Arkansas.....	4.83	4.63	4.81	4.85	5.10	4.98	5.10	5.38	5.71
California.....	5.14	5.26	5.64	5.59	5.78	6.27	5.97	6.23	6.39
Colorado.....	5.01	4.74	4.42	4.63	4.57	4.59	4.56	4.52	4.92
Connecticut.....	8.83	8.21	7.87	8.25	8.58	8.74	8.96	9.43	10.14
D.C.....	7.52	7.09	6.96	7.44	7.18	7.07	7.61	8.34	8.29
Delaware.....	7.09	6.32	6.00	6.42	6.13	5.86	6.13	6.70	7.43
Florida.....	7.20	7.48	7.49	8.06	8.47	8.98	9.08	10.02	9.98
Georgia.....	6.63	6.34	6.22	6.25	6.82	6.70	6.44	6.80	7.32
Hawaii.....	16.09	15.90	15.69	15.66	16.45	22.93	18.03	17.51	16.83
Idaho.....	6.02	5.50	5.49	5.05	5.05	5.19	5.23	5.38	5.29
Illinois.....	5.07	4.81	4.60	4.92	5.06	4.95	5.09	5.52	5.50
Indiana.....	5.52	4.95	5.16	5.50	5.38	5.46	5.43	5.76	6.24
Iowa.....	5.12	4.75	4.79	4.70	4.99	4.81	5.23	5.48	5.40
Kansas.....	3.89	4.09	4.02	4.17	4.48	4.38	4.70	4.91	5.11
Kentucky.....	4.93	4.53	4.48	4.68	4.93	4.87	5.01	5.25	5.46
Louisiana.....	5.77	5.56	5.74	5.97	6.09	5.77	5.60	6.09	6.24
Maine.....	8.51	8.04	7.26	7.16	7.61	6.86	6.95	7.47	7.83
Maryland.....	6.88	6.37	5.90	6.30	6.45	6.16	6.43	7.08	6.95
Massachusetts.....	7.41	6.64	6.47	7.16	7.82	8.11	7.92	8.33	8.94
Michigan.....	5.74	5.46	5.34	5.19	5.02	5.07	5.06	5.04	4.98
Minnesota.....	5.28	4.58	4.64	4.57	4.63	4.52	4.86	5.31	5.18
Mississippi.....	5.59	6.10	5.85	5.10	5.33	5.21	4.95	5.23	5.46
Missouri.....	5.03	4.76	4.76	4.84	5.21	5.14	5.11	5.37	5.43
Montana.....	4.45	4.41	4.30	4.37	4.59	4.52	4.80	4.92	5.23
Nebraska.....	4.59	4.36	4.46	4.48	4.60	4.64	4.82	4.96	5.01
Nevada.....	5.96	5.31	5.87	5.55	5.66	5.61	5.59	5.69	6.66
New Hampshire.....	7.07	6.50	6.28	6.85	7.41	7.14	7.55	7.66	7.96
New Jersey.....	7.35	6.60	6.32	6.51	6.60	6.73	6.94	6.99	7.11
New Mexico.....	5.72	4.98	5.23	5.73	5.67	5.40	4.75	5.46	5.61
New York.....	7.46	6.88	6.50	7.22	7.40	7.35	7.58	8.15	8.75
North Carolina.....	6.62	6.66	6.25	6.55	6.17	6.24	6.60	6.99	7.30
North Dakota.....	5.29	5.47	5.15	4.68	4.70	4.82	5.00	5.23	5.19
Ohio.....	5.80	5.35	5.21	5.32	5.29	5.28	5.20	5.71	5.88
Oklahoma.....	5.01	4.63	4.52	4.50	4.80	4.72	4.96	4.94	5.50
Oregon.....	6.61	6.62	6.79	6.19	6.27	6.13	6.17	6.42	6.99
Pennsylvania.....	6.39	6.03	5.79	6.14	6.61	6.76	6.60	6.84	7.44
Rhode Island.....	7.46	6.81	6.60	7.13	7.22	7.63	7.68	8.17	9.12
South Carolina.....	6.54	6.59	6.73	6.73	7.17	6.98	7.03	7.14	7.65
South Dakota.....	5.26	4.87	4.91	4.85	5.14	4.94	5.15	5.30	5.27
Tennessee.....	4.97	4.68	4.65	4.83	5.11	5.19	5.50	5.69	6.13
Texas.....	5.31	5.21	5.37	5.55	5.78	5.71	5.78	5.91	5.99
Utah.....	4.64	4.97	5.11	5.14	5.28	5.44	5.44	5.13	4.96
Vermont.....	6.28	6.23	5.65	5.62	5.79	6.23	6.70	6.19	6.94
Virginia.....	6.49	5.86	5.81	6.59	6.75	6.80	6.69	7.51	7.63
Washington.....	5.93	5.42	5.50	5.49	5.02	4.68	5.00	5.23	5.70
West Virginia.....	6.34	5.98	5.50	5.75	6.46	6.50	6.31	6.45	6.66
Wisconsin.....	6.20	5.99	5.89	5.64	5.74	5.61	5.87	6.34	6.28
Wyoming.....	4.93	4.70	4.48	4.71	4.84	4.74	4.72	4.77	5.10
Total.....	5.83	5.54	5.47	5.64	5.80	5.82	5.89	6.16	6.41

^a Data for the District of Columbia are included with data for Maryland.
^b Data for New Hampshire and Vermont are included with data for Maine.
NA = Not available.

Sources: 1967-1975: Bureau of Mines, *Minerals Yearbook*, "Natural Gas" chapter.
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