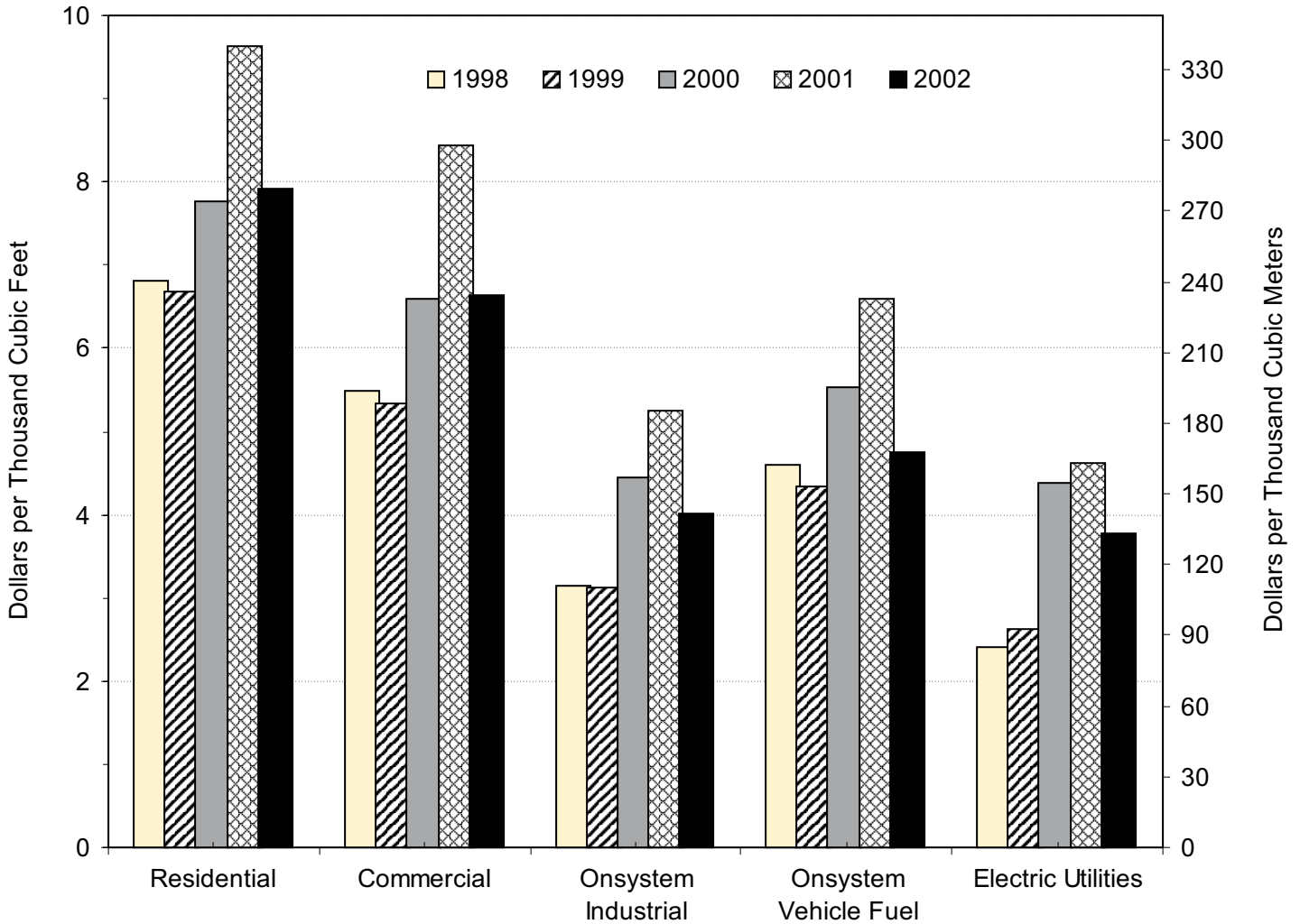


Natural Gas Consumer Prices

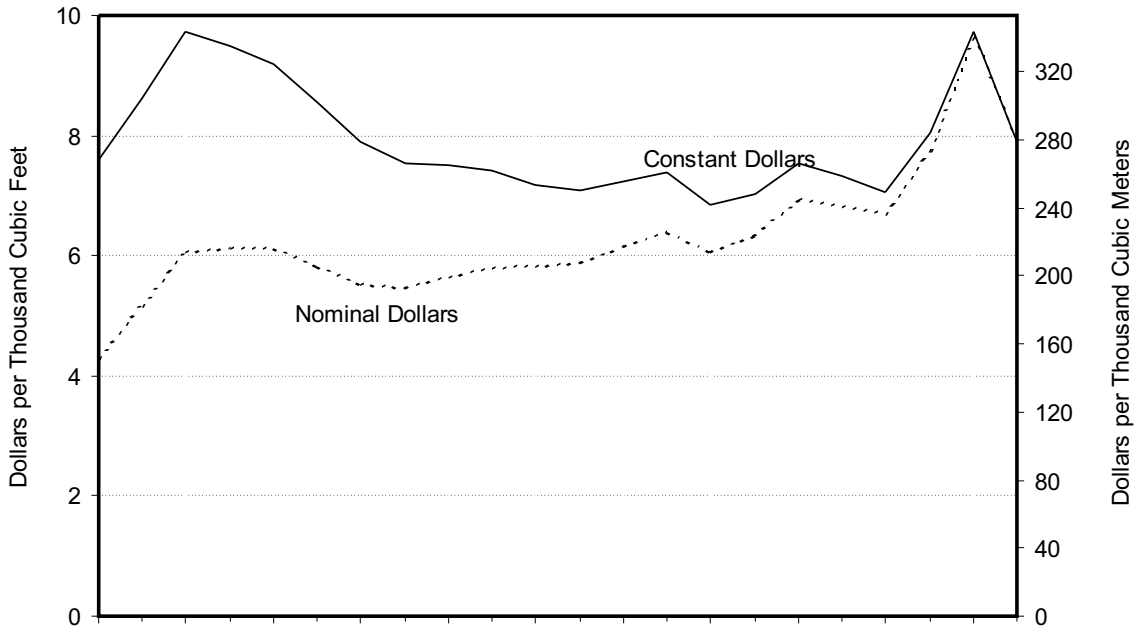
Figure 13. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to Consumers in the United States, 1998-2002



Note: Prices are calculated from onsystem sales in all States and sectors except in Georgia, Maryland, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania, where prices reflect all deliveries in the residential and commercial sectors.

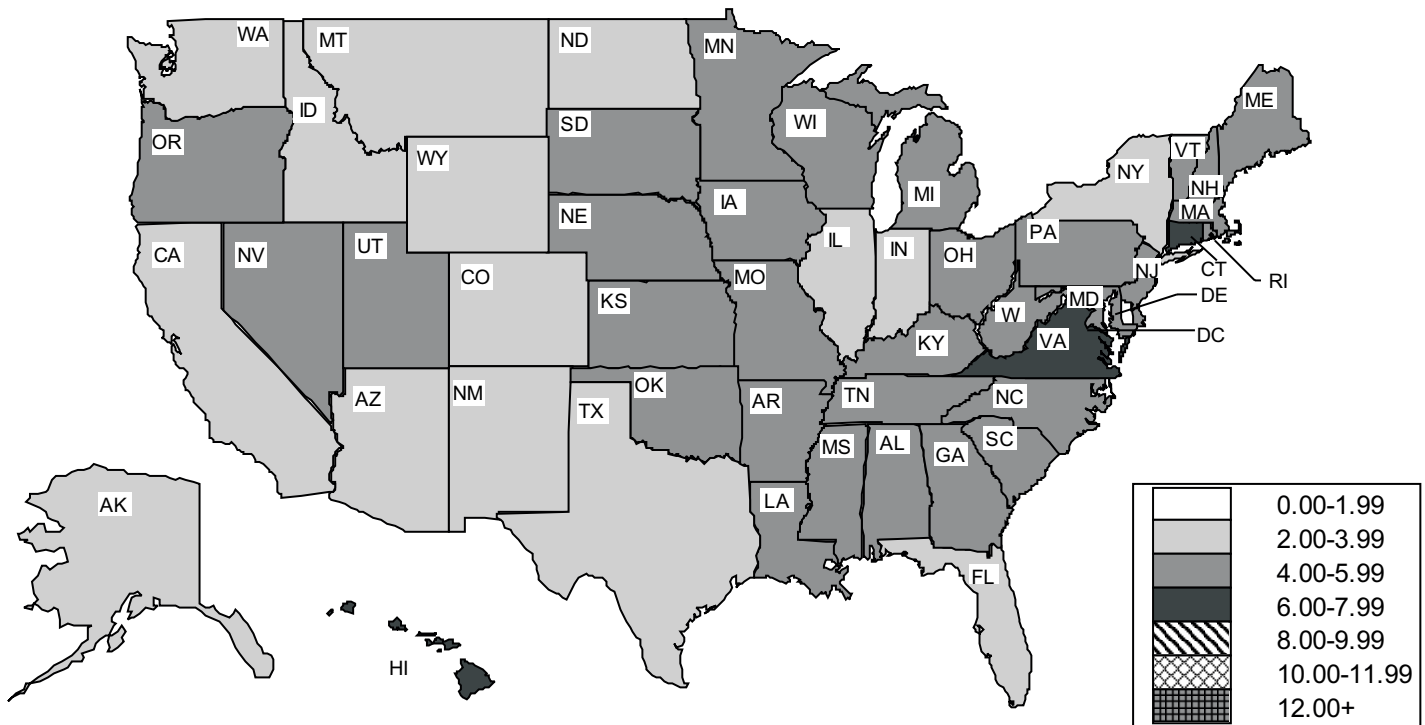
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Figure 14. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to Residential Consumers, 1980-2002



Sources: Nominal dollars: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition," and Form EIA 910, "Monthly Natural Gas Marketer Survey." Constant dollars: Prices were converted to 2002 dollars using the chain-type price indexes for Gross Domestic Product (1996 = 1.0) as published by the U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Figure 15. Average City Gate Price of Natural Gas in the United States, 2002
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)



Sources: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-857, "Monthly Report of Natural Gas Purchases and Deliveries to Consumers."

Table 22. Average City Gate Price of Natural Gas in the United States, 1998-2002
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)

State	Average Price				
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Alabama	3.17	3.21	4.50	6.63	4.74
Alaska	1.72	1.32	1.60	2.32	2.36
Arizona	2.55	2.72	4.82	5.02	3.77
Arkansas	2.94	2.81	4.16	6.11	5.17
California	2.38	2.61	4.32	6.64	3.20
Colorado.....	2.40	2.31	3.53	4.25	2.72
Connecticut	5.06	4.91	6.73	8.12	6.42
Delaware	3.02	3.45	3.41	5.16	5.37
Florida	3.42	3.49	5.10	5.28	3.90
Georgia	3.51	2.95	4.64	6.02	4.55
Hawaii	5.33	5.62	8.41	7.86	7.17
Idaho	1.95	2.23	4.02	4.85	3.66
Illinois	2.77	3.00	5.01	5.54	3.68
Indiana	2.45	2.46	4.03	4.50	3.58
Iowa.....	3.34	3.30	5.06	5.92	4.16
Kansas	2.96	2.96	4.52	6.06	4.12
Kentucky	3.23	3.27	4.93	6.32	4.45
Louisiana	2.33	2.70	4.61	5.55	4.07
Maine.....	3.43	4.61	5.30	6.82	4.03
Maryland	4.12	3.45	5.36	6.78	4.94
Massachusetts	4.01	3.74	5.43	6.64	4.96
Michigan	2.80	2.83	3.23	4.08	4.10
Minnesota.....	2.98	3.06	4.73	5.84	4.03
Mississippi.....	3.00	2.88	4.66	6.00	4.22
Missouri	3.33	3.34	4.96	6.33	4.56
Montana	2.43	2.57	3.55	3.93	2.98
Nebraska	3.02	3.12	4.52	6.23	4.09
Nevada	3.02	2.59	4.79	5.06	4.39
New Hampshire.....	3.75	4.07	5.34	4.30	4.24
New Jersey	3.71	4.48	5.34	6.41	5.33
New Mexico.....	2.08	2.24	3.79	3.99	2.91
New York.....	2.65	2.92	4.67	4.71	3.90
North Carolina	3.49	3.33	5.09	6.74	4.52
North Dakota	2.81	3.07	4.60	4.82	3.68
Ohio.....	4.70	4.83	6.10	8.25	4.68
Oklahoma	2.55	2.84	3.91	6.48	4.24
Oregon	2.73	2.93	3.87	5.04	5.25
Pennsylvania.....	4.12	3.65	5.09	6.68	5.20
Rhode Island	3.78	4.19	4.36	6.40	5.01
South Carolina	3.39	3.46	5.09	6.16	4.91
South Dakota	3.24	3.52	4.81	6.21	4.21
Tennessee	3.47	3.15	4.72	6.11	4.13
Texas.....	2.63	2.84	4.39	5.13	3.86
Utah.....	3.22	2.98	3.68	5.61	4.07
Vermont.....	2.58	2.85	4.26	4.83	4.85
Virginia	3.74	3.81	5.34	6.76	6.75
Washington	2.34	2.63	4.16	5.31	3.83
West Virginia	3.17	3.40	3.75	4.88	4.28
Wisconsin.....	3.29	3.08	4.42	5.90	4.36
Wyoming	2.73	3.59	5.07	6.39	2.87
Total.....	3.07	3.10	4.62	5.72	4.15

Source: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-857, "Monthly Report of Natural Gas Purchases and Deliveries to Consumers."

Table 23. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to Consumers by State and Sector, 2002
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)

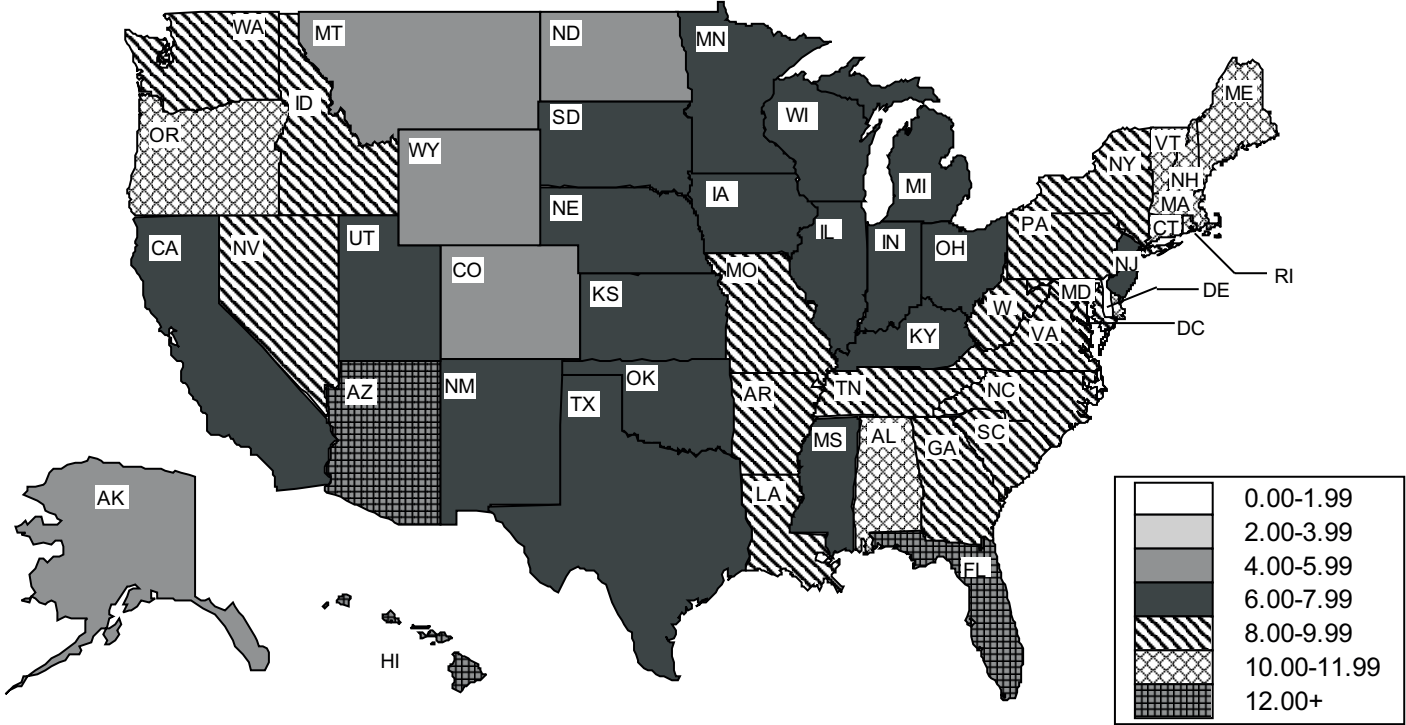
State	Residential		Commercial		Industrial		Vehicle Fuel		Electric Utilities
	Average Price	Percentage of Total Volume Delivered	Average Price	Percentage of Total Volume Delivered	Average Price	Percentage of Total Volume Delivered	Average Price	Percentage of Total Volume Delivered	Average Price
Alabama	10.53	99.9	8.94	80.4	5.22	21.7	—	NA	3.60
Alaska	4.41	100.0	3.41	60.0	1.63	90.2	—	NA	2.22
Arizona	12.11	100.0	8.42	92.8	6.49	41.2	7.04	NA	3.27
Arkansas	8.95	100.0	7.05	80.8	5.64	5.0	4.43	NA	3.60
California	7.11	99.3	6.07	68.6	4.93	7.7	4.35	NA	4.07
Colorado	5.62	99.9	4.82	95.3	4.79	1.2	3.57	NA	2.62
Connecticut	11.15	98.9	7.18	72.4	4.97	48.9	8.84	NA	—
D.C.	11.01	74.4	10.30	23.5	—	—	4.37	NA	—
Delaware	10.53	100.0	9.41	82.8	6.16	13.4	5.48	NA	3.66
Florida	13.61	99.1	8.17	42.3	5.35	3.3	6.41	NA	4.22
Georgia	9.86	100.0	8.14	100.0	4.85	19.2	6.50	NA	3.10
Hawaii	23.10	100.0	17.81	100.0	10.17	100.0	—	NA	—
Idaho	8.41	100.0	7.73	85.9	6.90	2.1	4.20	NA	—
Illinois	6.41	90.3	7.46	40.9	4.97	9.3	4.09	NA	3.53
Indiana	7.68	98.3	6.83	78.4	5.48	8.6	8.54	NA	3.85
Iowa	7.08	100.0	5.51	81.4	5.58	7.6	—	NA	3.87
Kansas	7.24	100.0	6.51	58.9	3.61	10.9	5.61	NA	3.11
Kentucky	7.52	93.2	7.02	78.9	4.63	18.0	9.42	NA	4.34
Louisiana	8.13	100.0	6.79	99.0	3.70	13.3	5.57	NA	3.66
Maine	11.78	100.0	9.55	61.6	8.44	10.7	—	NA	—
Maryland	9.61	100.0	6.83	100.0	7.42	8.0	4.20	NA	9.50
Massachusetts	10.05	99.9	8.81	57.4	7.35	20.0	4.99	NA	4.06
Michigan	6.32	95.4	5.97	63.2	4.83	10.2	—	NA	2.99
Minnesota	6.61	100.0	5.57	90.7	4.14	40.0	4.74	NA	3.95
Mississippi	7.76	100.0	6.45	96.7	4.53	25.9	—	NA	3.63
Missouri	8.00	100.0	7.34	80.0	6.02	16.1	4.04	NA	3.43
Montana	5.30	100.0	5.37	75.1	2.75	2.1	4.73	NA	4.82
Nebraska	6.18	82.0	5.11	63.7	4.25	15.7	—	NA	4.17
Nevada	9.70	100.0	7.71	78.5	7.69	34.3	4.89	NA	5.59
New Hampshire	10.08	100.0	8.51	80.6	7.38	12.3	—	NA	4.08
New Jersey	7.23	96.8	6.26	49.1	4.91	20.8	5.03	NA	4.20
New Mexico	7.71	99.9	6.19	68.8	4.29	14.1	6.13	NA	3.29
New York	9.90	100.0	6.44	100.0	5.53	11.0	4.80	NA	3.88
North Carolina	9.37	100.0	7.25	90.8	4.91	39.2	6.21	NA	4.37
North Dakota	5.14	100.0	4.54	91.6	4.05	9.2	3.88	NA	2.54
Ohio	7.61	100.0	6.43	100.0	5.67	3.9	7.61	NA	5.17
Oklahoma	7.78	99.9	6.95	71.0	6.28	3.3	5.34	NA	3.61
Oregon	10.54	100.0	7.86	98.7	6.98	14.4	6.95	NA	3.01
Pennsylvania	9.49	100.0	7.73	100.0	6.29	7.3	6.75	NA	4.74
Rhode Island	11.81	100.0	10.06	65.9	4.84	27.3	6.28	NA	—
South Carolina	9.73	100.0	7.92	98.5	4.49	85.2	5.93	NA	5.16
South Dakota	6.93	100.0	5.26	83.1	4.28	52.2	4.14	NA	—
Tennessee	8.15	100.0	7.37	90.9	5.34	36.0	6.43	NA	5.96
Texas	7.28	100.0	5.49	87.2	3.40	42.3	5.67	NA	3.47
Utah	6.39	100.0	5.20	83.7	3.91	13.6	6.33	NA	4.82
Vermont	10.39	100.0	8.20	100.0	4.39	74.7	—	NA	3.86
Virginia	9.78	89.5	7.20	61.4	4.59	15.3	4.53	NA	4.85
Washington	9.33	100.0	8.24	89.8	4.81	27.5	3.98	NA	6.53
West Virginia	8.44	99.9	7.38	57.4	4.20	12.7	—	NA	4.53
Wisconsin	7.35	100.0	6.11	75.9	5.23	21.4	4.49	NA	3.80
Wyoming	5.84	76.3	5.03	73.0	4.21	2.0	6.84	NA	4.38
Total	7.91	97.9	6.64	78.4	4.02	22.5	4.74	NA	3.77

NA = Not available
— = Not applicable.

Notes: Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding.

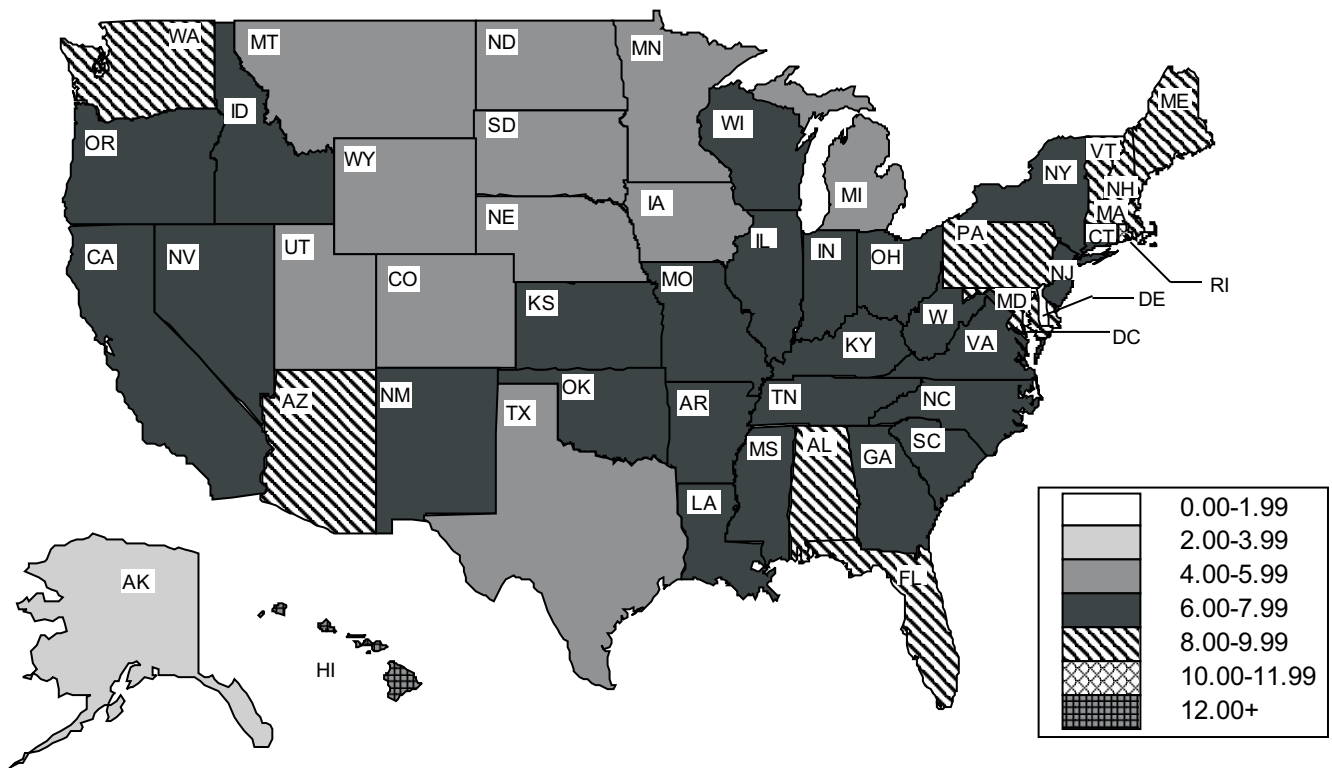
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Figure 16. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Residential Consumers, 2002
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)



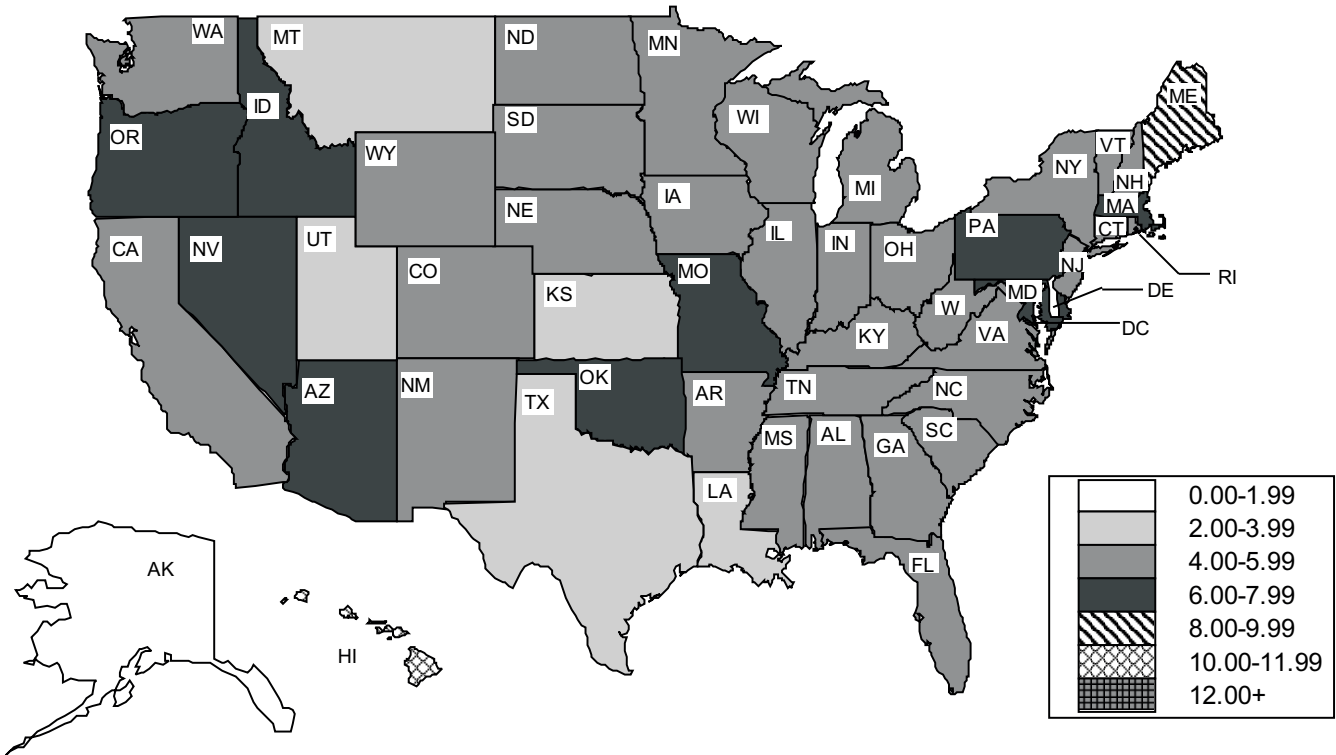
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Figure 17. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Commercial Consumers, 2002
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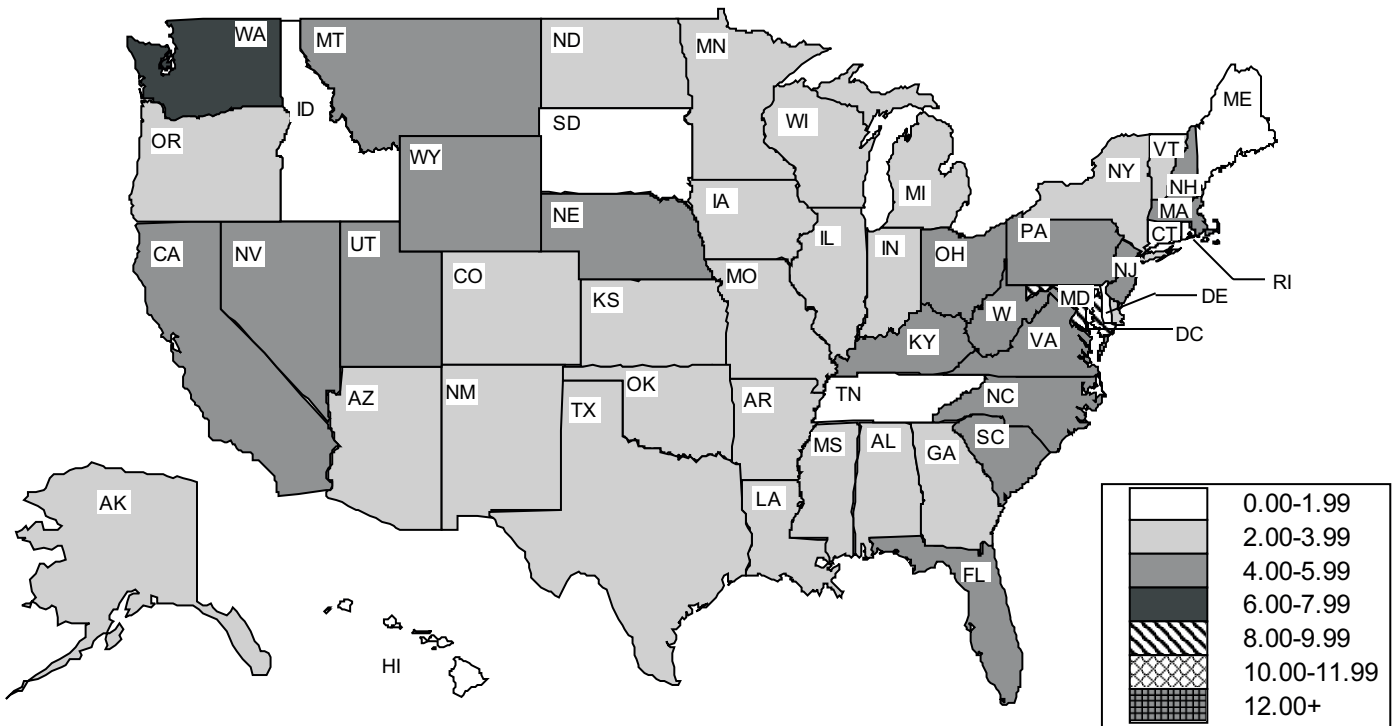
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Figure 18. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Onsystem Industrial Consumers, 2002
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)



Source: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition."

Figure 19. Average Price of Natural Gas Delivered to U.S. Electric Utilities, 2002
(Dollars per Thousand Cubic Feet)



Sources: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), Form FERC-423, "Monthly Report of Cost and Quality of Fuels for Electric Plants."