

Table 1. Summary Statistics for Natural Gas in the United States, 1999-2003 — Continued

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Number of Consumers					
Residential.....	58,223,229	59,252,728	60,286,364	^R 61,107,254	61,857,913
Commercial.....	5,010,189	5,010,817	4,996,446	^R 5,064,384	5,150,925
Industrial.....	228,331	220,251	217,026	^R 205,915	205,457
Average Annual Consumption per Consumer (thousand cubic feet)					
Commercial.....	608	635	605	^R 621	624
Industrial.....	35,384	36,968	33,840	36,458	34,747
Average Prices for Natural Gas (dollars per thousand cubic feet)					
Wellhead (Marketed Production).....	2.19	3.68	4.00	2.95	4.88
Imports.....	2.24	3.95	4.43	^R 3.14	5.17
Exports.....	2.61	4.10	4.19	^R 3.41	5.57
Pipeline and Distribution Use.....	1.88	2.97	3.55	--	--
City Gate.....	3.10	4.62	5.72	4.15	5.85
Delivered to Consumers					
Residential.....	6.69	7.76	9.63	^R 7.89	9.52
Commercial.....	5.33	6.59	8.43	^R 6.63	8.29
Industrial.....	3.12	4.45	5.24	^R 4.02	5.81
Vehicle Fuel.....	4.34	5.54	6.60	^R 5.10	6.19
Electric Power.....	2.62	4.38	4.61	^R 3.68	5.54

-- = Not applicable.

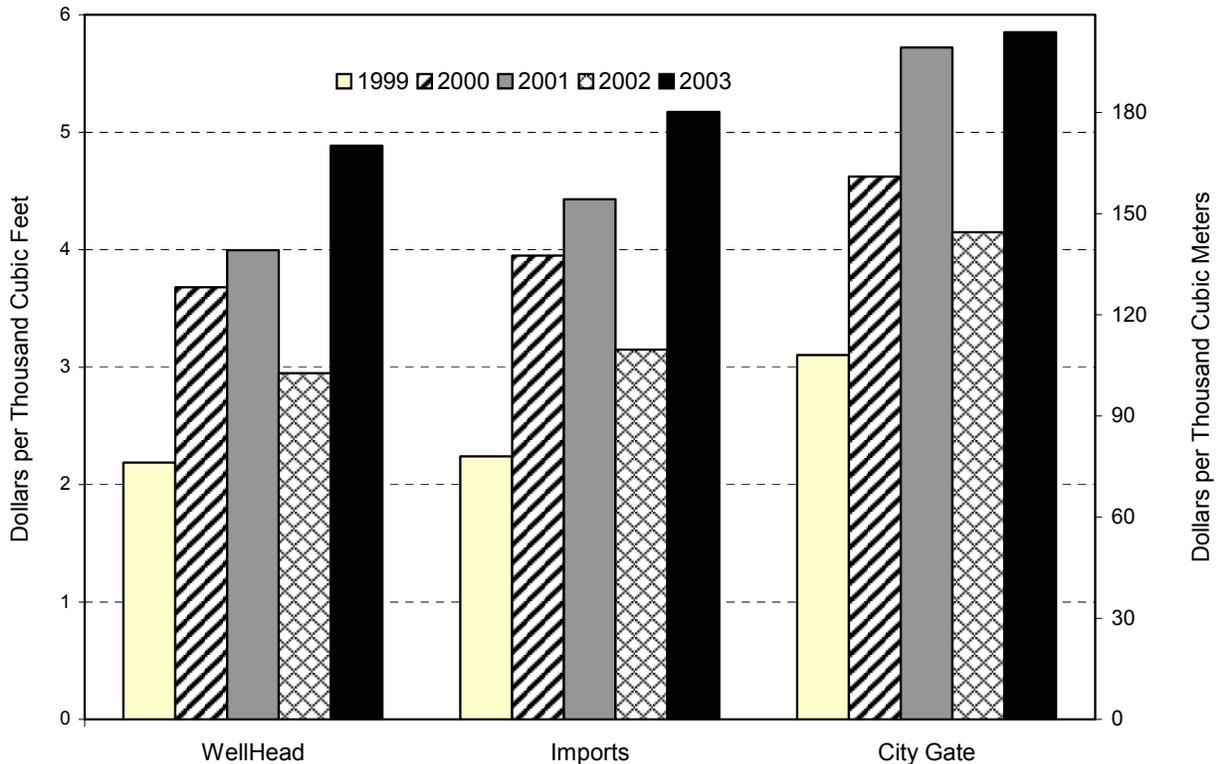
^R = Revised data.

Notes: The United States equals the 50 States and District of Columbia. Marketed Production volumes are equal to (total gross withdrawals minus repressuring, vented/flared, nonhydrocarbon gases removed, and extraction loss). Total Dry Production volumes are equal to (marketed production minus extraction loss). Totals may not add due to independent rounding.

Sources: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition"; Form EIA-895, "Monthly and Annual Quantity and Value of Natural Gas Production Report"; Form

EIA-857, "Monthly Report of Natural Gas Purchases and Deliveries to Consumers"; Form EIA-910, "Monthly Natural Gas Marketer Survey"; Form EIA-816, "Monthly Natural Gas Liquids Report"; Form EIA-64A, "Annual Report of the Origin of Natural Gas Liquids Production"; Form FERC-423, "Monthly Report of Cost and Quality of Fuels for Electric Plants"; Form EIA-423, "Monthly Cost and Quality of Fuels for Electric Plants Report"; Form EIA-191, "Monthly and Annual Underground Gas Storage Report"; Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, *Natural Gas Imports and Exports*; the U.S. Minerals Management Service; Form EIA-906, "Power Plant Report"; Form EIA-886, "Annual Survey of Alternative Fueled Vehicle Suppliers and Users"; and EIA estimates.

Figure 1. Selected Average Prices of Natural Gas in the United States, 1999-2003



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