

**Table 15. U.S. No. 2 Distillate<sup>a</sup> Prices by Sales Type**  
(Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes)

Year Month	Sales to End Users						Sales for Resale
	Residential Consumers	Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Through Retail Outlets <sup>b</sup>	Other End Users <sup>c</sup>	Average	
1983 .....	107.8	86.3	88.3	94.3	89.7	93.3	81.8
1984 .....	109.1	85.7	87.0	92.0	89.2	92.6	81.9
1985 .....	105.3	82.1	83.4	88.6	85.3	89.0	78.1
1986 .....	83.6	51.4	53.7	59.8	56.9	61.4	48.0
1987 .....	80.3	56.6	59.7	64.4	63.1	64.3	53.5
1988 .....	81.3	51.9	54.2	61.6	58.7	61.2	48.2
1989 .....	90.0	60.8	63.8	68.5	66.7	69.5	57.2
1990 .....	106.3	75.1	78.0	85.2	82.8	84.1	70.6
1991 .....	101.9	67.5	69.7	74.5	73.8	76.0	62.7
1992 .....	93.4	63.7	67.5	72.1	72.1	72.6	59.1
1993 .....	91.1	62.0	66.7	71.1	70.5	71.0	56.6
1994 .....	88.4	58.7	64.1	67.3	65.5	67.5	52.9
1995 .....	86.7	59.3	64.4	67.0	67.3	67.3	53.6
<b>1996</b>							
January .....	94.6	63.7	67.5	69.9	69.6	75.2	57.3
February .....	95.9	65.0	68.8	70.7	70.6	75.6	59.1
March .....	99.1	68.4	73.1	75.1	74.7	78.1	63.2
April .....	101.5	75.2	80.1	82.6	82.8	82.5	69.9
May .....	97.8	72.7	79.0	81.2	80.4	79.0	66.1
June .....	91.0	65.2	72.4	74.5	74.5	71.5	58.6
July .....	87.9	65.5	72.1	73.2	74.4	71.1	60.1
August .....	88.1	69.5	75.8	75.8	77.7	74.4	64.9
September .....	94.5	75.9	82.3	81.7	83.9	81.1	71.3
October .....	102.6	79.5	85.4	86.4	87.9	86.0	75.0
November .....	105.4	78.6	84.1	86.7	86.7	87.1	73.2
December .....	107.5	77.7	82.9	85.5	84.8	87.9	71.8
<b>1996 .....</b>	<b>98.9</b>	<b>71.4</b>	<b>77.1</b>	<b>78.8</b>	<b>79.3</b>	<b>79.3</b>	<b>66.0</b>
<b>1997</b>							
January .....	107.9	76.9	81.7	84.0	83.6	88.2	70.7
February .....	105.1	74.5	79.5	81.8	82.0	84.8	67.1
March .....	101.6	69.3	73.0	76.3	76.9	78.6	61.7
April .....	99.2	67.7	72.1	75.4	77.0	75.8	61.8
May .....	96.3	66.3	71.0	74.4	76.0	73.3	60.8
June .....	92.3	63.1	67.8	71.9	73.2	69.8	56.8
July .....	88.3	62.0	66.6	70.2	71.0	68.0	56.2
August .....	86.9	64.3	68.6	71.7	73.2	70.0	58.8
September .....	88.5	63.6	68.5	71.1	73.4	70.0	57.9
October .....	92.1	67.3	71.2	73.7	76.3	73.6	61.9
November .....	94.1	67.9	71.0	74.0	75.1	75.4	61.6
December .....	93.8	64.0	67.0	71.0	70.5	73.8	56.0
<b>1997 .....</b>	<b>98.4</b>	<b>67.4</b>	<b>71.2</b>	<b>74.3</b>	<b>75.5</b>	<b>75.3</b>	<b>61.1</b>
<b>1998</b>							
January .....	92.5	59.4	61.8	66.3	65.6	69.8	51.0
February .....	91.5	57.5	60.1	63.5	63.4	67.6	49.6
March .....	89.6	54.9	57.5	61.6	62.0	64.5	47.1
April .....	87.6	55.7	58.6	61.6	63.6	62.5	48.5
May .....	84.8	54.3	57.4	61.9	63.0	60.3	47.3
June .....	81.1	50.9	54.7	59.1	59.8	56.8	44.1
July .....	77.7	50.0	54.0	58.1	57.7	55.5	43.0

<sup>a</sup> Includes sales of No. 2 fuel oil and high- and low-sulfur diesel fuels.

<sup>b</sup> Includes low-sulfur diesel fuel only.

<sup>c</sup> All end-user sales not included in the other end-user categories shown, e.g., sales to agricultural customers or utilities.

Notes: Values shown for the current month are preliminary. Values shown for previous months are revised. Data are final upon publication in the *Petroleum Marketing Annual*.

Sources: Energy Information Administration Forms EIA-782A, "Refiners'/Gas Plant Operators' Monthly Petroleum Product Sales Report," and EIA-782B, "Resellers'/Retailers' Monthly Petroleum Product Sales Report."