

Table 16. U.S. No. 2 Diesel Fuel Prices by Sales Type
(Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes)

Year Month	Sales to End Users					Sales for Resale
	Commercial/ Institutional Consumers	Industrial Consumers	Through Retail Outlets ^a	Other End Users ^b	Average	
1994	57.7	64.5	67.3	66.1	62.8	53.8
1995	58.8	64.9	67.0	67.7	63.6	54.6
1996						
January	61.7	67.5	69.9	69.4	66.3	57.0
February	63.1	68.9	70.7	70.5	67.4	58.8
March	67.2	73.2	75.1	74.6	71.7	63.0
April	74.9	80.6	82.6	82.9	79.5	70.7
May	72.9	79.7	81.2	81.0	77.6	67.5
June	65.4	73.1	74.5	75.1	70.9	59.9
July	65.7	72.7	73.2	74.9	70.5	60.8
August	69.6	76.2	75.8	78.0	73.8	65.6
September	76.1	82.8	81.7	84.1	80.0	72.3
October	79.4	85.8	86.4	88.2	84.0	75.9
November	78.3	84.5	86.7	87.2	83.1	74.1
December	76.7	83.1	85.5	84.9	81.6	71.8
1996	71.1	77.5	78.8	79.6	75.7	66.7
1997						
January	75.6	81.7	84.1	83.7	80.4	70.7
February	73.7	79.1	81.9	82.1	78.3	68.5
March	68.3	73.2	76.5	76.6	72.9	63.4
April	67.1	72.7	75.5	77.2	72.3	62.8
May	66.0	71.3	74.5	76.3	71.3	61.3
June	62.8	68.2	72.2	73.5	68.6	57.4
July	61.8	67.1	70.5	72.0	67.2	56.6
August	64.2	69.1	71.9	73.6	69.1	59.6
September	63.6	69.3	71.4	73.8	68.6	58.6
October	67.1	71.8	73.8	76.8	71.6	62.6
November	67.4	71.7	74.0	75.7	71.5	62.5
December	62.3	67.3	70.9	70.8	67.1	56.4
1997	66.6	71.5	74.5	75.7	71.4	61.6
1998						
January	57.1	62.2	66.3	65.8	62.3	51.0
February	55.5	60.3	63.5	63.4	60.1	49.5
March	53.1	57.8	61.6	62.0	58.0	47.2
April	54.9	59.1	61.6	63.8	59.3	49.3
May	54.0	58.1	61.9	63.9	59.0	48.2
June	50.8	55.3	59.1	60.5	55.8	44.8
July	49.7	54.7	57.9	58.0	54.6	43.4
August	48.6	53.2	56.2	57.7	53.4	42.2
September	51.4	55.9	58.1	60.3	55.7	46.2
October	51.6	55.9	58.8	60.9	56.2	46.3
November ^c	NA	NA	^E 57.6	NA	NA	NA

NA = Not available.

E = Estimated data.

^a Includes low-sulfur diesel fuel only.

^b All end-user sales not included in the other end-user categories shown, e.g., sales to agricultural customers or utilities.

^c **Data are initial estimates calculated using prior history of the series as well as present and past values of other related time series, such as spot prices and heating degree days. For an explanation of estimation methodology, see the Explanatory Notes.**

Notes: The 4th quarter of 1993 was a transitional period between the predecessor EIA-782 survey system and the revised EIA-782 survey system. The revised survey system contains additional product and sales categories, which may not be consistent with categories derived from the predecessor survey system. Beginning January 1994 all data are from the revised survey system and are consistent.

Notes: Values shown for the current two months 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."