

August 18, 2023

Overall Energy & Fuels Markets Summary

- Summary of average spot prices for the following fuels (see page 1).
 - Propane (Mt Belvieu) remains relatively flat compared to the prior week.
 - Crude oil (WTI and Brent) and Natural gas (Henry Hub) increased compared to the prior week.
- Regional fuels inventories (see pages 2 and 3) compared to the previous week:
 - Ultra-low sulfur diesel (ULSD), propane, and total gasoline decreased compared to the prior week.
 - Natural gas inventories slightly increased compared to the prior week.
- Market Influencers Include:
 - Global factors include the ongoing Russian invasion of Ukraine including the associated geopolitical uncertainties, continued economics concerns, late summer/fall refinery maintenance schedules, and liquid fuels supply outlook for the second half of the year.
 - Extreme heat continuing in the southern U.S.
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) forecasts below average temperatures and near-normal precipitation in New York/Northeast for the next 1-2 weeks (Page 6).
- NY retail prices (see pages 4 and 5) for heating and transportation fuels:
 - NY transportation gasoline and diesel prices both increased compared to the prior week.
 - Heating oil, kerosene and propane all increased compared to the prior survey.

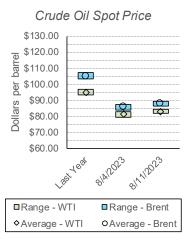
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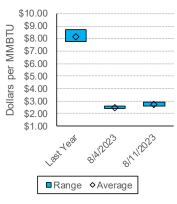
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Fundamental Fuels Market <u>Weekly Price Summaries</u>





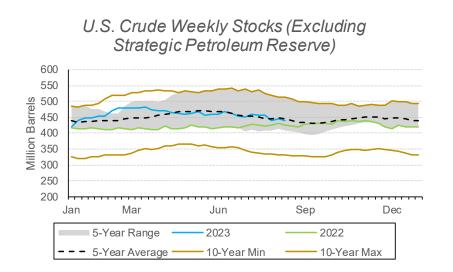
Natural Gas Henry Hub Spot Price



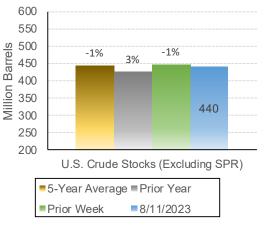
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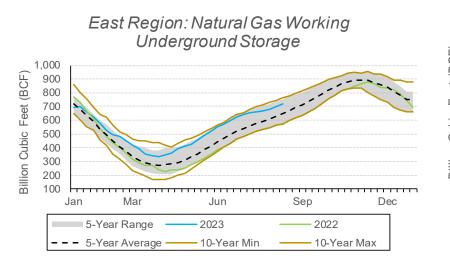


National Crude and East Region Natural Gas Inventories

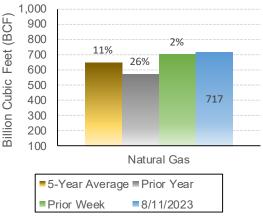


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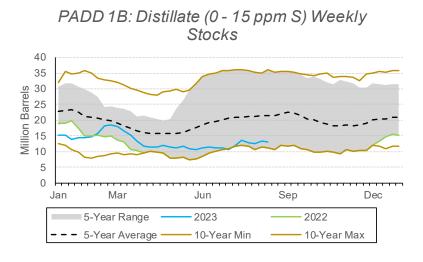


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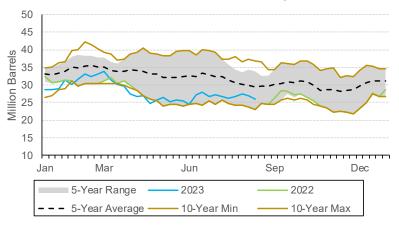
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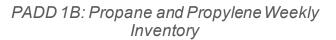


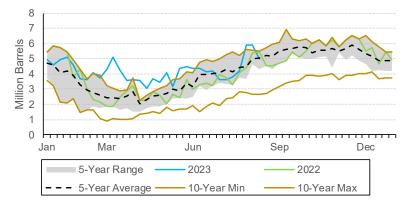
Regional Inventories: Select Liquid Fuels



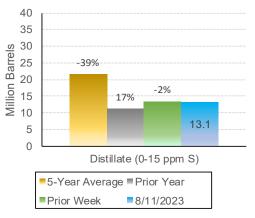
PADD 1B: Total Gasoline Weekly Stocks



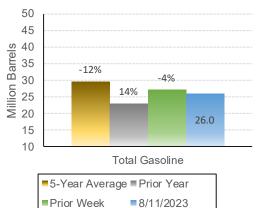




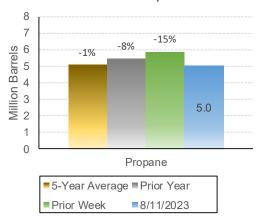
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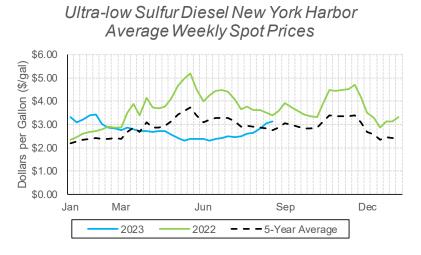


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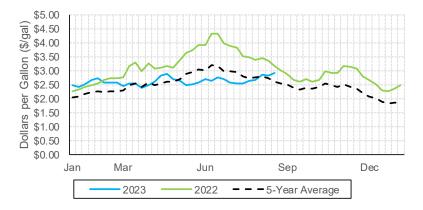
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Transportation Fuel Prices Summary







For regional NYS retail price summaries for transportation fuels, visit the following NYSERDA resources:

Transportation Fuel Dashboard

Transportation fuels retail price summaries presented in this report and on the NYSERDA dashboards are collected by the Energy Markets team from AAA and USEIA as part of our ongoing fuels markets analyses and monitoring.

Fuel Type	NYS Average Retail Prices				
Гиегтуре	8/11/2023	8/4/2023	% Difference	Prior Year	% Difference
Regular Gasoline (dollars per gallon) ²	\$3.90	\$3.87	0.9%	\$4.39	-11.1%
On-road Diesel (dollars per gallon) ²	\$4.49	\$4.43	1.4%	\$5.57	-19.4%

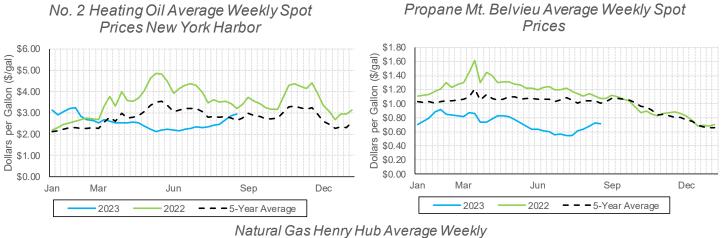
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Heating Fuel Prices Summary



Spot Prices



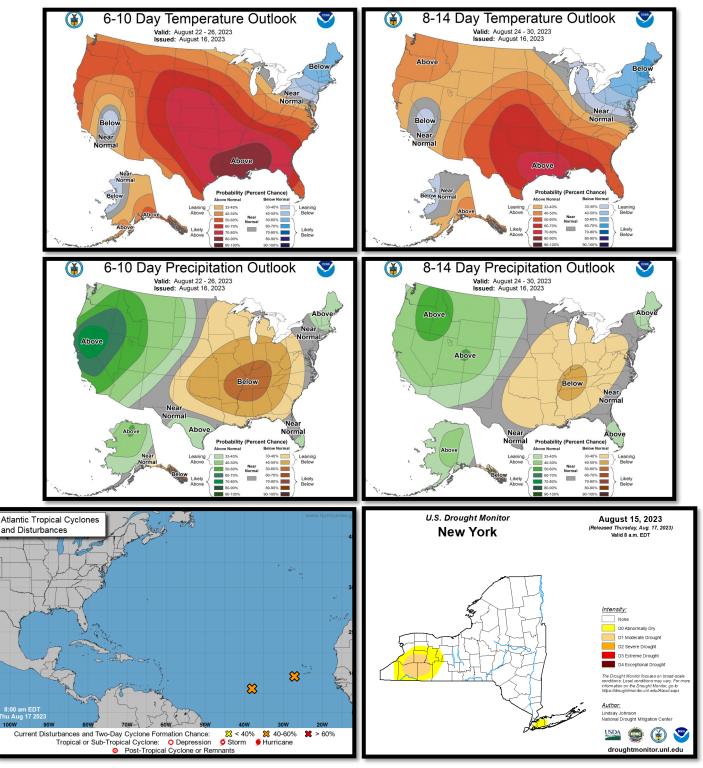
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Weekly Survey Results by Fuel Type	8/14/2023 7/31/2023		% Difference	Prior Year	% Difference
Ultra-low #2 Heating Oil Posted Credit Prices (dollars per gallon) ²	\$4.173	\$3.996	4.4%	\$4.922	-15.2%
Propane Posted Credit Prices - 1,100 gallon usage (dollars per gallon) ²	\$3.205	\$3.115	2.9%	\$3.390	-5.5%
Kerosene Posted Credit Prices (dollars per gallon) ²	\$5.461	\$5.240	4.2%	\$5.947	-8.2%
Monthly USEIA Reporting	May 2023	April 2023	% Difference	May 2022	% Difference
Monthly Average Residential Natural Gas Prices (dollars per Therm) ³	\$1.617	\$1.530	5.7%	\$1.705	-5.2%
For regional NYS retail price summaries for heating fuels, visit the following NYSERDA resources: Home Heating Oil Prices Dashboard Kerosene Prices Dashboard Propane Prices Dashboard Heating fuels retail price summaries presented in this report and on the NYSERDA dashboards are part of the		During the non-heating season (April through September), the retail price surveys are only conducted twice per month. Rows shaded blue in the table above indicate data that are from the most recent survey, but not reflective of the current week.			
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		 Retail price data from USEIA & NYSERDA, see references section for detailed citations. Visualizations by NYSERDA. Highlighted cells indicate price correction from prior week. 			
USEIA State Heating Oil and Propane Program/		3. Residential natural gas price data from USEIA, see refer-			

NYSERDA Heating Fuel Prices surveys.

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Weather Outlook and Seasonal Threat Monitoring

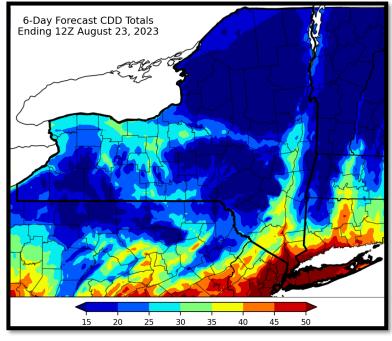


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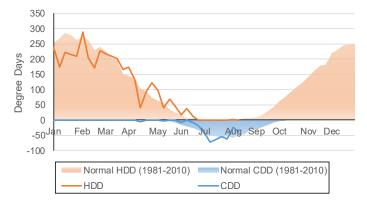
- 1. Temperature and precipitation outlook graphics from NOAA. See references section for detailed citations.
- 2. Seasonal threat monitoring for spring/summer. Graphics from NYSDEC. See reference section for detailed citation.
- 3. Seasonal threat monitoring for drought conditions during the spring/summer. Graphic from National Drought Mitigation Center. See references section for detailed citation.

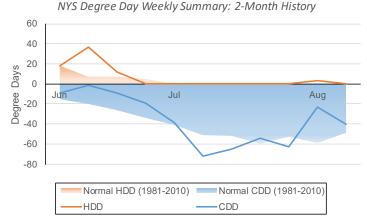


Cooling Degree Days Outlook and Summary



NYS Degree Day Weekly Summary: Current Year





City	6-Day CDD Forecast	Normal	% Difference	
Albany	37	39	-5%	
Binghamton	21	20	5%	
Buffalo	32	33	-3%	
Glens Falls	26	21	24%	
Massena	16	21	-24%	
NYC	67	75	-11%	
Rochester	33	36	-8%	
Syracuse	29	33	-12%	
Watertown	24	21	14%	
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Forecast Dates:

08/17/2023 - 08/22/2023

Notes:

1. M = Missing data

Starting in June, the degree days reflect cooling degree days (CDD) with the arrival of late spring and summer seasons. Heating degree days (HDD) will return in September.

For regional NYS Heating and Cooling Degree Data along with additional information, visit the following NYSERDA resources: <u>Heating Degree Data</u> <u>Monthly Degree Day Data</u> <u>(Heating & Cooling)</u>

Notes:

1. Cooling degree day (CDD) forecast from NOAA & Northeast Regional Climate Center at Cornell University (NRCC). See references section for detailed citations.

Heating degree day (HDD) and CDD data from NOAA. Positive values represent HDD and negative values represent CDD. See reference section for detailed citation. Visualization by NYSERDA.



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Note that there may be slight differences between USEIA reported values and this NYSERDA summary due to methodology differences.

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