

Highlights

- In the past week, the New York State average-weekly retail gasoline price was \$3.662/gallon, up 1.7¢/gallon (0.5%) from the prior week and down 11.6¢/gallon (3.1%) from the year-ago price.
- Diesel was \$4.172/gallon, up 1.4¢/gallon (0.3%) from the prior week and down 17.6¢/gallon (4.0%) from the year-ago price.

Retail Prices

Prices are from the “AAA Daily Fuel Gauge Report.”

Regular Gasoline— As of December 18, 2013, the most recent daily price available, the statewide average regular gasoline price equaled \$3.665/gallon. Compared to the year earlier price of \$3.748/gallon, the statewide average has decreased \$0.083/gallon (2.2%).

The all-time high of \$4.309/gallon occurred on July 9th, 2008.

Diesel— As of December 18, 2013, the most recent daily price available, the statewide average diesel price equaled \$4.176/gallon. Compared to the year earlier price of \$4.331/gallon, the statewide average has decreased \$0.155/gallon (3.6%).

The all-time high of \$5.138/gallon occurred on June 18th, 2008.

Crude Oil Spot Prices

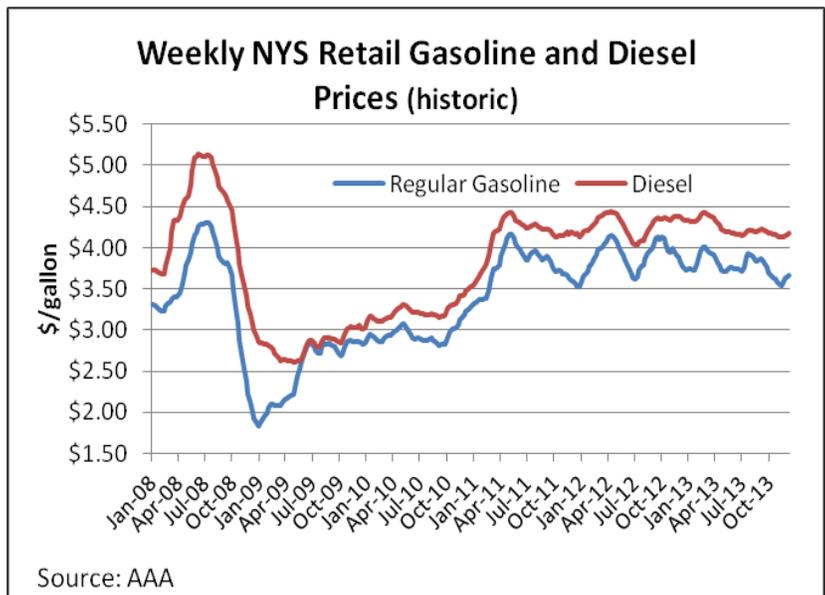
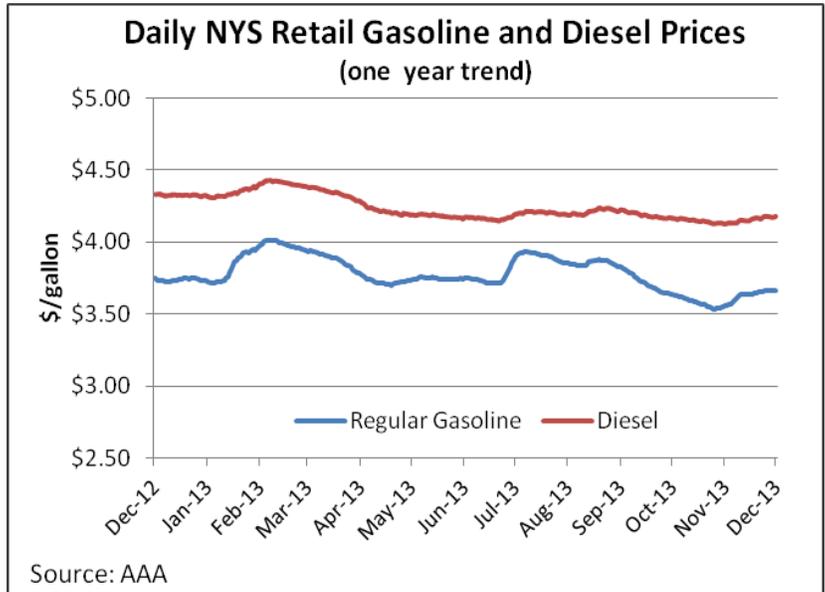
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WTI—For the week ending December 13, 2013, WTI crude oil spot prices averaged \$97.23/bbl, an increase of \$1.02 /bbl (1.1%) from the prior week average of \$96.21/bbl. WTI prices are now \$11.52/bbl (13.4%) above the year-ago weekly average of \$85.71/bbl.

The all-time weekly average high of \$142.52/bbl occurred the week ending July 4th, 2008.

Brent—For the week ending December 13, 2013, Brent crude oil spot prices averaged \$109.10/bbl, a decrease of \$3.18/bbl (2.8%) from the week-ago average of \$112.28/bbl. Brent prices are now \$0.27/bbl (0.2%) above the year-ago weekly average of \$108.83/bbl.

The all-time weekly average high of \$141.07/bbl occurred the week ending July 4th, 2008.



| New York State Retail Regular Gasoline Weekly Average Prices (dollars per gallon) | | | | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| MEIRO REGION | 12/16/2013 | 12/9/2013 | % Change vs. Prior Week | Year Ago | % Change vs. Last Year |
| Albany – Schenectady - Troy | 3.604 | 3.583 | 0.6% | 3.649 | -1.3% |
| Binghamton | 3.677 | 3.660 | 0.5% | 3.663 | 0.4% |
| Buffalo - Niagara Falls | 3.649 | 3.635 | 0.4% | 3.770 | -3.2% |
| Nassau - Suffolk | 3.664 | 3.642 | 0.6% | 3.811 | -3.9% |
| New York | 3.714 | 3.699 | 0.4% | 3.883 | -4.3% |
| Rochester | 3.644 | 3.632 | 0.3% | 3.734 | -2.4% |
| Syracuse | 3.642 | 3.619 | 0.6% | 3.662 | -0.6% |
| Utica - Rome | 3.662 | 3.642 | 0.5% | 3.770 | -2.9% |
| Statewide | 3.662 | 3.645 | 0.5% | 3.778 | -3.1% |
| New York State Retail Diesel Weekly Average Prices (dollars per gallon) | | | | | |
| Albany – Schenectady - Troy | 4.084 | 4.067 | 0.4% | 4.235 | -3.6% |
| Binghamton | 4.093 | 4.065 | 0.7% | 4.285 | -4.5% |
| Buffalo - Niagara Falls | 4.086 | 4.077 | 0.2% | 4.269 | -4.3% |
| Nassau - Suffolk | 4.173 | 4.163 | 0.2% | 4.372 | -4.6% |
| New York | 4.333 | 4.321 | 0.3% | 4.497 | -3.6% |
| Rochester | 4.092 | 4.081 | 0.3% | 4.265 | -4.1% |
| Syracuse | 4.105 | 4.083 | 0.5% | 4.242 | -3.2% |
| Utica - Rome | 4.108 | 4.089 | 0.5% | 4.263 | -3.6% |
| Statewide | 4.172 | 4.158 | 0.3% | 4.348 | -4.0% |

Source: AAA, Daily prices. Weekly averaging by NYSEERDA

Inventory, Production and Demand—Current and historic data is presented in the table below.

| Weekly Inventories (million barrels) | | | | | | | |
|---|------------|-----------|------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| Fuel Type | 12/13/2013 | 12/6/2013 | % Change vs. Last Week | Year Ago | % Change vs. Last Year | 5-Year Average | % Change vs. 5-Year Avg |
| Mid-Atlantic PADD I-B Gasoline | 26.4 | 28.0 | -5.6% | 24.1 | 9.3% | 27.8 | -5.2% |
| East Coast PADD I Gasoline | 56.5 | 57.3 | -1.4% | 49.1 | 15.1% | 55.4 | 2.1% |
| East Coast PADD I Ethanol | 5.1 | 4.9 | 3.2% | 7.0 | -27.4% | n/a | n/a |
| US Total Gasoline | 220.5 | 219.1 | 0.6% | 219.3 | 0.5% | 214.7 | 2.7% |
| Mid-Atlantic PADD I-B Highway Diesel (0-15 ppm) | 12.7 | 12.5 | 1.4% | 10.2 | 23.7% | 10.5 | 20.5% |
| US Crude Oil | 372.3 | 375.2 | -0.8% | 371.6 | 0.2% | 339.0 | 9.8% |
| Weekly Gasoline Production and Demand (million barrels per day) | | | | | | | |
| East Coast PADD I Finished Gasoline Production | 2.9 | 2.8 | 1.1% | 2.8 | 1.6% | 2.7 | 6.6% |
| US Total Finished Gasoline Production | 9.3 | 9.0 | 3.7% | 8.9 | 4.8% | 9.2 | 1.1% |
| Total US Gasoline Demand | 9.0 | 8.3 | 8.0% | 8.6 | 4.6% | 9.0 | 0.2% |

ppm = parts per million sulfur content

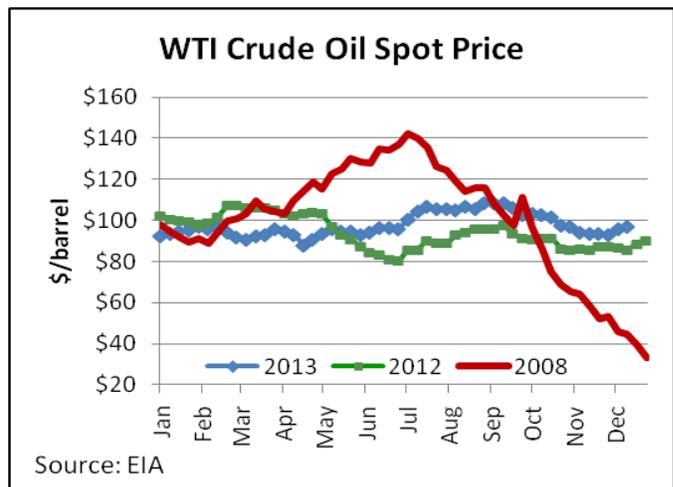
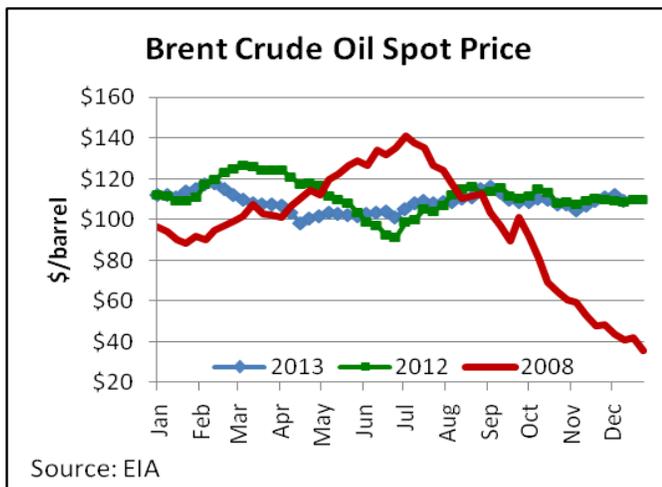
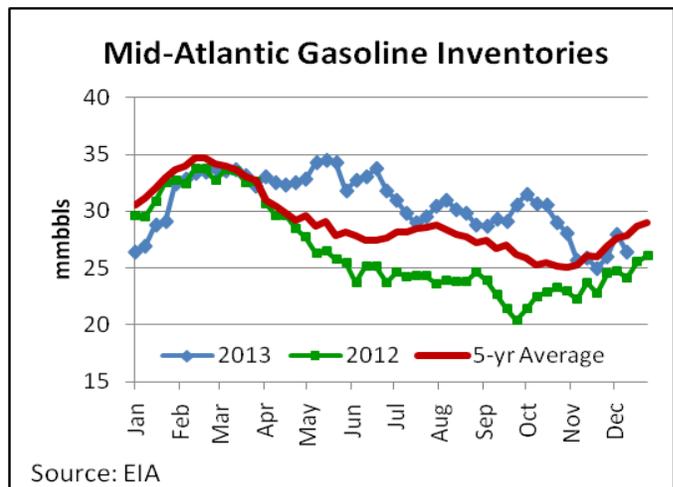
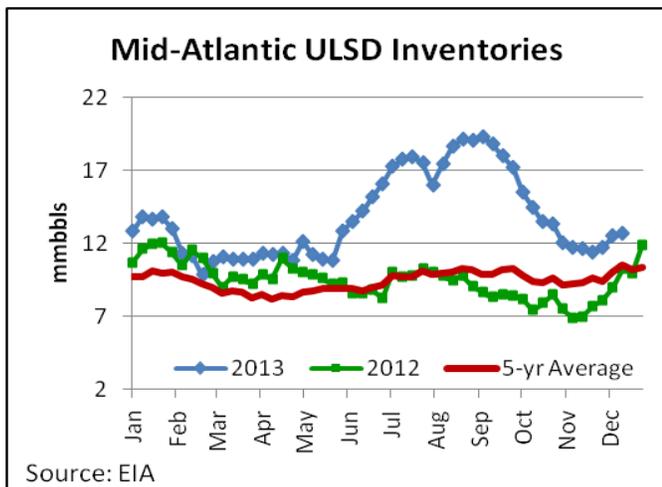
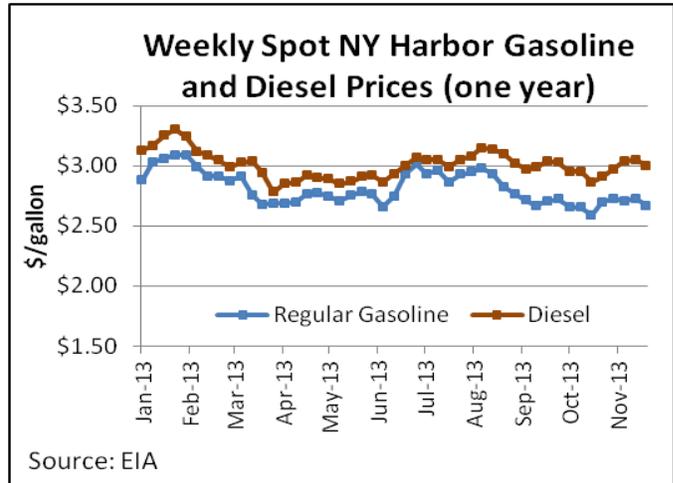
Middle Atlantic is DE, DC, MD, NJ, NY, and PA

Source: US DOE/EIA

Spot Prices—The table and charts below show the spot market prices for regular gasoline, ultra-low sulfur diesel (ULSD), West Texas Intermediate (WTI) crude, and Brent crude oil.

| Spot Prices, Weekly Average | | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|----------|----------|
| Fuel | 12/13/2013 | Year Ago | % Change |
| Regular Gasoline (\$/gal) | 2.665 | 2.645 | 0.8% |
| Diesel (\$/gal) | 3.002 | 3.054 | -1.7% |
| WTI (\$/bbl) | 97.23 | 85.71 | 13.4% |
| Brent (\$/bbl) | 109.10 | 108.83 | 0.2% |

Note: Gasoline and diesel prices are for New York Harbor



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