

Weekly Natural Gas Market Update

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Physical Spot Prices - July 5, 2018

Natural Gas Price Equivalent Change Natural Gas - H. Hub \$2.837/MMBtu \$2.84 -\$0.103 Propane - Mont Belvieu \$0.965/gal +\$0.057 \$10.55 Crude Oil – WTI Cush \$72.990/bl -\$0.510 \$12.58 No.2 Heating Oil - NYH \$86.150/bl -\$0.400 \$14.79 No.6 Resid. - G. Coast \$69.230/bl +\$1.070 \$11.01 Cent App Coal (prev day) \$62.550/ton \$2.50 +\$1.250 Change is from previous week

U.S. Gas Rotary Rig Count for:

Week ending 6-29-18
This Week 187
Last Week 188
Last Year 184

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Futures Pricing

At the close of business Thursday, July 5, 2018 the future strip prices were as follows:

	This Week	Last Week		Last Month		Last Year	
	7/05/2018	6/28/2018	Change	06/05/2018	Change	7/05/2017	Change
NYMEX near month	\$2.837	\$2.940	-\$0.103	\$2.890	-\$0.053	\$2.840	-\$0.003
NYMEX 12-month strip	\$2.830	\$2.901	-\$0.071	\$2.868	-\$0.038	\$2.833	-\$0.003
NYMEX Winter strip	\$2.973	\$3.066	-\$0.093	\$3.042	-\$0.069	\$2.988	-\$0.015
NYMEX Summer strip	\$2.672	\$2.686	-\$0.014	\$2.640	+\$0.032	\$2.686	-\$0.014

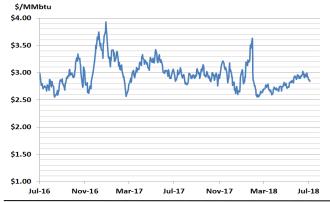
Near month range for the week = \$2.822 - \$2.954

Current near month is Aug '18

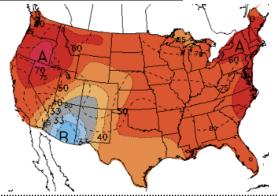
12-month strip is Aug '18 - Jul '19

Summer strip is Apr '19 – Oct '19 Winter strip is Nov '18 – Mar '19

Near-Month Natural Gas Futures Prices (NYMEX) through Jul 05



Temperature Forecast Jul 13 through Jul 19, 2018



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Sources: NOAA, EIA, NYMEX and Baker Hughes

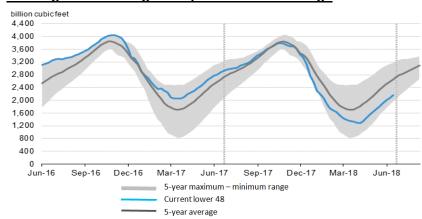
Storage Report

For the week ending Jun 29, 2018, natural gas storage reported by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) was (in Bcf):

This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Yr. Ave.
2,152	2,074	2,869	2,645

Inventory vs. One Year ago: -25.0% Inventory vs. 5-Yr. Ave: -18.6%

Working Gas in Storage Compared to 5-Year Range



Daily Nat Gas Use For U.S. Power Production (last 60 days)



Last 52 week Average = 27.0 Bcf/day

% of U.S. Demand = 34%

Last 30 day Average = 32.6 Bcf/day

% of U.S. Demand = 46%