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## Physical Spot Prices – July 19, 2018

	Price	Change	Natural Gas Equivalent
Natural Gas – H. Hub	\$2.769/MMBtu	-\$0.028	\$2.77
Propane – Mont Belvieu	\$0.894/gal	-\$0.035	\$9.77
Crude Oil – WTI Cush	\$69.460/bl	-\$0.920	\$11.98
No.2 Heating Oil – NYH	\$81.800/bl	-\$1.700	\$14.04
No.6 Resid. – G. Coast	\$64.650/bl	-\$1.030	\$10.28
Cent App Coal (prev day)	\$64.400/ton	+\$1.000	\$2.58

Change is from previous week

## U.S. Gas Rotary Rig Count for:

Week ending 7-13-18

This Week	189
Last Week	187
Last Year	187

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## Futures Pricing

At the close of business Thursday, July 19, 2018 the future strip prices were as follows:

	This Week	Last Week	Change	Last Month	Change	Last Year	Change
	7/19/2018	7/12/2018		06/19/2018		7/19/2017	
NYMEX near month	\$2.769	\$2.797	-\$0.028	\$2.900	-\$0.131	\$3.066	-\$0.297
NYMEX 12-month strip	\$2.766	\$2.801	-\$0.035	\$2.868	-\$0.102	\$2.912	-\$0.146
NYMEX Winter strip	\$2.906	\$2.944	-\$0.038	\$3.043	-\$0.137	\$3.089	-\$0.183
NYMEX Summer strip	\$2.614	\$2.651	-\$0.037	\$2.644	-\$0.030	\$2.706	-\$0.092

Near month range for the week = \$2.704 - \$2.812

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 19



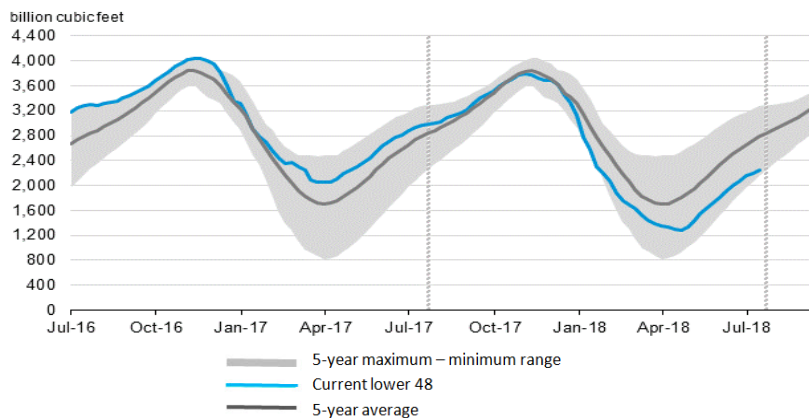
## Storage Report

For the week ending Jul 13, 2018, natural gas storage reported by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) was (in Bcf):

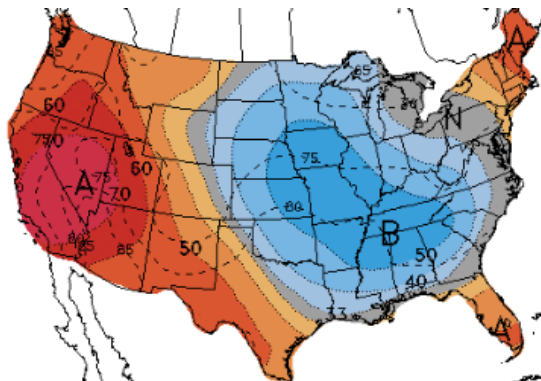
This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Yr. Ave.
2,249	2,203	2,959	2,784

Inventory vs. One Year ago: -24.0%    Inventory vs. 5-Yr. Ave: -19.2%

## Working Gas in Storage Compared to 5-Year Range



## Temperature Forecast Jul 27 through Aug 02, 2018



For more information on anything addressed in this report, please contact your Sales Manager.

Sources: NOAA, EIA, NYMEX and Baker Hughes

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



Last 52 week Average = 27.1 Bcf/day

Last 30 day Average = 35.8 Bcf/day

% of U.S. Demand = 34%

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