

Weekly Natural Gas Market Update

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Physical Spot Prices - August 03 2023

			Natural Gas		
	<u>Price</u>	<u>Change</u>	Equivalent		
Natural Gas – H. Hub	\$2.565/MMBtu	-\$0.030	\$2.565		
Propane – Mont Belvieu	\$0.7335/gal	+\$0.098	\$8.02		
Crude Oil – WTI Cush	\$79.560/bl	-\$0.530	\$13.72		
No.2 Heating Oil – NYH	\$109.900/bl	+\$3.870	\$18.87		
No.6 Resid. – G. Coast	\$80.110/bl	+\$2.890	\$12.74		
Cent App Coal (prev. day)	\$68.250/ton	+\$1.250	\$2.73		
	Change is from previous week				

U.S. Rotary Rig Count for:

Week ending 07-28-23 Gas Oil 128 529 Current Last 131 530 Week 157 605 Year

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Futures Pricing

At the close of business Thursday, August 03, 2023 the future strip prices were as follows:

	This Week	Last Week		Last Month		Last Year	
	08/03/23	07/27/23	Change	07/05/23	Change	08/03/22	Change
NYMEX near month	\$2.565	\$2.595	-\$0.030	\$2.643	-\$0.078	\$4.897	-\$2.332
NYMEX 12-month strip	\$3.204	\$3.254	-\$0.050	\$3.269	-\$0.065	\$4.826	-\$1.622
NYMEX Winter strip	\$3.461	\$3.519	-\$0.058	\$3.528	-\$0.067	\$5.241	-\$1.780
NYMEX Summer strip	\$3.226	\$3.272	-\$0.046	\$3.284	-\$0.058	\$4.400	-\$1.174

Near month range for the week = \$2.457 - \$2.693

Current near month is September '23

12-month strip is September '23 - August '24

Summer strip is Apr '24 - Oct '24

Winter strip is Nov '23 - Mar '24

Near-Month Natural Gas Futures Prices (NYMEX) through Aug 03, 2023



Storage Report

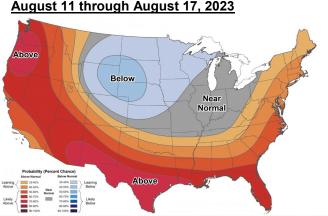
For the week ending July 28, 2023, natural gas storage reported by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) was (in Bcf):

This Week	Last Week	<u>Last Year</u>	<u>5 Yr. Ave.</u>
3,001	2,987	2,451	2,679

Change this week: +14 Bcf Change for the same week last year: +37 Bcf

Inventory vs. 1 Year ago: +22.4% Inventory vs. 5-Yr. Ave: +12.0%

Temperature Forecast

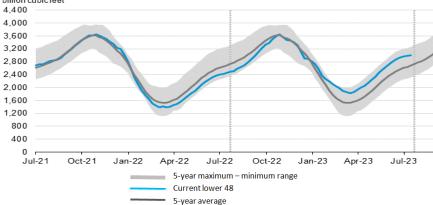


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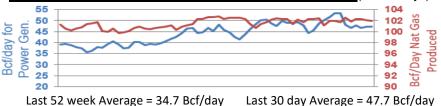
Sources: NOAA, EIA, CME Group and Baker Hughes

billion cubic feet 4,400

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 = 34.7 Bcf/day % of U.S. Demand = 40%

% of U.S. Demand = 57%