

### October 18, 2024

### **Overall Energy & Fuels Markets Summary**

- Summary of average spot prices for the following fuels (see page 1).
  - Crude oil (Brent and WTI) and Propane (Mt. Belvieu) average spot prices increased while natural gas (Henry Hub) decreased compared to the prior week.
- Regional fuels inventories (see pages 2 and 3) compared to the previous week:
  - Natural gas, propane, and Ultra-low sulfur diesel (ULSD) inventories increased while total gasoline decreased compared to the prior week.
- Market influencers include:
  - Global factors such as, continued conflicts in the Middle East, petroleum oversupply concerns, Russia-Ukraine war, and associated geopolitical uncertainties.
  - Domestic factors such as the transition and preparation for the upcoming heating season and general economic conditions in the U.S. are influencing prices and inventories.
- In New York, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) forecasts indicate likely above average temperatures for the 6-10 day and 8-14 day periods. The NOAA forecasts for precipitation indicate leaning below average for the 6-10 day and near normal to leaning below for the 8-14 day period. (Page 6)
- NY retail prices (see pages 4 and 5) for heating and transportation fuels:
  - NY transportation regular gasoline and diesel both slightly decreased compared to the prior week.
  - Heating fuels (heating oil, propane, and kerosene) prices all increased compared to the prior week

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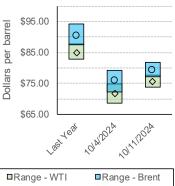
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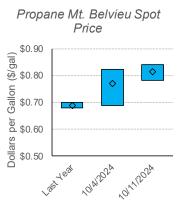
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#### Fundamental Fuels Market <u>Weekly Price Summaries</u>



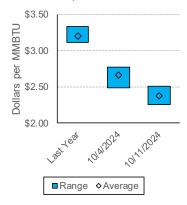








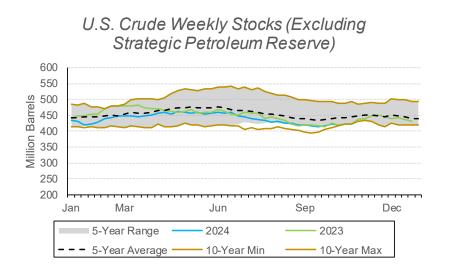
#### Natural Gas Henry Hub Spot Price



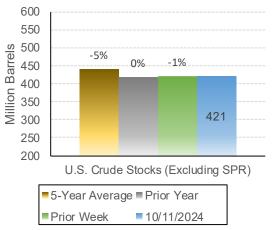
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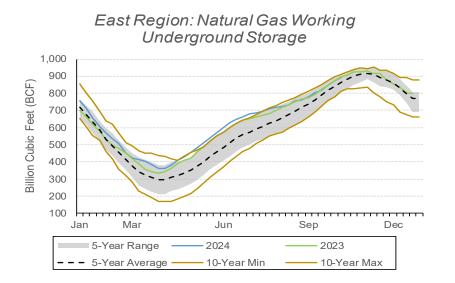


### National Crude and East Region Natural Gas Inventories

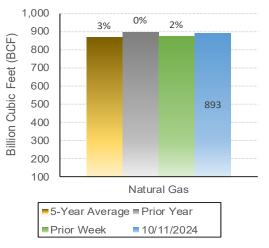


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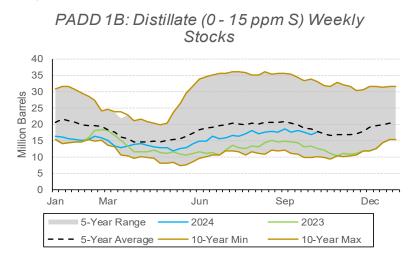


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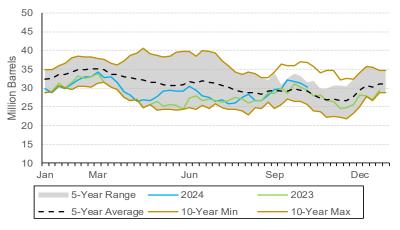
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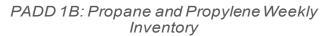


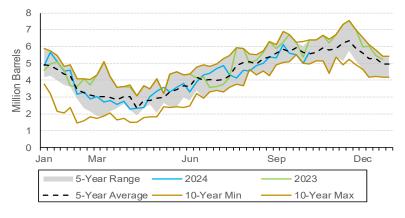
### **Regional Inventories: Select Liquid Fuels**



PADD 1B: Total Gasoline Weekly Stocks



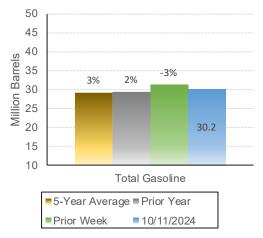




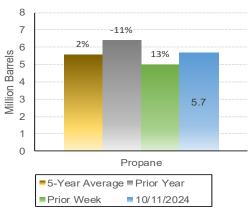
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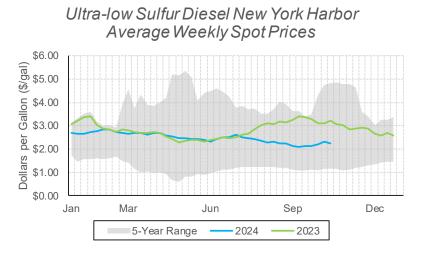


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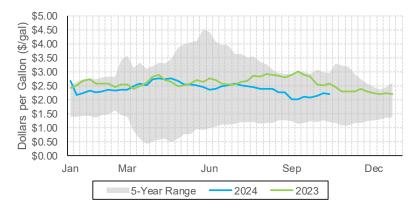
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### **Transportation Fuel Prices Summary**







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				
Гиеттуре	Fuel Type         10/11/2024         10/4/		% Difference	<b>Prior Year</b>	% Difference
Regular Gasoline (dollars per gallon) <sup>2</sup>	\$3.235	\$3.242	-0.2%	\$3.841	-15.8%
On-road Diesel (dollars per gallon) <sup>2</sup>	\$3.945	\$3.964	-0.5%	\$4.722	-16.5%

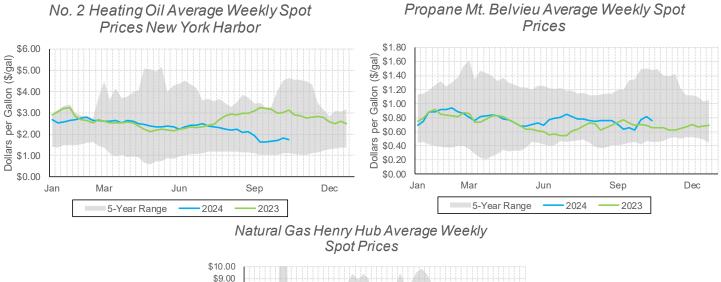
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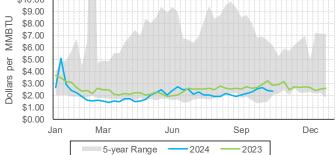
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2. Retail price data from AAA, see references section for detailed citations. Visualizations by NYSERDA.



## **Heating Fuel Prices Summary**





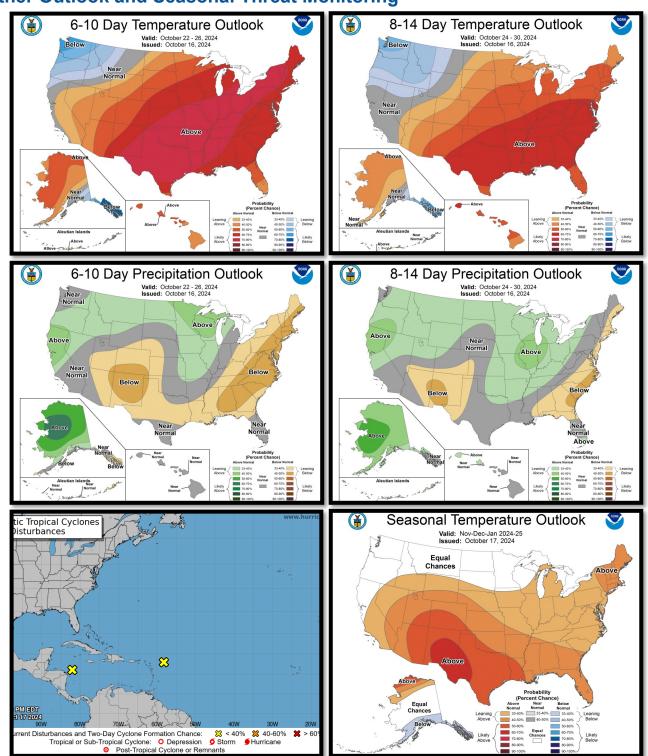
	NYS Average Retail Prices				
Weekly Survey Results by Fuel Type	10/15/2024	10/7/2024	% Difference	Prior Year	% Difference
Ultra-low #2 Heating Oil Posted Credit Prices (dollars per gallon) <sup>2</sup>	\$3.667	\$3.628	1.1%	\$4.102	-10.6%
Propane Posted Credit Prices - 1,100 gallon usage (dollars per gallon) <sup>2</sup>	\$3.193	\$3.170	0.7%	\$3.472	-8.0%
Kerosene Posted Credit Prices (dollars per gallon) <sup>2</sup>	\$4.295	\$4.260	0.8%	\$5.521	-22.2%
Monthly USEIA Reporting	July 2024	June 2024	% Difference	July 2023	% Difference
Monthly Average Residential Natural Gas Prices (dollars per Therm) <sup>3</sup>	\$2.248	\$2.070	8.6%	\$2.105	6.8%
For regional NYS retail price summaries for heating fuels, visit the following NYSERDA resources: <u>Home Heating Oil Prices Dashboard</u> <u>Kerosene Prices Dashboard</u> <u>Propane Prices Dashboard</u> Heating fuels retail price summaries presented in this report and on the NYSERDA dashboards are part of the USEIA State Heating Oil and Propane Program/		During the spring and summer season (April through August), 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. Weekly surveys resumed on August 26th 2024.			
		<ol> <li>Notes:</li> <li>Wholesale price data from USEIA, see references section for detailed citations. Visualizations by NYSERDA.</li> </ol>			
		<ol> <li>Retail price data from USEIA &amp; NYSERDA, see references section for detailed citations. Visualizations by NYSERDA. Highlighted cells indicate price correction from prior week.</li> <li>Residential natural gas price data from USEIA see refer-</li> </ol>			

NYSERDA Heating Fuel Prices surveys.

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### Weather Outlook and Seasonal Threat Monitoring

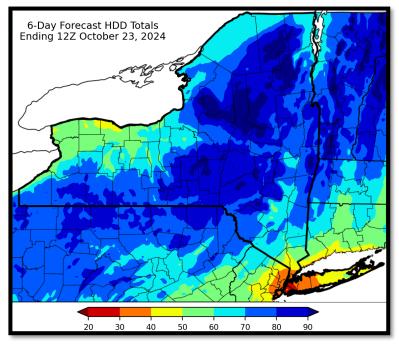
# Detailed information for tropical cyclones and disturbances, including forecast cones, are available at the <u>National Hurricane Center</u>.

Notes:

- 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.



## Heating Degree Days Outlook and Summary

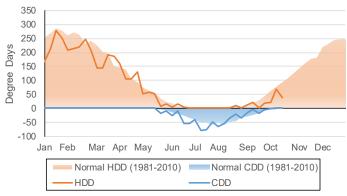


City	6-Day HDD	Normal	%	
City	Forecast	Normai	Difference	
Albany	81	91	-11%	
Binghamton	91	105	-13%	
Buffalo	65	88	-26%	
Glens Falls	87	110	-21%	
Massena	73	114	-36%	
NYC	32	43	-26%	
Rochester	62	85	-27%	
Syracuse	72	91	-21%	
Watertown	75	106	-29%	
Forecast Dat	es:			

10/17/2024 - 10/22/2024

Notes:

1. M = Missing data



NYS Degree Day Weekly Summary: Current Year



Normal HDD (1981-2010)

HDD

For regional NYS Heating and Cooling Degree Data along with additional information, visit the following NYSERDA resources:

Heating Degree Data

<u>Monthly Degree Day Data</u> (Heating & Cooling)



Degree Days

20 0

-20 -40 -60 -80 Aug

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

Oct

Normal CDD (1981-2010)

CDD

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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