

Weekly Natural Gas Market Update

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Physical Spot Prices - December 7, 2017

			Natural Gas
	<u>Price</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Equivalent</u>
Natural Gas – H. Hub	\$2.763/MMBtu	-\$0.262	\$2.76
Propane – Mont Belvieu	\$0.975/gal	-\$0.006	\$10.65
Crude Oil – WTI Cush	\$56.690/bl	-\$0.710	\$9.77
No.2 Heating Oil – NYH	\$75.055/bl	-\$0.130	\$12.88
No.6 Resid. – G. Coast	\$52.740/bl	-\$1.760	\$8.39
Cent App Coal (prev day)	\$64.850/ton	+\$0.050	\$2.59
	Change is	from previous	s week

U.S. Gas Rotary Rig Count for:

Week ending 12-01-17
This Week 180
Last Week 176
Last Year 119

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At the close of business Thursday, December 7, 2017 the future strip prices were as follows:

	This Week	Last Week	Oh	Last Month	Oh a sa sa a	Last Year	Ohaman
	12/07/2017	11/30/2017	Change	11/07/2017	Change	12/07/2016	Change
NYMEX near month	\$2.763	\$3.025	-\$0.262	\$3.152	-\$0.389	\$3.603	-\$0.840
NYMEX 12-month strip	\$2.794	\$2.959	-\$0.165	\$3.067	-\$0.273	\$3.437	-\$0.643
NYMEX Winter strip	\$3.014	\$3.128	-\$0.114	\$3.180	-\$0.166	\$3.516	-\$0.502
NYMEX Summer strip	\$2.763	\$2.904	-\$0.141	\$2.978	-\$0.215	\$3.365	-\$0.602

Near month range for the week = \$2.757 - \$3.127

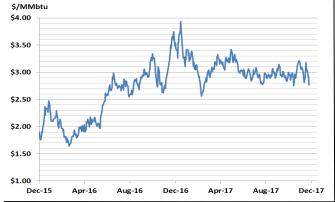
Current near month is Jan '18

12-month strip is Jan '18 - Dec '18

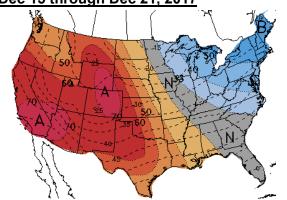
Summer strip is Apr '18 – Oct '18

Winter strip is Nov '18 - Mar '19

Near-Month Natural Gas Futures Prices (NYMEX) through Dec 7



Temperature Forecast Dec 15 through Dec 21, 2017



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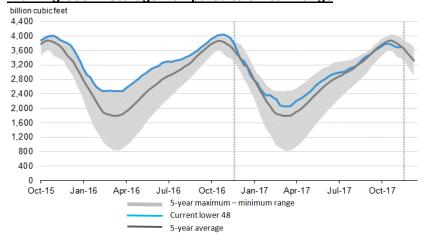
Sources: NOAA, EIA, NYMEX and Baker Hughes

Storage Report

For the week ending December 1, 2017, natural gas storage reported by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) was (in Bcf):

This Week	Last Week	Last Year	<u> 5 Yr. Ave.</u>
3,695	3,693	3,959	3,731

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 = 26.5 Bcf/day % of U.S. Demand = 36% Last 30 day Average = 22.4 Bcf/day

% of U.S. Demand = 28%