

# Weekly Natural Gas Market Update

December 13, 2019

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#### Physical Spot Prices - December 12, 2019

			Natural Gas		
	<u>Price</u>	Change	<u>Equivalent</u>		
Natural Gas – H. Hub	\$2.328/MMBtu	-\$0.099	\$2.33		
Propane – Mont Belvieu	\$0.523/gal	-\$0.001	\$5.71		
Crude Oil – WTI Cush	\$59.180/bl	+\$0.750	\$10.20		
No.2 Heating Oil – NYH	\$77.730/bl	+\$0.740	\$13.34		
No.6 Resid. – G. Coast	\$40.840/bl	+\$5.090	\$6.50		
Cent App Coal (prev. day)	\$46.000/ton	-\$0.250	\$1.84		
	Change is from previous week				

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

Week ending 12-06-19

This Week 133 Last Week 131 Last Year

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#### **Futures Pricing**

\$/MMbtu

At the close of business Thursday, December 12, 2019 the future strip prices were as follows:

	This Week	Last Week		Last Month		Last Year	
	12/12/2019	12/05/2019	Change	11/12/2019	Change	12/12/2018	Change
NYMEX near month	\$2.328	\$2.427	-\$0.099	\$2.621	-\$0.293	\$4.136	-\$1.808
NYMEX 12-month strip	\$2.324	\$2.349	-\$0.025	\$2.507	-\$0.183	\$2.707	-\$0.383
NYMEX Winter strip	\$2.587	\$2.606	-\$0.019	\$2.681	-\$0.094	\$2.791	-\$0.204
NYMEX Summer strip	\$2.282	\$2.288	-\$0.006	\$2.418	-\$0.136	\$2.549	-\$0.267

Near month range for the week = \$2.158 - \$2.437

Current near month is Jan '20

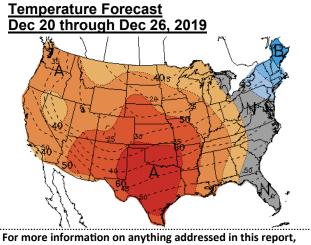
12-month strip is Jan '20 - Dec '20

Summer strip is Apr '20 - Oct '20

Winter strip is Nov '20 - Mar '21

# **Near-Month Natural Gas** Futures Prices (NYMEX) through Dec 12





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# Storage Report

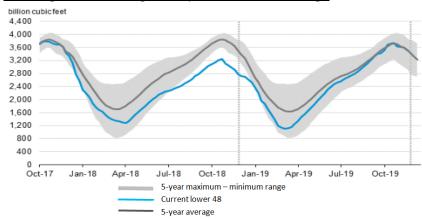
For the week ending December 06, 2019, natural gas storage reported by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) was (in Bcf):

<u>This Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Last Year</u>	<u>5 Yr. Ave.</u>
3,518	3,591	2,925	3,532

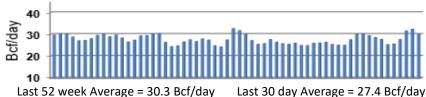
Change this week: -73 Bcf Change for the same week last year: -75 Bcf

Inventory vs. 1 Year ago: +20.3% Inventory vs. 5-Yr. Ave: -0.4%

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



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



% of U.S. Demand = 35%

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