

Weekly Natural Gas Market Update

December 25, 2020

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Physical Spot Prices - December 24, 2020

			Natural Gas		
	<u>Price</u>	Change	<u>Equivalent</u>		
Natural Gas – H. Hub	\$2.518MMBtu	-\$0.118	\$2.52		
Propane – Mont Belvieu	\$0.640/gal	+\$0.09	\$6.99		
Crude Oil – WTI Cush	\$47.99/bl	+\$0.170	\$8.27		
No.2 Heating Oil – NYH	\$56.47/bl	+\$0.820	\$9.69		
No.6 Resid. – G. Coast	\$44.72/bl	-\$0.140	\$7.11		
Cent App Coal (prev. day)	\$50.45/ton	-\$0.450	\$2.02		
	Change is from previous week				

U.S. Gas Rotary Rig Count for:

Week ending 12-25-20

This Week 83 81 Last Week Last Year

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Futures Pricing

At the close of business Thursday, December 24, 2020 the future strip prices were as follows:

	This Week	Last Week		Last Month		Last Year	
	12/24/2020	12/17/2020	Change	11/24/2020	Change	12/24/2019	Change
NYMEX near month	\$2.518	\$2.636	-\$0.118	\$2.775	-\$0.257	\$2.172	+\$0.346
NYMEX 12-month strip	\$2.627	\$2.730	-\$0.103	\$2.815	-\$0.188	\$2.406	+\$0.221
NYMEX Winter strip	\$2.875	\$2.951	-\$0.076	\$3.012	-\$0.137	\$2.574	+\$0.301
NYMEX Summer strip	\$2.620	\$2.722	-\$0.102	\$2.752	-\$0.132	\$2.299	+\$0.321

Near month range for the week = \$2.515 - \$2.806

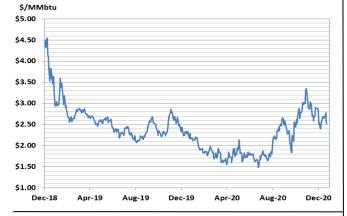
Current near month is Jan '21

12-month strip is Jan '21 - Dec '21

Summer strip is Apr '21 - Oct '21

Winter strip is Nov '21 - Mar '22

Near-Month Natural Gas Futures Prices (NYMEX) through Dec 24



Storage Report

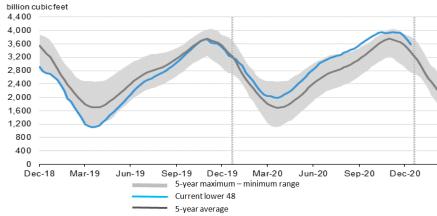
For the week ending December 18, 2020, natural gas storage reported by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) was (in Bcf):

This Week	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Last Year</u>	<u> 5 Yr. Ave.</u>
3,574	3,726	3,296	3,356

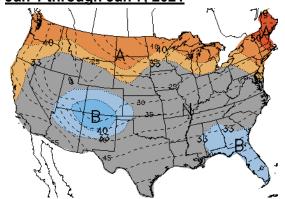
Change this week: -152 Bcf Change for the same week last year: -146 Bcf

Inventory vs. 1 Year ago: +8.4% Inventory vs. 5-Yr. Ave: +6.5%

Working Gas in Storage Compared to 5-Year Range



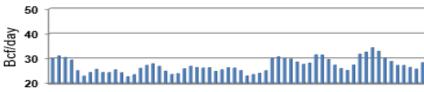
Temperature Forecast Jan 1 through Jan 7, 2021



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Sources: NOAA, EIA, CME Group and Baker Hughes

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



Last 52 week Average = 31.6 Bcf/day

Last 30 day Average = 28.4 Bcf/day

% of U.S. Demand = 36% % of U.S. Demand = 27%