# New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
## Weekly Heating Oil & Propane Report

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The Weekly Heating Oil & Propane Report serves as a current source of heating oil and propane information for NJ consumers during the winter heating season. The data contained in this report are based primarily on industry submissions and weekly price data collected by the Energy Information Administration (EIA).

## Heating Oil

### Average Residential Heating Oil Prices (Cents per Gallon)

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/09/06 | 01/02/06 | +/- |
| New Jersey | No. 2 Heating Oil | | 250.37 | 248.37 | 2.01 |
| Central Atlantic (PADD IB)* | No. 2 Heating Oil | | 250.90 | 250.01 | 0.89 |
| East Coast (PADD I)** | No. 2 Heating Oil | | 246.19 | 245.10 | 1.09 |

### Average Wholesale Heating Oil Prices (Cents per Gallon)

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/09/06 | 01/02/06 | +/- |
| New Jersey | No. 2 Heating Oil | | 184.40 | 177.60 | 6.80 |
| Central Atlantic (PADD IB)* | No. 2 Heating Oil | | 182.82 | 178.72 | 4.10 |
| East Coast (PADD I)** | No. 2 Heating Oil | | 183.81 | 179.50 | 4.31 |

### Spot Prices of Heating Oil (Cents per Gallon)

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/10/06 | 01/03/06 | +/- |
| U.S. | No. 2 Heating Oil (New York Harbor) | | 171.26 | 177.24 | -5.98 |
| U.S. | No. 2 Heating Oil (Gulf Coast) | | 166.51 | 176.24 | -9.73 |

### NYMEX Futures Prices of Heating Oil (Cents per Gallon)

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | Future Contract | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/10/06 | 01/03/06 | +/- |
| U.S. | No. 2 Heating Oil | Contract 1 (most recent month) | 173.79 | 179.64 | -5.85 |
| U.S. | No. 2 Heating Oil | Contract 2 | 177.08 | 181.54 | -4.46 |
| U.S. | No. 2 Heating Oil | Contract 3 | 178.08 | 180.64 | -2.56 |
| U.S. | No. 2 Heating Oil | Contract 4 | 178.33 | 178.44 | -0.11 |

### Northeast Heating Oil Reserve (Thousand Barrels)

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Week Ending | 2005 | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 12/2/05 | Total Reserve | +/- |
| Northeast | No. 2 Heating Oil (Woodbridge, NJ Terminal) | | 1000 | 1000 | 0.0 |
| Northeast | No. 2 Heating Oil (New Haven, CT Terminal) | | 500 | 500 | 0.0 |
| Northeast | No. 2 Heating Oil (New Haven, CT Terminal) | | 250 | 250 | 0.0 |
| Northeast | No. 2 Heating Oil (Providence, RI Terminal) | | 250 | 250 | 0.0 |

## Propane

### Average Residential Propane Prices (Cents per Gallon)

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/09/06 | 01/02/06 | +/- |
| New Jersey | Propane | | 256.63 | 256.05 | 0.58 |
| Central Atlantic (PADD IB)* | Propane | | 235.77 | 235.20 | 0.57 |
| East Coast (PADD I)** | Propane | | 229.25 | 229.07 | 0.18 |

**Average Wholesale Propane Prices (Cents per Gallon)**

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/09/06 | 01/02/06 | +/- |
| New Jersey | Propane | | 117.00 | 123.00 | -6.00 |
| Central Atlantic (PADD IB)* | Propane | | 114.35 | 118.50 | -4.15 |
| East Coast (PADD I)** | Propane | | 113.70 | 118.30 | -4.60 |

**Spot Prices of Propane (Cents per Gallon)**

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/10/06 | 01/03/06 | +/- |
| U.S. | Propane (Mont Belvieu, Texas) | | 97.94 | 104.50 | -6.56 |
| U.S. | Propane (U.S. Mid Continent) | | 95.38 | 104.32 | -8.94 |

**NYMEX Futures Prices of Propane (Cents per Gallon)**

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | Future Contract | Price on | Price on | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/10/06 | 01/03/06 | +/- |
| U.S. | Propane | Contract 1 (most recent month) | 98.50 | 104.00 | -5.50 |
| U.S. | Propane | Contract 2 | 98.00 | 101.50 | -3.50 |
| U.S. | Propane | Contract 3 | 98.00 | 99.00 | -1.00 |
| U.S. | Propane | Contract 4 | 98.00 | 99.00 | -1.00 |

**Regional Propane Stocks (Thousand Barrels)**

| Region Consumed | Fuel Type | | Week Ending | Week Ending | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 01/06/06 | 12/30/05 | +/- |
| Central Atlantic (PADD IB)* | Propane | | 1798.00 | 1726.00 | 72.00 |
| East Coast (PADD I)** | Propane | | 4613.00 | 4144.00 | 469.00 |

* PADD IB (Central Atlantic) is a subdistrict of PADD I and includes Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania.

** PADD I (East Coast) includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia.