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IMPORTANT: Please note that the Massachusetts sales tax will increase by 25%, from 5% to 6.25% on August 1, 2009. The tax will apply to nearly all retail sales including alcohol, which was previously exempt. The tax increase does not apply to gasoline, diesel, or taxed commercial space heating oil sales. For more information, please visit the Massachusetts Department of Revenue online at <http://www.mass.gov/?pageID=dorhomepage&L=1&L0=Home&sid=Ador>



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 Basic Oil Burner Installation and



NEFI MEMBER TESTIFIES BEFORE COMMODITIES TRADING REGULATORS

On Tuesday, Sean Cota of Cota & Cota, Bellow Falls, Vermont (sean.cota@cotaoil.com) made waves as he represented the New England Fuel Institute and the Petroleum Marketers Association of America before a hearing of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC). The CFTC has begun discussion of possible new restrictions on the size of positions that non-physical traders can take in those markets. Cota spoke out in favor of hard limits on all

commodities, all traders, and across all markets.

Sean urged the commission to establish hard limits on regulated exchanges, where only "accountability limits" exist for oil and other energy commodities (unlike agricultural commodities, which have hard limits). The CFTC has discovered about 7 traders on the NYMEX have at times exceeded these "accountability" levels by two to three times for crude oil, natural gas, heating oil and gasoline contracts without any disciplinary action. Cota also said that only true (or "bona-fide") physical hedgers should have exemptions from hard limits, and recommended the establishment of a "bona-fide speculator" classification in order to separate traditional speculators from other investors, including exchange-traded and index funds.

"PMAA, NEFI and our customers need our public officials to take a stand against the abusive trading practices that artificially inflate prices and could severely damage our economy," Cota said. But he clarified, "we fully support free exchanges of commodity futures, including speculators, on open, regulated and transparent exchanges that are

Service Technician Course

R-410A Training and Certification Course

Evening Course

NEW DATE: November 10 & 12, 2009

6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Day Course

NEW DATE: November 17, 2009

7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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NEW SEMINAR: 2 DAY SEMINAR

SEPTEMBER 15 & 16, 2009

9:00 am - 3:00 pm / Lunch

Provided

Hedge Solutions Conference Room

500 N. Commercial St.

Manchester, NH 03101

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608 Universal Training and Certification Course

Evening Course

NEW DATE: November 17 & 19, 2009 (6:00 - 10:00 PM)

Day Course

NEW DATE: November 19, 2009

(7:00 AM - 3:30 PM)

[INFO](#)

Basic A/C Course

Dates: Sept 8 - Nov 12

Tues & Thurs 6pm - 10 pm

[APPLICATION](#)

Gas Heat Service Training

Dates: Sept 8 - Nov 12

Tues & Thurs 6pm - 10pm

[APPLICATION](#)

Carlin "U" Residential Oil Class

NEW ONE-DAY SEMINAR:

Tuesday, August 25, 2009 8:00

a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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EPA Section 608 Training and Certification

(refrigerant containment regs) 2-session evening course

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16, 2009

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webinar non-members

subject to the rule of law, oversight and accountability." Cota also made appearances on CNBC following the hearings, links to this and other useful media are provided at the end of this article.

Cota was joined at that hearing and round two, on the following day, by oversight coalition allies and representatives from major exchanges, trading houses, and investment banks. Next Wednesday, the final hearing on August 5th we will hear from market experts, including reform advocates Michael Greenberger and Michael Masters. NEFI and its coalition allies commend the CFTC for taking on this hugely important issue.

However, the CFTC still lacks authority to implement anti-manipulation rules (such as position limits) and prevent excessive speculation on unregulated or "dark" markets, including the over-the-counter and off-shore markets. New legislation would need to be passed by Congress in order to give regulators the tools they need ([click here to send a letter to Congress!](#))

Related links (click below)

- [Read Sean's Written Testimony Here](#)
- [Archived Video from this week's hearings](#)
- [Cota on CNBC's Closing Bell](#)
- [Masters on CNBC, Responding to Critics of Reform](#)
- [CFTC Chairman Gensler on Larry Kudlow](#)

TIME TO REIN IN EXCESSIVE SPECULATION...**[TELL CONGRESS TO ACT NOW - CLICK HERE](#)****(NEFI members sent nearly **500** messages since June 3rd, 2009)****This Week In Washington**

NEWS FROM NEFI — WASHINGTON, DC

Contact: Jim Collura, NEFI VP for Public Policy (jjimcollura@nefi.com)
Congress is currently in session.

US HOUSE POISED TO ADVANCE FULL LIHEAP FUNDING TO FLOOR VOTE

As was reported in an earlier issue of NEON, the U.S. House of Representatives Appropriations Committee has included in its Fiscal Year 2010 Health and Human Services and Labor Appropriations package a measure that would provide full funding for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) to the tune of \$5.1 billion. This includes \$4.51 billion in formula funding to states, and \$590 million in contingency funding for release by the administration, and continues the formula used in FY09. It is a major victory for LIHEAP advocates at the National Fuel Funds Network and the LIHEAP Coalition. NEFI is a member of both organizations, and joined them in a letter to Congress earlier this month calling for full funding ([click here](#))

CFTC EXERCISES NEW AUTHORITY PROVIDED BY ENRON LOOPHOLE ACT

The U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission has exercised its first use of new authority provided it by a NEFI-endorsed legislation that was passed by Congress and signed into law in early 2008, the "Close the Enron Loophole Act." The new authority attempts to help close some (but not all) of the exemptions afforded under the "Enron Loophole" by allowing the CFTC to regulate certain off-exchange contracts if they perform a "significant price discovery function."

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The CFTC has determined that natural gas contracts offered by the Intercontinental Exchange, Inc (or ICE) perform just such a "significant price discovery function." This contract was used by Amaranth advisors to corner the natural gas market in 2006, an NEFI has learned from a source at the CFTC that "there will be more" contracts brought under CFTC's oversight under this new authority. The CFTC has also required data reporting from ICE and announced this week that it will make this data available in its publicly available Commitment of Traders report, increasing transparency and public accountability.

CFTC Commissioner Bart Chilton told Bloomberg this week ([click here](#)), "We are now using some of the new tools to better protect consumers and guard against potential manipulation," said Commissioner [Bart Chilton](#). "We still need to do more, and Congress needs to approve additional oversight into dark OTC markets." [You can help make that happen, click here now.](#)

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Regulatory Developments

NEWS FROM NEFI — WASHINGTON, D.C.

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GROUP SEEKS INCLUSION OF MOTOR FUELS IN GREENHOUSE GAS CAP AND TRADE

An environmental policy group this week petitioned the EPA to develop a greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions cap and trade program for motor fuels. The petition, filed by the Institute for Policy Integrity is the first to ask EPA to limit greenhouse gas emissions specifically from motor fuels. The EPA's current cap and trade proposal regulates greenhouse gases from both mobile sources, such as automobiles and stationary sources such as electric utilities, but not exclusively from motor fuels. The petition if granted, could lead to new formulations or outright prohibitions on a variety of current motor fuel products.

The federal Clean Air Act does not specifically give EPA the authority to include motor fuels in a cap and trade program. However, the EPA is empowered under the Act to regulate greenhouse gas emissions from fuels, according to the petition. Similar petitions have been submitted to the EPA seeking inclusion of additional mobile sources including aircraft, marine vessels, and non-road engines under the agency's proposed cap and trade program. The Institute for Policy Integrity says their petition would consolidate all these disparate mobile sources under one program and eliminate EPA's piecemeal approach by instead regulating the fuels that these sources use.

Congress is eager to enact a cap and trade program of its own that would largely derivate most of the EPA's greenhouse gas program before it gets off the ground. The U.S. House of Representatives recently passed legislation (H.R. 2454) that would establish an emissions cap-and-trade system for stationary sources but allows EPA to continue with developing cap and trade for mobile sources. The Institute says its petition could easily be adapted into the House bill when it reaches the Senate later this fall. Meanwhile the EPA has 180 days to respond to the petition and is soliciting comment.

FTC EXTENDS DEADLINE FOR "RED FLAG" IDENTITY THEFT RULE TO NOV. 1

The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) announced today yet another last minute extension of the compliance deadline for companies to implement new identity theft requirements for customer accounts. The "Red Flag" rule, as it is commonly known, was to go into effect on August 1 and applies to all fuel dealers, including heating oil

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dealers, propane dealers and petroleum marketers, who do not collect cash on delive for customer transactions. The new compliance deadline is now set for November 1, 2009.

Congress mandated the Red Flag requirements in the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act of 2003. Under the FTC Red Flag rule, any company that meets the broad definition of "creditor" established by Congress must put into place a prevention plan that identifies patterns, practices and activities that are "red flags" for possible identity theft. A "creditor" is defined as essentially any company that bills customers 1 products or services. As a result, most fuel dealers qualify as creditors under the Red Flag rule and must implement an identity theft prevention plan.

The Red Flag rule goes beyond the routine securing of customer account information that most companies already follow. The rule requires companies to seek out and respond to suspicious data in customer accounts that indicate an identity theft has taken place. In other words, companies must now police customer accounts for identity theft. This is the third time the FTC has extended the compliance deadline for the Red Flag rule which was initially set to go into effect on November 1, 2008, then extended to May 1, 2009, extended again to August 1, 2009 and now postponed to November

This latest extension was mandated to avert a lawsuit by the American Bar Associatic (ABA). The ABA objects to the rule's application to attorneys. Various other trade groups are also objecting to the seemingly limitless reach of the Red Flag Rule. In fact, the FTC admitted that it issued the previous deadline extension due to the ongoing debate over whether Congress wrote the law too broadly, capturing businesses far outside the traditional definition of "creditor". The continuing uncertain over applicability of the rule cuts across a wide array of retail and wholesale businesses and industries. NEFI will continue to monitor this issue and report on further developments as they occur.

**TO VIEW THE LATEST NEFI BULLETINS ON FEDERAL REGULATIONS,
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Or contact Dave Rocco for assistance, Dave@nefi.com or 617-923-5022**



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REGIONAL & NATIONAL INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENTS

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MEDIA RELATIONS ALLIANCE RELEASES OILHEAT "MYTH vs. FACT" SHEET: The Energy Communications Council has published an oilheat "Heating Oil, Greater Efficiency and a Greener, Brighter Future: Myths vs. Facts" for you to print out and distribute. [Click Here](#) to download or obtain a copy by contacting Dave Rocco of NEFI at dave@nefi.com or (617) 923-5022.

16 KILLED IN LIQUEFIED NAT GAS TRAIN ACCIDENT: The internet has again gone viral with video of a train car, carrying Liquefied Natural Gas, which derailed in Ital a few weeks ago, igniting a large fireball that killed 16 and injured 50. [Click Here](#)

HOUSE LEVELED BY EXPLOSION IN FORENCE, KY: Natural gas leak was to blame. One witness said "the house blew up, flew up into the air, and then came back down." No injuries reported. [News video and story here.](#)



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NEWS FROM NEFI HEADQUARTERS — BOSTON, MA

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- **IMPORTANT NOTICE: NEFI BOARD MEETING SET FOR AUGUST 11, 2009!** NEFI Members and Directors - Mark your calendars, the next NEFI Board of Directors meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, August 11, 2009 at the Cliff House Resort & Spa in Ogunquit, Maine (www.cliffhousemaine.com). A closer Executive Committee meeting will be held from 9am-12 noon, followed by an

optional lunch and the open Board meeting from 1:30pm to 3:30pm. For more information, contact NEFI Administrative Manager Betty Kelley at 617-923-501 or betty@nefi.com. [Click here to add the event to your calendar.](#)

Location:

**Cliff House Resort & Spa
Bald Head Cliff, Shore Road
Ogunquit, ME 03909
Tel. 207-361-1000
www.cliffhousemaine.com
[click for map and directions](#)**

- **BERMUDA IS CHOSEN BY NEFI MEMBERS FOR FALL ENERGY CONFERENCE!**
NEFI is off to Bermuda for its 2009 Fall Energy Conference, to be held from October 20 - 25, 2009. We are putting finishing touches on the program and corresponding business sessions. Watch email, regular mail, www.nefi.com, and future issues of NEON for full packages and registration information. Call Tracy Goodwin, NEFI VP & Dir. of Events, at 617-923-5015 email tracy@nefi.com if you would like more information or to reserve a spot now.
- **NEFI LAUNCHES NEW HEATING & COOLING DEGREE DAY SERVICE!!!** NEFI has announced the availability of its new Heating & Cooling Degree Day Subscription Service effective July 7, 2009. In addition to its current NEFI Weather Subscription Service, which has over 200 subscribers, NEFI is now offering a heating degree day (HDD) and cooling degree day (CDD) service with postings for all National Weather Service data points across all of New England, NY, PA, and NJ. Over 150 data point sites are available.

Some benefits to subscribing:

- Cost is \$20 per month for NEFI members, \$40.00 non-members*
- Over 150 sites available
- Daily Heating Degree Day (HDD) & Cooling Degree Day (CDD) totals for all National Weather Service data points across all of New England, NY, PA and NJ included
- Reports will be issued daily by 6 AM (EST)
- Reports will list the last 7 days of data for each site
- Reports will be broken down in state groupings such as, Maine, Massachusetts, VT & NH, CT & RI, NY, PA, NJ
- Reports can be used to monitor and analyze regional or local daily HDD totals, or can be used to back-up or check the accuracy of heating degree day clocks

*\$240 per year for the first NEFI Member company contact. \$120 per year (\$10/month) for each additional member subscriber. \$480 per year for the first non-NEFI Member company contact. \$240 per year (\$20/month) for each additional non-member subscriber). Other Weather Services are charging anywhere between \$100 and \$300 PER MONTH for their services, according to NEFI CEO Shane Sweet (shane@nefi.com). For a sample of the reports by various State groupings, please go to http://www.nefi.com/weather/samples/HDD-CDD_combined.pdf which will lead to the weather site, www.nefi.com/weather. To sign up for the degree day service send the subscription form (available at www.nefi.com/weather) to Betty Kelley, NEFI Administrative Manager, by fax to 617-924-1022; by email to betty@nefi.com or by postal mail to Attn: Degree Day Service, New England Fuel Institute, P.O. Box 9137, Watertown, MA 02471-9137.

Other NEFI News Briefs...

- **NEFI Immediate Past Chairman of the Board and member Sean Cota** (Cota Cota, Bellows Falls, VT) testified before the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission on Tuesday (see lead story). NEFI Vice President for Government Affairs Jim Collura, as well as PMAA Vice President Sherri Cabrera and Congressional Liaison Rob Underwood attended in support of Sean and assisted in drafting testimony.
- **Jennifer Robie of NEFI** will be attending the Oil Heat Council of New Hampshire meeting in September at the Mount Washington Resort. NEFI will have an exhibit space highlighting all of their member services. For more information on this meeting, please visit www.nhoilheat.com.
- **Representatives from NEFI** will be supporting the Oil Heat Institute of Rhode Island's Annual Clambake on August 6th in Middletown Rhode Island. For tickets, please visit www.oilheatinri.com.
- **NEFI CEO Shane Sweet attended the PMAA Executives Conference in Florida** last week, representing PMAA member NEFI, and was elected by the PMAA association execs present to the post of Secretary and Treasurer of the Execs Conference starting January 2010. 32 of the 47 PMAA Association Execs attended this year's event.
- **NEFI CEO Shane Sweet** will be part of the program at the Oil Heat Council of New Hampshire conference in September.
- **NEFI's Jim Collura** will be a featured speaker at the OHIRI Wednesday, August 12, 2009 Board of Directors meeting Warwick, RI. Jim now lives in Washington, DC, will address federal legislative and public policy issues affecting the heating fuels industry.

NEFI Seeks...

- **QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL TO TEACH ITS 160 HOUR BASIC OIL HEAT TECHNICIAN AND INSTALLATION COURSE:** This course entails both classroom and hand-on heating instruction using live heating equipment and follows an industry-standard curriculum. We are looking to fill a year round position teaching adult students from around the region. Full time and part time candidates are urged to apply. All classes are taught in both the classroom and in our state-of-the art lab at our Watertown, Massachusetts facility. Candidates must have a valid Massachusetts oil burner license. Send resume and letter of interest to Bob Messia, Principal Instructor, bob@nefi.com, or mail Attn: Bob Messia, Principal Instructor, New England Fuel Institute, PO Box 9137 Watertown, MA. 02471-9137
- **EDUCATORS FOR NEW SEMINAR OFFERINGS:** The New England Fuel Institute (nefi.com) seeks contract educators with training content ready for presentation to fuel marketers and the HVAC sector. We are looking for fuel related and general business curriculum for integration into our on-going technical and non-technical offerings. Our Education & Training offerings are offered in traditional classroom and laboratory formats as well as Webinar and Webcast formats. Interested parties are urged to contact Shane Sweet, CEO New England Fuel Institute (nefi.com), at shane@nefi.com or 617-923-5011 or mail Attn: Shane Sweet, CEO, New England Fuel Institute, PO Box 9137 Watertown, MA. 02471-9137

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NEFI Benefits Spotlight

FORT DEARBORN LIFE INSURANCE/ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT & SHORT TERM DISABILITY GROUP RATED PLANS

Life/Accidental Death & Dismemberment -

- All Employees that work 30 hours or more per week are eligible for Life/AD&D coverage
- Employee benefit amounts are based on employee salary
- \$150,000 of Guaranteed issue is provided to all employees for Life/AD& D coverage
- Benefit amounts reduce by 35% at age 70, and reduce to 50% at age 75
- Benefits Terminate at retirement
- A retiree benefit of \$10,000 is available to all Owners, Proprietors and Partners; the employer must request that this benefit be added to their policy

Short Term Disability Coverage -

- All Employees that work 30 hours or more per week are eligible for Short Term Disability coverage
- Employee benefit amounts are based on employee salary
- The plan design is a benefit of 60% of employee Basic Weekly Earnings, to a weekly maximum benefit of \$750

Please contact Donna Carcerano, Benefits Administrator at New England Fuel Institute for more details

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Events Calendar

July 29: Equipment Sales Skills Seminar, F.W. Webb, Rutland, VT. Phone VFDA: 802-223-7750 www.vermontfuel.com

August 6: Oil Heat Institute of Rhode Island's 47th Annual Clambake at Kempenaar's Clambake Club, Middletown, RI. 401-865-6055 www.oilheatinri.com

August 6: Vermont Fuel Dealers Association Membership Meeting & Luncheon, 12:00-3:00pm, Middlebury Inn, Middlebury, VT. 802-223-7750 www.vermontfuel.com

August 11: NEFI Board of Directors' Meeting, 1:30 pm, Cliff House Resort & Spa, Ba Head Cliff, Shore Road, Ogunquit, ME 03909, Ph: 207-361-1000. (NEFI Executive Committee Closed Meeting, 9am-12 noon) www.cliffhousemaine.com Phone NEFI: 617-924-1000; watch for agenda in coming weeks

August 12: NORA Energy Conservation Analysis Seminar, FW Webb, Rutland, VT. Phone VFDA: 802-223-7750 www.vermontfuel.com

August 17: Massachusetts Oilheat Council's Golf Tournament, Pinehills Golf Club, Plymouth, Massachusetts. Phone: 800-722-0623 www.massoilheat.org

August 19: NAOHSM's ECM Training Class, FW Webb Training Facility, Warwick, Rhode Island. Phone 888-552-0900 www.naohsm.org

August 20: NAOHSM's "ECM Train the Trainer" Class, ICPA School, Cromwell, Connecticut. Phone 888-552-0900 www.naohsm.org

August 25: Carlin "U" Residential Oil Class, 8am-5pm, NEFI Technical Training Center, Watertown, MA. Phone Carlin 800-989-2275 info@carlincombustion.com. More Info

August 31: Maine Oil Dealers Association 17th Annual J. Garrie Murray Golf Classic Penobscot Valley Country Club, Orono, Maine. Phone: 207-729-5298 www.meoil.com

September 8: National Oilheat Research Alliance Executive Committee Meeting, Massachusetts Phone: 703-340-1660 www.nora-oilheat.org

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Distillate Stocks (Millions of Barrels)			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	160.5	162.6	130.5
East Coast (PADD I)	67.5	67.7	47.3
New England (PADD IA)	12.6	12.4	5.0
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)	39.1	39.3	29.2
Lower Atlantic (PADD IC)	15.8	16.0	13.1
Midwest (PADD II)	33.8	33.5	30.3
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	43.7	45.0	35.9
Rocky Mountain (PADD IV)	3.5	3.4	2.8
West Coast (PADD V)	12.1	13.0	14.1
15 ppm Sulfur and Under Stocks			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	93.5	94.9	77.8
East Coast (PADD I)	22.2	22.4	17.0
New England (PADD IA)	2.6	2.5	1.5
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)	9.8	9.7	8.1
Lower Atlantic (PADD IC)	9.8	10.1	7.3
Midwest (PADD II)	28.1	27.4	23.8
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	30.3	31.6	23.6
Rocky Mountain (PADD IV)	2.9	2.9	2.2
West Coast (PADD V)	9.9	10.6	11.2
Greater Than 15 ppm to 500 ppm Sulfur Stocks			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	20.8	21.3	20.3
East Coast (PADD I)	8.9	8.9	7.4
New England (PADD IA)	0.7	0.7	0.3
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)	4.9	4.8	3.1
Lower Atlantic (PADD IC)	3.3	3.4	3.9
Midwest (PADD II)	3.5	3.9	4.2
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	7.0	6.9	6.8
Rocky Mountain (PADD IV)	0.3	0.3	0.4
West Coast (PADD V)	1.2	1.3	1.5
Greater Than 500 ppm Sulfur Stocks			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	46.2	46.4	32.4
East Coast (PADD I)	36.4	36.3	23.0
New England (PADD IA)	9.3	9.2	3.2
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)	24.4	24.7	17.9
Lower Atlantic (PADD IC)	2.7	2.5	1.9
Midwest (PADD II)	2.2	2.2	2.2
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	6.4	6.5	5.6
Rocky Mountain (PADD IV)	0.2	0.2	0.2
West Coast (PADD V)	1.0	1.1	1.4

Crude Oil Stocks (Millions of Barrels)			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	342.7	347.8	295.2
East Coast (PADD I)	14.2	14.8	14.2
Midwest (PADD II)	82.6	83.4	62.7
Cushing, Oklahoma	30.8	32.1	18.8
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	180.9	182.6	150.1
Rocky Mountain (PADD IV)	16.3	16.0	14.1
West Coast (PADD V)	48.7	51.1	54.2
Gasoline Stocks (Millions of Barrels)			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	215.4	213.1	213.6
East Coast (PADD I)	56.5	56.1	59.8
Midwest (PADD II)	51.8	52.6	50.1
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	71.7	70.0	69.9
Rocky Mountain (PADD IV)	6.2	6.1	5.8
West Coast (PADD V)	29.3	28.3	28.0
Propane Stocks (Millions of Barrels)			
	07/17/09	07/24/09	07/25/08
U.S.	66,429	68,368	45,769
East Coast (PADD I)	3,515	4,742	3,540
New England (PADD IA)	0,288	0,638	0,363
Central Atlantic (PADD IB)	2,168	2,232	1,885
Lower Atlantic (PADD IC)	1,059	1,872	1,292
Midwest (PADD II)	27,367	27,730	20,394
Gulf Coast (PADD III)	33,939	34,254	20,266
Rocky Mtn & West Coast (PADD IV & V)	1,608	1,642	1,569

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