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Monthly Statistical Report
Contains timely interpretation and analysis of recent developments on major products’ production, imports, refinery operations, and inventories. This report includes API’s estimates of these data for the most recent month and graphs of major series, including product deliveries, crude oil production, imports, refinery activity, and inventories for the past 24 months.
In addition, the December issue, published in mid-January, presents year-end supply/demand estimates and summarizes developments of the year.
API’s Monthly Statistical Report is published 2 to 3 weeks following the end of the month.
To obtain a copy of this report, please visit https://www.api.org/products-and-services/statistics/api-monthly-statistical-report

Imports and Exports of Crude Oil and Petroleum Products
(12 Issues)
Published monthly by the API, the imports report contains detailed company level data on the imports of crude oil and petroleum products. Details include: record on importer, port of entry, country of origin, recipient, destination, quantity and API gravity (except residual fuel oil), and sulfur content (for crude oil and residual fuel oil).
The imports report is based on reports published by the U.S. Department of Energy’s Energy Information Administration; however, it is presented in a more user-friendly and easier reporting layout. The report is available by the second week of each month, containing data from 2 months earlier (e.g. August imports report is published around the second week of November).

Historical data are also available in electronic format.
As of 2020, API no longer publishes this report. Historical editions are available for years 2019 and prior.

Inventories of Natural Gas Liquids and Liquefied Refinery Gases
Presents data on the inventory levels of ethane, propane, isobutane, normal butane, and pentanes plus. These inventories, located at natural gas plants, at refineries, at bulk terminals, and in underground storage, are grouped into eight regional areas. The report is issued at the end of each month, containing data from the prior month (e.g. August report is published at the end of September).
As of 2020, API no longer publishes this report. Historical editions are available for years 2019 and prior.

Quarterly Well Completion Report (QWCR)
The QWCR provides detailed information on reported drilling activity and estimates the total number of wells and footages drilled. The estimates of quarterly completions and footage are disaggregated by well type, depth interval, and quarter for the current year and 2 years prior.

The report is available within 2 weeks following the end of a quarter.

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Sales of Natural Gas Liquids and Liquefied Refinery Gases
This report presents the results of the annual survey, published in December, jointly sponsored by the American Petroleum Institute (API), Gas Processors Association (GPA), National Propane Gas Association (NPGA), and Propane Education & Research Council (PERC). This publication reports estimated sales of propane gas broken down by end use on a state and PADD basis.
The report is available within 2 weeks following the end of September.

Joint Association Survey on Drilling Costs (JAS)
The JAS is an annual survey, published in December, that contains the only long-term source of information of detailed U.S. drilling expenditures on wells, and footage. An Analysis & Trends section provides detailed information and graphs about offshore and onshore wells, shale wells, coalbed methane wells, and sidetrack wells. The data presented in the U.S. Summary Tables section are disaggregated by well type (oil wells, gas wells, and dry holes) and by depth interval. Additionally, the data in these tables are disaggregated by well class (exploratory wells and development wells) and well location (offshore and onshore).

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