

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
MARKET OVERSIGHT DIVISION
ELECTRIC UTILITY BILL COMPARISON**

JULY 2005

TEXAS UTILITIES	RESIDENTIAL 500 kWh				RESIDENTIAL 1000 kWh				Last year's avg. kWh usage paired with current rates		
	JULY		%	Rank	JULY		%	Rank	JULY 2004	Average Bill	Rank Low=1
	2005	2004			Change	Low=1					
INVESTOR OWNED	(\$)	(\$)			(\$)	(\$)					(\$)
El Paso Electric	57.25	57.25	0.0%	4	109.97	109.97	0.0%	4	660	74.11	1
Entergy Gulf States	48.76	48.55	0.4%	3	93.43	93.02	0.4%	3	1,618	148.63	5
Southwestern Public Service	45.26	41.41	9.3%	2	85.86	78.14	9.9%	2	1,123	95.85	2
Southwestern Elec Power	40.72	39.36	3.5%	1	74.70	72.01	3.7%	1	1,546	111.79	3
West Texas Utilities (Non-ERCOT)	67.52	57.33	17.8%	5	132.19	111.79	18.2%	5	1,068	141.21	4
Average	51.90	48.78	6.4%		99.23	92.99	6.7%		1,203	114.32	

COOPERATIVES											
Guadalupe Valley EC	46.29	46.04	0.5%	2	85.07	84.57	0.6%	2	1,400	116.10	3
Magic Valley EC	55.74	53.24	4.7%	5	96.47	91.47	5.5%	5	1,532	139.81	5
South Plains EC	51.85	49.60	4.5%	3	94.70	90.20	5.0%	4	1,100	103.26	2
Upshur-Rural EC	40.72	36.23	12.4%	1	73.93	64.95	13.8%	1	1,303	94.05	1
Victoria EC	54.15	46.12	17.4%	4	93.31	79.74	17.0%	3	1,555	136.76	4
Average	49.75	46.25	7.6%		88.70	82.19	7.9%		1,378	118.00	

TEXAS MUNICIPALITIES											
Austin Energy (City of Austin)	37.73	37.73	0.0%	1	90.81	90.81	0.0%	3	1,218	113.95	2
CPS (San Antonio)	41.33	41.70	-0.9%	2	84.39	85.13	-0.9%	1	1,518	130.56	3
City of San Marcos	47.39	46.31	2.3%	3	88.28	86.13	2.5%	2	1,107	97.02	1
Average	42.15	41.73	1.0%		87.83	85.05	3.3%		1,281	113.84	
Texas Average (Surveyed)	48.82	45.86	6.5%		92.55	86.86	6.5%		1,288	115.62	

OTHER U.S. UTILITIES			500	1000
ENTERGY LOUISIANA	51.58	103.16		
NSPC (Minneapolis)	48.30	91.93		
OK G&E (Oklahoma City)	45.67	84.48		
PSC (Denver)	60.95	114.08		
Other U.S. Utilities Average	51.63	98.41		
U.S. AVG. (MARCH 2005)	44.25	88.50	500	1000

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	1,627	167.86	4
	717	67.27	2
	1,510	124.08	3
	n/a	60.94	1
	1,285	105.04	
Data Source: Data and computations are provided by each utility listed.			

Compiled By: Retail Market Oversight/Electric Division

Note: U.S. Average is based on average revenues from Residential Retail Sales reported by the Energy Information Agency.

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