

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
RATE REGULATION DIVISION
ELECTRIC UTILITY BILL COMPARISON**

March 2012

TEXAS UTILITIES	RESIDENTIAL 500 kWh				RESIDENTIAL 1000 kWh				Last year's avg. kWh usage paired with current rates		
	March		% Change	Rank Low=1	March		% Change	Rank Low=1	March 2011	Average Bill	Rank Low=1
	2012	2011			2012	2011					
INVESTOR OWNED					(\$)	(\$)			(kWh)	(\$)	
Sharyland (Cap Rock Energy)	\$60.09	\$61.59	-2.4%	5	\$110.19	\$113.19	-2.6%	4	1,020	\$110.41	5
El Paso Electric	\$58.81	\$57.37	2.5%	4	\$112.58	\$109.72	2.6%	5	452	\$53.65	1
Entergy Texas	\$43.13	\$48.93	-11.9%	2	\$81.28	\$92.87	-12.5%	2	1,010	\$82.03	3
Southwestern Public Service	\$51.25	\$47.47	8.0%	3	\$96.50	\$88.93	8.5%	3	919	\$89.17	4
Southwestern Electric Power	\$40.01	\$41.15	-2.8%	1	\$67.87	\$70.12	-3.2%	1	950	\$65.20	2
Average	\$50.66	\$51.30	-1.3%		\$93.68	\$94.97	-1.4%		870	\$80.09	
COOPERATIVES											
Magic Valley EC	\$61.35	\$63.22	-3.0%	2	\$102.70	\$108.94	-5.7%	2	1,002	\$102.70	1
Upshur Rural EC	\$54.75	\$49.16	11.4%	1	\$95.50	\$85.31	11.9%	1	1,329	\$122.31	3
Victoria EC	\$65.39	\$65.39	0.0%	3	\$112.28	\$112.28	0.0%	3	1,098	\$121.47	2
Average	\$60.50	\$59.26	2.1%		\$103.49	\$102.18	1.3%		1,143	\$115.49	
TEXAS MUNICIPALITIES											
Austin Energy (City of Austin)	\$42.55	\$39.69	7.2%	1	\$91.44	\$85.72	6.7%	3	701	\$62.20	1
CPS Energy (San Antonio)	\$47.65	\$50.26	-5.2%	2	\$87.04	\$92.25	-5.6%	1	732	\$65.93	3
City of San Marcos	\$49.76	\$48.09	3.5%	3	\$91.01	\$87.68	3.8%	2	688	\$65.27	2
Average	\$46.65	\$46.01	1.4%		\$89.83	\$88.55	1.4%		707	\$64.47	
Texas Average (Surveyed)	\$52.25	\$52.03	0.4%		\$95.31	\$95.18	0.1%		900	\$85.49	

OTHER U.S. UTILITIES	500 kWh	1000 kWh	Please direct all questions relating to the distribution of this survey to the Office of Customer Protection at (512) 936-7150. Reminder to participants: To enable us to publish the comparison on the 15th of each month, we request that your response reach us by the 8th. Thank you for your cooperation.	Average Usage/Rates - Other U.S. Utilities		
Entergy Louisiana	\$45.56	\$88.25			1,033	\$90.76
NSPC (Minnesota)	\$59.69	\$111.90		609	\$71.09	1
PSCo (Colorado)	\$51.00	\$95.13		n/a	n/a	n/a
Other U.S. Utilities Average	\$52.08	\$98.43		821	\$80.93	
			Data Source: Data and computations are provided by each utility listed. U.S. Average is based on average revenues from Residential Retail Sales reported by the Energy Information Administration.			
U.S. AVG. (January 2012)	\$57.15	\$114.30				

Compiled by: Rate Regulation Division, Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Notes: The bill amounts may include the effects of temporary refunds and/or surcharges for items such as fuel. As of 4/16/10, SWEPCO North Texas jurisdiction rates merged with SWEPCO rates.