

Table 26. F.O.B.^a Costs of Imported Crude Oil by API Gravity
(Dollars per Barrel)

Year Month	20.0 or Less	20.1 to 25.0	25.1 to 30.0	30.1 to 35.0	35.1 to 40.0	40.1 to 45.0	45.1 or Greater
1978	11.98	11.74	12.51	13.06	13.62	14.00	14.01
1979	14.43	18.54	19.91	19.54	21.24	21.65	19.77
1980	23.09	28.76	30.72	30.31	34.33	35.39	36.13
1981	26.70	31.20	33.61	34.38	36.85	38.42	38.59
1982	23.08	25.82	31.48	33.56	34.29	34.82	34.48
1983	21.77	24.27	27.38	29.04	29.74	30.10	30.12
1984	24.10	25.31	27.22	28.55	29.18	29.40	28.02
1985	23.45	24.27	24.86	26.46	27.43	27.79	26.90
1986	10.51	10.96	12.25	12.83	13.83	14.19	13.76
1987	15.21	15.37	15.76	17.24	17.99	18.03	17.37
1988	11.92	11.65	12.48	13.82	14.38	14.89	15.25
1989	14.00	14.89	16.95	17.50	18.09	18.23	18.05
1990	15.98	18.00	20.54	20.77	22.19	22.78	22.28
1991	11.91	13.72	16.33	17.67	20.15	19.69	20.85
1992	11.83	13.96	16.74	18.02	19.50	19.58	20.05
1993							
January	11.69	12.53	15.50	16.21	17.71	17.57	W
February	12.19	13.21	16.75	16.98	18.68	18.67	18.63
March	12.81	13.71	17.11	17.39	18.77	19.71	20.50
April	12.60	13.90	16.70	16.93	18.84	18.92	W
May	12.22	13.65	16.60	16.49	18.43	18.95	19.50
June	11.16	12.43	16.00	16.03	17.57	W	W
July	10.58	11.85	14.62	15.31	16.71	18.97	17.50
August	11.48	12.09	14.17	15.03	16.64	W	18.55
September	11.81	12.01	14.23	14.49	16.21	16.48	17.04
October	11.17	11.89	14.13	14.93	16.46	16.71	16.61
November	9.61	10.21	13.27	13.92	15.35	16.21	W
December	8.93	9.31	11.02	12.03	13.68	14.54	13.55
1993	11.33	12.22	15.14	15.44	17.04	17.53	17.61
1994							
January	10.54	10.05	12.65	12.19	14.05	14.85	14.24
February	9.32	9.84	12.05	12.95	13.79	14.15	14.30
March	9.60	10.17	12.46	13.55	13.82	14.04	13.70
April	10.68	11.51	14.36	14.43	15.22	W	15.21
May	11.45	12.42	14.99	15.80	16.25	15.69	W
June	11.91	13.58	15.99	16.09	17.08	W	17.47
July	13.01	14.49	16.88	16.64	17.75	16.96	17.61
August	10.66	13.12	14.83	15.57	16.94	W	17.40
September	11.55	12.22	14.73	15.30	15.93	16.09	16.00
October	11.66	13.14	14.93	15.12	16.57	W	16.10
November	11.93	13.08	14.83	15.41	17.02	17.03	16.73
December	12.46	12.67	14.50	14.94	16.03	15.87	16.78
1994	11.43	12.19	14.45	14.93	15.91	15.70	16.11
1995							
January	12.46	13.20	15.27	15.78	16.81	15.82	17.02
February	12.97	13.69	16.13	16.28	17.21	17.12	W
March	13.46	14.38	16.14	16.87	17.32	16.88	17.86
April	15.01	15.89	17.65	17.87	18.72	17.87	18.00
May	15.17	15.91	17.62	17.44	18.68	18.51	18.85
June	13.75	14.53	16.30	16.35	17.48	18.04	17.72
July	12.98	13.20	15.28	15.46	16.18	W	16.48
August	12.71	13.46	15.83	15.48	16.47	W	16.46
September	12.85	13.27	15.90	15.55	16.87	W	17.04
October	11.69	12.42	15.05	15.31	16.52	W	16.66
November	12.76	12.85	15.29	16.09	16.99	16.76	17.83
December	13.86	14.23	16.63	16.08	18.14	17.79	W
1995	13.35	13.93	16.14	16.19	17.25	17.30	17.32

W = Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

^a Free on Board. See Glossary.

Notes: Values through 1980 reflect the month of reporting; values since then reflect the month of acquisition, which can be the month of loading, the month of landing, or sometime between those events. Prices for crude oil can be determined at a time other than the acquisition date. See the Explanatory Notes section for additional detail.

Sources: Energy Information Administration, Form FEA-F701-M-0, "Transfer Pricing Report," January 1978 through December 1978; Form ERA-51, "Transfer Pricing Report," January 1979 through September 1982; Form EP-51, "Monthly Foreign Crude Oil Transaction Report," October 1982 through June 1984; Form EIA-856, "Monthly Foreign Crude Oil Acquisition Report," July 1984 to present.