

Table 24. F.O.B.^a Costs of Imported Crude Oil by Selected Country
(Dollars per Barrel)

Year Month	Selected Countries								OPEC	
	Algeria	Indonesia	Mexico	Nigeria	Saudi Arabia	United Kingdom	Venezuela	Other Countries	Arab OPEC ^b	Total OPEC ^c
1978	14.12	13.61	13.24	14.05	12.70	13.82	12.38	13.35	13.28	13.31
1979	20.53	19.03	20.27	21.69	17.28	21.70	16.90	21.10	19.27	19.88
1980	36.67	32.17	31.06	35.93	28.17	34.36	24.81	34.34	31.57	32.21
1981	39.08	35.62	33.01	38.31	32.60	36.06	28.95	36.69	34.79	35.17
1982	34.20	35.11	28.08	35.13	33.73	33.42	23.74	31.96	33.84	33.48
1983	30.09	29.92	25.20	29.81	27.53	29.91	21.48	27.96	28.28	28.46
1984	28.34	29.13	26.39	29.51	27.67	28.87	24.23	27.79	27.79	27.79
1985	26.89	27.12	25.33	28.04	22.04	27.64	23.64	26.12	24.34	25.67
1986	13.62	13.19	11.84	14.35	11.36	13.84	10.92	13.32	11.59	12.21
1987	16.79	17.40	16.36	18.47	15.12	18.28	15.08	17.11	15.80	16.43
1988	W	13.81	12.18	15.16	12.16	14.80	12.96	13.45	12.57	13.43
1989	W	17.01	15.96	18.31	16.29	17.89	16.09	17.12	16.72	17.06
1990	W	21.29	19.26	22.46	20.36	23.43	19.55	19.88	18.84	20.40
1991	W	18.69	15.37	20.29	14.62	20.81	14.91	17.79	15.59	16.99
1992	W	17.06	15.26	19.98	15.85	19.61	14.39	17.65	16.50	16.87
1993										
January	—	W	14.14	17.95	15.55	18.29	12.99	15.19	15.63	15.63
February	—	W	14.64	19.06	16.13	18.13	13.68	16.51	16.36	16.49
March	W	W	15.16	19.33	16.34	18.51	14.22	16.84	16.73	16.91
April	—	W	15.04	19.21	15.23	18.36	14.52	16.76	15.46	16.41
May	—	19.14	15.15	18.90	13.62	18.29	13.89	16.63	14.09	16.16
June	—	W	14.04	18.00	W	17.03	12.44	15.86	14.20	14.95
July	W	16.48	13.09	17.46	W	16.07	11.96	14.97	13.67	14.19
August	—	17.74	13.20	17.42	W	16.73	12.56	14.68	14.13	14.18
September	W	W	13.50	16.73	W	16.06	12.72	14.23	12.72	14.13
October	W	W	13.74	17.02	11.16	16.31	11.87	14.88	12.94	13.75
November	W	W	12.27	15.80	11.15	15.29	9.97	13.85	12.19	12.45
December	W	W	11.19	14.21	W	14.19	9.34	11.86	11.47	11.44
1993	W	17.13	13.74	17.79	13.77	16.64	12.46	15.17	14.25	14.78
1994										
January	W	W	11.26	15.02	10.29	W	10.93	12.16	10.73	12.35
February	—	14.46	11.44	14.00	12.81	W	10.35	12.16	12.19	11.96
March	W	W	11.68	14.27	14.19	13.68	11.09	12.36	13.70	12.58
April	W	13.52	12.88	15.65	14.91	W	11.81	13.73	14.53	13.75
May	—	15.26	13.67	16.77	15.59	15.77	12.80	15.23	15.72	14.73
June	W	15.91	15.02	17.32	14.83	16.53	13.21	16.11	15.21	15.24
July	W	17.56	15.70	18.02	W	17.29	14.28	16.71	14.76	15.76
August	W	W	14.57	16.69	14.14	16.70	12.31	15.95	14.09	14.29
September	—	W	13.51	16.35	14.80	15.41	12.09	15.44	14.82	13.91
October	—	W	14.42	17.01	14.22	16.42	12.90	15.29	14.20	14.48
November	—	W	15.19	17.13	W	17.01	11.93	15.82	W	14.30
December	W	W	14.74	16.18	W	15.75	12.38	15.14	14.65	13.94
1994	W	15.57	13.68	16.32	14.12	15.66	12.21	14.68	14.05	14.00
1995										
January	—	W	14.98	17.13	W	W	12.61	15.57	W	14.79
February	—	W	15.79	17.43	W	16.84	13.02	16.41	15.96	15.14
March	—	W	15.74	17.19	W	W	14.23	16.62	W	15.47
April	W	W	17.16	18.96	W	W	15.97	17.51	17.33	17.20
May	W	W	17.20	18.66	W	18.42	15.76	17.96	16.69	16.98
June	—	17.71	16.07	17.66	W	W	13.80	16.63	W	15.48
July	—	W	14.77	15.97	W	W	13.33	15.56	W	14.45
August	W	W	14.54	16.48	W	16.23	13.73	15.68	15.13	14.89
September	W	W	15.24	16.91	W	16.47	13.30	16.06	14.97	14.79
October	—	W	15.02	16.54	W	16.41	12.40	15.14	W	14.26
November	—	W	15.32	17.28	W	W	13.38	15.63	W	15.05
December	—	W	16.41	18.37	W	W	14.70	16.36	W	15.74
1995	W	17.12	15.64	17.40	W	16.94	13.86	16.28	15.63	15.36

Dash (—) = No data reported.
W = Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.
^a Free on Board. See Glossary.
^b Includes Algeria, Libya, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Iraq, Kuwait, and Qatar.
^c Includes Algeria, Gabon, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and Venezuela. Prior to January 1, 1993, data included Ecuador, which was then a member of OPEC.
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.