

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

AUGUST 2006

TEXAS UTILITIES	RESIDENTIAL 500 kWh				RESIDENTIAL 1000 kWh				Last year's avg. kWh usage paired with current rates		
	AUGUST		%	Rank	AUGUST		%	Rank	AUGUST	Average Bill	Rank
	2006	2005			Change	Low=1					

INVESTOR OWNED	(\$)	(\$)			(\$)	(\$)			(\$)		
El Paso Electric	68.92	57.25	20.4%	4	133.32	109.97	21.2%	4	n/a	n/a	n/a
Entergy Gulf States	62.18	48.76	27.5%	3	120.27	93.43	28.7%	3	1,772	198.45	4
Southwestern Public Service	46.53	45.26	2.8%	2	88.40	85.86	3.0%	2	1,237	108.25	1
Southwestern Elec Power	44.51	40.72	9.3%	1	82.24	74.70	10.1%	1	1,737	137.87	2
Mutual Energy, SPP	69.58	67.52	3.1%	5	136.31	132.19	3.1%	5	1,080	147.26	3
Average	58.34	51.90	12.4%		112.11	99.23	13.0%		1,457	147.96	

COOPERATIVES	(\$)	(\$)			(\$)	(\$)			(\$)		
Magic Valley EC	54.24	55.74	-2.7%	3	93.47	96.47	-3.1%	3	1,521	134.36	3
South Plains EC	59.77	51.85	15.3%	4	110.54	94.70	16.7%	4	1,258	136.74	4
Upshur Rural EC	44.16	40.72	8.4%	1	80.82	73.93	9.3%	1	1,265	100.24	1
Victoria EC	53.75	54.15	-0.7%	2	92.50	93.31	-0.9%	2	1,492	130.62	2
Average	52.98	50.62	4.7%		94.33	89.60	5.3%		1,384	125.49	

TEXAS MUNICIPALITIES	(\$)	(\$)			(\$)	(\$)			(\$)		
Austin Energy (City of Austin)	41.92	37.73	11.1%	1	99.19	90.81	9.2%	3	1,324	136.30	2
CPS (San Antonio)	44.21	41.33	7.0%	2	90.15	84.39	6.8%	1	1,610	148.05	3
City of San Marcos	50.74	47.39	7.1%	3	92.98	88.28	5.3%	2	1,139	104.75	1
Average	45.62	42.15	8.2%		94.11	87.83	7.2%		1,358	129.70	
Texas Average (Surveyed)	53.38	49.04	8.9%		101.68	93.17	9.1%		1,403	134.81	

OTHER U.S. UTILITIES	500	1000
ENTERGY LOUISIANA	47.14	94.26
NSPC (Minneapolis)	54.27	103.61
OK G&E (Oklahoma City)	49.69	92.57
PSC (Denver)	50.78	88.99
Other U.S. Utilities Average	50.47	94.86

U.S. AVG. (November 1, 2005)	500	1000
	48.18	91.24

Please direct all questions relating to the distribution of this survey to The Office of Customer Protection (512) 936-7140 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 Data Source: Data and computations are provided by each utility listed.	Average Usage/Rates - Other U.S. Utilities			
		1,766	166.46	3
		1,026	106.22	1
		1,661	149.24	2
	n/a	n/a	n/a	
	1,484	140.64		

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.