# **Statistical release**

The latest provisional monthly energy production, trade, consumption and prices statistics produced by the Department for Energy Security and Net Zero were released on 30 July 2024.

Energy production, trade and consumption statistics are provided in total and by fuel and provide an analysis of the latest 3 months data compared to the same period a year earlier. Energy price statistics cover domestic price indices, prices of road fuels and petroleum products and comparisons of international road fuel prices.

Energy production, trade and consumption

Highlights for the 3-month period March 2024 to May 2024, compared to the same period a year earlier include:

• Primary energy consumption in the UK on a fuel input basis fell by 3.3%, on a temperature adjusted basis consumption fell by 0.6%. (table ET 1.2)

• Indigenous energy production fell by 3.9%, due to falls in all fuels except bioenergy & waste, nuclear, wind and hydro. (table ET 1.1)

• Electricity generation by Major Power Producers down 3.2% with gas down 35% to a record low level, but coal more than doubled although remaining de minimis, nuclear up 10% and renewables up 24%.\* (table ET 5.4)

• Renewables provided 50.1% of electricity generation by Major Power Producers, with gas at 29.0%, nuclear at 18.9% and coal at 1.2%.\* (<u>table ET 5.4</u>)

• Low carbon share of electricity generation by Major Power Producers up 13.2 percentage points to a record high share of 69.0%, whilst fossil fuel share down 13.3 percentage points to a record low share of 30.4%.\* (table ET 5.4)

\*Major Power Producers (MPPs) data published monthly, all generating companies data published quarterly.

### Energy prices

Highlights for July 2024 compared to June 2024:

• Petrol down 0.3 pence per litre whilst diesel broadly similar. (table QEP 4.1.1)

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### Data periods and coverage

Statistics on monthly production, trade and consumption of coal, electricity, gas, oil and total energy include data for the UK for the period up to the end of May 2024.

Statistics on average temperatures, heating degree days, wind speeds, sun hours and rainfall include data for the UK for the period up to the end of June 2024.

Statistics on energy prices include retail price data for the UK for June 2024, and petrol & diesel data for July 2024, with EU comparative data for June 2024.

#### Next release

The next release of provisional monthly energy statistics will take place on Thursday 29 August 2024.

#### Data tables

To access the data tables associated with this release please click on the relevant subject link(s) below. For further information please use the contact details provided.

Please note that the links below will always direct you to the latest published data tables. If you are interested in historical data tables, please contact DESNZ (<u>energy.stats@energysecurity.gov.uk</u>).

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Monthly and annual prices of road fuels and petroleum products	Contact: Energy prices statistics
QEP 4.1.1	Typical retail prices of petroleum products and a crude oil price index (monthly data)
International road fuel prices QEP 5.1.1 QEP 5.2.1	Contact: <u>Energy prices statistics</u> Premium unleaded petrol prices in the EU Diesel prices in the EU