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 19 December 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 August 2024 to October 2024, compared to the same period a year earlier include:

- Primary energy consumption in the UK on a fuel input basis rose by 0.6%, on a temperature adjusted basis consumption rose by 0.2%. (table ET 1.2)
- Indigenous energy production fell by 3.1% due to low oil and gas output. (table ET 1.1)
- Electricity generation by Major Power Producers down 5.6%, with gas down 23% and coal down 86%, but nuclear up 3.3% and renewables up 10%.* (table ET 5.4)
- Renewables provided 47.8% of electricity generation by Major Power Producers, with gas at 31.4%, nuclear at 19.7% and coal at 0.2%.* (table ET 5.4)
- Low carbon share of electricity generation by Major Power Producers up 8.3 percentage points to 67.4%, whilst fossil fuel share down 8.4 percentage points to 31.9%, with high levels of net imports of electricity a key factor.* (table ET 5.4)

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

Energy prices

Highlights for December 2024 compared to November 2024:

Petrol up 1.6 pence per litre and diesel up 2.2 pence per litre. (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 October 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 November 2024.

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

Next release

The next release of provisional monthly energy statistics will take place on Thursday 30 January 2025.

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 (energy.stats@energysecurity.gov.uk).

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Oil ET 3.10 ET 3.11 ET 3.12 ET 3.13 ET 3.14 ET 3.15	Contact: Oil statistics Indigenous production, refinery receipts, imports and exports Stocks of petroleum Refinery throughput and output of petroleum products Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption Imports of primary oil and petroleum products by country of origin Exports of primary oil and petroleum products by country of destination
Gas ET 4.2 ET 4.3 ET 4.4	Contact: Gas statistics Natural gas supply and demand Natural gas imports Natural gas exports
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Retail prices index: fuels components monthly figures

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Typical retail prices of petroleum products and a crude oil price

index (monthly data)

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Premium unleaded petrol prices in the EU

Diesel prices in the EU