



### About the Cost of Gas Adjustment

- **The Total Cost of Gas is the cost the company pays for the gas they provide to customers.**
- **Utility companies are allowed to pass on the cost of gas to customers and they do not make a profit on the gas itself.**
- **The Cost of Gas is charged on customers' bills for each dekatherm of gas consumed.**

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.**  
**Total Cost of Gas per Dekatherm**

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
January	\$10.859	\$11.956	\$11.633	\$16.649	\$11.376	\$12.067	\$13.049
February	\$9.981	\$13.054	\$10.864	\$18.295	\$13.571	\$15.909	\$15.245
March	\$9.432	\$11.956	\$11.413	\$17.746	\$13.571	\$15.909	\$15.245
April	\$8.884	\$10.858	\$11.413	\$17.746	\$9.181	\$15.909	\$15.245
May	\$9.211	\$10.315	\$10.610	\$16.864	\$7.350	\$12.526	\$15.324
June	\$9.211	\$10.864	\$10.610	\$17.414	\$7.350	\$12.526	\$15.324
July	\$9.211	\$10.864	\$10.610	\$18.512	\$7.350	\$11.428	
August	\$9.211	\$10.864	\$10.610	\$19.060	\$7.350	\$11.428	
September	\$9.211	\$11.962	\$11.159	\$19.060	\$7.350	\$11.428	
October	\$12.505	\$11.962	\$12.257	\$19.060	\$7.676	\$11.428	
November	\$13.603	\$10.864	\$12.805	\$16.317	\$8.773	\$13.626	
December	\$13.054	\$11.413	\$16.099	\$14.669	\$12.067	\$13.049	

*MDU Residential Bill Comparison*

*(Compares differences in bill amounts due to change in Cost of Gas Adjustments) (propane)*

Month	Usage	Difference from previous month	Difference from one year ago
June 2011	3dk	\$0.00	\$8.39
May 2011	5dk	\$0.40	\$13.99
April 2011	8dk	\$0.00	\$-5.31
March 2011	13dk	\$0.00	\$-8.63
February 2011	13dk	\$28.55	\$-8.63
January 2011	17dk	\$0.00	\$16.69
December 2010	15dk	\$-8.66	\$14.73
November 2010	11dk	\$24.18	\$53.38
October 2010	7dk	\$0.00	\$26.26
September 2010	4dk	\$0.00	\$16.31
August 2010	2 dk	\$0.00	\$8.16
July 2010	2 dk	\$-2.20	\$8.16
June 2010	3 dk	\$0.00	\$15.53
May 2010	5 dk	\$-16.92	\$25.88
April 2010	8 dk	\$0.00	\$53.82
March 2010	13 dk	\$0.00	\$30.39
February 2010	13 dk	\$49.95	\$30.39
January 2010	17 dk	\$0.00	\$11.75