

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
Gas Utility - North Dakota
Real-Time DDSM
Example: February 2004 Bill in Devils Lake, ND
Rate 60 - Residential Service

Assumptions:

Days in Billing period	1/21/04-2/19/04	29
Gas Usage (dk)		12.5
Normal Degree Days for Bill Cycle (NDD)		1,592
Actual Degree Days for Bill Cycle (ADD)	1/	1,950
Base Use (dk) per day		0.06106
Distribution Delivery Charge		\$0.641

DDSM Adjustment

Degree Day Factor (DDF)	$(NDD - ADD) / ADD$	(0.18359)
Base Use	Base Use * Days in Billing Period	1.8
Temperature Sensitive Use	2/ Actual Use - Base Use	10.7
Dk Adjustment	Temperature Sensitive Use * DDF	(2.0)
DDSM	Dk Adjustment * Distribution Delivery Charge	(\$1.28)

1/ Actual Degree Days reported by National Weather Service Stations for applicable service areas in North Dakota. Example reflects Devils Lake service area.

2/ If Base Use > or = Actual Use, DDSM = \$0.00.

NOTE:

* Applied on a bills rendered basis. Service periods billed November 1 - March 30 subject to DDSM.