

# Monthly Reference Price Calculations

## March 2000

### Natural Gas Reference Price: March 2000

The Natural Gas Reference Price for March 2000 is \$2.72 \$/GJ with a breakdown as follows:

Weighted Average Price of Alberta Gas:	3.073 \$/GJ
Deductions:	
Intra-Alberta Transportation:	0.301 \$/GJ
Marketing Allowance:	0.016 \$/GJ
Price before Pipeline Factor:	2.756 \$/GJ
Pipeline Fuel/Loss Factor:	.988
Price Before Special Adjustment:	2.723 \$/GJ
Special Adjustment:	0.000 \$/GJ
Calculated RP (Price before 2% amendment limitation or rounding):	2.723 \$/GJ
Amendments:	
Broughtforward (From Previous RP Month):	0.004 \$/GJ
Prior Period Amendment Adjustment (Current RP Month):	-0.006 \$/GJ
Calculated RP After Amendments:	2.721 \$/GJ
March 2000 Reference Price:	2.72 \$/GJ
Difference - Value is carried forward to next RP month.:	0.001 \$/GJ

### Natural Gas Liquids Reference Price: March 2000

The following are the Natural Gas Liquids Reference Prices and Transportation Allowances for March 2000 and are expressed in \$/m<sup>3</sup> except for Ethane which is expressed in \$/Gigajoule. Ethane Reference Price 2.72 Ethane Par Price 2.62

Pentanes Reference Price	282.23
Pentanes Par Price	270.02
Propane Reference Price	177.28
Propane Floor Price	129.49
Butane Reference Price	219.74
Butane Floor Price	150.63

### **Transportation Allowances: March 2000**

#### **Pentanes Plus (Spec Pentanes)**

Region 1	5.05
Region 2	10.94
Region 3	10.09
Region 4	12.06

#### **Propane & Butanes (Spec Product)**

Region 1	14.77
Region 2	11.81
Region 3	13.60
Region 4	12.45

#### **Pentanes Plus, Propane & Butanes (NGL Mix)**

Region 1	12.14
Region 2	16.85
Region 3	21.65
Region 4	12.40

### **Fractionation Allowance: March 2000**

Fractionation allowance \$7.00

### **Sulphur Reference Price: March 2000**

The sulphur reference price for March 2000 is 14.56 \$ / tonne

### **Natural Gas Royalty Rates: March 2000**

Royalty Rates and Sulphur Default Price for the month of March 2000 are:

Gas New	28.46374 %
Gas Old	35.00000 %
Ethane New	28.46374 %
Ethane Old	35.00000 %
Pentanes New	32.89464 %
Pentanes Old	45.46537 %

#### **Select Prices for 2000**

New Gas	1.209 \$/GJ
Old Gas	0.359 \$/GJ
New Ethane	1.209 \$/GJ
Old Ethane	0.359 \$/GJ
Pentanes	43.73 \$ per m3