

# MARKET DAILY

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Major Energy Futures				
	Settle	Change		
Brent	72	1.22		
Gas Oil	666.25	5.75		
Natural Gas	3.975	0.195		
RBOB	219.11	0.12		
ULSD	225.43	3.74		
WTI	68.07	1.38		

# Market Commentary

Oil prices rose on Thursday as new U.S. sanctions targeting Iran, including Chinese "teapot" refiners and vessels supplying Iranian crude, heightened geopolitical tensions. Brent crude settled up \$1.22 (1.72%) at \$72, while WTI's April contract expired at \$68.26, up \$1.10 (1.64%). The more actively traded May WTI contract rose \$1.16 (1.73%) to \$68.07.

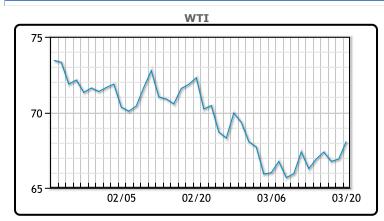
OPEC+ released a schedule for additional oil output cuts from seven member nations, including Russia, Kazakhstan, and Iraq, ranging from 189,000 to 435,000 barrels per day through June 2026. Meanwhile, U.S. crude inventories rose by 1.7 million barrels, surpassing expectations.

Despite these bullish factors, a strengthening U.S. dollar, up 0.5%, put pressure on oil prices by making crude more expensive for foreign buyers. The Federal Reserve held interest rates steady but maintained projections for two rate cuts this year, cling tariff-related economic uncertainties.

Geopolitical risks intensified as Israel launched new ground operations in Gaza, breaking a nearly two-month ceasefire, and the U.S. continued strikes on Houthi targets in Yemen. Trump reaffirmed plans to hold Iran accountable for future Houthi attacks while also maintaining a tough stance on Venezuela, Iran, and Russia.

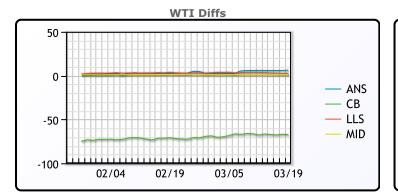
J.P. Morgan analysts expect Brent crude to recover into the mid-to-high \$70s in the coming months before falling below \$70 later in the year, averaging around \$73. Analysts predict a "choppy upward drift" in oil prices, influenced by China's stimulus measures and ongoing geopolitical tensions.

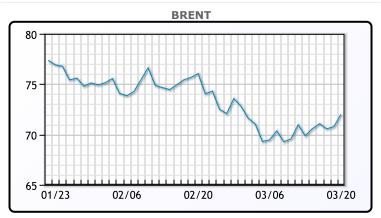
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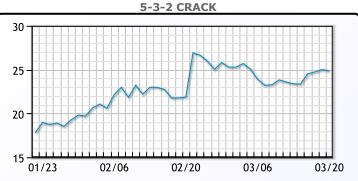
	Last	Week Ago	Month Ago
ANS	73.38	73.02	75.07
BLS	73.2	73.14	68.65
LLS	69.73	70.28	75.3
Mid	68.27	68.21	73.7
WTI	67.16	67.18	72.25



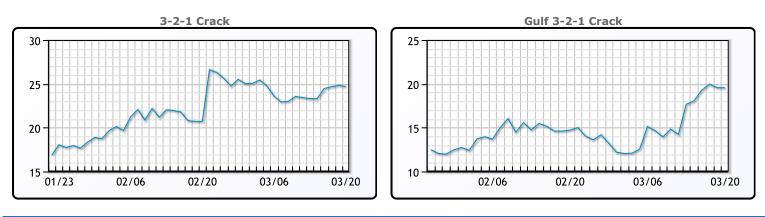


# PRODUCTS

	Last	Week Ago	Month Ago
Gulf RBOB	2.1146	2.1062	2.0315
Gulf ULSD	2.1484	2.0971	2.367
NYH RBOB	1.9696	1.9222	2.2042
NYH ULSD	2.2369	2.1716	2.4665
USGC 3%	62.2	63.38	70.23



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#### MB Last Week Ago **Month Ago** 103.625 Butane 91.75 91.25 94.25 93 108.375 IsoButane Natural Gasoline 147.3 145.3 155.3 Propane 87.875 84.875 90.75

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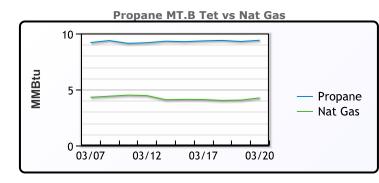
	Last	Week Ago	Month Ago
Butane	93.75	93.25	105.625
IsoButane	94.25	93	108.375
Natural Gasoline	149.75	144.25	156.25
Propane	86.4	85	90.1



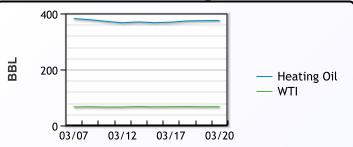
# **EDMONTON**

	Last	Week Ago	Month Ago		
Propane	63.4	57.8	69.9		
SADNIA					

SANTA				
	Last	Week Ago	Month Ago	
Propane	112	113	126	







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# RATES

#### **EQUITIES** Last Change Last Change Last Change CAD 1.4318 -0.0008 US 2yr 3.9615 -0.0108 Nasdaq 17691.63 -59.16 DXY 103.803 0.375 US 10yr 4.2369 -0.0059 TSX 1503.69 -1.711S&P 500 Gold 3045.15 -2.64 CAN 10yr 3.005 0.003 5662.89 -12.4

# Weather Data

Temperature Map	City	HIGH °F	LOW °F	Precipitation Map
0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100	Calgary	45	31	Blowing Fog Ice Mix Other Ra <mark>in</mark> Smoke Snow
	Conway	46	21	The the the
	Cushing	57	34	
	Denver	54	27	
	Houston	69	46	
	Mont Belvieu	69	47	
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