

GASOLINE TAXES

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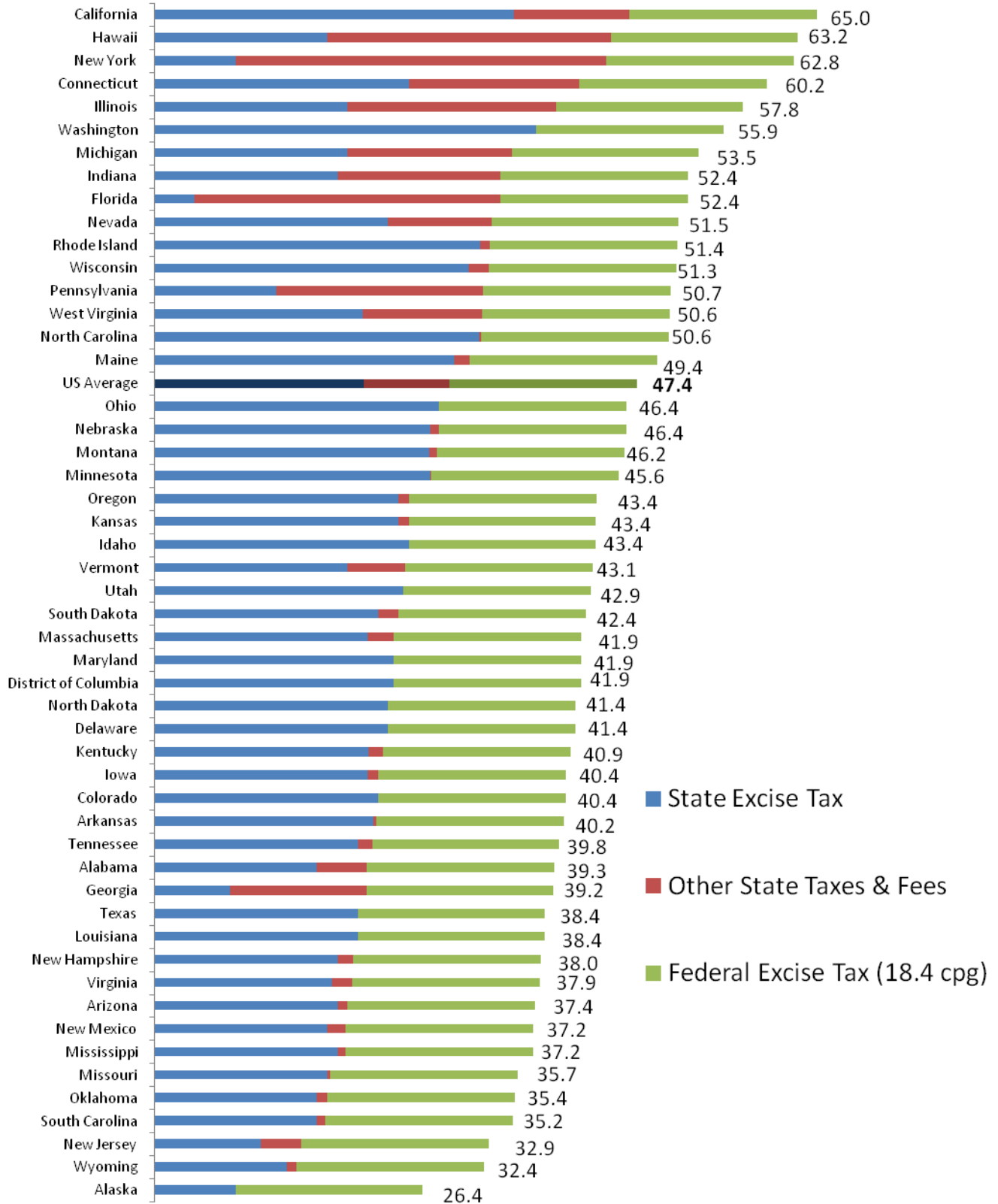
Nationwide

The nationwide average tax on gasoline of 47.4 remained relatively unchanged since January 2010. A summary of federal and state excise taxes and other taxes collected on gasoline is shown below. The federal tax on gasoline is 18.6 cents per gallon. The average state gasoline excise tax is 20.5, up from 18.6 cents the previous quarter. Other taxes (such as applicable sales taxes, gross receipts taxes, oil inspection fees, county and local taxes, underground storage tank fees and other miscellaneous environmental fees) are down to 8.5 cents per gallon from 10.7 cents per gallon from July. Adding these taxes and fees to the state excise taxes results in a volume-weighted average state and local tax of 29.0 cents per gallon.

Regional Chart

Gasoline Motor Fuel Taxes (cents per gallon)				
Region	State Excise	Other State	Total State	Total State and Federal
Northeast	23.1	5.7	28.8	47.2
Mid Atlantic	12.4	17.8	30.3	48.7
South Atlantic	13.8	13.3	27.0	45.4
Midwest	21.9	6.5	28.4	46.8
South	19.3	0.8	20.1	38.5
Mountain	22.8	0.2	23.0	41.4
West	31.6	8.4	39.9	58.3
US	20.5	8.5	29.0	47.4

Gasoline Taxes as of October 2010



DIESEL TAXES

October 2010

Nationwide

The nationwide average tax on motor diesel fuel of 52.5 cents per gallon remains relatively unchanged since the January 2010 study. A summary of federal and state excise taxes and other taxes collected on diesel is shown below. The federal tax on diesel is 24.4 cents per gallon. The average state diesel fuel excise tax was 19.1 cents per gallon. Other state and local taxes average around 9.0 cents per gallon. These other taxes include applicable sales taxes, gross receipts taxes, oil inspection fees, county and local taxes, underground storage tank fees and other miscellaneous environmental fees. Adding these taxes and fees to the state excise taxes results in an average state and local tax of 28.1 cents per gallon.

Regionally

Diesel Motor Fuel Taxes (cents per gallon)

Region	State Excise	Other State	Total State	Total State and Federal
Northeast	28.3	1.6	29.9	54.1
Mid Atlantic	12.7	21.3	34.1	58.3
South Atlantic	14.3	10.6	24.9	49.1
Midwest	21.1	7.3	28.4	52.6
South	20.0	0.5	20.5	44.7
Mountain	21.5	0.3	21.8	46.0
West	21.0	16.7	37.7	61.9
US	19.1	8.9	28.1	52.5

Diesel Taxes as of October 2010

