

Fuel Tax Monthly Report for June 2013

The Iowa Fuel Tax Monthly Report presents the gross gallons of fuel delivered by Iowa licensed Suppliers, Blenders, Importers, Restrictive Suppliers, and Liquefied Petroleum Gas/Compressed Natural Gas Dealers and Users. The report captures information on a monthly basis and is made available on the Motor Fuel page of the Iowa Department of Revenue website at http://www.iowa.gov/tax/forms/motor.html#Monthly. The report is available no later than the last working day of the month following the tax period covered by the report. For example, the report containing information for the July 1 to July 31 tax period will be available by August 31.

The first page of the report shows monthly collections for eight fuel types as well as collections from prior tax periods reported as accounts receivable. Fiscal Year-To-Date and Prior Fiscal Year-To-Date collections, refunds and credits, and collections less refunds and credits are also provided, along with the percent change between the two years. Refund claims can be filed throughout the year, while credits are claimed only once a year on annual income tax returns.

Comparing monthly numbers across the last 24 months, Figure 1 shows that net collections in June 2013 were lower than the June 2012 amount, reflecting decreases in all categories, including gasoline, gasohol, and diesel. Monthly collections were above prior year numbers in six of the last twelve months, but in only two of the last six months.

\$45 \$45 --- Prior 12 months Most Recent 12 months \$40 \$40 \$35 \$35 \$30 \$30 \$25 \$25 \$20 \$20 Jul Oct Dec Feb Jun Aug Sep Nov Jan Mar Apr May

Figure 1. Iowa Monthly Fuel Tax Collections Less Refunds and Credits: Most Recent 12 Months Compared to Prior 12 Months for June 2013

Source: lowa Department of Revenue

The second page of the report displays gross gallons and taxable gallons by fuel type for Motor Fuel, Special Fuel, and Liquefied Petroleum Gas & Compressed Natural Gas. The main factor in the difference between gross and taxable amounts is exported gallons - where lowa exports well over half of the gasohol (ethanol-blended fuel) produced in the state.

The gallon amounts contained in this report are from the Supplier/Terminal or "Rack" level. Further blending of the products may occur throughout the different levels of the fuel distribution chain. This is the case for most E85 gallons, which is why the gallons reported do not reflect actual retail gallons sold in Iowa. Please see the quarterly E85 retail report for those amounts, located on the website previously referenced.

In 2000, taxable sales of gasohol and gasoline were roughly equal. Figure 2 shows that over the next six years, demand shifted toward gasohol sales which rose to over two-thirds of gallons sold, except for August 2006 when a temporary price shift drove a brief change in demand. Since 2007, gasohol has accounted for a monthly average of 73 percent of taxable gallons of motor fuel. In June 2013, gasohol comprised 70 percent of taxable gallons of motor fuel sold by the suppliers. Annual total taxable motor fuel gallons increased 3 percent in the decade between 2002 and 2012 while annual total taxable diesel gallons increased 17 percent. During the same decade, total taxable gasohol gallons increased 31 percent.

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Figure 2. Iowa Monthly Taxable Gasohol, Gasoline, and Diesel Gallons: January 2000 - June 2013

Source: lowa Department of Revenue

The report also shows a breakdown of the refund dollar amounts by claim type for the month. Refunds are claimed against taxes paid on fuel that is used for non-taxable purposes, such as agricultural or commercial non-highway uses. Refunds are also claimed for Excess Tax on Gasohol and Denaturing Alcohol. The excess tax on gasohol refund results when the blender purchases gasoline taxed at 21 cents per gallon and collects tax on the resulting gasohol at 19 cents per gallon; therefore, the additional 2 cents paid on the gasoline is eligible for refund. The denaturing alcohol refund applies when the denaturant (gasoline) taxed at 21 cents per gallon is blended with food grade alcohol to produce ethanol. A full refund of the denaturant is eligible for a refund. When a refund of lowa fuel tax is granted, those gallons become subject to lowa sales tax, unless a sales tax exemption applies. Sales tax collected on those gallons is included at the bottom of the second page.

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MOTOR FUEL	Casalina	Casabal	EOF	Addition Openius	
Detailed Collections	Gasoline \$8,804,516	Gasohol \$18,786,897	E85 \$50,927	Aviation Gasoline \$18,085	
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Collections	Total Remitted	\$27,660,425			
Permit Refunds	Total Refunded	\$1,963,455			
Collections Less Permit Refun	ds	Current Month \$25,696,970	Fiscal YTD \$291,694,615	Prior FYTD \$293,554,898	Change -0.63%
SPECIAL FUEL					
Detailed Collections		Aviation Jet \$117,433	Diesel \$13,325,749	_	
Collections	Total Remitted	\$13,443,182			
Permit Refunds	Total Refunded	\$176,183			
Collections Less Permit Refun	ds	Current Month \$13,266,999	Fiscal YTD \$149,757,184	Prior FYTD \$147,004,860	Change 1.87%
LPG and CNG Detailed Collections		Liquid Petroleum Gas	Compressed Natural Gas		
		\$15,580	\$4,263		
Collections	Total Remitted	\$19,843		-	
Permit Refunds	Total Refunded	\$0			
Collections Less Permit Refun	ds	Current Month \$19,843	Fiscal YTD \$210,653	Prior FYTD \$196,592	Change 7.15%
MISC. & ACCOUNTS RECE	IVABLE				
Detailed Collections		Miscellaneous	Accounts Recei	vable	
		\$0	\$150	_	
Collections	Total Remitted	\$150			
		Current Month	Fiscal YTD	Prior FYTD	Change
Misc. & Account Receivable		\$150	\$50,639	\$71,109	-28.79%
TOTAL					
Collections		Current Month \$41,123,600	Fiscal YTD \$468,499,655	Prior FYTD \$478,567,943	Change -2.10%
Refunds Permit Refunds Including Inter Motor Fuel Individual/Corporat Total Refunds and Credits		\$2,139,638 \$373,883 \$2,513,521	\$30,229,130	\$41,057,207	-26.37%
Collections Less Permit Refun	ds and Credits	\$38,610,079	\$438,270,525	\$437,510,736	0.17%

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MOTOR FUEL GALLONS SUMMARY

	Gasoline	Gasohol	E85*	Aviation Gas	Motor Fuel Total
Gross Gallons Received	50,624,238	226,290,263	283,269	225,040	277,422,810
Exported Gallons	8,790,119	130,284,966	18,198	0	139,093,283
Distribution Allowance	664,473	1,518,503	3,068	3,092	2,189,136
Total Taxable Gallons	41,169,646	94,486,794	262,003	221,948	136,140,391
Remitted	\$8,804,516	\$18,786,897	\$50,927	\$18,085	\$27,660,425
*E85 gallons are not actual retail gallons. See guarterly E85 retail report for actual gallons					

SPECIAL FUEL GALLONS SUMMARY

	Aviation Jet	Diesel	Special Fuel Total
Gross Gallons Received	4,284,895	81,756,673	86,041,568
Exported Gallons	415,420	23,196,531	23,611,951
Distribution Allowance	23,730	385,365	409,095
Total Taxable Gallons	3,845,745	58,174,777	62,020,522
Remitted	\$117,433	\$13,325,749	\$13,443,182

LPG & CNG GALLONS SUMMARY

	Liquid Petroleum Gas	Compressed Natural Gas	LPG & CNG Total	
Total Taxable Gallons	80,570	26,648	107,218	
Remitted	\$15,580	\$4,263	\$19,843	

REFUND SUMMARY			DOLL	_ARS		
Number of Claims	Permit Type	Motor Fuel	Special Fuel	LPG & CNG	Interest Paid	Total
16	Agricultural	1,242	1,332	0	0	2,574
5	Federal Government	60,084	8,508	0	0	68,592
8	State Government	13,286	83	0	0	13,369
126	Other Political	127,865	48,734	0	0	176,598
1	Native American	2,873	140	0	0	3,013
0	Contract Carrier	0	0	0	0	0
0	Commercial Fisherman	0	0	0	0	0
0	Home Heating	0	0	0	0	0
0	Extract of Nat'l Deposits	0	0	0	0	0
37	Denaturing Alcohol	1,369,140	0	0	0	1,369,140
46	Commercial	241,500	99,976	0	0	341,476
0	Refund Agent	0	0	0	0	0
4	Transport Diversions	15,624	13,481	0	0	29,105
1	Casualty Losses	0	65	0	0	65
3	Special Fuel Blending	0	3,865	0	0	3,865
21	Excess Tax on Gasohol	130,693	0	0	0	130,693
2	Excess Tax on E85	1,147	0	0	0	1,147
270	TOTALS	\$1,963,455	\$176,183	\$0	\$0	\$2,139,638