Propane and fuel oil price comparison in Vermont

Propane contains

only **66%**

as much energy per gallon as fuel oil.

Price per gallon of fuel

\$4 \$3.99 \$3 \$2.92 \$1 \$0 Propane Fuel oil

Price per unit of heat

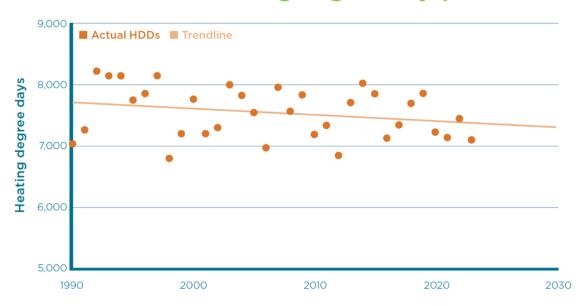


Sources: Vermont Department of Public Service, Retail Prices of Heating Fuels, Dec 2023; EIA, 2024. Efficiency Vermont Technical Reference Manual, 2023. **Notes:** This comparison

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uses average prices from December 2023 for illustration. Price per MMBtu assumes average equipment efficiencies of 81% for fuel oil and 87% for propane.

Vermont annual heating degree days, 1990-2023



 $\textbf{Source:} \ \mathsf{NOAAClimatePredictionCenter,Vermontpopulation-weightedheatingdegreed day data, 1990-2023.}$

