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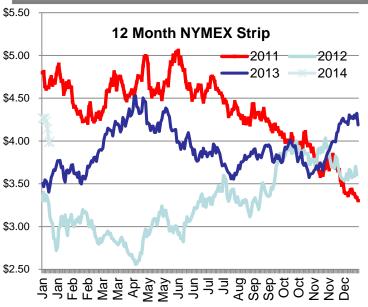
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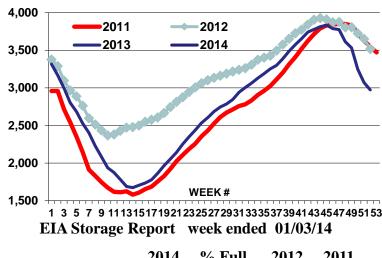


The February 2014 futures closed the week 25 cents or 6 percent lower. The past two weeks have been hard on those poor NatGas well owners. Cold forecasts are gone for the month of January. Don't expect to see NatGas to continue to drop to \$3.50 any time soon. There are two issues that will support NatGas prices. The first is that storage levels are 10 percent below the 5 year average and the market expects next week's storage report could set a record. As storage declines, NatGas utilities will reduce draws from storage to preserve the levels as a safety net and purchase more NatGas in the market. This will create additional demand. The second issue is the weather forecast for February. It appears that the eastern two-third on the country will be up to 8 degrees colder than normal. The combination of low storage levels and colder than normal weather could send NatGas prices back up the \$4.50 or perhaps higher. It will also support summer prices, refilling the low storage levels will increase demand.

# **NYMEX NatGas Strip**



# **Gas Storage History**



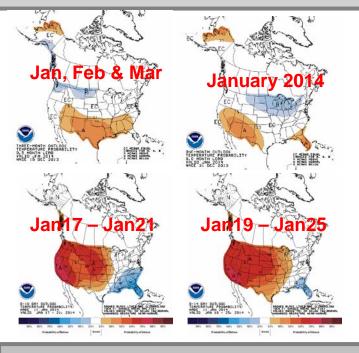
 2014
 % Full
 2012
 2011

 Working Gas
 5
 69%
 3,345
 3,377

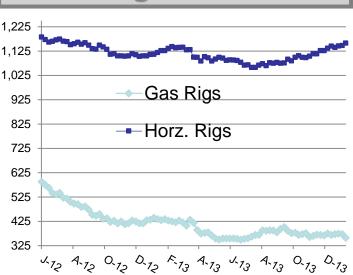
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## **Weather Forecast**

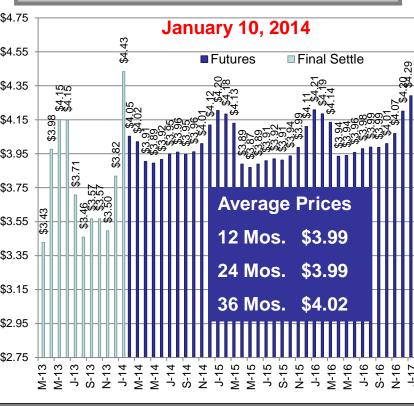


## **Rig Count**



As of 01/10/14, NatGas rigs decreased 15 rigs. and Horizontal rigs increased 10 rigs. Horizontal rigs include oil and NatGas rigs.

### NYMEX FUTURES



#### **ENERGY FACTS**

Figure 76. Electricity generation by fuel, 2011, 2025, and 2040 (billion kilowatthours)

