

CUMULATIVE COPAS ESCALATION PERCENTAGES AS OF APRIL 1, 2008

COPAS
Energy from Syngas

Note - The Crude Petroleum and Gas Production Workers Index is no longer available for use in the annual calculation of overhead adjustment called for in the various COPAS model forms after March 2003, which impacts the adjustment scheduled to occur in April 2004. Research over the past ten years shows that by blinding the Oil and Gas Extraction Index with the Professional and Technical Services Index, the results approximate the data from the old Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas Workers Index. Accordingly, COPAS has calculated the percentage change in the simple average of the Oil and Gas Extraction Index and the Professional and Technical Services Index, commencing in April 2004. In February 2004, the Joint Interest, Audit Committee approved Model Form Interpretation 50 - Overhead Adjustment to provide guidance to the industry as to a replacement index for use in calculating the overhead adjustment as well as other economic factors, such as the loading and unloading rates. The change was approve by COPAS at its April 23, 2004 Council Meeting. COPAS publishing this rule has been, and continues to be provided as a convenience to the industry. Model Form Interpretation 50 suggests that each company make its own determination as to whether or not to adopt the new overhead adjustment.

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COPAS
Cumulative Escalation Percentages

YEAR	BASE ESCAL. %	BASEESCAL.																			
		1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1983	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
1984	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
1985	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
1986	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
1987	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
1988	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4
1989	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
1990	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
1991	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9
1992	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9
1993	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
1994	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
1995	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2
1996	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7
1997	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3
1998	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5
1999	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.3
2000	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
2001	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
2002	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
2003	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
2004	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
2005	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
2006	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1
2007	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4
2008	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1
2009	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999

Accounting Procedure Wage Index Adjustment

		JOA Date After 4/1 of the Year																										
Base Year Escalation		1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
1.6	101.60	103.56	105.00	106.41	107.73	108.80	109.87	110.93	111.97	112.99	113.99	114.97	115.95	116.93	117.90	118.87	119.84	120.81	121.78	122.75	123.72	124.69	125.66	126.63	127.60	128.57	129.54	
1963	101.60	103.56	105.00	106.41	107.73	108.80	109.87	110.93	111.97	112.99	113.99	114.97	115.95	116.93	117.90	118.87	119.84	120.81	121.78	122.75	123.72	124.69	125.66	126.63	127.60	128.57	129.54	
1964	103.56	105.00	106.41	107.73	108.80	109.87	110.93	111.97	112.99	113.99	114.97	115.95	116.93	117.90	118.87	119.84	120.81	121.78	122.75	123.72	124.69	125.66	126.63	127.60	128.57	129.54		
1965	105.00	106.41	107.73	108.80	109.87	110.93	111.97	112.99	113.99	114.97	115.95	116.93	117.90	118.87	119.84	120.81	121.78	122.75	123.72	124.69	125.66	126.63	127.60	128.57	129.54			
1966	106.41	107.04	107.73	108.02	108.72	109.32	109.80	110.32	110.93	111.53	112.49	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08
1967	107.04	107.73	108.02	108.72	109.32	109.80	110.32	110.93	111.53	112.49	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08	
1968	108.02	108.72	109.32	109.80	110.32	110.93	111.53	112.49	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08			
1969	109.32	110.32	110.93	111.53	112.49	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08						
1970	110.32	111.53	112.49	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08								
1971	112.49	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08										
1972	113.40	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08											
1973	114.33	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08												
1974	115.30	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08													
1975	116.27	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08														
1976	117.24	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08															
1977	118.21	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																
1978	119.18	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																	
1979	120.15	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																		
1980	121.12	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																			
1981	122.09	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																				
1982	123.06	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																					
1983	124.03	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																						
1984	125.00	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																							
1985	126.07	127.04	128.01	129.08																								
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Accounting Procedure

Base Year	Escalation	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
1963	1.6																		
1964	2.9																		
1965	0.8																		
1966	2.2																		
1967	3.6																		
1968	5.4																		
1969	1.9																		
1970	7																		
1971	5.9																		
1972	8.9																		
1973	7.5																		
1974	5.2																		
1975	16.7																		
1976	10.3																		
1977	10.5																		
1978	10.3																		
1979	11																		
1980	9.3																		
1981	9.3																		
1982	13																		
1983	9.3																		
1984	5.9																		
1985	2.7																		
1986	4.4																		
1987	4.5																		
1988	.3.4																		
1989	3.3																		
1990	8.1	108.10																	
1991	7.2	-15.88	107.20																
1992	1.5	117.62	168.81	101.50															
1993	1.1	116.33	107.61	100.38	98.90														
1994	4.6	121.91	112.78	105.20	103.65	104.80													
1995	4.4	127.28	117.74	109.63	108.21	108.41	104.40												
1996	4.1	132.49	122.57	114.33	112.64	113.90	108.68	104.10											
1997	2	135.14	125.02	116.62	114.90	116.18	110.05	106.16	102.20										
1998	10.3	146.06	137.89	125.63	126.73	128.14	122.27	117.12	112.51	110.30									
1999	5.8	157.71	145.89	136.09	134.08	135.57	128.36	123.91	119.03	116.70	105.80								
2000	4.0	156.92	145.16	135.41	133.41	134.90	128.72	123.29	118.44	116.11	105.27	98.50							
2001	6	166.34	153.87	143.54	141.42	142.99	136.54	130.99	125.54	123.08	111.69	105.47	101.00						
2002	1.9	163.16	150.95	140.61	139.73	140.27	133.15	126.21	123.16	120.74	119.47	113.47	109.39	96.10					
2003	-3.1	158.12	146.27	135.45	134.43	135.92	128.70	124.23	119.34	117.00	106.07	100.26	98.06	96.90					
2004	2.3	161.75	149.63	139.68	137.52	138.05	132.68	127.08	122.08	119.68	108.51	102.55	103.08	97.25	99.13	102.30			
2005	3.5	167.42	154.87	144.47	142.33	143.92	137.33	131.64	126.36	123.98	112.31	106.15	106.69	100.65	102.60	103.50	105.88		
2006	5.1	175.95	162.77	151.64	149.59	151.26	144.33	138.25	132.80	130.20	118.04	111.57	112.13	107.74	101.83	111.28	108.78	115.10	
2007	6.4	187.21	173.19	161.55	159.17	160.94	153.57	147.09	141.30	138.53	125.59	118.71	118.31	112.55	114.73	118.40	115.74	111.83	