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Natural Gas

Injection Greater than Expectations

The EIA reported a 112 Bcf storage injection for the week ending September 27, 2019. The injection was at record levels, much above average, 90 Bcf, for this week of the year and greater than the average of expectations, 110 Bcf.

Storage at 3,317 Bcf is 451 Bcf above inventories for this time last year and 18 Bcf below the five-year average.

The injection was bearish to prices but prices actually rallied with the release of the report and traded up for the remainder of the trading day (maybe traders were expecting an even greater injection or short covering), ending up over 8 cents.

Temperatures are forecasted to be warmer than normal throughout October, causing less heating demand. With production at a record high coupled with the lack of demand, we expect continued above average injections. In this injection season there have been nine injections greater than 100 Bcf, and if there are two more, the 2019 injection season would break the previous record of 100+ Bcf injections set in 2014. Storage inventories now sit just below the five-year average and will likely exceed that level in the coming weeks. To see what the FA platform can do for you <u>sign up</u> for a webinar and free trial on our website or contact one of our team members.

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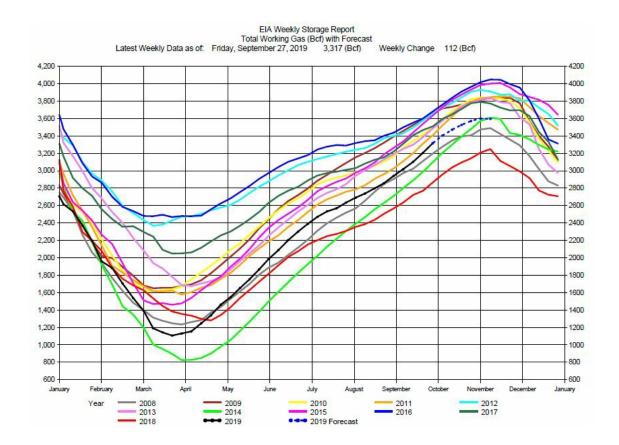
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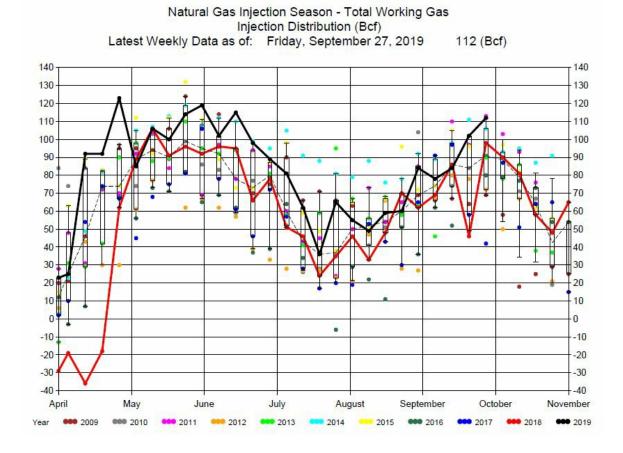
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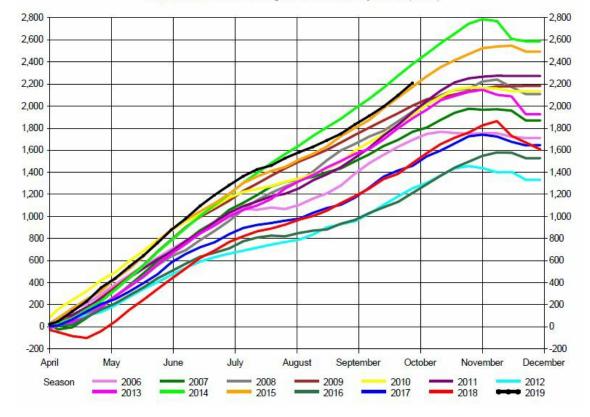
As of Friday, September 27, 2019

	Bcf in Storage	Week Change	Last Week Storage	and the second	Last Year Storage
East Region	826	32	794	31	763
Midwest Region	973	39	934	36	836
Mountain Region	199	5	194	6	177
Pacific Region	291	5	286	7	262
South Region	1,029	31	998	24	829
U.S. Total Storage	3,317	112	3,205	102	2,866





Summer Season Storage Cumulative Injection (BCF)



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