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**DOE INSIGHTS November 1, 2019** 

#### **Crude Oil**

# Crude Oil Stocks Build, Much Greater than Expectations

The DOE reported Total Crude Oil Inventories increased by 7.9 million barrels to 446.8 million barrels for the week ending November 1, 2019, while the expectations average was for a 1.5 million barrel build.

Total hydrocarbon supplies increased by 3.9 million barrels to 1,279 million barrels.

Crude Oil Production was unchanged at 12.6 million barrels per day.

Total Crude Imports decreased by 600,000 barrels per day to 6.1 million barrels per day.

Total Crude Exports decreased by a significant 956,000 barrels per day to 2.4 million barrels per day.

Total Refinery Crude Runs were down 200,000 barrels per day at 15.8 million barrels per day.

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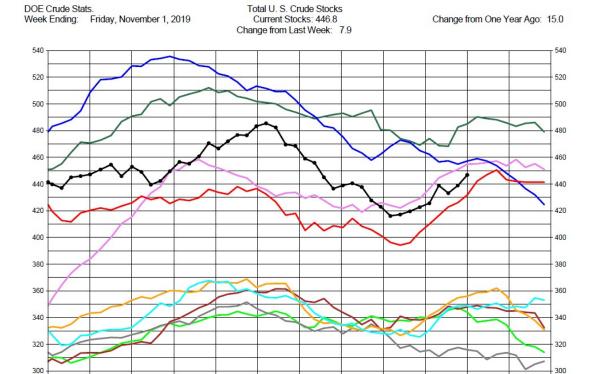
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The DOE report was bearish for crude oil prices and prices fell throughout the trading day after the report was released. The large drop in crude exports was a major factor in the crude stocks increase. Prices may supported by reports that US and China may be close to reaching an agreement to partially roll back some tariffs as part of the Phase One trade deal currently under negotiation. However global oversupply concerns are still weighing on the market.



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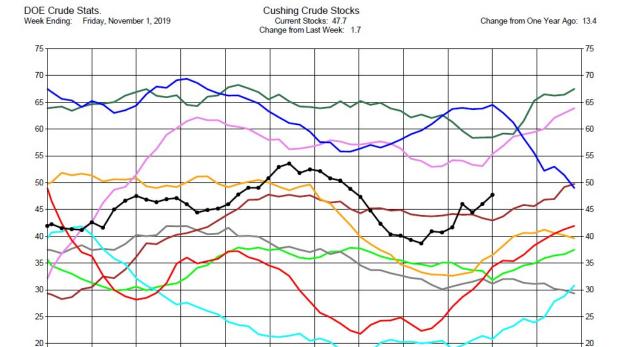
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Total U. S. Hydrocarbon Stocks excluding the SPR 19 Current Stocks: 1,279 Change from Last Week: 3.9 DOE Stats. Week Ending: Friday, November 1, 2019 Change from One Year Ago: 26.0 1450 1400 1400 1350 1350 1300 1300 1250 1250 1200 1200 1150 1150 1100 -1100 1050 1050 1000 -1000 November December February January July August October 2010 - 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 --- 2019



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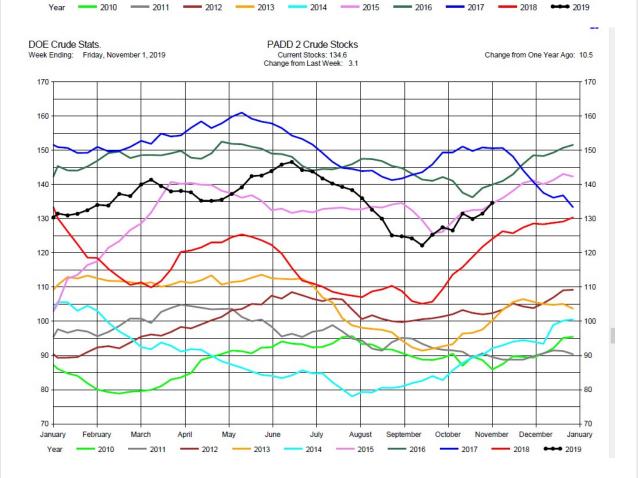
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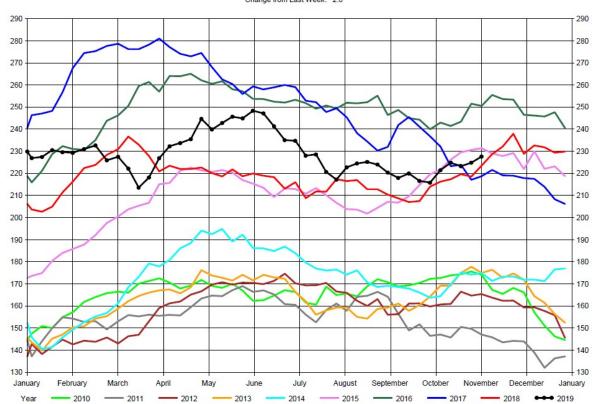
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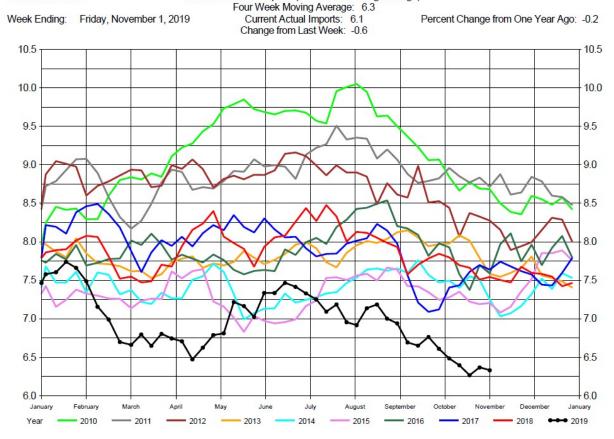
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DOE Crude Stats.

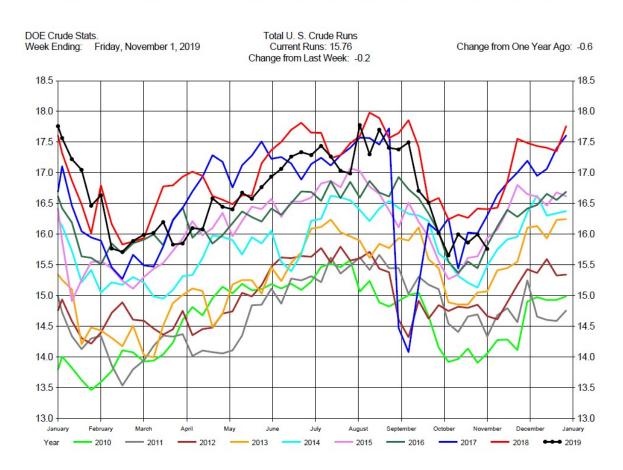
Total U. S. Crude Imports (Four Week Moving Average)

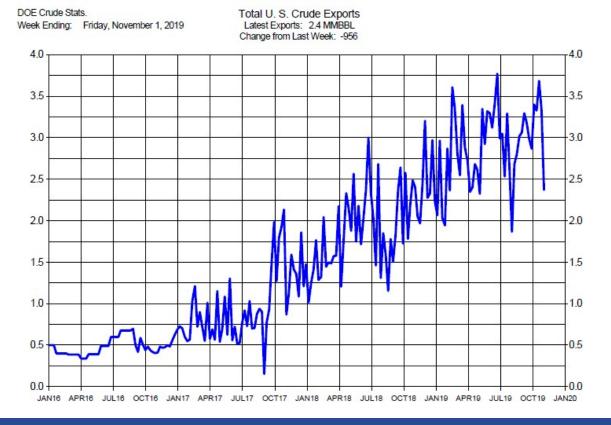




Total U. S. Crude Production Latest Production: 12.6 MMBBL Change from Last Week: 0.0







#### Gasoline

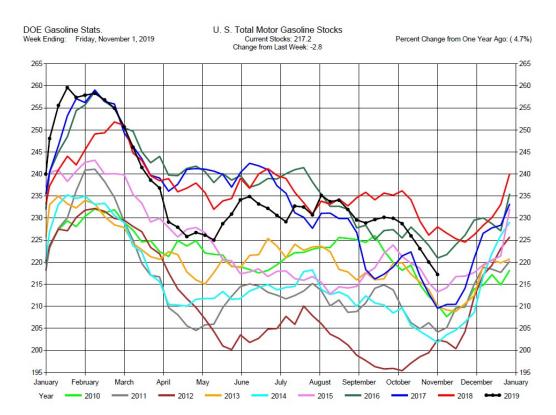
#### **Gasoline Stocks Draw, Greater than Expectations**

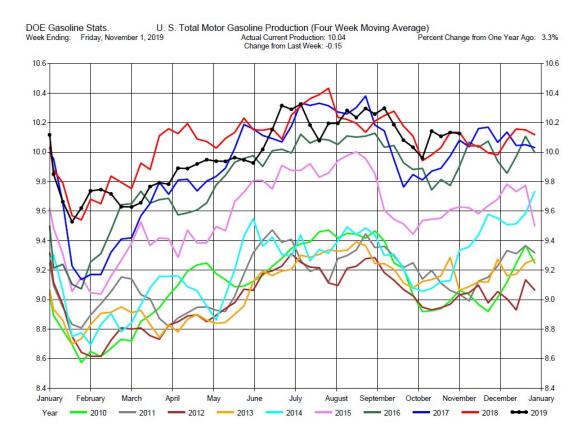
Total MotorGasoline Inventories decreased by 2.8 million barrels to 217.2 million barrels for the week ending October 25, 2019. The expectations average was for a 1.8 million barrel decrease.

Implied Demand was down 360,000 barrels per day to 10.9 million barrels per day.

Gasoline Production was down 150,000 barrels per day to 10.04 million barrels per day.

While the DOE report was bullish for RBOB prices with the stocks and demand, prices traded in tandem with crude oil. Front month price was down about \$1.90 a barrel so cracks were hit.





DOE Gasoline Stats. U. S. Total Motor Gasoline and Blendstock Imports (Four Week Moving Average) Week Ending: Friday, November 1, 2019 Current Actual Imports: 493 Change from Last Week: -180 Percent Change from One Year Ago: (16.6%) 

### **Distillates**

#### **Distillates Stocks Draw, Close to Expectations**

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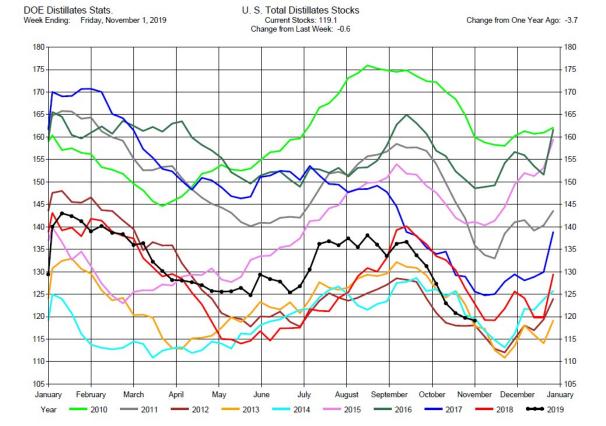
Total Distillates Stocks decreased by 600,000 barrels to 119.1 million barrels for the week ending November 1, 2019, while the expectations average was for a 900,000 barrel draw.

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Total Distillates Production was down 80,000 barrels per day at 4.88 million barrels per day.

Total Distillates Implied Demand decreased by 10,000 barrels per day to 5.27 million barrels per day.

The DOE report was mildly bullish to distillates prices but prices tracked crude prices. Front month heating oil was down about \$1.17 per barrel so cracks decreased.



U. S. Total Distillates Production - (Four Week Moving Average) DOE Distillates Stats. Four Week Moving Average: 4.90 Current Actual Production: 4.88 Change from Last Week: -0.09 Week Ending: Friday, November 1, 2019 Percent Change from One Year Ago: (1.8%) 5.6 5.6 5.4 5.4 5.2-5.2 5.0 5.0 4.8 4.8 4.6 4.6 44 44 4.2 4.2 4.0 4.0 3.8 3.8 3.6 3.6

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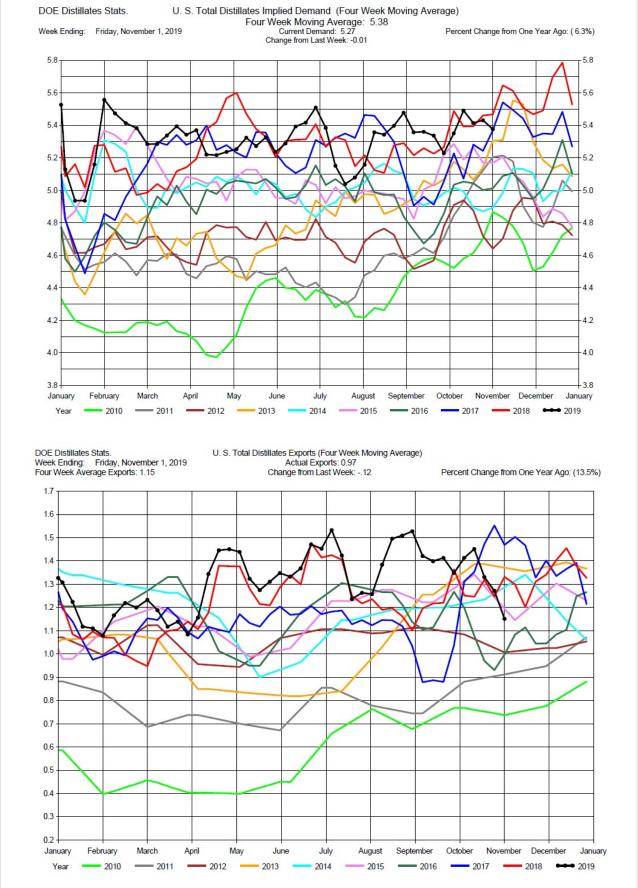
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