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The PUCO produces the Apples to Apples charts to provide consumers with a snapshot comparison of current natural gas supplier price options and contract terms for individual customers. You may also want to check with your local government to see if your community has grouped together citizens into a buying pool to purchase gas. The PUCO updates the charts on a weekly basis and verifies each supplier offer to ensure accuracy. As with all contracts, consumers should carefully read and understand all terms and conditions before signing any forms or agreeing to enroll with a supplier for natural gas service. For a description of Apples to Apples chart-related terms, please refer to **Chart Definitions**.

The PUCO provides the tools you need to calculate your estimated cost. The **Self-Calculation Worksheet** that is available on the PDF version of the Apples to Apples Charts, walks you through the steps needed to manually calculate your own estimated cost. Or, you can access the **Apples to Apples Interactive Calculator** to automatically calculate your estimated costs.

Dominion East Ohio's Rate

The Standard Choice Offer (SCO) Rate is based on the New York Mercantile Exchange month-end settlement price, plus a Retail Price Adjustment of \$0.60. The SCO is a monthly variable rate and represents costs associated with securing natural gas for DEO customers.

DEO's current Total SCO rate is **\$4.0300** per mcf.
Effective **05/11/2012** through **06/11/2012**

This total SCO rate includes

The SCO Gas Rate of	\$2.6360 per mcf, which does not include applicable sales tax
Total Usage Based Charge of	\$1.3940 per mcf

For more information about Dominion’s Energy Choice program, and the SCO Rate, go to: www.dominiongaschoice.com.

Dominion East Ohio contact information: 1201 East 55th St., Cleveland, OH 44103-1028, (800) 362-7557, www.dom.com.

PUCO-Certified Retail Natural Gas Suppliers Actively Soliciting New Customers

<i>Supplier Name</i>	<i>Web Page Address</i>	<i>Telephone</i>
Constellation NewEnergy – Gas Division, LLC	http://signup.constellation.com/ohiochoice	(866) 622-6569
Delta Energy, LLC	http://www.deltaenergyllc.com	(866) 973-3582
Direct Energy Services, LLC	http://www.directenergy.com	(888) 566-9988
Dominion Energy Solutions	http://www.dom.com/about/companies/retail/choice_eoe.jsp	(800) 990-4090
Energy Cooperative of Ohio	http://www.ohioenergycoop.org	(877) 439-3706
Energy Plus Natural Gas LP	http://www.energypluscompany.com/	(855) 405-3098
Integrus Energy Services, Inc.	http://www.integrusenergy.com	(866) 336-5547
Just Energy	http://www.justenergy.com/	(877) 226-5371
Kratos Gas & Power	http://www.kratosgpc.com	(800) 296-2203
MxEnergy, Inc.	http://www.mxenergy.com	(888) 898-4323
Ohio Natural Gas	http://www.onlyong.com	(888) 466-4427
Quake Energy	http://www.quakeenergy.com	(800) 279-9023
Spark Energy Gas, LP	http://www.sparkenergy.com	(800) 982-1468
Vectren Source	http://www.vectrensource.com	(888) 440-9582
Volunteer Energy Services, Inc.	http://www.volunteerenergy.com	(800) 977-8374
XOOM Energy Ohio, LLC	http://www.xoomenergy.com	(888) 997-8979

Supplier Plans, Rates, Terms and Descriptions

Listed below are the natural gas plan offers of PUCO-certified suppliers, per Mcf. Published offers are subject to change without prior notice. The **Supplier Total Rate**, which is the price to compare, includes the **Supplier Base Rate** and **DEO’s Total Usage Based Charge**. The Supplier Total Rate is now directly comparable to DEO’s Total SCO rate which is currently set at \$4.0300 per Mcf. Consumers should verify offers with a supplier before signing a contract. **The PUCO is not responsible for selections you make based on the information contained herein.**

<i>Local Distribution Company</i>	<i>SCO per mcf</i>	<i>Total Rate per mcf</i>	<i>Effective Date</i>
DEO	\$2.6360	\$4.0300	05/11/2012 to 06/11/2012

Fixed Rate Plan

<i>Supplier Name</i>	<i>Plan ID</i>	<i>Supplier Base Rate</i>	<i>Supplier Total Rate</i>	<i>Contract Term</i>	<i>Plan Description</i>	<i>Contract Early Termination Fee</i>
Constellation NewEnergy	17928	\$4.99000	\$6.38400	12-Month		\$25.00

– Gas Division, LLC

Direct Energy Services, LLC	17873	\$3.99000	\$5.38400	6-Month	\$3.99 per MCF for 6 months	\$0.00
Dominion Energy Solutions	17935	\$4.95000	\$6.34400	Through 05/2013 Billing Cycle		\$75.00
	17934	\$5.29000	\$6.68400	Through 04/2014 Billing Cycle	Stable Extended Term	\$75.00
	17931	\$4.65000	\$6.04400	Through 10/2012 Billing Cycle		\$75.00
Integritys Energy Services, Inc.	17916	\$5.25000	\$6.64400	36-Month	Billing through May 2015	\$75.00
	17915	\$4.97000	\$6.36400	24-Month	Billing through May 2014	\$75.00
	17914	\$4.50000	\$5.89400	12-Month	This Fixed Price includes the Price Match Guarantee Billing through May 2013	\$75.00
MxEnergy, Inc.	17864	\$4.99000	\$6.38400	12-Month		\$150.00
	17863	\$4.99000	\$6.38400	6-Month		\$150.00
Ohio Natural Gas	17881	\$4.77000	\$6.16400	12-Month	\$150/\$75 depending upon remaining duration of contract	\$150.00
	17880	\$3.97000	\$5.36400	6-Month		\$75.00
Spark Energy Gas, LP	17901	\$5.25000	\$6.64400	12-Month	5.25 per mcf	\$100.00
Vectren Source	17926	\$4.99000	\$6.38400	12-Month		\$100.00
XOOM Energy Ohio, LLC	17896	\$4.97000	\$6.36400	12-Month	XOOM Energy's SureLock 12 fixed rate product	\$110.00

Monthly Variable Rate Plan

<i>Supplier Name</i>	<i>Plan ID</i>	<i>Supplier Base Rate</i>	<i>Supplier Total Rate</i>	<i>Contract Term</i>	<i>Plan Description</i>	<i>Contract Early Termination Fee</i>
Constellation NewEnergy – Gas Division, LLC	17929	\$3.99000	\$5.38400	Monthly		\$0.00
Delta Energy, LLC	17879	\$3.38600	\$4.78000	Monthly		\$0.00
Direct Energy Services, LLC	17870	\$3.53600	\$4.93000	Monthly	Direct Energy's MVR Rate	\$0.00
Dominion Energy Solutions	17933	\$3.69000	\$5.08400	Monthly	Monthly Variable Rate - MVR	\$0.00
Energy Cooperative of Ohio	17878	\$4.89000	\$6.28400	Monthly		\$0.00
Integritys Energy Services, Inc.	17913	\$3.03600	\$4.43000	Monthly	Billing Month is May 2012 EcoVations Renewable Gas w/ Carbon Offsets AT NO EXTRA COST	\$0.00
Just Energy	17922	\$6.85000	\$8.24400	Monthly	Just Energy's MVR Rate	\$0.00
Kratos Gas & Power	17900	\$3.54000	\$4.93400	Monthly	Monthly Variable Rate	\$0.00
MxEnergy, Inc.	17865	\$3.99000	\$5.38400	Monthly		\$0.00
Ohio Natural Gas	17883	\$4.99000	\$6.38400	Monthly		\$0.00

Chart Definitions

Contract Term: The length or duration of the contract (i.e. monthly, yearly, multiple-year).

County Sales Tax: When natural gas is purchased from a supplier, the natural gas is subject to Ohio sales or use tax. Because county sales tax rates vary throughout Ohio, the county sales tax is not included in the supplier's total rate. Use the attached map to determine your county's sales tax rate.

Current Offer: Comprised of suppliers' current commodity options and base rates, exclusive of sales tax, the local utility transportation charge or usage based charge, and customer service charges. Commodity options may be a fixed, variable, or stable rate plan.

Fixed Rate Plan: A constant rate for the contracted period.

Mcf: One thousand cubic feet; a unit used to measure natural gas usage.

Stable Rate Plan: A variable rate for a fixed period of time.

Standard Choice Offer (SCO) Rate: The SCO rate is a monthly variable rate that is based on the New York Mercantile Exchange month-end settlement price, plus a Retail Price Adjustment of \$1.00. The SCO varies each month and represents costs associated with securing natural gas for eligible DEO customers.

Supplier Name: PUCO-certified suppliers that are actively enrolling new customers within your local distribution company's service area.

Supplier Total Rate: Comprised of the supplier's natural gas commodity price and DEO's transportation rate charge.

Total Usage-Based Charge (f/k/a Transportation Delivery Rate): The Total Usage-Based charge or Transportation Delivery Rate can fluctuate quarterly.

Variable Rate Plan: A fluctuating rate within the contracted period.

Self-Calculation Worksheet

Under DEO's new SCO rate structure, the SCO rate is now directly comparable with the supplier rate in terms of monthly gas costs. Use the "[Compute Your Monthly Gas Savings](#)" section for a comparison. If you would still like an estimate of your monthly bill, the "[Estimate Your Monthly Bill](#)" section will provide you with an estimate based on DEO's SCO rate and the supplier rate you choose for comparison. You may also wish to visit www.PUCO.ohio.gov to access our interactive Apples to Apples calculator to automatically calculate your estimated monthly bill.

Current DEO SCO Rates Effective 5/11/12 to 6/11/12

Compute Your Monthly Gas Savings		<u>Example</u>	<u>Your Calculation</u>
	Step 1: DEO SCO Current Rate	\$2.6360 per mcf	\$2.6360 per mcf
	Step 2: Insert Supplier Gas Rate	\$5.100 per mcf	\$ _____ per mcf
	Step 3: Subtract Supplier Gas Rate from DEO SCO Rate (Note: Value may be negative)	(\$2.464) per mcf	Step 1 - Step 2 = \$ (\$2.636 - Your Supplier Rate)
	Step 4: Insert Your Average Monthly Usage	7.50 mcf/month	_____ mcf/month
	Step 5: Estimated Monthly Gas Cost Difference	(\$18.48) per month	Step 3 x Step 4 = \$ _____
	Step 5a: Sales Tax on Monthly Gas Cost Difference	(\$1.21) per month	Step 5 x Your Local Sales Tax Rate \$ _____
Step 5b: Estimated Total Monthly Gas Cost Difference	(\$19.69) per month	Steps 5 + 5a = \$ _____	

Estimate Your Monthly Bill	DEO SCO Bill Estimator	Step 6: Estimated Gas Cost, based on DEO SCO Rate	\$2.636 x 7.5 = \$19.77	Step 1 x Step 4 = \$ _____ (\$2.636 x Your Monthly Usage)
		Step 7: Estimated Sales Tax on Gas Cost @ 6.5%	\$19.77 x 0.065 = \$1.29	Step 6 x Your Local Sales Tax Rate \$ _____
		Step 8: Estimated Usage Based Cost	\$1.394 x 7.5 = \$10.46	Usage Based Rate x Step 4 = \$ _____ (\$1.394 x Your Monthly Usage)
		Step 9: Basic Monthly Charge	<u>\$21.92</u>	<u>\$21.92</u>
		Step 10: Estimated Monthly Bill, based on DEO SCO Rate	\$19.77 + \$1.29 + \$10.46 + \$21.92 = \$53.44	Steps 6 + 7 + 8 + 9 = \$ _____
	Your Supplier Bill Estimator	Step 11: Estimated Gas Cost, based on Supplier Gas Rate	\$5.10 x 7.5 = \$38.25	Step 2 x Step 4 = \$ _____ (Supplier's Rate x Your Monthly Usage)
		Step 12: Estimated Sales Tax on Gas Cost @ 6.5%	\$38.25 x 0.065 = \$2.49	Step 11 x Your Local Sales Tax Rate = \$ _____
		Step 13: Estimated Usage Based Cost	\$1.394 x 7.5 = \$10.46	Usage Based Rate x Step 4 = \$ _____ (\$1.394 x Your Monthly Usage)
		Step 14: Basic Monthly Charge	<u>\$21.92</u>	<u>\$21.92</u>
		Step 15: Estimated Monthly Bill, based on Supplier Gas Rate	\$38.25 + \$2.49 + \$10.46 + \$21.92 = \$73.12	Steps 11 + 12 + 13 + 14 = \$ _____

Note: DEO's SCO rate is a monthly variable rate that will change each month based on market indices. This example is only a comparison based on their current rate offer.