

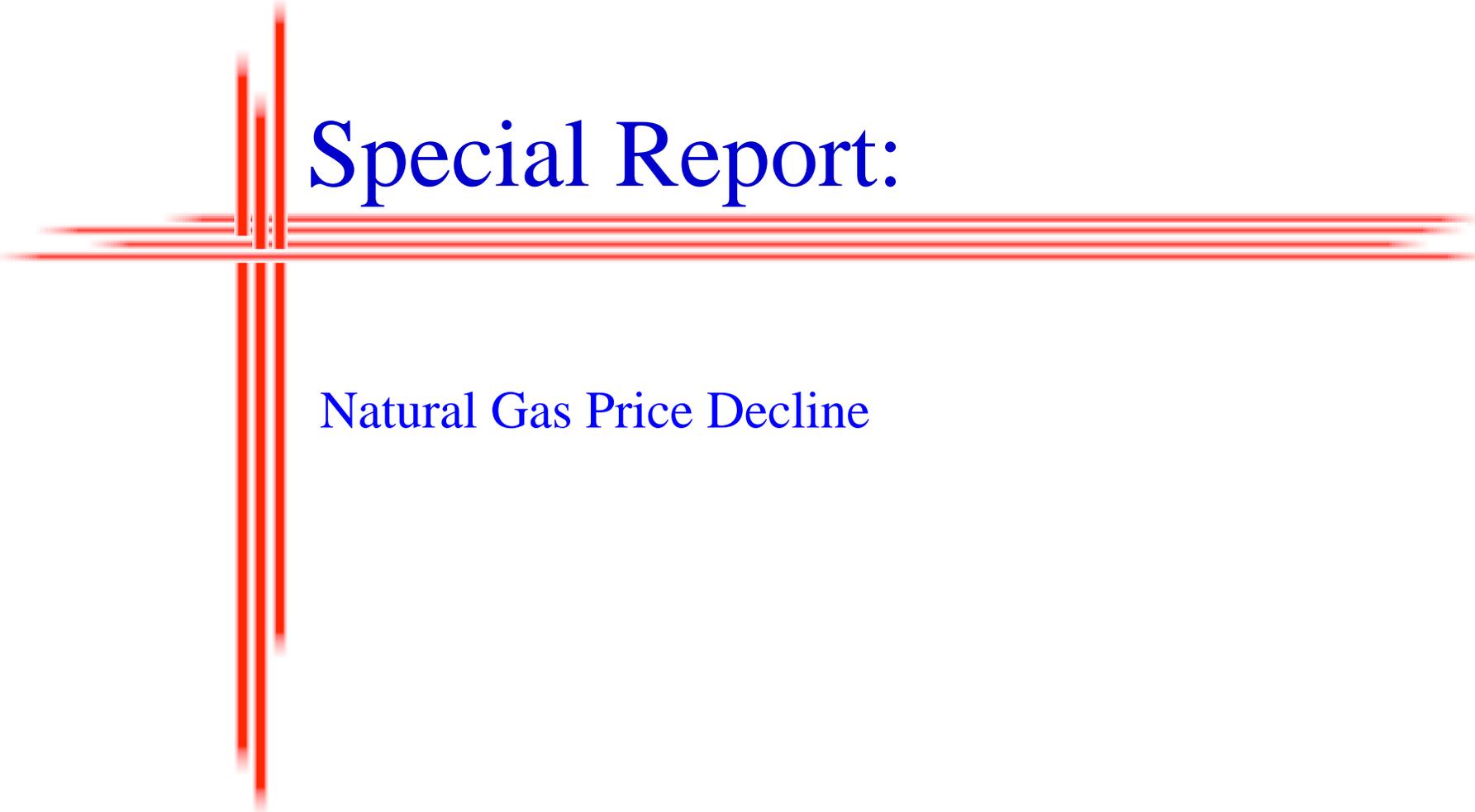
# OE ENERGY MARKET SNAPSHOT

## Northeast States Version – July 2008 Data

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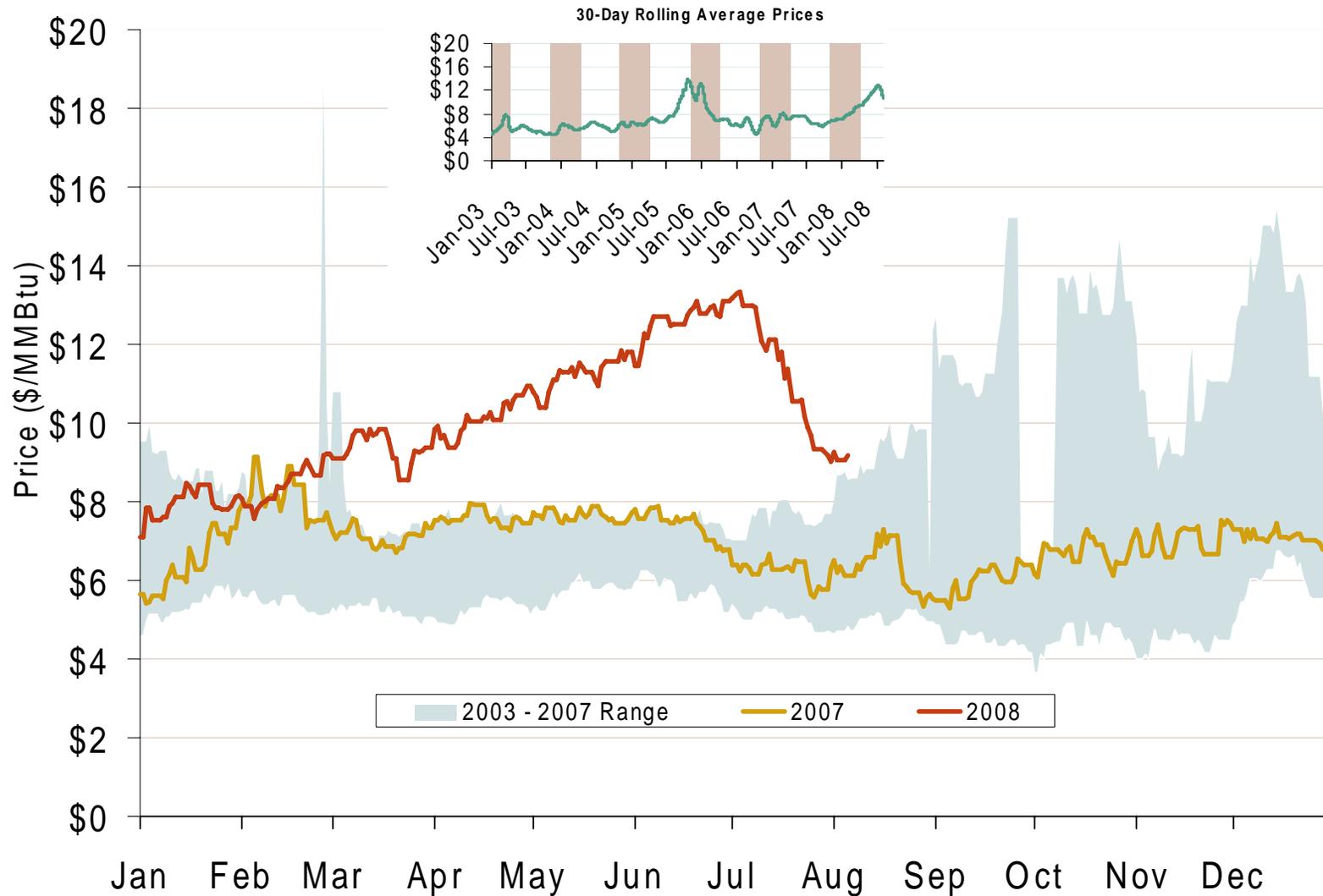


# Special Report:

## Natural Gas Price Decline

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## Henry Hub Natural Gas Daily Spot Prices 2007, 2008 and 2003-2007 Year Range

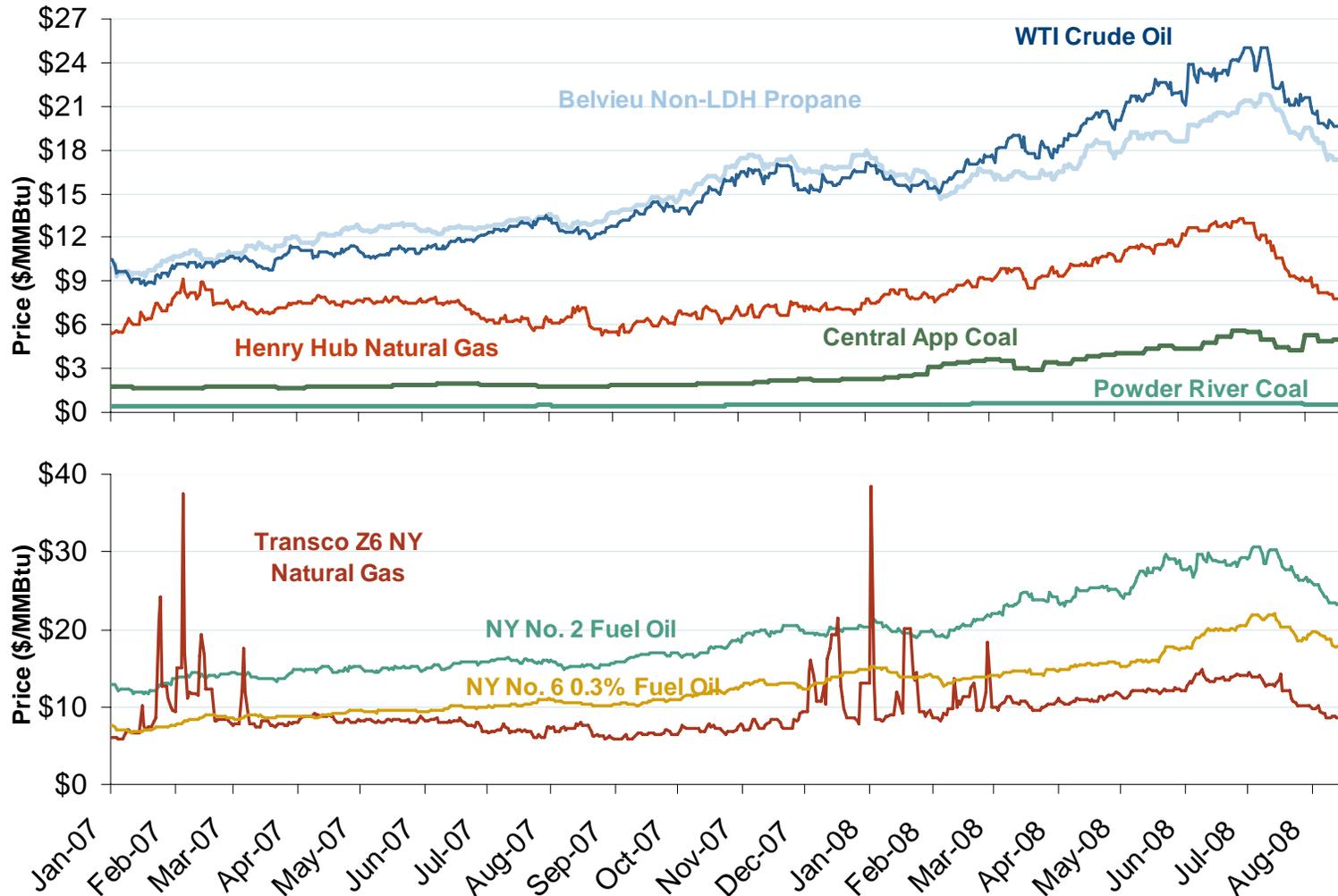


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# Oil, Coal, Natural Gas and Propane Daily Spot Prices



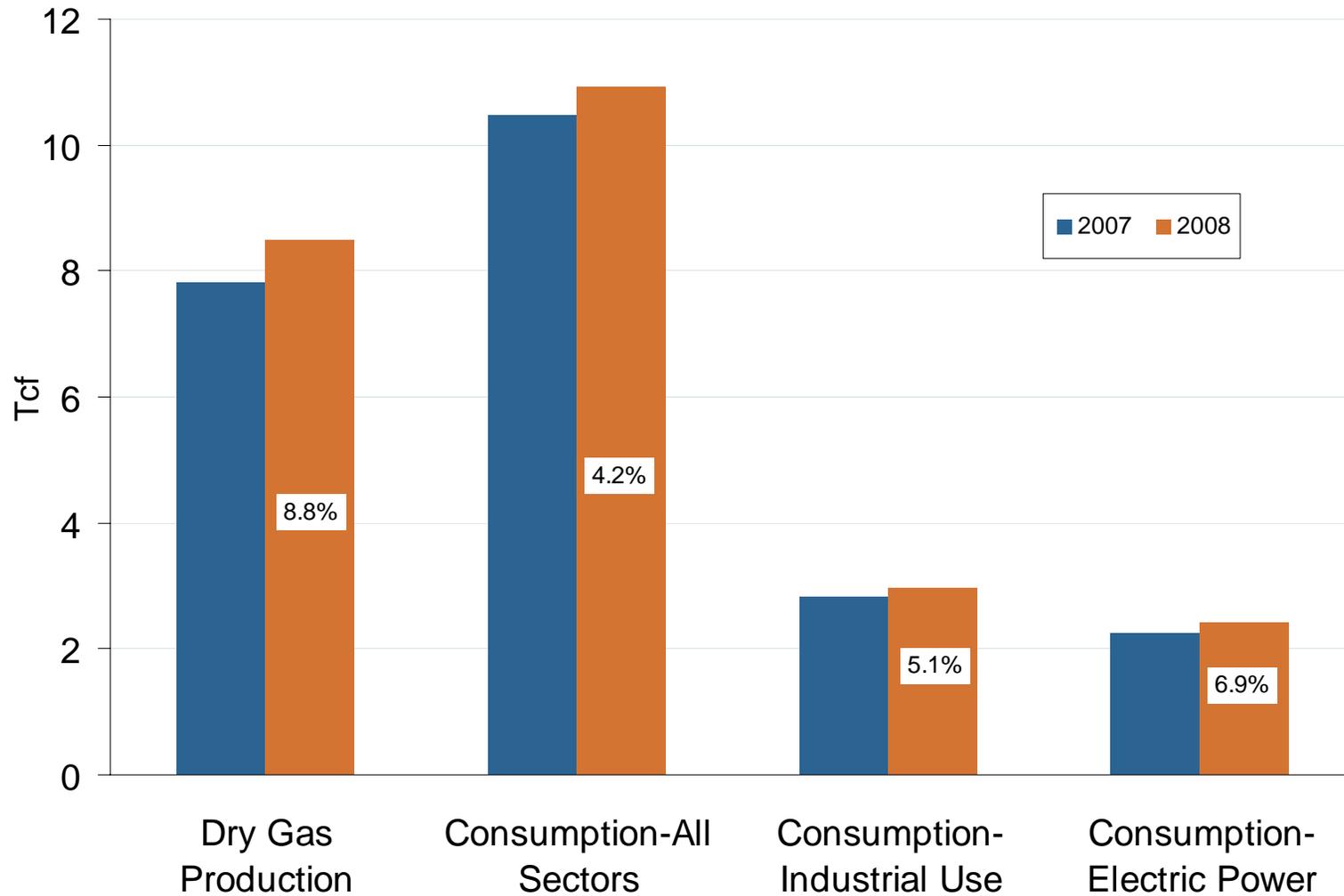
Source: Derived from ICE and Bloomberg data.

Note: Coal prices are quoted in \$/ton. Conversion factors to \$/MMBtu are based on contract specifications of 12,000 btus/pound for Central Appalachian coal and 8800 btus/pound for Powder River Basin coal.

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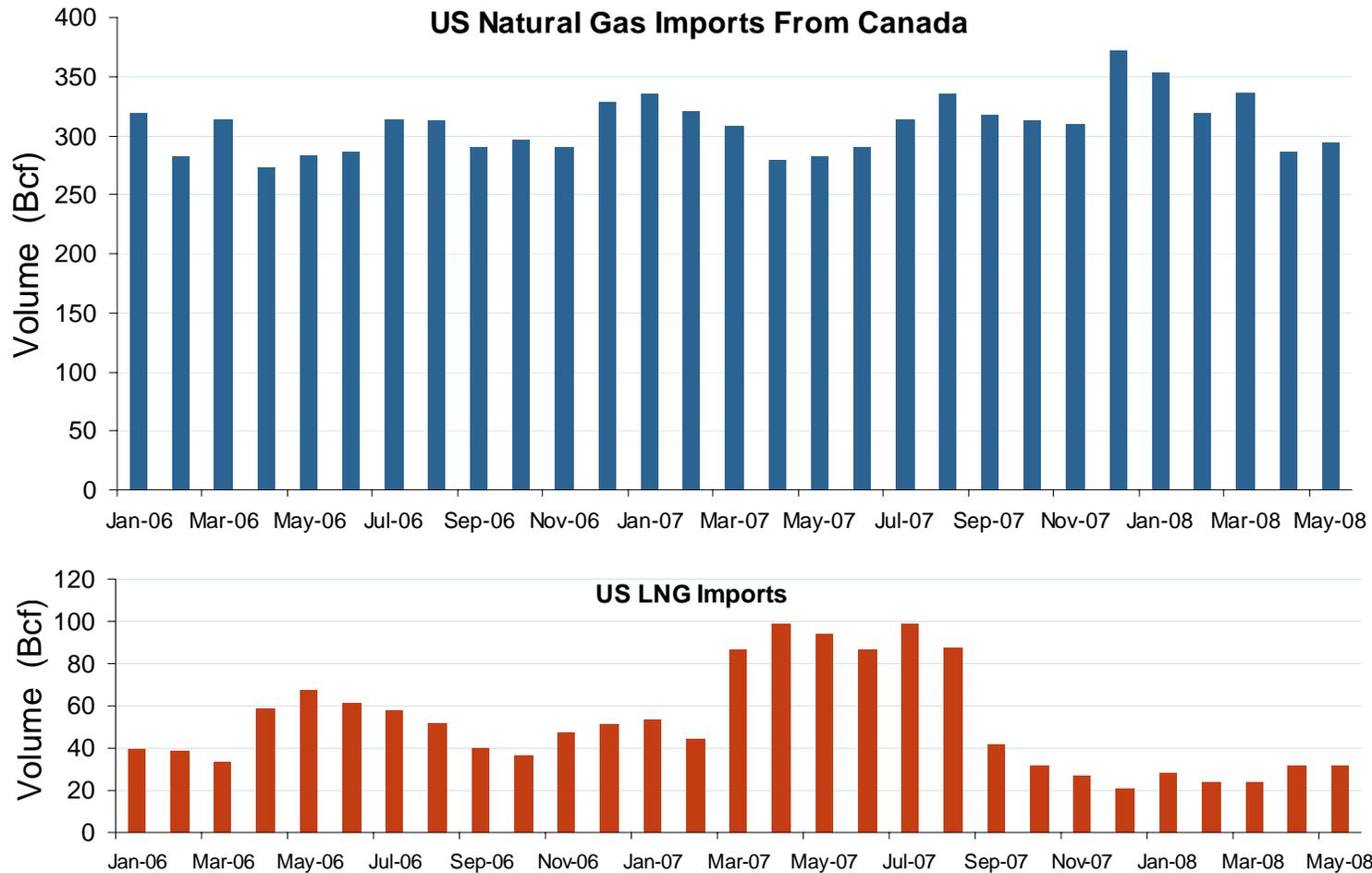
## U.S. Natural Gas Production and Consumption Jan-May



Source: EIA Natural Gas Monthly, July 2008

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## Canadian and LNG Natural Gas Imports

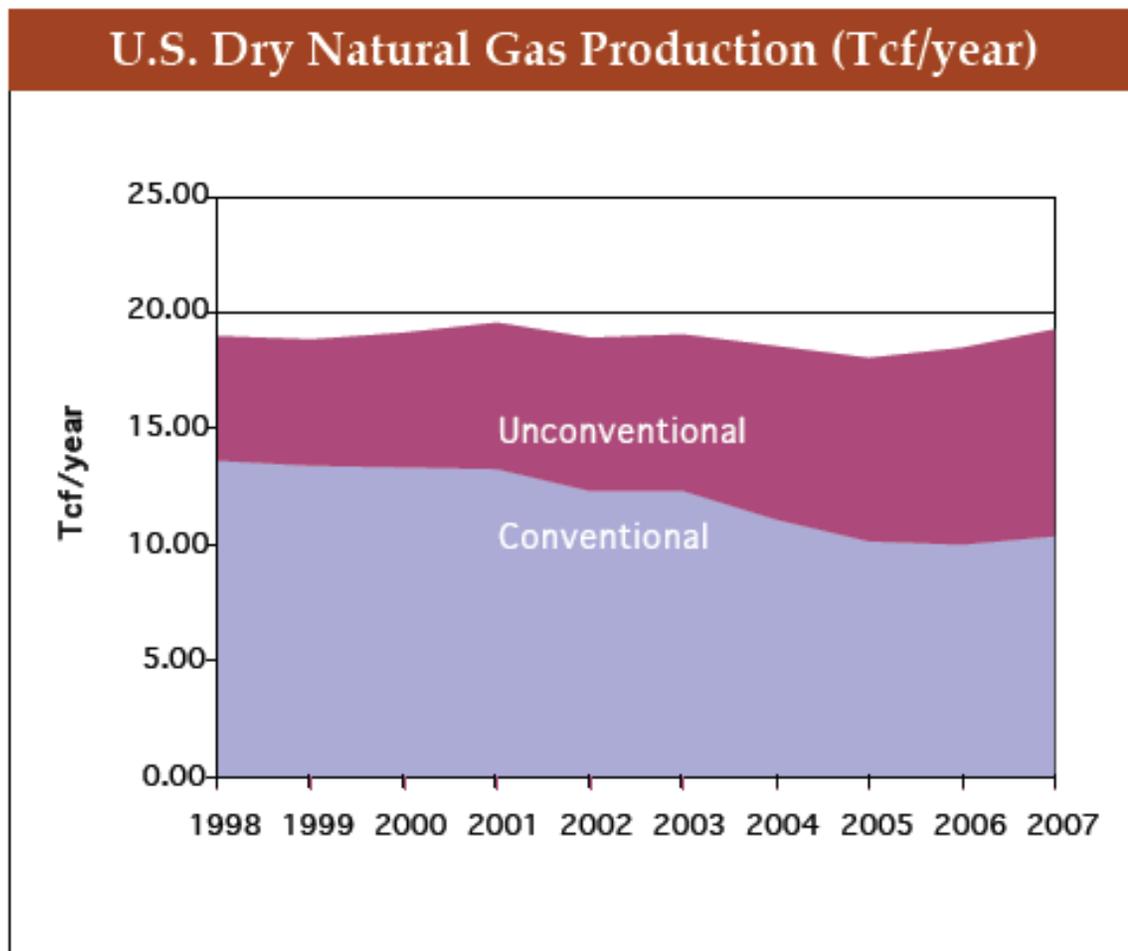


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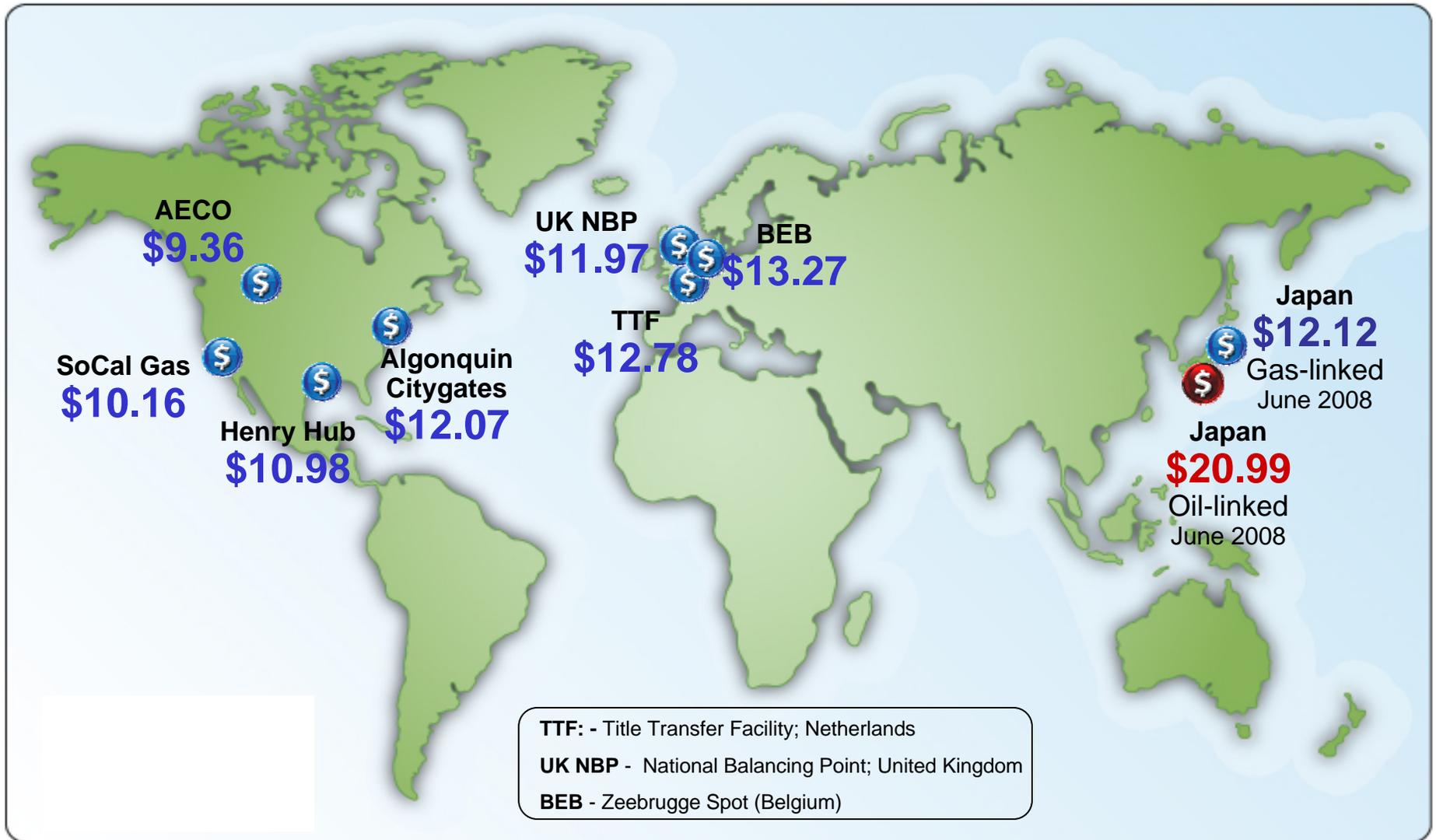




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## World Natural Gas Prices for July 2008



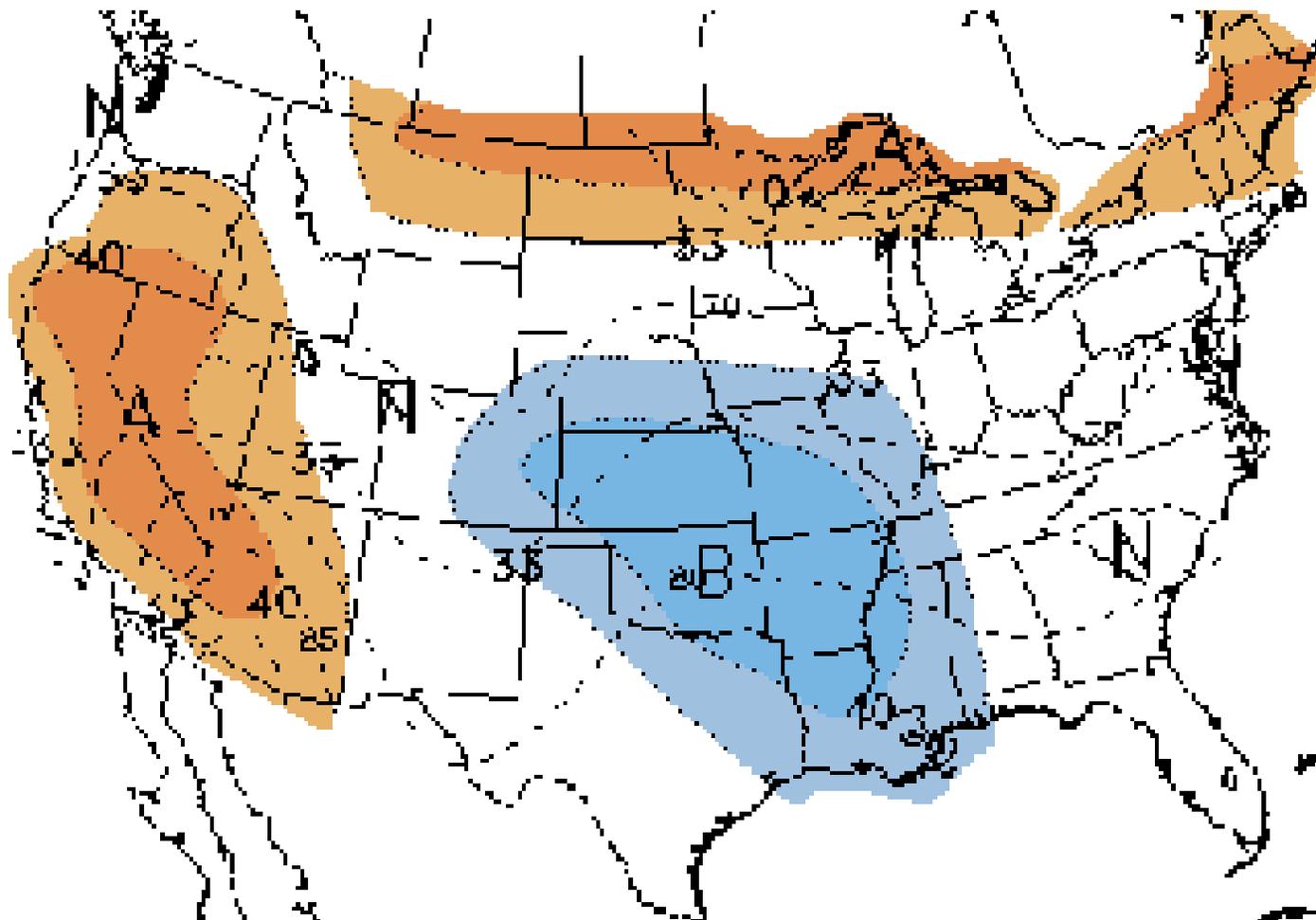
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# Market Fundamentals

## NOAA's 8 to 14 Day Temperature Forecast Made August 12, Valid for August 20 – 26, 2008



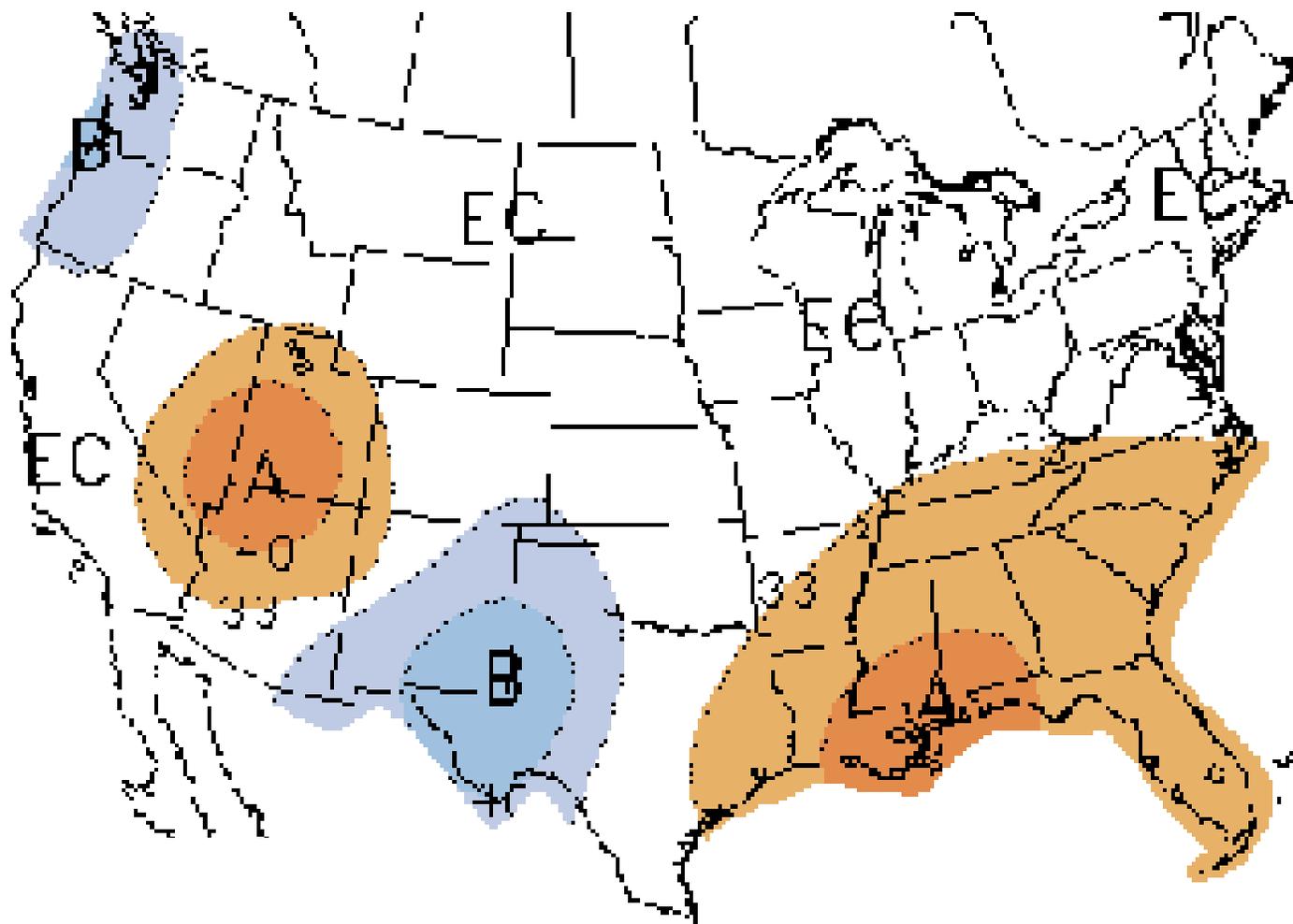
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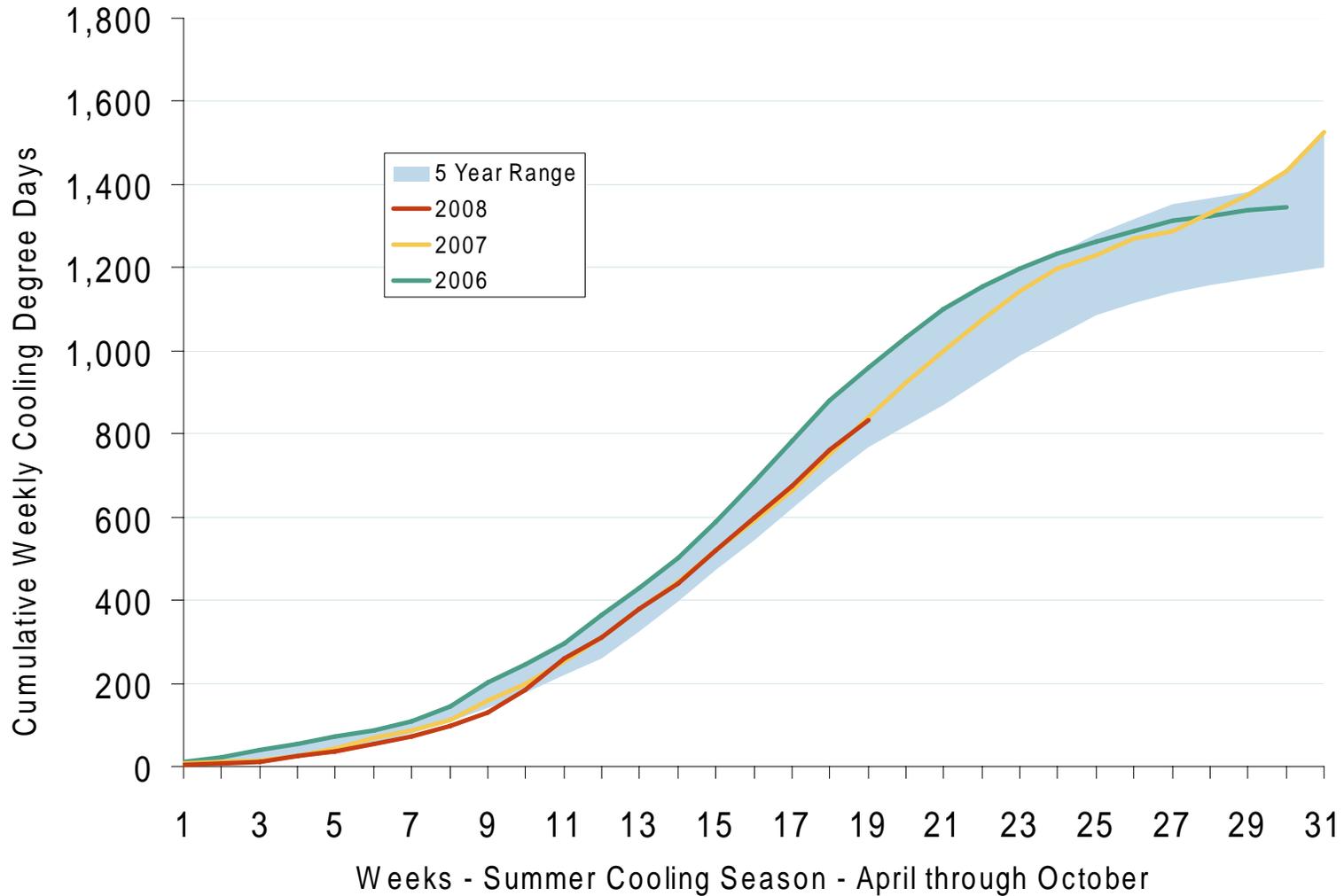
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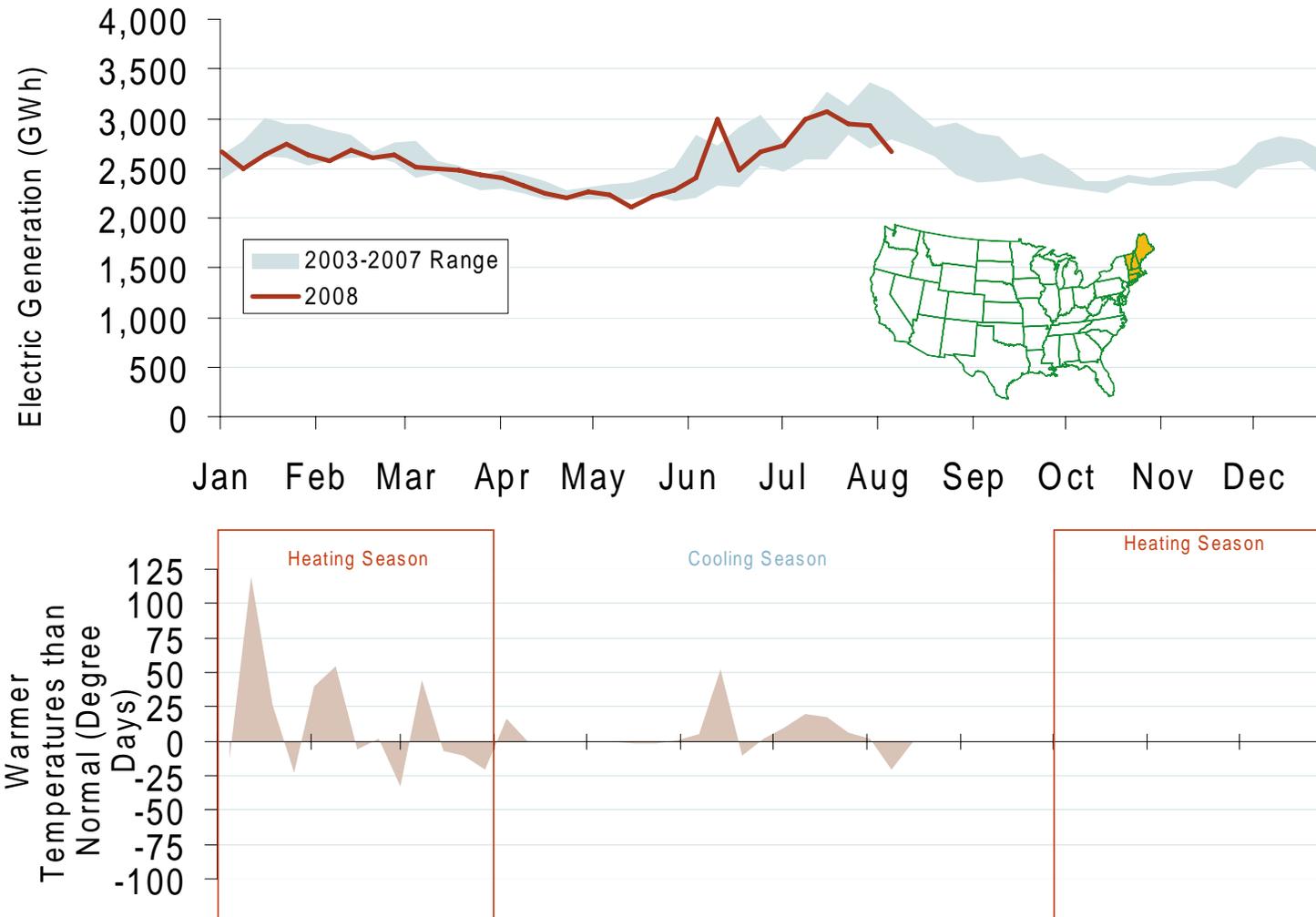


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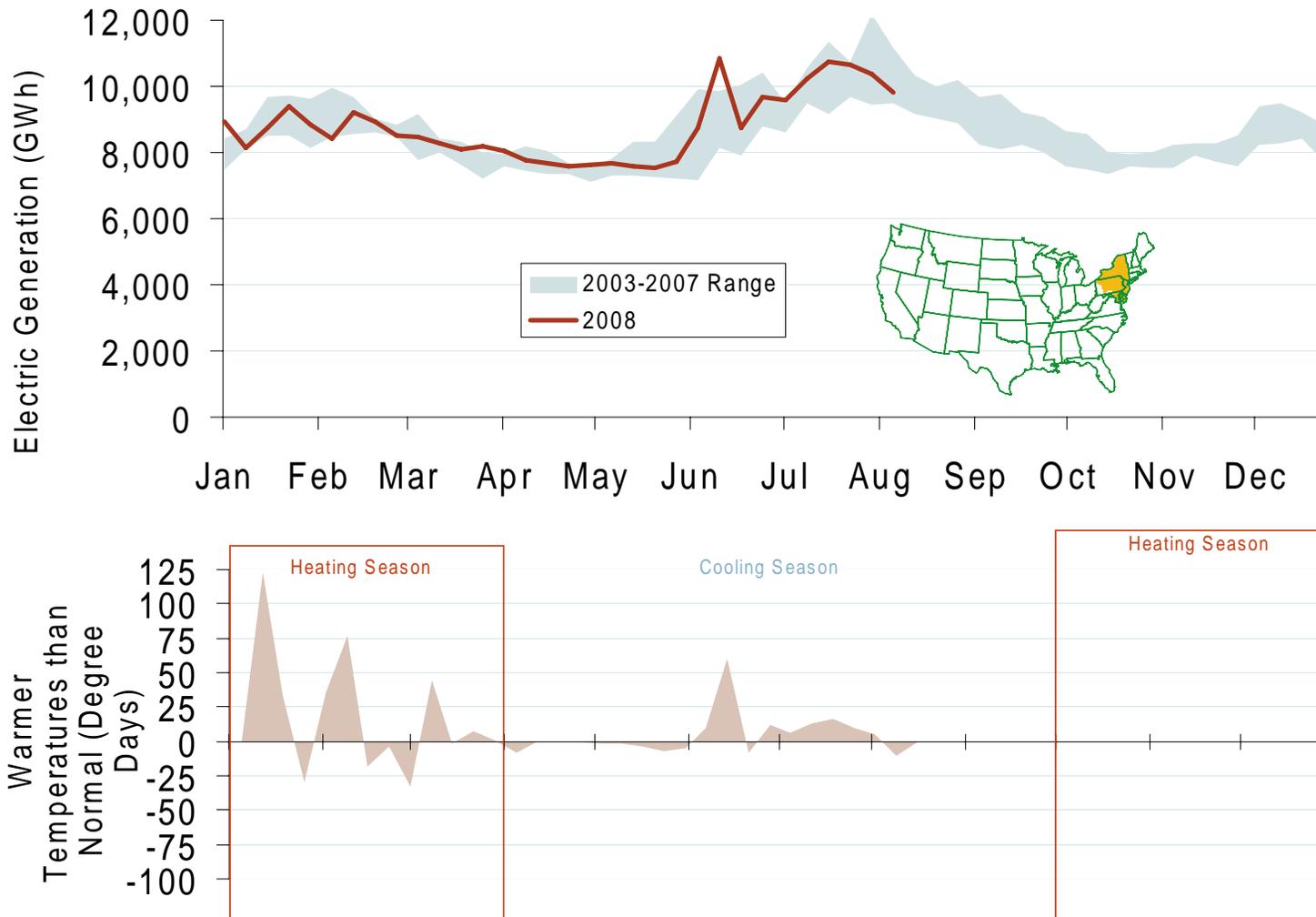
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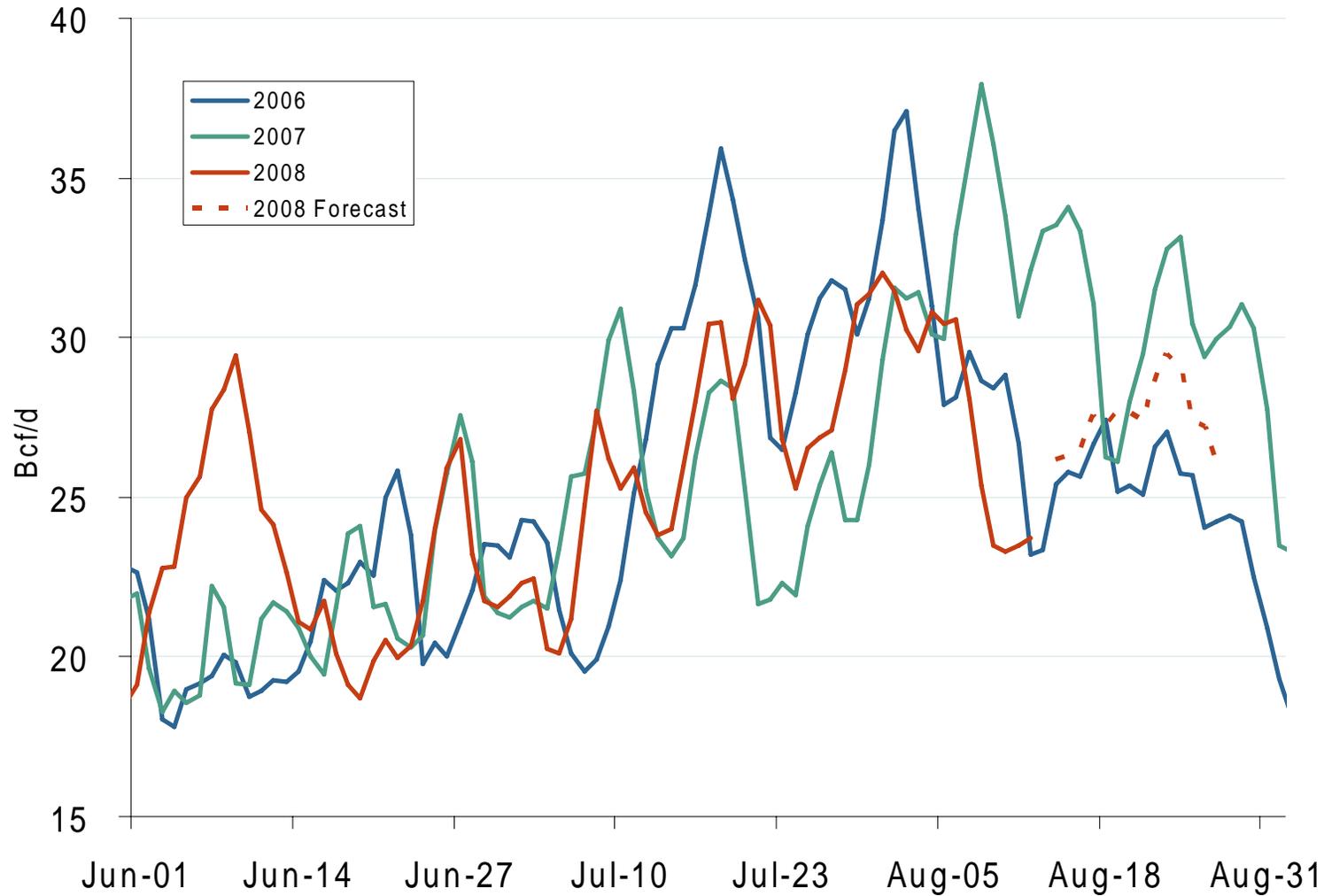
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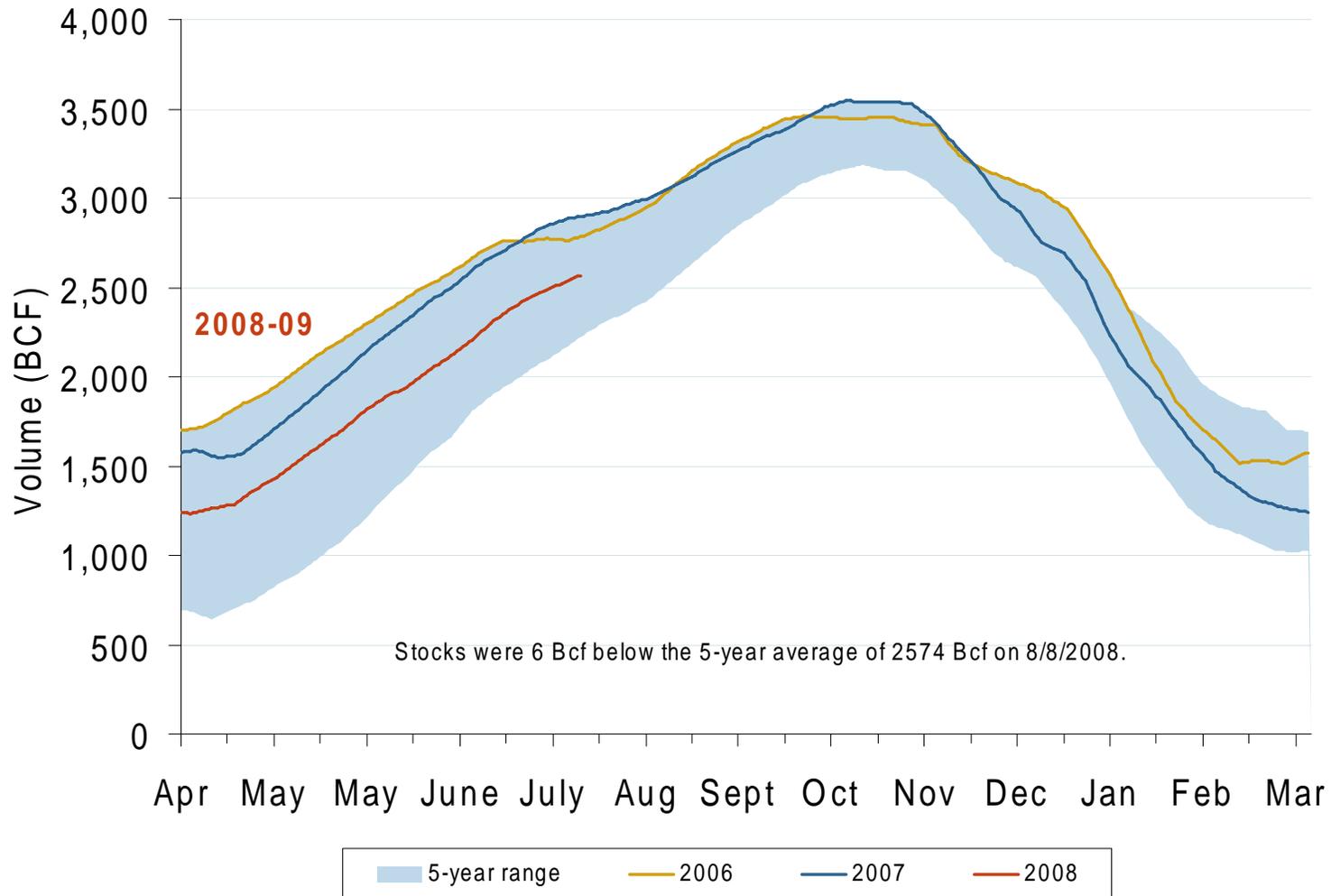


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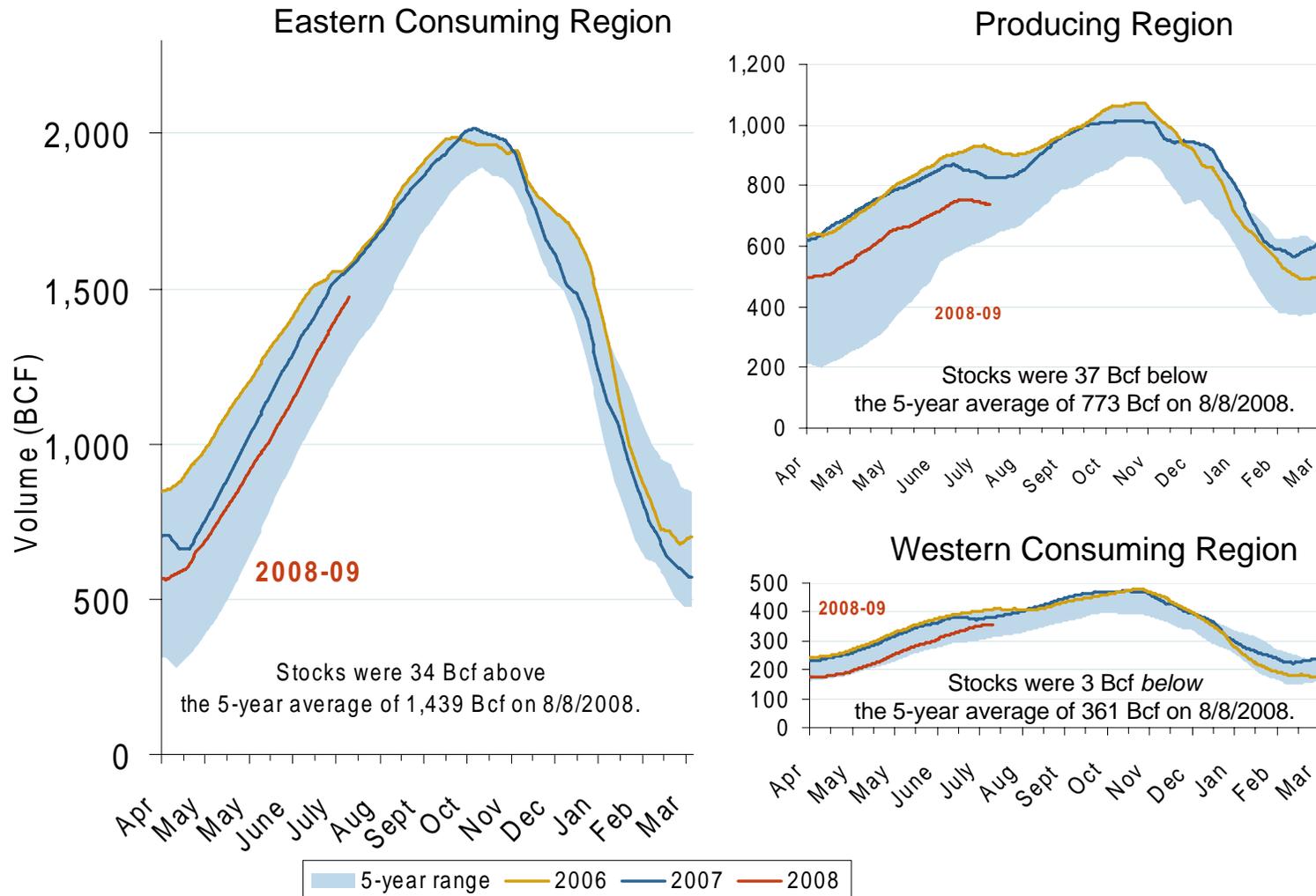
## Total U.S. Working Gas in Storage



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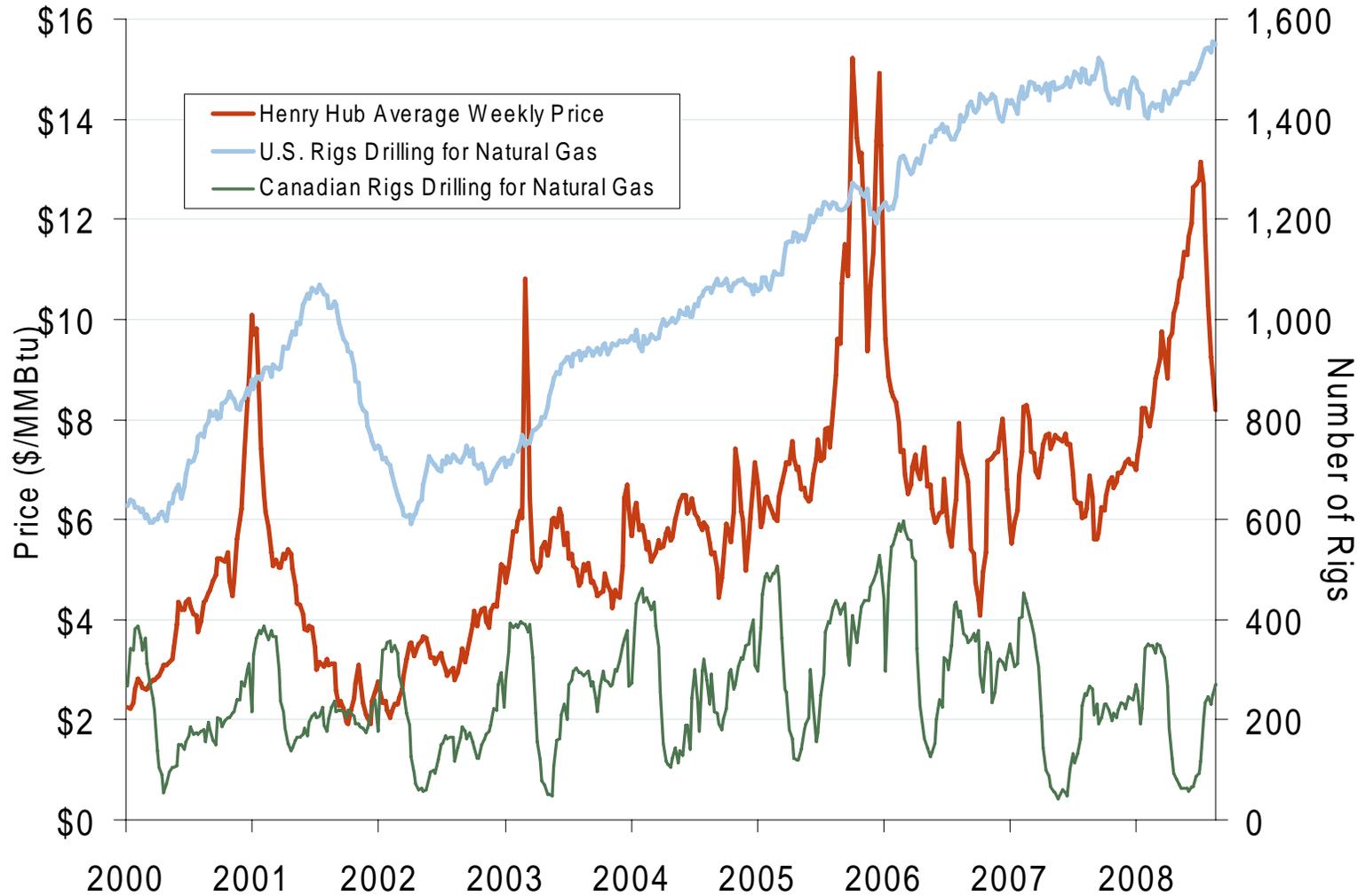


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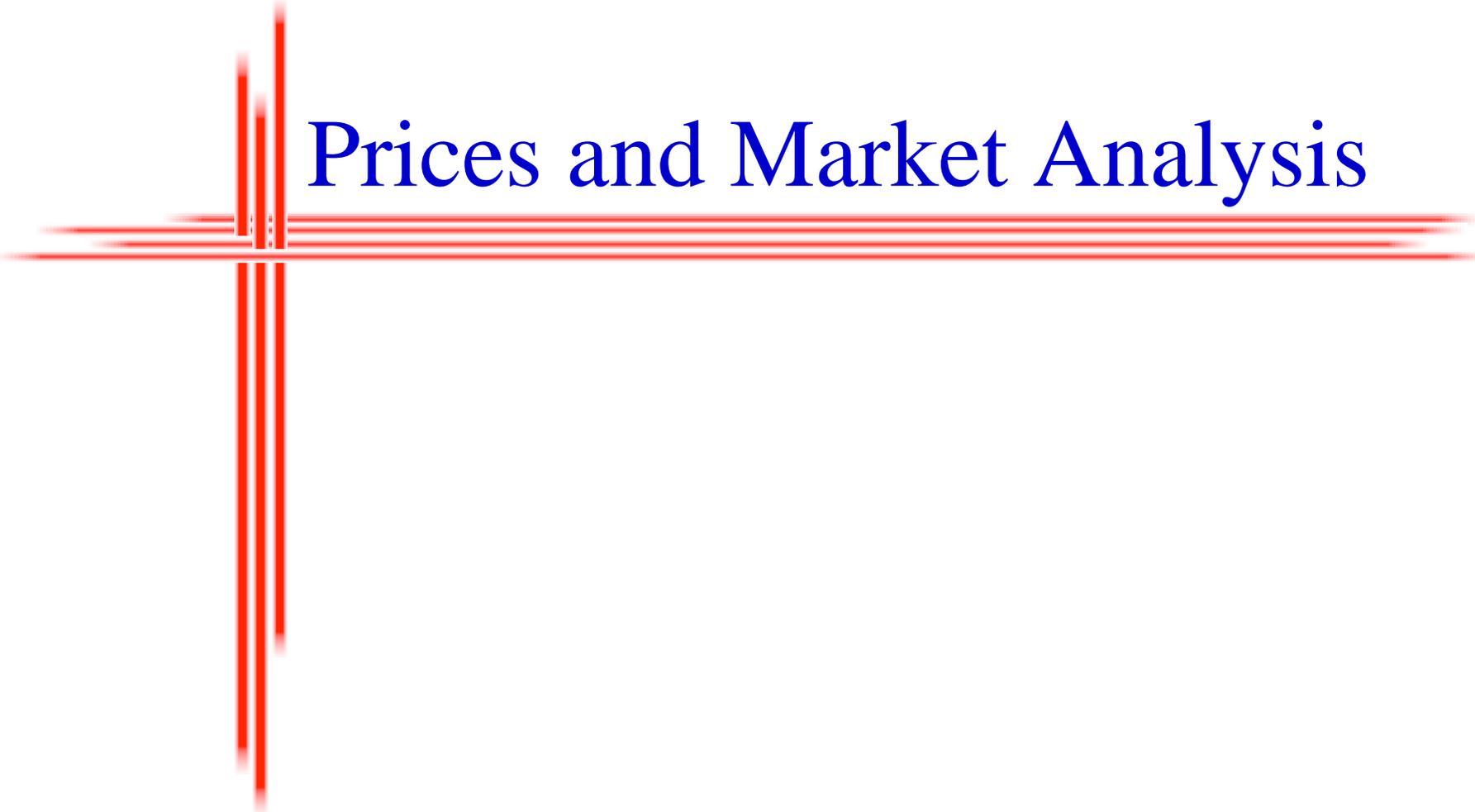
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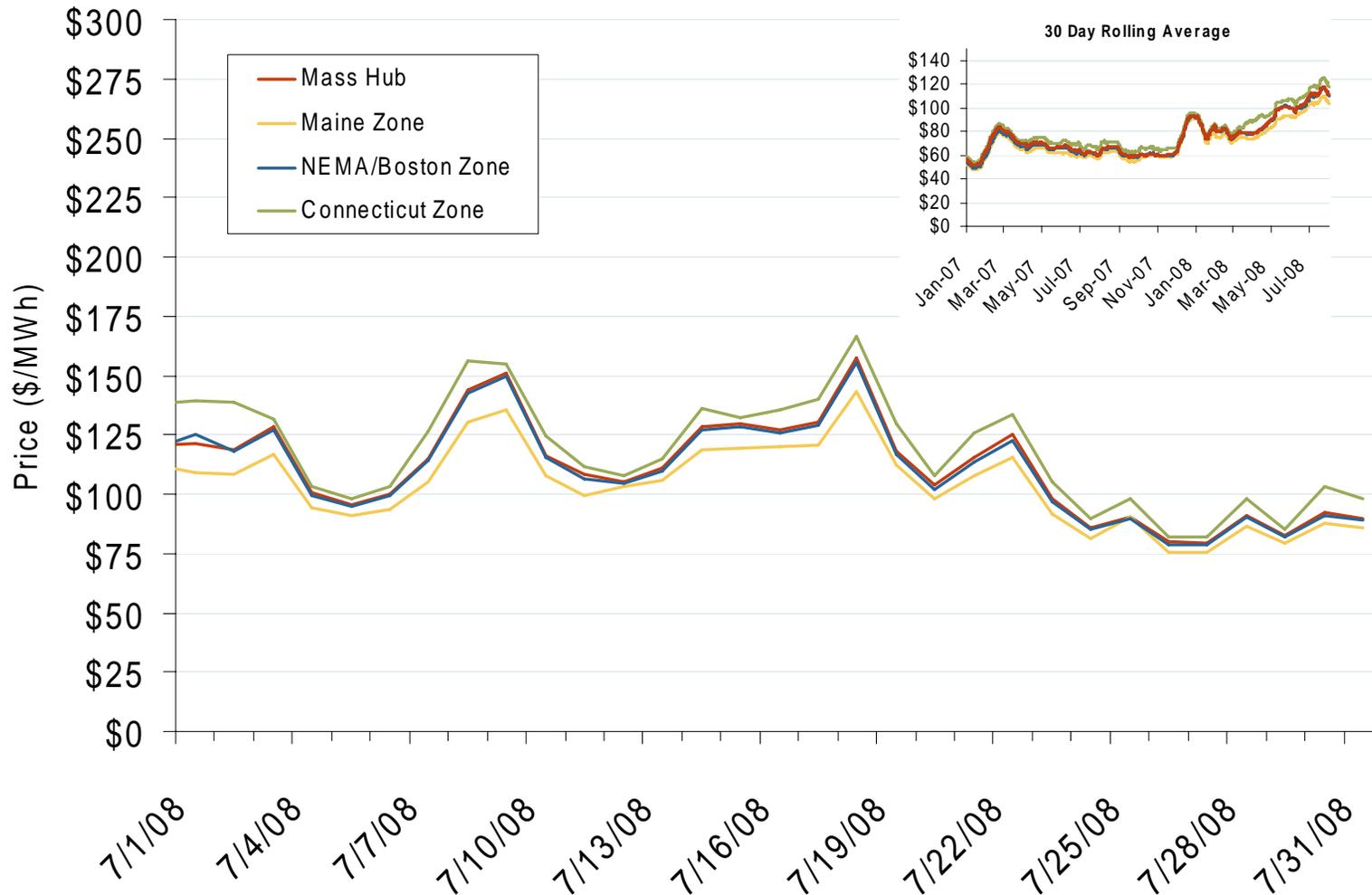
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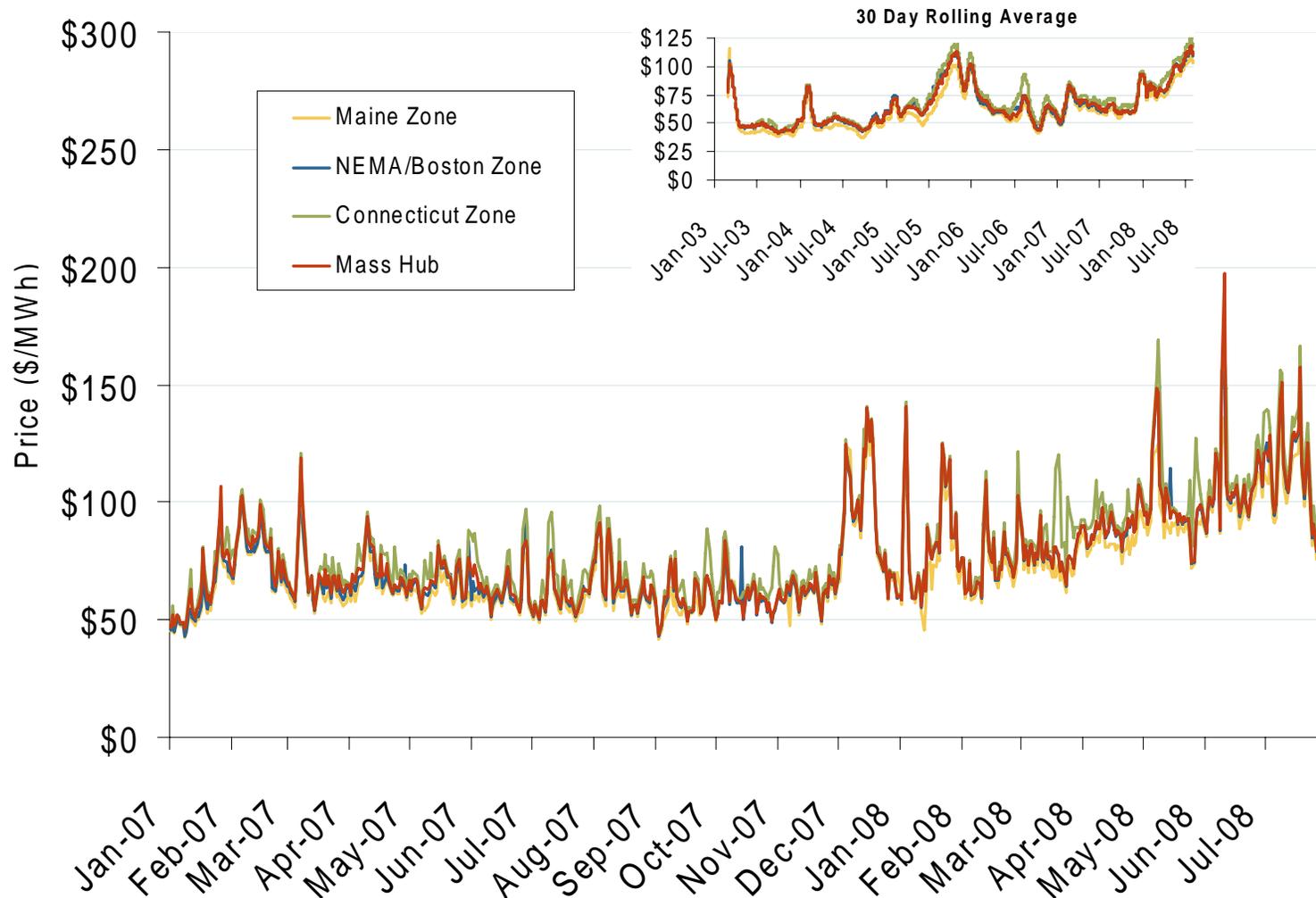
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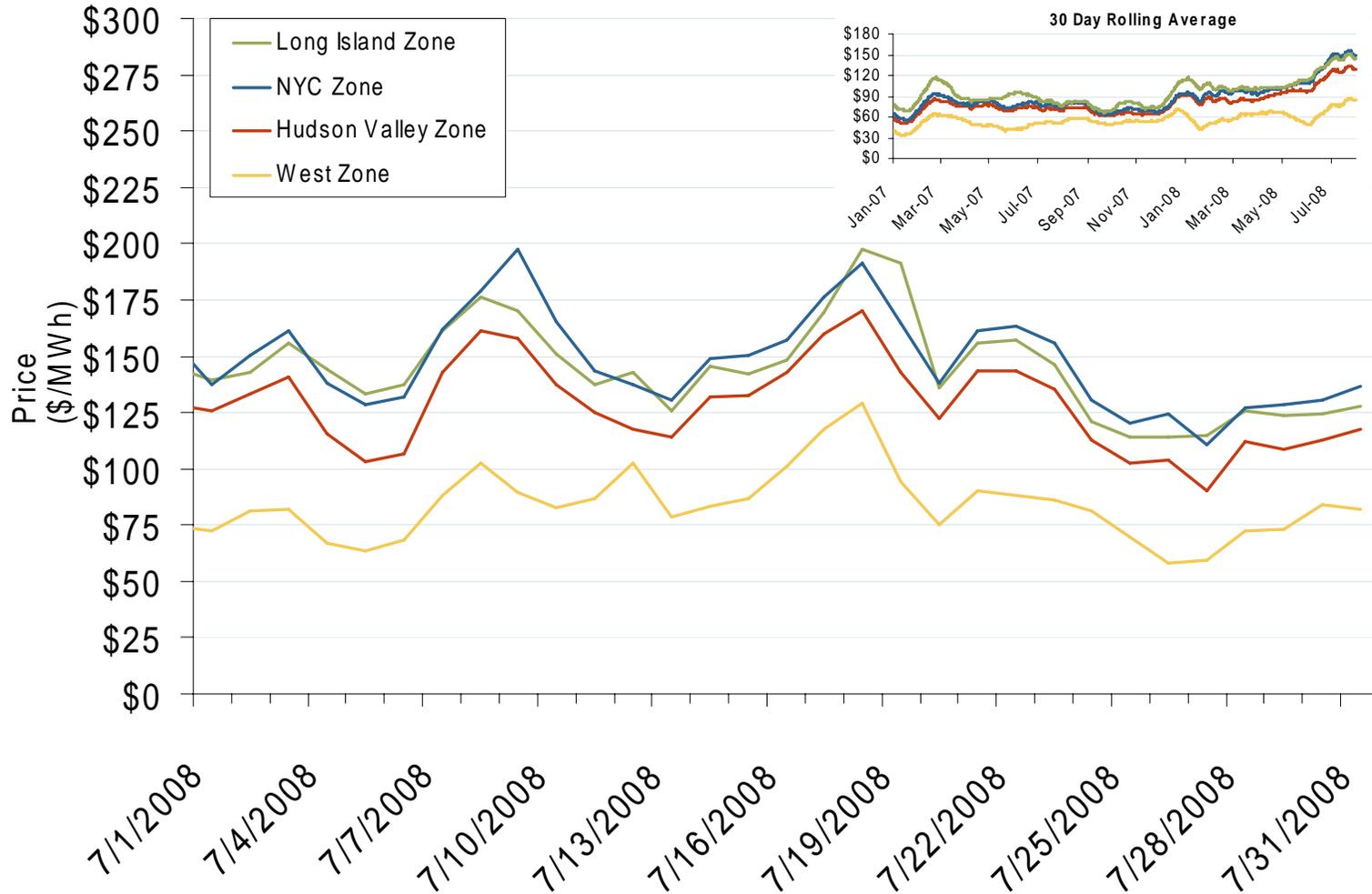
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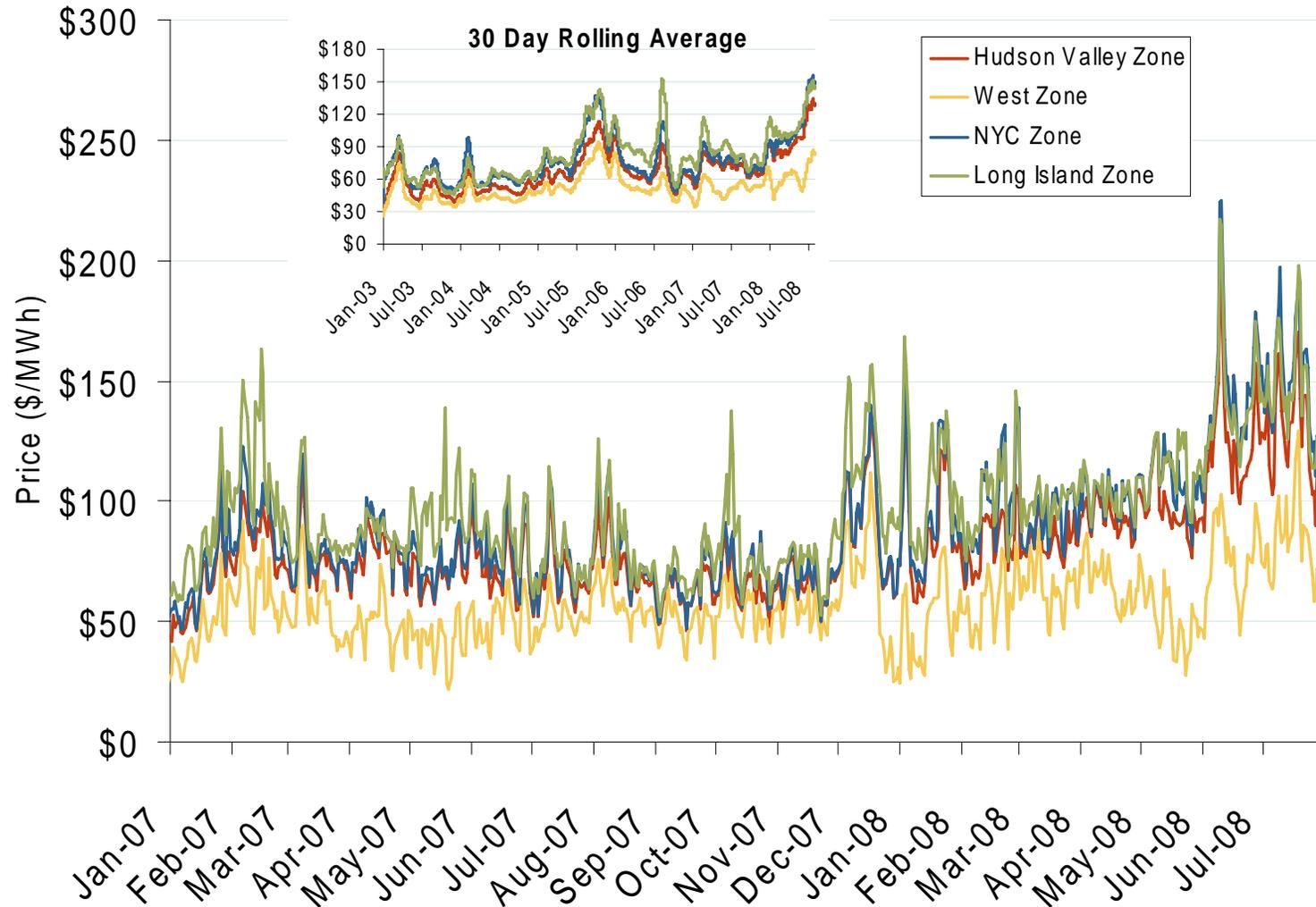
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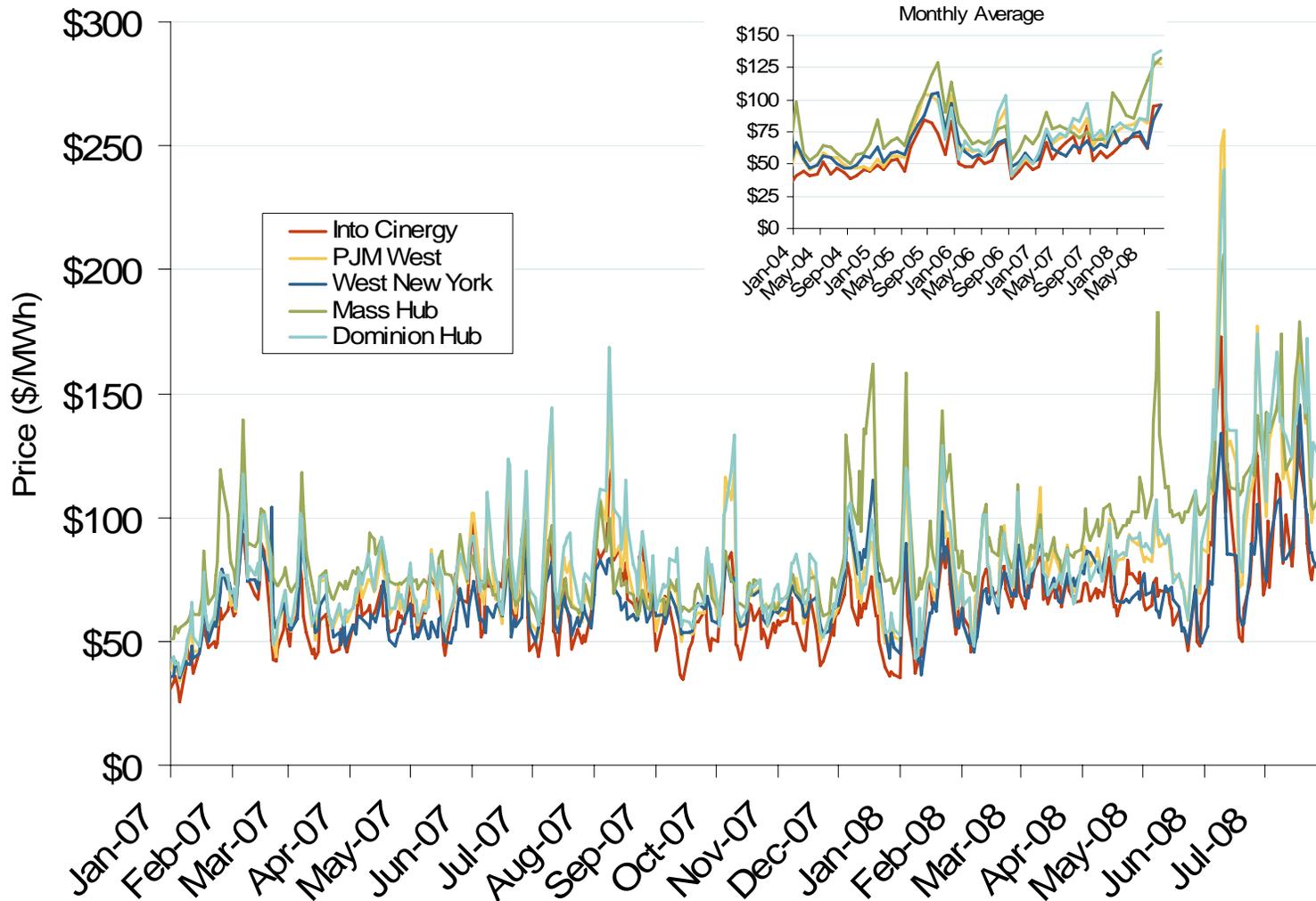
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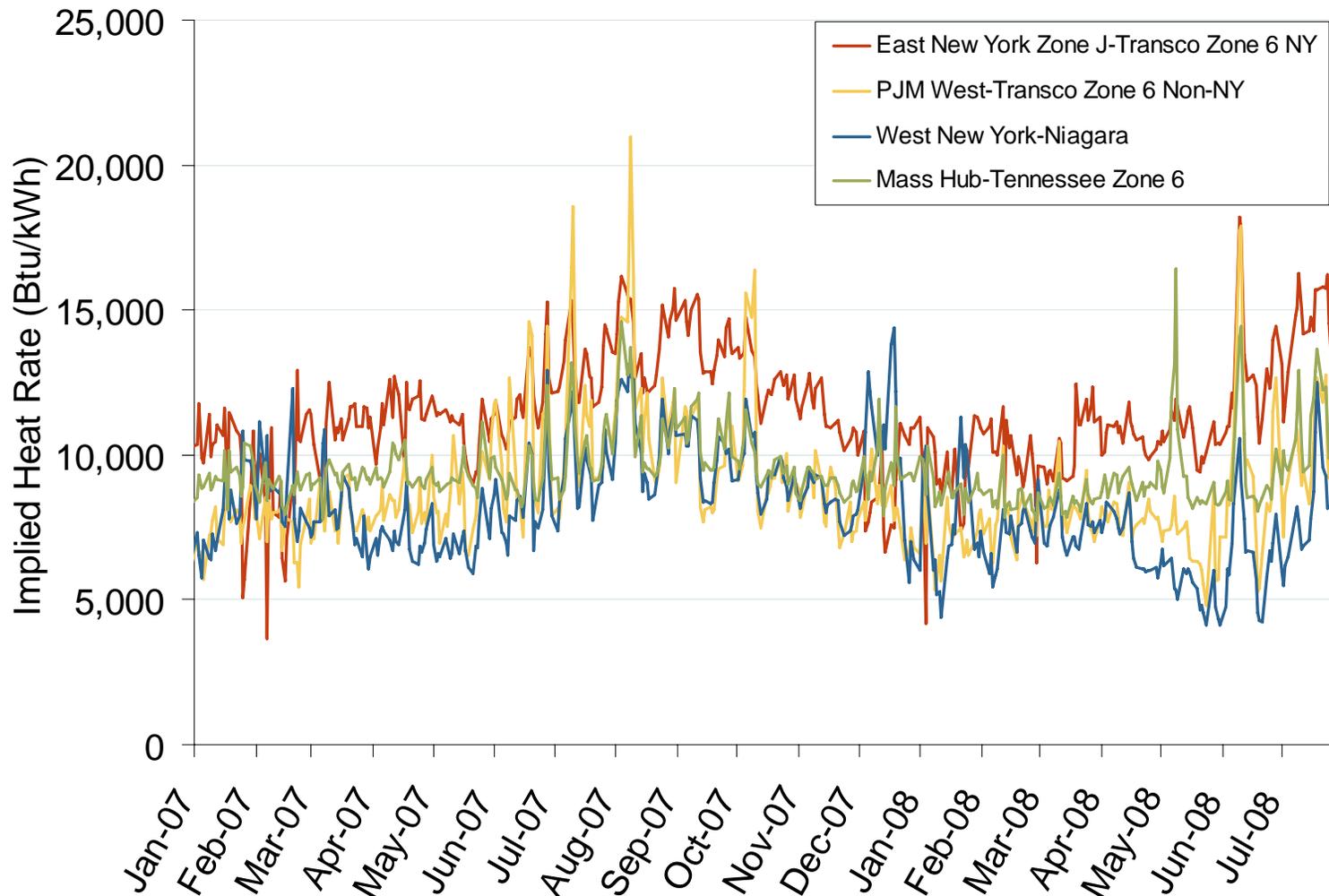
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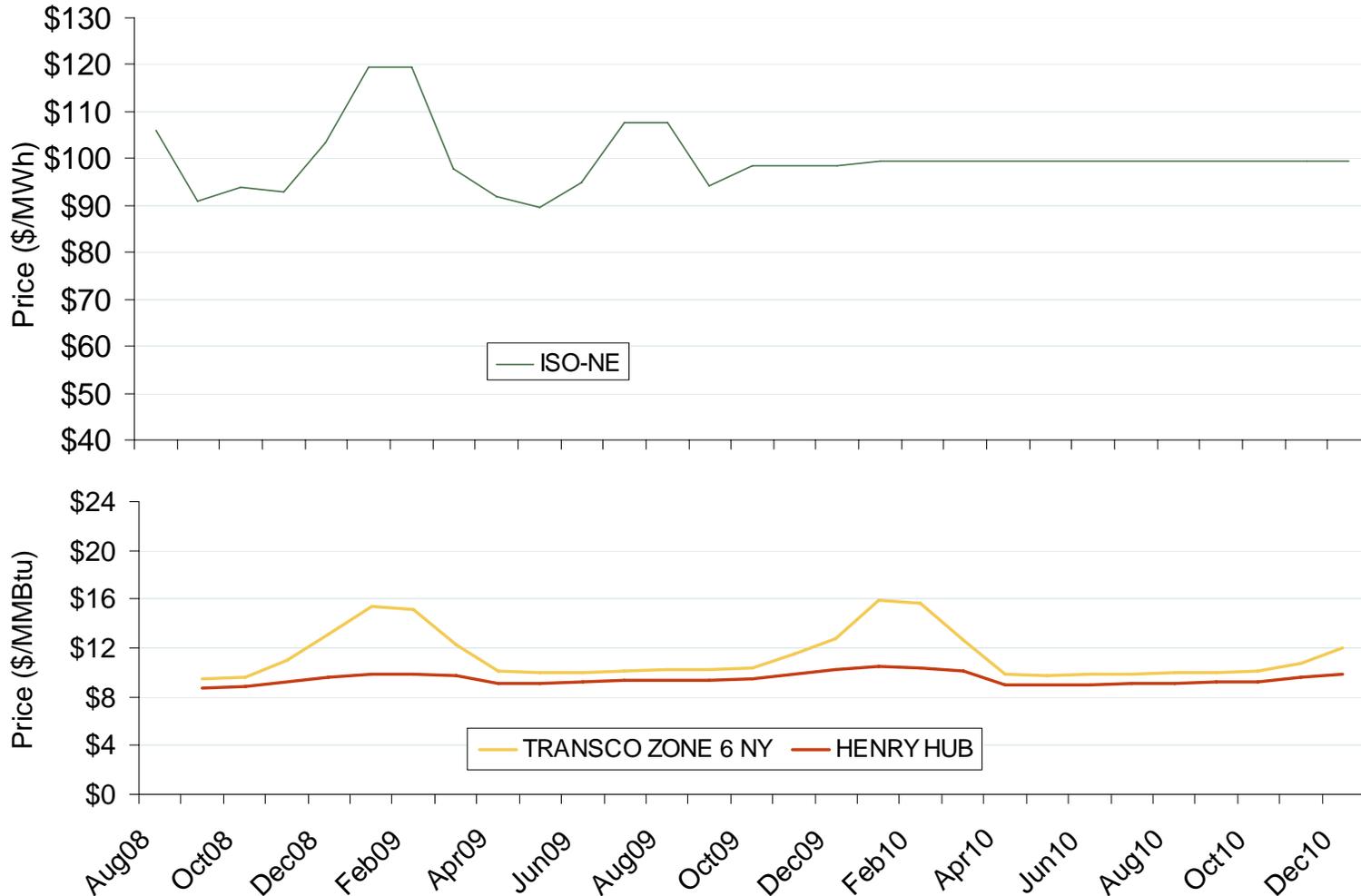
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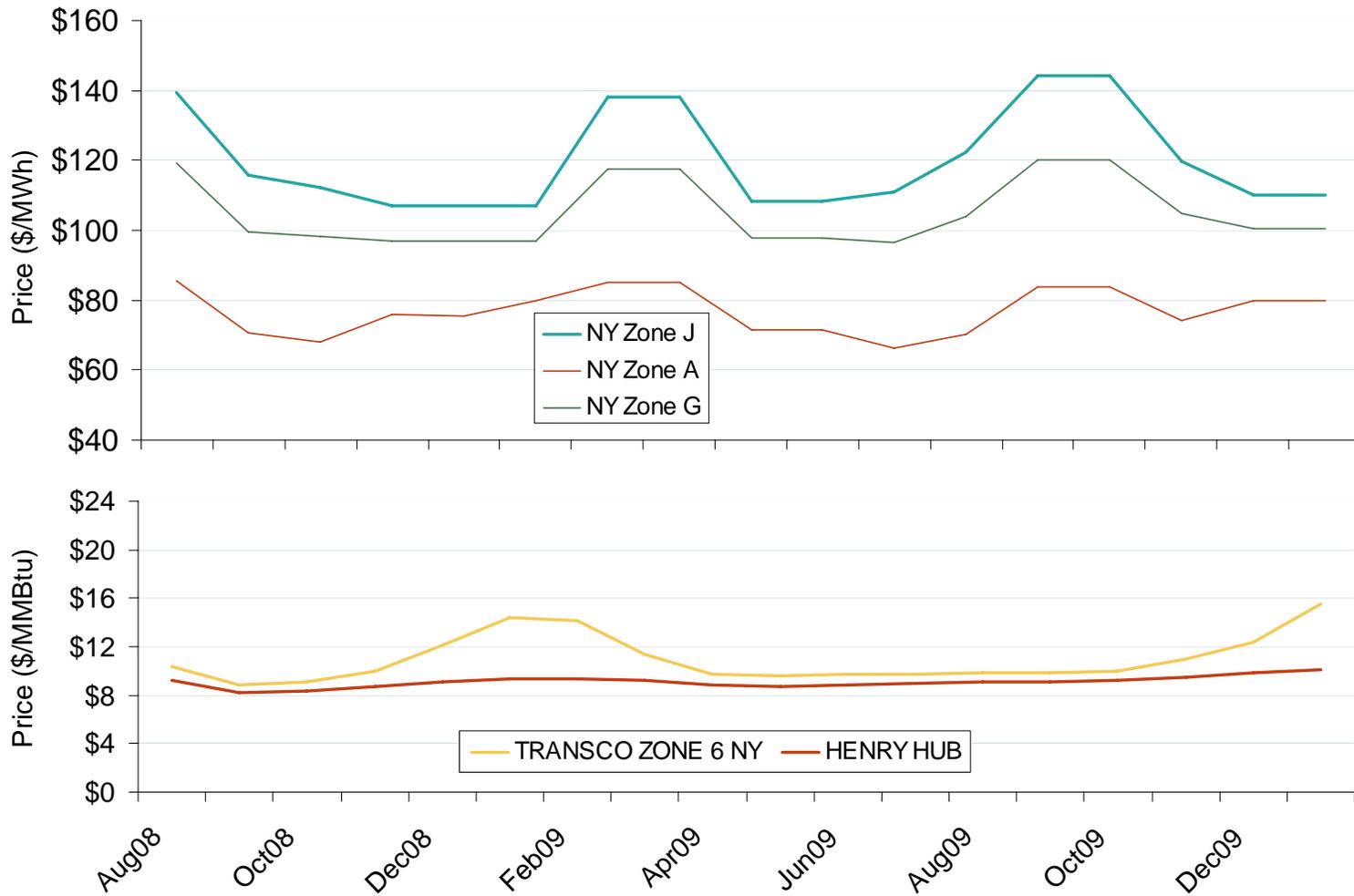
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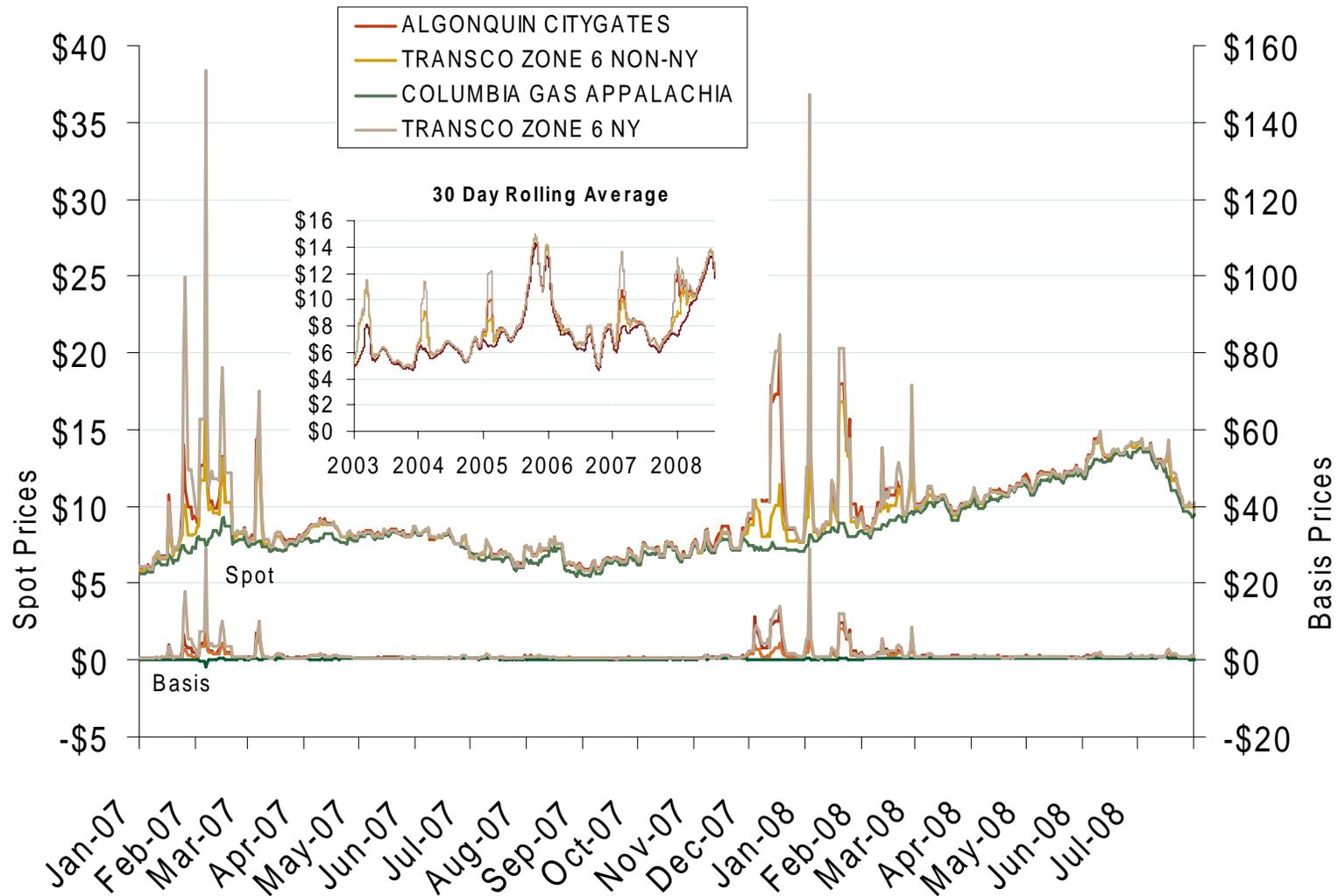
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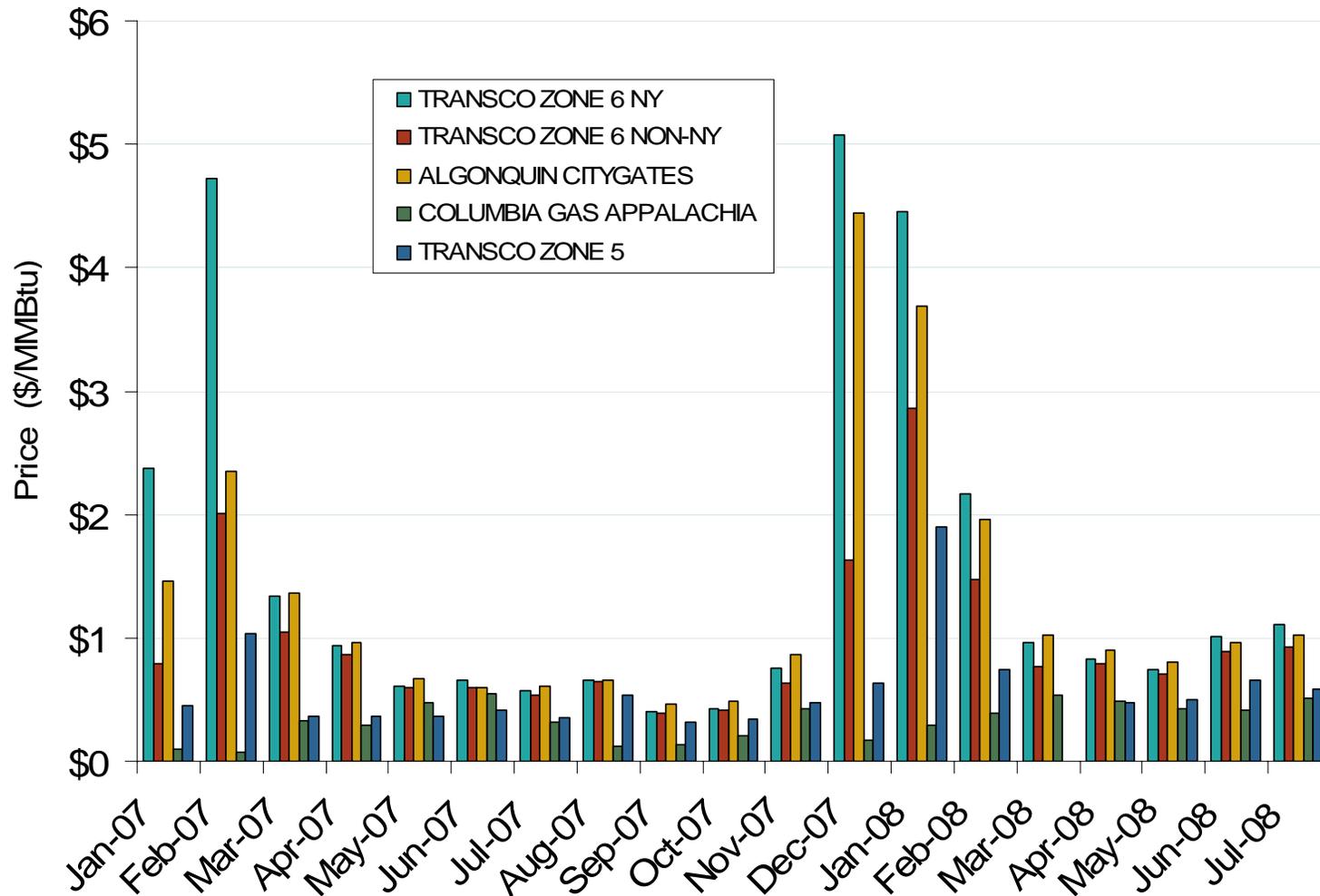
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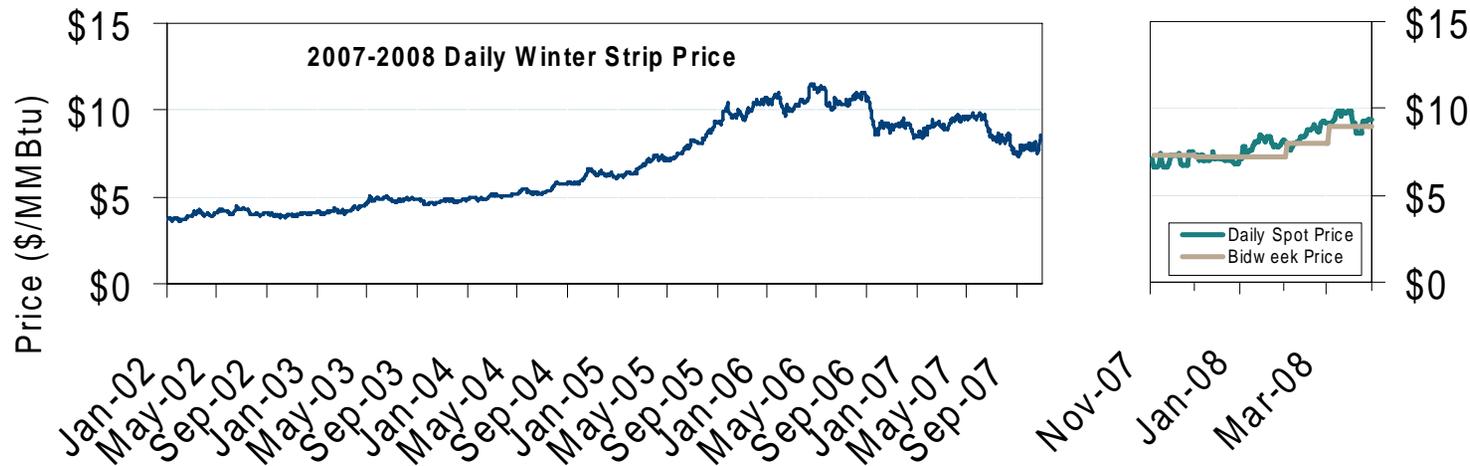
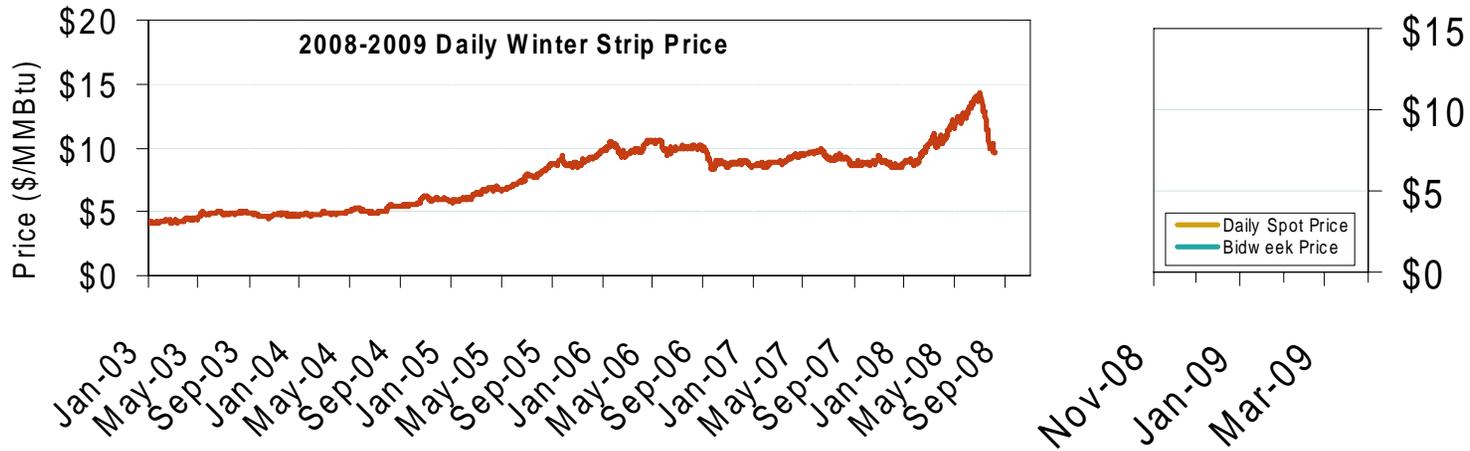
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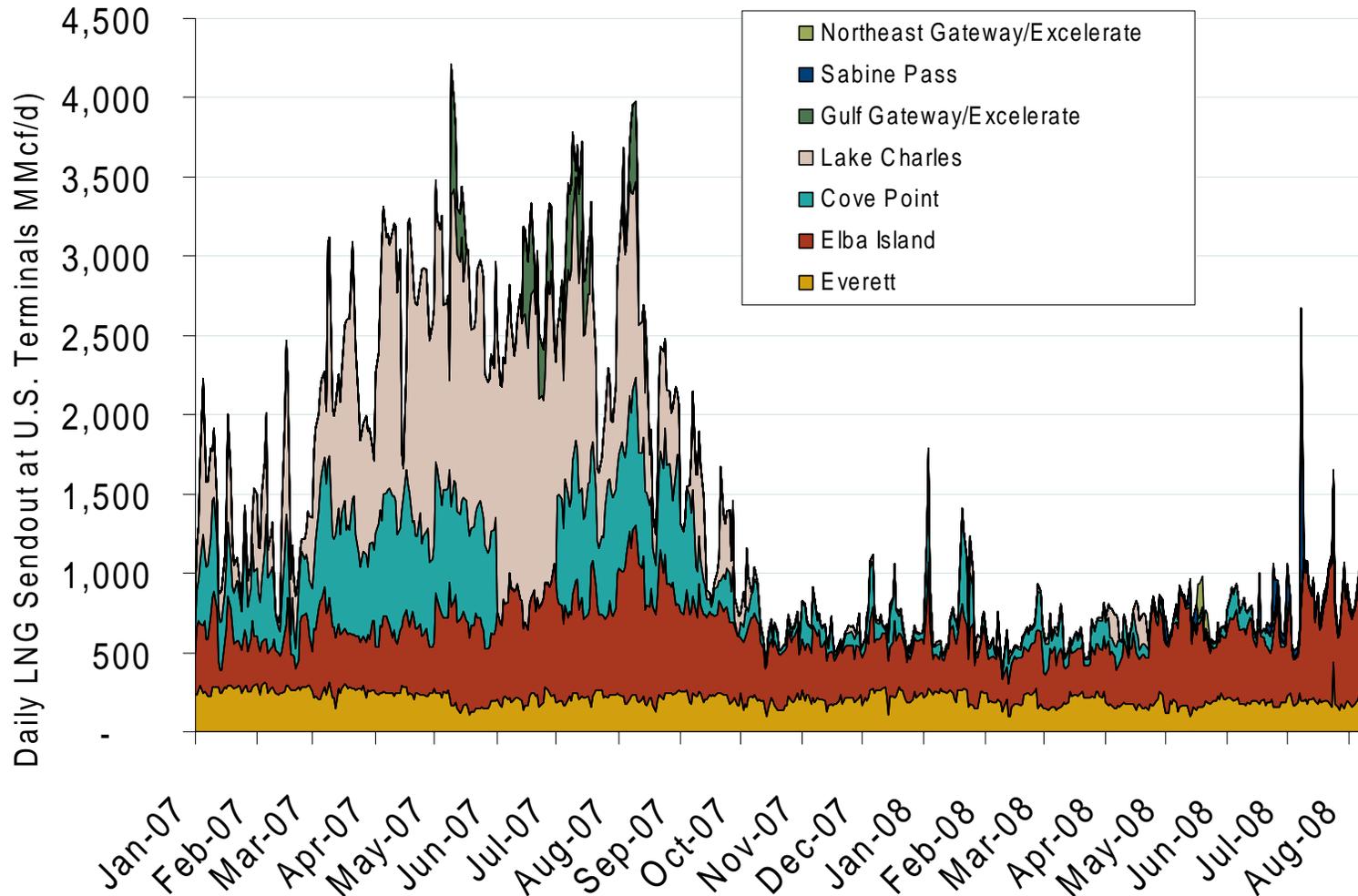
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## Daily Gas Sendout from Existing U.S. LNG Facilities



Source: Derived from *Bentek* data. Excludes Everett LNG delivered via truck and consumed by the Mystic plant as well as Freeport LNG which flows via intrastate pipelines.

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