

**Motor Fuel Tax Report for the Month of December 2004 and 2003  
 and Fiscal Year to Date**

	<u>December 2004 (a)</u>	<u>December 2003 (b)</u>	<u>Change</u>	
Motor Fuel Tax Collected	\$147,810,783	\$132,086,972	\$15,723,811	11.90%
Less: Tax Refunded	<u>1,635,973</u>	<u>667,197</u>	<u>968,776</u>	<u>145.20%</u>
Net Tax After Refunds	\$146,174,810	\$131,419,775	\$14,755,035	11.23%
Gallons of Gasoline Taxed	443,465,140	431,010,060	12,455,080	2.89%
Gallons of Special Fuels Taxed *	<u>125,079,911</u>	<u>121,566,940</u>	<u>3,512,971</u>	<u>2.89%</u>
Total Gallons of Fuel Taxed	568,545,051	552,577,000	15,968,051	2.89%

**Fiscal Year to Date**

	<u>July 2004 - December 2004 (a)</u>	<u>July 2003 - December 2003 (b)</u>	<u>Change</u>	
Motor Fuel Tax Collected	\$883,414,862	\$812,587,763	\$70,827,099	8.72%
Less: Tax Refunded	<u>14,345,258</u>	<u>8,767,956</u>	<u>5,577,302</u>	<u>63.61%</u>
Net Tax After Refunds	\$869,069,604	\$803,819,807	\$65,249,797	8.12%
Gallons of Gasoline Taxed	2,639,314,105	2,645,344,888	-6,030,783	-0.23%
Gallons of Special Fuels Taxed *	<u>758,421,436</u>	<u>745,700,137</u>	<u>12,721,299</u>	<u>1.71%</u>
Total Gallons of Fuel Taxed	3,397,735,541	3,391,045,025	6,690,516	0.20%

**Gallons of Ethanol, Motor Fuel Sold to Propel Aircraft  
and to the U.S. Government or Agencies Thereof  
For the Month of December 2004 and 2003  
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	<u>December 2004 (a)</u>	<u>December 2003 (b)</u>	<u>Change</u>	
Gallons of Motor Fuel Sold to Propel Aircraft	36,401,884	31,025,842	5,376,042	17.33%
Gallons of Motor Fuel Sold to United States Government or Agencies Thereof	924,665	800,805	123,860	15.47%
Inventory Floor Tax	\$0	\$0	\$0	NA

**Fiscal Year to Date**

	<u>July 2004 - December 2004 (a)</u>	<u>July 2003 - December 2003 (b)</u>	<u>Change</u>	
Gallons of Motor Fuel Sold to Propel Aircraft	207,712,768	188,180,576	19,532,192	10.38%
Gallons of Motor Fuel Sold to United States Government or Agencies Thereof	5,539,100	4,602,227	936,873	20.36%
Inventory Floor Tax	\$0	\$0	\$0	NA

(a) Tax rate is \$0.26 per gallon.

(b) Tax rate is \$0.24 per gallon.

\* Special fuels include diesel, kerosene, and propane.

NA: Not applicable

Source: Records of Ohio Department of Taxation, Motor Fuel Tax Section.