

**Table 34d: Movements in World Oil Prices: January 2006 - November 2009
and Gold Prices: January 2008 - November 2009**

| Monthly Average | IPE Brent Oil (US\$ per barrel) | | | | NYMEX Oil (US\$ per barrel) | | | | COMEX Gold (US\$/Oz.) | |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2008 | 2009 |
| January | 63.8 | 54.7 | 92.1 | 45.6 | 65.5 | 54.3 | 92.9 | 41.7 | 893.1 | 861.3 |
| February | 61.1 | 58.8 | 94.6 | 43.9 | 61.9 | 59.4 | 95.4 | 39.4 | 928.5 | 942.8 |
| March | 63.0 | 62.5 | 102.9 | 47.4 | 62.9 | 60.7 | 105.4 | 48.1 | 964.2 | 925.9 |
| April | 70.5 | 67.6 | 110.4 | 51.4 | 70.2 | 64.0 | 112.5 | 49.9 | 913.1 | 893.6 |
| May | 71.0 | 67.8 | 124.6 | 58.6 | 71.0 | 63.5 | 125.5 | 59.2 | 891.3 | 930.3 |
| June | 69.8 | 70.5 | 133.8 | 69.3 | 71.0 | 67.6 | 134.0 | 69.7 | 892.1 | 947.0 |
| July | 74.3 | 75.8 | 134.3 | 65.8 | 74.4 | 74.1 | 133.5 | 64.3 | 934.8 | 935.9 |
| August | 73.9 | 71.2 | 115.2 | 73.1 | 73.1 | 72.4 | 116.7 | 71.1 | 842.5 | 951.5 |
| September | 63.6 | 77.0 | 100.4 | 68.1 | 63.9 | 79.6 | 103.8 | 69.5 | 833.9 | 1,000.2 |
| October | 59.8 | 82.5 | 73.7 | 73.9 | 59.1 | 85.6 | 76.7 | 75.8 | 804.8 | 1,045.1 |
| November | 59.8 | 92.2 | 54.9 | 77.6 | 59.4 | 94.6 | 57.4 | 78.1 | 755.9 | 1,126.8 |
| December | 62.3 | 91.6 | 43.0 | | 62.1 | 91.9 | 42.1 | | 824.1 | |
| Average | 66.1 | 72.7 | 98.3 | 61.3 | 66.2 | 72.3 | 99.7 | 60.6 | 873.2 | 960.0 |

Notes: (i) IPE is the International Petroleum Exchange in London, trading benchmark North Sea Brent crude.

(ii) NYMEX is the New York Mercantile Exchange, trading WTI (West Texas Intermediate) US crude.

(iii) COMEX is the Commodities Exchange Division of the New York Mercantile Exchange, trading gold and base metals.

Source: Statistics Division.