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Advice No. 3613 (U 904 G)

Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

# <u>Subject</u>: Correction of Certain Daily Balancing Standby Rates for November 2005 to January 2006

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) hereby submits for filing revisions to its tariff schedules, applicable throughout its service territory, as shown on Attachment B.

## Purpose

This filing corrects certain Daily Balancing Standby Rates for the period of November 1, 2005 through January 31, 2006 in Schedule No. G-IMB, Transportation Imbalance Service, that were filed by Advice Nos. (AL) 3547, 3549, 3553, 3558, 3562, 3564, 3568, 3576, 3579, 3580, 3584, and 3589 in compliance with Decision (D.) 97-11-070, dated November 19, 1997, that were calculated using the incorrect publication index.

## Background

As authorized in Schedule No. G-IMB, customers are subject to balancing rules during the winter operating period.

The Daily Balancing Standby Rates are calculated as follows:

- During November through March customers are required to deliver (flowing supply and firm storage withdrawal) at a minimum of 50% of burn during a five-day period. Volumes not in compliance with the 50% five-day minimum delivery requirement are purchased at the daily balancing standby rate. The daily balancing standby rate is calculated as 150% of the highest Southern California Border price during the five-day period as published in "NGI's *Daily* Gas Price Index" including authorized franchise fees and, for retail customers, uncollectible expenses (F&U), and an authorized brokerage fee.
- 2. When the Utility's total inventory in storage declines to the "peak day minimum + 20 Bcf trigger", the minimum daily delivery requirement increases to 70%. The five-day period no longer applies. The daily balancing standby rate is 150% of the highest Southern California Border price per NGI's *Daily* Gas Price Index for the day (including F&U and

brokerage fee) and is applied to each day's deliveries which are less than the 70% delivery requirement.

3. When the Utility's total inventory in storage declines to the "peak day minimum + 5 Bcf trigger", the minimum delivery requirement increases to 90% daily. Similar to the 70% regime, the five-day period no longer applies. The daily balancing standby rate is 150% of the highest Southern California Border price per NGI's *Daily* Gas Price Index for the day (including F&U and brokerage fee) and is applied to each day's deliveries which are less than the 90% delivery requirement.

For the period of November 1, 2005 through January 31, 2006, several of the Daily Balancing Standby rates filed by AL 3547, 3549, 3553, 3558, 3562, 3564, 3568, 3576, 3579, 3580, 3584, and 3589 were incorrectly calculated. The Saturday and Sunday rates were calculated using the Friday NGI Daily Gas Price index and should have been calculated using the Monday index that as stated in the publication is for Saturday, Sunday and Monday delivery. In addition, the rates for December 1, 2005 to December 14, 2005 were calculated using the average NGI Daily Gas Price instead of the high. Because the incorrect indices were used, some customers were overcharged and some customers were undercharged for their imbalances. These customers will be re-billed using the correct rates.

The corrected and the filed rates for the affected days and 5-day period highs are shown below. Rates for the days not shown were calculated, filed and billed correctly. The workpapers showing the calculation of the corrected rates is incorporated herein as Attachment C.

Day	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	Wholesale
	<u>DB-CR</u>	<u>DB-NR</u>	<u>DB-W</u>
5	\$0.98807	\$0.98872	\$0.98543
6	\$0.98807	\$0.98872	\$0.98543
Period 2 High	\$1.14860	\$1.14925	\$1.14541
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## November 2005 Corrected Rates

## November 2005 Filed Rates

<u>Day</u>	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	Wholesale
	<u>DB-CR</u>	<u>DB-NR</u>	<u>DB-W</u>
5	\$1.23726	\$1.23791	\$1.23378
6	\$1.23726	\$1.23791	\$1.23378

# November 2005 Filed Rates (continued)

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Period 2 High	\$1.23726	\$1.23791	\$1.23378
12	\$1.14860	\$1.14925	\$1.14541
13	\$1.14860	\$1.14925	\$1.14541
19	\$1.56137	\$1.56202	\$1.55680
20	\$1.56137	\$1.56202	\$1.55680
24	\$1.42378	\$1.42443	\$1.41967
25	\$1.42378	\$1.42443	\$1.41967
26	\$1.42378	\$1.42443	\$1.41967
27	\$1.42378	\$1.42443	\$1.41967

# December 2005 Corrected Rates

Day	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	Wholesale
	<u>DB-CR</u>	<u>DB-NR</u>	<u>DB-W</u>
1	\$1.63169	\$1.63234	\$1.62689
2	\$1.69896	\$1.69961	\$1.69393
3	\$1.68367	\$1.68432	\$1.67870
4	\$1.68367	\$1.68432	\$1.67870
5	\$1.68367	\$1.68432	\$1.67870
Period 1 High	\$1.69896	\$1.69961	\$1.69393
6	\$1.94356	\$1.94421	\$1.93772
7	\$1.86406	\$1.86471	\$1.85849
8	\$2.07809	\$2.07874	\$2.07180
9	\$2.14230	\$2.14295	\$2.13580
10	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341
Period 2 High	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341
11	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341
12	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341
13	\$2.07351	\$2.07416	\$2.06723
14	\$2.18511	\$2.18576	\$2.17846
Period 3 High	\$2.18511	\$2.18576	\$2.17846
17	\$1.88241	\$1.88306	\$1.87677
18	\$1.88241	\$1.88306	\$1.87677
24	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920
25	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920
26	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920
Period 6 High	\$1.40849	\$1.40914	\$1.40444

	Fi	led Rates	
December 2005	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	Wholesale
<u>Day</u>	<u>DB-CR</u>	<u>DB-NR</u>	<u>DB-W</u>
1	\$1.58430	\$1.58495	\$1.57966
2	\$1.66379	\$1.66444	\$1.65889
3	\$1.66379	\$1.66444	\$1.65889
4	\$1.66379	\$1.66444	\$1.65889
5	\$1.64086	\$1.66451	\$1.63603
Period 1 High	\$1.66379	\$1.66444	\$1.65889
	\$1.88241	\$1.88306	\$1.87677
7	\$1.83960	\$1.84025	\$1.83411
8	\$1.95426	\$1.95491	\$1.94838
9	\$2.05669	\$2.05734	\$2.05047
10	\$2.05669	\$2.05734	\$2.05047
Period 2 High	\$2.05669	\$2.05734	\$2.05047
11	\$2.05669	\$2.05734	\$2.05047
12	\$2.10103	\$2.10168	\$2.09466
13	\$2.04446	\$2.04511	\$2.03828
14	\$2.13007	\$2.13072	\$2.12361
Period 3 High	\$2.13007	\$2.13072	\$2.12361
17 18 24 25 26	\$1.98942 \$1.98942 \$1.73718 \$1.73718 \$1.73718 \$1.73718	\$1.99007 \$1.99007 \$1.73783 \$1.73783 \$1.73783	\$1.98343 \$1.98343 \$1.73202 \$1.73202 \$1.73202
Period 6 High	\$1.73718	\$1.73783	\$1.73202

## December 2005 Filed Rates

# January 2006 Corrected Rates

<u>Day</u>	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	Wholesale
	<u>DB-CR</u>	<u>DB-NR</u>	<u>DB-W</u>
1	\$1.22503	\$1.22568	\$1.22159
2	\$1.22503	\$1.22568	\$1.22159
Period 1 High	\$1.29383	\$1.29448	\$1.29016
7 8 14 15 16	\$1.22198 \$1.22198 \$1.22045 \$1.22045 \$1.22045 \$1.22045	\$1.22263 \$1.22263 \$1.22110 \$1.22110 \$1.22110	\$1.21855 \$1.21855 \$1.21702 \$1.21702 \$1.21702
Period 4 High	\$1.24949	\$1.25014	\$1.24597
21	\$1.21280	\$1.21345	\$1.20941
22	\$1.21280	\$1.21345	\$1.20941
28	\$1.11496	\$1.11561	\$1.11189
29	\$1.11496	\$1.11561	\$1.11189

# January 2006 Filed Rates

Day	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	Wholesale
	<u>DB-CR</u>	<u>DB-NR</u>	<u>DB-W</u>
1	\$1.31676	\$1.31741	\$1.31301
2	\$1.31676	\$1.31741	\$1.31301
Period 1 High	\$1.31676	\$1.31741	\$1.31301
7	\$1.25102	\$1.25167	\$1.24750
8	\$1.25102	\$1.25167	\$1.24750
14	\$1.26784	\$1.26849	\$1.26426
15	\$1.26784	\$1.26849	\$1.26426
16	\$1.26784	\$1.26849	\$1.26426
Period 4 High	\$1.26784	\$1.26849	\$1.26426
21	\$1.13331	\$1.13396	\$1.13017
22	\$1.13331	\$1.13396	\$1.13017
28	\$1.04158	\$1.04223	\$1.03875
29	\$1.04158	\$1.04223	\$1.03875

## Requested Tariff Change

The following language is being added to the end of the Daily Balancing Standby Rates section of Schedule No. G-IMB:

"The Daily Balancing Standby Rates were incorrectly calculated for several days in the months of November 2005, December 2005 and January 2006. Affected customers will be re-billed at the corrected rates, resulting in additional charges for some customers and credits for other customers."

## Protest

Anyone may protest this Advice Letter to the California Public Utilities Commission. The protest must state the grounds upon which it is based, including such items as financial and service impact, and should be submitted expeditiously. The protest must be made in writing and must be received within 20 days of the date of this Advice Letter. There is no restriction on who may file a protest. The address for mailing or delivering a protest to the Commission is:

CPUC Energy Division Attention: Tariff Unit 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102

Copies of the protest should also be sent via e-mail to the attention of both Jerry Royer (<u>jir@cpuc.ca.gov</u>) and to Honesto Gatchalian (<u>jnj@cpuc.ca.gov</u>) of the Energy Division. A copy of the protest should also be sent via both e-mail <u>and</u> facsimile to the address shown below on the same date it is mailed or delivered to the Commission.

Attn: Sid Newsom Tariff Manager - GT14D6 555 West Fifth Street Los Angeles, CA 90013-1011 Facsimile No. (213) 244-4957 E-mail: <u>snewsom@SempraUtilities.com</u>

## Effective Date

SoCalGas believes that this filing is subject to Energy Division disposition and therefore respectfully requests that this advice letter become effective April 23, 2006, which is not less than thirty (30) calendar days after the date filed.

## <u>Notice</u>

A copy of this advice letter is being sent to the parties listed on Attachment A and all customers affected by this rate correction.

J. STEVE RAHON Director Tariffs and Regulatory Accounts

# CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

ADVICE LETTER FILING SUMMARY

MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)		
Company name/CPUC Utility No. S	OUTHERN CALIFO	RNIA GAS COMPANY/ U 904 G
Utility type:	Contact Person: D	onna Shepherd
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EXPLANATION OF UTILITY T	YPE	(Date Filed/ Received Stamp by CPUC)
ELC = ElectricGAS = GasPLC = PipelineHEAT = Heat	WATER = Water	
Advice Letter (AL) #: <u>3613</u>		
Subject of AL: <u>Correction of Certa</u>	ain Daily Balancing	Standby Rates for November 2005,
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Resolution Required?  Yes X No		
Requested effective date: <u>3/24/06</u> No. of tariff sheets: <u>3</u>		
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Service affected and changes proposed <sup>1</sup> :		
Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: <u>3595, 3600, 3605, 3608, 3611</u>		
Protests and all other correspondence this filing, unless otherwise authoriz		are due no later than 20 days after the date of on, and shall be sent to:
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ATTACHMENT A

Advice No. 3613

(See Attached Service List)

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## ATTACHMENT B Advice No. 3613

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## Schedule No. G-IMB TRANSPORTATION IMBALANCE SERVICE

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<u>RATES</u> (Continued)

Daily Balancing Standby Rates (Continued)

Daily Balancing Standby Rate, per therm (Continued)

March 2006 <u>Day</u>	Core Retail <u>DB-CR</u>	Noncore Retail <u>DB-NR</u>	Wholesale <u>DB-W</u>
21	\$0.96056	\$0.96121	\$0.95800
22	\$0.93457	\$0.93522	\$0.93210
23	\$0.93151	\$0.93216	\$0.92905
24	\$0.93609	\$0.93674	\$0.93362
25	\$0.97279	\$0.97344	\$0.97019
Period 5 High	\$0.97279	\$0.97344	\$0.97019
26	\$0.97279	\$0.97344	\$0.97019
27	\$0.97279	\$0.97344	\$0.97019
28	\$0.91928	\$0.91993	\$0.91686
29	\$0.91469	\$0.91534	\$0.91229
30	\$0.93151	\$0.93216	\$0.92905
31	\$0.95444	\$0.95509	\$0.95191
Period 6 High	\$0.97279	\$0.97344	\$0.97019

Note: For the days of March 1-31, 2006 the Utility's total inventory in storage was above the "peak day minimum + 20 Bcf trigger" and therefore the five-day period applies.

## **Revision of Rates**

The Standby Procurement Charge and the Buy-Back Rate shall be established effective the last day of each month. The Daily Balancing Standby Rate shall be established on NGI's *Daily* Gas Price Index. Utility may file the Daily Balancing Standby Rate weekly to become effective immediately. In any event, the Daily Balancing Standby Rate shall be filed on or before the fifth business day of each month.

The Daily Balancing Standby Rates were incorrectly calculated for several days in the months of November 2005, December 2005 and January 2006. Affected customers will be re-billed at the corrected rates, resulting in additional charges for some customers and credits for other customers.

## SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. Definitions of the principal terms used in this rate schedule are contained in Rule No. 1.

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(TO BE INSERTED BY UTILITY)	ISSUED BY	(TO BE INSERTED BY CAL. PUC)
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# DAILY BALANCING STANDBY RATE CORRECTION FILING

# RATE CALCULATION WORKPAPERS FOR NOVEMBER 2005, DECEMBER 2005 AND JANUARY 2006

# ATTACHMENT C ADVICE NO. 3613 REVISED RATE CALCULATION WORKPAPER DAILY BALANCING STANDBY RATE CORRECTION FILING EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 1-30, 2005

Daily Balancing Standby Rate = 150% x (NGI's Price Index + F&U Charge) + Brokerage Fee F&U Charge is 1.9187% of NGI's Price Index for Retail and 1.5779% for Wholesale Brokerage Fee is 0.201 cents for Core Retail; 0.266 cents for Noncore Retail/Wholesale

November	NGI's	Daily Balancing Standby Rates			
<u>Day</u>	Price Index	Core Retail	Noncore Retail	<u>Wholesale</u>	
	<b>\$</b> 0,0000	<b>\$4 5</b> 0004	<b>\$4</b> 50000	<b>\$4</b> ,40500	
1	\$0.98000	\$1.50021	\$1.50086	\$1.49586	
2	\$0.72600	\$1.11190	\$1.11255	\$1.10884	
3	\$0.82000	\$1.25561	\$1.25626	\$1.25207	
4	\$0.80800	\$1.23726	\$1.23791	\$1.23378	
5	\$0.64500	\$0.98807	\$0.98872	\$0.98543	
6	\$0.64500	\$0.98807	\$0.98872	\$0.98543	
7	\$0.64500	\$0.98807	\$0.98872	\$0.98543	
8	\$0.67100	\$1.02782	\$1.02847	\$1.02504	
9	\$0.72500	\$1.11038	\$1.11103	\$1.10732	
10	\$0.75000	\$1.14860	\$1.14925	\$1.14541	
11	\$0.75000	\$1.14860	\$1.14925	\$1.14541	
12	\$0.68500	\$1.04922	\$1.04987	\$1.04637	
13	\$0.68500	\$1.04922	\$1.04987	\$1.04637	
14	\$0.68500	\$1.04922	\$1.04987	\$1.04637	
15	\$0.72500	\$1.11038	\$1.11103	\$1.10732	
16	\$0.81000	\$1.24032	\$1.24097	\$1.23683	
17	\$0.99500	\$1.52315	\$1.52380	\$1.51871	
18	\$1.02000	\$1.56137	\$1.56202	\$1.55680	
19	\$0.90000	\$1.37791	\$1.37856	\$1.37396	
20	\$0.90000	\$1.37791	\$1.37856	\$1.37396	
21	\$0.90000	\$1.37791	\$1.37856	\$1.37396	
22	\$0.90000	\$1.37791	\$1.37856	\$1.37396	
23	\$0.93000	\$1.42378	\$1.42443	\$1.41967	
24	\$0.80500	\$1.23268	\$1.23333	\$1.22921	
25	\$0.80500	\$1.23268	\$1.23333	\$1.22921	
26	\$0.80500	\$1.23268	\$1.23333	\$1.22921	
27	\$0.80500	\$1.23268	\$1.23333	\$1.22921	
28	\$0.80500	\$1.23268	\$1.23333	\$1.22921	
29	\$1.00000	\$1.53079	\$1.53144	\$1.52633	
30	\$1.00000	\$1.53079	\$1.53144	\$1.52633	
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(All rates are per therm)

# ATTACHMENT C ADVICE NO. 3613 RATE CALCULATION WORKPAPER DAILY BALANCING STANDBY RATE CORRECTION FILING EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1-31, 2005

Daily Balancing Standby Rate = 150% x (NGI's Price Index + F&U Charge) + Brokerage Fee F&U Charge is 1.9187% of NGI's Price Index for Retail and 1.5779% for Wholesale Brokerage Fee is 0.201 cents for Core Retail; 0.266 cents for Noncore Retail/Wholesale

December	NGI's	Daily Balancing Standby Rates			
Day	Price Index	<u>Core Retail</u>	Noncore Retail	<u>Wholesale</u>	
	<b>*</b> · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<i></i>	<b>•</b> <i>i</i> • • • • • <i>i</i>	<b>*</b> · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
1	\$1.06600	\$1.63169	\$1.63234	\$1.62689	
2	\$1.11000	\$1.69896	\$1.69961	\$1.69393	
3	\$1.10000	\$1.68367	\$1.68432	\$1.67870	
4	\$1.10000	\$1.68367	\$1.68432	\$1.67870	
5	\$1.10000	\$1.68367	\$1.68432	\$1.67870	
6	\$1.27000	\$1.94356	\$1.94421	\$1.93772	
7	\$1.21800	\$1.86406	\$1.86471	\$1.85849	
8	\$1.35800	\$2.07809	\$2.07874	\$2.07180	
9	\$1.40000	\$2.14230	\$2.14295	\$2.13580	
10	\$1.40500	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341	
11	\$1.40500	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341	
12	\$1.40500	\$2.14995	\$2.15060	\$2.14341	
13	\$1.35500	\$2.07351	\$2.07416	\$2.06723	
14	\$1.42800	\$2.18511	\$2.18576	\$2.17846	
15	\$1.37500	\$2.10408	\$2.10473	\$2.09770	
16	\$1.30000	\$1.98942	\$1.99007	\$1.98343	
17	\$1.23000	\$1.88241	\$1.88306	\$1.87677	
18	\$1.23000	\$1.88241	\$1.88306	\$1.87677	
19	\$1.23000	\$1.88241	\$1.88306	\$1.87677	
20	\$1.24800	\$1.90993	\$1.91058	\$1.90420	
21	\$1.24100	\$1.89923	\$1.89988	\$1.89353	
22	\$1.21200	\$1.85489	\$1.85554	\$1.84935	
23	\$1.13500	\$1.73718	\$1.73783	\$1.73202	
24	\$0.91000	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920	
25	\$0.91000	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920	
26	\$0.91000	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920	
27	\$0.91000	\$1.39320	\$1.39385	\$1.38920	
28	\$0.92000	\$1.40849	\$1.40914	\$1.40444	
29	\$0.82200	\$1.25867	\$1.25932	\$1.25512	
30	\$0.86000	\$1.31676	\$1.31741	\$1.31301	
31	\$0.86000	\$1.31676	\$1.31741	\$1.31301	

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# ATTACHMENT C ADVICE NO. 3613 RATE CALCULATION WORKPAPER DAILY BALANCING STANDBY RATE CORRECTION FILING EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1-31, 2006

Daily Balancing Standby Rate = 150% x (NGI's Price Index + F&U Charge) + Brokerage Fee F&U Charge is 1.9187% of NGI's Price Index for Retail and 1.5779% for Wholesale Brokerage Fee is 0.201 cents for Core Retail; 0.266 cents for Noncore Retail/Wholesale

January NGI's **Daily Balancing Standby Rates** Day Price Index **Core Retail** Noncore Retail Wholesale 1 \$0.80000 \$1.22503 \$1.22568 \$1.22159 2 \$0.80000 \$1.22503 \$1.22568 \$1.22159 3 \$1.22503 \$1.22568 \$0.80000 \$1.22159 4 \$1.29383 \$1.29448 \$0.84500 \$1.29016 5 \$0.82700 \$1.26631 \$1.26696 \$1.26273 6 \$0.81700 \$1.25102 \$1.25167 \$1.24750 7 \$0.79800 \$1.22198 \$1.22263 \$1.21855 8 \$0.79800 \$1.22198 \$1.22263 \$1.21855 9 \$1.22198 \$1.22263 \$1.21855 \$0.79800 10 \$0.79800 \$1.22198 \$1.22263 \$1.21855 11 \$1.22045 \$1.22110 \$1.21702 \$0.79700 12 \$0.80700 \$1.23574 \$1.23639 \$1.23226 13 \$0.82800 \$1.26784 \$1.26849 \$1.26426 14 \$1.22045 \$1.22110 \$1.21702 \$0.79700 15 \$0.79700 \$1.22045 \$1.22110 \$1.21702 16 \$0.79700 \$1.22045 \$1.22110 \$1.21702 17 \$0.79700 \$1.22045 \$1.22110 \$1.21702 18 \$0.81600 \$1.24949 \$1.25014 \$1.24597 19 \$0.79500 \$1.21739 \$1.21804 \$1.21398 20 \$0.74000 \$1.13331 \$1.13396 \$1.13017 21 \$0.79200 \$1.21280 \$1.21345 \$1.20941 22 \$0.79200 \$1.21280 \$1.21345 \$1.20941 23 \$0.79200 \$1.21280 \$1.21345 \$1.20941 24 \$0.75700 \$1.15930 \$1.15995 \$1.15608 25 \$0.74300 \$1.13789 \$1.13854 \$1.13475 26 \$0.75000 \$1.14860 \$1.14925 \$1.14541 27 \$0.68000 \$1.04158 \$1.04223 \$1.03875 28 \$0.72800 \$1.11496 \$1.11561 \$1.11189 29 \$0.72800 \$1.11496 \$1.11561 \$1.11189 30 \$0.72800 \$1.11496 \$1.11561 \$1.11189 31 \$0.74800 \$1.14554 \$1.14619 \$1.14236

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