

Tenth District Energy Activity Increased Slightly

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**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** - The Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City released the first quarter Energy Survey today. According to Megan Williams, associate economist and survey manager at the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, the survey revealed that Tenth District energy activity increased slightly, and expectations remained expansionary.

"District drilling and business activity grew modestly for the first time since Q4 2022 as oil and gas prices showed strength in Q1," said Williams. "However, revenues and profits still declined but were expected to increase in the coming months."

The Kansas City Fed's quarterly Tenth District Energy Survey provides information on current and expected activity among energy firms in the Tenth District. The survey monitors oil and gas-related firms located and/or headquartered in the Tenth District, with results based on total firm activity. Survey results reveal changes in several indicators of energy activity, including drilling, capital spending, and employment. Firms also indicate projections for oil and gas prices. All results are diffusion indexes – the percentage of firms indicating increases minus the percentage of firms indicating decreases.

A summary of the survey is attached. Results from past surveys and release dates for future surveys can be found at https://www.kansascityfed.org/surveys/energy-survey.

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