



## Amerex Data Historical Database Surpasses 3 Million Unique Data Points

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Amerex Data has now reached over 3 million data points in its historical database of natural gas and power end of day, indicative marks. December 2009 will mark the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Amerex Data with historical data reports dating back to December 1999 in natural gas and power. This database is available for purchase from Amerex Data and its vendors for a low, one-time fee.

In addition to the historical database, Amerex offers daily indicative data reports covering the North American natural gas, power and emissions markets. Amerex natural gas data offers 66 physical and financial price points and tenors to 2013. Amerex electrical power data offers 134 instruments and tenors to 2016. Amerex emissions data reports offer NOx and Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) with tenors to 2014 and SO2 with tenors to 2030. Weekly reports are available for west power options volatility values and RECs.

“Our databases are used by institutional traders and their analysts, retail and wholesale energy providers and consumers, as well as various state and federal legislative and regulatory bodies,” commented Mike Prokop, Senior Vice President of Amerex Brokers LLC and the head of the data division at Amerex. “These entities rely on our daily assessments to provide much needed transparency into the over the counter energy markets. To have this quantity of exclusive market data in one place is a testament to the size of the large pool of liquidity our brokers have worked hard to create over the years,” he added.

Custom daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, and annual reports by product and/or tenor are also available. Please visit [www.amerexdata.com](http://www.amerexdata.com) for more information and to sign up for a free trial.

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