



SHORT-TERM INDICATORS OF ENERGY STATISTICS, APRIL 2026, FIRST RESULTS

In April 2026, electricity available for the inland market amounted to **1 421 GWh**. The availability of electricity for domestic consumption decreased by **11.5%** compared to March 2026 and increased by **2.7%** compared to April 2025.

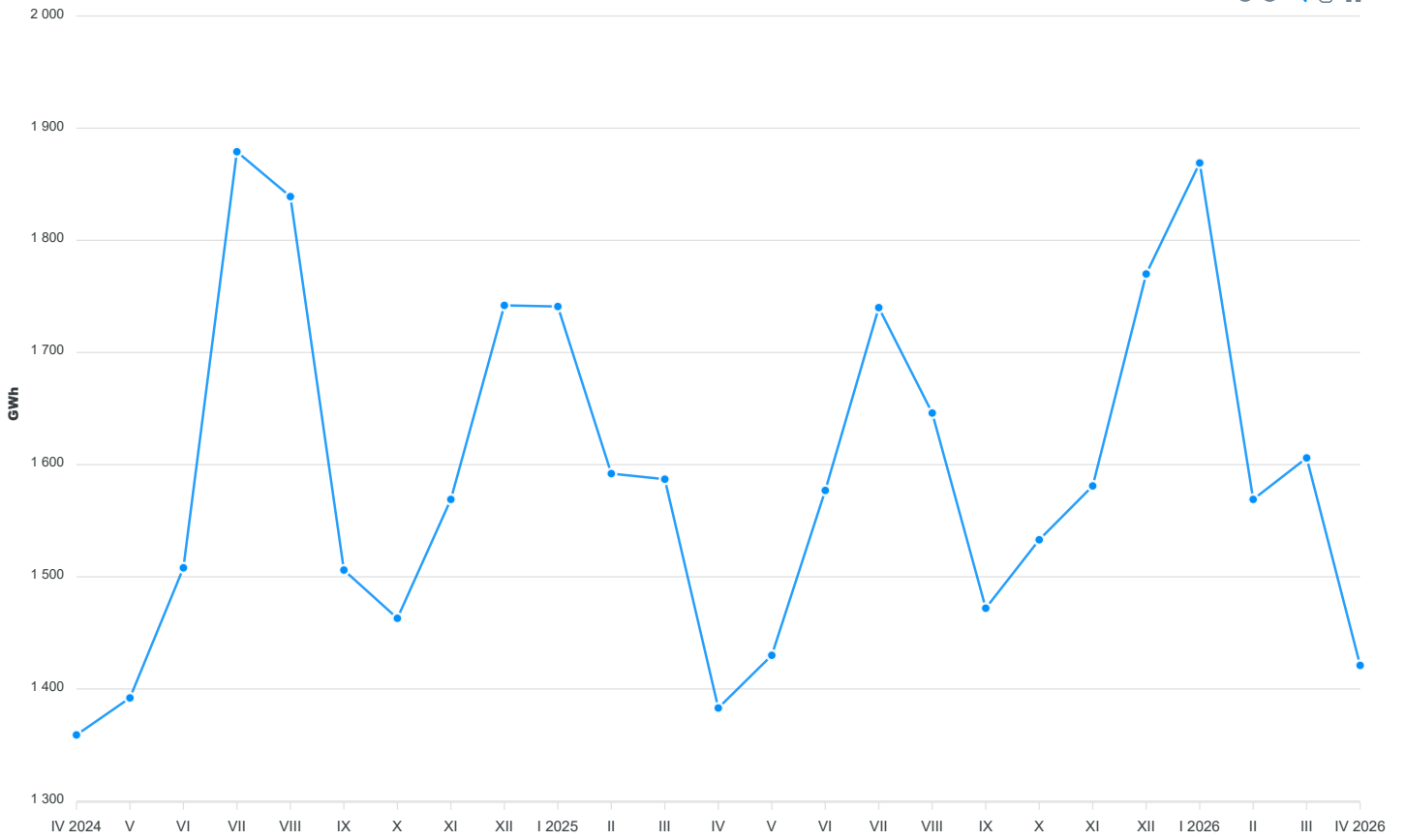
The amount of natural gas available for consumption in April 2026 was **7 572 TJ**, while the stocks decreased by 1 467 TJ. The amount of natural gas available for domestic consumption in April 2026 decreased by 14.8% compared to March 2026 and by 11.2% compared to April 2025.

The amount of petroleum products available for consumption in April 2026 was **291 thousand tonnes**, while the stocks increased by 6 000 tonnes. The amount of petroleum products available for domestic consumption in April 2026 decreased by 2.7% compared to March 2026 and increased by **7.4%** compared to April 2025.

The amount of electricity available for consumption also includes losses in the electricity network.

As for other energy products, the quantity available for the inland market also contains the quantities of energy products that may end up in warehouses, either in those of final consumers or in retail trade.

G-1 ELECTRICITY AVAILABLE FOR INLAND MARKET, APRIL 2024 – APRIL 2026



1 ELECTRICITY

GWh

Supply	Electricity							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Total gross production	1 475	1 204	1 476	1 223	1 770	1 717	1 268	1 012
Hydro power plants	665	502	741	540	838	892	565	402
Thermal power plants and CHP on fossil fuels	371	353	234	217	563	450	218	79
Thermal power plants and CHP on renewable fuels	85	81	86	77	86	76	80	76
Wind power plants	329	224	343	293	252	232	290	301
Solar power plants	25	44	73	96	32	67	115	154
Geothermal power plants	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total net production	1 457	1 185	1 451	1 209	1 736	1 689	1 255	1 003
Hydro power plants	662	499	739	537	835	889	563	400
Thermal power plants and CHP on fossil fuels	361	344	225	209	539	429	212	76
Thermal power plants and CHP on renewable fuels	81	75	81	75	80	72	76	72
Wind power plants	328	223	333	292	250	232	289	300
Solar power plants	25	44	73	96	32	67	115	154
Geothermal power plants	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Import	1 068	1 000	950	936	849	744	1 090	1 136
Export	763	568	783	715	709	857	701	679
Energy absorbed by storage pumping	21	25	31	47	6	7	38	39
Available for inland market	1 741	1 592	1 587	1 383	1 869	1 569	1 606	1 421

2 NATURAL GAS

Supply	Unit of measure	Natural gas							
		2025				2026			
		I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	mIn m ³	63	55	59	57	64	55	62	58
	TJ (GCV)	2 498	2 200	2 340	2 266	2 540	2 174	2 474	2 331
Import	mIn m ³	267	175	190	170	207	271	262	183
	TJ (GCV)	10 532	6 998	7 435	6 994	7 981	10 644	10 332	7 298
Export	mIn m ³	58	28	64	46	7	27	76	88
	TJ (GCV)	2 268	1 096	2 500	1 831	252	1 071	2 940	3 525
Variation of stocks	mIn m ³	-51	-90	-64	-27	-118	3	25	-37
	TJ (GCV)	-1 924	-3 468	-2 620	-1 103	-4 704	235	979	-1 467
Available for inland market	mIn m ³	322	293	249	209	382	295	223	190
	TJ (GCV)	12 686	11 570	9 895	8 531	14 973	11 512	8 888	7 572

3 HYDROCARBONS

3.1 CRUDE OIL

'000 tonnes

Supply	Crude oil							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	41	35	39	38	38	35	38	38
Import	305	184	179	220	119	-	279	198
Export	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation of stocks	75	-12	-21	9	-102	-8	201	-37
Refinery input	271	231	239	249	259	43	116	273

3.2 PETROLEUM PRODUCTS - TOTAL

'000 tonnes

Supply	Petroleum products							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	330	273	276	290	289	87	138	310
Import	180	113	217	225	185	265	346	216
Export	225	209	197	193	204	149	159	229
Variation of stocks	-9	-45	28	51	-6	-55	26	6
Available for inland market	294	222	268	271	276	258	299	291

3.2.1 MOTOR GASOLINE

'000 tonnes

Supply	Motor gasoline							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	102	70	74	79	68	20	32	77
Import	22	10	15	20	25	11	15	11
Export	98	65	45	55	48	17	23	36
Variation of stocks	-23	-8	14	1	9	-19	-19	6
Available for inland market	49	23	30	43	36	33	43	46

3.2.2 GAS/DIESEL OIL

'000 tonnes

Supply	Gas/diesel oil							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	143	115	115	127	119	34	47	109
Import	146	88	165	144	149	207	295	182
Export	80	93	82	90	81	96	104	112
Variation of stocks	18	-41	18	16	4	-46	31	-2
Available for inland market	191	151	180	165	183	191	207	181

3.2.3 FUEL OIL

'000 tonnes

Supply	Fuel oil							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	39	41	42	25	47	13	15	35
Import	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
Export	29	28	53	27	55	18	2	27
Variation of stocks	9	11	-13	-3	-12	-10	11	5
Available for inland market	2	3	4	2	4	5	2	3

3.2.4 OTHER PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

'000 tonnes

Supply	Other petroleum products							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	46	47	45	59	55	20	44	89
Import	11	14	35	60	11	47	36	23
Export	18	23	17	21	20	18	30	54
Variation of stocks	-13	-7	9	37	-7	20	3	-3
Available for inland market	52	45	54	61	53	29	47	61

4 CRUDE FUELS

4.1 HARD COAL

'000 tonnes

Supply	Hard coal							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Import	2	9	4	-	-	70	-	9
Export	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation of stocks	-6	2	-3	-10	-56	26	-5	3
Available for inland market	8	7	7	10	56	44	5	6

4.2 COKE

'000 tonnes

Supply	Coke							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Import	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	2
Export	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation of stocks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Available for inland market	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	2

4.3 BROWN COAL

'000 tonnes

Supply	Brown coal							
	2025				2026			
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Import	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Export	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation of stocks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Available for inland market	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NOTES ON METHODOLOGY

The data are based on several statistical surveys, as follows: the Monthly Survey on Industrial Production and Persons Employed (IND-1/KPS/M form), the Monthly Survey on Oil Refineries (ERG-1/N form), the Monthly Survey on Import, Export and Stocks of Petroleum and Petroleum Products (ERG-2/N form), the Monthly Survey on Import, Export, Stocks and Deliveries of Natural Gas (ERG-1/P form), the Monthly Survey on Import, Export, Stocks, Deliveries and Consumption of Coal and Coke (ERG-1/U form), and the Monthly Survey on Power Plants (ERG-1/EL form), as well as on the data on foreign trade in goods of the Republic of Croatia and administrative data sources (part of the data on net electricity production was taken from HERA).

The monthly data are used for monitoring the changes in energy products according to the mentioned characteristics. Their sum for 12 months does not represent the annual balance data, due to the fast output of monthly data or the fact that some deliveries are cancelled, which may lead to slight deviations from the monthly data. For that reason, the following sources of annual data are recommended: the annual Statistical Report entitled "Energy Statistics" published by the Croatian Bureau of Statistics and the annual energy review entitled "Energy in Croatia" published by the Ministry of Economy.

Gross electricity production is the sum of the total electrical energy production by all the generating sets concerned (hydro power plants, thermal power plants and CHP on fossil fuels, thermal power plants and CHP on renewable fuels, wind power plants and solar power plants).

Net electricity production is the electrical energy supplied from a power station to a power-supply grid, and it represents the difference between the electrical energy produced in a generator and own supply.

Geothermal power plants produce energy available as heat emitted from within the Earth's crust, usually in the form of hot water or steam, excluding the surrounding heat collected by the heat pumps from the ground. This energy production is the difference between the enthalpy of the fluid produced in the production borehole and that of the fluid eventually disposed of.

Energy available for consumption is the quantity of energy products available for final consumption on the inland market, including losses and stocks at final consumers and in retail trade.

Crude oil is a mineral oil of natural origin that includes a mixture of hydrocarbons and associated impurities, such as sulphur. It exists in the liquid phase under normal surface temperature and pressure and its physical characteristics (density, viscosity, etc.) are highly variable. This category includes field or lease condensates recovered from associated and non-associated gases where it is commingled with the commercial crude oil stream.

Natural gas is comprised of gases, occurring naturally in underground deposits, whether liquefied or gaseous, consisting mainly of methane. It includes both "non-associated" gas originating from fields producing hydrocarbons only in gaseous form, and "associated" gas produced in association with crude oil, as well as methane recovered from coal mines (colliery gas). Manufactured gas (produced from municipal or industrial waste or sewage) is also included, while vented or flared quantities of natural gas are excluded.

Petroleum products are all products produced in petroleum refineries: refinery gas, liquefied petroleum gas, motor gasoline, kerosene, jet fuel, diesel oil, light fuel oil, fuel oil, naphtha, white spirit, lubricating oils, bitumen, paraffin waxes, petroleum coke and other refinery products.

Other petroleum products encompass liquefied petroleum gas in NGL plants.

Import includes the quantities of energy products that crossed the state border of the Republic of Croatia, regardless of whether or not they were cleared through the customs. The quantities of petroleum and petroleum products and liquid gas that are under contracts on production realised abroad are also to be presented in this table as import. Energy products in transit through the Republic of Croatia are not presented in this survey form either as import or as export.

Export includes the quantities that crossed the state border of the Republic of Croatia, regardless of whether or not they were cleared through the customs and whether or not they are owned by a Croatian resident.

For import and export of electricity, Eurostat's definition is used, which includes transit: amounts of electricity are considered imported or exported when they have crossed the political boundaries of a country, regardless of whether customs clearance has taken place or not. If electricity transits through a country, the amount should be reported as both import and export.

Variation of stocks includes stock changes at the beginning and at the end of a month in enterprises engaged in the production, transformation, import and export of energy. The difference is calculated by subtracting the state of stocks at the beginning of the first working day in a month from the state of stocks at the end of the last day in the same month.

Minor deviations may occur in the summary presentation of data due to the rounding of figures.

Abbreviations

CHP	combined heat and power generation
Eurostat	Statistical Office of the European Union
GCV	gross calorific value
GWh	gigawatt hour
HERA	Croatian Energy Regulatory Agency
m ³	cubic metre
mln	million
NGL	natural gas liquids
TJ	terajoule
'000	thousand

Symbols

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