### **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

### Form 8-K **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) May 12, 2011

### SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(Commission File Number)

88-0085720 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5241 Spring Mountain Road Post Office Box 98510 Las Vegas, Nevada (Address of principal executive offices)

89193-8510 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (702) 876-7237
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 12, 2011, Southwest Gas Corporation (the "Company") released summary statistical information for each of the ten years in the period ended December 31, 2010. A copy of this information is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

This Form 8-K and the attached exhibit are provided under Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and are furnished to, but not filed with, the Securities and Exchange Commission.

### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registran authorized.	at has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly
	SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
Date: May 12, 2011	/s/ GREGORY J. PETERSON
	Gregory J. Peterson
	Vice President/Controller and
	Chief Accounting Officer

### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
99	Summary statistical information as of December 31, 2010 released on May 12, 2011.

#### RATEMAKING JURISDICTIONS AND REGULATORY AGENCIES

The Company is subject to regulation by the Arizona Corporation Commission (ACC), the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada (PUCN) and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC). These commissions regulate public utility rates, practices, facilities, and service territories in their respective states.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) regulates a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, Paiute Pipeline Company (Paiute), and the rates it charges for transportation of gas directly to certain end-users and the transportation and storage of gas to various local distribution companies for resale in northern Nevada and northern California.

Shown below is a list of the Company's ratemaking jurisdictions and the corresponding regulatory agency having jurisdiction:

<u>Ratemaking Jurisdiction</u> <u>Regulatory Agency</u>

Southern

Arizona: Arizona Corporation Commission

1200 West Washington Web site: www.cc.state.az.us

Phoenix, AZ 85007-2996

(602) 542-4251 **FAX:** (602) 542-2129

California: California Public Utilities Commission

Northern 505 Van Ness Avenue Web site: www.cpuc.ca.gov

South Lake Tahoe (415) 703-2782 **FAX:** (415) 703-1758

San Francisco, CA 94102-3298

Nevada: Public Utilities Commission of Nevada

Northern 1150 East William Street Web site: <a href="http://pucweb1.state.nv.us/pucn">http://pucweb1.state.nv.us/pucn</a>

Southern Carson City, NV 89701-3109

(775) 684-6101 **FAX:** (775) 684-6110

**Nevada/California:** Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Paiute 888 First Street, N.E. Web site: www.ferc.gov

Washington, DC 20426

(202) 502-6088 FAX: (202) 208-2106

A list of the commissioners appointed or elected to the various regulatory agencies follows this page.

# SUMMARY OF COMMISSIONER STATUS BY JURISDICTION March 2011

### **ARIZONA**

ANIZONA  Fire members elected states ide to forward staggard tames. Coverney appoints vallegements if notition is regent	and a
Five members, elected statewide to four-year staggered terms. Governor appoints replacements, if position is vacate	
Chairman Gary Pierce	Rep. Term ends 12/31/2014
Commissioner Sandra D. Kennedy	Rep. Term ends 12/31/2013
Commissioner Paul Newman	Rep. Term ends 12/31/2013
Commissioner Bob Stump	Rep. Term ends 12/31/2013
Commissioner Brenda Burns	Rep. Term ends 12/31/2014
Executive Director Ernest G. Johnson	
CALIFORNIA	
Five members, appointed to six-year staggered terms by Governor and confirmed by Senate.	
President Michael R. Peevey	Dem. Term ends 12/31/2014
Commissioner Timothy Alan Simon	Rep. Term ends 12/31/2013
Commissioner Mark Ferron	Dem. Term ends 12/31/2017
Commissioner Mike Florio	Dem. Term ends 12/31/2017
Commissioner Catherine J. K. Sandoval	Dem. Term ends 12/31/2017
Executive Director Paul Clanon	
NEVADA	
Three members, appointed to four-year staggered terms by Governor; no confirmation required.	
Chairman Alaina Burtenshaw	Ind. Term ends 9/30/2013
Commissioner Rebecca Wagner	Rep. Term ends 9/30/2011
Commissioner Luis F. Valera	Rep. Term ends 9/30/2012
Executive Director Crystal Jackson	1
<u>FERC</u>	
Five members, appointed to five-year staggered terms by President and confirmed by U.S. Senate.	
Chairman Jon Wellinghoff	Dem. Term ends 6/30/2013
Commissioner Marc Spitzer	Rep. Term ends 6/30/2011
Commissioner John R. Norris	Dem. Term ends 6/30/2012
Commissioner Cheryl A. LaFleur	Dem Term ends 6/30/2014
Commissioner Philip D. Moeller	Rep. Term ends 6/30/2015
Secretary Kimberly D. Bose	

### ANALYSIS OF GENERAL RATE CASE DECISIONS FOR THE YEARS 2005 TO PRESENT

JURISDICTION	FILING DATE		ADDITIONAL IVIMARGIN REQUESTED (\$mm)	ADDITIONAL MARGIN AUTHORIZED (\$mm)	PERCENT AUTHORIZED OF REQUESTED AMOUNTS	OVERALL RATE OF RETURN GRANTED	RATE OF RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY GRANTED
NEVADA							
Docket No. 06-05019 (So. NV)	05/15/06	11/01/06	2.5	2.5	100	7.64	10.50
Docket No. 07-05015 (So. NV)	05/15/07	11/01/07	1.3	1.3	100	7.76	10.50
Docket No. 08-05008 (So. NV)	05/15/08	11/01/08	(0.8)	(0.8)	100	7.79	10.50
Docket No. 09-04003 (No. NV)	04/03/09	11/01/09	1.3	(0.5)	NM	8.29	10.15
Docket No. 09-04003 (So. NV)	04/03/09	11/01/09	26.6	17.6	66	7.40	10.15
Docket No. 09-06016 (So. NV)	06/15/09	11/01/09	(1.5)	(1.5)	100	7.40	10.15
Docket No. 10-06008 (So. NV)	06/04/10	11/01/10	(2.4)	(2.4)	100	7.40	10.15
ARIZONA							
Docket No. G-0155A-04-0876	12/09/04	03/01/06	66.9	49.3	74	8.40	9.50
Docket No. G-0155A-07-0504	08/31/07	12/01/08	49.3	33.5	68	8.86	10.00
Docket No. G-0155A-10-0458	11/12/10	Pending	73.2				
CALIFORNIA							
Advice Letter No. 722 (So. CA)	11/01/04	01/01/05	1.6	1.6	100	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 722 (So. CA) Advice Letter No. 722 (No. CA)	11/01/04	01/01/05	0.3	0.3	100	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 722 (No. CA) Advice Letter No. 747-A (So. CA)	11/01/04	04/13/06	3.4	2.2	65	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 747-A (So. CA)  Advice Letter No. 747-A (No. CA)	11/23/05	04/13/06	1.1	0.8	72	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 769 (So. CA)	11/17/06	01/01/07	2.3	2.3	100	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 769 (No. CA)	11/17/06	01/01/07	0.4	0.4	100	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 789 (So. CA)	11/01/07	01/01/07	1.7	1.7	100	8.74	10.38
Advice Letter No. 789 (No. CA)	11/01/07	01/01/08	0.4	0.4	100	8.74	10.38
Application 07-12-022 (So. CA)	12/21/07	01/01/09	7.1	2.4	34	7.87	10.50
Application 07-12-022 (No. CA)	12/21/07	01/01/09	(0.1)	(1.0)	NM	8.99	10.50
Application 07-12-022 (So. Lake	12/21/07	01/01/05		· ´			
Tahoe)	12/21/07	01/01/09	2.1	1.8	86	8.99	10.50
Advice Letter No. 829 (So. CA)	10/30/09	01/01/10	1.7	1.7	100	7.87	10.50
Advice Letter No. 829 (No. CA)	10/30/09	01/01/10	0.4	0.4	100	8.99	10.50
Advice Letter No. 829 (SLT)	10/30/09	01/01/10	0.6	0.6	100	8.99	10.50
Advice Letter No. 857 (So. CA)	12/01/10	01/01/11	1.7	1.7	100	7.87	10.50
Advice Letter No. 857 (No. CA)	12/01/10	01/01/11	0.4	0.4	100	8.99	10.50
Advice Letter No. 857 (SLT)	12/01/10	01/01/11	0.1	0.1	100	8.99	10.50
FERC							
Docket No. RP05-163	01/28/05	08/01/05	1.7	(2.5)	NM	[1]	[1]
Docket No. RP09-406	02/27/09	09/01/09	3.9	0.9	22	[1]	[1]

<sup>[1]</sup> Stipulation - Not Identified in Order

#### SUMMARY OPERATING RESULTS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

RESULTS				YI	EAR ENDED	DECEMBER	31,			
(In thousands, except										
per share amounts)	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
Results of Consolidated										
Operations										
Contribution to net										
income - gas operations	\$ 91,382	\$ 79,420	\$ 53,747	\$ 72,494	\$ 71,473	\$ 33,670	\$ 48,354	\$ 34,211	\$ 39,228	\$ 32,626
Contribution to net										
income - construction	40.405	0.000	T 226	40.550	42.207	10.150	0.404	4 204	4 505	4.500
services	12,495	8,062	7,226	10,752	12,387	10,153	8,421	4,291	4,737	4,530
Net income	\$ 103,877	\$ 87,482	\$ 60,973	\$ 83,246	\$ 83,860	\$ 43,823	\$ 56,775	\$ 38,502	\$ 43,965	\$ 37,156
Basic earnings per share	\$ 2.29	\$ 1.95	\$ 1.40	\$ 1.97	\$ 2.07	\$ 1.15	\$ 1.61	\$ 1.14	\$ 1.33	\$ 1.16
Diluted earnings per										
share	\$ 2.27	\$ 1.94	\$ 1.39	\$ 1.95	\$ 2.05	\$ 1.14	\$ 1.60	\$ 1.13	\$ 1.32	\$ 1.15
Average outstanding										
common shares	45,405	44,752	43,476	42,336	40,566	38,132	35,204	33,760	32,953	32,122
Average shares										
outstanding (assuming										
dilution)	45,823	45,062	43,775	42,714	40,975	38,467	35,488	34,041	33,233	32,398
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Results of Natural Gas										
Operations	¢ 1 E11 007	\$ 1,614,843	¢ 1 701 20E	¢ 1 01 4 766	\$ 1,727,394	¢ 1 455 357	\$ 1,262,052	\$ 1,034,353	\$ 1,115,900	¢ 1 102 102
Gas operating revenues	\$ 1,511,907 736,175	866,630	\$ 1,791,395 1,055,977	\$ 1,814,766 1,086,194	1,033,988	\$ 1,455,257 828,131	\$ 1,262,052 645,766	\$ 1,034,353 482,503	563,379	\$ 1,193,102 677,547
Net cost of gas sold				, ,		,		,		
Operating margin	775,732	748,213	735,418	728,572	693,406	627,126	616,286	551,850	552,521	515,555
Operations and	354,943	348,942	338,660	331,208	320,803	314,437	290,800	266,862	264,188	253,026
maintenance expense Depreciation and	334,343	340,344	330,000	331,200	320,003	314,437	230,000	200,002	204,100	233,020
amortization	170,456	166,850	166,337	157,090	146,654	137,981	130,515	120,791	115,175	104,498
Taxes other than income	1, 0,	100,021	100,00	10.,000	1.0,02	10,,000	100,010	1=0,7 = =	110,1.	10.,
taxes	38,869	37,318	36,780	37,553	34,994	39,040	37,669	35,910	34,565	32,780
Operating income	211,464	195,103	193,641	202,721	190,955	135,668	157,302	128,287	138,593	125,251
Other income (expense)	4,016	6,590	(13,469)	4,850	10,049	5,087	1,611	2,955	3,108	7,694
Net interest deductions	75,113	74,091	83,096	86,436	85,567	81,595	78,137	76,251	78,505	78,746
Net interest deductions on										
subordinated debentures	1,912	7,731	7,729	7,727	7,724	7,723	7,724	2,680	-	-
Preferred securities									1	
distributions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,180	5,475	5,475
Income before income	150 455	110.074	20.245			74 485	70.050	10.404		:0 <b>m</b> 0 t
taxes	138,455	119,871	89,347	113,408	107,713	51,437	73,052	48,131	57,721	48,724
Income tax expense	47,073	40,451	35,600	40,914	36,240	17,767	24,698	13,920	18,493	16,098
Contribution to		<b>=</b>		<b>=</b> = 40.4					± 20.000	<b>†</b> 20 606
consolidated net income	\$ 91,382	\$ 79,420	\$ 53,747	\$ 72,494	\$ 71,473	\$ 33,670	\$ 48,354	\$ 34,211	\$ 39,228	\$ 32,626

## SUMMARY CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

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(In thousands)	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
ASSETS										
Net utility plant	\$3,072,436	\$3,034,503	\$2,983,307	\$2,845,300	\$2,668,104	\$2,489,147	\$ 2,335,992	\$ 2,175,736	\$ 2,034,459	\$ 1,825,571
Other property and										
investments	134,648	115,860	124,781	143,097	136,242	118,094	99,879	87,443	87,391	92,511
Restricted cash	37,781	49,769	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Current assets	445,894	417,632	438,076	502,459	501,624	542,660	431,993	281,087	261,768	400,149
Deferred charges and other				.=	.==					
assets	293,434	288,528	274,220	179,332	178,995	78,525	70,252	63,840	49,310	51,381
Total assets	\$3,984,193	\$3,906,292	\$3,820,384	\$3,670,188	\$3,484,965	\$3,228,426	\$ 2,938,116	\$ 2,608,106	\$ 2,432,928	\$ 2,369,612
CAPITALIZATION										
Common stock equity	\$ 855,114	\$ 839,061	\$ 816,285	\$ 776,755	\$ 741,658	\$ 669,206	\$ 605,070	\$ 546,383	\$ 522,707	\$ 504,533
Accumulated other										
comprehensive income										
(loss), net	(30,784)	(22,250)	(19,426)		(13,666)	(41,645)	(10,892)	-	-	-
Retained earnings	343,131	285,316	240,982	219,768	173,433	123,574	111,498	84,084	73,460	56,667
Noncontrolling interest	(465)	(41)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Preferred securities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60,000	60,000
Subordinated debentures	-	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	-	-
Long-term debt, less										
current maturities	1,124,681	1,169,357	1,185,474	1,266,067	1,286,354	1,224,898	1,162,936	1,121,164	1,092,148	796,351
Total capitalization	2,291,677	2,371,443	2,323,315	2,349,740	2,287,779	2,076,033	1,968,612	1,851,631	1,748,315	1,417,551
LIABILITIES										
Current maturities of long-										
term debt	75,080	1,327	7,833	38,079	27,545	83,215	29,821	6,435	8,705	307,641
Current liabilities	521,881	472,903	502,062	489,853	468,519	537,738	453,210	303,977	304,476	345,400
Deferred income taxes	466,628	436,113	387,539	347,497	308,493	234,739	281,743	277,332	229,358	217,804
Other deferred credits	628,927	624,506	599,635	445,019	392,629	296,701	204,730	168,731	142,074	81,216
Total liabilities	1,692,516	1,534,849	1,497,069	1,320,448	1,197,186	1,152,393	969,504	756,475	684,613	952,061
Total capitalization and										
liabilities	\$3,984,193	\$3,906,292	\$3,820,384	\$3,670,188	\$3,484,965	\$3,228,426	\$ 2,938,116	\$ 2,608,106	\$ 2,432,928	\$ 2,369,612

# GAS SEGMENT CASH FLOWS

### YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

(In thousands)	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
From operating activities	\$ 342,522	\$ 371,416	\$ 261,322	\$ 320,594	\$ 253,245	\$ 214,036	\$ 124,135	\$ 187,122	\$ 281,329	\$ 103,848
From investing activities	(178,685)	(265,850)	(237,093)	(306,396)	(277,980)	(254,120)	(272,458)	(249,300)	(243,373)	(246,462)
From financing activities	(107,779)	(81,744)	(34,704)	(5,347)	15,989	57,763	143,086	60,815	(49,187)	154,727
Net change in cash	\$ 56,058	\$ 23,822	\$ (10,475)	\$ 8,851	\$ (8,746)	\$ 17,679	\$ (5,237)	\$ (1,363)	\$ (11,231)	\$ 12,113

### GAS OPERATIONS SEGMENT

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UTILITY PLANT					AT DECEM	IBER 31,				
(In thousands)	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
Distribution	\$ 3,847,731	\$ 3,716,881	\$ 3,615,253	\$ 3,419,799	\$ 3,153,399	\$ 2,917,959	\$2,706,089	\$2,496,708	\$2,293,655	\$2,104,006
General	279,402	270,825	228,282	219,126	219,527	213,906	206,837	197,693	198,093	188,997
Transmission	274,646	271,467	262,271	256,696	243,989	239,872	233,841	215,907	196,997	187,393
Intangible	135,330	127,188	122,227	119,312	117,251	115,893	112,036	108,215	73,892	66,339
Construction work in										
progress	37,489	45,872	70,041	61,419	78,402	54,287	31,967	33,543	66,693	50,491
Other	33,267	33,376	32,326	30,815	31,136	31,130	31,141	19,979	20,037	18,096
Accumulated										
depreciation &										
amortization	(1,535,429)	(1,431,106)	(1,347,093)	(1,261,867)	(1,175,600)	(1,083,900)	(985,919)	(896,309)	(814,908)	(789,751)
Net utility plant	\$ 3,072,436	\$ 3,034,503	\$ 2,983,307	\$ 2,845,300	\$ 2,668,104	\$ 2,489,147	\$2,335,992	\$2,175,736	\$2,034,459	\$1,825,571

EXPENSES				YE	AR .	ENDED D	ECI	EMBER 31	,				
(In thousands)	2010	2009	2008	2007		2006		2005		2004	2003	2002	2001
Distribution	\$ 157,220	\$ 159,282	\$ 151,586	\$ 148,130	\$	142,194	\$	134,271	\$	126,396	\$ 115,983	\$ 111,091	\$ 108,083
Administrative and													
general	120,942	112,526	106,851	101,100		98,363		104,662		90,111	79,128	74,286	67,542
Customer accounts	60,187	60,896	63,788	67,453		67,472		63,715		60,180	58,458	60,160	57,874
Transmission	9,622	9,338	10,172	8,346		8,276		7,515		7,612	7,264	8,759	9,065
Production and storage													
expenses	4,215	3,985	3,398	3,071		2,927		3,074		5,114	4,657	7,221	7,151
Customer service and													
informational	2,646	2,484	2,523	2,842		1,285		1,064		1,047	782	1,539	1,511
Sales	111	431	342	266		286		136		340	590	1,132	1,800
Total operations and													
maintenance expenses	\$ 354,943	\$ 348,942	\$ 338,660	\$ 331,208	\$	320,803	\$	314,437	\$	290,800	\$ 266,862	\$ 264,188	\$ 253,026

#### GAS OPERATIONS SEGMENT AT DECEMBER 31,

CUSTOMERS BY CLASS	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005*	2004	2003**	2002	2001
Residential	1,758,557	1,744,481	1,738,202	1,732,573	1,704,456	1,635,115	1,537,434	1,456,857	1,382,406	1,325,534
Small commercial	76,746	77,416	78,190	77,970	76,962	75,549	72,953	71,466	70,267	69,546
Large commercial	1,185	1,263	1,314	1,310	1,219	1,222	1,221	1,270	1,271	1,288
Industrial / Other	328	320	343	347	370	386	383	397	415	418
Transportation	643	646	550	594	630	590	665	596	625	505
Total customers	1,837,459	1,824,126	1,818,599	1,812,794	1,783,637	1,712,862	1,612,656	1,530,586	1,454,984	1,397,291
ANNUAL CUSTOMER GROWTH RATE	1%	0%	0%	2%	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%	4%

#### SYSTEM THROUGHPUT BY

**CLASS** 

CLASS				YE	AR ENDED I	DECEMBER	31,			
(In thousands of dekatherms)	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
Residential	70,470	66,974	70,499	69,806	67,760	65,047	66,717	59,305	58,821	58,994
Small commercial	30,094	29,423	31,455	31,067	30,986	30,007	30,384	27,915	28,027	27,997
Large commercial	11,183	11,724	12,512	12,756	12,826	11,184	10,490	10,042	12,150	10,759
Industrial / Other	5,892	7,262	9,770	10,353	14,924	15,654	16,386	15,731	22,406	28,377
Transportation	99,860	104,389	116,419	112,842	117,524	127,396	125,827	133,690	132,515	126,820
Total system throughput	217,499	219,772	240,655	236,824	244,020	249,288	249,804	246,683	253,919	252,947

#### OPERATING MARGIN YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, BY CLASS\*\*\* 2010 2009 2008 2007 2006 2005 2004 2003 2002 2001 (In thousands) 537,980 513,299 503,397 497,703 466,990 422,643 413,977 360,591 352,883 324,627 \$ \$ \$ \$ Residential 127,802 129,103 128,827 129,080 126,020 114,252 114,834 104,353 105,268 100,403 Small commercial 20,936 21,879 22,536 22,483 21,257 17,111 17,399 16,907 17,973 16,089 Large commercial 9,515 10,302 12,586 13,852 17,075 15,489 15,043 15,977 22,652 23,446 Industrial / Other 79,499 73,630 68,072 65,454 62,064 57,631 55,033 54,022 53,745 50,990 Transportation 551,850 552,521 775,732 748,213 735,418 \$ 693,406 \$ 627,126 \$ 616,286 Total operating margin \$ \$ \$ 728,572 \$ \$ 515,555

<sup>\*</sup> Includes 19,000 customers associated with the acquisition of the South Lake Tahoe properties in April 2005.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes 9,000 customers associated with the acquisition of Black Mountain Gas Company in October 2003.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Includes allocations of miscellaneous, unbilled, and other operating revenues.

### SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

MARKET PRICE PER SHARE	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	:	2001
High	\$ 37.25	\$ 29.48	\$ 33.29	\$ 39.95	\$ 39.37	\$ 28.07	\$ 26.15	\$ 23.64	\$ 25.35	\$	24.67
Low	26.28	17.08	21.11	26.45	26.09	23.53	21.50	19.30	18.10		18.61
Close [1]	36.67	28.53	25.22	29.77	38.37	26.40	25.40	22.45	23.45		22.35

	20	10	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	7	2001
COMMON SHARES												
OUTSTANDING (in												
thousands) [1]	45	5,599	45,092	44,192	42,806	41,770	39,328	36,794	34,232	33,289		32,493
DIVIDEND YIELD [1]	:	2.7%	3.3%	3.6%	2.9%	2.1%	3.1%	3.2%	3.7%	3.5%		3.7%
DIVIDENDS DECLARED PER												
SHARE [2]	\$	1.00	\$ 0.95	\$ 0.90	\$ 0.86	\$ 0.82	\$ 0.82	\$ 0.82	\$ 0.82	\$ 0.82	\$	0.82
PRICE / EARNINGS												
RATIO [1]	1	16.01	14.63	18.01	15.11	18.54	22.96	15.78	19.69	17.63		19.27
RETURN ON EQUITY -												
TOTAL COMPANY [2]	9	9.1%	8.1%	6.0%	8.8%	10.3%	5.9%	8.5%	6.3%	7.5%		6.8%
RETURN ON EQUITY - GAS												
SEGMENT ONLY [2]	3	8.5%	7.8%	5.6%	8.1%	9.2%	4.8%	7.6%	5.9%	7.1%		6.2%
BOOK VALUE PER												
SHARE [1]	\$ 2	25.60	\$ 24.44	\$ 23.48	\$ 22.98	\$ 21.58	\$ 19.10	\$ 19.18	\$ 18.42	\$ 17.91	\$	17.27

# GAS OPERATIONS SEGMENT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

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HEATING DEGREE DAY COMPARISON	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
Actual	1,998	1,824	1,902	1,850	1,826	1,735	1,953	1,772	1,912	1,963
Ten-year average	1,876	1,882	1,893	1,936	1,961	1,956	1,913	1,931	1,963	1,970

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NUMBER OF GAS SEGMENT										
EMPLOYEES [1]	2,349	2,423	2,447	2,538	2,525	2,590	2,548	2,550	2,546	2,507
CUSTOMERS /										
EMPLOYEE [1]	782	753	743	714	706	661	633	600	571	557
OPERATIONS &										
MAINTENANCE EXPENSE /										
CUSTOMER [2]	\$ 196	\$ 194	\$ 188	\$ 186	\$ 185	\$ 191	\$ 187	\$ 182	\$ 188	\$ 188
WEIGHTED AVERAGE COST										
OF GAS (per therm) [2]	\$ 0.62	\$ 0.71	\$ 0.84	\$ 0.81	\$ 0.79	\$ 0.71	\$ 0.57	\$ 0.46	\$ 0.38	\$ 0.55
CONSTRUCTION										
EXPENDITURES (in										
thousands) [2]	\$ 188,379	\$ 212,919	\$ 279,254	\$ 312,412	\$ 305,914	\$ 258,547	\$ 274,748	\$ 228,288	\$ 263,576	\$ 248,352

<sup>[1]</sup> At December 31, [2] For the year ended December 31,

# GAS OPERATIONS SEGMENT Transportation Volumes and Operating Margin

DIVISION/CUSTOMER TYPE	DEKATHERMS TRANSPORTED		PERATING MARGIN	DEKATHERMS TRANSPORTED		PERATING MARGIN
	Twelve Months	Ende	ed 12-31-10	Twelve Months	End	ed 12-31-09
Southern Nevada						
Commercial	6,394,779	\$	7,142,082	6,703,382	\$	6,326,408
Industrial	2,851,951		2,380,290	3,032,768		2,374,551
Power						
Generation	51,995,313		12,883,468	57,349,174		12,146,568
Southern Nevada Totals	61,242,043	\$	22,405,840	67,085,324	\$	20,847,527
Northern Nevada						
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Commercial	2,029,910	\$	785,051	2,052,072	\$	700,316
Industrial	6,022,861		1,922,775	5,545,510		1,829,562
Power	<b>7.070.646</b>		4.054.005	6 505 004		2 224 222
Generation	7,972,646		4,251,927	6,537,801		3,291,330
Resale	6,870,762		19,871,541	9,806,701		20,946,342
Northern Nevada Totals	22,896,179	\$	26,831,294	23,942,084	\$	26,767,550

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes transportation customers of Paiute Pipeline Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Southwest Gas Corporation.

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	Twelve Months	Ende	ed 12-31-10	Twelve Months	Ende	ed 12-31-09
Southern Arizona						
Commercial	621,393	\$	1,314,947	1,833,717	\$	3,311,105
Industrial	1,652,171		1,587,177	1,541,680		1,813,295
Power Generation	1,744,768		2,920,348	62,469		98,501
Irrigation	392,352		450,850	352,252		356,058
Southern Arizona Totals	4,410,684	\$	6,273,322	3,790,118	\$	5,578,959
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Central Arizona	2 = 4 = 2 4 2			1 000 001		2 605 55 4
Commercial	2,715,240	\$	5,576,953	1,883,264	\$	3,605,774
Industrial	3,128,734		5,986,228	3,154,112		6,259,401
Power Generation	778,773		1,101,038	-		-
Irrigation	1,989,851		2,902,846	1,910,552		2,721,456
Central Arizona Totals	8,612,598	\$	15,567,065	6,947,928	\$	12,586,631

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	Twelve Months	Ende	d 12-31-10	Twelve Months	Ende	ed 12-31-09
Southern California	·					
Commercial	505,265	\$	563,323	526,308	\$	571,290
Industrial	307,537		325,212	317,043		322,762
Power Generation	1,885,643		1,131,627	1,780,586		1,086,889
Southern California Totals	2,698,445	\$	2,020,162	2,623,937	\$	1,980,941
Total Company (1)  Commercial	12.200 507	\$	15 202 250	12 000 742	ď	14 514 002
Industrial	12,266,587 13,963,254	Э	15,382,356 12,201,682	12,998,743 13,591,113	\$	14,514,893 12,599,571
Power Generation	64,377,143		22,288,408	65,730,030		16,623,288
Resale	6,870,762		19,871,541	9,806,701		20,946,342
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Irrigation	2,382,203		3,353,696	2,202,004		3,077,514

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