

**Table 7.1 Coal Overview, Selected Years, 1949-2008**  
(Million Short Tons)

Year	Production <sup>1</sup>	Waste Coal Supplied <sup>2</sup>	Trade			Stock Change <sup>4</sup>	Losses and Unaccounted for <sup>5</sup>	Consumption
			Imports	Exports	Net Imports <sup>3</sup>			
1949	480.6	NA	0.3	32.8	-32.5	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 35.1	483.2
1950	560.4	NA	.4	29.4	-29.0	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 37.3	494.1
1955	490.8	NA	.3	54.4	-54.1	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 10.3	447.0
1960	434.3	NA	.3	38.0	-37.7	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 1.5	398.1
1965	527.0	NA	.2	51.0	-50.8	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 4.1	472.0
1970	612.7	NA	(s)	71.7	-71.7	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 17.7	523.2
1971	560.9	NA	.1	57.3	-57.2	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 2.2	501.6
1972	602.5	NA	(s)	56.7	-56.7	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 21.5	524.3
1973	598.6	NA	.1	53.6	-53.5	( <sup>6</sup> )	<sup>6,R</sup> 17.5	562.6
1974	610.0	NA	2.1	60.7	-58.6	-8.9	2.0	558.4
1975	654.6	NA	.9	66.3	-65.4	32.2	-5.5	562.6
1976	684.9	NA	1.2	60.0	-58.8	8.5	13.8	603.8
1977	697.2	NA	1.6	54.3	-52.7	22.6	-3.4	625.3
1978	670.2	NA	3.0	40.7	-37.8	-4.9	12.1	625.2
1979	781.1	NA	2.1	66.0	-64.0	36.2	.4	680.5
1980	829.7	NA	1.2	91.7	-90.5	25.6	10.8	702.7
1981	823.8	NA	1.0	112.5	-111.5	-19.0	-1.4	732.6
1982	838.1	NA	.7	106.3	-105.5	22.6	3.1	706.9
1983	782.1	NA	1.3	77.8	-76.5	-29.5	-1.6	736.7
1984	895.9	NA	1.3	81.5	-80.2	28.7	-4.3	791.3
1985	883.6	NA	2.0	92.7	-90.7	-27.9	2.8	818.0
1986	890.3	NA	2.2	85.5	-83.3	4.0	-1.2	804.2
1987	918.8	NA	1.7	79.6	-77.9	6.5	-2.5	836.9
1988	950.3	NA	2.1	95.0	-92.9	-24.9	-1.3	883.6
1989	980.7	1.4	2.9	100.8	-98.0	-13.7	2.9	895.0
1990	1,029.1	3.3	2.7	105.8	-103.1	26.5	-1.7	904.5
1991	996.0	4.0	3.4	109.0	-105.6	-.9	-3.9	899.2
1992	997.5	6.3	3.8	102.5	-98.7	-3.0	.5	907.7
1993	945.4	8.1	8.2	74.5	-66.3	-51.9	-4.9	944.1
1994	1,033.5	8.2	8.9	71.4	-62.5	23.6	4.3	951.3
1995	1,033.0	8.6	9.5	88.5	-79.1	-.3	.6	962.1
1996	1,063.9	8.8	8.1	90.5	-82.4	-17.5	1.4	1,006.3
1997	1,089.9	8.1	7.5	83.5	-76.1	-11.3	3.7	1,029.5
1998	1,117.5	8.7	8.7	78.0	-69.3	24.2	-4.4	1,037.1
1999	1,100.4	8.7	9.1	58.5	-49.4	24.0	-2.9	1,038.6
2000	1,073.6	9.1	12.5	58.5	-46.0	-48.3	.9	1,084.1
2001	<sup>1</sup> 1,127.7	10.1	19.8	48.7	-28.9	41.6	7.1	1,060.1
2002	1,094.3	9.1	16.9	39.6	-22.7	10.2	4.0	1,066.4
2003	1,071.8	10.0	25.0	43.0	-18.0	-26.7	-4.4	1,094.9
2004	1,112.1	11.3	27.3	48.0	-20.7	-11.5	6.9	1,107.3
2005	1,131.5	13.4	30.5	49.9	-19.5	-9.7	9.1	1,126.0
2006	1,162.7	14.4	36.2	49.6	-13.4	42.6	8.8	1,112.3
2007	<sup>R</sup> 1,146.6	14.1	36.3	59.2	-22.8	<sup>R</sup> 5.8	<sup>R</sup> 4.1	<sup>R</sup> 1,128.0
2008 <sup>P</sup>	1,171.5	13.7	34.2	81.5	-47.3	6.4	9.8	1,121.7

<sup>1</sup> Beginning in 2001, includes a small amount of refuse recovery (coal recaptured from a refuse mine, and cleaned to reduce the concentration of noncombustible materials).

<sup>2</sup> Waste coal (including fine coal, coal obtained from a refuse bank or slurry dam, anthracite culm, bituminous gob, and lignite waste) consumed by the electric power and industrial sectors. Beginning in 1989, waste coal supplied is counted as a supply-side item to balance the same amount of waste coal included in "Consumption."

<sup>3</sup> Net imports equal imports minus exports. Minus sign indicates exports are greater than imports.

<sup>4</sup> A negative value indicates a decrease in stocks and a positive value indicates an increase.

<sup>5</sup> "Losses and Unaccounted for" is calculated as the sum of production, imports, and waste coal supplied, minus exports, stock change, and consumption.

<sup>6</sup> Through 1973, stock change is included in "Losses and Unaccounted for."

R=Revised. P=Preliminary. NA=Not available. (s)=Less than 0.05 million short tons.

Notes: • See Note 1, "Coal Consumption," at end of section. • Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding.

Web Pages: • For all data beginning in 1949, see <http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/aer/coal.html>. • For related information, see <http://www.eia.doe.gov/fuelcoal.html>.

Sources: **Production:** Table 7.2. **Waste Coal Supplied:** • 1989-1997—Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-867, "Annual Nonutility Power Producer Report." • 1998-2000—EIA, Form EIA-860B, "Annual Electric Generator Report—Nonutility." • 2001—EIA, Form EIA-906, "Power Plant Report," and Form EIA-3, "Quarterly Coal Consumption and Quality Report—Manufacturing Plants. • 2002 forward—EIA, *Quarterly Coal Report October-December 2008* (April 2009), Table ES-1. **Imports:** • 1949-2001—U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, "Monthly Report IM 145." • 2002 forward—EIA, *Quarterly Coal Report October-December 2008* (April 2009), Table ES-1. **Exports:** Table 7.4. **Stock Change:** Table 7.5. **Losses and Unaccounted for:** Calculated. **Consumption:** Table 7.3.