

**Table 33. Average Sales Price of U.S. Coal by State and Disposition, 2006**  
(Dollars per Short Ton)

Coal-Producing State	Open Market <sup>1</sup>	Captive <sup>2</sup>
Alabama.....	48.39	-
Alaska.....	W	-
Arizona.....	W	-
Arkansas.....	W	-
Colorado.....	24.27	38.12
Illinois.....	31.17	37.00
Indiana.....	27.27	36.35
Kansas.....	W	-
Kentucky Total.....	42.73	44.34
Eastern.....	46.68	47.03
Western.....	29.76	16.61
Louisiana.....	W	W
Maryland.....	30.63	-
Mississippi.....	W	-
Missouri.....	W	-
Montana.....	10.42	W
New Mexico.....	29.15	W
North Dakota.....	10.70	W
Ohio.....	27.40	25.66
Oklahoma.....	30.75	W
Pennsylvania Total.....	37.42	53.37
Anthracite.....	43.61	W
Bituminous.....	37.30	W
Tennessee.....	41.37	-
Texas.....	W	13.70
Utah.....	24.98	21.91
Virginia.....	52.99	57.84
Washington.....	-	W
West Virginia Total.....	45.94	52.79
Northern.....	35.48	50.84
Southern.....	49.94	53.44
Wyoming.....	9.03	10.13
<b>U.S. Total.....</b>	<b>25.16</b>	<b>21.62</b>

<sup>1</sup> Open market includes coal sold on the open market to other coal companies or consumers.

<sup>2</sup> Captive includes all coal used by the producing company or sold to affiliated or parent companies.

- = No data are reported.

W = Data withheld to avoid disclosure.

Note: • An average open market sales price is calculated by dividing the total free on board (f.o.b.) rail/barge value of the open market coal sold, by the total open market coal sold. An average captive market sales price is calculated by dividing the total free on board (f.o.b.) rail/barge value of the captive market coal sold, by the total captive market coal sold. Excludes mines producing less than 10,000 short tons, which are not required to provide data. Excludes silt, culm, refuse bank, slurry dam, and dredge operations.

Source: • Energy Information Administration Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report," and U.S. Department of Labor, Mine Safety and Health Administration, Form 7000-2, "Quarterly Mine Employment and Coal Production Report."