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Table 12. World Natural Gas Reserves by Country as of January 1, 2004

Country	Reserves (Trillion Cubic Feet)	Percent of World Total
World	**6,076**	**100.0**
Top 20 Countries	**5,449**	**89.7**
Russia	1,680	27.6
Iran	940	15.5
Qatar	910	15.0
Saudi Arabia	231	3.8
United Arab Emirates	212	3.5
United States	187	3.1
Algeria	160	2.6
Nigeria	159	2.6
Venezuela	148	2.4
Iraq	110	1.8
Indonesia	90	1.5
Australia	90	1.5
Malaysia	75	1.2
Norway	75	1.2
Turkmenistan	71	1.2
Uzbekistan	66	1.1
Kazakhstan	65	1.1
Netherlands	62	1.0
Canada	59	1.0
Egypt	59	1.0
Rest of World	**628**	**10.3**

Source: "Worldwide Look at Reserves and Production," *Oil & Gas Journal*, Vol. 101, No. 49 (December 22, 2003), pp. 46-47.