

Table 11. U.S. Metallurgical Coal Exports
(Short Tons)

Continent and Country of Destination	January - March 2008	October - December 2007	January - March 2007	Year to Date		
				2008	2007	Percent Change
North America Total	493,583	914,193	287,749	493,583	287,749	71.5
Canada ¹	330,263	856,605	176,377	330,263	176,377	87.2
Mexico	130,576	57,588	111,372	130,576	111,372	17.2
Other ²	32,744	-	-	32,744	-	-
South America Total	1,583,851	1,591,870	1,300,458	1,583,851	1,300,458	21.8
Argentina	101,425	48,234	105,532	101,425	105,532	-3.9
Brazil	1,482,426	1,542,434	1,194,926	1,482,426	1,194,926	24.1
Other ²	-	1,202	-	-	-	-
Europe Total	5,890,024	5,077,828	4,190,551	5,890,024	4,190,551	40.6
Austria	-	138,194	-	-	-	-
Belgium	483,835	239,787	453,006	483,835	453,006	6.8
Bulgaria	153,957	155,661	-	153,957	-	-
Croatia	452,155	213,250	151,277	452,155	151,277	198.9
Denmark	79,273	-	-	79,273	-	-
Federal Republic of Germany	236,216	511,229	261,991	236,216	261,991	-9.8
Finland	21,539	-	-	21,539	-	-
France	565,214	310,634	543,079	565,214	543,079	4.1
Italy	699,667	1,016,018	779,297	699,667	779,297	-10.2
Netherlands	546,714	338,377	469,688	546,714	469,688	16.4
Poland	213,807	214,431	-	213,807	-	-
Romania	502,142	151,564	-	502,142	-	-
Russia	-	71,650	-	-	-	-
Slovakia	-	71,680	95,591	-	95,591	-
Slovenia	-	-	74,619	-	74,619	-
Spain	496,481	253,884	344,351	496,481	344,351	44.2
Sweden	134,065	156,038	134,056	134,065	134,056	*
Turkey	425,325	233,271	377,265	425,325	377,265	12.7
Ukraine	279,295	574,695	-	279,295	-	-
United Kingdom	555,815	405,410	498,714	555,815	498,714	11.4
Other ²	44,524	22,055	7,617	44,524	7,617	484.5
Asia Total	686,697	293,582	467,947	686,697	467,947	46.7
India	321,538	293,582	325,310	321,538	325,310	-1.2
Korea, South	208,317	-	142,586	208,317	142,586	46.1
Saudi Arabia	27,739	-	-	27,739	-	-
Other ²	129,103	-	51	129,103	51	NM
Africa Total	419,842	517,300	471,520	419,842	471,520	-11.0
Algeria	104,597	53,439	70,411	104,597	70,411	48.6
Egypt	233,051	463,861	401,109	233,051	401,109	-41.9
South Africa	82,194	-	-	82,194	-	-
Total	9,073,997	8,394,773	6,718,225	9,073,997	6,718,225	35.1

¹ Based on the U.S. - Canada Free Trade Agreement; as of January 1990, the U.S. Department of Commerce began reporting statistics on U.S. exports to Canada based on information on imports provided monthly by the Canadian government.

² Includes countries with coal exports less than or equal to 50,000 short tons in 2007.

* Absolute percentage less than 0.05.

- = No data are reported.

NM = Not meaningful due to changes of 500 percent or more.

Note: • Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Source: • Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, "Monthly Report EM 545."