

Table 6. Underground Natural Gas Storage – All Operators, 2003-2008
(Volumes in Billion Cubic Feet)

Year and Month	Natural Gas in Underground Storage at End of Period			Change in Working Gas from Same Period Previous Year		Storage Activity		
	Base Gas	Working Gas	Total ^a	Volume	Percent	Injections	Withdrawals	Net Withdrawals ^b
2003 Total^c	--	--	--	--	--	3,292	3,099	-193
2004 Total^c	--	--	--	--	--	3,150	3,037	-113
2005 Total^c	--	--	--	--	--	3,002	3,057	55
2006								
January	4,202	2,371	6,573	377	18.91	110	374	264
February	4,202	1,886	6,089	322	20.57	54	539	485
March	4,197	1,692	5,889	407	31.72	131	331	200
April	4,198	1,945	6,143	447	29.80	332	77	-255
May	4,202	2,310	6,512	435	23.19	420	52	-367
June	4,215	2,617	6,832	419	19.07	373	62	-311
July	4,214	2,779	6,993	329	13.43	305	144	-161
August	4,213	2,969	7,182	307	11.53	302	113	-189
September	4,215	3,323	7,539	391	13.35	395	37	-358
October	4,217	3,452	7,669	258	8.08	246	115	-131
November	4,216	3,407	7,623	217	6.82	159	206	48
December	4,211	3,070	7,281	435	16.49	99	443	343
Total	--	--	--	--	--	2,924	2,493	-431
2007								
January	4,215	2,379	6,594	8	0.34	56	740	684
February	4,214	1,649	5,863	-238	-12.60	51	782	731
March	4,242	1,603	5,845	-89	-5.24	221	269	48
April	4,246	1,720	5,966	-225	-11.57	274	154	-120
May	4,251	2,179	6,430	-131	-5.68	498	39	-459
June	4,230	2,580	6,810	-37	-1.41	437	48	-389
July	4,229	2,894	7,123	114	4.12	397	84	-313
August	4,226	3,017	7,243	48	1.62	294	168	-126
September	4,232	3,316	7,547	-7	-0.22	372	73	-298
October	4,236	3,567	7,803	115	3.32	334	76	-258
November	4,238	3,456	7,694	49	1.45	148	255	108
December	4,234	2,879	7,113	-191	-6.21	64	633	569
Total	--	--	--	--	--	3,144	3,321	177
2008								
January	4,232	2,055	6,287	-324	-13.61	68	892	824
February	4,222	1,465	5,687	-184	-11.13	56	649	593
March	4,221	1,247	5,468	-356	-22.18	131	350	219
April	4,223	1,436	5,659	-284	-16.53	295	106	-190
May	4,226	1,836	6,062	-342	-15.71	458	56	-402
June	4,230	2,171	6,401	-409	-15.84	420	80	-339
July	4,228	2,516	6,745	-377	-13.04	430	88	-341

^a Total underground storage capacity at the end of each calendar year (in billion cubic feet): 2003 - 8,206; 2004 - 8,255; 2005 - 8,268; and 2006 - 8,330.

^b Positive net withdrawals indicate the volume of withdrawals in excess of injections. Negative net withdrawals indicate the volume of injections in excess of withdrawals.

^c Total as of December 31.

-- Not applicable.

Notes: Data for 2003 through 2006 are final. All other data are preliminary unless otherwise noted. See Appendix A, Explanatory Note 5, for discussion of revision policy. Gas in storage at the end of a reporting period may not equal the

quantity derived by adding or subtracting net injections or withdrawals during the period to the quantity of gas in storage at the beginning of the period. This is due to changes in the quantities of native gas included in base gas and/or losses in base gas due to migration from storage reservoirs. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Sources: Energy Information Administration (EIA): Form EIA-191M, "Monthly Underground Gas Storage Report," and Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition."