



## Summary Production Statistics of the U.S. Uranium Industry

Data for 2007

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**Table 9. Summary Production Statistics of the U.S. Uranium Industry, 1993 - 2007**

Items	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	E2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
<b>Exploration and Development</b>															
Surface Drilling (million feet)	1.1	0.7	1.3	3.0	4.9	4.6	2.5	1.0	0.7	W	W	1.2	1.7	2.7	5.1
Drilling Expenditures (million dollars) <sup>1</sup>	5.7	1.1	2.6	7.2	20.0	18.1	7.9	5.6	2.7	W	W	10.6	18.1	40.1	67.5
<b>Mine Production of Uranium</b>															
(million pounds U <sub>3</sub> O <sub>8</sub> )	2.1	2.5	3.5	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.5	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.5	3.0	4.7	4.5
<b>Uranium Concentrate Production</b>															
(million pounds U <sub>3</sub> O <sub>8</sub> )	3.1	3.4	6.0	6.3	5.6	4.7	4.6	4.0	2.6	2.3	2.0	2.3	2.7	4.1	4.5
<b>Uranium Concentrate Shipments</b>															
(million pounds U <sub>3</sub> O <sub>8</sub> )	3.4	6.3	5.5	6.0	5.8	4.9	5.5	3.2	2.2	3.8	1.6	2.3	2.7	3.8	4.0
<b>Employment</b>															
(person-years)	871	980	1,107	1,118	1,097	1,120	848	627	423	426	321	420	648	755	1,231

<sup>1</sup> Expenditures are in nominal U.S. dollars.

E = Estimated data.

W = Data withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

Note: The 2003 annual production and shipment amounts were estimated by rounding to the nearest 200,000 pounds to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

Source: Energy Information Administration: 1993-2002-Uranium Industry Annual 2002 (May 2003), Table H1 and Table 2. 2003-2007-Form EIA-851A, "Domestic Uranium Production Report" (2003-2007).