

Table 15. Recoverable Coal Reserves and Average Recovery Percentage at Producing Mines by State, 2002, 2001
(Million Short Tons)

Coal-Producing State	2002		2001		Percent Change Recoverable Coal Reserves
	Recoverable Coal Reserves	Average Recovery Percentage	Recoverable Coal Reserves	Average Recovery Percentage	
Alabama.....	366	55.54	352	55.54	4.0
Alaska.....	W	W	W	W	W
Arizona.....	W	W	W	W	W
Arkansas.....	W	W	-	-	-
Colorado.....	629	72.46	562	75.55	11.8
Illinois.....	900	58.91	819	59.03	9.9
Indiana.....	381	67.04	397	70.62	-4.1
Kansas.....	W	W	W	W	W
Kentucky Total.....	1,010	56.87	1,087	58.54	-7.0
Eastern.....	703	58.16	829	60.05	-15.1
Western.....	307	53.91	258	53.68	18.9
Louisiana.....	W	W	W	W	W
Maryland.....	65	61.35	72	61.47	-9.0
Mississippi.....	W	W	W	W	W
Missouri.....	W	W	W	W	W
Montana.....	1,115	91.26	1,155	91.30	-3.5
New Mexico.....	1,385	91.05	1,404	92.44	-1.3
North Dakota.....	1,211	89.53	1,151	89.27	5.2
Ohio.....	356	72.97	450	73.12	-20.9
Oklahoma.....	18	68.52	19	69.55	-8.1
Pennsylvania Total.....	576	68.57	558	68.68	3.2
Anthracite.....	26	49.71	16	46.72	58.1
Bituminous.....	550	69.46	541	69.35	1.6
Tennessee.....	16	72.00	24	74.94	-34.5
Texas.....	673	92.12	724	92.14	-7.1
Utah.....	356	51.51	364	52.05	-2.4
Virginia.....	261	58.60	240	58.20	8.9
Washington.....	W	W	W	W	W
West Virginia Total.....	1,433	63.07	1,502	62.11	-4.5
Northern.....	451	61.25	521	63.47	-13.3
Southern.....	982	63.91	981	61.39	0.1
Wyoming.....	6,673	92.96	6,100	93.47	9.4
U.S. Total.....	18,216	81.64	17,801	81.70	2.3

W = Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

Note: • Recoverable reserves represent the quantity of coal that can be recovered (i.e., mined) from existing coal reserves at reporting mines. Average recovery percentage represents the percentage of coal that can be recovered from coal reserves at reporting mines, weighted for all mines in the reported geographic area. Excludes mines producing less than 10,000 short tons, which are not required to provide data and refuse recovery. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

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."