

Table 2. Number of Uranium Mills and Plants Producing Uranium Concentrate

Uranium Concentrate Processing Facilities	End of 1996	End of 1997	End of 1998	End of 1999	End of 2000	End of 2001	End of 2002	End of 2003	End of 2004	End of 2005	End of 2006	End of 2007	End of 2008
Mills - conventional milling [1]	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Mills - other operations [2]	2	3	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0
In-Situ-Leach Plants [3]	5	6	6	4	3	3	2	2	3	3	5	5	6
Byproduct Recovery Plants [4]	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	9	11	9	7	6	4	3	2	3	4	6	6	7

[1] Milling uranium-bearing ore.

[2] Not milling ore, but producing uranium concentrate from other (non-ore) materials.

[3] Not including in-situ leach plants that only produced uranium concentrate from restoration.

[4] Uranium concentrate as a byproduct from phosphate production.

Source: Energy Information Administration: Form EIA-851A and Form EIA-851Q, "Domestic Uranium Production Report"