

Table 6. Quantity and Average Price of U.S. Coal Imports by Origin, 2002-2008
(Thousand Short Tons and Dollars per Short Ton)

| Year and Quarter | Australia | Canada | Colombia | Indonesia | China | Venezuela | Other Countries | Total |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Quantity | | | | | | | | |
| 2002 | 821 | 2,111 | 9,205 | 962 | 62 | 3,350 | 364 | 16,875 |
| 2003 | 330 | 2,099 | 15,479 | 2,105 | 150 | 4,625 | 256 | 25,044 |
| 2004 | 296 | 2,878 | 16,661 | 2,181 | 147 | 4,436 | 682 | 27,280 |
| 2005 | 231 | 2,017 | 21,215 | 2,468 | 20 | 3,734 | 775 | 30,460 |
| 2006 | 245 | 2,048 | 25,341 | 3,147 | 43 | 4,198 | 1,224 | 36,246 |
| 2007 | | | | | | | | |
| January - March | 28 | 280 | 6,852 | 807 | 12 | 740 | 67 | 8,786 |
| April - June | 20 | 514 | 6,094 | 949 | 6 | 703 | 119 | 8,405 |
| July - September | s | 565 | 7,664 | 1,247 | 20 | 989 | 74 | 10,559 |
| October - December | 18 | 607 | 6,254 | 660 | 13 | 994 | 51 | 8,597 |
| U.S. Total | 66 | 1,967 | 26,864 | 3,663 | 50 | 3,425 | 311 | 36,347 |
| 2008 | | | | | | | | |
| January - March | 39 | 396 | 6,093 | 661 | 5 | 447 | - | 7,640 |
| April - June | 17 | 541 | 6,860 | 997 | 14 | 552 | 1 | 8,982 |
| July - September | 25 | 600 | 6,263 | 936 | 17 | 607 | 37 | 8,485 |
| U.S. Total | 81 | 1,537 | 19,215 | 2,594 | 35 | 1,606 | 38 | 25,107 |
| Average Price | | | | | | | | |
| 2002 | 38.52 | 46.81 | 30.86 | 35.35 | 57.17 | 38.92 | 46.25 | 35.51 |
| 2003 | 33.98 | 48.92 | 28.44 | 28.36 | 49.28 | 33.79 | 39.36 | 31.45 |
| 2004 | 41.94 | 53.55 | 34.99 | 20.81 | 55.77 | 40.24 | 61.62 | 37.52 |
| 2005 | 48.50 | 96.67 | 44.82 | 20.83 | 93.35 | 46.46 | 50.15 | 46.71 |
| 2006 | 52.74 | 99.67 | 46.93 | 22.81 | 98.93 | 54.70 | 55.17 | 49.10 |
| 2007 | | | | | | | | |
| January - March | 31.36 | 96.36 | 45.57 | 23.81 | 98.23 | 52.90 | 55.27 | 45.91 |
| April - June | 31.46 | 91.30 | 45.68 | 24.16 | 85.86 | 55.38 | 46.74 | 46.86 |
| July - September | 45.45 | 88.97 | 46.31 | 24.81 | 122.22 | 55.06 | 98.43 | 47.38 |
| October - December | 32.44 | 86.78 | 47.82 | 34.15 | 120.56 | 55.21 | 57.28 | 50.51 |
| U.S. Total | 31.71 | 89.96 | 46.33 | 26.10 | 111.71 | 54.70 | 62.60 | 47.64 |
| 2008 | | | | | | | | |
| January - March | 56.62 | 86.17 | 51.89 | 35.58 | 99.81 | 62.17 | - | 52.91 |
| April - June | 55.90 | 104.75 | 52.67 | 40.90 | 139.55 | 68.03 | 67.70 | 55.59 |
| July - September | 56.97 | 123.32 | 60.18 | 39.08 | 276.66 | 81.51 | 148.57 | 64.65 |
| U.S. Total | 56.57 | 107.22 | 54.87 | 38.89 | 199.33 | 71.49 | 146.78 | 57.84 |

s Value is less than 0.5 of the table metric, but value is included in any associated table.

- = No data are reported.

Note: • Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Average price is based on the customs import value, including value for shipments of specialty coal not used as a fuel source (about 0.05% of all shipments). Customs import value is the price paid for merchandise when sold for exportation to the United States, excluding U.S. import duties, freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in bringing the merchandise to the United States. Coal imports include coal to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

(Source: • Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, "Monthly Report IM 145.")