

Table 4.1 Natural Gas Overview
(Billion Cubic Feet)

	Gross Withdrawals ^a	Marketed Production (Wet) ^b	Extraction Loss ^c	Dry Gas Production ^d	Supplemental Gaseous Fuels ^e	Trade			Net Storage Withdrawals ^f	Balancing Item ^g	Consumption ^h
						Imports	Exports	Net Imports			
1973 Total	24,067	22,648	917	21,731	NA	1,033	77	956	-442	-196	22,049
1975 Total	21,104	20,109	872	19,236	NA	953	73	880	-344	-235	19,538
1980 Total	21,870	20,180	777	19,403	155	985	49	936	23	-640	19,877
1985 Total	19,607	17,270	816	16,454	126	950	55	894	235	-428	17,281
1990 Total	21,523	18,594	784	17,810	123	1,532	86	1,447	-513	307	19,174
1995 Total	23,744	19,506	908	18,599	110	2,841	154	2,687	415	396	22,207
1996 Total	24,114	19,812	958	18,854	109	2,937	153	2,784	2	860	22,610
1997 Total	24,213	19,866	964	18,902	103	2,994	157	2,837	24	871	22,737
1998 Total	24,108	19,961	938	19,024	102	3,152	159	2,993	-530	657	22,246
1999 Total	23,823	19,805	973	18,832	98	3,586	163	3,422	172	-119	22,405
2000 Total	24,174	20,198	1,016	19,182	90	3,782	244	3,538	829	-305	23,333
2001 Total	24,501	20,570	954	19,616	86	3,977	373	3,604	-1,166	99	22,239
2002 Total	23,941	19,885	957	18,928	68	4,015	516	3,499	468	44	23,007
2003 Total	24,119	19,974	876	19,099	68	3,944	680	3,264	-197	44	22,277
2004 Total	23,970	19,517	927	18,591	60	4,259	854	3,404	-114	448	22,389
2005 Total	23,457	18,927	876	18,051	64	4,341	729	3,612	52	232	22,011
2006 January	R 1,975	R 1,611	R 75	R 1,536	6	360	56	305	271	R 48	R 2,164
February	R 1,794	R 1,451	68	R 1,383	6	321	59	262	495	R -3	R 2,143
March	R 1,994	R 1,631	76	R 1,555	6	348	69	279	206	R 79	R 2,125
April	R 1,909	R 1,571	R 73	R 1,497	5	332	45	287	-260	R 151	R 1,680
May	R 1,957	R 1,632	R 76	R 1,556	4	351	63	288	-374	R 52	R 1,525
June	R 1,939	R 1,614	75	R 1,539	6	348	66	282	-317	R 40	R 1,550
July	R 1,975	R 1,650	77	R 1,573	5	371	59	312	-166	R 33	R 1,758
August	1,989	1,656	77	R 1,579	6	365	55	310	-194	R 50	R 1,751
September	R 1,946	R 1,617	R 76	R 1,542	5	334	53	281	-364	R -4	R 1,461
October	R 2,026	R 1,675	78	R 1,597	6	334	59	275	-135	R -100	R 1,643
November	R 1,974	R 1,615	75	R 1,540	6	339	70	269	51	R -102	R 1,764
December	R 2,056	R 1,685	R 79	R 1,606	6	383	72	311	351	R -154	R 2,121
Total	R 23,535	R 19,410	906	R 18,504	66	4,186	724	3,462	-436	R 89	R 21,685
2007 January	R 2,034	R 1,637	R 76	R 1,561	6	393	69	324	R 698	R -120	R 2,470
February	R 1,870	R 1,498	R 70	R 1,429	R 5	373	57	316	R 748	R 65	R 2,564
March	R 2,084	R 1,684	R 78	R 1,606	6	402	77	325	R 56	R 133	R 2,125
April	R 1,984	R 1,609	R 75	R 1,534	5	387	51	336	R -125	R 56	R 1,806
May	R 2,053	R 1,700	R 79	R 1,621	4	380	62	318	R -470	81	R 1,554
June	R 2,017	R 1,654	R 77	R 1,577	5	381	57	324	R -399	R 44	R 1,552
July	R 2,050	R 1,690	R 79	R 1,611	5	419	71	348	R -322	R 14	R 1,656
August	R 2,074	R 1,701	R 79	R 1,622	5	427	62	365	R -133	R 35	R 1,894
September	R 2,034	R 1,659	R 77	R 1,582	5	361	65	296	R -306	R 8	R 1,585
October	R 2,118	R 1,720	R 80	R 1,640	R 5	347	64	284	R -263	R -44	R 1,622
November	R 2,094	R 1,697	R 79	R 1,619	R 6	341	86	254	R 127	-177	1,828
December	R 2,179	R 1,770	R 82	R 1,688	4	397	101	295	R 582	R -178	R 2,392
Total	R 24,591	R 20,019	R 930	R 19,089	R 63	4,608	822	3,785	R 193	R -83	R 23,047
2008 January	2,196	E 1,783	75	E 1,709	E 2	386	111	275	824	R -89	R 2,720
February	2,077	E 1,693	72	E 1,621	E 4	346	102	244	593	R 26	R 2,488
March	2,243	E 1,828	78	E 1,750	E 5	364	104	260	219	R 35	R 2,270
April	2,133	E 1,756	76	E 1,679	E 5	321	78	243	-190	R 86	R 1,823
May	2,188	E 1,814	80	E 1,734	E 4	295	73	222	-402	R 21	R 1,579
June	2,145	E 1,788	73	E 1,715	E 5	285	65	220	-339	R 13	R 1,613
July	2,218	E 1,864	77	E 1,787	E 4	R 320	R 65	R 254	-342	R 14	R 1,718
August	2,187	E 1,859	77	E 1,781	E 5	R 326	R 70	R 257	-350	R 1	R 1,694
September	1,966	E 1,601	62	E 1,540	E 5	313	57	255	-300	R -36	R 1,464
October	R 2,202	RE 1,801	R 74	RE 1,727	E 5	R 320	69	R 252	-242	R -106	R 1,634
November	2,207	E 1,797	71	E 1,726	E 5	E 310	E 83	E 227	57	-159	1,857
11-Month Total ...	23,761	E 19,584	814	E 18,769	E 49	E 3,587	E 878	E 2,709	-473	-195	20,860
2007 11-Month Total ...	22,411	18,249	848	17,401	59	4,211	721	3,490	-389	95	20,655
2006 11-Month Total ...	21,479	17,725	827	16,897	60	3,803	652	3,151	-788	243	19,563

^a Gas withdrawn from natural gas and crude oil wells; excludes lease condensate.

^b Gross withdrawals minus repressuring, nonhydrocarbon gases removed, and vented and flared. See Note 1, "Natural Gas Production," at end of section.

^c See Note 2, "Natural Gas Extraction Loss," at end of section.

^d Marketed production (wet) minus extraction loss.

^e See Note 3, "Supplemental Gaseous Fuels," at end of section.

^f Net withdrawals from underground storage. For 1980-2007, also includes net withdrawals of liquefied natural gas in above-ground tanks. See Note 4, "Natural Gas Storage," at end of section.

^g See Note 5, "Natural Gas Balancing Item," at end of section. Since 1980, excludes transit shipments that cross the U.S.-Canada border (i.e., natural gas delivered to its destination via the other country).

^h See Note 6, "Natural Gas Consumption," at end of section.

ⁱ May include unknown quantities of nonhydrocarbon gases.

^j For 1989-1992, a small amount of consumption at independent power producers may be counted in both "Other Industrial" and "Electric Power Sector" on Table 4.3. See Note 7, "Natural Gas Consumption, 1989-1992," at end of section.

R=Revised. E=Estimate. NA=Not available.

Notes: • Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding. • Geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Web Page: See <http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/mer/natgas.html> for all available data beginning in 1973.

Sources: • **Imports and Exports:** Table 4.2. • **Consumption:** Table 4.3. • **Balancing Item:** Calculated as consumption minus dry gas production, supplemental gaseous fuels, net imports, and net storage withdrawals. • **All Other Data:** 1973-2002—Energy Information Administration (EIA), *Natural Gas Annual*, annual reports. 2003 forward—EIA, *Natural Gas Monthly*, January 2009, Table 1.