

**Table 14. Productive Capacity and Capacity Utilization of Underground Coal Mines by State and Mining Method, 2000**  
(Thousand Short Tons)

Coal-Producing State	Continuous		Conventional		Longwall		Other		Total	
	Productive Capacity	Capacity Utilization	Productive Capacity	Capacity Utilization	Productive Capacity	Capacity Utilization	Productive Capacity	Capacity Utilization	Productive Capacity	Capacity Utilization
Alabama	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	17,765	89.47
Colorado	W	W	-	-	W	W	W	W	W	W
Illinois	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	34,371	86.24
Indiana	W	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	W
<b>Kentucky Total</b>	<b>89,212</b>	<b>76.52</b>	<b>2,374</b>	<b>73.06</b>	<b>10,487</b>	<b>95.55</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>102,091</b>	<b>78.40</b>
Eastern	72,993	76.70	2,374	73.06	W	W	W	W	77,299	77.17
Western	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	24,792	82.24
Maryland	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	W	W
Ohio	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	12,911	92.42
Oklahoma	W	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	W	W
<b>Pennsylvania Total</b>	<b>14,299</b>	<b>59.74</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>65.44</b>	<b>52,952</b>	<b>92.99</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>99.23</b>	<b>67,371</b>	<b>85.89</b>
Anthracite	W	W	W	W	-	-	W	W	W	W
Bituminous	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	W	W
Tennessee	2,123	68.46	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,123	68.46
Utah	W	W	-	-	W	W	-	-	35,091	75.94
Virginia	17,859	88.25	-	-	W	W	W	W	26,908	86.03
<b>West Virginia Total</b>	<b>81,912</b>	<b>69.25</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>79.29</b>	<b>48,129</b>	<b>83.01</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>178.63</b>	<b>131,391</b>	<b>74.88</b>
Northern	14,516	67.41	-	-	24,226	92.81	-	-	38,742	83.29
Southern	67,396	69.64	W	W	23,902	73.08	W	W	92,648	71.37
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	W	W	-	-	W	W
<b>Appalachian Total</b>	<b>194,330</b>	<b>73.17</b>	<b>3,171</b>	<b>74.20</b>	<b>139,514</b>	<b>89.68</b>	<b>1,940</b>	<b>96.04</b>	<b>338,954</b>	<b>80.11</b>
Northern	33,278	65.67	97	65.44	88,813	93.82	23	99.23	122,211	86.13
Central	160,371	74.91	3,074	74.48	33,617	77.67	1,917	96.01	198,978	75.57
Southern	680	31.18	-	-	17,085	91.79	-	-	17,765	89.47
<b>Interior Total</b>	<b>42,176</b>	<b>78.45</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>23,673</b>	<b>88.17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>65,849</b>	<b>81.95</b>
Illinois Basin	41,816	78.55	-	-	23,673	88.17	-	-	65,489	82.03
<b>Western Total</b>	<b>8,396</b>	<b>39.67</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>54,782</b>	<b>78.46</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>30.60</b>	<b>68,178</b>	<b>70.17</b>
Uinta Region	7,516	39.21	-	-	53,509	78.06	5,000	30.60	66,025	70.05
East of Miss. River	236,146	74.13	3,171	74.20	163,187	89.46	1,940	96.04	404,443	80.42
West of Miss. River	8,756	40.80	-	-	54,782	78.46	5,000	30.60	68,538	70.15
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>244,902</b>	<b>72.93</b>	<b>3,171</b>	<b>74.20</b>	<b>217,969</b>	<b>86.70</b>	<b>6,940</b>	<b>48.89</b>	<b>472,981</b>	<b>78.93</b>

W = Withheld to avoid disclosure of individual company data.

Note: • Productive capacity is the maximum amount of coal that can be produced annually. Capacity utilization is the ratio of total production to annual productive capacity. Excludes mines producing less than 10,000 short tons, which are not required to provide data and recovery operations. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Source: • Energy Information Administration Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report," for productive capacity, and U.S. Department of Labor, Mine Safety and Health Administration, Form 7000-2, "Quarterly Mine Employment and Coal Production Report," for annual production.