

Table 11. U.S. Metallurgical Coal Exports
(Short Tons)

Continent and Country of Destination	July - September 2008	April - June 2008	July - September 2007	Year to Date		
				2008	2007	Percent Change
North America Total	1,191,333	1,204,577	1,404,787	2,889,493	3,100,993	-6.8
Canada ¹	1,073,475	944,291	1,277,625	2,348,029	2,779,875	-15.5
Jamaica	-	49,216	30,312	49,216	30,312	62.4
Mexico	117,858	211,070	96,850	459,504	290,200	58.3
Other ²	-	-	-	32,744	606	NM
South America Total	1,522,690	1,662,738	2,266,558	4,769,279	5,110,743	-6.7
Argentina	100,110	104,078	99,156	305,613	244,212	25.1
Brazil	1,422,580	1,508,915	2,165,726	4,413,921	4,864,751	-9.3
Chile	-	49,745	-	49,745	-	-
Other ²	-	-	1,676	-	1,780	-
Europe Total	6,325,537	7,578,695	4,840,994	19,794,256	13,294,053	48.9
Austria	41,133	144,791	-	185,924	-	-
Belgium	404,594	610,519	560,470	1,498,948	1,330,248	12.7
Bulgaria	47,132	123,455	76,935	324,544	237,691	36.5
Croatia	332,429	347,408	220,106	1,131,992	526,194	115.1
Denmark	79,320	-	-	158,593	-	-
Federal Republic of Germany	305,902	222,938	163,697	765,056	652,543	17.2
Finland	114,813	55,396	-	191,748	98,675	94.3
France	707,626	644,630	466,092	1,917,470	1,435,499	33.6
Ireland	75,307	-	-	75,307	-	-
Italy	571,863	939,881	872,965	2,211,411	2,376,029	-6.9
Netherlands	961,408	926,307	629,363	2,434,429	1,698,942	43.3
Poland	580,727	414,651	115,337	1,209,185	227,164	432.3
Romania	112,347	760,859	78,287	1,375,348	78,287	NM
Slovakia	132,757	137,775	71,743	270,532	241,235	12.1
Slovenia	79,773	-	75,507	79,773	150,126	-46.9
Spain	294,167	281,007	423,912	1,071,655	1,219,463	-12.1
Sweden	81,133	204,275	161,844	419,473	376,854	11.3
Turkey	390,159	748,457	310,845	1,563,941	1,206,369	29.6
Ukraine	281,815	117,214	150,291	678,324	150,291	351.3
United Kingdom	510,483	702,449	456,180	1,768,747	1,265,780	39.7
Other ²	220,649	196,683	7,420	461,856	22,663	NM
Asia Total	1,043,826	1,484,462	51,480	3,214,985	730,816	339.9
India	515,527	346,595	51,480	1,183,660	588,179	101.2
Korea, South	218,990	388,496	-	815,803	142,586	472.1
Saudi Arabia	39,229	-	-	66,968	-	-
Other ²	270,080	749,371	-	1,148,554	51	NM
Africa Total	475,779	628,821	610,293	1,524,442	1,553,486	-1.9
Algeria	70,240	-	139,311	174,837	344,241	-49.2
Egypt	405,539	324,350	317,975	962,940	1,056,238	-8.8
Morocco	-	71,042	-	71,042	-	-
South Africa	-	233,429	153,007	315,623	153,007	106.3
Total	10,559,165	12,559,293	9,174,112	32,192,455	23,790,091	35.3

¹ Based on the U.S. - Canada Free Trade Agreement; as of January 1990, the U.S. Department of Commerce began reporting statistics on U.S. exports to Canada based on information on imports provided monthly by the Canadian government.

² Includes countries with coal exports less than or equal to 50,000 short tons in 2007.

- = No data are reported.

NM = Not meaningful due to changes of 500 percent or more.

Note: • Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Source: • Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, "Monthly Report EM 545."