

Table A14. Oil and gas supply

Production and supply	Reference case							Annual growth 2010-2035 (percent)	
	2009	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030	2035		
Crude oil									
Lower 48 average wellhead price¹ (2010 dollars per barrel)									
57.46	80.46	117.84	124.44	130.30	130.74	137.55	2.2%		
Production (million barrels per day)²									
United States total	5.36	5.47	6.15	6.70	6.40	6.37	5.99	0.4%	
Lower 48 onshore	3.04	3.21	4.09	4.38	4.43	4.29	3.99	0.9%	
Tight oil ³	0.25	0.37	0.97	1.20	1.29	1.32	1.23	4.9%	
Carbon dioxide enhanced oil recovery	0.27	0.28	0.26	0.33	0.49	0.61	0.66	3.5%	
Other	2.52	2.55	2.86	2.85	2.66	2.36	2.10	-0.8%	
Lower 48 offshore	1.68	1.67	1.60	1.83	1.57	1.65	1.74	0.2%	
Alaska	0.65	0.60	0.46	0.49	0.40	0.44	0.27	-3.2%	
Lower 48 end of year reserves ² (billion barrels)	18.75	18.33	20.55	23.02	23.64	24.34	24.23	1.1%	
Natural gas									
Lower 48 average wellhead price¹ (2010 dollars per million Btu)									
Henry hub spot price	4.00	4.39	4.29	4.58	5.63	6.29	7.37	2.1%	
Average lower 48 wellhead price ¹	3.75	4.06	3.84	4.10	5.00	5.56	6.48	1.9%	
(2010 dollars per thousand cubic feet)									
Average lower 48 wellhead price ¹	3.85	4.16	3.94	4.19	5.12	5.69	6.64	1.9%	
Dry production (trillion cubic feet)⁴									
United States total	20.58	21.58	23.65	25.09	26.28	26.94	27.93	1.0%	
Lower 48 onshore	17.50	18.66	21.48	22.48	23.64	24.11	24.97	1.2%	
Associated-dissolved ⁵	1.40	1.40	1.52	1.54	1.41	1.18	1.00	-1.3%	
Non-associated	16.10	17.26	19.96	20.94	22.23	22.93	23.97	1.3%	
Tight gas	6.40	5.68	6.08	6.06	6.17	6.07	6.14	0.3%	
Shale gas	2.91	4.99	8.24	9.69	11.26	12.42	13.63	4.1%	
Coalbed methane	1.99	1.99	1.83	1.79	1.77	1.74	1.76	-0.5%	
Other	4.80	4.59	3.82	3.40	3.03	2.70	2.44	-2.5%	
Lower 48 offshore	2.70	2.56	1.88	2.34	2.38	2.58	2.72	0.3%	
Associated-dissolved ⁵	0.70	0.71	0.55	0.75	0.67	0.70	0.73	0.1%	
Non-associated	2.00	1.85	1.33	1.59	1.71	1.88	2.00	0.3%	
Alaska	0.37	0.36	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.25	0.23	-1.8%	
Lower 48 end of year dry reserves ⁴ (trillion cubic feet)	263.40	260.50	274.79	290.32	299.77	307.17	311.58	0.7%	
Supplemental gas supplies (trillion cubic feet)⁶	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	-0.2%	
Total lower 48 wells drilled (thousands)	34.31	43.19	49.79	53.80	59.42	60.21	65.59	1.7%	

¹Represents lower 48 onshore and offshore supplies.²Includes lease condensate.³Tight oil represents resources in low-permeability reservoirs, including shale and chalk formations. The specific plays included in the tight oil category are Bakken/Three Forks/Sanish, Eagle Ford, Woodford, Austin Chalk, Spraberry, Niobrara, Avalon/Bone Springs, and Monterey.⁴Marketed production (wet) minus extraction losses.⁵Gas which occurs in crude oil reservoirs either as free gas (associated) or as gas in solution with crude oil (dissolved).⁶Synthetic natural gas, propane air, coke oven gas, refinery gas, biomass gas, air injected for Btu stabilization, and manufactured gas commingled and distributed with natural gas.

Note: Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding. Data for 2009 and 2010 are model results and may differ slightly from official EIA data reports.

Sources: 2009 and 2010 crude oil lower 48 average wellhead price: U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA), *Petroleum Marketing Annual 2009*, DOE/EIA-0487(2009) (Washington, DC, August 2010). 2009 and 2010 lower 48 onshore, lower 48 offshore, and Alaska crude oil production: EIA, *Petroleum Supply Annual 2010*, DOE/EIA-0340(2010)/1 (Washington, DC, July 2011). 2009 U.S. crude oil and natural gas reserves: EIA, *U.S. Crude Oil, Natural Gas, and Natural Gas Liquids Reserves*, DOE/EIA-0216(2009) (Washington, DC, November 2010). 2009 Alaska and total natural gas production, and supplemental gas supplies: EIA, *Natural Gas Annual 2009*, DOE/EIA-0131(2009) (Washington, DC, December 2010). 2009 natural gas lower 48 average wellhead price: U.S. Department of the Interior, Office of Natural Resources Revenue; and EIA, *Natural Gas Annual 2009*, DOE/EIA-0131(2009) (Washington, DC, December 2010). 2010 natural gas lower 48 average wellhead price, Alaska and total natural gas production, and supplemental gas supplies: EIA, *Natural Gas Monthly*, DOE/EIA-0130(2011/07) (Washington, DC, July 2011). Other 2009 and 2010 values: EIA, Office of Energy Analysis. **Projections:** EIA, AEO2012 National Energy Modeling System run REF2012.D020112C.