

Between 1999 and 2011, the number of ethanol plants in the U.S. quadrupled, accompanied by a rapid rise in production capacity. Additional information on specific plant locations and up-to-date statistics can be obtained at the Renewable Fuels Association, <http://www.ethanolrfa.org/pages/statistics>.

**Section: BIOFUELS**  
**Ethanol Plant Statistics, 1999-2011**

Year	Total Ethanol Plants	Ethanol Production Capacity (million gallons per year)	Plants Under Construction/ Expanding	Capacity Under Construction/ Expanding (million gallons per year)	States with Ethanol Plants
1999	50	1,701.7	5	77.0	17
2000	54	1,748.7	6	91.5	17
2001	56	1,921.9	6	64.7	18
2002	61	2,347.3	13	390.7	19
2003	68	2,706.8	11	483.0	20
2004	72	3,100.8	15	598.0	19
2005	81	3,643.7	16	754.0	18
2006	95	4,336.4	31	1,778.0	20
2007	110	5,493.4	76	5,635.5	21
2008	139	7,888.4	61	5,536.0	21
2009	170 <sup>a</sup>	10,569.4 <sup>a</sup>	24	2,066.0	26
2010	189	11,877.4	15	1,432.0	26
2011	204	13,507.9	10	522.0	29

**Source:**

Renewable Fuels Association, Ethanol Industry Statistics: *Ethanol Industry Overview*.  
<http://www.ethanolrfa.org/pages/statistics>

**Note:**

As of January each year. May not match other sources.

<sup>a</sup> Operating plants