

**Table 4.2 Natural Gas Trade by Country**  
(Billion Cubic Feet)

	Imports									Exports				
	Algeria <sup>a</sup>	Canada <sup>b</sup>	Egypt <sup>a</sup>	Mexico <sup>b</sup>	Nigeria <sup>a</sup>	Qatar <sup>a</sup>	Trinidad and Tobago <sup>a</sup>	Other <sup>a,c</sup>	Total	Canada <sup>b</sup>	Japan <sup>a</sup>	Mexico <sup>b</sup>	Other <sup>a,d</sup>	Total
<b>1973 Total</b> .....	3	1,028	0	2	0	0	0	0	1,033	15	48	14	0	77
<b>1975 Total</b> .....	5	948	0	0	0	0	0	0	953	10	53	9	0	73
<b>1980 Total</b> .....	86	797	0	102	0	0	0	0	985	0	45	4	0	49
<b>1985 Total</b> .....	24	926	0	0	0	0	0	0	950	0	53	2	0	55
<b>1990 Total</b> .....	84	1,448	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,532	17	53	16	0	86
<b>1995 Total</b> .....	18	2,816	0	7	0	0	0	0	2,841	28	65	61	0	154
<b>1996 Total</b> .....	35	2,883	0	14	0	0	0	5	2,937	52	68	34	0	153
<b>1997 Total</b> .....	66	2,899	0	17	0	0	0	12	2,994	56	62	38	0	157
<b>1998 Total</b> .....	69	3,052	0	15	0	0	0	17	3,152	40	66	53	0	159
<b>1999 Total</b> .....	76	3,368	0	55	0	20	51	17	3,586	39	64	61	0	163
<b>2000 Total</b> .....	47	3,544	0	12	13	46	99	21	3,782	73	66	106	0	244
<b>2001 Total</b> .....	65	3,729	0	10	38	23	98	14	3,977	167	66	141	0	373
<b>2002 Total</b> .....	27	3,785	0	2	8	35	151	8	4,015	189	63	263	0	516
<b>2003 Total</b> .....	53	3,437	0	0	50	14	378	11	3,944	271	66	343	0	680
<b>2004 Total</b> .....	120	3,607	0	0	12	12	462	46	4,259	395	62	397	0	854
<b>2005 Total</b> .....	97	3,700	73	9	8	3	439	11	4,341	358	65	305	0	729
<b>2006 Total</b> .....	17	3,590	120	13	57	0	389	0	4,186	341	61	322	0	724
<b>2007 Total</b> .....	77	3,783	115	54	95	18	448	18	4,608	482	47	292	2	822
<b>2008 Total</b> .....	0	3,589	55	43	12	3	267	15	3,984	559	39	365	0	963
<b>2009 Total</b> .....	0	3,271	160	28	13	13	236	29	3,751	701	31	338	3	1,072
<b>2010</b>														
January .....	0	327	17	1	0	12	22	6	385	68	2	23	0	94
February .....	0	277	12	1	0	6	16	12	324	60	2	22	3	88
March .....	0	276	9	5	3	1	16	9	319	77	2	21	0	100
April .....	0	252	6	5	9	9	15	3	298	50	4	22	0	76
May .....	0	257	9	4	9	0	16	3	298	55	2	29	0	86
June .....	0	248	6	2	11	0	11	5	282	51	2	34	3	90
July .....	0	291	6	1	5	0	17	8	329	50	4	32	0	86
August .....	0	282	0	1	0	0	17	5	305	49	2	33	0	84
September .....	0	250	6	3	3	0	16	3	282	50	7	23	0	79
October .....	0	257	3	4	2	5	15	9	295	63	2	25	6	96
November .....	0	242	0	(s)	0	9	14	9	273	84	2	30	8	124
December .....	0	322	0	1	0	4	15	9	352	82	3	38	12	135
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>0</b>	<b>3,280</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>3,741</b>	<b>739</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1,137</b>
<b>2011</b>														
January .....	0	331	3	(s)	0	13	16	9	371	85	2	37	13	136
February .....	0	276	6	(s)	0	0	11	15	308	84	2	37	3	125
March .....	0	275	6	(s)	0	14	10	9	314	98	2	41	3	145
April .....	0	245	6	(s)	0	4	11	13	278	76	2	43	6	127
May .....	0	235	3	(s)	0	24	8	0	271	80	3	44	6	132
June .....	0	238	6	(s)	0	5	11	6	265	71	2	47	0	120
July .....	0	272	0	(s)	0	5	13	3	293	64	0	47	3	113
August .....	0	249	0	(s)	2	8	11	9	279	67	2	42	0	111
September .....	0	233	0	(s)	0	4	8	9	253	77	2	39	8	127
October .....	0	R 249	3	1	0	8	8	12	281	64	0	43	3	110
November .....	0	232	0	(s)	0	3	12	0	247	84	2	39	3	128
December .....	0	269	3	(s)	0	4	10	9	295	87	0	42	5	134
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>0</b>	<b>3,104</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>3,456</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>1,507</b>
<b>2012</b>														
January .....	0	265	0	(s)	0	4	9	3	281	84	3	40	3	130
February .....	0	249	3	(s)	0	0	11	6	269	87	2	42	0	130
March .....	0	246	0	(s)	0	4	13	3	265	93	0	46	3	141
April .....	0	235	0	(s)	0	4	1	3	243	77	0	45	0	122
May .....	0	240	0	(s)	0	6	11	0	257	79	3	52	0	134
June .....	0	250	0	(s)	0	0	8	0	258	64	2	58	0	125
<b>6-Month Total</b> .....	<b>0</b>	<b>1,486</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>(s)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1,573</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>782</b>
<b>2011 6-Month Total</b> .....	<b>0</b>	<b>1,600</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1,807</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>784</b>
<b>2010 6-Month Total</b> .....	<b>0</b>	<b>1,637</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1,906</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>533</b>

<sup>a</sup> As liquefied natural gas.

<sup>b</sup> By pipeline, except for very small amounts of liquefied natural gas imported from Canada in 1973, 1977, and 1981 and exported to Mexico beginning in 1998. See Note 9, "Natural Gas Imports and Exports," at end of section.

<sup>c</sup> Australia in 1997-2001 and 2004; Brunei in 2002; Equatorial Guinea in 2007; Indonesia in 1986 and 2000; Malaysia in 1999 and 2002-2005; Norway in 2008 forward; Oman in 2000-2005; Peru in 2010 and 2011; United Arab Emirates in 1996-2000; Yemen in 2010 forward; and Other (unassigned) in 2004.

<sup>d</sup> Brazil in 2010 forward; China in 2011; Chile in 2011; India in 2010 forward; Russia in 2007; South Korea in 2009-2011; Spain in 2010 and 2011; and United Kingdom in 2010 and 2011.

R=Revised. (s)=Less than 500 million cubic feet.

Notes: • See Note 9, "Natural Gas Imports and Exports," at end of section. • Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding. • U.S. geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Web Page: See <http://www.eia.gov/totalenergy/data/monthly/#naturalgas> for all available data beginning in 1973.

Sources: • **1973-1987:** U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form FPC-14, "Annual Report for Importers and Exporters of Natural Gas." • **1988-2009:** EIA, *Natural Gas Annual*, annual reports. • **2010 forward:** EIA, *Natural Gas Monthly*, August 2012, Tables 4 and 5; and U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Fossil Energy, "Natural Gas Imports and Exports."