

Table 28. Average Sales Price of Coal by State and Mine Type, 2015 and 2014

(dollars per short ton)

Coal-Producing State	2015			2014			Percent Change		
	Underground	Surface	Total	Underground	Surface	Total	Underground	Surface	Total
Alabama	84.59	82.39	84.05	89.68	79.42	87.17	-5.7	3.7	-3.6
Alaska	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w	w
Arizona	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w	w
Arkansas	w	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w
Colorado	34.32	40.35	36.12	37.28	43.01	38.64	-7.9	-6.2	-6.5
Illinois	40.48	44.39	40.77	47.29	45.29	47.11	-14.4	-2.0	-13.5
Indiana	49.05	43.70	46.12	49.52	47.47	48.41	-1.0	-7.9	-4.7
Kansas	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w	w
Kentucky Total	55.29	54.34	55.01	57.12	58.74	57.62	-3.2	-7.5	-4.5
Kentucky (East)	63.44	58.03	60.84	70.93	63.10	66.97	-10.6	-8.0	-9.2
Kentucky (West)	51.15	43.58	50.10	50.29	45.21	49.58	1.7	-3.6	1.1
Louisiana	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w	w
Maryland	w	w	53.01	w	w	50.62	w	w	4.7
Mississippi	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w	w
Missouri	-	w	w	-	w	w	-	w	w
Montana	w	w	17.44	w	w	17.22	w	w	1.3
New Mexico	w	w	37.43	w	w	40.28	w	w	-7.1
North Dakota	-	17.71	17.71	-	17.99	17.99	-	-1.6	-1.6
Ohio	47.47	48.72	47.84	50.61	47.10	49.54	-6.2	3.4	-3.4
Oklahoma	w	w	43.46	w	w	44.98	w	w	-3.4
Pennsylvania Total	56.43	68.19	57.73	61.60	63.36	61.82	-8.4	7.6	-6.6
Pennsylvania (Anthracite)	58.53	99.15	97.91	70.00	91.79	90.98	-16.4	8.0	7.6
Pennsylvania (Bituminous)	56.42	53.67	56.21	61.59	55.08	60.93	-8.4	-2.6	-7.8
Tennessee	w	w	66.18	w	w	67.96	w	w	-2.6
Texas	-	22.69	22.69	-	18.20	18.20	-	24.7	24.7
Utah	w	w	34.53	w	w	35.59	w	w	-3.0
Virginia	63.39	62.24	63.04	78.78	77.46	78.44	-19.5	-19.7	-19.6
West Virginia Total	61.30	56.83	60.31	67.55	60.69	65.67	-9.3	-6.4	-8.2
West Virginia (Northern)	w	w	54.82	w	w	59.31	w	w	-7.6
West Virginia (Southern)	w	w	66.02	w	w	70.54	w	w	-6.4
Wyoming	w	w	13.92	w	w	14.05	w	w	-0.9
U.S. Total	52.20	21.47	31.83	56.97	22.83	34.83	-8.4	-6.0	-8.6

- = No data reported.

w = Data withheld to avoid disclosure.

Note: An average sales price is calculated by dividing the total free on board (f.o.b) rail/barge value of the coal sold by the total coal sold. Excludes mines producing less than 25,000 short tons, which are not required to provide data. Excludes silt, culm, refuse bank, slurry dam, and dredge operations. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

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