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# Weekly Statistical Summary

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PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION & TRADE						
	Week Ended			* Cumulative Jan 1 to		
	04/05/08	04/07/07	% Chng	04/05/08	04/05/07	% Chng
<b>EIA Coal Production (000 Tons):</b>						
Week Ended/Year to Date	22,495	21,215	6.0%	312,266	301,906	3.4%
52 Weeks Ended	1,150,717	1,156,198	-0.5%			
* Due to leap year, 2008 cumulative reflects one extra day of tonnage.						
	March 08/07		% Chng	Jan - Mar 08/07		% Chng
<b>Month Ended -- March</b>	99,020	97,628	1.4%	295,300	285,901	3.3%
MONTH ENDED AND CUMULATIVE NUMBERS ARE PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE						
<b>DOC Bituminous Coal Trade (000 Tons)</b>						
	January 08/07		% Chng	Jan - Jan 08/07		% Chng
<b>Exports:</b>						
Metallurgical	2,673	2,076	28.8%	2,673	2,076	28.8%
Steam	2,222	2,230	-0.4%	2,222	2,230	-0.4%
<b>Imports:</b>	2,381	2,844	-16.3%	2,381	2,844	-16.3%
	Week Ended			* Cumulative Jan 1 to		
	04/05/08	04/07/07	% Chng	04/05/08	04/07/07	% Chng
<b>EEl Electric Output (Mil. Kwh)</b>	71,906	70,382	2.2%	1,079,533	1,069,359	1.0%
<b>AISI Raw Steel Output (000 Tons)</b>	2,099	2,113	-0.7%	28,950	27,701	4.5%
EIA U.S. PETROLEUM DATA						
4-Week Averages						
000 Barrels per Day						
	Week Ending			Cumulative Daily Averages		
	04/04/08	04/04/07	% Chng	2008	2007	% Chng
<b>PETROLEUM SUPPLY:</b>						
Domestic Crude	5,097	5,182	-1.6	5,080	5,176	-1.9
Net Imports (Incl. SPR)	9,364	10,283	-8.9	9,781	9,871	-0.9
SPR Stocks W/D or Added	-55	-3	--	-38	-1	--
Other Stocks W/D or added	-157	-418	--	-283	-217	--
Natural Gas Liquids Prod.	2,459	2,428	1.3	2,408	2,306	4.4



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## EIA Estimated Weekly U.S. Coal Production Overview (Thousand Short Tons)

Coal-Producing Region and State	Week Ended			Year to Date			52 Weeks Ended		
	4/5/2008	3/29/2008	4/7/2007	4/5/2008	4/5/2007	Percent Change	4/5/2008	4/7/2007	Percent Change
Alabama	381	405	339	5,377	5,469	-1.7	19,355	18,673	3.6
Alaska	27	26	25	341	475	-28.2	1,185	1,541	-23.1
Arizona	114	126	149	1,686	2,160	-21.9	7,479	8,187	-8.6
Arkansas	2	2	1	28	18	54.4	92	37	146.5
Colorado	717	736	743	9,775	8,536	14.5	37,428	37,152	0.7
Illinois	648	707	647	9,339	10,159	-8.1	31,570	34,212	-7.7
Indiana	692	743	638	9,866	9,244	6.7	35,485	35,006	1.4
Kansas	10	10	8	135	114	19.2	441	474	-7.2
<b>Kentucky Total</b>	<b>2,320</b>	<b>2,384</b>	<b>2,134</b>	<b>31,727</b>	<b>31,639</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>114,852</b>	<b>118,714</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
Eastern	1,687	1,741	1,643	23,172	23,718	-2.3	86,084	91,214	-5.6
Western	633	643	491	8,556	7,921	8.0	28,768	27,500	4.6
Louisiana	89	96	14	1,227	714	71.8	3,571	3,935	-9.3
Maryland	50	43	40	575	631	-8.9	2,230	4,153	-46.3
Mississippi	74	74	48	815	910	-10.4	3,438	3,705	-7.2
Missouri	5	5	4	61	62	-2.4	234	295	-20.7
Montana	873	870	732	11,605	10,596	9.5	44,200	42,233	4.7
New Mexico	472	478	548	6,381	5,944	7.3	24,771	25,514	-2.9
North Dakota	539	602	499	7,985	8,163	-2.2	29,329	30,284	-3.2
Ohio	475	485	377	6,464	5,922	9.2	23,017	22,083	4.2
Oklahoma	37	39	31	515	441	16.7	1,716	1,836	-6.6
<b>Pennsylvania Total</b>	<b>1,295</b>	<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,224</b>	<b>17,939</b>	<b>18,531</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>64,343</b>	<b>66,588</b>	<b>-3.4</b>
Anthracite	39	36	29	484	427	13.4	1,609	1,536	4.7
Bituminous	1,256	1,315	1,195	17,454	18,104	-3.6	62,735	65,052	-3.6
Tennessee	51	50	46	665	750	-11.4	2,550	2,746	-7.1
Texas	842	847	751	11,285	10,436	8.1	42,589	44,408	-4.1
Utah	476	466	467	6,219	6,478	-4.0	23,947	25,181	-4.9
Virginia	465	526	522	6,942	7,701	-9.9	24,509	29,179	-16.0
Washington	--	--	--	--	--	--	0	1,745	-100.0
<b>West Virginia Total</b>	<b>3,055</b>	<b>3,161</b>	<b>2,842</b>	<b>42,016</b>	<b>42,308</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>152,349</b>	<b>152,366</b>	<b>*</b>
Northern	929	999	779	13,190	12,395	6.4	42,588	42,536	0.1
Southern	2,126	2,162	2,063	28,827	29,913	-3.6	109,761	109,830	-0.1
Wyoming	8,787	9,017	8,386	123,298	114,505	7.7	460,039	445,951	3.2
<b>Appalachian Total</b>	<b>7,458</b>	<b>7,762</b>	<b>7,031</b>	<b>103,150</b>	<b>105,032</b>	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>374,437</b>	<b>387,004</b>	<b>-3.2</b>
<b>Interior Total</b>	<b>3,032</b>	<b>3,166</b>	<b>2,635</b>	<b>41,826</b>	<b>40,019</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>147,903</b>	<b>151,409</b>	<b>-2.3</b>
<b>Western Total</b>	<b>12,005</b>	<b>12,321</b>	<b>11,548</b>	<b>167,290</b>	<b>156,855</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>628,378</b>	<b>617,786</b>	<b>1.7</b>
<b>East of Miss. River</b>	<b>9,505</b>	<b>9,930</b>	<b>8,856</b>	<b>131,726</b>	<b>133,265</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>473,698</b>	<b>487,427</b>	<b>-2.8</b>
<b>West of Miss. River</b>	<b>12,990</b>	<b>13,320</b>	<b>12,359</b>	<b>180,540</b>	<b>168,641</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>677,020</b>	<b>668,772</b>	<b>1.2</b>
Bituminous and Lignite	22,456	23,213	21,186	311,782	301,479	3.4	1,149,109	1,154,662	-0.5
Anthracite	39	36	29	484	427	13.4	1,609	1,536	4.7
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>22,495</b>	<b>23,249</b>	<b>21,215</b>	<b>312,266</b>	<b>301,906</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>1,150,717</b>	<b>1,156,198</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
Railroad Cars Loaded	146,326	152,489	139,061	2,045,282	1,962,385	4.2	7,486,929	7,435,323	0.7

Source: Energy Information Administration

## EIA Estimated Weekly and Monthly U.S. Coal Production Overview (Thousand Short Tons)

Coal-Producing Region and State	Week Ended		Year to Date		Month Ended		January - March		Percent Change
	4/5/2008	4/7/2007	4/5/2008	4/5/2007	March 2008	March 2007	2008	2007	
Alabama	381	339	5,377	5,469	1,668	1,785	5,073	5,199	-2.4
Alaska	27	25	341	475	106	156	319	455	-29.7
Arizona	114	149	1,686	2,160	517	700	1,595	2,041	-21.8
Arkansas	2	1	28	18	9	6	27	17	57.0
Colorado	717	743	9,775	8,536	3,149	2,775	9,247	7,988	15.8
Illinois	648	647	9,339	10,159	2,945	3,331	8,837	9,657	-8.5
Indiana	692	638	9,866	9,244	3,088	3,013	9,325	8,746	6.6
Kansas	10	8	135	114	42	37	127	107	18.9
<b>Kentucky Total</b>	<b>2,320</b>	<b>2,134</b>	<b>31,727</b>	<b>31,639</b>	<b>9,894</b>	<b>10,310</b>	<b>29,905</b>	<b>29,961</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
Eastern	1,687	1,643	23,172	23,718	7,200	7,708	21,838	22,419	-2.6
Western	633	491	8,556	7,921	2,694	2,602	8,066	7,541	7.0
Louisiana	89	14	1,227	714	387	102	1,161	704	64.9
Maryland	50	40	575	631	178	206	535	600	-10.7
Mississippi	74	48	815	910	265	327	761	874	-13.0
Missouri	5	4	61	62	19	20	57	59	-3.7
Montana	873	732	11,605	10,596	3,751	3,501	10,969	10,063	9.0
New Mexico	472	548	6,381	5,944	1,982	1,896	6,009	5,512	9.0
North Dakota	539	499	7,985	8,163	2,466	2,664	7,553	7,764	-2.7
Ohio	475	377	6,464	5,922	2,024	1,939	6,095	5,628	8.3
Oklahoma	37	31	515	441	159	143	486	416	16.7
<b>Pennsylvania Total</b>	<b>1,295</b>	<b>1,224</b>	<b>17,939</b>	<b>18,531</b>	<b>5,585</b>	<b>6,039</b>	<b>16,915</b>	<b>17,564</b>	<b>-3.7</b>
Anthracite	39	29	484	427	150	139	453	404	12.0
Bituminous	1,256	1,195	17,454	18,104	5,435	5,900	16,462	17,160	-4.1
Tennessee	51	46	665	750	205	245	624	714	-12.6
Texas	842	751	11,285	10,436	3,661	3,445	10,676	9,893	7.9
Utah	476	467	6,219	6,478	1,940	2,103	5,846	6,111	-4.3
Virginia	465	522	6,942	7,701	2,182	2,514	6,580	7,295	-9.8
Washington	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<b>West Virginia Total</b>	<b>3,055</b>	<b>2,842</b>	<b>42,016</b>	<b>42,308</b>	<b>13,159</b>	<b>13,812</b>	<b>39,633</b>	<b>40,091</b>	<b>-1.1</b>
Northern	929	779	13,190	12,395	4,144	4,059	12,462	11,786	5.7
Southern	2,126	2,063	28,827	29,913	9,015	9,753	27,171	28,306	-4.0
Wyoming	8,787	8,386	123,298	114,505	39,641	36,556	116,944	108,441	7.8
<b>Appalachian Total</b>	<b>7,458</b>	<b>7,031</b>	<b>103,150</b>	<b>105,032</b>	<b>32,200</b>	<b>34,250</b>	<b>97,294</b>	<b>99,511</b>	<b>-2.2</b>
<b>Interior Total</b>	<b>3,032</b>	<b>2,635</b>	<b>41,826</b>	<b>40,019</b>	<b>13,269</b>	<b>13,026</b>	<b>39,522</b>	<b>38,014</b>	<b>4.0</b>
<b>Western Total</b>	<b>12,005</b>	<b>11,548</b>	<b>167,290</b>	<b>156,855</b>	<b>53,551</b>	<b>50,353</b>	<b>158,483</b>	<b>148,375</b>	<b>6.8</b>
<b>East of Miss. River</b>	<b>9,505</b>	<b>8,856</b>	<b>131,726</b>	<b>133,265</b>	<b>41,192</b>	<b>43,523</b>	<b>124,283</b>	<b>126,329</b>	<b>-1.6</b>
<b>West of Miss. River</b>	<b>12,990</b>	<b>12,359</b>	<b>180,540</b>	<b>168,641</b>	<b>57,828</b>	<b>54,106</b>	<b>171,016</b>	<b>159,571</b>	<b>7.2</b>
Bituminous and Lignite	22,456	21,186	311,782	301,479	98,870	97,490	294,847	285,496	3.3
Anthracite	39	29	484	427	150	139	453	404	12.0
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>22,495</b>	<b>21,215</b>	<b>312,266</b>	<b>301,906</b>	<b>99,020</b>	<b>97,628</b>	<b>295,300</b>	<b>285,901</b>	<b>3.3</b>
Railroad Cars Loaded	146,326	139,061	2,045,282	1,962,385	--	--	--	--	--

Source: Energy Information Administration



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**OUTPUT FOR WEEK ENDED - Apr 05, 2008**

**Apr 09, 2008**

The net available amount of electric energy distributed by the Total Electric Utility Industry+ for the week ended Saturday, **Apr 05, 2008** was **71,906** gigawatthours (GWh), according to the Edison Electric Institute. This is equivalent to **189** on the weekly electric output index.

**WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION**  
(48 CONTIGUOUS STATES)

	Week Ended April 05		52 Weeks Ended April 05	
	GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2007	GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Period of 2007
New England	2,409	-0.6	133,724	0.6
Mid-Atlantic	8,055	1.2	456,977	1.7
Central Industrial	12,741	2.8	724,867	2.9
West Central	6,151	-0.7	354,382	2.2
Southeast	19,201	2.3	1,109,374	2.4
South Central	10,146	4.8	598,606	-1.8
Rocky Mountain	4,538	-1.7	279,650	6.1
Pacific Northwest	3,397	14.2	164,017	6.7
Pacific Southwest	5,268	-1.9	289,189	-1.3
Total United States	71,906	2.2	4,110,787	1.8

**WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT IN PREVIOUS WEEKS--GWh**

Week Ended	2008	Week Ended	2007	% Inc. (08/07)	52 Weeks Ended	2008	% Inc. (08/07)
Mar 15	72,894	Mar 17	70,517	3.4	Mar 15	4,105,620	1.7
Mar 22	71,691	Mar 24	70,855	1.2	Mar 22	4,106,456	1.8
Mar 29	72,457	Mar 31	69,649	4.0	Mar 29	4,109,264	1.8
Apr 05	71,906	Apr 07	70,382	2.2	Apr 05	4,110,787	1.8
<b>Apr 05</b>	<b>1,079,533</b>	<b>Apr 07</b>	<b>1,069,359</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>YEAR TO DATE, FIRST 14 WEEKS</b>		

**WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT INDEX--TOTAL U.S.\***  
**SEASONALLY ADJUSTED 1982 = 100**

Week Ended	2008	Week Ended	2007	Week Ended	2006
Mar 15	182	Mar 17	175	Mar 18	174
Mar 22	182	Mar 24	180	Mar 25	183
Mar 29	188	Mar 31	178	Apr 01	176
Apr 05	189	Apr 07	183	Apr 08	178

\* Excludes Alaska and Hawaii.

+ Includes investor-owned companies, cooperatives and government-owned utilities.

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## WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION (48 CONTIGUOUS STATES)

	Week Ended			NMA CUMULATIVE JANUARY WEEK ONE TO			52 Weeks Ended		
	5-Apr 2008 GWh Output	6-Apr 2007 GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2007	5-Apr 2008 GWh Output	6-Apr 2007 GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2007	5-Apr 2008 GWh Output	6-Apr 2007 GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2007
<b>New England</b>	2,409	2,424	-0.6%	<b>35,998</b>	<b>36,720</b>	<b>-2.0%</b>	133,724	132,901	0.6%
<b>Mid-Atlantic</b>	8,055	7,963	1.2%	<b>120,129</b>	<b>121,820</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>	456,977	449,125	1.7%
<b>Central Industrial</b>	12,741	12,389	2.8%	<b>198,997</b>	<b>196,270</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	724,867	704,173	2.9%
<b>West Central</b>	6,151	6,197	-0.7%	<b>94,547</b>	<b>92,382</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	354,382	346,588	2.2%
<b>Southeast</b>	19,201	18,765	2.3%	<b>289,451</b>	<b>286,737</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	1,109,374	1,083,864	2.4%
<b>South Central</b>	10,146	9,684	4.8%	<b>147,978</b>	<b>147,505</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	598,606	609,324	-1.8%
<b>Rocky Mountain</b>	4,538	4,616	-1.7%	<b>67,351</b>	<b>65,131</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	279,650	263,467	6.1%
<b>Pacific Northwest</b>	3,397	2,976	14.1%	<b>51,888</b>	<b>46,949</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	164,017	153,738	6.7%
<b>Pacific Southwest</b>	5,268	5,368	-1.9%	<b>73,195</b>	<b>75,844</b>	<b>-3.5%</b>	289,189	293,138	-1.3%
<b>Total United States *</b>	71,906	70,382	2.2%	<b>1,079,534</b>	<b>1,069,358</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	4,110,786	4,036,318	1.8%

**Notes:** EEl output data are an estimate of electricity load made available for distribution derived as weekly net generation + purchases from non-utilities + net imports - exports - sales for resale. It is not meant to be a measure of electricity generation for the U.S. EEl survey data represent the majority of national distribution (large utilities, large government power projects, some independent and large municipal power projects). The remaining segment of the industry (smaller producers) is estimated. Non-utility generation is captured via direct sales to utilities.

\* Excludes Alaska and Hawaii

\*\* Less than one-tenth of one percent

SOURCE: Edison Electric Institute (EEl), *Weekly Electric Output Report*.

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**ESTIMATED WEEKLY RAW STEEL\* PRODUCTION**

<u>Period</u>	<u>Thousand Net Tons</u>	<u>Percent Change from Previous Period</u>	<u>Percent Capability Utilization**</u>	<u>Production by District</u>		
				<u>Week Ending April 5</u>	<u>Week Ending Mar 29</u>	
<b><u>Week Ending</u></b>				North East Coast	177	192
				Pgh/Youngstown	218	220
				Lake Erie	89	85
				Detroit	83	109
				Indiana/Chicago	525	528
				Midwest	267	260
				Southern	647	656
				Western	<u>93</u>	<u>94</u>
				Total	2099	2144
<b><u>Year-to-Date+</u></b>						
April 5, 2008	2,099	-2.0	88.0			
April 5, 2007	2,113	-0.6	88.3			
Mar 29, 2008	2,144	1.2	89.9			
April 5, 2008	28,950	4.5	88.5			
April 5, 2007	27,701	-	84.3			

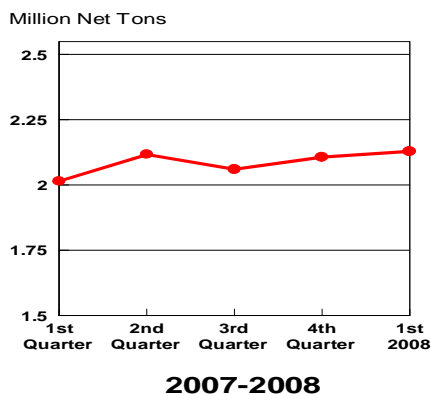
\*Raw steel production tonnage included in this report is estimated based on a sampling of steel producers. Therefore, this report should be used primarily to assess production trends. The AISI production report "AIS 7," produced monthly and available by subscription, provides a more accurate summary of steel production based on data supplied by companies representing approximately 75% of U.S. production capacity.

+Includes revisions for previous months

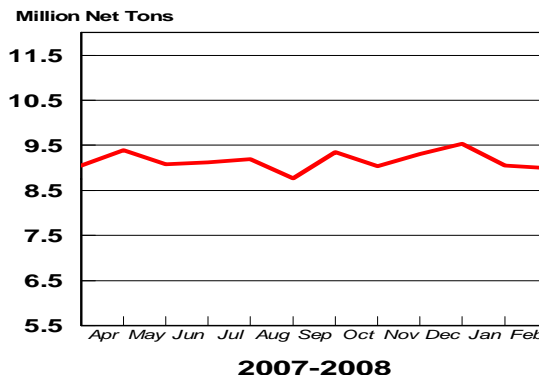
NOTE: Capability for the Fourth Quarter 2007 is approximately 31.3 million net tons vs 30.7 million net tons for the same period last year, and 30.1 million tons for the third quarter of 2007.

Capability -	2003 approx.	2.3 million tons/week
	2004	2.2
	2005	2.3
	2006	2.4
	2007	2.4

**Average Weekly Raw Steel Production**

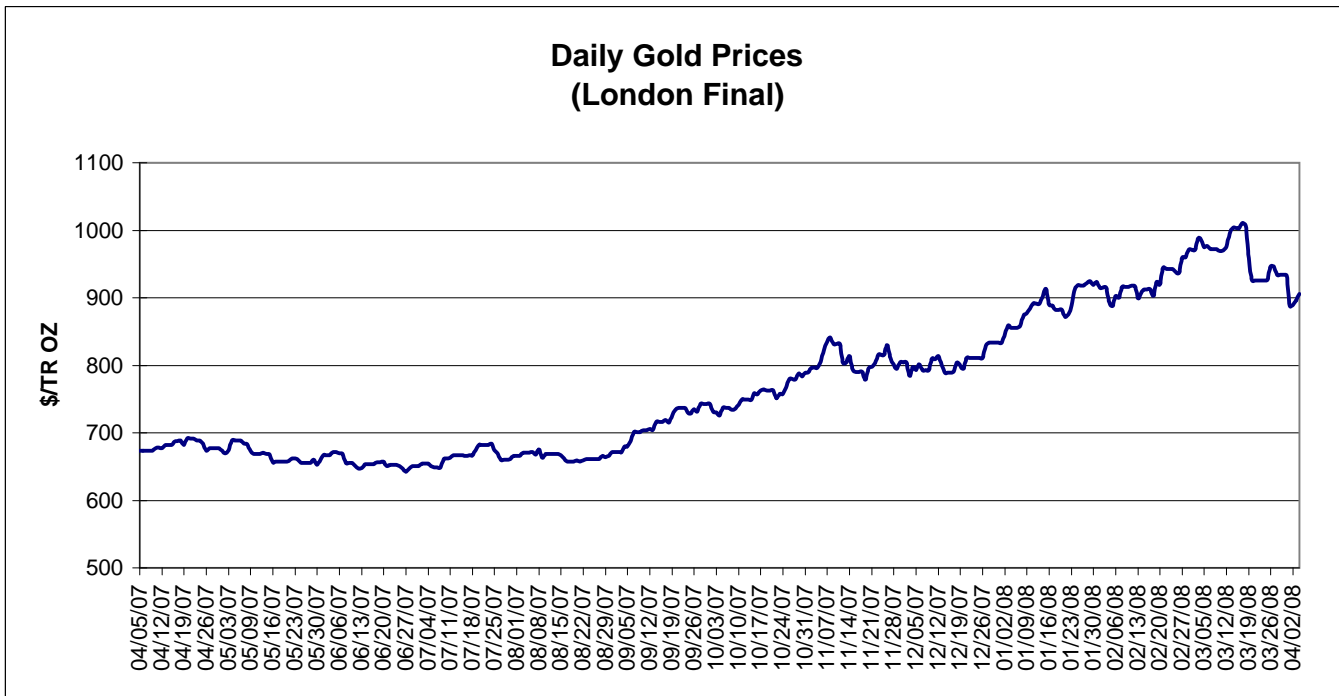
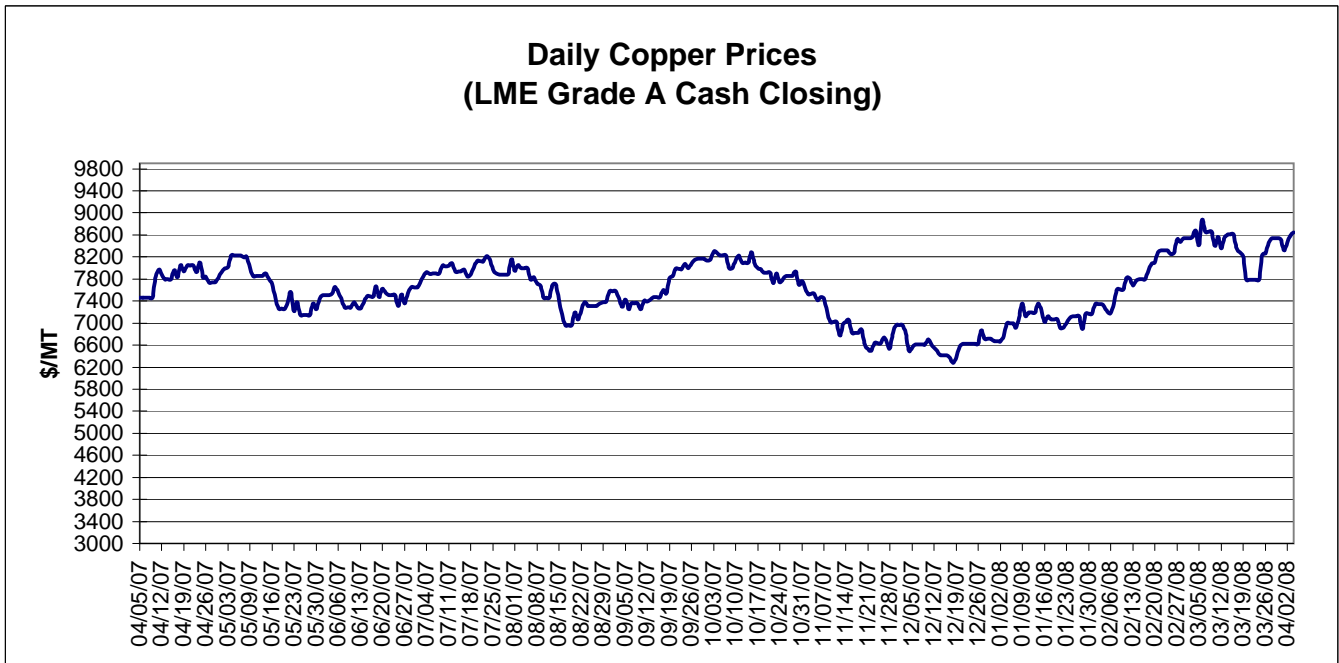


**Monthly Raw Steel Production**



\*Steel in the first solid state after melting suitable for further processing or sale, including ingots, steel for castings and strand or pressure cast blooms, slabs, or other product forms.

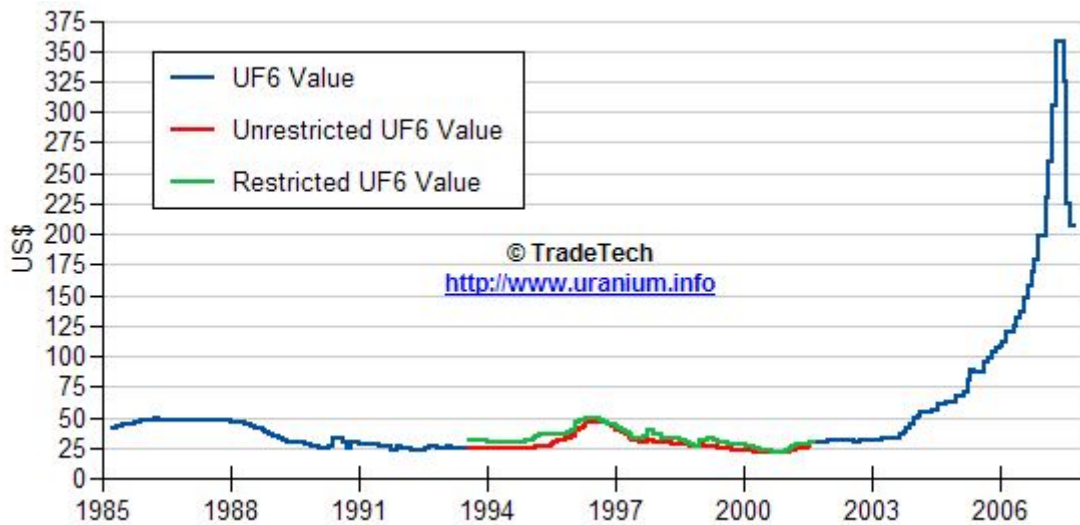
\*\* Based on tonnage capability to produce raw steel for a sustained full order book.



Data reflect closings on weekends and holidays.

Source: Platts Metals Week

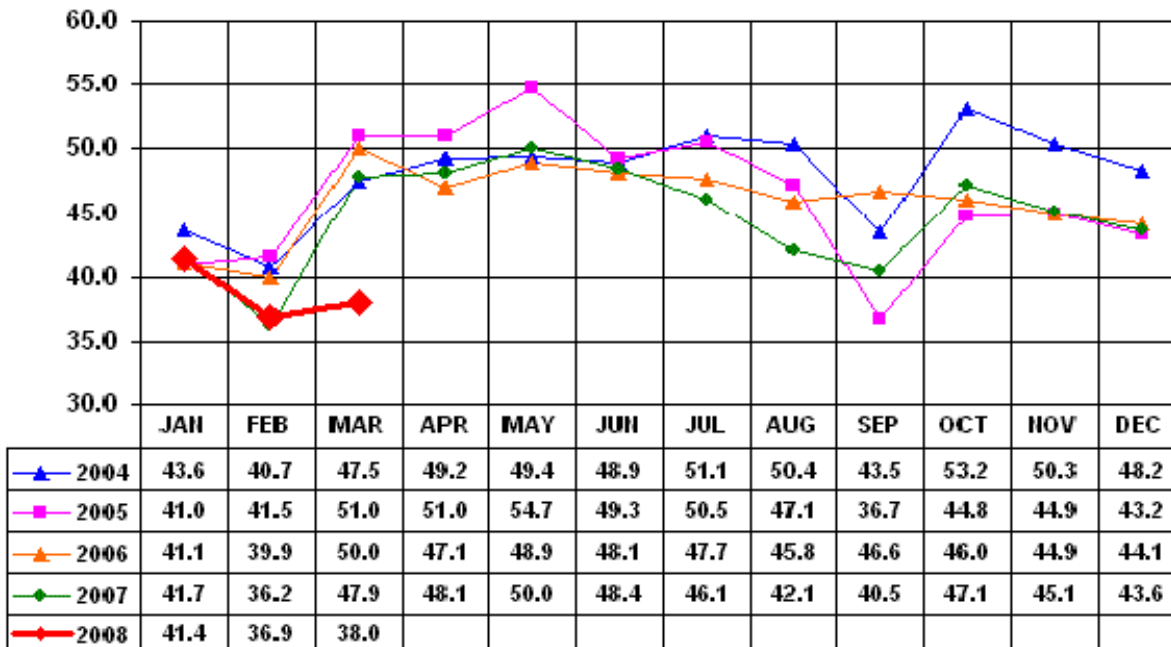
### Trade Tech's Uranium (UF6) Monthly Spot Prices (US\$/kg as UF6)



Source: Trade Tech, Uranium Info Website – <http://www.uranium.info>

### All Commodities

#### Monthly Tonnage Indicator for Internal U.S. Waterways



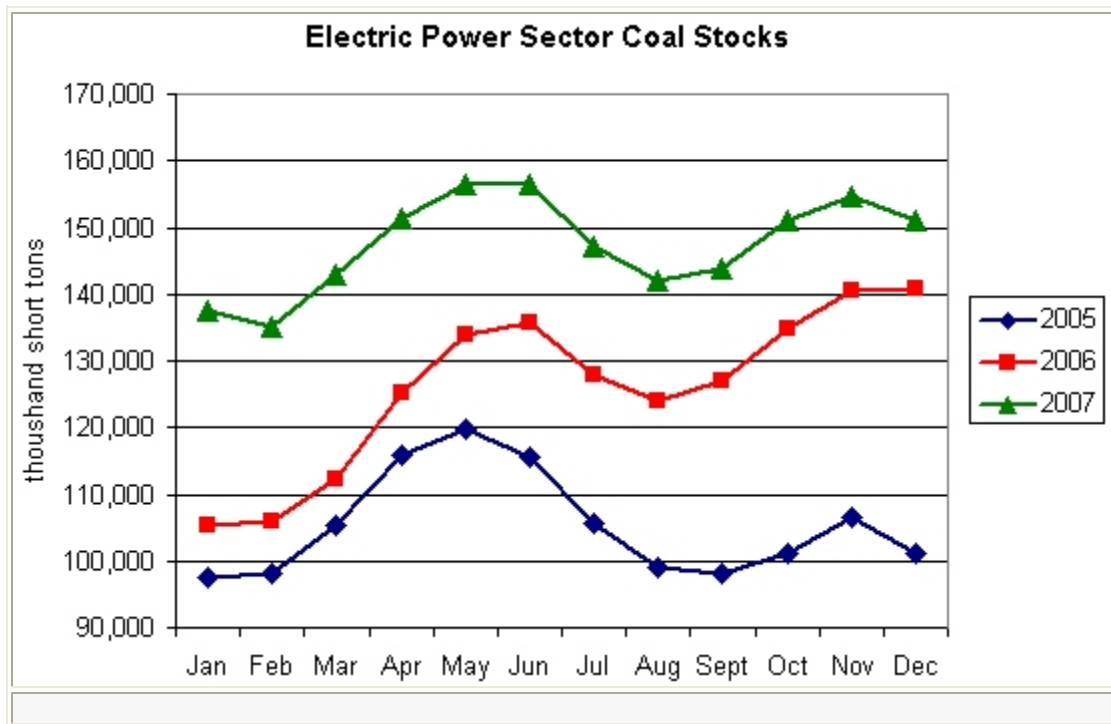
Source: U.S. Army Corps of engineers, Waterborne Commerce Statistics Center

### EIA Weekly Spot Coal Prices

The following average spot coal prices appear in the graphic below, for the previous and most recent weeks:  
(Dollars per Short Ton)

Week Ended	Central Appalachia 12,500 Btu, 1.2 SO2	Northern Appalachia 13,000 Btu, <3.0 SO2	Illinois Basin 11,800 Btu, 5.0 SO2	Powder River Basin 8,800 Btu, 0.8 SO2	Uinta Basin 11,700 Btu, 0.8 SO2
22-Feb-08	\$84.30	\$70.00	\$46.80	\$13.10	\$33.00
29-Feb-08	\$84.30	\$78.00	\$46.80	\$14.05	\$40.00
07-Mar-08	\$84.30	\$80.00	\$46.80	\$14.35	\$40.00
14-Mar-08	\$84.30	\$80.00	\$52.00	\$14.05	\$40.00
20-Mar-08	\$84.35	\$80.00	\$52.00	\$14.20	\$40.00
28-Mar-08	\$85.80	\$110.00	\$52.00	\$14.55	\$40.00
04-Apr-08	\$86.25	\$100.00	\$52.00	\$14.25	\$44.00

Source: Energy Information Administration (from Platts *Coal Outlook*, "Weekly Price Survey")



Source: Energy Information Administration