

**Table M5. World thermal coal consumption by region, Low Economic Growth case**

million short tons

Region	2022	2025	2030	2035	2040	2045	2050	Average annual percentage change, 2022–2050
<b>Americas</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>-3.1%</b>
United States	483	418	178	169	148	130	122	-4.8%
Canada	22	12	2	2	3	3	3	-7.4%
Mexico	3	4	4	6	10	10	10	4.1%
Brazil	12	13	12	13	13	13	20	1.9%
Other Americas	15	16	21	28	41	53	64	5.3%
<b>Europe and Eurasia</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>
Western Europe	582	554	417	423	405	383	464	-0.8%
Russia	155	161	144	126	125	123	122	-0.8%
Eastern Europe and Eurasia	114	105	103	115	121	124	126	0.4%
<b>Asia Pacific</b>	<b>5,860</b>	<b>5,768</b>	<b>5,925</b>	<b>5,989</b>	<b>5,857</b>	<b>5,714</b>	<b>5,536</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>
Japan	152	151	98	85	84	82	80	-2.2%
South Korea	72	69	73	77	78	80	80	0.4%
Australia and New Zealand	96	87	99	108	110	109	108	0.4%
China	4,067	3,905	3,693	3,520	3,298	3,095	2,909	-1.2%
India	948	1,035	1,318	1,413	1,477	1,533	1,485	1.6%
Other Asia Pacific	524	522	645	786	810	816	873	1.8%
<b>Africa and Middle East</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
Africa	163	155	181	186	224	229	256	1.6%
Middle East	8	7	7	7	7	7	7	-0.1%
<b>World</b>	<b>7,418</b>	<b>7,214</b>	<b>6,995</b>	<b>7,065</b>	<b>6,955</b>	<b>6,790</b>	<b>6,732</b>	<b>-0.3%</b>

Data source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, World Energy Projection System (2023), run Im\_230821.151939 and Annual Energy Outlook 2023 (March 2023), [www.eia.gov/aeo](http://www.eia.gov/aeo)

Note: Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding.