

Table 12. Average price of U.S. metallurgical coal exports

(dollars per short ton)

Continent and country of destination	October - December 2023	July - September 2023	October - December 2022	Year to date		Percent change
				2023	2022	
North America Total	183.85	184.02	202.73	186.61	192.70	-3.2
Canada*	183.85	184.02	203.71	185.57	184.43	0.6
Dominican Republic	-	-	141.69	-	138.34	-
Guatemala	-	-	287.39	-	254.84	-
Mexico	175.36	174.47	172.63	174.93	339.23	-48.4
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	249.68	250.83	-0.5
South America Total	172.70	168.35	221.84	197.80	264.37	-25.2
Argentina	102.28	210.50	-	179.84	271.78	-33.8
Brazil	174.72	165.97	221.84	198.50	264.01	-24.8
Europe Total	212.27	183.81	253.27	219.74	303.41	-27.6
Austria	262.28	211.48	232.02	234.04	312.42	-25.1
Belgium	217.76	224.43	268.68	226.64	262.90	-13.8
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	-	420.14	-
Croatia	211.29	186.38	260.31	216.80	333.95	-35.1
Finland	199.20	180.38	233.93	214.86	306.45	-29.9
France	159.24	201.90	217.62	200.86	283.19	-29.1
Germany, Federal Republic of	230.77	197.30	232.99	241.63	299.51	-19.3
Italy	207.96	191.80	266.06	237.54	326.41	-27.2
Netherlands	203.22	152.05	254.22	202.68	295.16	-31.3
Norway	409.55	435.51	364.89	426.13	331.43	28.6
Poland	243.80	200.94	287.04	228.72	317.23	-27.9
Romania	-	-	259.06	-	331.72	-
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	329.56	-
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	383.25	-
Spain	221.35	204.92	287.31	224.61	279.73	-19.7
Sweden	198.29	187.71	226.52	221.58	328.44	-32.5
Turkey	203.00	150.56	262.74	216.89	284.15	-23.7
Ukraine	114.31	-	-	152.76	324.98	-53.0
United Kingdom	224.42	195.58	280.21	239.09	300.71	-20.5
Other**	-	186.68	274.91	237.19	265.78	-10.8
Asia Total	207.56	174.98	231.75	201.63	291.85	-30.9
China	176.17	144.97	192.63	179.39	296.86	-39.6
India	217.16	193.98	217.07	213.83	294.44	-27.4
Indonesia	139.26	176.58	-	148.33	419.86	-64.7
Japan	217.50	185.61	259.61	208.88	270.72	-22.8
Singapore	-	158.76	263.08	231.39	263.08	-12.0
South Korea (Republic of Korea)	197.46	170.89	254.66	207.00	324.41	-36.2
Vietnam	241.68	141.06	-	159.47	331.77	-51.9
Other**	171.18	145.23	-	158.38	-	-
Africa Total	-	207.73	-	176.75	191.98	-7.9
Egypt	-	-	-	120.79	123.82	-2.4
South Africa	-	207.73	-	210.59	320.56	-34.3
Total	202.47	177.72	236.68	205.96	284.49	-27.6

* Based on the U.S. - Canada Free Trade Agreement; as of January 1990, the U.S. Department of Commerce began reporting statistics on U.S. exports to Canada based on information on imports provided monthly by the Canadian government.

** Includes countries with coal exports less than or equal to 50,000 short tons in 2022.

- = No data reported.

Note: Average price is based on the free alongside ship (f.a.s) value, including value for shipments of specialty coal not used as a fuel source (about 0.05 percent of all shipments). Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 'Monthly Report EM 545.'