

Table 12. Average Price of U.S. Metallurgical Coal Exports

(dollars per short ton)

Continent and Country of Destination	April - June 2018	January - March 2018	April - June 2017	Year to Date		Percent Change
				2018	2017	
North America Total	120.00	86.01	108.36	110.53	106.16	4.1
Canada*	113.42	109.26	102.12	112.75	98.74	14.2
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	99.79	-
Mexico	192.69	66.25	172.73	102.21	150.08	-31.9
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	54.43	-
South America Total	134.68	147.79	144.49	141.69	148.16	-4.4
Argentina	163.14	185.63	165.03	182.27	163.66	11.4
Brazil	134.06	143.31	142.61	138.80	146.98	-5.6
Europe Total	143.34	149.24	155.23	145.98	156.50	-6.7
Austria	174.34	189.61	194.48	179.72	221.57	-18.9
Belgium	161.50	160.49	162.30	161.00	133.74	20.4
Croatia	156.55	141.32	157.22	147.34	159.96	-7.9
Finland	137.80	-	211.21	137.80	211.21	-34.8
France	160.99	157.84	163.42	159.57	170.95	-6.7
Germany, Federal Republic of	147.28	186.23	163.43	171.14	159.37	7.4
Ireland	-	-	-	-	73.48	-
Italy	159.96	161.85	163.87	160.87	162.69	-1.1
Netherlands	112.08	98.49	107.42	106.95	103.24	3.6
Norway	132.22	153.89	130.72	143.16	128.13	11.7
Poland	181.68	157.96	125.76	167.57	139.10	20.5
Portugal	63.50	-	-	63.50	39.19	62.0
Romania	68.53	143.60	136.92	91.89	141.32	-35.0
Slovakia	-	143.87	146.84	143.87	152.86	-5.9
Slovenia	63.50	63.50	-	63.50	-	-
Spain	151.03	153.96	139.61	152.87	168.35	-9.2
Sweden	136.44	182.02	194.78	150.87	184.66	-18.3
Turkey	139.02	135.32	127.96	137.95	154.83	-10.9
Ukraine	165.95	171.37	200.05	168.18	203.75	-17.5
United Kingdom	163.93	157.15	177.97	159.97	144.17	11.0
Asia Total	137.13	149.52	147.19	143.60	154.46	-7.0
China	129.96	147.72	130.92	137.99	137.80	0.1
India	134.29	149.81	186.05	142.52	203.23	-29.9
Japan	153.61	153.75	130.87	153.69	131.47	16.9
South Korea (Republic of Korea)	123.94	138.53	155.20	130.88	157.48	-16.9
Thailand	99.66	-	-	99.66	99.71	-0.1
Other**	100.00	-	-	100.00	174.51	-42.7
Australia and Oceania Total	-	-	-	-	168.28	-
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Africa Total	84.26	64.60	110.84	78.13	97.24	-19.7
Egypt	121.94	-	127.01	121.94	114.48	6.5
Morocco	64.23	64.60	67.68	64.38	72.14	-10.8
South Africa	-	-	136.08	-	136.08	-
Total	135.59	144.52	145.78	139.76	149.19	-6.3

* 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 2017.

-- 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.'