

**Table 38. Coal stocks at coke plants by census division**

(thousand short tons)

<b>Census division</b>	<b>December 31, 2018</b>	<b>September 30, 2018</b>	<b>December 31, 2017</b>	<b>Percent change (December 31) 2018 versus 2017</b>
Middle Atlantic	444	459	355	25.3
East North Central	1,015	993	1,042	-2.6
South Atlantic	151	170	177	-14.4
East South Central	197	189	145	36.0
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>1,807</b>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>1,718</b>	<b>5.2</b>

Note: Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA), Form EIA-3, 'Quarterly Survey of Industrial, Commercial & Institutional Coal Users.' Prior to third quarter 2014, coke plant data was collected under Form EIA-5, 'Quarterly Coal Consumption and Quality Report - Coke Plants.'