

Table 9. U.S. Steam Coal Exports

(short tons)

Continent and Country of Destination	October - December 2016	July - September 2016	October - December 2015	Year to Date		Percent Change
				2016	2015	
North America Total	1,287,816	1,090,507	881,183	4,256,556	5,334,406	-20.2
Canada*	243,660	401,945	330,053	1,236,481	1,673,904	-26.1
Dominican Republic	2	44,103	-	44,138	107,531	-59.0
Guatemala	85,616	54,322	-	140,208	42,775	227.8
Honduras	70,535	35,827	-	142,251	34,651	310.5
Jamaica	36,434	82	36,410	72,958	155,396	-53.1
Mexico	826,914	553,963	513,719	2,595,206	3,316,987	-21.8
Trinidad and Tobago	42	22	424	195	2,053	-90.5
Other**	24,613	243	577	25,119	1,109	NM
South America Total	222,247	142,010	230,734	489,727	990,256	-50.5
Argentina	-	864	-	888	408	117.6
Brazil	99,801	10,036	434	119,384	191,909	-37.8
Chile	66,528	129,964	229,838	197,254	794,165	-75.2
Other**	55,918	1,146	462	172,201	3,774	NM
Europe Total	3,433,064	1,860,590	3,749,146	9,262,847	14,589,679	-36.5
Austria	-	423	277	1,824	863	111.4
Belgium	59	117,406	34	117,465	20,593	470.4
Finland	-	94	-	59,619	111	NM
France	194,448	-	-	194,448	90,924	113.9
Germany, Federal Republic of	491,098	680,075	588,744	1,845,489	2,254,616	-18.1
Italy	71,714	23,901	389,535	347,069	1,402,402	-75.3
Netherlands	2,192,554	1,037,092	2,582,501	6,033,143	8,440,679	-28.5
Norway	-	108	8,839	8,417	17,379	-51.6
Portugal	-	-	-	-	138,480	-
Romania	-	-	-	-	19,073	-
Slovakia	-	-	-	23	-	-
Spain	204,906	964	926	249,778	21,003	NM
Turkey	137,085	65	267	189,853	92,341	105.6
Ukraine	19,990	-	-	32,211	-	-
United Kingdom	120,756	221	177,766	121,373	2,045,501	-94.1
Other**	454	241	257	62,135	45,714	35.9
Asia Total	2,622,577	340,450	989,964	5,005,633	6,911,060	-27.6
China	274,338	474	291	276,593	1,754	NM
India	978,861	140,552	458,943	2,680,845	2,434,565	10.1
Japan	290,520	142,318	362,845	622,560	1,128,085	-44.8
Singapore	23	-	-	35	127,400	-100.0
South Korea (Republic of Korea)	979,406	54,683	164,677	1,320,224	3,209,787	-58.9
Other**	99,429	2,423	3,208	105,376	9,469	NM
Australia and Oceania Total	62	249	163	420	645	-34.9
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Africa Total	137,233	42,187	229	325,599	124,983	160.5
Egypt	22	397	76	768	298	157.7
Morocco	136,967	41,738	-	324,034	69,953	363.2
South Africa	156	42	8	671	2,171	-69.1
Togo	-	-	-	-	52,085	-
Other**	88	10	145	126	476	-73.5
Total	7,702,999	3,475,993	5,851,419	19,340,782	27,951,029	-30.8

* 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 2015.

- = No data reported.

NM = Not meaningful due to changes of 500 percent or more.

Note: Steam coal includes bituminous, sub-bituminous, lignite, and anthracite. 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.'