

**Production***

Billion cubic metres

| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | Change 2005 over 2004 | 2005 share of total |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| USA | 534.3 | 541.7 | 543.1 | 549.2 | 541.6 | 550.6 | 565.8 | 544.3 | 551.4 | 539.4 | 525.7 | -2.3% | 19.0% |
| Canada | 158.7 | 163.6 | 165.8 | 171.3 | 177.4 | 183.2 | 186.8 | 187.8 | 182.7 | 183.6 | 185.5 | 1.3% | 6.7% |
| Mexico | 26.6 | 28.0 | 31.7 | 34.3 | 37.2 | 35.8 | 35.3 | 35.3 | 36.4 | 37.4 | 39.5 | 6.0% | 1.4% |
| Total North America | 719.6 | 733.3 | 740.6 | 754.8 | 756.2 | 769.6 | 787.9 | 767.4 | 770.5 | 760.4 | 750.6 | -1.0% | 27.2% |
| Argentina | 25.0 | 28.9 | 27.4 | 29.6 | 34.6 | 37.4 | 37.1 | 36.1 | 41.0 | 44.9 | 45.6 | 1.9% | 1.7% |
| Bolivia | 3.2 | 3.2 | 2.7 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 3.2 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 6.4 | 8.5 | 10.4 | 23.2% | 0.4% |
| Brazil | 4.8 | 5.5 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.2 | 7.6 | 9.2 | 10.0 | 11.0 | 11.4 | 3.1% | 0.4% |
| Colombia | 4.4 | 4.7 | 5.9 | 6.3 | 5.2 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 7.0% | 0.2% |
| Trinidad & Tobago | 6.1 | 7.1 | 7.4 | 8.6 | 11.7 | 14.1 | 15.2 | 17.3 | 24.7 | 28.1 | 29.0 | 3.5% | 1.0% |
| Venezuela | 27.5 | 29.7 | 30.8 | 32.3 | 27.4 | 27.9 | 29.6 | 28.4 | 25.2 | 28.1 | 28.9 | 3.2% | 1.0% |
| Other S. & Cent. America | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 3.5 | 26.3% | 0.1% |
| Total S. & Cent. America | 73.2 | 81.4 | 82.5 | 88.4 | 90.0 | 97.9 | 102.6 | 104.4 | 115.7 | 129.7 | 135.6 | 4.8% | 4.9% |
| Azerbaijan | 6.2 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 5.2 | 5.6 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 13.9% | 0.2% |
| Denmark | 5.3 | 6.4 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 8.1 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 8.0 | 9.4 | 10.4 | 11.1% | 0.4% |
| Germany | 16.1 | 17.4 | 17.1 | 16.7 | 17.8 | 16.9 | 17.0 | 17.0 | 17.7 | 16.4 | 15.8 | -3.2% | 0.6% |
| Italy | 20.4 | 20.0 | 19.3 | 19.0 | 17.5 | 16.2 | 15.2 | 14.6 | 13.7 | 13.0 | 12.0 | -7.3% | 0.4% |
| Kazakhstan | 5.5 | 6.1 | 7.6 | 7.4 | 9.3 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.6 | 12.9 | 20.6 | 23.5 | 14.2% | 0.9% |
| Netherlands | 67.0 | 75.8 | 67.1 | 63.6 | 59.3 | 57.3 | 61.9 | 59.9 | 58.4 | 68.8 | 62.9 | -8.4% | 2.3% |
| Norway | 27.8 | 37.4 | 43.0 | 44.2 | 48.5 | 49.7 | 53.9 | 65.5 | 73.1 | 78.5 | 85.0 | 8.6% | 3.1% |
| Poland | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.3 | -0.8% | 0.2% |
| Romania | 18.0 | 17.2 | 15.0 | 14.0 | 14.0 | 13.8 | 13.6 | 13.2 | 13.0 | 12.8 | 12.9 | 1.3% | 0.5% |
| Russian Federation | 555.4 | 561.1 | 532.6 | 551.3 | 551.0 | 545.0 | 542.4 | 555.4 | 578.6 | 591.0 | 598.0 | 1.5% | 21.6% |
| Turkmenistan | 30.1 | 32.8 | 16.1 | 12.4 | 21.3 | 43.8 | 47.9 | 49.9 | 55.1 | 54.6 | 58.8 | 7.9% | 2.1% |
| Ukraine | 17.0 | 17.2 | 17.4 | 16.8 | 16.9 | 16.7 | 17.1 | 17.4 | 17.7 | 19.1 | 18.8 | -1.2% | 0.7% |
| United Kingdom | 70.8 | 84.2 | 85.9 | 90.2 | 99.1 | 108.4 | 105.9 | 103.6 | 102.9 | 96.0 | 88.0 | -8.1% | 3.2% |
| Uzbekistan | 45.3 | 45.7 | 47.8 | 51.1 | 51.9 | 52.6 | 53.5 | 53.8 | 53.6 | 55.8 | 55.7 | ♦ | 2.0% |
| Other Europe & Eurasia | 15.9 | 14.6 | 13.4 | 12.4 | 11.5 | 11.3 | 11.0 | 11.3 | 10.7 | 11.0 | 9.8 | -10.7% | 0.4% |
| Total Europe & Eurasia | 904.3 | 945.4 | 899.1 | 915.5 | 934.9 | 959.5 | 967.7 | 989.4 | 1024.4 | 1055.9 | 1061.1 | 0.8% | 38.4% |
| Bahrain | 7.2 | 7.4 | 8.0 | 8.4 | 8.7 | 8.8 | 9.1 | 9.5 | 9.6 | 9.8 | 9.9 | 1.3% | 0.4% |
| Iran | 35.3 | 39.0 | 47.0 | 50.0 | 56.4 | 60.2 | 66.0 | 75.0 | 81.5 | 84.9 | 87.0 | 2.8% | 3.1% |
| Kuwait | 9.3 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 9.5 | 8.6 | 9.6 | 8.5 | 8.0 | 9.1 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 0.3% | 0.4% |
| Oman | 4.1 | 4.4 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 8.7 | 14.0 | 15.0 | 16.5 | 17.2 | 17.5 | 2.0% | 0.6% |
| Qatar | 13.5 | 13.7 | 17.4 | 19.6 | 22.1 | 23.7 | 27.0 | 29.5 | 31.4 | 39.2 | 43.5 | 11.4% | 1.6% |
| Saudi Arabia | 42.9 | 44.4 | 45.3 | 46.8 | 46.2 | 49.8 | 53.7 | 56.7 | 60.1 | 65.7 | 69.5 | 6.1% | 2.5% |
| Syria | 1.9 | 2.5 | 3.8 | 4.3 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 3.0% | 0.2% |
| United Arab Emirates | 31.3 | 33.8 | 36.3 | 37.1 | 38.5 | 38.4 | 39.4 | 43.4 | 44.8 | 46.3 | 46.6 | 0.9% | 1.7% |
| Other Middle East | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 39.2% | 0.1% |
| Total Middle East | 148.9 | 158.0 | 175.4 | 184.0 | 193.8 | 206.8 | 224.8 | 244.7 | 259.9 | 280.4 | 292.5 | 4.6% | 10.6% |
| Algeria | 58.7 | 62.3 | 71.8 | 76.6 | 86.0 | 84.4 | 78.2 | 80.4 | 82.8 | 82.0 | 87.8 | 7.3% | 3.2% |
| Egypt | 11.0 | 11.5 | 11.6 | 12.2 | 14.7 | 18.3 | 21.5 | 22.7 | 25.0 | 26.9 | 34.7 | 29.4% | 1.3% |
| Libya | 5.8 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 5.8 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.8 | 6.5 | 11.7 | 79.5% | 0.4% |
| Nigeria | 4.8 | 5.4 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 6.0 | 12.5 | 14.9 | 14.2 | 19.2 | 21.8 | 21.8 | 0.3% | 0.8% |
| Other Africa | 3.0 | 3.8 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 5.9 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 0.1% | 0.3% |
| Total Africa | 83.3 | 88.9 | 99.4 | 104.8 | 116.9 | 126.5 | 126.8 | 129.6 | 139.7 | 144.3 | 163.0 | 13.3% | 5.9% |
| Australia | 29.8 | 29.8 | 29.8 | 30.4 | 30.8 | 31.2 | 32.5 | 32.6 | 33.2 | 35.3 | 37.1 | 5.5% | 1.3% |
| Bangladesh | 7.4 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 8.3 | 10.0 | 10.7 | 11.4 | 12.3 | 13.3 | 14.2 | 7.1% | 0.5% |
| Brunei | 11.8 | 11.7 | 11.7 | 10.8 | 11.2 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.5 | 12.4 | 12.2 | 12.0 | -1.5% | 0.4% |
| China | 17.9 | 20.1 | 22.7 | 23.3 | 25.2 | 27.2 | 30.3 | 32.7 | 35.0 | 41.0 | 50.0 | 22.2% | 1.8% |
| India | 19.4 | 20.5 | 23.0 | 24.7 | 25.9 | 26.9 | 27.2 | 28.7 | 29.9 | 30.1 | 30.4 | 1.3% | 1.1% |
| Indonesia | 63.4 | 67.5 | 67.2 | 64.3 | 71.0 | 68.5 | 66.3 | 70.4 | 72.8 | 75.4 | 76.0 | 1.1% | 2.8% |
| Malaysia | 28.9 | 33.6 | 38.6 | 38.5 | 40.8 | 45.3 | 46.9 | 48.3 | 51.8 | 53.9 | 59.9 | 11.6% | 2.2% |
| Myanmar | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 1.7 | 3.4 | 7.2 | 8.4 | 9.6 | 10.2 | 13.0 | 27.8% | 0.5% |
| New Zealand | 4.3 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 3.7 | -3.3% | 0.1% |
| Pakistan | 14.6 | 15.4 | 15.6 | 16.0 | 17.3 | 18.8 | 19.8 | 20.6 | 23.2 | 26.9 | 29.9 | 11.5% | 1.1% |
| Thailand | 10.4 | 12.2 | 15.2 | 16.3 | 17.7 | 18.6 | 18.0 | 18.9 | 19.6 | 20.3 | 21.4 | 6.0% | 0.8% |
| Vietnam | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 4.2 | 5.2 | 24.1% | 0.2% |
| Other Asia Pacific | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 6.5 | 7.3 | 12.2% | 0.3% |
| Total Asia Pacific | 213.1 | 228.6 | 242.2 | 242.7 | 260.1 | 272.0 | 282.2 | 297.0 | 313.1 | 333.0 | 360.1 | 8.4% | 13.0% |
| TOTAL WORLD | 2142.4 | 2235.7 | 2239.3 | 2290.1 | 2351.9 | 2432.3 | 2492.1 | 2532.6 | 2623.3 | 2703.8 | 2763.0 | 2.5% | 100.0% |
| of which: European Union 25 | 195.4 | 219.0 | 211.1 | 209.8 | 213.1 | 218.4 | 220.1 | 215.4 | 212.0 | 215.3 | 199.7 | -7.0% | 7.2% |
| OECD | 979.3 | 1026.8 | 1032.2 | 1046.6 | 1056.8 | 1077.6 | 1103.1 | 1089.5 | 1096.5 | 1096.6 | 1079.4 | -1.3% | 39.1% |
| Former Soviet Union | 659.8 | 669.0 | 627.4 | 644.6 | 656.3 | 674.5 | 677.3 | 692.2 | 723.1 | 746.1 | 760.3 | 2.2% | 27.5% |
| Other EMEs | 503.2 | 539.8 | 579.7 | 599.0 | 638.7 | 680.1 | 711.6 | 750.9 | 803.7 | 861.1 | 923.2 | 7.5% | 33.4% |

*Excluding gas flared or recycled.

♦ Less than 0.05%.

Notes: As far as possible, the data above represents standard cubic metres (measured at 15°C and 1013mbar); because it is derived directly from tonnes of oil equivalent using an average conversion factor, it does not necessarily equate with gas volumes expressed in specific national terms.

Annual changes and shares of total are calculated using million tonnes per annum figures rather than billion cubic metres.

Growth rates are adjusted for leap years.

Because of rounding, some totals may not agree exactly with the sum of their component parts.

Natural gas production data expressed in billion cubic feet per day is available at www.bp.com/statisticalreview.