

Table 11. Underground natural gas storage – storage fields other than salt caverns, 2013-2018
(volumes in billion cubic feet)

Year and Month	Natural Gas in Underground Storage at End of Period			Change in Working Gas from Same Period Previous Year		Storage Activity		
	Base Gas	Working Gas	Total	Volume	Percent	Injections	Withdrawals	Net Withdrawals ^a
2013 Total^b	--	--	--	--	--	2,664	3,181	517
2014 Total^b	--	--	--	--	--	3,205	3,034	-171
2015 Total^b	--	--	--	--	--	3,032	2,549	-482
2016								
January	4,180	2,626	6,806	471	21.9	37	689	652
February	4,180	2,239	6,419	700	45.5	69	456	387
March	4,170	2,164	6,334	831	62.3	149	225	77
April	4,172	2,287	6,460	715	45.5	229	103	-126
May	4,174	2,599	6,773	595	29.7	357	39	-318
June	4,176	2,838	7,014	489	20.8	291	49	-241
July	4,176	2,999	7,176	372	14.2	251	88	-163
August	4,177	3,160	7,337	219	7.5	253	92	-160
September	4,175	3,410	7,585	129	3.9	299	51	-248
October	4,177	3,630	7,807	63	1.8	271	52	-220
November	4,177	3,574	7,751	37	1.0	131	185	55
December	4,185	2,948	7,133	-331	-10.1	48	670	622
Total	--	--	--	--	--	2,384	2,700	316
2017								
January	4,183	2,284	6,468	-342	-13.0	44	708	664
February	4,183	2,010	6,192	-230	-10.2	94	369	275
March	4,182	1,771	5,953	-393	-18.2	124	364	239
April	4,182	R1,965	6,147	-322	-14.1	273	79	-194
May	4,188	2,284	6,472	R-315	-12.1	365	40	-325
June	4,158	2,568	R6,725	-270	-9.5	338	53	-284
July	4,158	R2,750	R6,908	-249	-8.3	272	88	-184
August	4,158	2,971	7,129	-189	-6.0	311	91	-220
September	4,158	3,250	7,408	-161	-4.7	340	62	-279
October	4,156	3,466	7,622	-164	-4.5	295	80	-215
November	4,156	3,330	7,487	-244	-6.8	133	246	113
December	4,163	2,736	6,899	-213	-7.2	47	659	612
Total	--	--	--	--	--	2,635	2,838	202
2018								
January	4,164	1,945	6,109	-339	-14.8	57	848	791
February	4,163	1,474	5,637	-536	-26.7	73	545	472
March	4,163	1,195	5,358	-576	-32.5	107	388	281
2018 3-Month YTD	--	--	--	--	--	237	1,781	1,544
2017 3-Month YTD	--	--	--	--	--	262	1,441	1,178
2016 3-Month YTD	--	--	--	--	--	255	1,371	1,116

^a Positive net withdrawals indicate the volume of withdrawals in excess of injections. Negative net withdrawals indicate the volume of injections in excess of withdrawals.

^b Total as of December 31.

^R Revised data.

– Not applicable.

Notes: Data for 2013 through 2015 are final. All other data are preliminary unless otherwise noted. See Appendix A, Explanatory Note 5, for discussion of the reporting of underground storage information. Gas in storage at the end of a reporting period may not equal the quantity derived by adding or subtracting net injections or withdrawals during the period to the quantity of gas in storage at the beginning of the period. This is due to changes in the quantities of native gas included in base gas and/or losses in base gas due to migration from storage reservoirs. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Alaska added to U.S. totals as of January 2013.

Sources: Energy Information Administration (EIA): Form EIA-191, "Monthly Underground Gas Storage Report."