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## **PETROLEUM FACTS AT A GLANCE – AUGUST 2017 release**

1. Total petroleum products delivered to the domestic market in August 2017: 20,543,000 b/d (August 2016: 20,275,000 b/d). [API]
2. U.S. petroleum imports (crude & products) in August 2017: 9,663,000 barrels per day (August 2016: 10,322,000 b/d). [API]
3. Total imports in August 2017 as a percentage of total domestic petroleum deliveries: 47.0 percent (August 2016: 50.9 percent). [API]
4. Persian Gulf petroleum imports (net) in June 2017 as a percentage of total imports: 44.0 percent (June 2016: 35.2 percent). [DOE]
5. Average price for a barrel of OPEC crude oil for August 2017: \$49.60 per barrel (August 2016: \$43.10 per barrel). [OPEC]
6. Average U.S. refiner acquisition cost in July 2017 for a barrel of crude oil: \$46.35 per barrel (July 2016: \$43.26 per barrel). [DOE]
7. U.S. crude oil production in August 2017: 9,304,000 b/d (of which 411,000 b/d was Alaskan) (August 2016: 8,712,000 b/d). U.S. production of natural gas liquids in August 2017: 3,702,000 b/d (August 2016: 3,410,000 b/d). [API]
8. U.S. marketed natural gas production in June 2017: 78.3 billion cubic feet per day (June 2016: 76.8 billion cf/d). [DOE]
9. U.S. deliveries from primary storage of motor gasoline in August 2017: 9,546,000 b/d (August 2016: 9,687,000 b/d). [API]
10. U.S. deliveries from primary storage of distillate fuel oil (home heating and diesel) in August 2017: 4,132,000 b/d (August 2016: 3,880,000 b/d). [API]
11. Average active rotary drilling rigs in the U.S. in August 2017 was 947– second highest count for any month since April 2015 (all-time high of 4,521 announced November 1981; record low of 409 announced August 2016). [Baker Hughes Inc., Houston]