
PETROLEUM FACTS AT A GLANCE – March 2013 release

1. Total petroleum products delivered to the domestic market in March 2013: 18,317,000 b/d (March 2012: 18,213,000 b/d). [API]
2. U.S. petroleum imports (crude & products) in March 2013: 10,043,000 barrels per day (March 2012: 10,610,000 b/d). [API]
3. Total imports in March 2013 as a percentage of total domestic petroleum deliveries: 54.8 percent (March 2012: 58.3 percent). [API]
4. Persian Gulf petroleum imports in January 2013 as a percentage of total imports: 24.5 percent (January 2012: 27.2 percent). [DOE]
5. Average price for a barrel of OPEC crude oil for March 2013: \$106.44 per barrel. (March 2012: \$122.97) [OPEC]
6. Average U.S. refiner acquisition cost in February 2013 for a barrel of crude oil: \$102.82 per barrel. (February 2012: \$107.18) [DOE]
7. U.S. crude oil production in March 2013: 7,146,000 b/d (of which 574,000 b/d was Alaskan) (March 2012: 6,280,000 b/d). U.S. production of natural gas liquids in March 2013: 2,383,000 b/d (March 2012: 2,375,000 b/d). [API]
8. U.S. marketed natural gas production in January 2013: 68.6 billion cubic feet per day (January 2012: 69.3 billion cf/d). [DOE]
9. U.S. deliveries from primary storage of motor gasoline in March 2013: 8,434,000 b/d (March 2012: 8,633,000 b/d). [API]
10. U.S. deliveries from primary storage of distillate fuel oil (home heating and diesel) in March 2013: 3,891,000 b/d (March 2012: 3,706,000 b/d). [API]
11. Average active rotary drilling rigs in the U.S. in March 2013: 1,756, up from February 2013 at 1,762 (all-time high of 4,530 announced 12/28/81; record low of 488 announced 4/23/99). [Baker Hughes Inc., Houston]