
PETROLEUM FACTS AT A GLANCE – SEPTEMBER 2017 release

1. Total petroleum products delivered to the domestic market in September 2017: 20,222,000 b/d (September 2016: 19,757,000 b/d). [API]
2. U.S. petroleum imports (crude & products) in September 2017: 10,170,000 barrels per day (September 2016: 10,199,000 b/d). [API]
3. Total imports in September 2017 as a percentage of total domestic petroleum deliveries: 50.3 percent (September 2016: 51.6 percent). [API]
4. Persian Gulf petroleum imports (net) in July 2017 as a percentage of total imports: 48.9 percent (July 2016: 33.1 percent). [DOE]
5. Average price for a barrel of OPEC crude oil for September 2017: \$53.44 per barrel (September 2016: \$42.89 per barrel). [OPEC]
6. Average U.S. refiner acquisition cost in August 2017 for a barrel of crude oil: \$48.17 per barrel (August 2016: \$42.70 per barrel). [DOE]
7. U.S. crude oil production in September 2017: 9,514,000 b/d (of which 481,000 b/d was Alaskan) (September 2016: 8,549,000 b/d). U.S. production of natural gas liquids in September 2017: 3,743,000 b/d (September 2016: 3,427,000 b/d). [API]
8. U.S. marketed natural gas production in July 2017: 78.8 billion cubic feet per day (July 2016: 78.1 billion cf/d). [DOE]
9. U.S. deliveries from primary storage of motor gasoline in September 2017: 9,407,000 b/d (September 2016: 9,484,000 b/d). [API]
10. U.S. deliveries from primary storage of distillate fuel oil (home heating and diesel) in September 2017: 4,045,000 b/d (September 2016: 3,912,000 b/d). [API]
11. Average active rotary drilling rigs in the U.S. in September 2017 was 940– third highest count for any month since April 2015 (all-time high of 4,521 announced November 1981; record low of 409 announced September 2016). [Baker Hughes Inc., Houston]