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# Weekly Statistical Summary

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(Data for Week Ending December 30, 2006)

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PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION & TRADE						
	Week Ended			Cumulative Jan 1 to		
	12/30/06	12/31/05	% Chng	12/30/06	12/31/05	% Chng
<b>EIA Coal Production (000 Tons):</b>						
Week Ended/Year to Date	20,238	21,277	-4.9%	1,158,168	1,129,927	2.5%
52 Weeks Ended	1,158,168	1,129,928	2.5%			
<b>Month Ended -- November</b>						
	November 06/05		% Chng	Jan - November 06/05		% Chng
	95,819	95,021	0.8%	1,069,480	1,038,597	3.0%
MONTH ENDED AND CUMULATIVE NUMBERS ARE PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE						
<b>DOC Bituminous Coal Trade (000 Tons)</b>						
<b>Exports:</b>						
	October 06/05		% Chng	Jan - Oct 06/05		% Chng
Metallurgical	2,297	2,082	10.3%	22,796	23,826	-4.3%
Steam	1,548	2,135	-27.5%	17,602	17,591	0.1%
<b>Imports:</b>						
	3,214	2,486	29.3%	30,527	25,158	21.3%
<b>EEI Electric Output (Mil. Kwh)</b>						
	Week Ended		% Chng	Cumulative Jan 1 to		
	12/30/06	12/31/05	% Chng	12/30/06	12/31/05	% Chng
	72,033	70,780	1.8%	3,988,867	3,992,967	-0.1%
<b>AISI Raw Steel Output (000 Tons)</b>						
	1,639	1,942	-15.6%	105,114	102,524	2.5%
<b>EIA U.S. PETROLEUM DATA</b>						
4-Week Averages 000 Barrels per Day						
<b>PETROLEUM SUPPLY:</b>						
	Week Ending			Cumulative Daily Averages		
	12/29/06	12/29/05	% Chng	2006	2005	% Chng
Domestic Crude	5,359	4,984	7.5	5,154	5,180	-0.5
Net Imports (Incl. SPR)	9,418	9,965	-5.5	10,063	10,043	0.2
SPR Stocks W/D or Added	0	35	--	-11	-25	--
Other Stocks W/D or added	716	-41	--	1	-105	--
Natural Gas Liquids Prod.	2,481	1,922	29.1	2,259	2,073	9.0



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## EIA Estimated Weekly U.S. Coal Production Overview

### (Thousand Short Tons)

Coal-Producing Region and State	Week Ended			Year To Date			52 Weeks Ended		
	12/30/2006	12/23/2006	12/31/2005	12/30/2006	12/30/2005	Percent Change	12/30/2006	12/31/2005	Percent Change
Alabama	325	446	345	20,062	21,451	-6.5	20,062	21,450	-6.5
Alaska	21	26	24	1,358	1,454	-6.6	1,358	1,454	-6.6
Arizona	146	194	202	8,589	12,072	-28.9	8,589	12,072	-28.9
Arkansas	*	*	*	15	3	485.0	15	3	489.3
Colorado	624	772	618	36,773	38,445	-4.3	36,773	38,435	-4.3
Illinois	525	632	572	32,317	31,991	1.0	32,317	31,990	1.0
Indiana	559	684	682	35,223	34,435	2.3	35,223	34,437	2.3
Kansas	6	4	3	340	171	99.5	340	171	99.5
<b>Kentucky Total</b>	<b>1,850</b>	<b>2,252</b>	<b>2,168</b>	<b>119,633</b>	<b>119,981</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>119,633</b>	<b>119,979</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
Eastern	1,422	1,723	1,710	92,609	93,574	-1.0	92,609	93,575	-1.0
Western	428	529	458	27,024	26,407	2.3	27,024	26,404	2.3
Louisiana	91	114	80	4,217	4,153	1.6	4,217	4,148	1.7
Maryland	93	113	96	5,800	5,182	11.9	5,800	5,183	11.9
Mississippi	66	71	88	3,694	3,546	4.2	3,694	3,546	4.2
Missouri	7	13	13	474	598	-20.7	474	598	-20.7
Montana	633	771	732	40,695	40,266	1.1	40,695	40,272	1.1
New Mexico	406	500	564	25,353	28,508	-11.1	25,353	28,510	-11.1
North Dakota	478	576	570	29,669	29,956	-1.0	29,669	29,956	-1.0
Ohio	373	478	465	23,095	24,702	-6.5	23,095	24,702	-6.5
Oklahoma	32	40	36	2,047	1,856	10.3	2,047	1,857	10.3
<b>Pennsylvania Total</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>1,195</b>	<b>1,271</b>	<b>64,960</b>	<b>67,535</b>	<b>-3.8</b>	<b>64,960</b>	<b>67,535</b>	<b>-3.8</b>
Anthracite	23	22	27	1,445	1,704	-15.2	1,445	1,704	-15.2
Bituminous	969	1,172	1,243	63,516	65,831	-3.5	63,516	65,831	-3.5
Tennessee	44	57	61	2,818	3,217	-12.4	2,818	3,217	-12.4
Texas	752	919	937	45,672	45,817	-0.3	45,672	45,832	-0.3
Utah	366	446	488	24,778	24,510	1.1	24,778	24,511	1.1
Virginia	471	607	474	31,711	27,947	13.5	31,711	27,945	13.5
Washington	-	-	119	2,802	5,266	-46.8	2,802	5,266	-46.8
<b>West Virginia Total</b>	<b>2,385</b>	<b>2,931</b>	<b>2,755</b>	<b>151,100</b>	<b>153,563</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>151,100</b>	<b>153,562</b>	<b>-1.6</b>
Northern	733	911	768	44,162	42,606	3.7	44,162	42,606	3.7
Southern	1,652	2,020	1,988	106,938	110,958	-3.6	106,938	110,956	-3.6
Wyoming	8,994	9,146	7,913	444,972	403,304	10.3	444,972	403,300	10.3
<b>Appalachian Total</b>	<b>6,104</b>	<b>7,549</b>	<b>7,177</b>	<b>392,155</b>	<b>397,172</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>392,155</b>	<b>397,169</b>	<b>-1.3</b>
<b>Interior Total</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>3,006</b>	<b>2,869</b>	<b>151,025</b>	<b>148,976</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>151,025</b>	<b>148,985</b>	<b>1.4</b>
<b>Western Total</b>	<b>11,667</b>	<b>12,430</b>	<b>11,230</b>	<b>614,988</b>	<b>583,779</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>614,988</b>	<b>583,775</b>	<b>5.3</b>
<b>East of Miss. River</b>	<b>7,683</b>	<b>9,465</b>	<b>8,978</b>	<b>490,414</b>	<b>493,550</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>490,414</b>	<b>493,546</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
<b>West of Miss. River</b>	<b>12,555</b>	<b>13,520</b>	<b>12,299</b>	<b>667,754</b>	<b>636,377</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>667,754</b>	<b>636,382</b>	<b>4.9</b>
Bituminous and Lignite	20,216	22,963	21,249	1,156,723	1,128,223	2.5	1,156,723	1,128,225	2.5
Anthracite	23	22	27	1,445	1,704	-15.2	1,445	1,704	-15.2
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>20,238</b>	<b>22,985</b>	<b>21,277</b>	<b>1,158,168</b>	<b>1,129,927</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1,158,168</b>	<b>1,129,928</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Railroad Cars Loaded	126,415	149,950	127,285	7,455,357	7,134,831	4.5	7,455,357	7,141,834	4.4

Source: Energy Information Administration



## WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT

Essential Energy Information from EII's Statistics Department

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### OUTPUT FOR WEEK ENDED - Dec 30, 2006

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The net available amount of electric energy distributed by the Total Electric Utility Industry\* for the week ended Saturday, Dec 30, 2006 was 72,033 gigawatthours (GWh), according to the Edison Electric Institute. This is equivalent to 169 on the weekly electric output index.

### WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION

(48 CONTIGUOUS STATES)

	Week Ended December 30		52 Weeks Ended December 30	
	GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2005	GWh Output	% Increase Over Corresponding Period of 2005
New England	2,451	-2.0	131,823	-2.8
Mid-Atlantic	7,989	-2.9	443,751	-2.7
Central Industrial	12,445	-2.9	694,886	-0.9
West Central	6,062	-0.7	344,150	-0.2
Southeast	19,077	0.7	1,072,090	-0.2
South Central	10,326	10.2	598,369	1.0
Rocky Mountain	4,907	10.1	260,620	3.6
Pacific Northwest	3,605	11.5	151,374	2.3
Pacific Southwest	5,171	0.9	291,804	1.2
Total United States	72,033	1.8	3,988,867	-0.1

### WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT IN PREVIOUS WEEKS--GWh

Week Ended	2006	Week Ended	2005	% Inc. (06/05)	52 Weeks Ended	2006	% Inc. (06/05)
Dec 09	81,668	Dec 10	81,875	-0.3	Dec 09	3,998,359	0.2
Dec 16	75,777	Dec 17	81,217	-6.7	Dec 16	3,992,918	0.0
Dec 23	74,830	Dec 24	80,134	-6.6	Dec 23	3,987,615	-0.2
Dec 30	72,033	Dec 31	70,780	1.8	Dec 30	3,988,867	-0.1
Dec 30	3,988,867	Dec 31	3,992,967	-0.1	YEAR TO DATE, FIRST 52 WEEKS		

### WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT INDEX--TOTAL U.S.\*

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED 1982 = 100

Week Ended	2006	Week Ended	2005	Week Ended	2004
Dec 09	192	Dec 10	186	Dec 11	166
Dec 16	173	Dec 17	185	Dec 18	175
Dec 23	170	Dec 24	191	Dec 25	187
Dec 30	169	Dec 31	167	Jan 01	172

\* Excludes Alaska and Hawaii

+ Includes investor-owned companies, cooperatives and government-owned utilities.

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## WEEKLY ELECTRIC OUTPUT BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION (48 CONTIGUOUS STATES)

	Week Ended			NMA CUMULATIVE JANUARY 1 to			52 Weeks Ended		
	30-Dec	31-Dec	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2005	30-Dec	31-Dec	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2005	30-Dec	31-Dec	% Increase Over Corresponding Week of 2005
	2006	2005		2006	2005		2006	2005	
	GWh Output	GWh Output		GWh Output	GWh Output		GWh Output	GWh Output	
<b>New England</b>	2,451	2,500	-2.0%	<b>131,824</b>	<b>135,634</b>	<b>-2.8%</b>	131,823	135,633	-2.8%
<b>Mid-Atlantic</b>	7,989	8,228	-2.9%	<b>443,750</b>	<b>456,212</b>	<b>-2.7%</b>	443,751	456,213	-2.7%
<b>Central Industrial</b>	12,445	12,823	-2.9%	<b>694,884</b>	<b>701,268</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>	694,886	701,269	-0.9%
<b>West Central</b>	6,062	6,103	-0.7%	<b>344,151</b>	<b>344,959</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	344,150	344,955	-0.2%
<b>Southeast</b>	19,077	18,945	0.7%	<b>1,072,092</b>	<b>1,074,613</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	1,072,090	1,074,612	-0.2%
<b>South Central</b>	10,326	9,367	10.2%	<b>598,370</b>	<b>592,398</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	598,369	592,398	1.0%
<b>Rocky Mountain</b>	4,907	4,455	10.1%	<b>260,621</b>	<b>251,496</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	260,620	251,500	3.6%
<b>Pacific Northwest</b>	3,605	3,232	11.5%	<b>151,375</b>	<b>147,995</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	151,374	147,993	2.3%
<b>Pacific Southwest</b>	<u>5,171</u>	<u>5,127</u>	0.9%	<u><b>291,803</b></u>	<u><b>288,395</b></u>	<b>1.2%</b>	<u>291,804</u>	<u>288,395</u>	1.2%
<b>Total United States *</b>	<u>72,033</u>	<u>70,780</u>	1.8%	<u><b>3,988,870</b></u>	<u><b>3,992,970</b></u>	<b>-0.1%</b>	<u>3,988,867</u>	<u>3,992,968</u>	-0.1%

**Notes:** EEI output data are an estimate of electricity load made available for distribution derived as weekly net generation + purchases from non-utilities + net imports - exports - sales for resale. It is not meant to be a measure of electricity generation for the U.S. EEI survey data represent the majority of national distribution (large utilities, large government power projects, some independent and large municipal power projects). The remaining segment of the industry (smaller producers) is estimated. Non-utility generation is captured via direct sales to utilities.

\* Excludes Alaska and Hawaii

\*\* Less than one-tenth of one percent

SOURCE: Edison Electric Institute (EEI), *Weekly Electric Output Report*.

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**ESTIMATED WEEKLY RAW STEEL\* PRODUCTION**

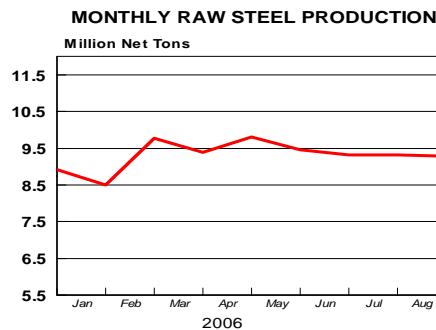
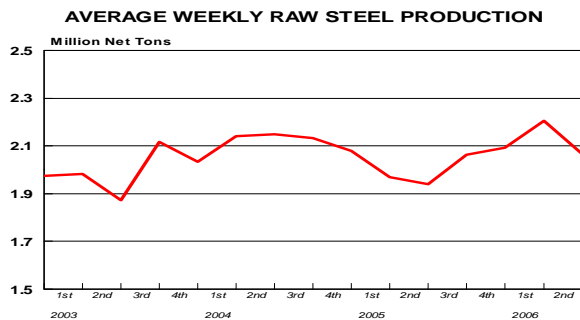
<u>Period</u>	<u>Thousand Net Tons</u>	<u>Percent Change from Previous Period</u>	<u>Percent Capability Utilization**</u>	<u>Production by District</u>	
				<u>Week Ending</u>	
<u>Week Ending</u>				<u>Dec 30</u>	<u>Dec 23</u>
Dec 30, 2006	1,639	-9.8	70.2	92	93
Dec 30, 2005	1,942	-15.6	85.0	170	186
Dec 23, 2006	1,818	-4.0	77.8	83	79
				108	110
				411	445
				216	228
				485	595
				<u>74</u>	<u>82</u>
				1639	1818

\*Raw steel production tonnage included in this report is estimated based on a sampling of steel producers. Therefore, this report should be used primarily to assess production trends. The AISI production report "AIS 7," produced monthly and available by subscription, provides a more accurate summary of steel production based on data supplied by companies representing approximately 75% of U.S. production capacity.

+Includes revisions for previous months

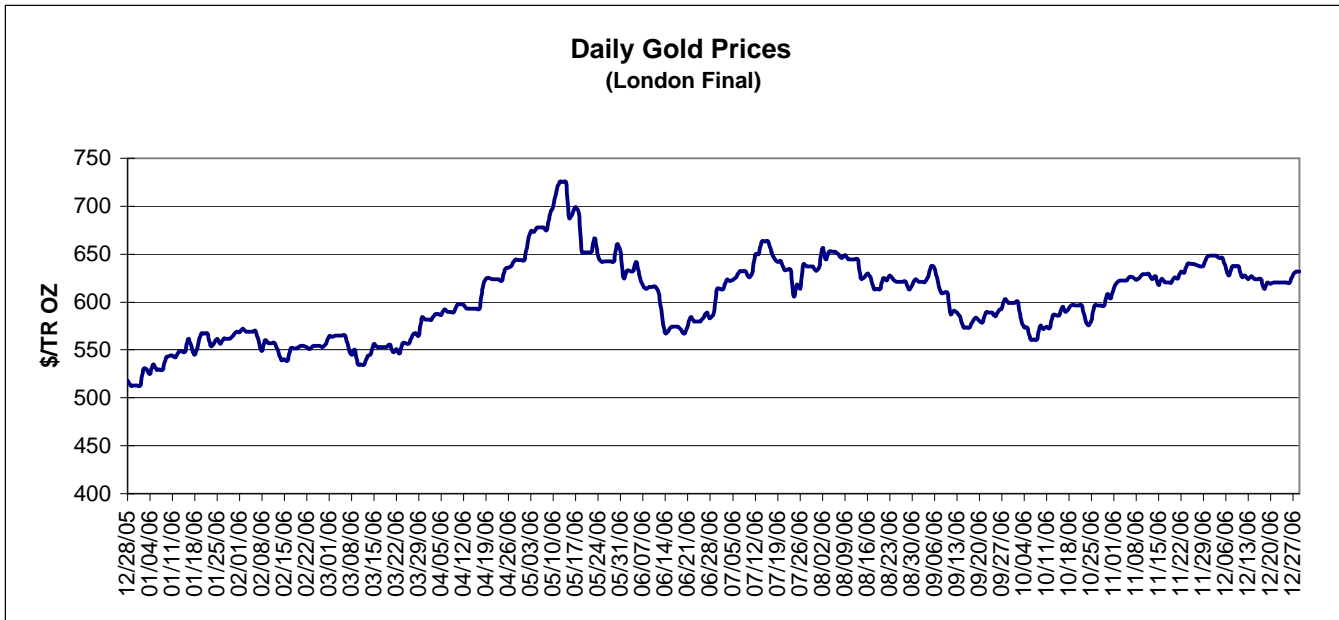
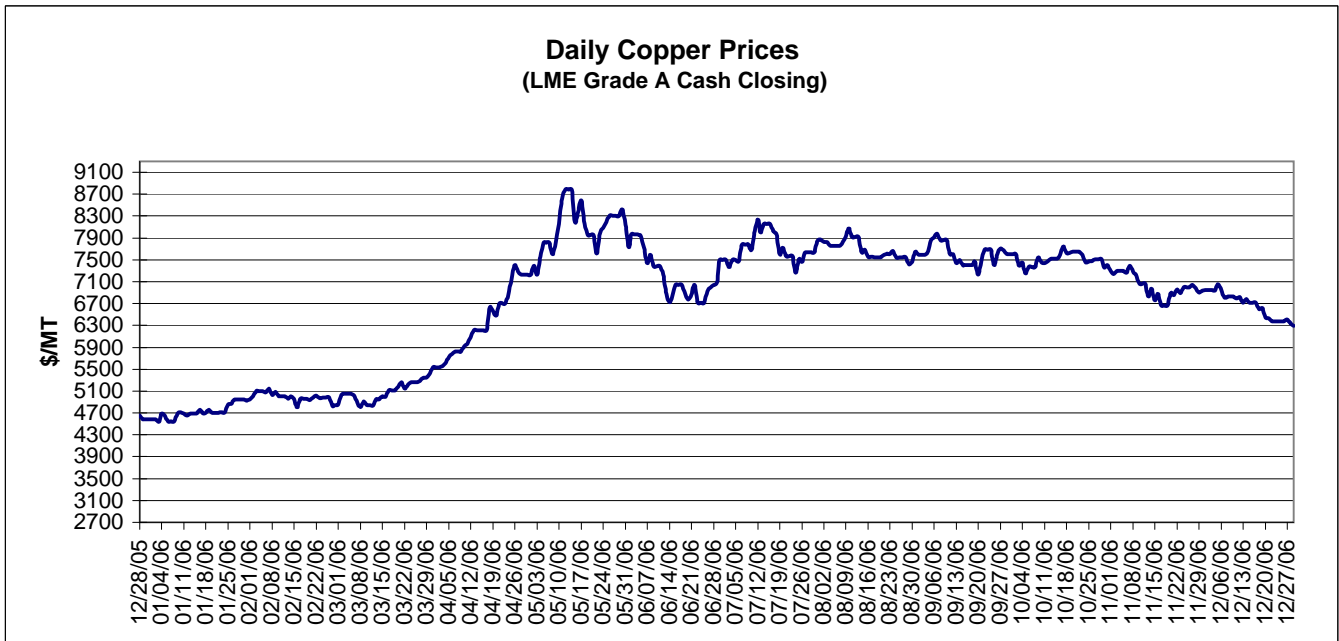
NOTE: Capability for the Fourth Quarter 2006 is approximately 30.7 million net tons vs 30.0 million net tons for the same period last year, and 31.2 million tons for the third quarter of 2006.

Capability -	2002 approx.	2003	2004	2005	2006
	2.1 million tons/week	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.4



\*Steel in the first solid state after melting suitable for further processing or sale, including ingots, steel for castings and strand or pressure cast blooms, slabs, or other product forms.

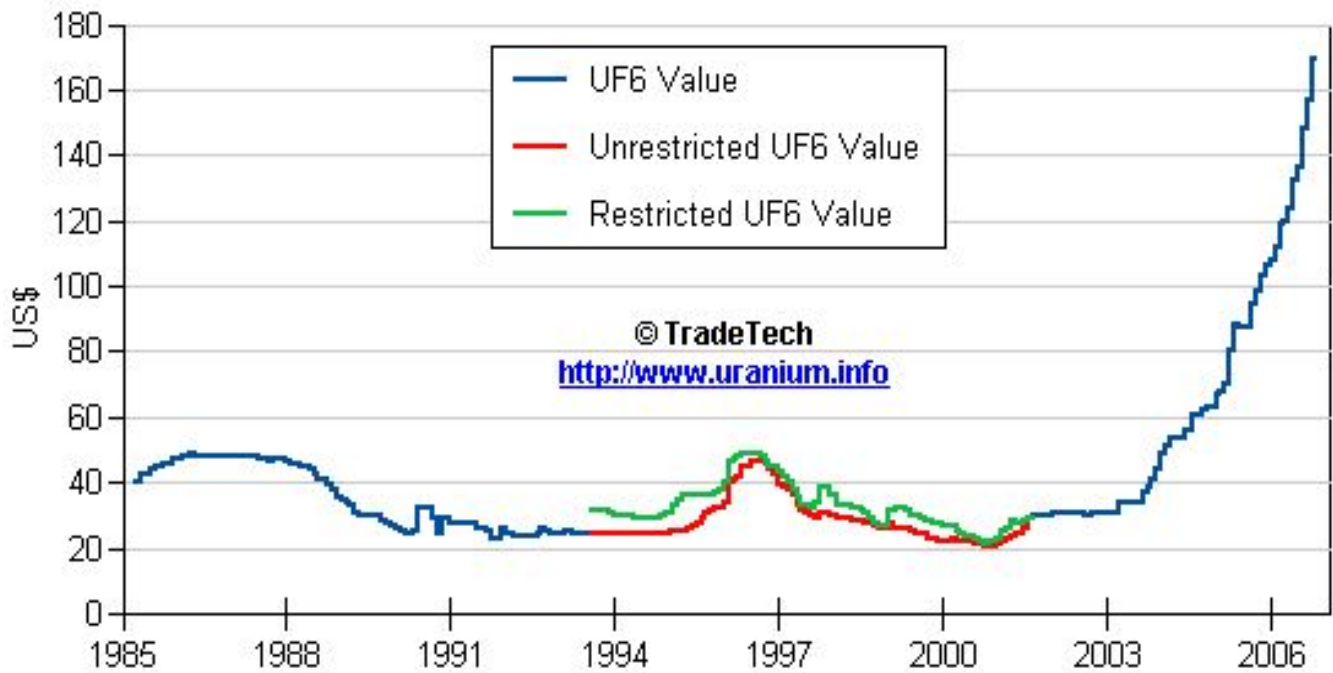
\*\* Based on tonnage capability to produce raw steel for a sustained full order book.



Data reflect closings on weekends and holidays.

Source: Platts Metals Week

### Trade Tech's Uranium (UF6) Monthly Spot Prices (US\$/kg as UF6)



Source: Trade Tech – Uranium Info