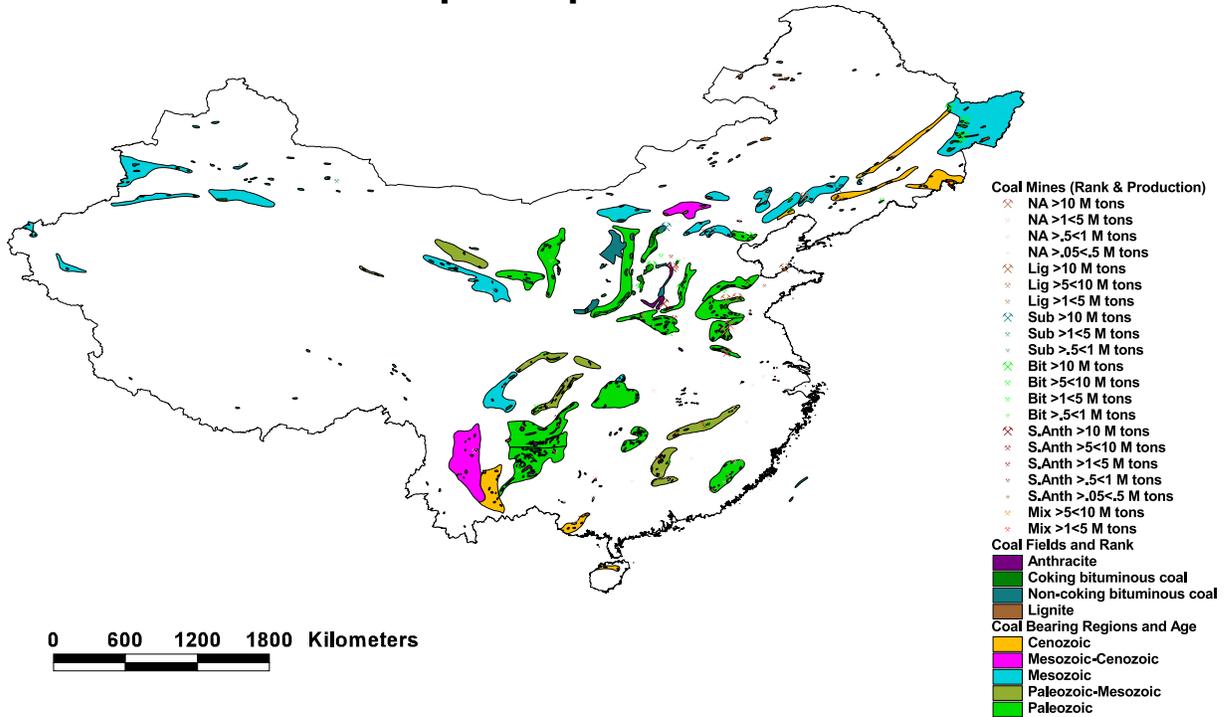


## Coal Mines, Coal Fields, and Coal-Bearing Age Units in the People's Republic of China



Layout 1. Three coverages (Coal Mines, Coal Fields and Rank, Coal Bearing Regions and Age) are shown. The Coal Mines layer shows the locations of major coal mines, type of coal (NA=not available, Lig=Lignite, Sub=Sub-bituminous, Bit=Bituminous, S. Anth=Sub-Anthracite, Mix=mix of coal ranks), and approximate annual yields of coal in millions of metric tons (M). The Coal Fields and Rank coverage displays locations of individual coal fields and associated coal rankings. The Coal Bearing Regions and Age layer shows potential coal-bearing areas of common geologic age.

Note: some coalfields are too small to be shown on map.

Data sources: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Report ERP 430-R-96-005, USGS Open-File Report 00-047.