

Table 5. U.S. statistics for lead. Units are in 1000 metric tons (mt), as lead content, unless other-wise noted. Where blanks occur no information was available.

Year	U.S. Primary Production ¹	U.S. Secondary ² Production	U.S. Consumption	U.S. Imports Pigs + Bars + Scrap	U.S. Exports ³
1900	245.7		244.3	6.3	1.1
1901	245.6		245.6	6.3	2.4
1902	244.9		301.6	12.3	3.2
1903	255.8		272.3	22.7	0.2
1904	278.5		289.9	16.5	0.2
1905	274.0		314.8	27.2	0.3
1906	317.7		341.4	31.9	0.3
1907	340.2	23.1	350.8	14.0	0.4
1908	305.2	16.8	305.1	8.9	0.2
1909	361.1	37.8	334.6	11.8	0.1
1910	358.6	50.3	360.8	11.5	0.1
1911	400.2	49.2	320.5	11.8	0.1
1912	414.9	60.9	357.5	13.1	69.2
1913	453.8	66.1	375.8	11.2	49.3
1914	474.4	55.4	409.4	6.8	81.4
1915	509.5	71.6	390.3	8.9	80.1
1916	565.2	87.4	418.4	9.9	91.2
1917	590.5	84.8	467.7	6.4	48.7
1918	527.7	88.1	492.6	5.1	37.5
1919	402.5	110.8	393.8	26.9	9.5
1920	450.7	113.1	488.1	81.4	2.5
1921	376.0	94.1	403.6	74.6	1.5
1922	433.3	144.8	447.0	60.3	5.3
1923	496.4	176.4	520.3	34.7	1.8
1924	540.7	185.5	547.0	55.0	4.8
1925	620.9	205.8	594.8	26.7	4.5
1926	620.4	251.6	651.0	48.1	3.9
1927	603.7	250.4	762.9	43.9	2.3
1928	568.9	280.0	844.1	38.8	105.5
1929	587.9	282.1	860.5	28.8	66.5
1930	506.5	232.1	683.7	26.0	43.8
1931	367.1	212.9	515.0	20.4	19.7
1932	265.8	179.9	378.0	12.1	21.3
1933	247.4	203.7	407.8	18.6	20.7
1934	260.7	189.1	442.7	12.5	5.4
1935	300.4	245.3	488.9	10.9	6.3
1936	338.3	238.5	574.8	9.1	16.6
1937	421.7	249.6	615.7	15.5	18.2
1938	335.4	204.0	495.3	9.1	41.6
1939	375.6	219.1	605.1	17.7	67.5
1940	414.9	236.2	709.4	108.8	21.6
1941	418.6	360.5	952.5	388.6	13.0
1942	450.2	293.0	946.2	473.9	1.8
1943	411.2	310.3	1009.7	304.5	12.0
1944	378.2	300.7	1014.8	301.1	14.1
1945	354.6	329.3	954.0	301.7	1.6
1946	304.3	356.3	867.7	121.2	0.6

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1947	348.6	464.5	1063.2	202.8	1.5
1948	354.2	453.7	1028.7	302.7	0.4
1949	371.9	373.9	868.8	377.2	3.0
1950	390.8	437.5	1123.1	517.3	4.0
1951	352.1	470.0	1074.8	208.0	2.2
1952	353.9	427.6	1025.8	575.9	2.4
1953	310.8	441.6	1090.1	413.4	4.1
1954	295.2	436.3	993.3	432.9	4.2
1955	306.7	455.5	1100.1	391.3	4.3
1956	320.1	459.7	1097.4	430.8	7.1
1957	306.8	443.8	1032.5	517.8	5.6
1958	242.6	364.5	894.8	551.2	3.1
1959	231.9	409.5	990.0	380.5	3.7
1960	223.8	426.3	926.4	331.0	5.3
1961	237.6	410.8	931.9	361.4	10.6
1962	215.0	403.0	1006.6	369.0	6.8
1963	229.9	447.7	1055.4	342.4	3.2
1964	259.5	491.3	1090.6	317.2	2.4
1965	273.2	522.4	1126.3	325.2	1.5
1966	297.0	519.7	1201.0	324.0	1.1
1967	287.5	502.4	1143.5	339.2	5.9
1968	325.8	499.7	1205.5	312.6	8.0
1969	461.8	547.9	1260.4	258.0	4.0
1970	518.7	541.9	1234.3	221.9	7.0
1971	524.9	541.4	1298.6	174.7	5.0
1972	561.5	559.4	1347.4	222.8	8.0
1973	547.1	593.6	1398.2	161.6	60.0
1974	602.3	633.8	1451.0	107.4	56.0
1975	563.8	597.3	1176.7	89.9	19.0
1976	553.0	659.1	1351.8	128.8	5.0
1977	537.5	757.6	1435.5	230.1	9.0
1978	529.7	769.2	1432.7	225.4	8.0
1979	525.6	801.4	1358.3	182.6	11.0
1980	550.4	675.6	1070.3	81.3	164.0
1981	445.5	641.1	1167.1	100.1	23.0
1982	512.5	571.3	1075.4	94.9	56.0
1983	449.3	503.5	1148.5	134.4	20.0
1984	322.7	633.4	1207.0	161.5	7.0
1985	414.0	615.7	1148.3	131.4	27.0
1986	339.8	624.8	1125.5	140.2	13.0
1987	311.4	710.1	1230.4	185.7	10.0
1988	385.0	736.4	1245.2	148.6	14.0
1989	410.9	891.3	1277.6	115.7	34.0
1990	483.7	922.2	1275.2	90.6	64.0
1991	477.0	830.0	1230.0	117.0	114.0
1992	407.0	861.0	1270.0	191.0	71.7
1993	355.0	893.0	1360.0	196.0	60.3
1994	363.0	931.0	1470.0	231.0	68.8

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Year	U.S. Primary Production ¹	U.S. Secondary ² Production	U.S. Consumption	U.S. Imports Pigs + Bars + Scrap	U.S. Exports ³
1995	386.0	1020.0	1570.0	264.0	65.3
1996	426.0	1070.0	1630.0	268.0	121.0
1997	448.0	1110.0	1610.0	265.0	104.0
1998	481.0	1120.0	1690.0	267.0	100.0
1999	503.0	1110.0	1750.0	311.0	103.0

1. Production from domestic ore.
2. Includes old and new scrap, over 90 percent currently from old-battery lead.
3. Exports include lead materials, excluding scrap, ore, and concentrate.
4. Metals Week.

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Year	World Smelter Production	World Secondary Production	Average Price ⁴ Delivered (Dollars/lb)
1900		826	0.04
1901			0.04
1902			0.04
1903			0.04
1904		946	0.04
1905		945	0.05
1906		955	0.06
1907		972	0.05
1908		1039	0.04
1909		1057	0.04
1910		1099	0.04
1911		1110	0.04
1912		1158	0.05
1913		1151	0.04
1914		1127	0.04
1915		1038	0.05
1916		973	0.07
1917		1152	0.09
1918		1140	0.07
1919		852	0.06
1920		905	0.08
1921		863	0.05
1922		1040	0.06
1923		1261	0.07
1924		1373	0.08
1925		1581	0.09
1926		1655	0.08
1927		1703	0.07
1928		1686	0.06
1929		1786	0.07
1930		1696	0.06
1931		1401	0.04
1932		1157	0.03
1933		1274	0.04
1934		1465	0.04
1935		1522	0.04
1936		1629	0.05
1937		1876	0.06
1938		1874	0.05
1939		1911	0.05
1940		1766	0.05
1941		1722	0.06
1942		1883	0.07
1943		1722	0.07
1944		1482	0.07
1945		1231	0.07
1946		1142	0.08

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Year	World Smelter Production	World Secondary Production	Average Price ⁴ Delivered (Dollars/lb)
1947	1413		0.15
1948	1505		0.18
1949	1659		0.15
1950	1812		0.13
1951	1768		0.18
1952	1980		0.17
1953	2060		0.14
1954	2005		0.14
1955	2220		0.15
1956	2370		0.16
1957	2490		0.15
1958	2495		0.12
1959	2410		0.12
1960	2560		0.12
1961	2665		0.11
1962	2665		0.10
1963	2668		0.11
1964	2784		0.14
1965	2881		0.16
1966	2988		0.15
1967	3076		0.14
1968	3006		0.13
1969	3235		0.15
1970	3379		0.16
1971	3404		0.14
1972	3456		0.15
1973	3486		0.16
1974	3476		0.23
1975	3436		0.22
1976	3344		0.23
1977	3442		0.31
1978	3478		0.34
1979	3523		0.53
1980	3469		0.43
1981	3370		0.37
1982	3442		0.26
1983	3366		0.22
1984	3255		0.26
1985	3392		0.19
1986	3345	2360	0.22
1987	3425	2524	0.36
1988	3429	2604	0.37
1989	3368	2702	0.39
1990	3367	2728	0.46
1991	3330	2690	0.34
1992	3080	2470	0.35
1993	2780	2290	0.32
1994	2790	2340	0.37

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Year	World Smelter Production	World Secondary Production	Average Price ⁴ Delivered (Dollars/lb)
1995	2830	2670	0.42
1996	3090	2740	0.49
1997	3110	2800	0.47
1998	3080	2880	0.45
1999	3020	2810	0.44