

The Czech Republic mine production and mineral reserves – Overview in the year 2008

Mineral	Specifications	Mine production		Reserves														
		2008	Category in Czech wording	Category in English wording	Reserves of the given category in 2008		Category in Czech wording	Category in English wording	Reserves of the given category in 2008		Category in Czech wording	Category in English wording	Reserves of the given category in 2008		Category in Czech wording	Category in English wording	Reserves of the given category in 2008	
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Energy minerals																		
Bituminous coal	this tonnes	12 197			16 193 970			1 523 979				5 928 406				8 741 585		192 182
Brown coal	this tonnes (Czech Statistical Office presents so-called sales mine production which is production of marketable brown coal and reaches on average about 95 % of given mine production)	47 456			9 080 892			2 608 212				2 168 466			4 314 214			906 190
Crude oil	this tonnes	236			31 144			15 553				5 113			10 478			1 698
Lignite	this tonnes	416			975 702			204 221				615 273			156 208			2 165
Natural gas	ml m ³ – this tonnes	167			46 043			4 264				39 806			1 973			6 982
Uranium	Concentrate production, tonnes U (corresponds to sales production (without beneficiation losses))	261			136 553			1 545				19 427			114 581			593
Industrial minerals																		
Barite	this tonnes	0			569			0				0			569			0
Bentonite	this tonnes (including mining of montmorillonite clays overburden of kaolins since 2004)	174			319 613			51 228				163 176			105 209			18 760
Clays	this tonnes	574			927 639			179 551				397 614			350 474			42 301
Diatomite	this tonnes	31			4 401			4 073				328			0			4 381
Dolomite	this tonnes	449			513 719			78 600				340 843			94 276			11 222
Feldspar	this tonnes	488			69 234			28 594				26 829			13 811			14 625
Feldspar substitutes	this tonnes	36			199 969			0				199 969			0			21 623
Fluorspar	this tonnes	0			2 033			0				0			2 033			0
Foundry sand	this tonnes	702			378 977			134 202				80 455			164 320			75 774
Gemstones	Pyrope bearing rock	this tonnes	24		19 131			3 360				12 882			2 889			1 249
	Moldavite (tectite) bearing rock	this m ³	99		397			0				394			3			218
	this tonnes (1 m ³ = 1.8 tonnes)	178			715			0				709			5			392
Glass sand	this tonnes	1 151			260 440			90 231				25 781			144 428			82 773
Graphite	this tonnes	3			14 159			1 321				4 041			8 797			35
Gypsum	this tonnes	35			504 295			119 168				302 990			82 137			2 327
Kaolin	Raw, this tonnes (total production of all technological grades)	3 833			1 212 124			244 495				497 356			470 273			79 040
	Beneficiated, this tonnes	672																
Limestones and corrective additives for cement production	this tonnes	11 465			4 887 479			2 083 907				1 934 761			868 811			1 563 968
Silica minerals	this tonnes	18			28 655			907				22 996			4 752			714
Construction minerals																		
Brick clays and related minerals	Mine production in reserved deposits, this m ³ (decrease of	1 242			549 753			217 782				232 729			99 242			68 191
	deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 1.8 tonnes) (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	2 236			989 555			392 008				418 912			178 636			122 744
	Mine production in non-reserved deposits, this m ³ (estimate)	261			687 075			65 114				515 487			106 474			1 054
	deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 1.8 tonnes) (estimate)	470			1 236 735			117 205				927 877			191 653			1 897
Crushed stone	Mine production in reserved deposits, this m ³ (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	14 799			2 990 511			1 138 025				1 017 433			135 053			661 529
	deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 2.7 tonnes) (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	39 957			6 184 380			3 072 668				2 747 069			364 643			1 786 128
	Mine production in non-reserved deposits, this m ³ (estimate)	1 591			1 036 450			45 616				910 512			80 322			36 208
	production in non-reserved deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 2.7 tonnes) (estimate)	4 296			2 798 415			123 163				2 458 382			216 869			97 762
Dimension stone	Mine production in reserved deposits, this m ³ (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	229			187 131			81 864				66 465			38 802			85 096
	deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 2.7 tonnes) (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	618			505 254			221 033				179 456			104 765			229 759
	Mine production in non-reserved deposits, this m ³ (estimate)	39			33 503			2 304				28 243			2 956			2 775
	deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 2.7 tonnes) (estimate)	105			90 458			6 221				76 256			7 981			7 493
Sand and gravel	Mine production in reserved deposits, this m ³ (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	8 770			2 125 644			1 132 411				765 844			227 389			341 758
	deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 1.8 tonnes) (decrease of mineral reserves by mine production)	15 786			3 826 159			2 038 340				1 378 519			409 300			615 164
	Mine production in non-reserved deposits, this m ³ (estimate)	6 325			2 096 378			109 392				1 746 049			240 937			53 659
	Mine production in non-reserved deposits, this tonnes (1m ³ = 1.8 tonnes) (estimate)	11 385			3 773 480			196 906				3 142 888			433 687			96 586
Metallic ores (not mined in the Czech Republic)																		
Copper	this tonnes Cu	0			49			0				0			49			0
Gold	tonnes Au	0			240			49				29			162			0
Lead	this tonnes Pb	0			152			0				0			152			0
Manganese	this tonnes ore	0			138 801			0				0			138 801			0
Silver	tonnes Ag	0			532			0				0			532			0
Tin	this tonnes Sn	0			164			0				0			164			0
Tungsten	this tonnes W	0			70			0				0			70			0
Zinc	this tonnes Zn	0			472			0				0			472			0

Notes:

Bituminous coal	The calorific value of mined coal (88 % of total reserves) Qir is mostly 23 – 30 MJ/kg and ash content Ad between 10 and 30 %. Additional 7 % of total reserves have the calorific value Qir between 16 – 20 MJ/kg in average and ash content Ad between 24 and 40 %, 3 % of total reserves have the average calorific value Qir mostly 18–22 MJ/kg and ash content Ad 20 - 40 % and 2 % of total reserves have the average calorific value Qir mostly 11-14 MJ/kg and ash content Ad 34 - 61 %
Brown coal	73 % of the total reserves have calorific value Qir 10.04 – 17.25 MJ/kg, ash content Ad between 8.70 and 43.50 % and sulfur content Sd 0.50 – 2.70 %. 19 % of the total reserves have calorific value Qir about 10 MJ/kg, ash content Ad between 20 and 40 % and sulfur content Sd 2 - 4 %, 8 % of the total reserves have calorific value Qir 11.70 – 13.10 MJ/kg, ash content Ad 19.50 – 24.00 % and sulfur content Sd 0.70 – 1.30 %
Lignite	The total reserves have calorific value Qir 9.10 – 9.46 MJ/kg, ash content Ad 22.70 – 23.70 % and sulfur content Sd 1.55 – 1.65 %
Construction minerals	Reserved mineral deposits are owned by the Czech Republic. Non-reserved deposits (especially lot of sand and gravel, crushed stone and brick clay deposits) are a constituent part of the land and are owned by landowners