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West Virginia's natural gas resources and energy production provide tremendous opportunities in the Mountain State.

NATURAL GAS

In 2017, West Virginia was the seventh-largest natural gas-producing state in the nation.

Between 2014 and 2018, West Virginia was second in the nation (ranking behind only Texas) in total capacity for natural gas processing.

As of 2018, West Virginia had nearly 2,200 active horizontal wells within the Marcellus Shale formation.

Within the Marcellus Shale formation, West Virginia is averaging annual production—natural gas—of nearly 491 BCF (billion cubic feet).

Within the Marcellus Shale formation, West Virginia is averaging annual production—wet gas and liquids of nearly 10,235,538 barrels.

As of 2018, West Virginia had approximately 14 active horizontal wells within the Utica Shale formation.

Within the Utica Shale formation, West Virginia is averaging annual production—natural gas—of nearly 43 BCF (billion cubic feet).

Within the Utica Shale formation, West Virginia is averaging annual production—wet gas and liquids— of nearly 552,811 barrels.

The fractionation capacity at MarkWest's Sherwood facility (north central West Virginia) ranks among the highest in the eastern United States and continues to expand.

COAL

West Virginia ranked fifth among the states in total energy production in 2017, accounting for nearly 5% of the nation's total.

In 2017, West Virginia was the second largest coal producer in the nation after Wyoming and accounted for nearly 11% of total U.S. coal production. Led by coal and value-added goods, West Virginia nearly doubled the nation's rate of export growth in 2018. Specifically, West Virginia exported over \$4 billion worth of coal to nearly 35 countries.

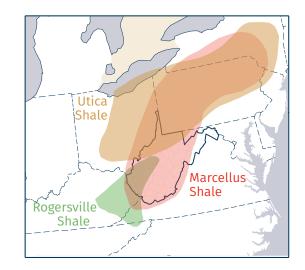
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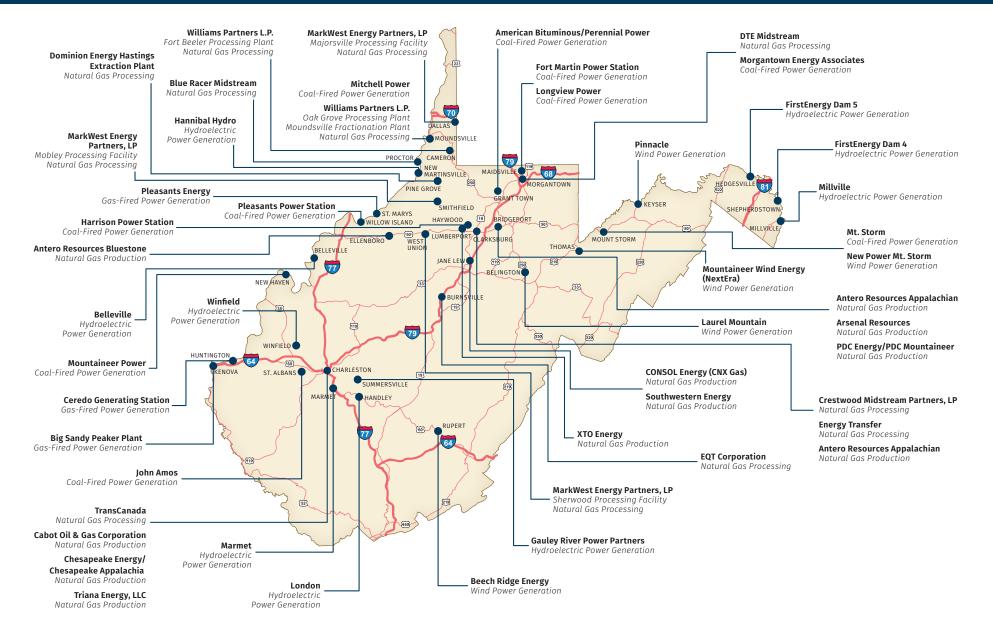
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