

Assessment of impacts to surface coal mine operators due to changes in surface mining regulations

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Table 1.1. Summary of the Number of Surface Mining Operators and the Number of Surface Mining Operators by State, 1982-1990, Including those who have been closed, abandoned, and those who have been acquired by other companies.

State	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990
Alabama	1,000	950	900	850	800	750	700	650	600
Arizona	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Arkansas	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
California	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Colorado	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Connecticut	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Delaware	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
District of Columbia	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Florida	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Georgia	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Hawaii	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Idaho	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Illinois	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Indiana	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Iowa	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Kansas	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Kentucky	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Louisiana	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Maine	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Maryland	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Massachusetts	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Michigan	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Minnesota	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Mississippi	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Missouri	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Montana	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Nebraska	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Nevada	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
New Hampshire	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
New Jersey	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
New Mexico	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
New York	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
North Carolina	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
North Dakota	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Ohio	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Oklahoma	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Oregon	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Pennsylvania	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Rhode Island	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
South Carolina	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
South Dakota	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Tennessee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Texas	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Utah	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Vermont	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Virginia	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Washington	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
West Virginia	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Wisconsin	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Wyoming	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Total	1,000	950	900	850	800	750	700	650	600

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Sometimes the last pit is landscaped as a water body, thus eliminating the cost of hauling large amounts of stored overburden.

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This action is an important step in preventing contamination of deeper aquifers that often have better water quality than do shallower aquifers. Data Availability: Data underlying the study are available at the Figshare repository. The same type of chemical reactions and processes may occur through the disturbance of acid sulfate soils formed under coastal or estuarine conditions after the last major sea level rise, and constitutes a similar environmental hazard.

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