

| Top States | Coal Mining (average) | All industries ^{2/} (average) |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| Alabama | \$94,706 | \$43,370 |
| Alaska ^{e/} | \$90,000 | \$54,033 |
| Colorado | \$91,049 | \$54,512 |
| Illinois | \$85,464 | \$56,327 |
| Indiana | \$79,878 | \$44,113 |
| Kansas | \$126,707 | \$44,731 |
| Kentucky | \$72,480 | \$43,189 |
| Maryland | \$63,680 | \$54,785 |
| Montana | \$91,349 | \$39,013 |
| New Mexico ^{e/} | \$93,000 | \$41,217 |
| North Dakota | \$102,097 | \$51,579 |
| Ohio ^{e/} | \$76,000 | \$46,579 |
| Pennsylvania | \$81,517 | \$51,848 |
| Tennessee ^{e/} | \$70,000 | \$46,956 |
| Texas | \$89,929 | \$55,190 |
| Utah | \$79,935 | \$44,359 |
| Virginia | \$73,890 | \$56,563 |
| West Virginia | \$83,644 | \$40,927 |
| Wyoming | \$85,990 | \$45,785 |

Average wage for all U.S. coal miners: \$83,611

Average wage for all U.S. workers: \$52,874

Percent above average state wage: 58 percent

^{1/} Excludes oil & gas extraction. ^{2/} Private Industry. ^{e/} Estimated. Data are preliminary.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, QCEW.

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