

65%

Of Colorado's electricity is coal generated

AT A GLANCE



Number of direct and indirect coal jobs in Colorado

142,680

Number of manufacturing jobs in Colorado

\$2,774 million

Direct and indirect economic contribution to Colorado of coal mining

The Importance of Coal-Powered Electricity in Colorado

Coal provides Colorado with reliable and affordable power essential to homes and businesses.

Colorado's many manufactures rely upon coal generated electricity to power their businesses and greatly benefit from the competitiveness that coal's affordability provides.

Coal generates more electricity in the U.S. than any other fuel. Ninety percent of coal production is used for electricity generation, providing American families and industries with reliable and affordable power.

Coal is America's most abundant and affordable energy resource, generating around-the-clock electricity. Americans can count on coal to deliver the power they need at consistently low costs.

Colorado Power Sector Generation by Fuel Type



