

NATURAL GAS RESERVES, PRODUCING GAS WELLS

TABLE 2-1  
**SUMMARY OF ANNUAL ESTIMATES OF PROVED RESERVES OF NATURAL GAS IN THE UNITED STATES**  
**2001 - 2021**  
 (Billion Cubic Feet)

Year	Adjustments (1)	Net Revisions (2)	Revisions <sup>a</sup> and Adjustments (3)	Net of Sales <sup>b</sup> and Adjustments (4)	Total <sup>c</sup> Discoveries (8)	Estimated Production (9)	Proved <sup>d</sup> Reserves 12/31 (10)	Change from Prior Year (11)
2001	1,849	-2,438	-589	2,715	23,749	20,642	191,743	5,233
2002	4,006	1,038	5,044	428	18,594	20,248	195,561	3,818
2003	2,323	-1,715	608	1,107	20,100	20,231	197,145	1,584
2004	170	825	995	1,975	21,102	20,017	201,200	4,055
2005	1,693	2,715	4,408	2,674	24,285	19,259	213,308	12,108
2006	946	-2,099	-1,153	3,178	24,456	19,373	220,416	7,108
2007	990	15,936	16,926	452	30,313	20,318	247,789	27,373
2008	271	-3,254	-2,983	937	30,707	21,415	255,035	7,246
2009	5,923	-1,899	4,024	-222	47,579	22,537	283,879	28,844
2010	1,292	4,055	5,347	2,766	48,879	23,224	317,647	33,768
2011	2,715	-112	2,603	3,298	49,882	24,621	348,809	31,162
2012	-810	-45,614	-46,424	-1,859	48,241	26,097	322,670	-26,139
2013	693	2,794	3,487	1,287	53,017	26,467	353,994	31,324
2014	4,905	984	5,889	6,565	50,487	28,094	388,841	34,847
2015	9,430	-80,762	-71,332	1,417	34,706	29,329	324,303	-64,538
2016	7,086	94	7,180	432	38,371	29,153	341,133	16,830
2017	19,326	41,318	60,644	22,123	70,783	30,391	464,292	123,159
2018	8,770	-27,687	-18,917	13,746	79,457	34,077	504,501	40,209
2019	-9,794	-35,279	-45,073	16,171	56,724	37,412	495,380	-9,121
2020	5,170	-98,236	-93,066	68,204	39,829	37,062	473,285	-22,095
2021	-8,622	100,014	91,392	31,230	67,564	38,098	625,373	152,088

<sup>a</sup> Revisions and adjustments = Col. 1 + Col. 2.

<sup>b</sup> Net of sales and acquisitions = acquisitions - sales.

<sup>c</sup> Proved reserves = Col. 10 from prior year + Col. 3 + Col. 4 + Col. 8 - Col. 9.

Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-23L, "Annual Survey of Domestic Oil and Gas Proved Reserves," Table 9, 2001-2021.