

Colorado

Population: 4,665,117 (2005)—ranked 22nd
 Licensed Drivers: 3,200,000 (2004)
 Gasoline Consumption: 2.15 BGY (2005)
 Ethanol Blended Fuel Consumption: 840 MGY (2004)
 Potential Ethanol Use in E10: 215 MGY (2005)



Ethanol Profile

- Labeling Laws
 - Label Requirements and Phrasing—(8-20-211.5):
 - * All dispensers containing at least 2 percent alcohol blends must be clearly labeled indicating the presence of alcohol.
- Number of Retail E85 Stations: 16
- Ethanol Incentives
 - Ethanol Infrastructure Assistance
 - * In January 2007, the Colorado Office of Energy Management and Conservation (OEMC) announced the availability of funding assistance for E85 infrastructure. The OEMC will provide partial funding (not to exceed \$15,000) to qualified applicants or a maximum of 75 percent of the after-tax incentive project costs, whichever is less.
- Fuel Tax
 - Gasoline and Ethanol Blends: 22 cents/gallon
- Fuel Formulations
 - The state has a voluntary 7.8 lb RVP program in the Denver and surrounding metropolitan areas. Ethanol blends of 10 percent receive a 1 lb. RVP waiver.
- Estimated Total Corn Production: 134,160,000 bushels (2006)
- Total Ethanol Production: 85 MGY



Petroleum Supply (Upstream)

- Crude Oil Proved Reserves: 225 million barrels (2004)—ranked 11th—1 percent
- Crude Oil Production: 63,000 barrels per day (2005)—ranked 11th—1 percent
- Total Producing Oil Wells: 6,862 (2005)
- Total Rigs in Operation: 74 (2005)

Transportation

- Major Pipelines
 - Crude Oil: BP, Conoco, Unocal, Ultramar Diamond Shamrock
 - Product: Chase, NuStar, Phillips, Sinclair, Ultramar Diamond Shamrock

Refining and Marketing (Downstream)

- Refineries: Distillation capacity of 94,000 BCD (2006)
 - Suncor Energy (USA) Inc. (Denver @ 32,000 BCD)
 - Suncor Energy (USA) Inc. (Commerce City @ 62,000 BCD)
- Gasoline Stations: 2,300 outlets (2006) or about 1.4 percent of the nation's total

Ethanol Plants in Operation

Plant	City	Capacity (MGY)
Front Range Energy	Windsor	40
Merrick/Coors	Golden	3
Sterling Ethanol	Sterling	42

Plants Under Construction

Plant	City	Capacity (MGY)
Yuma Ethanol, LLC	Yuma	50