

NATURAL GAS RESERVES, PRODUCING GAS WELLS

TABLE 2-7
**AVERAGE WEEKLY ROTARY RIGS
 DRILLING DIRECTION
 1991-2023**

Year	Directional	Horizontal	Vertical	TOTAL
1991	107	75	678	860
1992	85	54	582	720
1993	99	50	605	754
1994	137	50	588	775
1995	145	52	526	723
1996	169	58	552	779
1997	207	69	668	943
1998	210	46	571	827
1999	159	39	427	625
2000	217	55	646	918
2001	281	77	799	1,156
2002	226	60	543	830
2003	262	81	689	1,032
2004	311	119	761	1,192
2005	341	181	862	1,383
2006	384	285	980	1,649
2007	376	393	999	1,768
2008	372	553	954	1,879
2009	201	456	433	1,089
2010	222	822	501	1,546
2011	230	1,074	574	1,878
2012	216	1,151	552	1,919
2013	224	1,102	435	1,761
2014	211	1,275	376	1,862
2015	95	744	139	978
2016	49	400	60	509
2017	70	737	70	876
2018	69	900	63	1,032
2019	63	826	54	943
2020	28	384	20	433
2021	25	431	22	478
2022	39	659	25	723
2023	50	620	17	687

Source: Baker Hughes, North America Rotary Rig Counts.