

Table 3.6 Crude Oil Production and Number of Producing Wells in Utah, 1945-2020

Year	Average	Production ^{2*}	Average Yearly	Average Daily	Average Daily
	Number of Producing Oil Wells ¹		Production per Well	Production	Well Production
		barrels	barrels	barrels	barrels
1945	na	0	--	0	--
1946	na	0	--	0	--
1947	na	0	--	0	--
1948	na	16,000	--	44	--
1949	na	637,000	--	1,740	--
1950	na	1,228,000	--	3,355	--
1951	na	1,305,000	--	3,566	--
1952	na	1,737,000	--	4,746	--
1953	na	1,807,000	--	4,937	--
1954	na	1,905,000	--	5,205	--
1955	na	2,227,000	--	6,085	--
1956	na	2,466,000	--	6,738	--
1957	225	4,367,000	19,409	11,932	53.0
1958	519	24,811,000	47,805	67,790	130.6
1959	697	39,959,000	57,330	109,178	156.6
1960	796	37,595,624	47,231	102,720	129.0
1961	795	33,083,532	41,615	90,640	114.0
1962	852	30,953,140	36,330	84,803	99.5
1963	835	33,448,539	40,058	91,640	109.7
1964	840	28,554,988	33,994	78,019	92.9
1965	841	25,319,032	30,106	69,367	82.5
1966	867	24,150,392	27,855	66,165	76.3
1967	869	24,044,187	27,669	65,874	75.8
1968	875	23,504,076	26,862	64,219	73.4
1969	843	23,305,504	27,646	63,851	75.7
1970	889	23,365,737	26,283	64,016	72.0
1971	870	23,629,644	27,161	64,739	74.4
1972	890	26,510,196	29,787	72,432	81.4
1973	989	32,543,791	32,906	89,161	90.2
1974	1,076	39,442,793	36,657	108,062	100.4
1975	1,323	40,144,239	30,343	109,984	83.1
1976	1,188	35,384,000	29,785	96,678	81.4
1977	1,448	37,316,000	25,771	102,236	70.6
1978	1,291	35,765,000	27,703	97,986	75.9
1979	1,560	27,652,396	17,726	75,760	48.6
1980	1,714	24,978,654	14,573	68,248	39.8
1981	1,543	24,309,495	15,755	66,601	43.2
1982	1,583	23,595,261	14,905	64,645	40.8
1983	1,668	31,045,199	18,612	85,055	51.0
1984	1,862	38,053,871	20,437	103,972	55.8
1985	1,944	41,079,871	21,132	112,548	57.9
1986	1,753	39,243,487	22,386	107,516	61.3
1987	1,813	35,828,536	19,762	98,160	54.1
1988	1,796	33,364,938	18,577	91,161	50.8
1989	1,802	28,504,075	15,818	78,093	43.3
1990	2,063	27,705,048	13,429	75,904	36.8
1991	2,085	25,927,639	12,435	71,035	34.1
1992	1,820	24,073,573	13,227	65,775	36.1
1993	1,858	21,825,986	11,747	59,797	32.2
1994	1,820	20,667,621	11,356	56,624	31.1
1995	1,865	19,975,648	10,711	54,728	29.3
1996	1,981	19,528,780	9,858	53,357	26.9
1997	1,962	19,592,548	9,986	53,678	27.4
1998	1,972	19,218,109	9,745	52,652	26.7
1999	1,686	16,361,852	9,705	44,827	26.6
2000	1,817	15,608,200	8,590	42,645	23.5
2001	1,980	15,270,624	7,712	41,837	21.1
2002	1,957	13,769,614	7,036	37,725	19.3
2003	1,947	13,096,043	6,726	35,880	18.4
2004	2,064	14,741,847	7,142	40,278	19.5
2005	2,306	16,675,452	7,231	45,686	19.8
2006	2,453	17,925,870	7,308	49,112	20.0
2007	2,697	19,534,129	7,243	53,518	19.8
2008	2,925	22,039,548	7,535	60,217	20.6
2009	3,117	22,940,830	7,360	62,852	20.2
2010	3,365	24,665,621	7,330	67,577	20.1
2011	3,688	26,276,322	7,125	71,990	19.5
2012	4,085	30,203,782	7,394	82,524	20.2
2013	4,088	35,001,772	8,562	95,895	23.5
2014	4,932	40,914,423	8,296	112,094	22.7
2015	4,950	37,136,358	7,502	101,743	20.6
2016	4,647	30,528,349	6,569	83,411	17.9
2017	4,675	34,437,069	7,366	94,348	20.2
2018	4,793	37,116,504	7,744	101,689	21.2
2019	4,814	36,933,757	7,672	101,188	21.0
2020	4,283	30,491,287	7,119	83,310	19.5

*Negligible production before 1920 and during 1924-1941.

Source: 1 - Bureau of Mines, Minerals Yearbook for 1957-1959; Petroleum Information Corporation, Oil and Gas Production Report, Nevada and Utah for 1960-1989 data; [and Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining for 1990-2020 data](#)

Figure 3.4 - Crude Oil Production in Utah, 1945-2020

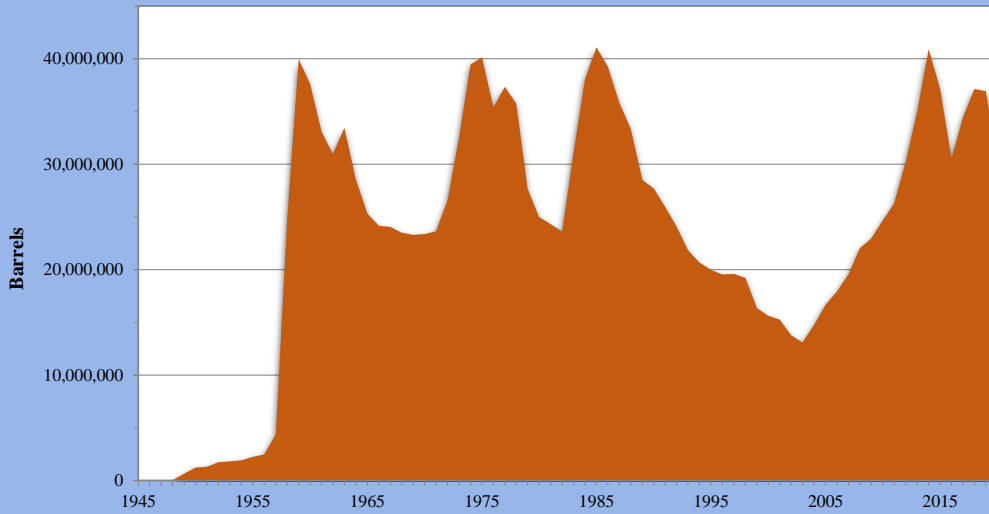


Figure 3.5 - Number of Producing Crude Oil Wells in Utah Verses Average Yearly Production per Well, 1960-2020

