

Age (mean):	45
Age (2010 median):	46
Women (Percent):	6
Education (percent):	
High School Diploma -	> 50
Work Experience (median, years):	20
Job-related Training (hours annually):	10 to 25
Safety Training (hours annually):	
New Miners -	24
Refresher -	8
Earnings (\$):	
Average Hourly -	\$28.12
Average Weekly -	\$1,490
Average Annual -	\$77,466
Average Hours Worked Weekly -	48

SOURCES: Energy Information Administration;
NMA estimates based on industry survey; Bureau of Labor Statistics,
*Current Employment Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment
and Wages, and Current Population Survey* ; and
Mine Safety & Health Administration

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