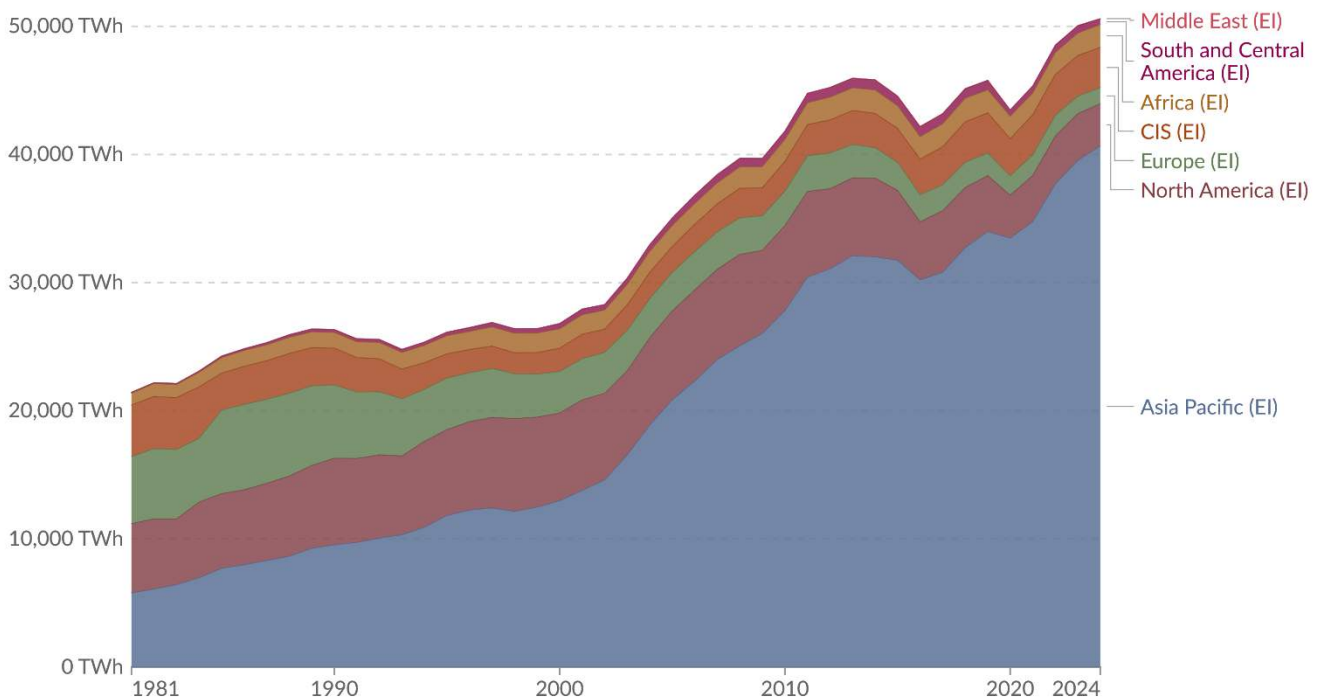


Coal production by region

Measured in terawatt-hours¹.

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1. **Watt-hour** A watt-hour is the energy one watt of power delivers for one hour. Since one watt equals one joule per second, a watt-hour equals 3600 joules of energy.

Metric prefixes are used for multiples of the unit, usually:

- kilowatt-hours (kWh), or a thousand watt-hours;
- Megawatt-hours (MWh), or a million watt-hours;
- Gigawatt-hours (GWh), or a billion watt-hours;
- Terawatt-hours (TWh), or a trillion watt-hours.

Coal production (terawatt-hours)

Country or region ↑↓	↓ 1981	↑↓ 2024	1981-2024	↑↓ Absolute Change	↑↓ Relative Change
Middle East (EI)	6 TWh	22 TWh		+16 TWh	+247%
South and Central America (EI)	79 TWh	456 TWh		+377 TWh	+477%
Africa (EI)	910 TWh	1,776 TWh		+866 TWh	+95%
CIS (EI)	4,028 TWh	3,140 TWh		-888 TWh	-22%
Europe (EI)	5,238 TWh	1,259 TWh		-3,979 TWh	-76%
North America (EI)	5,405 TWh	3,301 TWh		-2,104 TWh	-39%
Asia Pacific (EI)	5,778 TWh	40,664 TWh		+34,885 TWh	+604%

1981 ● 2024

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