Mining permits in West Virginia

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Data Sources: USGS, WVDEP

- Mining permits, West Virginia DEP
- Upper Kanawha River watershed
- Coal River watershed
- Upper Guyandotte River watershed

* Includes all Coal Surface Mines permitted as of 2/15/2006 with the following status codes:
  - Active* (594 permits)
  - Bond Forfeited/Revoked (46 permits)
  - Inactive** (81 permits)
  - Incremental/Complete Release (1032 permits)
  - Reclaimed, but chemical treatment of water (122 permits)
  - Surety Agreement (10 permits)
  - Unknown/Not Available (121 permits)

* Includes active permits with the following status codes:
  - Moving Coal, Moving Coal Possible, No Coal Removed, Reclamation Only, and Reclaimed.

** Also includes those permits with a status code of Not Started.

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