

United States Oil Imports from Middle Eastern Nations

This chart shows United States oil imports from Arab nations that are members of OPEC, the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries. The nations included are Algeria, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates. The numbers show thousands of barrels of oil imported from these countries every day. For example, the number 293 means that the United States imports 293 million barrels a day on an average day.

Year	Barrels of Oil
1965	324
1970	196
1975	1,383
1980	2,551
1985	472

- 1- How many thousand barrels of oil did the United States import from Arab nations that are members of OPEC on an average day in 1975?
- 1- Which year shown on this chart did the United States import the most oil from an Arab nation that is a member of OPEC?
- 3- In your opinion, how what kind of events would influence how much oil the United States imports from Arab nations that are members of OPEC?