

FY 2024 Applications for Permit to Drill (APDs) Status Report: 10/1/2023 to 10/31/2023					Approved Permits Available for Drilling (AAPDs) on 12/7/2023 (*)
State Office	APDs Received (A)	APDs Pending (B)	APDs Processed (C)	APDs Approved (D)	
Alaska	1	1	2	2	3
California	1	115	0	0	148
Colorado	26	124	25	25	198
Eastern States	0	17	2	2	27
Montana	45	117	25	25	240
Nevada	0	9	0	0	2
New Mexico	248	4,106	84	74	4,243
Utah	59	274	25	25	500
Wyoming	72	603	44	43	1,886
October 2023 Total	452	5,366	207	196	7,247
Federal Well Total	423	5,143	180	169	7,009
Indian Well Total	29	223	27	27	238
Fiscal Year Totals (**)	452	5,366	207	196	7,247
<p>(A) APDs received counts APDs received by the BLM and the APD Fee has been paid during the reporting period.</p>					
<p>(B) APDs Pending includes cumulative APDs received without a final disposition. This includes the steps in the process where the BLM is determining completeness of the application, or the Operator is addressing deficiencies such as, Wildlife or Cultural Clearances, or the application is impacted by ongoing leasing litigation, and APDs awaiting final decision.</p>					
<p>(C) APDs Processed include APDs that are approved (column D), denied, returned, withdrawn, or cancelled.</p>					
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<p>(**) Fiscal Year Totals Cover 10/1/2023 to 10/31/2023</p>					
<p>Individual State Office data includes APD activity for both Federal and Tribal lands</p>					
<p>Data current as of 12/07/2023</p>					
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