## HOW AN ETHANOL PLANT WORKS

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## Ethanol at a Glance

- 82 ethanol plants currently have the capacity to produce nearly 3.5 billion gallons annually.
- It is estimated that the ethanol industry produced 3.35 billion gallons in 2004 up from 2.8 billion gallons in 2003. That is almost 20% growth in one year.
- There are 16 ethanol plants under construction with a combined capacity of over 750 million gallons.
- If one were to think real big and imagine a 10% share of the U.S. motor gasoline market, ethanol could grow to a 13 billion gallons industry.

**Dry Milling Process** 

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