

Table 7.4a Consumption of Combustible Fuels for Electricity Generation and Useful Thermal Output: Total (All Sectors) (Sum of Tables 7.4b and 7.4c)

	Coal ^a Thousand Short Tons	Petroleum					Natural Gas ^f Billion Cubic Feet	Other Gases ^g	Biomass		Other ⁱ
		Distillate Fuel Oil ^b Thousand Barrels	Residual Fuel Oil ^c Thousand Barrels	Other Liquids ^d	Petroleum Coke ^e Thousand Short Tons	Total ^e Thousand Barrels			Wood ^h	Waste ⁱ	
1950 Total	91,871	5,423	69,998	NA	NA	75,421	629	NA	5	NA	NA
1955 Total	143,759	5,412	69,862	NA	NA	75,274	1,153	NA	3	NA	NA
1960 Total	176,685	3,824	84,371	NA	NA	88,195	1,725	NA	2	NA	NA
1965 Total	244,788	4,928	110,274	NA	NA	115,203	2,321	NA	3	NA	NA
1970 Total	320,182	24,123	311,381	NA	636	338,686	3,932	NA	1	2	NA
1975 Total	405,962	38,907	467,221	NA	70	506,479	3,158	NA	(s)	2	NA
1980 Total	569,274	29,051	391,163	NA	179	421,110	3,682	NA	3	2	NA
1985 Total	693,841	14,635	158,779	NA	231	174,571	3,044	NA	8	7	NA
1990 Total ^k	811,538	20,194	209,081	1,332	2,832	244,765	4,346	288	1,256	257	86
1995 Total	881,012	21,697	112,168	1,322	4,590	158,140	5,572	313	1,382	374	97
2000 Total	1,015,398	34,572	156,673	2,904	4,669	217,494	6,677	356	1,380	401	109
2005 Total	1,065,281	24,446	156,915	4,270	9,113	231,193	7,021	348	1,353	289	237
2010 Total	1,001,411	15,247	26,944	2,777	6,053	75,231	8,502	262	1,226	346	237
2011 Total	956,470	11,735	16,877	2,540	6,092	61,610	8,724	282	1,241	340	261
2012 Total	845,066	9,945	13,571	2,185	5,021	50,805	10,371	302	1,273	355	252
2013 Total	879,078	10,277	14,199	2,212	6,338	58,378	9,479	305	1,318	376	236
2014 Total	871,741	15,107	16,615	2,908	5,695	63,106	9,410	304	1,378	395	236
2015 Total	756,226	12,924	16,136	3,008	5,188	58,009	10,952	290	1,351	398	237
2016 Total	693,958	10,278	12,231	2,173	5,352	51,441	11,322	296	1,330	383	238
2017 Total	678,578	10,168	11,508	2,033	4,467	46,043	10,677	299	1,303	375	226
2018 Total	650,027	15,066	13,584	2,578	4,552	53,988	12,048	353	1,291	367	226
2019 Total	550,017	10,369	10,049	2,580	3,563	40,811	12,809	281	1,246	322	234
2020 Total	445,753	8,604	8,974	2,160	3,856	39,020	13,221	269	1,178	319	226
2021 Total	511,669	11,340	9,895	2,470	3,830	42,855	12,724	264	1,199	310	218
2022 January	49,742	2,776	2,582	284	295	7,119	1,085	23	101	26	16
February	40,880	1,115	1,011	180	315	3,879	922	20	93	24	15
March	35,381	912	985	171	275	3,445	902	22	95	27	16
April	31,802	733	847	162	282	3,150	860	21	93	24	15
May	36,114	882	908	107	315	3,475	1,043	23	96	24	16
June	42,640	968	894	187	333	3,716	1,266	22	97	23	16
July	50,387	1,012	1,138	231	270	3,730	1,537	23	101	24	17
August	49,318	932	979	229	310	3,691	1,514	22	100	24	16
September	38,207	744	1,099	197	330	3,689	1,246	21	91	22	15
October	32,391	798	1,134	199	325	3,754	1,067	21	89	24	15
November	33,301	832	1,010	169	298	3,499	1,026	20	93	24	15
December	42,768	3,895	2,128	512	355	8,307	1,120	21	96	25	15
Total	482,931	15,599	14,715	2,626	3,702	51,452	13,590	259	1,143	292	187
2023 January	36,421	867	1,068	241	206	3,205	1,101	23	98	26	15
February	27,698	808	1,309	174	184	3,210	990	21	85	23	13
March	29,462	811	1,057	194	173	2,928	1,062	22	89	24	14
April	23,614	726	954	175	157	2,640	982	20	78	22	13
May	26,353	798	910	215	173	2,789	1,115	22	88	24	14
June	34,220	723	907	198	198	2,816	1,300	22	83	22	14
July	45,286	684	1,055	158	306	3,427	1,600	22	86	23	15
August	44,618	810	999	167	315	3,550	1,591	24	87	22	15
September	34,973	620	1,077	169	278	3,258	1,317	28	79	22	14
October	30,374	711	1,061	201	177	2,859	1,140	26	78	23	14
November	30,386	804	1,017	169	136	2,670	1,094	20	85	22	15
December	32,784	944	1,056	177	176	3,058	1,154	22	86	26	16
Total	396,188	9,308	12,471	2,238	2,479	36,410	14,446	273	1,022	278	171
2024 January	43,343	1,636	1,418	237	188	4,232	1,275	22	89	24	15
February	26,681	629	890	179	144	2,415	1,038	19	77	23	13
March	23,139	700	896	165	99	2,255	1,041	20	83	24	14
April	21,937	817	885	154	142	2,565	1,004	19	81	22	13
4-Month Total	115,100	3,781	4,089	735	572	11,467	4,358	81	330	93	54
2023 4-Month Total	117,195	3,213	4,389	784	719	11,983	4,136	86	351	95	54
2022 4-Month Total	157,805	5,536	5,425	796	1,167	17,592	3,770	86	381	101	62

^a Anthracite, bituminous coal, subbituminous coal, lignite, waste coal, and coal synfuel.

^b Fuel oil nos. 1, 2, and 4. For 1949–1979, data are for gas turbine and internal combustion plant use of petroleum. For 1980–2000, electric utility data also include small amounts of kerosene and jet fuel.

^c Fuel oil nos. 5 and 6. For 1949–1979, data are for steam plant use of petroleum. For 1980–2000, electric utility data also include a small amount of fuel oil no. 4.

^d Jet fuel, kerosene, other petroleum liquids, waste oil, and, beginning in 2011, propane.

^e Petroleum coke is converted from short tons to barrels by multiplying by 5.

^f Natural gas, plus a small amount of supplemental gaseous fuels.

^g Blast furnace gas, and other manufactured and waste gases derived from fossil fuels. Through 2010, also includes propane gas.

^h Wood and wood-derived fuels.

ⁱ Municipal solid waste from biogenic sources, landfill gas, sludge waste, agricultural byproducts, and other biomass. Through 2000, also includes

non-renewable waste (municipal solid waste from non-biogenic sources, and tire-derived fuels).

^j Batteries, chemicals, hydrogen, pitch, purchased steam, sulfur, miscellaneous technologies, and, beginning in 2001, non-renewable waste (municipal solid waste from non-biogenic sources, and tire-derived fuels).

^k Through 1988, data are for electric utilities only. Beginning in 1989, data are for electric utilities, independent power producers, commercial plants, and industrial plants.

NA=Not available. (s)=Less than 0.5 trillion Btu.

Notes: • Data are for utility-scale facilities. See Note 1, "Coverage of Electricity Statistics," at end of section. • Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding. • Geographic coverage is the 50 states and the District of Columbia.

Web Page: See <http://www.eia.gov/totalenergy/data/monthly/#electricity> (Excel and CSV files) for all available annual data beginning in 1949 and monthly data beginning in 1973.

Sources: Tables 7.4b and 7.4c.