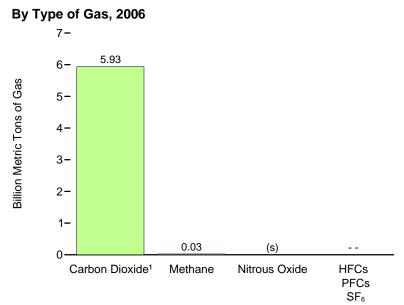
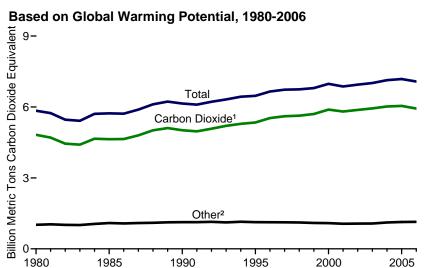
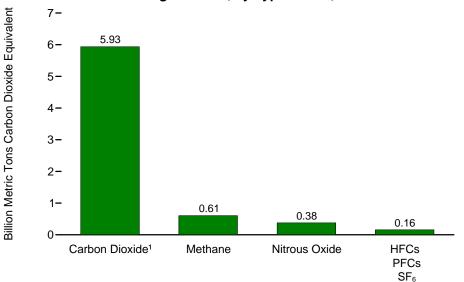
Figure 12.1 Emissions of Greenhouse Gases

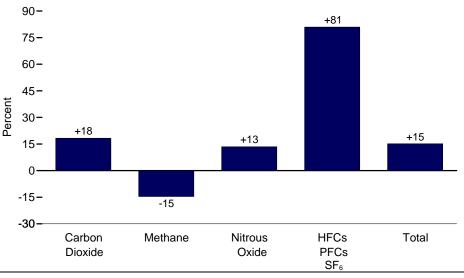




Based on Global Warming Potential, by Type of Gas, 2006



Change 1990-2006, Based on Global Warming Potential



¹ Metric tons of carbon dioxide can be converted to metric tons of carbon equivalent by multiplying by 12/44.

 2 Methane, nitrous oxide, hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), and sulfur hexafluoride (SF $_6).$

(s)=Less than 0.005 billion metric tons of gas.

- - = Not applicable because these gases cannot be summed in native units.

Notes: • HFCs=hydrofluorocarbons; PFCs=perfluorocarbons; and SF₆=sulfur hexafluoride. • Emissions by type of gas should not be compared; for comparison, see emissions based on global warming potential by type of gas. • Because vertical scales differ, graphs should not be compared.

Source: Table 12.1.

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