

Table 10.2c Renewable Energy Consumption: Electric Power Sector

(Trillion Btu)

	Hydro-electric Power ^a	Geo-thermal ^b	Solar/PV ^c	Wind ^d	Biomass			Total
					Wood ^e	Waste ^f	Total	
1973 Total	2,827	43	NA	NA	1	2	3	2,873
1975 Total	3,122	70	NA	NA	(s)	2	2	3,194
1980 Total	2,867	110	NA	NA	3	2	4	2,982
1985 Total	2,937	198	(s)	(s)	8	7	14	3,150
1990 Total ^g	3,014	326	4	29	129	188	317	3,689
1995 Total	3,149	280	5	33	125	296	422	3,889
1996 Total	3,528	300	5	33	138	300	438	4,305
1997 Total	3,581	309	5	34	137	309	446	4,375
1998 Total	3,241	311	5	31	137	308	444	4,032
1999 Total	3,218	312	5	46	138	315	453	4,034
2000 Total	2,768	296	5	57	134	318	453	3,579
2001 Total	2,209	289	6	70	126	211	337	2,910
2002 Total	2,650	305	6	105	150	230	380	3,445
2003 Total	2,781	303	5	115	167	230	397	3,601
2004 Total	2,656	311	6	142	165	223	388	3,503
2005 Total	2,670	309	6	178	185	221	406	3,568
2006 January	268	26	(s)	24	17	20	37	355
February	243	23	(s)	19	15	18	34	319
March	242	27	(s)	23	16	19	35	327
April	281	24	1	25	12	17	30	360
May	304	23	1	24	13	19	33	384
June	293	25	1	20	15	19	34	373
July	250	27	1	19	16	20	36	333
August	214	27	1	16	17	20	37	295
September	169	26	1	19	15	19	34	248
October	166	27	(s)	24	15	19	34	252
November	197	25	(s)	25	15	20	35	283
December	211	27	(s)	25	16	20	36	299
Total	2,839	306	5	264	182	231	412	3,827
2007 January	258	27	(s)	24	16	21	38	347
February	183	25	(s)	25	17	19	36	269
March	239	26	(s)	30	15	21	36	331
April	235	24	1	32	15	19	33	325
May	255	25	1	28	14	20	34	343
June	225	26	1	24	15	21	36	311
July	223	27	1	19	15	21	36	306
August	196	27	1	24	16	21	37	285
September	144	26	1	26	15	20	35	232
October	146	27	(s)	30	14	18	32	236
November	155	26	(s)	27	15	21	36	243
December	182	27	(s)	28	16	22	37	275
Total	2,440	312	6	319	184	243	427	3,503
2008 January	219	25	(s)	37	17	19	36	318
February	198	23	(s)	32	16	17	33	286
March	224	26	1	41	16	20	36	327
April	^R 217	25	1	^R 45	14	19	33	^R 321
May	^R 278	26	1	^R 44	^R 13	^R 20	^R 32	^R 382
June	^F 236	^F 26	^F 1	^F 45	^F 16	^F 22	^F 38	^F 346
6-Month Total	^E 1,372	^E 151	^E 4	^E 244	^E 91	^E 117	^E 208	^E 1,979
2007 6-Month Total	1,394	153	3	164	92	121	213	1,927
2006 6-Month Total	1,632	148	3	135	88	113	201	2,119

^a Conventional hydroelectricity net generation (converted to Btu using the fossil-fueled plants heat rate).

^b Geothermal electricity net generation (converted to Btu using the geothermal energy plants heat rate).

^c Solar thermal and photovoltaic electricity net generation (converted to Btu using the fossil-fueled plants heat rate).

^d Wind electricity net generation (converted to Btu using the fossil-fueled plants heat rate).

^e Wood and wood-derived fuels.

^f 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).

^g Through 1988, data are for electric utilities only. Beginning in 1989, data are for electric utilities and independent power producers.

R=Revised. E=Estimate. NA=Not available. F=Forecast. (s)=Less than 0.5 trillion Btu.

Notes: • The electric power sector comprises electricity-only and combined-heat-and-power (CHP) plants within the NAICS 22 category whose primary business is to sell electricity, or electricity and heat, to the public. • 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.doe.gov/emeu/mer/renew.html> for all available data beginning in 1973.

Sources: • Biomass: Table 7.4b. • All Other Data: Tables 7.2b and A6.