

Table 2.3 Commercial Sector Energy Consumption
(Trillion Btu)

	Primary Consumption ^a								Total Primary	Electricity Retail Sales ^f	Electrical System Energy Losses ^g	Total
	Fossil Fuels				Renewable Energy ^b							
	Coal	Natural Gas ^c	Petroleum ^d	Total	Hydroelectric Power ^e	Geothermal	Bio-mass	Total				
1973 Total	160	2,649	1,565	4,374	NA	NA	7	7	4,381	1,517	3,609	9,507
1975 Total	147	2,558	1,310	4,015	NA	NA	8	8	4,023	1,598	3,845	9,466
1980 Total	115	2,651	1,287	4,053	NA	NA	21	21	4,074	1,906	4,582	10,563
1985 Total	137	2,488	1,045	3,670	NA	NA	24	24	3,695	2,351	5,398	11,444
1990 Total	124	2,682	953	3,760	1	3	94	98	3,858	2,860	6,615	13,333
1995 Total	117	3,096	732	3,945	1	5	113	118	4,063	3,252	7,382	14,698
1996 Total	122	3,226	751	4,099	1	5	129	135	4,235	3,344	7,603	15,181
1997 Total	129	3,285	704	4,118	1	6	131	138	4,257	3,503	7,935	15,694
1998 Total	93	3,083	661	3,837	1	7	118	127	3,964	3,678	8,338	15,979
1999 Total	103	3,115	661	3,879	1	7	121	129	4,007	3,766	8,610	16,384
2000 Total	92	3,252	756	4,099	1	8	119	128	4,227	3,956	8,993	17,176
2001 Total	97	3,097	741	3,935	1	8	92	101	4,036	4,062	9,043	17,141
2002 Total	90	3,225	680	3,995	(s)	9	95	104	4,099	4,110	9,158	17,367
2003 Total	82	3,274	770	4,126	1	11	101	113	4,239	4,090	9,023	17,351
2004 Total	103	3,204	755	4,062	1	12	105	118	4,180	4,198	9,286	17,564
2005 Total	97	3,076	721	3,894	1	14	105	119	4,014	4,351	9,511	17,875
2006 January	7	407	69	R 483	(s)	1	9	10	R 493	348	735	R 1,575
February	6	400	72	R 478	(s)	1	8	9	R 487	327	694	R 1,508
March	6	362	R 66	R 434	(s)	1	8	10	R 444	345	736	R 1,524
April	4	231	R 48	R 284	(s)	1	8	10	R 294	329	712	R 1,335
May	4	165	R 46	215	(s)	1	9	10	R 225	363	827	1,415
June	5	138	42	R 184	(s)	1	8	10	R 194	395	877	1,466
July	5	125	R 41	R 171	(s)	1	9	10	R 181	428	954	R 1,563
August	5	130	R 42	177	(s)	1	9	10	R 186	436	936	R 1,558
September	4	136	43	R 183	(s)	1	8	R 10	R 192	390	774	R 1,356
October	6	192	R 45	R 243	(s)	1	9	10	R 253	372	793	R 1,418
November	7	263	48	R 317	(s)	1	8	10	R 327	345	757	R 1,428
December	8	355	R 59	R 422	(s)	1	9	10	R 433	357	794	1,584
Total	66	2,905	R 620	R 3,590	1	14	102	117	R 3,707	4,435	9,586	R 17,728
2007 January	7	442	R 64	R 514	(s)	1	9	10	R 524	367	822	R 1,713
February	7	488	R 68	564	(s)	1	8	9	R 573	346	720	R 1,639
March	7	362	R 66	R 435	(s)	1	9	10	R 445	353	753	R 1,551
April	5	266	42	R 312	(s)	1	8	9	R 322	346	751	R 1,418
May	5	172	34	R 210	(s)	1	9	10	R 220	371	833	R 1,424
June	5	138	37	R 179	(s)	1	9	10	R 189	402	895	R 1,486
July	5	125	R 37	R 167	(s)	1	9	10	R 177	425	939	1,542
August	5	130	41	R 176	(s)	1	9	10	R 186	447	1,012	1,645
September	5	131	R 41	177	(s)	1	8	10	R 186	411	822	R 1,419
October	6	162	R 47	216	(s)	1	9	10	R 225	393	818	R 1,436
November	7	262	R 59	R 328	(s)	1	9	10	R 338	357	768	R 1,463
December	8	403	86	R 496	(s)	1	9	10	R 507	363	817	R 1,687
Total	71	3,080	R 623	R 3,774	1	14	104	119	R 3,893	4,581	R 9,950	R 18,425
2008 January	7	R 484	R 81	R 573	(s)	1	8	9	R 582	374	806	R 1,762
February	7	466	R 78	551	(s)	1	8	9	R 560	358	728	R 1,646
March	7	387	R 64	R 457	(s)	1	8	10	R 467	354	757	R 1,578
April	R 5	263	R 49	R 317	(s)	1	9	10	R 327	353	747	R 1,426
May	R 5	184	R 39	R 228	(s)	1	9	10	R 238	370	827	R 1,435
June	R 6	138	41	184	(s)	1	9	10	R 194	414	939	1,547
July	5	131	41	R 176	(s)	1	9	10	R 186	447	975	1,608
August	5	129	38	172	(s)	1	9	10	182	435	926	1,543
September	5	132	39	176	(s)	1	8	10	185	415	827	1,426
9-Month Total	51	2,313	469	2,833	1	11	76	88	2,921	3,520	7,531	13,972
2007 9-Month Total	50	2,254	430	2,734	1	11	77	89	2,823	3,469	7,546	13,838
2006 9-Month Total	46	2,094	468	2,608	1	10	76	88	2,696	3,361	7,243	13,300

^a See "Primary Energy Consumption" in Glossary.

^b Most data are estimates. See Table 10.2a for notes on series components and estimation.

^c Natural gas only; excludes the estimated portion of supplemental gaseous fuels. See Note 3, "Supplemental Gaseous Fuels," at end of Section 4.

^d Does not include the fuel ethanol portion of motor gasoline—fuel ethanol is included in "Biomass."

^e Conventional hydroelectric power.

^f Electricity retail sales to ultimate customers reported by electric utilities and, beginning in 1996, other energy service providers.

^g Total losses are calculated as the primary energy consumed by the electric power sector minus the energy content of electricity retail sales. Total losses are allocated to the end-use sectors in proportion to each sector's share of total

electricity retail sales. See Note 2, "Electrical System Energy Losses," at end of section.

R=Revised. NA=Not available. (s)=Less than 0.5 trillion Btu and greater than -0.5 trillion Btu.

Notes: • The commercial sector includes commercial combined-heat-and-power (CHP) and commercial electricity-only plants. See Note, "Classification of Power Plants Into Energy-Use Sectors," at end of Section 7. • See Note 1, "Energy Consumption Data and Surveys," 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.doe.gov/emeu/mer/consump.html> for all available data beginning in 1973.

Sources: Tables 2.6, 3.8a, 4.3, 6.2, 7.6, 10.2a, A4, A5, and A6.