

Table 1. Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) Heat Content and Biogenic/Non-Biogenic Shares, 1989-2005

Year	Heat Content (Million Btu/Ton)	Shares of Total MSW Energy	
		Biogenic	Non-Biogenic
1989	10.08	0.67	0.33
1990	10.21	0.66	0.34
1991	10.4	0.65	0.35
1992	10.61	0.64	0.36
1993	10.94	0.64	0.36
1994	11.15	0.63	0.37
1995	11.11	0.62	0.38
1996	10.94	0.61	0.39
1997	11.17	0.6	0.4
1998	11.06	0.6	0.4
1999	10.95	0.6	0.4
2000	11.33	0.58	0.42
2001	11.21	0.57	0.43
2002	11.19	0.56	0.44
2003	11.17	0.55	0.45
2004	11.45	0.55	0.45
2005	11.73	0.56	0.44

Note: Years in bold are EPA data collection years. Non-bolded years have been linearly interpolated at the materials group level between immediately surrounding bolded years.

Sources: Heat Content (Million Btu/ton) is derived from Environmental Protection Agency, *Municipal Solid Waste in the United States: 2005 Facts and Figures, Table 4*. <http://www.epa.gov/msw/msw99.htm>

Biogenic and non-biogenic percentages are EIA estimates.