

Table 5. Kerosene Consumption and Expenditures in U.S. Households by End Uses and Census Region, 1997

	Total U.S.	Census Region				RSE Row Factors
		Northeast	Midwest	South	West	
RSE Column Factor:	0.6	0.9	2.2	0.7	1.3	
Total Households (million)	101.5	19.7	24.1	35.9	21.8	NF
CONSUMPTION						
Kerosene Consumption - All Uses¹						
Households Using Kerosene (million)	3.5	1.0	0.4	1.9	0.2	16.1
Quadrillion Btu	0.06	0.03	Q	0.02	(*)	27.6
Million Gallons	437	214	Q	161	33	27.6
Million Btu per Household	17.0	30.2	Q	11.6	20.4	21.5
Gallons per Household	126	224	Q	86	151	21.5
Space Heating - Main or Secondary						
Households Using Kerosene (million)	3.5	0.9	0.4	1.9	0.2	15.9
Quadrillion Btu	0.06	0.03	Q	0.02	(*)	27.5
Million Gallons	436	213	Q	161	33	27.5
Million Btu per Household	17.0	30.4	Q	11.6	20.4	21.6
Gallons per Household	126	225	Q	86	151	21.6
EXPENDITURES						
Kerosene Expenditures - All Uses¹						
Households Using Kerosene (million)	3.5	1.0	0.4	1.9	0.2	16.1
Billion Dollars	0.50	0.24	Q	0.19	0.04	27.3
Dollars per Household	144	251	Q	102	170	21.2
Dollars per Million Btu	8.51	8.29	9.01	8.75	8.33	2.4
Dollars per Gallon	1.15	1.12	1.22	1.18	1.12	2.4
Space Heating - Main or Secondary						
Households Using Kerosene (million)	3.5	0.9	0.4	1.9	0.2	15.9
Billion Dollars	0.50	0.24	Q	0.19	0.04	27.2
Dollars per Household	145	252	Q	102	170	21.3
Dollars per Million Btu	8.51	8.30	9.01	8.75	8.33	2.4
Dollars per Gallon	1.15	1.12	1.22	1.18	1.12	2.4

¹ A small amount of kerosene used for water heating and appliances is included in "Kerosene" under "All Uses."

(*) = Value rounds to zero in the units displayed.

NF = No applicable RSE row factor.

Q = Data withheld either because the Relative Standard Error (RSE) was greater than 50 percent or fewer than 10 households were sampled.

Notes: • To obtain the RSE percentage for any table cell, multiply the corresponding column and row factors. • Because of rounding, data may not sum to totals.

Source: Energy Information Administration, Office of Energy Markets and End Use, Forms EIA-457 A-G of the 1997 Residential Energy Consumption Survey.