

**Table 10.18 Percent of Establishments by Levels of Lowest Price Difference that Would Cause Fuel Switching from Distillate Fuel Oil to a Less Expensive Substitute, 2006;**  
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<b>Total United States</b>									
311	Food	276	67	Q	24	Q	Q	Q	Q
3112	Grain and Oilseed Milling	10	0	5	W	0	0	W	0
311221	Wet Corn Milling	W	0	W	0	0	0	0	0
31131	Sugar Manufacturing	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
3114	Fruit and Vegetable Preserving and Specialty Foods	13	W	W	Q	0	0	Q	0
3115	Dairy Products	17	7	6	0	0	0	W	W
3116	Animal Slaughtering and Processing	62	Q	Q	14	Q	Q	0	Q
312	Beverage and Tobacco Products	Q	3	6	7	W	Q	W	0
3121	Beverages	Q	W	W	7	0	Q	W	0
3122	Tobacco	8	W	W	0	W	3	0	0
313	Textile Mills	Q	0	0	0	0	0	Q	0
314	Textile Product Mills	24	W	W	W	0	0	0	0
315	Apparel	5	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
316	Leather and Allied Products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
321	Wood Products	159	Q	60	W	W	Q	53	W
321113	Sawmills	57	Q	9	W	0	0	7	W
3212	Veneer, Plywood, and Engineered Woods	Q	0	0	0	0	Q	Q	0
3219	Other Wood Products	63	0	Q	0	0	0	Q	0
322	Paper	50	4	21	13	0	W	8	0
322110	Pulp Mills	4	0	0	W	0	0	W	0
322121	Paper Mills, except Newsprint	16	W	7	W	0	W	3	0
322122	Newsprint Mills	W	0	0	0	0	0	W	0
322130	Paperboard Mills	18	W	8	7	0	0	W	0
323	Printing and Related Support	Q	0	Q	Q	Q	0	0	0
324	Petroleum and Coal Products	177	Q	5	94	Q	0	55	Q
324110	Petroleum Refineries	10	W	4	W	0	0	W	0
324199	Other Petroleum and Coal Products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
325	Chemicals	169	23	27	16	Q	Q	Q	5
325110	Petrochemicals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
325120	Industrial Gases	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
325181	Alkalies and Chlorine	W	0	W	0	0	0	0	0
325182	Carbon Black	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
325188	Other Basic Inorganic Chemicals	Q	W	W	0	0	Q	3	0
325192	Cyclic Crudes and Intermediates	W	W	0	W	0	0	0	0
325193	Ethyl Alcohol	4	W	W	0	0	0	W	0
325199	Other Basic Organic Chemicals	14	7	W	W	W	0	W	W
325211	Plastics Materials and Resins	12	0	Q	0	0	0	4	0
325212	Synthetic Rubber	4	0	0	W	0	0	0	W
325222	Noncellulosic Organic Fibers	10	W	4	W	0	0	W	0
325311	Nitrogenous Fertilizers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
325312	Phosphatic Fertilizers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3254	Pharmaceuticals and Medicines	34	W	6	9	0	0	11	W
325412	Pharmaceutical Preparation	21	W	W	6	0	0	5	0
325992	Photographic Film, Paper, Plate, and Chemicals	6	W	W	0	0	0	0	W
326	Plastics and Rubber Products	157	Q	Q	Q	0	0	Q	0
327	Nonmetallic Mineral Products	150	Q	W	97	W	W	Q	0
327211	Flat Glass	W	0	0	0	0	0	W	0
327212	Other Pressed and Blown Glass and Glassware	W	0	0	W	0	0	0	0
327213	Glass Containers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
327215	Glass Products from Purchased Glass	9	W	0	0	0	W	Q	0
327310	Cements	8	Q	W	W	W	0	0	0
327410	Lime	W	0	W	0	0	W	0	0
327420	Gypsum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
327993	Mineral Wool	W	W	0	0	0	0	0	0
331	Primary Metals	52	5	7	W	5	11	6	W

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		Establishments Able to Switch(b)	Would Not Switch Due to Price	1 to 10 Percent	11 to 25 Percent	26 to 50 Percent	Over 50 Percent		
331111	Iron and Steel Mills	9	0	0	0	W	W	3	W
331112	Electrometallurgical Ferroalloy Products	W	W	0	0	0	0	0	0
3312	Steel Products from Purchased Steel	W	0	W	0	0	0	0	0
3313	Alumina and Aluminum	4	0	W	0	0	W	0	0
331314	Secondary Smelting and Alloying of Aluminum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
331315	Aluminum Sheet, Plate and Foils	W	0	W	0	0	W	0	0
331316	Aluminum Extruded Products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3314	Nonferrous Metals, except Aluminum	W	0	0	W	0	0	W	0
3315	Foundries	33	W	Q	W	W	7	W	0
331511	Iron Foundries	13	W	0	0	W	0	W	0
331521	Aluminum Die-Casting Foundries	3	0	0	W	W	W	0	0
331524	Aluminum Foundries, except Die-Casting	Q	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
332	Fabricated Metal Products	Q	0	Q	0	0	Q	0	0
333	Machinery	Q	Q	0	Q	0	0	Q	0
334	Computer and Electronic Products	Q	W	Q	3	Q	0	W	0
334413	Semiconductors and Related Devices	8	W	3	W	0	0	W	0
335	Electrical Equip., Appliances, and Components	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
336	Transportation Equipment	Q	0	Q	0	W	0	W	Q
336111	Automobiles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
336112	Light Trucks and Utility Vehicles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3364	Aerospace Product and Parts	9	0	Q	0	W	0	W	0
336411	Aircraft	3	0	0	0	W	0	W	0
337	Furniture and Related Products	Q	0	Q	Q	Q	0	Q	0
339	Miscellaneous	Q	0	0	0	0	0	Q	0
	Total	2,120	239	459	417	231	Q	530	55

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Notes: To obtain the RSE percentage for any table cell, multiply the cell's corresponding RSE column and RSE row factors. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Establishment percents may not equal 100 percent because of unknown and/or unreported fuel-switching guesstimate.

Source: Energy Information Administration, Office of Energy Markets and End Use, Energy Consumption Division, Form EIA-846, '2006 Manufacturing Energy Consumption Survey.'

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311	Food	24.0	49.5	55.2	34.6	59.0	51.7	58.3	55.8
3112	Grain and Oilseed Milling	22.3	X	7.2	9.1	X	X	56.5	X
311221	Wet Corn Milling	0.0	X	0.0	X	X	X	X	X
31131	Sugar Manufacturing	0.0	X	X	X	X	X	0.0	X
3114	Fruit and Vegetable Preserving and Specialty Foods	33.2	5.4	5.4	52.0	X	X	53.6	X
3115	Dairy Products	19.6	47.9	3.2	X	X	X	3.2	3.2
3116	Animal Slaughtering and Processing	28.8	56.5	53.5	48.0	92.7	51.7	X	65.8
312	Beverage and Tobacco Products	58.3	4.4	4.4	36.6	0.0	87.8	57.2	X
3121	Beverages	68.0	8.5	8.5	36.6	X	94.6	57.2	X
3122	Tobacco	0.0	0.0	0.0	X	0.0	0.0	X	X
313	Textile Mills	63.1	X	X	X	X	X	63.1	X
314	Textile Product Mills	32.3	49.0	49.8	44.4	X	X	X	X
315	Apparel	45.0	X	X	45.0	X	X	X	X
316	Leather and Allied Products	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
321	Wood Products	26.5	61.0	49.1	4.3	15.0	59.3	41.1	4.3
321113	Sawmills	36.5	61.0	36.3	4.3	X	X	27.2	4.3
3212	Veneer, Plywood, and Engineered Woods	56.9	X	X	X	X	59.3	62.1	X
3219	Other Wood Products	47.5	X	57.9	X	X	X	54.4	X
322	Paper	4.8	0.9	2.2	17.3	X	2.5	0.9	X
322110	Pulp Mills	0.0	X	X	0.0	X	X	0.0	X
322121	Paper Mills, except Newsprint	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	X	2.5	2.5	X
322122	Newsprint Mills	0.0	X	X	X	X	X	0.0	X
322130	Paperboard Mills	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	X	X	0.0	X
323	Printing and Related Support	60.9	X	83.7	82.1	91.5	X	X	X
324	Petroleum and Coal Products	22.4	59.6	0.6	33.3	52.1	X	45.1	67.0
324110	Petroleum Refineries	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	X	X	0.0	X
324199	Other Petroleum and Coal Products	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
325	Chemicals	24.4	8.5	21.1	5.8	79.8	87.5	56.1	3.9
325110	Petrochemicals	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
325120	Industrial Gases	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
325181	Alkalies and Chlorine	0.0	X	0.0	X	X	X	X	X
325182	Carbon Black	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
325188	Other Basic Inorganic Chemicals	66.0	14.8	12.7	X	X	93.0	11.1	X
325192	Cyclic Crudes and Intermediates	0.0	0.0	X	0.0	X	X	X	X
325193	Ethyl Alcohol	0.0	0.0	0.0	X	X	X	0.0	X
325199	Other Basic Organic Chemicals	9.8	14.8	37.2	5.7	5.7	X	5.7	5.7
325211	Plastics Materials and Resins	49.6	X	71.8	X	X	X	45.7	X
325212	Synthetic Rubber	0.0	X	X	0.0	X	X	X	0.0

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325222	Noncellulosic Organic Fibers	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	X	X	0.0	X
325311	Nitrogenous Fertilizers	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
325312	Phosphatic Fertilizers	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3254	Pharmaceuticals and Medicines	15.7	27.5	24.6	9.7	X	X	35.8	11.9
325412	Pharmaceutical Preparation	14.6	27.5	32.5	12.9	X	X	11.8	X
325992	Photographic Film, Paper, Plate, and Chemicals	9.6	14.4	6.9	X	X	X	X	6.9
326	Plastics and Rubber Products	34.2	78.6	54.3	62.2	X	X	70.1	X
327	Nonmetallic Mineral Products	36.4	51.5	5.3	48.8	11.7	3.9	69.7	X
327211	Flat Glass	0.0	X	X	X	X	X	0.0	X
327212	Other Pressed and Blown Glass and Glassware	13.7	X	X	13.7	X	X	X	X
327213	Glass Containers	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
327215	Glass Products from Purchased Glass	40.4	7.8	X	X	X	7.8	55.4	X
327310	Cements	38.0	86.7	11.7	16.3	11.7	X	X	X
327410	Lime	0.0	X	0.0	X	X	0.0	X	X
327420	Gypsum	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
327993	Mineral Wool	11.5	11.5	X	X	X	X	X	X
331	Primary Metals	19.2	4.2	29.7	8.3	34.3	9.5	16.2	0.0
331111	Iron and Steel Mills	0.0	X	X	X	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
331112	Electrometallurgical Ferroalloy Products	0.0	0.0	X	X	X	X	X	X
3312	Steel Products from Purchased Steel	1.8	X	1.8	X	X	X	X	X
3313	Alumina and Aluminum	0.0	X	0.0	X	X	0.0	X	X
331314	Secondary Smelting and Alloying of Aluminum	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
331315	Aluminum Sheet, Plate and Foils	0.0	X	0.0	X	X	0.0	X	X
331316	Aluminum Extruded Products	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3314	Nonferrous Metals, except Aluminum	10.6	X	X	10.6	X	X	10.6	X
3315	Foundries	29.7	8.1	69.0	12.9	48.4	15.2	52.9	X
331511	Iron Foundries	45.5	8.1	X	X	68.6	X	52.9	X
331521	Aluminum Die-Casting Foundries	12.9	X	X	12.9	12.9	12.9	X	X
331524	Aluminum Foundries, except Die-Casting	58.6	X	X	X	X	22.4	X	X
332	Fabricated Metal Products	55.5	X	68.1	X	X	96.4	X	X
333	Machinery	54.8	72.5	X	91.6	X	X	75.6	X
334	Computer and Electronic Products	51.5	1.8	77.6	20.8	83.8	X	1.8	X
334413	Semiconductors and Related Devices	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	X	X	1.8	X
335	Electrical Equip., Appliances, and Components	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
336	Transportation Equipment	64.0	X	66.0	X	0.0	X	0.0	82.4
336111	Automobiles	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
336112	Light Trucks and Utility Vehicles	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
3364	Aerospace Product and Parts	43.4	X	66.0	X	0.0	X	0.0	X
336411	Aircraft	0.0	X	X	X	0.0	X	0.0	X
337	Furniture and Related Products	51.9	X	66.4	77.8	86.5	X	71.3	X
339	Miscellaneous	92.8	X	X	X	X	X	92.8	X

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	Total	11.8	25.8	27.1	23.6	39.6	51.8	24.7	45.8

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