

Table 2.3 Commercial Sector Energy Consumption
(Quadrillion Btu)

	Primary Consumption								Total Primary	Electricity Retail Sales ^e	Electrical System Energy Losses ^f	Total
	Fossil Fuels				Renewable Energy ^a							
	Coal	Natural Gas ^b	Petroleum	Total	Hydro-power ^c	Wood and Waste	Geo-thermal ^d	Total				
1973 Total	0.160	2.649	1.565	4.374	NA	0.007	NA	0.007	4.381	1.517	3.609	9.507
1974 Total	.175	2.617	1.423	4.214	NA	.007	NA	.007	4.221	1.501	3.640	9.363
1975 Total	.147	2.558	1.310	4.015	NA	.008	NA	.008	4.023	1.598	3.845	9.466
1976 Total	.144	2.718	1.461	4.324	NA	.009	NA	.009	4.333	1.678	4.025	10.035
1977 Total	.148	2.548	1.511	4.207	NA	.010	NA	.010	4.217	1.754	4.206	10.177
1978 Total	.165	2.643	1.450	4.257	NA	.012	NA	.012	4.269	1.813	4.398	10.481
1979 Total	.149	2.836	1.334	4.319	NA	.014	NA	.014	4.333	1.854	4.439	10.627
1980 Total	.115	2.674	1.288	4.076	NA	.021	NA	.021	4.097	1.906	4.591	10.594
1981 Total	.137	2.583	1.090	3.810	NA	.021	NA	.021	3.831	2.033	4.774	10.638
1982 Total	.155	2.673	1.008	3.837	NA	.022	NA	.022	3.859	2.077	4.944	10.880
1983 Total	.162	2.508	1.136	3.805	NA	.022	NA	.022	3.827	2.116	5.008	10.952
1984 Total	.169	2.600	1.198	3.967	NA	.022	NA	.022	3.989	2.264	5.209	11.463
1985 Total	.137	2.508	1.039	3.684	NA	.024	NA	.024	3.708	2.351	5.405	11.465
1986 Total	.135	2.386	1.099	3.620	NA	.027	NA	.027	3.647	2.439	5.515	11.600
1987 Total	.125	2.505	1.079	3.709	NA	.029	NA	.029	3.738	2.539	5.674	11.951
1988 Total	.131	2.748	1.037	3.916	NA	.032	NA	.032	3.948	2.675	5.948	12.571
1989 Total	.115	2.802	.973	3.891	.001	.058	.003	.061	3.952	2.767	6.437	13.156
1990 Total	.124	2.701	.913	3.739	.001	.067	.003	.071	3.810	2.860	6.611	13.281
1991 Total	.116	2.813	.859	3.788	.001	.068	.003	.072	3.860	2.918	6.681	13.458
1992 Total	.117	2.890	.811	3.817	.001	.077	.003	.081	3.898	2.900	6.596	13.394
1993 Total	.117	2.942	.750	3.809	.001	.079	.003	.084	3.892	3.019	6.877	13.788
1994 Total	.118	2.979	.747	3.844	.001	.081	.004	.086	3.930	3.116	7.013	14.059
1995 Total	.117	3.113	.710	3.940	.001	.086	.005	.092	4.032	3.252	7.381	14.665
1996 Total	.122	3.244	.743	4.108	.001	.103	.005	.110	4.218	3.344	7.599	15.161
1997 Total	.129	3.302	.704	4.135	.001	.107	.006	.113	4.248	3.503	7.928	15.679
1998 Total	.093	3.098	.653	3.845	.001	.102	.007	.111	3.956	3.678	8.330	15.964
1999 Total	.103	3.130	.637	3.870	.001	.106	.007	.114	3.984	3.766	8.597	16.347
2000 Total	.092	3.265	.726	4.083	.001	.100	.008	.109	4.192	3.956	8.982	17.129
2001 Total	.097	3.116	.742	3.955	.001	.080	.008	.089	4.044	4.086	9.194	17.323
2002 January	.010	.443	.090	.543	(s)	.007	.001	.007	.550	.332	.721	1.604
February	.009	.409	.071	.489	(s)	.006	.001	.007	.495	.308	.642	1.445
March	.008	.381	.071	.460	(s)	.007	.001	.007	.467	.316	.717	1.500
April	.007	.272	.058	.337	(s)	.007	.001	.007	.345	.318	.715	1.377
May	.006	.195	.050	.251	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.259	.337	.784	1.380
June	.005	.148	.049	.202	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.210	.367	.854	1.431
July	.007	.138	.050	.196	(s)	.008	.001	.008	.204	.401	.925	1.531
August	.006	.137	.051	.194	(s)	.008	.001	.008	.202	.400	.890	1.492
September	.005	.143	.048	.196	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.204	.375	.791	1.370
October	.006	.201	.055	.263	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.271	.355	.766	1.392
November	.009	.304	.064	.377	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.385	.319	.729	1.432
December	.012	.426	.081	.519	(s)	.007	.001	.007	.527	.328	.761	1.616
Total	.091	3.196	.738	4.025	(s)	.084	.009	.093	4.118	4.157	9.293	17.568
2003 January	.011	R .524	.094	R .630	(s)	.007	.001	.008	R .638	.348	.760	R 1.746
February	.010	.490	.079	.578	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.586	.317	.648	1.551
March	.007	.392	.072	.471	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.481	.322	.714	1.516
April	.008	.263	.061	.332	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.341	.311	.687	1.339
May	.006	.182	.048	.236	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.246	.333	.773	1.352
June	.005	.139	.046	.190	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.199	.354	.807	1.360
July	.007	R .133	.050	.191	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.200	.398	.897	R 1.495
August	.007	.131	.055	.193	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.202	.403	.895	1.501
September	.005	.137	.051	.192	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.200	.371	.742	1.314
October	.006	.182	.057	.245	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.254	.350	.756	1.360
November	.009	.256	.061	.327	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.335	.325	.740	1.400
December	.014	.398	.082	.494	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.503	.342	.781	1.627
Total	.094	R 3.229	.756	R 4.078	.001	.090	.015	.107	R 4.185	4.174	9.198	R 17.557
2004 January	.012	R .504	.095	R .612	(s)	.008	.001	.009	R .621	R .339	R .768	R 1.727
February	.010	.473	.082	.566	(s)	.007	.001	.008	.574	.320	.692	R 1.586
March	.006	.354	.073	.434	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.443	R .325	R .705	R 1.473
April	.008	.249	.064	.321	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.330	.317	R .686	R 1.332
May	.006	.170	.051	.226	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.235	.343	R .812	R 1.390
June	.005	R .137	.049	.191	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.200	.367	R .816	R 1.384
July	.008	.126	.054	.189	(s)	.008	.001	.009	.198	.394	.883	1.475
7-Month Total	.055	2.014	.470	2.538	.001	.053	.009	.063	2.601	2.404	5.360	10.366
2003 7-Month Total	.054	2.124	.450	2.628	.001	.052	.009	.062	2.690	2.383	5.286	10.359
2002 7-Month Total	.053	1.986	.438	2.477	(s)	.048	.005	.053	2.530	2.379	5.358	10.268

^a All values are estimated; see Table 10.2a.

^b Natural gas, plus a small amount of supplemental gaseous fuels that cannot be identified separately.

^c Conventional hydroelectric power.

^d Geothermal heat pump and direct use energy.

^e Electricity retail sales to ultimate customers reported by electric utilities and other energy service providers.

^f See Note 12 at end of section.

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

Notes: • Totals may not equal sum of components due to independent rounding. • Geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Web Page: <http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/mer/consump.html>.

Additional Notes and Sources: See end of section.