

Emissions and Storage Factors for Non-Energy Uses of Coal

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EIA, AER, Table 1.15 Fossil Fuel Consumption for Nonfuel Use, 1980-2010

This table amends EIA data to show sequestration & emissions

Coal						
Year	Non-energy use		Total Coal Supplied million tons	Non-energy uses, Percent of total supplied	Non-energy emissions, Percent of total supplied	Non-energy storage, Percent of total supplied
	EIA	Amnt Emitted				
	million tons	million tons				
	2.5%					
1980	2.40	0.60	702.7	0.34%	0.09%	0.26%
1981	2.10	0.53	732.6	0.29%	0.07%	0.21%
1982	1.40	0.35	706.9	0.20%	0.05%	0.15%
1983	1.20	0.30	736.7	0.16%	0.04%	0.12%
1984	1.50	0.38	791.3	0.19%	0.05%	0.14%
1985	1.10	0.28	818.0	0.13%	0.03%	0.10%
1986	0.70	0.18	804.2	0.09%	0.02%	0.07%
1987	0.80	0.20	836.9	0.10%	0.02%	0.07%
1988	0.70	0.18	883.6	0.08%	0.02%	0.06%
1989	0.60	0.15	895.0	0.07%	0.02%	0.05%
1990	0.60	0.15	904.5	0.07%	0.02%	0.05%
1991	0.60	0.15	899.2	0.07%	0.02%	0.05%
1992	1.20	0.30	907.7	0.13%	0.03%	0.10%
1993	0.90	0.23	944.1	0.10%	0.02%	0.07%
1994	0.90	0.23	951.3	0.09%	0.02%	0.07%
1995	0.90	0.23	962.1	0.09%	0.02%	0.07%
1996	0.90	0.23	1,006.3	0.09%	0.02%	0.07%
1997	0.90	0.23	1,029.5	0.09%	0.02%	0.07%
1998	0.80	0.20	1,037.1	0.08%	0.02%	0.06%
1999	0.80	0.20	1,038.6	0.08%	0.02%	0.06%
2000	0.80	0.20	1,084.1	0.07%	0.02%	0.06%
2001	0.70	0.18	1,060.1	0.07%	0.02%	0.05%
2002	0.70	0.18	1,066.4	0.07%	0.02%	0.05%
2003	0.70	0.18	1,094.9	0.06%	0.02%	0.05%
2004	0.70	0.18	1,107.3	0.06%	0.02%	0.05%
2005	0.70	0.18	1,126.0	0.06%	0.02%	0.05%
2006	0.60	0.15	1,112.3	0.05%	0.01%	0.04%
2007	0.60	0.15	1,128.0	0.05%	0.01%	0.04%
2008	0.60	0.15	1,120.5	0.05%	0.01%	0.04%
2009	0.40	0.10	997.5	0.04%	0.01%	0.03%
2010	0.60	0.15	1,048.3	0.06%	0.01%	0.04%

Coal															
Alternative	Non-energy use	Carbon Coefficient	Carbon Content	Quant emitted 90.00%	Quantity stored 10.00%	coal emissions MtCO2	Non-energy emission rate Percent of total emissions	Non-energy storage rate Percent of total emissions	Coal						
									Non-energy use	Carbon Content	Quant emitted	Quantity stored	coal emissions	Non-energy emission rate	Non-energy storage rate
									QBtu	MtC/QBtu	MtC	MtCO2	MtCO2	Percent	Percent
EPA	EIA	EPA	calculated	calculated	calculated	EIA	calculated	calculated							
	done	done	done	done	done	done	done	done							
1980	0.08	25.96	2.08	6.85	0.76	1,436	0.48%	0.053%							
1981	0.07	25.96	1.82	6.00	0.67	1,485	0.40%	0.045%							
1982	0.04	25.96	1.04	3.43	0.38	1,433	0.24%	0.027%							
1983	0.04	25.96	1.04	3.43	0.38	1,488	0.23%	0.026%							
1984	0.05	25.96	1.30	4.28	0.48	1,598	0.27%	0.030%							
1985	0.03	25.96	0.78	2.57	0.29	1,638	0.16%	0.017%							
1986	0.02	25.96	0.52	1.71	0.19	1,617	0.11%	0.012%							
1987	0.03	25.96	0.78	2.57	0.29	1,691	0.15%	0.017%							
1988	0.02	25.96	0.52	1.71	0.19	1,775	0.10%	0.011%							
1989	0.02	25.96	0.52	1.71	0.19	1,795	0.10%	0.011%							
1990	0.0082	25.96	0.52	1.71	0.19	1,821	0.09%	0.010%							
1991	0.02	25.96	0.52	1.71	0.19	1,807	0.09%	0.011%							
1992	0.04	25.95	1.04	3.43	0.38	1,822	0.19%	0.021%							
1993	0.03	25.95	0.78	2.57	0.29	1,882	0.14%	0.015%							
1994	0.03	25.94	0.78	2.57	0.29	1,893	0.14%	0.015%							
1995	0.0491	25.93	0.78	2.57	0.29	1,913	0.13%	0.015%							
1996	0.0355	25.93	0.78	2.57	0.29	1,995	0.13%	0.014%							
1997	0.0112	25.93	0.78	2.57	0.29	2,040	0.13%	0.014%							
1998	0.0213	25.95	0.78	2.57	0.29	2,064	0.12%	0.014%							
1999	0.0512	25.98	0.78	2.57	0.29	2,062	0.12%	0.014%							
2000	0.0660	26.00	0.78	2.57	0.29	2,155	0.12%	0.013%							
2001	0.0361	26.00	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,088	0.08%	0.009%							
2002	0.0523	26.05	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,095	0.08%	0.009%							
2003	0.0638	26.09	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,136	0.08%	0.009%							
2004	0.1797	26.10	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,160	0.08%	0.009%							
2005	0.0924	26.09	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,182	0.08%	0.009%							
2006	0.0748	26.04	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,147	0.08%	0.009%							
2007	0.0142	26.05	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,172	0.08%	0.009%							
2008	0.0410	26.05	0.52	1.72	0.19	2,139	0.08%	0.009%							
2009	0.0183	26.05	0.26	0.86	0.10	1,876	0.05%	0.005%							
2010	0.0768	26.05	0.52	1.72	0.19	1,985	0.09%	0.010%							

0.0294 25.9885 0.7626 2.5167 0.2796 1,884 0.14%

31-yr average sequestration factor for coal 0.077%

Average storage rate 1980-2010 for non-energy uses of coal (USA) 0.016%

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Non-energy uses

Table A-252: 2009 Non-Energy Carbon Stored in Products

Fuel Type	Consumption for Non-Energy Use (Tbtu)	Carbon Coefficients (Tg Carbon/Qbtu)	Carbon Content (Tg Carbon)	Fraction Sequestered	Carbon Stored (Tg CO ₂ Eq.)
Coal	6.1	31.00	0.2	0.10	0.07
Natural Gas	366.0	14.46	5.3	0.58	11.26
Asphalt & Road Oil	873.1	20.55	17.9	1.00	65.51
LPG	1,446.2	17.06	24.7	0.58	52.53
Lubricants	262.6	20.20	5.3	0.09	1.79
Pentanes Plus	93.4	19.10	1.8	0.58	3.80
Petrochemical Feedstocks	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	40.33
Petroleum Coke	133.0	27.85	3.7	0.30	4.08
Special Naphtha	44.2	19.74	0.9	0.58	1.86
Waxes/Misc.	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	1.16
Misc. U.S. Territories Petroleum	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	0.41
Total					182.8

[a] Values for Misc. U.S. Territories Petroleum, Petrochemical Feedstocks and Waxes/Misc. are not shown because these categories are aggregates of numerous smaller components.
Note: Totals may not sum due to independent rounding.

Table A-253: 2009 Reference Approach CO₂ Emissions from Fossil Fuel Consumption (Tg CO₂ Eq. unless otherwise noted)

Fuel Category	Potential Emissions	Carbon Sequestered	Net Emissions	Fraction Oxidized	Total Emissions
Coal	1,834.9	0.1	1,834.8	100.0%	1,834.8
Petroleum	2,383.7	171.4	2,212.2	100.0%	2,212.2
Natural Gas	1,251.6	11.3	1,240.4	100.0%	1,240.4
Total	5,470.2	182.8	5,287.4	-	5,287.4

Note: Totals may not sum due to independent rounding.

U.S. EPA (2011) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2009,

Table A-32: Unadjusted Non-Energy Fuel Consumption (Tbtu)

Sector/Fuel Type	1990	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Industry	4,466.6	5,157.0	5,230.2	5,429.2	5,683.8	5,938.6	5,578.6	5,246.1	5,335.4	5,283.9	5,807.9	5,497.3	5,292.2	5,088.3	4,665.7	4,337.0	4,436.6
Industrial Coking Coal	0.0	37.8	24.1	0.0	10.9	40.1	53.6	24.8	40.3	51.9	167.8	80.5	62.9	2.3	29.1	6.4	64.9
Industrial Other Coal	8.2	11.3	11.4	11.2	10.4	11.1	12.4	11.3	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9
Natural Gas to Chemical Plants, Other Uses	286.5	357.2	360.3	386.7	426.6	436.4	436.7	406.6	380.7	384.1	399.5	403.5	233.4	233.6	233.6	233.6	233.6
Asphalt & Road Oil	1,170.2	1,178.2	1,175.9	1,223.6	1,262.6	1,324.4	1,275.7	1,256.9	1,240.0	1,219.5	1,303.8	1,323.2	1,261.2	1,197.0	1,012.0	873.1	877.8
LPG	1,201.4	1,586.9	1,652.0	1,670.4	1,744.4	1,820.7	1,665.4	1,553.4	1,620.3	1,545.1	1,576.4	1,488.1	1,519.5	1,542.2	1,451.4	1,546.1	1,614.2
Lubricants	186.3	177.8	172.5	182.3	190.8	192.8	189.9	174.0	171.9	159.0	161.0	160.2	156.1	161.2	149.6	134.5	149.5
Pentanes Plus	82.6	303.4	316.5	298.9	204.3	261.4	236.7	201.6	171.4	169.1	170.4	150.3	107.3	137.4	117.2	97.7	107.6
Naphtha (<401 deg. F)	347.8	373.0	479.3	536.4	584.0	502.1	613.5	493.7	582.6	613.0	749.4	698.7	628.9	562.5	477.2	471.9	490.4
Other Oil (>401 deg. F)	753.9	801.0	729.6	861.3	818.7	811.1	722.2	662.4	632.1	699.4	779.5	708.0	790.6	744.1	647.8	424.8	452.7
Still Gas	21.3	40.1	0.0	2.1	0.0	16.1	12.6	35.8	57.8	59.0	62.9	67.7	57.2	44.2	47.3	133.9	147.2
Petroleum Coke	123.1	75.0	89.4	35.8	150.8	216.0	98.7	174.3	145.8	122.8	218.3	186.9	213.6	201.2	225.1	175.5	68.8
Special Naphtha	107.1	70.8	74.5	72.3	107.3	145.4	97.4	78.5	102.4	80.5	51.0	62.5	70.1	78.0	84.9	46.2	26.5
Other (Wax/Misc.)																	
Distillate Fuel Oil	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.8	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	11.7	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5
Waxes	33.3	40.6	48.7	43.7	42.4	37.4	33.1	36.3	32.2	31.0	30.8	31.4	26.1	21.9	19.1	12.2	15.4
Miscellaneous																	
Products	137.8	97.1	89.0	97.8	119.0	111.9	119.2	124.9	134.2	126.0	113.4	112.8	136.0	133.5	142.0	151.8	158.8
Transportation	176.0	167.9	163.0	172.1	180.2	182.1	179.4	164.3	162.4	150.1	152.1	151.3	147.4	152.2	141.3	127.1	141.2
Lubricants	176.0	167.9	163.0	172.1	180.2	182.1	179.4	164.3	162.4	150.1	152.1	151.3	147.4	152.2	141.3	127.1	141.2
U.S. Territories	86.7	90.8	121.7	131.6	135.0	139.3	152.2	80.3	140.2	123.5	110.8	121.9	133.4	108.4	126.7	56.3	56.3
Lubricants	0.7	2.0	1.5	2.5	1.3	1.4	3.1	0.0	3.0	4.9	5.1	4.6	6.2	5.9	2.7	1.0	1.0
Other Petroleum (Misc. Prod.)	86.0	88.8	120.2	129.1	133.8	138.0	149.1	80.3	137.2	118.6	105.7	117.3	127.2	102.5	124.1	55.2	55.2
Total	4,729.3	5,415.8	5,514.9	5,732.9	5,999.0	6,260.0	5,910.1	5,490.8	5,637.9	5,557.5	6,070.8	5,770.5	5,573.0	5,349.0	4,933.8	4,520.3	4,634.1

Note: These values are unadjusted non-energy fuel use provided by EIA. They have not yet been adjusted to remove petroleum feedstock exports and processes accounted for in the Industrial Processes Chapter.
+ Does not exceed 0.05 Tbtu.

U.S. EPA (2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2010, (Draft),

Table A-32: Unadjusted Non-Energy Fuel Consumption (Tbtu), Table A-32: Unadjusted Non-Energy Fuel Consumption (Tbtu).

Table A-256: 2010 Non-Energy Carbon Stored in Products

Fuel Type	Consumption for Non-Energy Use (Tbtu)	Carbon Coefficients (Tg Carbon/Qbtu)	Carbon Content (Tg Carbon)	Fraction Sequestered	Carbon Stored (Tg CO ₂ Eq.)
Coal	64.9	25.61	1.66	0.10	0.6
Natural Gas	221.9	14.46	3.21	0.59	7.0
Asphalt & Road Oil	877.8	20.55	18.04	1.00	65.9
LPG	1,545.8	17.06	26.37	0.59	57.4
Lubricants	291.7	20.20	5.89	0.09	2.0
Pentanes Plus	103.6	19.10	1.98	0.59	4.3
Petrochemical Feedstocks	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	43.1
Petroleum Coke	3.0	27.85	0.08	0.30	0.1
Special Naphtha	25.5	19.74	0.50	0.59	1.1
Waxes/Misc.	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	1.3
Misc. U.S. Territories Petroleum	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	0.4
Total					183.1

[a] Values for Misc. U.S. Territories Petroleum, Petrochemical Feedstocks and Waxes/Misc. are not shown because these categories are aggregates of numerous smaller components.
Note: Totals may not sum due to independent rounding.

Table A-257: 2010 Reference Approach CO₂ Emissions from Fossil Fuel Consumption (Tg CO₂ Eq. unless otherwise noted)

Fuel Category	Potential Emissions	Carbon Sequestered	Net Emissions	Fraction Oxidized	Total Emissions
Coal	1,898.9	0.6	1,898.3	100.0%	1,898.3
Petroleum	2,367.2	175.5	2,191.7	100.0%	2,191.7
Natural Gas	1,297.1	7.0	1,290.1	100.0%	1,290.1
Total	5,563.2	183.1	5,380.1	-	5,380.1

Note: Totals may not sum due to independent rounding.

U.S. EPA (2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2010, (Draft), Annex 4 IPCC Reference Approach for Estimating CO₂ Emissions from Fossil Fuel Combustion, Table A-256: 2010 Non-Energy Carbon Stored in Products.

	million tons	Qbtu
Coke	32.37	0.73
Other ind'l	1.80	0.05

Table 2, page 258, Non-fuel use of fossil fuels in the U.S. in 1992

Table 2. Non-fuel Use of Fossil Fuels in the U.S. in 1992

Coal	Other	Petroleum							N. Gas Chemical feedstocks
		Petro-chemical and feedstocks	Asphalt and Road Oil	Liquefied Petroleum Gases	Lubricant Petroleum	Petroleum Coke	Special naphtha	Wax, etc.	
Physical Units / million short tons for coal; million barrels for oil; billion cubic feet for natural gas									
32.37	1.8	202	166	386	54	42	19	27	611
Energy Unit / Quadrillion Btu (10 ¹⁵ Btu)									
0.73	0.05	1.14	1.10	1.35	0.33	0.25	0.16	0.16	0.63

Song, Chunsan, & Harold H. Schobert (1996) Non-Fuel Uses of Coals and Synthesis of Chemicals and Materials, Fuel Science Program, Pennsylvania State University, University Park pages 249-258 of unknown publication; web.anl.gov/PCS/acsfuelpreprint%20archive/Files/Merge/Vol-40_2-0004.pdf

Non-energy uses

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Table 3-21: 2010 Adjusted Non-Energy Use Fossil Fuel Consumption, Storage, and Emissions

Sector/Fuel Type	Adjusted Non-Energy Use ^a (TBtu)	Carbon Content Coefficient (Tg C/QBtu)	Potential Carbon (Tg C)	Storage Factor	Carbon Stored (Tg C)	Carbon Emissions (Tg C)	Carbon Emissions (Tg CO ₂ Eq.)
Industry	4,217.7	-	78.5	-	49.6	28.9	106.1
Industrial Coking Coal	64.9	25.61	1.7	0.10	0.2	1.5	5.5
Industrial Other Coal	11.9	25.82	0.3	0.59	0.2	0.1	0.5

U.S. EPA (2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2010, (Draft),
Table 3-21: 2010 Adjusted Non-Energy Use Fossil Fuel Consumption, Storage, and Emissions; pdf page 124.



Coal byproducts in tree form showing basic chemicals as branches and derivative substances as twigs and leaves.
Source: Virginia Surface Mining and Reclamation Association, Inc., Norton, Va.

Table A-35: Annually Variable C Content Coefficients by Year (Tg C/QBtu)

Fuel Type	1990	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Residential Coal	26.20	26.13	26.04	25.90	26.07	25.98	26.01	26.00	25.98	26.04	25.91	26.09	26.29	25.94	25.71	25.71*	25.71*
Commercial Coal	26.20	26.13	26.04	25.90	26.07	25.98	26.01	26.00	25.98	26.04	25.91	26.09	26.29	25.94	25.71	25.71*	25.71*
Industrial Coking Coal	25.53	25.57	25.56	25.59	25.62	25.59	25.63	25.63	25.65	25.63	25.63	25.60	25.60	25.61	25.61	25.61	25.61
Industrial Other Coal	25.82	25.93	25.93	25.93	25.95	25.98	26.00	26.00	26.05	26.09	26.10	26.09	26.04	26.05	26.05	26.05	26.05
Electric Power Coal	25.96	16.99	16.99	16.99	16.99	16.99	16.98	16.99	16.98	17.00	16.98	16.98	16.96	16.94	16.95	16.90	16.91
Pipeline Natural Gas	14.45	14.46	14.46	14.46	14.44	14.46	14.47	14.46	14.46	14.44	14.46	14.46	14.46	14.46	14.46	14.46	14.46
LPG (energy use)	16.86	16.82	16.82	16.84	16.81	16.86	16.89	16.87	16.85	16.86	16.84	16.84	16.83	16.82	16.83	16.83	16.83
LPG (non-energy use)	17.06	17.09	17.10	17.08	17.08	17.07	17.09	17.10	17.09	17.09	17.07	17.06	17.06	17.05	17.06	17.06	17.06
Motor Gasoline	19.42	19.36	19.35	19.36	19.37	19.32	19.33	19.34	19.38	19.36	19.38	19.36	19.45	19.56	19.46	19.46	19.46
Jet Fuel	19.40	19.34	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70	19.70
MoGas Blend																	
Components	19.42	19.36	19.35	19.36	19.37	19.32	19.33	19.34	19.38	19.36	19.38	19.36	19.45	19.56	19.46	19.46	19.46
Misc. Products	20.15	20.21	20.23	20.22	20.22	20.17	20.22	20.27	20.28	20.25	20.31	20.31	20.28	20.28	20.31	20.31	20.31
Unfinished Oils	20.15	20.21	20.23	20.22	20.22	20.17	20.22	20.27	20.28	20.25	20.31	20.31	20.28	20.28	20.31	20.31	20.31
Crude Oil	20.15	20.21	20.23	20.22	20.22	20.17	20.22	20.27	20.28	20.25	20.31	20.31	20.28	20.28	20.31	20.31	20.31

*U.S. EIA discontinued collection of residential sector coal consumption data in 2008, because consumption of coal in the residential sector is extremely limited. Therefore, the number cited here is developed from commercial/institutional consumption.
Source: EPA (2010a)

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Annex 2: Methodology and Data for Estimating CO₂ Emissions from Fossil Fuel Combustion,
Table A-35: Annually Variable C Content Coefficients by Year (Tg C/ QBtu)

Schweinfurth, S.P., 2009, An introduction to coal quality, in Pierce, B.S., and Dennen, K.O., eds., The National Coal Resource Assessment Overview: U.S. Geological Survey Professional Paper 1625-F, Chapter C, 16 p.

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Cell: D11

Comment: Rick Heede:

EIA(2004) Documentation for Emissions of Greenhouse Gases in the United States 2002, p. 31-32. While coke for steel production is typically considered the main non-fuel use of coal, EIA correctly points out that coke is nearly always fully combusted in metallurgical processes. Coke is manufactured by “coking” high-grade (typically anthracite) coals in the absence of oxygen in which volatiles, moisture, and other impurities are driven off, leaving a high-carbon material suitable for metallurgical uses. EIA thus focuses on the production of “coal tars” as a nonfuel use and represents the amounts reported under “nonfuel use of coal” in EIA’s table 1.15.” EIA uses a carbon coefficient of 25.376 kgC/million Btu.

EIA adopts the IPCC guideline of 75 percent sequestration of coal tars.

Cell: E11

Comment: Rick Heede:

EIA (2005) Annual Energy review 2004, Table 7.1 Coal Overview, 1949-2004

Cell: P12

Comment: Rick Heede:

EPA uses a 10 percent storage factor for coal used for non-energy purposes (64.9 T Btu in 2010). Source: U.S. EPA (2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2010, (Draft), Annex 4 IPCC Reference Approach for Estimating CO2 Emissions from Fossil Fuel Combustion, Table A-256: 2010 Non-Energy Carbon Stored in Products.

Cell: D13

Comment: Rick Heede:

EIA adopts the IPCC guideline of 75 percent sequestration of coal tars, i.e., 25 percent is emitted through subsequent oxidation or combustion. See cell note above.

Cell: C17

Comment: Rick Heede:

U. S. Energy Information Administration (2011) Annual Energy Review 2010 Table 1.15 Fossil Fuel Consumption for Nonfuel Use Estimates, 1980-2010, www.eia.gov/totalenergy/data/annual

Cell: K17

Comment: Rick Heede:

U.S. EPA (2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 - 2010, Table A-32: Unadjusted Non-Energy Fuel Consumption, and Table 3-21: 2010 Adjusted Non-Energy Use Fossil Fuel Consumption, Storage, and Emissions. These tables are reproduced at right.

Cell: L17

Comment: Rick Heede:

U. S. Energy Information Administration (2011) Annual Energy Review 2010 Table 1.15 Fossil Fuel Consumption for Nonfuel Use Estimates, 1980-2010, www.eia.gov/totalenergy/data/annual

Cell: M17

Comment: Rick Heede:

EPA (2011) Inventory of U.S.: 1990 – 2009, Annex 2: Methodology and Data for Estimating CO2 Emissions from Fossil Fuel Combustion, Table A-34: Annually Variable Carbon Content Coefficients by Year (Tg Carbon/QBtu); see table at right.

Cell: Q17

Comment: Rick Heede:

U. S. Energy Information Administration (2011) Annual Energy Review 2010, page 317: Table 11.2 Carbon Dioxide Emissions From Energy Consumption by Source, Selected Years, 1949-2010 (Million Metric Tons of Carbon Dioxide). Note: “Data are estimates for carbon dioxide emissions from energy consumption, including the nonfuel use of fossil fuels.”

Cell: BC28

Comment: Rick Heede:

Coal byproducts in tree form showing basic chemicals as branches and derivative substances as twigs and leaves. The basic chemicals may be obtained from coal through heating in a closed container (destructive distillation); the derivatives require additional processing of those basic materials. One ton of bituminous coal roasted in an airtight oven (destructive distillation) produces approximately 1,300 to 1,500 pounds of coke, 8 to 10 gallons of coal tar, 3 gallons of light oil, 5 to 6 pounds of ammonia, and 9,500 to 11,000 cubic feet of gas. Modified from Virginia Surface Mining and Reclamation Association, Inc., Norton, Va. (public domain illustration).

Cell: K34

Comment: Rick Heede:

EIA data cited in EPA (2012) Table A-32 differs from EIA’s final non-energy uses of coal reproduced in column L. U.S. EPA (2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2010, (Draft), Annex 2: Methodology and Data for Estimating CO2 Emissions from Fossil Fuel Combustion, Table A-32: Unadjusted Non-Energy Fuel Consumption (TBtu).

Cell: K48

Comment: Rick Heede:

Non-energy uses

EPA cites EIA data on non-energy uses of coking coal as 6.1 TBtu (0.0061 QBtu), not including 11.9 TBtu for "industrial other coal" shown in EPA's Table A-32 at right. The EIA estimate for 2009 is 0.01 QBtu, which is shown in the table at right.

The EPA (2012) data for 2010 (also shown at right in Table A-256) increased to 64.9 TBtu, not including EIA's "industrial other coal" of 11.9 TBtu). Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (2011 and 2012) Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990 – 2009, Annex 4: IPCC Reference Approach for Estimating CO₂ Emissions from Fossil Fuel Combustion, Table A-252: 2009 Non-Energy Carbon Stored in Products, and Table A-256 for 2010 data. (Note: both tables are reproduced at right.)

Cell: P48

Comment: Rick Heede:

The result, using EIA non-energy data for 2009, is 0.996 MtCO₂ sequestered, or 0.005 percent of total coal emissions of 1,876 MtCO₂. The EPA estimate for 2009 (using Table A-252 at right) is 0.7 MtCO₂ of total coal emissions of 1,841 MtCO₂ (EPA 2011 Inventory, Table A-11), or 0.0038 percent of total.

Cell: BG53

Comment: Rick Heede:

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