

Table 7.6 Electricity End Use
(Million Kilowatthours)

	Retail Sales ^a					Direct Use ^f	Total End Use ^g	Discontinued Retail Sales Series	
	Residential	Commercial ^b	Industrial ^c	Transportation ^d	Total Retail Sales ^e			Commercial (Old) ^h	Other (Old) ⁱ
1973 Total	579,231	E 444,505	686,085	E 3,087	1,712,909	NA	1,712,909	388,266	59,326
1975 Total	588,140	E 468,296	687,680	E 2,974	1,747,091	NA	1,747,091	403,049	68,222
1980 Total	717,495	558,643	815,067	3,244	2,094,449	NA	2,094,449	488,155	73,732
1985 Total	793,934	689,121	836,772	4,147	2,323,974	NA	2,323,974	605,989	87,279
1990 Total	924,019	838,263	945,522	4,751	2,712,555	124,529	2,837,084	751,027	91,988
1995 Total	1,042,501	953,117	1,012,693	4,975	3,013,287	150,677	3,163,963	862,685	95,407
1996 Total	1,082,512	980,061	1,033,631	4,923	3,101,127	152,638	3,253,765	887,445	97,539
1997 Total	1,075,880	1,026,626	1,038,197	4,907	3,145,610	156,239	3,301,849	928,633	102,901
1998 Total	1,130,109	1,077,957	1,051,203	4,962	3,264,231	160,866	3,425,097	979,401	103,518
1999 Total	1,144,923	1,103,821	1,058,217	5,126	3,312,087	171,629	3,483,716	1,001,996	106,952
2000 Total	1,192,446	1,159,347	1,064,239	5,382	3,421,414	170,943	3,592,357	1,055,232	109,496
2001 Total	1,201,607	1,190,518	996,609	5,724	3,394,458	162,649	3,557,107	1,083,069	113,174
2002 Total	1,265,180	1,204,531	990,238	5,517	3,465,466	166,184	3,631,650	1,104,497	105,552
2003 Total	1,275,824	1,198,728	1,012,373	6,810	3,493,734	168,295	3,662,029	--	--
2004 Total	1,291,982	1,230,425	1,017,850	7,224	3,547,479	168,470	3,715,949	--	--
2005 Total	1,359,227	1,275,079	1,019,156	7,506	3,660,969	150,016	3,810,984	--	--
2006 Total	1,351,520	1,299,744	1,011,298	7,358	3,669,919	146,927	3,816,845	--	--
2007 January	125,286	106,667	82,384	766	315,104	E 14,266	329,370	--	--
February	121,464	100,756	78,392	719	301,331	E 12,012	313,344	--	--
March	105,695	102,640	82,582	743	291,660	E 12,770	304,431	--	--
April	90,282	101,051	83,361	646	275,341	E 12,491	287,831	--	--
May	96,389	108,559	87,241	611	292,800	E 13,019	305,819	--	--
June	117,418	117,352	87,572	665	323,007	E 13,060	336,067	--	--
July	139,027	123,923	89,017	675	352,642	E 14,003	366,645	--	--
August	150,101	130,475	92,115	673	373,365	E 14,654	388,019	--	--
September	129,512	119,898	87,428	687	337,525	E 13,339	350,864	--	--
October	103,754	114,481	88,896	652	307,783	E 13,449	321,231	--	--
November	95,905	104,603	85,118	673	286,299	E 12,828	299,127	--	--
December	117,408	105,909	83,725	663	307,704	E 13,363	321,067	--	--
Total	1,392,241	1,336,315	1,027,832	8,173	3,764,561	159,254	3,923,814	--	--
2008 January	132,860	110,332	81,331	710	325,234	E 13,758	338,992	--	--
February	118,503	105,615	79,428	656	304,202	E 12,335	316,536	--	--
March	107,007	104,469	81,372	635	293,483	E 12,804	306,286	--	--
April	91,979	102,796	81,711	614	277,100	E 12,058	289,158	--	--
May	91,995	108,926	85,817	595	287,332	E 12,548	299,880	--	--
June	121,093	120,349	84,855	622	326,919	E 13,021	339,940	--	--
July	143,203	129,661	85,846	644	359,355	E 14,018	373,373	--	--
August	138,699	126,088	85,535	639	350,961	E 13,791	364,752	--	--
September	117,581	120,231	83,200	622	321,634	E 11,459	333,093	--	--
October	96,051	112,147	82,117	629	290,943	E 12,210	303,153	--	--
November	95,574	103,461	77,472	616	277,123	E 11,323	288,446	--	--
December	124,764	108,379	73,464	669	307,276	E 11,711	318,987	--	--
Total	1,379,307	1,352,453	982,150	7,652	3,721,562	E 151,035	3,872,598	--	--
2009 January	135,787	110,869	72,116	735	319,507	E 12,139	331,646	--	--
February	115,318	100,540	68,499	636	284,993	E 11,332	296,325	--	--
March	106,368	103,818	71,062	652	281,900	E 12,194	294,094	--	--
April	91,305	101,136	70,618	589	263,648	E 11,370	275,018	--	--
May	94,027	106,200	72,319	577	273,124	E 11,574	284,697	--	--
June	114,115	115,946	72,432	602	303,095	E 12,121	315,216	--	--
July	137,443	122,889	75,096	653	336,081	E 12,950	349,031	--	--
7-Month Total	794,363	761,398	502,143	4,443	2,062,347	E 83,681	2,146,028	--	--
2008 7-Month Total	806,639	782,148	580,361	4,476	2,173,624	E 90,542	2,264,165	--	--
2007 7-Month Total	795,561	760,949	590,551	4,825	2,151,885	E 91,621	2,243,506	--	--

^a Electricity retail sales to ultimate customers reported by electric utilities and, beginning in 1996, other energy service providers.

^b Commercial sector, including public street and highway lighting, interdepartmental sales, and other sales to public authorities.

^c Industrial sector. Through 2002, excludes agriculture and irrigation; beginning in 2003, includes agriculture and irrigation.

^d Transportation sector, including sales to railroads and railways.

^e The sum of "Residential," "Commercial," "Industrial," and "Transportation."

^f Use of electricity that is 1) self-generated, 2) produced by either the same entity that consumes the power or an affiliate, and 3) used in direct support of a service or industrial process located within the same facility or group of facilities that house the generating equipment. Direct use is exclusive of station use.

^g The sum of "Total Retail Sales" and "Direct Use."

^h "Commercial (Old)" is a discontinued series—data are for the commercial sector, excluding public street and highway lighting, interdepartmental sales, and other sales to public authorities.

ⁱ "Other (Old)" is a discontinued series—data are for public street and highway lighting, interdepartmental sales, other sales to public authorities, agriculture and irrigation, and transportation including railroads and railways.

E=Estimate. NA=Not available. --=Not applicable.

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: See <http://www.eia.doe.gov/emeu/mer/elect.html> for all available data beginning in 1973.

Sources: See end of section.