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AEO2019 Results Overview



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Electricity continues to be the fastest growing energy source for buildings use in AEO2019

residential sector delivered energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units

electricity

natural gas

quadrillion British thermal units CAGR 2018-2050 CAGR 2018-2050 6 0.4% 5 -0.3% 0.5% 3 2 0.0% .-1.1% -0.8% 0.0% 2050 2030 2035 2050 2015 2020 2025 2040 2045

commercial sector delivered energy consumption

Source: AEO2019 preliminary

2020

other

2025



6

5

4

3

2

2015

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2030

2035

2040

2045

petroleum and other liquids

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Comparison with AEO2018



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End-use fuel prices are lower in AEO2019 than AEO2018

residential fuel prices 2018 \$/MMBtu commercial fuel prices 2018 \$/MMBtu

6



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Heating and cooling degree days include NOAA historical data and short-term forecast, along with 30-year trend through projection period



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Commercial floorspace growth decreases slightly from AEO2018 to AEO2019; AEO2019 floorspace is approximately 1% lower in 2050

commercial floorspace

billion square feet



Sources: AEO2019 (preliminary), AEO2018



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Lower electricity prices and updated sector and technology characteristics drive changes in residential consumption

residential purchased electricity consumption quadrillion British thermal units

residential natural gas consumption quadrillion British thermal units



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Total commercial purchased electricity and natural gas consumption change only slightly from AEO2018 to AEO2019

commercial purchased electricity consumption quadrillion British thermal units

commercial natural gas consumption quadrillion British thermal units



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Residential PV projections are lower in AEO2019, based on more state data; commercial projections increase slightly due to lower projected installed costs residential PV capacity MW-DC



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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After commercial district services update, more delivered natural gas and less electricity are consumed for space and water heating

commercial purchased electricity for space heating quadrillion British thermal units

commercial natural gas for space heating quadrillion British thermal units



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Commercial technology characteristics for AEO2019 were updated based on 2018 report

- Technology characteristics were updated for commercial space heating, space cooling, water heating, and cooking appliances.
 - Estimated air-source heat pump costs now incorporate the effects of 2018 and 2023 standards. They also now include cost declines over time in line with NREL projections.
 - Increased efficiency of "typical efficiency" natural gas water heater and lower cost of "high efficiency" natural gas water heater. Both trends cause natural gas water heating consumption to rise more slowly over the projection period.
 - New data on commercial cooking technologies leads to increased consumption in cooking, particularly for electricity.
 - Report can be found on the web at https://www.eia.gov/analysis/studies/buildings/equipcosts/



Residential Energy Consumption Survey (RECS) and technology updates



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2015 RECS shows more households in 2015 than had been projected in AEO2018 based on prior 2009 RECS and housing starts



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Space heating and space cooling

delivered space heating energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units delivered space cooling energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Water heating/ cooking

delivered water heating energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units



delivered cooking energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Refrigeration/ freezing

delivered refrigeration energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units







Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Clothes washers represent expanded modeling to include both top- and front-loading washer configurations

delivered clothes washer energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units

delivered clothes dryer energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units



Sources: AEO2019 preliminary, AEO2018



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Dishwashers

delivered dishwasher energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units



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Definition of *General Service Lighting* expanded to cover more technology types such as reflector lamps

delivered lighting energy consumption quadrillion British thermal units



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International Energy Outlook | https://www.eia.gov/outlooks/ieo/

State Energy Data System | <u>http://www.eia.gov/state/seds/</u>

Monthly Energy Review | www.eia.gov/mer

Residential Energy Consumption Survey | <u>http://www.eia.gov/consumption/residential/</u>

Commercial Building Energy Consumption Survey | http://www.eia.gov/consumption/commercial/

