Figure 7.4 Consumption of Selected Combustible Fuels for Electricity Generation and Useful Thermal Output

[Coal by Sector, 1989–2019]

- **Total** [a]
- **Electric Power**
- **Industrial**

- **Billion Short Tons**

[Petroleum by Sector, 1989–2019]

- **Total** [a]
- **Electric Power**
- **Industrial**

- **Million Barrels**

[Natural Gas by Sector, 1989–2019]

- **Total** [a]
- **Electric Power**
- **Industrial**

- **Trillion Cubic Feet**

[Other Gases [b] by Sector, 1989–2019]

- **Total** [a]
- **Electric Power**
- **Industrial**

- **Trillion Btu**

[Wood by Sector, 1989–2019]

- **Total** [a]
- **Industrial**

- **Quadrillion Btu**


- **Total**
- **Electric Power**
- **Industrial**
- **Commercial**

- **Trillion Btu**

[a] Includes commercial sector.

[b] Blast furnace gas, and other manufactured and waste gases derived from fossil fuels. Through 2010, also includes propane gas.

Note: Data are for utility-scale facilities.


Sources: Tables 7.4a-7.4c.