

Table 362. Selected National Air Pollutant Emissions: 1970 to 2007

[In thousands of tons (4,320 represents 4,320,000), except as indicated. Particulate Matter (PM-10 is equal to or less than ten microns in diameter; PM-2.5 is equal to or less than 2.5 microns effective diameter. The methodology used to estimate emission data for 1970 thru 1984 and for 1985 thru the current year is different. Beginning with 1985, the methodology for more recent years is described in the document available at <<http://www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/net/2005inventory.html>>]

Year	Ammonia	Carbon monoxide	Nitrogen oxide	PM-10	PM-10 ¹	PM-2.5	PM-2.5 ¹	Sulfur dioxide	Volatile organic compounds
1970	(NA)	204,042	26,882	13,022	13,022	(NA)	(NA)	31,218	34,659
1980	(NA)	185,408	27,080	7,013	7,013	(NA)	(NA)	25,926	31,107
1990	4,320	154,188	25,527	27,753	27,753	7,560	7,560	23,077	24,108
1995	4,659	126,778	24,955	25,820	25,820	6,929	6,929	18,619	22,042
2000	4,907	114,465	22,599	23,748	22,962	7,287	6,503	16,348	17,511
2003	4,136	106,244	20,327	21,313	18,426	5,564	3,095	14,756	20,769
2004	4,138	101,433	19,521	21,298	18,420	5,551	3,089	14,737	20,373
2005	4,143	96,619	18,711	21,285	18,416	5,536	3,082	14,714	19,976
2006	4,135	92,128	17,694	19,326	16,406	5,491	2,998	13,513	19,159
2007	4,131	88,254	17,025	17,374	14,455	5,450	2,958	12,925	18,423

NA Not available. ¹ Without condensibles.

Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, *National Emissions Inventory (NEI) Air Pollution Emissions Trends Data, 1970–2002*; <<http://www.epa.gov/ttn/chief/trends/index.html#tables>>; *Air and Radiation; Air Trends*; <<http://www.epa.gov/airtrends/index.html>>.