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## Little change in total consumption

### Total energy

#### Rise in petroleum consumption

During the three month period June to August, total inland energy consumption on a primary fuel input basis was 0.2 per cent lower than in the corresponding period of last year. Of the individual primary fuels only petroleum, with an increase of 4.6 per cent, was above last year's level. Coal consumption fell by 3.1 per cent, while natural gas and nuclear electricity declined by 3.9 and 6.8 per cent respectively. The seasonally adjusted and temperature corrected series show a very similar picture: the same marginal decline in total consumption and the movements of the individual fuels corresponding closely with the unadjusted series.

Provisional figures of the supply and use of primary fuels in the second quarter of 1978 show that total production of fuels was 7.5 per cent higher than in the corresponding quarter last year. Of the total of 17.3 billion therms, more than half comprised oil and natural gas from the UK sector of the North Sea.

Total final energy consumption on a heat supplied basis was 0.9 per cent higher in the second quarter of 1978 than a year earlier. Gas consumption rose by 2.6 per cent and electricity and petroleum by 1.2 and 1.9 per cent respectively but coal declined by 5.4 per cent, largely as a result of lower demand in the domestic market.

In the individual sectors, energy consumption by the iron and steel industry fell marginally and there were declines of 1.3 and 1.6 per cent respectively in the other industries and domestic sectors; consumption in the transport sector rose sharply by 7.4 per cent.

### Coal

#### Recent improvement in deep-mined output

Total coal production in the first nine months of the year was 0.5 per cent higher than during the corresponding period of 1977. Deep-mined production, which was lower by 0.7 per cent was offset by the output of an additional half million tonnes of opencast coal. More recently, however, deep-mined output has improved slightly and in the third quarter of this year was 1.4 per cent above last year's level.

Total coal consumption in the first three quarters of the year at 87.3 million tonnes was 4.5 million tonnes lower than in the corresponding period last year, a fall of 4.9 per cent. Lower use of coke ovens accounted for over a half of the decline. Power station use was lower by nearly a million tons, but the decline was wholly in the first half of the year and there has since been a change in this sector with consumption in each of the last three months exceeding last year's level.

Total coal stocks rose by 0.9 million tonnes during September to 33.6 million tonnes, 3.7 million tonnes higher than at the same time last year. Two-thirds of the September increase was at power stations where stocks of 20.4 million tonnes at the start of the heating season were 1.7 million tonnes higher than a year ago.

Productivity, measured by overall output per manshift has increased this year and in the first nine months was 2.3 per cent above the corresponding figure for 1977.

### Gas

#### Slower growth in demand

Total gas sent out in the first nine months of the year was 4.5 per

cent higher than in the corresponding period of 1977. The greater part of the increase took place in the January-March quarter since when the slackening in growth can to some extent be attributed to the warmer weather this year.

In the second quarter of 1978 total sales of gas were only 0.8 per cent higher than in the comparable quarter of last year. Sales to the commercial and public administration sector rose by 6.1 per cent and to the domestic sector by 1.6 per cent. Sales to industries other than iron and steel increased by 54 million therms, a rise of four per cent, but this was more than offset by lower sales to the iron and steel industry and to power stations.

### Electricity

#### Decline in industrial use

Total electricity supplied during the three month period June to August was 2.9 per cent higher than in the corresponding period of last year. Fuel used for generation rose by two per cent in total with coal consumption up by 2.4 per cent and oil up by nearly a quarter. The contribution of nuclear electricity measured in terms of equivalent fossil fuel input fell by 7.1 per cent.

Total sales of electricity in the second quarter of 1978 were one per cent higher than in the same quarter last year. Sales to the iron and steel industry rose by 10 per cent and to commercial consumers by four per cent but the domestic sector and industries other than iron and steel each took 0.7 per cent less than a year ago.

The final table in this month's issue in the Supplementary Data section is devoted to generation of electricity outside the public supply system, mainly by manufacturing industry. Total generation by these industries in the second quarter of the year was 5.1 per cent less than a year ago. All industrial sectors shared in the decline and only the transport sector with an increase of 1.2 per cent in generation supplied more of its own requirements than a year previously.

### Petroleum

#### Transport fuels in demand

Total output of refined products during the three month period June to August was 21.1 million tonnes, three per cent higher than in the comparable period last year. Fuel oil output rose by only 1.5 per cent however, continuing the shift towards lighter products such as motor spirit and aviation turbine fuel which rose by 6.5 and 10.1 per cent respectively.

During the period deliveries of all principal products were higher than a year ago with the exception of naphtha which declined by over 10 per cent. Transport fuels in particular were in demand with deliveries of motor spirit, aviation turbine fuel and derv fuel rising by 7.7, 9.4 and 5.9 per cent over last year's level.

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The figures have not been adjusted for temperature or seasonal factors except where noted in Table 1. Monthly figures relate to four week periods except where otherwise indicated.

Percentage changes relate to the corresponding period a year ago. These comparisons can be affected by calendar difference, especially during periods of rapid change. They are calculated from unrounded figures but are shown only as (+) or (–) when the percentage change is very large. All figures relate to the United Kingdom unless otherwise indicated.

# Total energy

TABLE 1. Inland energy consumption: primary fuel input basis

	Total	Coal <sup>1</sup>	Petroleum <sup>2</sup>	Natural <sup>3</sup> gas	Nuclear electricity	Hydro-electricity
Million tonnes of coal or coal equivalent						
1974	337.5	117.9	152.5	52.9	12.1	2.1
1975	324.8	120.0	136.5	55.4	10.9	2.0
1976	329.8	122.0	134.2	58.8	12.9	1.9
1977	338.4	122.7	136.6	62.8	14.3	2.0
Per cent change	+2.6	+0.6	+1.7	+6.8	+11.0	+7.2
1977 Jan–Aug	218.3	81.2	86.6	40.0	9.3	1.2
1978 Jan–Aug p	218.5	77.0	89.6	41.6	9.1	1.2
Per cent change	+0.1	−5.1	+3.4	+4.0	−3.0	+1.9
1977 Jun*	27.7	10.2	11.7	4.5	1.2	0.1
Jul	20.2	8.0	8.3	2.9	0.9	0.1
Aug	19.9	7.3	8.5	3.0	1.0	0.1
Total	67.8	25.5	28.5	10.4	3.1	0.3
1978 Jun*	27.0	9.8	11.9	4.1	1.1	0.1
Jul	20.9	8.0	8.8	3.1	0.9	0.1
Aug p	19.8	6.9	9.1	2.8	0.9	0.1
Total	67.7	24.7	29.8	10.0	2.9	0.3
Per cent change	−0.2	−3.1	+4.6	−3.9	−6.8	−1.2
Seasonally adjusted and temperature corrected <sup>4</sup> (annual rates)						
1977 Jan–Aug	339.1	124.6	136.0	62.2	14.4	1.9
1978 Jan–Aug p	336.9	117.6	140.4	63.0	14.0	1.9
Per cent change	−0.6	−5.6	+3.3	+1.3	−3.0	+0.9
1977 Jun*	336.1	118.7	138.2	62.1	15.2	1.9
Jul	335.5	123.7	132.9	62.9	14.4	1.6
Aug	344.5	122.3	140.1	64.5	16.1	1.5
Average	338.4	121.3	137.1	63.1	15.2	1.7
1978 Jun*	337.6	117.9	141.3	62.2	14.4	1.8
Jul	336.4	117.5	140.5	61.7	14.8	1.9
Aug p	339.0	115.7	149.3	58.6	13.8	1.6
Average	337.6	117.1	143.5	60.9	14.3	1.8
Per cent change	−0.2	−3.5	+4.7	−3.4	−6.1	+2.8

	Total	Coal <sup>1</sup>	Petroleum <sup>2</sup>	Natural <sup>3</sup> gas	Nuclear electricity	Hydro-electricity
Million tonnes of oil or oil equivalent						
1986	198.6	69.3	89.7	31.2	7.1	1.3
191.1	70.6	80.3	32.6	6.4	1.2	
194.0	71.8	78.9	34.6	7.6	1.1	
199.0	72.2	80.3	36.9	8.4	1.2	
+2.6	+0.6	+1.7	+6.8	+11.0	+7.2	
128.4	47.7	51.0	23.5	5.5	0.7	
128.5	45.3	52.7	24.5	5.3	0.7	
+0.1	−5.1	+3.4	+4.0	−3.0	+1.9	
16.4	6.0	6.9	2.7	0.7	0.1	
11.8	4.8	4.8	1.7	0.5	—	
11.8	4.3	5.0	1.8	0.6	0.1	
40.0	15.1	16.7	6.2	1.8	0.2	
15.9	5.8	7.0	2.4	0.6	0.1	
12.3	4.7	5.2	1.8	0.6	—	
11.6	4.0	5.4	1.7	0.5	—	
39.8	14.5	17.6	5.9	1.7	0.1	
−0.2	−3.1	+4.6	−3.9	−6.8	−1.2	

199.5	73.3	80.0	36.6	8.5	1.1
198.2	69.2	82.6	37.1	8.2	1.1
−0.6	−5.6	+3.3	+1.3	−3.0	+0.9
197.7	69.8	81.3	36.5	9.0	1.1
197.2	72.7	78.1	37.0	8.5	0.9
202.6	71.9	82.4	37.9	9.5	0.9
199.1	71.4	80.6	37.1	9.0	1.0
198.6	69.4	83.1	36.6	8.5	1.0
197.9	69.1	82.6	36.3	8.8	1.1
199.4	68.1	87.8	34.5	8.1	0.9
198.6	68.9	84.4	35.8	8.4	1.1
−0.2	−3.5	+4.7	−3.4	−6.1	+2.8

1. Consumption by fuel producers plus colliery disposals to final users, plus (for annual figures only) net foreign trade and stock change in other solid fuels.
2. Refinery throughput of crude oil, plus net foreign trade and stock change in petroleum products, less deliveries of non-energy products.
3. Excluding gas flared, or reinjected. 4. Coal, petroleum and natural gas are temperature corrected.

## Energy: Total inland consumption (primary fuel input basis)<sup>1</sup>

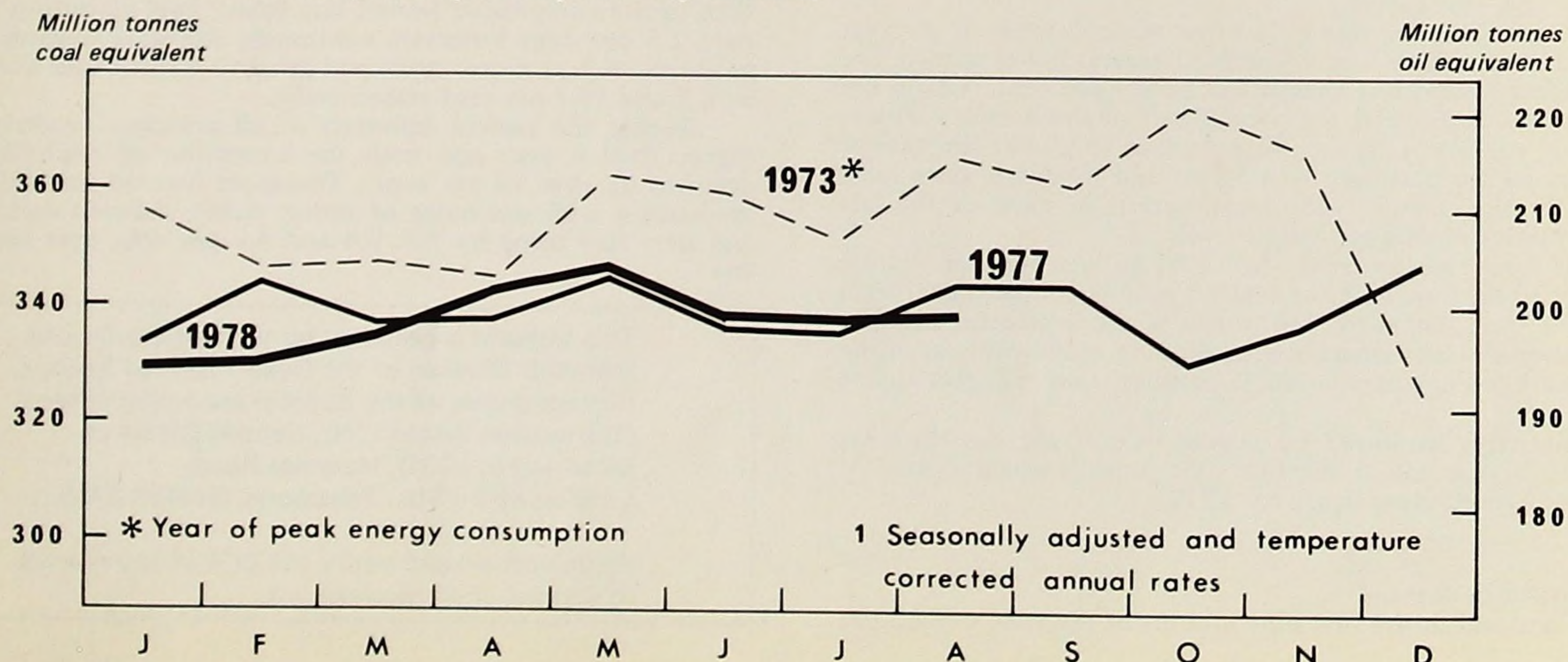




TABLE 2. Supply and use of fuels

Million therms

	1976	1977	Per cent change	1976			1977				1978 p		Per <sup>1</sup> cent change
				2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter	2nd quarter	
PRIMARY FUELS AND EQUIVALENTS:													
Production of primary fuels													
Coal	30,166	29,682	-1.6	7,635	6,378	8,147	7,604	7,514	6,405	8,159	7,643	7,427	-1.2
Petroleum <sup>2</sup>	5,206	16,350	(+)	1,020	1,335	2,277	3,305	4,214	4,337	4,494	4,839	5,701	+35.3
Natural gas <sup>3</sup>	14,379	15,024	+4.5	2,962	2,173	4,517	4,916	3,459	2,497	4,152	4,939	3,228	-6.7
Primary electricity	3,411	3,761	+10.3	786	770	929	1,070	877	852	962	1,144	909	+3.3
Total	53,162	64,817	+21.9	12,403	10,656	15,870	16,895	16,064	14,091	17,767	18,565	17,262	+7.5
Arrivals, Petroleum <sup>4</sup>	43,174	35,730	-17.2	10,949	10,160	11,073	9,615	9,116	8,253	8,746	8,892	8,243	-9.6
Other	1,183	1,366	+15.5	336	270	226	195	199	371	601	641	456	(+)
Shipments	9,176	13,841	+50.8	2,068	2,507	2,856	2,973	3,651	3,886	3,331	3,405	3,999	+9.5
Bunkers	1,468	1,168	-20.4	346	381	370	316	309	292	251	240	279	-9.7
Stock change <sup>5</sup>													
Solid fuels	-634	+238	..	-820	-388	+262	+1,252	-385	-194	-435	+459	-483	..
Crude Petroleum	-378	+555	..	-196	-25	-511	+375	-352	+253	+279	+92	-427	..
Petroleum products	+240	+424	..	-431	-367	+390	+564	-225	-309	+394	+185	+215	..
Non-energy use	4,448	4,373	-1.7	1,111	1,159	1,040	1,123	1,110	1,109	1,031	1,061	1,018	-8.3
Statistical difference <sup>6</sup>	+54	-68	..	-23	-2	+21	-337	+319	-10	-40	+6	-190	..
Total primary <sup>7</sup> energy input	81,709	83,680	+2.4	18,693	16,257	23,065	24,147	19,666	17,168	22,699	24,179	19,780	+0.6
Conversion losses etc. <sup>8</sup>	24,382	25,148	+3.2	5,597	4,905	6,967	7,274	5,854	5,263	6,757	7,024	5,840	-0.2
FINAL CONSUMPTION BY USER													
Iron and steel industry													
Coal	66	66	-	14	9	20	23	15	10	18	16	10	-33.3
Other solid fuel <sup>9</sup>	2,723	2,394	-12.1	719	670	703	663	593	600	538	553	603	+1.7
Other coal-derived fuels <sup>10</sup>	401	362	-9.7	109	97	97	94	89	95	84	81	80	-10.1
Gas <sup>11</sup>	438	485	+10.7	112	99	119	128	125	113	119	118	110	-12.0
Electricity	395	389	-1.5	96	90	109	104	96	92	97	106	107	+11.5
Petroleum	1,279	1,205	-5.8	306	273	346	352	286	256	311	336	285	-0.4
Total	5,302	4,901	-7.6	1,356	1,238	1,394	1,364	1,204	1,166	11,167	1,210	1,195	-0.7
Other industries													
Coal	2,277	2,295	+0.8	564	470	696	618	530	483	664	623	507	-4.3
Other solid fuel <sup>9</sup>	126	156	+23.8	24	27	37	38	38	35	45	51	29	-23.7
Other coal-derived fuels <sup>10</sup>	76	74	-2.6	23	25	15	19	23	19	13	17	15	-34.8
Gas <sup>11</sup>	5,241	5,458	+4.1	1,236	1,083	1,466	1,431	1,373	1,171	1,483	1,536	1,429	+4.1
Electricity	2,364	2,411	+2.0	563	546	638	645	599	559	608	648	594	-0.8
Petroleum	7,441	7,520	+1.1	1,696	1,400	2,090	2,245	1,774	1,428	2,073	2,150	1,706	-3.8
Total	17,525	17,914	+2.2	4,106	3,551	4,942	4,996	4,337	3,695	4,886	5,025	4,280	-1.3
Transport sector													
Coal and other solid fuel	21	20	-4.8	4	2	8	6	4	3	7	6	4	-
Electricity	98	100	+2.0	24	22	26	26	26	23	25	27	25	-3.9
Petroleum	12,597	12,931	+2.7	3,198	3,333	3,177	2,988	3,218	3,420	3,305	3,048	3,458	+7.5
Total	12,716	13,051	+2.6	3,226	3,357	3,211	3,020	3,248	3,446	3,337	3,081	3,487	+7.4
Domestic sector													
Coal	3,140	3,230	+2.9	764	634	811	850	773	703	904	761	724	-6.3
Other solid fuel <sup>9</sup>	869	843	-3.0	196	208	188	227	204	223	189	197	197	-3.4
Gas <sup>11</sup>	6,194	6,590	+6.0	1,055	686	2,050	2,413	1,371	771	2,035	2,808	1,393	+1.6
Electricity	2,905	2,932	+0.9	585	464	863	972	638	511	811	969	637	-0.2
Petroleum	1,435	1,450	+1.1	268	176	472	518	295	205	432	520	277	-6.1
Total	14,543	15,045	+3.5	2,868	2,168	4,384	4,980	3,281	2,413	4,371	5,255	3,228	-1.6
Other final users <sup>12</sup>													
Coal	516	544	+5.4	113	73	158	166	118	83	177	167	118	-
Other solid fuel <sup>9</sup>	166	166	-	44	37	34	50	36	45	35	43	39	+8.3
Gas <sup>11</sup>	1,521	1,587	+4.3	317	169	464	561	380	180	466	643	403	+6.1
Electricity	1,597	1,689	+5.8	345	308	465	495	386	346	462	519	403	+4.4
Petroleum	3,441	3,635	+5.6	721	451	1,046	1,241	822	531	1,041	1,212	787	-4.3
Total	7,247	7,621	+5.2	1,540	1,038	2,167	2,513	1,742	1,185	2,181	2,584	1,750	+0.5
Total final users	57,327	58,532	+2.1	13,096	11,352	16,098	16,873	13,812	11,905	15,942	17,155	13,940	+0.9
FINAL CONSUMPTION BY FUEL													
Coal	6,019	6,154	+2.2	1,459	1,188	1,692	1,663	1,440	1,282	1,769	1,573	1,363	-5.4
Other solid fuel <sup>9</sup>	3,885	3,560	-8.4	983	942	963	978	871	903	808	844	868	-0.3
Other coal derived fuels <sup>10</sup>	477	436	-8.6	132	122	112	113	112	114	97	98	95	-15.2
Gas <sup>11</sup>	13,394	14,120	+5.4	2,720	2,037	4,099	4,533	3,249	2,235	4,103	5,105	3,335	+2.6
Electricity	7,359	7,521	+2.2	1,613	1,430	2,101	2,242	1,745	1,531	2,003	2,269	1,766	+1.2
Petroleum	26,193	26,741	+2.1	6,189	5,633	7,131	7,344	6,395	5,840	7,102	7,266	6,513	+1.9
Total all fuels	57,327	58,532	+2.1	13,096	11,352	16,098	16,873	13,812	11,905	15,942	17,155	13,940	+0.9

1. Per cent change on the corresponding period of the previous year. 2. Crude petroleum and natural gas liquids. 3. Excluding gas flared or reinjected. 4. Crude petroleum, process oils and petroleum products. 5. Stock fall (+) stock rise (-). 6. Supply greater than recorded demand (-). 7. Thermal equivalent of total inland energy consumption in Table 1. A more detailed analysis of the annual figures is shown in the Digest of United Kingdom Energy Statistics 1978 Tables 9 and 13. 8. Losses in conversion and distribution and used by fuel industries. 9. Coke and other manufactured solid fuels. 10. Coke oven gas, creosote/pitch mixtures and other liquid fuels derived from coal. 11. Natural gas supplied direct, and town gas. 12. Mainly public administration, commerce and agriculture.



# Coal

TABLE 3. Supply

Thousand tonnes

	Net inland supply	Production			Net imports	Imports <sup>2</sup>	Exports <sup>2</sup>	Tonnage lost (deep-mined) <sup>3</sup>	
		Total <sup>1</sup>	Deep-mined	Opencast				Recognised holidays and rest days	Disputes
1974	112,132	110,451	99,992	9,231	+1,681	3,546	1,865	10,518	16,253
1975	131,583	128,682	117,411	10,414	+2,901	5,083	2,182	12,300	352
1976	125,201	123,800	110,264	11,944	+1,401	2,837	1,436	12,345	1,157
1977	122,623	122,150	107,123	13,551	+473	2,414	1,941	12,457	814
Per cent change	-2.1	-1.3	-2.8	+13.5	-66.2	-14.9	+35.2	+0.9	-29.6
1977 Jan-Sep	88,797	88,573	77,820	9,823	+224	1,763	1,539	12,293	594
1978 Jan-Sep p	89,366	89,022	77,312	10,325	+344	1,851	1,507	12,464	1,195
Per cent change	+0.6	+0.5	-0.7	+5.1	+53.6	+5.0	-2.1	+1.4	(+)
1977 Jul	8,892	8,796	7,427	1,169	+96	294	198	1,593	53
Aug	6,797	6,654	5,469	1,005	+143	275	132	3,310	26
Sep *	11,030	10,908	9,356	1,502	+122	315	193	1,499	82
Total	26,719	26,358	22,252	3,676	+361	884	523	6,402	161
1978 Jul	9,178	8,999	7,558	1,231	+179	347	168	1,498	120
Aug	6,505	6,460	5,334	934	+45	206	161	3,497	58
Sep* p	11,178	11,267	9,679	1,405	-89	115	204	1,275	116
Total	26,861	26,726	22,571	3,570	+135	668	533	6,270	294
Per cent change	+0.5	+1.4	+1.4	-2.9	-62.6	-24.4	+1.9	-2.1	+82.6

1. Includes an estimate for slurry, etc., recovered and disposed of otherwise than by the National Coal Board. 2. As recorded in the "Overseas Trade Statistics of the United Kingdom". 3. NCB only.

TABLE 4. Inland consumption of coal

Thousand tonnes

	Total inland consumption	Fuel producers					Final users <sup>1</sup>			
		Primary	Secondary				Colliery disposals			
		Collieries	Power stations <sup>2</sup>	Coke ovens	Gas works	Other <sup>3</sup> conversion industries	Industry <sup>4</sup>	Domestic <sup>5</sup>		Other <sup>8</sup>
								House coal <sup>6</sup>	Other <sup>7</sup>	
1974	117,887	1,256	67,025	18,461	107	3,788	11,077	11,981	1,687	2,505
1975	122,216	1,238	74,569	19,085	10	4,063	9,685	9,915	1,703	1,948
1976	123,603	1,132	77,818	19,401	8	3,405	8,970	9,450	1,374	2,045
1977	123,978	1,124	79,956	17,406	7	3,166	9,033	9,635	1,502	2,149
Per cent change	+0.3	-0.7	+2.7	-10.3	-12.5	-7.0	+0.7	+2.0	+9.3	+5.1
1977 Jan-Sep	91,801	816	59,229	13,546	5	2,313	6,423	6,962	1,062	1,445
1978 Jan-Sep p	87,321	769	58,360	11,121	4	2,262	5,998	6,261	1,079	1,467
Per cent change	-4.9	-5.8	-1.5	-17.9	-20.0	-2.2	-6.6	-10.1	+1.6	+1.5
1977 Jul	8,053	78	4,892	1,360	—	233	614	667	129	80
Aug	7,263	49	4,535	1,326	—	230	480	471	83	89
Sep*	10,628	79	6,600	1,605	—	329	791	903	167	154
Total	25,944	206	16,027	4,291	—	792	1,885	2,041	379	323
1978 Jul	8,029	78	5,153	1,159	—	232	530	629	139	109
Aug	6,859	48	4,705	982	—	209	333	428	70	84
Sep* p	10,301	68	6,655	1,472	—	295	711	808	150	142
Total	25,189	194	16,513	3,613	—	736	1,574	1,865	359	335
Per cent change	-2.9	-5.8	+3.0	-15.8	—	-7.1	-16.5	-8.6	-5.3	+3.7

1. Disposals by collieries and opencast sites. 2. Public supply and railway and transport power stations. 3. Low temperature carbonisation and patent fuel plants. 4. Prior to October 1973 the figures related to actual consumption. 5. Prior to April 1973 the figures relate to merchants' disposals to the domestic market. 6. Including miners' coal. 7. Anthracite, dry steam coal and imported naturally smokeless fuels. 8. Mainly public administration and commerce.

TABLE 5. Stocks of coal<sup>1</sup> at end of period: Great Britain

Thousand tonnes

	Total	Distributed					Undistributed		
		Total distributed stocks	Power stations	Coke ovens	Gas works	Other	Total undistributed stocks	Collieries	Opencast sites and central stocking grounds
1972	30,459	19,350	17,060	1,920	51	319	11,109	7,679	3,430
1973	27,885	17,035	14,770	1,968	27	270	10,850	7,650	3,200
1974	21,806	15,827	13,629	1,851	3	344	5,979	4,009	1,970
1975	31,157	20,540	17,951	2,333	2	254	10,617	8,908	1,709
1976	33,115	22,457	19,598	2,684	2	173	10,658	9,295	1,363
1977	31,534	21,704	19,128	2,368	2	206	9,830	8,290	1,540
1977 Jul	29,882	20,772	18,334	2,258	1	179	9,110	7,600	1,510
Aug	29,604	20,701	18,541	2,005	1	154	8,903	7,343	1,560
Sep	29,892	20,813	18,717	1,899	1	196	9,079	7,466	1,613
1978 Jul	32,922	21,868	19,785	1,888	1	194	11,054	9,084	1,970
Aug	32,637	21,555	19,794	1,598	1	162	11,082	9,015	2,067
Sep p	33,564	22,175	20,422	1,572	1	180	11,389	9,211	2,178
Absolute change: in latest month	+927	+620	+628	-26	—	+18	+307	+196	+111
On a year ago	+3,672	+1,362	+1,705	-327	—	-16	+2,310	+1,745	+565

1. Excluding distributed stocks held in merchants' yards, etc., mainly for the domestic market, and stocks held by the industrial sector.



TABLE 6. Colliery manpower and productivity at NCB mines

	Wage earners on colliery books <sup>1</sup>		Recruitment	Wastage	Absence percentage <sup>2</sup>			Average output per manshift <sup>3</sup>	
	Total	Underground			Total	Voluntary	Involuntary	Overall	'At the face
	Thousands								
1972	266	210	13,255	26,114	16.6	3.9	12.7	2.21	7.33
1973	245	193	17,402	37,961	18.0	4.1	13.9	2.29	7.62
1974	246	194	26,436	25,133	16.3	4.1	12.2	2.18	7.56
1975	245	194	21,347	22,451	16.2	4.0	12.2	2.28	7.92
1976	241	192	17,061	21,239	17.4	3.7	13.7	2.23	7.75
1977	239	189	29,361	31,647	17.6	3.9	13.7	2.18	7.77
1977 Jan—Sep	242 <sup>(4)</sup>	192 <sup>(4)</sup>	23,231	25,268	17.4	3.7	13.7	2.18	7.79
1978 Jan—Sep p	238 <sup>(4)</sup>	189 <sup>(4)</sup>	16,419	21,627	17.2	4.1	13.1	2.23	8.48
Per cent change	—1.7	—1.6	—29.3	—14.4				+2.3	+8.9
1977 Jul	244	194	2,140	1,899	16.7	3.4	13.3	2.05	7.42
Aug	238	188	2,409	8,243	15.5	3.1	12.4	1.95	7.58
Sep*	239	189	3,206	2,330	17.0	3.9	13.1	2.05	7.34
1978 Jul	238	189	1,274	2,268	15.9	3.7	12.2	2.12	8.20
Aug	235	186	1,633	5,033	15.1	3.3	11.8	1.99	8.27
Sep* p	234	185	1,649	2,797	17.0	4.3	12.7	2.17	8.24

1. At end of period. 2. The definition was changed from 1973. 3. Excluding capital working and tip coal. 4. Average number during the period.

## Gas

TABLE 7. Sources of supply and send-out by the public gas supply system

	Natural gas supply			Other fuel used		Gas sent out		
	Total into system	Source <sup>1</sup>		Coal	Oil <sup>3</sup>	Total	Town gas	Natural <sup>4</sup> gas for direct supply
		Indigenous	Imported <sup>2</sup>					
	Million therms			Thousand tonnes		Million therms		
1974	13,102	12,861	241	107	1,276	13,451	1,598	11,853
1975	13,692	13,367	325	9	588	13,822	752	13,070
1976	14,420	14,030	390	8	245	14,445	226	14,219
1977	15,373	14,734	639	7	166	15,323	75	15,248
Per cent change	+6.6	+5.0	+63.8	-5.3	-32.2	+6.1	-66.8	+7.2
1977 Jan-Sep	10,917	10,680	237	6	107	10,887	64	10,823
1978 Jan-Sep p	11,377	10,335	1,042	5	220	11,375	29	11,346
Per cent change	+4.2	-3.2	(+)	-16.7	(+)	+4.5	-54.7	+4.8
1977 Jul	701	675	26	—	5	693	3	690
Aug	723	700	23	—	5	718	3	715
Sep*	1,098	1,045	53	1	10	1,089	3	1,086
Total	2,522	2,420	102	1	20	2,500	9	2,491
1978 Jul	767	713	54	—	18	758	2	756
Aug	698	646	52	1	16	690	2	688
Sep* p	1,050	850	200	—	20	1,040	3	1,037
Total	2,515	2,209	306	1	54	2,488	7	2,481
Per cent change	-0.2	-8.7	(+)	- -	(+)	-0.5	-22.2	-0.4

1. Figures differ from production and imports respectively because of stock changes and small quantities not entering the public supply system.  
 2. Includes imports from the Norwegian sector of the Frigg gasfield. 3. Mainly naphtha (LDF), liquefied petroleum gases (LPG) and refinery gases.  
 4. Includes Substitute Natural Gas (SNG).

TABLE 8. Sales of gas by the public supply system

million therms

	Total	Power stations <sup>1</sup>	Iron and steel industry	Other industries	Domestic	Other <sup>2</sup>
1972	9,787	630	437	3,215	4,509	996
1973	10,729	285	396	4,150	4,815	1,083
1974	12,668	985	395	4,635	5,384	1,269
1975	13,112	858	371	4,645	5,891	1,347
1976	13,997	662	438	5,182	6,194	1,521
1977	14,579	519	485	5,398	6,590	1,587
Per cent change	+4.2	-21.6	+10.7	+4.2	+6.4	+4.3
1976 2nd quarter	2,865	160	112	1,221	1,055	317
3rd quarter	2,149	129	99	1,066	686	169
4th quarter	4,218	133	119	1,452	2,050	464
1977 1st quarter	4,634	118	128	1,414	2,413	561
2nd quarter	3,317	82	125	1,359	1,371	380
3rd quarter	2,372	153	113	1,155	771	180
4th quarter	4,256	166	110	1,470	2,035	466
1978 1st quarter p	5,257	165	118	1,523	2,808	643
2nd quarter p	3,344	25	110	1,413	1,393	403
Per cent change	+0.8	-69.5	-12.0	+4.0	+1.6	+6.1

1. Public supply and transport power stations. 2. Public administration and commerce.



# Electricity

TABLE 9. Fuel used and electricity generated by the public supply system

	Fuel used						Electricity generated			Own <sup>5</sup> use	Electricity supplied	Total <sup>6</sup> electricity available
	Total <sup>1</sup>	Coal <sup>2</sup>	Oil <sup>2,3</sup>	Natural gas	Nuclear electricity	Hydro electricity	Total <sup>4</sup>	By steam plant				
								Nuclear	Other			
United Kingdom												
1974	112.26	67.03	28.97	3.92	10.44	1.84	250.47	29.40	215.70	18.07	232.40	236.68
1975	110.72	74.57	21.48	3.42	9.44	1.67	251.26	26.52	219.69	18.02	233.24	237.30
1976	110.51	77.82	17.05	2.55	11.40	1.64	254.92	32.42	217.50	19.16	235.76	239.47
1977	113.98	79.56	17.98	1.76	12.88	1.73	262.04	36.42	220.06	19.56	242.48	246.02
Per cent change	+3.1	+2.2	+5.5	−31.0	+13.0	+5.5	+2.8	+12.3	+1.2	+2.1	+2.9	+2.7
1977 Jan–Aug	73.40	52.16	10.73	1.02	8.48	0.98	169.76	23.94	142.66	12.75	157.01	159.25
1978 Jan–Aug p	74.45	51.64	12.95	0.67	8.16	0.98	172.79	22.86	146.83	12.38	160.41	162.87
Per cent change	+1.4	−1.0	+20.7	−34.3	−3.8	+0.2	+1.8	−4.5	+2.9	−2.9	+2.2	+2.3
1977 Jun*	8.93	6.26	1.35	0.16	1.07	0.09	20.64	3.01	17.29	1.63	19.01	19.31
Jul	6.65	4.70	0.96	0.16	0.78	0.04	15.38	2.23	12.97	1.22	14.16	14.41
Aug	6.76	4.76	0.76	0.22	0.97	0.05	15.73	2.75	12.77	1.28	14.45	14.74
Total	22.34	15.72	3.07	0.54	2.82	0.18	51.75	7.99	43.03	4.13	47.62	48.46
1978 Jun*	8.92	6.29	1.51	0.02	1.02	0.07	20.77	2.88	17.61	1.53	19.24	19.51
Jul	6.97	4.92	1.14	0.06	0.79	0.05	16.16	2.20	13.74	1.18	14.98	15.23
Aug p	6.89	4.88	1.12	0.02	0.81	0.05	16.01	2.28	13.50	1.23	14.78	15.02
Total	22.78	16.09	3.77	0.10	2.62	0.17	52.94	7.36	44.85	3.94	49.00	49.76
Per cent change	+2.0	+2.4	+22.8	(−)	−7.1	−5.6	+2.3	−7.9	+4.2	−4.6	+2.9	+2.7
England and Wales												
1974	97.63	59.57	24.39	3.92	9.58	0.12	218.85	26.93	190.43	15.89	202.96	205.55
1975	96.14	65.71	18.24	3.42	8.53	0.09	219.25	23.94	194.33	15.32	203.93	206.39
1976	95.80	69.06	14.06	2.55	10.00	0.08	222.12	28.30	193.11	15.94	206.18	207.62
1977	98.34	70.59	14.93	1.76	10.88	0.11	226.99	30.71	195.10	16.26	210.73	213.19
Per cent change	+2.7	+2.2	+6.2	−31.0	+8.8	+37.5	+2.2	+8.5	+1.0	+2.0	+2.2	+2.7
1977 Jan–Aug	63.61	46.60	8.87	1.02	7.03	0.06	147.57	19.82	127.16	10.56	137.01	138.24
1978 Jan–Aug p	64.50	46.02	10.74	0.67	6.95	0.07	150.15	19.47	130.10	10.36	139.79	141.47
Per cent change	+1.4	−1.2	+21.1	−34.3	−1.1	+16.7	+1.7	−1.8	+2.3	−1.9	+2.0	+2.3
1977 Jun*	7.78	5.66	1.15	0.16	0.81	—	17.99	2.28	15.65	1.31	16.68	16.85
Jul	5.87	4.27	0.82	0.16	0.61	—	13.56	1.75	11.80	1.00	12.56	12.74
Aug	5.92	4.28	0.61	0.22	0.81	—	13.82	2.31	11.48	1.06	12.76	12.89
Total	19.57	14.21	2.58	0.54	2.23	—	45.37	6.34	38.93	3.37	42.00	42.48
1978 Jun*	7.76	5.64	1.28	0.02	0.81	—	18.06	2.29	15.72	1.27	16.79	16.99
Jul	6.19	4.53	0.98	0.06	0.60	0.01	14.31	1.68	12.58	0.97	13.34	13.42
Aug p	6.04	4.45	0.88	0.02	0.68	—	14.03	1.92	12.05	1.01	13.02	13.11
Total	19.99	14.62	3.14	0.10	2.09	0.01	46.40	5.89	40.35	3.25	43.15	43.52
Per cent change	+2.1	+2.9	+21.7	(−)	−6.3	(+)	+2.3	−7.1	+3.6	−3.6	+2.7	+2.4

1. Including coke. 2. Including quantities used in the production of steam for sale. 3. Including oil used in gas turbine and diesel plant and for lighting up coal fired boilers. 4. Including generation by gas turbine, diesel and hydro-electric plant. 5. Used in works and for pumping at pumped storage stations. 6. Includes net imports and purchases from outside sources mainly UKAEA and British Nuclear Fuels Ltd. The England and Wales figures include net exchanges with Scotland.

TABLE 10. Sales of electricity by the public supply system

GWh

	Total	Iron and steel industry	Other industries	Domestic	Other <sup>1</sup>
1972	210,417	10,774	68,967	86,889	43,787
1973	225,267	11,646	75,327	91,299	46,995
1974	218,552	11,292	70,967	92,626	43,667
1975	217,924	11,164	70,854	89,214	46,692
1976	220,841	12,607	74,986	85,117	48,131
1977	225,655	12,310 <sup>2</sup>	76,561 <sup>2</sup>	85,902	50,882
<i>Per cent change</i>	+2.2	-2.4	+2.1	+0.9	+5.7
1976 2nd quarter	48,537	3,071	17,910	17,148	10,408
3rd quarter	43,112	2,875	17,314	13,584	9,339
4th quarter	62,957	3,453	20,203	25,296	14,005
1977 1st quarter	67,181	3,273	20,458	28,564	14,886
2nd quarter	52,535	3,054 <sup>2</sup>	18,993 <sup>2</sup>	18,803	11,685
3rd quarter	46,077	2,911 <sup>2</sup>	17,793 <sup>2</sup>	14,938	10,435
4th quarter	59,862	3,072 <sup>2</sup>	19,317 <sup>2</sup>	23,597	13,876
1978 1st quarter p	67,847	3,369 <sup>2</sup>	20,514 <sup>2</sup>	28,380	15,584
2nd quarter p	53,050	3,375 <sup>2</sup>	18,852 <sup>2</sup>	18,674	12,149
<i>Per cent change</i>	+1.0	+10.5	-0.7	-0.7	+4.0

1. Mainly commerce, public administration and agriculture. 2. Contains a small degree of estimation.



# Petroleum

TABLE 11. Production, arrivals and shipments<sup>1</sup>

Thousand tonnes

	Crude Petroleum						Petroleum Products				
	Gross <sup>2</sup> Indigenous Production	Supply				Arrivals <sup>4,5</sup>	Shipments <sup>4,5</sup>	Arrivals <sup>4</sup>	Shipments <sup>4</sup>	Net Arrivals	Bunkers <sup>6</sup>
		Total	Indigenous <sup>2</sup>	Net arrivals	Other <sup>3</sup>						
1974	410	113,478	250	+111,418	1,810	112,822	1,404	14,256	14,396	-140	4,759
1975	1,564	92,273	1,156	+89,842	1,275	91,366	1,524	12,461	13,664	-1,203	3,444
1976	12,036	98,384	11,511	+86,181	692	90,466	4,285	10,422	15,726	-5,304	3,569
1977	37,879	92,260	37,540	+54,038	682	70,697	16,659	12,716	13,928	-1,212	2,829
Per cent change	(+)	-6.2	(+)	-37.3	-1.4	-21.9	(+)	+22.0	-11.4	(-)	-20.7
1977 Jan-Aug	24,047	62,170	23,812	+38,022	336	48,760	10,738	7,924	9,861	-1,937	1,981
1978 Jan-Aug p	33,318	63,135	33,059	+29,423	653	44,687	15,264	7,784	8,240	-456	1,656
Per cent change	+38.6	+1.5	+38.8	-22.6	+94.3	-8.4	+42.2	-1.8	-16.4		-16.4
1977 Jun	3,337	7,700	3,445	+4,186	69	5,974	1,788	907	1,136	-229	232
Jul	3,208	7,346	3,146	+4,138	62	5,421	1,283	889	1,262	-373	233
Aug	3,422	7,127	3,422	+3,640	65	5,635	1,995	953	1,480	-527	234
Total	9,967	22,173	10,013	+11,964	196	17,030	5,066	2,749	3,878	-1,129	699
1978 Jun	4,494	7,401	4,298	+3,038	65	4,901	1,863	763	937	-174	239
Jul	4,553	7,652	4,535	+3,007	110	5,481	2,474	803	1,276	-473	222
Aug p	4,602	8,044	4,515	+3,431	98	5,263	1,832	779	1,337	-558	180
Total	13,649	23,097	13,348	+9,476	273	15,645	6,169	2,345	3,550	-1,205	641
Per cent change	+36.9	+4.2	+33.3	-20.8	+38.0	-8.1	+21.8	-14.7	-8.4		-8.4

1. Calendar months. 2. Including natural gas liquids (condensates). 3. Mainly recycled products. 4. Foreign trade as recorded by the Petroleum Industry and may differ from figures published in Overseas Trade Statistics. 5. Including process (partly refined) oils. 6. International bunkers.

TABLE 12. Refinery throughput and output of petroleum products<sup>1</sup>

Thousand tonnes

	Through- put of crude and process oils	Refinery use		Total output of petrol- eum prod- ucts <sup>2</sup>	Gases		Naphtha (LDF)	Motor spirit	Kerosene		Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubri- cating oils	Bitumen
		Fuel	Losses		Butane and propane	Other petro- leum			Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil <sup>3</sup>				
1974	111,217	6,946	1,211	103,060	1,602	272	6,448	14,520	4,475	2,564	27,641	40,022	1,455	2,129
1975	93,579	6,031	901	86,647	1,447	151	3,968	13,940	3,959	2,299	23,324	32,711	1,141	2,099
1976	97,784	6,342	1,158	90,284	1,575	158	4,583	15,232	4,163	2,458	24,198	32,695	1,310	1,897
1977	93,615	6,238	1,039	86,338	1,539	142	4,488	14,805	4,004	2,462	23,476	30,481	1,380	1,882
Per cent change	-4.3	-1.6	-10.3	-4.4	-2.3	-10.1	-2.1	-2.8	-3.8	+0.2	-3.0	-6.8	+5.3	-0.8
1977 Jan—Aug	62,697	4,090	742	57,865	1,000	92	3,032	9,826	2,806	1,475	15,800	20,541	910	1,258
1978 Jan—Aug p	62,990	4,242	635	58,113	1,055	101	3,009	10,286	3,226	1,629	15,828	19,703	811	1,307
Per cent change	+0.5	+3.7	-14.3	+0.4	+5.6	+9.7	-0.8	+4.7	+15.0	+10.5	+0.2	-4.1	-10.8	+3.9
1977 Jun	7,501	500	113	6,888	103	7	403	1,186	417	122	1,922	2,294	129	183
Jul	7,141	524	76	6,541	128	13	333	1,289	451	103	1,738	2,083	121	173
Aug	7,687	531	75	7,081	128	11	415	1,313	416	111	1,921	2,330	116	177
Total	22,329	1,555	264	20,510	359	31	1,151	3,788	1,284	336	5,581	6,707	366	533
1978 Jun	7,049	477	70	6,502	105	11	268	1,240	439	127	1,672	2,182	117	199
Jul	7,586	532	65	6,989	122	13	340	1,344	484	105	1,921	2,175	125	183
Aug p	8,278	540	100	7,638	129	15	398	1,450	490	107	2,111	2,450	121	189
Total	22,913	1,549	235	21,129	356	39	1,006	4,034	1,413	339	5,704	6,807	363	571
Per cent change	+2.6	-0.4	-11.0	+3.0	-0.7	+23.1	-12.5	+6.5	+10.1	+1.1	+2.2	+1.5	-0.9	+7.1

1. Calendar months. 2. Including output of products not shown separately, namely, aviation spirit, wide-cut gasoline, industrial and white spirits, paraffin wax and miscellaneous products. 3. Including vaporising oil.

TABLE 13. Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption<sup>1</sup>

Thousand tonnes

	Total <sup>2,3</sup>	Butane <sup>4</sup> and propane	Naphtha (LDF) <sup>5</sup>	Motor spirit	Kerosene				Gas/diesel oil		Fuel oil	Lubri- cating oils	Bitumen
					Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil			Derv fuel	Other			
							Standard						
							Premier	Domestic					
1974	92,342	1,414	7,700	16,484	3,690	603	1,770	436	5,518	13,581	36,810	1,045	2,241
1975	81,667	1,275	5,116	16,125	3,834	538	1,707	400	5,414	13,050	30,470	992	2,089
1976	80,291	1,330	5,404	16,879	3,989	576	1,686	372	5,594	12,984	27,825	1,011	1,867
1977	81,918	1,320	5,179	17,336	4,165	559	1,677	391	5,711	13,914	27,772	1,029	1,847
Per cent change	+2.0	-0.8	-4.2	+2.7	+4.4	-3.0	-0.5	-5.3	+2.1	+7.2	-0.2	+1.8	-1.1
1977 Jan—Aug	53,222	870	3,595	11,341	2,791	348	1,071	246	3,727	8,878	17,818	686	1,222
1978 Jan—Aug p	55,314	872	3,388	12,095	2,969	350	1,064	280	3,814	8,918	18,446	690	1,247
Per cent change	+3.9	+0.3	-5.7	+6.6	+6.4	+0.4	-0.7	+14.0	+2.3	+0.5	+3.5	+0.6	+2.1
1977 Jun	5,974	94	426	1,458	394	11	72	23	462	749	1,965	89	175
Jul	5,522	84	432	1,490	423	6	59	20	453	643	1,609	81	163
Aug	5,728	85	455	1,631	404	10	69	21	452	695	1,592	80	161
Total	17,224	263	1,313	4,579	1,221	27	200	64	1,367	2,087	5,166	250	499
1978 Jun	6,159	91	367	1,600	431	6	70	25	505	717	1,895	94	197
Jul	5,951	82	377	1,631	458	8	72	23	473	673	1,723	88	167
Aug p	6,130	86	435	1,702	446	9	78	21	469	729	1,717	88	177
Total	18,240	259	1,179	4,933	1,335	23	220	69	1,447	2,119	5,335	270	541
Per cent change	+5.9	-1.6	-10.1	+7.7	+9.4	-10.6	+9.8	+7.3	+5.9	+1.5	+3.3	+7.5	+8.6

1. Calendar months. 2. Including other petroleum gases, aviation spirit, wide-cut gasoline, industrial and white spirits, and paraffin wax. 3. Excluding refinery fuel (and miscellaneous products prior to 1978). 4. Including very small amounts for petro-chemicals. 5. Now mainly for petro-chemical feed stock. 6. Including vaporising oil.



TABLE 14. Inland deliveries of petroleum products used for energy<sup>1,2</sup>

Thousand tonnes

	Total	Power <sup>3</sup> stations	Gas works	Iron and steel industry	Other industries	Transport <sup>4</sup>	Domestic	Other <sup>5</sup>
1974	81,547	17,240	1,339	4,019	19,695	27,930	3,378	7,946
1975	73,385	13,345	693	3,309	17,251	27,582	3,270	7,935
1976	71,473	10,441	366	3,128	17,487	28,599	3,269	8,183
1977	73,043	10,875	292	2,938	17,701	29,359	3,263	8,615
Per cent change	+2.2	+4.2	-20.1	-6.1	+1.2	+2.7	-0.2	+5.3
1977 Jan-Jul	42,238	6,029	163	1,742	10,505	16,619	1,940	5,240
1978 Jan-Jul p	43,740	6,795	200	1,712	10,501	17,501	1,933	5,098
Per cent change	+3.6	+12.7	+23.1	-1.7	-	+5.3	-0.4	-2.7
1977 May	5,766	774	18	243	1,393	2,475	201	662
Jun	5,237	793	15	220	1,157	2,484	131	437
Jul	4,797	672	13	188	943	2,525	108	348
Total	15,800	2,239	46	651	3,493	7,484	440	1,447
1978 May	6,095	921	29	249	1,388	2,674	202	632
Jun	5,376	787	25	204	1,144	2,699	121	396
Jul p	5,170	730	24	196	1,003	2,729	125	363
Total	16,641	2,438	78	649	3,535	8,102	448	1,391
Per cent change	+5.3	+8.9	+71.4	-0.2	+1.2	+8.2	+1.6	-3.9

1. Calendar months. 2. Excludes non-energy products and non-energy use of naphtha (LDF). 3. Public supply, railway and transport power stations. 4. Including fishing, coastal and inland shipping. 5. Mainly public administration, commerce and agriculture.

TABLE 15. Stocks of petroleum at end of month

	Held by oil companies <sup>1</sup>		Power stations <sup>2</sup>
	Million tonnes	Estimated days' supply <sup>3</sup>	Million tonnes
1977 Jul	20.8	98	0.88
Aug	21.0	89	0.94
Sept	20.9	83	1.02
1978 Jul	18.9	83	1.01
Aug	19.3	77	1.04
Sept p	19.6	75	1.04

1. Stocks of petroleum products plus the product equivalent of crude and process oils held at refineries, and products in the wholesale distribution system. 2. Fuel oil held at main oil burning stations in Great Britain. 3. Latest three months calculated on forecast deliveries for the ensuing months. Figures for earlier period calculated on actual deliveries.

## APPROXIMATE CONVERSION FACTORS

(last digit rounded to nought or five)

To convert from one fuel to another, multiply by the factor shown

From \ To	Million tonnes coal equiv.	Million tonnes oil equiv.	Million therms	TWh electrical energy	TWh electricity generated
Million tonnes coal equivalent	1	1.7	0.004	0.135 <sup>1</sup>	0.500 <sup>2</sup>
Million tonnes oil equivalent	0.60	1	0.00235	0.0800 <sup>1</sup>	0.280 <sup>2</sup>
Million therms	250	425	1	34.0	115
TWh electrical energy	7.35	12.5	0.0295	1	..
TWh electricity generated	2.00 <sup>3</sup>	3.60 <sup>3</sup>	0.00880 <sup>3</sup>	..	1

1. The amount of fuel (average grade) equivalent to 1 TWh of energy.  
2. The amount of primary fuel (power station grade) to generate 1 TWh.  
3. The amount of electricity generated by one million units of fuel shown.  
The *Digest of UK Energy Statistics 1978* gives more detailed factors.

## SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

Electricity generated outside the public electricity supply system in Great Britain (<sup>1</sup>)

GWh

		Industry										
				Engin- eering and other metal trades	Food drink and tobacco		Chemical and allied trades				Other industries (including gas and water works)	
	Total	Total industry	Iron and steel			Coal mining	Nuclear <sup>2</sup> power stations	Others <sup>3</sup>	Textiles, leather and clothing	Paper, printing and stationery		Transport under- takings
1972	20,727	20,034	2,587	1,320	409	323	4,098	7,408	458	2,786	645	693
1973	22,995	22,292	2,707	2,716	458	309	4,339	7,859	498	2,763	643	703
1974	22,424	26,775	2,180	3,139	521	251	4,222	7,904	450	2,598	510	649
1975	20,470	19,781	1,660	3,319	435	297	3,820	7,305	406	2,137	402	689
1976	21,714	21,024	1,706	3,362	496	269	3,736	8,398	423	2,249	385	690
1977	20,969	20,268	1,555	3,463	516	278	3,604	7,931	355	2,168	398	701
per cent change	-3.4	-3.6	-8.9	+3.0	+4.0	+3.3	-3.5	-5.6	-16.1	-3.6	+3.4	+1.6
1976 2nd quarter	5,191	5,022	409	856	78	63	834	2,019	105	567	91	169
3rd quarter	4,898	4,737	367	790	72	58	812	1,982	96	479	81	161
4th quarter	5,742	5,570	450	864	246	74	992	2,134	107	604	99	172
1977 1st quarter	5,706	5,522	503	882	136	69	922	2,162	108	625	115	184
2nd quarter	4,962	4,791	351	885	78	77	802	1,877	93	533	95	171
3rd quarter	4,778	4,611	317	825	71	57	934	1,786	84	454	83	167
4th quarter	5,523	5,344	384	871	231	75	946	2,106	70	556	105	179
1978 1st quarter p	5,732	5,546	376	937	131	58	1,087	2,151	90	605	111	186
2nd quarter p	4,709	4,536	321	861	77	63	743	1,810	64	520	77	173
Per cent change	-5.1	-5.3	-8.5	-2.7	-1.3	-18.2	-7.4	-3.6	-31.2	-2.4	-18.9	+1.2

1. Excludes electricity generated by commerce, public administration, etc. 2. Generated by UKAEA and British Nuclear Fuels Ltd. for the public electricity supply system. 3. Including production by the oil refining industry.