

B. ENERGY

Data on mining, production, inventories and consumption of fuel and energy are obtained from enterprises with 20+ employees through statistical questionnaires, using 100% survey. Data on external trade (exports and imports) in fuel and energy are completed by external trade statistics (data collected by Intrastat-Extrastat).

Notes on tables

Tables 16-11 and 16-12. **Energy balance**

Energy balance is compiled in line with the methodology used in the Czech Statistical Office.

Domestic natural resources include the extraction of primary resources of fuel for sale (after primary treatment), generation of hydro-electricity as measured at generator terminals, heat produced in nuclear power plants for the electricity production and distribution, and heat released by exothermal chemical reactions, which is further used (e.g., heat from sulphuric acid production).

Imports comprise all kinds of fuel and energy, including intermediate products, brought to the country from abroad in accordance with laws and regulations in force. Included are enterprise data confronted with external trade statistics. Transit deliveries of fuel and energy are excluded. Similar reporting principles apply to **exports**.

Withdrawals from inventories (decreases in inventories) increase disposable resources and are thus marked with (+), whereas **entries into inventories** (increases in inventories) reduce these resources and are designated by (-).

Other resources (+), other decreases (-) are other increases/decreases in resources such as recycled bituminous coal sludge, withdrawals from or entries into inventories of liquid fuel semi-finished products.

Gross consumption of primary energy resources is the sum of natural resources, imports, consumed inventories and other resources minus exports, entries into inventories and any other decreases.

Non-energy materials are products originating in non-energy processes of fuel upgrading; their nature pre-determines them for other than energy purposes (they are formed in high-temperature coal carbonisation, pressure gasification and liquid fuel production processes).

Balancing differences occur as a result of time difference between the records of the manufacturer and trading organizations/consumers. Besides, figures expressed in energy equivalent show differences due to different heating values of fuel (solid fuel in particular) reported by the manufacturer (supplier) and the consumer.

Final consumption is the consumption of fuel and energy as measured immediately before they enter a device to generate the final effect, but not to produce any other type of energy in the device (with the exception of secondary energy resources).

High-voltage consumption – customers connected to extra-high (over 52 kV) or high-voltage (1 to 52 kV) network.

Low-voltage consumption – customers connected to low-voltage (up to 1 kV) network.

Table 16-13. **Production of electricity and heat from renewable sources and waste**

Hydroelectric power plants – production of electricity in hydroelectric power plants is also given in Table 16-15 due to methodological incorporation into the overall energy balance of the Czech Republic. However, by its nature, it belongs to renewable energy sources. The production mostly takes place in large and small through-flow power plants (use of the kinetic energy of water) and pump-storage power plants (use of potential energy of water).

Wind power plants produce electricity using the kinetic energy of wind.

Solar power plants produce electricity from the heat of the sun.

Solid biomass is a part of wood substance or vegetable matter or of solid organic (plant and animal) wastes that can be used for energy production.

Industrial wastes are mostly non-recyclable solid and liquid inorganic and organic technological wastes burnt directly.

Municipal (town) wastes are mostly solid unsorted (non-recyclable) town wastes burnt directly.

Biogas is a mixture of methane and carbon dioxide formed by anaerobic fermentation of biomass. In principle it is split into landfill biogas, sewage biogas (from waste water treatment plants) and other gases such as those produced by fermentation of waste from food-processing plants (abattoirs, breweries, etc.).

Table 16-14. **Balance of energy processes**

Energy processes are activities, which result in an increased in-use value of energy materials put through these processes. The energy balance of the processes quantifies their inputs on the one hand and outputs plus losses on the other hand. As a rule, these processes also change input fuel and energy substantially to improve the in-use value. Heat production (outputs, total) includes only heat generated from fuels (not secondary heat). Table 16-11. 'Overall energy balance' includes all heat, i.e. secondary heat, too, which influences the calculation of losses in heat production.

Table 16-15. **Production of electricity and other energy sources**

Electricity production, total – gross electricity output measured at generator terminals.

Installed capacity, total – the highest active output a power generating plant can achieve and maintain under typical operating conditions.

Heat production, total (heat supply for distribution – net output) – heat produced by steam generators excluding heat used for electricity production, own consumption and heat losses in the boiler plant.

Table 16-16 to 16-18. **Balance of natural gas, bituminous coal and pit-coal coke, sub-bituminous coal, lignite and lignite briquettes**

The balances are part of the energy balance and are governed by the same methodology. The balance of natural gas is presented in heat and volume units.

Final consumption includes large-scale (exceeding 60 001 m³ a year) and small-scale (up to 60 000 m³ a year, excl. households) consumption, household consumption, and losses.

Tables 16-19 and 16-20. **Consumption of liquid, solid and gaseous fuels and consumption of electricity by CZ-NACE**

Consumption of liquid, solid and gaseous fuels is given in energy units. The figures refer to production and non-production consumption in electricity and heat production processes and fuel upgrading processes, including input and operating consumption and consumption of diesel oil and gasoline for intra-enterprise transport.

Consumption of electricity also includes own consumption for the production of electricity.

Tables contain finalised data up to 2007 by CZ-NACE activity. Data for 2008 are not comparable with data for the previous years and will be published on the website of the CZSO according to the new methodology.

Table 16-21. **Energy balance of crude oil refinery processing: IEA methodology**

This energy balance has been compiled according to international methodology for OECD/IEA/EU/Eurostat.

Indigenous production and other sources (extraction, purchases) – all production in the country. Included are also amounts of additives/oxygenates and other hydrocarbons supplied to refineries from other sectors of industry.

Backflows from petrochemical industry to refineries – usually deliveries of semi-finished by-products (refinery feedstock) from petrochemical processing to refineries for further processing or blending.

Products transferred (reclassified) – amounts of crude oil products reclassified to raw materials (feedstock) for further processing in refineries.

Exports (inputs and outputs) – refer to amounts of goods dispatched abroad that crossed the state border for the purpose of being left abroad, permanently or temporarily. Total exports thus consist of goods dispatched to the EU member states and goods exported to third countries (data collected by Intrastat-Extrastat).

Imports (inputs and outputs) – refer to amounts of goods received from abroad that crossed the state border for the purpose of being left in the Czech Republic, permanently or temporarily. Total imports thus consist of goods received from the EU member states and goods imported from third countries (data collected by Intrastat-Extrastat).

Direct use of resources – amounts used in refineries directly – i.e. without any processing (e.g. amounts of crude oil serving as fuel to produce electricity, heat, amounts of bio-components used for motor fuel mixtures outside the refinery sector, etc.).

Stock change – a decrease in stock increases disposable sources and is thus marked with (+), whereas an increase in stock reduces these sources and is designated by (-).

Refinery intake (calculated) – quantities of crude oil, refinery feedstocks and products that entered the refinery process defined and calculated as follows: indigenous production (extraction) plus backflows from petrochemical industry to refineries plus transferred (reclassified) products plus imports minus exports minus direct use of resources plus stock change.

Statistical difference – the difference between observed and calculated inputs, which may occur for one reason or another (e.g. rounding-off, conversion of cubic metres into metric tonnes, compression in crude oil pipelines, etc.).

Refinery intake (observed) – actual quantities of crude oil, refinery feedstocks and products that entered the refinery process.

Refinery losses – the difference between the refinery intake observed and refinery output.

Refinery output – total production of basic refinery products in domestic refineries.

Other sources (+), other decreases (-) – other recorded increases or decreases in resources, e.g. refinery fuel (-), transfers of feedstocks (blending) (-,+), transferred (reclassified) products (-,+).

Gross inland deliveries – deliveries of basic refinery products to the domestic market.

Motor gasolines – leaded and unleaded motor gasolines.

Kerosenes – kerosene-type jet fuel and other kerosene.

Diesel oil, fuel oils and other gas oils – diesel oil for propulsion, fuel and other gas oils for heating purposes, chemical processing, special processing, etc.

Fuel oils – fuel oils low in sulphur (<1% S) and high in sulphur (>1% S).

Others – refinery gas, liquefied petroleum gas (propane-butane), naphtha, aviation gasoline, industrial spirit, white spirit, lubricants, asphalts (bitumen), paraffins and waxes, petroleum coke and other products.

The data in the tables are fully comparable with those published in previous Statistical Yearbooks.

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More detailed information is available in CZSO publication 8106-09 "Energy Balance of the Czech Republic 2005, 2006 and 2007" published in April 2009 in accordance with the Catalogue of Publications 2009 in thematic group 8 – INDUSTRY, ENERGY, CONSTRUCTION, subgroup 81 – Energy.

Further data can be found on the website of the Czech Statistical Office at:

– http://www.czso.cz/eng/redakce.nsf/i/industry_energy_ekon