

Table 1. SUBTITLE D WASTE CATEGORIES AND QUANTITIES

Waste Category	Estimated Annual Generation Rate (million tons)
Industrial Nonhazardous Waste	7,600 ^{a, b}
Oil and Gas Waste ^c	
- drilling waste	129 - 871 ^{d, e}
- produced waters	1,966 - 2,738 ^{e, f}
Mining Waste ^c	>1,400 ^g
Municipal Solid Waste	158 ^b
- household hazardous waste	0.002 - 0.56 ^b
Municipal Waste Combustion Ash	3.2-8.1 ^h
Utility Waste ^c	
- ash	69 ⁱ
- flue gas desulfurization waste	16 ⁱ
Construction and Demolition Waste	31.5 ^j
Municipal Sludge	
- wastewater treatment	6.9 ^b
- water treatment	3.5 ^b
Very-Small-Quantity ^b Generator Hazardous Waste (<100 kg/mo)	0.2 ^e
Waste Tires	240 million tires ^g
Infectious Waste	2.1 ^{e, l}
Agricultural Waste	Unknown
Approximate Total	>11,387

SOURCE: Chapter 3 of Volume II of this report.

- a Not including industrial waste that is recycled or disposed of off site.
- b These estimates are derived from 1986 data.
- c Waste category is the subject of a separate report to Congress.
- d Converted to tons from barrels: 42 gals = 1 barrel, ~17 lbs/gal.
- e These estimates are derived from 1985 data.
- f Converted to tons from barrels: 42 gals = 1 barrel, ~8 lbs/gal.
- g These estimates are derived from 1983 data.
- h This estimate is derived from 1988 data.
- i These estimates are derived from 1984 data.
- j This estimates is derived from 1970 data.
- k Small quantity generators (100-1,000 kg/mo waste) have been regulated under RCRA, Subtitle C, since October 1986. Before then, approximately 830,000 tons of small-quantity generator hazardous wastes were disposed of in Subtitle D facilities every year.
- l Includes only infectious hospital waste.

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