



Colorado estimated mercury emissions from coal-burning power plants.

Plant	Parent Company	City	Estimated* Total Mercury Released 1998 (pounds)	Estimated** Mercury Air Pollution 1998 (pounds)
Pawnee	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Brush, CO	389	204
Comanche	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Pueblo, CO	371	179
Craig	Tri-State G & T Assn Inc	Craig, CO	252	115
Cherokee	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Denver, CO	143	55
Arapahoe	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Denver, CO	86	32
Hayden	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Hayden, CO	96	33
Martin Drake	Colorado Springs City of	Colorado Springs,	48	25
Ray D. Nixon	Colorado Springs City of	Fountain, CO	53	24
Rawhide	Platte River Power Authority	Wellington, CO	71	24
Valmont	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Boulder, CO	44	22
Nucla	Tri-State G & T Assn Inc	Nucla, CO	38	21
Cameo	Public Service Company Of Colorado	Palisade, CO	23	12
State Total			1,619	751

* Estimated coal in mercury is calculated using plant specific coal contamination and coal consumption data. Release includes disposal in ponds and landfills as well as reuse applications such as fertilizer.

** Total stack emissions are calculated by applying total mercury released to plant specific emission modification factors. See Appendix A.

‡ Indicates plants that are under investigation by either U.S. EPA/Department of Justice or the State of New York Attorney General's Office for violations of the Clean Air Act. NRDC and a coalition of midwest groups have also served notice on many of these plants.

N/A - Plants listed with N/A released mercury into the environment, however, insufficient data precludes estimation of mercury emissions from these plants.

Source: Environmental Working Group. Compiled from U.S. Department of Energy and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency databases. Plant ownership is attributed to the parent company of the plant operator as of January 1, 1999.