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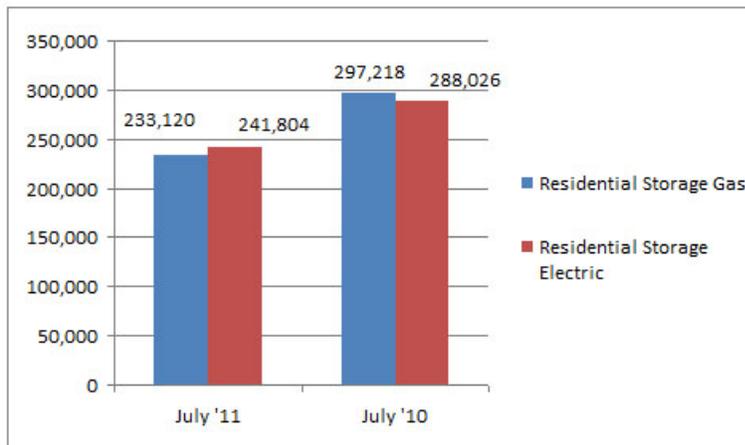
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AHRI Releases July 2011 U.S. Heating and Cooling Equipment Shipment Data

Residential Storage Water Heaters

U.S. shipments of residential gas storage water heaters for July 2011 decreased 22 percent, to 233,120 units, down from 297,218 units shipped in July 2010. Residential electric storage water heater shipments decreased 16 percent in July 2011, to 241,804 units, down from 288,026 units shipped in July 2010.

For the year-to-date, U.S. shipments of residential gas storage water heaters decreased 4 percent, to 2,318,027 units, compared to 2,417,038 units shipped during the same period in 2010. Residential electric storage water heater shipments decreased 4 percent year-to-date, to 2,177,481 units, compared to 2,278,427 units shipped during the same period in 2010.



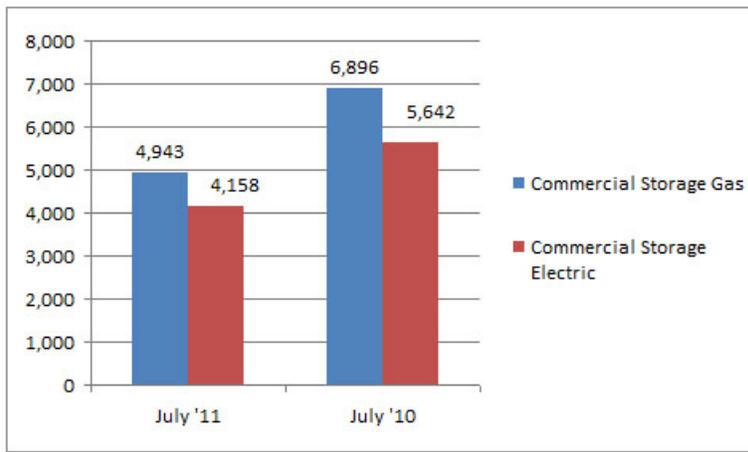
Year-to-Date

Storage Water Heaters	July '11 YTD	July '10 YTD	%Chg.
Residential Storage Gas	2,318,027	2,417,038	-4
Residential Storage Electric	2,177,481	2,278,427	-4

Commercial Storage Water Heaters

Commercial gas storage water heater shipments decreased 28 percent in July 2011, to 4,943 units, down from 6,896 units shipped in July 2010. Commercial electric storage water heater shipments decreased 26 percent in July 2011, to 4,158 units, down from 5,642 units shipped in July 2010.

Year-to-date U.S. shipments of commercial gas storage water heaters increased 0.1 percent, to 49,045 units, compared with 48,998 units shipped during the same period in 2010. Year-to-date commercial electric storage water heater shipments increased 0.2 percent to 35,344 units, up from 35,262 units shipped during the same period in 2010.



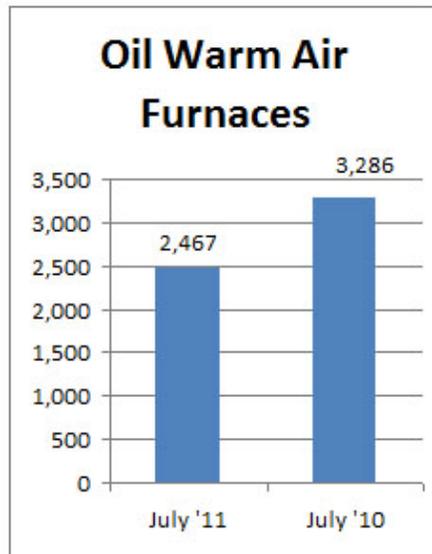
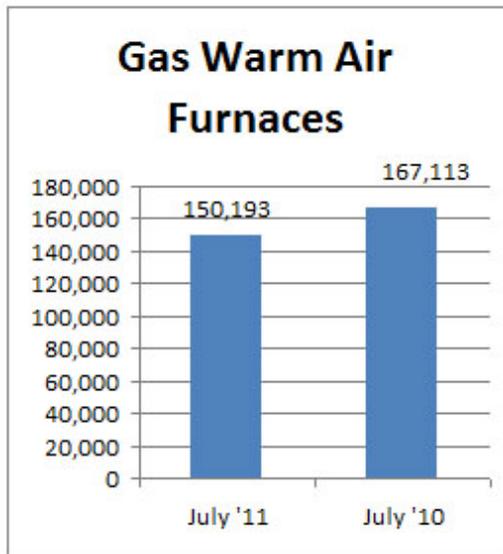
Year-to-Date

Storage Water Heaters	July '11 YTD	July '10 YTD	%Chg.
Commercial Storage Gas	49,045	48,998	+0.1
Commercial Storage Electric	35,344	35,262	+0.2

Warm Air Furnaces

U.S. shipments of gas warm air furnaces for July 2011 decreased 10 percent, to 150,193 units, down from 167,113 units shipped in July 2010. Oil warm air furnace shipments decreased 25 percent, to 2,467 units in July 2011, down from 3,286 units shipped in July 2010.

Year-to-date U.S. shipments of gas warm air furnaces decreased 8 percent, to 1,131,839 units, compared with 1,226,615 units shipped during the same period in 2010. Year-to-date U.S. shipments of oil warm air furnaces decreased 12 percent to 21,917 units, compared with 24,777 units shipped during the same period in 2010.



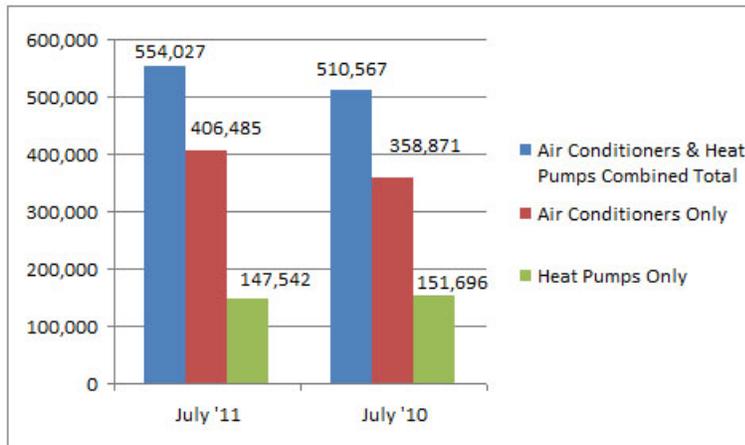
Year-to-Date

	July '11 YTD	July '10 YTD	%Chg.
Gas Warm Air Furnaces	1,131,839	1,226,615	-8
Oil Warm Air Furnaces	21,917	24,777	-12

Central Air Conditioners and Air-Source Heat Pumps

U.S. shipments of central air conditioners and air-source heat pumps totaled 554,027 units in July 2011, up 9 percent from 510,567 units shipped in July 2010. U.S. shipments of air conditioners increased 13 percent, to 406,485 units, up from 358,871 units shipped in July 2010. U.S. shipments of air-source heat pumps decreased 3 percent, to 147,542 units, down from 151,696 units shipped in July 2010.

Year-to-date combined shipments of residential central air conditioners and air-source heat pumps increased 11 percent, to 3,843,730 units, up from 3,459,708 units shipped in July 2010. Year-to-date shipments of central air conditioners increased 13 percent, to 2,629,914 units, up from 2,318,716 units shipped during the same period in 2010. The year-to-date total for heat pump shipments increased 6 percent, to 1,213,816 units, up from 1,140,992 units shipped during the same period in 2010.



Year-to-Date

	July '11 YTD	July '10 YTD	%Chg.
Air Conditioners & Heat Pumps Combined Total	3,843,730	3,459,708	+11
Air Conditioners Only	2,629,914	2,318,716	+13
Heat Pumps Only	1,213,816	1,140,992	+6

U.S. Manufacturers' Shipments of Central Air Conditioners and Air-Source Heat Pumps

Size Description (000) BTUH	Total	% Change from 2010
Under 16.5	8,789	-48
16.5-21.9	35,671	+19
22 -26.9	101,068	+6
27 -32.9	86,205	+7
33 -38.9	115,998	+5
39 -43.9	46,443	+8
44 -53.9	72,145	+17
54 -64.9	66,024	+25
65 -96.9	7,588	+5
97 -134.9	6,165	+1
135 -184.9	4,204	+20
185 -249.9	1,868	+23
250 -319.9	874	+31
320 -379.9	279	+4
380 -539.9	289	+39
540 -639.9	182	+21
640 & Over	235	+54
TOTAL	554,027	+9

***NOTE: Industry figures are estimates derived from the best available figures supplied by a sample of AHRI member companies and are subject to revision.**

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