

**FY 1999  
Cornell University  
Energy Fast Facts<sup>1</sup>**

**PRIMARY ENERGY CONSUMPTION**

*Consumption decreased 2% from 1998*

Primary Consumption (trillion Btu)		2.42
Coal	1.40	
Electricity (Purchased)	0.71	
Hydro	0.01	
Natural Gas	0.29	
Oil	0.00	
1990 Primary Consumption per Square Foot (million Btu)		0.20
1999 Primary Consumption per Square Foot (million Btu)		0.19

**END-USE ENERGY CONSUMPTION**

By Building Type:		
Lab Buildings		TBD
Residence Halls		TBD
Other		TBD

**ENERGY RELATED CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSIONS**

*Emissions decreased 2% from 1998*

1990 Total CO <sub>2</sub> Emissions (thousand tons)		333
1999 Total CO <sub>2</sub> Emissions (thousand tons)		256

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1999</u>
By Primary Energy Type:		
Coal	42%	57%
Electricity (purchased)	50%	37%
Hydro	0%	0%
Natural Gas	5%	6%
Oil	3%	0%

By Utility Type:		
Chilled Water	6%	4%
Electricity - Procured	50%	37%
Electricity - Cogenerated	3%	6%
Steam	47%	57%

**GLOSSARY**

Btu	British thermal unit
CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon Dioxide
Primary	Central Plant Usage
End Use	Building metered usage
COP	Coefficient of Performance

**NOTES**

- 1 Information provided is for Ithaca central utility campus only.
- 2 Chilled water input Btu's are the energy input to the central plants for production and distribution of cooling water.
- 3 1990 purchased electric emission rate determined from New York State Electric & Gas (NYSEG) 1990 annual report.
- 4 1999 purchased electric emission rate estimated using 2001 rates provided by New York State Public Service Commission (NYSPSC).

**CHILLED WATER**

1990 Total Chilled Water Production (trillion Btu)		0.34
1999 Total Chilled Water Production (trillion Btu)		0.40

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1999</u>
Generation Sources		
Chillers	83%	88%
Lake/Free Cooling	17%	12%

Total Energy Input <sup>2</sup> (trillion Btu)	0.07	0.09
System COP	4.7	4.7

**ELECTRICITY**

1990 Total Consumption (mwh)		201,000
Cornell Generated	26,000	
Purchased	175,000	
1999 Total Consumption (mwh)		243,000
Cornell Generated	34,000	
Purchased	209,000	

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1999</u>
Cornell Generated Sources:		
Cogeneration	81%	90%
Hydro	20%	9%

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1999</u>
Purchased Electricity Sources <sup>3,4</sup> :		
Biomass	0%	2%
Coal	74%	15%
Natural Gas	5%	35%
Hydro	14%	19%
Nuclear	5%	20%
Oil	2%	6%
Solar	0%	0%
Solid Waste	0%	3%
Wind	0%	<1%

**STEAM**

1990 Total Steam Export (trillion Btu)		1.31
1999 Total Steam Export (trillion Btu)		1.20

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1999</u>
Fuel Sources (10 <sup>12</sup> Btu)		
Coal	1.33	1.40
Natural Gas	0.28	0.29
Oil	0.13	0.00
Total Energy Input (10 <sup>12</sup> Btu)	1.74	1.69
Thermal Efficiency	69%	67%

**ADDITIONAL STATISTICS**

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1999</u>
Total Enrollment	18,000	18,319
Campus Area (1000 sq. ft.)	11,800	13,000
Square Feet per Student	656	710
Heating Degree Days (7050 ave.)	6,919	6,679