

2. Nitrogen Oxides

A. For the United States:⁴

With a view to a reduction of total annual emissions of nitrogen oxides by approximately 2 million tons from 1980 emission levels by 2000:

1. Stationary Sources

Implementation of the following nitrogen oxides control program for electric utility boilers to the extent required by Title IV of the Clean Air Act:

(a) By January 1, 1995, tangentially fired boilers must meet an allowable emission rate of 0.45 lb/mmBtu and dry bottom wall-fired boilers must meet an allowable emission rate of 0.50 lb/mmBtu (unless the Administrator of EPA determines that these rates cannot be achieved using low NOx burner technology).

(b) By January 1, 1997, EPA must set allowable emission limitations for:

- wet bottom wall-fired boilers;
- cyclones;
- units applying cell burner technology; and
- all other types of utility boilers.

⁴. Applies only to reductions in emissions in the forty-eight contiguous States and the District of Columbia.