

The Phase I report of work Group III B contains sections on historical, current, and projected emissions in the eastern United States and Canada. Some of the historical and current emissions data from that report is included in this addendum for the convenience of the modelers.

The primary objective in developing historical emission trends is to recreate the emissions situations of several decades ago so that such data can be used in atmospheric models to provide an insight into sulfur deposition rates for those periods. These rates can then be compared to current deposition rates for an indication of the rate of degradation of the environment with time.