

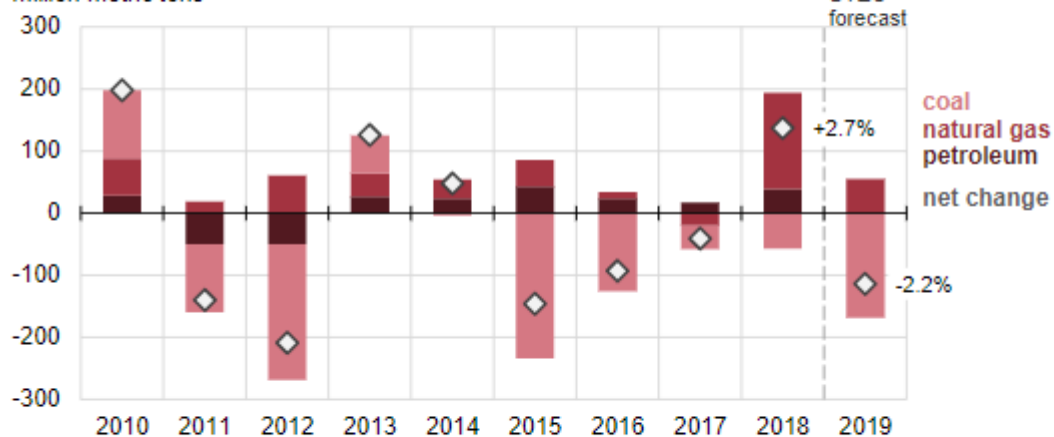
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EIA expects U.S. energy-related CO₂ emissions to fall in 2019

Annual changes in U.S. energy-related carbon dioxide emissions (2010-2019)

million metric tons



Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, [Short-Term Energy Outlook](#), July 2019

After a 2.7% increase in U.S. energy-related carbon dioxide (CO₂) emissions in 2018, EIA's July [Short-Term Energy Outlook](#) (STEO) forecasts a 2.2% decrease in CO₂ emissions for 2019. Nearly all of the forecast decrease is due to fewer emissions from coal consumption. Forecast natural gas CO₂ emissions increase and petroleum CO₂ emissions remain virtually unchanged.