



Massachusetts



Retail Oilheat Businesses	Sales (000's)	Annual Payroll (000's)	Employees
747	\$1,919,954	\$350,352	7,746

Data source for locations, payroll, sales: US Census Bureau, 2006 County Business Patterns and industry resource data. Sales data: Oilheat volume x avg. price for #2 distillate heating oil in state (exclusive of any taxes) as reported by Energy Information plus a 7% allowance for HVAC sales.

More than 885,200 housing units in the state use oilheat.



Estimated number of consumers in state using oilheat 2,222,100

Number of units X 2.61 (average no. of consumers per household)

Total oilheat volume 771 millions/gallons

Residential and commercial sales of distillate heating oil and kerosene 2006



Percent of occupied housing units in state using oilheat 36%

U. S. Energy Information Administration, 2006 heating oil and kerosene sales and Census Bureau 2005-2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates, Occupied Housing Units/House Heating Fuel



Oilheat — the National Picture

More than 8,594,000 housing units in the USA use oilheat

Estimated number of consumers in the USA using oilheat 22,259,858

Number of units X 2.61 (average no. of consumers per household)

Total oilheat volume in the USA 7,793,000,000 gallons

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