



## News Release

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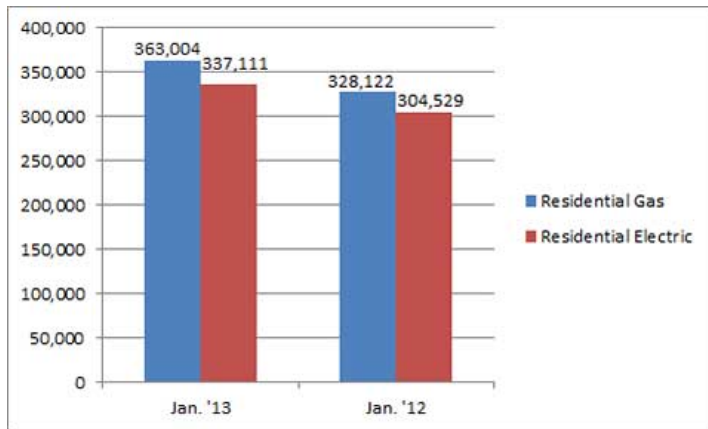
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### AHRI Releases January 2013 U.S. Heating and Cooling Equipment Shipment Data

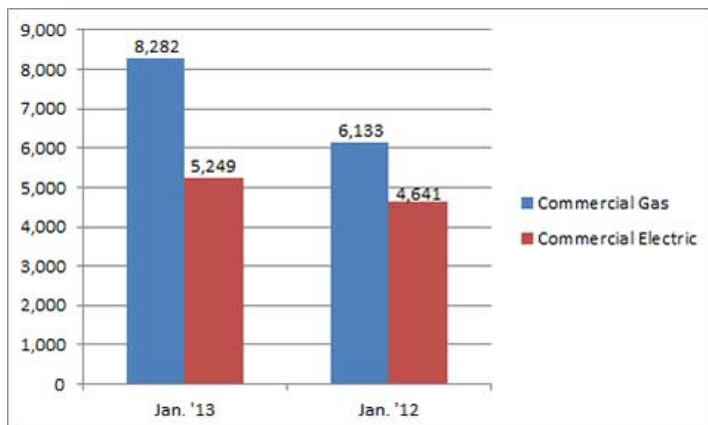
#### Residential Storage Water Heaters

U.S. shipments of residential gas storage water heaters for January 2013 increased 10.6 percent, to 363,004 units, up from 328,122 units shipped in January 2012. Residential electric storage water heater shipments increased 10.7 percent in January 2013, to 337,111 units, up from 304,529 units shipped in January 2012.



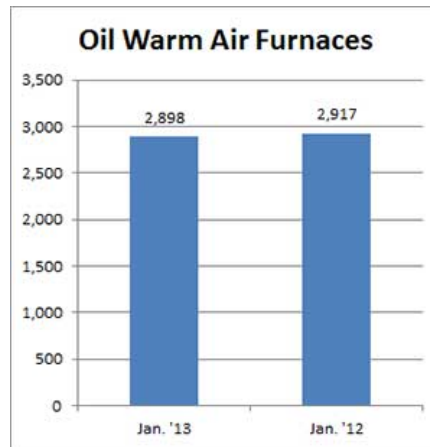
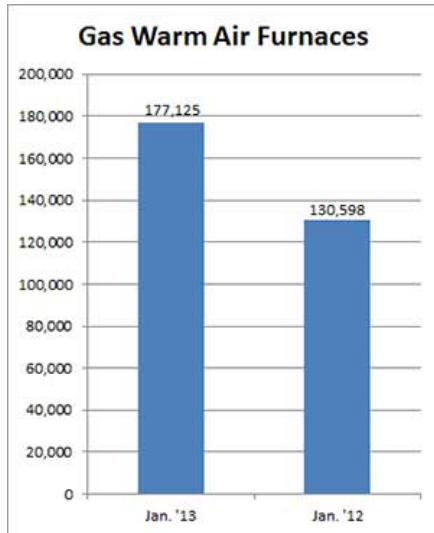
#### Commercial Storage Water Heaters

Commercial gas storage water heater shipments increased 35.0 percent in January 2013, to 8,282 units, up from 6,133 units shipped in January 2012. Commercial electric storage water heater shipments increased 13.1 percent in January 2013, to 5,249 units, up from 4,641 units shipped in January 2012.



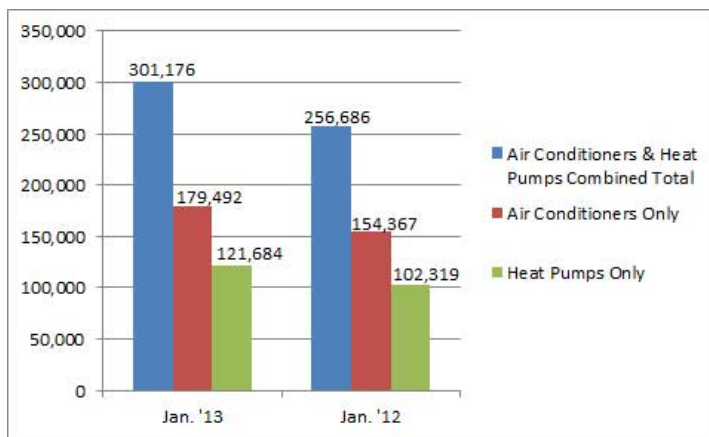
### Warm Air Furnaces

U.S. shipments of gas warm air furnaces for January 2013 increased 35.6 percent, to 177,125 units, up from 130,598 units shipped in January 2012. Oil warm air furnace shipments decreased .7 percent, to 2,898 units in January 2013, down from 2,917 units shipped in January 2012.



### Central Air Conditioners and Air-Source Heat Pumps

U.S. shipments of central air conditioners and air-source heat pumps totaled 301,176 units in January 2013, up 17.3 percent from 256,686 units shipped in January 2012. U.S. shipments of air conditioners increased 16.3 percent, to 179,492 units, up from 154,367 units shipped in January 2012. U.S. shipments of air-source heat pumps increased 18.9 percent, to 121,684 units, up from 102,319 units shipped in January 2012.



## *U.S. Manufacturers' Shipments of Central Air Conditioners and Air-Source Heat Pumps*

Size Description (000) BTUH	Total	% Change from 2012
Under 16.5	11,721	+29
16.5-21.9	28,839	+26
22-26.9	57,406	+15
27-32.9	44,157	+14
33-38.9	60,435	+19
39-43.9	22,930	+17
44-53.9	31,652	+15
54-64.9	28,957	+16
65-96.9	5,826	+12
97-134.9	4,155	+6
135-184.9	2,391	+6
185-249.9	1,197	+31
250-319.9	662	+14
320-379.9	262	+48
380-539.9	171	-8
540-639.9	179	+60
640 & Over	236	36
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>301,176</b>	<b>+17</b>

NOTE: Industry figures are estimates derived from the best available figures supplied by a sample of AHRI member companies and are subject to revision. Year-to-date figures are correct as issued.

### **About AHRI**

The Air-Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Institute (AHRI) is the trade association representing manufacturers of air conditioning, heating, and commercial refrigeration, and water heating equipment. An internationally recognized advocate for the industry, AHRI develops standards for and certifies the performance of many of these products. AHRI's 309 member companies manufacture quality, efficient, and innovative residential and commercial air conditioning, space heating, water heating, and commercial refrigeration equipment and components for sale in North America and around the world.

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