

Code Definitions for Hazardous Waste Annual Reporting

DEC uses the same codes as EPA for reporting purposes, with the exception of county codes and New York State hazardous waste codes for PCBs. The following definitions and lists of codes used in this report are in the latest version of the "RCRA Subtitle C Reporting Instructions and Forms" document in the Codes Lists section. This document can be found in the Key Links box on right-hand side of [EPA's RCRAInfo Web website](#):

Source Codes – describes the type of process of activity (i.e., source) from which a hazardous waste was generated.

Management Method Codes – Describes the type of hazardous waste management system used to treat or dispose of a hazardous waste.

Form Codes – Describes the general physical and chemical characteristics of a hazardous waste.

Waste Minimization Codes – The following codes provide a description of existing or new waste minimization efforts undertaken to reduce the volume and/or toxicity of hazardous waste generated at the facility.

Unit of Measurement Codes – Describes the unit of measure for the quantity of a given waste.

The following codes are specific to New York State and are defined below:

New York State-Only Hazardous Waste Codes – Describes wastes that are only considered hazardous waste in New York State. These codes include various forms of polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) waste.

NY County Codes – Describes the counties of New York State. Only used on paper report forms.

NEW YORK STATE-ONLY HAZARDOUS WASTE CODES

Code	Waste Description
B001	PCB Oil (concentrated) from transformers, capacitors, etc.
B002	Petroleum oil or other liquid containing 50 ppm or greater of PCB's, but less than 500 ppm PCBs. This includes oil from electrical equipment whose PCB concentration is unknown, except for circuit breakers, reclosers and cable.
B003	Petroleum oil or other liquid containing 500 ppm or greater of PCB's.
B004	PCB articles containing 50 ppm or greater of PCB's, but less than 500 ppm PCB's, excluding small capacitors. This includes oil-filled electrical equipment whose PCB concentration is unknown, except for circuit breakers, reclosers and cable.
B005	PCB articles, other than transformers, that contain 500 ppm or greater of PCB's, excluding small capacitors.
B006	PCB transformers. "PCB transformers" means any transformer that contains 500 ppm PCB or greater.
B007	Other PCB wastes, including contaminated soil, solids, sludges, clothing, rags and dredge material.

Further information on New York State hazardous waste codes can be found in [6 NYCRR Part 371 on the Westlaw website](#).

COUNTY CODES

COUNTY NAME	COUNTY CODE
ALBANY	NY001
ALLEGANY	NY003
BRONX	NY005
BROOME	NY007
CATTARAUGUS	NY009
CAYUGA	NY011
CHAUTAUQUA	NY013
CHEMUNG	NY015
CHENANGO	NY017
CLINTON	NY019
COLUMBIA	NY021
CORTLAND	NY023
DELAWARE	NY025
DUTCHESS	NY027
ERIE	NY029
ESSEX	NY031
FRANKLIN	NY033
FULTON	NY035
GENESEE	NY037
GREENE	NY039
HAMILTON	NY041
HERKIMER	NY043
JEFFERSON	NY045
KINGS	NY047
LEWIS	NY049
LIVINGSTON	NY051
MADISON	NY053
MONROE	NY055
MONTGOMERY	NY057
NASSAU	NY059
NEW YORK	NY061

COUNTY NAME	COUNTY CODE
NIAGARA	NY063
ONEIDA	NY065
ONONDAGA	NY067
ONTARIO	NY069
ORANGE	NY071
ORLEANS	NY073
OSWEGO	NY075
OTSEGO	NY077
PUTNAM	NY079
QUEENS	NY081
RENSSELAER	NY083
RICHMAND	NY085
ROCKLAND	NY087
ST LAWRENCE	NY089
SARATOGA	NY091
SCHENECTADY	NY093
SCHOHARIE	NY095
SCHUYLER	NY097
SENECA	NY099
STEUBEN	NY101
SUFFOLK	NY103
SULLIVAN	NY105
TIOGA	NY107
TOMPKINS	NY109
ULSTER	NY111
WARREN	NY113
WASHINGTON	NY115
WAYNE	NY117
WESTCHESTER	NY119
WYOMING	NY121
YATES	NY123