Information on Pipelines and Pipeline Safety

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PPTS Lets Us Measure Our Progress Towards Industry Goals

- No deaths
- No injuries
- No releases to the environment
- No operating errors
Dramatic Improvement: Hazardous Liquids Pipeline Industry Onshore Pipe Spill Record

Number of Spills per 1,000 Miles

- '01: 2.0
- '03: 1.0
- '05: 0.7
- '07: 0.7
- '09: 0.7

Barrels Released per 1,000 Miles

- '01: 629
- '03: 330
- '05: 1.5
- '07: 1.5
- '09: 1.5

3-Year Averages Ending in Year Shown

Source: Pipeline Performance Tracking System, a voluntary spill reporting system involving 85% of the U.S. liquids pipeline mileage. Percentage decline from 1999-2001 average to 2006-2008 average.
Reduction in releases along the right-of-way reflects diverse strategies

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Sources of Information for Hazardous Liquids Pipelines

- API Web Site: [www.api.org](http://www.api.org)
  - PPTS web site: [www.api.org/ppts](http://www.api.org/ppts)
- AOPL Web Site: [www.aopl.org](http://www.aopl.org)
- Pipeline 101 Site: [www.pipeline101.com](http://www.pipeline101.com)
- PHMSA Web Site: [www.phmsa.dot.gov/pipeline](http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/pipeline)
- Pipeline Operators’ Web Sites
- Public information mailings