

40 C.F.R. § 80.125

RINs for RNG.

- (a) *General requirements.* (1) Any party that generates, assigns, transfers, receives, separates, or retires RINs for RNG must comply with the requirements of this section.
- (2) Any party that transacts RINs for RNG under this section must transact the RINs as specified in § 80.1452.
- (b) RIN generation. (1) Only RNG producers may generate RINs for RNG injected into a natural gas commercial pipeline system.
- (2) RNG producers must generate RINs for only the biomethane content of biogas supplied by a biogas producer registered under § 80.135.
- (3) RNG producers must generate RINs using the applicable requirements for RIN generation in § 80.1426.
- (4) If non-renewable components are blended into RNG, the RNG producer must generate RINs for only the biomethane content of the RNG prior to blending.
- (5) RNG producers must use the measurement procedures specified in § 80.155 to determine the heating value of RNG for the generation of RINs.
- (6) The number of RINs generated for a batch volume of RNG under each batch pathway must be calculated as follows:

$$RIN_{RNG,p} = \frac{V_{RNG,p}}{EaV_{RNG}}$$

Where: $RIN_{RNG,p}$ = The number of RINs generated for a batch of RNG under batch pathway p, in gallon-RINs. $V_{RNG,p}$ = The batch volume of RNG for batch pathway p, in Btu LHV, per § 80.110(j)(4). Eq V_{RNG} = The equivalence value for RNG, in Btu LHV per RIN, per § 80.1415(b)(5).

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