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A. Lumpy Lead



B. Nasty Nitrogen Oxide



C. Odious Ozone



D. Smelly Sulfur Dioxide

Matching

Match each polluter with the pollutant it represents.

- _____ Colorless gas formed when fossil fuels, or other compounds containing sulfur, are burned.
- _____ Colorless, odorless, poisonous gas formed from the incomplete burning of fossil fuels such as coal, oil, and gasoline.
- _____ A metal element classified as a "heavy metal." It can be found in the air we breathe or the food and water we consume.
- _____ Solid particles or soot and dust that are suspended in the air. Also in the form of liquid droplets.
- _____ Emitted in air from high temperature burning of fossil fuels such as oil, coal, and gasoline.
- _____ Colorless gas formed by the reaction of organic vapors, oxides of nitrogen, and oxygen aided by sunlight.
- _____ Many different toxic airborne chemicals; arsenic, asbestos benzene, beryllium, mercury, or vinyl chloride.
- _____ A kind of particulate that comes from minerals. You can find me in thousands of different kinds of materials, like ceilings, roofs, floor tiles, insulation, and even car brakes.



E. Cranky Carbon Monoxide



F. Pesky Particulate



G. Terrible Toxics



H. Awful Asbestos

Answers: 1.d 2.e 3.a 4.f 5.b 6.c 7.g 8.h