

# Get more than electricity from us this summer – get savings.

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# Stay Cool and Save.

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## Simple Ways to Reduce Your Summer Energy Bills

### Set your thermostat to 78 degrees.

For every degree you increase your thermostat, you can save about 5 percent on monthly cooling costs.



### If you have a pool, don't run the pool pump continuously.

Put the pump on a timer and run it four to six hours a day.



### Cooking creates an enormous amount of heat.

When you can, cook on an outdoor grill or prepare meals that don't require cooking.



### Close the blinds.

Shutting drapes and shades during the hottest part of the day can keep the sun's rays from heating your house.



### Use ceiling or portable fans.

They can supplement your AC in occupied rooms. And remember, ceiling fans cool you, not the room.



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