

Powerstrips!

AKA...Surge Protectors

A citizens guide to easily saving energy



How do I save energy?

1. Plug devices and appliances into powerstrip
2. Turn power strip off when not using devices
3. That's it!

Important Info:

Phantom Load— an electrical load by a device which is *off*

What has a phantom load?

Computers, laptop or cell phone chargers, stereos, TVs, or anything with a digital clock.

Why should I bother?

A little bit of energy wasted by you isn't much, but multiply it by everyone in America, and it's huge!

1. America's total yearly phantom loads costs approximately \$4 billion dollars!

2. The growing number of personal electronics has directly caused an increase in housing fees. STOP new fees by cutting energy use.



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