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## Recognition Criteria Ceiling Fans

### Scope

**Included products.** Residential ceiling fans, standard ceiling fans, and hugger ceiling fans, as defined below, are eligible for ENERGY STAR® Most Efficient recognition in 2017.

**Residential Ceiling Fan:** A non-portable device designed for home use that is suspended from the ceiling for circulating air via the rotation of fan blades.

**Standard Ceiling Fan:** a low-speed small-diameter ceiling fan that is not a very-small-diameter ceiling fan, highly-decorative ceiling fan or belt-driven ceiling fan; for which the lowest point on fan blades is greater than 10 inches from the ceiling.

**Hugger Ceiling Fan:** a low-speed small-diameter ceiling fan that is not a very-small-diameter ceiling fan, highly-decorative ceiling fan or belt-driven ceiling fan; for which the lowest point on the fan blades is less than or equal to 10 inches from the ceiling.

### Recognition Criteria

1) Product must be ENERGY STAR certified consistent with applicable ENERGY STAR Partner Commitments and the requirements set forth in the current ENERGY STAR Program Requirements Product Specification for Residential Ceiling Fans. Product performance must be certified by a certification body recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

2) Standard ceiling fans must meet at least one of the following applicable efficiency criteria:

Efficiency as per 10 CFR 430 Subpart B, Appendix U (cfm/W)	High Speed Efficiency as per ENERGY STAR Specification for Residential Ceiling Fans, V3.0 (cfm/W)
$\geq 3.88D - 42.17$	300

*\*D is the ceiling fan diameter in inches*

*Note: Should hugger fans become eligible for ENERGY STAR in 2017, they will also be eligible for ENERGY STAR Most Efficient recognition at the above levels.*

### Recognition Period

EPA will add qualifying models to the ENERGY STAR Most Efficient 2017 product list for ceiling fans from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. The ENERGY STAR Most Efficient 2017 designation may be used in association with models recognized during this period for as long as the model remains on the market.