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## 4 Lehigh Hanson cement plants receive EPA Energy Star certification

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*Union Bridge cement plant.*

**Lehigh Hanson** announced that four of its cement plants — in Leeds, Ala.; Union Bridge, Md.; Tehachapi, Calif.; and Redding, Calif. — earned **Environmental Protection Agency** (EPA) **Energy Star** certifications for 2018. All of the plants perform within the top 25 percent of cement plants nationwide for energy efficiency and meet the strict energy efficiency performance levels set by the EPA. This is the sixth consecutive year that the

Union Bridge plant has received Energy Star certification, the fifth consecutive year for the Leeds plant, and the second consecutive year for the Redding plant.

“Energy efficiency is a key aspect of Lehigh Hanson’s commitment to operating our manufacturing facilities in a sustainable and environmentally responsible manner,” says Lehigh Hanson President and CEO Jon Morrish in a press release. “The operational efficiency and strict energy management of the Leeds, Union Bridge, Tehachapi, and Redding cement plants is a reflection of the priority we place on sustainability and reducing our environmental footprint.”

Lehigh Hanson is an Energy Star corporate partner and is the only aggregates producer to have five crushed stone plants achieve the EPA’s Energy Star Challenge for Industry.

“Improving the energy efficiency of our nation’s industrial facilities is critical to protecting our environment,” says Jean Lupinacci, Chief of the Energy Star Commercial and Industrial Branch, in the press release. “From the plant floor to the board room, organizations are leading the way by making their facilities more energy efficient and earning the EPA’s Energy Star certification.”