



# LAUNDRY MADE BETTER

## Better for You & the Planet

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Make doing laundry better with ENERGY STAR. Clothes washers and dryers that have earned the ENERGY STAR deliver superior efficiency and performance by incorporating advanced features.

## Better for You

ENERGY STAR certified clothes washers and dryers save energy, which means that you will save on energy bills. You could also benefit from the many rebates available for washers and dryers.

- Clothes washers that have earned the ENERGY STAR use about 25% less energy and about 33% less water.
- Clothes dryers that have earned the ENERGY STAR use approximately 20% less energy than standard models.
- Save \$370 over the lifetime of an ENERGY STAR certified clothes washer and even more with an ENERGY STAR washer/dryer pair.

### Find and Compare

If you're considering a new clothes washer or dryer, start by visiting the ENERGY STAR Product Finder to see product details and compare pricing, plus find rebates and retailers near you.

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## Better for the Environment

Saving energy means that ENERGY STAR certified washers and dryers help reduce your carbon footprint which means that your kids and the planet will benefit for years to come.

### Did You Know?

If all clothes washers sold in the United States were ENERGY STAR certified, we would prevent more than 19 billion pounds of carbon pollution annually, equivalent to the emissions from 1.8 million vehicles. If all clothes dryers sold in the United States were ENERGY STAR certified, we would prevent more than 22 billion pounds of annual carbon pollution, equivalent to the emissions from 2 million vehicles.

## Better for Your Clothes

Advanced features in clothes washers and dryers that have earned the ENERGY STAR help deliver superior cleaning and reduce wear and tear on your clothes.

ENERGY STAR certified clothes washers incorporate **sophisticated wash systems** that cycle clothes through a mixture of water and detergent, without wasting water to fill up the tub. Available in front load and advanced top load designs, both designs dramatically reduce the amount of hot water and energy used in the wash cycle. Efficient motors in models that have earned the ENERGY STAR spin clothes two to three times faster to extract more water. Less moisture in the clothes means less time in the dryer and less energy spent drying clothes.

ENERGY STAR certified clothes dryers incorporate features that combine less heat with **sensor drying** or **automatic cycle termination** to prevent over drying—saving you energy while reducing unnecessary wear and tear on your clothes. Many ENERGY STAR dryers also include convenient features, such as a **steam cycle** that can help save time on ironing clothes by preventing wrinkles.

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