

# EPA's ENERGY STAR® Menu of Offerings



The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) ENERGY STAR® program offers tools and resources to help organizations save money, improve energy efficiency, and fight climate change. The table below provides an overview of program offerings.

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| <b>Become an ENERGY STAR partner</b>   | <b>ENERGY STAR Partner</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/join">www.energystar.gov/join</a>   | Take your commitment to energy efficiency one step further by partnering with ENERGY STAR! Any public or private organization can apply.   |
| <b>Measure and track energy performance</b>                                    | <b>EPA's ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager®</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/benchmark">www.energystar.gov/benchmark</a>  | Measure energy and water use, and track waste, in all of your buildings to create a baseline for energy reduction and track improvements using EPA's Portfolio Manager.  |
| <b>Streamline data access for benchmarking with Portfolio Manager</b>          | <b>Service Providers That Exchange Data with Portfolio Manager via Web Services</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/abs">www.energystar.gov/abs</a><br><br><b>Utility Data Access Map</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/utilitydata">www.energystar.gov/utilitydata</a>  | <p>The companies listed use EPA's Portfolio Manager web services to deliver ENERGY STAR energy performance scores and metrics to their customers as part of their commercial energy information tools and services. These companies provide streamlined access to ENERGY STAR benchmarking in order to simplify continuous energy management across a portfolio of properties.</p> <p>The interactive map allows users to determine if their local utility provides energy benchmarking data via automatic uploads or in spreadsheet format.</p> |
| <b>Receive national recognition from EPA</b>                                   | <b>The ENERGY STAR for Buildings</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/buildingcertification">http://www.energystar.gov/buildingcertification</a><br><b>Cost-Free Verification of ENERGY STAR Applications</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/buildings/resources_audience/licensed_professional/cost_free_verification">www.energystar.gov/buildings/resources_audience/licensed_professional/cost_free_verification</a><br><br><b>Annual ENERGY STAR Awards</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/awards">www.energystar.gov/awards</a> | <p>If you achieve a 1-100 ENERGY STAR score of 75 or higher in EPA's Portfolio Manager tool, you may be eligible to apply for the ENERGY STAR for your building.</p> <p>EPA is connecting building owners with licensed professionals who are willing to provide verification services on a cost-free basis.</p> <p>Earn special recognition from EPA for your entire organization's outstanding reductions in greenhouse gas emissions through energy efficiency.</p>   |
| <b>Launch an energy efficiency competition</b>                                 | <b>ENERGY STAR Energy Efficiency Competition Guide</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/competitionguide">www.energystar.gov/competitionguide</a>   | Any type of organization can download the Competition Guide and jumpstart its energy management plan with a fun, interactive energy efficiency competition!  |
| <b>Develop an energy management strategy</b>                                   | <b>Energy Management Guidelines</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/guidelines">www.energystar.gov/guidelines</a>  | Use the EPA's proven strategy for superior energy management. These guidelines can help you improve energy and financial performance while distinguishing your organization as an environmental leader.  |
| <b>Access cost-free EPA training sessions</b>                                  | <b>Web-based Training Sessions</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/buildingstraining">www.energystar.gov/buildingstraining</a>   | Register for no-cost, web-based presentations and learn more about how EPA's ENERGY STAR offerings can help you realize your energy performance goals. Personalized training options, onsite workshops, and specially tailored training sessions are also available.   |
| <b>Access the full range of ENERGY STAR resources for commercial buildings</b> | <b>ENERGY STAR Tools and Resources Library</b><br><a href="http://www.energystar.gov/buildings/tools-and-resources">www.energystar.gov/buildings/tools-and-resources</a>   | The ENERGY STAR Tools and Resources Library allows you to quickly search the library of fact sheets, how-to guides, and financial value calculators to find what you need to save energy.  |

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## Identify opportunities for financing energy efficiency

### Finance Energy Efficiency Projects

[www.energystar.gov/buildings/save\\_energy\\_commercial\\_buildings/finance\\_projects](http://www.energystar.gov/buildings/save_energy_commercial_buildings/finance_projects)

Find innovative solutions to fund energy efficiency projects, use financial calculators to calculate return on investments, learn about public-sector financing options, and find rebates, incentives, and financing services for energy projects.

### Cash Flow Opportunity (CFO) Calculator

[www.energystar.gov/CFOCalculator](http://www.energystar.gov/CFOCalculator)

Quantify the impacts of various financial and business decisions, including the cost of delay, with this easy-to-use calculator.

## Plan cost-effective building upgrades

### Building Upgrade Manual

[www.energystar.gov/bldgmanual](http://www.energystar.gov/bldgmanual)

Learn how to maximize cost savings using EPA's Five-Stage Approach, which is detailed in the Building Upgrade Manual.

### Building Upgrade Value Calculator

[www.energystar.gov/BuildingUpgradeValue](http://www.energystar.gov/BuildingUpgradeValue)

Analyze the financial value of efficiency-related capital investments in commercial real estate. This tool allows you to calculate the costs and benefits of base building energy efficiency measures for both the owner and each tenant.

## Find qualified professionals to help implement efficiency improvements

### ENERGY STAR Licensed Professional Directory

[www.energystar.gov/lpdirectory](http://www.energystar.gov/lpdirectory)

Search for Professional Engineers and Registered Architects who have performed verifications for buildings that have earned the ENERGY STAR.

### Most Active Service & Product Providers

[www.energystar.gov/sppmostactive](http://www.energystar.gov/sppmostactive)

Use this directory to find SPPs that have done the most for their clients through ENERGY STAR in the past 12 months.

### Service and Product Provider Directory

[www.energystar.gov/Find spp](http://www.energystar.gov/Find spp)

Locate ENERGY STAR service and product providers (SPPs) that can help identify, prioritize, and implement quality energy improvement projects.

## Design energy-efficient buildings

### Target Finder (Also included in Portfolio Manager as Design Project)

[www.energystar.gov/buildings/tools-and-resources/target-finder-0](http://www.energystar.gov/buildings/tools-and-resources/target-finder-0)

Set and achieve energy performance goals during all stages of building development, pursue Designed to Earn the ENERGY STAR, and estimate the impact of future building improvements by using the Target Finder tool.

### Energy Efficient Design Process

[www.energystar.gov/commercialbuildingdesign](http://www.energystar.gov/commercialbuildingdesign)

Incorporate energy performance in the building design process using EPA's integrated design guidance.

## Purchase ENERGY STAR certified products

### Energy-Efficient Product Purchasing

[www.energystar.gov/purchasing](http://www.energystar.gov/purchasing)

Cut your utility bills by using ENERGY STAR certified products purchasing guidance.

### ENERGY STAR Product Finder

[www.energystar.gov/productfinder/](http://www.energystar.gov/productfinder/)

Find all the information you need to start shopping for ENERGY STAR certified products, including product detail, rebates, and retailers near you.

## Reduce IT Energy Costs

### Ways to Reduce IT Energy Costs

[www.energystar.gov/products/reduceitenergycosts](http://www.energystar.gov/products/reduceitenergycosts)

Learn tips regarding how to reduce IT energy use and socts from low power "sleep" settings on computers to how to save energy in your data centers.