

Small Commercial Apples to Apples Comparison Chart

American Electric Power (AEP)

To best utilize this offer comparison tool, it is suggested that you have your most current utility bill available for reference. Compare the supplier offers contained in the chart with the "Price to Compare" shown on your electric bill.

The offer prices below reflect that of the generation portion of your bill. Your distribution and transmission rates are determined through your local utility company.

Steps to Switching

four simple steps to choosing a supplier

1. Compare offers

Find your Price to Compare on your utility bill and use that number to compare to other offers listed on PUCO's *Apples to Apples* comparison chart. Since your Price to Compare is made up of several different factors it can vary from month-to-month. To get a better understanding of your average Price to Compare take a look at a few of your recent bills. After determining your Price to Compare, use our *Apples to Apples* chart to identify offers based on cost, contract length or other incentives.

2. Contact suppliers

Contact the suppliers that you are most interested in and ask the questions provided below. To sign up simply call that supplier. The supplier will contact your local electric utility for you.

3. Read and understand the supply contract

Make sure you carefully read and understand all of the terms and conditions of your supply contract. The supplier should be able to answer any questions you have.

4. Receive confirmation

Your local electric utility will send you a letter confirming the supplier you have chosen. If the information is correct, you do not have to do anything. If the information is not correct, contact the utility and request that the switch be stopped. You have seven days from the postmark date of the letter to make any changes.



AEP Energy Inc
(866) 258-3782

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|-------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 6 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0535 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$150 |

Additional Information: America's Energy Partner(SM) This offer is limited to small business customers of AEP Ohio.
This is not a promotional offer.
This is not an introductory offer.

AEP Energy Inc
(866) 258-3782

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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 12 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0575 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$150 |

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(866) 258-3782

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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 24 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0599 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$150 |

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Agera Energy, LLC
(844) 692-4372

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|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 12 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0493 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$50 |

Additional Information: The 'Agera Fixed Advantage 12' gives you 1 full year of guaranteed price protection against rising energy costs and a simple, fixed rate for energy. This option provides you with a year of worry-free energy use and no variations in your monthly price
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Agera Energy, LLC
(844) 692-4372

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| Tariff Code: GS-2 | Term Length: 12 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0493 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$50 |

Additional Information: The 'Agera Fixed Advantage 12' gives you 1 full year of guaranteed price protection against rising energy costs and a simple, fixed rate for energy. This option provides you with a year of worry-free energy use and no variations in your monthly price
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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 24 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0517 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$50 |

Additional Information: The 'Agera Fixed Advantage 24' gives you two full years of guaranteed price protection against rising energy costs and a simple, fixed rate for energy. This option provides you with two years of worry-free energy use and no variations in your monthly price
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(844) 692-4372

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| Tariff Code: GS-2 | Term Length: 24 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0517 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$50 |

Additional Information: The 'Agera Fixed Advantage 24' gives you two full years of guaranteed price protection against rising energy costs and a simple, fixed rate for energy. This option provides you with two years of worry-free energy use and no variations in your monthly price
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American Power & Gas of Ohio, LLC
(800) 205-7491



Energy Choice Ohio
powered by *choice*.

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| Tariff Code: GS-2 | Term Length: 1 month | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Variable | | |
| \$0.0499 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$0 |

Additional Information: Our 25% rebate check is available to all of our customers. Plus: Travel Savings Deal Dollars Movie downloads Reforestation projects 1yr magazine subscription Pick yours! We have sent out over \$900,000 in rebates. Are you getting one?
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This is an introductory offer.

American Power & Gas of Ohio, LLC
(800) 205-7491

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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 1 month | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Variable | | |
| \$0.0499 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$0 |

Additional Information: Our 25% rebate check is available to all of our customers. Plus: Travel Savings Deal Dollars Movie downloads Reforestation projects 1yr magazine subscription Pick yours! We have sent out over \$900,000 in rebates. Are you getting one?
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Censtar Energy Corp
(877) 529-6701

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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 24 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0801 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$100 |

Additional Information: 24 month fixed price
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This is not an introductory offer.

Censtar Energy Corp
(877) 529-6701

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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 12 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0815 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$100 |

Additional Information: 12 month fixed price
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This is not an introductory offer.

Direct Energy Services LLC
(888) 566-9988

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| Tariff Code: GS-1 | Term Length: 12 months | 0% Renewable |
| Rate Type: Fixed | | |
| \$0.0589 per kWh | Monthly Fee: \$0 | Early Termination Fee: \$0 |

Additional Information: Eliminate market volatility and provide yourself price certainty with a fixed rate throughout the initial term of your contract. This rate excludes utility-related charges and taxes.
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Direct Energy Services LLC

(888) 566-9988

Tariff Code: GS-2
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 24 months

0% Renewable

\$0.0699 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$250

Additional Information: Eliminate market volatility and provide yourself price certainty with a fixed rate throughout the initial term of your contract. This rate excludes utility-related charges and taxes.

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Direct Energy Services LLC

(888) 566-9988

Tariff Code: GS-1
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 24 months

0% Renewable

\$0.0699 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$250

Additional Information: Eliminate market volatility and provide yourself price certainty with a fixed rate throughout the initial term of your contract. This rate excludes utility-related charges and taxes.

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(888) 566-9988

Tariff Code: GS-1
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 24 months

0% Renewable

\$0.0699 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$0

Additional Information: None Provided

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This is not an introductory offer.

Dynegy Energy Services East LLC

(877) 331-3045

Tariff Code: GS-1
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 12 months

0% Renewable

\$0.0549 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$0

Additional Information: \$0.0549/kWh through June 2017 Small Commercial Customers of AEP Ohio only.

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Dynegy Energy Services East LLC

(877) 331-3045

Tariff Code: GS-2
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 12 months

0% Renewable

\$0.0549 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$0

Additional Information: None Provided

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IGS Energy

(800) 280-4474

Tariff Code: GS-1
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 12 months

100% Renewable

\$0.0569 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$100

Additional Information: Fixed rate for 12 Billing Cycles.

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Perigee Energy LLC

(866) 878-3492

Tariff Code: GS-1
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 8 months

0% Renewable

\$0.0469 per kWh

Monthly Fee: \$0

Early Termination Fee: \$80

Additional Information: None Provided

This is not a promotional offer.

This is not an introductory offer.

Perigee Energy LLC

(866) 878-3492

Tariff Code: GS-1
Rate Type: Fixed

Term Length: 18 months

0% Renewable



Chart Definitions

Apples to Apples Charts: The PUCO's electric and natural gas offer comparison charts, the only comparisons in the state for which suppliers are required to provide accurate and up-to-date information about their latest offers.

ccf: Hundred cubic feet. Used to measure natural gas.

Customer Charge: Charge billed each month to recover a portion of the ongoing fixed costs of providing service to a consumer's home or business. See Fixed Delivery Charge.

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Electric Distribution Utility (EDU): The local electric distribution utility that delivers electricity to your home or business.

Supply Charge: The price of electricity or natural gas offered by a supplier.

Fixed Price: A fixed electricity or natural gas rate that will remain the same, for a set period of time.

Gas Cost Recovery (GCR) Charge: The actual cost of natural gas that a local distribution company (LDC) pays to purchase natural gas for your use. That cost is then passed through to you on a dollar-for-dollar basis with no mark-up or profit to the LDC. Only the actual costs of the natural gas are recovered through this process.

Generation Charge: The charge for producing electricity. If you purchase electricity from a supplier, your generation charge will depend on the contract between you and your supplier.

Kilowatt Hour (kwh): A 1,000-watt unit of energy for one hour. This is the standard measurement for the amount of electricity a customer uses.

Local Distribution Company (LDC): The local natural gas distribution utility that delivers natural gas to your home or business.

mcf: Thousand cubic feet. Used to measure natural gas.

Monthly Fee: A fixed monthly fee that a supplier may include in the terms and conditions of their contract that is in addition to a rate based on usage.

NYMEX: The New York Mercantile Exchange, a public market where natural gas and other commodities are sold and traded.

Price to Compare: The price for an electric supplier to beat in order for you to save money. It will be shown on residential customer's electric utility bill. You can use this amount to compare with prices offered by suppliers.

Renew. (Renewable) Content: The percentage of the contracted generation supply that is provided by a renewable energy source.



Renewable Energy: Electricity or natural gas that is made from environmentally friendly fuel resources, such as wind, water, biomass, biogas, waste heat or solar. Sometimes referred to as "green" energy.

Standard Choice Offer (SCO): Each year, Columbia Gas of Ohio, Dominion East Ohio and Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio conduct auctions to secure natural gas supplies for customers who do not participate in the retail choice program. The auction establishes a SCO rate for choice-eligible customers. The SCO rate is based on the NYMEX month-end settlement price for natural gas, plus a retail price adjustment determined in the auctions. The retail price adjustment reflects the winning bidders' price to deliver natural gas from the production area to the utility's service area.

Standard Service Offer: The electric generation service a customer will receive from their local electric utility if they do not choose an electric supplier.

Transmission: The transporting of high-voltage electricity from generation at a power plant to local electric utilities.

Transmission Charge: Charge for transporting electricity from the generation plant to the local electric utility.

Transportation Cost: Cost related to the actual transportation of natural gas through the natural gas transmission pipeline to the LDC.

Variable Price: A variable rate can change, by the hour, day, month, etc., according to the terms and conditions of the supplier's contract.