

The ABCs of shopping

for an electricity supplier

A. Always Start with Your Price to Compare

This insert contains the current Penelec prices to compare by rate class. The price to compare is the price per kilowatt-hour (kWh) you pay for electric generation and transmission. It does not include the other costs on your monthly bill. You can use this figure to compare prices from different electric suppliers. Your price to compare changes semiannually. Updates to the price to compare will be reflected on your bill.

To find your rate class, look under the "Charges from Penelec" section of your monthly electric bill. Your bill also contains a Usage Comparison graph that shows how much electricity you've used each month. You can use this to determine your average monthly usage.

B. Be Sure to Tap Your Resources

For more information, log on to the Pennsylvania Utility Choice website, PAPowerSwitch.com. You also can find information on suppliers and their prices as well as a free Residential Electric Shopping Guide from the Pennsylvania Office of Consumer Advocate at oca.state.pa.us.

C. Choose with Confidence

Whether or not you choose a new electricity supplier, Penelec will continue to deliver safe, reliable electric service to your home or business.

Penelec Prices to Compare*
through May 31, 2026.

Residential Rate Classes

Residential (RS)

11.747 cents per kWh

Non-Residential Rate Classes

General Secondary – Non-Demand Metered or GS-Small

12.155 cents per kWh

General Secondary – Demand Metered or GS-Medium (PTC)

12.155 cents per kWh

All-Electric School, Church or Hospital (H)

12.155 cents per kWh

*Your price to compare changes two times per year. Please check the "Messages" section of your bill each month to find your current price to compare.

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