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Exit Signs

If all U.S. companies switched to ENERGY STAR qualified exit signs, they would save \$75 million in electricity costs.



Earning the ENERGY STAR

- Exit signs that have earned the ENERGY STAR operate on five watts or less per sign, compared to standard signs, which use as much as 40 watts per sign.
- When installed throughout a building, qualified exit signs can save hundreds or even thousands of dollars in energy and maintenance costs. One sign alone can save about \$10 annually on electricity costs and can last up to 10 years without a lamp replacement, compared to less than one year for an incandescent.
- Signs that have earned the ENERGY STAR are tested for visibility factors, and come with a five-year manufacturer warranty.

Remember, saving energy prevents pollution.

There are more than 100 million exit signs in use throughout the U.S. Typically lit by incandescent bulbs, these signs consume 30-35 billion kilowatt hours (kWh) hours of energy each year.


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