Minnesota



Cooling Efficiency

Increase Comfort Without Compromise

Depending on your business, cooling can be a main driver of electricity use. Fortunately, with advances in today's HVAC technology, there are many new, energy-efficient equipment options to choose from if you're considering an upgrade.

Whether you're ready to replace your entire cooling system, or just specific components, our Cooling Efficiency rebates can help lower your up-front costs and shorten your payback period.

How our program works

We offer cash rebates for qualifying, high-efficiency cooling equipment, such as DX units, chillers and other select equipment. On average, our rebates equate to approximately 60 percent of the incremental cost incurred for purchasing high-efficiency equipment rather than standard efficiency equipment.

For cooling equipment that does not qualify for our prescriptive rebate program, we offer rebates of up to \$400 per kW of electricity saved through our Custom Efficiency program. All Custom Efficiency projects require preapproval prior to purchase and installation.

Where to start – consider your budget

If your cooling system is old and inefficient, it could become unreliable and expensive to maintain. A scheduled replacement of your cooling system can generally be negotiated at a lower cost, and with less inconvenience than an emergency replacement of a failed unit.

If you're considering an update to your cooling system, keep the following factors in mind:

- Plan ahead. A planned replacement will allow for more careful analysis of your options, costs, rebate opportunities, energy costs and payback.
- **Consider your timing.** Take advantage of off-season replacement that offers zero-downtime for your cooling system, and often saves on equipment and installation costs.
- Reliability. Your new equipment is less apt to break down on hot days when you need
 it most.
- **Avoid wasted energy dollars.** Replace equipment now rather than waiting until your existing equipment breaks down completely.

When you install qualifying equipment that is more energy efficient than older models, you bolster your bottom line with energy savings and lower electric bills.

Contact us to learn more

For more information, contact your account manager or an energy efficiency specialist at **855.839.8862.** Visit **xcelenergy.com/Cooling** to view our full line of cooling rebates.



Efficiency upgrades often pay for themselves in energy savings in just a few years while maintaining—even increasing—the comfort to which you are accustomed.