

EcoChoice®

2020 Price, Terms, and Conditions Summary



Company

San Diego Gas & Electric® (SDG&E®)

Whom should I contact for more information?

For more information about EcoChoice®, visit sdge.com/EcoChoice, call 1-800-411-SDGE (7343), or email CTTS@sdge.com.

Where can I find a complete listing of EcoChoice requirements?

The information provided here represents a summary of official EcoChoice requirements contained in the program tariff. For a complete listing of program terms and conditions, please refer to Schedule GT at http://regarchive.sdge.com/tm2/pdf/ELEC_ELEC-SCHEDS_GT.pdf.

How do I enroll in EcoChoice?

Using the automated form at sdge.com/EcoChoice is the easiest, most convenient way to enroll. Paper enrollment forms are also available. Eligible Customers will elect a percentage of their monthly electricity usage, between 50% and 100%, to be served by GT.

How will I be billed for EcoChoice?

You will be billed for EcoChoice (Schedule GT) on your monthly SDG&E electricity bill. EcoChoice related charges and credits will be listed as separate line items and are in addition to your regular electricity charges.

How will EcoChoice be calculated on my bill?

After enrolling in EcoChoice, you will notice two new charges, in addition to your regular electricity charges, on your monthly SDG&E bill:

1. EcoChoice Differential

The EcoChoice Differential includes the following charges and credits:

1. Renewable Power Rate
2. Renewable Energy Value Adjustment
3. Administrative and Marketing Costs
4. SDG&E's Average Commodity Cost Adjustment
5. California Independent System Operators (CAISO) Grid Management Charges (GMCs)
6. Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System (WREGIS) Charges

2. Power Charge Indifference Adjustment (PCIA)

The PCIA comprises the above market costs of SDG&E's existing procurement portfolio and is calculated annually. This is a cost that is ultimately borne by all customers for resources procured on their behalf.

The PCIA will be applied based on the [date that you begin service](#) on the EcoChoice schedule. If you begin service in the first six months of the calendar year (e.g. 2020), you are assigned the prior year's vintage (i.e. 2019). If you begin service on or after July 1, you are assigned the vintage for the current year (2020 in this example).

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The sum of these two line items represents your total EcoChoice charges for the billed month. It is normal for the EcoChoice Differential to be a negative number. Applicable federal, state, and local taxes and charges still apply.

**Current EcoChoice Charges and Credits
(updated 02/01/2020)**

Rate Component	Residential (\$/kWh)	Small Commercial (\$/kWh)	M/L Commercial and Industrial (\$/kWh)	Agriculture (\$/kWh)	Street lighting (\$/kWh)
Renewable Power Rate	0.06935	0.06935	0.06935	0.06935	0.06935
Renewable Energy Value Adjustment	0.00575	0.00575	0.00575	0.00575	0.00575
Administrative Costs	0.00183	0.00183	0.00183	0.00183	0.00183
Marketing Costs	0.00158	0.00158	0.00158	0.00158	0.00158
SDG&E's Average Commodity Cost Adjustment	(0.11796)	(0.10541)	(0.11605)	(0.08397)	(0.07738)
WREGIS	0.00001	0.00001	0.00001	0.00001	0.00001
CAISO GMC	0.00074	0.00074	0.00074	0.00074	0.00074
Renewable Integration Cost	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
EcoChoice Differential	(0.03871)	(0.02616)	(0.03680)	(0.00472)	0.00188
PCIA 2020 Vintage	0.03265	0.02744	0.03024	0.02281	0.02146
TOTAL COST	(0.00606)	0.00128	(0.00656)	0.01809	0.02334

Will my rate change over time?

EcoChoice credits and charges on your SDG&E bill are based on current California Public Utility Commission approved tariffs. *Charges and credits are subject to change annually as approved by the California Public Utilities Commission.* You will be provided an annual summary of current program charges and will be notified whenever significant changes to price occur.

What other fees might I be charged?

No other recurring fees apply, but you may be assessed a termination fee as outlined below.

What length of agreement is required?

SDG&E requires a minimum one (1) year term for participation in EcoChoice. You will continue to be enrolled in the program after the first year on a monthly basis. If you terminate your participation in EcoChoice, you may not re-enroll in the program for a one-year period beginning on your withdrawal date.

Can I cancel my participation and are there any termination fees?

Yes. You will have 60 days, beginning on your effective date of enrollment, to cancel your participation in EcoChoice for any reason without being charged an early termination fee. The cancellation will become effective as of your next closed bill period after the termination request is processed.

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If you elect to cancel after the 60-day grace period, but prior to the end of the one-year agreement term, you will be charged a termination fee.

Residential Customers: A flat termination fee of \$70.00 will be charged.

Business Customers: The termination fee for business customers is based on average monthly enrolled consumption, and decreases month over month as you move towards the end of the one-year enrollment term:

*Termination Fee =
\$0.01245 * (Average Subscribed Monthly kWh) * (Number of Months Remaining in Initial 1 Year Term)*

Can I change my participation level?

Yes, you may elect to change your participation level once during the 60-day grace period. After the 60-day grace period has expired, you may not change your participation level until you have been enrolled in the program for a minimum of 12 months. After the one-year participation term has expired, you may change your participation level no more than once every 12 months.

Can I move and continue to participate in EcoChoice?

Yes, enrollment is fully transferable to your new premises or account, provided that the new premises or account is located within SDG&E's service territory. As part of your transfer of service (moving to a new location), you should let SDG&E know when and where the existing enrollment should be transferred to. If you elect to continue your participation in EcoChoice at a new premise, the new premise should maintain the same enrollment percentage level elected at the previous premise for the applicable term. Eligibility of the new premise or account will be determined before transfer of the rate is completed.

Can I participate in both EcoChoice & EcoShareSM at the same time?

No, a single account may not be enrolled in both programs at the same time.

What is SDG&E's default resource mix?

The current average mix of resources supplying SDG&E customers includes: Biomass and Biowaste (2%), Solar (20%), Wind (21%), Natural Gas (29%), and Other (28%). This resource mix was reported in SDG&E's 2018 Power Content Label. Renewables in SDG&E's default mix are not Green-e certified.



EcoChoice is Green-e Energy certified, and meets the environmental and consumer-protection standards set forth by the nonprofit Center for Resource Solutions. Learn more at www.green-e.org.