

# Smart Meters



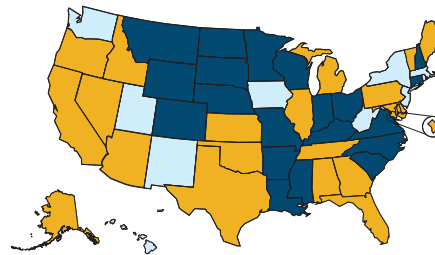
Smart meters give you more control over your energy use and help you save. Over 100 million U.S. homes have safe, secure and reliable smart meters.


In today's digital world, we depend more than ever on reliable energy to power the technology we use in our daily lives. Smart meters are helping to create a smarter, stronger and more efficient electric grid to meet your energy needs.

## SMART METERS INSTALLED

Percent of households

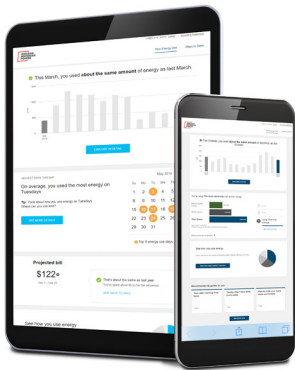
- 0-15%
- 15-50%
- 50-100%



 **75%**  
of U.S. households have a smart meter

## Your Smart Meter Benefits

Smart meters use wireless technology to help you make sense of the energy you use. They give you more control over your energy use and bill.



### Monitor Your Usage with 24/7 Access

You don't need to wait for your bill to see how much energy you're using. Monitor what you are using with our online tools or through your account on [IndianaMichiganPower.com](http://IndianaMichiganPower.com).

### Create Good Energy-saving Habits

Get personalized tips on easy ways to save energy. See when you are using energy by the 15-minute, hour, day, month or year. Your use is measured in both dollars and kWh, helping you set your energy goals and budgets.

### Get Proactive Alerts

Set alerts to help you manage your budget and energy goals.

### Eliminate Manual Meter Readings

Manual readings are a thing of the past. Your smart meter sends your energy use details directly to I&M. If you are moving and need to start or stop service, it can be done without a field visit.

Use our online tools or go to your account on [IndianaMichiganPower.com](http://IndianaMichiganPower.com) to get all the benefits.



## How a Smart Meter Works

Smart meters use secure, two-way wireless communication to send information between your meter and I&M. Cell phones, laptops, baby monitors and TV remotes also use wireless signals. Just like those devices, smart meters provide convenience and control.

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