

# NATURAL GAS

THE NATURAL CHOICE  
FOR YOUR NEW HOME

## A HOME WITH NATURAL GAS APPLIANCES PROVIDES:

1. Greater energy efficiency and cost savings.
2. A more comfortable lifestyle.
3. 38% less CO2 emissions.<sup>1</sup>
4. A safe and reliable option for your household energy use.

### WATER HEATER BENEFITS

- Natural gas water heaters recover twice as fast and have more hot water available than electric models.
- Natural gas is significantly cleaner than electricity, with half the carbon footprint.

### COOKING BENEFITS

- 96% of professional chefs prefer natural gas.
- Precision temperature control and even heat distribution.

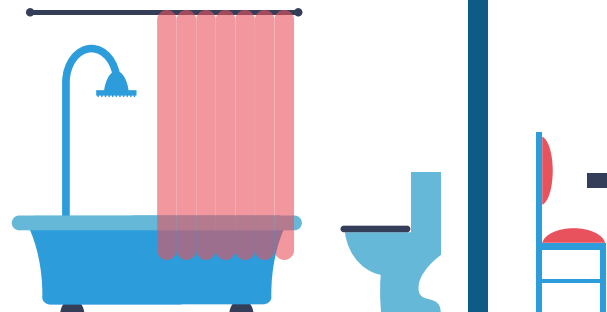
### HEATING BENEFITS

- Heat from a natural gas furnace feels warm and cozy because the air delivered is 25 degrees warmer than air from an electric heat pump.
- A natural gas furnace provides comforting heat even during the harshest weather. A heat pump often requires costly supplemental resistance heating to keep the home warm on colder days.



Operating costs are up to

**52%**  
**LOWER**<sup>2</sup>  
than electric.



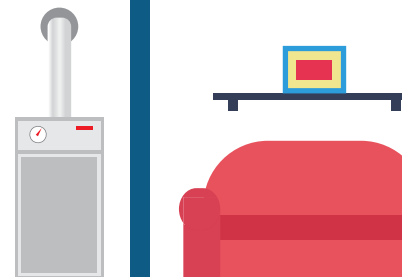
Lower operating costs – SAVE UP TO

**37%**  
**PER YEAR**<sup>2</sup>



On average, a natural gas furnace costs up to

**34%** **LESS THAN**<sup>2</sup>  
electric heating options.<sup>3</sup>



### CLOTHES DRYING BENEFITS



- Natural gas dryers heat faster — dry two loads for same cost as one with an electric dryer.
- Shorter drying times helps preserve the life of your clothes.

<sup>1</sup> Source of electric US emissions: eGRID2018 - DOE, Source of gas emissions: AP 42 Emissions Factors - DOE, Gas Source Energy Emissions (from point of extraction to end use) AGA (in lbs./MMBtu), Electric Source Energy Emissions (from generation plant to end use) eGRID (in lbs./MWh)

<sup>2</sup> Source: 2019 Avg Texas Residential retail energy prices per EIA - DOE

<sup>3</sup> Average of heat pump & 100% electric home