

# Helping **YOU** Find More Savings

## *Discover your energy savings.*

Looking for ways to cut costs for your business? A Natural Gas Energy Analysis can help you identify opportunities to improve energy efficiency.

## *Enjoy short-term and long-term savings.*

Learn how simple operating adjustments or equipment upgrades can generate real energy savings for years to come. In addition, CenterPoint Energy's rebate programs can help reduce your initial costs if you're making equipment upgrades.

Participating customers will also be eligible for **free** direct-install natural gas-saving measures, including programmable thermostats, energy-efficient faucet aerators and showerheads, and weather stripping for exterior doors.

### **CenterPoint Energy's certified energy auditor will:**

1. Analyze your facility's recent natural gas use (excluding process load).
2. Work with you to identify specific issues and needs.
3. Thoroughly inspect your building envelope, including doors, windows and insulation.
4. Catalog and review installed natural gas equipment and how it's currently operated.
5. Provide a detailed, written report with specific energy-saving recommendations, including:
  - A complete list of your natural gas consumption and related energy consumption from equipment
  - An energy plan that identifies opportunities for natural gas energy savings, including a high-efficiency equipment comparison and recommended upgrades
  - Projected energy savings for specific improvements
  - Estimated costs to implement the improvements
  - Estimated payback time for each suggested improvement
  - Detailed information about CenterPoint Energy's rebate programs and other financial assistance designed to help offset initial costs associated with specific energy improvements



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## Types of analyses

We offer several levels of analysis to meet the unique needs of your business\*, and offer ad hoc services for specific energy use analysis, such as steam trap surveys and infrared scans.

### Analyses available

Type of analysis	Scope	Co-pay
<b>Basic analysis*</b>	Basic review of facility with high-level report, covering non-process loads. Most appropriate for small customers.	<b>\$50</b>
<b>Comprehensive analysis**</b>	Comprehensive review of facility with detailed technical report and calculations, covering non-process loads. Most appropriate for mid-to-large customers.	<b>\$200</b>
<b>Ad hoc services***</b> for specific energy use analysis, such as steam trap surveys for a heating system and infrared scans	Custom analysis and/or additional services targeted to special customer needs and preferences, including infrared scans, steam trap surveys, and analysis of process loads.	<b>Based on services provided</b>

Ad hoc services are available for customers with specific needs, interests or considerations and are determined in consultation with an energy audit professional, CenterPoint Energy and the customer. There is an extra fee for services beyond the analysis cost described above, but depending on services requested, ad hoc services will provide the customer with other detailed or specific energy use analysis not possible within a typical visit.

Note: The analysis does not include electric consumption, except as related to natural gas equipment, so it is not considered a comprehensive energy audit.

\*Basic analysis is only available to customer with a Firm A or Firm B rate class.

\*\*Customers with a Firm A and Firm B rate class may opt in to the comprehensive-level analysis.

\*\*\*Ad-hoc services provides for specialty technical analysis of facilities, based on special needs of the customer, regardless of rate class. Customers with process loads, regardless of size will receive a custom analysis.

## Looking for a comprehensive natural gas and electric audit?

CenterPoint Energy is partnering with Xcel Energy to offer joint customers a comprehensive electric/natural gas energy audit. If you receive your electric service from Xcel Energy, you can request a joint electric/natural gas site visit for a total co-pay of \$500. See website for additional details.

### Start saving today.

To request a Natural Gas Energy Analysis, call your account manager or our Business Customer Hotline at 612-321-4939 (877-809-3803). Or, visit us online at [CenterPointEnergy.com/EnergyAnalysis](https://www.centerpointenergy.com/EnergyAnalysis).

### Program deadlines

- Program dates are Jan. 1– Dec. 31.
- Rebate applications must be received by Dec. 31

## Use energy that's better for the environment and your budget.

Count on us to deliver what you need now and in the future: low-cost, dependable energy that's getting cleaner every day

### Affordable

Natural gas costs substantially less to use than electricity, propane or heating oil. Natural gas prices are consistently 2-3X lower than electric prices.\*

### Reliable

During the polar vortex of January 2019, we supplied the equivalent of more than 20,000 megawatts of power – more than the total capacity of all electricity generation in the state.

### Clean

As a primary fuel, natural gas can be used in its natural state rather than undergoing a conversion process at a power plant that creates emissions and wastes energy.\*\*

### Efficient

Over the last 25 years, we've partnered with our customers to reduce their carbon footprint by 12.2 million metric tons. That is equal to the annual energy use of 2.4 million homes in Minnesota.

### Innovative

We plan to reduce our operational emissions by 70% by 2035. And we'll reduce natural gas emissions from residential and commercial use by 20-30% by 2040, from 2005 levels.

### Domestic

About 93% of the natural gas used in the United States comes from within U.S borders - enough to meet our energy needs for the next 110 years.

Learn more at

[CenterPointEnergy.com/  
NaturalGasBenefits](https://www.centerpointenergy.com/NaturalGasBenefits)

\*[https://www.centerpointenergy.com/en-us/Documents/200409\\_MN\\_Clean\\_02\\_Factsheet.pdf](https://www.centerpointenergy.com/en-us/Documents/200409_MN_Clean_02_Factsheet.pdf)

\*\*<http://playbook.aga.org/>