

HOW TO READ YOUR CON ED BILL

Page 1 Summary - how to tell if you are with an Energy Service Company(ESCO)

Combined Con Ed charge splits into two

If you have Con Ed supply, your page 1 summary looks something like this:

This is what that page looks like when you have an ESCO supplier (including Westchester Power):



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Your account number:
Service delivered to:
Your electric rate: EL1 Residential or Religious
Next meter reading date: Thursday, Jul 31, 2008
Avoid estimated bills - please give us access to read your meter.

Your billing summary as of Jul 2, 2008

Your previous charges and payments

Total charges from your last bill	\$82.20
Payments through Jun 30	None

Remaining balance \$82.20

Your new charges - details start on page 2


Billing period: Jun 17, 2008 to Jul 01, 2008

Electricity charges - for 14 days	\$49.57
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Total new charges \$49.57

Total amount due \$131.77

Payment is due upon receipt of this bill. To avoid a late payment charge of 1.5%, please pay the total amount due by Jul 28, 2008.



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MARY SMITH

Your account number: 12-3456-7890-1234-5
Service delivered to: 200 Main Avenue F12
Your electric rate: EL1 Residential or Religious
Next meter reading date: Tuesday, Oct 24, 2017

Your billing summary as of Sep 25, 2017

Your previous charges and payments

Total charges from your last bill	\$69.71
Payments through Sep 21, thank you	-\$69.71

Remaining balance None

Your new charges - details start on page 2

Billing period: Aug 23, 2017 to Sep 22, 2017

Esco electricity supply charges - for 30 days	\$14.56
Con Edison electricity charges	\$38.41

Total new charges \$52.97

Total amount due \$52.97

Takeaway:

1. It looks like there's a new charge but there is not. It's just that the original Con Ed electricity charges item is now split into two parts.
2. The "Con Edison electricity charges" sounds like it is for electricity supply, but it is not. It's the "Delivery charges" from page 2.

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Page 2 - recognize two main sections, Supply and Distribution

If you have Con Ed supply, your page 2 details something like this:

.. and when you have an ESCO supplier (including Westchester Power's supplier, Constellation):

Your electricity charges

These charges are for the electricity you used (supply) and getting that electricity to you (delivery). Rates are based on a 30 day period. When your billing period is more or less than 30 days, we prorate your bill accordingly.

Electricity you used during this 29 day billing period from Aug 03, 2011 to Sep 01, 2011	
Rate: EL1 Residential or Religious	Meter# 2216898
We measure your electricity by how many kilowatt hours (kWh) you use. One kWh will light a 100 watt bulb for 10 hours.	
Sep 01, 11 actual reading	9033
Aug 03, 11 actual reading	-8696
Your electricity use	337 kWh

► Your supply charges

Supply 337 kWh @8.7893¢/kWh	\$29.62
Charge for the electricity supplied to you by Con Edison.	
Merchant function charge	\$1.83
Charge associated with procuring electricity, credit and collection related activities and uncollectible accounts.	
GRT & other tax surcharges	\$0.76
Taxes on Con Edison gross receipts from sales of utility services and other tax surcharges.	
Total supply charges	\$32.21

Your total electricity supply cost for this bill is 9.6¢ per kWh. You can compare this price with those offered by energy services companies (ESCOs). For a list of ESCOs, visit www.PowerYourWay.com or call 1-800-780-2884.

► Your delivery charges

Basic service charge	\$15.75
Charge for basic system infrastructure and customer-related services, including customer accounting, meter reading and meter maintenance. A billing and payment processing charge of \$0.52, which may be avoided by switching to an energy services company (ESCO), is also included.	
Delivery 337 kWh @9.7893¢/kWh	\$32.99
Charge for maintaining the system through which Con Edison delivers electricity to you.	

Your electricity charges

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Electricity you used during this 30 day billing period from Aug 23, 2017 to Sep 22, 2017	
Rate: EL1 Residential or Religious	Meter# 7577369
We measure your electricity by how many kilowatt hours (kWh) you use. One kWh will light a 100 watt bulb for 10 hours.	
Sep 22, 17 actual reading	22244
Aug 23, 17 actual reading	-22062
Your electricity use	182 kWh

► Your supply charges

Your electricity is supplied by CONSTELLATION NEW ENERGY, INC.. Your supply charges appear on page 3.

► Your delivery charges

Basic service charge	\$15.75
Charge for basic system infrastructure and customer-related services, including customer accounting, meter reading and meter maintenance.	
Delivery 182 kWh @10.9231¢/kWh	\$19.88
Charge for maintaining the system through which Con Edison delivers electricity to you.	
System Benefit Charge @0.6703¢/kWh	\$1.22
The System Benefits Charge recovers costs associated with clean energy activities conducted by the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA) and energy efficiency programs implemented by the Company.	
Temporary NY State Surcharge @0.1209¢/kWh	\$0.22
Covers new fees imposed by the state.	
GRT & other tax surcharges	\$1.33
Taxes on Con Edison gross receipts from sales of utility services and other tax surcharges.	
Total delivery charges	\$38.41

►► **Con Edison electric charges** **\$38.41**

Takeaway

1. ESCO supply is an all-in price for supply, comparable to the sum of all the supply items in the Con Ed supply version on the left. ESCO details show on page 4 (not shown), the "ESCO page".
2. The broken line box under the highlighted area is where Con Ed is helping you to compare on a cents per kilowatt-hour basis.