

R-S1 Residential Central Air Conditioner or Heat Pump (with cooling cycle)

THESE ARE CONTRACTOR INSTALLED REBATE ITEMS.

Measure description: Duquesne Light provides rebates for energy-efficient central air conditioners or heat pumps as well as proper system sizing and installation "best practices" that affect operating efficiency. When selecting a contractor, be sure to ask if they are NATE certified. North American Technician Excellence (NATE) is the leading national certification program for technicians. For a list of NATE certified contractors, contact the Eastern Heating & Cooling Council at 1-800-247-6547, or visit www.eh-cc.org.

Incentives: Central Air Conditioner and heat pump (with cooling cycle) rebate amounts are based on the unit's Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER) and Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) and documentation that the proper contractor installation requirements have been met. Both the condenser and coil must be replaced or installed as a matched set as rated in the Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute (ARI) certified performance criteria.

To ensure that Duquesne Light residential customers receive full benefit of their new energy-efficient central air conditioner or heat pump (i.e. that it operates as efficiently as its energy rating suggests it should), the rebate will be processed only if the installing contractor submits documentation that the air conditioner or heat pump has been properly sized and installed.

Application Information & Terms/Conditions

Customers applying for a Central Air Conditioner or Heat Pump Rebate: Before completing the application, please read the following program requirements and instructions for providing necessary information on the rebate forms.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR YOUR REBATE:

1. You must be a current Duquesne Light residential customer.
2. Rebates are available for replacement/retrofit installation in existing homes.
3. Purchase a high-efficiency electric central air conditioner or heat pump defined in the table below.
Both the condenser and coil must be replaced and installed as a matched set.
4. Abide by the rules and rebate levels in effect at the date of purchase.
5. Applications must be postmarked by 3/31/2013.
6. Install a high-efficiency electric central air conditioner or heat pump unit that meets all applicable SEER* based on the Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration (ARI) certified performance criteria of a condenser and indoor coil working together.
 7. To qualify for a central air conditioner or heat pump rebate, the installing HVAC contractor must do the following: 1) Size the high-efficiency equipment within 15% or a half ton of the calculated cooling load "Manual J calculation" or equivalent and 2) Meet "Manual S" system selection criteria. This is not required for ductless mini-split units.

Equipment Type	Efficiency Level for units purchased on or after December 1, 2009	Sizing and Selection	Customer Incentive
Central Air Conditioning or Air to Air Heat Pump (with a cooling cycle)	Compressor and coil combination MUST yield = SEER 15 (and EER 12.5) ONLY	ACCA Manual J and Manual S outputs are required showing that the installed system is sized within 15% variance of requirement and correctly selected for the dwelling	\$32.50 per Ton of cooling capacity (1 ton = 12000 Btu/Hr)

SEER - Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio; ACCA - Air Conditioning Contractors of America

1. Keep copies of all above required documents. If contractor is submitting the rebate documents for you, we suggest you request your set of copies to be mailed to you simultaneously.
2. If you are applying for more than one rebate, separate rebate forms are to be completed for each individual unit.
3. If the customer rebate is to be assigned to another party, the customer must authorize this by completing and signing the customer information section on the rebate form.
4. It is the responsibility of the customer to assure that all requirements for the rebate are met and that all required documentation is provided.
5. Keep copies of all above required documents. If contractor is submitting the rebate documents for you, we suggest you request your set of copies to be mailed to you simultaneously. Duquesne Light will not be responsible for lost documentation pertaining to this application request.
6. Proof of purchase invoice documentation accompanying this application must itemize the products purchased and/or work performed. This proof of purchase must show: (1) the date of purchase and itemized price paid, (2) the size, type, make, model or part number of the products, (3) a description of any installation or other labor charges, and (4) the invoice is paid in full.
7. Rebate payments will be based on the equipment purchase date or date applicable services are performed.
8. Failure to provide any of the required information will prevent processing of your application.
9. Funds for incentives are limited and available on a first-come, first-serve basis.
10. Duquesne Light reserves the right to inspect all installations in order to ensure compliance with all program requirements. Participant's home may also be selected for a quality control post-installation inspection. No warranty is implied by this inspection. Participant agrees to provide reasonable access to the property for the purposes described herein.
11. Program procedures, requirements and rebate levels are subject to change or cancellation without notice.
12. Duquesne Light provides no oversight or control over any contractor services related to this program. Responsibility for proper sizing of equipment, as well as delivery and workmanship related to any equipment or services the customer procures, rests exclusively with the contractor selected by the customer. Duquesne Light of the REEP assumes no responsibility for oversight of contractor services.

13. Duquesne Light does not endorse any particular manufacturer, contractor, or product in promoting its programs.
14. One rebate check will be issued to the customer applying for each approved and completed application.
15. Duquesne Light audits its rebate programs as a protection against consumer and/or contractor fraud. Any attempt to defraud Duquesne Light will result in automatic rejection of the rebate application and possible legal action.
16. Installations must be completed in accordance with all laws, codes and other requirements applicable under federal state and local authority.
17. You are urged to seek appropriate consultation concerning any tax liabilities that could be associated with the receipt of the rebate. Duquesne Light is not responsible for any tax liability, which may be imposed on the participant as a result of payment of program rebates or incentives.