



Ever wonder how much it costs to operate items in your home ?



Use the formula below to calculate your costs

(wattage X hours used)/1,000 X electric rate \$/kWh = Cost

Example: 100 watt light bulb burning 10 hours a day with a rate of \$.08/kWh

(100 watts X 10 hours)/1,000 = 1 kWh or \$.08 to operate

How to Calculate Your \$/kWh Rate: Take your total monthly electric bill cost and divide it by your total kWh (consumption) for the month.

Example: \$55.00 electric bill with 650 kWh used during the billing period.

$\$55.00/650 \text{ kWh} = \$.0846/\text{kWh}$