

Power Watch

Stage 1 Emergency

Consumers are urged to reduce their use of electricity voluntarily to avoid severe conditions.

Stage 2 Emergency

Voluntary interruption of service to select customers is possible to avoid more severe conditions.

Stage 3 Emergency

Consumers are advised that involuntary interruptions of service have begun and will continue until the emergency has passed.



Powerful Habits

- Set thermostat at 78 degrees or higher
- Cool with fans
- Draw the drapes
- Turn off unnecessary lights and appliances
- Use big appliances in early morning or late at night

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Flex Your Power NOW! PowerWatch Days Extended Through Monday

The first significant heat wave of the year appears to be strengthening, with triple digit heat expected over much of California through the early part of next week. Temperatures as high as 110 in the Central Valley will result in high electricity demand and may impact power supplies. The California ISO is extending the PowerWatch through Monday, June 26, urging consumers to practice conservation habits through Monday at 7:00 p.m. in order to reduce the strain on the power grid and prevent electrical emergencies. Energy demand on Monday is forecast to be close to the ISO all time record peak of 45,431 megawatts, set on July 20, 2005.

24-Hour Ahead Outlook for Saturday, June 24 Flex Your Power NOW! PowerWatch Day

Stage 1: unlikelyStage 2: unlikelyStage 3: unlikelyForecast peak demand:Approx. 40,499 megawatts around 4:00 p.m.

48-Hour Ahead Outlook for Sunday, June 25 Flex Your Power NOW! PowerWatch Day

Statewide high temperatures are expected to continue and intensify somewhat.Stage 1: unlikelyStage 2: unlikelyForecast peak demand: Approx. 41,406 megawatts around 4:00 p.m.

72-Hour Ahead Outlook for Monday, June 26 Flex Your Power NOW! PowerWatch Day

Stage 1: possible Stage 2: unlikely Stage 3: unlikely Forecast peak demand: Approx. 45,000 + megawatts around 4:00 p.m.

Go to <u>www.fypower.org</u> for more conservation tips and please monitor the California ISO website at <u>www.caiso.com</u> for updated information about the electricity supply. The *Systems Condition* page provides current demand on the Grid and an hourly forecast of the day's electrical surplus/shortfall is available in *Today's Outlook*.

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