

Power Watch

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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California ISO Extends <u>Flex Your Power NOW! Power Watch</u> <u>Through Friday, July 22, 2005</u>

As the heat wave continues through tomorrow, the California ISO is continuing to urge conservation via a *Flex Your Power NOW!* Power Watch, which it is extending through tomorrow, July 22.

Today's peak demand was 44,651 megwatts. The Stage Two Electrical Emergency issued earlier today will be terminated shortly. The only impact from the Stage Two was when the California ISO requested approximately 200 megawatts worth of voluntary air conditioning cycling.

The ISO does not anticipate any major issues in meeting the expected demand tomorrow, but the ISO system will be heavily loaded. Conservation—especially across the afternoon peak hours—helps reduce the demand and gives the ISO additional options should contingency actions be required. Visit www.fypower.com for conservation tips.

Stage One: Possible Stage Two: Possible Stage Three: Unlikely

This advisory is based on the best data available at the time of its release. Grid conditions can change rapidly. Information about the electricity supply within the California ISO's control area and the current demand on the system is available at www.caiso.com.



CALIFORNIA ISO

Stage One Emergency

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

Stage Two Emergency

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

Stage Three Emergency

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