

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY
ENERGY SAVINGS ASSISTANCE AND CALIFORNIA ALTERNATE RATES FOR
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QUESTION 1:

How do you determine the annual electricity and gas savings potential of an individual ESA- eligible household?

RESPONSE 1:

The 2019 Potential and Goal Study provides potential savings for the ESA Program on portfolio and measure levels. SoCalGas used this study in the 2021-2026 application. SoCalGas does not calculate savings potential on an individual household level.

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QUESTION 2:

How do you calculate the actual annual electricity and gas savings for individual ESA-eligible households, post-treatment?

RESPONSE 2:

The ESA Impact Evaluation provides savings estimates which are average savings per household, post-treatment. SoCalGas does not calculate savings on an individual household level.

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QUESTION 3:

Please provide five sample savings potential reports¹ on ESA-eligible households from the previous two years.

- a. Please explain why you selected these five reports as your samples.

RESPONSE 3:

The 2019 Potential and Goal study provides potential savings for the ESA Program on portfolio and measure levels. SoCalGas used this study in the 2021-2026 application. SoCalGas does not calculate savings potential on an individual household level.

¹ A savings potential report should be the report you use to evaluate the energy savings potential of an ESA household.

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QUESTION 4:

Please provide five sample evaluation reports² on high-performing ESA-treated households from the previous two years.

- a. Please explain why you selected these five reports as your samples.

RESPONSE 4:

The ESA Impact Evaluation, which provides the average savings per household, is the only evaluation report that provides savings estimates for all ESA Program treated households. SoCalGas does not specifically calculate savings of high-performing ESA-treated households.

² An evaluation report should be the report you use to evaluate the energy savings following an ESA treatment.