



**GAS SCHEDULE G-WGSP**  
**WINTER GAS SAVINGS PROGRAM**

Sheet 1

**APPLICABILITY:** Schedule G-WGSP Plus rewards gas customers who reduce their natural gas usage during the period from January 1, 2010 through February 28, 2010, compared to the customer's Base Usage (defined below). Customers who reduce usage by at least ten percent (10%) will receive a twenty percent (20%) credit. Customers who reduce usage from one to nine percent (1% - 9%) will receive a corresponding 1% to 9% discount. This schedule is applicable to residential and commercial customers served on one of the following PG&E rate schedules: G-1, G1-NGV, GL1-NGV, GM, GS, GT, GL-1, GML, GSL, GTL, G-NR1 and G-NR2. (T)  
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The following are excluded from participating in this schedule: (1) customers where continuous service (for either the current or any previous customer) did not exist at the service address for a previous winter program period in 2007, 2008, or 2009; (2) customers who initiated service at their current service address on or after November 1, 2009; and (3) customers taking service under a qualifying rate schedule in conjunction with noncore transportation rate Schedule G-EG and/or Schedule G-NT on the same service agreement. (T)  
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Schedule G-WGSP establishes a limited credit for natural gas conservation to assist customers in managing their winter gas bills. Regardless of the customer's billing cycle, the start and end dates of this program are January 1, 2010 and February 28, 2010, respectively, for all eligible customers. (T)  
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**TERRITORY:** This schedule applies everywhere PG&E provides natural gas service.

**RATES:** The credit is available to eligible customers achieving a reduction in natural gas usage during the period January 1, 2010 through February 28, 2010 (program period) compared to the customer's Base Usage. (T)  
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Base Usage (BU) equals the customer's average usage at the service address for the same period during the prior three winters, if available, adjusted for leap years and weather differences on a monthly basis. The weather differences have resulted in an average decrease in BU of 4.0% for residential customers and 3.1% for commercial customers. (T)  
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The customer's bill will continue to be calculated according to their otherwise applicable schedule during the program period.

Customers who reduce usage by at least ten percent (10%) during the program period will receive a twenty percent (20%) credit on their PG&E natural gas charges in the subsequent billing period. Customers who reduce usage from one to nine percent (1% - 9%) during the program period will receive a corresponding 1% to 9% credit on their PG&E natural gas charges in the subsequent billing period. (T)  
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**SPECIAL CONDITIONS:**

1. If the customer was not at the current service address or does not have usage for the corresponding 2009 period, the BU may include prior customer(s)'s usage at the service address, when available, for the corresponding periods of the prior three winters. (T)
2. Customer must meet the applicability criteria of the program and also receive continuous service during the program period.

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3. If successful in reducing natural gas usage, customers will receive a credit on their PG&E natural gas charges for the period January 1, 2010 and February 28, 2010, excluding utility user's taxes and franchise fee surcharges under Schedule G-SUR and calculated on a prorated basis to calendarize the charges as necessary. The credit will be calculated on applicable PG&E customer, procurement, and transportation charges, and applicable charges billed under Schedule G-PPPS. (T)
4. For customers billed with SmartMeter™ data in place prior to the start of the WGSP, the actual exact daily usage during the program period between January 1 and February 28 will be used. All customers whose billing periods do not align exactly with the January 1 and February 28 respective start and end dates of the program will have their usage prorated during those months. (T)
5. The customer's reduction in natural gas usage will be rounded to the nearest whole number percentage point for the purpose of determining eligibility for the credit. (T)
6. A system-wide correction of the BU amount will be made for colder or warmer than normal weather that might occur during the 2010 program period. Heating Degree Days (HDD) is a measure of how far below a standard reference temperature (60 degrees Fahrenheit) the actual temperatures during the program period have been. The temperature readings at eleven (11) National Weather Service stations in PG&E's service area will be used. BU amounts will be adjusted in the event that actual temperatures during the program period (as measured by HDD) differ from normal system-wide weather HDD. Normal system-wide weather for the program period is 588.0 HDDs. The system-wide HDDs for the program period will be based on all available recorded weather data and a forecast of the remaining weather to allow for the credit to be issued during the next billing period bill on or after February 28, 2010. (T)
7. PG&E is not required to develop an adjusted BU amount for customers that might have experienced increased consumption due to occupancy increases or changes in consumption patterns, or for customers who have implemented efficiency and conservation measures in the previous year to allow these customers to qualify for the bill credit. (T)
8. A minimum reduction of 1% is required to receive a credit. Similarly, customers exceeding 10% reductions will only be rewarded with a 20% credit. (T)
9. For customers with multiple accounts, summary billings, or multiple meters at a premise, the credit will be calculated and applied, if applicable, to each of the customer's individual service agreements. (T)
10. For master-metered customers that sub-meter, the credit shall be determined by usage measured by the master-meter. Master-metered customers, including mobile home park owners with sub-metered tenants, receiving a credit shall distribute the credit to sub-metered tenants consistent with Public Utilities Code section 739.5(b). (T)

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11. Any disputes arising from the provision of service under this Schedule or other aspects of the Winter Gas Savings Program will be deemed disputes over amounts billed for natural gas and will be handled as provided for in PG&E's Rule 10, Disputed Bills.
  
12. PG&E normally reads meters each month with minor exceptions. If, because of unusual conditions or for reasons beyond PG&E's control, the customer's meter cannot be read on the scheduled reading date, or if for any reason accurate meter data is not available, PG&E will make estimates according to its applicable tariff rules. In these instances, the estimated meter reads will form the basis of the comparisons in determining whether customers qualify for the bill credit. (T)