

## **Bulb Purchasing Guide**

My Fixture Has A						
Dimmer	Look for an ENERGY STAR <sup>®</sup> qualified bulb that is marked "Dimmable". <u>Learn more</u>					
Three-way socket	Look for an ENERGY STAR qualified bulb that is marked "3-Way". <u>Learn more</u>					
Electronic control	Check with the manufacturer of your photocell, motion sensor, or timer for compatibility with energy efficient lighting.  Learn more					

## What Color Would Work Best For My Use?

With ENERGY STAR light bulbs you have options for your white light. Light color is measured on the Kelvin scale (K). As you see below, lower numbers mean the light appears yellowish and higher numbers mean the light is whiter or bluer.

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Warm White, Soft White			Cool W Neutral		Natural or Daylight		
	Standard col incandescent		Good for l and work		(think blue sky at noon) Good for reading.		
	2700K 3	3000K	3500K	4100K	5000K	6500K	

## How Much Light Do I Want?

To determine which ENERGY STAR qualified light bulbs will provide the same amount of light as your current incandescent light bulbs, consult the following chart but focus on lumens to make sure you get the right amount of light:

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Incandescent Bulbs (watts)	Minimum Light Output (lumens)	ENERGY STAR Qualified Bulbs (watts)
40	450	9 to 13
60	800	13 to 15
75	1,100	18 to 25
100	1,600	23 to 30
150	2,600	30 to 52

Notes:				

How to Choose the right ENERGY STAR® Qualified Bulbs									
	Table/ Floor Lamps	Pendant Fixtures	Ceiling Fixtures	Ceiling Fans	Wall Sconces	Recessed Cans	Track Lighting	Outdoor Covered	Outdoor Flood
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Spiral				a CEO				8	
Covered A-shaped									
Globe									
Tube									
Candle									
Indoor Reflector				8		8	8		
Outdoor Reflector							-		