Community Distributed Generation (CDG)

Solar credit with separate subscription fee

Community Distributed Generation (CDG), allows an electricity generation facility, like a solar farm, to share the benefits of clean energy production with participants. When participating in CDG, you will receive a portion of the value of the project's generation each time your project is billed. Your designated portion, referred to as an allocation, is based on your agreement with the project.

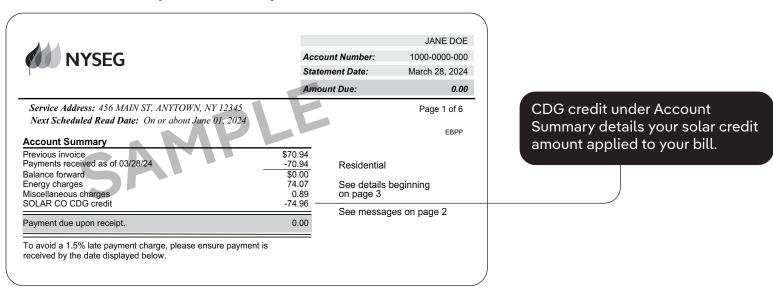
How does my billing work?

When you participate in CDG, you will receive CDG credits on your NYSEG bill. The amount of your credit will be determined by comparing your available allocations to your billed electricity charges. Your credit can never exceed your total billed electricity charges, so your credit will equal your available allocations up to the amount of your billed electricity charges. Any allocations above your billed electricity charges will be "banked" and available to be applied on future invoices. You will receive a separate bill from your solar company for subscription or administrative fees for your CDG participation. To determine your savings, you can compare your solar company bill to your CDG credits on your NYSEG bill.

What will I see on my bill?

We've made changes to our bills to make it easier to understand the components of your CDG credits. Look at what you can expect below.

Account Summary detail with your solar credit



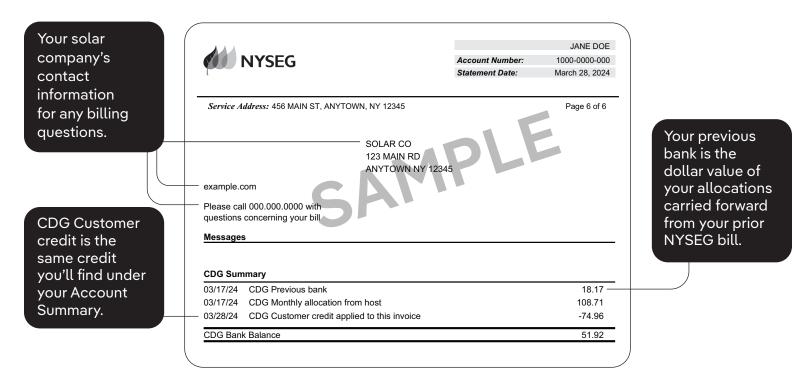
Your Account Summary will continue to provide an overview of charges and credits for your billing period, with a new line item for your CDG credit amount from participating in a CDG project. This amount varies from month to month.

Your CDG credit is applied to your overall balance for the month and you'll continue to see your total balance due under the Account Summary. If you're enrolled in Budget Billing or purchase your electricity supply from an Energy Services Company (ESCO) that includes their charges on our bill, your CDG credit will be applied toward all charges for your balance due.



Summary page includes details about your CDG participation

Here are some highlights of what you'll see on your monthly bill including your solar bank and credit from your solar company.



Your CDG credit will never exceed your billed electricity charges. When your allocation from your solar company exceeds your billed electricity charges the excess allocation will be held in your bank. Your allocation will vary throughout the year based on the value of your solar company's generation and your portion for that month.

Here are some additional descriptions you may see on your bill and what they mean.

- CDG Previous bank: This is your available dollar value of CDG allocations as of your last invoice. Allocations are "banked" when the allocation from your solar company exceeds your billed electricity charges.
- CDG Monthly allocation from host: This amount will change monthly based on the electricity generated and is the dollar amount for your portion of the solar project's generation that month.
- CDG bank balance: Your bank amount after this invoice reflects any adjustments to your available allocations during this billing period.
- Sales tax: If your electricity charges are assessed sales tax (based on your service location), you will see a sales tax credit applied to reflect the reduced sales tax collection on your electricity charges from your CDG credit.
- CDG Customer credit reversed: If a billing adjustment is needed, you may see your adjustments for a correction reflected as a separate line item detailing that adjustment.

We're committed to our clean energy future and hope these changes make it easier for you to understand how your participation in our clean energy future makes a difference each month on your bill and for New York.