

# How to Read Your Bill

**Your Account Number.**  
When you have questions or need service, please have this number ready for faster service.

**Service Address.**  
The address where gas is used (may differ from your mailing address).

**Next Meter Reading Date.**  
On or about this day, the meter reader needs to have safe access to your gas meter.

**Date and Amount of Last Payment.**  
The date and amount of the last payment applied to your account.

**Energy Comparison.**  
Helps you keep track of your energy use by comparing this year's use with last year.

Your Account Number  
987 654 3210 3

JOHN Q PUBLIC  
1801 S ATLANTIC BLVD  
MONTEREY PARK CA 91754-6135

More phone numbers and info on back of bill  
24-Hour Service and Info  
(800) 427-2200 (English)  
(800) 342-4545 (Español)

The Gas Company  
P.O. Box C  
Monterey Park, CA 91756  
www.socalgas.com

Date Mailed Oct 13, 2003

Rate GR	Climate Zone 1	Cycle 07	The Gas Company's Gas Commodity Charges per therm \$ 4.2388/Therm		
Billing Period From 09/09/03	To 10/09/03	Meter Number 06076856	Readings Prev 655	Pres 684	Difference =CCF 29
Billing Factor = Therms			1.025 = 30		
*Estimated Read					
Next Meter Reading Date on or about: Nov 06 2003					

Summary of Charges	Amount
Customer Charge	30 Days x 0.16438 = \$ 4.93
Baseline	14 Therms x 0.72357 = 10.13
Over Baseline	16 Therms x 0.90500 = 14.48
Gas Charges	<b>29.54</b>
State Regulatory Fee	30 Therms x 0.00199 = 0.06
Public Purpose Surchg.	30 Therms x 0.02781 = 0.83
Taxes & Fees on Gas Charges	<b>0.89</b>
<b>Total Gas Charges Including Taxes and Fees</b>	<b>30.43</b>

Thank you for your payment: Sep 16 2003  
Amount of Last Payment: 20.98

Total Current Gas Charges 30.43

**Total Amount Due 30.43**

Current Amount Past Due if not paid by Oct 31, 2003

\*\*\*Special Discount\*\*\* You may be eligible for the California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) program. For more information and to request an application, please call 1-800-772-5050.

\*\*\*Descuento Especial\*\*\* Usted podría ser elegible para el programa de Tarifas Alternativas para Energía en California (CARE). Para más información y para pedir una solicitud, por favor llame al 1-800-772-5050.

Energy Comparison	This Year Days	Therms	Daily Average	Last Year Days	Therms	Daily Average
Oct	30	30	1.00	29	32	1.10
Sep	32	20	0.63	32	33	1.03
Aug	29	16	0.55	29	31	1.07

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Please bring entire bill if payment is made in person or return stub with your payment by mail

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**Total Amount Due \$30.43**  
Please Pay By 10/31/03

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Mont Pk Ca 91756

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REFER TO BACK OF BILL

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**24-Hour Service And Information.**  
Use this toll-free number to call us.

**Difference.**  
The amount of gas you've used since we last billed you.

**Payment Due Date.**  
Current charges past-due if not paid by this date (nineteen days from mailing date).

**Message Area.**  
Check here for information about your bill, customer programs and energy-saving tips.

**Therms, Rate, Billing Factor.**  
Check the back of your bill for explanations of these terms and more.