

Did you know....



...that **62% of electricity** generated in New England is from **fossil fuel fired power plants**, that are responsible for:

67% of emissions that lead to **acid rain**.

23% of emissions that lead to **smog**.

40% of emissions that lead to **climate change**.

40% of emissions that lead to **mercury poisoning from contaminated fish**

(note that mercury emissions stat is from coal-fired plants)



Being careful not to waste electricity can create significant **health & environmental** benefits for everyone!



Source: US EPA and Energy Information Administration (EIA)



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