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Brief Instructions for the Electrical Load Calculator

The load calculator is divided into three main sections which enable you to enter the necessary information about the home project and the proposed electrical equipment that will be installed.

The calculations conform to the national electrical codes which focus on required loads and factoring in the appliance and motor equipment. The question mark help buttons will assist you with detailed information about typical equipment loads which may be selected in the various drop down menus.

This Residential Electrical Load Calculator is Pre-Loaded with electrical information for you to chose from. Please use additional Question Mark Buttons for more specific information. For your continuance the Update and Calculate Buttons will Recalculate the entire form.

Residential Electrical Load Calculator for the Main Service ?

Minimum Size of the Electrical Service - 2017 NEC Article 220.82 Reset

<u>Step #1 - General Electrical Load Requirements</u>	Quantity	Load	Elect. Code & Information
Indoor Sq. Ft. Area of the Home	<input type="text" value="3500"/>	<input type="text" value="10500"/> ?	?
Small Appliance Circuits	<input type="text" value="2"/> ?	1500VA Ea.	?
Laundry Circuit	<input type="text" value="1"/> ?	1500VA Ea.	?
Sec. #1 Sub-Total =		<input type="text" value="15000"/>	? Update

<u>Step #2 - Appliance & Motor Loads VA</u>			?
Dryer	<input type="text" value="5000"/> ?		?
Oven	<input type="text" value="2400"/> ?		?
Cook top Stove or Range	<input type="text" value="0"/> ?		?
Water Heater	<input type="text" value="4500"/> ?		?
Dishwasher	<input type="text" value="1200"/> ?		?
Disposal	<input type="text" value="0"/> ?		?
Additional Appliance(s), Including EV Chargers	<input type="text" value="10000"/> ?		?
Sec. #2 Sub-Total =		<input type="text" value="23100"/>	? Update
First 10,000 VA @ 100% =		<input type="text" value="10000"/>	?
Adjustment 40% of Remainder =		<input type="text" value="5240"/>	?

Step #3 - Heating & Air Conditioning VA ?

Single Source Heating Unit ?

OR Air Conditioning and Heating Unit ?

OR Heat Pump - No Supplemental Heat ?

OR Continuous Electric Thermal Storage ?

Heating Unit with Supplemental Heat Source ?

OR Heat Pump ?

Sup. Elect Heat OR Central Elect.Heat ?

OR Space Heaters VA ?

How Many Space Heaters ?

Sec. #3 Sub-Total = ? Update

Step #4 - Perform the Calculations ?

Calculate

Calculated Total VA Load = ?

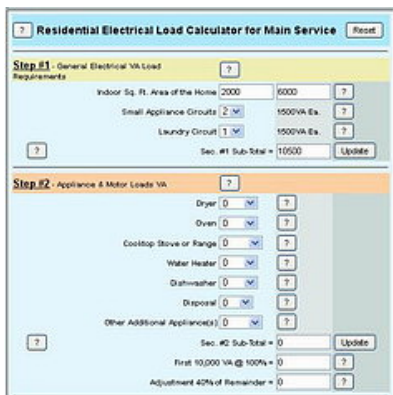
Calculated Total Amps Load = ?

Reset the Form ? Reset

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IMPORTANT: We provide these calculating tools as a guide to assist you to understand the process of accurately sizing a residential electrical panel based on proposed loads. The results of the calculations are based upon the accuracy of the information that you provide. The [Calculate] Button must be pressed when any changes are made to the form. Accurate load sizing is best