

## BECOME A FAN OF THE FAN.

Ceiling fans help your air conditioner work more effectively, keeping you comfortable.



*Don't touch that dial. Just two degrees above 78 (in the summer) can reduce your air-conditioning energy use by up to 10%.*

Ceiling fans can make a room feel 3 to 4 degrees cooler than the setting on the air conditioner. While we recommend keeping your thermostat set on 78° in the summer, some people find 78° a little too warm. But with a ceiling fan, you can keep

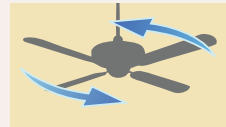
that thermostat on 78° and the room will feel like it's 74° or 75°. Those 3 or 4 degrees will make a big difference on your power bill. In fact, each degree above that can decrease your power bill significantly.

Ceiling fans do more than just move air around. They help you save money on energy bills. So become a fan of the fan.

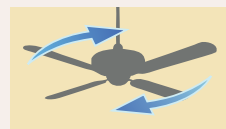
For more tips on ceiling fans and other energy saving information, visit [www.AlabamaPower.com/tips](http://www.AlabamaPower.com/tips).

### In which direction should your fan turn?

*If your fan has a reversible switch, make sure you've got it on the right setting. In the summer, your blades should be rotating counter-clockwise, so that you can feel cool air being pushed down on you.*



*In the winter, you want those blades rotating in a clockwise direction, which causes the hot air near the ceiling to be redistributed to lower parts of the room.*



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## POWER RECIPE | Strawberry Pound Cake

- 1 box Betty Crocker® white cake mix
- 6 oz. strawberry Jello®
- 4 eggs
- 2/3 cup oil
- 10 oz. frozen strawberries, thawed

Mix all ingredients together until moist. Pour in greased Bundt® pan. Bake at 350° for 1 hour. Let cool for about 10 minutes before turning onto plate.

Recipe by Ardath “Bootsie” Bigham of Northport. Find other Power Facts recipes online at [www.AlabamaPower.com](http://www.AlabamaPower.com).



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