Understanding Your NorthWestern Electric Meter

Net Metering Customers



Segment Test Tests the LCDs to visually ensure the display will be correct.



Network Link Status Network Link Status – Informs Northwestern Energy how well the meter is communicating.



Sync Network Status SYCNET- Meter is sync'd to the NorthWestern network.



Disconnect Status Internal disconnect status screen -Only appears when the meter is in a disconnected state.



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Registration Status Reg - Meter is registered to the network.



Net Kilowatt Hours Delivered

01 = Net Kilowatt Hours Register The net value between the kilowatt hours delivered (register 02) and kilowatt hours received (register 03). This is the billing register for net metering customers.



Kilowatt Hours Delivered 02 = Kilowatt Hours Delivered Register The kilowatt hours delivered to the customer from NorthWestern Energy.



Kilowatt Hours Received 03 = Kilowatt Hours Received Register The kilowatt hours NorthWestern has received from a net metering customer.



Max Kilowatts Delivered

04 = Max Kilowatts Delivered The current max demand is displayed in kilowatts. Demand charges are for customers with a demand rate type. This screen is displayed whether they are a demand customer or not.

How to tell if you are producing or receiving?



Arrow pointing right, customer is receiving from NorthWestern



Arrow pointing left, NWE is receiving from the customer.

