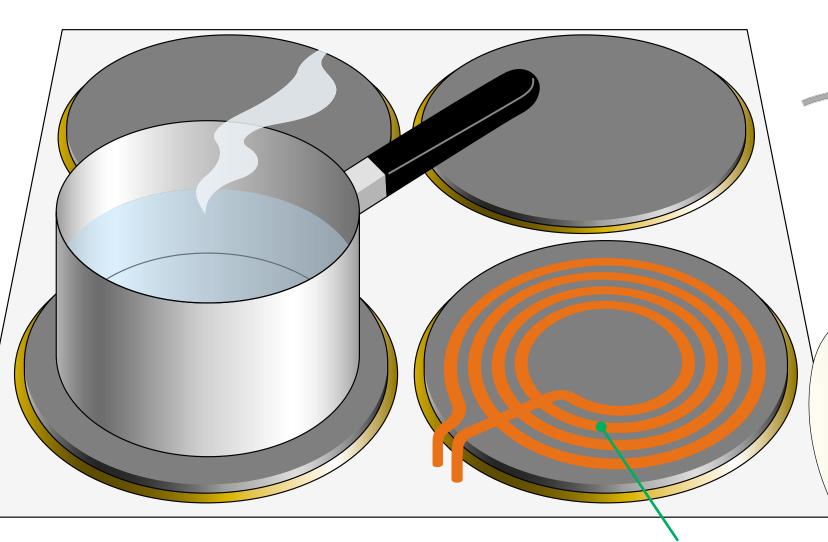


Electricity and heat

Electricity can be used to make things hot. Here are some of them.

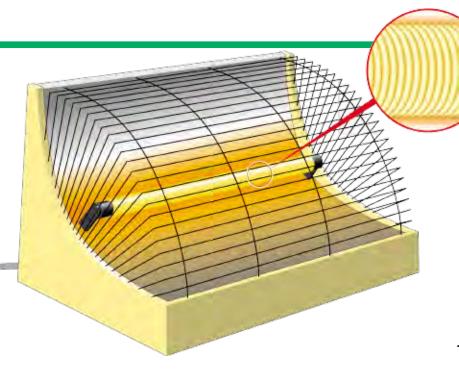


Electricity normally flows in wires without making them hot. The cables to your computer don't get hot, do they?

However, special wire can be used that does get hot. The heat can be used for warming rooms, for ironing, for cooking and many other jobs.

heating wires

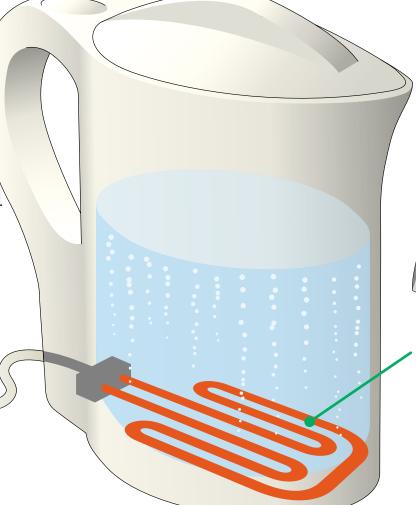
Here is an electric stove. Inside each cooking plate there are heating wires.

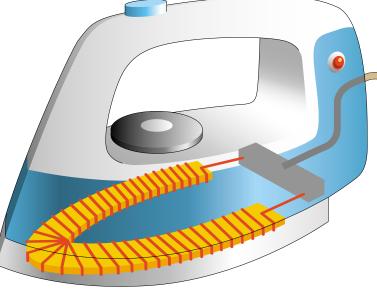


This is an electric fire.
The heating wires are wrapped around a tube.
The heater has a special guard so that no one can touch the wires by accident.

This is a kettle. The heating wires are in a special waterproof case.

This is an iron. The heating wire heats up the metal bottom of the iron. When we push the iron over clothes, the hot metal plate heats the clothes and the fibres straighten out.





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Which of these is used in your home?