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Here's a great energy-saving power strip from **Wattstopper**. Dedicated outlets are controlled by an occupancy sensor that shuts down when a workspace is left unoccupied. 2008 NEC code calls for tamper-resistant receptacles in residential installations. Springfield Electric now stocks preferred **Pass & Seymour** products that meet this requirement. Max Punch, from **Maxis Tools**, takes hole punching to a new level of simplicity. Another "smart" idea in portable power strips. **Coleman Cable's** Smart-Strip monitors usage; switches off when plugged units become inactive. Saves money and energy. Priced at only \$26.50.

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## Isolé Plug Control

**An eight-outlet power strip and a personal occupancy sensor**



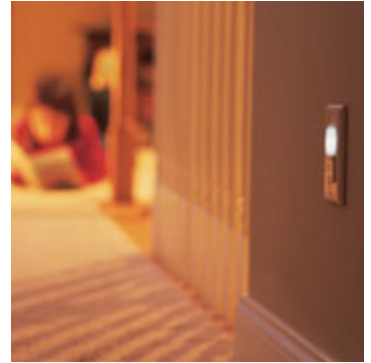
Using the personal sensor to detect occupancy, Isolé turns on the power strip-controlled devices when a workspace is occupied. When the space becomes vacant and the adjustable time delay elapses, controlled equipment is turned off. The Isolé power strip contains six outlets controlled by occupancy (for equipment such as monitors, task lights, space heaters, or fans) and two outlets that are uncontrolled (for equipment that should not be interrupted such as CPUs, faxes, and modems). Isolé power strips are designed for today's workspaces, with space for equipment transformers and offset plugs for a sleeker profile under crowded desktops. The personal sensors utilize advanced passive infrared technology, with user-adjustable time delays. Product installation is simple, with no hardwiring necessary.

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## Tamper-Resistant Receptacles

The 2008 *National Electrical Code*® (NEC) requires tamper-resistant receptacles in residential installations - and for good reason. In the U.S., about 7 children per day are treated in ERs for receptacle-related incidents - more than 24,000 over 10 years.

Seeking greater safety for their young children, parents have tried plastic outlet caps and sliding-shutter wall plates. However, kids quickly learn to remove the plastic caps. A study found 100 percent of 2- and 4-year olds were able to remove one brand of outlet caps, often in less than 10 seconds. Shuttered wall plates are no longer UL-listed due to heat-related safety concerns.



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## **MAX PUNCH** Complete Set

- An advanced knockout tool used with a cordless drill to draw punch dies together for quick accurate knockouts
- No hydraulic ratcheting or mess
- 9 Maxis punch dies sizes 1/2" to 4", or use your current knockout points
- Punch kit includes Maxis Marksman conduit layout tool to quickly mark center knockout points
- Punch kit includes step drill bit
- 2 inch knockout in 4 seconds
- 4 inc knockout in 6 seconds

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## Smart Strip®



Smart Strip® monitors the flow of electricity to the Control Outlet and when there is a significant drop, it switches off the power to the Controlled Outlets. So when the control appliance goes into sleep mode or is shut off, the Smart Strip® saves energy and money!

### **Control Outlet**

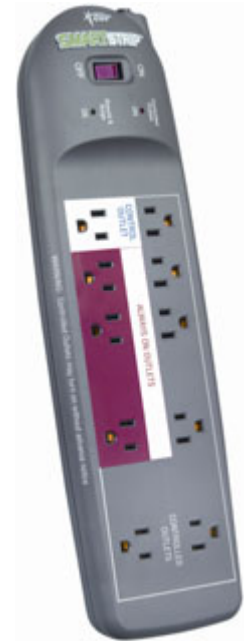
Plug a computer or television into this outlet. This outlet controls the Controlled Outlets.

### **Always on Outlets**

Plug equipment that should not be turned off, such as a fax machine or cordless phone, into these outlets. The power to these outlets is always on.

### **Controlled Outlets**

Plug peripherals such as a monitor, printer or DVD player into this outlets.



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