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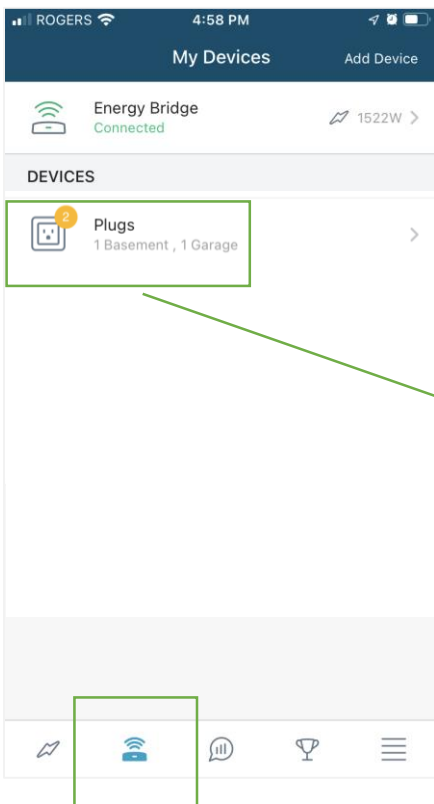
A guide to using your Plug/Load Controller with the HydroHome app

- Turning plugs on or off using the app
- Viewing energy consumption
- Using the hold/lock feature
- Advance settings menu

HydroHome
Your smart home application

All smart devices, including smart plugs and load controllers can be set up and controlled through the “My Devices” page in the HydroHome app.

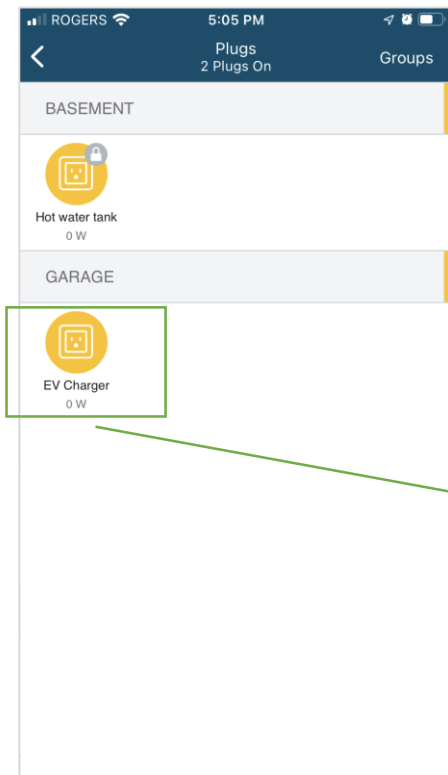
Select this icon  at the bottom of your app to go to the “My Devices” page.



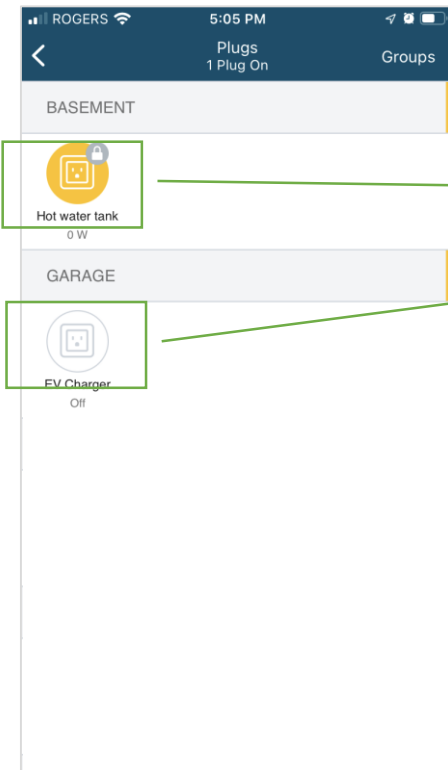
On the “My Devices” page your plugs should appear here.

Select “Plugs”

Turning Plugs/Load Controllers On or Off



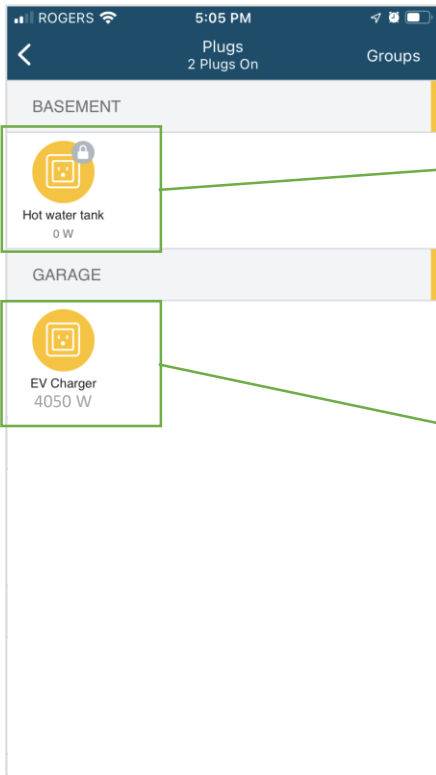
By pressing the icon you can turn a plug on or off.



Orange is on

White is off

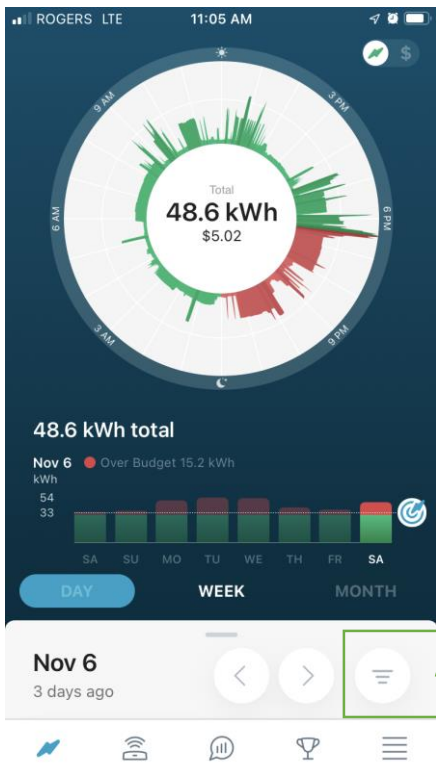
Viewing energy consumption



When a plug is "on" and shows as orange, it does not mean the device connected to the Plug is actually in use.

If no power is being drawn by the device the plug will show a 0 W reading.

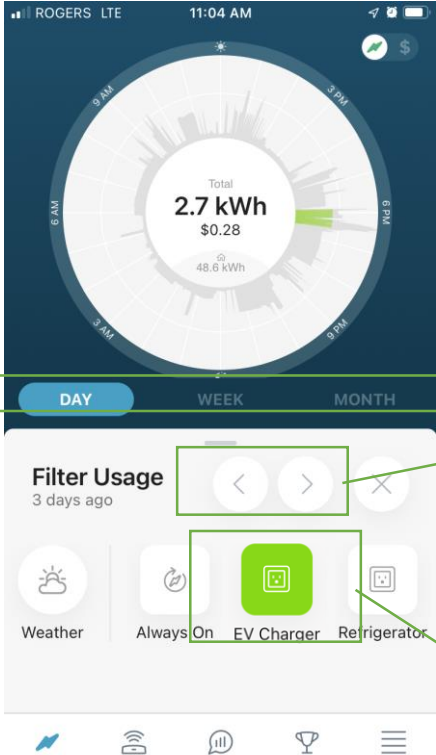
When the device connected to the plug is running, the plug will show the power draw below the icon.



You can also view the historical usage through the filter feature.

Press the filter icon 

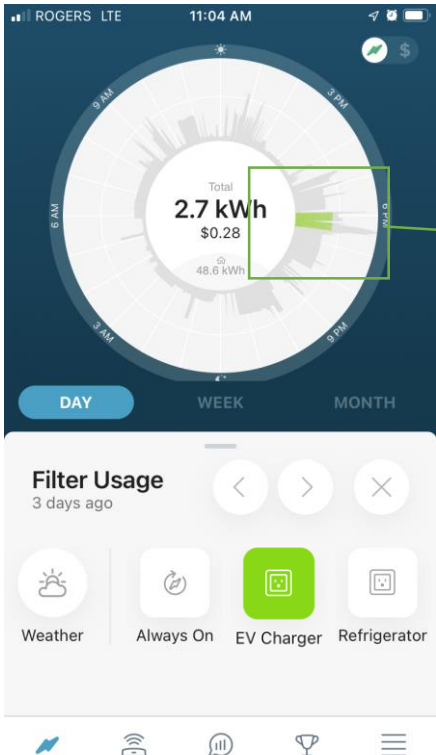
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Select the time period you want to look at; Day, Week or Month.

You can move forward or back in time using this arrow.

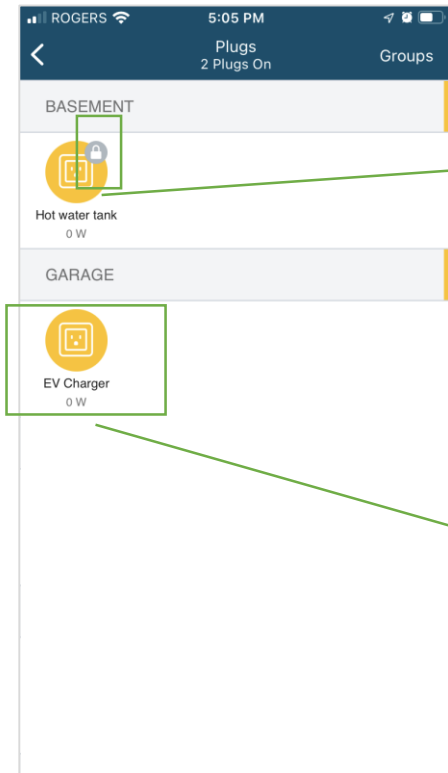
Select the device you want to look at from the options available.



The dial will display the usage for that device as a separate colour within the shadow of your whole home's usage.

The amount of energy used for the device is shown in the center of the dial.

Using the hold/lock feature



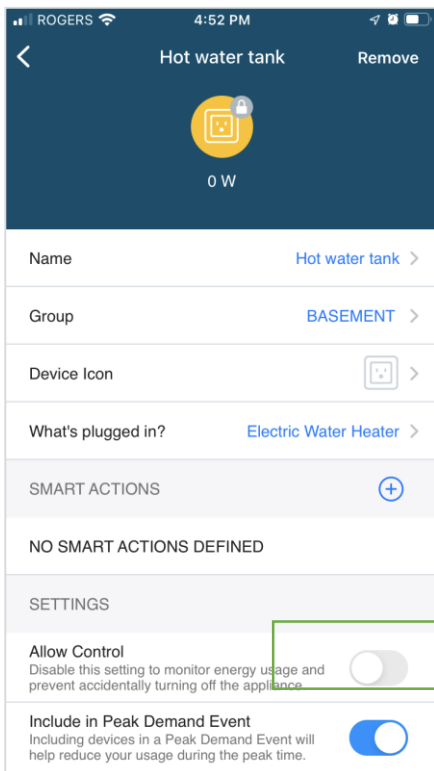
To help avoid a plug being turned on or off accidentally when using the app, you can lock the plug state in the app.

This is especially useful for hot water tanks to avoid accidental cold showers.

A device that is locked has a padlock symbol next to the icon.

To Lock a device -

Hold your finger on the icon for 3 seconds to access the advanced settings screen.



In the advanced settings screen that appears you have access to more advanced features

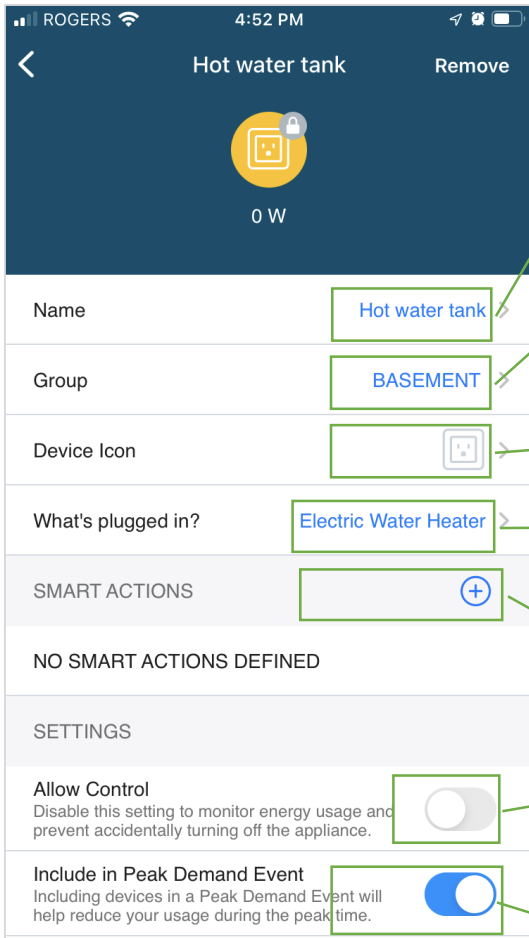
To lock a device, toggle “off” the allow control tab.

To Unlock, toggle “on” the allow control tab.

This setting will lock the plug in whatever state (on or off) that it is currently in.

The advance settings screen

The advanced settings screen can be used to configure and control your device in a number of ways, as outlined below.



Change the name of your device

Assign a plug, or other device to a group. Typically used for assigning devices to rooms in a house. (drag and drop)

Change the icon for a device

Define what is plugged into your Load Controller

Create Rules and Automations for your smart home.

Lock/Unlock app control

If you are participating in a peak time trial or demand response trial set this feature to "on" for devices you wish to include.



For more support

Use the In-App support on the main menu page of the app.

