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THE Sustainability Achieved Via Energy Efficiency (SAVE) programme has succeeded in cutting RM64.1 million off the overall costs for three electrical equipment — refrigerators, air conditioners and chillers.

Energy, Green Technology and Water Minister Datuk Seri Dr Maximus Ongkili said efforts to encourage the use of energy-efficient equipment saved 246.4 gigawatt hours of electricity and reduced

carbon dioxide emission by 167.6 million kg.

The programme also resulted in energy-efficient equipment having a major share of the market. As of Dec 31, 2012, 40.8 per cent was for refrigerators, 21.6 per cent for air conditioners and 39.2 per cent for chillers compared to the original targets of 25 per cent for refrigerators, 20 per cent for air conditioners and 39 per cent for chillers.

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