

:: A GLIMPSE INTO THE FUTURE.**Home Smart Home**

Imagine yourself in your favorite recliner, sitting in your own high-tech command center. With the simple touch of a button, you dim the lights, answer the phone, turn up the heat, and check on the kids via a closed-circuit TV monitor.

Sound like some futuristic fantasy? This will soon be possible thanks to home networking, where every electronics system in the home is seamlessly integrated through Internet-based technologies. The idea is to have everyday devices networked together so that you can control them from anywhere you have Internet access, whether it's at home, the office or a hotel room.

The Lennox® Link

Always looking toward the future, Lennox engineers are now investigating ways to make HVAC systems part of the networked picture. Lennox already has products with built-in features that allow integration as a [total comfort system](#). The next step is to link this system to a larger networked system within the home.

A networked HVAC system would allow you to monitor and manage your interior climate—at any time, from anywhere. It would even make electronic decisions on your behalf. For instance, if there's a sudden change of weather while you're away on vacation, the system would automatically adjust temperature for optimal efficiency. Likewise, if there's a problem, the system would alert you via email.

Our vision of the networked home would bring added control, convenience and cost-effectiveness to your living environment. It is this vision that will help us satisfy every imaginable comfort need.

