Subject: Radios for emergencies
Posted by mixinlady on Mon, 02 Jul 2012 20:15:29 GMT
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No power for two straight days lead us to the purchase of a crank radio that also happens to be solar-powered. How fancy is your radio for emergency purposes? Do you even have one?

Subject: Re: Radios for emergencies
Posted by likearecordbaby on Mon, 09 Jul 2012 18:05:49 GMT
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We've gotten through many storms without one, but we finally invested in one because I do think it is a good idea. You'll have no idea what's going on unless you head to your car, and it might not be safe to do that. Plus having a radio offers entertainment when the power is out.

Subject: Re: Radios for emergencies
Posted by Wayne Parham on Tue, 10 Jul 2012 05:43:48 GMT
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I prefer a rechargeable battery radio that runs on AC power. I like them to cover the SW band as well. The hand crank charged units don't have a great appeal to me because they're usually sort of novelty things. I'd rather have a SW radio with rechargeable nicads, myself.