

Connecting communities

Changes to your electricity distribution charges



From 1 April 2023, our electricity delivery charges in your region will increase by an average of 1.2%.

We're here to connect the communities we serve to safe and reliable electricity through sustainable investment in our network.

We do that by building and maintaining the poles, wires, transformers, and other assets that deliver power to your door. We continually invest in these assets to ensure your electricity supply meets your needs – both now and in the future.

We also work hard to help keep your energy prices affordable by planning carefully and delivering efficiently. Our revenues are set by the Commerce Commission and we update our prices once a year. These prices reflect the costs of operating and investing in the network.

This year's change is a combination of:

	Change		Weighting		Result
Distribution	14.3%	x	71%	=	10.2%
Transmission	-30.9%	x	29%	=	-9.0%
Overall					1.2%

Your prices have two parts; our distribution component and what Transpower charges us to use the national grid. Together these make up around 38% of your total electricity bill. The other 62% of your bill is made up of all non-Powerco charges including generation costs, your retailer's charges and GST.

The tables below show how these charges have changed. The overall impact on your electricity bill will depend on a few things, such as how and when you use our network and how your retailer chooses to structure the prices they charge you.

For more information about our pricing and what we're working on around our network, visit www.powerco.co.nz



Powerco electricity information disclosure

New delivery charges for the Bay of Plenty and Tauranga regions. Powerco's new delivery charges are effective from 1 April 2023.

Tauranga network Points of supply: Kaitimako, Mt Maunganui, Tauranga, Te Matai

Residential & small commercial customers

Delivery charges¹ effective 1 April 2023

Delivery charges	Fixed charge (\$/day)	Peak (\$/kWh)	Off-peak (\$/kWh)	All inclusive Peak (\$/kWh)	All inclusive off-peak (\$/kWh)	Uncontrolled (\$/kWh)	All inclusive (\$/kWh)	Controlled (\$/kWh)	Night only (\$/kWh)	Estimated number of consumers
T05S: Low fixed charge option	0.45	0.1426	0.0614	0.1426	0.0614	0.0874	0.0874	0.0614	0.0614	35,374
T06S: Standard option	1.06	0.1147	0.0335	0.1147	0.0335	0.0595	0.0595	0.0335	0.0335	55,917

Previous delivery charges

T05S: Low fixed charge option	0.30	0.1614	0.0629	0.1614	0.0629	0.0974	0.0974	0.0629	0.0527	
T06S: Standard option	0.85	0.1364	0.0379	0.1364	0.0379	0.0724	0.0724	0.0379	0.0277	

Transmission charges² effective 1 April 2023

Transmission component	Fixed charge (\$/day)	Peak (\$/kWh)	Off-peak (\$/kWh)	All inclusive peak (\$/kWh)	All inclusive off-peak (\$/kWh)	Uncontrolled (\$/kWh)	All inclusive (\$/kWh)	Controlled (\$/kWh)	Night only (\$/kWh)
T05S: Low fixed charge option	0.04	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137
T06S: Standard option	0.09	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137

Previous transmission charges

T05S: Low fixed charge option	0.00	0.0983	0.0053	0.0983	0.0053	0.0343	0.0343	0.0053	0.0053
T06S: Standard option	0.00	0.0983	0.0053	0.0983	0.0053	0.0343	0.0343	0.0053	0.0053

Commercial

Delivery charges¹ effective 1 April 2023

Consumer group	Delivery charges ¹ effective 1 April 2023					Estimated number of consumers	Transmission component ² effective 1 April 2023				
	Fixed charge (\$/day)	Peak (\$/kWh)	Off-peak (\$/kWh)	Uncontrolled (\$/kWh)	Controlled (\$/kWh)		Fixed charge (\$/day)	Peak (\$/kWh)	Off-peak (\$/kWh)	Uncontrolled (\$/kWh)	Controlled (\$/kWh)
T01: Unmetered supply - other than streetlighting	0.45			0.1167		279	0.04			0.0137	
T02: Unmetered streetlighting (per light)	0.2023					14	0.0274				
T22: Three phase 61 - 250 Amp	11.98	0.1140	0.0334	0.0592	0.0363	730	1.18	0.0137	0.0137	0.0137	0.0125
T28: Greater than 250 Amp up to and including 299 kVA	27.08			0.0570		153	2.63			0.0137	

Previous delivery charges

T01: Unmetered supply - other than streetlighting	0.00			0.1122			0.00			0.0357	
T02: Unmetered streetlighting (per light)	0.1824						0.0548				
T22: Three phase 61 - 250 Amp	10.75	0.1060	0.0404	0.0651	0.0350		0.75	0.0628	0.0034	0.0219	0.0125
T28: Greater than 250 Amp up to and including 299 kVA	25.75			0.0519			1.50			0.0158	

1. Delivery charges include the transmission charges shown in the "Transmission component" table.
2. Transmission charges include all recoverable costs such as transmission costs, council rates and statutory levies.

Large commercial / industrial

Distribution charges effective 1 April 2023

Consumer group	Distribution charges effective 1 April 2023			Estimated number of consumers	Transmission charges effective 1 April 2023	
	Assets and maintenance \$/AMD (kW)	Indirect variable \$/PCD (kW)	Indirect fixed \$/annum		Connection assets \$/AMD (kW)	Other assets \$/ADL (kW)
T50 ³ : 300 - 1,499 kVA capacity	106.83	20.57	4,800	233	9.57	136.22
T60 ³ : Greater than or equal to 1,500 kVA capacity	63.28	46.45	12,600	37	8.40	134.97

Previous distribution charges

T50 ³ : 300 - 1,499 kVA capacity	88.08	19.88	4,800		10.00	99.97
T60 ³ : Greater than or equal to 1,500 kVA capacity	60.28	36.49	16,800		14.40	98.97

3. Charges for the Group T50 and T60 consumers are determined on an individual basis and as such the charges shown here are based on average charges across all consumers in these groups. Group T50 and T60/T601 consumers are charged both distribution and transmission charges as detailed above.