

Price schedule: Auckland gas distribution network



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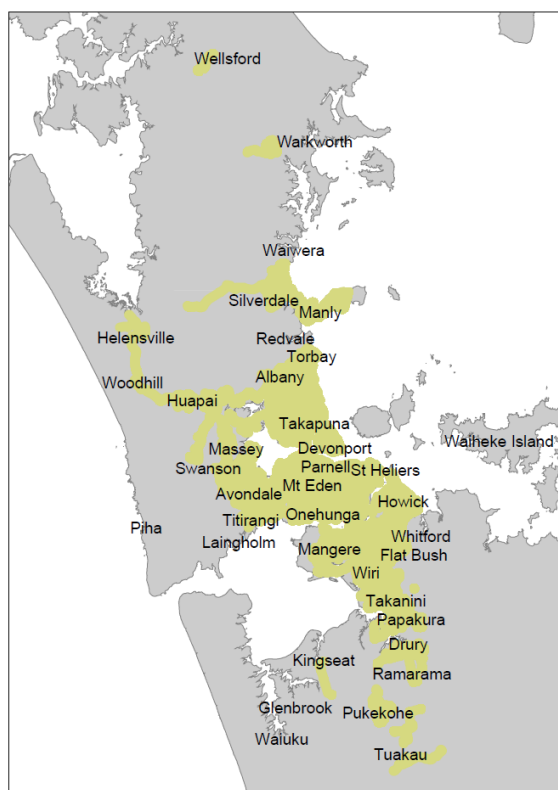
This document describes Vector's standard gas distribution prices which cover the costs of distributing gas to customers connected to the Auckland gas distribution network. Vector offers six price categories for Auckland gas distribution network customers depending on the customer's connection size and their connection type.

Description	Price category	Load size (scm/h)	Fixed (\$/day)		Volume (\$/kWh)	
Residential	GA0R		GA0R-FIXD	0.35	GA0R-24UC	0.0195
Business	GA01	≤ 10	GA01-FIXD	0.63	GA01-24UC	0.0123
Commercial	GA02	> 10 and ≤ 40	GA02-FIXD	1.12	GA02-24UC	0.0100
Commercial	GA03	> 40 and ≤ 200	GA03-FIXD	4.79	GA03-24UC	0.0077
Industrial	GA04	> 200	GA04-FIXD	14.70	GA04-24UC	0.0051
Industrial	GA05	> 200	GA05-FIXD	203.00	GA05-24UC	0.0011

Fixed prices (-FIXD) apply to the number of days each customer is connected to Vector's Auckland gas distribution network. Volume prices (-24UC) apply to all gas distributed to each customer. All prices are exclusive of GST.

Network map

The approximate area covered by the Auckland gas distribution network is shown on the following map.



Price category information

The **GA0R** price category applies to all residential customers. A residential customer is where the customer's metered point of connection is for a home, not normally used for any business activity.

The **GA01 - GA05** price categories apply to non-residential customers.

Load size for non-residential customers is measured in standard cubic metres per hour (scm/h) and is based on either the installed equipment or meter capacity.

Customers with a load size greater than 200scm/h may choose between the **GA04** and **GA05** price categories. Customers may not move between these price categories more than once in any 12 month period.

A customer whose typical usage is above 130,000,000 kWh per annum may be subject to non-standard prices, at Vector's discretion.

For further information

To discuss how Vector's distribution prices are applied to customer bills, customers should contact their gas retailer.

Extent of prices

Vector's distribution prices published in this schedule relate to the cost of owning, operating and maintaining the network as it currently exists but do not include amongst other things, energy charges for the gas customers use, transmission charges, metering charges, the cost of reading meters and the cost of customer fittings or appliances.

In order for Vector to supply any new or changed distribution service, including but not limited to; changes to security or service levels, the connection to the network of additional connections and the modification, relocation or removal of current connections, Vector may apply non-standard prices other than those outlined in this schedule on a case by case basis.

Should Vector forecast a potential price breach under the regulated price path, then Vector may provide a refund or rebate of gas distribution charges directly to the gas retailer in order to avoid such a breach.