

Price schedule: Vector's gas distribution network



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

Description	Price category	Load size (scm/h)	Fixed (\$/day)	Volume (\$/kWh)		
Residential	GA0R		GA0R-FIXD	0.38	GA0R-24UC	0.0186
Business	GA01	≤ 10	GA01-FIXD	0.70	GA01-24UC	0.0119
Commercial	GA02	> 10 and ≤ 40	GA02-FIXD	1.17	GA02-24UC	0.0101
Commercial	GA03	> 40 and ≤ 200	GA03-FIXD	5.14	GA03-24UC	0.0077
Industrial	GA04	> 200	GA04-FIXD	16.00	GA04-24UC	0.0051
Industrial	GA05	> 200	GA05-FIXD	209.15	GA05-24UC	0.0011

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

Network map

The approximate area covered by Vector's gas distribution network is shown on the adjacent map.



Price category information

The **GA0R** price category applies to all residential consumers. A residential consumer is where the consumer'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 consumers.

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

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

A consumer 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 consumer bills, consumers should contact their gas retailer.

Extent of prices

Vector's distribution standard 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 consumers use, transmission charges, metering charges, the cost of reading meters and the cost of consumer 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.