



Switch Utilities electricity embedded networks

Price structure for Wellington consumers

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This document describes the Standard Electricity distribution charges for consumers on the following embedded network (**Participant Code ADMT**).

Elevate Apartments 24 Taranaki Street (NSP ELE0011)

Price Codes: SUADMRLU, SUADMRSU, SUADMGLV15, SUADMGLV69, SUADMGLV138, SUADMGLV300

The charges cover the cost of all charges for delivery to the Embedded networks and distributing electricity to consumers through the embedded networks. Price option components are available per embedded network for business consumers depending on the applicable embedded network, and the consumer's metering type. All plans are the same as Wellington Electricity's Network pricing plans.

Business consumer definition

A business consumer is where the consumer is not a residential consumer and the consumer's connection has a capacity equal to or greater than 15 kVA.

Residential consumer definition

A Residential Consumer is a consumer in a private dwelling not normally used for any business activity.

Selection of price plan

Where more than one price plan is available, the retailer may select from the available price plans. In selecting a price plan the retailer must ensure the consumer meets the requirements of that price plan as specified in this schedule.

For Pricing Details please refer to the applicable pricing Schedule

1. Business metered price plan

The following Price Plans apply to business consumers where there is a metered connection

- *GLV15
- *GLV69
- *GLV138
- *GLV300
- *GTX1500

For Pricing Details please refer to the applicable pricing Schedule

- The fixed charge (e.g.: SUADMGLV15-FIXD) is a daily charge applied to the number of days each business consumer's point of connection is energised and connected to the embedded network.
- The variable charge (e.g.: SUADMGLV15-24UC) applies to all electricity distributed to the embedded network business consumers.

2. Residential metered price plan

The following Price Plans apply to residential consumers where there is a metered connection

- *RSU (Standard User)
- *RLU (Low User)

A Low User is a residential consumer who consumes 8000 kWh or less per year at their primary place of residence and who is on a low user residential retailer price option. A Standard User is a residential consumer who consumes more than 8000 kWh per year and who is on a standard user residential retailer price option.

If Switch Utilities is satisfied that the "Low User" Price Category has been incorrectly allocated to an End-Consumer's ICP (that is, the End-Consumer does not meet the criteria for the Low Usage Price Category) it may reassign the End-Consumer to the "Standard User" category and retrospectively apply billing adjustments. The same applies in the case of End-Consumers on the "Standard User" price category reassigned to the "Low User" Price Category.

- The fixed charge (e.g.: SUADMRSU-FIXD) is a daily charge applied to the number of days each consumer's point of connection is energised and connected to the embedded network.
- The variable charge (e.g.: SUADMRSU-24UC) applies to all electricity distributed to the embedded network Residential consumers.

Consumer capacity

The capacity used to allocate consumers to a price plan is based on the nearest standard capacity of each consumer's connection as determined by Switch Utilities subject to the following conditions:

- Switch Utilities may require the consumer's demand not to exceed the capacity of their connection at any time;
- Changes to the capacity of the consumer's connection may be requested by the retailer;
- Any change to the consumer's capacity requires the current limiting device (such as a fuse or transformer) to be changed by Switch Utilities to the nearest standard capacity;
- Switch Utilities may pass some, or all of the costs associated with the change in capacity on to the retailer; and
- Changes to the consumer's capacity are subject to the agreement of Switch Utilities and the availability of spare capacity on Switch Utilities' embedded network.

Extent of charges

- Switch Utilities distribution charges reflect the price categories, tariff codes and tariffs of the network which it is connected to.
- Switch Utilities charges published in this schedule relate to the cost of owning, operating and maintaining the embedded network as it currently exists but do not include amongst other things, energy charges for the electricity consumers use, metering equipment charges, load control equipment located at the point of connection to the network, the cost of reading meters and the cost of consumer electrical installations or fittings.
- In order for Switch Utilities to supply any new or changed distribution service, including but not limited to; changes to service standards, distributed generation, the connection to the network of additional points of connection and the modification, relocation or removal of current points of connection and the modification, increased capacity, relocation or removal of current points of connection, Switch Utilities may apply nonstandard charges other than those outlined in this schedule, or require a capital contribution on a case by case basis.
- The embedded networks distribution charges recover pass-through costs from third parties.
- All rates are exclusive of GST.

Provision of billing information

- The consumer's retailer must provide Switch Utilities with consumption data for each consumer and for each tariff rate as described in this schedule.
- Where more than one meter at a point of connection is in use, but a single variable charge applies, consumption data must be aggregated by the retailer before submitting to Switch Utilities.
- Where a half hourly meter is fitted, consumption data must be aggregated by the retailer to match the appropriate tariff rates and time periods before submitting the data to Switch Utilities.
- All rates are exclusive of GST.