

**170 Electricity**

2007/2008  
NER approved  
27-Jun-07

2008/2009  
ESKOM price  
(MFMA) and FA.4

2009/2010  
NERSA approved  
29-Jun-09

2010/2011  
NERSA approved  
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**Domestic tariffs (Household, Flats, Guest Houses  
Churches & Schools without kVA and Agricultural holdings)  
Domestic Basic Charge (Conventional)/Month**

Domestic with no consumption for 30 days and longer	R 80.00	R 91.3	R 114.000	R 149.350
Residential (0 - 50 Units)	Free	Free	Free	Free
Residential (51units - Above)	R 80.00	R 91.3	R 114.000	R 149.350
<b>Domestic Energy charge of Electricity</b>				
<b>Domestic Consumption(Conventional)</b>				
0 - 50	Free	Free	Free	Free
51 - Above	R 0.3200	R 0.4320	R 0.560	R 0.734
<b>Domestic Consumption(Pre-paid)</b>				
0 - 50	Free	Free	Free	Free
51 - Above	Single or three phase	R 0.4440	R 0.5070	R 0.650
0 - Above	Lifeline( Lifeline connection Charge included)	New	R 0.5200	R 0.598
				<b>R 0.6388</b>

**Domestic Bulk**

Standard supply		R 0.4600	R 0.585	R 0.766
<b>Time of use</b>				
<b>Peak</b>	New	R 1.2800	R 1.620	R 2.120
<b>Standard</b>	New	R 0.2570	R 0.340	R 0.445
<b>Off-Peak</b>	New	R 0.1700	R 0.234	R 0.306

**Commercial tariffs (Municipal Consumption,  
Businesses, etc)**

**Basic Charge (Conventional)/Month**

Circuit Breakers charge customers with no consumption 30 days and longer also be charged(Per Amp)	R 0.00	R 0.00	R 0.000	R 0.000
Basic Charge Three phase(including vacant stands)	R 260.00	R 385.80	R 482.000	R 631.420
Basic Charge Single phase(including vacant stands)	R 230.00	R 338.35	R 422.000	R 552.820

**Energy charge of Electricity**

Charge per Unit	R 0.3200	R 0.4320	R 0.560	R 0.734
<b>Businesses Consumption(Pre-paid)</b>	R 0.4460	R 0.5180	R 0.650	R 0.850

**Industrial tariffs (Municipal Consumption, Businesses, Schools with kVA, etc)**

<b>Low Voltage 400 V (Demand scale)</b>				
Metered kVA	R 50.10	R 58.80	R 73.500	R 96.300
Charge per Unit	R 0.2000	R 0.2570	R 0.340	R 0.445
Basic Charge (including vacant stands)/Month	R 420.00	R 495.05	R 620.000	R 812.200
<b>Time of use</b>				
Basic charge				
Peak	New	R 1.2800	R 1.620	R 2.120
Standard	New	R 0.2570	R 0.340	R 0.445
Off-Peak	New	R 0.1700	R 0.230	R 0.301
<b>kVA 11000 V</b>				
Metered kVA	R 52.00	R 58.30	R 73.000	R 95.350
Charge per unit	R 0.1550	R 0.1950	R 0.264	R 0.350
Up to 100 000 units				
Above 100 000 units				
Basic Charge (including vacant stands)/Month	R 500.00	R 495.05	R 620.000	R 812.200
<b>Time of use tariff</b>				
Basic charge	New	R 495.0500	R 620.000	R 812.200
Demand charge per kVA (30min periods)	New	R 60.0200	R 75.000	R 98.250
<b>ENERGY Charges</b>				
Peak				
High Demand(June-August)	New	R 0.7793	R 0.994	R 1.300
Low Demand(September-May)	New	R 0.2403	R 0.320	R 0.420
Standard				
High Demand(June-August)	New	R 0.2256	R 0.302	R 0.400
Low Demand(September-May)	New	R 0.1593	R 0.218	R 0.285
Off-Peak				
High Demand(June-August)	New	R 0.1236	R 0.170	R 0.223
Low Demand(September-May)	New	R 0.1070	R 0.148	R 0.195

**Connection Charges and Other Maintenance**

**Connection Charges**

Single Phase Prepaid Meter	R 1,280.00	R 3,605.26	R 3,820.000	R 4,150.000
Single Phase Conventional Meter	R 1,500.00	R 3,532.46	R 3,745.000	R 4,050.000
Single Phase Prepaid Meter (Poverty (Indigent) tariff(A 281/2005))	R 410.00	Free	Free	Free
Three Phase Prepaid Meter	R 2,960.00	R 5,980.70	R 6,340.000	R 6,850.000
Three Phase Conventional Meter	R 2,360.00	R 5,807.02	R 6,155.000	R 6,650.000
Change Conventional to Prepaid Meter (Single Phase)	R 590.00	R 590.00	R 625.000	R 675.000
Change Conventional to Prepaid Meter (Three Phase)	R 1,900.00	R 3,157.89	R 3,157.890	R 3,400.000
Change Prepaid to Conventional(Single Phase)	R 495.00	R 570.18	R 650.000	R 700.000
Change Prepaid to Conventional(Three Phase)	R 1,270.00	R 1,140.00	R 1,280.000	R 1,380.000

**Penalties : Tampering with Electricity Meters (Reconnection Fee)**

**Domestic Consumers:**

**(Prepaid & conventional meters)**

**First offence:**

Without damage to installation  
With damage to installation

R 1,110.00  
R 1,670.00

R 1,200.00  
R 2,000.00

R 1,500.00  
R 2,200.00

R 1,620.00  
R 2,380.00

**Second offence:**

R 1,670.00

R 2,500.00

R 2,800.00

R 3,025.00

**Third offence:**

Legal action and removal of meter

**Self-Reconnection**

When a customer has illegal reconnected himself/herself after he/she has been cut off due to reasons such as:

failure to pay his/her account;

after meter has been found tampered with;

meter bypassed by customer;

if customer's readings differ from those taken when he/she was cut off etcetera, such a customer be declared self-reconnected and the following fine be imposed upon him/her ~ to wit ~  
and the installation be removed.

R 1,670.00

R 1,670.00

R 1,800.00

R 1,950.00

**Business Consumers and Large Power Users**

**First offence:**

+ an estimated cost for loss of income during the period when the meter was tampered with.

R 3,850.00

R 4,500.00

R 4,800.00

R 5,185.00

**Second offence:**

Legal action and removal of meter

The occupier/owner of the property be held liable for any tampering with any meter on his/her property

<b>Testing of Meters (Section 9(1) of Bylaws)</b>	R 170.00	R 200.00	R 220.000	R 240.000
<b>Attendance to complaint other than fault in Council's supply or equipment</b>				
Per Call	R 170.00	R 200.00	R 220.000	R 240.000
<b>Test of electrical installation (Section 16(8)b of Bylaws) - On request of Consumer</b>	R 265.00	R 300.00	R 320.000	R 350.000
<b>Replacement of tariff circuit breakers with</b>				
Higher circuit breaker per phase	R 235.00	R 235.00	R 250.000	R 270.000
Lower Circuit breaker per phase	R 235.00	R 235.00	R 250.000	R 270.000
<b>Consumer is of opinion tariff circuit breaker tri current value than its rating:</b>				
Tariff	R 170.00	R 200.00	R 215.000	R 232.000
Per Circuit Breaker	R 75.00	R 90.00	R 98.000	R 105.000
(These costs are refundable at non-compliance)				
<b>After a tariff circuit breaker has been tested, the Engineer's finding as to the tariff circuit breaker's compliance with the provisions of these By-laws shall be final and a tariff circuit breaker shall be regarded as complying with the provisions of these By-laws if the test proves that it does not trip within 30 minutes when it passes a steady current of 5 % below its rating.</b>				
Aggregate of units determined by Council Engineer	At Tariff	At Tariff	At Tariff	At Tariff
<b>Testing / Faultfinding on electrical cables</b>				
First 2 Hours	R 740.00	R 800.00	R 850.000	R 920.000
Every hour thereafter	R 245.00	R 300.00	R 325.000	R 350.000
Plus: Traveling cost	Actual cost	Actual cost	Actual cost	Actual cost
<b>Tariff Classification:</b>				
In the event of a dispute regarding the tariff under which a consumer is classified, Council's decision shall be final.				
<b>All tariffs exclude VAT</b>				