

Charges Exclude GST and are after any Prompt Payment Discounts have been applied.

MainPower's variable transmission and distribution line charges will increase from 1 April 2014. These changes are detailed below.

MainPower's charges have remained frozen since 1 March 2012. MainPower's fixed lines charges have not been increased.

	Number of ICPs	MainPower ICPs Cents per day	Kaiapoi ICPs Cents per day	Wigram ICPs Cents per day	Previous Charge Cents per day
<b>Fixed Line Charges</b>					
Controlled Supply	27,783	15	15	15	No Change
Controlled Supply Low User Option		15	15	15	No Change
Uncontrolled Supply	961	60	60	60	No Change
Uncontrolled Supply Low User Option	601	15	15	15	No Change
Night Special	2,100	15	15	20	No Change
Night Special Low User Option	0	0	0	0	No Change
Industrial, Commercial, Farming, Community, Lighting	5,336	50	50	50	No Change
Temporary Supply	215	100	100	100	No Change
Irrigation	Per kW Connected	1,070	NA	NA	No Change
Council Pumping	196	15	15	NA	No Change
<b>Variable Line Charges</b>					
	Distribution Charge From 1 April 2014 Cents per Unit	Transmission Charge From 1 April 2014 Cents per Unit		Total Charge From 1 April 2014 Cents per Unit	Total Charge From 1 April 2013 Cents per Unit
<b>MainPower ICPs</b>					
Night Special	5.552	0.233		5.785	5.364
Night Special - Low User Option	6.189	2.333		8.522	8.101
Uncontrolled Supply Low User Option	9.294	2.333		11.627	11.063
Temporary Supply	9.153	2.333		11.486	10.928
All Other Units	6.965	2.333		9.298	8.849
<b>Kaiapoi ICPs</b>					
Night Special	3.502	0.378		3.880	3.459
Night Special - Low User Option	2.834	3.783		6.617	6.196
Uncontrolled Supply Low User Option	5.939	3.783		9.722	9.158
Temporary Supply	9.153	2.333		11.486	10.928
All Other Units	3.610	3.783		7.393	6.944
<b>Wigram ICPs</b>					
Night Special	4.266	0.522		4.788	4.233
Night Special - Low User Option	3.210	5.228		8.438	7.883
Uncontrolled Supply Low User Option	6.002	5.228		11.230	10.475
Temporary Supply	9.153	2.333		11.486	10.928
All Other Units	3.788	5.228		9.016	8.261

#### Reason for the Price Change

Transpower's transmission charges increased effective 1 April 2014. MainPower has recovered this increase in full on a revenue neutral basis net of transmission revenue recovered by way of anticipated growth. MainPower has also increased its variable distribution lines charges to recover increased operating costs. Fixed line charges have not been increased. The cost of a customer's delivered energy will increase by approximately 2.2% as a result of these changes. Customers requiring further information should contact MainPower on 03 311 8553 or refer to MainPower's website [www.mainpower.co.nz](http://www.mainpower.co.nz)

#### Preference Shareholder Rebates

- MainPower's Preference Shareholders (also known to as Rebate Shareholders or Qualifying Customers) will continue to receive a monthly Rebate credited to their Power Account.  
The Rebate only applies to MainPower ICPs and not Kaiapoi or Wigram ICPs.  
The amount of Rebate distributed to these customers and the manner in which it is distributed is subject to regular review by the Board of MainPower.  
Rebates are only made available at the discretion of the Board.
- The Board has agreed that Qualifying Customer Rebates should remain unchanged from 1 March 2014 at 1.905 cents per Unit.

#### Notes

- Kaiapoi ICPs refer to those customers who were previously connected to the Kaiapoi Electricity Network.
- A Fixed Line Charge waiver may apply for certain Tariff Codes in special circumstances. i.e. when approved by MainPower in writing.
- An approved Fixed Line Charge will apply for a minimum period of 12 months.

#### Residential Charges

- Storage water heating must be subject to control in order to qualify for Residential Controlled and/or Night Special Supply.  
MainPower reserves the right to waive this requirement under special circumstances.
- Night Special is available for approved fixed wired storage water heating, storage space heating and other approved systems.  
Supply of Night Special is limited to a maximum of 8 hours between 9.30pm and 7.30 am. Storage water heating is subject to control.  
The Fixed Charge for Residential Controlled Supply coupled with Night Special is 30.00 cents per day (Wigram 35.00 cents per day) excluding GST and after the Prompt Payment Discount has been applied, (Low User Option 15.00 cents per day. Wigram 20.00 cents per day)

#### Charges for Other Supply

- The above Line Service rates for "Other Supply" customers assume that storage water heating and water storage for pumping purposes is controllable by MainPower.  
MainPower reserves the right to waive this requirement under special circumstances.  
MainPower also reserves the right to charge a higher fixed charge where a waiver is not approved and the customer requests Uncontrolled Supply.  
MainPower also reserves the right to charge a higher fixed charge where Power Factor Correction requirements are not maintained.
- Large user customers, i.e. customers consuming over 500,000 units per annum, may qualify for a volume discount.  
The level of discount is subject to negotiation between MainPower and each individual customer.  
MainPower will take into account a customer's load characteristics and other relevant circumstances.