



# FUEL LEVY GUIDE September 2009

## Average Fuel Prices

	Metro	Pilbara	Kimberley
August 08	174.8	194.2	197.1
September 08	167.9	184.5	192.1
October 08	163.1	180.7	187.6
November 08	148.3	168.0	173.5
December 08	135.1	155.0	160.5
<b>January 09</b>	<b>126.6</b>	<b>145.6</b>	<b>153.0</b>
<b>February 09</b>	<b>122.6</b>	<b>142.8</b>	<b>150.2</b>
<b>March 09</b>	<b>118.3</b>	<b>139.2</b>	<b>146.8</b>
<b>April 09</b>	<b>121.1</b>	<b>137.7</b>	<b>146.0</b>
<b>May 09</b>	<b>119.5</b>	<b>135.8</b>	<b>145.0</b>
<b>June 09</b>	<b>124.4</b>	<b>138.8</b>	<b>146.5</b>
<b>July 09</b>	<b>126.6</b>	<b>141.4</b>	<b>147.2</b>
<b>August 09</b>	<b>125.9</b>	<b>140.2</b>	<b>147.5</b>

## RATES AS REVIEWED August 2008 (Previous review 1.7.06)

### Disclaimer

Spreadsheets were developed by industry, under the auspices of the Minister for Consumer and Employment Protection in December 2004 to assist Prime Contractors to negotiate with Sub Contractors in relation to safe sustainable rates. As part of this process it was recognized that fuel was an extremely volatile cost component and would need to be regularly reviewed. The figures above represent rates for "typical" operations and there could be significant variations in rates required for sustainable operations depending upon a range of variables including kilometres travelled, fuel efficiency and loads. Fuel levies will vary significantly as they are based on percentage change for the cost of fuel against total operating costs which will vary from company to company. **In all instances the Prime Contractor and the Subcontractor are responsible for negotiating a rate in accordance with the Trade Practices Act.** Costing spreadsheets are available to members to support their negotiations.

September 09	Base rate	Fuel Levy \$	Fuel levy %	Total	Including GST
<b>Metropolitan (hourly)</b>					
5 tonne	\$ 42.32	\$ 0.570	1.347%	\$ 42.89	\$ 47.18
8 tonne	\$ 44.16	\$ 0.785	1.778%	\$ 44.95	\$ 49.44
12 tonne	\$ 50.77	\$ 0.991	2.103%	\$ 51.84	\$ 57.02
Single axle	\$ 50.81	\$ 1.172	2.306%	\$ 51.98	\$ 57.18
Semi	\$ 63.11	\$ 1.963	3.351%	\$ 65.22	\$ 71.74
B-Double	\$ 73.47	\$ 2.873	4.213%	\$ 76.57	\$ 84.23
<b>Long Distance (km)</b>					
Double (single driver)	\$ 1.734	\$ 0.173	10.507%	\$ 1.916	\$ 2.107
Triple (single driver)	\$ 1.949	\$ 0.255	13.085%	\$ 2.204	\$ 2.424
Double (two up)	\$ 1.893	\$ 0.213	11.275%	\$ 2.106	\$ 2.317
Triple (two up)	\$ 2.173	\$ 0.299	13.749%	\$ 2.472	\$ 2.719

\* September rate based on August diesel fuel average price as sourced from the Fuel Watch website (historical averages):  
[http://www.fuelwatch.wa.gov.au/prices/dsp\\_hist\\_avg.cfm](http://www.fuelwatch.wa.gov.au/prices/dsp_hist_avg.cfm).

Last fuel levy comparison

August 09	Base rate	Fuel Levy \$	Fuel levy %	Total	Including GST
<b>Metropolitan (hourly)</b>					
5 tonne	\$ 42.32	\$ 0.529	1.250%	\$ 42.82	\$ 47.13
8 tonne	\$ 44.16	\$ 0.729	1.650%	\$ 44.89	\$ 49.38
12 tonne	\$ 50.77	\$ 0.991	1.952%	\$ 51.76	\$ 56.94
Single axle	\$ 50.81	\$ 1.088	2.141%	\$ 51.89	\$ 57.08
Semi	\$ 63.11	\$ 1.963	3.110%	\$ 65.07	\$ 71.58
B-Double	\$ 73.47	\$ 2.873	3.910%	\$ 76.35	\$ 83.98
<b>Long Distance (km)</b>					
Double (single driver)	\$ 1.734	\$ 0.173	9.964%	\$ 1.906	\$ 2.097
Triple (single driver)	\$ 1.949	\$ 0.242	12.409%	\$ 2.191	\$ 2.410
Double (two up)	\$ 1.893	\$ 0.205	10.829%	\$ 2.098	\$ 2.308
Triple (two up)	\$ 2.173	\$ 0.287	13.205%	\$ 2.460	\$ 2.706