

# FUEL LEVY GUIDE March 2010

## Average Fuel Prices

	Metro	Pilbara	Kimberley
March 09	118.3	139.2	146.8
April 09	121.1	137.7	146.0
May 09	119.5	135.8	145.0
June 09	124.4	138.8	146.5
July 09	126.6	141.4	147.2
August 09	125.9	140.2	147.5
September 09	125.5	140.1	147.6
October 09	122.4	138.4	145.4
November 09	126.2	138.5	145.9
December 09	125.4	138.5	145.9
January 10	125.4	138.2	145.6
February 10	127.3	139.5	147.8
March 10	126.7	139.8	148.3

## RATES AS REVIEWED October 2009 (Previous review 1.8.08)

### 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 processed 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.

March 10	Base rate	Fuel Levy \$	Fuel levy %	Total	Including GST
<b>Metropolitan (hourly)</b>					
5 tonne	\$ 43.41	\$ 0.607	1.397%	\$ 44.02	\$ 48.42
8 tonne	\$ 45.25	\$ 0.836	1.846%	\$ 46.09	\$ 50.70
12 tonne	\$ 51.92	\$ 1.136	2.189%	\$ 53.06	\$ 58.36
Single axle	\$ 51.82	\$ 1.247	2.406%	\$ 53.07	\$ 58.37
Semi	\$ 64.89	\$ 2.250	3.468%	\$ 67.14	\$ 73.85
B-Double	\$ 75.03	\$ 3.294	4.391%	\$ 78.32	\$ 86.15
<b>Long Distance (km)</b>					
Double (single driver)	\$ 1.760	\$ 0.232	13.158%	\$ 1.992	\$ 2.191
Triple (single driver)	\$ 1.978	\$ 0.324	16.388%	\$ 2.303	\$ 2.533
Double (two up)	\$ 1.932	\$ 0.232	11.990%	\$ 2.163	\$ 2.380
Triple (two up)	\$ 2.217	\$ 0.324	14.624%	\$ 2.542	\$ 2.796

\*March rate based on February 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

February 10	Base rate	Fuel Levy \$	Fuel levy %	Total	Including GST
<b>Metropolitan (hourly)</b>					
5 tonne	\$ 43.41	\$ 0.623	1.436%	\$ 44.04	\$ 48.44
8 tonne	\$ 45.25	\$ 0.859	1.897%	\$ 46.11	\$ 50.72
12 tonne	\$ 51.92	\$ 1.168	2.249%	\$ 53.09	\$ 58.40
Single axle	\$ 51.82	\$ 1.281	2.473%	\$ 53.10	\$ 58.41
Semi	\$ 64.89	\$ 2.313	3.564%	\$ 67.20	\$ 73.92
B-Double	\$ 75.03	\$ 3.385	4.512%	\$ 78.41	\$ 86.25
<b>Long Distance (km)</b>					
Double (single driver)	\$ 1.760	\$ 0.230	13.045%	\$ 1.990	\$ 2.189
Triple (single driver)	\$ 1.978	\$ 0.321	16.247%	\$ 2.300	\$ 2.530
Double (two up)	\$ 1.932	\$ 0.230	11.887%	\$ 2.161	\$ 2.378
Triple (two up)	\$ 2.217	\$ 0.321	14.498%	\$ 2.539	\$ 2.793