

Coliban Water - Approved 2025-26 maximum prices

This schedule of maximum prices will be effective from 1 July to 30 June for the respective year.

Variable water, sewerage, recycled water and trade waste charges are rounded down to 4 decimal places.

All other charges are rounded down to 2 decimal places.

Tariff and Price Component	Price (1 July 2024)	Price (1 July 2025)
1.1 Water Volume Charges (per kL)		
Treated	2.6220	2.7262
Untreated	1.3108	1.3628
Recycled	1.9690	2.0473
1.2 Urban Water Access Fees* (per annum)		
20mm Meter or Less	265.64	278.09
25mm Meter	415.09	434.53
32mm Meter	680.10	711.95
40mm Meter	1,062.69	1,112.48
50mm Meter	1,660.48	1,738.28
80mm Meter	4,250.87	4,450.03
100mm Meter	6,642.00	6,953.19
150mm Meter	14,944.53	15,644.73
* Non-residential Recycled Water Access Fee is based on 50% of the Urban Water Access Fee.		
* Urban Untreated Water Access Fee is based on 50% of the Urban Water Access Fee.		
* Residential Recycled 20mm Meter or Less Access Fee is \$0.00 from 2018-19.		
1.3 Fire Services Access Fees (per annum)		
32mm Meter	65.39	68.63
40mm Meter	98.10	102.96
50mm Meter	141.00	147.99
80mm Meter	337.10	353.82
100mm Meter	526.77	552.90
150mm Meter	1,107.00	1,161.92
1.4 Sewer Fees		
Sewer Access Fee (per annum)	798.33	835.73
STED Sewer Rebate (Elmore only)	657.39	690.00
Sewer Volume Charge (per kL) (non-residential only)*	1.1377	1.1910
* Applies to discharges in excess of 0.63kL per day (equivalent to 230kL per year) in any given billing period.		
2.1 Rural Charges – Unmodernised		
Volume Charge (per kL)	0.2869	0.2929
Excess Usage (per kL)	3.6741	3.7623
Infrastructure Charge (per ML entitlement)	181.79	185.67
Access Charges (per annum)		
Unmodernised Pipeline	939.48	959.51
Channel	527.98	539.23
Channel – Single Shared Outlet	422.37	431.36
Storage Access	117.04	119.53
Outlet Fees (per additional outlet)	30.17	30.81
Rural Transfer Admin Fee (per transfer)	70.35	72.03

2.2 Rural Charges – Modernised Pipeline

Volume Charge (per kL)	0.2869	0.2929
Excess Usage (per kL)	3.6741	3.7623
Infrastructure Charge – modernised (per ML entitlement)	273.20	279.76
Modernised Headworks Component	27.28	27.86
Modernised Network Component	245.77	251.00
Termination Fee (per ML entitlement)	2,459.01	2,518.06
Rural Transfer Admin Fee (per transfer)	70.35	72.03
Modernised Rural Access Charges (per annum)		
20mm Meter or Less	250.73	256.07
25mm Meter	391.78	400.13
32mm Meter	642.25	657.67
40mm Meter	1,003.05	1,024.43
50mm Meter	1,567.27	1,600.68
80mm Meter or Greater	4,012.26	4,097.80

3.1 Major Trade Waste Charges

Access Fee (per annum)	In accordance with pricing principles	In accordance with pricing principles
Volume Charge (per kL)	1.1377	1.1910
Quality Parameters (per kg)		
COD	0.4633	0.4850
P	3.7983	3.9763
SS	0.9898	1.0361
TDS	0.0294	0.0307
TKN	1.9645	2.0565
Sampling	Actual Cost	Actual Cost
Non-compliance charges		
pH contravention charge (per kL discharge):		
pH < 6.0	0.2272	0.2384
pH > 10.0	0.0568	0.0596

3.2 Minor and Medium Trade Waste Charges

Minor Trade Waste (per annum)	187.33	196.62
Medium Trade Waste (per annum)	187.33	196.62
Non-compliance charges		
Contravention fee (failure to clean or repair) per incident	659.27	691.98
Asset protection fee (no pre-treatment) per annum	1,000.27	1,049.90
Unlawful discharge fee per incident	318.27	334.06
Agreed no asset fee per annum	136.40	143.16

4.1 New Customer Contributions (per lot)

Water	2,858.44	3,512.51
Water – Small Lot Infill *	1,985.03	2,032.70
Sewer ^	2,858.44	3,512.51
Sewer – Small Lot Infill *	1,985.03	2,032.70
Sewer – Discounted (minimum charge) ^	1,194.31	1,807.58
Recycled Water	1,429.22	1,675.76
Pressure sewer systems	at cost +10%	at cost +10%

* Eligibility criteria for small lot infill NCCs: each lot created is less than 450sqm; no more than two new created lots from an existing lot; excludes major greenfield areas: Bagshot, Huntly, Maiden Gully, Marong or Strathfieldsaye; no unserviced lot created.

^ A 20 per cent rebate will apply in any regulatory year where Coliban Water's cumulative sewer growth-related capital expenditure over the previous years is below the target set under its Sewer Growth Capital Expenditure (SGCE) Guarantee.

5.1 Water meters

Supply, installation and connection of new meter

Actual cost +10%

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5.2 Core Miscellaneous Services

Project Management

Per development

831.26

872.50

Per development (optional fast tracking)

1,246.92

1,308.78

Per lot

111.11

116.62

Per lot (optional fast tracking)

166.68

174.95

Practical Completion

299.78

314.65

Other services fees

Application fee

89.37

93.80

New water or recycled connection, building, renovation or demolition applications, amendments to water or sewer connection

Recycled Connection Inspection Fee

331.54

347.99

Mains Extension Plan Resubmission Fee

239.85

251.75

Repeat Site Inspection Fee

239.85

251.75

Consent to Erect a Structure (Build Over)

373.56

392.09

Miscellaneous

Special Meter Reading Fee (manual read)

23.15

24.29

Special Meter Reading Fee (digital meter)

0.00

0.00

Information Statement

34.79

36.51

Restrictor Action Fee

126.96

133.25

Standpipes/water carting (per kL)

Treated water

2.6233

2.7534

Untreated water

1.3114

1.3764

Recycled Water

1.9700

2.0677

Special Testing

Hydrant Flow and Pressure Test Field Information

296.29

310.99

Standard Pressure Information

128.10

134.45

Other Services

Meter test (per test)

Actual cost

Actual cost

Debt collection recovery

Actual cost

Actual cost

Fire plugs (all sizes)

Actual cost +10%

Actual cost +10%

Fire services - sealing

Actual cost +10%

Actual cost +10%

Fire services - resealing

Actual cost +10%

Actual cost +10%

Shutdowns and repairs

Actual cost +10%

Actual cost +10%

Damage to assets (per occasion)

Actual cost +10%

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Cut ins - large diameter mains

Actual cost +10%

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5.3 Non-Core Miscellaneous Services

Various Non-Core Miscellaneous

In accordance with
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