

Fuel Price Report

July 2013



FUEL PRICE REPORT JULY 2013

Just as UK petrol looked as if it may stabilise for the summer at 134.6p a litre, a weaker pound and speculation in the oil and fuel markets are again driving up the pump price. The cost of diesel is also rising, but not as fast.

Oil: \$109 a barrel

Unleaded prices have risen by 1.2ppl from 134.6ppl to 135.8ppl. **Diesel** prices have risen by 1.0ppl from 139.2ppl to 140.2ppl. The price difference between unleaded and diesel has fallen to 4.4ppl.

Northern Ireland recorded the highest price for **unleaded** at 136.6ppl. **London and the North West** recorded the lowest price for **unleaded** at 135.5ppl. **Scotland and East Anglia** recorded the highest **diesel** price at 140.8ppl. **The North West** has the cheapest **diesel** at 139.7ppl.

Supermarket prices for **unleaded** rose by 1.6ppl. The gap between supermarket prices and the UK average for **unleaded** has fallen to 1.6ppl.

The UK has the 11th highest petrol price and the fourth highest diesel price.

Garages and Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane (pence)		Diesel (pence)		Super Unleaded (pence)		LPG (pence)
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres
Northern Ireland	136.6	621.0	140.4	638.27	143.9	654.2	97.9
Scotland	136.0	618.3	140.8	640.09	142.9	649.6	64.9
Wales	136.0	618.3	140.7	639.63	141.4	642.8	64.9
North	135.6	616.4	140.1	636.91	146.2	664.6	68.2
North West	135.5	616.0	139.7	635.09	144.8	658.3	67.4
Yorkshire & Humberside	135.6	616.4	139.9	636.00	145.5	661.5	66.4
West Midlands	135.9	617.8	139.9	636.00	144.6	657.4	72.2
East Midlands	136.0	618.3	140.2	637.36	143.6	652.8	67.9
East Anglia	136.2	619.2	140.8	640.09	142.9	649.6	68.4
South East	135.8	617.4	140.6	639.18	143.6	652.8	71.3
South West	136.2	619.2	140.5	638.73	143.9	654.2	69.9
London	135.5	616.0	140.2	637.36	143.1	650.5	71.0
UK AVERAGE	135.8	617.4	140.2	637.36	143.8	653.7	69.8
Per cent taken as Tax		59.3		58.00		57.0	

Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane		Diesel		Super unleaded		LPG
	Litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres
SUPERMARKET AVERAGE	133.6	607.4	137.9	626.9	138.8	631.0	65.7
Per cent taken as Tax		60.0		58.69		58.4	

The AA Public Affairs Fuel Price Report uses data sourced from Experian Catalist (www.catalist.com)
They are an average of mid-month prices from the respective regions.

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OVERSEAS PRICE COMPARISONS

Source of overseas price comparisons: European prices - European Road Information Centre (Geneva) and ec.europa weekly oil bulletins as at 19 July 2013. USA prices - Energy Information Administration, US Dept. of Energy – as at 15 July 2013.

FUEL PRICES IN EUROPE AND THE USA

Country	Currency	Local Currency per litre		UK pence per litre	
		Unleaded	Diesel	Unleaded	Diesel
Austria	Euro	1.43	1.37	122.96	117.80
Belgium	Euro	1.71	1.49	147.03	128.11
Czech Republic	Czech Koruna	36.58	36.01	121.23	119.34
Denmark	Danish Krone	11.99	10.63	138.26	122.58
Finland	Euro	1.65	1.49	141.87	128.03
France	Euro	1.56	1.43	134.13	122.96
Germany	Euro	1.60	1.44	137.57	123.82
Greece	Euro	1.72	1.45	147.89	124.68
Netherlands	Euro	1.84	1.49	158.21	128.11
Hungary	Forint	414.00	422.00	120.37	122.70
Ireland	Euro	1.58	1.48	135.85	127.25
Italy	Euro	1.77	1.66	152.19	142.73
Luxembourg	Euro	1.39	1.22	119.52	104.90
Estonia	Euro	1.33	1.31	114.36	112.64
Norway	Norwegian Krone	15.61	14.15	170.89	154.91
Latvia	Lats	0.95	0.91	116.55	111.65
Lithuania	Litas	4.74	4.48	118.04	111.57
Poland	Zloty	5.59	5.59	113.16	113.16
Slovakia	Euro	1.48	1.36	127.25	117.28
Slovenia	Euro	1.49	1.38	128.11	118.66
Portugal	Euro	1.55	1.35	133.27	116.08
Spain	Euro	1.45	1.37	124.68	117.80
Sweden	Swedish Krona	14.98	14.63	149.79	146.29
Switzerland	Swiss Francs	1.83	1.90	127.28	132.15
United States of America	US Dollars	0.961	1.02	62.99	66.53
Malta	Euro	1.47	1.38	126.40	118.66
Bulgaria	Leva	2.56	2.61	112.39	114.59
Cyprus	Euro	1.37	1.38	118.05	119.00
Romania	New Leu	5.72	5.91	111.15	114.84

Note: We receive international prices to 3 decimal places and calculate the UK pence per litre on that price. Therefore, some countries will show the same price in their local currency to 2 decimal places, but the UK pence price could be slightly different. Please note the unleaded prices for France, Germany and Finland are for E10. That's petrol containing 10 per cent ethanol.

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