

# Fuel price report (January 2018)

Unleaded prices have risen 1p from 120.7 ppl to 121.7 ppl. Diesel prices have gone up 1.2p from 123.2p to 124.4p. The price difference between diesel and unleaded has grown to 2.7 ppl.

The **South East** has recorded the highest price for **unleaded** at 122.5 ppl. **Scotland and Yorkshire & Humberside** have recorded the lowest price for **unleaded** at 120.8 ppl. The **South East** has recorded the highest **diesel** price at 125.2 ppl. **Northern Ireland** has the cheapest **diesel** at 123.4 ppl.

Supermarket prices for **unleaded** now average 118.9 ppl. The gap between supermarket prices and the UK average for **unleaded** has fallen back to 2.8 ppl.

| Garages and Supermarkets | Unleaded 95 Octane (pence) |           | Diesel (pence) |           | Super Unleaded (pence) |           | LPG (pence) |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|-------------|
|                          | litres                     | (gallons) | litres         | (gallons) | litres                 | (gallons) | litres      |
| Northern Ireland         | 120.9                      | 549.6     | 123.4          | 561.0     | 128.9                  | 586.0     | 0.0         |
| Scotland                 | 120.8                      | 549.2     | 124.1          | 564.2     | 131.9                  | 599.6     | 51.9        |
| Wales                    | 121.2                      | 551.0     | 124.4          | 565.5     | 133.3                  | 606.0     | 52.9        |
| North East               | 121.0                      | 550.1     | 123.8          | 562.8     | 130.0                  | 591.0     | 62.9        |
| North West               | 121.4                      | 551.9     | 124.1          | 564.2     | 131.1                  | 596.0     | 53.7        |
| Yorkshire & Humberside   | 120.8                      | 549.2     | 123.9          | 563.3     | 129.8                  | 590.1     | 0.0         |
| West Midlands            | 121.0                      | 550.1     | 123.7          | 562.4     | 133.2                  | 605.5     | 63.4        |
| East Midlands            | 121.6                      | 552.8     | 124.4          | 565.5     | 131.1                  | 596.0     | 0.0         |
| Essex and East Anglia    | 122.3                      | 556.0     | 124.9          | 567.8     | 132.7                  | 603.3     | 0.0         |
| London                   | 122.2                      | 555.5     | 125.1          | 568.7     | 133.1                  | 605.1     | 0.0         |
| South East               | 122.5                      | 556.9     | 125.2          | 569.2     | 132.7                  | 603.3     | 0.0         |
| South West               | 121.9                      | 554.2     | 124.7          | 566.9     | 131.6                  | 598.3     | 0.0         |
| <b>UK AVERAGE</b>        | <b>121.7</b>               | 553.3     | <b>124.4</b>   | 565.5     | <b>132.1</b>           | 600.5     | <b>58.0</b> |
| Per cent taken as Tax    |                            | 64.3      |                | 63.3      |                        | 60.5      |             |

| Supermarkets               | Unleaded 95 Octane |              | Diesel       |              | Super unleaded |              | LPG         |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|
|                            | Litres             | (gallons)    | litres       | (gallons)    | litres         | (gallons)    | litres      |
| <b>SUPERMARKET AVERAGE</b> | <b>118.9</b>       | <b>540.5</b> | <b>121.5</b> | <b>552.3</b> | <b>124.5</b>   | <b>566.0</b> | <b>52.8</b> |
| Per cent taken as Tax      |                    | 65.4         |              | 64.4         |                | 63.2         |             |

The AA's fuel price report uses data sourced from Experian Catalist ([www.catalist.com](http://www.catalist.com))

They're an average of mid-month prices from the respective regions.

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## EUROPE AND THE USA

Sources of overseas price comparisons:

European prices

- ec.europa weekly oil bulletins (15 January 2018)
- TCS Information Services (12 January 2018)

USA prices

- Energy Information Administration, US Dept. of Energy (15 January 2018)

| Country                  | Currency        | Local Currency per litre |        | UK pence per litre |        |
|--------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------|--------------------|--------|
|                          |                 | Unleaded                 | Diesel | Unleaded           | Diesel |
| Austria                  | Euro            | 1.21                     | 1.16   | 107.47             | 103.20 |
| Belgium                  | Euro            | 1.37                     | 1.30   | 121.67             | 115.82 |
| Czech Republic           | Czech Koruna    | 30.56                    | 29.93  | 107.74             | 105.52 |
| Denmark                  | Danish Krone    | 11.42                    | 9.73   | 135.96             | 115.84 |
| Finland                  | Euro            | 1.48                     | 1.36   | 131.34             | 121.45 |
| France                   | Euro            | 1.48                     | 1.40   | 131.35             | 124.48 |
| Germany                  | Euro            | 1.35                     | 1.19   | 120.39             | 105.96 |
| Greece                   | Euro            | 1.54                     | 1.32   | 137.48             | 117.45 |
| Netherlands              | Euro            | 1.60                     | 1.30   | 142.47             | 115.84 |
| Hungary                  | Forint          | 363.40                   | 373.88 | 104.00             | 107.00 |
| Ireland                  | Euro            | 1.40                     | 1.30   | 124.57             | 115.67 |
| Italy                    | Euro            | 1.57                     | 1.44   | 139.50             | 128.33 |
| Luxembourg               | Euro            | 1.20                     | 1.06   | 106.58             | 94.21  |
| Estonia                  | Euro            | 1.31                     | 1.30   | 116.91             | 116.02 |
| Norway                   | Norwegian Krone | 15.78                    | 15.05  | 144.78             | 138.08 |
| Latvia                   | Euro            | 1.22                     | 1.13   | 109.07             | 100.93 |
| Lithuania                | Euro            | 1.17                     | 1.10   | 103.83             | 97.62  |
| Poland                   | Zloty           | 4.74                     | 4.63   | 101.28             | 98.93  |
| Slovakia                 | Euro            | 1.32                     | 1.20   | 117.36             | 107.03 |
| Slovenia                 | Euro            | 1.30                     | 1.24   | 115.89             | 110.63 |
| Portugal                 | Euro            | 1.53                     | 1.34   | 136.59             | 119.50 |
| Spain                    | Euro            | 1.25                     | 1.16   | 111.67             | 103.61 |
| Sweden                   | Swedish Krona   | 14.78                    | 17.73  | 133.14             | 159.71 |
| Switzerland              | Swiss Francs    | 1.59                     | 1.64   | 121.15             | 124.96 |
| United States of America | US Dollars      | 0.68                     | 0.80   | 48.54              | 57.10  |
| Malta                    | Euro            | 1.31                     | 1.18   | 116.65             | 105.07 |
| Bulgaria                 | Leva            | 2.04                     | 2.05   | 92.46              | 92.88  |
| Cyprus                   | Euro            | 1.23                     | 1.25   | 109.77             | 110.93 |
| Romania                  | New Leu         | 5.33                     | 5.43   | 101.83             | 103.74 |

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