

Fuel price report (May 2018)

Unleaded prices have gone up 4.1p from 121.4 p/litre to 125.5 p/litre. Diesel prices have increased by 4.1p from 124.2 p/litre to 128.3 p/litre. The price difference between diesel and unleaded has grown to 2.8 p/litre.

The **South East and London** have recorded the highest price for **unleaded** at 126.4 p/litre. **Northern Ireland and Yorkshire/Humberside** have recorded the lowest price for **unleaded** at 124.8 p/litre. The **South East** has recorded the highest **diesel** price at 129.2 p/litre. **Northern Ireland** has the cheapest **diesel** at 127.2 p/litre.

Supermarket prices for **unleaded** now average 121.9 p/litre. The gap between supermarket prices and the UK average for **unleaded** has risen to 3.6 p/litre.

Garages and Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane (pence)		Diesel (pence)		Super Unleaded (pence)		LPG (pence)
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres
Northern Ireland	124.8	567.4	127.2	578.3	130.9	595.1	0.0
Scotland	125.2	569.2	128.2	582.8	134.8	612.8	53.9
Wales	125.1	568.7	128.0	581.9	132.9	604.2	0.0
North East	125.2	569.2	127.8	581.0	136.8	621.9	0.0
North West	124.9	567.8	128.1	582.4	135.0	613.7	62.9
Yorkshire & Humberside	124.8	567.4	127.6	580.1	136.5	620.5	58.4
West Midlands	125.3	569.6	128.0	581.9	135.7	616.9	0.0
East Midlands	125.4	570.1	128.3	583.3	136.9	622.4	0.0
Essex and East Anglia	126.0	572.8	128.8	585.5	135.1	614.2	0.0
London	126.4	574.6	129.1	586.9	136.9	622.4	55.9
South East	126.4	574.6	129.2	587.4	136.9	622.4	0.0
South West	125.7	571.4	128.5	584.2	135.5	616.0	63.9
UK AVERAGE	125.5	570.5	128.3	583.3	136.0	618.3	59.5
Per cent taken as Tax		62.8		61.8		59.3	

Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane		Diesel		Super unleaded		LPG
	Litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres
SUPERMARKET AVERAGE	121.9	554.2	124.7	566.9	127.7	580.5	57.9
Per cent taken as Tax		64.2		63.1		62.0	

The AA's fuel price report uses data sourced from Experian Catalist (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 (14 May 2018)
- TCS Information Services (18 May 2018)

USA prices

- Energy Information Administration, US Dept. of Energy (14 May 2018)

Country	Currency	Local Currency per litre		UK pence per litre	
		Unleaded	Diesel	Unleaded	Diesel
Austria	Euro	1.27	1.21	111.80	107.04
Belgium	Euro	1.40	1.40	123.91	123.81
Czech Republic	Czech Koruna	31.66	31.02	108.09	105.91
Denmark	Danish Krone	12.25	10.37	144.58	122.39
Finland	Euro	1.51	1.35	133.42	119.48
France	Euro	1.52	1.44	134.13	126.95
Germany	Euro	1.44	1.26	127.15	111.18
Greece	Euro	1.60	1.38	141.27	121.33
Netherlands	Euro	1.67	1.36	146.92	119.65
Hungary	Forint	382.16	388.12	105.25	106.89
Ireland	Euro	1.43	1.32	126.09	116.39
Italy	Euro	1.61	1.48	141.71	130.90
Luxembourg	Euro	1.26	1.11	111.01	97.86
Estonia	Euro	1.26	1.11	111.01	97.86
Norway	Norwegian Krone	16.12	15.17	149.14	140.35
Latvia	Euro	1.25	1.16	110.30	102.18
Lithuania	Euro	1.24	1.15	109.17	101.76
Poland	Zloty	5.06	4.99	103.65	102.22
Slovakia	Euro	1.37	1.24	120.80	109.33
Slovenia	Euro	1.34	1.28	118.03	112.67
Portugal	Euro	1.56	1.35	138.01	118.95
Spain	Euro	1.30	1.21	114.92	106.52
Sweden	Swedish Krona	15.78	15.64	135.38	134.18
Switzerland	Swiss Francs	1.68	1.75	127.60	132.92
United States of America	US Dollars	0.76	0.86	57.09	64.60
Malta	Euro	1.31	1.18	115.59	104.12
Bulgaria	Leva	2.13	2.13	95.65	95.65
Cyprus	Euro	1.28	1.29	113.06	114.13
Romania	New Leu	5.58	5.68	105.24	107.12