

# Your guide to Tariff 20 and Tariff 21



BASED ON TARIFF RATES FOR 2019/20.  
ALL RATES INCLUDE GST.

## Tariff 20

This is a general supply tariff, where you pay for what you use at a flat rate plus a supply charge.

Customers with annual usage above 2000 kWh may be best suited to using Tariff 20 compared with Tariff 21.

|               | COST / KWH | COST / DAY |
|---------------|------------|------------|
| All usage     | \$0.26875  |            |
| Supply charge |            | \$1.3743   |

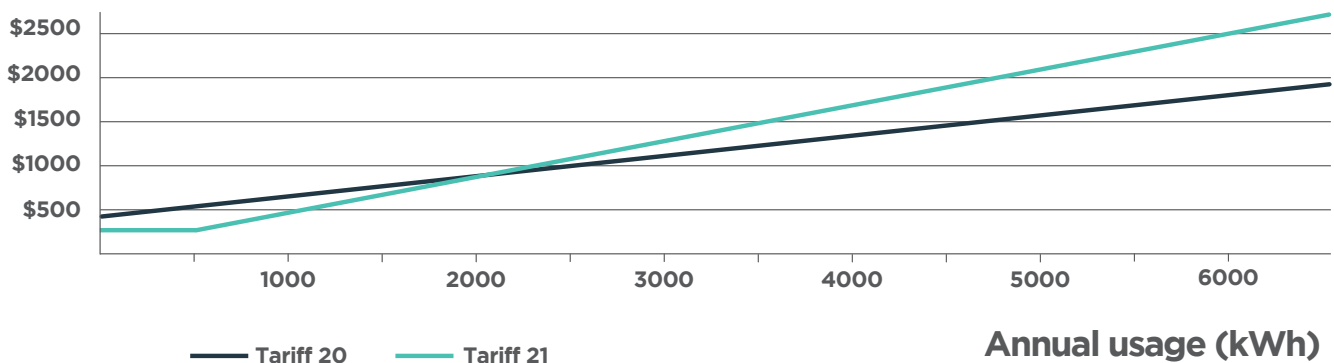
## Tariff 21

On this declining-block tariff for small business, you pay a decreasing rate for usage, with a minimum daily charge.

Tariff 21 is now obsolete and scheduled to be phased out.

|                                | COST / KWH | COST / DAY |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|
| First 100 kWh usage per month  | \$0.54293  |            |
| Next 9,900 kWh usage per month | \$0.51011  |            |
| Remaining kWh usage            | \$0.38833  |            |
| Minimum charge                 |            | \$0.79894  |

## Annual cost



## CASE STUDY 1

Local Scout Association owns and uses the local scout hall one night each week. Annual usage is 1500 kWh, using a refrigerator, lights and air-conditioning.

**Potential outcome:** Annual cost on Tariff 20 is higher than Tariff 21 by \$100.

| TARIFF 20     | USAGE (KWH) | ANNUAL COST  |
|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| All usage     | 1500        | \$403        |
| Supply charge |             | \$502        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>1500</b> | <b>\$905</b> |

| TARIFF 21                      | USAGE (KWH) | ANNUAL COST  |
|--------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| First 100 kWh usage per month  | 1200        | \$652        |
| Next 9,900 kWh usage per month | 300         | \$153        |
| Remaining kWh usage            | n/a         | \$0          |
| Minimum charge                 | n/a         | \$0          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                   | <b>1500</b> | <b>\$805</b> |

## CASE STUDY 2

Sue Smith Architecture has 3 to 4 people in the office, operating for 40 hours each week. Annual usage is 20000 kWh per year, using printers, lights, air conditioning and computers.

**Potential outcome:** Annual cost on Tariff 20 is lower than Tariff 21 by \$4365.

| TARIFF 20     | USAGE (KWH)  | ANNUAL COST   |
|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| All usage     | 20000        | \$5375        |
| Supply charge |              | \$502         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>20000</b> | <b>\$5877</b> |

| TARIFF 21                      | USAGE (KWH)  | ANNUAL COST    |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| First 100 kWh usage per month  | 1200         | \$652          |
| Next 9,900 kWh usage per month | 18800        | \$9590         |
| Remaining kWh usage            | n/a          | \$0            |
| Minimum charge                 | n/a          | \$0            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                   | <b>20000</b> | <b>\$10242</b> |

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