

Power of Choice Exempt Areas



Customers in the following areas are exempt from the Power of Choice electricity industry reforms. This is because these areas are serviced by our isolated electricity networks and are not covered by the National Electricity Rules metering rules.

In these areas, small customer metering works will still be performed by us. Our estimated prices for new and replacement Type 6 meters (non-digital meters) are below.

Power of Choice exempt areas

Arakun	Burketown	Kowanyama	Napranum
Bamage	Camooweal	Lockhart River	Palm Island
Bedourie	Coen	Mapoon	Pompuraaw
Birdsville	Doomadgee	Mornington Island	Windorah
Boulia	Jundah	Mt Isa	Thursday Island & surrounds

Upfront metering charges for exempt areas

Please note: The table below provides estimates only. The amounts charged to you by your electricity retailer may differ and may be outside this range.

Charge	How you are billed	\$ (GST inclusive) as current for 2025-26 financial year
Installation of new Type 6 metering	These charges will be included the next bill you receive from your electricity retailer.	\$465.04* to \$783.45*
Replacement of existing metering with Type 6 metering	These charges will be included the next bill you receive from your electricity retailer.	\$465.04* to \$783.45*
Installation of new Type 6 Current Transformer metering	These charges will be included the next bill you receive from your electricity retailer.	\$2,769.29*
Replacement of metering with new Type 6 Current Transformer metering	These charges will be included the next bill you receive from your electricity retailer.	\$2,769.29*
* These charges are per metering installation that is required, and do not include relevant call out fees.		