

Coliban Water Schedule of Rural Charges

Valid 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025

(This is the date from which each individual charge applies unless otherwise specified)

The charges on this schedule of charges relate to all rural systems (channels, pipelines, modernised and unmodernised) supplied from the Coliban River and Campaspe River (Lake Eppalock).

All listed charges are charged in quarterly instalments. Your payment will be due 20 business days after your invoice is issued.

(all charges and fees are due at this time unless otherwise specified)

Unmodernised system fees and charges

(Applies to all rural systems other than the Harcourt Modernised System)

| Access charges | Annual charge | Daily rate |
|---|---------------|------------|
| Pipeline | \$939.48 | \$2.5739 |
| Channel | \$527.98 | \$1.4465 |
| Channel (shared) | \$422.37 | \$1.1571 |
| Storage access | \$117.04 | \$0.3206 |
| Outlet fees per additional outlet | \$30.17 | \$0.0826 |
| Variable charges | \$/ML | |
| Volume charge | | \$286.90 |
| Excess usage charge | | \$3,674.10 |
| Infrastructure charge per ML licence volume | | \$181.79 |
| Other rural charges | Charge | |
| Rural Transfer Admin Fee per transfer | | \$66.54 |

Modernised system fees and charges (Applies to the Harcourt Modernised System)

| Access charges | Annual charge | Daily rate |
|---|---------------|------------|
| 20mm meter or less | \$250.73 | \$0.6869 |
| 25mm meter | \$391.78 | \$1.0733 |
| 32mm meter | \$642.25 | \$1.7595 |
| 40mm meter | \$1,003.05 | \$2.7480 |
| 50mm meter | \$1,567.27 | \$4.2938 |
| 80mm meter or greater | \$4,012.26 | \$10.9924 |
| Variable charges | \$/ML | |
| Volume charge | | \$286.90 |
| Excess usage charge | | \$3,674.10 |
| Infrastructure charge – modernised network per ML licence volume | | \$245.77 |
| Infrastructure charge – modernised headwork per ML licence volume | | \$27.28 |
| Termination fee per ML licence volume terminated | | \$2,457.70 |
| 1. In accordance with the Water Charge Rules (2010), this is capped at maximum 10 times the fixed volumetric charge for rights of access the customer wishes to terminate | | |
| Other rural charges | Charge | |
| Rural Transfer Admin Fee per transfer | | \$66.54 |

Description of charges - Unmodernised system fees and charges

| Access charges | Annual charge |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Pipeline | Annual charge for access to pipeline to deliver water to customer |
| Channel | Annual charge for access to channel to deliver water to customer |
| Channel (shared) | Annual charge for shared access to channel to deliver water to customer |
| Storage access | Annual storage charge payable where water carried over for use in future season |
| Outlet fees | Annual charge payable per additional outlet (2+) from channel or pipeline |
| Variable charges | |
| Volume charge | Charge per ML of water delivered to customer |
| Excess usage charge | Charge per ML of water delivered to customer in excess of customer's licence volume and any trades |
| Infrastructure charge | Charge per ML of licence volume for delivery right |
| Other rural charges | |
| Rural Transfer Admin Fee per transfer | Flat administration fee charged per temporary or permanent transfer of water between customers |

Description of charges - Modernised system fees and charges

| Access charges | Annual charge |
|---|---|
| Metered | Annual charge for access to modernised pipeline to deliver water to customer. Price increases with service size |
| Variable charges | |
| Volume charge | Charge per ML of water delivered to customer |
| Excess usage charge | Charge per ML of water delivered to customer in excess of customer's licence volume and any trades |
| Infrastructure charge – modernised network per ML licence volume | Charge per ML of licence volume for delivery right – network component |
| Infrastructure charge – modernised headwork per ML licence volume | Charge per ML of licence volume for delivery right – headworks component |
| Other rural charges | |
| Rural Transfer Admin Fee | Flat administration fee charged per temporary or permanent transfer of water between customers |

How our infrastructure charges are determined

The Victorian Essential Services Commission (ESC) approves price paths and annual price adjustment processes every five years on a cost-recovery basis. The ESC approves prices for the coming financial year by 30 June each year.

Following approval by the ESC, Coliban Water's Board approves annual prices by 30 June each year to come into effect from 1 July.

Dispute resolution

If you have any questions or wish to dispute your bill, please call us on: 1300 363 200 or email us at coliban@coliban.com.au

Generally available discounts

Concession holders may be eligible for a discount. Coliban Water also offers flexible payment arrangements, family violence support and linkages to external financial counselling services.

More information is available on our website coliban.com.au/paying-your-account/payment-difficulties

Hardship policy

Coliban Water has a hardship policy in place. Please see coliban.com.au/files/2019-06/HardshipPolicy.pdf for the current version of this policy.