

## Alternative control service charges

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# 1 Ancillary fee based services charges

This document summarises our proposed alternative control services (**ACS**) charges. Table 1 shows our proposed charges for ancillary fee-based services for business hours while table 2 shows the after-hours charges for the same services. For details on our forecasting methodology for the new charges introduced since the original proposal, refer to the Alternative Control Services chapter in our regulatory proposal.

Table 1	Proposed fee based ACS ancillary	services for the 2021–2026 regulatory	period, business hours (\$2021)
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Service	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Basic connections—new connection where we are the metering coordinator					
Single phase	501.19	501.19	501.19	501.19	501.19
Multi-phase DC	501.19	501.19	501.19	501.19	501.19
Multi-phase CT	1,739.68	1,739.68	1,739.68	1,739.68	1,739.68
Basic connections—new connection where we are not the metering	coordinator				
Single phase	465.10	465.10	465.10	465.10	465.10
Multi-phase DC	465.10	465.10	465.10	465.10	465.10
Multi-phase CT	1,587.47	1,587.47	1,587.47	1,587.47	1,587.47
Meter/NMI/site investigation	277.43	277.43	277.43	277.43	277.43
Meter accuracy test	277.43	277.43	277.43	277.43	277.43
Meter accuracy test - additional meters	132.94	132.94	132.94	132.94	132.94
Special reading	23.31	23.31	23.31	23.31	23.31
Remote meter reconfiguration	66.17	66.17	66.17	66.17	66.17
Manual re-energisation (including customer transfer)	49.63	49.63	49.63	49.63	49.63
Manual re-energisation (same day)	74.81	74.81	74.81	74.81	74.81
Manual de-energisation	49.63	49.63	49.63	49.63	49.63
Isolation of supply or reconnection, excluding HV (single)	318.40	318.40	318.40	318.40	318.40
Isolation of supply and reconnection after isolation, excluding HV (same day)	585.79	585.79	585.79	585.79	585.79
Standard alteration, <60 minutes	550.20	550.20	550.20	550.20	550.20
Complex alteration, > 60 minutes	683.85	683.85	683.85	683.85	683.85
Failed field visit (complex tasks)	308.85	308.85	308.85	308.85	308.85
Failed field visit for lower cost services (simple tasks)	23.31	23.31	23.31	23.31	23.31
Installation of nightwatchman lights	1,839.05	1,839.05	1,839.05	1,839.05	1,839.05
Installation of possum guards	380.86	380.86	380.86	380.86	380.86

#### Source: United Energy

 Table 2
 Proposed fee based ACS ancillary services for the 2021–2026 regulatory period, after hours (\$2021)

Service	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Basic connections—new connection where we are the metering coordinator					
Single phase	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47
Multi-phase DC	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47
Multi-phase CT	2,723.01	2,723.01	2,723.01	2,723.01	2,723.01
Basic connections—new connection where we are not the meter	ing coordinat	or			
Single phase	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47
Multi-phase DC	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47	784.47
Multi-phase CT	2,723.01	2,723.01	2,723.01	2,723.01	2,723.01
Meter/NMI/site investigation	485.50	485.50	485.50	485.50	485.50
Meter accuracy test	485.50	485.50	485.50	485.50	485.50
Manual re-energisation (including customer transfer)	86.85	86.85	86.85	86.85	86.85
Isolation of supply or reconnection, excluding HV (single)	557.20	557.20	557.20	557.20	557.20
Standard alteration, <60 minutes	962.86	962.86	962.86	962.86	962.86
Complex alteration, > 60 minutes	1,196.74	1,196.74	1,196.74	1,196.74	1,196.74
Failed field visit (unable to perform customer requested task)	540.48	540.48	540.48	540.48	540.48

Source: United Energy

### 2 Quoted services labour rates

Table 3 shows our proposed quoted services labour rates for business hours and table 4 shows the after-hours labour rates. The below tables show the 2021/22 labour rates, to which an escalator will be applied.

 Table 3
 Proposed quoted services labour rates for the 2021–2026 regulatory period, business hours (\$2021)

	2021/22
Administration	92.73
Field worker	167.70
Technical	171.75
Engineer	150.69
Senior engineer	197.05

Source: United Energy

Table 4 Proposed quoted services labour rates for the 2021–2026 regulatory period, after hours (\$2021)

	2021/22
Administration	NA
Field worker	206.44
Technical	223.24
Engineer	226.87
Senior engineer	318.74

Source: United Energy

## 3 Public lighting OM&R charges

Table 5 summarises our proposed operation, maintenance, repair and replacement (**OM&R**) charges for each public lighting type. We have provided the charges for 2021/22. To obtain the following years' charges, an escalator will be applied.

Table 5 Proposed OM&R for public lighting per light type (\$, nominal)

Light type	2021/22
Mercury Vapour 80 watt	95.26
Sodium High Pressure 150 watt	131.64
Sodium High Pressure 250 watt	134.40
Fluorescent 2x20 watt	122.88
Fluorescent 3x20 watt	122.88
Mercury Vapour 50 watt	140.98
Mercury Vapour 125 watt	140.98
Mercury Vapour 250 watt	122.30
Mercury Vapour 400 watt	169.34
Mercury Vapour 700 watt	169.34
Sodium High Pressure 70 watt	208.61
Sodium High Pressure 100 watt	144.80
Sodium High Pressure 400 watt	169.34
Metal Halide 70 watt	177.71
Metal Halide 100 watt	177.71
Metal Halide 150 watt	177.71
Metal Halide 250 watt	181.44
Metal Halide 400 watt	181.44
T5 2X14W	41.33
Twin 24w Fluorescent	41.33
32W Compact Fluorescent	41.33
42w Compact Fluorescent	41.33
Category P LED 18 Watt	21.42
Category P LED High Output	21.42
Category V LED L1 Standard Output	43.88

Category V LED L2 Medium Output	55.14
Category V LED L4 High Output	58.12
Written down value (WDV)	250.86
Avoided cost	-27.41

Source: United Energy

## 4 Charges related to metering provision services

Table 6 shows our proposed manual meter reading charges for the 2021–2026 regulatory period. We have held the charge constant in real terms from 1 July 2021.

Table 6Manual meter reading charge (\$, 2021)

Charge per read	2025/26
Basic or manually-read interval meter	23.31

Source: United Energy

Table 7 shows our proposed metering exit fees in cases where the customer moves to a competitive meter services provider. For details on our forecasting methodology refer to CP MOD 11.02 - Metering PTRM & exit fees 2021-26 - Jan2020 - Public.

Table 7 Metering exit fee charges (\$ per NMI, 2021)

Meter type	2021/22
Single phase	262.31
Three phase direct connected meter	307.18
Three phase CT connected meter	332.06
Basic or manually-read interval meter	52.41

Source: United Energy

Our metering provision charges are outlined in the metering chapter in the regulatory proposal.