

FUEL PRICE REPORT APRIL 2008

UK average petrol and diesel prices continue to hit record highs, propelled not only by soaring oil prices but the impact on supply of European refinery maintenance problems. With oil prices touching \$115 a barrel, a £5 petrol gallon looks increasingly to be on the cards.

Nationally, **unleaded** prices have risen by 1.3ppl to 108.1ppl in the past month. **Diesel** prices have risen by 3.1ppl to 117.4ppl. The price difference between unleaded and diesel has risen from 7.5ppl to 9.3ppl.

London recorded the highest price for **unleaded** at 108.7ppl followed by **Northern Ireland, East Anglia** and the **South East** at 108.5ppl. **Yorkshire and Humberside** recorded the lowest price for unleaded at 107.2ppl. **Wales** recorded the highest **diesel** price at 118.3ppl. The **North West** and **Yorkshire and Humberside** still have the cheapest **diesel** at 116.7ppl.

Supermarket prices for **unleaded** also rose over the month by 1.4ppl to 106.8ppl. The gap between supermarket prices and the UK average for **unleaded** has decreased to 1.3ppl. Overseas prices have risen. The UK has the eleventh highest **unleaded** price in Europe and the second highest **diesel** price.

Garages and Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane		Diesel		Super Unleaded		LPG
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	
Northern Ireland	108.5	493.3	117.8	535.53	115.9	526.9	n/a
Scotland	107.8	490.1	117.9	535.98	114.1	518.7	54.7
Wales	108.2	491.9	118.3	537.80	114.2	519.2	52.3
North	107.6	489.2	117.2	532.80	115	522.8	54.8
North West	107.3	487.8	116.7	530.53	115.1	523.3	54
Yorkshire & Humberside	107.2	487.3	116.7	530.53	114.2	519.2	54.4
West Midlands	108.1	491.4	117.5	534.17	115.2	523.7	56.4
East Midlands	107.9	490.5	117.1	532.35	114.8	521.9	56.9
East Anglia	108.5	493.3	117.8	535.53	115.2	523.7	57
South East	108.5	493.3	117.5	534.17	115.1	523.3	57.7
South West	108.2	491.9	117.8	535.53	114.6	521.0	56
London	108.7	494.2	117.3	533.26	115.5	525.1	58.8
UK AVERAGE	108.1	491.4	117.4	533.71	115.0	522.8	56.5
Per cent taken as Tax	61.5		57.78		58.7		

Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane		Diesel		Super unleaded		LPG
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	
SUPERMARKET AVERAGE	106.8	485.5	115.5	525.1	111.7	507.8	53.9
Per cent taken as Tax	62.0		58.49		60.0		

The AA Public Affairs Fuel Price Report uses data sourced from Catalist Ltd & Arval (www.catalist.com)
 They are an average of mid-month prices from the respective regions.

FUEL PRICE REPORT SEPTEMBER 2008

Falling oil prices, that have now crashed through the \$100-a-barrel mark, have yet to be reflected in UK pump prices. Over the month, petrol prices rose briefly before dropping back to barely below where they started. In some parts of the country there has been virtually no change in price.

Nationally, **unleaded** prices have fallen by 0.3ppl to 112.9ppl in the past month. **Diesel** prices have fallen by 1.3ppl to 124.3ppl. The price difference between unleaded and diesel has fallen from 12.4ppl to 11.4ppl

London again recorded the highest price for **unleaded** at 113.8ppl followed by **Northern Ireland** and the **South East** at 113.4ppl. **Yorkshire and Humberside** and the **North West** recorded the lowest price for unleaded at 111.9ppl. **Northern Ireland** recorded the highest **diesel** price at 125.4ppl. **Yorkshire and Humberside** has the cheapest diesel at 123.2ppl.

Supermarket prices for **unleaded** also fell over the month by 0.6ppl to 111.3ppl. The gap between supermarket prices and the UK average for **unleaded** has fallen to 1.6ppl.

Overseas prices have also fallen. The UK has the eleventh highest **unleaded** price in Europe and the second highest **diesel** price.

Garages and Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane (pence)		Diesel (pence)		Super Unleaded (pence)		LPG (pence)
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	
Northern Ireland	113.4	515.5	125.4	570.08	121.8	553.7	53.9
Scotland	112.3	510.5	124.3	565.08	118.2	537.3	57.3
Wales	113.3	515.1	124.8	567.35	118.7	539.6	53.2
North	112.3	510.5	123.8	562.81	120	545.5	54.3
North West	111.9	508.7	123.3	560.53	119.7	544.2	56.4
Yorkshire & Humberside	111.9	508.7	123.2	560.08	119.3	542.3	54.4
West Midlands	112.8	512.8	124.1	564.17	119.6	543.7	58.9
East Midlands	112.7	512.3	123.8	562.81	120	545.5	59
East Anglia	113.3	515.1	124.5	565.99	119.5	543.3	58.2
South East	113.4	515.5	124.8	567.35	119.8	544.6	60.3
South West	113.2	514.6	124.4	565.53	119.3	542.3	57.6
London	113.8	517.3	124.9	567.81	120.4	547.3	61.2
UK AVERAGE	112.9	513.3	124.3	565.08	119.7	544.2	58.4
Per cent taken as Tax	59.5		55.40		57.0		

Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane		Diesel		Super unleaded		LPG
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	
SUPERMARKET AVERAGE	111.3	506.0	122.8	558.3	116.2	528.3	54.3
Per cent taken as Tax	60.1		55.9		58.2		

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Fuel Price Report

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Despite a 1p cut in fuel duty in the Budget, UK average fuel prices have climbed to new record highs. Compared to last Easter, petrol is nearly 15p a litre more expensive and diesel 20p higher. Oil is \$122 a barrel.

Unleaded prices have risen by 2.9ppl from 132.9ppl to 135.8ppl. **Diesel** prices have also risen, by 3.0ppl, from 139.0ppl to 142.0ppl. The price difference between unleaded and diesel has risen to 6.2ppl.

Northern Ireland and the **South East** recorded the highest price for **unleaded** at 136.3ppl. **Yorkshire and Humberside** recorded the lowest price for **unleaded** at 135.1ppl. **Scotland** recorded the highest **diesel** price at 142.8ppl. **Yorkshire and Humberside** have the cheapest **diesel** at 141.5ppl.

Supermarket prices for **unleaded** also rose over the month by 3.3ppl to 133.3ppl. The gap between supermarket prices and the UK average for **unleaded** has fallen to 2.5ppl.

The UK has the twelfth highest **unleaded** price in Europe and the third highest **diesel** price.

Garages and Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane (pence)		Diesel (pence)		Super Unleaded (pence)		LPG (pence)
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	
Northern Ireland	136.3	619.6	142.7	648.73	143.1	650.5	73.9
Scotland	135.8	617.4	142.8	649.18	141.5	643.3	75.9
Wales	136.1	618.7	142.5	647.82	141.5	643.3	75.2
North	135.4	615.5	142.1	646.00	144.4	656.5	73.6
North West	135.3	615.1	141.7	644.18	141.6	643.7	76.3
Yorkshire & Humberside	135.1	614.2	141.5	643.27	142.7	648.7	71.4
West Midlands	135.8	617.4	141.9	645.09	143.2	651.0	77.0
East Midlands	135.4	615.5	141.6	643.73	142.2	646.5	77.7
East Anglia	136.1	618.7	142.0	645.54	143.0	650.1	77.2
South East	136.3	619.6	142.0	645.54	142.9	649.6	78.3
South West	136.2	619.2	142.2	646.45	143.7	653.3	71.9
London	135.9	617.8	141.6	643.73	143.2	651.0	77.8
UK AVERAGE	135.8	617.4	142.0	645.54	142.7	648.7	76.5
Per cent taken as Tax		59.3		57.48		57.3	

Supermarkets	Unleaded 95 Octane		Diesel		Super unleaded		LPG
	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	litres	(gallons)	
SUPERMARKET AVERAGE	133.3	606.0	139.5	634.2	137.7	626.0	72.4
Per cent taken as Tax		60.1		58.21		58.8	

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