

<	less than
≤	less than or equal to
>	greater than
≥	greater than or equal to
A	ampere
c	cents
c/kvarh	cents per reactive kilovolt-ampere-hour
c/kWh	cents per kilowatt-hour
GWh	gigawatt-hour
kVA	kilovolt-ampere
kvarh	reactive kilovolt-ampere-hour
kV	kilovolt
kW	kilowatt
kWh	kilowatt-hour
MVA	megavolt-ampere
N/A	Not applicable
NER	National Electricity Regulator
PF	Power factor
R	Rand
R/kVA	Rand per kilovolt-ampere
R/kW	Rand per kilowatt
TOU	Time-of-Use
V	volt
VAT	value added tax
W	watt

Energy charge:	A fixed or time and/or seasonally differentiated charge linked to each kWh (unit of energy) consumed.
Service charge:	A fixed charge payable per premise every month, whether electricity is consumed or not. It is a contribution towards fixed costs such as meter reading, billing and meter capital.
Billing period:	The period that stretches from one meter reading date to the following meter reading date.
Connection fee:	The minimum, one-off, up-front payment for new or additional capacity.
Demand charge:	A R/kVA or R/kW charge which is time and/or seasonally differentiated and is applied to the chargeable demand registered during the month.
Key customer:	Typically a customer under a common management structure that uses a minimum of 5 GWH of electricity on a contiguous site in any 12 consecutive months.
Reactive energy charge:	This charge is applicable to Time-of-Use. It is levied on every kvarh which is registered in excess of 30% of the kWh supplied during the specified periods of the month. There is no reactive energy charge for a customer operating with a power factor of 0, 96 or better. The method of calculating this excess differs and is described with the respective tariff.