

Aussie Home Energy – Electricity Reduction Solutions

Example Time Of Use [TOU] Electricity Tariff Switching Times & Cost Per kWh Common In Essential Energy's Distribution Area

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sun		
Midnight									
01:00:00									
02:00:00									
03:00:00								Off Peak Rate @	
04:00:00								16.522 cents	
05:00:00									
06:00:00									
07:00:00								Peak Rate @	
08:00:00	35.046 cents								
09:00:00									
10:00:00									
11:00:00								Shoulder Rate @	
Noon								35.046 cents	
13:00:00								Shoulder Rate @	
14:00:00								35.046 cents	
15:00:00									
16:00:00								Peak Rate @	
17:00:00	35.046 cents								
18:00:00									
19:00:00								Shoulder Rate @	
20:00:00	35.046 cents								
21:00:00									
22:00:00								Off Peak Rate @	
23:00:00								16.522 cents	
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The TOU timing above is based on Essential Energy's NSW distribution area. For other NSW electricity distributor areas see [Ausgrid's & Endeavour's TOU Table](#). Prices are based on Origin Energy's residential Standing Offer including GST as of September 2014.

TIP #1 - Consider using appliances outside of peak and shoulder times to reduce costs. Maximise your electricity usage where possible in the green zone.

TIP #2 - Some appliances can be programmed for set times. Adding a timer, when no-one is at home can also help to operate appliances at set times. This latter option works best with older appliances, where they will turn on and commence operation when power is applied. Newer appliances usually favour being programmed.