

## GAS CONNECTION PRICE LIST STARTING FROM 1 NOVEMBER 2009

### SCOPE OF APPLICATION

This gas connection price list shall apply to the gas connection contracts of the distribution system operator, Tampereen Sähkölaitos Oy. The connection to the gas network is subject to the general terms of connection to the gas distribution network.

The methodology used in setting the connection fees has been confirmed by the Energy Authority.

The price list is effective until further notice starting from 1 November 2009. The prices are exclusive of VAT.

### GAS CONNECTION FEE

The gas connection fee CF is determined as follows:

$CF = BF + PF + AP$ , where

BF = Basic connection fee, determined by the maximum hourly gas consumption capacity  $P_{max}$  reserved by the customer; includes the capacity category-specific pipeline length outside of the lot.

$$BF = A + B \times P_{max}$$

Capacity $P_{max}$ [kW]	A [€]	B [€/kW]	Pipeline length at the top limit [m]
$P_{max} \leq 20$	2,550		30
$20 < P_{max} \leq 100$	1,800	53	38
$100 < P_{max} \leq 250$	2,300	48	53
$250 < P_{max} \leq 400$	3,600	44	68
$400 < P_{max} \leq 1,000$	7,800	34	128
$1,000 < P_{max} \leq 1,500$	12,000	30	178

The pipeline length included in the basic fee is 28 m + 1 m per each 10 kW of capacity.

PF = Pipeline fee on the lot [EUR/m], determined by the length of the branch pipeline to be constructed on the lot measured from the edge of the lot to the metering installation.

Capacity $P_{\max}$ [kW]	Unit price for the pipeline fee [€/m]
$P_{\max} \leq 250$	94
$250 < P_{\max} \leq 1,500$	124

AP = Additional pipeline fee, applied when the pipeline length specified for the basic connection fee is exceeded. The additional pipeline fee added to the connection fee includes a share of the construction costs for the pipeline network in question that can be allocated to the customer according to the cause-and-effect principle taking into account the other probable customers in the pipeline network area.

The distribution system operator uses the connection fee for constructing a natural gas branch pipeline and metering equipment in the agreed gas supply point. The fee does not include any surface construction work at the customer's lot, such as asphaltting, bricklaying, turfing or planting.

## PRINCIPLES FOR APPLYING AN ADDITIONAL CONNECTION FEE

An additional connection fee ACF charged for increasing the connection capacity of a gas connection is determined by the connection fee components presented above depending on whether the connection capacity can be increased without making pipeline changes or if pipeline changes are necessary.

Increasing the connection capacity without pipeline changes:

$$ACF = BF_{\text{new}} - BF_{\text{old}}$$

Increasing the connection capacity with pipeline changes:

$$ACF = CF_{\text{new}} - BF_{\text{old}}$$

## PROCESSING OF CONNECTION FEES

The connection fee is not returned to the customer upon the termination of the gas connection contract. VAT will be added to the fees.