

Fuel price report

Western Australia

September 2026

Average prices from 1 September to 30 September 2026, from every service station reporting a price

Perth U91

220.1 c/L

+19.8 c/L on August 2026

Perth diesel

262.9 c/L

+21.7 c/L on August 2026

Western Australia U91 average

229.0 c/L

+18.1 c/L on August 2026

Western Australia diesel average

273.0 c/L

+19.1 c/L on August 2026

Perth month by month, what makes up a litre, margins, the price cycle, excise, how Perth compares with the other capitals, its areas, and every regional town we could rank.

Report highlights

- 1 In September 2026, Perth drivers paid an average of 220.1 c/L for U91, a rise of 19.8 c/L on August 2026.
- 2 Pinjarra was the cheapest town in Mandurah for U91 in September 2026 at 210.3 c/L, sitting 9.8 c/L below the Perth average.
- 3 Bunbury averaged 217.8 c/L for U91 in September 2026, 2.3 c/L below Perth, and was cheaper than Perth in 1 of 6 months since our records began on 13 April 2026.
- 4 Since our records began on 13 April 2026, Tuesday has been the cheapest day to buy U91 in Perth and Wednesday the dearest, separated by 12.6 c/L on average, or \$7.56 on a 60-litre tank.
- 5 Filling a 60-litre tank with U91 in Mount Melville rather than in Gibson Desert North saved \$104.28 on average in September 2026.
- 6 Diesel cost 42.8 c/L more than U91 in Perth in September 2026, rising from 40.9 c/L in August 2026.
- 7 Mount Melville was Western Australia's cheapest town for U91 in September 2026 at 206.2 c/L, 13.9 c/L below the Perth average.
- 8 Perth was the second cheapest of the 8 capital cities for U91 in September 2026 at 220.1 c/L.

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Key points

- 1 Perth drivers paid an average of 220.1 c/L for U91 in September 2026, up 19.8 c/L on the previous period.
- 2 The state average for U91 was 229 c/L, an increase of 18.1 c/L.
- 3 Diesel in Perth averaged 262.9 c/L, rising 21.7 c/L.
- 4 The state average for diesel was 273 c/L, up 19.1 c/L.
- 5 Mount Melville was the cheapest town for U91 at 206.2 c/L.
- 6 Gibson Desert North was the dearest town for U91 at 380 c/L.
- 7 Perth was the second cheapest of the 8 capital cities for U91 at 220.1 c/L.
- 8 The indicative retail margin for U91 in Perth fell 0.8 c/L to 5.3 c/L.
- 9 Diesel cost 42.8 c/L more than U91 in Perth, an increase of 1.9 c/L.
- 10 A 60-litre tank of U91 in Mount Melville saved \$104.28 compared to Gibson Desert North.
- 11 Independent service stations in Perth averaged 213.1 c/L for U91, 8.7 c/L less than the major brands.

Written from FuelRadar's station-day averages for September 2026 and checked against them.

Every fuel

U91 averaged 229 c/L across Western Australia in September 2026, up 18.1 c/L on the previous period, while diesel averaged 273 c/L, up 19.1 c/L. These rises followed higher terminal gate prices and crude oil costs. P95 averaged 238.3 c/L, P98 averaged 247.3 c/L and LPG averaged 162.5 c/L.

Fuel	Western Australia	Change	Perth	Rest of state	Difference	Stations
Unleaded 91	229.0	+18.1	220.1	237.1	+17.0	929
Diesel	273.0	+19.1	262.9	277.5	+14.6	655
Premium 95	238.3	+19.0	236.4	243.0	+6.6	521
Premium 98	247.3	+18.6	245.4	250.2	+4.8	719
LPG	162.5	+09	157.2	185.0	+27.8	37

Cents a litre. Change is on August 2026. Difference is the rest against Perth.

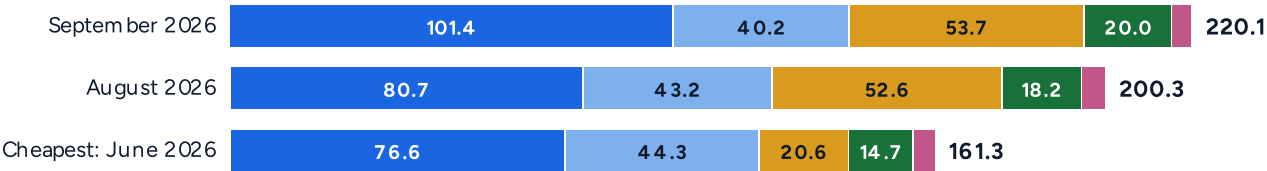
Perth drivers paid an average of 220.1 c/L for U91, while the rest of Western Australia averaged 237.1 c/L. This meant the rest of the state paid 17 c/L more than the capital.

What makes up a litre in Perth

A litre of U91 in Perth was made up of 101.4 cents for crude oil, 40.2 cents for wholesale costs, 53.7 cents for excise and 20 cents for GST , leaving a retail difference of 4.8 cents, down from 5.6 cents in August 2026. Diesel in Perth comprised 101.4 cents for crude oil, 72.4 cents for wholesale costs, 53.7 cents for excise and 23.9 cents for GST , leaving a retail difference of 11.5 cents, up from 6.8 cents in the previous period.

Unleaded 91

■ Crude oil (Brent) ■ Wholesale: refining, shipping, terminal ■ Excise ■ GST ■ Retail difference

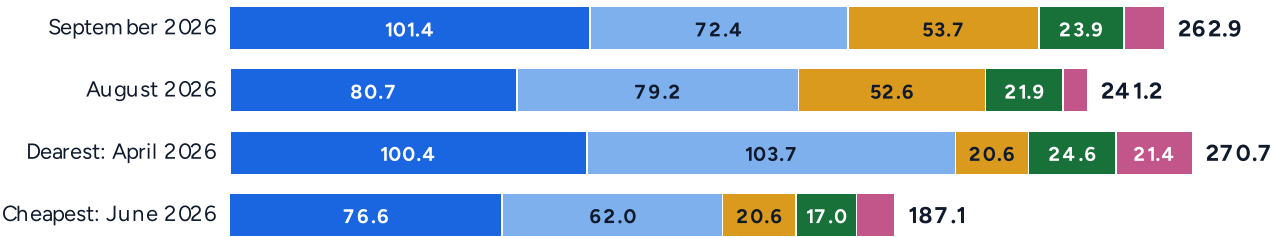


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Cents a litre	September 2026			
	dearest since our records began	August 2026	2025 average (wholesale only)	Cheapest: June 2026
Crude oil (Brent, A\$)	101.4	80.7	67.5	76.6
Wholesale: refining, shipping, terminal	40.2	43.2	29.0	44.3
Excise	53.7	52.6	51.1	20.6
GST	20.0	18.2	—	14.7
Retail difference	4.8	5.6	—	5.1
Retail price	220.1	200.3	—	161.3
Terminal gate price	214.8	194.2	162.4	155.6
Indicative margin (retail less TGP)	5.3	6.1	—	5.7

Diesel

Crude oil (Brent) Wholesale: refining, shipping, terminal Excise GST Retail difference

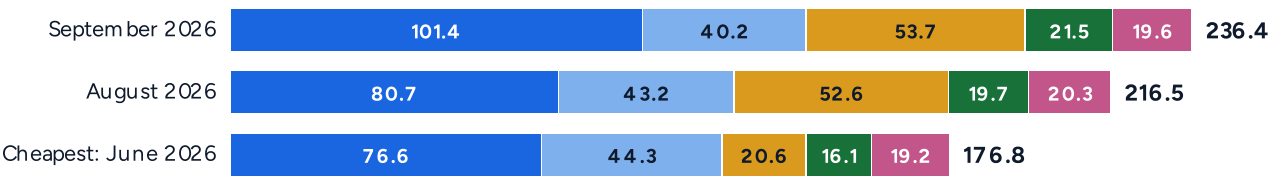


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Cents a litre	September 2026	August 2026	2025 average (wholesale only)	Dearest: April 2026 (part)	Cheapest: June 2026
Crude oil (Brent, A\$)	101.4	80.7	67.5	100.4	76.6
Wholesale: refining, shipping, terminal	72.4	79.2	33.0	103.7	62.0
Excise	53.7	52.6	51.1	20.6	20.6
GST	23.9	21.9	—	24.6	17.0
Retail difference	11.5	6.8	—	21.4	10.9
Retail price	262.9	241.2	—	270.7	187.1
Terminal gate price	250.2	233.7	166.8	247.2	175.1
Indicative margin (retail less TGP)	12.7	7.5	—	23.5	12.0

Premium 95

Crude oil (Brent) Wholesale: refining, shipping, terminal Excise GST Retail difference



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Cents a litre	September 2026			
	dearest since our records began	August 2026	2025 average (wholesale only)	Cheapest: June 2026
Crude oil (Brent, A\$)	101.4	80.7	67.5	76.6
Wholesale: refining, shipping, terminal	40.2	43.2	29.0	44.3
Excise	53.7	52.6	51.1	20.6
GST	21.5	19.7	—	16.1
Retail difference	19.6	20.3	—	19.2
Retail price	236.4	216.5	—	176.8
Terminal gate price (unleaded)	214.8	194.2	162.4	155.6

Premium 95 has no terminal gate price of its own. We use the unleaded price, so the premium grade’s extra wholesale cost sits in its retail difference, and we give no margin for it.

Retail: FuelRadar station-day averages for Perth; our retail records begin on 13 April 2026, so a period before then has the wholesale side only, and “dearest” and “cheapest” compare the periods since our records began. Last year’s average is the previous calendar year. Until we have a full calendar year of retail prices it shows the wholesale side only: the terminal gate price, crude oil and excise. Its GST, retail difference and margin need a retail price, so they are left out. Terminal gate price: AIP, Perth terminal, carried over weekends. Crude oil is the US Energy Information Administration Brent spot price (FRED series DCOILBRENTU), converted to Australian cents a litre at each day’s exchange rate (FRED series DEXUSAL) and 158.987 litres a barrel, then averaged over the days both are published. Excise: ATO, averaged over the period’s days. Wholesale is the terminal gate price without GST and excise, less crude oil. GST is one eleventh of the retail price. The retail difference is what is left: the retailer’s costs and margin, without its GST. Bands are rounded so they add up to the retail price.

Month by month

Perth's U91 average was 220.1 c/L in September 2026, starting the month at 196 c/L and ending at 239 c/L, with a high of 239.8 c/L on 23 September 2026. The capital's diesel average was 262.9 c/L in September 2026, opening at 245.1 c/L and closing at 275.5 c/L, peaking at 281.7 c/L on 24 September 2026.

Area	U91, cents a litre		Diesel, cents a litre	
	Sep	Month	Sep	Month
Western Australia	229.0	229.0	273.0	273.0
Perth	220.1	220.1	262.9	262.9
Rest of Western Australia	237.1	237.1	277.5	277.5
Perth South East	219.2	219.2	262.7	262.7
Perth South West	219.4	219.4	262.7	262.7
Perth North East	220.0	220.0	260.1	260.1
Perth North West	220.5	220.5	262.7	262.7
Perth Inner	221.7	221.7	268.5	268.5
Mandurah	223.4	223.4	273.4	273.4

Each month is the station-day average of the days it has in the period. An area's months count the same stations as its month. Every regional town, month by month, is in the regional towns section.

Gross indicative retail margins

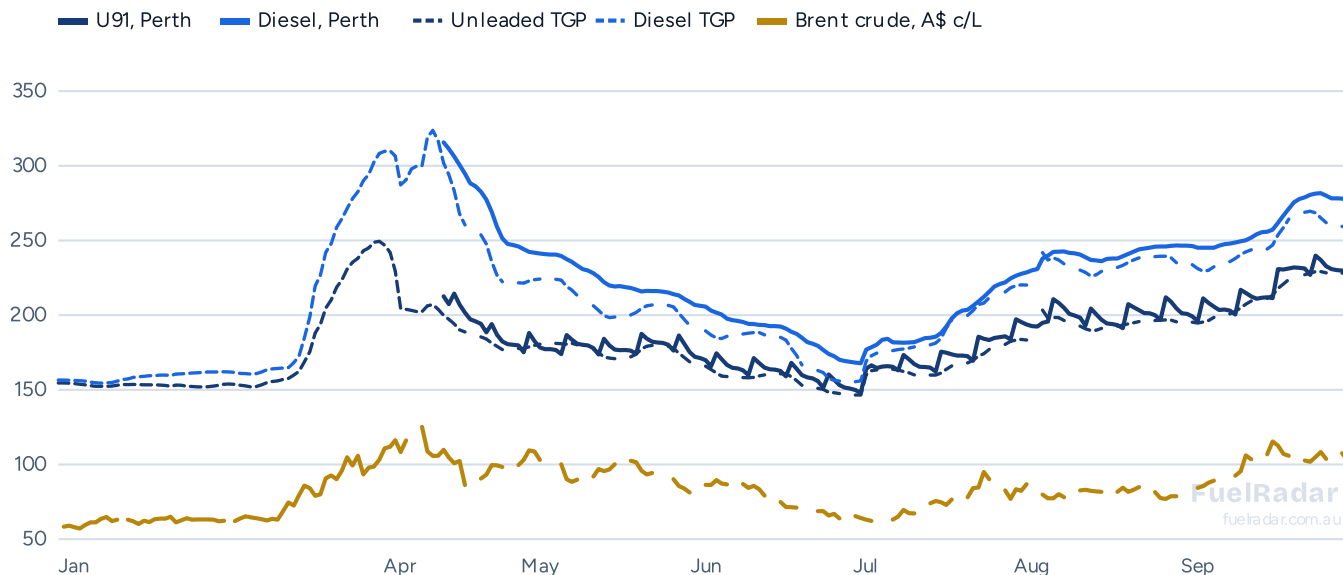
The gross indicative retail margin for U91 in Perth was 5.3 c/L in September 2026, down 0.8 c/L on the previous period. The indicative margin for diesel in the capital was 12.7 c/L, up 5.2 c/L.

Area	U91 margin, cents a litre		Diesel margin, cents a litre	
	Sep	Month	Sep	Month
Terminal gate price (Perth)	214.8	214.8	250.2	250.2
Western Australia	14.2	14.2	22.8	22.8
Perth	5.3	5.3	12.7	12.7
Rest of Western Australia	22.3	22.3	27.3	27.3
Perth South East	4.4	4.4	12.5	12.5
Perth South West	4.6	4.6	12.5	12.5
Perth North East	5.2	5.2	9.9	9.9
Perth North West	5.7	5.7	12.5	12.5
Perth Inner	6.9	6.9	18.3	18.3
Mandurah	8.6	8.6	23.2	23.2

The gross indicative retail margin is the retail average less the terminal gate price, both with GST. It is before the retailer's own costs (rent, wages, freight to the site, card fees), so it is not profit. The terminal gate price is AIP's price at the Perth terminal. AIP publishes terminal gate prices for the capital-city terminals only, so a regional town is measured against the capital's terminal, and its margin includes the cost of getting fuel there. Weekday prices are carried over weekends and public holidays.

Market trends this year

The terminal gate price at the Perth terminal averaged 214.8 c/L for unleaded and 250.2 c/L for diesel in September 2026. Brent crude oil averaged 101.4 Australian cents a litre, with an exchange rate of 71.15 US cents per Australian dollar.



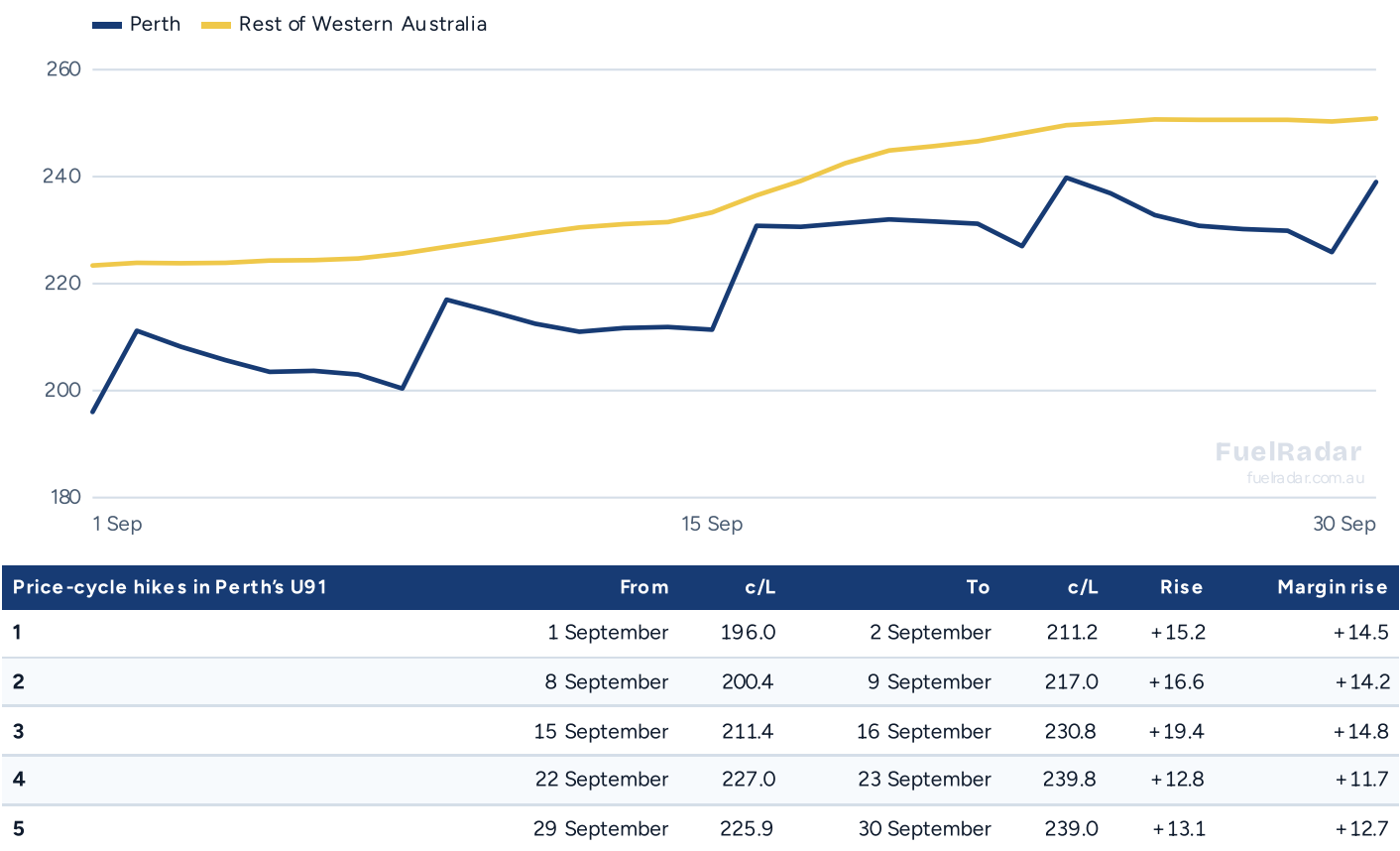
Retail: FuelRadar daily averages for Perth, from 13 April 2026 when our records begin. Terminal gate prices (dashed): AIP, Perth terminal, weekdays. Brent crude: US EIA spot price via FRED, converted at each day's exchange rate and 158.987 litres a barrel.



US cents per Australian dollar, the Federal Reserve's noon buying rate in New York, via FRED.

The price cycle and excise

Perth's U91 price cycle ran 5 hikes in September 2026, with an average margin rise of 13.6 c/L and 7 days between peaks.



How we count a price-cycle hike: Perth's daily U91 average less the Perth terminal gate price (the indicative margin) rises by at least 8.0 c/L within 5 days, the retail average rises as much, stations making up at least 25% of Perth's raise their price by 5.0 c/L or more in a day, and the margin then eases back by half within 21 days. A rise within 3 days of an excise change, or one the terminal gate price explains, is not a hike. With no hike, no regular price cycle ran and prices followed wholesale costs.

Fuel excise

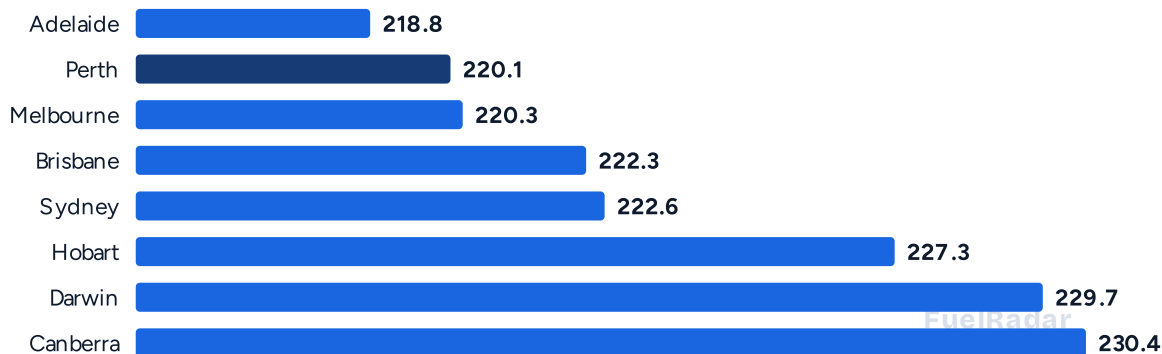
The fuel excise rate stayed at 53.7 c/L throughout the period.

Petrol and diesel excise	Rate (c/L, before GST)	Change
In force on 1 September 2026	53.7	
Average over the days of 1 September to 30 September 2026	53.7	

Source: Australian Taxation Office, <https://www.ato.gov.au/businesses-and-organisations/gst-excise-and-indirect-taxes/excise-on-fuel-and-petroleum-products/excise-duty-rates-for-fuel-and-petroleum-products>. Excise is charged on fuel as it leaves the terminal, so it is already in the terminal gate price; GST is then charged on top.

The capital cities

Perth was the second cheapest of the 8 capital cities for U91 at 220.1 c/L, behind Adelaide as the cheapest of the 8 capital cities at 218.8 c/L, while Canberra was the eighth cheapest of the 8 capital cities at 230.4 c/L. For diesel, Perth was the cheapest of the 8 capital cities at 262.9 c/L, with Canberra the eighth cheapest of the 8 capital cities at 282.6 c/L.



U91, cents a litre

Rank	Capital	Sep	Month	Change	Margin	Stations
1	Adelaide	218.8	218.8	+16.7	3.3	278
2	Perth	220.1	220.1	+19.8	5.3	439
3	Melbourne	220.3	220.3	+18.4	4.5	857
4	Brisbane	222.3	222.3	+20.1	4.2	501
5	Sydney	222.6	222.6	+22.6	4.4	675
6	Hobart	227.3	227.3	+20.8	7.3	59
7	Darwin	229.7	229.7	+19.4	5.7	46
8	Canberra	230.4	230.4	+23.7	12.2	38

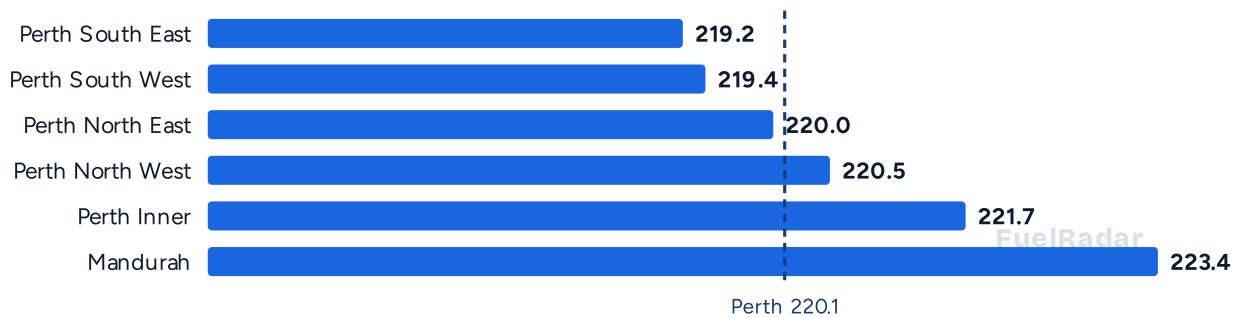
Diesel, cents a litre

Rank	Capital	Sep	Month	Change	Margin	Stations
1	Perth	262.9	262.9	+21.7	12.7	200
2	Sydney	266.3	266.3	+22.7	8.0	248
3	Adelaide	269.2	269.2	+28.4	13.8	61
4	Melbourne	269.6	269.6	+21.6	12.9	414
5	Brisbane	271.8	271.8	+24.2	13.0	193
6	Hobart	272.5	272.5	+21.5	15.0	37
7	Darwin	276.3	276.3	+24.5	10.3	48
8	Canberra	282.6	282.6	+30.8	24.3	13

Each capital is its ABS urban area, worked out exactly as in its own state's report. The margin is against its own terminal's gate price (Canberra uses Sydney's). Green is the cheapest capital and red the dearest.

Perth by area

Perth South East was the cheapest of Perth's ABS SA4 areas for U91 at 219.2 c/L, while Mandurah was the dearest at 223.4 c/L. The spread between the cheapest and dearest areas was 4.2 c/L.

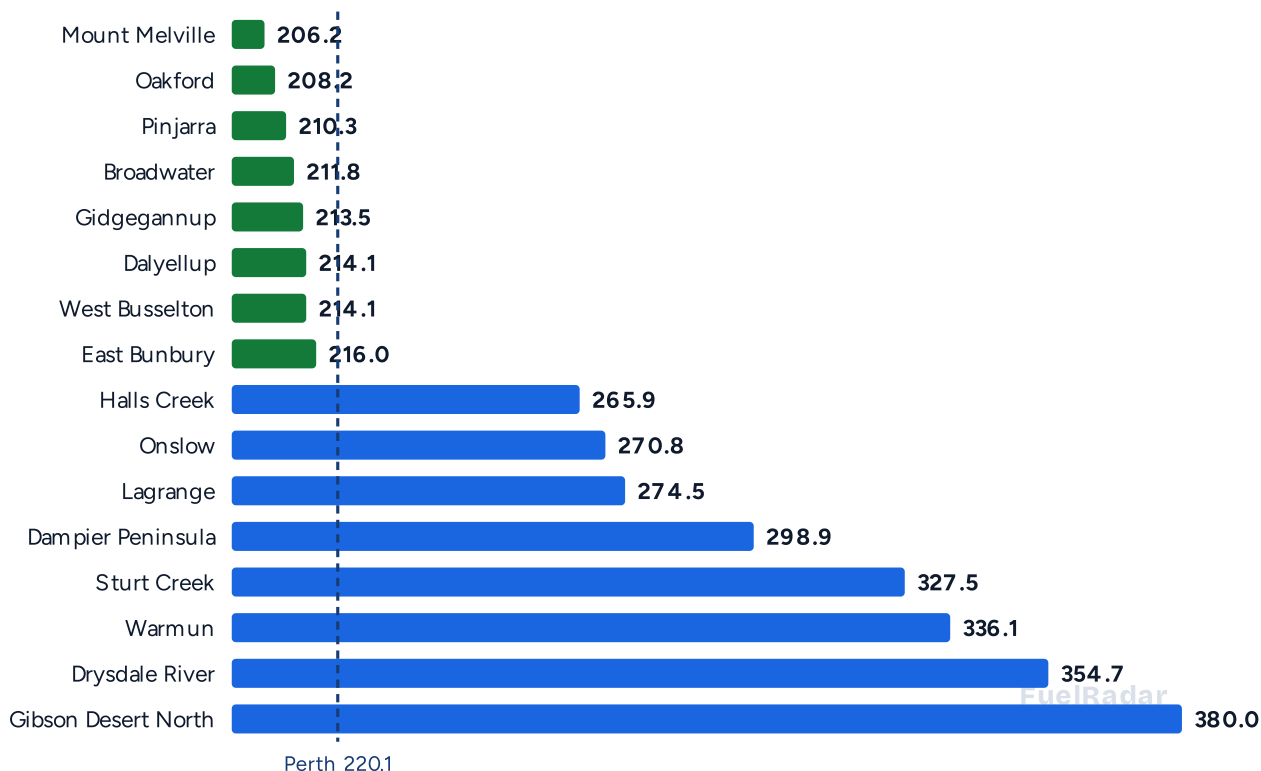


Area (ABS SA4)	U91	Change	Margin	Diesel	Margin	Stations	Cheapest U91 station
Perth South East	219.2	+19.8	4.4	262.7	12.5	125	Costco Perth Airport (202.9)
Perth South West	219.4	+19.3	4.6	262.7	12.5	96	Costco Casuarina (202.9)
Perth North East	220.0	+20.0	5.2	260.1	9.9	67	Burk Bassendean (209.2)
Perth North West	220.5	+19.9	5.7	262.7	12.5	100	Burk Landsdale (208.6)
Perth Inner	221.7	+20.1	6.9	268.5	18.3	28	Burk Mount Lawley (209.7)
Mandurah	223.4	+20.1	8.6	273.4	23.2	23	Vibe Mandurah (217.6)

Areas are the ABS Statistical Areas Level 4 (SA4, 2021) inside Perth's urban area, named in plain words ("Brisbane - East" is Brisbane East). An area counts its stations that reported on at least a quarter of the days; its average, station count and cheapest station all come from them, so the cheapest station never averages more than its area.

Regional towns

Mount Melville was the cheapest town for U91 at 206.2 c/L, while Gibson Desert North was the dearest at 380 c/L, a spread of 173.8 c/L. For diesel, Oakford was the cheapest town at 248.1 c/L and Gibson Desert North the dearest at 399.5 c/L, a spread of 151.4 c/L. We ranked 111 towns for U91, with 22 averaging less than the capital.



U91 average over the period; the dashed line is Perth's average and green bars are towns at or below it.

22 towns cheaper than Perth for U91

Mount Melville 206.2	Kulin 216.0	Albany 218.7
Oakford 208.2	Bunbury 216.2	Australind 219.4
Pinjarra 210.3	Bullsbrook 216.7	Anketell 219.5
Broadwater 211.8	Picton 216.9	Donnybrook 220.0
Gidgegannup 213.5	Orana 217.2	Meekatharra 220.0
Dalyellup 214.1	Gingin 218.1	Webborton 220.0
West Busselton 214.1	Mahomets Flats 218.2	
East Bunbury 216.0	South Bunbury 218.2	

Every ranked town, U91 (111 towns), cheapest first

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Mount Melville	206.2	-13.9	-8.6	3	AMPM Highway (175.9)
Oakford	208.2	-11.9	-6.6	2	Burk Oakford (208.1)
Pinjarra	210.3	-9.8	-4.5	3	Vibe Pinjarra (209.9)
Broadwater	211.8	-8.3	-3.0	2	Vibe Broadwater (211.1)
Gidgegannup	213.5	-6.6	-1.3	2	Vibe Toodyay Rd (213.0)
Dalyellup	214.1	-6.0	-0.7	2	Liberty Dalyellup (212.9)

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
West Busselton	214.1	-6.0	-0.7	2	Liberty Busselton West (213.0)
East Bunbury	216.0	-4.1	1.2	4	Vibe Bunbury East (213.6)
Kulin	216.0	-4.1	1.2	2	Shire of Kulin (208.9)
Bunbury	216.2	-3.9	1.4	2	Vibe Bunbury Central (215.4)
Bullsbrook	216.7	-3.4	1.9	3	Vibe Bullsbrook Northlink (213.3)
Picton	216.9	-3.2	2.1	3	Dunning's Picton (212.5)
Orana	217.2	-2.9	2.4	2	United Albany Orana (214.8)
Gingin	218.1	-2.0	3.3	2	Gingin Fuel and Tyres (217.0)
Mahomet's Flats	218.2	-1.9	3.4	2	Metro Geraldton (214.7)
South Bunbury	218.2	-1.9	3.4	4	Vibe Bunbury South (211.7)
Albany	218.7	-1.4	3.9	2	Metro Albany (217.8)
Australind	219.4	-0.7	4.6	4	Vibe Treendale (218.4)
Anketell	219.5	-0.6	4.7	2	United Anketell (219.5)
Donnybrook	220.0	-0.1	5.2	4	Vibe Donnybrook (217.9)
Meekatharra	220.0	-0.1	5.2	3	Meekatharra Corner Store (212.9)
Webborton	220.0	-0.1	5.2	3	Maisey Fuels Flores Road (217.7)
Eaton	220.1	0.0	5.3	3	7-Eleven Eaton (219.2)
Manjimup	220.3	+0.2	5.5	6	Dunning's Manjimup (216.8)
Darkan	220.7	+0.6	5.9	2	Darkan Roadhouse (219.9)
Kalgoorlie	220.7	+0.6	5.9	4	Liberty Kalgoorlie (215.8)
Dongara	221.2	+1.1	6.4	3	Liberty Dongara (214.5)
Busselton	221.3	+1.2	6.5	7	Geographe Petroleum (215.4)
Karragullen	221.3	+1.2	6.5	3	Petro Fuels Karragullen (216.7)
West Kalgoorlie	221.5	+1.4	6.7	2	Eagle West Kalgoorlie Truckstop (216.4)
Williams	221.5	+1.4	6.7	3	Burk Williams (217.6)
Wonthella	221.5	+1.4	6.7	4	Atlas Fuel Geraldton (216.9)
Meadow	221.6	+1.5	6.8	2	Billabong Roadhouse (195.0)
Vasse	221.8	+1.7	7.0	2	United Vasse Truck Stop (220.7)
Northam	222.0	+1.9	7.2	4	BP Northam OPT (220.7)
Yanchep	222.1	+2.0	7.3	3	7-Eleven Yanchep (220.2)
Moora	222.2	+2.1	7.4	2	Caltex Moora (221.9)
Harvey	222.7	+2.6	7.9	2	Vibe Harvey (221.5)
Merredin	222.7	+2.6	7.9	3	Dunning's Merredin (219.4)
Bridgetown	222.8	+2.7	8.0	3	Vibe Bridgetown (221.7)
Narrogin	223.0	+2.9	8.2	2	BP Narrogin (221.7)
Muchea	223.1	+3.0	8.3	2	Mobil Muchea (222.4)
Denmark	223.2	+3.1	8.4	3	United Denmark (220.6)
Mingenew	223.3	+3.2	8.5	2	Atlas Fuel Mingeneu (220.3)
Southern Cross	223.5	+3.4	8.7	3	Eagle Southern Cross (215.1)
Glenfield	223.8	+3.7	9.0	2	Refuel Australia - Sunset Geraldton (221.6)

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Cataby	224.1	+4.0	9.3	2	Liberty Cataby (215.5)
Binningup	224.3	+4.2	9.5	2	Ampol Binningup (221.1)
Dunsborough	224.4	+4.3	9.6	3	7-Eleven Dunsborough (222.4)
Waroona	224.4	+4.3	9.6	3	Vibe Waroona (223.2)
Kalbarri	224.8	+4.7	10.0	3	BP Kalbarri (224.3)
Margaret River	224.8	+4.7	10.0	3	Geographe Petroleum Margaret River (222.8)
Gnowangerup	224.9	+4.8	10.1	2	Gnowangerup Fuel Supplies (216.9)
West Pinjarra	225.0	+4.9	10.2	2	Ampol Foodary Forrest Highway North (225.0)
Dalwallinu	225.1	+5.0	10.3	2	Refuel Australia - Dalwallinu (224.4)
Wagin	225.2	+5.1	10.4	2	BP Wagin OPT (223.8)
Mount Barker	225.5	+5.4	10.7	3	United Mount Barker Roadhouse Truck Stop (223.2)
York	225.5	+5.4	10.7	2	Smiths Shell Service (225.5)
Hyden	225.6	+5.5	10.8	3	Waveline Tyres (223.3)
Mullewa	225.9	+5.8	11.1	2	Crudeli's Auto Repairs (224.8)
Chadwick	226.4	+6.3	11.6	3	WFG Shell Esperance OPT (224.1)
Katanning	226.5	+6.4	11.7	4	Shell Katanning (219.6)
Cunderdin	226.8	+6.7	12.0	2	BP Cunderdin Roadhouse (221.9)
Jerramungup	227.4	+7.3	12.6	3	BP Jerramungup OPT (224.7)
Toodyay	227.4	+7.3	12.6	2	Dunning's Toodyay Junction (227.4)
Boulder	227.6	+7.5	12.8	2	Astron Boulder Kalgoorlie (227.6)
Walpole	227.8	+7.7	13.0	2	Walpole IGA Pioneer Store (226.4)
Corrigin	227.9	+7.8	13.1	2	BP Corrigin OPT (222.8)
Nickol	228.0	+7.9	13.2	2	Liberty Karratha (222.5)
Castletown	228.5	+8.4	13.7	2	Castletown Service Station (228.0)
Northampton	229.4	+9.3	14.6	2	Refuel Australia - Northampton (226.4)
Northcliffe	229.9	+9.8	15.1	2	Northcliffe Farm and Trade (228.0)
Newman	230.0	+9.9	15.2	3	Dunning's Newman (223.6)
Denham	230.4	+10.3	15.6	3	Shark Bay Fuel Fishing & Camping Centre (229.3)
Jurien Bay	230.6	+10.5	15.8	3	Metro Jurien Bay (226.1)
Karratha	231.2	+11.1	16.4	3	Dunning's Karratha (221.9)
Morawa	231.2	+11.1	16.4	3	BP Morawa OPT (226.2)
Lake Grace	232.1	+12.0	17.3	2	BP Lake Grace OPT (223.8)
Esperance	232.6	+12.5	17.8	2	Shell Reddy Express Esperance (230.0)
Nannup	233.4	+13.3	18.6	2	BP Nannup (233.0)
Hopetoun	234.3	+14.2	19.5	2	Hopetoun General Store (233.8)
Kununurra	234.4	+14.3	19.6	4	CGL Fuel (228.6)
Ravensthorpe	235.8	+15.7	21.0	2	GSG WA Pty Ltd (233.7)
Collie	236.2	+16.1	21.4	3	Gull Collie (233.7)
Bremer Bay	236.6	+16.5	21.8	2	The Roadhouse Hooked and Cooked (234.2)
Leonora	236.9	+16.8	22.1	2	Liberty Leonora (236.5)

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Boddington	237.1	+17.0	22.3	2	Boddington Service Station (234.7)
Laverton	238.1	+18.0	23.3	2	Shell Laverton (228.3)
Brookton	238.8	+18.7	24.0	2	Stumpys Gateway Roadhouse (235.6)
Kingsford	241.0	+20.9	26.2	2	Dunning's KCD Fuels (238.9)
Quairading	244.7	+24.6	29.9	2	Quairading Tyre and Battery Supplies (240.4)
Coolgardie	245.3	+25.2	30.5	2	Vibe Coolgardie (244.8)
Boyup Brook	245.4	+25.3	30.6	2	Boyup Brook Tyre Service (241.3)
Norseman	246.3	+26.2	31.5	2	Ampol Foodary Norseman (245.7)
Wiluna	246.6	+26.5	31.8	2	Mantjiljarra Community Store (239.0)
South Hedland	250.5	+30.4	35.7	2	BP South Hedland (249.8)
Fitzroy Crossing	253.1	+33.0	38.3	3	Fitzroy River Lodge (246.8)
Port Hedland	254.9	+34.8	40.1	5	BP Port Hedland (246.0)
Broome	255.2	+35.1	40.4	3	Dunning's Broome (253.0)
Wedgefield	255.3	+35.2	40.5	2	Ampol Wedgefield Diesel Stop (250.5)
Derby	257.2	+37.1	42.4	2	Derby Fuels (256.9)
Exmouth	258.4	+38.3	43.6	3	Ningaloo Reef Fuels (253.5)
Djugun	263.1	+43.0	48.3	2	BP Broome Central Service Centre (254.6)
Halls Creek	265.9	+45.8	51.1	2	Shell Reddy Express Halls Creek (263.1)
Onslow	270.8	+50.7	56.0	2	Thalanyji Fish and Fuel (270.8)
Lagrange	274.5	+54.4	59.7	2	Port Smith Caravan Park (265.0)
Dampier Peninsula	298.9	+78.8	84.1	5	Djarindjin Roadhouse (284.3)
Sturt Creek	327.5	+107.4	112.7	2	Mulan Community Store (295.0)
Warmun	336.1	+116.0	121.3	2	Warmun Roadhouse (336.1)
Drysdale River	354.7	+134.6	139.9	2	Drysdale River Station (334.3)
Gibson Desert North	380.0	+159.9	165.2	2	Kiwirrkurra Roadhouse & Community Store (310.0)

Every ranked town, diesel (104 towns), cheapest first

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Oakford	248.1	-14.8	-2.1	2	Vibe Oakford Truckstop (247.7)
Mount Melville	251.3	-11.6	1.1	2	AMPM Highway (244.9)
Broadwater	252.6	-10.3	2.4	2	Vibe Broadwater (252.0)
Pinjarra	253.0	-9.9	2.8	3	Vibe Pinjarra (252.4)
West Busselton	255.2	-7.7	5.0	2	Liberty Busselton West (254.2)
East Bunbury	256.0	-6.9	5.8	2	Vibe Bunbury East (253.5)
South Bunbury	257.9	-5.0	7.7	3	Vibe Bunbury South (253.7)
Katanning	258.1	-4.8	7.9	3	Shell Katanning (254.1)
Gidgagannup	258.3	-4.6	8.1	2	Vibe Toodyay Rd (256.5)
Darkan	258.6	-4.3	8.4	2	Darkan Roadhouse (257.6)
Karragullen	258.7	-4.2	8.5	2	Petro Fuels Karragullen (254.0)
Donnybrook	258.9	-4.0	8.7	4	Vibe Donnybrook (256.9)

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Manjimup	258.9	-4.0	8.7	5	Dunning's Manjimup (257.0)
Muchea	259.2	-3.7	9.0	4	Road Trains of Australia (248.5)
Picton	259.3	-3.6	9.1	3	Dunning's Picton (258.3)
Kulin	259.5	-3.4	9.3	2	Shire of Kulin (256.6)
Williams	259.5	-3.4	9.3	3	Burk Williams (255.7)
Albany	259.9	-3.0	9.7	2	BP Allway (259.2)
Bunbury	260.3	-2.6	10.1	2	Vibe Bunbury Central (258.0)
Mukinbudin	260.5	-2.4	10.3	2	Geraghty's Engineering & Auto Electrics (258.3)
Waroona	260.5	-2.4	10.3	3	Vibe Waroona (258.4)
Glen Iris	260.9	-2.0	10.7	2	BP Picton Truckstop (259.9)
West End	260.9	-2.0	10.7	2	BP Geraldton OPT (257.7)
Busselton	261.3	-1.6	11.1	4	Geographe Petroleum (257.8)
Chadwick	261.8	-1.1	11.6	3	Perrys Esperance (259.7)
Cunderdin	261.8	-1.1	11.6	2	BP Cunderdin Roadhouse (256.5)
Gingin	261.8	-1.1	11.6	2	Gull Gingin (261.4)
Merredin	261.8	-1.1	11.6	2	Dunning's Merredin (258.6)
Cataby	262.4	-0.5	12.2	2	Liberty Cataby (256.4)
Bullsbrook	262.6	-0.3	12.4	3	Vibe Bullsbrook Northlink (256.4)
Webborton	262.7	-0.2	12.5	2	Maisey Fuels Flores Road (261.3)
Kalgoorlie	262.9	0.0	12.7	3	Liberty Kalgoorlie (259.0)
Denmark	263.2	+0.3	13.0	3	United Denmark (260.8)
Mingenew	263.2	+0.3	13.0	2	Atlas Fuel Mingenev (262.4)
Orana	263.5	+0.6	13.3	2	United Albany Orana (256.7)
Gnowangerup	263.6	+0.7	13.4	2	Gnowangerup Fuel Supplies (256.7)
Dongara	264.0	+1.1	13.8	3	Liberty Dongara (254.7)
West Kalgoorlie	264.1	+1.2	13.9	3	BP West Kalgoorlie (260.4)
Bridgetown	264.2	+1.3	14.0	3	Vibe Bridgetown (262.5)
Jerramungup	264.5	+1.6	14.3	3	Jerramungup Cafe and Fuel (261.7)
Walpole	264.8	+1.9	14.6	2	Walpole IGA Pioneer Store (263.7)
Mahomet's Flats	265.1	+2.2	14.9	2	Metro Geraldton (256.6)
Kununurra	265.8	+2.9	15.6	4	CGL Fuel (250.8)
Wonthella	265.9	+3.0	15.7	3	Atlas Fuel Geraldton (257.2)
Kalbarri	266.4	+3.5	16.2	3	BP Kalbarri (264.2)
Margaret River	266.6	+3.7	16.4	3	Geographe Petroleum Margaret River (263.2)
Meadow	267.1	+4.2	16.9	2	Billabong Roadhouse (265.3)
Hyden	267.3	+4.4	17.1	3	BP Hyden OPT (264.4)
Southern Cross	267.3	+4.4	17.1	3	Eagle Southern Cross (260.7)
York	267.3	+4.4	17.1	2	Gull York Roadhouse (267.2)
Northam	267.5	+4.6	17.3	3	BP Northam OPT (259.8)
Northcliffe	267.6	+4.7	17.4	2	Northcliffe Farm and Trade (266.2)

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Vasse	268.1	+5.2	17.9	2	United Vasse Truck Stop (266.8)
Kojonup	268.2	+5.3	18.0	2	Hillview Roadhouse and Motel (266.6)
Mount Barker	268.5	+5.6	18.3	3	United Mount Barker Roadhouse Truck Stop (266.8)
Corrigin	269.0	+6.1	18.8	2	BP Corrigin OPT (260.3)
Toodyay	269.0	+6.1	18.8	2	Dunning's Toodyay Junction (269.0)
Morawa	269.1	+6.2	18.9	3	BP Morawa OPT (262.6)
Boulder	269.3	+6.4	19.1	2	Astron Boulder Kalgoorlie (264.0)
Lake Grace	269.3	+6.4	19.1	2	BP Lake Grace OPT (261.7)
Dunsborough	269.6	+6.7	19.4	2	BP Dunsborough (266.8)
Karratha	269.7	+6.8	19.5	2	Dunning's Karratha (261.7)
Kingsford	269.7	+6.8	19.5	2	Dunning's KCD Fuels (267.8)
Brown Range	270.1	+7.2	19.9	2	Refuel Carnarvon Truck Stop (269.6)
Glenfield	270.2	+7.3	20.0	2	Refuel Australia - Sunset Geraldton (264.0)
Mullewa	270.2	+7.3	20.0	2	Crudeli's Auto Repairs (268.3)
Anketell	271.2	+8.3	21.0	2	United Anketell (271.2)
Brookton	271.2	+8.3	21.0	2	Brookton Roadhouse (271.1)
Northampton	271.2	+8.3	21.0	2	Refuel Australia - Northampton (268.2)
Cue	272.4	+9.5	22.2	2	Ampol Cue Roadhouse (272.4)
Meekatharra	272.4	+9.5	22.2	3	Meekatharra Corner Store (266.9)
Karratha Industrial Estate	273.5	+10.6	23.3	3	Refuel Australia - Karratha Truck Stop (271.9)
Hopetoun	273.6	+10.7	23.4	2	Hopetoun General Store (273.1)
Boddington	273.8	+10.9	23.6	2	Boddington Service Station (271.5)
Wedgefield	273.8	+10.9	23.6	4	Dunning's Wedgefield (264.8)
Denham	274.1	+11.2	23.9	3	Refuel Australia - Denham (271.9)
Nannup	274.2	+11.3	24.0	2	BP Nannup (273.3)
Ravensthorpe	274.5	+11.6	24.3	2	GSG WA Pty Ltd (272.4)
Quairading	275.2	+12.3	25.0	2	Quairading Tyre and Battery Supplies (269.4)
Minyirr	275.6	+12.7	25.4	2	Dunning's Broome Depot (272.7)
Coolgardie	276.7	+13.8	26.5	2	Vibe Coolgardie (276.1)
Port Hedland	278.0	+15.1	27.8	5	Refuel Australia - Port Hedland (267.3)
Collie	278.2	+15.3	28.0	3	Gull Collie (276.1)
Newman	278.3	+15.4	28.1	3	Smart Mart Newman (277.1)
West Pinjarra	278.7	+15.8	28.5	2	Ampol Foodary Forrest Highway North (278.7)
Djugun	279.1	+16.2	28.9	2	Broome Discount Diesel (275.8)
Bremer Bay	279.2	+16.3	29.0	2	The Roadhouse Hooked and Cooked (276.3)
Leonora	279.6	+16.7	29.4	2	Shell Reddy Express Leonora (278.0)
Broome	280.5	+17.6	30.3	3	Dunning's Broome (274.9)
Boyup Brook	281.7	+18.8	31.5	2	Boyup Brook Tyre Service (277.2)
Halls Creek	283.4	+20.5	33.2	3	Halls Creek Service Station (281.7)
Laverton	286.5	+23.6	36.3	3	Eagle Laverton (282.2)

Town	Month	vs Perth	Margin	Stations	Cheapest station (its average)
Fitzroy Crossing	288.7	+25.8	38.5	4	Fitzroy River Lodge (282.5)
Norseman	289.5	+26.6	39.3	2	Ampol Foodary Norseman (287.3)
Derby	290.1	+27.2	39.9	3	BP Derby Depot (Recharge Petroleum) (286.0)
Exmouth	297.3	+34.4	47.1	3	Ningaloo Reef Fuels (292.1)
Lagrange	303.7	+40.8	53.5	2	Port Smith Caravan Park (286.3)
Wiluna	307.8	+44.9	57.6	2	Refuel Australia - Wiluna (298.6)
Dampier Peninsula	318.0	+55.1	67.8	5	Djarindjin Roadhouse (295.0)
Onslow	330.8	+67.9	80.6	2	Thalanyji Fish and Fuel (330.8)
Sturt Creek	340.0	+77.1	89.8	2	Mulan Community Store (305.0)
Drysdale River	362.2	+99.3	112.0	2	Kalumburu Mission (350.0)
Warmun	386.7	+123.8	136.5	2	Warmun Roadhouse (386.7)
Gibson Desert North	399.5	+136.6	149.3	2	Kiwirrkurra Roadhouse & Community Store (349.0)

Other fuels: cheapest and dearest towns

Fuel	Cheapest town	Average	Dearest town	Average	Towns ranked
Premium 95	Mount Melville	208.5	Port Hedland	275.5	27
Premium 98	Mount Melville	213.6	Port Hedland	278.9	64

A town is the ABS locality a station sits in; a station in a large regional city (marked "city") counts in that city as one place. A town is ranked with at least 2 stations that reported on a quarter of the days and a price on 60% of the days. Its margin is against Perth's terminal gate price, so it includes the cost of carrying fuel to the town.

Regional centres

Albany was the cheapest regional centre for U91 at 216.9 c/L, while Broome was the dearest at 257.5 c/L. Three regional centres averaged less than the capital for U91.

#	Centre	Size	U91	vs Perth	Change	Diesel	Stations
1	Albany	20,000 to 49,999 people	216.9	-3.2	+15.4	258.0	15
2	Bunbury	50,000 to 99,999 people	217.8	-2.3	+16.4	258.8	27
3	Busselton	20,000 to 49,999 people	218.4	-1.7	+18.4	258.9	14
4	Geraldton	20,000 to 49,999 people	220.2	+0.1	+16.1	263.0	17
5	Yanchep	10,000 to 19,999 people	222.1	+2.0	+19.9	—	3
6	Kalgoorlie-Boulder	20,000 to 49,999 people	223.6	+3.5	+18.3	264.9	11
7	Esperance	10,000 to 19,999 people	228.8	+8.7	+18.5	265.0	7
8	Karratha	10,000 to 19,999 people	231.6	+11.5	+13.0	271.6	7
9	Port Hedland	10,000 to 19,999 people	254.0	+33.9	+16.4	276.1	9
10	Broome	10,000 to 19,999 people	257.5	+37.4	+20.7	279.0	6

A regional centre is a large regional city we map on its own, or an ABS urban centre of 10,000 people or more (2021 Census) outside Perth. It is ranked by the town rule. Cents a litre; vs Perth and change are differences of the published averages.

Against Perth, month by month

Perth South East averaged 219.2 c/L for U91 in September 2026, 0.9 c/L below Perth, and has averaged 186.7 c/L since our records began on 13 April 2026. The area was cheaper than the capital in 6 of 6 months. Bunbury averaged 217.8 c/L, 2.3 c/L below Perth, and was cheaper than the capital in 1 of 6 months.

U91	Month	vs Perth	Year so far	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Months cheaper
Perth South East	219.2	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-1.0	-1.0	-0.7	-0.9	-0.9	6 of 6
Perth South West	219.4	-0.7	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	+0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.7	5 of 6
Perth North East	220.0	-0.1	-0.1	+0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.1	-0.3	-0.1	5 of 6
Perth North West	220.5	+0.4	+0.4	+0.5	+0.4	+0.3	+0.2	+0.3	+0.4	0 of 6
Perth Inner	221.7	+1.6	+1.4	+1.3	+2.3	+0.8	+1.2	+1.3	+1.6	0 of 6
Mandurah	223.4	+3.3	+2.6	+2.3	+2.3	+2.1	+2.6	+3.0	+3.3	0 of 6
Bunbury (centre)	217.8	-2.3	+2.7	+4.4	+2.2	+8.5	+2.2	+1.1	-2.3	1 of 6

Each area's U91 average less Perth's, in cents a litre: this period, since our records began on 13 April 2026 to 30 September 2026, and each month of it (Apr from 13 April). Negative (green) is cheaper than Perth. The areas are Perth's ABS SA4s and the regional centres of 50,000 people or more.

Cheapest and dearest in each area

Pinjarra was the cheapest town outside the capital in Mandurah for U91 at 210.3 c/L. In Perth Inner, Mount Lawley was the cheapest suburb or town at 216.2 c/L, while Nedlands was the dearest at 224.3 c/L.

Area (ABS SA4), U91	Cheapest suburb or town	Dearest	Cheapest town outside Perth	Cheapest since records began
Mandurah (Perth area)	Pinjarra 210.3	Meadow Springs 225.6	Pinjarra 210.3	Pinjarra 179.8
Perth Inner (Perth area)	Mount Lawley 216.2	Nedlands 224.3	—	Mount Lawley 184.4
Perth North East (Perth area)	Gidgegannup 213.5	Dayton 224.5	Gidgegannup 213.5	Bassendean 182.1
Perth North West (Perth area)	Wanneroo 213.4	Mindarie 225.8	Yanchep 222.1	Landsdale 181.2
Perth South East (Perth area)	Oakford 208.2	Belmont 225.0	Oakford 208.2	Oakford 174.3
Perth South West (Perth area)	Kwinana Beach 211.7	Murdoch 224.4	Anketell 219.5	Kwinana Beach 182.0
Bunbury	Broadwater 211.8	Boyup Brook 245.4	Broadwater 211.8	Broadwater 181.3
Outback Western Australia (North)	Nickol 228.0	Gibson Desert North 380.0	Nickol 228.0	Nickol 204.1
Outback Western Australia (South)	Mahomets Flats 218.2	Exmouth 258.4	Mahomets Flats 218.2	Kalgoorlie 189.9
Western Australia – Wheat Belt	Mount Melville 206.2	Quairading 244.7	Mount Melville 206.2	Mount Melville 187.8

A suburb or town is the ABS locality a station sits in, ranked within its ABS Statistical Area Level 4 by the town rule. A town outside Perth is one of this report's towns (outside Perth's urban area) in that SA4.

The year so far

Since our records began on 13 April 2026 to 30 September 2026: every station-day of U91.

Since our records began on 13 April 2026, the state average for U91 has been 199.3 c/L and the capital average 187.6 c/L. Oakford was the cheapest town over that time at 174.3 c/L, while Gibson Desert North was the dearest at 364.1 c/L.

	Western Australia	Perth	Rest of Western Australia
U91	199.3	187.6	210.8
Diesel	242.5	227.6	249.8

Towns, U91 (111 ranked; 8 cheaper than Perth)

Cheapest	Average	vs Perth
Oakford	174.3	-13.3
Pinjarra	179.8	-7.8
Broadwater	181.3	-6.3
Bullsbrook	183.6	-4.0
West Busselton	183.9	-3.7
Anketell	184.8	-2.8
Gidgegannup	186.1	-1.5
Dalyellup	187.3	-0.3
Bunbury	187.7	+0.1
Mount Melville	187.8	+0.2

Dearest	Average	vs Perth
Gibson Desert North	364.1	+176.5
Drysdale River	345.2	+157.6
Sturt Creek	323.7	+136.1
Warmun	316.0	+128.4
Dampier Peninsula	284.5	+96.9
Lagrange	268.1	+80.5
Onslow	246.8	+59.2
Halls Creek	244.0	+56.4
Djugun	233.9	+46.3
Exmouth	232.9	+45.3

Regional centres, U91

1	Busselton	188.9	+1.3
2	Albany	189.8	+2.2
3	Bunbury	190.3	+2.7
4	Geraldton	192.2	+4.6
5	Yanchep	192.5	+4.9
6	Kalgoorlie-Boulder	193.4	+5.8
7	Esperance	201.3	+13.7
8	Karratha	208.7	+21.1
9	Port Hedland	225.3	+37.7
10	Broome	228.5	+40.9

The day of the week to buy

Since our records began on 13 April 2026, Tuesday has been the cheapest day of the week to buy U91 in Perth and Wednesday the dearest, saving 12.6 c/L or \$7.56 on a 60-litre tank. In Bunbury, Tuesday was the cheapest day and Monday the dearest, saving 0.1 c/L or \$0.06 on a tank.

U91	Cheapest day	Dearest day	Apart	60 litres	Since records began	Apart
Perth	—	—	—	—	Tuesday / Wednesday	12.6
Bunbury	—	—	—	—	Tuesday / Monday	0.1
Albany	—	—	—	—	Tuesday / Thursday	0.4
Busselton	—	—	—	—	Tuesday / Monday	0.2
Geraldton	—	—	—	—	Tuesday / Thursday	0.3
Kalgoorlie–Boulder	—	—	—	—	Monday / Friday	0.2
Broome	—	—	—	—	Monday / Thursday	0.6
Esperance	—	—	—	—	Monday / Tuesday	0.1
Karratha	—	—	—	—	Thursday / Monday	0.2
Port Hedland	—	—	—	—	Tuesday / Saturday	0.4

Each day's average against the seven days centred on it, averaged by weekday, so a steady rise or fall over the period does not favour one end of the week. A place needs four of each weekday with prices from 5 stations or more; a month usually has too few, so it shows the year so far only.

A 60-litre tank, and the towns that moved most

Filling a 60-litre tank with U91 in Mount Melville rather than Gibson Desert North saved \$104.28. Buying in Mount Melville saved \$8.34 against the Perth average, while the cheapest station, AMPM Highway in Mount Melville, saved \$31.86 against the state average.

U91, September 2026	Cheaper	Dearer	A litre	A 60-litre tank
Cheapest and dearest town	Mount Melville 206.2	Gibson Desert North 380.0	173.8	\$104.28
Cheapest and dearest regional centre	Albany 216.9	Broome 257.5	40.6	\$24.36
Cheapest town and Perth	Mount Melville 206.2	Perth 220.1	13.9	\$8.34
Cheapest station and the state average	AMPM Highway 175.9	Western Australia 229.0	53.1	\$31.86

Warmun saw the largest U91 average rise, up 24.9 c/L on the previous period.

Rose most on August 2026, U91

Warmun	311.2 to 336.1	+24.9
Bremer Bay	212.4 to 236.6	+24.2
Narrogin	199.5 to 223.0	+23.5
Jurien Bay	208.8 to 230.6	+21.8
Collie	214.5 to 236.2	+21.7

Independents and the major brands

Independent service stations across Western Australia averaged 228.9 c/L for U91, 0.2 c/L less than the major brands. In Perth, independents averaged 213.1 c/L, 8.7 c/L below the major brands.

U91	Major brands	Independents	Difference
Western Australia	229.1 (658)	228.9 (271)	-0.2
Perth	221.8	213.1	-8.7
Burk 211.6 · 13	Eagle 222.4 · 5	Reddy Express 225.5 · 83	
Metro 214.5 · 12	Liberty 222.4 · 46	Shell 226.8 · 43	
Vibe 214.7 · 50	Astron 222.7 · 5	Ampol 228.6 · 165	
Atlas 214.8 · 17	Petrogas 223.5 · 13	BP 238.1 · 190	
United 218.6 · 32	Caltex 224.4 · 89	Independent 251.1 · 68	
7-Eleven 220.0 · 55	Choice 225.2 · 8	Mogas 318.5 · 6	

The major brands are 7-Eleven, Ampol, BP, Caltex, EG, Mobil, On The Run (OTR), Reddy Express, Shell, United; every other brand, and a station without one, is independent. Stations with a price on a quarter of the days; a brand is listed with five or more.

Cheapest and dearest service stations

AMPM Highway in Mount Melville was the cheapest service station we ranked for U91 at 175.9 c/L. Kunawarritji Store in Gibson Desert North was the dearest at 450 c/L.

Cheapest, U91	Place	Average	Dearest, U91	Place	Average
AMPM Highway	Mount Melville	175.9	Kunawarritji Store	Gibson Desert North	450.0
Billabong Roadhouse	Meadow	195.0	Yakanarra Community Store	St George Ranges	410.0
Costco Casuarina	Casuarina	202.9	Kalumburu Mission	Drysdale River	375.0
Costco Perth Airport	Perth Airport	202.9	Wingellina Store	Wingellina	374.0
Vibe Kwinana OPT	Kwinana Beach	206.8	Warburton Roadhouse	Warburton	374.0
Burk Oakford	Oakford	208.1	Warakurna Roadhouse	Ngaanyatjarra-Giles	374.0
Caltex Kwinana Truck Stop	Kwinana Beach	208.4	Wanarn Store		374.0
Vibe Oakford Truckstop	Oakford	208.4	Tjukurla Store	Tjukurla	374.0
Burk Landsdale	Landsdale	208.6	Tjukayirla Roadhouse	Lake Wells	374.0
Atlas Fuel Kwinana	Kwinana Beach	208.7	Jameson Store		374.0

929 stations with a price on half the days or more, by their own average over the period.

Diesel against U91

Diesel cost 42.8 c/L more than U91 in Perth in September 2026, up 1.9 c/L on the previous period. The gap was narrowest in Drysdale River at 7.5 c/L and widest in Wiluna at 61.2 c/L.

	Diesel less U91	Month	Change
Perth	42.8	40.9	+1.9
Western Australia	44.0	43.0	+1.0
Rest of Western Australia	40.4	38.9	+1.5
Drysdale River 7.5	Wedgefield 18.5	Meekatharra 52.4	
Sturt Creek 12.5	Wiluna 61.2	Anketell 51.7	
Djugun 16.0	Onslow 60.0		
Halls Creek 17.5	West Pinjarra 53.7		

The five towns with the narrowest and the five with the widest gap, of 96 ranked for both fuels.

Crude oil and the dollar

Brent crude oil averaged 114.2 US dollars a barrel in September 2026, or 161.2 Australian dollars, with the exchange rate at 71.15 US cents to the Australian dollar. In August 2026, Brent crude averaged 91.1 US dollars or 128.3 Australian dollars, at an exchange rate of 71.03 US cents.

Period	Brent, US\$ a barrel	US cents per A\$	Brent, A\$ a barrel	Brent, A\$ cents a litre	Trading days
September 2026	114.2	71.15	161.2	101.4	22
August 2026	91.1	71.03	128.3	80.7	20
July 2026	83.8	69.71	121.1	76.2	23
June 2026	85.4	70.25	121.8	76.6	22

Brent: Europe Brent spot price FOB (US Energy Information Administration). Exchange rate: the Federal Reserve's noon buying rate in New York. Both via FRED, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, averaged over the days each is published; the Australian-dollar figures use each day's rate. A litre is a barrel ÷ 158.987. We use these free benchmarks because the refined-petrol and diesel benchmarks Australian wholesale prices follow (Singapore) are sold by subscription.

Outlook

An estimate, not a guarantee. Our outlook describes the days after the period ended. Prices can move quickly; check the live price at the station before you fill.

We give our outlook only in the days after a period ends, when it still describes the days ahead. See today's forecast for your area in the FuelRadar app or at fuelradar.com.au/fuel-price-reports/wa/2026-09.

Data quality, method and sources

Our price records start on 13 April 2026, and 965 service stations across Western Australia reported a price in September 2026.

Service stations listed	970
Stations that reported a price in the period	965
Station-days counted (every fuel)	85,729
Days covered	1 September 2026 to 30 September 2026
Our price records begin	13 April 2026
Towns ranked for U91 (left out: too few steady stations)	111 (198)

The station-day average

Each day, every service station counts once at its latest price as of the end of that day, in the state's own time. A price is carried forward for at most 30 days, and each average is taken over every station-day in the period. Prices held for checking, prices a station reported as unavailable and implausible prices are left out (we count U91 between 100.0 and 450.0 c/L).

Places

Perth is its ABS urban area, split into ABS SA4 areas. Outside it, a town is the ABS locality a station sits in. A town or area counts its stations that report on at least a quarter of the days and is ranked with at least 2 of them and a price on 60% of the days.

Wholesale, margins and the cost of a litre

The terminal gate price is AIP's weekday price at the nearest terminal: the Perth terminal. AIP publishes the capital-city terminals only. Weekday prices are carried over weekends, and a period's price is the mean of its calendar days. The margin is the retail average less the terminal gate price. Crude oil is the US Energy Information Administration Brent spot price (FRED series DCOILBRENT EU), converted to Australian cents a litre at each day's exchange rate (FRED series DEXUSAL) and 158.987 litres a barrel, then averaged over the days both are published. In the cost of a litre, wholesale is the terminal gate price without GST and excise less crude oil, excise is the ATO rate averaged over the days, GST is one eleventh of the retail price, and the retail difference is the rest. Last year's average is the previous calendar year. Until we have a full calendar year of retail prices it shows the wholesale side only: the terminal gate price, crude oil and excise. Its GST, retail difference and margin need a retail price, so they are left out.

About these prices

These are averages over the whole period, not today's prices. Check the station price and its update time before you fill. The full report, with every town linked to its live prices, is at fuelradar.com.au/fuel-price-reports/wa/2026-09.

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The commentary in this report was written from FuelRadar’s figures for the period and checked against them.