| Date of data collection or reference period | Weekly average consumer prices on Monday
| Reporting Body | Department of Environment, Climate and Communications
| Reporting price discount on motor fuels | Prices provided are the retail pump prices displayed at the fuel service stations and include all taxes.
| Market coverage and data sources | Un95 & Diesel: data is national average retail weekly price supplied by one oil company.

Home Heating Oil/Gas Oil: A large number of Irish home heating oil is kerosene rather than gas oil. The price reflects the kerosene home heating oil price from a consumer website called [www.cheapestoil.ie](http://www.cheapestoil.ie) that covers the whole of Ireland. The difference between list prices for kerosene and gasoil, provided on a voluntary basis by 3 large oil companies, is added to the kerosene price on [www.cheapestoil.ie](http://www.cheapestoil.ie) to determine average home heating oil price in Ireland.

Heavy Fuel Oil (HFO): Price data is average retail price per litre converted to tonnes exclusive of VAT and inclusive of indirect taxes.

| Price averages | Arithmetic average. Prices on a national basis.
| Biofuels | Since 1 July 2010, the Biofuel Obligation Scheme (BOS) has been in place. Under the scheme, road transport fuel suppliers are compelled to use a proportion of biofuel in their overall fuel mix. As of 1 January 2020, the obligation is set at 11% by volume. Oil companies meet this obligation in a variety of ways and the blending mix for each product may differ between different companies and may vary on a weekly basis.

Excise is paid on biofuels. However, a separate carbon tax is paid by suppliers on the fossil fuel portion of a blend, but not on the biofuel portion. The effective size of the tax is not recalculated to reflect the share of biofuels.

| Other indirect taxes included in prices reported | Strategic Stockholding Levy: 20 Euro/1000L. Carbon Tax: €94.87/1000L (Petrol) and €109.74/1000L (Diesel), €90.81/1000L (Gasoil), €103.23/1000L (HFO).

Non-carbon Tax: €541.84/1000L (Petrol), €425.72/1000L (Diesel), €47.36/1000L (Gasoil), €14.78/1000L (HFO).

| Other specific remarks by national administrations | The bulk of home heating oil consumed in Ireland is Kerosene so this is reflected in the home heating oil price provided. |