

Gas Resource Cost Adjustment for March 2026 Gas Rates

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Osaka Gas Co., Ltd. (President: Masataka Fujiwara) will adjust its city gas unit rates as follows, which will be applied to general charges for the March 2026 meter reading. These changes are made based on the average gas resource price between October 2025 and December 2025 and in consideration of a government subsidy scheme, the “Electricity and Gas Fee Burden Reduction Support Program*1.” The gas charge for a standard household for the month will be 5,689 yen (including tax) by this adjustment.

*1 For details, please refer to the Agency for Natural Resources and Energy’s “Special Site for Electricity and Gas Rate Support” (<https://denkigas-gekihenkanwa.go.jp>) (in Japanese).

Rate table for general charge contract for March (tax included)

Rate table	Usage for the month	Basic charge (per contract)	Unit rate (per m ³)
A	20 m ³ or less	759.00 yen	174.45 yen
B	more than 20 m ³ , up to 50 m ³	1,364.81 yen	144.16 yen
C	more than 50 m ³ , up to 100 m ³	1,635.74 yen	138.74 yen
D	more than 100 m ³ , up to 200 m ³	2,074.72 yen	134.35 yen
E	more than 200 m ³ , up to 350 m ³	3,506.75 yen	127.19 yen
R	more than 350 m ³ , up to 500 m ³	3,834.72 yen	126.26 yen
G	more than 500 m ³ , up to 1,000 m ³	6,981.94 yen	119.96 yen
H	more than 1,000 m ³	7,307.87 yen	119.64 yen

(Depending on usage for the month, the amounts set for one of the groups A–H will be applied.)

Monthly gas fee for the standard household*2 (tax included)

	March 2026	February 2026	Difference
Gas fee	5,689 yen*3	5,657 yen*3	+32 yen
Of which, the government-subsidized discount	-543 yen	-540 yen	-3 yen

*2 Calculated based on the average usage of 30 m³/month by household customers. In reality, usage fluctuates every month, depending on the season and usage conditions.

*3 This rate takes into account the government subsidy scheme, “Electricity and Gas Fee Burden Reduction Support Program.”

Unit price of the gas resource cost adjustment which is applied to general charges (yen/m³)

March 2026	February 2026	Difference
- 0.36*4	-1.43*4	+1.07

*4 This rate takes into account the government subsidy scheme, "Electricity and Gas Fee Burden Reduction Support Program."

Appendix

1. Details of the average gas resource prices used in the calculation of the unit price of the gas resource cost adjustment for general charges (yen/ton)

	① Calculated value based on Ministry of Finance "Trade Statistics"	② Calculated value based on government subsidy
LNG average import price ^{*5}	83,930	62,410
LPG average import price ^{*5}	78,430	78,430
Average gas resource price ^{*6}	83,990	63,600

*5 The average import prices of LNG and LPG are calculated based on the Ministry of Finance's Trade Statistics for the period from October to December 2025.

*6 Average gas resource price = LNG average import price × 0.9476^{*7} + LPG average import price × 0.0569^{*8} (rounded off to the nearest 10-yen unit)

*7 The ratio of LNG to total gas resources

*8 The ratio of LPG to total gas resources, adjusted for the factor for converting LPG into LNG

2. The unit price of the gas resource cost adjustment for general charges for the month is calculated as follows.

(Average gas resource price) (Base average gas resource price) (Difference)

$$63,600 \text{ yen/ton} - 64,090 \text{ yen/ton} = -490 \text{ yen/ton}$$

$$-490 \text{ yen/ton} \div 100 \text{ yen/ton} = -4.9 \rightarrow -4 \text{ (Rounded down to the nearest whole number)}$$

$$-4 \times \underset{\text{(Consumption tax)}}{0.081} \times (1 + 0.1) = -0.3564 \rightarrow -0.36 \text{ yen/m}^3 \text{ [Rounded up to two decimal places]}$$

(Unit price of gas resource cost adjustment for the month)

3. The gas rate for the standard household for the month (tax included) is calculated as follows.

$$\text{Basic charge} + (\text{Base unit rate} + \text{Unit price of gas resource cost adjustment}) \times \text{Monthly usage at standard household}$$

$$1,364.81 \text{ yen/month} + (144.52 \text{ yen/m}^3 + -0.36 \text{ yen/m}^3) \times 30 \text{ m}^3/\text{month} = 5,689 \text{ yen/month}$$

[Rounded down to the nearest yen]

4. Changes in general charges for the standard household (tax included)

	March 2026	February 2026	January 2026	December 2025
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Gas fee	5,689 yen (6,232 yen)	5,657 yen (6,197 yen)	6,205 yen	6,235 yen
Difference from the previous month	+32 yen	-548 yen	-30 yen	-26 yen

*Figures in parentheses represent gas prices before incorporating government support.

[Reference] Impact of the “Electricity and Gas Fee Burden Reduction Support Program” on the standard household (tax included)

After application	Before application	Difference
5,689 yen	6,232 yen	-543 yen

[Reference] General charge contract unit price (including tax) before and after application of government support

Rate table	Usage for the month	Unit charge after application (per m ³)	Unit charge before application (per m ³)
A	20 m ³ or less	174.45 yen	192.54 yen
B	more than 20 m ³ , up to 50 m ³	144.16 yen	162.25 yen
C	more than 50 m ³ , up to 100 m ³	138.74 yen	156.83 yen
D	more than 100 m ³ , up to 200 m ³	134.35 yen	152.44 yen
E	more than 200 m ³ , up to 350 m ³	127.19 yen	145.28 yen
F	more than 350 m ³ , up to 500 m ³	126.26 yen	144.35 yen
G	more than 500 m ³ , up to 1,000 m ³	119.96 yen	138.05 yen
H	more than 1,000 m ³	119.64 yen	137.73 yen

5. Unit prices of the gas resource cost adjustment for gas rate plans, excluding general charges (tax included)

Gas rate plan	Average gas resource price used in the calculation of unit price of the gas resource cost adjustment Unit: yen/ton	Unit price of gas resource cost adjustment for the month Unit: yen/m ³	Unit price of gas resource cost adjustment for the previous month Unit: yen/m ³
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smart Power Generation Plan • Floor Heating and Discount Plan • Less Household Labor and More Discount Plan • Package Deal Discount Plan • More Package Deal Discount Plan • <i>Akinai-wari</i> (Business) Discount Plan • More Discount Plan*⁹ • House Air Conditioning • Co-generation System for Multi-unit Housing Contract System contract • Co-generation System Contract (A, B, C) • Small Air Conditioning Contract • Summer Air Conditioning Contract • Air Conditioning Contract (A, B) • Time Zone Contract (A, B) • Commercial Seasonal Contract • Compact-size Commercial Seasonal Contract • Compressed Natural Gas for Transport Contract (A, B) • Gas Lighting Contract • My Home Power Generation*⁹ • Floor Heating*⁹ • Eco-Jozu*⁹ 	63,600* ¹⁰ (83,990)	-0.36* ¹⁰ (17.73)	-1.43* ¹⁰ (16.57)
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*9 New applications for these menus are no longer being accepted.

*10 Calculated by reducing the average LNG import price to incorporate the unit rate of the government subsidy (18.0 yen/m³), which was determined in the "Electricity and Gas Fee Burden Reduction Support Program," in the gas rates.

* Figures in parentheses represent average gas resource prices and the unit price of gas resource cost adjustment before incorporating government subsidy.