# Seqwater Fees and Charges Schedule 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023

Water Supply from River/Channel/Pipeline/Groundwater (non-irrigation)

Water Supply Scheme & Distribution System	Medium Priority Fixed Part A \$/ML	Medium Priority Volumetric Part B \$/ML	High Priority Fixed Part A \$/ML	High Priority Volumetric Part B \$/ML
Cedar Pocket	\$900.30	\$74.35	NA	NA
Central Brisbane River	\$33.93	\$2.66	\$89.28	\$2.66
Central Lockyer Valley	\$371.28	\$11.51	NA	NA
Logan River	\$38.75	\$19.24	\$314.40	\$19.24
Lower Lockyer Valley	\$231.12	\$34.75	NA	NA
Mary Valley	\$28.07	\$8.34	\$306.41	\$8.34
Morton Vale Pipeline*	\$392.08	\$19.36	NA	NA
Pie Creek*	\$660.63	\$269.19	NA	NA
Mamill Valley	\$25.66	\$12.44	\$333.11	\$12.44
Warrill Valley	High Priority Lower Bound (Irrigation)		\$161.08	\$7.53

Table 1 \* Bundled fixed charge includes fixed Part C tariff; bundled variable charge includes variable Part D tariff.

# Fees and charges set under the Seqwater Rural Water Pricing Direction Notice No 1 (2021)

## **Rural Irrigation Water Pricing for irrigation customers**

Rural irrigation water prices apply only in relation to an irrigation service as defined in the Water Act 2000. An irrigation service is defined in Schedule 4 of the *Water Act 2000* as the supply of water or drainage services for irrigation of crops or pastures for commercial gain.

The Queensland Government sets the prices of irrigation water supplied by Seqwater based on recommendations from the Queensland Competition Authority (QCA). The QCA completed its investigation into water prices to apply to Seqwater's irrigation customers from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2024 in February 2020. The QCA's final recommendations for all irrigation prices are available on its website: <a href="https://www.qca.org.au/project/rural-water/irrigation-price-investigations/">https://www.qca.org.au/project/rural-water/irrigation-price-investigations/</a>

The 2022-23 base price for Part A, B, C & D fees is the 2021-22 QCA recommended price with a 15% discount applied. More information can be found on the Queensland Government's website here: <a href="https://www.rdmw.qld.gov.au/water/consultations-initiatives/irrigation-pricing-discounts-2021-24">https://www.rdmw.qld.gov.au/water/consultations-initiatives/irrigation-pricing-discounts-2021-24</a>

#### River/Groundwater - Medium Priority

Water Supply Scheme	Fixed (Part A)* \$/ML	Volumetric (Part B)** \$/ML
Cedar Pocket	\$24.00	\$38.06
Central Brisbane River	\$5.45	\$2.21
Central Lockyer Valley	\$35.61	\$9.57
Logan River	\$22.78	\$10.29
Lower Lockyer Valley	\$46.37	\$22.92
Mary Valley	\$20.51	\$6.94
Warrill Valley	\$21.60	\$7.53

Table 2

<sup>\*\*</sup> Payable on total volume of water allocation used



<sup>\*</sup> Payable on total volume of nominal water allocation

# Fees & Charges Schedule - effective 1 July 2022

Segwater Distribution Systems - Medium priority

Distribution System	Fixed (Part A)* \$/ML	Volumetric (Part B)** \$/ML	Fixed (Part C)* \$/ML	Volumetric (Part D)** \$/ML
Morton Vale Pipeline	\$35.61	\$6.97	\$9.19	\$6.53
Pie Creek	\$12.33	\$6.94	\$40.05	\$74.43

Table 3

#### **Permanent Transfer Termination Fees**

Distribution System	Termination Fee* \$/ML	
Morton Vale Pipeline	\$111.43	
Pie Creek	\$557.15	

Table 4

# Other fees and charges set by Segwater applicable to All Schemes

Charge Item	Measure	Price
Administration and transfer fee – Sale <sup>7</sup>	Per Transfer	\$250:00
Annual Account Keeping Fee <sup>1,7</sup>	Per Contract	\$302.11
Stock & Domestic (Riparian) <sup>2</sup>	Per ML	\$0.00
Special Meter Reading <sup>3</sup>	Per hour	\$75.00
New or Additional Meter Application <sup>4,7</sup>	Per application	\$175.00
Temporary Transfer adjustment fee <sup>5</sup>	Per ML	Price on application
Water Allocation Register search fee <sup>6,7</sup>	Per search	\$25.92

Table 5

## Notes

- 1. Charged annually in arrears for zero allocation contracts to cover the administration costs to manage the contract.
- 2. Usage for Stock & Domestic purposes where the land adjoins a watercourse, lake or spring.
- 3. Costs associated with undertaking a special read/s generally as part of a sale of property.
- 4. Costs for design, construction and installation are additional.
- 5. A transfer adjustment fee is payable where subsidised rural irrigation water is temporarily transferred for non-irrigation usage and is the difference between the subsidised price and the commercial upper bound price.
- 6. If Seqwater undertakes a Water Allocations Register search, the costs will be passed through to the customer. This charge is set by CITEC and is subject to change.
- 7. GST inclusive.

### Help is available!

Seqwater supports our customers who are experiencing financial distress by offering payment arrangements that are realistic and affordable based on your individual financial situation. If you are experiencing difficulty paying your water bill, please call the Irrigation Team (contact details below) to speak about a payment extension or an instalment plan to smooth out your payments over a longer period.

<sup>\*</sup> Payable on total volume of nominal water allocation

<sup>\*\*</sup> Payable on total volume of water allocation used

<sup>\*</sup> Calculated as 11 times the fixed Part C respectively