

PRESS RELEASE

MAXIMUM RETAIL PETROLEUM PRICES IN KENYA FOR THE PERIOD 15TH MARCH 2023 TO 14TH APRIL 2023

In accordance with Section 101(y) of the Petroleum Act 2019 and Legal Notice No.192 of 2022, the Energy & Petroleum Regulatory Authority (EPRA) has calculated the maximum retail prices of petroleum products which will be in force from 15th March 2023 to 14th April 2023.

In the period under review, the maximum allowed petroleum pump price of **Super Petrol** increases by **Ksh. 2.00** per litre while that of **Diesel** and **Kerosene** remain **unchanged**.

The prices are inclusive of the 8% Value Added Tax (VAT) in line with the provisions of the Finance Act 2018, the Tax Laws (Amendment) Act 2020 and the revised rates for excise duty adjusted for inflation as per Legal Notice No. 194 of 2020.

The average landed cost of imported **Super Petrol** decreased by 0.06% from US\$659.87 per cubic metre in January 2023 to US\$659.47 per cubic metre in February 2023; **Diesel** decreased by 2.52% from US\$779.49 per cubic metre to US\$759.88 per cubic metre while **Kerosene** decreased by 1.51% from US\$774.99 per cubic metre to US\$763.28 per cubic metre.

The changes in the landed costs are summarized in the table 1.

Table 1: Summary of Landed Costs

PRODUCT	JANUARY 2023	FEBRUARY 2023	CHANGE
Super Petrol (US\$/Cubic Metre)	659.87	659.47	-0.06%
Diesel (US\$/Cubic Metre)	779.49	759.88	-2.52%
Kerosene (US\$/Cubic Metre)	774.99	763.28	-1.51%

The price of diesel has been cross subsidized with that of Super Petrol while a subsidy of **Ksh. 23.49 /litre** has been maintained for Kerosene in order to cushion consumers from the otherwise high prices. The Government will utilise the Petroleum Development Levy to compensate oil marketing companies for the difference in cost.

The Free On board (FOB) price of Murban crude oil lifted in February 2023 was posted at **US\$ 80.11** per barrel a decrease of **11.87%** from **US\$ 90.90** per barrel in January 2023.

Over the same period, the mean monthly US Dollar to Kenya Shilling exchange rate depreciated by **2.56%** from **Ksh. 130.64 per US\$** in January 2023 to **Ksh. 133.98 per US\$** in February 2023.

A summary of the resultant retail prices for major towns in Kenya is provided as **Annex I**. Further, a detailed breakdown of the cost items for retail prices in Nairobi is provided as **Annex II** for information.

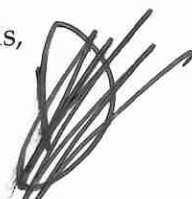
Table 2 illustrates the trend of monthly crude oil prices and exchange rates for the last 12 months:

Month	March-22	Apr-22	May-22	June-22	July-22	Aug-22	Sept-22	Oct-22	Nov-22	Dec-22	Jan-23	Feb-23
Crude Oil Prices (US\$/barrel)	85.11	93.99	112.48	104.48	109.68	117.53	105.96	98.06	92.45	93.53	90.90	80.11
Mean Exchange Rates (KShs/US\$)	114.60	115.74	116.89	118.53	119.92	120.64	123.88	124.06	124.20	128.58	130.64	133.98

The purpose of the Petroleum Pricing Regulations is to cap the retail prices of petroleum products which are already in the country so that importation and other prudently incurred costs are recovered while ensuring reasonable prices to consumers.

EPRA wishes to assure the public of its continued commitment to the observance of fair competition and protection of the interests of both consumers and investors in the energy and petroleum sectors.

Regards,



Daniel Kiptoo Bargoria, OGW
DIRECTOR GENERAL

14th March 2023



ANNEX I

15 th March 2023- 14 th April 2023				
	TOWNS	MAXIMUM PUMP PRICES		
		Super Petrol (PMS)	Automotive Diesel (AGO)	Kerosene (IK)
		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
1	Mombasa	176.98	159.76	143.69
2	Kilifi	177.69	160.47	144.41
3	Likoni Mainland	177.34	160.11	144.05
4	Kwale	177.34	160.11	144.05
5	Malindi	177.90	160.67	144.61
6	Lungalunga	178.05	160.83	144.76
7	Voi	178.46	161.24	145.17
8	Taveta	179.86	162.64	146.58
9	Lamu	180.27	163.06	147.00
10	Hola	180.57	163.34	147.28
11	Mpeketoni	180.27	163.06	147.00
12	Minjila	179.25	162.02	145.96
13	Garsen	179.33	162.11	146.05
14	Samburu	177.28	160.06	144.00
15	Taru	177.46	160.24	144.18
16	Mwatate	178.79	161.57	145.51
17	Wundanyi	178.96	161.74	145.68
18	Kaloleni	177.13	159.92	143.85
19	Marereni	178.56	161.34	145.27
20	Nairobi	179.30	162.00	145.94
21	Thika	179.31	162.01	145.94
22	Machakos	179.54	162.24	146.18
23	Kajiado	179.72	162.42	146.36
24	Makuyu	179.59	162.29	146.23
25	Muranga	179.82	162.52	146.46
26	Sagana	180.05	162.75	146.68
27	Embu	180.40	163.10	147.04
28	Kerugoya	180.33	163.03	146.97
29	Narok	180.69	163.40	147.33
30	Nyeri	180.67	163.37	147.31
31	Namanga	180.85	163.55	147.48
32	Kiganjo	180.64	163.34	147.28
33	Chuka	180.93	163.63	147.57
34	Kitui	180.84	163.54	147.47
35	Mwingi	181.22	163.93	147.86
36	Nanyuki	181.23	163.94	147.87

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		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
37	Nkubu	182.21	164.91	148.84
38	Mtito Andei	181.74	164.44	148.38
39	Meru	182.40	165.10	149.04
40	Isiolo	182.26	164.96	148.89
41	Maua	182.85	165.56	149.49
42	Garissa	183.47	166.17	150.11
43	Marsabit	187.15	169.85	153.79
44	Liboi	186.24	168.94	152.87
45	Moyale	188.74	171.44	155.37
46	Sololo	187.79	170.49	154.43
47	Habaswein	186.16	168.86	152.80
48	Dadaab	184.85	167.55	151.49
49	Tarbaj	188.42	171.12	155.04
50	Elwak	190.02	172.72	156.65
51	Wajir	188.57	171.27	155.21
52	Modogashe	186.30	169.00	152.94
53	Mandera	192.35	175.05	158.98
54	Matuu	180.20	162.90	146.84
55	Merti	184.65	167.35	151.29
56	Oldonyiro	181.67	164.36	148.29
57	Eldas	190.34	173.04	156.98
58	Bute	187.38	170.08	154.02
59	Hadado	185.97	168.67	152.60
60	Mai Mahiu	179.42	162.12	146.06
61	Doldo	182.00	164.70	148.63
62	Lamuria	181.12	163.82	147.75
63	Sipili	181.98	164.68	148.62
64	Marimanti	181.61	164.31	148.25
65	Mutuobare	180.95	163.65	147.58
66	North Horr	188.11	170.82	154.75
67	Maikona	186.73	169.43	153.37
68	Kalacha	187.27	169.97	153.91
69	Loyangalani	187.34	170.04	153.97
70	Turbi	187.14	169.84	153.78

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		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
71	Laisamis	184.36	167.06	150.98
72	Merille	184.05	166.75	150.69
73	Korr	185.30	168.00	151.93
74	Nakuru	178.62	161.83	145.79
75	Gilgil	178.58	161.79	145.76
76	Mogotio	178.57	161.78	145.74
77	Molo	178.65	161.86	145.83
78	Olunguruone	179.36	162.56	146.53
79	Londiani	178.88	162.09	146.05
80	Nyahururu	178.87	162.08	146.04
81	Archers Post	181.85	165.06	149.03
82	Lodosoit	182.95	166.16	150.13
83	Naivasha	178.95	162.15	146.11
84	Marigat	179.34	162.55	146.51
85	Kabarnet	179.83	163.04	147.01
86	Maralal	180.92	164.13	148.10
87	Wamba	181.76	164.97	148.93
88	Rumuruti	179.41	162.62	146.58
89	Eldoret	179.50	162.72	146.67
90	Kiplombe	179.50	162.72	146.67
91	Iten	179.50	162.72	146.67
92	Naiberi	179.50	162.72	146.67
93	Kesses	179.50	162.72	146.67
94	Kapsabet	179.52	162.74	146.68
95	Webuye	179.93	163.15	147.10
96	Kitale	179.86	163.08	147.03
97	Kapenguria	180.50	163.72	147.67
98	Bungoma	180.26	163.48	147.44
99	Moiben	179.52	162.74	146.68
100	Matunda	179.49	162.70	146.66
101	Burnt Forest	179.45	162.67	146.62
102	Tambach	179.54	162.76	146.71
103	Kapsowar	180.00	163.22	147.18
104	Chebara	179.89	163.10	147.06
105	Kimwarer	179.81	163.03	146.99

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		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
106	Timboroa	179.73	162.95	146.90
107	Nandi Hills	179.69	162.91	146.87
108	Kaiboi	179.55	162.77	146.73
109	Kiminini	180.05	163.27	147.21
110	Endebes	180.39	163.61	147.57
111	Saboti	180.07	163.29	147.25
112	Chepareria	180.71	163.93	147.87
113	Lomut	182.33	165.53	149.49
114	Burgich	181.12	164.34	148.29
115	Sigor	181.25	164.47	148.42
116	Lodwar	183.68	166.90	150.85
117	Kakuma	185.27	168.49	152.44
118	Lokichar	182.68	165.90	149.85
119	Kalokol	184.44	167.66	151.61
120	Lokori	183.05	166.27	150.22
121	Lokitaung	187.33	170.55	154.49
122	Kapedo	182.33	165.53	149.49
123	Malaba	180.66	163.88	147.84
124	Lokichogio	186.46	169.68	153.63
125	Ziwa	179.69	162.91	146.87
126	Soy	179.51	162.72	146.67
127	Moi's Bridge	179.57	162.78	146.74
128	Turbo	179.45	162.67	146.62
129	Kibish	187.56	170.77	154.73
130	Nakalale	186.39	169.60	153.55
131	Loima	182.80	166.02	149.97
132	Lokirama	184.37	167.59	151.53
133	Kainuk	181.57	164.79	148.74
134	Kacheliba	180.90	164.12	148.07
135	Kiwawa	181.50	164.72	148.68
136	Ortum	181.09	164.31	148.26
137	Kachibora	179.89	163.10	147.06
138	Kwanza	180.60	163.82	147.78
139	Kaplamai	179.92	163.14	147.08

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		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
140	Eldama Ravine	180.33	163.55	147.51
141	Tenges	180.47	163.69	147.65
142	Barwessa	180.59	163.81	147.75
143	Kipsaraman	181.49	164.71	148.66
144	Loruk	181.36	164.58	148.53
145	Kabartonjo	180.33	163.55	147.51
146	Tindiret	180.39	163.61	147.57
147	O'lessos	179.57	162.78	146.74
148	Kobujoi	179.97	163.19	147.14
149	Serem	180.05	163.27	147.21
150	Kabiyet	179.51	162.72	146.67
151	Cheptulu	179.93	163.15	147.10
152	Songor	180.47	163.69	147.65
153	Kapcherop	180.11	163.33	147.28
154	Sambalat	180.79	164.01	147.97
155	Arror	180.45	163.67	147.61
156	Tot	180.65	163.87	147.82
157	Kaptarakwa	179.69	162.91	146.87
158	Kapese	182.65	165.86	149.82
159	Kalemngorok	182.03	165.25	149.21
160	Marich	181.02	164.24	148.19
161	Alale	181.50	164.72	148.68
162	Kunyao	181.17	164.39	148.34
163	Asilong	180.76	163.98	147.93
164	Orolwo	180.79	164.01	147.97
165	Sebit	180.74	163.96	147.92
166	Morpus	180.65	163.87	147.82
167	Chepkorniswo	180.53	163.75	147.71
168	Kaibichbich	180.49	163.70	147.66
169	Keringet	180.21	163.43	147.39
170	Kisumu	179.50	162.70	146.66
171	Sondu	179.59	162.80	146.77
172	Oyugis	180.08	163.29	147.25
173	Kakamega	179.54	162.75	146.72

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		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
174	Mumias	179.82	163.03	146.99
175	Bondo	179.70	162.91	146.88
176	Siaya	179.83	163.04	147.00
177	Kericho	180.00	163.21	147.17
178	Nyamira	180.07	163.28	147.24
179	Kisii	180.37	163.58	147.55
180	Sotik	180.21	163.42	147.38
181	Keroka	180.39	163.60	147.56
182	Busia	180.36	163.57	147.54
183	Homabay	180.31	163.52	147.48
184	Migori	181.17	164.37	148.34
185	Isebania	181.45	164.66	148.62
186	Bomet	180.61	163.82	147.78
187	Muhoroni	179.72	162.93	146.90
188	Mbita	180.30	163.50	147.47
189	Mbale	179.50	162.70	146.66
190	Etago	180.94	164.15	148.12
191	Magenche	181.05	164.26	148.22
192	Kilgoris	180.88	164.09	148.06
193	Malava	179.86	163.06	147.03
194	Lugari	180.25	163.45	147.42
195	Rodi Kopany	180.37	163.58	147.55
196	Ndhiwa	180.65	163.86	147.82
197	Rangwe	180.36	163.57	147.54
198	Sindo	180.37	163.58	147.55
199	Awasi	179.45	162.66	146.63
200	Ahero	179.50	162.70	146.66
201	Ugunja	179.93	163.13	147.10
202	Asembo	179.57	162.78	146.75
203	Usenge	180.06	163.26	147.22
204	Harambee	179.54	162.75	146.71
205	Muhuru Bay	181.31	164.52	148.48
206	Kehanacha	181.54	164.75	148.71
207	Ntimaru	181.85	165.06	149.02

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		KSh./L	KSh./L	KSh./L
208	Rongo	180.62	163.83	147.80
209	Kaspokwony	180.59	163.80	147.75
210	Chwele	180.53	163.74	147.70
211	Kimilili	180.46	163.67	147.62
212	Nambale	180.36	163.57	147.54
213	SioPort	180.35	163.56	147.53
214	Port Bunyala	180.40	163.61	147.57
215	Funyula	180.22	163.43	147.40
216	Ogembo	180.53	163.74	147.70
217	Nyangusu	180.79	164.00	147.96
218	Sengera	180.72	163.92	147.88
219	Keumbu	180.44	163.64	147.61
220	Marani	180.14	163.35	147.31
221	Kerina	180.50	163.71	147.68
222	Ikonge	179.86	163.07	147.03
223	Nyansiongo	180.26	163.47	147.43

ANNEX II

Breakdown of the costs of Super Petrol (PMS), Diesel (AGO) and Kerosene (DPK) in Nairobi: 15 th March 2023- 14 th April 2023				
Cost Item	Cost Description	Super Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
		KSh./Litre	KSh./Litre	KSh./Litre
Landed Cost (a)	Weighted Average cost for all imports	90.39	103.01	105.38
Pipeline Transport (Msa-Nrb)	Pipeline (80% PMS, AGO & IK)	2.53	2.53	2.53
Road Transport (Msa-Nrb) - Bridging	Road (0% PMS, AGO & IK)	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pipeline Losses	Pipeline (0.25%)	0.06	0.06	0.06
Depot Losses	0.5% PMS; 0.3% For DPK & AGO	0.70	0.43	0.42
Delivery within 40kms of Nrb	Delivery to petrol stations	0.54	0.54	0.54
Storage and distribution (b)		3.83	3.56	3.55
Oil marketing companies margins (c)		12.39	2.89	0.00
Price Stabilization Surplus/(Deficit) (d)		9.01	0.00	(9.39)
Excise Duty	Tax	21.95	11.37	11.37
Road Maintenance Levy	Levy	18.00	18.00	0.00
Petroleum Development Levy	Levy	5.40	5.40	0.40
Petroleum Regulatory Levy	Levy	0.25	0.25	0.25
Railway Development Levy	Levy	1.73	1.99	2.01
Anti-adulteration Levy	Levy	0.00	0.00	18.00
Merchant Shipping Levy	Levy	0.03	0.03	0.03
Import Declaration Fee	Levy	3.04	3.50	3.53
Value Added Tax (VAT)	Tax	13.28	12.00	10.81
Taxes and levies (e)		63.68	52.54	46.40
Applicable Retail Prices in Nairobi (a) + (b) + (c) + (d) + (e)		179.30	162.00	145.94
Summary		Super Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
		KSh./Litre	KSh./Litre	KSh./Litre
Products Costs (a)		90.39	103.01	105.38
Distribution and storage Costs (b)		3.83	3.56	3.55
Margins (c)		12.39	2.89	0.00
Price Stabilization Surplus/(Deficit) (d)		9.01	0.00	(9.39)
Taxes & Levies (e)		63.68	52.54	46.40
Applicable Retail Prices in Nairobi (a) + (b) + (c) + (d) + (e)		179.30	162.00	145.94