



Portreath Parish Council
The Public Toilets, The Sea Front
TR16 4NN

Account: A-120050DA
20th August 2026

The price of your Flexible Octopus Business tariff is going up

Hi Lucy,

You're probably aware that we're still seeing energy issues across the world. Global supply isn't stable and prices have kept on rising - including the cost of power from the UK grid.

Unfortunately, this means we have to increase your energy prices. They'll change on Thursday 1st October.

You can find a breakdown of your new unit rates and standing charges below.

We'll help you to keep your bills as low as possible

We know this price rise isn't good news. It's already been a tough enough year, energy-wise. Businesses like yours are still feeling the brunt of it.

So, we're working hard to keep your costs as fair as possible:

- We're still offering new fixed contracts ([check out your options](https://octopus.energy/dashboard/new/accounts/A-120050DA/change-my-tariff) at octopus.energy/dashboard/new/accounts/A-120050DA/change-my-tariff)
- We're giving you access to a smart tool to help avoid the higher rates:
 - [Shape Shifters](https://octopus.energy/smart/shape-shifters/) (octopus.energy/smart/shape-shifters/) gives you cheaper electricity outside of the 4-7pm peak
- As always, we're not adding any [hidden fees or costs](https://octopus.energy/blog/prices-business/) (octopus.energy/blog/prices-business/) to your bill
- As soon as we're able to lower your prices, we'll let you know

Should I go for a fixed contract?

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Normally, we'd say 100% yes. Variable prices are generally high and can change at any time. Whereas fixed rates are cheaper and locked in.

But we know you might have different priorities at the moment. So here's what we suggest:

- **If you want budget certainty and lower rates now:** [Choose a fixed contract](#) (octopus.energy/dashboard/new/accounts/A-120050DA/change-my-tariff). This is your cheapest option at the moment. You can be sure your prices won't change, so you can budget for up to 2 years.

- **If you want even cheaper prices for off-peak energy:** [Choose Shape Shifters](#) (octopus.energy/smart/shape-shifters/). For 21 hours each day, your prices will be lower than our standard 12-month tariffs.

- **If you want your rates to move with wholesale prices:** Stay on your variable tariff. It's your most expensive option for now. And if wholesale prices go up, yours will too. But if the global energy situation improves, your prices might go down.

For more info on the energy situation and how it affects businesses like yours, [check out our blog](#) (octopus.energy/blog/for-businesses-conflict-middle-east-energy/). We'll keep it up to date as things change.

Love and power,
Octopus Energy for Business

Electricity

Meter-point 2200042632948

Meter details	
Property	Public Conveniences, Sea Front, Portreath, TR16 4NN
MPAN	2200042632948
Current tariff name	Flexible Octopus Business August 2025
Current tariff code	E-1R-BUS-VAR-AUG25-L
New tariff name	Flexible Octopus
New tariff code	E-1R-BUS-VAR-AUG25-L
Annual consumption	1,471 kWh

Your new prices

Electricity	Current prices	New prices
	until 30th September 2026	from 1st October 2026
Standing charge (per day)	69.418p	71.960p
Unit rate (per kWh)	31.085p	33.487p
Your estimated annual cost	Current prices	New prices
	until 30th September 2026	from 1st October 2026
Electricity (£46.83 annual increase)	£746.17	£793.00