

Existing customers trade waste charges 2018-19

Our Price and Service Plan 2018-21 submission has been approved by the Office of the Tasmanian Economic Regulator. The plan includes the target trade waste charges for each financial year from 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2021.

Trade waste categories

Trade waste customers are categorised based on their trade waste discharge to our sewerage system. A risk score is calculated for each commercial trade waste customer based on four applicable elements:

- Business activity - customers are grouped and scored by the business activity they conduct
- Substance of concern - a score is applied based on the substance considered to be of most concern to the operation of our sewerage infrastructure
- Pre-treatment - a score based on the pre-treatment required by the business activity
- Trade waste volume - a score is applied for the estimated trade waste volume discharged to sewer.

The risk based system allows Category 2 to be split into three sub-categories (2A, 2B and 2C) to more accurately reflect a trade waste customer's demand on the sewer system.

We have an interactive trade waste category calculator and additional fact sheets available on our website if you require further information about calculating the risk score. The risk score determines the appropriate category for a customer as shown in the table below:

Trade waste category risk score

| Lower limit | Upper limit | Risk category |
|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| 0 | 39 | 1 |
| 40 | 49 | 2A |
| 50 | 59 | 2B |
| 60+ | | 2C |



Trade waste charges

Trade waste charges for the new Price and Service Plan 2018-19

| Trade waste category | Target charge (FY18-19) |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | \$569.48 |
| 2A | \$933.52 |
| 2B | \$1309.96 |
| 2C | \$1964.64 |