

DOMESTIC GAS & ELECTRICITY PRICES (UK)

- Both domestic gas and electricity prices increased between 2010 and 2014, but decreased in 2015 and 2016. The Committee on Climate Change estimates that with current policies average dual fuel bills will increase by around 18% in real terms between 2010 and 2020 and that 60% of the increase will be policy related.
- The average standard credit gas bill for a typical consumer was £703 in 2016. This was almost double the 2001 low in nominal terms but down 13.8% from the 2014 figures which was the highest in this series.
- The average standard credit electricity bill for a typical consumer was £624 in 2016. This was 69.9% above the 2003 low in real terms.
- In 2016 average annual cost for domestic gas consumers using prepayment method were 8.6% higher than for those on direct debit. Electricity cost for direct debit consumer were 6.9% lower.

AVERAGE ANNUAL GAS & ELECTRICITY BILLS, UK

£ 2016 prices, for a typical domestic standard credit consumer

Year	Gas			Electricity		
	Home suppliers	Non-home suppliers	All	Home suppliers	Non-home suppliers	All
1996	407	377	407	-	-	484
2000	363	306	347	412	380	399
2001	359	304	341	399	371	384
2002	371	311	353	383	356	375
2003	372	322	355	376	343	367
2004	372	335	361	370	339	368
2005	424	374	408	370	339	397
2010	650	636	645	585	529	542
2011	705	678	694	558	506	575
2012	787	734	765	588	547	600
2013	824	767	799	609	572	627
2014	841	784	816	636	602	634
2015	796	751	775	654	614	627
2016	709	696	703	635	600	624

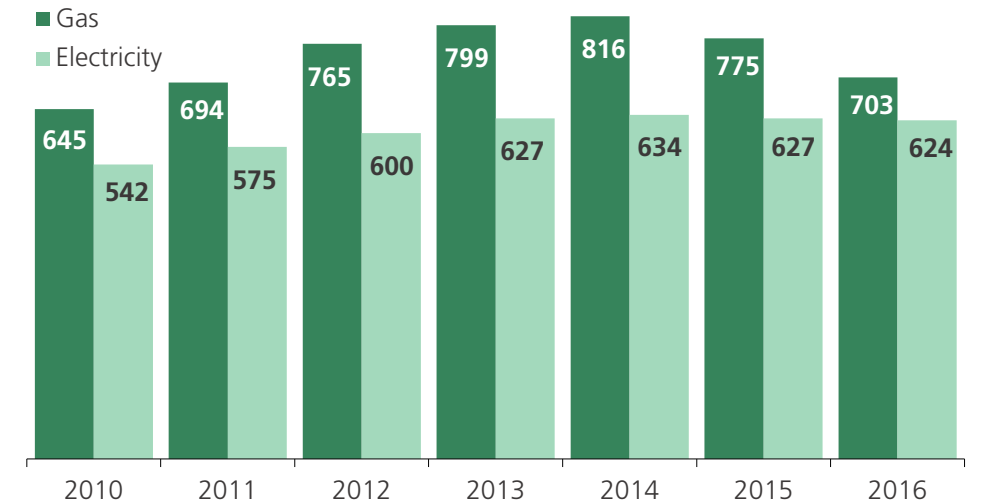
Notes: From 2007 data are for calendar years, earlier figures are for the year to September.
 Former public electricity suppliers/ British Gas are home supplier within their own areas, non home suppliers are all others
 Data deflated to 2010 terms using the GDP (market prices) deflator.

Source: Quarterly energy prices, BEIS, Tables 2.2.1 and 2.3.1

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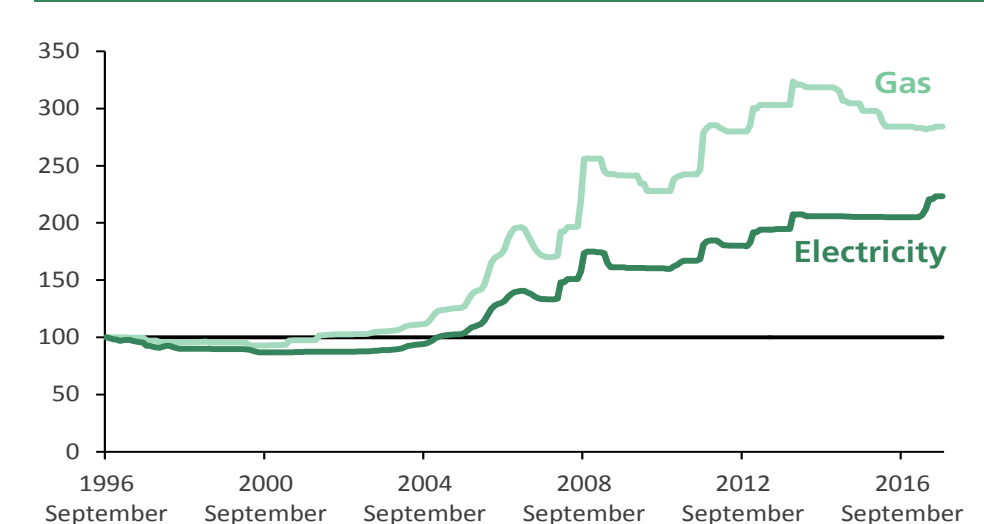
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Indices relative to the all items RPI, January 1996=100



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