Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy Air Water Land Energy Nebraska Energy Statistics

Annual Average Electricity Price Comparison by State

Pebraska is the only state that generates electricity entirely by publicly-owned power systems. As of 2021, the statewide average electricity price is the ninth-lowest rate in the country, based on the latest federal figures. (States are ranked so that equivalent prices are ranked at the same level.) Nationally, electricity costs 25.6 percent more than it does in Nebraska. Across all sectors, Hawaii has the highest electricity rate (30.31 cents), and Idaho has the lowest electricity rate (8.17 cents).

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Annual Average Price per Kilowatthour by State (Lowest to Highest Rate as of 2021)

		Average Electricity Rate for All Sectors
Rank	State	(Cents per Kilowatthour)
1	Idaho	8.17
2	Wyoming	8,25
3	Utah	8.34
4	Oklahoma	8.52
5	Nevada	8.58
6	North Dakota	8,65
7	Washington	8.75
8	Louisiana	8.82
9	Nebraska	8.84
10	West Virginia	8.87
11	Oregon	8.95
12	Arkansas	9.10
13	Kentucky	9.12
14	lowa	9.13
15	Texas	9.14
15	Virginia	9.14
16	North Carolina	9.29
17	Montana	9.50
17	Mississippi	9,50
18	Ohio	9.76
19	Tennessee	9.78
20	New Mexico	9.79
21	Missouri	9.85
21		9.96
	South Carolina	
23	Pennsylvania	9.97
24	Illinois	10.14
25	Alabama	10.18
26	Indiana	10.36
27	South Dakota	10.43
27	Georgia	10.43
28	Kansas	10.47
29	Delware	10.50
30	Florida	10.67
31	Arizona	10.73
32	Colorado	10.90
33	Wisconsin	11.01
34	Minnesota	11.08
35	National Average	11.10
36	Maryland	11.48
37	District of Columbia	12.81
38	Michigan	12.93

Rank	State	Average Electricity Rate for All Sectors (Cents per Kilowatthour)
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39	Maine	13.96
40	New Jersey	14,01
41	New York	16.11
42	Vermont	16.34
43	New Hampshire	17.37
44	Connecticut	18.32
45	Rhode Island	18.44
46	Massachusetts	19.06
47	California	19.65
48	Alaska	20.02
49	Hawaii	30.31

Sources: <u>Electric Sales, Revenue, and Average Price</u>, Energy Information Administration, Washington, DC. Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy, Lincoln, NE.

 ${\bf Note:}$ States are ranked so that equivalent prices are ranked at the same level.

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