

Utility Cost Comparison

Annual Costs for 2022 (values in Dollars)

	B.C.	Alberta	SK	Manitoba	Ontario	Quebec	N.B.	Nova Scotia	PEI	NL
Wireless Voice/Data	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,320	1,800	1,800	1,800	1,800
Electricity	843	1,752	1,452	866	972	660	1,069	1,443	1,412	1,195
Heating	1,433	1,321	951	1,041	1,279	1,795	2,588	3,128	3,813	3,703
Auto Insurance	3,462	6,223	2,500	2,706	6,415	4,557	4,478	4,980	3,422	4,680
Cost Before Adjustments	\$7,539	\$11,096	\$6,703	\$6,413	\$10,466	\$8,332	\$9,935	\$11,351	\$10,447	\$11,377
Carbon Tax - SaskPower	-	-	59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon Tax - Heating	283	291	274	274	274	127	291	78	-	219
SK Auto Fund Rebate	-	-	(200)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gov of AB Utility Commodity Rebate	-	(475)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ICBC Rebate	(220)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BC Hydro Cost of Living Credit	(100)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overall Net Annual Cost	7,502	10,912	6,837	6,687	10,740	8,459	10,226	11,430	10,447	11,596
Above (Below) Saskatchewan Cost	\$665	\$4,075	-	(\$150)	\$3,903	\$1,622	\$3,389	\$4,593	\$3,610	\$4,759

Notes:

Provincial totals are based on rates and a proportional representation of households in urban, rural, and northern communities (using the most recent Census data from 2021). Consumption levels: Two wireless plans with voice and data; 8,100 kWh of electricity; 2,800 m3 of natural gas spread over a weather-normalized monthly usage pattern typical of Saskatchewan homeowners; two vehicles, based on an index of common vehicles and driver profiles. SGI does not have access to the same auto insurance rate information in Quebec and Atlantic Canada. Rates in those provinces have been approximated.