



MINISTER OF TOURISM, ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, TRAFFIC AND TELECOMMUNICATION

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**Ref: Clarification on Fuel Price Announcement: May 13th, 2025, Prices
Remain in Effect Philipsburg – May 20, 2025**

The Honorable Minister Grisha Heyliger-Marten, on behalf of the Ministry of Tourism, Economic Affairs, Traffic and Telecommunication (TEATT), wishes to inform the general public that an issue in the communication process led to discrepancies in the publication of the new petroleum prices and their effective dates.

As such, the Ministry confirms that the **official fuel prices published and implemented on May 13th, 2025 remain in full effect** until the next scheduled update. **All fuel resellers are instructed to resume sales immediately** based on the May 13th pricing structure.

The Ministry is actively addressing the matter to ensure accuracy and transparency moving forward. A corrected fuel price list will be **officially published on May 21st and will go into effect on May 22nd, 2025.**

The Ministry of TEATT remains committed to providing timely and accurate information and appreciates the public's patience and cooperation.

Sincerely,


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ST. MAARTEN

Public Announcement Price Change Petroleum Products

The Government of St. Maarten regulates the prices of petroleum products by imposing a maximum price at which wholesalers and retailers can sell these products on St. Maarten. Due to the restocking of ULG and Diesel, which is due to ongoing developments internationally was purchased at a higher price for ULG than the prior stock, the prices of crude oil have experienced adjustments upward for ULG and unchanged for Diesel. The public is hereby informed that as of

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at 6:00 am, the maximum consumer prices of ULG and Diesel are as follows:

PRODUCT	CURRENT PRICE	NEW PRICE
ULG (gasoline)	2.147	2.221
Gasoil (diesel)	1.882	(unchanged)

Below is the complete price buildup showing all components that result in the new ULG and Diesel price. All numbers are rounded to three decimal places.

Price buildup

Effective Posting date	29-Apr-25	17-Apr-25
Petrotrin Posted Price US\$/AG	246	224
	ULG	Gasoil
Components	Naf per liter	Naf per liter
Petrotrin Posted Price	1.170	1.065
Freight	0.107	0.107
Import Duty	0.290	
Liquid throughput fee (THRX)	0.080	0.080
Wholesaler margin	0.230	0.230
Max. wholesale price	1.877	1.482
Turnovertax (5%)	0.094	0.074
Max. wholesale price incl. tax	1.971	1.556
Retailer margin	0.145	0.126
Consumer price	2.115	1.682
Turnovertax (5%)	0.106	0.084
Max. Consumer price incl. tax	2.221	1.766
	ULG	Gasoil



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