



#### Hello,

Every year, Énergir's terms of service and rates must be approved by the Régie de l'énergie, Quebec's independent energy price regulator. This year, Énergir submitted to the Régie an **average rate increase of 1.15%**, effective October 1, 2025. The price of natural gas itself is excluded because it varies monthly based on supply and demand. It is billed at the same price that Énergir pays to producers.

## What will be the potential impact on your annual bill?

That depends primarily on how much natural gas you use. Each customer's bill will show a different increase that reflects their individual circumstances. The following natural gas consumption profiles are examples<sup>1</sup> that can help you estimate the potential impact on your annual bill.

Type of building	Annual natural gas consumption	Increase	
Recently built single-family home (160 m²)	2,000 m <sup>3</sup>	+0.8%	+\$9/year
15-unit multi-residential	15,000 m³	+1.8%	+\$114/year

### What is the reason for this year's projected increase?

## 1 Higher storage costs

Natural gas storage management service costs are rising due mainly to an increase in storage costs.

# 2 Increased usage of renewable natural gas (RNG)

In the 2030 Plan for a Green Economy, the Government of Quebec set a goal to replace at least 10% of fossil natural gas with RNG by 2030. Énergir is gradually increasing the percentage of RNG it buys to offset the financial impacts of the rate increase.

Since a portion of this RNG was not purchased voluntarily by customers, the cost of unsold volumes is distributed through socialization fees. Customers who do not purchase the minimum percentage of RNG—i.e., 5% from October 2025 to September 2026—will see these fees adjusted on their bill.

### Questions? Feel free to contact us at 1-800-361-4568.

To better understand the various components of your bill, including socialization fees, visit <u>Énergir | Understanding your bill</u>.

### **Customer Service Team**

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For information purposes only, based on rates submitted to take effect on October 1, 2025. Values are approximate. The annual increase varies based on several factors, such as the type of home and the equipment installed. The annual increases mentioned above include variations in transmission, load balancing, distribution, and socialization fees.