Energy Surcharge

(October 2026)

Driving Forward, Together: Why the Energy Surcharge?

The cost of operating a modern parcel network is influenced by both fuel and electricity prices. And the current fuel prices have increased significantly due to international politics. To ensure transparency and fairness, GOFO applies a monthly Energy Surcharge based on publicly available Dutch market data.

The surcharge helps offset fluctuations in transportation and operational energy costs while allowing us to continue investing in a reliable and sustainable delivery network.

Fair, Transparent, and Capped: How it works?

We believe you shouldn't have to guess your shipping costs. Instead of arbitrary pricing, our pricing model is fully transparent, linked to a specific monthly billing period, and calculated based on independent market data.

Current Energy Surcharge

This surcharge is applied directly as a percentage of your base rates (excluding VAT/ BTW) for the active billing period.

Period	Energy Index	Energy Surcharge by %
2026 Mar	121	4%
2026 Apr	126	5%
2026 May	120	3%
2026 Jun	111	2%
2026 Jul	118	3%
2026 Aug	125	4%
2026 Sept	131	6%

All prices are excluding VAT/BTW.

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The Double-Index

The finalized index is mapped to a straightforward percentage-based surcharge, and based on the ratio of our fuel and electricity consumption.

Index Formula

$$Index^{1} = \left(\frac{CurrentFuelPrice^{2}}{FuelBaseline^{3}} * 0.8 + \frac{CurrentElectricityPrice^{4}}{ElectricityBaseline^{5}} * 0.2\right) * 100$$

1 Based on the current operational energy consumption profile of the GOFO network and subject to periodic review.

2 Current Fuel Price: Average Dutch Diesel Pump Price (€/liter) on corresponding month(Data source: https://opendata.cbs.nl/#/CBS/nl/dataset/81567NED/table?searchKeywords=pompprijs)

3 Diesel baseline: Average Dutch Diesel Pump Price (€/liter) on Jan 2026 (Data source: https://opendata.cbs.nl/#/CBS/nl/dataset/81567NED/table?searchKeywords=pompprijs)

4 Current Electricity Price: Variable supply rate contract prices (Euro/kWh)(Data source: https://opendata.cbs.nl/#/CBS/en/dataset/85592ENG/table)

5 Electricity baseline: Variable supply rate contract prices (Euro/kWh) on Jan 2026 (Data source: https://opendata.cbs.nl/#/CBS/en/dataset/85592ENG/table)

Calculation Rule

An index value of 100 represents the baseline period. An Index value of 110 represents a 10% increase in combined energy costs versus the baseline.

Period	Energy Index	Energy Surcharge by %
100-105	0%	/ Parcel
106-110	1%	/ Parcel
111-115	2%	/ Parcel
116-120	3%	/ Parcel
121-125	4%	/ Parcel
126-130	5%	/ Parcel
131-135	6%	/ Parcel
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Every additional 5 index point	**+1%**	**/ Parcel**

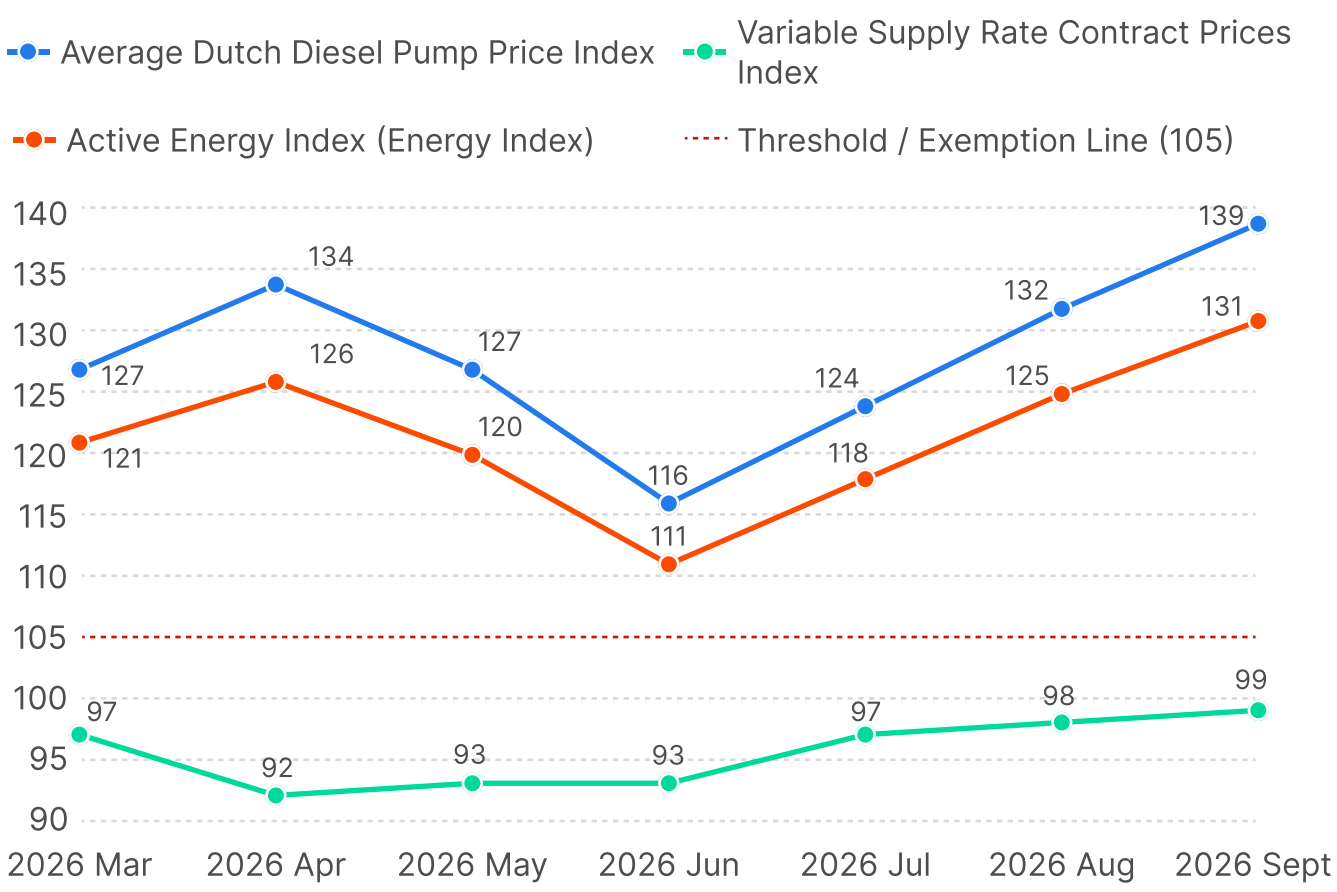
**Minimum Surcharge: The minimum surcharge is 0%. Negative energy surcharges will not apply.*

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Understanding Energy Trends: Fuel, Electricity, and Our Index

Below is the dynamic trend showing how current diesel prices, electricity prices, and our consolidated Energy Surcharge Index correlate over time:

Energy Price & Surcharge Index Trend



GOFO Customer Protection Buffer

When the Active Energy Index is below 105, surcharge = 0.00% (exempt from energy surcharge)

GOFO absorbs the first 5% increase in energy costs. No surcharge will be applied unless the Energy Index exceeds 105.

This means GOFO shares the risk of normal market fluctuations with our customers.

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Current Billing Status (November 2026 Billing)

INPUTS

Average Dutch Diesel Pump Price Index
(September 2026)
80% — 139

Variable Supply Rate Contract Prices Index
(September 2026)
20% — 99

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CALCULATED INDEX

Active Energy Index (Energy Index)
(September 2026)
131

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APPLIED SURCHARGE

Variable Supply Rate Contract Prices Index +6.00%

*Index values are updated monthly and applied to the following month's orders.

Billing Notice

We believe in absolute predictability. Since CBS data is delayed by one month, the index and corresponding percentage surcharge we announce in June (based on May data) will apply to your July billing Period. This gives you a full month of advanced notice to plan and manage your shipping budget.

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