

SECTION 3

PAYPHONE CHARGES

This section lists all the charges for calls from Telecom’s payphones. The charges shown are maximum prices, and in some circumstances customers will pay less as a result of rounding off to the nearest cent.
Note: all payphone prices listed in this section include GST.

3.1 LOCAL CALLS FROM PAYPHONES

- Charge per minute or part of a minute \$0.20

Note:

- The charge for a call of any duration for A/B Coinphones is 20 cents. This is a special rate applying only to A/B Coinphones.
- Emergency calls (dial 111) are not charged for at any time.

3.2 NATIONAL CALLS FROM PAYPHONES

Charges for national calls depend on the type of Payphones being used. Detailed tables of charges are given in section 3.4. The charging steps for national calls made from Payphones are the same as those applying to private phones. Telecom’s current national call charging steps for main centres are shown below:

	Whangarei														
Auckland	E	Auckland													
Hamilton	G	D	Hamilton												
Rotorua	H	E	E	Rotorua											
Tauranga	H	E	E	C	Tauranga										
New Plymouth	I	H	E	G	H	New Plymouth									
Napier	I	H	G	E	G	H	Napier								
Gisborne	I	I	H	G	G	I	E	Gisborne							
Palmerston North	I	G	E	H	H	E	E	H	Palmerston North						
Wanganui	I	H	G	H	H	E	G	H	D	Wanganui					
Wellington	I	H	G	I	I	H	H	I	D	E	Wellington				
Nelson	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	H	H	E	Nelson			
Christchurch	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	H	I	H	H	Christchurch		
Dunedin	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	H	Dunedin	
Invercargill	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	H	E	Invercargill

Table 3.2

3.3. INTERNATIONAL CALLS FROM PAYPHONES

International calls can be made from all Payphones. Charges for international calls are given in section 3.4.

3.4 TABLES OF CHARGES FROM PAYPHONES

3.4.1 A/B Coinphones
Local Calls

- Charge for a local call of any duration \$0.20

National Calls

National (toll) calls from A/B coinphones must be placed through the operator. There is no charge for operator assistance for connecting calls from A/B Coinphones.

- National charge periods and steps apply to national calls from A/B coinphones. (See section 2.2) of this document.
- The following four tables give the charges of national calls from A/B Coinphones for periods between 1 and 10 minutes over the various charge periods and charging steps. The charge for calls that exceed 10 minutes can be calculated by adding multiples of the