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# Choosing rates within rate bands

Regional implementation dates:

- Passenger Transportation Region 5 (effective January 1, 2026)
- Passenger Transportation Region 4 (effective April 1, 2026)
- Passenger Transportation Region 3 (effective August 1, 2026)
- Passenger Transportation Region 2 (Standardized Rates, early 2027)
- Passenger Transportation Region 1 (Standardized Rates, mid 2027)

## Rate band calculator

Use this calculator to try different rates and see what rates work best for your business. Type your ideas for your flag and 1 km distance rates into the two boxes. Please note:

- Your flag and 1 km distance rates must be within the ranges stated in your region’s rates band table below.
- Your resulting total 5 km trip fare must remain within the rate band for your region.

Region:

Flag Rate ($)

1 KM Distance Rate ($/km)

5 km trip fare: $

Your flag rate falls within the valid parameters.
Your flag rate falls outside of the valid parameters.
Your calculated 5km trip fare falls within the valid parameters.
Your calculated 5km trip fare falls outside of the valid parameters.

This is your 5km distance result. Please compare it, your flag rate, and time rate with the tables on this page. If any of the values are below the minimum threshold or above the maximum threshold, please adjust your rates to fall within the range.

**Region 3**

| Rate Band | Minimum | Maximum |
|---|---|---|
| Flag rate | $2.28 | $4.67 |
| 5km trip fare | $15.73 | $18.87 |
| Time rate (per hr.) | $43.05 | $51.65 |

**Region 4**

| Rate Band | Minimum | Maximum |
|---|---|---|

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|---|---|---|
| Flag rate | $2.49 | $5.15 |
| 5km trip fare | $15.90 | $19.13 |
| Time rate (per hr.) | $45.65 | $54.78 |

**Region 5**

| Rate Band | Minimum | Maximum |
|---|---|---|
| Flag rate | $3.54 | $6.06 |
| 5km trip fare | $16.06 | $19.29 |
| Time rate (per hr.) | $43.66 | $52.39 |

# Rate band tables

As outlined in Rate Rule 3 — Rate Bands, the following rate bands have been approved by the Board:

**Region 5**

Implementation date: January 1, 2026

| Rate Band | Minimum | Maximum |
|---|---|---|
| Flag rate | $3.50 | $6.00 |
| 5km trip fare | $15.90 | $19.10 |
| Time rate (per hr.) | $43.23 | $51.87 |

**Region 4**

Implementation date: April 1, 2026

| Rate Band | Minimum | Maximum |
|---|---|---|
| Flag rate | $2.49 | $5.15 |
| 5km trip fare | $15.90 | $19.13 |
| Time rate (per hr.) | $45.65 | $54.78 |

**Region 3**

Implementation date: August 1, 2026

| Rate Band | Minimum | Maximum |
|---|---|---|
| Flag rate | $2.28 | $4.67 |
| 5km trip fare | $15.73 | $18.87 |
| Time rate (per hr.) | $43.05 | $51.65 |

# Related topics:

- Passenger transportation region policy