

3. **Electricity Tariff (Industrial)**

(Effective from August 17, 2001):

<u>Sub Category</u>	<u>Demand fee (Rs. / kVA)</u>	<u>Energy Charge (Rs. / Unit)</u>
A. Low Voltage (400/230 volt)		
- Rural and Cottage	45.00	5.45
- Small Industry	90.00	6.60
B. Medium Voltage (11 kV)	190.00	5.90
C. Medium Voltage (33 kV)	190.00	5.80
D. High Voltage (66 kV & above)	175.00	4.60

Note: -If demand meter reads Kilo Watts (kW) then kVA = kW/0.8., 10 % discount in the total bill amount will be given to the Government of Nepal approved Industrial Districts.

Source: Nepal Electricity Authority.

4. **Fuel Rate:** (As of November 17, 2009)

Products	Approximate Retail Selling Price at Kathmandu (Retail Prices are decontrolled and Inclusive of VAT)	Remarks
a) Petrol	Rs.77.50 / liter	Nepal Government will adjust the price of petroleum products as per international market.
b) Diesel	Rs.58.00 / liter	
c) LPG	Rs.1125.0 / cylinder	
d) Aviation Turbine Fuel - - Duty paid - Bonded	Rs.70.00 / liter US \$750.00/ KL.	
e) Kerosene	Rs.58.00 / liter	

Source: Nepal Oil Corporation Ltd.

5. **Salaries and Wages (average per month):**

a) Managerial Grade	Rs.25,000	-	50,000
b) Engineers	Rs.20,000	-	30,000
c) Technical Operator	Rs.10,000	-	15,000
d) Junior Operator	Rs. 6,000	-	8,000
e) Office Assistant	Rs. 6,000	-	8,000
f) Clerical Grade	Rs. 5,000	-	7,000
g) Labor (as per Nepal Gazette published in 2065-8-23)			
Highly Skilled	Rs. 4950.0		
Skilled	Rs. 4760.0		
Semi skilled	Rs. 4650.0		
Unskilled	Rs. 4600.0		

Note: It would be appropriate to add 25 percent of above salaries to take account of fringe benefits.

6. Rents - Office and Residential sites:

Kathmandu: Residential	Rs. 15,000 - 40,000 per month
Office	Rs. 30 - 50 per sq.ft. per month
Butwal - Office	Rs. 10 - 20 per sq.ft. per month
Hetauda - Office	Rs. 10 - 20 per sq.ft. per month
Pokhara - Office	Rs. 10 - 20 per sq.ft. per month
Biratnagar - Office	Rs. 10 - 20 per sq.ft. per month
Birgunj - Office	Rs. 10 - 20 per sq.ft. per month

Note: Depending upon location, rent may be 25 percent plus / minus.

Source: Department of Industries, other various sources.

7. Water Tariffs: (Effective from 1st Poush 2066 (December 1 2009) :

Taps with meter

Size of the Tap	Consumption (Liter)	Minimum Charge Rs./Month	Charge on exceeding minimum consumption Rs./ Kl.	Main Tap Rs./Month	Branch Tap Rs./Month
½"	Up to 10000	55.00	17.50	432.00	100.00
¾ "	Up to 27000	1053.00	39.00	2535.00	650.00
1"	Up to 56000	2184.00	39.00	5265.00	1115.00
1 ½"	Up to 155000	6045.00	39.00	14508.00	3000.00
2"	Up to 320000	12480.00	39.00	29952.00	5000.00
3"	Up to 881000	34359.00	39.00	82485.00	14830.00
4"	Up to 1810000	70590.00	39.00	169416.00	30000.00

Note: a. Minimum monthly charge Rs. 50 is charged on the consumption of 10,000 litres.

b. Monthly Charge for Public tap is Rs. 1188.00. c. Sewerage Charge is 50% of the billing amount of water rate.

Source: Nepal Water Supply and Sewerage Corporation.

8. Freight by Road:

Sector	Open Truck		Trailer		Container	
	NRs. / M.Ton	Minimum Chargeable Weight	NRs. / M.Ton	Minimum Chargeable Weight	NRs. / M.Ton	Minimum Chargeable Weight
Calcutta-Birgunj	1900	9 M. Ton	2200	18 M. Ton	2000	9 M. Ton
Calcutta-Biratnagar	1400	9 M. Ton	1800	18 M. Ton	1600	9 M. Ton
Birgunj-Kathmandu	1200	10 M. Ton	3200	15 M. Ton	1300	10 M. Ton
Biratnagar-Kathmandu	1900	10 M. Ton	4800	15 M. Ton	2200	10 M. Ton

Transport rates (9 MT Full Truck)

From Various Stations of India to Various Stations in Nepal

Places and City		Rates (NRs.)	Places and City	Rates (NRs.)
Bangalore to	Hetauda	64000	Calcutta to Raxaul	21000
Ahmedabad to		46000	Calcutta to Bhairahawa	25000
Baroda to		51000	Delhi / Agra / Faridabad / Koshi to	42000
Delhi to		32000	Kathmandu via Raxaul	
Bombay to		48000	Sunauli to different Stations in India	
Bombay to Kathmandu via Bhairahawa	64000	Chandigarh	24000	
Bombay to Kathmandu via Raxaul	62000	Lucknow	10000	
Delhi to Kathmandu via Bhairahawa	30000	Jaipur	20000	
Bangalore to Kathmandu via Bhairahawa	62000	Delhi	18000	
Raxaul to different stations in India			Kakarvitta to different stations in India	
Calcutta		22000	Guwahati	26000
Patna		7000	Sillong	33000
Ranchi		12000	Dibrugarh	33000
Jamshedpur		14000	Silchar	43000
Kanpur		14000	Tinsukia	33000
Ahmedabad		33000		
Ludhiyana		27000		
Bombay		36000		

Sources: Business Manager for Managers and updates from Interstate Multimodal Transport Pvt. Ltd. The figures are rounded up to 100.

9. Air Freight: (Weight limit up to 20 Kg.)

Value in NRs.

S.N.	Destination Country	Minimum Charge up to 500 gms.	Additional per 500 gms..	Estimated Delivery Time Days	S.N.	Destination Country	Minimum Charge up to 500 gms.	Additional per 500 gms. /NRs.	Estimated Delivery Time Days
1.	Bhutan	750	200	3-7	2.	Egypt	1200	300	7-10
3.	Bangladesh	900	200	4-10	4.	Ireland	1200	350	7-10
5.	Brunei	900	200	7-10	6.	Spain	1200	350	7-10
7.	Hong Kong	900	250	5-7	8.	USA	1200	350	7-10
9.	Japan	900	300	5-7	10.	Yemen	1200	300	7-10
11.	Malaysia	900	250	5-10	12.	Israel	1250	300	7-15
13.	Pakistan	900	250	5-10	14.	Philippines	1250	300	7-10
15.	Singapore	900	250	5-10	16.	Fiji	1350	350	7-10
17.	Sri Lanka	900	250	7-10	18.	Kuwait	1350	250	7-15
19.	Thailand	900	250	3-7	20.	Turkey	1350	350	7-10
21.	China	950	300	7-10	22.	Denmark	1400	350	7-10
23.	Indonesia	950	300	7-10	24.	Italy	1500	350	7-10
25.	S. Korea	950	300	5-10	26.	UK	1500	300	7-10
27.	Maldives	950	250	7-10	28.	Canada	1550	350	7-12
29.	Qatar	1050	250	3-10	30.	Germany	1600	350	7-10
31.	UAE	1050	300	5-7	32.	Netherlands	1650	350	7-10
33.	Australia	1100	350	5-10	34.	Switzerland	1700	350	7-10
35.	Myanmar	1100	250	7-10	36.	Norway	1900	350	7-10
37.	New Zealand	1100	350	7-10					
38.	India	Minimum up to 200 gms. Rs. 200				Additional per 200 gms.		100	3-15

For Merchandise Items Add Rs.50 Up to 2 Kgs. and Rs.150 more than 2 Kgs.

Source: Express Mail Service, General Post office.

10. Current Lending Rates of Commercial Banks:

(As of mid July 2009):

(Negotiable depending upon volume and other business)

S.N.	Types of Loan	Interest Rate in %
a.	Commercial Loan	8.0 – 14.0
b.	Deprived Sector Loan	4.0 – 12.0
c.	Priority Sector Loan	9.5 – 12.0
d.	Over Draft Facility	6.5 – 13.0
e.	Term Loan	8.0 – 13.0
f.	Working Capital Loan	8.0 – 13.5
g.	Loan Against Nepal Government Bond	6.5 – 11.0
h.	Loan Against Bank Guarantee	7 – 11.0
i.	Loan Against Other Guarantee	8 – 11.0
j.	Loan Against Fixed Deposit	+1.0 – 3.0 % over deposit rate
k.	Import Finance	7.5 – 11.5
l.	Hire Purchase Loan	6.5 – 12.0
m.	Export Credit	6.5 – 12.0
n.	Industrial Loan	7.0 – 11.5

Source: Homepage of Nepal Rastra Bank.

11. Telephone Services:

1. Basic Telephone Service:

- Nepal Telecom (NTC)
- United Telecom Ltd.

2. Cellular Mobile Services:

- Nepal Telecom (NTC)
- Spice Nepal Pvt. Ltd.

3. Value Added Services on above system:

Internet (with or without email), Audio / Video Text/Voice Mail, Fax Mail, VSAT, Audio/Video Conferencing, Pay Phone, Prepaid Calling Card, Local Data Network (Business Use), Radio Paging Services, Trunk Mobile Radio, GMPCS, Limited Mobility etc.

Glimpse of Licensing Activities of Telecom Services:

S. N.	Services / Fiscal Year	Up to 061/62	062/63	063/64	064/65	065/66	Total	License Cancelled	Existing
1	Basic Telephone	2	-	-	1	-	3	0	3
2	GSM Mobile	2	-	-	-	-	2	0	2
3	Internet (with e-mail)	32	7	3	3	7	52	14	38
4	Radio Paging	8	-	-	-	-	8	8	0
5	Network Services Providers	11	-	2	1	-	14	5	9
6	VSAT Service Users	76	41	7	-	6	130	28	102
7	Fax Mail	6	-	-	-	-	6	6	0
8	Video Conferencing	1	-	-	-	-	1	0	1
9	GMPCS	2	-	1	-	-	3	0	3
10	Rural Telecom Services	1	-	-	1	-	2	0	2
11	International Trunk Telephone	-	-	-	2	-	2	0	2
12	Limited Mobility Service	-	2	4	4	3	13	0	13
13	Rural VSAT Users	-	-	-	1	2	3	0	3
14	Rural ISP	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	1
	Total	141	50	17	13	19	240	61	179

Technology used by NDCL to serve VDCs

S.N.	Services	Descriptions
1.	Digital C-DOT (wire line) exchanges	21/3676 (Exchange/Capacity)
2.	MARTS	158/1086 (Marts Terminals/ Telephone Subscribers)
3.	VHF/UHF radio	484 (Telephone Subscribers)
4.	Digital microwave (JICA project)	4/56 (Rural Station/Subscriber)
5.	HF radio	4
6.	VSAT	449/714 (Terminals/Telephone lines)
7.	VDCs served with at least one PCO	2888
8.	Telex Service	256/70 (Capacity/Distribution)

Telecom Statistics at a glance

Subscriber base- (as of 12 April, 2008):

S.N.	Service	Subscribers
1.	Fixed line telephone (PSTN+VSAT+ MARTS+VHF)	5,29,564
2.	Mobile Telephone (NTC + SNPL)	17,51,715 + 12,44,582 = 29,96,297
3.	Post-paid mobile (NTC + SNPL)	1,06,546+7,196=1,13,742
4.	Pre-paid mobile (NTC + SNPL) including GSM, CDMA and WCDMA	16,45,169+12,37,386=28,82,555
5.	Wireless in Local Loop (NTC + UTL)	1,64,696 + 1,10801 = 2,75,497 (Including Limited Mobility)
6.	Limited Mobility (UTL only)	50,579
7.	Internet (with E-mail)	79,503
8.	GMPCS (Constellation + AVCO + I4 Tech.	1,076+280+96=1452
9.	VSAT user	662

NDCL: Nepal Doorsanchar Company Limited; SNPL: Spice Nepal Private Limited, UTL: United Telecom Limited

Performance of Rural Telecom Service:

Region	Total VDC	VDCs Served with at least one PCO	
		By STM*	By NDCL *
Nepal	3,915	636	2990
Eastern Development Region	893	532	--
Central Development Region	1199	4	--
Western Development Region	865	79	--
Mid-Western Development Region	575	21	--
Far-Western Development Region	383	--	--

Note:* Some of the VDCs are overlapped.

STM Telecom Sanchar Pvt Ltd is a leading telecom operator in Nepal since its inception in 2003. Under license from Nepal Telecommunications Authority (NTA), STM provides basic subscriber line, international long distance, payphone, internet and tele center services in Nepal.

I. PSTN (Public Switched Telephone Network) / C Telephone Services -Nepal Telecom (NTC):

a. PSTN / C- Phone

Rate

- Minimum Monthly Rental for Land Line Local Telephone (with 175 free calls) Rs. 200.0
- Charge for excess call (more than 175 free calls) per calls Rs. 1.0
- Charge for a call to Mobile from Local Exchange per minute Rs. 1.0

b. Domestic Long Distance (STD) Tariff Rate

	<u>Call Duration</u>	<u>per Call</u>	<u>per Pulse</u>
• Calls made from one district to another district within one Zone for whole 24 hours			Re.1.0
• From 0 to 50 Km distance	30 to 60 secs. per call	Rs. 1.0 to 2.0	Re 1.0
• From 50 Km and above distance	17 to 40 secs. per call	Rs. 1.5 to 3.5	Re 1.0

Note: Additional charge of Rs. 1.00 per minute on above STD charge from Nepal Telecom Network to SNPL network shall be added to every STD call made.

c. International (ISD) Call tariff and group classification:

	<u>Call Duration</u>	<u>Per Call</u>	<u>Per Pulse</u>
• SAARC Countries except Afghanistan	3 to 4 secs. per call	Rs.15.0 to 20.0	Re.1.0
• India Trans boarder Call (Biratnagar and Birgunj Boarder sector only)	12 secs per call	Rs. 5.00	Re.1.0
• Remaining Other Countries (<i>access code 00</i>) with Afghanistan	3.6 secs. per call	Rs.50.0	Rs.3.0
• Budget Call (except SAARC Countries) (<i>With access code "1425" & "1445"</i>)	2.4 secs. per call	Rs.25.0	Re.1.0
• USA and Canada (<i>With access code "1424" using prepaid calling card</i>)	15 secs. per call	Rs.4.0	Re 1.0

II. Mobile Service:

1. GSM Postpaid and Prepaid Mobile Service :

NTC "Namastee" Post paid Mobile Tariff (Monthly Rental):

Voice	Rs. 300.00*	Fax	Rs. 200.00
Data	Rs. 200.00	Multiparty	Rs. 100.00
* Free Talk Time worth Rs.300.00 in monthly charge of Rs.300.00			
Post paid outgoing charges	Rs. 1.00 - 2.40	Pre paid outgoing charges	Rs. 2.00 - 3.20

III. Sky Phone Service:

- Local Call Charges Rs. 1.80 / minute
- STD Charges Rs. 2.80 / minute

Note: 26 percent (approx.) of Government tax is imposed on above rates.

Source: Nepal Telecom Authority

12. Deposit Fee for New License for Foreign Investment:

<u>Fixed Capital: (NRs.)</u>	<u>Amount (NRs.)</u>
Up to 500,000	1, 000
Above 500,000 up to 1 million	2, 000
Above 1 million up to 2.5 million	4, 000
Above 2.5 million up to 5 million	7, 000
Above 5 million up to 10 million	10,000
Above 10 million	20,000

13. Company Registration Fees:

a) **Public Limited Company:**

<u>Authorized Capital (NRs.)</u>	<u>Amount (NRs.)</u>
Up to 10 million	15,000
Above 10 million up to 100 million	40,000
Above 100 million up to 200 million	70,000
Above 200 million up to 300 million	1,00,000
Above 300 million up to 400 million	1,30,000
Above 400 million up to 500 million	1,60,000
Above 500 million	3000 per 10 million

b) **Private Limited Company**

<u>Authorized Capital / (NRs.)</u>	<u>Amount (NRs.)</u>
Up to 100,000	1,000
Above 100,000 up to 500,000	4,500
Above 500,000 up to 2.5 million	9,500
Above 2.5 million up to 10 million	16,000
Above 10 million up to 20 million	19,000
Above 20 million up to 30 million	22,000
Above 30 million up to 40 million	25,000
Above 40 million up to 50 million	28,000
Above 50 million up to 60 million	31,000
Above 60 million up to 70 million	34,000
Above 70 million up to 80 million	37,000
Above 80 million up to 90 million	40,000
Above 90 million up to 100 million	43,000
Above 100 million	Rs.30 per 100,000

c) **Private Firm / Partnership Firm**

<u>Total Capital (NRs.)</u>	<u>Amount (NRs.)</u>	<u>Renewal fee (NRs.)</u>	<u>Renewal fee (NRs.)</u>
Up to 1,00,000	600	100	300
Above 1,00,000 up to 3,00,000	2,000	125	500
Above 3,00,000 up to 5,00,000	4,000	150	800
Above 5,00,000 up to 1 million	7,500	200	1200
Above 1 million up to 5 million	10,000	250	1700
Above 5 million	15,000	300	2300

d) **Branch Office of a Foreign Company**

As per the rate for Public Limited Company

If the investment amount is not declared

Lump sum amount of NRs.100, 000/-

e) **Liaison/Contact Office of a Foreign Company**

Lump sum amount of NRs.50, 000/-

f) **Non-Profit Organization**

Lump sum amount of NRs.15, 000/-

14. Application, Registration, Renewal Fee for Patent, Design and Trademark:

<u>Types of Fee</u>	<u>Patent (NRs.)</u>	<u>Design (NRs.)</u>	<u>Trademark (NRs.)</u>
i. Application	2000.0	1000.0	1000.0
ii. Registration	10000.0	7000.0	5000.0
iii. Renewal:			
For 1st term	5000.0	1000.0	--
For 2nd term	7500.0	2000.0	--
Annual	--	--	500.0

15. Duration of Patent, Design and Trademark:

Patent - 7 years (Renewal for two consecutive periods, Total duration – 21 years)

Design - 5 years (Renewal for two consecutive periods, Total duration – 15 years)

Trademark - 7 years, (to be renewed at 7 years interval)

Source: Department of Industry and Office of the Company Registrar.

16. Rents and Tariff for Industrial Districts and their status: (Effective from July 16, 2007)

S.N.	Industrial Districts	Land per Ropani* / year (NRs.)	Industrial Shed per sq ft. / month (NRs.)	Warehouse per sq. ft. / month (NRs.)
1.	Balaju	5068.63	3.37	4.52
2.	Bhaktapur	3379.08	3.37	--
3.	Birendranagar	1267.16	1.50	--
4.	Butwal	2534.31	2.74	3.65
5.	Dharan	2534.31	1.91	2.54
6.	Hetauda	2534.31	2.76	3.65
7.	Nepalgunj	2534.31	2.32	3.65
8.	Patan	3379.08	3.37	4.23
9.	Pokhara	2534.31	2.74	3.65
10.	Gajendra Narayan Singh (Rajbiraj)	2534.31	1.89	--

Note: Above rates of Rent and tariff charges are valid up to two years. These charges can be revised periodically.

- **Electricity Charge:** Electricity distributed by the IDs is as per Nepal Electricity Authorities. For example: Industry using Medium Voltage electricity of 11KV, should pay demand charge at the rate of @ NRs.190.00 per KVA per month and energy consumption charge @ NRs.5.90 per unit (kw/hr.) Similarly, Industry using Medium Voltage electricity of 33KVA, should pay @ NRs.190.00 per KVA demand charge per month and energy consumption charge @ NRs. 5.80 per unit (kw/hr)
- **Water Supply Charge:** Water Consumption Rate in Hetauda Industrial District is Rs. 13.13 per 1000 Litres. In other Districts/ Estates the rate is as per Nepal Water Supply Corporation.
- **Entrance Fee:**
 - a. For new industries, Industrial District charges @Rs.5000.00 per Ropani for land and @Rs.3.00 per sq ft. for industrial shed as entrance fee in Balaju, Patan and Bhaktapur Industrial Districts/Industrial Estates
 - b. Similarly, for new industries, Industrial District charges @Rs.3000.00 per Ropani for the land and @Rs.2.00 per sq.ft. for industrial shed as entrance fee in Hetauda, Pokhara, Butwal , Nepalgunj, Dharan, Birendranagar and Rajbiraj Industrial Districts. Entrance fee is applicable one time only for entire period.

Source: Economic Survey and Industrial Districts Management Limited.

Time-of-Day Tariff Rates

(Effective from September 17, 2001)

Consumer Category and Supply Level	Demand Charge Rs. / kVA	Energy Charge (Rs. / Unit)		
		Peak Time 1800 - 2300 hrs.	Off Peak 2300 -0600 hrs.	Normal 0600 -1800 hrs.
<u>High Voltage (66 kV and above)</u>				
Industrial	175.00	5.20	3.15	4.55
<u>Medium Voltage (33 kV)</u>				
Industrial	190.00	6.55	4.00	5.75
Commercial	216.00	8.50	5.15	7.35
Non-commercial	180.00	8.85	5.35	7.70
Irrigation	47.00	3.85	2.35	3.40
Water Supply	150.00	4.55	2.75	3.95
Transportation	180.00	4.70	2.95	4.15
Street Light	52.00	5.70	1.90	2.85
<u>Medium Voltage (11 kV)</u>				
Industrial	190.00	6.70	4.10	5.85
Commercial	216.00	8.65	5.25	7.55
<u>Non-commercial</u>	180.00	9.00	5.45	7.85
Irrigation	47.00	3.95	2.40	3.45
Water Supply	150.00	4.60	2.80	4.10
Transportation	180.00	4.80	3.00	4.25
Street Light	52.00	6.00	2.00	3.00

Note: If demand meter reads kilowatts (kW) : $kVA = kW/0.8$; 10% discount will be given to the Government approved Industrial Districts ; 25 % discount to the Government Hospitals and Health Centre (except residential complex) in the total bill amount ; Demand charge is on monthly basis.

Source: Nepal Electricity Authority; Department of Electricity Development.

Electricity Tariff Rates

A Comparative Chart

Category A: Domestic Consumers

S. N.	Description	Effective from March 14, 1993		Effective from May 14, 1996		Effective from November 17, 1999		Effective from September 17, 2001	
		Minimum Charge (NRs.)	Exempt (KWh)	Minimum Charge (NRs.)	Exempt (KWh)	Minimum Charge (NRs.)	Exempt (KWh)	Minimum Charge (NRs.)	Exempt (KWh)
A.1	Minimum Monthly Charges : Meter Capacity								
	Upto 5 ampere	50.00	20	60.00	20	78.00	20	80.00	20
	6 - 30 ampere	130.00	40	160.00	40	208.00	40	--	--
	15 ampere	--	--	--	--	--	--	299.00	50
	30 ampere	--	--	--	--	--	--	664.00	100
	31 - 60 ampere	290.00	80	360.00	80	468.00	80	1394.00	200
	Three phase supply	770.00	200	960.00	200	1248.00	200	3244.00	400
A.2	Energy charge :								
	Upto 20 units	Rs. 2.50 per unit	--	Rs. 3.00 per unit	--	Rs. 3.90 per unit	--	Rs. 4.00 per unit	--
	21 - 250 units	Rs. 4.00 per unit	--	Rs. 5.00 per unit	--	Rs. 6.50 per unit	--	Rs. 7.30 per unit	--
	Over 251 units	Rs. 6.20 per unit	--	Rs. 7.75 per unit	--	Rs. 9.25 per unit	--	Rs. 9.90 per unit	--

Category B : Industrial

S. N.	Sub-category	Demand charge (Rs. / kVA)	Energy charge (Rs. / Unit)	Demand charge (Rs. / kVA)	Energy charge (Rs. / Unit)	Demand charge (Rs. / kVA)	Energy charge (Rs. / Unit)	Demand charge (Rs. / kVA)	Energy charge (Rs. / Unit)
B.1	Low voltage (400/230 volt)								
	Rural and cottage	16.00	3.30	20.00	4.00	25.00	5.00	45.00	5.45
	Small Industry	32.00	4.00	40.00	4.90	50.00	6.10	90.00	6.60
B.2	Medium voltage (11 & 33 KV)	72.00	3.50	84.00	4.40	105.00	5.50	--	--
	Medium voltage (11 KV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	190.00	5.90
	Medium voltage (33 KV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	190.00	5.80
B.3	High voltage (>66 KV)	64.00	2.80	78.00	3.50	95.00	4.35	175.00	4.60

Category C : Commercial

C.1	Low voltage (400/230 volt)	88.00	4.70	100.00	5.80	125.00	7.25	225.00	7.70
C.2	Medium voltage	80.00	4.60	96.00	5.70	120.00	7.10	--	--
	Medium voltage (11 KV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	216.00	7.60
	Medium voltage (33 KV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	216.00	7.40

Category D : Non-Commercial

D.1	Low voltage (400/230 volt)	56.00	4.70	68.00	5.80	88.00	7.50	160.00	8.25
D.2	Medium voltage	64.00	4.60	76.00	5.70	98.00	7.40	--	--
	Medium voltage (11 KV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	180.00	7.90
	Medium voltage (33 KV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	180.00	7.80

Note: If demand meter reads kilowatts (kW) : $KVA = kW/0.8$. Demand fee is on monthly basis. 10% discount in the total bill amount will be given to the Government of Nepal approved Industrial Districts. 2. 25% discount in the total bill amount will be given to the Government of Nepal Hospitals and Health Centre (except residential complex).

Source: 'A Year in Review' published by Nepal Electricity Authority.

Status of the Industrial Districts -1
(Fiscal year 2008/2009)

S.N.	Name of Industrial District (ID)	Date of Establishment	Assistance / Cooperation	Land Area (In Ropani)					Investment (Rs. in Million)		No. of Industries		
				Total Area	Developed	Leased	Leasable	Occupied by utility + services	Industrial Districts	Industrialist	In Operation	Under Construction	Closed
1	Balaju Industrial District	1960	USA	670	670	529	--	144	21.4	2050.0	70	27	13
2	Hetauda Industrial District	1963	USA	2829	2367	1661	336	561	25.5	5000.0	46	5	18
3	Patan Industrial Estate	1963	India	293	293	218	--	75	25.8	410.6	94	1	13
4	Nepalgunj Industrial Estate	1973	India	233	233	184	5.0	44	9.6	310.0	22	9	4
5	Dharan Industrial Estate	1973	India	202	202	125	47	62	7.7	240.0	15	8	4
6	Pokhara Industrial Estate	1974	Nepal	501	501	395.55	--	117	14.7	700.0	60	7	9
7	Butwal Industrial District	1976	Nepal	434	407	347	--	59	15.40	1000.0	52	5	8
8	Bhaktapur Industrial Estate	1979	Germany	71	71	58	--	13	13.6	280.0	33	1	0
9	Birendranagar Industrial Estate	1981	Netherlands	90	90	53	--	35	8.4	2.80	14	3	5
10	Dhankuta Industrial District *	1984	Nepal	63	--	--	--	--	5.6	--	--	--	--
11	G.N. Singh (Rajbiraj) Industrial Estate **	1986	India	294	171	8.7	60	96	48.6	25.0	2	--	1
Total				5680	5005	3579.25	448	1206	196.3	10018.4	408	66	75

Note: Construction help up.; ** Mr. Gajendra Narayan Singh; 1 Hectare = 19.65 Ropani and 1 Ropani = 5476 Square Feet; + Utility Services include road, power house, drainage, green belt, industrial and administrative building etc. The Central Office of ID Office has 43 staffs.

Status of the Industrial Districts – 2
(Fiscal year 2008/2009)

S. N.	Name of Industrial District (ID)	Employment			No. of Buildings & Shades			Capacity of Utility Provided		Road Constructed within Estate (KM.)
		ID Offices	Industries	Total	Constructed by the Industrialist	Constructed by ID	Rented to the Industrialists	Electricity (KVA)	Water Supplies (KL/hour)	
1	Balaju Industrial District	32	3966	3998	87	46	46	4000	20	5.2
2	Hetauda Industrial District	39	2959	2998	400	13	12	5000	92	11
3	Patan Industrial Estate	18	1238	1256	161	61	61	1500	1.25	5
4	Nepalgunj Industrial Estate	14	700	714	41	22	22	750	7.75	2.34
5	Dharan Industrial Estate	15	498	513	38	16	16	750	1.00	2.30
6	Pokhara Industrial Estate	14	1496	1510	153	14	14	700	20.0	2.54
7	Butwal Industrial District	13	1654	1667	86	8	8	1350	6.0	2.14
8	Bhaktapur Industrial Estate	14	685	699	44	11	11	900	20.0	0.69
9	Birendranagar Industrial Estate	5	75	80	20	5	5	37.5	4.1	0.91
10	Dhankuta Industrial District	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
11	G.N. Singh (Rajbiraj) Industrial Estate **	10	11	21	--	10	4	100	8.0	2
Total		218	13282	13500	1030	206	199	15087.5	179.92	34.12

Note: The Central Office of ID Office has 43 staffs. 10% discount in the total bill amount of electricity tariff will be given to the Nepal Government approved industrial district.

Source: Economic Survey and Industrial Districts Management Limited

Distance from Indo Nepal Transit Points to Kolkata and Regional Centres of Nepal

(Prescribed Route as per Nepal - India Transit Treaty)

Approximate Distance in KM

S.N.	India Boarder	Distance from Calcutta	Nepal Boarder	Distance from				
				<u>Kathmandu</u>	Dhankuta	Pokhara	Surkhet	Dipayal
1.	Sukhia Pokhari	691	Pashupatinagar	649	225	629	945	1153
2.	Naxalbari (Panitanki)	594	Kakarbhitta	619	163	600	915	1093
3.	Galgalia	542	Bhadrapur	616	162	599	914	1124
4.	Jogbani	603	Biratnagar	548	94	530	846	1064
5.	Bhimnagar	617	Setubandha	455	144	435	751	959
6.	Jayanagar	777	Siraha	---	---	---	---	---
7.	Bhittamore (Sitamarhi, Sursand)	812	Jaleswor	396	273	378	693	903
8.	Raxaul	892	Birjung	298	371	258	573	783
9.	Nautanwa	978	Bhairahawa	279	586	261	350	560
10.	Barhni	994	Krishnanagar	349	651	326	281	551
11.	Jarwa	1091	Koilabas	447	749	424	183	393
12.	Nepalgunj Road	1183	Nepalgunj	510	816	791	106	316
13.	Tikona	1178	Prithvipur/Sati	591	897	872	187	235
14.	Gauri-phanta	1123	Dhangadhi	660	567	642	257	135
15.	Banbasa	1359	Mahendranagar	695	1001	676	291	202

Note: Insurance Premium at the rate of 0.3% is charged at Kolkata on selected sensitive items.

Distance from Kathmandu to Mongla Port and Other Points Enroute

Approximate Distance in KM

Type	Route		Distance	
Road	Kathmandu	-	Kakarbhitta	619
	Kakarbhitta	-	Phulbari	53
	Phulbari	-	Banglabandh	3
	Banglabandh	-	Khulna	640
	Khulna	-	Mongla Port	42
	Banglabandh	-	Dhaka	532

Distance from Jogbani and Raxaul to Other Selected Ports

Approximate Distance in KM

Type	Route		Distance	
Railway	Jogbani	-	Radhikapur/Birol	197
	Radhikapur/Birol	-	Chittagong	772
	Raxaul	-	Kandla	2325
	Raxaul	-	JN Port (Mumbai)	2219

Source: Interstate Multi Modal Transport Pvt. Ltd. and Other various publications