

Annex Storage Fees

to the general terms and conditions for access to the hydrogens storage facilities operated by RWE Gas Storage West GmbH (RGSW)

§ 1 Calculation of the storage fees

The storage fee for firm and interruptible storage products is composed of a "fix storage fee" and a "variable storage fee". Added to all mentioned fees will be VAT applicable in Germany in effective amount.

(1) Fix storage fee

The fix storage fee shall be paid by the storage customer to RGSW for the provision of *storage capacities* and shall be agreed with the storage customer in the storage contract.

(2) Variable storage fee

The variable storage fee shall be paid by the storage customer to RGSW depending on the actual use of the *storage capacities* provided. The specific calculation of the variable storage fee shall be agreed with the storage customer in the storage contract.

§ 2 Taxes and duties

Should laws, ordinances or official measures issued after the conclusion of the contract have the effect of making the production, procurement, transportation, distribution, delivery, storage including the injection and withdrawal of hydrogen more expensive or cheaper for RGSW, the fees shall increase or decrease accordingly from the date on which the increase or decrease in price or costs comes into force or takes effect for RGSW in order to compensate for the price and cost increases or decreases mentioned. This provision applies in particular to the amendment or introduction of taxes (in particular energy tax and CO₂ tax), levies, charges, compensation payments, fees or emissions trading.

§ 3 Noncompliance with the contract

If in the scope of withdrawal the storage customer has not completely taken over hydrogen volumes previously injected for the storage customer with the same energy content or has not transferred the volumes to one or more other storage customers at the end of the *booking period*, the (co-)title of the storage customer to the hydrogen volumes being in the hydrogen storage facility at the end of the contract term shall be pass from the storage customer to RGSW (cf. Section 1.1.1 of the GTC). These hydrogen quantities shall be remunerated to the storage customer by RGSW at 0.5 times the EEX Green HYDRIX Index for hydrogen per MWh plus the respective applicable taxes and duties for the purchase of the hydrogen. Available on the Internet at <https://www.eex-transparency.com/hydrogen/germany>.