

Carrot and stick

Emission rebates will increase next January for cleaner models, while surcharges will rise next July to discourage purchases of pollutive models.

BAND	CARBON DIOXIDE (G/KM)	HYDROCARBONS (G/KM)	CARBON MONOXIDE (G/KM)	NITROGEN OXIDES (G/KM)	PARTICULATE MATTER (MG/KM)	REBATE (-) OR SURCHARGE (+) FOR CARS (\$\$)	REBATE (-) OR SURCHARGE (+) FOR TAXIS (\$\$)
A1	≤90	≤0.020	≤0.15	≤0.007	=0.0	-25,000	-37,500
A2	≤125	≤0.036	≤0.19	≤0.013	≤0.3	-15,000	-22,500
B	≤160	≤0.052	≤0.27	≤0.024	≤0.5	0	0
C1	≤185	≤0.075	≤0.35	≤0.030	≤2.0	+15,000	+22,500
C2	>185	>0.075	>0.35	>0.030	>2.0	+25,000	+37,500