



New Petrol in Filling Stations from September 2021



The UK government recently confirmed the introduction of E10 fuels to the UK via a change in legislation increasing ethanol content levels in standard grade Petrol.

As of 1 September 2021, an ethanol content between 5.5% and 10% is mandated for supply from UK Terminals and refineries across the UK for standard grade Petrol. This replaces the previous mandated ethanol limit of 5%. Therefore, from September 2021, all fuel that you purchase will be at the new higher ethanol content.

Most retail site pump labels will change to show E10 during August (mandated requirement for 1 September).

Some companies will continue to offer a protected grade of fuel for those vehicles that are not compatible with E10 new fuel solution such as, BP Ultimate Unleaded which is a designated protection grade and will continue to have a MAXIMUM of 5% ethanol content only. The change in legislation and the new product required brings a change in the pricing structure of the Standard Regular Petrol that is sold and should allow everyone to benefit from a small saving of 1p – 2p per litre.

More information:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/e10-petrol-explained>

