

EV Forecast Equation Variable Breakdown

- Average Session Length
 - 3hrs, Ideal, likely 8hr
 - [Source](#)
- Energy Per Session
 - kW = 7 to accommodate older models as well as new
 - Average Session Length x kW
 - $3 \times 7 = 21\text{kWh}$
 - [Source1](#), 240V at 15 - 80amp range
- Session per vehicle per week
 - Average city driving EV drives approx 40km a day
 - Can be recharged in less than 2hrs
 - Charging 3-4 times per week for 3hrs should cover the average city driver with 4 sessions being plenty
 - [Source2](#)
- Effective hours per day
 - With downtime, repairs and nighttime lows factored in the average charger should be available for 16 realistic effective hours
- Sessions per port per day
 - $16 \text{ hours} / 3\text{hr sessions} = 5.3 \text{ sessions per day}$
 - Sessions per port per week $5.3 \times 7 = 37.1$
- price per kWh to user
 - approx \$0.30/kWh
 - [Source3](#)
- Operator cost per kWh
 - Approx \$0.20/kWh (High End)
 - [Source4](#)
- Charger efficiency
 - 90%
 - [Source5](#)

- Cost of install per port
 - \$8000
 - Varies a lot due to:
 - labour
 - Electrical upgrades
 - Location of charger
 - Could be lower with government programs
 - [Source6](#)
- Monthly maintenance per port
 - \$33 per month, roughly \$400 annually
 - [Source7](#)
 - [Source8](#)
- Peak load cost per month
 - Power x Demand charge per month
 - 7kW x \$14 per month
 - \$98 per month per charger