

ASX Release

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Viva Energy Refinery Margin Update – July 2018

Viva Energy Group Limited (ASX: VEA) advises its Geelong Gross Refinery Margin (GRM)¹ in respect of intake processed through the Geelong Refinery for the month of July 2018.

	July 2018
GRM	US\$8.6/BBL
Geelong refinery intake	3.5MBBLs

- The July 2018 GRM was US\$8.6/BBL
- Refinery intake was 3.5MBBLs in July 2018
- The Prospectus forecast GRM and intake for 2H2018 were US\$10.1/BBL and 22.5MBBLs.

Notes

1. The Geelong Gross Refining Margin is a non-IFRS measure calculated in the following way: IPP less the COGS, less energy costs, and is expressed in US dollars per barrel (US\$bbbl), where:
 - IPP: a notional internal sales price which is referable to an import parity price for the relevant refined products, being the relevant Singapore pricing market and relevant quality or market premiums or discounts plus freight and other costs that would be incurred to import the product into Australia
 - COGS: the actual purchase price of of crude oil and other feedstock used to produce finished products
 - Energy costs: cost of energy incurred to produce the refined products
 2. Geelong Gross Refining Margin is a financial measure Viva Energy uses to illustrate and aid in the understanding of the performance of the Geelong Refinery. It involves elements of estimation and is not alone a measure of historical financial performance. In addition, it is only one contributor to the replacement cost Underlying EBITDA of Viva Energy, with other segments including the Retail Fuels and Marketing business and Supply, Corporate and Overheads.
 3. In its financial reporting, Viva Energy converts GRM into Australia dollars using the prevailing month average exchange rate.
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Viva Energy owns and operates the strategically located Geelong Refinery in Victoria, and operates bulk fuels, aviation, bitumen, marine, chemicals and lubricants businesses supported by more than 20 terminals and 50 airports and airfields across the country.

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