the price of air charter

What you'll pay for charter varies not only by aircraft type and model but by region. Here are the average per-hour rates for popular aircraft nationally and in the Northeast U.S., now and a year ago. Look for price data for other parts of the country in future issues.

AVERAGE HOURLY RATES*

	National		Northeast U.S.	
	Now	Year ago	Now	Year ago
BELL 206	\$787	\$821	\$983	\$914
KING AIR 200	\$1,310	\$1,239	\$1,380	\$1,292
CITATION II	\$1,870	\$1,814	\$1,962	\$1,896
LEARJET 35A	\$2,229	\$2,078	\$2,088	\$1,965
HAWKER 800A	\$3,112	\$2,961	\$3,197	\$3,000
FALCON 50	\$3,781	\$3,682	\$4,021	\$3,795
GULFSTREAM III	\$4,599	\$4,540	\$4,685	\$4,646

^{*}Prices are for one-way flights and do not include aircraft positioning charges, fuel surcharges and other possible expenses, such as catering and airport landing and ramp fees. Source: Air Charter Guide (www.aircharterguide.com)