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for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in Minnesota

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**Class Cost of Service Study  
and  
Selected Rate Design**

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1                   **I. INTRODUCTION AND QUALIFICATIONS**

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3     Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND TITLE.

4     A. My name is Christopher J. Barthol. I am a Rate Consultant employed by  
5       Northern States Power Company (NSPM or the Company). My responsibilities  
6       include preparing testimony on Class Cost of Service Studies for rate cases.

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8     Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE.

9     A. My qualifications include 13 years of regulatory experience in the areas of rate  
10      design and class cost of service. I have a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from  
11      St. Cloud State University and a Master of Science in Agricultural Economics  
12      from Purdue University. A detailed statement of my qualifications and  
13      experience is provided as Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-1), Schedule 1.

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15    Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY?

16    A. I present the proposed 2025 and 2026 Class Cost of Service Studies (CCOSSs)  
17      for the Company, as required by Minn. Rule 7825.4300(C); and Order Point  
18      17(e) of the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) June 17,  
19      2013 Order in Docket No. E,G999/M-12-587.<sup>1</sup> Copies of these CCOSSs are  
20      included in Volume 3, Required Information of this filing (Volume 3).  
21      Additionally, I support certain rate design proposals and address several  
22      compliance matters.

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of the Minnesota Office of Attorney General – Antitrust and Utilities Division's Petition for a Commission Investigation Regarding Criteria and Standards for Multiyear Rate Plans under Minn. Stat. 216B.16, subd. 19, Docket No. E,G999/M-12-587, ORDER ESTABLISHING TERMS, CONDITIONS, AND PROCEDURES FOR MULTIYEAR RATE PLANS* (June 17, 2013).

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## 1 Q. HOW IS YOUR TESTIMONY ORGANIZED?

2 A. I present my testimony in the following Sections:

- Section II discusses the compliance items related to the CCOSS and where these compliance items are addressed;
  - Section III presents the Company’s proposed 2025 and 2026 CCOSS and examines the methodology used in developing the CCOSSs;
  - Section IV presents the Company’s proposed revisions to the Conservation Improvement Program (CIP) Riders;
  - Section V presents proposed changes to the excess footage and winter construction charges listed in Section 6 – Rules and Regulations of the Minnesota Electric Rate Book;
  - Section VI is my conclusion.

## II. COMPLIANCE ITEMS

#### 16 Q. WHAT COMPLIANCE MATTERS WILL YOU ADDRESS?

17 A. In compliance with previous Commission Orders, I will address the following  
18 topics:

- Basing the D10S capacity allocator on Xcel Energy's system peak coincident with MISO's system peak;
  - Classifying joint transmission costs as 70 percent demand-related and 30 percent energy-related;
  - Allocating demand-related joint transmission costs with a 12 Coincident Peak (CP) Allocator;

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- 1     • Providing multiple CCOSSs, for classifying and allocating distribution
- 2        costs using the Minimum System, Basic Customer, and Peak & Average
- 3        methods;
- 4     • Excluding the loads of customers who are direct assigned the costs of
- 5        specific distribution substations from calculation of the D60Sub
- 6        allocator;
- 7     • Identifying other production Operation and Maintenance (O&M) costs
- 8        that vary directly with energy output and allocating the remaining costs
- 9        using the stratification method;
- 10    • Providing a description of each allocation method and reasons why each
- 11       method is appropriate;
- 12    • Providing data linkages in the CCOSS model and more data transparency
- 13       in the model; and
- 14    • Providing CCOSS results in compliance with the Commission's multi-
- 15       year rate plan Order.

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17   Q. PLEASE SPECIFY THE COMPLIANCE ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS COMMISSION  
18       ORDERS THAT ARE ADDRESSED IN YOUR TESTIMONY.

19   A. Table 1 lists the specific order points that I address in my Direct Testimony.

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**Table 1**  
**Compliance Items from Prior Commission Decisions**

Docket No.	Commission Order	Description of Compliance Item	Testimony Section
E002/GR-15-826	June 12, 2017 Order at 47	Exclude the loads of customers who are directly assigned the costs of specific distribution substations from the calculation of the D60Sub allocator.	Section II (C)(3)
E002/GR-15-826	June 12, 2017 Order at 45	Provide the Commission with the results of multiple methods for functionalizing distribution costs.	Section II (C)(7)(c)
E002/GR-21-630	July 17, 2023 Order at 99	The D10S allocator based on its system peak coincident with the MISO system peak using historical data.	Section III
E002/GR-21-630	July 17, 2023 Order at 101	Classify transmission assets as 70% demand-related and 30% energy-related.	Section III
E002/GR-21-630	July 17, 2023 Order at 102	Allocate demand-related transmission costs using a 12 coincident peak allocator.	Section III
E002/GR-21-630	July 17, 2023 Order at 105	File multiple CCOSSs classifying and allocating distribution system costs.	Section III

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### III. CCOSS

## A. Overview of CCOSS

**Q. WHAT IS A CCOSS AND HOW IS IT USED IN SETTING RATES?**

5 A. The purpose of a CCOSS is to evaluate the extent to which different customer  
6 classes are responsible for the costs of providing service. This information can  
7 be used as a tool when setting rates. Described more technically, the CCOSS  
8 allocates jurisdictional costs (in this case, costs of the Company's State of  
9 Minnesota electric jurisdiction) to customer classes using class cost allocation  
10 factors. The CCOSS measures the contribution each class makes to the  
11 Company's overall cost of service, including calculating inter-class and intra-  
12 class cost responsibilities. One of the primary goals of the CCOSS is to develop  
13 class cost allocation factors that most accurately reflect cost causation. The  
14 CCOSS therefore serves as a tool for evaluating and refining the Company's rate  
15 structure, as discussed in more detail by Company witness Nicholas N. Paluck.

17 Q. ARE THE COMPANY'S CCOSSS THE APPROPRIATE TOOLS FOR EVALUATING THE  
18 RATE DESIGN IN THIS CASE?

19 A. Yes. As discussed by Company witness Paluck, a CCOSS is the appropriate  
20 starting point for making revenue apportionment and rate design decisions. The  
21 Company's proposed CCOSSs are appropriate because they:

- Properly recognize that our investments in generation facilities provide value to all customers, particularly our energy-intensive users;
  - Accurately reflect the value of our investments in peaking capacity, transmission, and distribution facilities used to meet system peak requirements;

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- 1       • Recognize the differing impact that seasonal and time usage patterns  
2           can have on the cost of service; and  
3       • Recognize that a portion of distribution costs are incurred to simply  
4           connect customers to the system and therefore should be allocated to  
5           customer class based on the number of customers.

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7   Q. DOES THE COMPANY PROVIDE ANY DOCUMENTATION TO EXPLAIN HOW ITS  
8       CCOSS IS DEVELOPED?

9   A. Yes. Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-1), Schedule 2 includes a document titled, “Guide to Class  
10      Cost of Service Study” or “CCOSS Guide.” It is a primer on how the CCOSS  
11      was conducted, including the processes of cost functionalization, classification,  
12      and allocation. This CCOSS Guide also describes how each of the cost  
13      allocation factors were developed and identifies the cost items to which each  
14      allocator is applied. As ordered by the Commission in Docket No. E002/GR-  
15      13-868,<sup>2</sup> the CCOSS Guide has been enhanced to detail each allocation method  
16      used in the study. We also provide information on why each allocation method  
17      is appropriate compared to other allocation methods and the manual of the  
18      National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC Manual).<sup>3</sup>  
19      We note that our CCOSS model has been refined in past years, both by  
20      Company proposals and Commission Order. We are now in a position to  
21      enhance the structure of our model for increased transparency and ease of  
22      review, and we discuss those structural enhancements below.

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<sup>2</sup> *In the Matter of the Application of Northern States Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in the State of Minnesota*, Docket No. E002/GR-13-868, FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS, AND ORDER at Order Point No. 37 (May 8, 2015).

<sup>3</sup> Electric Utility Cost Allocation Manual, National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (January 1992).

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1 Appendix 1 of Schedule 2 explains how the CCOSS customer classes were  
2 defined. It also identifies the specific costs that are not assigned to each  
3 customer class and the reasons why a given cost is not assigned or allocated to  
4 that class. This appendix is responsive to the Minnesota Department of  
5 Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (Department) Information Request  
6 (IR) Nos. 705 and 707 from the Company's 2012 rate case (Docket No.  
7 E002/GR-12-961).

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9 Appendix 2 of Schedule 2 provides detail on the derivation and application of  
10 the "External" class cost allocation factors (those allocators that are calculated  
11 and developed outside of the CCOSS model), while Appendix 3 to Schedule 2  
12 provides more detail on the "Internal" class cost allocation factors (those  
13 allocators based on combinations of costs already allocated to the classes using  
14 external allocators). Each appendix includes a rationale supporting each  
15 allocator. These appendices along with additional details included in  
16 Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-1), Schedules 4 and 6 are responsive to Department IR Nos.  
17 709 through 729 from the Company's 2012 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-  
18 12-961).

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20 Finally, Appendix 4 of Schedule 2 provides detail on the other analyses that  
21 were conducted to provide inputs to the CCOSS study, including a description  
22 of the analysis, the data used in the analysis, and the vintage of the data. This  
23 appendix is responsive to Department IR No. 706 from the Company's 2012  
24 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-12-961).

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1 Q. WHAT ARE THE MAIN CHANGES IN THE CCOSS MODEL COMPARED TO THE  
2 MOST RECENT CASE?

3 A. The Company is proposing two changes to the allocation methodology as  
4 compared to the Commission's Order in the Company's last rate case (Docket  
5 No. E002/GR-21-630). The Company is proposing to allocate economic  
6 development discounts with a base revenue allocator, instead of a total revenue  
7 allocator, and to remove the demand adjustment associated with the Zero  
8 Intercept Study. In addition to these two changes, we also updated the allocators  
9 using more recent system data and updated the Minimum System/Zero  
10 Intercept Study for the classification and allocation of distribution costs.

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12 **B. CCOSS Results**

13       **1. 2025 CCOSS Results**

14 Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE THE RESULTS OF THE 2025 CCOSS.

15 A. Table 2 below provides a summary of the Company's 2025 test year CCOSS  
16 (the 2025 CCOSS) results at the class level, showing the resulting class cost  
17 responsibilities (as opposed to revenue apportionment that is addressed by  
18 Company witness Paluck). Table 2 replicates Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-1), Schedule 3.  
19 However, for comparison purposes, Schedule 3 also provides the class revenue  
20 apportionment proposed by Company witness Paluck. The detailed 2025  
21 CCOSS output is included in Schedule 4.

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23 These CCOSS results indicate the changes from present rates that would be  
24 necessary to result in equal rates of return on investment for each class (*i.e.*, the  
25 increase in rates necessary to produce equalized rates of return). In particular,  
26 line 18 indicates the revenue increases that would be needed for rates to be  
27 based entirely on cost.

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**Table 2**  
**Summary of 2025 Class Cost of Service Study**  
**State of Minnesota Electric Jurisdiction**  
**( $\$$  Thousands)**

**UNADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES**

		Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
[1]	Unadjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (CCOSS page 2, line 1)	4,016,627	1,631,353	124,967	2,220,924	39,383
[2]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,108</u>	<u>1,884</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>21</u>
[3]	Unadjusted Operating Revenues (line 1 + line 2)	4,018,734	1,633,237	125,031	2,221,062	39,404
[4]	Present Rates (CCOSS page 2, line 2)	<u>3,665,482</u>	<u>1,451,117</u>	<u>115,793</u>	<u>2,066,616</u>	<u>31,956</u>
[5]	Unadjusted Deficiency (line 3 - line 4)	353,252	182,120	9,238	154,446	7,447
[6]	Defic / Pres (line 5 / line 4)	9.6%	12.6%	8.0%	7.5%	23.3%
[7]	Ratio: Class % / Total %	1.00	1.30	0.83	0.78	2.42

**COST RESPONSIBILITIES FOR RATE DISCOUNTS**

		Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
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[8]	Interruptible Rate Discounts (CCOSS page 2, line 5)					
[9]	Economic Development Discount (CCOSS page 2, line 6)					
[10]	Interruptible Rate Disc Cost Allocation (CCOSS page 2, line 7)					
[11]	Economic Development Disc Cost Allocation (CCOSS page 2, line 8)					
[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]						
[12]	Revenue Requirement Change (lines 10 & 11 - lines 8 & 9)	0	6,616	602	(7,290)	72

**ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES**

		Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
[13]	Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,016,627	1,637,969	125,569	2,213,633	39,455
[14]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,108</u>	<u>1,884</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>21</u>
[15]	Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,018,734	1,639,853	125,634	2,213,771	39,476
[16]	Present Rates (line 4)	<u>3,665,482</u>	<u>1,451,117</u>	<u>115,793</u>	<u>2,066,616</u>	<u>31,956</u>
[17]	Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	353,252	188,736	9,840	147,156	7,520
[18]	Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)	9.6%	13.0%	8.5%	7.1%	23.5%
[19]	Ratio: Class % / Total %	1.00	1.35	0.88	0.74	2.44

Q. IN TABLE 2, YOU SHOW “ADJUSTED” AND “UNADJUSTED” COST RESPONSIBILITIES. PLEASE EXPLAIN THIS DISTINCTION.

A. The distinction between “adjusted” and “unadjusted” cost responsibilities relates to how the cost of interruptible rate discounts and economic development discounts are reflected in the CCOSS. The method used to reflect the cost of the interruptible rate discounts is the same as that used in the Company’s last seven rate cases.

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1   Q. HOW DOES THE COMPANY TREAT INTERRUPTIBLE SERVICE IN THE CCOSS?

2   A. The Company's CCOSS process treats interruptible discounts as a cost of  
3   peaking capacity and allocates that cost to classes based on firm loads. As  
4   explained in previous rate cases, the Company views interruptible service as firm  
5   service with an attached, after-the-fact, purchased-power contract provision.  
6   Through this provision, the Company has the option to buy back all or part of  
7   a customer's regulatory entitlement to firm service. The resulting capacity  
8   purchase transactions occur when, and if, doing so is a cost-effective source of  
9   peaking capacity; this helps the Company obtain a reliable power supply  
10   portfolio at the lowest cost. This means interruptible rate discounts are really  
11   power supply costs and they need to be recognized as such in the CCOSS.

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13   Q. HOW DOES THE COMPANY TREAT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISCOUNTS IN  
14   THE CCOSS?

15   A. Economic development discounts are treated as a reduction in revenues from  
16   the Commercial and Industrial (C&I) Demand class. In the past, as ordered by  
17   the Commission in the Company's 2013 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-13-  
18   868), the Company used to allocate these costs with a total revenue allocator.  
19   As discussed in more detail below, however, that is not the most reasonable way  
20   to allocate economic development discounts and the 2025 CCOSS instead  
21   allocates the costs based on 2025 test year base revenues.

22

23   Q. HOW ARE INTERRUPTIBLE RATE DISCOUNTS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
24   DISCOUNTS REFLECTED IN THE CCOSS?

25   A. The Company has specific highly confidential trade secret line items in the  
26   CCOSS model to address the allocation of interruptible rate discounts and  
27   economic development discounts:

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1. Line 8 on Table 2 above and Schedule 3, labeled “Interruptible Rate Discounts” shows the amount of the total interruptible rate discounts originating from each class. Line 9 on Table 2 above shows the amount of economic development discounts originating from each class. The amounts shown for each class are lost revenues from that class. These discounts reduce the revenue received from the classes and thus have the effect of increasing the revenue requirement for the classes that receive the discounts.
  2. Lines 10 and 11 on Table 2 above and Schedule 3, labeled “Interruptible Rate Disc. Cost Allocation” and “Economic Development Disc. Cost Allocation” shows how the cost of interruptible rate discounts and economic development discounts are allocated to the classes. Interruptible rate discounts are allocated using the applicable generation capacity cost allocation factor, while economic development discounts are allocated based on 2025 test year present revenues.
  3. Line 12 on Table 2 above and Schedule 3, labeled “Revenue Requirement Change” shows the net change in the revenue requirement for each customer class.
  4. The resulting Line 13 on Table 2 above and Schedule 3, labeled “Adjusted Rate Revenue Requirement” shows the appropriate cost of service for determining class revenue responsibilities. Finally, the adjusted revenue deficiency and percent deficiency are shown on lines 17 and 18, respectively.

25 Q. HAS THE COMPANY PROVIDED A DOCUMENT THAT SHOWS HOW INDIVIDUAL  
26 ITEMS ARE ALLOCATED TO EACH CUSTOMER CLASS AND THE RESULTS OF THAT  
27 CLASS ALLOCATION?

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1     A. Yes, Schedule 4 shows the detailed CCOSS results. Pages one through three  
2     provide a more detailed summary of the CCOSS results. Page one is a summary  
3     of the Company's rate base by function and a summary of the Company's  
4     income statement. Page two shows the proposed "Cost" responsibility at equal  
5     rates of return in total, by cost classification and function. Page three shows the  
6     proposed cost of service compared to the proposed rate revenue responsibility.  
7     The listing of the detailed cost allocations begins on page four. The column  
8     labeled "Alloc" lists the class cost allocator that is used to allocate costs.<sup>4</sup> The  
9     column labeled "FERC Accounts" specifies the FERC codes that are being  
10    allocated.<sup>5</sup> Pages four through six show the allocation of costs and calculations  
11    needed to determine rate base by class. Pages seven through 12 show the  
12    allocation of costs and calculations needed for the income statement. Finally,  
13    page 13 shows the cost allocators that are generated internally in the CCOSS  
14    model, while page 14 shows the data used to calculate the external allocators.

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16                2. *2026 CCOSS Results*

17    Q. IN ADDITION TO THE 2025 CCOSS, THE COMPANY HAS ALSO INCLUDED A 2026  
18    CCOSS IN THIS FILING. COULD YOU EXPLAIN HOW THE 2025 CCOSS  
19    COMPARES TO THE 2026 CCOSS?

20    A. The 2026 CCOSS uses the same approach as the 2025 CCOSS, but is based  
21    upon the cost of service for 2026. Table 3 below provides a summary of the  
22    2026 CCOSS results at the class level, showing the resulting class cost  
23    responsibilities. Table 3 replicates a portion of Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-1), Schedule 5.  
24    For comparison purposes, Schedule 5 includes the full 2026 CCOSS summary

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<sup>4</sup> More detail on each allocator is provided in Appendices 2 and 3 of Schedule 2 (Guide to the Class Cost of Service Study).

<sup>5</sup> The inclusion of the "FERC Accounts" column is in response to Department IR Nos. 709-729 from the Company's 2012 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-12-961).

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and the class revenue allocations proposed by Company witness Paluck. The detailed 2026 CCOSS output is included in Schedule 6.

**Table 3**  
**Summary of 2026 Class Cost of Service Study**  
**State of Minnesota Electric Jurisdiction**  
**(\$ Thousands)**

ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES					
	Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
[13] Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,212,844	1,738,180	127,423	2,305,044	42,197
[14] Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	2,351	2,069	72	181	28
[15] Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,215,195	1,740,249	127,496	2,305,225	42,225
[16] Present Rates (line 4)	3,724,454	1,447,977	114,442	2,130,075	31,961
[17] Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	490,741	292,272	13,054	175,150	10,264
[18] Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)	13.2%	20.2%	11.4%	8.2%	32.1%
[19] Ratio: Class % / Total %	1.00	1.53	0.87	0.62	2.44

#### **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE 2026 CCOSS?**

A. First, Company witness Paluck uses the 2026 CCOSS to help design 2026 rates. Second, as mentioned above, we are required to provide a 2026 CCOSS pursuant to Order Point 17(e) of the Commission's June 17, 2013 Order in Docket No. E,G999/M-12-587.

### C. CCOSS Methodology

### **1. Transparency of the CCOSS Model**

Q. HAS THE COMPANY MODIFIED ITS CCOSS METHODOLOGY SINCE THE 2013, 2015, AND 2021 RATE CASES?

A. No. The proposed CCOSSs incorporate the allocator methodology approved in the Company's three most recent cases. Table 4 summarizes the major allocation decisions approved in those cases.

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**Table 4**  
**CCOSS Methodology Summary**

**CCOSS Methodology Elements Approved in Docket Nos. E002/GR-13-868, E002/GR-15-826, and E002/GR-21-630**

- Allocation of Other Production O&M using the “Location” method;
- Classification and Allocation of All Company-Owned Wind Generation using the Plant Stratification method;
- Allocation of CIP CCRC using per kWh method;
- Allocation of Economic Development Costs to all Customers Based on Present Revenues; and
- Calculation of the D10S Capacity Allocator Using Class Peaks that are Coincident with MISO’s Peak for the Test Year;
- Classification of transmission costs as 70 percent demand-related and 30 percent energy-related and allocate the demand-related costs using a 12 CP allocator.

13  
14 Q. OVER THE PAST SEVERAL RATE CASES HAS THE COMPANY MADE ITS CCOSS  
15 MODEL TRANSPARENT AND EASIER TO REVIEW?

16 A. Yes. Since the Company’s 2013 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-13-868), the  
17 Company has taken several actions to enhance the transparency and ease of  
18 review of our CCOSS. These steps were discussed in detail in Company witness  
19 Michael A. Peppin’s Direct Testimony from our 2015 rate case (Docket No.  
20 E002/GR-15-826) and 2021 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-21-630). For  
21 example, worksheet tabs clearly identify all financial and non-financial inputs,  
22 with direct linkages for all calculations in the CCOSS model. Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-  
23 1), Schedule 7 is the “CCOSS Worksheet Tab Index” which provides a  
24 description of the contents of each of the 61 tabs to the CCOSS.

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1 Q. DID THE COMPANY ALTER THE DEFINITION OF ITS CUSTOMER CLASSES?

2 A. No. The Company has used the same class definitions in its last seven rate cases.

3 More detail on the customer class definitions is provided on Appendix 1 of

4 Schedule 2.

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6           2. *Plant Stratification*

7 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW THE COMPANY CLASSIFIED FIXED PRODUCTION PLANT

8 COSTS IN THE PROPOSED CCOSSs.

9 A. The Company classifies fixed production plant into capacity versus energy-

10 related sub-functions using a process called “Plant Stratification.” Though

11 refined over the years, this is the same process the Company has used with

12 Commission approval since the late 1970s. In the NARUC Manual, this process

13 has also been referred to as the Equivalent Peaker Method.

14

15 Q. HOW DOES THE COMPANY CLASSIFY FIXED PRODUCTION PLANT INTO

16 CAPACITY-RELATED AND ENERGY-RELATED PORTIONS?

17 A. The capacity-related portion of the fixed costs of owned-generation is based on

18 the percent of total fixed costs of each generation type that is equivalent to the

19 cost of a comparable peaking plant (the generation source with the lowest

20 capital cost and the highest operating cost). The percent of total generation

21 costs that exceeds the cost of a comparable peaking plant is sub-functionalized

22 as energy-related. These costs are in excess of the capacity-related portion, and

23 as such, were not incurred to obtain capacity, but rather to obtain the lower-

24 cost energy that such plants can produce.

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1 Q. DOES THE COMPANY PROPOSE TO CHANGE THE PLANT STRATIFICATION  
2 METHODOLOGY FOR THIS CASE?

3 A. No, we propose to use the same underlying methodology that was approved in  
4 our most recent rate case.

5

6 Q. HAS THE COMPANY UPDATED ITS PLANT STRATIFICATION CALCULATIONS FOR  
7 THIS CASE?

8 A. Yes, the underlying methodology has not changed but we have recalculated  
9 plant stratification using updated figures. As shown in Table 5 below, the  
10 Company has updated plant replacement costs and the resulting capacity-energy  
11 splits.

12

13 Q. WHAT ARE THE APPLICABLE STRATIFICATION PERCENTAGES IN THIS CASE?

14 A. The Plant Stratification analysis used in this case is shown in Table 5 below.  
15 Table 5 compares the 2023 current-dollar replacement costs of each plant type  
16 towards developing stratification percentages.

17

**Table 5**  
**Stratification Allocation by Plant Type**

Plant Type	Replacement Value \$/kW	Capacity Ratio	Capacity Percentage	Energy Percentage
Peaking	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$1,414	100.0%	0.0%
Nuclear	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$6,972	20.3%	79.7%
Fossil	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$4,051	34.9%	65.1%
Combined Cycle	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$2,148	65.9%	34.1%
Hydro	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$7,584	18.7%	81.3%
Wind	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$11,419	12.4%	87.6%
Solar	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$3,736	37.9%	62.1%

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1 Q. ARE THE STRATIFICATION PERCENTAGES APPLIED TO EACH COMPONENT OF  
2 THE REVENUE REQUIREMENT RELATED TO FIXED PRODUCTION PLANT?

3 A. Yes. The process of “stratifying” the revenue requirements of fixed production  
4 plant is accomplished by applying these stratification percentages to each  
5 component of the revenue requirements (*e.g.*, book investment, accumulated  
6 depreciation, accumulated deferred income taxes, Construction Work in  
7 Progress), for each generation plant type.

8

9 Q. WHAT IS THE MAIN ADVANTAGE OF THE STRATIFICATION METHODOLOGY?

10 A. This method appropriately reflects cost causation because it recognizes that a  
11 significant portion of the fixed generation costs are incurred to obtain fuel  
12 savings that more than offset the higher fixed costs, thereby minimizing total  
13 costs.

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15                   *a. Allocation of Demand-Related Portion of Fixed Production Plant –*  
16                   *the D10S Allocator*

17 Q. WHAT IS THE D10S ALLOCATOR?

18 A. The D10S allocator is used to allocate demand-related costs after the plant  
19 stratification method is applied. It identifies the percentage of overall demand  
20 that is caused by each customer class for a specific time period. For example, it  
21 might identify that at five o'clock on August 15, the demand for energy is caused  
22 40 percent by residential customers, 30 percent by commercial customers, and  
23 30 percent by industrial customers. The demand-related fixed production plant  
24 costs are then allocated to classes based on these percentages.

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1 Q. WHAT WAS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER IN THE COMPANY'S LAST RATE CASE  
2 (DOCKET NO. E002/GR-21-630) REGARDING THE D10S DEMAND  
3 ALLOCATOR?

4 A. The Commission's Order on the D10S allocator was as follows:  
5 “[F]or Xcel’s next general rate case, consistent with the suggestions of the utility  
6 and the OAG, the Commission will direct Xcel to calculate the D10S allocator  
7 based on its system peak coincident with the MISO system peak using historical  
8 data.”<sup>6</sup>

9

10 Q. PRIOR TO THIS COMMISSION ORDER, HOW WAS THE D10S ALLOCATOR  
11 CALCULATED?

12 A. In the last rate case, the Company also calculated the D10S allocator based on  
13 our system peak coincident with the MISO Local Resource Zone 1 (LRZ-1)  
14 peak. As we explained in previous cases, however, MISO does not provide  
15 forecasts of the peak hour for future years, such as a future test year. Because it  
16 was not possible to identify the specific MISO peak hour for the test year in  
17 that case, we used historical data for the prior 12 years of the MISO Local  
18 Resource Zone-1 peak. In its Order, the Commission directed the Company to  
19 continue to use historical data to calculate the D10S allocator, but to use the  
20 overall MISO system peak rather than the LRZ-1 peak.

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22 Q. FOR THE 2025 TEST YEAR, DOES MISO FORECAST THE HOUR AND PROJECTED  
23 PEAK FOR ITS SYSTEM?

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<sup>6</sup> *In the Matter of the Application of Northern States Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in the State of Minnesota*, Docket No. E002/GR-21-630, FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS, AND ORDER, at Order Point 9(e)(ii) (July 17, 2023).

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1 A. No. As in the last rate case, MISO does not provide forecast estimates of the  
2 day and hour that their peak will occur. As a result, the Company is not able to  
3 determine forecasted class loads that would be coincident with MISO's  
4 forecasted system peak hour for the 2025-2026 test years. For that reason, the  
5 calculation of the D10S allocator is based on historical data as ordered by the  
6 Commission.

7

8 Q. WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BASE THE D10S ALLOCATOR ON THE NSPM SYSTEM  
9 PEAK COINCIDENT WITH THE MISO SYSTEM PEAK?

10 A. Xcel Energy's system peak occurs at the specific hour of the year that has the  
11 highest customer demand for electricity. The overall MISO system also has a  
12 system peak, which represents the specific hour of the year that has the highest  
13 customer demand for electricity for the entire MISO system. While the Xcel  
14 Energy system peak and the MISO system peak are often similar, it is unlikely  
15 that they will occur at exactly the same hour over the course of an entire year.

16

17 Identifying Xcel Energy's system peak coincident with the MISO system peak  
18 first requires identification of the specific hour of the MISO system peak, and  
19 then measuring Xcel Energy's corresponding hourly loads at that specific hour.

20

21 Q. WITHOUT A MISO PUBLISHED PEAK HOUR FOR THE 2025 TEST YEAR, HOW  
22 DOES THE COMPANY PROPOSE TO DETERMINE CLASS LOADS TO COMPLY WITH  
23 THE COMMISSION'S ORDER?

24 A. In order to comply with the Commission's Order, the Company looked at the  
25 hour that MISO's system peaked in 2023, the most recent year that has complete  
26 annual data. The hour that MISO's system peaked was then compared to the

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1 corresponding hourly loads for the NSP system. In 2023, MISO's system  
2 peaked on August 23, 2023 at 4 p.m. central time.

3

4 Q. WHAT ARE THE CORRESPONDING FORECASTED CLASS LOADS FOR THE MISO  
5 HISTORICAL PEAK IN 2023 AND THE RESULTING D10S ALLOCATOR?

6 A. The forecasted coincident loads by class for the MISO system peak hour is  
7 shown in Table 6 below along with the resulting D10S allocator.

8

9

10 **Table 6**  
**Minnesota MW Class Loads Coincident with**  
**MISO System Peak Hours**  
**Test Year 2025 Forecast**

Date & Hour	Residential	Commercial Non-Demand	C&I Demand	Lighting	Total
08/23/2025 04:00 PM	1,585	97	2,240	0	3,922
D10S Allocator	40.41%	2.48%	57.11%	0.00%	100.00%

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17 Q. HOW DOES THIS RESULT COMPARE TO THE D10S ALLOCATOR CALCULATED FOR  
18 THE PREVIOUS RATE CASE?

19 A. Table 7 provides a comparison of the D10S allocator from the Company's last  
20 rate case with this one.

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22

23 **Table 7**  
**2022 vs. 2025 D10S Allocator**

Year	Residential	Commercial Non-Demand	C&I Demand	Lighting	Total
2022	39.78%	2.83%	57.39%	0.00%	100.00%
2025	40.41%	2.48%	57.11%	0.00%	100.00%

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1                   *b. Allocation of the Energy-Related Portion of Fixed Production Plant  
2                   and Variable Production O&M Costs – the E8760 Allocator*

3   Q. WHAT IS THE E8760 ALLOCATOR?

4   A. The E8760 allocator is calculated by taking each class's hourly load for all 8,760  
5   hours of the test year and weighting it by the corresponding hourly marginal  
6   energy costs. It is a reasonable allocator to use for fixed-production energy costs  
7   because it weights each hourly load by the hourly marginal energy cost which  
8   takes into account the on- and off-peak nature of these costs.

9  
10   Q. WHAT COSTS ARE ALLOCATED USING THE E8760 ALLOCATOR?

11   A. The E8760 allocator has been used to allocate fixed production costs that have  
12   been classified as being energy-related using the plant stratification classification  
13   method. It also allocates all fuel cost items, including purchased energy and  
14   energy-related transmission costs.

15  
16   Q. HOW IS THE E8760 ALLOCATOR CALCULATED?

17   A. In order to calculate an E8760 for the future test years, the Company's Load  
18   Research team established test year load shapes. The test year load shapes are  
19   calculated by adjusting historical load shapes to reflect test year weather values.  
20   Initially, we used historical load shapes from 2018 through 2022 to create the  
21   preliminary 2025 load shape. We then forecasted 2025 weather values, including  
22   Cooling Degree Days (CDD), and Heating Degree Days (HDD), to develop  
23   the 2025 typical meteorological year (TMY) weather normalized (WN) class  
24   load shape templates. Specialized software is used to convert the WN load shape  
25   into a WN percentage scalar by removing the magnitude of loads. This software  
26   then applies the monthly WN energy kWh forecast to the WN percentage scalar  
27   load shape, resulting in the final 2025 WN load shape. This analysis is repeated

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for the 2026 plan year, following the same methodology used in the Company's past seven rate cases. Table 8 provides the E8760 allocators for 2025 and 2026.

**Table 8**  
**2025 and 2026 E8760 Allocators**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Residential</b>	<b>Commercial Non-Demand</b>	<b>C&amp;I Demand</b>	<b>Lighting</b>	<b>Total</b>
2025	32.61%	2.77%	64.27%	0.34%	100.00%
2026	31.84%	2.66%	65.17%	0.32%	100.00%

### 3. Classification and Allocation of Transmission Costs

12 Q. WHAT WAS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER IN THE COMPANY'S LAST RATE CASE  
13 (DOCKET No. E002/GR-21-630) REGARDING THE CLASSIFICATION AND  
14 ALLOCATION OF TRANSMISSION COSTS?

15 A. The Commission ordered the Company to classify transmission costs as 70  
16 percent demand-related and 30 percent energy-related and to allocate the  
17 demand-related costs using a 12CP allocator.

19 Q. DOES IT MAKE SENSE TO CLASSIFY THESE COSTS AS BOTH ENERGY- AND  
20 DEMAND-RELATED AND ALLOCATE THE DEMAND-RELATED PORTION OF THESE  
21 COSTS WITH A 12 CP ALLOCATOR?

22 A. Yes, in part. It is reasonable to classify transmission assets as both energy- and  
23 demand-related because transmission assets permit the Company to gain access  
24 to low-cost energy for its customers. As discussed below, I disagree with the  
25 continued use of the 12 CP allocator for the demand-related portion of  
26 transmission assets.

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1 Q. WHAT IS A 12 CP ALLOCATOR?

2 A. The “CP” in 12 CP stands for coincident peak, and the 12 indicates the use of  
3 a coincident peak for each of the 12 months. A 12 CP allocation factor is based  
4 on the average of 12 monthly coincident peaks.

5

6 Q. WHY DID THE COMMISSION DIRECT XCEL ENERGY TO ALLOCATE COSTS USING  
7 THE 12 CP ALLOCATOR?

8 A. The Office of the Attorney General originally recommended the use of the 12  
9 CP allocator for demand-related transmission costs, based on the argument that  
10 Xcel Energy collects revenues from transmission assets based on demand  
11 charges that are calculated based on the entity’s peak load during each month.  
12 The Commission adopted this recommendation, explaining that the CCOSS  
13 should be calculated by relying on a broader concept of peak demand.

14

15 Q. IS IT REASONABLE TO USE THE 12 CP ALLOCATOR FOR DEMAND-RELATED  
16 TRANSMISSION COSTS?

17 A. No. The purpose of the CCOSS is to identify cost causation principles, and  
18 classify and allocate costs based on those principles. The arguments from the  
19 previous rate case mix up transmission revenues with transmission costs. While  
20 transmission revenues are generated, in part, based on demand charges that are  
21 calculated monthly, the transmission costs are based on the need to meet  
22 customer demands at the single highest peak of the year, not an average peak  
23 across twelve months. The transmission system serves multiple functions that  
24 are driven by peak demand which include:

- 25     • Linking utility system to allow for power exchanges;  
26     • Delivering power to load using markets; and  
27     • Connection to specific generators.

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Put another way, if the transmission system were planned to meet an average peak across 12 months, the system would be inadequate to meet customer demand on the actual highest peak.

For this reason, it does not reflect cost causation to allocate demand-related transmission costs using a method that gives equal weight to all 12 months of the year because that is not how the system is planned. Instead, our system is planned to meet maximum customer demand, which occurs during the summer.

- Q. WHAT DATA INDICATES THAT THE NSP SYSTEM PEAKS IN THE SUMMER?

A. Table 9 below illustrates the NSP peak for the past eleven years.

**Table 9**  
**NSP System Peak**

<b>Year</b>	<b>NSP System Peak Day</b>
2013	August 26
2014	July 21
2015	Aug 14
2016	July 20
2017	July 17
2018	June 29
2019	July 19
2020	July 8
2021	July 27
2022	June 20
2023	Aug 23

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1 Q. WHAT ALLOCATOR SHOULD BE USED TO ALLOCATE DEMAND-RELATED  
2 TRANSMISSION COSTS GIVEN THAT THE COSTS ARE DRIVEN BY THE NEED TO  
3 PLAN FOR THE SUMMER PEAK?

4 A. Rather than a 12 CP allocator, the demand-related transmission costs should be  
5 allocated using the D10S allocator. The D10S allocator appropriately identifies  
6 the extent to which customer classes contribute to demand at the time of the  
7 NSP load at the MISO peak, to ensure that the cost responsibility is shared fairly  
8 across classes.

9

10 The NARUC Manual states that demand-related transmission costs should be  
11 allocated using the same method that are used for demand-related production  
12 costs, on page 75:

13 In general, customers are allocated a portion of the fully distributed  
14 (embedded) cost of the transmission system on a basis similar to the way  
15 production costs are allocated. The reason for this is that the  
16 transmission system is essentially considered to be an extension of the  
17 production system, where the planning and operation of one is  
18 inexorably linked to the other. Thus, the major factors that drive  
19 production costs, it is argued, tend to drive transmission costs as well.  
20

21 As discussed above, demand-related production costs are allocated using the  
22 D10S allocator, not the 12 CP method. According to the NARUC manual,  
23 demand-related transmission costs should be allocated using the D10S allocator  
24 because that is how we allocate demand-related production costs. In fact, the  
25 Company does not use a 12 CP allocator to allocate *any* other costs in the  
26 CCOSS.

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1 Q. WHAT IS YOUR RECOMMENDATION REGARDING THE ALLOCATION OF DEMAND-  
2 RELATED TRANSMISSION COSTS?

3 A. While we have filed the 2025 and 2026 test year CCOSSs using the 12 CP  
4 allocator as directed by the Commission in the last rate case, it would be more  
5 reasonable to use the D10S allocator. For that reason, I recommend that the  
6 D10S allocator be used to allocate demand-related transmission costs in our  
7 future rate cases.

8

9 Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE THE RESULTS OF USING THE D10S ALLOCATOR TO ASSIGN  
10 DEMAND-RELATED TRANSMISSION COSTS?

11 A. Table 10 below illustrates the results of the 2025 CCOSS using a D10S allocator  
12 to allocate demand-related transmission costs.

13

**Table 10**  
**2025 CCOSS Results – D10S Allocation of Demand-Related Transmission Costs**

ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES					
	Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
[13] Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,016,627	1,653,897	124,606	2,200,162	37,962
[14] Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	2,108	1,884	64	138	21
[15] Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,018,734	1,655,782	124,670	2,200,300	37,983
[16] Present Rates (line 4)	<u>3,665,482</u>	<u>1,451,117</u>	<u>115,793</u>	<u>2,066,616</u>	<u>31,956</u>
[17] Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	353,252	204,664	8,877	133,684	6,026
[18] Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)	<b>9.6%</b>	<b>14.1%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>18.9%</b>
[19] Ratio: Class % / Total %	1.00	1.46	0.80	0.67	1.96

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#### 4. Allocation of Distribution Substation Costs – The D60Sub Allocator

### 23 Q. WHAT COSTS ARE ALLOCATED USING THE D60SUB ALLOCATOR?

24 A. The D60Sub allocator allocates the costs of distribution substations that  
25 individually serve multiple classes of customers.

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1    Q. HOW IS THE D60SUB ALLOCATOR CALCULATED?

2    A. The D60Sub allocator is based on each class's maximum class coincident load  
3       levels forecast for the test year.

4

5    Q. ARE THERE OTHER DISTRIBUTION SUBSTATION COSTS THAT ARE INCLUDED IN  
6       THE RATE CASE?

7    A. Yes, there are several substations that are dedicated to serving specific large  
8       industrial customers. The costs for these substations are directly assigned to  
9       those specific customer classes.

10

11    Q. HAS THE COMPANY EXCLUDED THE PEAK LOADS FOR THESE DEDICATED  
12       SUBSTATIONS FROM THE D60SUB ALLOCATOR?

13    A. Yes. In the Company's 2015 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-15-826), the  
14       Commission ordered that loads from customers who are served by distribution  
15       substations whose costs are directly assigned should be excluded from the  
16       calculation of the D60Sub allocator. The Company agrees that excluding the  
17       peak loads of these customers more accurately reflects cost causation. The MW  
18       loads for these customers as shown in Table 11 below have been excluded from  
19       the D60Sub allocator.

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**Table 11**  
**Customer Loads Excluded from the D60Sub Allocator (MW)**

<b>Customer Class and Voltage</b>	<b>2025 MW Loads Excluded from D60Sub Allocator</b>	<b>2026 MW Loads Excluded from D60Sub Allocator</b>
C&I Demand Secondary Voltage	1.342	1.342
C&I Demand Primary Voltage	3.133	3.133
C&I Demand Transmission Transformed Voltage	182.160	182.199
C&I Demand Transmission Voltage	19.171	19.171
Total	205.807	205.846

Table 12 provides the D60Sub allocators for 2025 and 2026.

**Table 12**  
2025 and 2026 D60Sub Allocator

<b>Year</b>	<b>Residential</b>	<b>Commercial Non-Demand</b>	<b>C&amp;I Demand</b>	<b>Lighting</b>	<b>Total</b>
2025	41.64%	3.11%	54.71%	0.54%	100.00%
2026	42.73%	3.02%	53.71%	0.55%	100.00%

##### **5. Allocation of CIP Conservation Cost Recovery Charge (CCRC)**

**Q. IS THE COMPANY PROPOSING TO CHANGE HOW IT ALLOCATES CIP COSTS IN THIS CASE?**

24 A. No. Consistent with the Commission's Order in the Company's 2015 rate case  
25 (Docket No. E002/GR-15-826), we allocated both the CCRC and the CIP  
26 Adjustment Factor (CAF) using the per kWh method. In the proposed

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1       CCOSSs, CCRC costs are allocated to class using the test year sales forecast  
2       after subtracting sales to CIP exempt customers.

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4                  *6. Classification and Allocation of Other Production O&M*

5       Q. DID THE COMPANY ANALYZE THE NATURE OF OTHER PRODUCTION O&M  
6       COSTS AS PART OF THIS CASE?

7       A. Yes. In the Company's 2013 rate case, the Commission required the Company  
8       to analyze Other Production O&M costs in order to identify those costs that  
9       vary directly with the amount of energy produced.<sup>7</sup>

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11      Based on our analysis, the only Other Production O&M costs that vary directly  
12      with energy output (*i.e.*, increase or decrease based on energy output) are  
13      chemicals and water use costs. In the case of chemicals, which are used for  
14      pollution control purposes, as generator energy output increases, chemical use  
15      increases in direct proportion. Similarly, with water usage, which is used to  
16      control both boiler water quality and replace lost steam, such as for soot  
17      blowing, usage changes proportionally to energy output. Total chemical and  
18      water use costs for the 2025 test year are \$4.8 million and make up only 1.1  
19      percent of total Other Production O&M costs. The remaining \$451.2 million  
20      of Other Production O&M does not vary directly with energy output.

21

22      Q. DOES THE COMPANY'S CCOSS ALLOCATE THE DIRECTLY-VARIABLE OTHER  
23      PRODUCTION O&M COSTS BASED UPON ENERGY?

24      A. Yes. Consistent with Order Point 37 from the Company's 2013 rate case

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<sup>7</sup> *In the Matter of the Application of Northern States Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in Minnesota*, Docket No. E002/GR-13-868, FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER at Order Point 37 (May 8, 2015).

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(Docket No. E002/GR-13-868), the CCOSS has classified the Other Production O&M costs that vary directly with energy usage as energy-related and classified the remaining Other Production O&M that originate from a specific generator based on the type of production plant associated with the costs. I note that there are \$11.7 million in costs that are not specific to a generator type and \$9.9 million of Regional Markets expense that is split into demand and energy components based on how total plant-specific expense is split. Table 13 shows the resulting classification of the 2025 test year Other Production O&M costs.

**Table 13**  
**2025 Classification of Other Production O&M Costs**  
**State of Minnesota Electric Jurisdiction**  
**(\\$ Thousands)**

Expense Category	2025 Other Production O&M (\$000)	Percent Energy	Percent Demand	Energy-Related Portion	Demand-Related Portion
Variable (Chemicals & Water Use)	\$4,849.4	100.0%	0.0%	\$4,849.4	\$0.0
Fossil	\$33,902.3	65.08%	34.92%	\$22,063.8	\$11,838.5
Combustion Turbine	\$2,047.4	0.0%	100.0%	\$0.0	\$2,047.4
Nuclear	\$295,860.7	79.71%	20.29%	\$235,839.4	\$60,021.4
Combined Cycle	\$12,633.4	34.15%	65.85%	\$4,313.8	\$8,319.6
Hydro	\$758.9	81.35%	18.65%	\$617.4	\$141.5
Wind	\$84,373.3	87.61%	12.39%	\$73,921.5	\$10,451.8
Total Generation-Specific Other Production O&M	\$434,425.4	78.63%	21.37%	\$341,605.3	\$92,820.1
Corporate Other Production O&M not Assigned to Generation Type	\$11,746.0	78.63%	21.37%	\$9,236.3	\$2,509.7
Regional Market Expense (FERC Codes 575.1 – 575.8)	\$9,862.2	78.63%	21.37%	\$7,755.1	\$2,107.2
Total Other Production O&M	\$456,033.6	78.63%	21.37%	\$358,596.6	\$97,437.0

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1           7.     *Direct Assignment of Distribution Costs to the Street Lighting Class*

2     Q.   WHAT DISTRIBUTION COSTS DID THE COMPANY DIRECTLY ASSIGN TO THE  
3        STREET LIGHTING CLASS?

4     A.   Consistent with finding 693 from the ALJ's report in the 2012 rate case,<sup>8</sup> the  
5        Company has directly assigned all costs in FERC Account 373 to the Street  
6        Lighting class and a portion of the costs of FERC Account 364. FERC Account  
7        373 includes all street lighting costs except for the cost of wood poles used  
8        solely by lighting in overhead distribution areas. The specific cost items included  
9        in FERC Account 373 are:

- 10       • Overhead and underground lines that only serve street lighting;
- 11       • Metal and fiberglass street lighting poles in underground areas;
- 12       • Lamps and fixtures; and
- 13       • Automatic control equipment.

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15       As shown on page 4, line 45 of Schedule 4, we directly assigned \$92.7 million  
16       in 2025 test year FERC Account 373 costs to the Street Lighting class in the  
17       2025 CCOSS. This direct assignment is appropriate because the costs included  
18       in FERC Account 373 are directly attributable to street lighting.

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20     Q.   WHAT COSTS ARE INCLUDED IN FERC ACCOUNT 364?

21     A.   FERC Account 364 includes the cost of installed poles, towers, and appurtenant  
22       fixtures used for supporting overhead distribution conductors and service wires.

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<sup>8</sup> *In the Matter of the Application of Northern States Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in Minnesota*, Docket No. E002/GR-12-961, FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND RECOMMENDATION (July 3, 2013).

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1 Q. DOES FERC ACCOUNT 364 INCLUDE MORE THAN JUST STREET LIGHTING  
2 COSTS?

3 A. Yes. The 2025 CCOSS includes \$786.5 million Plant in Service for FERC  
4 Account 364. Analysis of the FERC account detail shows that 79.6 percent of  
5 this account is the cost of the 521,015 wooden poles. Company-owned street  
6 lights are attached to 88,531 of these poles, meaning 16.99 percent of the FERC  
7 Account 364 costs are attributable to street lighting. Through consultation with  
8 our Street Lighting staff, we determined that 60 percent of the lighting poles  
9 serve only Street Lighting customers (*i.e.*, they do not have other facilities  
10 attached that serve other customer classes).

11

12 Q. BASED ON THESE CHARACTERISTICS, HOW MUCH OF THE FERC ACCOUNT 364  
13 COST SHOULD BE DIRECTLY ASSIGNED TO THE STREET LIGHTING CLASS?

14 A. We directly assigned \$63.8 million in 2025 test year FERC Account 364 costs  
15 to the Street Lighting class in the 2025 CCOSS. The calculation of the direct  
16 assignment is shown in Table 14 and the direct assignment is included on page  
17 4, line 27 of Schedule 4.

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**Table 14**  
**2025 Calculation of FERC Account 364 Direct Assignment**  
**State of Minnesota Electric Jurisdiction**  
**(\$ Thousands)**

Line No.		
1	FERC Acct 364	\$786,530
2	Wood Pole Cost as a Percent of FERC 364	79.6%
3	FERC Acct 364 Pole Cost (line 1 x line 2)	\$625,717
4	MN Company-Owned Street Lights on Wooden Poles	88,531
5	Total MN Wood Poles	521,015
6	Lighting Poles as % of Total Poles (line 4 / line 5)	16.99%
7	Lighting % x FERC 364 Pole Cost (line 1 x line 6)	\$106,322
8	Percent of Lighting Poles that only Serve Lighting	60%
9	FERC Acct 364 Direct Assignment to Lighting (line 7 x line 8)	\$63,793

Q. IN TOTAL, HOW MUCH PLANT INVESTMENT IS DIRECTLY ASSIGNED TO THE STREET LIGHTING CLASS IN THE 2025 CCOSS?

A. In total, \$156.5 million of distribution plant investment is directly assigned to the Street Lighting class in the 2025 CCOSS.

## *8. Classification of Distribution System Costs*

#### **Q. WHAT ARE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM COSTS?**

A. The distribution system includes the local distribution conductors, transformers, service drops, and meters.

Q. HOW ARE THE COSTS OF THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM CLASSIFIED AND ALLOCATED?

A. As directed by the Commission in the last rate case, we have provided three CCOSS models using different methods to classify and allocate the costs of the

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1 distribution system: a Minimum System Study, a Basic Customer Method, and  
2 a method that identifies customer-related costs using the Basic Customer  
3 Method and identified demand- and energy-related costs using the Peak-and-  
4 Average Method. I refer to this third method as the Peak & Average CCOSS.

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6 Q. WHAT IS THE OVERALL PURPOSE OF CLASSIFYING AND ALLOCATING THE COSTS  
7 OF THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM?

8 A. The purpose of this analysis is to determine what percentage of distribution  
9 system costs should be classified as customer-, demand-, or energy-related, and  
10 then determine how those costs should be allocated. As with other types of  
11 costs, the classification and allocation should be based on cost causation  
12 principles. The costs should be classified and then allocated based on which  
13 classes are contributing to the costs.

14

15 Q. HOW HAVE THE COSTS OF THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM BEEN CLASSIFIED AND  
16 ALLOCATED HISTORICALLY?

17 A. For many years it has been accepted that the costs of the distribution system  
18 grow in response to the number of customers served. As the number of  
19 customers grows, the size and scale of the distribution system must also  
20 increase. In this way, the costs of the distribution system are caused by the  
21 number of customers on our system and have traditionally been classified as  
22 customer-related costs.<sup>9</sup>

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<sup>9</sup> The NARUC Manual states that “the number of poles, conductors, transformers, services, and meters are directly related to the number of customers on the utility’s system,” and thus should be classified as customer-related costs. NARUC Manual at 90.

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1 Not all of the costs are related to the number of customers, however. Some  
2 portion of the distribution system costs are incurred to meet peak demand.  
3 Because those costs vary based on peak demand, they are classified as demand-  
4 related costs.

5

6 This understanding of the distribution system is consistent with the guidance in  
7 the NARUC Manual, which explains that the distribution system should be  
8 classified into demand- and customer-related costs:

9 To ensure that (distribution) costs are properly allocated, the analyst  
10 must first classify each account as demand-related, customer-related,  
11 or a combination of both...

12

13 As indicated in Chapter 4, all costs of service can be identified as  
14 energy-related, demand-related or customer-related. Because there is  
15 no energy component of distribution-related costs, we need consider  
16 only the demand and customer components.<sup>10</sup>

17

18 The Company classifies the distribution system costs in this way using a  
19 Minimum System Study.

20

21                   *a. Minimum System Study*

22 Q. WHAT IS A MINIMUM SYSTEM STUDY?

23 A. A Minimum System Study is used to estimate the percentage of the distribution  
24 system that is needed to connect customers but serve no demand. This  
25 hypothetical system would carry no capacity (*e.g.*, demand), and so represents  
26 the minimum cost that would be needed to connect customers.

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<sup>10</sup> *Id.*

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1 Q. IS THE MINIMUM SYSTEM STUDY RELIED UPON IN XCEL ENERGY'S OTHER  
2 JURISDICTIONS?

3 A. Yes. With respect to the regional and state prevalence of the classification, all  
4 Commissions in the four-state region (Minnesota, North Dakota, South  
5 Dakota, and Wisconsin) accept the customer- and demand-related components  
6 of distribution costs. Additionally, the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission  
7 has accepted the Minimum System method as a means to separate distribution  
8 facilities into demand and customer components since the 1980s.

9

10 Q. HOW IS THE MINIMUM SYSTEM STUDY CONDUCTED?

11 A. There are several ways to perform a Minimum System Study. The NARUC  
12 Manual specifically identifies two: the Minimum Size Method and the Zero-  
13 Intercept Study.

14

15 Q. WHAT IS THE MINIMUM SIZE METHOD?

16 A. The Minimum Size Method identifies the smallest-sized piece of relevant  
17 equipment that is used in the distribution system and assumes that any larger  
18 equipment must be selected to serve demand.

19

20 To calculate the classification percentages, the Minimum Size Method identifies  
21 the cost of the minimum sized equipment, if it were used for all installations,  
22 and compares it to the overall cost of the cost item.

23

24 Q. WHAT IS THE ZERO-INTERCEPT STUDY?

25 A. The Zero-Intercept Study is a more technical method used to estimate the same  
26 information as the Minimum Size Method. Instead of assuming that the  
27 minimum distribution equipment is the smallest equipment that is actually

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1       installed, as for the Minimum Size Method, the Zero-Intercept Study calculates  
2       the cost of equipment that actually has zero capacity. This calculation is  
3       performed using statistical analysis to estimate a cost curve for all currently  
4       installed equipment at different capacity amounts, and then estimating the cost  
5       of a piece of equipment that had, statistically, zero capacity. This estimated cost  
6       is then compared to the overall cost for that equipment to calculate a percentage  
7       that is classified as customer-related and demand-related.

8

9       Q. WHICH METHOD DID YOU USE TO CALCULATE THE MINIMUM SYSTEM STUDY?  
10      A. Consistent with the Company's practice in past cases, I used both methods and  
11       combined their results. I refer to this as the Hybrid Minimum System Study. I  
12       selected the results which provided the lower customer-related percentage in  
13       order to ensure that we are not overstating the customer classification.

14

15      Q. HOW DID YOU CONDUCT THE MINIMUM SIZE METHOD ANALYSIS?  
16      A. There are four steps in the Minimum Size Method analysis.

17

18       Step 1: Determine the minimum sized conductor, transformer, and service  
19       installed on the distribution system.

20

21       Step 2: Determine the installed cost per unit for the minimum sized distribution  
22       plant. Installed costs include material costs, labor costs, and equipment costs.

23

24       Step 3: Multiply the cost per unit of the minimum sized distribution plant by  
25       the total inventory of each plant type.

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27       Step 4: The total cost of the minimum sized distribution plant is divided by the

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total cost of the actual sized distribution plant in the field. This ratio is deemed to be the customer-related portion of distribution plant investment, with the balance being the capacity-related portion.

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5 Steps one and two are described in more detail by Company witness Marty D.  
6 Mensen.

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8 Q. WHAT WERE THE RESULTS OF THE MINIMUM SIZE METHOD ANALYSIS?  
9 A. The Minimum Size Method resulted in the following customer- and demand-  
10 related percentages as illustrated in Table 15.

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**Table 15**  
**Minimum Size Method Classification**

Equipment Type	Customer	Demand
Overhead Primary	63.1%	36.9%
Overhead Secondary	96.0%	4.0%
Underground Primary	63.8%	36.2%
Underground Secondary	100.0%	0.0%
Transformers	71.4%	28.6%

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20 Q. HOW DID YOU CONDUCT THE ZERO-INTERCEPT METHOD?

21 A. The steps for completing a Zero-Intercept Study are described on pages 92 to  
22 94 of the NARUC Manual (the manual refers to it as a “Minimum-Intercept  
23 Method”). A Zero Intercept Study requires the following data:

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- A listing of all the configurations of equipment installed for the following distribution property units:
    - Overhead Primary Conductor;
    - Overhead Secondary Conductor;

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- 1                   ○ Overhead Transformers;
- 2                   ○ Underground Primary Conductor;
- 3                   ○ Underground Secondary Conductor;
- 4                   ○ Underground Transformers; and
- 5                   ○ Primary Voltage Stepdown Transformers.
- 6                   ● For each of the above property units, the equipment inventory is  
7                   obtained for each property unit configuration.
- 8                   ● The maximum capacity rating for each property unit configuration.
  - 9                   ○ Ampacity for conductors
  - 10                  ○ kVa for transformers
- 11                  ● The installed cost per unit for the most common property unit  
12                  configurations.

13

14                  After the above data is acquired, the following analysis steps are taken to  
15                  complete a Zero-Intercept Study:

16

17                  Step 1: The statistical analysis technique called linear regression is applied to  
18                  the data acquired for each property unit. Specifically, the variable “cost per unit”  
19                  as the dependent variable (Y axis) is regressed on the variable “maximum  
20                  capacity” as the independent variable (X axis). The point where the regression  
21                  line crosses the Y intercept is the theoretical “zero load” cost per unit.

22

23                  Step 2: The zero load cost per unit is multiplied by the total inventory of the  
24                  distribution property unit.

25

26                  Step 3: The installed cost per unit for the most common property  
27                  configurations is multiplied by the inventory of each configuration. The

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1       resulting product is then summed for each property unit.

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3       Step 4: The result from step 2 is divided by the result from step 3. This ratio is  
4       classified as the customer component for each property unit.

5  
6       As with the Minimum Size Method, Company witness Mensen provides more  
7       explanation of how the data to complete the Zero-Intercept Study was obtained.

8  
9       Q. ARE YOU PROPOSING ANY CHANGES TO THE ZERO-INTERCEPT STUDY?

10      A. Yes. I am proposing one change to the Zero-Intercept Study to remove the  
11       demand adjustment. A Zero-Intercept Study estimates the costs of a minimum  
12       system that has no load or capacity which means the load carrying capacity of  
13       this minimum system would be zero. Therefore, it makes sense to remove the  
14       demand adjustment for allocating costs based on the Zero-Intercept Study. This  
15       change was proposed by the Xcel Large Industrial party in our last rate case,<sup>11</sup>  
16       and I conclude that it is reasonable to make for this case.

17  
18      Q. WHAT WERE THE RESULTS OF THE ZERO-INTERCEPT STUDY?

19      A. The Zero-Intercept Study resulted in the following customer- and demand-  
20       related percentages as illustrated in Table 16.

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<sup>11</sup> *In the Matter of the Application of Northern States Power Company, d/b/a Xcel Energy, for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in the State of Minnesota*, Direct Testimony of Jeffry Pollock at 22–23, Docket No. E002/GR-21-630 (Oct. 3, 2022).

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**Table 16**  
**Zero-Intercept Study Classification**

Equipment Type	Customer	Demand
Overhead Primary	24.0%	76.0%
Overhead Secondary	79.9%	20.1%
Underground Primary	34.7%	65.3%
Underground Secondary	58.5%	41.5%
Transformers	68.1%	31.9%

9 Q. HOW DID YOU COMBINE THE RESULTS OF THE MINIMUM SIZE METHOD AND  
10 THE ZERO-INTERCEPT STUDY TO PRODUCE THE HYBRID RESULTS?

11 A. As I explained above, I selected the results which provided the lower customer-  
12 related percentage in order to ensure that we are not overstating the customer  
13 classification. The Zero-Intercept Study resulted in lower customer-related  
14 percentages than the Minimum Size Method for all equipment types. Therefore,  
15 the results of the Zero-Intercept Study are used to classify all distribution  
16 conductor and transformer costs into their customer- and demand-related  
17 components. Please see Exhibit\_\_\_\_(CJB-1), Schedule 8 for the calculations and  
18 results of the Minimum Size Method and Zero-Intercept Study.

## 20 Q. WHAT ARE THE RESULTS OF THE HYBRID MINIMUM SYSTEM METHOD?

21 A. As mentioned above, the Zero-Intercept Study resulted in lower customer-  
22 related percentages than the Minimum Size Method. Once distribution costs  
23 are classified as customer- and demand-related using the Zero-Intercept  
24 method, they are allocated with a customer allocator and a variety of demand-  
25 related allocators such as the D61PS1Ph, D61PS, and D62SecL. Please see  
26 Appendix 2 of Schedule 2 for definitions of these demand-related allocators.

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1 Q. DID YOU USE ANY OTHER METHODS TO CLASSIFY AND ALLOCATE THE COSTS OF  
2 THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM?

3 A. Yes. As ordered by the Commission in our last rate case, I have provided  
4 additional CCOSSs in which the costs of the distribution system are classified  
5 and allocated using two other methods. The first is a Basic Customer Method.  
6 The second uses the Basic Customer Method to identify customer-related costs,  
7 and the Peak & Average Method to identify demand- and energy-related costs.

8

9                   *b. Basic Customer Method*

10 Q. WHAT IS THE BASIC CUSTOMER METHOD?

11 A. The Basic Customer Method classifies distribution plant that serves a single  
12 customer as 100 percent customer-related, and all other costs as demand-  
13 related. The customer-related costs are allocated with customer counts and the  
14 demand-related costs are allocated using the D61PS1Ph, D61PS, and D62SecL  
15 allocators.

16

17 Q. HOW ARE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM COSTS CLASSIFIED IN YOUR BASIC CUSTOMER  
18 METHOD CCOSS?

19 A. The Basic Customer Method is very simple. The first step is to identify which  
20 costs are installed to serve a single customer. All of those costs are classified as  
21 100 percent customer-related, and all remaining costs are classified as demand-  
22 related. For purposes of the Basic Customer Method only, Table 17 indicates  
23 how equipment was classified.

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**Table 17**  
**2025 Basic Customer Method Classification**

<b>Equipment Type</b>	<b>Customer</b>	<b>Demand</b>
Conductors	0.0%	100.0%
Transformers	0.0%	100.0%
Service Drops	100.0%	0.0%
Meters	100.0%	0.0%

Table 18 indicates the results for how the Basic Customer Method assigns cost responsibility among the various customer classes.

**Table 18**  
**2025 CCOSS Results of Basic Customer Method**

ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES					
	Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
[13] Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,016,627	1,569,395	120,683	2,286,878	39,671
[14] Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,108</u>	<u>1,884</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>21</u>
[15] Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,018,734	1,571,279	120,747	2,287,016	39,692
[16] Present Rates (line 4)	<u>3,665,482</u>	<u>1,451,117</u>	<u>115,793</u>	<u>2,066,616</u>	<u>31,956</u>
[17] Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	353,252	120,162	4,954	220,400	7,736
[18] Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)	<b>9.6%</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>24.2%</b>
[19] Ratio: Class % / Total %	<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.86</b>	<b>0.44</b>	<b>1.11</b>	<b>2.51</b>

**Q. ARE THESE RESULTS OF THE BASIC CUSTOMER METHOD ANALYSIS CONSISTENT WITH THE RESULTS OF THE SAME METHOD FROM THE LAST RATE CASE?**

20 A. I determined that in the Company's last rate case, the Basic Customer Method  
21 classified service drops as demand related. While I do not agree with the Basic  
22 Customer Method overall for the reasons discussed below, it appears to me that  
23 applying its underlying theory would cause service drops to be classified as  
24 customer-related. I have incorporated this update for this case, which has a  
25 small change in the results of the Basic Customer CCOSS.

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**Table 19**  
**2025 CCOSS Results – Basic Customer CCOSS Class Increases:**  
**Service Drops Classified as**  
**100 Percent Demand-Related vs. 100 Percent Customer-Related**

<b>Service Drop Classification</b>	<b>Residential</b>	<b>Commercial Non-Demand</b>	<b>C&amp;I Demand</b>	<b>Lighting</b>
100% Customer	8.28%	4.28%	10.66%	24.21%
100% Demand	7.73%	3.95%	11.07%	24.21%

**Q. IS THE BASIC CUSTOMER METHOD A REASONABLE WAY TO CLASSIFY THE COSTS OF THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM?**

11 A. No. The Basic Customer Method is not reasonable because its core assumption  
12 is not supported. The Basic Customer Method assumes, without any technical  
13 analysis, that all primary conductor, secondary conductor, and transformers are  
14 100 percent demand-related with no recognition that these costs are driven by  
15 the addition of customers. This classification is inappropriate because it ignores  
16 the well-established tenet that the addition of customers is a significant  
17 determinant of distribution system costs, which is supported by the NARUC  
18 manual.<sup>12</sup> While I do not find the Basic Customer Method to be reasonable, I  
19 have included the results of a Basic Customer Method CCOSS in compliance  
20 with Commission Order.

### c. Peak & Average Method

23 Q. WHAT IS THE PEAK & AVERAGE METHOD?

24 A. The Peak & Average Method was proposed by the Office of the Attorney  
25 General (OAG) in our last rate case. OAG witness Twite explained it in this

<sup>12</sup> Chapter 6, Page 87 of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners Cost Allocation Manual.

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1 way:

2 The Peak & Average method is founded upon the belief that a  
3 portion of the shared distribution system is needed to serve a regular amount of energy usage at all times, while additional  
4 costs are incurred to ensure the system can meet the cumulative local peak demand. The Peak & Average method classifies a portion of shared distribution system costs as energy-related (to reflect the baseline energy needs of the system) and the remainder as demand-related (to reflect the ‘upsizing’ of the system to meet peak demand). Typically, the Company’s load factor is used to determine the energy-related portion.<sup>13</sup>

12

13 Q. HOW IS THE PEAK & AVERAGE METHOD CALCULATED?

14 A. The Peak & Average Method recommended by the OAG in our last rate case  
15 is performed in several steps.

16

17 Step 1: the Basic Customer Method is used to identify the portion of customer-related costs.

18

19 Step 2: the remaining costs are classified as either energy- or demand-related. The OAG indicated in the last rate case that this calculation should be done using the Company’s load factor.

20

21 Step 3: the costs are allocated to customer classes using different allocators for  
22 each of the customer-, demand-, and energy-related costs.

23

24 Q. DID THE COMPANY CREATE ANY NEW ALLOCATORS TO CALCULATE THE PEAK  
25 & AVERAGE METHOD?

26 A. Yes. In order to accurately develop a Peak & Average CCOSS, we needed to

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<sup>13</sup> Twite Direct Testimony at 4, 2021 Rate Case, Docket No. E002/GR-21-630.

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create new energy allocators that do not allocate distribution costs to customers who take service at transmission voltages and also do not allocate secondary-related distribution costs to customers who take service at primary voltages. Table 20 below provides the new allocators and their definitions.

**Table 20**  
**Peak & Average Study New Allocators**

Allocator	Definition
E61PS	Based off the E8760 allocator. This allocator allocates the energy-related portion of multi-phase primary distribution line costs to all customers except those who take service at transmission voltages.
E61PS1Ph	Based off the E8760 allocator. This allocator allocates the energy-related portion of single-phase primary distribution line costs to all customers except multiphase customers and those who take service at transmission voltages.
E62Sec	Based off the E8760 allocator. This allocator allocates the energy-related portion of secondary distribution line costs.

- 16 Q. WHAT ARE THE RESULTS OF THE PEAK & AVERAGE METHOD?  
17 A. Applying the Peak & Average Method described by the OAG results in the  
18 following classification percentages for customer-, demand- and energy-related  
19 costs as illustrated in Tables 21 and 22 below.

**Table 21**  
**2025 Peak & Average Method Classification**

Equipment Type	Customer	Demand	Energy
Conductors	0.0%	45.2%	54.8%
Transformers	0.0%	45.2%	54.8%
Service Drops	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Meters	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%

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As mentioned above, the energy portion of distribution conductors and transformer costs are determined by the Company's load factor while the remaining costs are allocated with the same demand allocators used under the Minimum System and Basic Customer methods.

The overall results of cost responsibility under the Peak & Average Method are described in Table 22.

**Table 22**  
**2025 CCOSS Results of Peak & Average Method**

ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES					
	Total	Residential	Non-Demand	Demand	Street Ltg
[13] Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,016,627	1,543,687	120,109	2,313,819	39,012
[14] Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	2,108	1,884	64	138	21
[15] Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,018,734	1,545,571	120,173	2,313,957	39,033
[16] Present Rates (line 4)	3,665,482	1,451,117	115,793	2,066,616	31,956
[17] Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	353,252	94,454	4,380	247,342	7,076
[18] Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)	9.6%	6.5%	3.8%	12.0%	22.1%
[19] Ratio: Class % / Total %	1.00	0.68	0.39	1.24	2.30

Q. IS THE PEAK & AVERAGE METHOD A REASONABLE WAY TO CLASSIFY AND ALLOCATE THE COSTS OF THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM?

A. No. The Peak & Average Method is not reasonable because it ignores that distribution conductors and transformers are driven by the addition of customers. Also, the NARUC Manual does not recognize that distribution costs are classified as energy related.

*d. Conclusion regarding Distribution System Classification and Allocation*

26 Q. PLEASE PROVIDE THE COMPARATIVE RESULTS OF THE DISTRIBUTION  
27 CLASSIFICATION METHODS

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- 1 A. In addition to the Company's proposed CCOSSs, we have provided CCOSSs  
2 using different methods to classify and allocate the costs of the distribution  
3 system as ordered by the Commission. The results of these three CCOSS  
4 methods are compared in Table 23.

**Table 23**  
**2025 and 2026 CCOSS Results Comparison:**  
**Class Revenue Percentage Increases and**  
**Residential Monthly Customer-Related Cost per Customer**  
**under Hybrid (Zero-Intercept), Basic Customer, and Peak & Average**

2025						
Method	Residential	Commercial Non Demand	C&I Demand	Lighting	Total	Residential Monthly Customer-Related Cost per Customer
Hybrid (Zero-Intercept)	13.0%	8.5%	7.1%	23.5%	9.6%	\$21.14
Basic Customer	8.3%	4.3%	10.7%	24.2%	9.6%	\$10.04
Peak & Average	6.5%	3.8%	12.0%	22.1%	9.6%	\$10.04

2026						
Method	Residential	Commercial Non Demand	C&I Demand	Lighting	Total	Residential Monthly Customer-Related Cost per Customer
Hybrid (Zero-Intercept)	20.2%	11.4%	8.2%	32.1%	13.2%	\$23.80
Basic Customer	14.8%	6.3%	12.2%	32.9%	13.2%	\$10.75
Peak & Average	12.5%	5.9%	13.8%	30.4%	13.2%	\$10.75

- 18 Q. WHICH OF THE DISTRIBUTION CLASSIFICATION METHODS DO YOU BELIEVE IS  
19 THE MOST REASONABLE?

20 A. As I mentioned above, I believe the Hybrid (Zero-Intercept) Method is the  
21 most reasonable because it follows cost causation and the well-established tenet  
22 that the addition of customers is a significant determinant of distribution system  
23 costs, which is supported by the NARUC manual

24

25 Q. HOW DOES THE COMPANY USE THESE CCOSS RESULTS TO SET RATES?

26 A. Company witness Paluck explains how the different CCOSS methodologies are  
27 used to guide revenue apportionment and rate design.

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## 9. Percent of Customers Served by Three-Phase Primary versus Single-Phase Primary Distribution Lines

3 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SINGLE-PHASE AND MULTI-  
4 PHASE CONFIGURATIONS.

5 A. Feeders originate at distribution substations in a three-phase configuration and  
6 then often split into three, single-phase lines that serve lower usage customers  
7 (in less common instances the system may split into a two-phase configuration).

9 Q. WAS THE COMPANY ABLE TO QUANTIFY THE PERCENTAGE OF CUSTOMERS IN  
10 EACH CUSTOMER CLASS THAT RECEIVE SERVICE OFF THE SINGLE-PHASE  
11 PRIMARY DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AS OPPOSED TO THE MULTI-PHASE PRIMARY  
12 DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM?

13 A. Yes. Based on the data in the Company's Geographic Information System, the  
14 Company's Distribution staff determined 71.6 percent of Residential customers  
15 receive service off the single-phase primary distribution system. Table 24 also  
16 shows that significantly fewer C&I customers receive service from the single-  
17 phase primary distribution system.

**Table 24**  
**Percent of Customers Served by Single-Phase and Multi-Phase**  
**Primary Distribution Lines**  
**State of Minnesota Electric Jurisdiction**

Primary Distribution Line Serving the Customer Premise	Customer Class			
	Residential Customers	Commercial Non-Demand	C&I Demand	Lighting Customers
Single-Phase	71.6%	39.3%	17.8%	57.4%
Multi-Phase	28.4%	60.7%	82.2%	42.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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1 Q. HAS THE COMPANY BASED ITS CLASS ALLOCATION OF PRIMARY DISTRIBUTION  
2 LINES COSTS ON THE ABOVE UPDATED ANALYSIS?  
3 A. Yes. We continue to separate distribution lines into capacity and customer  
4 components using the Company's Minimum System and Zero Intercept  
5 Studies, as described in the CCOSS Guide. As we did in previous rate cases, we  
6 then split the classified costs for primary distribution lines into single-phase and  
7 multi-phase components. We based the split on miles of single-phase and multi-  
8 phase distribution plant and their associated replacement cost (in dollars per  
9 mile). The resulting separation of costs is shown on page four of Schedule 4,  
10 lines 19-22 (overhead primary distribution lines) and lines 29-32 (underground  
11 primary distribution lines). We also created distribution line cost allocators to  
12 account for the differing usage of the single-phase portions of the system by  
13 different customer classes. Exhibit \_\_\_\_ (CJB-1), Schedule 9 shows how these  
14 allocators were developed.

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16 **IV. RATE RIDER REVISIONS**

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18 Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN HOW CONSERVATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (CIP)  
19 EXPENSES ARE RECOVERED.  
20 A. The total CIP expenses are recovered through two rate components. The first  
21 (and usually the largest) component is the Conservation Cost Recovery Charge  
22 (CCRC), which is bundled into base rates. The CCRC is reset in general rate  
23 case proceedings at the test year CIP expense level. The second component is  
24 the Conservation Improvement Program Adjustment Factor (CAF). The CAF  
25 is calculated annually to reflect the difference between total CIP program costs  
26 (as they change over time) and the most recent test year CCRC.

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#### 1 Q. WHAT ARE THE CURRENT CCRC AND CAF LEVELS?

2 A. The current CCRC is 0.4955¢ per kWh and was established in the Company's  
3 most recent case based on the 2022 test year level of CIP expenses. The current  
4 CAF is 0.2225¢ per kWh, which became effective with Commission approval  
5 on July 21, 2023 in Docket No. E002/M-23-145.

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7 Q. IS THE COMPANY PROPOSING TO UPDATE THE CCRC IN THIS CASE?

8 A. Yes. The Company is proposing an increase in the CCRC from the current  
9 0.4955¢ per kWh to 0.6204¢ per kWh to reflect 2025 test year CIP costs of  
10 \$166,570,277. The calculation of these revised CCRC is shown in  
11 Exhibit (CJB-1), Schedule 10.

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## **V. GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

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15 Q. WHAT REVISIONS ARE BEING PROPOSED IN THE COMPANY'S GENERAL RULES  
16 AND REGULATIONS PORTION OF THE TARIFF?

17 A. The following are the areas in the General Rules and Regulations portion of the  
18 tariff where the Company is proposing revisions.

- Excess Footage Charges      Section 6.5.1.A.1

20 (cost updated in rate case September 1, 2012)

- Winter Construction Charges Section 6.5.1.A.2

22 (cost updated in rate case January 1, 2024)

23 • Dedicated Switching Section 6.5.1.8-7

24 (cost updated in rate case 2010)

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#### A. Excess Footage Charges—Section 6.5.1.A.1

## 2 Q. WHAT REVISIONS ARE PROPOSED IN THE EXCESS FOOTAGE CHARGES?

3 A. There are three excess footage charges specified on Northern States Power  
4 Company's Minnesota Electric Rate Book, Tariff Sheet No. 6-23 of the General  
5 Rules and Regulations. Based on increases in material, labor, and equipment  
6 costs, the Company is proposing increases in each charge to reflect current  
7 costs, as shown in Table 25 below.

**Table 25**  
**Excess Footage Charges (Per Foot)**

Type	Present Rate	Proposed Rate
Service Line	\$7.90	\$10.00
Single Phase Sec or Prim	\$8.00	\$10.50
Three Phase Sec or Prim	\$13.90	\$17.00

The cost analysis supporting these increases in charges is provided on page 2 of Exhibit \_\_\_\_ (CJB-1), Schedule 11.

#### B. Winter Construction Charges—Section 6.5.1.A.2

**Q. WHAT REVISIONS ARE PROPOSED FOR WINTER CONSTRUCTION CHARGES?**

20 A. There are two components to the Winter Construction Charges, as indicated on  
21 Tariff Sheet No. 6-24 of the General Rules and Regulations. Based on increases  
22 in material, labor, and equipment costs, the Company is proposing increases in  
23 both Winter Construction Charges to reflect current costs. The Company is  
24 proposing an increase in each as shown in Table 26 below.

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**Table 26**  
**Winter Construction Charges**

Type	Present Rate	Proposed Rate
Thawing (Per Frost Burner)	\$640.00	\$870.00
Trenching (Per Foot)	\$8.90	\$18.00

The cost analysis supporting these proposed rate charges is based on current material, labor, and equipment costs, and is provided on page 3 of Schedule 11.

### C. Dedicated Switching – Section 6.5.1.8-7

- Q. WHAT IS DEDICATED SWITCHING?

A. Dedicated Switching is a service requested by a few large C&I customers. It typically occurs when a customer needs to perform work on their own facilities and where doing so requires that the electric service be de-energized. This service takes place at a customer-specified date and time, which is often outside of normal business hours. Providing this service requires taking a service crew off of normal work activities and dispatching them to de-energize the service so the customer can do their internal work. The Company's crew then restores the customer's service as soon as the customer completes their work.

- Q. WHAT IS THE PROPOSED CHANGE TO THE DEDICATED SWITCHING SERVICE TARIFF?

A. The Dedicated Switching tariff provides two hourly rates for this service. Based on increases in labor and equipment costs, the Company is proposing to revise these rates to reflect current costs. For Dedicated Switching Service provided on Monday through Saturday, the current rate is \$300.00 per hour and the proposed rate is \$800.00 per hour. The current rate for this service provided on

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1        Sundays or Holidays is \$400.00 per hour and the proposed rate is \$1,000.00 per  
2        hour. The cost analysis supporting these increases in charges is provided on  
3        Page 4 of Schedule 11.

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5        **D. Revenue Impact of the Proposed Excess Footage and Winter  
6              Construction Rate Increases**

7        Q. WHAT IS THE NET REVENUE IMPACT DUE TO THE PROPOSED INCREASES IN  
8              EXCESS FOOTAGE, WINTER CONSTRUCTION, AND DEDICATED SWITCHING  
9              CHARGES?

10      A. The net annual revenue impact from the increase in these rates is \$1,337,580 as  
11        shown on page 1 of Schedule 11. This increase in revenues is shown with the  
12        increase in late payment charges on lines 2 and 14 of Schedules 3 and 5 attached  
13        to my testimony. It is also shown on page 7, row 21 of Schedules 4 and 6  
14        attached to my testimony. The proposed increase in these charges reduces the  
15        proposed increase in retail revenues by Company witness Paluck.

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17              **VI. SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS**

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19      Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE THE CONCLUSIONS FROM YOUR TESTIMONY.

20      A. The purpose of a CCOSS is to provide a reasonable measure of the contribution  
21        each class makes to the Company's overall cost of service, with the ultimate goal  
22        of generating a basis from which rates can be evaluated and refined. We have  
23        modified our CCOSS methodology since the Company's most recent case based  
24        on several new or renewed studies and Commission Order. These modifications  
25        result in CCOSSs that:

- 26              • Properly recognize that our investments in baseload generation facilities

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1 provide value to all customers, particularly our energy-intensive users;

2 • Accurately reflect the value of our investments in peaking capacity,

3 transmission and distribution facilities used to meet system peak

4 requirements;

5 • Recognize the differing impact that seasonal and time usage patterns can

6 have on the cost of service; and

7 • Recognize that a portion of distribution costs are incurred to simply

8 connect customers to the system and therefore should be allocated to

9 customer class based on the number of customers.

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11 Given the refinements to the CCOSS over time, resulting in appropriate and

12 improved allocations to previous years, the Company has turned to structural

13 enhancements in this case. Our CCOSS model is now more robust and

14 transparent. Therefore, the Company's CCOSSs are appropriate rate making

15 tools in this case.

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17 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?

18 A. Yes, it does.

## **Statement of Qualifications**

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### **OVERVIEW**

My responsibilities at Xcel Energy include Class Cost of Service Studies conducted in support of the Company's rate cases and providing pricing function support and other related analyses for the utility operating subsidiaries of Xcel Energy.

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Rate Consultant; Xcel Energy, NSPM	2022 – Present
Principal Pricing Analyst; Xcel Energy, NSPM	2017 – 2022
Senior Regulatory Analyst; Xcel Energy, Xcel Energy Services	2015 – 2017
Pricing and Cost-of-Service Analyst; PacifiCorp	2013 – 2015
Associate Pricing and Cost-of-Service Analyst; PacifiCorp	2011 – 2013
United States Marine Corps Machine Gunner	2000 – 2004

### **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

Purdue University; MS Agricultural Economics	2010
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*Guide to the Electric  
Class Cost of Service Study (CCOSS)  
Northern States Power Company*

## I. Overview

Simply stated, the purpose of the Northern States Power Company (NSP) electric Class Cost of Service (CCOSS) is to allocate *joint* (e.g.) and *common* costs to the designated “classes” of service such as Residential, Non-Demand C&I, and Demand C&I. For example, generation capacity costs are “joint” between time periods and overhead costs such as management, are “common” to multiple functions, such as distribution, transmission, and generation. The CCOSS also assigns *direct* costs (e.g. a dedicated service extensions or dedicated substations), that may be associated with providing service to a particular customer from a specific class of service. The objective of the CCOSS is to make these cost *allocations* and *assignments* based on identifiable service requirements (e.g. kWh energy requirements and kW capacity requirements), which are the drivers of the costs.

The two basic types of costs are; (1) capital costs associated with investment in generation, transmission, and distribution facilities and (2) on-going expenses such as fuel used to produce the energy, labor costs, and numerous other operating expenses. The end result is an allocation of the total utility costs (i.e. the revenue requirements) to customer classes according to each class’ share of the capacity, energy, and customer service requirements.

## II. Major Steps of the Class Cost of Service Study

A class cost of service study begins with a detailed documentation of the numerous budgetary elements of the total revenue requirement for the jurisdiction in question. The detailed jurisdictional revenue requirements are the data inputs to the CCOSS. At a high level, the CCOSS process consists of the following three (3) basic steps:

1. Functionalization – The identification of each cost element as one of the basic utility service “functions” (e.g. generation, transmission, distribution, and customer).
2. Classification – The classification of the functionalized costs based on the billing component/determinant that each is associated with (e.g. kWs of capacity, kWhs of energy, or number of customers).
3. Allocation – The allocation of the functionalized and classified costs to customer classes, based on each class’ respective service requirements (e.g. kWs of capacity, kWhs of energy, and the number of customers, expressed in terms of a percentage of the total jurisdiction requirement).

## III. Step 1: Functionalization

Functionalization is the process of associating each of the numerous detailed elements of the total revenue requirement with functions (and sometimes sub-functions) of the electric utility system. Costs must be first functionalized because each class’ service requirement tends to have different relative impacts on each service function. As such, it is necessary to develop separate sub-parts of the total revenue requirement for each function (and sometimes sub-function). The four (4) basic functions and the associated sub-functions are shown in the table below:

<b>Function</b>	<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>Sub-Function</b>	<b>Description</b>
Generation	120, 310-346, 500-557	“Energy-related”	Includes the fixed costs of generation plant investment and purchase capacity costs, which have been stratified as “energy-related.”
		Summer “capacity-related.”	Includes the fixed costs of generation plant investment and purchase capacity costs stratified as “capacity-related” and which are associated with the system summer peak load requirements.
		Winter “capacity-related.”	Includes the fixed costs of generation plant investment and purchase capacity costs stratified as “capacity-related” and which are associated with the system winter peak load requirements.
		On-Peak Energy	Includes costs for fuel and purchases of energy for on-peak hours.
		Off-Peak Energy	Includes costs for the fuel and purchases of energy for off-peak hours.
Transmission	350-359, 560-579	None	Includes costs of transmission lines used to transport power from its origin generation stations or delivery points to the high voltage side of the distribution substations.
Distribution	360-368, 580-598	Distribution Substations	Includes costs of the facilities (e.g. transformers and switch gear) between the transmission and distribution systems.
		Primary Distribution System “Capacity.”	Includes costs of the “capacity” portion (as distinguished from the “customer” portion) of primary voltage conductors, transformers and related facilities.
		Secondary Distribution System “Capacity.”	Includes costs of the “capacity” portion (as distinguished from the “customer” portion) of secondary voltage conductors, transformers, customer services and related facilities.
Customer	360-369, 580-598, 901-916	“Customer” portion of the Primary and Secondary Systems	Includes costs for the “customer” portion of primary and secondary conductors, transformers, customer service drops, related facilities and the costs of metering.
		Energy Services	Includes costs for meter reading, billing, customer service and information, and back office support.

### A. Generation Cost Stratification

Stratification is the term used to identify the part of the CCOSS process used to separate or “stratify” fixed generation costs into the necessary “capacity-related” and “energy-related” sub-functions. The “capacity-related” portion of the fixed costs of owned generation is based on the percent of total fixed costs of each generation type that is equivalent to the cost of a comparable peaking plant (the generation source with the lowest capital cost). The percent of total generation costs that exceeds the cost of a comparable peaking plant are sub-functionalized as “energy-related.” This second portion of the fixed generation costs is “energy-related” because these costs are in excess of the “capacity-related” portion and as such were not incurred to obtain capacity but rather were incurred to obtain the lower cost energy that such plants can produce.

For example, the plant stratification analysis used in the current rate case is shown in the table below. It compares the current dollar replacement costs of each plant type, to develop stratification percentages.

Plant Type	\$/kW	Capacity Ratio	Capacity %	Energy %
Peaking	\$1,414	\$1,414 / \$1,414	100.0%	0.0%
Nuclear	\$6,972	\$1,414 / \$6,972	20.3%	79.7%
Fossil	\$4,051	\$1,414 / \$4,051	34.9%	65.1%
Combined Cycle	\$2,148	\$1,414 / \$2,148	65.9%	34.1%
Hydro	\$7,584	\$1,414 / \$7,584	18.7%	81.3%
Wind	\$11,419	\$1,414 / \$11,419	12.4%	87.6%
Solar	\$3,736	\$1,414 / \$3,736	37.9%	62.1%

This process of “stratifying” the revenue requirements of the generation plant is accomplished by applying these stratification percentages to each component of the revenue requirements (e.g. plant investment, accumulated depreciation, deferred income taxes, construction work in progress (CWIP), etc.), for each generation plant type.

### IV. Step 2: Cost Classification

The second step in the CCOSS process is to classify the functionalized costs as being associated with a measurable customer service requirement which gives rise to the costs. The three (3) principle service requirements or billing components are:

1. Demand – Costs that are driven by customers’ maximum kilowatt (kW) demand.
2. Energy – Costs that are driven by customers’ energy or kilowatt-hours (kWh) requirements.
3. Customer – Costs that are related to the number of customers served.

The table below shows how each of the functional and sub-functional costs was classified:

Function/Sub-Function	Cost Classification		
	Demand	Energy	Customer
Summer Capacity-Related Fixed Generation	X		
Winter Capacity-Related Fixed Generation	X		
Energy-Related Fixed Generation		X	
Off-Peak Energy (Fuel and Purchased Energy)		X	
On-Peak Energy (Fuel and Purchased Energy)		X	
Transmission	X	X	
Distribution Substations	X		
Primary Transformers	X		
Primary Lines	X		X
Secondary Lines	X		X
Secondary Transformers	X		X
Service Drops	X		X
Metering			X
Customer Services			X

As shown in the table above, primary lines, secondary lines, secondary transformers, and service drops are classified as both “demand” and “customer” related costs. Costs of these sub-functions are driven by **both** the number of customers on the distribution system and the capacity requirements they place on the system. Two methods that are mentioned in the NARUC manual for performing this cost separation are the Minimum Distribution System method and the Minimum/Zero Intercept method.

The Minimum Distribution System method involves comparing the cost of the minimum size of each type of facility used, to the cost of the actual sized facilities installed. The cost of the minimum size facilities determines the “customer” component of total costs, and the “capacity” cost component is the difference between total installed cost and the minimum sized cost.

The Minimum/Zero Intercept method requires significantly more data and analysis than the Minimum Distribution System method. The Minimum/Zero Intercept method requires the analyst to develop installed per unit costs for the most common property unit configurations. Next, the maximum capacity rating (Ampacity for conductors and kVa for transformers) must be determined. Once the above data has been acquired, the statistical analysis technique called linear regression is applied to each property unit. Specifically, the variable “cost per unit” as the dependent variable (Y axis) is regressed on the variable “maximum capacity” as the independent variable (X axis). The point where the regression line crosses the Y intercept is the theoretical “zero load” cost per unit. The zero intercept cost for a given property unit determines the “customer” component of total costs, and the “capacity” cost component is the difference between total installed cost and the zero intercept cost.

The Company completed both minimum system and zero intercept studies for all property units except distribution services. Detailed property records on the configuration or footage of distribution service drops are not available. As a result, the Company was not able to conduct a detailed minimum system or zero intercept study for classifying the cost of service drops. As a substitute, a simplified minimum system analysis was conducted.

For each property unit, the table below shows the percent of costs that were classified as customer-related using the Minimum/Zero Intercept method compared to the Minimum Distribution System method. As shown below, for all 6 property units the Zero-Intercept method provides a lower customer component.

Equipment Type	% of Costs Classified as "Customer" Related	
	Minimum/Zero Intercept Method	Minimum Distribution System Method
Overhead Lines Primary	24.0%	63.2%
Overhead Lines Secondary	79.9%	96.0%
Overhead Transformers	69.1%	78.0%
Underground Lines Primary	34.7%	63.8%
Underground Lines Secondary	58.6%	100%
Underground Transformers	70.2%	66.7%

In applying the results of the zero intercept and minimum system studies to the proposed CCOSS, the Company used a hybrid of the two methods, such that the Company used the method that provided the lower customer component as shown in the table below.

Property Unit	% Customer Related	% Capacity Related
Overhead Lines Primary (used Zero Intercept Result)	24.0%	76.0%
Overhead Lines Secondary (used Zero Intercept Result)	79.9%	20.1%
Underground Lines Primary (used Zero Intercept Result)	34.7%	65.3%
Underground Lines Secondary (used Zero Intercept Result)	58.6%	41.4%
Weighted Average for Overhead & Underground Transformers (used Zero Intercept for OH Transformers; used Minimum System for UG Transformers)	68.1%	31.9%

## V. Step 3: Cost Allocation to Customer Class (Assignment of Costs to Customer Classes)

The third step in the CCOSS process is allocation, which is the process of assigning (allocating or directly assigning) functionalized and classified costs to customer classes. Generally, cost assignment occurs in one of two ways:

- Direct Assignment - A small but sometimes important portion of costs can be directly assigned to a specific customer of a particular customer class, because these costs can be exclusively identified as providing service to a particular customer. Examples of costs that are directly assigned include:
  - Customer-dedicated transmission radial lines or dedicated distribution substations; and
  - Street lighting facility costs.
- Allocation - Most electric utility costs are incurred in common or jointly in providing service to all or most customers and classes. Therefore, allocation methods have to be developed for each functionalized and classified cost component. The allocation method is based on the particular measures of service that is indicative of what drives the costs.
  - Class allocators (sometimes called allocation strings) are simply a “string” of class percentages that sum to 100%.
  - There are 2 types of allocators:
    - External Allocators –These are the more interesting allocators that are based on data from outside the CCOSS model (e.g. load research data, metering and customer service-related cost ratios). In general, there are three types of external allocators:
      - Capacity –related (sometimes referred to as Demand) allocators such as:
        - System coincident peak (CP) responsibility or class contribution to system peak (1CP, 4CP or 12CP);
        - Class peak or non-coincident peak; and
        - Individual customer maximum demands.
      - Energy-related allocators such as:
        - kWh at the customer (kWh sales);
        - kWh at the generator (kWh sales plus losses); and
        - kWh energy, weighted by the variable cost of the energy in the hour it is used.
      - Customer-related allocators
        - Number of customers; and
        - Weighted number of customers, where the weights are based on cost of meters, billing, meter-reading, etc.
    - Internal Allocators – These are allocators based on combinations of costs already allocated to the classes using external allocators. These internal allocators are used to assign certain costs, which are most appropriately associated with and assigned to classes by some combination of other primary

Details on the external allocators used in the CCOSS model are shown in Appendix 2.

- Internal Allocators – These are allocators based on combinations of costs already allocated to the classes using external allocators. These internal allocators are used to assign certain costs, which are most appropriately associated with and assigned to classes by some combination of other primary

service requirements, such as kWs demand, kWhs of energy or the number of customers. Examples of internal allocators include:

- Production, transmission and distribution plant investment – Labeled “PTD” in the CCOSS model.
- Distribution O&M expenses without supervision and miscellaneous expenses – Labeled “OXDTS” in the CCOSS model.

Details on the development of the internal allocators used in the CCOSS model are shown in Appendix 3.

## **VI. Customer Class Definitions**

Ideally, there would be no customer class groupings and cost allocation would reflect the unique costs of each individual customer. Because this is not possible, it is necessary to develop a cost study process that identifies costs of service for groups of customers (“classes”) where the customers of the class have similar cost/service characteristics. The basic classes of service employed in the Company’s CCOSS are the following:

1. Residential;
2. Non-Demand Metered Commercial;
3. Demand Metered Commercial & Industrial; and
4. Street & Outdoor Lighting.

Also, because of the significantly different distribution-functional requirements of customers within the Demand Metered C&I class, the Company’s CCOSS also identifies the cost differences associated with the following distribution-function requirements within this class based on the voltage they are served at:

1. Secondary;
2. Primary;
3. Transmission Transformed; and
4. Transmission.

More detail on customer class definitions is shown in Appendix 1.

## **VII. Organization of the CCOSS Model**

The CCOSS model consists of numerous worksheets which show costs by customer class in Total (as shown on the worksheet tab labeled “RR-TOT”) and at the following more detailed levels including Billing Unit, Function and Sub-function as shown below (the label of the worksheet tab is shown in parenthesis below):

1. Billing Unit:
  - a. Customer (RR-Cus)
  - b. Demand (RR-Dmd)
  - c. Energy (RR-Ene)

2. Function and Associated Sub-Function:

- a. Energy (RR-Ene)
  - a) On-Peak Energy (RR-On)
  - b) Off-Peak Energy (RR-Off)
- b. Generation (RR-Gen\_Dmd): Sub-functions include:
  - a) Summer Capacity-Related Plant (RR-Summ)
  - b) Winter Capacity-Related Plant (RR-Wint)
  - c) Energy-Related Plant (RR-Base)
- c. Transmission (RR-Transco)
- d. Distribution (RR-Disco): Sub-functions include:
  - a) Distribution Substations (RR-Psub)
  - b) Primary Voltage (RR-Prim)
  - c) Secondary Voltage (RR-Sec)
- e. Customer (RR-Cus): Sub-functions include:
  - a) Service Drops (RR-Svc\_Drop)
  - b) Energy Services (RR-En\_Svc)

In the CCOSS spreadsheet, there is a separate worksheet tab for each of the above billing units, functions, and sub-functions. This multi-level breakdown of costs is useful for designing rates as well as for determining class revenue responsibilities.

## VIII. CCOSS Calculations

Listed below are important calculations that are part of the CCOSS model. These calculations occur at the “TOT” layer of the CCOSS as well as each of the “sub-layers” for each billing component, function and sub-function. Showing results at the more detailed billing component, function and sub-function levels is important for rate design purposes, as well as other analyses such as the development of voltage discounts.

### A. Rate Base Calculation

**Rate Base** = Original Plant in Service – Accum Depr – Accum Defer Inc Tax+ CWIP + Other Additions

The above rate base calculation occurs on “TOT” layer as well as each function/sub-function layer.

### B. Revenue Requirements Calculation (Class Cost Responsibility)

The Revenue Requirements Calculation (sometimes referred to as the “Backwards Revenue Requirement Calculation) is used to calculate “cost” responsibility for each customer class. This has to be done within the CCOSS model because the JCOSS model does it only at the total jurisdiction level, not by class. The class “cost” responsibility is based on the same return on rate base for each class that is equal to the overall proposed

rate of return. In other words, class revenues requirements are calculated to provide the same return on rate base for each customer class. This calculation occurs on the “TOT” layer as well as for each function, sub-function, and billing component after all expenses and rate base items have been allocated. As such, class cost responsibility is available for each function, sub-function, and billing component. This analysis serves a starting point for rate design. The formula is shown below:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Retail Revenue Requirement} = & \text{ Expenses (less off-setting credits from Other Operating Revenues)} \\ & + \\ & ((\% \text{ Return on Invest} \times \text{Rate Base}) - \text{AFUDC} - \text{Fed Credits}) \times 1 / (1 - \text{Fed T}) - \text{Fed} \\ & \text{Section 199 Deduc} \times \text{Fed T} / (1 - \text{Fed T}) - \text{State Credits} \times 1 / (1 - \text{State T}) \\ & + \\ & (\text{Tax Additions} - \text{Tax Deductions}) \times \text{Tax Rate} / (1 - \text{Tax Rate}) \end{aligned}$$

Where:

$$\text{Tax Rate} = 1 - (1 - \text{State T}) \times (1 - \text{Fed T})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Expenses} = & \text{ O&M} + \text{Book Depreciation} + \text{Real Estate & Property Tax} + \text{Payroll Tax} \\ & + \text{Net Investment Tax Credit} - \text{Other Retail Revenue} - \text{Other Oper. Revenue} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tax Additions} = & \text{Book Depreciation} + \text{Deferred Inc Tax} + \text{Net Inv Tax Credit} \\ & + \text{Other Misc Expenses.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Tax Deductions} = \text{Tax Depreciation} + \text{Interest Expense} + \text{Other Tax Timing Diff}$$

### C. Total Return and Return on Rate Base (Based on Class Revenue Responsibility)

After rates have been designed and each class’ “revenue” responsibility has been determined, the model calculates total return and return on rate base using the following formulas. These calculations are performed at both present and proposed rate levels.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total \$ Return} = & \text{Revenue} - \text{O&M Expenses} - \text{Book Depr.} \\ & - \text{Real Estate & Property Taxes} - \text{Provision for Deferred Inc Taxes} - \text{Inv. Tax Credits} \\ & - \text{State & Federal Income Taxes} + \text{AFUDC} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Percent Return on Rate Base} = \text{Total \$ Return} / \$ \text{Rate Base}$$

After rates have been designed, the return on rate base is typically different for each customer class. In other words, the resulting class “revenue” responsibility differs from class “**cost**” responsibility.

## XI. CCOSS Output

The filed output of the CCOSS model includes the “TOT” worksheet layer of the much larger model. The important output from the functional, sub-functional and billing component layers is presented on pages 2 and 3 of this “TOT” layer. The following table lists what is shown on each CCOSS page when printed.

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	<b>Customer Class</b>	<b>Rate Codes</b>	<b>kW Size</b>	<b>Voltage Specifications</b>	<b>Costs Not Assigned</b>	<b>Why Costs Not Assigned</b>
1	Residential	A00, A01, A02, A03, A04, A05 (if residential), A06 (if residential), A08, A72, A74, A80, A81, A82, A83			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Costs directly attributed to and directly assigned to Street Lighting customers.</li> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines and Distribution Substations that solely serve other customer classes.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.
2	C&I Non Demand Metered	A05 (if C&I), A06 (if C&I), A09, A10, A11, A12, A13, A16, A18, A22, A40, A42,	< 25 kW		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Costs directly attributed to and directly assigned to Street Lighting customers.</li> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines and Distribution Substations that solely serve other customer classes.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.
3	C&I Secondary Voltage	A14, A15, A17, A19, A23, A24, A27, A29, A41, A62, A63, A87, A88, A89, A90	> 25 kW	Secondary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Costs directly attributed to and directly assigned to Street Lighting customers.</li> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines and Distribution Substations that solely serve other customer classes.</li> <li>Costs of Underground (UG) services. C&amp;I customers pay for their own UG services.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.
4	C&I Primary Voltage	A14, A15, A17, A19, A23, A24, A27, A29, A41, A62, A63	> 25 kW	Primary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Costs directly attributed to and directly assigned to Street Lighting customers.</li> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines and Distribution Substations that solely serve other customer classes.</li> <li>Costs of Secondary Voltage Overhead and Underground Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Secondary Voltage Transformers that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Service Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.

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5	C&I Transmission Transformed Voltage	A14, A15, A17, A19, A23, A24, A27, A29, A41, A62, A63	> 25 kW	Transmission Transformed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Costs directly attributed to and directly assigned to Street Lighting customers.</li> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines and Distribution Substations that solely serve other customer classes.</li> <li>Costs of Primary Voltage Transformers.</li> <li>Costs of Primary Voltage Overhead and Underground Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Secondary Voltage Overhead and Underground Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Secondary Voltage Transformers that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Service Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.
6	C&I Transmission Voltage	A14, A15, A17, A19, A23, A24, A27, A29, A41, A62, A63	> 25 kW	Transmission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Costs directly attributed to and directly assigned to Street Lighting customers.</li> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines.</li> <li>Costs of Distribution Substations.</li> <li>Costs of Primary Voltage Transformers.</li> <li>Costs of Primary Voltage Overhead and Underground Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Secondary Voltage Overhead and Underground Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Secondary Voltage Transformers that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> <li>Costs of Service Lines that have been classified as either "Customer" or "Capacity" related.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.
7	Outdoor Lighting	A07, A30, A32, A34, A35, A37			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Directly assigned costs of specific Transmission Radial Lines and Distribution Substations that solely serve other customer classes.</li> </ul>	The listed facilities and their associated costs are not used to provide service to these customers.

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Allocator for:</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Data Source(s)</b>	<b>Derivation</b>	<b>Allocator Rationale</b>
C11	Connection charge revenues	Average monthly customers	- 2024 Customer forecast for TY2025	Forecasted annual bills / 12	Connection charge revenue isn't specifically included in the NARUC Manual. New customer connections, by class, follow the pattern of existing customers. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
C11WA	Customer accounting costs	Weighted customer accounting costs	- 2024 Customer forecast for TY2025 and - 2025 customer accounting weighting factors	C11 X C11WAF	On page 103, the NARUC Manual says customer accounting costs are classified as customer-related, which matches Xcel Energy's approach. As for allocating costs to class, the chosen allocator recognizes that classes with larger customers require more complicated tracking per customer. Thus, such classes should get heavier weights. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
C12WM	Meter costs	Weighted meter investment	- 2024 meter, CT and VT model inventory by customer class - 2024 meter, CT and VT replacement costs	C12 X C12WMF	On page 96, the NARUC Manual notes that meters are normally classified as customer-related. And on page 98, the Manual supports the idea of weighting classes differently to reflect differences in capital investment levels. Xcel Energy's allocator follows both suggestions. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
C61PS	The "customer" (minimum system) portion of multi-phase primary distribution line costs	Average monthly customers served at primary or secondary voltage	- Customer 2024 forecast for TY2025 - 2024 Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies	C11 less transmission transformed and transmission voltage customers	On page 87, the NARUC Manual only discusses overhead and underground lines in general, rather than primary, multi-phase lines in particular. It suggests a mixed classification of demand-and customer-related, based on a Minimum System Study. Xcel Energy follows that approach. This allocator only addresses customer-based costs. It reflects both secondary and primary voltage customers, since both make use of primary lines. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
C61PS1Ph	The "customer" (minimum system) portion of single phase <u>primary</u> distribution line costs	Average monthly customers that are served by single phase primary distribution facilities	- Customer forecast for TY2024 and 2025 - Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies - GIS data that shows the percent of customers in each class that receive service from the single phase primary distribution system	C61PS multiplied by the percent of customers in each class that receive service from the single phase primary distribution system	On page 87, the NARUC Manual only discusses overhead and underground lines in general, rather than primary, single-phase lines in particular. It suggests a mixed classification of demand-and customer-related, based on a minimum system study. Xcel Energy follows that approach. This allocator only addresses customer-based costs. It reflects both secondary and primary voltage customers, since both make use of primary lines. But it only applies to those served by a single phase. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.

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C62NL	The customer portion of Company owned service costs.	Adjusted average monthly secondary voltage customers	- Customer forecast for TY2025 - 2024 Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies	C62Sec less street lighting and C&I underground customers	On page 87, the NARUC Manual discusses services, suggesting just a customer-related classification. Xcel Energy chose instead to extend the minimum system approach to service lines, thus recognizing that a service wire has a capacity aspect, as well as the ability to deliver a minimum electrical connectivity. This allocator only addresses customer-based costs. It excludes lighting customers, since they don't have service wires. And it excludes C&I underground customers, since they own their service wire. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
C62Sec	The customer portion of secondary distribution line costs	Average monthly customers served at secondary voltage	- Customer forecast for TY2025 - 2024 Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies	C61PS less primary voltage customers	On page 87, the NARUC Manual only discusses overhead and underground lines in general, rather than secondary lines in particular. It suggests a mixed classification of demand- and customer-related, based on a minimum system study. Xcel Energy follows that approach. This allocator only addresses customer-based costs. It reflects all secondary voltage customers. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Allocator for</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Data Sources</b>	<b>Derivation</b>	<b>Allocator Rationale</b>
D10S	Capacity-related generation costs and all transmission costs	Class contribution to System Peaks at MISO's peak hour for Local Resource Zone 1 (LRZ-1)	- 8760 load research data by class for the years 2018-2022 synched to the 2024 kWh Sales Forecast for TY2025	Since the MISO system peak hour for the test year is not available, used hourly class loads that are in the same hour as the 2023 MISO system peak hour.	<p>Pages 39 through 63 of the NARUC Manual discuss numerous methods for allocating generation capital costs to class. And pages 75 through 83 of the Manual discuss many of the same methods for allocating transmission line costs.</p> <p>The Company employs a different approach that nonetheless reflects many of the underlying issues in the manual. This approach recognizes that a portion of a utility's generation assets, as well as all of their transmission assets, are built for the purpose of meeting peak load. And this allocator is applied to those costs. This allocator previously reflected the utility's own annual, coincident peak – i.e., a 1CP approach. But because the company has become so fully integrated with MISO, and because MISO basically dispatches the company's power plants, a MISO-coincident peak is now used.</p> <p>A significant portion of the utility's generation investments is made primarily to facilitate the consumption of lower-cost fuel (rather than to meet peak demand). Those costs are allocated to class based on an energy allocator, as discussed for E8760. Such costs are still classified as demand-related. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.</p>
D60Sub	Distribution substation costs	Class-coincident peak less transmission-level demand	- 8760 load research data by class for the years 2018-2022 synched to the 2024 kWh Sales Forecast for TY2025		<p>On pages 77 through 83, the NARUC Manual discusses several possible class allocation methods for transmission plant, all related to some form of peak demand (other than a direct assignment approach). If a single season (in Xcel Energy's case, summer) clearly has the largest peak, then a 1CP method seems to be the most appropriate. And the Company does use 1CP. In particular, this allocator represents the annual coincident peak demand of every customer class except those served at transmission voltage (since they don't make use of step-down substations). The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.</p>

<b>Code</b>	<b>Allocator for</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Data Sources</b>	<b>Derivation</b>	<b>Allocator Rationale</b>
D61PS	The <u>capacity</u> portion of multi-phase primary voltage distribution line costs.	Class-coincident peak for primary and secondary voltage customers	- 8760 load research data by class for the years 2018-2022 synched to the 2024 kWh Sales Forecast for TY2025 - 2024 Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies	D60Sub less Transmission Transformed customer demands, less customer demands served by minimum distribution system and with reduced Residential Space Heating demands to reflect their summer peak is less than their winter peak	On page 87, the NARUC Manual only discusses overhead and underground lines in general, rather than primary, multi-phase lines in particular. It suggests a mixed classification of demand- and customer-related, based on a minimum system study. Xcel Energy follows that approach. This allocator only addresses demand-based costs. It reflects the class-coincident peak for both secondary and primary voltage customers, since both make use of primary lines. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
D61PS1Ph	The <u>capacity</u> portion of single phase <u>primary</u> distribution line costs	Class-coincident peak for primary and secondary voltage customers for customers that use the single phase primary distribution system	- 8760 load research data by class for the years 2018-2022 synched to the 2024 kWh Sales Forecast for TY2025 - 2024 Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies - GIS data that shows the percent of customers in each class that receive service from the single phase primary distribution system	D61PS multiplied by the percent of customers in each class that receive service from the single phase primary distribution system.	On page 87, the NARUC Manual only discusses overhead and underground lines in general, rather than primary, single-phase lines in particular. It suggests a mixed classification of demand- and customer-related, based on a minimum system study. Xcel Energy follows that approach. This allocator only addresses demand-based costs. It reflects the class-coincident peak for both secondary and primary voltage customers, since both make use of primary lines. But it only applies to those served by a single phase. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
D62NLL	The <u>capacity</u> portion of company owned service line costs	Secondary voltage demand less lighting	- Individual customer maximum demands from load research for non-demand billed customers and 2013 billing data for demand billed customers - 2024 Minimum system and Zero Intercept studies.	Non-coincident (or "customer peak") demand for secondary voltage customers, less the following: street lighting, area lighting and C&I customers served underground	On page 87, the NARUC Manual discusses services, suggesting just a customer-related classification. Xcel Energy chose instead to extend the minimum system approach to service lines, thus recognizing that a service wire has a capacity aspect, as well as the ability to deliver a minimum electrical connectivity. This allocator only addresses demand-based costs. It excludes lighting customers, since they don't have service wires. And it excludes C&I underground service customers, since they own their service wire. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.

<b>Code</b>	<b>Allocator for</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Data Sources</b>	<b>Derivation</b>	<b>Allocator Rationale</b>
D62SecL	The capacity portion of secondary distribution line costs	Average of class-coincident peak, secondary voltage percentages and non-coincident secondary voltage percentages	- TY2025 load research class coincident demands - 2024 Minimum system and Zero Intercept studies - Individual customer maximum demands from load research for non-demand billed customers and billing data for demand billed customers.	First define D62Sec as equal to D61PS, less primary customers. Then for each secondary class, D62SecL equals the average of D62Sec percent and non-coincident (or "customer peak"), secondary voltage percent.	On page 87, the NARUC Manual discusses only overhead and underground lines in general, rather than secondary lines in particular. It suggests a mixed classification of demand- and customer-related, based on a minimum system study. Xcel Energy follows that approach. This allocator only addresses demand-based costs. It reflects all secondary voltage customers. These capacity costs are driven by a 50/50 blend of class coincident peak demand and individual customer maximum (non-coincident) demand, less minimum system requirements. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
E8760	Fuel, purchased energy and energy-related fixed generation costs.	Class hourly energy (MWh) requirements weighted to reflect higher on-peak fuel costs	- 8760 load research data by class for the years 2018-2022 synched to the 2024 kWh Sales Forecast for TY2025 - Hourly marginal energy costs for the 2025 test year.	The hourly on-peak sales each class weighted by the hourly marginal energy cost.	On page 64, the NARUC Manual notes that fuel costs are almost always classified as energy-related. And some form of time differentiation, such as on-peak vs. off-peak, is most appropriate. Xcel Energy previously used such an on-peak / off-peak approach. Then the Company migrated to a more precise approach that properly weights the marginal energy cost for each of the 8,760 hours in a standard year, along with class consumption during each hour.  This allocator is applied to all fuel cost items, including purchased energy. Those costs are classified as energy-related. And as is explained in more detail for the D10S allocator, this allocator is also applied to the fuel-related portions of generation equipment. Those costs are classified as demand-related. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.
E99XCIP	CIP O&M Expenses	TY2025 sales forecast by customer class Less the TY2025 sales forecast for CIP exempt customers	2024 kWh Sales Forecast for TY2025		Programs such as CIP were not anticipated by the NARUC Manual. This allocator is simply based on sales. But since it applies to CIP program costs, it excludes sales from CIP-exempt customers. The Company feels that this allocator most appropriately reflects cost and is superior to other possible methods.

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Internal Allocators are those that are determined from data generated within the Class Cost of Service Study (CCOSS). Below is a list of internal allocators that are used within the CCOSS.

The Order in rate case Docket No. E002/GR-13-868 required the following CCOSS compliance item:

In its next rate case the Company's class-cost-of-service study shall include an explanatory filing identifying and describing each allocation method used in the study and detailing the reasons for concluding that each allocation method is appropriate and superior to other allocation methods considered by the Company, whether those methods are based on the Manual of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners or the Company's specific system requirements, its experience, and its engineering and operating characteristics. The Company shall also explain its reasoning in cases in which it did not consider alternative methods of allocation or classification.

To comply with this requirement, Schedule 2, Appendix 2, provided detailed comments about the appropriateness of all the external allocators. However, the internal allocators are simply derived by summing up multiple external allocators – in some cases, a few dozen. If the external allocators are fitting, then the internal allocators should also be fitting.

<b>Code</b>	<b>Allocator for:</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Allocator Justification</b>
C11P10	Expenses and labor related to customer assistance and instructional advertising	This allocator is the average of the Customer-related C11 allocator and the Production Plant investment P10 allocator.	Customer assistance and advertising expenses are driven by # of customers, and since most assistance pertains to helping customers reduce energy use it affects production plant investment.
LABOR	Amortizations, Payroll Taxes and A&G Expenses that are labor related such as Salaries, Pension & Benefits, Injuries & Claims	Total Labor costs on Page 12 line 48 less A&G Labor on Page 12 line 46. A&G Labor is excluded to avoid a circular reference.	The specified expenses are directly related to Labor costs.
NEPIS	Property Insurance, Net Operating Loss Carryover, Misc Prepayments	Electric plant in service less accumulated provision for depreciation.	These costs are driven by net electric plant in service.
OXDTS	Distribution customer installation expenses and miscellaneous distribution expense	All Distribution O&M Expense, except Supervision and Engineering, Customer Install and Miscellaneous. Supervision & engineering expenses are excluded since they are an overhead expense. Customer installation expenses and miscellaneous distribution expense are excluded to avoid a circular reference. (lines 2 thru 7, 9 and 11 of page 8).	The OXDTS allocator represents the majority of Distribution O&M expenses (excl supervision and customer installation costs) which is a good indicator for miscellaneous distribution expenses.

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OXTS	Selected administrative and general expenses such as Office Supplies, General Advertising, Contributions and maintenance of "General" plant	All O&M costs except Regulatory Expense and any A&G costs, which are the costs to be allocated on OXTS (lines 16, 17 and 23-27 of page 8). These A&G expenses are excluded to avoid circular references.	The OXTS allocator includes all O&M expenses except regulatory expense and those A&G items that are allocated with OXTS. Representing most O&M expenses, the OXTS allocator is appropriate for allocating A&G expenses.
P10	Interchange Production Capacity (i.e. fixed) inter-company Revenues. Rate base addition production-related materials and supplies	Total Production Plant: Original Plant in Service (line 6 of page 4).	Total production plant investment is closely associated with Interchange Agreement Capacity related revenues and Miscellaneous Rate Base Production additions.
P10WoN	Interchange Production Capacity (i.e. fixed) inter-company Costs	Total Production Plant less Nuclear Fuel Original Plant in Service. Nuclear fuel is excluded since NSP Wisconsin does not have nuclear plants (Total Production Plant on line 6 of page 4 less Nuclear Fuel on line 5 of page 4).	Since Wisconsin does not have nuclear plants, Total production plant investment less nuclear fuel investment is a good indicator of Interchange Agreement Capacity related expenses.
P5161A	Used to allocate Step-up sub transmission costs in the Labor Allocator development	Total Generation Set-Up Transformer original plant in service: Tran Gener Step Up (line 9 of page 4) + Distrib Substn Step Up (line 14 of page 4).	Generation step-up plant investment drives step-up generation labor costs.
P61	Distribution Substation O&M expense and Distribution Substation labor	Distribution Plant: Substations Original Plant in Service (line 18, page 4).	Substation plant original investment drives Distribution Substation plant O&M costs and Distribution Substation Labor.
P68	All costs related to Distribution Plant "Line Transformers"	Distribution Plant: Line Transformers Original Plant in Service (line 42 of page 4).	Line transformer plant investment drives all line transformer costs.
P69	All costs related to Distribution Plant "Services"	Customer-Connection "Services" Original Plant in Service (line 45 of page 4).	Distribution "Services" plant investment drives all costs of "Services."
P73	All costs related to Street Lighting	Street Lighting Original Plant in Service (line 47 of page 4).	Street Lighting plant investment drives all Street Lighting costs. The results of the direct assignment of Street Lighting costs were turned into an allocator, for use elsewhere in the CCOSS.

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Allocator for:</b>	<b>Derivation</b>	<b>Allocator Justification</b>
POL	All costs related to Overhead Distribution Lines including Rental costs and Distribution overhead line rent revenues.	Distribution Plant: Overhead Lines Original Plant in Service (line 28 of page 4)	Overhead distribution line plant investment drives all costs related to Overhead Distribution Lines.
PT0	Working Cash	Total Real Estate & Property Taxes (line 49 of page 9)	Working Cash is closely related to Real Estate Taxes.
PTD	All costs related to General Plant and Electric Common Plant	Original Plant Investment: Production + Transmission + Distribution (lines 6, 13 and 48 of page 4)	Total investment in production, transmission and distribution plant is the best allocator for general and common plant.
PUL	All costs related to Underground Distribution Lines	Distribution Plant: Underground Lines Original Plant in Service (line 38 of page 4)	Underground distribution line plant investment drives all costs related to Underground Distribution Lines.
R01	Sales	Present budgeted revenues for the test year	The intent of sales is to maintain or increase revenues to lessen the need for future rate increases.
R02	Economic Development	Base revenues for the test year	Allocates economic development discounts
RTBASE	Income Tax Addition: Avoided tax interest	Total Rate Base (line 36 of page 6)	Total rate base drives avoided tax interest.
STRATH	Step-up Transformers that are Dedicated to Hydro	Using the current Stratification for Hydro Plants, the allocator is an 81% weighting of the E8760 energy allocator and a 19% weighting of the D10S capacity allocator.	Energy vs. capacity weighting of Hydro plants drives Step-up Transformer investment. It applies to just the very small portion of generation step-up assets that are hydro-related and are located on the Distribution system, unlike all of the other generation step-up facilities that are located on the Transmission system.
TD	Transmission and Distribution Materials and Supplies that are Rate Base Additions	Total Transmission and Distribution Original Plant in Service (Lines 13 and 48 of page 4)	Total Transmission and distribution plant investment drives investment in miscellaneous transmission and distribution materials and supplies.
ZDTS	Supervision & Engineering and Customer Installation Distribution Labor	All Distribution Labor except Supervision and Engineering and Customer Installation. These items are excluded to avoid a circular reference. (All of lines 33 thru 42 on page 12, except lines 33 and 40)	Distribution labor (excluding Supervision & Engineering) drives Supervision and Engineering and Customer Installation Labor.

<b>Analysis</b>	<b>Analysis Description</b>	<b>Data Sources and Associated Vintage</b>
E8760 Allocator Development	<p>This allocator is developed by multiplying customer class loads by system marginal energy costs for each hour of the 2025-2026 Test Years. The allocation is the relationship of the annual class totals of these hourly results to the retail total.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Test Year 8760 load shapes for each customer class are developed from five years of load research data (2018-2022). The resulting load shapes for each class are synced up to the 2024 forecasts for the 2025-2026 Test Years.</li> <li>2. Hourly system marginal energy costs are based on the 2025-2026 Test Year forecasts from the Commercial Operations area.</li> </ol>
Generation Plant Stratification Analysis	<p>Cost stratification is the term used to identify the capital substitution analysis that separates or “stratifies” fixed generation costs into “capacity-related” and “energy-related” categories. The information used for this analysis includes the 2024 replacement costs of NSPM power plants that were developed by the Capital Asset Accounting area, and the corresponding capacity ratings for those plants.</p> <p>This information is used to define the “capacity-related” component for each type of non-peaking generation plant. This capacity component by plant type is recognized by dividing the peaking plant cost per kW by the non-peaking cost per kW.</p> <p>The remaining “energy-related” component by plant type is the percent determined by subtracting the capacity-related percent from 100 percent. This component is sub-functionalized as “energy-related,” because it represents the additional investment above the cost of a peaking plant that is made to obtain lower energy (and total) costs as compared to a peaking plant.</p>	Based on 2024 replacement costs of all NSP Minnesota Company Power Plants.
Customer Accounting Weights	<p>The relative costs by customer class for meter reading, back-office support, customer service and billing were developed based on current budgets and the experience of management in the Billing and Customer Service area. Residential customers are assigned a weight of 1. Based on this analysis, the other customer classes are assigned weights based on the relative differences compared to the residential class.</p>	Based on 2024 budgets with the relative weighting estimates provided by management from the Billing and Customer Service areas.

<b>Analysis</b>	<b>Analysis Description</b>	<b>Data Sources and Associated Vintage</b>
Minimum System and Zero Intercept Analyses	<p>The Minimum System and Zero Intercept Analyses is used to separate FERC Accounts 364-369 into "Demand/Capacity-Related" and "Customer-Related" cost classifications. As ordered by the Commission in the Company's 2013 rate case (Docket No. E002/GR-13-868) the Company conducted an updated Minimum System study. The Company was also able to obtain the data for a Zero Intercept study. A detailed description of these studies is provided Schedule 11 of Christopher J. Barthol's Direct Testimony.</p> <p>The Minimum Distribution System method involves comparing the cost of the minimum size of each type of facility used to the cost of the actual sized facilities installed. The cost of the minimum size facilities determines the "customer" component of total costs. The "capacity" cost component is the difference between total installed cost and the minimum sized cost.</p> <p>The Zero Intercept method attempts to determine the portion of plant that relates to a hypothetical no load or zero intercept situation. By analyzing the actual costs of 14 years of construction work orders, installed costs per unit (e.g. cost per foot of overhead primary conductor) were obtained for equipment configurations that comprise at least 90% distribution plant in the field. The installed cost was regressed against the load carrying capacity of each equipment configuration. The zero intercept of the regression was used as the minimum system cost. The cost of the minimum size facilities determines the "customer" component of total costs.</p>	Based on an analysis of distribution construction work orders in Minnesota that were completed from 2007 to 2020.
Customer Metering Cost per Customer	Customer metering weights are assigned to each class based on the actual replacement costs of meters, current transformers (CTs) and voltage transformers (VTs) for each customer in each class. An inventory of the meter model, CT model and VT model installed for each customer by customer class was obtained from the Company's Meter Data Management System (MDMS). Metering staff provided current replacement costs for each meter model, CT model and VT model. Weighted customer metering costs including the cost of CTs and VTs were then calculated for each customer and rolled up for each customer class.	Based on a 2024 inventory of meter models, CT models and VT models for each customer. Meter, CT and VT replacement costs are for 2024.

Analysis	Analysis Description	Data Sources and Associated Vintage
Compliance Classification of Other Production O&M Costs	Based on the MPUC order in Docket Nos. E002/GR-12-961 and E002/GR-13-868, consulted with Xcel Generation Cost modeling staff to identify production Other Production O&M expenses that vary directly with energy consumption. Staff in the Generation Cost Modeling area considers Chemicals and Water as the only Other Production O&M costs that vary directly with energy output. These costs were classified as 100% energy related. The remaining cost items were split in groups based on the type of plant (i.e., Nuclear, Fossil, etc.) and classified as capacity or energy related based on the plant stratification for that plant type.	2025-2026 budget detail of Other Production O&M expenses and 2024 Plant Stratification Analysis.
Direct Assignment of Overhead Secondary Distribution Line Costs to the Lighting Class	In consultation with staff in the Company's Capital Asset Accounting area, identified specific lighting costs that are included in each FERC account code for distribution plant. Discovered that all lighting plant investment is included in FERC Account 373 except for the cost of wood poles that are solely used by lighting in overhead distribution areas. These costs are included in FERC Account 364. This analysis quantified the amount of overhead distribution pole investment that is attributed to lighting poles only. The costs for cross arms are excluded from the analysis since cross arms are used to carry conductors which means the pole has more than street lights attached.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TY2025 plant investment in FERC Account 364 (overhead distribution poles).</li> <li>• The total number of overhead distribution poles based on 2024 data.</li> <li>• The number of street lights in overhead distribution area in 2024.</li> <li>• Estimated percent of distribution poles with lighting that only serve lighting load.</li> </ul>
Customers Served by 3 Phase Vs 1 Phase Primary Distribution Lines	Customers who do not receive service off the single-phase primary distribution system should not pay the costs of this part of the distribution system. Based on data from the Company's GIS system determined the percent of customers in each class the receive service off the 3 phase or 1 phase primary distribution system. This analysis is described in Christopher J. Barthol's Direct Testimony.	2024 listing from the GIS system of all customer premises in MN and whether they receive service off the 3 phase of 1 phase distribution system.
Customers Served by Overhead Vs Underground Transformers	C&I secondary voltage customers with underground services own the service. This analysis determined the percent of customers that are served from an underground service. These customers are excluded from the allocation of distribution service costs.	2024 listing from the GIS system of all customer premises in MN and whether they are served from an overhead or underground transformer.
Comparison of MISO's system historical peak hour to historical NSP System hourly loads	Conduct a comparison of MISO's system historical peak hour to the historical hourly loads of the NSP System. This is done to determine which hours for the 2025-2026 test years should be used to calculate the D10S class Generation and Transmission capacity cost allocator.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NSP System Operations area has historical hourly loads for the NSP System.</li> <li>• MISO's most recent Loss of Load Expectations Study lists historical peak days and hours for each LRZ.</li> </ul>

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**UNADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
[1]	Unadjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (CCOSS page 2, line 1)	4,016,627	1,631,353	124,967	2,220,924	39,383
[2]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,108</u>	<u>1,884</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>21</u>
[3]	Unadjusted Operating Revenues (line 1 + line 2)	4,018,734	1,633,237	125,031	2,221,062	39,404
[4]	Present Rates (CCOSS page 2, line 2)	<u>3,665,482</u>	<u>1,451,117</u>	<u>115,793</u>	<u>2,066,616</u>	<u>31,956</u>
[5]	Unadjusted Deficiency (line 3 - line 4)	353,252	182,120	9,238	154,446	7,447
[6]	Defic / Pres (line 5 / line 4)	9.6%	12.6%	8.0%	7.5%	23.3%
[7]	<b>Ratio: Class % / Total %</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.30</b>	<b>0.83</b>	<b>0.78</b>	<b>2.42</b>

**COST RESPONSIBILITIES FOR RATE DISCOUNTS**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
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[8]	Interruptible Rate Discounts (CCOSS page 2, line 5)					
[9]	Economic Development Discount (CCOSS page 2, line 6)					
[10]	Interruptible Rate Disc Cost Allocation (CCOSS page 2, line 7)					
[11]	<u>Economic Development Disc Cost Allocation (CCOSS page 2, line 8)</u>					
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[12]	Revenue Requirement Change (lines 10 & 11 - lines 8 & 9)	0	6,616	602	(7,290)	72

**ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
[13]	Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,016,627	1,637,969	125,569	2,213,633	39,455
[14]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,108</u>	<u>1,884</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>21</u>
[15]	Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,018,734	1,639,853	125,634	2,213,771	39,476
[16]	Present Rates (line 4)	<u>3,665,482</u>	<u>1,451,117</u>	<u>115,793</u>	<u>2,066,616</u>	<u>31,956</u>
[17]	Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	353,252	188,736	9,840	147,156	7,520
[18]	<b>Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)</b>	<b>9.6%</b>	<b>13.0%</b>	<b>8.5%</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>23.5%</b>
[19]	<b>Ratio: Class % / Total %</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.35</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>2.44</b>

**PROPOSED REVENUE RESPONSIBILITIES**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
[20]	Proposed Rates (CCOSS page 3, line 3)	4,016,626	1,599,698	126,623	2,254,401	35,905
[21]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,108</u>	<u>1,884</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>138</u>	<u>21</u>
[22]	Proposed Operating Revenues (line 20 + line 21)	4,018,734	1,601,583	126,687	2,254,539	35,926
[23]	Proposed Increase (line 22 - line 16)	353,252	150,465	10,894	187,923	3,969
[24]	Difference / Pres (line 23 / line 16)	9.6%	10.4%	9.4%	9.1%	12.4%
[25]	<b>Ratio: Class % / Total %</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>0.98</b>	<b>0.94</b>	<b>1.29</b>

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<b>Rate Base</b>	
<u>Plant In Service</u>	<u>Alloc</u>
1 Production	
2 Transmission	
3 Distribution	
4 General	
<u>5 Common</u>	
6 Total Plant In Service	
7 Production	
8 Transmission	
9 Distribution	
10 General	
<u>11 Common</u>	
12 Total Depreciation Reserve	
<b>13 Net Plant In Service</b>	
14 Deducts: Accum Defer Inc Tax	
15 Constr Work In Progress	
16 Fuel Inventory	
17 Materials & Supplies	
18 Prepayments	
<u>19 Non-Plant &amp; Work Cash</u>	
20 Total Additions	
<b>21 Rate Base</b>	
<b>Income Statement</b>	
<b>22A Tot Oper Rev - Pres</b>	
<b>22B Tot Oper Rev - Prop</b>	
23 Oper & Maint	
24 Book Depr + IRS Int	
25 Payroll, RI Est & Prop Tax	
26 Deferred Inc Tax & Net ITC	
27A Present Income Tax	
27B Proposed Income Tax	
28 Allow Funds Dur Const	
<b>29A Present Return</b>	
<b>29B Proposed Return</b>	
<b>30A Pres Ret on Rt Base</b>	
<b>30B Prop Ret on Rt Base</b>	
<b>31A Pres Ret on Common</b>	
<b>31B Prop Ret on Common</b>	

1 <u>MN</u>	2 <u>Res</u>	3 <u>C&amp;I Tot</u>	4 <u>Sm Non-D</u>	5 <u>Demand</u>	6 <u>St Ltg</u>
13,503,928	4,668,170	8,801,486	364,509	8,436,977	34,273
4,258,347	1,483,674	2,758,108	117,032	2,641,076	16,565
5,462,753	3,575,553	1,705,595	229,761	1,475,834	181,605
2,725,709	1,141,616	1,556,814	83,479	1,473,335	27,280
<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
25,950,738	10,869,012	14,822,003	794,780	14,027,223	259,723
7,707,909	2,643,194	5,044,225	208,864	4,835,362	20,490
995,930	347,484	644,599	27,331	617,268	3,846
1,832,665	1,215,048	556,325	73,594	482,731	61,292
1,277,823	535,194	729,841	39,135	690,705	12,789
<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
11,814,328	4,740,920	6,974,990	348,924	6,626,066	98,417
14,136,410	6,128,091	7,847,013	445,857	7,401,156	161,306
2,262,282	901,484	1,341,700	67,061	1,274,639	19,097
982,733	413,580	563,464	28,117	535,347	5,690
85,634	27,928	57,415	2,375	55,041	290
185,838	70,257	114,495	5,315	109,180	1,086
99,179	42,994	55,054	3,128	51,926	1,132
<u>10,480</u>	<u>3,203</u>	<u>7,470</u>	<u>412</u>	<u>7,058</u>	<u>(193)</u>
1,363,864	557,962	797,897	39,347	758,551	8,004
13,237,993	5,784,569	7,303,210	418,142	6,885,068	150,213
4,529,137	1,750,215	2,743,935	139,480	2,604,455	34,988
4,882,389	1,900,680	2,942,752	150,374	2,792,378	38,957
2,925,253	1,087,098	1,820,116	87,221	1,732,895	18,039
914,479	389,521	513,591	28,266	485,325	11,367
209,175	93,157	113,485	6,680	106,805	2,533
(167,776)	(75,301)	(89,850)	(5,386)	(84,464)	(2,625)
(19,505)	(17,781)	(1,764)	(21)	(1,743)	41
82,027	25,466	55,380	3,110	52,269	1,182
81,561	34,017	47,127	2,308	44,819	416
749,072	307,538	435,485	25,029	410,456	6,049
1,000,792	414,757	577,157	32,791	544,366	8,878
5.66%	5.32%	5.96%	5.99%	5.96%	4.03%
<b>7.56%</b>	7.17%	7.90%	7.84%	7.91%	5.91%
6.68%	6.03%	7.26%	7.31%	7.26%	3.58%
<b>10.30%</b>	9.56%	10.96%	10.84%	10.96%	7.16%

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**PRES vs Equal Rev Reqs**

	Total Retail Rev Reqt	Alloc
1	UnAdj Equal Rev Reqt @ 7.56%	
2	<u>Present Revenue</u>	
3	UnAdj Revenue Deficiency	
4	UnAdj Deficiency / Present	
5	Pres Int Rate Discounts	
6	Pres Econ Dvlp Rate Discounts	
7	Pres Int Rate Disc Cost Alloc	D10S
8	Pres Econ Dvlp Disc Cost Alloc	R02
9	Revenue Requirement Shift	
10	<u>Adj Equal Rev Reqt (Rows 1+9)</u>	
11	Adj Rev Defic vs Pres Rev (Row 2)	
12	Adj Deficiency / Adj Present	
13	<u>Equal Customer Classification</u>	
14	Min Sys & Service Drop	
15	Energy Services	
16	Total Customer ( <b>Cusco</b> )	
17	Ave Monthly Customers	
18	Svc Drop Reqt	\$ / Mo / Cust
19	Ener Svcs Reqt	\$ / Mo / Cust
	Total Reqt	\$ / Mo / Cust
20	<u>Equal Energy Classification</u>	
21	On Peak Rev Reqt	
22	Off Peak Rev Reqt	
23	Total Ener Rev Reqt	
24	Annual MWh Sales	
25	On Pk Reqt	Mills / kWh
26	Off Pk Reqt	Mills / kWh
	Total Reqt	Mills / kWh
27	<u>Equal Demand Classification</u>	
28	Energy-Related Prod	
29	Capacity-Related Summer Peak Prod	
30	Capacity-Related Winter Peak Prod	
31	Total Capacity-Related Prod	
32	Total Production	
33	Transmission ( <b>Transco</b> )	
34	Primary Dist Subs	
35	Prim Dist Lines	
36	Second Dist, Trans	
	Total Distribution ( <b>Disco</b> )	
37	Total Demand Rev Reqt	
38	Annual Billing kW	
39	Base Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
40	Summer Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
41	Winter Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
42	Prod Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
43	Tran Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
44	Dist Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
45	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
46	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt	Mills / kWh
47	Summer Billing kW	
48	Winter Billing kW	
49	Tot Summer Reqt	\$ / kW
50	Tot Winter Reqt	\$ / kW
51	Energy + Production ( <b>Genco</b> )	

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<b>4,016,627</b>	<b>1,631,353</b>	<b>2,345,891</b>	<b>124,967</b>	<b>2,220,924</b>	<b>39,383</b>
<b>3,665,482</b>	<b>1,451,117</b>	<b>2,182,409</b>	<b>115,793</b>	<b>2,066,616</b>	<b>31,956</b>
<b>351,144</b>	<b>180,236</b>	<b>163,482</b>	<b>9,174</b>	<b>154,308</b>	<b>7,427</b>
<b>9.58%</b>	<b>12.42%</b>	<b>7.49%</b>	<b>7.92%</b>	<b>7.47%</b>	<b>23.24%</b>
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS</b>					
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>					
0	6,616	(6,688)	602	(7,290)	72
<b>4,016,627</b>	<b>1,637,969</b>	<b>2,339,203</b>	<b>125,569</b>	<b>2,213,633</b>	<b>39,455</b>
351,144	186,852	156,794	9,776	147,018	7,499
9.58%	12.88%	7.18%	8.44%	7.11%	23.47%
298,943	244,125	27,898	17,211	10,687	26,920
87,343	73,550	13,307	6,772	6,536	486
386,286	317,675	41,205	23,982	17,223	27,406
1,420,649	1,252,372	140,049	89,349	50,699	28,229
\$17.54	\$16.24	\$16.60	\$16.05	\$17.57	\$79.47
\$5.12	\$4.89	\$7.92	\$6.32	\$10.74	\$1.44
\$22.66	\$21.14	\$24.52	\$22.37	\$28.31	\$80.91
897,379	285,620	610,248	25,913	584,336	1,511
926,332	309,863	611,636	24,884	586,752	4,834
1,823,711	595,483	1,221,884	50,796	1,171,087	6,345
28,304,704	9,010,863	19,179,784	775,642	18,404,142	114,057
31.704	31.697	31.817	33.408	31.750	13.245
32.727	34.388	31.890	32.082	31.882	42.381
64.431	66.085	63.707	65.489	63.632	55.626
447,051	148,173	297,483	12,294	285,189	1,395
349,626	140,971	208,655	8,666	199,989	0
108,673	43,817	64,855	2,694	62,162	0
458,298	184,788	273,510	11,360	262,150	0
905,349	332,961	570,993	23,654	547,339	1,395
508,579	177,053	329,526	13,995	315,532	2,000
90,244	36,639	53,130	2,741	50,389	474
242,689	135,601	105,508	7,860	97,648	1,580
59,768	35,941	23,643	1,938	21,705	184
392,701	208,182	182,282	12,539	169,743	2,238
1,806,629	718,196	1,082,801	50,188	1,032,613	5,632
48,584,599	0	48,584,599	0	48,584,599	0
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6.12	\$0.00	\$5.87	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4.29	\$0.00	\$4.12	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.33	\$0.00	\$1.28	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11.75	\$0.00	\$11.27	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6.78	\$0.00	\$6.49	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.75	\$0.00	\$3.49	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$22.29	\$0.00	\$21.25	\$0.00
63.828	79,703	56,455	64,705	56,108	49,381
18,135,939	0	18,135,939	0	18,135,939	0
30,448,660	0	30,448,660	0	30,448,660	0
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$28.16	\$0.00	\$26.89	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$18.79	\$0.00	\$17.90	\$0.00
2,729,060	928,443	1,792,877	74,451	1,718,426	7,740

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1	Proposed Ret On Rt Base	
2	UnAdj Equalized Rev Reqt	
3	Proposed Revenue	
4	UnAdj Revenue Deficiency	
5	UnAdj Deficiency / Proposed	
6	Prop Interrupt Rate Discounts	
7	Prop Econ Dev Rate Discounts	
8	Prop Int Rate Disc Cost Alloc	D10S
9	Prop ED Discount Cost Alloc	R02
10	Revenue Requirement Shift	
11	Adj Equal Rev (Rows 2+10)	
12	Adj Rev Defic vs Prop Rev (Row 3)	
13	Adj Deficiency / Adj Prop	
14	Prop Customer Component	
15	Min Sys & Service Drop	
16	Energy Services	
17	Total Customer ( <b>Cusco</b> )	
18	Ave Monthly Customers	
19	Svc Drop Reqt	\$ / Mo / Cust
20	Ener Svcs Reqt	\$ / Mo / Cust
21	Total Reqt	\$ / Mo / Cust
22	Prop Energy Component	
23	On Peak Rev Reqt	
24	Off Peak Rev Reqt	
25	Total Ener Rev Reqt	
26	Annual MWh Sales	
27	On Pk Reqt	Mills / kWh
28	Off Pk Reqt	Mills / kWh
29	Total Reqt	Mills / kWh
30	Prop Demand Component	
31	Energy-Related Prod	
32	Capacity-Related Summer Peak Prod	
33	Capacity-Related Winter Peak Prod	
34	Total Capacity-Related Prod	
35	Total Production	
36	Prop Demand Component	
37	Transmission ( <b>Transco</b> )	
38	Primary Dist Subs	
39	Prim Dist Lines	
40	Second Dist, Trans	
41	Total Distribution ( <b>Disco</b> )	
42	Total Demand Rev Reqt	
43	Annual Billing kW	
44	Base Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
45	Summer Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
46	Winter Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
47	Prod Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
48	Tran Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
49	Dist Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
50	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt	\$ / kW
51	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt	Mills / kWh
52	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt	
53	Summer Billing kW	
54	Winter Billing kW	
55	Tot Summer Reqt	\$ / kW
56	Tot Winter Reqt	\$ / kW
57	Energy + Production ( <b>Genco</b> )	
58	Prop Rev - Pres Rev (Pg 2)	
59	Difference / Present	

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1 <u>MN</u>	2 <u>Res</u>	3 <u>C&amp;I Tot</u>	4 <u>Sm Non-D</u>	5 <u>Demand</u>	6 <u>St Ltg</u>
7.56%	7.17%	7.90%	7.84%	7.91%	5.91%
4,016,627	1,631,353	2,345,891	124,967	2,220,924	39,383
<u>4,016,626</u>	<u>1,599,698</u>	<u>2,381,023</u>	<u>126,623</u>	<u>2,254,401</u>	<u>35,905</u>
0	31,655	(35,133)	(1,656)	(33,477)	3,478
0.00%	1.98%	-1.48%	-1.31%	-1.48%	9.69%
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>					
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>					
0	6,803	(6,888)	621	(7,509)	85
<u>4,016,627</u>	<u>1,638,157</u>	<u>2,339,002</u>	<u>125,588</u>	<u>2,213,414</u>	<u>39,468</u>
0	38,458	(42,021)	(1,035)	(40,986)	3,563
0.00%	2.40%	-1.76%	-0.82%	-1.82%	9.92%
283,967	231,354	28,353	17,200	11,152	24,260
87,293	73,499	13,308	6,770	6,538	486
371,260	304,854	41,661	23,971	17,690	24,745
1,420,649	1,252,372	140,049	89,349	50,699	28,229
\$16.66	\$15.39	\$16.87	\$16.04	\$18.33	\$71.62
\$5.12	\$4.89	\$7.92	\$6.31	\$10.75	\$1.43
\$21.78	\$20.29	\$24.79	\$22.36	\$29.08	\$73.05
896,923	285,353	610,062	25,906	584,156	1,508
925,795	309,571	611,399	24,877	586,522	4,825
1,822,718	594,924	1,221,461	50,783	1,170,677	6,333
28,304,704	9,010,863	19,179,784	775,642	18,404,142	114,057
31,688	31,668	31,808	33,399	31,740	13,225
32,708	34,355	31,877	32,073	31,869	42,301
64,396	66,023	63,685	65,473	63,609	55,526
431,030	135,105	294,854	12,332	282,522	1,071
376,691	148,532	228,159	9,547	218,612	0
<u>117,085</u>	<u>46,167</u>	<u>70,918</u>	<u>2,967</u>	<u>67,950</u>	<u>0</u>
493,776	194,699	299,077	12,515	286,562	0
924,806	329,804	593,931	24,847	569,084	1,071
506,668	170,590	334,307	14,295	320,012	1,771
92,390	35,793	56,180	2,873	53,306	418
239,791	129,832	108,552	7,913	100,639	1,407
<u>58,994</u>	<u>33,903</u>	<u>24,931</u>	<u>1,940</u>	<u>22,992</u>	<u>160</u>
391,175	199,527	189,663	12,726	176,937	1,985
1,822,649	699,921	1,117,902	51,868	1,066,033	4,827
48,584,599	0	48,584,599	0	48,584,599	0
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.82	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4.50	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.40	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11.71	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6.59	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.64	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21.94	\$0.00
64,394	77,675	58,285	66,872	57,924	42,318
18,135,939	0	18,135,939	0	18,135,939	0
30,448,660	0	30,448,660	0	30,448,660	0
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$29.43	\$0.00	\$28.10	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$19.18	\$0.00	\$18.28	\$0.00
2,747,524	924,728	1,815,392	75,630	1,739,761	7,404
351,144	148,581	198,614	10,829	187,785	3,949
9.58%	10.24%	9.10%	9.35%	9.09%	12.36%

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**Original Plant in Service**

	<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>
1	Summer Peak	D10S
2	WInter Peak	<u>D10S</u>
3	Total Peak	D10S
4	Base Load	E8760
5	Nuclear Fuel	<u>E8760</u>
6	Total	32.03%
	<b>Transmission</b>	
7	Gen Step Up Base	E8760
8	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>
9	Total Gen Step Up	
10	Bulk Transmission	D10T
11	Distrib Function	D60Sub
12	Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>
13	Total	
	<b>Distribution:</b> <b>Substations</b>	
14	Generat Step Up	STRATH
15	Bulk Transmission	D10T
16	Distrib Function	D60Sub
17	Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>
18	Total	
	<b>Overhead Lines</b>	
19	Primary Capacity 1 Phase	D61PS1Ph
20	Primary Capacity Multi Phase	D61PS
21	Primary Customer 1 Phase	C61PS1Ph
22	Primary Customer Multi Phase	<u>C61PS</u>
23	Total Primary	
24	Second Capacity	D62SecL
25	Second Customer	<u>C62Sec</u>
26	Total Secondary	
27	Street Lighting	<u>DASL</u>
28	Total	
	<b>Underground Lines</b>	
29	Primary Capacity 1 Phase	D61PS1Ph
30	Primary Capacity Multi Phase	D61PS
31	Primary Customer 1 Phase	C61PS1Ph
32	Primary Customer Multi Phase	<u>C61PS</u>
33	Total Primary	
34	Second Capacity	D62SecL
35	Second Customer	<u>C62Sec</u>
36	Total Secondary	
37	Street Lighting	<u>DASL</u>
38	Total	
	<b>Line Transformers</b>	
39	Primary	D61PS
40	Second Capacity	D62SecL
41	Second Customer	<u>C62Sec</u>
42	Total	
	<b>Services</b>	
43	Second Capacity	D62NLL
44	Second Customer	<u>C62NL</u>
45	Total Services	<u>C62NL</u>
46	Meters	C12WM
47	Street Lighting	<u>Dir Assign</u>
48	<b>Total Distribution</b>	
49	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD
50	Prelim Elec Plant	
	TBT Investment	<u>NEPIS</u>
	<b>Elec Plant in Serv</b>	

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	120, 310-346	2,582,454 <u>802,693</u>	1,043,661 <u>324,397</u>	1,538,793 <u>478,297</u>	64,012 <u>19,896</u>	1,474,781 <u>458,400</u>	0 <u>0</u>
		3,385,147	1,368,058	2,017,090	83,908	1,933,182	0
		7,182,645	2,342,528	4,815,789	199,180	4,616,609	24,328
		<u>2,936,136</u>	<u>957,583</u>	<u>1,968,608</u>	<u>81,421</u>	<u>1,887,187</u>	<u>9,945</u>
		13,503,928	4,668,170	8,801,486	364,509	8,436,977	34,273
	350-359	136,691 39,814 176,505 4,072,296 0 <u>9,546</u>	44,580 <u>16,090</u> 60,670 1,423,004 0 <u>0</u>	91,648 <u>23,724</u> 115,372 2,633,190 0 <u>9,546</u>	3,791 987 4,777 112,254 0 <u>0</u>	87,857 22,737 110,594 2,520,936 0 <u>9,546</u>	463 0 463 16,102 0 <u>0</u>
	360-363	4,258,347	1,483,674	2,758,108	117,032	2,641,076	16,565
	364,365	2,812 0 877,932 <u>20,356</u> 901,101	958 0 365,608 0 366,566	1,846 0 507,586 <u>20,356</u> 529,789	76 0 27,298 0 27,375	1,770 0 480,288 <u>20,356</u> 502,414	8 0 4,738 0 4,746
	366,367	246,875 542,018 78,022 <u>171,299</u> 1,038,213 84,131 <u>334,236</u> 418,367 <u>63,793</u> 1,520,374	203,922 229,361 74,379 <u>153,366</u> <u>661,028</u> 45,066 <u>299,353</u> 344,419 0 1,005,448	40,835 309,684 3,349 <u>17,178</u> <u>371,047</u> 38,704 <u>33,411</u> 72,115 0 443,163	8,363 17,125 2,918 <u>10,953</u> <u>39,359</u> 3,071 <u>21,379</u> 24,450 0 63,809	32,472 292,559 432 <u>6,225</u> <u>331,688</u> 35,633 <u>12,032</u> 47,666 0 379,354	2,118 2,973 293 <u>754</u> <u>6,137</u> 361 <u>1,472</u> 1,833 <u>63,793</u> 71,763
	368	361,197 521,301 191,736 <u>276,725</u> 1,350,958 149,449 <u>211,063</u> 360,512 0 1,711,471	298,354 220,594 182,784 <u>247,756</u> 949,488 80,055 <u>189,035</u> 269,090 0 1,218,578	59,745 297,848 8,231 <u>27,751</u> <u>393,575</u> 68,753 <u>21,098</u> 89,852 0 483,426	12,236 16,471 7,170 <u>17,694</u> <u>53,570</u> 5,455 <u>13,500</u> 18,955 0 72,526	47,509 281,377 1,061 <u>10,057</u> <u>340,004</u> 63,298 <u>7,598</u> 70,896 0 410,901	3,098 2,859 720 <u>1,218</u> <u>7,896</u> 641 <u>929</u> 1,570 0 9,466
	369	94,136 139,331 <u>296,798</u> 530,265	39,835 74,635 <u>265,822</u> 380,292	53,785 64,099 <u>29,669</u> 147,552	2,974 5,086 <u>18,984</u> 27,044	50,811 59,013 <u>10,685</u> 120,508	516 597 <u>1,307</u> 2,421
	370	161,633 263,181 424,813	124,724 250,568 375,292	36,909 12,613 49,521	3,547 8,070 11,617	33,362 4,542 37,904	0 0 0
	373	282,066 <u>92,664</u> 5,462,753	229,377 0 3,575,553	52,144 0 1,705,595	27,390 0 229,761	24,753 0 1,475,834	545 <u>92,664</u> 181,605
	303, 389-399	2,725,709	1,141,616	1,556,814	83,479	1,473,335	27,280
		25,950,738 0 25,950,738	10,869,012 0 10,869,012	14,822,003 0 14,822,003	794,780 0 794,780	14,027,223 0 14,027,223	259,723 0 259,723

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**Accum Deprec; Net Plant**

	<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S
2	Decom Int Peaking	D10S
3	Decom Int Baseload	E8760
4	Nuclear Fuel	E8760
5	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>
6	Total	
	<b>Transmission</b>	
7	Gen Step Up Base	E8760
8	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>
9	Total Gen Step Up	
10	Bulk Transmission	D10T
11	Distrib Function	D60Sub
12	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>
13	Total	
	<b>Distribution</b>	
14	Generat Step Up	STRATH
15	Bulk Transmission	D10T
16	Distrib Function	D60Sub
17	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>
18	Total Substations	
19	Overhead Lines	POL
20	Underground	PUL
21	Line Transformers	P68
22	Services	P69
23	Meters	C12WM
24	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>
25	Total	
26	<b>General &amp; CommonPlant</b>	PTD
27	<b>Total Accum Depr</b>	
28	<b>Net Elec Plant</b>	
29	<b>Net Plant w/ TBT</b>	

FERC Accounts	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
108,111,115,120.5	1,658,469	670,246	988,223	41,109	947,114	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2,749,967	896,867	1,843,786	76,258	1,767,527	9,314
	<u>3,299,473</u>	<u>1,076,081</u>	<u>2,212,216</u>	<u>91,497</u>	<u>2,120,720</u>	<u>11,175</u>
	7,707,909	2,643,194	5,044,225	208,864	4,835,362	20,490

108,111,115,120.5	20,986	6,844	14,070	582	13,488	71
	<u>17,325</u>	<u>7,002</u>	<u>10,323</u>	<u>429</u>	<u>9,894</u>	<u>0</u>
	38,311	13,846	24,394	1,011	23,383	71
	954,794	333,639	617,380	26,319	591,060	3,775
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<u>2,825</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,825</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,825</u>	<u>0</u>
	995,930	347,484	644,599	27,331	617,268	3,846
108,111,115,120.5	1,855	632	1,218	50	1,167	5
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	259,294	107,981	149,914	8,062	141,851	1,399
	<u>6,340</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,340</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,340</u>	<u>0</u>
	267,489	108,613	157,472	8,113	149,359	1,405
	492,544	325,727	143,568	20,672	122,896	23,249
	593,519	422,589	167,647	25,151	142,496	3,283
	204,099	146,374	56,793	10,409	46,384	932
	205,204	181,283	23,921	5,612	18,309	0
	37,459	30,461	6,925	3,637	3,287	72
	<u>32,352</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>32,352</u>
108,111,115,120.5	1,832,665	1,215,048	556,325	73,594	482,731	61,292
108,111,115,120.5	1,277,823	535,194	729,841	39,135	690,705	12,789
	11,814,328	4,740,920	6,974,990	348,924	6,626,066	98,417
	14,136,410	6,128,091	7,847,013	445,857	7,401,156	161,306
	14,136,410	6,128,091	7,847,013	445,857	7,401,156	161,306

<b>Subtractions: Accum Defer Inc Tax</b>						
	<b>Production</b>					
30	Peaking Plant	D10S	323,434	130,711	192,723	8,017
31	Base Load	E8760	1,067,322	348,094	715,613	29,598
32	<u>Nuclear Fuel</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>(5,330)</u>	<u>(1,738)</u>	<u>(3,574)</u>	<u>(148)</u>
33	Total		1,385,426	477,066	904,763	37,467
	<b>Transmission</b>					
34	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	22,200	7,240	14,885	616
35	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>	<u>4,958</u>	<u>2,004</u>	<u>2,954</u>	<u>123</u>
36	Total Gen Step Up		27,158	9,244	17,839	739
37	Bulk Transmission	D10T	757,687	264,762	489,928	20,886
38	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0
39	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>1,701</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,701</u>	<u>0</u>
40	Total		786,545	274,006	509,468	21,624
	<b>Distribution</b>					
41	Generat Step Up	STRATH	223	76	147	6
42	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0
43	Distrib Function	D60Sub	123,061	51,248	71,149	3,826
44	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>2,954</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,954</u>	<u>0</u>
45	Total Substations		126,238	51,324	74,250	3,832
46	Overhead Lines	POL	162,932	107,750	47,492	6,838
47	Underground	PUL	187,741	133,673	53,030	7,956
48	Line Transformers	P68	56,728	40,684	15,785	2,893
49	Services	P69	22,265	19,670	2,596	609
50	Meters	C12WM	14,317	11,643	2,647	1,390
51	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	<u>8,599</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
52	Total		578,821	364,743	195,799	23,519
53	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	173,382	72,618	99,029	5,310
54	<b>Total Deferred Tax</b>		2,924,175	1,188,433	1,709,058	87,920
55	Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry Forward	NEPIS	(677,377)	(293,641)	(376,007)	(21,364)
56	Non-Plant Related	LABOR	15,483	6,692	8,649	505
57	<b>Accum Def W/ Adj</b>		2,262,282	901,484	1,341,700	67,061

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<b>Additions: CWIP, Etc; Rate Base</b>		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>		<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
1 Peaking Plant	D10S		402,216	162,550	239,667	9,970	229,697	0
2 Base Load	E8760		(163,082)	(53,187)	(109,343)	(4,522)	(104,820)	(552)
3 Nuclear Fuel	<u>E8760</u>		184,520	60,179	123,716	5,117	118,599	625
4 Total			423,654	169,541	254,040	10,564	243,476	73
<b>Transmission</b>		107						
5 Gen Step Up Base	E8760		(6,343)	(2,069)	(4,253)	(176)	(4,077)	(21)
6 Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>		9,877	3,991	5,885	245	5,640	0
7 Total Gen Step Up			3,533	1,923	1,632	69	1,563	(21)
8 Bulk Transmission	D10T		134,870	47,128	87,209	3,718	83,491	533
9 Distrib Function	D60Sub		0	0	0	0	0	0
10 Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>		0	0	0	0	0	0
11 Total			138,404	49,051	88,841	3,787	85,054	512
<b>Distribution</b>		107						
12 Generat Step Up	STRATH		0	0	0	0	0	0
13 Bulk Transmission	D10T		0	0	0	0	0	0
14 Distrib Function	D60Sub		40,567	16,894	23,454	1,261	22,193	219
15 Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>		0	0	0	0	0	0
16 Total Substations			40,567	16,894	23,454	1,261	22,193	219
17 Overhead Lines	POL		28,092	18,578	8,188	1,179	7,009	1,326
18 Underground	PUL		36,117	25,715	10,202	1,530	8,671	200
19 Line Transformers	P68		0	0	0	0	0	0
20 Services	P69		1,721	1,521	201	47	154	0
21 Meters	C12WM		2,003	1,629	370	194	176	4
22 Street Lighting	<u>P73</u>		235	0	0	0	0	235
23 Total			108,735	64,337	42,415	4,212	38,203	1,984
24 General & Common Plant	PTD	107	311,940	130,651	178,168	9,554	168,614	3,122
25 Total CWIP			982,733	413,580	563,464	28,117	535,347	5,690
26 Fuel Inventory	E8760	151,152	85,634	27,928	57,415	2,375	55,041	290
<b>Materials &amp; Supplies</b>		154						
27 Production	P10		151,420	52,344	98,691	4,087	94,604	384
28 Trans & Distr	<u>TD</u>		34,419	17,913	15,804	1,228	14,576	702
29 Total			185,838	70,257	114,495	5,315	109,180	1,086
<b>Prepayments</b>		135,143,184,186,232 235,252,165						
30 Miscellaneous	NEPIS		99,179	42,994	55,054	3,128	51,926	1,132
LED Deferral	DASLED		0	0	0	0	0	0
31 Fuel	E8760		0	0	0	0	0	0
32 Insurance	<u>NEPIS</u>		0	0	0	0	0	0
33 Total			99,179	42,994	55,054	3,128	51,926	1,132
34 Non-Plant Assets & Liab	LABOR	190,283, calculated	97,601	42,181	54,519	3,185	51,334	901
35 Working Cash	PT0		(87,121)	(38,978)	(47,049)	(2,773)	(44,277)	(1,094)
36 Total Additions			1,363,864	557,962	797,897	39,347	758,551	8,004
37 Total Rate Base			13,237,993	5,784,569	7,303,210	418,142	6,885,068	150,213
38 Common Rate Base (@ 52.50%)			6,949,946.1	3,036,899	3,834,185	219,525	3,614,661	78,862

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**Operating Rev (Cal Month)**

	<u>Retail Revenue</u>	<u>Alloc</u>	<u>FERC Accounts</u>
1	Present Rate Revenue	R01; (calc)	440, 442, 444, 445
2	Proposed Rate Revenue	PROREV; (calc)	
3	Equal Rate Revenue		
	<b><u>Other Retail Revenue</u></b>		
4	Interdepartmental	R01; R02	448
5	Gross Earnings Tax	R01; R02	408
6	CIP Adjustment to Program Costs	E99XCIP	456
7	<b>Tot Other Retail Rev</b>		667
	<b><u>Other Operating Revenue</u></b>		
8	Interchg Prod Capacity	P10	456
9	Interchg Prod Energy	E8760	456
10	Interchg Tr Bulk Supply	D10T	456
11	Dist Int Sales; Oth Serv	E8760	412,451,456
12	Dist Overhd Line Rent	POL	454
13	Connection Charges	C11	451
14	Sales For Resale	E8760	447
15	Joint Op Agree-Other PSCo Rev	D10T	456
16	Misc Ancillary Trans Rev	D10T	
17	MISO	D10T	456
18	Other	D10T	451,456,457
19	Late Pay Chg - Pres	R16C; R02	
20	<b>Tot Other Op - Pres</b>		450
21	Incr Misc Serv - Prop	C62NL	
22	Incr Inter-Dept'l - Prop	R01; R02	
23	<b>Incr Late Pay - Prop</b>	(R16C); R02	
24	<b>Tot Other Op - Prop</b>		865,096
25	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Pres</b>		4,529,137
26	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Prop</b>		4,882,389
	<b>Tot Oper Rev - EqI</b>		4,882,389

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	<u>MN</u>	<u>Res</u>	<u>C&amp;I Tot</u>	<u>Sm Non-D</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>St Ltg</u>
1	3,665,482	1,451,117	2,182,409	115,793	2,066,616	31,956
2	4,016,626	1,599,698	2,381,023	126,623	2,254,401	35,905
3	4,016,627	1,631,353	2,345,891	124,967	2,220,924	39,383
4	667	264	397	21	376	6
5	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	667	264	397	21	376	6
8	443,316	153,250	288,941	11,966	276,974	1,125
9	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	4,748	3,140	1,384	199	1,185	224
13	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	261,017	85,127	175,006	7,238	167,768	884
15	(1,464)	(512)	(947)	(40)	(906)	(6)
16	245,156	85,666	158,520	6,758	151,762	969
17	(99,347)	(34,715)	(64,239)	(2,739)	(61,500)	(393)
18	2,197	768	1,421	61	1,360	9
19	7,366	6,110	1,044	222	821	212
20	862,988	298,834	561,129	23,666	537,464	3,025
21	1,338	1,273	64	41	23	0
22	64	25	38	2	36	1
23	706	585	100	21	79	20
	2,108	1,884	202	64	138	21
24	865,096	300,718	561,331	23,730	537,602	3,046
25	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Pres</b>	4,529,137	1,750,215	2,743,935	139,480	2,604,455
26	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Prop</b>	4,882,389	1,900,680	2,942,752	150,374	2,792,378
	<b>Tot Oper Rev - EqI</b>	4,882,389	1,932,335	2,907,619	148,718	2,758,901
						42,435
	<b>Operating &amp; Maint (Pg 1 of 2)</b>					
	<b>Production Expen</b>		<b>FERC Accounts</b>			
27	<b>Fuel</b>	E8760	501,518,547	791,164	258,028	530,456
	<b>Purchased Power</b>					
28	Purchases: Cap Peak	D10S		90,075	36,402	53,673
29	Purchases: Cap Base	D10S		33,518	13,546	19,972
30	Purchases: Demand		555	123,593	49,948	73,645
31	Purchases: Other Energy	E8760	555	507,597	165,546	340,332
32	<b>Tot Non-Assoc Purch</b>			631,191	215,495	413,977
33	Interchg Agr Capacity	P10WoN	557	48,383	16,988	31,283
34	Interchg Agr Energy	E8760	557	16,827	5,488	11,282
35	Tot Wis Interchg Purch			65,210	22,476	42,566
36	<b>Tot Purchased Power</b>			696,401	237,971	456,542
	<b>Other Production</b>					
37	Capacity Related	D10S	500,502,505-507	97,437	39,378	58,059
38	Energy Related	E8760	509-514,517-519,520, 523-525,528-532,535, 539,543-546,548-550	358,597	116,952	240,430
39	Total Other Produc	21.37%	552-554,556,557 575.1-575.8	456,034	156,329	298,490
40	<b>Total Production</b>			1,943,598	652,329	1,285,488
41	<b>Transmission Exp</b>	D10T	560-563, 565-568 570-573	281,844	98,486	182,244

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**Operating & Maint (Pg 2 of 2)**

	<b>Distribution Expen</b>	<b>Alloc</b>
1	Supervision & Eng'rg	ZDTS
2	Load Dispatching	T20D80
3	Substations	P61
4	Overhead Lines	POL
5	Underground Lines	PUL
6	Line Transformers	P68
7	Meters	C12WM
8	Customer Install'n	OXDTS
9	Street Lighting	Dir Assign
10	Miscellaneous	OXDTS
11	Rents (Pole Attachmmts)	POL
12	<b>Total Distribution</b>	
13	<b>Customer Accounting</b>	C11WA
14	<b>Sales, Econ Dvlp &amp; Other</b>	R01
	<b>Admin &amp; General</b>	
15	Salaries	LABOR
16	Office Supplies	OXTS
17	Admin Transfer Credit	OXTS
18	Outside Services	LABOR
19	Property Insurance	NEPIS
20	Pensions & Benefits	LABOR
21	Injuries & Claims	LABOR
22	Regulatory Exp	R01; R02
23	General Advertising	OXTS
24	Contributions	OXTS
25	Misc General Exp	OXTS
26	Rents	OXTS
27	Maint of General Plant	OXTS
28	<b>Total</b>	
	<b>Cust Service &amp; Info</b>	
29	Cust Assist Exp - Non-CIP	C11P10
30	CIP Total	E99XCIP
31	<u>Instructional Advertising</u>	<u>C11P10</u>
32	<b>Total</b>	
33	Amortizations	LABOR
	Amortizations LED Deferral	DASLED
34	<b>Total O&amp;M Expense</b>	

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	<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
		<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltq</b>
1	580,590	17,462	11,490	5,292	780	4,512	679
2	581	399	165	232	12	220	2
3	582,591,592	4,295	1,747	2,525	130	2,395	23
4	583,593	68,453	45,269	19,953	2,873	17,080	3,231
5	584, 594	18,529	13,193	5,234	785	4,448	102
6	595	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	586,597,598	1,541	1,253	285	150	135	3
8	587	(818)	(525)	(240)	(34)	(207)	(52)
9	585,596	2,806	0	0	0	0	2,806
10	588	976	627	287	40	247	62
11	589	3,015	1,994	879	127	752	142
12		116,658	75,213	34,446	4,864	29,583	6,998
13							
14		901-905	68,408	57,520	10,548	5,335	5,213
15			10,409	4,121	6,197	329	5,868
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			2,925,253	1,087,098	1,820,116	87,221	1,732,895
							18,039

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**Book Depreciation**

	<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S
2	Base Load	<u>E8760</u>
3	Total	
	<b>Transmission</b>	
4	Gen Step Up Base	E8760
5	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>
6	Total Gen Step Up	
7	Bulk Transmission	D10T
8	Distrib Function	D60Sub
9	Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>
10	Total	
	<b>Distribution</b>	
11	Generat Step Up	STRATH
12	Bulk Transmission	D10T
13	Distrib Function	D60Sub
14	Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>
15	Total Substations	
16	Overhead Lines	POL
17	Underground	PUL
18	Line Transformers	P68
19	Services	P69
20	Meters	C12WM
21	Street Lighting	<u>P73</u>
22	Total	
23	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD
24	<b>Total Book Deprec</b>	

**FERC Accounts**  
403,413

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1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
130,943	52,919	78,024	3,246	74,778	0
<u>314,162</u>	<u>102,460</u>	<u>210,638</u>	<u>8,712</u>	<u>201,926</u>	<u>1,064</u>
445,105	155,378	288,662	11,958	276,704	1,064

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**Real Estate & Property Tax**

	<b>Production</b>	
25	Peaking Plant	D10S
26	Base Load	<u>E8760</u>
27	Total	
	<b>Transmission</b>	
28	Gen Step Up Base	E8760
29	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>
30	Total Gen Step Up	
31	Bulk Transmission	D10T
32	Distrib Function	D60Sub
33	Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>
34	Total	
	<b>Distribution</b>	
35	Generat Step Up	STRATH
36	Bulk Transmission	D10T
37	Distrib Function	D60Sub
38	Direct Assign	<u>Dir Assign</u>
39	Total Substations	
40	Overhead Lines	POL
41	Underground	PUL
42	Line Transformers	P68
43	Services	P69
44	Meters	C12WM
45	Street Lighting	<u>P73</u>
46	Total	
47	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD
48	<b>Tot RI Est &amp; Pr Tax</b>	
49	Gross Earnings Tax	R01; R02
50	Payroll Taxes	<u>LABOR</u>
51	<b>Tot Non-Inc Taxes</b>	

403,413	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
	130,943	52,919	78,024	3,246	74,778	0
	<u>314,162</u>	<u>102,460</u>	<u>210,638</u>	<u>8,712</u>	<u>201,926</u>	<u>1,064</u>
	445,105	155,378	288,662	11,958	276,704	1,064
403,413	2,452	800	1,644	68	1,576	8
	<u>1,330</u>	<u>538</u>	<u>793</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>760</u>	<u>0</u>
	3,782	1,337	2,436	101	2,335	8
403,413	90,123	31,492	58,274	2,484	55,790	356
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<u>210</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>210</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>210</u>	<u>0</u>
	94,114	32,829	60,920	2,585	58,335	365
403,413	73	25	48	2	46	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22,648	9,431	13,094	704	12,390	122
403,413	<u>514</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>514</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>514</u>	<u>0</u>
	23,235	9,456	13,656	706	12,950	122
	54,758	36,212	15,961	2,298	13,663	2,585
403,413	50,860	36,213	14,366	2,155	12,211	281
	16,483	11,821	4,587	841	3,746	75
	17,426	15,395	2,031	477	1,555	0
403,413	13,360	10,864	2,470	1,297	1,172	26
	<u>4,905</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,905</u>
	181,027	119,962	53,071	7,774	45,297	7,994
403,413	194,233	81,351	110,938	5,949	104,990	1,944
403,404	914,479	389,521	513,591	28,266	485,325	11,367
408.1	25,931	10,480	15,452	643	14,809	0
	<u>55,022</u>	<u>17,945</u>	<u>36,891</u>	<u>1,526</u>	<u>35,365</u>	<u>186</u>
	80,953	28,424	52,342	2,169	50,174	186
408.1	1,357	443	910	38	872	5
	<u>395</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>236</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>226</u>	<u>0</u>
	1,753	602	1,146	47	1,098	5
408.1	40,434	14,129	26,145	1,115	25,030	160
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<u>95</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>0</u>
	42,281	14,731	27,385	1,162	26,223	164
408.1	30	10	20	1	19	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	9,294	3,871	5,374	289	5,085	50
408.1	<u>216</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>0</u>
	9,540	3,881	5,609	290	5,319	50
	16,095	10,644	4,692	676	4,016	760
408.1	18,119	12,901	5,118	768	4,350	100
	5,614	4,026	1,562	286	1,276	26
	4,497	3,973	524	123	401	0
408.1	2,986	2,428	552	290	262	6
	<u>981</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>981</u>
	57,832	37,853	18,056	2,432	15,624	1,923
408.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	181,066	81,009	97,784	5,763	92,021	2,273
	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<u>28,109</u>	<u>12,148</u>	<u>15,701</u>	<u>917</u>	<u>14,784</u>	<u>259</u>
	209,175	93,157	113,485	6,680	106,805	2,533

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**Provision For Defer Inc Tax**

	<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S
2	Nuclear Fuel	E8760
3	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>
4	Total	
	<b>Transmission</b>	
5	Gen Step Up Base	E8760
6	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>
7	Total Gen Step Up	
8	Bulk Transmission	D10T
9	Distrib Function	D60Sub
10	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>
11	Total	
	<b>Distribution</b>	
12	Generat Step Up	STRATH
13	Bulk Transmission	D10T
14	Distrib Function	D60Sub
15	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>
16	Total Substations	
17	Overhead Lines	POL
18	Underground	PUL
19	Line Transformers	P68
20	Services	P69
21	Meters	C12WM
22	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>
23	Total	
24	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD
25	<b>Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry Forward</b>	NEPIS
26	<b>Non - Plant Related</b>	LABOR
27	<b>Tot Prov For Defer</b>	

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410, 411

	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1	33,461	13,523	19,938	829	19,109	0
2	(74)	(24)	(50)	(2)	(47)	(0)
3	<u>(19,460)</u>	<u>(6,347)</u>	<u>(13,047)</u>	<u>(540)</u>	<u>(12,508)</u>	<u>(66)</u>
4	13,927	7,152	6,841	288	6,553	(66)
5	650	212	436	18	418	2
6	<u>218</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>124</u>	<u>0</u>
7	868	300	566	23	542	2
8	12,966	4,531	8,384	357	8,027	51
9	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	<u>28</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>0</u>
11	13,862	4,831	8,978	381	8,597	53
12	(34)	(12)	(23)	(1)	(22)	(0)
13	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	(139)	(58)	(80)	(4)	(76)	(1)
15	<u>(30)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(30)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(30)</u>	<u>0</u>
16	(203)	(70)	(133)	(5)	(127)	(1)
17	5,867	3,880	1,710	246	1,464	277
18	(8,647)	(6,157)	(2,443)	(366)	(2,076)	(48)
19	(1,560)	(1,119)	(434)	(80)	(354)	(7)
20	364	321	42	10	32	0
21	4,092	3,328	757	397	359	8
22	<u>(393)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(393)</u>
23	(481)	184	(500)	202	(703)	(164)
24	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	8,080	3,384	4,615	247
25	<b>Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry Forward</b>	NEPIS	(228,552)	(99,077)	(126,867)	(7,208)
26	<b>Non - Plant Related</b>	LABOR	491	212	274	16
27	<b>Tot Prov For Defer</b>		(192,673)	(83,313)	(106,660)	(6,074)
	<b>Inv Tax Credit; Total Oper Exp</b>					
	<b>Production</b>					
28	Peaking Plant	D10S	(255)	(103)	(152)	(6)
29	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>25,554</u>	<u>8,334</u>	<u>17,134</u>	<u>709</u>
30	Total		25,300	8,231	16,982	702
	<b>Transmission</b>					
31	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	0	0	0	0
32	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
33	Total Gen Step Up		0	0	0	0
34	Bulk Transmission	D10T	(150)	(52)	(97)	(4)
35	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0
36	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	0	0	0	0
37	Total		(150)	(52)	(97)	(4)
	<b>Distribution</b>					
38	Generat Step Up	STRATH	0	0	0	0
39	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0
40	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0
41	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	0	0	0	0
42	Total Substations		0	0	0	0
43	Overhead Lines	POL	(248)	(164)	(72)	(10)
44	Underground	PUL	0	0	0	0
45	Line Transformers	P68	0	0	0	0
46	Services	P69	0	0	0	0
47	Meters	C12WM	0	0	0	0
48	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	0	0	0	0
49	Total		(248)	(164)	(72)	(10)
50	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	(6)	(2)	(3)	(0)
51	<b>Net Inv Tax Credit</b>		24,896	8,013	16,809	688
28	<b>TBT Misc Net Exp</b>	NEPIS	0	0	0	0
52	<b>Total Operating Exp</b>		3,881,130	1,494,475	2,357,342	116,780
53A	<b>Pres Op Inc Before Inc Tax</b>		648,007	255,740	386,593	22,700
53B	<b>Prop Op Inc Before Inc Tax</b>		1,001,258	406,206	585,410	33,594

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**Tax Deprec; Inc Tax & Return**

		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	Highly Confidential data is shaded.					
<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>		<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1 Peaking Plant	D10S		282,088	114,002	168,086	6,992	161,094	0
2 Nuclear Fuel	E8760		99,572	32,474	66,761	2,761	63,999	337
3 Base Load	E8760		326,496	106,483	218,908	9,054	209,854	1,106
4 Total			708,156	252,959	453,755	18,807	434,947	1,443
<b>Transmission</b>								
5 Gen Step Up Base	E8760		7,712	2,515	5,171	214	4,957	26
6 Gen Step Up Peak	D10S		1,938	783	1,155	48	1,107	0
7 Total Gen Step Up			9,650	3,298	6,325	262	6,063	26
8 Bulk Transmission	D10T		151,214	52,839	97,776	4,168	93,608	598
9 Distrib Function	D60Sub		0	0	0	0	0	0
10 Direct Assign	Dir Assign		320	0	320	0	320	0
11 Total			161,183	56,138	104,421	4,430	99,991	624
<b>Distribution</b>								
12 Generat Step Up	STRATH		0	0	0	0	0	0
13 Bulk Transmission	D10T		0	0	0	0	0	0
14 Distrib Function	D60Sub		25,690	10,699	14,853	799	14,054	139
15 Direct Assign	Dir Assign		329	0	329	0	329	0
16 Total Substations			26,019	10,699	15,182	799	14,383	139
17 Overhead Lines	POL		60,666	40,119	17,683	2,546	15,137	2,863
18 Underground	PUL		73,743	52,505	20,830	3,125	17,705	408
19 Line Transformers	P68		18,947	13,588	5,272	966	4,306	86
20 Services	P69		15,734	13,900	1,834	430	1,404	0
21 Meters	C12WM		28,311	23,023	5,234	2,749	2,485	55
22 Street Lighting	P73		3,839	0	0	0	0	3,839
23 Total			227,259	153,834	66,034	10,616	55,419	7,390
24 General & Common Plant	PTD		223,677	93,683	127,755	6,850	120,905	2,239
25 Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry Forward	NEPIS		(2,579)	(1,118)	(1,432)	(81)	(1,350)	(29)
26 Total Tax Deprec			1,317,696	555,495	750,534	40,622	709,912	11,667
27 Interest Expense			284,616.84	124,368	157,019	8,990	148,029	3,230
28 Other Tax Timing Differ	LABOR		(15,846)	(6,848)	(8,852)	(517)	(8,335)	(146)
29 Meals & Enter	LABOR		1,582	684	883	52	832	15
30 Total Tax Deductions			1,588,048	673,698	899,585	49,147	850,438	14,765
<b>Inc Tax Additions</b>								
31 Book Depreciation			914,479	389,521	513,591	28,266	485,325	11,367
32 Deferred Inc Tax & ITC			(167,776.36)	(75,301)	(89,850)	(5,386)	(84,464)	(2,625)
33 Nuclear Fuel Book Burn	E8760		108,172	35,279	72,527	3,000	69,527	366
34 Tax Capitalized Leases	PTD		53,341	22,341	30,466	1,634	28,833	534
35 Avoided Tax Interest	RTBASE		46,386	20,269	25,590	1,465	24,125	526
36 Total Tax Additions			954,602	392,109	552,324	28,978	523,347	10,168
37 Total Inc Tax Adjustments			(633,446)	(281,589)	(347,260)	(20,169)	(327,091)	(4,596)
38A Pres Taxable Net Income			14,561	(25,849)	39,333	2,531	36,802	1,077
38B Prop Taxable Net Income			367,813	124,616	238,149	13,425	224,725	5,047
39A Pres Fed & State Inc Tax			(19,505)	(17,781)	(1,764)	(21)	(1,743)	41
38A Exp Fed & State Inc Tax			82,027	22,716	58,385	3,186	55,199	927
39B Prop Fed & State Inc Tax			82,027	25,466	55,380	3,110	52,269	1,182
38C Equal Fed & State Inc Tax			82,027	34,564	45,282	2,634	42,647	2,181
40A Pres Preliminary Return	(total); BASE		667,511	273,521	388,357	22,721	365,637	5,633
40B Prop Preliminary Return	(total); BASE		919,231	380,740	530,030	30,483	499,547	8,461
41 Total AFUDC			81,561	34,017	47,127	2,308	44,819	416
42A Present Total Return			749,072	307,538	435,485	25,029	410,456	6,049
42B Proposed Total Return			1,000,792	414,757	577,157	32,791	544,366	8,878
42C Equal Total Return			1,000,792	437,313	552,123	31,612	520,511	11,356
43A Pres % Return on Rate Base			5.66%	5.32%	5.96%	5.99%	5.96%	4.03%
38A Exp % Return on Rate Base			7.56%	7.05%	8.00%	7.89%	8.01%	5.49%
43B Prop % Return on Rate Base			7.56%	7.17%	7.90%	7.84%	7.91%	5.91%
44A Present Common Return			464,455	183,170	278,466	16,039	262,427	2,820
44B Proposed Common Return			716,175	290,389	420,138	23,801	396,337	5,648
45A Pres % Ret on Common Rt Base			6.68%	6.03%	7.26%	7.31%	7.26%	3.58%
45B Prop % Ret on Common Rt Base			10.30%	9.56%	10.96%	10.84%	10.96%	7.16%

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<b>Allow For Funds Used During Constr</b>		
	<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S
2	Nuclear Fuel	E8760
3	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>
4	Total	
	<b>Transmission</b>	
5	Gen Step Up Base	E8760
6	<u>Gen Step Up Peak</u>	<u>D10S</u>
7	Total Gen Step Up	
8	Bulk Transmission	D10T
9	Distrib Function	D60Sub
10	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>
11	Total	
	<b>Distribution</b>	
12	Generat Step Up	STRATH
13	Bulk Transmission	D10T
14	Distrib Function	D60Sub
15	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>
16	Total Substations	
17	Overhead Lines	POL
18	Underground	PUL
19	Line Transformers	P68
20	Services	P69
21	Meters	C12WM
22	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>
23	Total	
24	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD
25	<b>Total AFUDC</b>	

<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
419.1,432	35,076 13,334 (11,066) 37,344	14,175 4,349 (3,609) 14,915	20,901 8,940 (7,420) 22,421	869 370 (307) 932	20,031 8,571 (7,113) 21,489	0 45 (37) 8
419.1,432	185 836 1,021 11,866 0 0 12,887	60 338 398 4,146 0 0 4,545	124 498 622 7,672 0 0 8,295	5 21 26 327 0 0 353	119 478 597 7,345 0 0 7,942	1 0 1 47 0 0 48
419.1,432	0 0 3,903 0 3,903 2,147 3,144 0 5 0 0 9,199	0 0 1,626 0 1,626 1,420 2,238 0 5 0 0 5,288	0 0 2,257 0 2,257 626 888 0 1 0 0 3,771	0 0 121 0 121 90 133 0 0 0 0 345	0 0 2,135 0 2,135 536 755 0 0 0 0 3,426	0 0 21 0 21 101 17 0 0 0 0 140
419.1,432	22,130	9,269	12,640	678	11,962	221
	81,561	34,017	47,127	2,308	44,819	416
500 through 557	66,684 141,490 208,173	26,949 46,145 73,094	39,734 94,866 134,600	1,653 3,924 5,577	38,081 90,942 129,023	0 479 479
560 through 571	717 16,543 17,260	246 5,781 6,027	469 10,697 11,166	19 456 475	449 10,241 10,690	2 65 67
580, 590 581 582, 592 583, 593 584, 594 595 586, 597 587 585, 596 588	11,829 180 2,504 15,914 7,561 0 2,714 838 19 11,789 53,349	7,784 63 1,019 10,524 5,383 0 2,207 551 0 7,573 35,105	3,585 117 1,472 4,639 2,136 0 502 254 0 3,465 16,169	529 5 76 668 320 0 264 37 0 485 2,384	3,057 112 1,396 3,971 1,815 0 238 217 0 2,980 13,785	460 1 13 751 42 0 5 33 19 751 2,074
901,902,903,904,905 912 920,921,922,923,924, 908, 909	13,373 3,381 176,493 987	11,244 2,075 76,277 606	2,062 1,269 98,588 370	1,043 152 5,759 44	1,019 1,117 92,829 326	67 38 1,629 11
	473,016	204,428	264,223	15,434	248,789	4,365

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<b>INTERNAL ALLOCATORS</b>			<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
1	50% Cus, 50% Prod Plt	C11P10	100.00%	61.36%	37.52%	4.49%	33.02%	1.12%
2	Peaking Plant Capacity	D10S	100.00%	40.41%	59.59%	2.48%	57.11%	0.00%
3	57% Dmd; 43% Energy: Sales & ED	D57E43	100.00%	32.61%	67.05%	2.77%	64.27%	0.34%
4	40% Dmd; 60% Energy: CIP	D40E60	100.00%	32.61%	67.05%	2.77%	64.27%	0.34%
5	20%D10T; 80%D60Sub	T20D80	100.00%	41.40%	58.17%	2.98%	55.19%	0.43%
6	Labor w/o (or w/) A&G	LABOR	100.00%	43.22%	55.86%	3.26%	52.60%	0.92%
7	Net Plant In Service	NEPIS	100.00%	43.35%	55.51%	3.15%	52.36%	1.14%
8	Dis O&M w/o Sup & Misc	OXDTS	100.00%	64.24%	29.39%	4.12%	25.27%	6.37%
9	O&M w/o Reg Ex & OXTS-Alloc'd A&G	OXTS	100.00%	37.16%	62.23%	2.98%	59.25%	0.62%
10	Production Plant	P10	100.00%	34.57%	65.18%	2.70%	62.48%	0.25%
11	Production Plant Wo Nuclear	P10WoN	100.00%	35.11%	64.66%	2.68%	61.98%	0.23%
12	Total P51 & P61A	P5161A	100.00%	34.37%	65.37%	2.71%	62.66%	0.26%
13	Distribution Plant	P60	100.00%	65.45%	31.22%	4.21%	27.02%	3.32%
14	Distr Substn Plant	P61	100.00%	40.68%	58.79%	3.04%	55.76%	0.53%
15	Line Transformer Plant	P68	100.00%	71.72%	27.83%	5.10%	22.73%	0.46%
16	Services Plant	P69	100.00%	88.34%	11.66%	2.73%	8.92%	0.00%
17	Dist Plt Overhead Lines	POL	100.00%	66.13%	29.15%	4.20%	24.95%	4.72%
18	Real Est & Property Tax	PT0	100.00%	44.74%	54.00%	3.18%	50.82%	1.26%
19	Produc, Trans & Distrib	PTD	100.00%	41.88%	57.12%	3.06%	54.05%	1.00%
20	Dist Plt Undgroud Lines	PUL	100.00%	71.20%	28.25%	4.24%	24.01%	0.55%
21	Rate Base (Non-Column)	RTBASE	100.00%	43.70%	55.17%	3.16%	52.01%	1.13%
22	Stratified Hydro Baseload	STRATH	100.00%	34.07%	65.66%	2.72%	62.94%	0.28%
23	Transmission & Distrib	TD	100.00%	52.04%	45.92%	3.57%	42.35%	2.04%
24	Labor Dis w/o Sup & Eng	ZDTS	100.00%	65.80%	30.31%	4.47%	25.84%	3.89%
			1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>INTERNAL DATA</b>			<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
25	Labor w/o A&G	LABOR(S)	296,523	128,151	165,636	9,675	155,960	2,737
26	Dis O&M w/o Sup, Cust Install & Misc	OXDTS	99,038	63,621	29,107	4,077	25,031	6,309
27	O&M w/o Reg Ex & OXTS-Alloc'd A&G	OXTS	2,874,399	1,068,000	1,788,694	85,690	1,703,005	17,705
28	Total P51 & P61A	P5161A	179,316	61,628	117,218	4,854	112,364	471
29	Produc, Trans & Distrib	PTD	23,225,028	9,727,396	13,265,189	711,301	12,553,888	232,443
30	Transmission & Distrib	TD	9,721,100	5,059,227	4,463,703	346,792	4,116,910	198,170
31	Labor Dis w/o Sup & Eng, Cust Install	ZDTS	40,681	26,770	12,330	1,818	10,512	1,582

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EXTERNAL ALLOCATORS		Extern:	MN	Res	C&I Tot	Sm Non-D	Demand	St Ltg
1	Customers - Ave Monthly	C11	100.00%	88.15%	9.86%	6.29%	3.57%	1.99%
2	Cust Acctg Wtg Factor	C11WA	100.00%	84.08%	15.42%	7.80%	7.62%	0.50%
3	Mo Cus Wtd By Mtr Invest	C12WM	100.00%	81.32%	18.49%	9.71%	8.78%	0.19%
4	Sec & Pri Customers	C61PS	100.00%	89.53%	10.03%	6.39%	3.63%	0.44%
5	Pri & Sec Cust Served w/ 1 Ph	C61PS1Ph	100.00%	95.33%	4.29%	3.74%	0.55%	0.38%
6	C62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Underground	C62NL	100.00%	95.21%	4.79%	3.07%	1.73%	0.00%
7	Secondary Customers	C62Sec	100.00%	89.56%	10.00%	6.40%	3.60%	0.44%
8	Summer Peak Resp KW	D10S	100.00%	40.41%	59.59%	2.48%	57.11%	0.00%
9	Transmission Demand %	D10T	100.00%	34.94%	64.66%	2.76%	61.90%	0.40%
10	Winter Peak Resp KW	D10W	100.00%	35.92%	63.42%	2.97%	60.45%	0.66%
11	Alternative Production Allocator	12CP	100.00%	35.94%	63.64%	2.75%	60.89%	0.42%
12	Sec, Pri & TT, Class Coin kW @ Substatiot	D60Sub	100.00%	41.64%	57.82%	3.11%	54.71%	0.54%
13	Sec & Pri, Cl Coin kW (no Min Sys; adj Res)	D61PS	100.00%	42.32%	57.14%	3.16%	53.98%	0.55%
14	Pri & Sec Coin kW Served w/ 1 Ph	D61PS1Ph	100.00%	82.60%	16.54%	3.39%	13.15%	0.86%
15	D62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Underground	D62NLL	100.00%	77.17%	22.83%	2.19%	20.64%	0.00%
16	Sec, Class Coin kW (w/o Min Sys kW)	D62SecL	100.00%	53.57%	46.00%	3.65%	42.35%	0.43%
17	Direct Assign Street Lighting	DASL	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
	Direct Assign LED Lighting Deferal	DASLED	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
18	On + Off Sales MWH	E8760	100.00%	32.61%	67.05%	2.77%	64.27%	0.34%
19	Street Lighting (Dir Assign)	P73	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
20	MWh Sales Excl CIP Exempt	E99XCIP	100.00%	33.56%	66.01%	2.89%	63.13%	0.42%
21	Present Rev	R01	100.00%	39.59%	59.54%	3.16%	56.38%	0.87%
22	Base Rev	R02	100.00%	42.21%	56.72%	3.28%	53.44%	1.07%
23	Late Fee Revenue Allocator	LateFee	100.00%	82.95%	14.17%	3.02%	11.15%	2.88%

EXTERNAL DATA			1 <b>MN</b>	2 <b>Res</b>	3 <b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	4 <b>Sm Non-D</b>	5 <b>Demand</b>	6 <b>St Ltg</b>
23	Customers - B Basis	C10	1,394,386	1,248,393	139,855	89,156	50,699	6,138
24	Cust - Ave Monthly (C10-Area Lt)	C11	1,420,649	1,252,372	140,049	89,349	50,699	28,229
25	Mo Cus Wtd By Cus Acct	C11WA	1,489,451	1,252,372	229,660	116,154	113,505	7,420
26	Cust Acctg Wtg Factor	C11WAF	24.62	1.00	23.62	1.30	22.32	N/A
27	Cust-Ave Mo (C11 w/ Dir Assign St Ltg)	C12	1,395,698	1,252,372	140,049	89,349	50,699	3,277
28	Mo Cus Wtd By Mtr Invest	C12WM	293,893,522	238,994,793	54,330,372	28,538,939	25,791,433	568,358
29	Meter Invest / Cust Factor	C12WMF	25,034	191	24,670	319	24,350	173
30	Sec & Pri Customers	C61PS	1,394,361	1,248,393	139,830	89,156	50,674	6,138
31	% Served by Primary Single Phase		0.0%	71.59%	0.00%	39.32%	0.00%	57.36%
32	Pri & Sec Cust Served w/ 1 Ph	C61PS1Ph	937,493	893,725	40,247	35,058	5,189	3,521
33	C62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Underground	C62NL	1,311,232	1,248,393	62,839	40,209	22,630	0
34	Secondary Customers	C62Sec	1,393,866	1,248,393	139,335	89,156	50,179	6,138
35	Summer Peak Resp KW	D10S	3,922	1,585	2,337	97	2,240	0
36	Dmd (D10S x Fact + D10W)/1000	D10T	10,000,000	3,853,758	6,118,611	268,392	5,850,219	27,631
37	Winter Peak Resp KW	D10W	4,047	1,454	2,567	120	2,446	27
38	Alternative Production Allocator	12CP	4,148	1,491	2,640	114	2,526	17
39	Sec, Pri & TT, Class Coin kW @ Substatio	D60Sub	6,166,193	2,567,861	3,565,051	191,730	3,373,321	33,281
40	Sec & Pri, Class Coin kW (w/o Min Sys; rec	D61PS	6,068,286	2,567,861	3,467,144	191,730	3,275,414	33,281
41	Pri & Sec Coin kW Served w/ 1 Ph	D61PS1Ph	2,225,548	1,838,334	368,124	75,392	292,732	19,090
42	D62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Underground	D62NLL	10,402,623	8,027,186	2,375,438	228,286	2,147,151	0
43	Sec, Class Coin kW (w/o Min Sys kW)	D62SecL	10,000,000	5,356,680	4,600,440	365,005	4,235,434	42,880
44	Annual Billing kW	D99	48,584,599	0	48,585	0	48,585	0
45	Summer Billing kW	D99S	18,135,939	0	18,136	0	18,136	0
46	Winter Billing kW	D99W	30,448,660	0	30,449	0	30,449	0
47	Non-Coinc Pk Second	DN-Sec	13,327,583	8,027,186	5,267,116	506,185	4,760,932	33,281
48	MWh Sales	E99	28,304,704	9,010,863	19,179,784	775,642	18,404,142	114,057
49	MWh Sales Excl CIP Exempt	E99XCIP	26,849,829	9,010,863	17,724,909	775,540	16,949,369	114,057
50	Late Fee Revenue Allocation	LateFee	100.00%	82.95%	14.17%	3.02%	11.15%	2.88%
	Base Revenues		\$2,688,329	\$1,134,656	\$1,524,930	\$88,264	\$1,436,666	\$28,743

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**UNADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
[1]	Unadjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (CCOSS page 2, line 1)	4,212,844	1,728,144	126,708	2,315,947	42,045
[2]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,351</u>	<u>2,069</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>181</u>	<u>28</u>
[3]	Unadjusted Operating Revenues (line 1 + line 2)	4,215,195	1,730,213	126,781	2,316,128	42,073
[4]	Present Rates (CCOSS page 2, line 2)	<u>3,724,454</u>	<u>1,447,977</u>	<u>114,442</u>	<u>2,130,075</u>	<u>31,961</u>
[5]	Unadjusted Deficiency (line 3 - line 4)	490,741	282,237	12,339	186,053	10,112
[6]	Defic / Pres (line 5 / line 4)	13.2%	19.5%	10.8%	8.7%	31.6%
[7]	<b>Ratio: Class % / Total %</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.48</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>2.40</b>

**COST RESPONSIBILITIES FOR RATE DISCOUNTS**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
[8]	Interruptible Rate Discounts (CCOSS page 2, line 5)					
[9]	Economic Development Discount (CCOSS page 2, line 6)					
[10]	Interruptible Rate Disc Cost Allocation (CCOSS page 2, line 7)					
[11]	<u>Economic Development Disc Cost Allocation (CCOSS page 2, line 8)</u>					
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
[12]	Revenue Requirement Change (lines 10 & 11 - lines 8 & 9)	0	10,036	715	(10,903)	152

**ADJUSTED COST RESPONSIBILITIES**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
[13]	Adjusted Rate Revenue Reqt (line 1 + line 12)	4,212,844	1,738,180	127,423	2,305,044	42,197
[14]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,351</u>	<u>2,069</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>181</u>	<u>28</u>
[15]	Adjusted Operating Revenues (line 13 + line 14)	4,215,195	1,740,249	127,496	2,305,225	42,225
[16]	Present Rates (line 4)	<u>3,724,454</u>	<u>1,447,977</u>	<u>114,442</u>	<u>2,130,075</u>	<u>31,961</u>
[17]	Adjusted Deficiency (line 15 - line 16)	490,741	292,272	13,054	175,150	10,264
[18]	<b>Defic / Pres Rates (line 17 / line 16)</b>	<b>13.2%</b>	<b>20.2%</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>32.1%</b>
[19]	<b>Ratio: Class % / Total %</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.53</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>0.62</b>	<b>2.44</b>

**PROPOSED REVENUE RESPONSIBILITIES**

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Non-Demand</u>	<u>Demand</u>	<u>Street Ltg</u>
[20]	Proposed Rates (CCOSS page 3, line 3)	4,212,844	1,657,917	129,043	2,388,523	37,361
[21]	Incr Misc Chrgs & Late Pay (CCOSS page 7, line 21 to line 23)	<u>2,351</u>	<u>2,069</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>181</u>	<u>28</u>
[22]	Proposed Operating Revenues (line 20 + line 21)	4,215,195	1,659,986	129,116	2,388,704	37,389
[23]	Proposed Increase (line 22 - line 16)	490,741	212,009	14,674	258,629	5,428
[24]	Difference / Pres (line 23 / line 16)	13.2%	14.6%	12.8%	12.1%	17.0%
[25]	<b>Ratio: Class % / Total %</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>1.11</b>	<b>0.97</b>	<b>0.92</b>	<b>1.29</b>

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<b>Rate Base</b>	
<u>Plant In Service</u>	<u>Alloc</u>
1 Production	
2 Transmission	
3 Distribution	
4 General	
<u>5 Common</u>	
6 Total Plant In Service	27,269,409
7 Production	7,830,094
8 Transmission	1,063,192
9 Distribution	1,950,982
10 General	1,496,150
<u>11 Common</u>	<u>0</u>
12 Total Depreciation Reserve	12,340,417
<b>13 Net Plant In Service</b>	<b>14,928,992</b>
14 Deducts: Accum Defer Inc Tax	2,346,466
15 Constr Work In Progress	1,088,222
16 Fuel Inventory	85,634
17 Materials & Supplies	185,838
18 Prepayments	88,520
<u>19 Non-Plant &amp; Work Cash</u>	<u>2,522</u>
20 Total Additions	1,450,736
<b>21 Rate Base</b>	<b>14,033,262</b>
<b>Income Statement</b>	
<b>22A Tot Oper Rev - Pres</b>	<b>4,581,300</b>
<b>22B Tot Oper Rev - Prop</b>	<b>5,072,041</b>
23 Oper & Maint	2,989,992
24 Book Depr + IRS Int	930,236
25 Payroll, RI Est & Prop Tax	220,171
26 Deferred Inc Tax & Net ITC	(190,669)
27A Present Income Tax	7,187
27B Proposed Income Tax	148,236
28 Allow Funds Dur Const	85,437
<b>29A Present Return</b>	<b>709,819</b>
<b>29B Proposed Return</b>	<b>1,059,511</b>
30A Pres Ret on Rt Base	5.06%
30B Prop Ret on Rt Base	<b>7.55%</b>
31A Pres Ret on Common	5.56%
31B Prop Ret on Common	<b>10.30%</b>

	<b>1</b> <b>MN</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Res</b>	<b>3</b> <b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4</b> <b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5</b> <b>Demand</b>	<b>6</b> <b>St Ltg</b>
13,572,848	4,667,922	8,872,923	345,129	8,527,795	32,003	
4,515,407	1,537,075	2,961,152	118,565	2,842,587	17,180	
6,092,849	4,012,575	1,886,761	251,999	1,634,761	193,514	
3,088,305	1,304,944	1,752,365	91,405	1,660,960	30,996	
<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	
27,269,409	11,522,515	15,473,201	807,099	14,666,103	273,692	
7,830,094	2,648,286	5,161,793	201,212	4,960,581	20,015	
1,063,192	362,542	696,636	27,862	668,773	4,014	
1,950,982	1,306,838	577,936	77,714	500,221	66,208	
1,496,150	632,189	848,945	44,282	804,663	15,016	
<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	
12,340,417	4,949,855	7,285,309	351,071	6,934,238	105,253	
14,928,992	6,572,660	8,187,892	456,028	7,731,864	168,439	
2,346,466	928,823	1,398,219	66,726	1,331,493	19,424	
1,088,222	447,111	634,277	30,019	604,258	6,834	
85,634	27,270	58,086	2,281	55,805	278	
185,838	70,082	114,716	5,053	109,664	1,041	
88,520	38,972	48,549	2,704	45,845	999	
<u>2,522</u>	<u>(921)</u>	<u>3,785</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>3,706</u>	<u>(342)</u>	
1,450,736	582,513	859,413	40,135	819,278	8,810	
14,033,262	6,226,351	7,649,086	429,437	7,219,649	157,825	
4,581,300	1,740,895	2,805,554	136,792	2,668,762	34,851	
5,072,041	1,952,904	3,078,857	151,467	2,927,391	40,279	
2,989,992	1,106,157	1,865,014	85,527	1,779,488	18,821	
930,236	402,410	516,084	27,874	488,210	11,742	
220,171	98,536	119,038	6,766	112,272	2,597	
(190,669)	(81,499)	(106,559)	(5,918)	(100,642)	(2,610)	
7,187	(18,316)	25,433	1,244	24,189	70	
148,236	42,620	103,986	5,462	98,524	1,630	
85,437	35,366	49,593	2,332	47,261	478	
709,819	268,973	436,136	23,630	412,506	4,710	
1,059,511	420,047	630,886	34,086	596,800	8,578	
5.06%	4.32%	5.70%	5.50%	5.71%	2.98%	
<b>7.55%</b>	6.75%	8.25%	7.94%	8.27%	5.44%	
5.56%	4.15%	6.78%	6.40%	6.81%	1.61%	
<b>10.30%</b>	8.77%	11.63%	11.04%	11.67%	6.28%	



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<b>PROP vs Equal Rev Reqts</b>	
	<u>Total Retail Rev Reqt</u> <u>Alloc</u>
1	<u>Proposed Ret On Rt Base</u>
2	<u>UnAdj Equalized Rev Reqt</u>
3	<u>Proposed Revenue</u>
4	<u>UnAdj Revenue Deficiency</u>
5	<u>UnAdj Deficiency / Proposed</u>
6	<u>Prop Interrupt Rate Discounts</u>
7	<u>Prop Econ Dev Rate Discounts</u>
8	<u>Prop Int Rate Disc Cost Alloc</u> D10S
9	<u>Prop ED Discount Cost Alloc</u> R02
10	<u>Revenue Requirement Shift</u>
11	<u>Adj Equal Rev (Rows 2+10)</u>
12	<u>Adj Rev Defic vs Prop Rev (Row 3)</u>
13	<u>Adj Deficiency / Adj Prop</u>
<u>Prop Customer Component</u>	
14	Min Sys & Service Drop
15	<u>Energy Services</u>
16	<b>Total Customer (Cusco)</b>
17	Ave Monthly Customers
18	Svc Drop Reqt      \$ / Mo / Cust
19	Ener Svcs Reqt      \$ / Mo / Cust
20	Total Reqt      \$ / Mo / Cust
<u>Prop Energy Component</u>	
21	On Peak Rev Reqt
22	<u>Off Peak Rev Reqt</u>
23	<u>Total Ener Rev Reqt</u>
24	Annual MWh Sales
25	On Pk Reqt      Mills / kWh
26	<u>Off Pk Reqt</u> Mills / kWh
27	Total Reqt      Mills / kWh
<u>Prop Demand Component</u>	
28	Energy-Related Prod
29	Capacity-Related Summer Peak Prod
30	Capacity-Related Winter Peak Prod
31	<u>Total Capacity-Related Prod</u>
32	Total Production
33	Transmission ( <b>Transco</b> )
34	Primary Dist Subs
35	Prim Dist Lines
36	<u>Second Dist, Trans</u>
37	<u>Total Distribution (Disco)</u>
38	Total Demand Rev Reqt
39	Annual Billing kW
40	Base Rev Reqt      \$ / kW
41	Summer Rev Reqt      \$ / kW
42	<u>Winter Rev Reqt</u> \$ / kW
43	Prod Rev Reqt      \$ / kW
44	Tran Rev Reqt      \$ / kW
45	<u>Dist Rev Reqt</u> \$ / kW
46	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt      \$ / kW
47	Tot Dmd Rev Reqt      Mills / kWh
48	Summer Billing kW
49	Winter Billing kW
50	Tot Summer Reqt      \$ / kW
51	Tot Winter Reqt      \$ / kW
52	Energy + Production ( <b>Genco</b> )
53	Prop Rev - Pres Rev (Pg 2)
54	Difference / Present

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1	7.55%	6.75%	8.25%	7.94%	8.27%	5.44%
2	4,212,844	1,728,144	2,442,655	126,708	2,315,947	42,045
3	<u>4,212,844</u>	<u>1,657,917</u>	<u>2,517,566</u>	<u>129,043</u>	<u>2,388,523</u>	<u>37,361</u>
4	0	70,227	(74,911)	(2,335)	(72,576)	4,684
5	0.00%	4.24%	-2.98%	-1.81%	-3.04%	12.54%
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
10	0	10,804	(10,988)	791	(11,779)	184
11	<u>4,212,844</u>	<u>1,738,948</u>	<u>2,431,667</u>	<u>127,499</u>	<u>2,304,168</u>	<u>42,229</u>
12	0	81,032	(85,899)	(1,545)	(84,355)	4,868
13	0.00%	4.89%	-3.41%	-1.20%	-3.53%	13.03%
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
14	315,103	256,715	32,694	19,628	13,066	25,694
15	<u>98,142</u>	<u>82,852</u>	<u>14,713</u>	<u>7,020</u>	<u>7,693</u>	<u>577</u>
16	413,245	339,567	47,407	26,648	20,759	26,271
17	1,437,828	1,268,459	141,043	89,982	51,061	28,326
18	\$18.26	\$16.87	\$19.32	\$18.18	\$21.32	\$75.59
19	\$5.69	\$5.44	\$8.69	\$6.50	\$12.56	\$1.70
20	\$23.95	\$22.31	\$28.01	\$24.68	\$33.88	\$77.29
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
21	913,205	283,909	627,816	25,318	602,498	1,480
22	<u>915,785</u>	<u>298,193</u>	<u>612,986</u>	<u>23,593</u>	<u>589,392</u>	<u>4,606</u>
23	1,828,990	582,102	1,240,802	48,912	1,191,890	6,086
24	29,392,644	9,082,285	20,195,239	771,624	19,423,615	115,120
25	31,069	31,260	31,087	32,812	31,019	12,854
26	<u>31,157</u>	<u>32,832</u>	<u>30,353</u>	<u>30,576</u>	<u>30,344</u>	<u>40,012</u>
27	62,226	64,092	61,440	63,388	61,363	52,865
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
28	425,613	122,115	302,570	11,669	290,901	928
29	400,573	157,060	243,513	9,197	234,316	0
30	<u>126,707</u>	<u>49,680</u>	<u>77,026</u>	<u>2,909</u>	<u>74,117</u>	<u>0</u>
31	<u>527,280</u>	<u>206,740</u>	<u>320,539</u>	<u>12,106</u>	<u>308,433</u>	<u>0</u>
32	952,892	328,856	623,109	23,775	599,334	928
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
33	552,688	174,721	376,169	14,930	361,239	1,798
34	113,440	42,476	70,483	3,407	67,076	481
35	286,051	153,108	131,322	9,186	122,136	1,622
36	<u>65,537</u>	<u>37,087</u>	<u>28,275</u>	<u>2,185</u>	<u>26,090</u>	<u>176</u>
37	465,028	232,671	230,080	14,778	215,302	2,278
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
38	1,970,609	736,248	1,229,357	53,483	1,175,874	5,004
39	50,438,651	0	50,438,651	0	50,438,651	0
40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.77	\$0.00
41	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4.65	\$0.00
42	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$1.47</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>
43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11.88	\$0.00
44	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$7.16	\$0.00
45	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$4.27</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>
46	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$23.31	\$0.00
47	67,044	81,064	60,874	69,312	60,538	43,468
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
48	18,795,390	0	18,795,390	0	18,795,390	0
49	31,643,261	0	31,643,261	0	31,643,261	0
50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$30.97	\$0.00	\$29.66	\$0.00
51	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20.45	\$0.00	\$19.54	\$0.00
<b>[HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA BEGINS]</b>						
<b>HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL DATA ENDS]</b>						
52	2,781,882	910,958	1,863,911	72,687	1,791,224	7,014
53	488,390	209,940	273,050	14,602	258,448	5,400
54	13.11%	14.50%	12.17%	12.76%	12.13%	16.89%

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		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp; Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1	Summer Peak	D10S	2,817,006	1,159,676	1,657,330	62,605	1,594,725	0
2	WInter Peak	D10S	891,057	366,821	524,236	19,803	504,433	0
3	Total Peak	D10S	3,708,063	1,526,497	2,181,567	82,408	2,099,158	0
4	Base Load	E8760	6,809,663	2,168,526	4,619,045	181,356	4,437,689	22,091
5	Nuclear Fuel	E8760	3,055,122	972,899	2,072,312	81,365	1,990,947	9,911
6	Total	35.26%	120, 310-346	13,572,848	4,667,922	8,872,923	345,129	8,527,795
<b>Transmission</b>								
7	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	138,431	44,083	93,899	3,687	90,212	449
8	Gen Step Up Peak	D10S	41,416	17,050	24,366	920	23,446	0
9	Total Gen Step Up		179,846	61,133	118,265	4,607	113,658	449
10	Bulk Transmission	D10T	4,325,433	1,475,943	2,832,760	113,958	2,718,802	16,731
11	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Direct Assign	Dir Assign	10,127	0	10,127	0	10,127	0
13	Total		350-359	4,515,407	1,537,075	2,961,152	118,565	2,842,587
<b>Distribution:</b> <b>Substations</b>								
14	Generat Step Up	STRATH	2,811	944	1,859	73	1,787	7
15	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Distrib Function	D60Sub	1,016,495	434,301	576,639	30,717	545,922	5,555
17	Direct Assign	Dir Assign	23,574	0	23,574	0	23,574	0
18	Total		360-363	1,042,880	435,245	602,073	30,789	571,284
<b>Overhead Lines</b>								
19	Primary Capacity 1 Phase	D61PS1Ph	281,134	234,044	44,691	9,092	35,599	2,399
20	Primary Capacity Multi Phase	D61PS	617,235	268,312	345,491	18,977	326,514	3,432
21	Primary Customer 1 Phase	C61PS1Ph	88,849	84,721	3,794	3,305	489	335
22	Primary Customer Multi Phase	C61PS	195,070	174,746	19,462	12,409	7,053	862
23	Total Primary		1,182,288	761,823	413,438	43,783	369,655	7,027
24	Second Capacity	D62SecL	95,806	52,707	42,688	3,476	39,212	412
25	Second Customer	C62Sec	380,619	341,084	37,853	24,222	13,632	1,682
26	Total Secondary		476,425	393,790	80,541	27,697	52,844	2,094
27	Street Lighting	DASL	72,646	0	0	0	0	72,646
28	Total		364,365	1,731,360	1,155,614	493,980	71,480	422,500
<b>Underground Lines</b>								
29	Primary Capacity 1 Phase	D61PS1Ph	416,934	347,097	66,279	13,484	52,795	3,557
30	Primary Capacity Multi Phase	D61PS	601,744	261,578	336,820	18,501	318,320	3,346
31	Primary Customer 1 Phase	C61PS1Ph	221,323	211,039	9,450	8,232	1,218	834
32	Primary Customer Multi Phase	C61PS	319,427	286,147	31,869	20,320	11,549	1,411
33	Total Primary		1,559,428	1,105,861	444,419	60,536	383,882	9,148
34	Second Capacity	D62SecL	172,511	94,905	76,865	6,258	70,607	741
35	Second Customer	C62Sec	243,633	218,326	24,230	15,504	8,726	1,077
36	Total Secondary		416,144	313,231	101,095	21,763	79,332	1,818
37	Street Lighting	DASL	0	0	0	0	0	0
38	Total		366,367	1,975,571	1,419,092	545,513	82,299	463,214
<b>Line Transformers</b>								
39	Primary	D61PS	92,347	40,143	51,690	2,839	48,851	513
40	Second Capacity	D62SecL	136,683	75,194	60,901	4,959	55,943	587
41	Second Customer	C62Sec	291,157	260,914	28,956	18,528	10,428	1,287
42	Total		368	520,186	376,251	141,548	26,326	115,221
<b>Services</b>								
43	Second Capacity	D62NLL	161,823	126,944	34,879	3,563	31,316	0
44	Second Customer	C62NL	263,491	250,931	12,559	8,037	4,523	0
45	Total Services	C62NL	369	425,314	377,876	47,439	11,600	35,839
46	Meters	C12WM	305,288	248,497	56,208	29,505	26,703	583
47	Street Lighting	Dir Assign	92,249	0	0	0	0	92,249
48	Total Distribution		373	6,092,849	4,012,575	1,886,761	251,999	1,634,761
49	General & Common Plant	PTD	303, 389-399	3,088,305	1,304,944	1,752,365	91,405	1,660,960
50	Prelim Elec Plant	NEPIS		27,269,409	11,522,515	15,473,201	807,099	14,666,103
	TBT Investment			0	11,522,515	0	0	273,692
	Elec Plant in Serv			27,269,409	11,522,515	15,473,201	807,099	14,666,103

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		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S	1,660,625	683,629	976,996	36,906	940,090	0
2	Decom Int Peaking	D10S	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Decom Int Baseload	E8760	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Nuclear Fuel	E8760	2,861,297	911,175	1,940,839	76,203	1,864,637	9,282
5	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>3,308,172</u>	<u>1,053,482</u>	<u>2,243,958</u>	<u>88,104</u>	<u>2,155,854</u>	<u>10,732</u>
6	Total		7,830,094	2,648,286	5,161,793	201,212	4,960,581	20,015
<b>Transmission</b>								
7	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	23,474	7,475	15,922	625	15,297	76
8	Gen Step Up Peak	D10S	18,573	7,646	10,927	413	10,514	0
9	Total Gen Step Up		42,046	15,121	26,849	1,038	25,811	76
10	Bulk Transmission	D10T	1,018,159	347,421	666,800	26,825	639,976	3,938
11	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>2,986</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,986</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,986</u>	<u>0</u>
13	Total		1,063,192	362,542	696,636	27,862	668,773	4,014
<b>Distribution</b>								
14	Generat Step Up	STRATH	1,928	647	1,275	50	1,226	5
15	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Distrib Function	D60Sub	272,001	116,213	154,301	8,219	146,082	1,486
17	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>6,662</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,662</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,662</u>	<u>0</u>
18	Total Substations		280,591	116,861	162,238	8,269	153,969	1,492
19	Overhead Lines	POL	533,028	355,775	152,080	22,006	130,074	25,173
20	Underground	PUL	627,243	450,561	173,200	26,130	147,070	3,482
21	Line Transformers	P68	210,684	152,388	57,329	10,663	46,667	967
22	Services	P69	214,929	190,956	23,973	5,862	18,111	0
23	Meters	C12WM	49,507	40,297	9,115	4,785	4,330	95
24	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	<u>35,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>35,000</u>
25	Total		1,950,982	1,306,838	577,936	77,714	500,221	66,208
26	<b>General &amp; CommonPlant</b>	PTD	108,111,115,120.5	1,496,150	632,189	848,945	44,282	804,663
27	<b>Total Accum Depr</b>		12,340,417	4,949,855	7,285,309	351,071	6,934,238	105,253
28	<b>Net Elec Plant</b>		14,928,992	6,572,660	8,187,892	456,028	7,731,864	168,439
29	<b>Net Plant w/ TBT</b>		14,928,992	6,572,660	8,187,892	456,028	7,731,864	168,439
<b>Subtractions: Accum Defer Inc Tax</b>								
<b>Production</b>								
30	Peaking Plant	D10S	362,804	149,355	213,448	8,063	205,385	0
31	Base Load	E8760	1,040,921	331,480	706,065	27,722	678,343	3,377
32	<u>Nuclear Fuel</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>(5,564)</u>	<u>(1,772)</u>	<u>(3,774)</u>	<u>(148)</u>	<u>(3,626)</u>	<u>(18)</u>
33	Total		1,398,162	479,063	915,739	35,637	880,103	3,359
<b>Transmission</b>								
34	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	22,741	7,242	15,426	606	14,820	74
35	Gen Step Up Peak	D10S	5,162	2,125	3,037	115	2,922	0
36	Total Gen Step Up		27,903	9,367	18,462	720	17,742	74
37	Bulk Transmission	D10T	774,263	264,197	507,071	20,399	486,672	2,995
38	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
39	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>1,731</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,731</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,731</u>	<u>0</u>
40	Total		803,897	273,564	527,264	21,119	506,145	3,069
<b>Distribution</b>								
41	Generat Step Up	STRATH	189	63	125	5	120	0
42	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
43	Distrib Function	D60Sub	123,901	52,937	70,287	3,744	66,543	677
44	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>2,927</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,927</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2,927</u>	<u>0</u>
45	Total Substations		127,017	53,001	73,339	3,749	69,590	678
46	Overhead Lines	POL	170,556	113,839	48,662	7,041	41,620	8,055
47	Underground	PUL	184,367	132,435	50,909	7,680	43,229	1,023
48	Line Transformers	P68	54,991	39,775	14,964	2,783	12,181	252
49	Services	P69	22,486	19,978	2,508	613	1,895	0
50	Meters	C12WM	18,126	14,754	3,337	1,752	1,585	35
51	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	<u>8,185</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8,185</u>
52	Total		585,728	373,782	193,719	23,619	170,100	18,228
53	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	281,282,283	179,315	75,769	101,747	5,307	96,440
54	<b>Total Deferred Tax</b>		2,967,102	1,202,178	1,738,470	85,682	1,652,787	26,455
55	Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry FNEPIS		(631,129)	(277,862)	(346,146)	(19,279)	(326,868)	(7,121)
56	Non-Plant Related	LABOR	10,492	4,507	5,896	323	5,573	90
57	<b>Accum Def W/ Adj</b>		2,346,466	928,823	1,398,219	66,726	1,331,493	19,424

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<b>Additions: CWIP, Etc; Rate Base</b>		Highly Confidential data is shaded.						Docket No. E002/GR-24-320 Exhibit ___(CJB-1), Schedule 6 Page 6 of 14	
		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>	
1	Peaking Plant	D10S	279,285	114,973	164,312	6,207	158,105	0	
2	Base Load	E8760	19,505	6,211	13,230	519	12,711	63	
3	<u>Nuclear Fuel</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>187,428</u>	<u>59,686</u>	<u>127,134</u>	<u>4,992</u>	<u>122,142</u>	<u>608</u>	
4	Total		486,218	180,871	304,676	11,718	292,958	671	
<b>Transmission</b>									
5	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6	Gen Step Up Peak	D10S	22,567	9,290	13,277	502	12,775	0	
7	Total Gen Step Up		22,567	9,290	13,277	502	12,775	0	
8	Bulk Transmission	D10T	134,601	45,929	88,151	3,546	84,605	521	
9	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0	
10	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	0	0	0	0	0	0	
11	Total		157,167	55,219	101,428	4,048	97,380	521	
<b>Distribution</b>									
12	Generat Step Up	STRATH	0	0	0	0	0	0	
13	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0	
14	Distrib Function	D60Sub	39,967	17,076	22,673	1,208	21,465	218	
15	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	0	0	0	0	0	0	
16	Total Substations		39,967	17,076	22,673	1,208	21,465	218	
17	Overhead Lines	POL	38,199	25,496	10,899	1,577	9,322	1,804	
18	Underground	PUL	40,673	29,216	11,231	1,694	9,537	226	
19	Line Transformers	P68	0	0	0	0	0	0	
20	Services	P69	1,645	1,461	183	45	139	0	
21	Meters	C12WM	2,003	1,630	369	194	175	4	
22	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	157	0	0	0	0	157	
23	Total		122,644	74,880	45,355	4,718	40,637	2,409	
24	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	322,193	136,141	182,819	9,536	173,283	3,234	
25	<b>Total CWIP</b>		1,088,222	447,111	634,277	30,019	604,258	6,834	
26	Fuel Inventory	E8760	151,152	85,634	27,270	58,086	2,281	55,805	278
<b>Materials &amp; Supplies</b>									
27	Production	P10	151,420	52,076	98,987	3,850	95,137	357	
28	Trans & Distr	TD	34,419	18,006	15,729	1,202	14,527	684	
29	Total		185,838	70,082	114,716	5,053	109,664	1,041	
<b>Prepayments</b>									
30	Miscellaneous	NEPIS	88,520	38,972	48,549	2,704	45,845	999	
	LED Deferral	DASLED	0	0	0	0	0	0	
31	Fuel	E8760	0	0	0	0	0	0	
32	<u>Insurance</u>	<u>NEPIS</u>	0	0	0	0	0	0	
33	Total		235,252,165	88,520	38,972	48,549	2,704	45,845	999
34	Non-Plant Assets & Liab	LABOR	99,107	42,571	55,691	3,047	52,644	846	
35	Working Cash	PT0	(96,584)	(43,491)	(51,906)	(2,968)	(48,938)	(1,187)	
36	<b>Total Additions</b>		1,450,736	582,513	859,413	40,135	819,278	8,810	
37	<b>Total Rate Base</b>		14,033,262	6,226,351	7,649,086	429,437	7,219,649	157,825	
38	<b>Common Rate Base (@ 52.50%)</b>		7,367,462.7	3,268,834	4,015,770	225,454	3,790,316	82,858	

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	<b>Retail Revenue</b>	<b>Alloc</b>	<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1	Present Rate Revenue	R01; (calc)	440, 442, 444, 445	3,724,454	1,447,977	2,244,516	114,442	2,130,075	31,961
2	Proposed Rate Revenue	PROREV; (calc)		4,212,844	1,657,917	2,517,566	129,043	2,388,523	37,361
3	Equal Rate Revenue			4,212,844	1,728,144	2,442,655	126,708	2,315,947	42,045
	<b>Other Retail Revenue</b>								
4	Interdepartmental	R01; R02	448	667	259	402	20	381	6
5	Gross Earnings Tax	R01; R02	408	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	CIP Adjustment to Program Costs	E99XCIP	456	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	<b>Tot Other Retail Rev</b>			667	259	402	20	381	6
	<b>Other Operating Revenue</b>								
8	Interchg Prod Capacity	P10	456	439,888	151,285	287,566	11,185	276,381	1,037
9	Interchg Prod Energy	E8760	456	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Interchg Tr Bulk Supply	D10T	456	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Dist Int Sales; Oth Serv	E8760	412,451,456	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Dist Overhd Line Rent	POL	454	4,786	3,194	1,365	198	1,168	226
13	Connection Charges	C11	451	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Sales For Resale	E8760	447	247,354	78,770	167,782	6,588	161,195	802
15	Joint Op Agree-Other PSCo Rev	D10T	456	(2,673)	(912)	(1,751)	(70)	(1,680)	(10)
16	Misc Ancillary Trans Rev	D10T		257,694	87,931	168,766	6,789	161,977	997
17	MISO	D10T	456	(98,327)	(33,551)	(64,395)	(2,591)	(61,804)	(380)
18	Other	D10T	451,456,457	405	138	266	11	255	2
19	Late Pay Chg - Pres	R16C; R02		7,052	5,804	1,037	221	816	211
20	<b>Tot Other Op - Pres</b>			450	856,179	292,659	560,636	22,330	538,306
21	Incr Misc Serv - Prop	C62NL		1,338	1,274	64	41	23	0
22	Incr Inter-Dept'l - Prop	R01; R02		89	34	53	3	51	1
23	<b>Incr Late Pay - Prop</b>	(R16C); R02		925	761	136	29	107	28
24	<b>Tot Incr Other Op</b>			2,351	2,069	253	72	181	28
25	<b>Tot Other Op - Prop</b>			858,530	294,728	560,889	22,403	538,486	2,913
26	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Pres</b>			4,581,300	1,740,895	2,805,554	136,792	2,668,762	34,851
	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Prop</b>			5,072,041	1,952,904	3,078,857	151,467	2,927,391	40,279
	<b>Tot Oper Rev - Eql</b>			5,072,041	2,023,131	3,003,946	149,131	2,854,815	44,963
	<b>Operating &amp; Maint (Pg 1 of 2)</b>								
27	<b>Production Expen</b>	E8760	501,518,547	790,932	251,871	536,495	21,064	515,431	2,566
	<b>Purchased Power</b>								
28	Purchases: Cap Peak	D10S		79,667	32,796	46,871	1,771	45,100	0
29	Purchases: Cap Base	D10S		29,645	12,204	17,441	659	16,783	0
30	Purchases: Demand		555	109,312	45,001	64,312	2,429	61,883	0
31	Purchases: Other Energy	E8760	555	491,235	156,433	333,208	13,083	320,125	1,594
32	<b>Tot Non-Assoc Purch</b>			600,547	201,433	397,520	15,512	382,008	1,594
33	Interchg Agr Capacity	P10WoN	557	78,662	27,635	50,862	1,973	48,889	165
34	Interchg Agr Energy	E8760	557	16,993	5,411	11,527	453	11,074	55
35	Tot Wis Interchg Purch			95,655	33,047	62,388	2,425	59,963	220
36	<b>Tot Purchased Power</b>			696,202	234,480	459,908	17,937	441,971	1,814
	<b>Other Production</b>								
37	Capacity Related	D10S	500,502,505-507		42,226	60,346	2,280	58,067	0
38	Energy Related	E8760	509-514,517-519,520, 523-525,528-532,535,	102,572	114,467	243,819	9,573	234,246	1,166
39	Total Other Produc	22.20%	539,543-546,548-550	359,453	156,693	304,166	11,853	292,313	1,166
40	<b>Total Production</b>		552-554,556,557 575.1-575.8	462,024	1,949,158	643,044	1,300,569	50,854	1,249,715
41	<b>Transmission Exp</b>	D10T	560-563, 565-568 570-573	291,923	99,611	191,183	7,691	183,492	1,129

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		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>MN</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
				<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>	
1	Supervision & Eng'rg	ZDTS	580,590	16,181	10,727	4,836	709	4,127	618
2	Load Dispatching	T20D80	581	411	174	235	12	223	2
3	Substations	P61	582,591,592	4,361	1,820	2,518	129	2,389	23
4	Overhead Lines	POL	583,593	88,845	59,301	25,349	3,668	21,681	4,196
5	Underground Lines	PUL	584,594	18,736	13,458	5,174	781	4,393	104
6	Line Transformers	P68	595	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Meters	C12WM	586,597,598	1,411	1,149	260	136	123	3
8	Customer Install'n	OXDTS	587	(926)	(602)	(266)	(38)	(228)	(57)
9	Street Lighting	Dir Assign	585,596	2,936	0	0	0	0	2,936
10	Miscellaneous	OXDTS	588	(568)	(370)	(163)	(23)	(140)	(35)
11	Rents (Pole Attachmts)	POL	589	3,748	2,502	1,069	155	915	177
12	<b>Total Distribution</b>			135,135	88,158	39,011	5,529	33,482	7,966
13	<b>Customer Accounting</b>	C11WA	901-905	76,805	64,747	11,655	5,512	6,143	404
14	<b>Sales, Econ Dvlp &amp; Other</b>	R01	912	8,608	3,347	5,188	265	4,923	74
	<b>Admin &amp; General</b>								
15	Salaries	LABOR	920	111,196	47,763	62,484	3,418	59,065	949
16	Office Supplies	OXTS	921	68,420	25,308	42,681	1,957	40,724	430
17	Admin Transfer Credit	OXTS	922	(91,374)	(33,799)	(57,000)	(2,613)	(54,387)	(575)
18	Outside Services	LABOR	923	25,882	11,117	14,544	796	13,748	221
19	Property Insurance	NEPIS	924	9,278	4,085	5,089	283	4,805	105
20	Pensions & Benefits	LABOR	926	74,258	31,897	41,727	2,283	39,445	634
21	Injuries & Claims	LABOR	925	30,069	12,916	16,896	924	15,972	257
22	Regulatory Exp	R01; R02	928	8,483	3,298	5,112	261	4,851	73
23	General Advertising	OXTS	930.1	1,133	419	707	32	674	7
24	Contributions	OXTS		0	0	0	0	0	0
25	Misc General Exp	OXTS	929, 930.2	(374)	(138)	(233)	(11)	(223)	(2)
26	Rents	OXTS	931	62,281	23,038	38,852	1,781	37,071	392
27	Maint of General Plant	OXTS	935	416	154	259	12	248	3
28	<b>Total</b>			299,667	126,058	171,117	9,124	161,994	2,492
	<b>Cust Service &amp; Info</b>								
29	Cust Assist Exp - Non-CIP	C11P10	908	3,363	2,062	1,264	148	1,116	37
30	CIP Total	E99XCIP	908	170,410	55,399	114,309	4,706	109,603	702
31	Instructional Advertising	C11P10	909	769	472	289	34	255	8
32	<b>Total</b>			174,543	57,932	115,863	4,888	110,975	748
33	Amortizations	LABOR		54,152	23,261	30,429	1,665	28,765	462
	Amortizations LED Deferral	DASLED		0	0	0	0	0	0
34	<b>Total O&amp;M Expense</b>			2,989,992	1,106,157	1,865,014	85,527	1,779,488	18,821

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		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1	<u>Production</u> Peaking Plant	D10S	136,044	56,005	80,039	3,023	77,015	0
2	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>292,385</u>	<u>93,110</u>	<u>198,327</u>	<u>7,787</u>	<u>190,540</u>	<u>949</u>
3	Total		428,429	149,115	278,366	10,810	267,555	949
	<b>Transmission</b>							
4	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	2,464	785	1,671	66	1,606	8
5	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>	<u>1,433</u>	<u>590</u>	<u>843</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>811</u>	<u>0</u>
6	Total Gen Step Up		3,897	1,374	2,514	97	2,417	8
7	Bulk Transmission	D10T	95,454	32,571	62,513	2,515	59,999	369
8	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Direct Assign	Dir Assign	224	0	224	0	224	0
10	Total		99,574	33,946	65,251	2,612	62,639	377
	<b>Distribution</b>							
11	Generat Step Up	STRATH	73	24	48	2	46	0
12	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Distrib Function	D60Sub	24,954	10,662	14,156	754	13,402	136
14	Direct Assign	Dir Assign	567	0	567	0	567	0
15	Total Substations		25,594	10,686	14,771	756	14,015	137
16	Overhead Lines	POL	62,384	41,639	17,799	2,576	15,223	2,946
17	Underground	PUL	59,186	42,514	16,343	2,466	13,877	329
18	Line Transformers	P68	16,144	11,677	4,393	817	3,576	74
19	Services	P69	17,982	15,976	2,006	490	1,515	0
20	Meters	C12WM	14,204	11,562	2,615	1,373	1,242	27
21	Street Lighting	P73	4,878	0	0	0	0	4,878
22	Total		200,371	134,054	57,927	8,477	49,450	8,390
23	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	201,861	85,295	114,540	5,975	108,566	2,026
24	<b>Total Book Deprec</b>		403,404	930,236	402,410	516,084	27,874	488,210
	<b>Real Estate &amp; Property Tax</b>							
	<b>Production</b>							
25	Peaking Plant	D10S	29,471	12,133	17,339	655	16,684	0
26	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>54,123</u>	<u>17,235</u>	<u>36,712</u>	<u>1,441</u>	<u>35,271</u>	<u>176</u>
27	Total		83,594	29,368	54,051	2,096	51,954	176
	<b>Transmission</b>							
28	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	1,358	433	921	36	885	4
29	Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>	<u>406</u>	<u>167</u>	<u>239</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>0</u>
30	Total Gen Step Up		1,765	600	1,160	45	1,115	4
31	Bulk Transmission	D10T	42,440	14,481	27,794	1,118	26,676	164
32	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Direct Assign	Dir Assign	99	0	99	0	99	0
34	Total		44,304	15,081	29,054	1,163	27,891	169
	<b>Distribution</b>							
35	Generat Step Up	STRATH	29	10	19	1	19	0
36	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	Distrib Function	D60Sub	10,527	4,498	5,972	318	5,654	58
38	Direct Assign	Dir Assign	244	0	244	0	244	0
39	Total Substations		10,800	4,508	6,235	319	5,916	58
40	Overhead Lines	POL	17,931	11,968	5,116	740	4,376	847
41	Underground	PUL	20,460	14,697	5,650	852	4,797	114
42	Line Transformers	P68	5,387	3,897	1,466	273	1,193	25
43	Services	P69	4,405	3,913	491	120	371	0
44	Meters	C12WM	3,162	2,574	582	306	277	6
45	Street Lighting	P73	955	0	0	0	0	955
46	Total		63,100	41,556	19,540	2,610	16,930	2,004
47	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	408.1	0	0	0	0	0
48	<b>Tot RI Est &amp; Pr Tax</b>		190,998	86,005	102,645	5,870	96,775	2,348
49	Gross Earnings Tax	R01; R02	0	0	0	0	0	0
50	Payroll Taxes	LABOR	29,174	12,531	16,393	897	15,497	249
51	<b>Tot Non-Inc Taxes</b>		220,171	98,536	119,038	6,766	112,272	2,597

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		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1 MN</b>	<b>2 Res</b>	<b>3 C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4 Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5 Demand</b>	<b>6 St Ltg</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S	45,951	18,917	27,035	1,021	26,013	0
2	Nuclear Fuel	E8760	(418)	(133)	(284)	(11)	(273)	(1)
3	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>(36,653)</u>	<u>(11,672)</u>	<u>(24,862)</u>	<u>(976)</u>	<u>(23,886)</u>	<u>(119)</u>
4	Total		8,880	7,111	1,889	34	1,855	(120)
<b>Transmission</b>								
5	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	385	122	261	10	251	1
6	Gen Step Up Peak	D10S	185	76	109	4	105	0
7	Total Gen Step Up		570	199	370	14	355	1
8	Bulk Transmission	D10T	20,716	7,069	13,567	546	13,021	80
9	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>0</u>
11	Total		21,319	7,267	13,970	560	13,410	81
<b>Distribution</b>								
12	Generat Step Up	STRATH	(34)	(11)	(23)	(1)	(22)	(0)
13	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Distrib Function	D60Sub	1,975	844	1,120	60	1,061	11
15	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>(24)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(24)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(24)</u>	<u>0</u>
16	Total Substations		1,917	832	1,074	59	1,015	11
17	Overhead Lines	POL	9,658	6,447	2,756	399	2,357	456
18	Underground	PUL	(6,498)	(4,668)	(1,794)	(271)	(1,524)	(36)
19	Line Transformers	P68	(1,942)	(1,405)	(528)	(98)	(430)	(9)
20	Services	P69	56	50	6	2	5	0
21	Meters	C12WM	3,479	2,832	641	336	304	7
22	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	<u>(439)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(439)</u>	
23	Total		6,232	4,088	2,154	426	1,727	(10)
24	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	3,374	1,426	1,914	100	1,815	34
25	<b>Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry</b>	NEPIS	(227,036)	(99,955)	(124,519)	(6,935)	(117,584)	(2,562)
26	<b>Non - Plant Related</b>	LABOR	(1,929)	(829)	(1,084)	(59)	(1,025)	(16)
27	<b>Tot Prov For Defer</b>		(189,161)	(80,891)	(105,677)	(5,874)	(99,802)	(2,593)
<b>Inv Tax Credit; Total Oper Exp</b>								
<b>Production</b>								
28	Peaking Plant	D10S	(236)	(97)	(139)	(5)	(133)	0
29	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>	<u>(825)</u>	<u>(263)</u>	<u>(559)</u>	<u>(22)</u>	<u>(537)</u>	<u>(3)</u>
30	Total		(1,061)	(360)	(698)	(27)	(671)	(3)
<b>Transmission</b>								
31	Gen Step Up Base	E8760	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	Gen Step Up Peak	D10S	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	Total Gen Step Up		0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Bulk Transmission	D10T	(150)	(51)	(98)	(4)	(94)	(1)
35	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
37	Total		(150)	(51)	(98)	(4)	(94)	(1)
<b>Distribution</b>								
38	Generat Step Up	STRATH	0	0	0	0	0	0
39	Bulk Transmission	D10T	0	0	0	0	0	0
40	Distrib Function	D60Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0
41	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
42	Total Substations		0	0	0	0	0	0
43	Overhead Lines	POL	(292)	(195)	(83)	(12)	(71)	(14)
44	Underground	PUL	0	0	0	0	0	0
45	Line Transformers	P68	0	0	0	0	0	0
46	Services	P69	0	0	0	0	0	0
47	Meters	C12WM	0	0	0	0	0	0
48	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
49	Total		(292)	(195)	(83)	(12)	(71)	(14)
50	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	(5)	(2)	(3)	(0)	(3)	(0)
51	<b>Net Inv Tax Credit</b>		(1,508)	(608)	(883)	(43)	(839)	(17)
52	<b>TBT Misc Net Exp</b>	NEPIS	0	0	0	0	0	0
53A	<b>Total Operating Exp</b>		3,949,730	1,525,603	2,393,578	114,250	2,279,328	30,549
53B	<b>Pres Op Inc Before Inc Tax</b>		631,570	215,291	411,976	22,543	389,434	4,302
	<b>Prop Op Inc Before Inc Tax</b>		1,122,310	427,300	685,280	37,217	648,063	9,730

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**Tax Deprec; Inc Tax & Return**

			<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1</b> <b>MN</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Res</b>	<b>3</b> <b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>4</b> <b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>5</b> <b>Demand</b>	<b>6</b> <b>St Ltg</b>
1	Peaking Plant	D10S		363,997	149,847	214,151	8,090	206,061	0
2	Nuclear Fuel	E8760		105,933	33,734	71,855	2,821	69,034	344
3	<u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>		<u>211,517</u>	<u>67,357</u>	<u>143,474</u>	<u>5,633</u>	<u>137,840</u>	<u>686</u>
4	Total		tax books	681,447	250,938	429,479	16,544	412,935	1,030
	<b>Transmission</b>								
5	Gen Step Up Base	E8760		7,541	2,401	5,115	201	4,914	24
6	<u>Gen Step Up Peak</u>	<u>D10S</u>		<u>1,874</u>	<u>772</u>	<u>1,103</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>1,061</u>	<u>0</u>
7	Total Gen Step Up			9,415	3,173	6,218	242	5,975	24
8	Bulk Transmission	D10T		182,195	62,169	119,321	4,800	114,521	705
9	Distrib Function	D60Sub		0	0	0	0	0	0
10	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>		<u>330</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>330</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>330</u>	<u>0</u>
11	Total		tax books	191,940	65,342	125,868	5,043	120,826	729
	<b>Distribution</b>								
12	Generat Step Up	STRATH		0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Bulk Transmission	D10T		0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Distrib Function	D60Sub		35,750	15,274	20,280	1,080	19,200	195
15	<u>Direct Assign</u>	<u>Dir Assign</u>		<u>343</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>343</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>343</u>	<u>0</u>
16	Total Substations			36,092	15,274	20,623	1,080	19,543	195
17	Overhead Lines	POL		83,203	55,535	23,739	3,435	20,304	3,929
18	Underground	PUL		90,684	65,140	25,040	3,778	21,263	503
19	Line Transformers	P68		17,082	12,355	4,648	865	3,784	78
20	Services	P69		15,199	13,504	1,695	415	1,281	0
21	Meters	C12WM		27,041	22,010	4,979	2,613	2,365	52
22	<u>Street Lighting</u>	<u>P73</u>		<u>3,646</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,646</u>
23	Total		tax books	272,947	183,819	80,724	12,186	68,539	8,404
24	<b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	tax books	212,504	89,792	120,579	6,290	114,289	2,133
25	Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carry FNEPIS			(3,274)	(1,441)	(1,796)	(100)	(1,696)	(37)
26	<b>Total Tax Deprec</b>			1,355,563	588,449	754,855	39,962	714,893	12,259
27	Interest Expense		427,431	300,311.81	133,244	163,690	9,190	154,500	3,377
28	Other Tax Timing Differ	LABOR		(25,919)	(11,133)	(14,565)	(797)	(13,768)	(221)
29	<u>Meals &amp; Enter</u>	<u>LABOR</u>		<u>1,582</u>	<u>679</u>	<u>889</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>840</u>	<u>13</u>
30	Total Tax Deductions			1,631,538	711,239	904,869	48,403	856,466	15,429
	<b>Inc Tax Additions</b>								
31	Book Depreciation			930,236	402,410	516,084	27,874	488,210	11,742
32	Deferred Inc Tax & ITC			(190,668.55)	(81,499)	(106,559)	(5,918)	(100,642)	(2,610)
33	Nuclear Fuel Book Burn	E8760		114,483	36,457	77,655	3,049	74,606	371
34	Tax Capitalized Leases	PTD		46,357	19,588	26,304	1,372	24,932	465
35	<u>Avoided Tax Interest</u>	<u>RTBASE</u>		<u>54,641</u>	<u>24,244</u>	<u>29,783</u>	<u>1,672</u>	<u>28,111</u>	<u>615</u>
36	Total Tax Additions			955,048	401,199	543,267	28,050	515,217	10,583
37	<b>Total Inc Tax Adjustments</b>			(676,489)	(310,041)	(361,602)	(20,353)	(341,249)	(4,846)
38A	<b>Pres Taxable Net Income</b>			(44,919)	(94,749)	50,374	2,189	48,185	(544)
38B	<b>Prop Taxable Net Income</b>			445,821	117,260	323,677	16,863	306,814	4,884
39A	Pres Fed & State Inc Tax			7,187	(18,316)	25,433	1,244	24,189	70
38A	Exp Fed & State Inc Tax			148,236	36,853	110,101	5,578	104,522	1,282
39B	Prop Fed & State Inc Tax			148,236	42,620	103,986	5,462	98,524	1,630
38C	Equal Fed & State Inc Tax			148,236	62,805	82,455	4,791	77,664	2,976
40A	Pres Preliminary Return	(total); BASE		624,383	233,607	386,543	21,298	365,245	4,232
40B	Prop Preliminary Return	(total); BASE		974,075	384,680	581,294	31,755	549,539	8,100
41	Total AFUDC			85,437	35,366	49,593	2,332	47,261	478
42A	<b>Present Total Return</b>			709,819	268,973	436,136	23,630	412,506	4,710
42B	<b>Proposed Total Return</b>			1,059,511	420,047	630,886	34,086	596,800	8,578
42C	<b>Equal Total Return</b>			1,059,511	470,089	577,506	32,422	545,084	11,916
43A	<b>Pres % Return on Rate Base</b>			5.06%	4.32%	5.70%	5.50%	5.71%	2.98%
43B	<b>Prop % Return on Rate Base</b>			7.55%	6.75%	8.25%	7.94%	8.27%	5.44%
44A	<b>Present Common Return</b>			409,508	135,729	272,445	14,440	258,005	1,333
44B	<b>Proposed Common Return</b>			759,199	286,803	467,196	24,897	442,299	5,201
45A	<b>Pres % Ret on Common Rt Base</b>			5.56%	4.15%	6.78%	6.40%	6.81%	1.61%
45B	<b>Prop % Ret on Common Rt Base</b>			10.30%	8.77%	11.63%	11.04%	11.67%	6.28%

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<b>Allow For Funds Used During Constr</b>		<b>FERC Accounts</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Production</b>	<b>Alloc</b>		<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
1 Peaking Plant	D10S		26,145	10,763	15,382	581	14,801	0
2 Nuclear Fuel	E8760		13,496	4,298	9,154	359	8,795	44
3 <u>Base Load</u>	<u>E8760</u>		(2,320)	(739)	(1,574)	(62)	(1,512)	(8)
4 Total		419.1,432	37,321	14,322	22,963	879	22,084	36
<b>Transmission</b>								
5 Gen Step Up Base	E8760		0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Gen Step Up Peak	<u>D10S</u>		1,395	574	821	31	790	0
7 Total Gen Step Up			1,395	574	821	31	790	0
8 Bulk Transmission	D10T		10,662	3,638	6,983	281	6,702	41
9 Distrib Function	D60Sub		0	0	0	0	0	0
10 Direct Assign	Dir Assign		0	0	0	0	0	0
11 Total		419.1,432	12,058	4,213	7,804	312	7,492	41
<b>Distribution</b>								
12 Generat Step Up	STRATH		0	0	0	0	0	0
13 Bulk Transmission	D10T		0	0	0	0	0	0
14 Distrib Function	D60Sub		7,318	3,127	4,151	221	3,930	40
15 Direct Assign	Dir Assign		0	0	0	0	0	0
16 Total Substations			7,318	3,127	4,151	221	3,930	40
17 Overhead Lines	POL		2,334	1,558	666	96	570	110
18 Underground	PUL		3,297	2,368	910	137	773	18
19 Line Transformers	P68		0	0	0	0	0	0
20 Services	P69		3	3	0	0	0	0
21 Meters	C12WM		33	27	6	3	3	0
22 Street Lighting	P73		0	0	0	0	0	0
23 Total		419.1,432	12,985	7,082	5,734	458	5,276	169
24 <b>General &amp; Common Plant</b>	PTD	419.1,432	23,073	9,749	13,092	683	12,409	232
25 <b>Total AFUDC</b>			85,437	35,366	49,593	2,332	47,261	478

<b>Labor Allocator</b>								
<b>Production</b>		500 through 557	209,350	73,547	135,362	5,250	130,112	440
26 Other Prod - Cap	D10S							
27 Other Prod - Ene	E8760							
28 Total								
<b>Transmission</b>								
29 Stepup Subtrans	P5161A		706	240	464	18	446	2
30 Bulk Power Subs	<u>D10T</u>	560 through 571	16,978	5,793	11,119	447	10,672	66
31 Total			17,684	6,033	11,584	465	11,118	67
<b>Distribution</b>								
32 Superv & Eng	ZDTS	580, 590	10,799	7,159	3,227	473	2,754	413
33 Load Dispatch	D10T	581	186	63	122	5	117	1
34 Substation	P61	582, 592	2,537	1,059	1,464	75	1,390	14
35 Overhead Lines	POL	583, 593	14,893	9,940	4,249	615	3,634	703
36 Underground Lines	PUL	584, 594	6,968	5,005	1,924	290	1,634	39
37 Line Transformer	P68	595	0	0	0	0	0	0
38 Meter	C12WM	586, 597	2,455	1,998	452	237	215	5
39 Cust Installation	ZDTS	587	743	492	222	33	189	28
40 Street Lighting	P73	585, 596	19	0	0	0	0	19
41 Miscellaneous	OXDTS	588	10,779	7,017	3,097	437	2,660	666
42 Total			49,378	32,734	14,758	2,165	12,593	1,886
43 <b>Cust Accounting</b>	C11WA	901,902,903,904,905	13,772	11,610	2,090	988	1,102	72
44 Sales Expense	C11P10	912	2,922	1,791	1,098	129	970	32
45 Admin & General	LABOR	920,921,922,923,924,	185,185	79,545	104,060	5,693	98,367	1,580
46 Service & Inform	C11P10	908, 909	1,011	620	380	44	335	11
47 Labor			479,302	205,880	269,332	14,735	254,597	4,089

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<b>INTERNAL ALLOCATORS</b>		Intern:	<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
			1	2	3	4	5	
1	50% Cus, 50% Prod Plt	C11P10	100.00%	61.31%	37.59%	4.40%	33.19%	1.10%
2	Peaking Plant Capacity	D10S	100.00%	41.17%	58.83%	2.22%	56.61%	0.00%
3	57% Dmd; 43% Energy: Sales & ID57E43		100.00%	31.84%	67.83%	2.66%	65.17%	0.32%
4	40% Dmd; 60% Energy: CIP	D40E60	100.00%	31.84%	67.83%	2.66%	65.17%	0.32%
5	20%D10T; 80%D60Sub	T20D80	100.00%	42.41%	57.15%	2.86%	54.29%	0.44%
6	Labor w/o (or w/) A&G	LABOR	100.00%	42.95%	56.19%	3.07%	53.12%	0.85%
7	Net Plant In Service	NEPIS	100.00%	44.03%	54.85%	3.05%	51.79%	1.13%
8	Dis O&M w/o Sup & Misc	OXDTS	100.00%	65.09%	28.73%	4.05%	24.68%	6.18%
9	O&M w/o Reg Ex & OXTS-Alloc'd OXTS		100.00%	36.99%	62.38%	2.86%	59.52%	0.63%
10	Production Plant	P10	100.00%	34.39%	65.37%	2.54%	62.83%	0.24%
11	Production Plant Wo Nuclear	P10WoN	100.00%	35.13%	64.66%	2.51%	62.15%	0.21%
12	Total P51 & P61A	P5161A	100.00%	33.99%	65.76%	2.56%	63.20%	0.25%
13	Distribution Plant	P60	100.00%	65.86%	30.97%	4.14%	26.83%	3.18%
14	Distr Substn Plant	P61	100.00%	41.73%	57.73%	2.95%	54.78%	0.53%
15	Line Transformer Plant	P68	100.00%	72.33%	27.21%	5.06%	22.15%	0.46%
16	Services Plant	P69	100.00%	88.85%	11.15%	2.73%	8.43%	0.00%
17	Dist Plt Overhead Lines	POL	100.00%	66.75%	28.53%	4.13%	24.40%	4.72%
18	Real Est & Property Tax	PT0	100.00%	45.03%	53.74%	3.07%	50.67%	1.23%
19	Produc, Trans & Distrib	PTD	100.00%	42.25%	56.74%	2.96%	53.78%	1.00%
20	Dist Plt Undground Lines	PUL	100.00%	71.83%	27.61%	4.17%	23.45%	0.56%
21	Rate Base (Non-Column)	RTBASE	100.00%	44.37%	54.51%	3.06%	51.45%	1.12%
22	Stratified Hydro Baseload	STRATH	100.00%	33.58%	66.15%	2.58%	63.57%	0.26%
23	Transmission & Distrib	TD	100.00%	52.31%	45.70%	3.49%	42.21%	1.99%
24	Labor Dis w/o Sup & Eng	ZDTS	100.00%	66.29%	29.89%	4.38%	25.50%	3.82%
			1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>INTERNAL DATA</b>			<b>MN</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	<b>Sm Non-D</b>	<b>Demand</b>	<b>St Ltg</b>
25	Labor w/o A&G	LABOR(S)	294,117	126,336	165,272	9,042	156,230	2,509
26	Dis O&M w/o Sup, Cust Install & IODTS		120,448	78,404	34,604	4,880	29,724	7,440
27	O&M w/o Reg Ex & OXTS-Alloc'd OXTS		2,941,007	1,087,877	1,834,637	84,108	1,750,529	18,493
28	Total P51 & P61A	P5161A	182,657	62,077	120,124	4,680	115,444	457
29	Produc, Trans & Distrib	PTD	24,181,104	10,217,571	13,720,836	715,694	13,005,143	242,696
30	Transmission & Distrib	TD	10,608,256	5,549,650	4,847,913	370,565	4,477,348	210,694
31	Labor Dis w/o Sup & Eng, Cust InZDTS		37,836	25,083	11,308	1,659	9,649	1,446

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EXTERNAL ALLOCATORS		Extern:	MN	Res	C&I Tot	Sm Non-D	Demand	St Ltg
1	Customers - Ave Monthly	C11	100.00%	88.22%	9.81%	6.26%	3.55%	1.97%
2	Cust Acctg Wtg Factor	C11WA	100.00%	84.30%	15.17%	7.18%	8.00%	0.53%
3	Mo Cus Wtd By Mtr Invest	C12WM	100.00%	81.40%	18.41%	9.66%	8.75%	0.19%
4	Sec & Pri Customers	C61PS	100.00%	89.58%	9.98%	6.36%	3.62%	0.44%
5	Pri & Sec Cust Served w/ 1 Ph	C61PS1Ph	100.00%	95.35%	4.27%	3.72%	0.55%	0.38%
6	C62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Undergrd	C62NL	100.00%	95.23%	4.77%	3.05%	1.72%	0.00%
7	Secondary Customers	C62Sec	100.00%	89.61%	9.95%	6.36%	3.58%	0.44%
8	Summer Peak Resp KW	D10S	100.00%	41.17%	58.83%	2.22%	56.61%	0.00%
9	Transmission Demand %	D10T	100.00%	34.12%	65.49%	2.63%	62.86%	0.39%
10	Winter Peak Resp KW	D10W	100.00%	34.24%	65.12%	2.78%	62.34%	0.64%
11	Alternative Production Allocator	12CP	100.00%	35.09%	64.49%	2.62%	61.87%	0.41%
12	Sec, Pri & TT, Class Coin kW @ D60Sub		100.00%	42.73%	56.73%	3.02%	53.71%	0.55%
13	Sec & Pri, Cl Coin kW (no Min Sy D61PS		100.00%	43.47%	55.97%	3.07%	52.90%	0.56%
14	Pri & Sec Coin kW Served w/ 1 P D61PS1Ph		100.00%	83.25%	15.90%	3.23%	12.66%	0.85%
15	D62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Undergrd D62NLL		100.00%	78.45%	21.55%	2.20%	19.35%	0.00%
16	Sec, Class Coin kW (w/o Min Sys D62SecL		100.00%	55.01%	44.56%	3.63%	40.93%	0.43%
17	Direct Assign Street Lighting	DASL	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
	Direct Assign LED Lighting Defer	DASLED	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
18	On + Off Sales MWH	E8760	100.00%	31.84%	67.83%	2.66%	65.17%	0.32%
19	Street Lighting (Dir Assign)	P73	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
20	MWh Sales Excl CIP Exempt	E99XCIP	100.00%	32.51%	67.08%	2.76%	64.32%	0.41%
21	Present Rev	R01	100.00%	38.88%	60.26%	3.07%	57.19%	0.86%
22	Base Rev	R02	100.00%	41.54%	57.41%	3.21%	54.20%	1.05%
23	Late Fee Revenue Allocator	LateFee	100.00%	82.31%	14.70%	3.13%	11.57%	2.99%

			1 <b>MN</b>	2 <b>Res</b>	3 <b>C&amp;I Tot</b>	4 <b>Sm Non-D</b>	5 <b>Demand</b>	6 <b>St Ltg</b>
<b>EXTERNAL DATA</b>								
23	Customers - B Basis	C10	1,411,455	1,264,372	140,848	89,788	51,061	6,235
24	Cust - Ave Monthly (C10-Area Lt)	C11	1,437,828	1,268,459	141,043	89,982	51,061	28,326
25	Mo Cus Wtd By Cus Acct	C11WA	1,504,701	1,268,459	228,330	107,979	120,351	7,911
26	Cust Acctg Wtg Factor	C11WAF	30.26	1.00	29.26	1.20	28.06	N/A
27	Cust-Ave Mo (C11 w/ Dir Assign	C12	1,412,780	1,268,459	141,043	89,982	51,061	3,277
28	Mo Cus Wtd By Mtr Invest	C12WM	297,386,508	242,064,796	54,753,355	28,741,126	26,012,229	568,358
29	Meter Invest / Cust Factor	C12WMF	25,034	191	24,670	319	24,350	173
30	Sec & Pri Customers	C61PS	1,411,423	1,264,372	140,816	89,788	51,029	6,235
31	% Served by Primary Single Phase		0.0%	71.59%	0.00%	39.32%	0.00%	57.36%
32	Pri & Sec Cust Served w/ 1 Ph	C61PS1Ph	949,273	905,165	40,532	35,306	5,225	3,576
33	C62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Undergro	C62NL	1,327,655	1,264,372	63,283	40,494	22,789	0
34	Secondary Customers	C62Sec	1,410,926	1,264,372	140,319	89,788	50,532	6,235
35	Summer Peak Resp KW	D10S	4,083	1,681	2,402	91	2,311	0
36	Dmd (D10S x Fact + D10W)/1000	D10T	10,000,000	3,825,962	6,147,118	245,540	5,901,577	26,920
37	Winter Peak Resp KW	D10W	4,235	1,450	2,758	118	2,640	27
38	Alternative Production Allocator	12CP	4,250	1,492	2,741	111	2,630	18
39	Sec, Pri & TT, Class Coin kW @	D60Sub	6,288,154	2,686,635	3,567,155	190,017	3,377,138	34,364
40	Sec & Pri, Class Coin kW (w/o Mi	D61PS	6,180,437	2,686,635	3,459,439	190,017	3,269,422	34,364
41	Pri & Sec Coin kW Served w/ 1 P	C61PS1Ph	2,310,348	1,923,364	367,273	74,718	292,555	19,711
42	D62Sec, w/o Ltg & C/I Undergro	D62NLL	11,095,094	8,703,660	2,391,433	244,303	2,147,130	0
43	Sec, Class Coin kW (w/o Min Sys	D62SecL	10,000,000	5,501,374	4,455,667	362,784	4,092,884	42,959
44	Annual Billing kW	D99	50,438,651	0	50,439	0	50,439	0
45	Summer Billing kW	D99S	18,795,390	0	18,795	0	18,795	0
46	Winter Billing kW	D99W	31,643,261	0	31,643	0	31,643	0
47	Non-Coinc Pk Second	DN-Sec	14,040,608	8,703,660	5,302,584	541,698	4,760,885	34,364
48	MWh Sales	E99	29,392,644	9,082,285	20,195,239	771,624	19,423,615	115,120
49	MWh Sales Excl CIP Exempt	E99XCIP	27,937,770	9,082,285	18,740,364	771,522	17,968,842	115,120
50	Late Fee Revenue Allocation	LateFee	100.00%	82.31%	14.70%	3.13%	11.57%	2.99%
	Base Revenues		\$2,741,167	\$1,138,705	\$1,573,651	\$87,889	\$1,485,762	\$28,812

<b>CCOSS Spreadsheet Tab Label</b>	<b>Spreadsheet Tab Description</b>
Allocator Comparison	Shows a comparison of allocators from this case and previous rate cases.
Results Comparison	Shows a comparison of CCOSS results from this case and previous rate cases.
CCOSS Summary	Shows a summary of CCOSS results; specifically Unadjusted Revenue Requirement, Adjusted Revenue Requirements and Revenue Deficiency are shown by Customer Class.
Err_Chk	Conducts error checking to insure costs and revenues are appropriately allocated to Cost Classification, Function, Subfunction and Customer Classes. Also insures the class subtotals are correct.
RR-TOT	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for all functions and cost classifications combined.
RR-CUS	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs that have been classified as Customer-Related. It includes the customer-related portion of primary and secondary distribution lines/transformers, service line costs, metering, meter reading, billing, customer service costs and costs of back office support. $RR\text{-}Cus = RR\text{-}Svc\_Drop + RR\text{-}En\_Svc$
RR-DMD	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs that have been classified as Demand-Related.
RR-ENE	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs that have been classified as Energy-Related. $RR\text{-}ENE = RR\text{-}On + RR\text{-}Off$
RR-Genco	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs that have been functionalized as being generation related. This includes all energy-related costs and all fixed production costs. $RR\text{-}Genco = RR\text{-}ENE + RR\text{-}G\_Dmd$
RR-G_Dmd	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for all generation costs except those that are classified as Energy-Related. $RR\text{-}G\_Dmd = RR\text{-}Base + RR\text{-}Summ + RR\text{-}Wint$
RR-Base	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the fixed cost of generation plant investment and purchased capacity costs which have been stratified as Energy-Related.
RR-Summ	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the fixed cost of generation plant investment and purchased capacity costs which have been stratified as Capacity-Related and are associated with the summer system peak load requirements.
RR-Wint	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the fixed cost of generation plant investment and purchased capacity costs which have been stratified as Capacity-Related and are associated with the winter system peak load requirements.
RR-On	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs of fuel and purchases of energy for on-peal hours.
RR-Off	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs of fuel and purchases of energy for off-peal hours.
RR-Transco	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the transmission function. It includes costs of transmission lines used to transport power from its origin generation stations or delivery points to the high voltage side of the distribution substations.
RR-Disco	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the Distribution function. It includes costs of distribution substations and the capacity-related portion of primary and secondary distribution lines and transformers. $RR\text{-}Disco = RR\text{-}Psub + RR\text{-}Prim + RR\text{-}Sec$
RR-Psub	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for Distribution substations.
RR-Prim	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the capacity-related portion of primary voltage conductors, transformers and related facilities.
RR-Sec	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the capacity-related portion of secondary voltage conductors, transformers and related facilities.
RR-Svc_Drop	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for the customer-related portion of primary and secondary distribution lines/transformers, service line costs and metering.
RR_En_Svc	Shows detailed revenue requirement calculations for costs of meter reading, billing, customer service and costs of back office support.

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JCOSS-Basic Inputs	Provides basic financial inputs from the Jurisdictional Cost of Service Study. Inputs include state and federal tax rates and capital structure inputs. Calculations are also included to insure JCOSS and CCOSS revenue requirement and deficiency results tie-out.
JCOSS Inputs	Provides detailed JCOSS line item FERC code level inputs to the CCOSS model. All detailed rate base and expense related line items are provided in this tab.
Jurisdictional Financial Details	Provides the derivation of line item details including base level data and all adjustments applied to derive the final JCOSS detailed inputs
MenuOpts	Shows JCOSS line-item labels used in the Revenue Analysis RIS System
NSPM-00 Complete Revenue Req	Shows overall JCOSS cost of service results. Also shows a line-item comparison of selected revenue and cost items between the JCOSS and CCOSS models
NSPM_00_ Complete Revenue Requi	Shows overall JCOSS cost of service results. Also shows a line-item comparison of selected revenue and cost items between the JCOSS and CCOSS models
Reconcile	CCOSS and JCOSS Comparison
Labor O&M	Has JCOSS O&M data for calculating the LABOR internal allocation factor that is used for allocating several cost items to customer class
Plant Stratified	Shows the results of the plant stratification analysis. Based on the Plant Stratification results, baseload versus peaking ratios are applied to various cost items that stratified
Alloc-Input Data	Provides external allocator data for input to the CCOSS model. Data is provided for all external allocators including production and transmission allocators, distribution capacity allocators and customer allocators.
Alloc-Prod Trans	Provides allocator calculations for all fixed production and transmission cost allocators. Note calculation of the D10S allocator is based on class hourly loads that are coincident with the forecasted MISO 2016 peak hour for Local Resource Zone 1.
Alloc-Dist Cap	Provides allocator calculations for all distribution costs that are capacity-related.
Alloc-Cust	Provides allocator calculations for all allocators that are used to allocate customer-related costs.
Alloc-E8760	Has the calculations for the E8760 energy allocation factor.
InputDialog-NSP Syst Peaks	Has the TY forecasted hourly loads for the NSP System. Also calculates the NSP System Load Factor
InputDialog-NSP Syst Peaks D10S	Has a ranking of the peak hours
InputDialog-8760 Loads	Has TY Minnesota forecasted hourly loads by customer class. Hourly loads are shown with and without load management. This tab also shows monthly system coincident and class coincident peaks by customer class. Summaries are shown with and without load management.
InputDialog-E8760	Has the hourly load data and hourly marginal energy costs for calculating the E8760 allocator. The hourly loads used in the calcultion of the E8760 allocator assume no load management
InputDialog-Cust Max kW	Based on the sum of individual customer maximum actual demands by customer class for demand billed customers. Loss factors are applied to these quantities. The data is provided by the Load Research Dept. These quanitites are used in calculating certain distribution capacity allocators.
InputDialog-Cust Fcst	Has the results of the customer forecast by customer class. These results were used in calculation allocation factors for customer-related costs.
InputDialog-kWh Sales Fcst	Has the results of the kWh sales forecast by customer class.
InputDialog-kWh Fcst CIP Exempt	Has the sales forecast for CIP exempt customers. When allocating CIP costs these sales are excluded when calculating the CIP cost allocation factor.
InputDialog-Summ Wint	Has the NSP System monthly peaks that are used to are used to split Production Capacity costs into summer and winter seasons.
InputDialog-OthProdOM	Has the split of Other Production O&M costs into energy-related and capacity-related components using the "Location" method.

<b>CCOSS Spreadsheet Tab Label</b>	<b>Spreadsheet Tab Description</b>
InputData-PlantStrat	Has the plant stratification analysis results. These peaking versus baseload results were applied as shown on the "JCOSS-Plant Stratified" and "InputData-OthProdOM" tabs.
InputData-MeterCost	Has average metering costs by customer class. Metering costs include the cost of meters, current transformers and voltage transformers. These costs were used in calculating the meter cost allocation factor.
InputData-Dist1Ph3Ph	Shows the percent of customers that are served off 3 phase primary distribution lines versus 1 phase distribution lines.
InputData-OHUGSvc	Shows the results of the analysis that shows the percent of C&I customers that are served by an overhead versus underground service. C&I customers that are served by an underground service own the service and shouldn't be allocated these costs.
InputData-OHLtg	Shows the results of an analysis that quantifies the amount of pole plant investment that should be directly assigned to the lighting class.
InputData-PSHLMeters	Based on a query of the customer billing system, shows the number of street lighting meters that is used in the allocation of metering costs.
InputData-CustAcctgWt	Relative weighting by customer class for costs of meter reading, billing and collections and uncollectible accounts.
InputData-WriteOffs	Has the writeoff study that determines customer weightings related to writeoffs.
InputData-LateFees	Based on budgeted late fees for C&I versus Residential customers and a query of late fee revenues by customer class, provides an allocation factor for late fee revenues.
InputData-T&D Direct AssignMW	Based on the customers served by direct assignment distribution substations and transmission radials, provides loads to be removed from cost allocators
InputData-T&D Direct Assign \$	Based on the customers served by direct assignment distribution substations and transmission radials, provides \$ to be direct assigned to specific class.
InputData - Pres Prop Revenue	Has present revenues by customer class with and without load management discounts. Also has the amount of the economic development discounts by customer class.
InputData - Base Revenue	Has base revenues used for allocating economic development discounts.
InputData - Misc. Revenue	Shows the increases associated with miscellaneous revenues such as dedicated switching, winter construction, and excess footage.
InputData-Dist Cap Vs Cust	Based on the results of the Minimum System and Zero Intercept studies, shows how distribution plant investment should be split into capacity and customer-related components



## **Results of Xcel Energy**

**Minimum Distribution System & Zero Intercept Studies**

## 1. Overview

An important step in the Class Cost of Service Study (CCOSS) process is to classify costs according to one of the following billing components based on the nature of the cost:

1. Demand – Costs that are driven by customers' maximum kilowatt (kW) demand.
2. Energy – Costs that are driven by customers' energy or kilowatt-hours (kWh) requirements.
3. Customer – Costs that are related to the number of customers served.

For Distribution Plant Investment, costs are classified as being capacity or customer-related. Page 87 of the NARUC Electric Utility Cost Allocation Manual and Table 1 below shows how FERC classifies distribution plant by function and sub-function.

**Table 1**  
**FERC Classification of Distribution Plant Investment**

Function/Sub-Function	Cost Classification	
	Demand	Customer
Distribution Substations	X	
Primary Transformers	X	
Primary Lines	X	X
Secondary Lines	X	X
Secondary Transformers	X	X
Service Drops		X

As shown in the table above, primary lines, secondary lines and secondary transformers are classified as both "demand" and "customer" related costs. Costs of these sub-functions are driven by **both** the number of customers on the distribution system and the capacity requirements they place on the system.

The Minimum System and Zero Intercept methods are two widely used methods for determining the percent of distribution plant investment that is customer-related and allocated to class with a customer based allocation factor, versus the percent of costs that are capacity-related and allocated to class with a demand based allocator. These methods are described on pages 86-96 of the NARUC Electric Utility Cost Allocation Manual.

The Company has used the Minimum System method to do this classification for distribution plant investment in its rate cases since the 1990s. As part of its order from the Company's 2013 rate case, the Commission ordered the Company to update its minimum system study, and attempt to conduct a zero intercept study providing it can obtain the necessary data. This exhibit describes the steps the Company has taken to fulfill this requirement.

## **2. Steps for Completing a Minimum System Study**

The following steps are taken to complete a minimum system study (these steps are also described on pages 90-92 of the NARUC manual):

**Step 1:** Determine the minimum sized conductor, transformer and service that are installed on the distribution system.

**Step 2:** Determine the installed cost per unit for the minimum sized plant. Installed costs include material costs, labor costs and equipment costs.

**Step 3:** Multiply the cost per unit of the minimum sized plant by the total inventory of each plant type.

**Step 4:** The total cost of the minimum sized plant divided by the total cost of the actual sized distribution plant in the field. This ratio is deemed to be the customer-related portion of distribution plant investment, with the balance being the capacity-related portion.

The assumed minimum property unit configurations used in the minimum system study are shown in Company witness Marty Mensen's testimony.

## **3. Steps for Completing a Zero Intercept Study**

The steps for completing a zero or minimum intercept are described on pages 92-94 of the NARUC manual. A zero intercept study requires considerable more data and analysis than a minimum system study. A zero intercept study requires the following data:

- A listing of all the configurations of equipment installed for the following for the following distribution property units:
  - Overhead Primary Conductor
  - Overhead Secondary Conductor
  - Overhead Transformers
  - Underground Primary Conductor
  - Underground Secondary Conductor
  - Underground Transformers
  - Primary Voltage Stepdown Transformers
- For each of the above property units, the equipment inventory is obtained for each property unit configuration.
- The maximum capacity rating for each property unit configuration.
  - Ampacity for conductors
  - kVa for transformers

- The installed cost per unit for the most common property unit configurations.

After the above data is acquired, the following analysis steps are taken to complete a zero intercept study:

**Step 1:** The statistical analysis technique called linear regression is applied to the data acquired for each property unit. Specifically, the variable “cost per unit” as the dependent variable (Y axis) is regressed on the variable “maximum capacity” as the independent variable (X axis). The point where the regression line crosses the Y intercept is the theoretical “zero load” cost per unit.

**Step 2:** The zero load cost per unit is multiplied by the total inventory of the distribution property unit.

**Step 3:** The installed cost per unit for the most common property configurations is multiplied by the inventory of each configuration. The resulting product is then summed for each property unit.

**Step 4:** The result from step 2 is divided by the result from step 3. This ratio is classified as the customer component for each property unit.

#### **4. Minimum System and Zero Intercept Data Sources**

The data sources used to complete both studies are described in detail in Mr. Mensen’s direct testimony. In short, data on the types, configurations, sizes and quantities of distribution equipment were obtained by querying the Company’s Geographic Information System (GIS). Data on the installed unit costs for each equipment configuration were obtained by analyzing the costs distribution work orders that were completed from 2007-2020. The goal in this data gathering step was to obtain installed costs for equipment configuration that comprise 90% of the population for a given property unit (i.e. underground primary conductor).

## 5. Analysis Results

The data and results of the minimum system and zero intercept studies are shown in Attachments A to P of Schedule 8.

Attachments A to F show the inventory of the different equipment configurations for each property unit.

Attachment G shows the inventory of primary voltage distribution transformers. As shown in Table 1 above, there is no customer component to this property unit. Attachment G also shows the installed cost per unit and total replacement cost for primary voltage transformers so that transformer plant investment can be separated into primary and secondary voltages.

Attachments H through M show the graphical results of the zero intercept linear regression analysis for each property unit.

Attachment N shows the detailed minimum system and zero intercept calculations.

- Column 1: Lists the property unit.
- Column 2: For primary conductor, indicates if it's 1 phase or 3 phase.
- Column 3: Lists the specific configuration of the equipment.
- Column 4: Lists the inventory of the equipment configuration.
- Column 5: Shows the percent of total equipment total inventory that the specific configuration makes up.
- Column 6: Shows the cumulative percent of inventory that the configuration included in the study make up. As shown in Column 6, the Distribution Engineering area provided cost data for equipment configurations that make up 90% of the total inventory for a given property unit.
- Column 7: Shows the load carrying capacity of the given equipment configuration.
- Column 8: Shows the per unit installed cost as determined by the Distribution Engineering area.
- Column 9: Calculates the total cost of each equipment configuration by multiplying its equipment inventory in Column 4 by the per unit installed cost in Column 8. This result is summed across all equipment configurations to provide total installed costs for a given property unit.
- Column 10: Shows the cost per unit that was determined using the zero intercept method. This was determined by conducting a linear regression analysis using load carrying capacity (in Column 7) as the independent variable, with cost per unit (in Column 8) as the dependent variable.

- Column 11: Calculates total cost of each equipment configuration assuming the zero intercept cost is the cost per unit for all equipment configurations. The equipment inventory in Column 4 is multiplied by the zero intercept cost in Column 10. This result is summed across all equipment configurations to provide total cost for a given property unit, assuming the zero intercept cost is the cost for all equipment configurations. This total for a given property unit divided by the same total in Column 9 is the percent of costs that should be classified as customer-related using the zero intercept approach.
- Column 12: Shows the per unit installed cost of the minimum sized equipment configuration.
- Column 13: Calculates total cost of each equipment configuration assuming the cost of minimum system equipment configuration is the cost per unit for all equipment configurations. The equipment inventory in Column 4 is multiplied by the cost of the minimum system unit in Column 12. This result is summed across all equipment configurations to provide total cost for a given property unit assuming the cost of the minimum system unit is the cost for all equipment configurations. This total for a given property unit divided by the same total in Column 9 is the percent of costs that should be classified as customer-related using the minimum system approach.

Table 2 below shows the percent of costs that would be classified as customer related using the minimum system method compared to the zero intercept method. As shown in Table 2, the zero intercept method provided a lower customer component for all six property units.

**Table 2**  
**Percent of Distribution Plant Investment Classified as Customer-Related**  
**Zero Intercept Method vs. the Minimum System Method**

Equipment Type	% of Costs Classified as “Customer” Related	
	Minimum/Zero Intercept Method	Minimum Distribution System Method
Overhead Lines Primary	24.0%	63.2%
Overhead Lines Secondary	79.9%	96.0%
Overhead Transformers	69.1%	78.0%
Underground Lines Primary	34.7%	63.8%
Underground Lines Secondary	58.6%	100%
Underground Transformers	70.2%	66.7%

## 6. Application of Minimum System and Zero Intercept Results to Distribution Plant Investment

For a given property unit the Company used a “hybrid” of the two methods by applying the result that provided the lowest customer component as shown in Table 3 below.

**Table 3**  
**Customer vs. Capacity Classification Applied to Distribution Plant Investment**

Property Unit	% Customer Related	% Capacity Related
Overhead Lines Primary (used Zero Intercept Result)	24.0%	76.0%
Overhead Lines Secondary (used Zero Intercept Result)	79.9%	20.1%
Underground Lines Primary (used Zero Intercept Result)	34.7%	65.3%
Underground Lines Secondary (used Zero Intercept Result)	58.6%	41.4%
Weighted Average for Overhead & Underground Transformers (used Zero Intercept for OH Transformers; used Minimum System for UG Transformers)	68.1%	31.9%

Attachment O of Schedule 8 shows how the above results from the minimum system and zero intercept analyses are used to provide the needed cost separations.

The first step is to multiply the total inventory of each property unit (shown in Column 1) by the overall cost per unit (shown in Column 2) to provide the total replacement cost (shown in Column 3). The total replacement costs for each property unit are shown in percentages in Column 4.

These percentages are then applied to the Total Test Year Plant in Service as provided from the Jurisdictional Cost of Service Study (JCOSS) to separate costs into sub-function. The Total Test Year Plant in Service from the JCOSS is shown in Attachment O on line 11, column 5 for Overhead Distribution Plant; on line 22, column 5 for Underground Distribution Plant; and on line 27, column 5 for transformers. (Note that the cost of Overhead Distribution Plant that is directly assigned to the Lighting class was quantified as shown on Table 12 on Page 32). For Overhead Distribution Line, the result as shown in Column 5 is a separation of Overhead Plant in Service costs into the following sub-functions:

- Overhead Primary Single Phase Lines (line 3)
- Overhead Primary Multi Phase Lines (line 6)

- Overhead Secondary Lines (line 9)
- Lighting (line 10)

For Underground Lines, there was no direct assignment to the Lighting class. The result as shown in Column 5 is a separation of Underground Plant in Service costs into the following sub-functions:

- Underground Primary Single Phase Lines (line 14)
- Underground Primary Multi Phase Lines (line 17)
- Underground Secondary Lines (line 20)

For Transformers, the result shown in Column 5 is a separation of Plant in Service costs into the following sub-functions:

- Primary Voltage Transformers (line 23)
- Secondary Voltage Transformers (line 26)

The final step as shown in Column 7 of Attachment O, was to apply the associated Customer & Capacity percentages as shown in Column 6 of Attachment O to the corresponding Plant in Service costs as shown in Column 5. The final result in Column 7 is a separation of distribution plant costs into sub-function and cost classification. These are the inputs to the CCOSS model for the 2025 test year as shown in Schedule 4, page 4, column 1, lines 19 – 42.

## **7. Distribution Service Drops**

Although FERC (as shown in Table 1) and many utilities classify distribution services as only being customer-related, the Company has split these costs into capacity and customer-related components. The Company does not have detailed property records on the configuration or footage of distribution service drops. As such, it was not possible to conduct a detailed minimum system or zero intercept studies as described above. As a substitute a simplified minimum system analysis was conducted as shown in Attachment P.

Column 2 of Attachment P lists the minimum conductor configuration used by the Company in Overhead and Underground applications.

In column 3 we assumed a minimum footage per service of 50 feet.

In order to get an estimated cost per foot for each conductor configuration, staff in the Distribution Design ran a number of service installation work orders through the Company's distribution design software. The resulting unit costs are shown in column 4.

The Total Installed Costs for minimum service drop configuration as shown in column 6 is obtained by multiplying the Minimum Service Footage (column 3) by the Unit Cost per Foot (column 4) by the number of customers with overhead or underground services (column 5). The total minimum installed cost (column 6 total) is divided by total plant investment for distribution services (column 7). This is percent of distribution service costs that was classified as customer-related as shown in column 8.

#### **8. Load Carrying Capacity of Minimum System Design**

The Company used the same 1.5 kW per customer for the load carrying capacity of the minimum system design. This is the same assumption that was made in the last rate case. This adjustment was applied to the distribution capacity cost allocation factors. For the Zero-Intercept Study, the demand adjustment is not needed because this study estimates the cost of a conductor and/or transformer with no load.

<u>Phase</u>	<u>Configuration Details Underground Primary</u>	<u>Footage</u>	<u>% of 1 Phase Footage</u>	<u>Cumulative % of 1 Phase Footage</u>	<u>% of All UG Primary</u>	<u>Cumulative % of All UG Primary</u>
1 Phase	1/0 AL 1ph	16,024,349	50.84%	50.84%	28.67%	28.67%
	2 AL 1ph	14,788,376	46.92%	97.76%	26.46%	55.14%
	1 AL 1ph	284,143	0.90%	98.66%	0.51%	55.65%
	1/0 Unknown 1ph	214,004	0.68%	99.34%	0.38%	56.03%
	Unknown AL 1ph	77,809	0.25%	99.59%	0.14%	56.17%
	Unknown Unknown 1ph	46,349	0.15%	99.73%	0.08%	56.25%
	2 Unknown 1ph	31,174	0.10%	99.83%	0.06%	56.31%
	1/0 CU 1ph	16,095	0.05%	99.88%	0.03%	56.34%
	2/0 AL 1ph	13,610	0.04%	99.93%	0.02%	56.36%
	2 CU 1ph	4,767	0.02%	99.94%	0.01%	56.37%
	Unknown CU 1ph	4,504	0.01%	99.96%	0.01%	56.38%
	4/0 AL 1ph	3,999	0.01%	99.97%	0.01%	56.38%
	1/0 N/A 1ph	1,921	0.01%	99.97%	0.00%	56.39%
	<b>Footage of 13 Remaining 1 Phase Underground Primary Conductor Configurations</b>	8,015	0.03%	100.00%	0.01%	56.40%
	<b>Total 1 Phase</b>	<b>31,519,114</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>56.40%</b>	
<u>Phase</u>	<u>Config Details Underground Primary</u>	<u>Footage</u>	<u>% of 3 Phase Footage</u>	<u>Cumulative % of 3 Phase Footage</u>	<u>% of All UG Primary</u>	<u>Cumulative % of All UG Primary</u>
3 Phase	1/0 AL 3ph	14,140,772	58.04%	58.04%	25.30%	25.30%
	750 AL 3ph	4,826,798	19.81%	77.85%	8.64%	33.94%
	2 AL 3ph	933,040	3.83%	81.68%	1.67%	35.61%
	600 CU 3ph	860,560	3.53%	85.21%	1.54%	37.15%
	500 CU 3ph	753,701	3.09%	88.30%	1.35%	38.50%
	1000 AL 3ph	534,454	2.19%	90.50%	0.96%	39.46%
	500 AL 3ph	459,969	1.89%	92.38%	0.82%	40.28%
	750 CU 3ph	436,689	1.79%	94.18%	0.78%	41.06%
	<b>Footage of 32 Remaining 3 Phase Underground Primary Conductor Configurations</b>	<b>1,418,738</b>	<b>5.82%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>2.54%</b>	<b>43.60%</b>
	<b>Total 3 Phase</b>	<b>24,364,721</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>43.60%</b>	
	<b>Total Underground Primary</b>	<b>55,883,835</b>			<b>100.00%</b>	

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Inventory of Underground Secondary by Conductor Configuration

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<u>Configuration Details Underground</u>			<u>Cumulative % UG Secondary</u>
<u>Secondary</u>	<u>Total Footage</u>	<u>% of UG Secondary</u>	
6 AL Duplex	9,878,341	36.70%	36.70%
4/0 AL Triplex	8,355,002	31.04%	67.73%
2/0 AL Triplex	2,679,564	9.95%	77.69%
1/0 AL Triplex	1,460,657	5.43%	83.11%
6 CU Open Wire	1,206,909	4.48%	87.60%
350 AL Triplex	660,658	2.45%	90.05%
6 CU Triplex	285,950	1.06%	91.11%
2 AL Triplex	262,510	0.98%	92.09%
8 CU Open Wire	262,460	0.97%	93.06%
4 CU Open Wire	209,884	0.78%	93.84%
6 AL Triplex	208,881	0.78%	94.62%
8 CU Triplex	176,892	0.66%	95.28%
4 CU Triplex	108,269	0.40%	95.68%
4 AL Triplex	91,919	0.34%	96.02%
4 CU Duplex	77,412	0.29%	96.31%
Unknown Unknown Unknown	60,147	0.22%	96.53%
2 Unknown Triplex	59,507	0.22%	96.75%
4 CU N/A	55,480	0.21%	96.96%
2 Unknown Open Wire	49,863	0.19%	97.14%
Unknown Unknown Unknown	41,769	0.16%	97.30%
2 Unknown Duplex	33,248	0.12%	97.42%
4/0 AL Quadraplex	32,738	0.12%	97.54%
0 0 Unknown	32,072	0.12%	97.66%
8 AL Triplex	28,527	0.11%	97.77%
2 AL Duplex	26,950	0.10%	97.87%
6 CU Unknown	25,540	0.09%	97.96%
6 CU N/A	25,400	0.09%	98.06%
Unknown Unknown Triplex	24,459	0.09%	98.15%
6 CU Quadraplex	23,525	0.09%	98.24%
6 AL Open Wire	21,387	0.08%	98.32%
0 0 Duplex	20,947	0.08%	98.39%
500 CU Quadraplex	20,641	0.08%	98.47%
0 0 Triplex	18,279	0.07%	98.54%
Unknown Unknown Duplex	15,757	0.06%	98.60%
8 CU Duplex	15,372	0.06%	98.65%
6 CU Duplex	14,750	0.05%	98.71%
6 Unknown Duplex	12,764	0.05%	98.76%
4/0 AL Duplex	11,864	0.04%	98.80%
8 CU Duplex	11,130	0.04%	98.84%
350 AL Duplex	9,872	0.04%	98.88%
8 AL Duplex	9,563	0.04%	98.91%
<b>Footage of 156 Remaining Underground Secondary Conductor Configurations</b>	292,625	1.09%	100.00%
<b>Total Underground Secondary</b>	<b>26,919,485</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	

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Inventory of Underground Transformers by Transformer Configuration

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<u>Configuration Details 1 Phase Underground Transformers</u>	<u>Number of Transformers</u>	<u>1 Phase %</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of 1 Phase Transformers</u>	<u>% of All Underground Transformers</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of All Transformers</u>
1 Phase Wye 50 kVA	31,125	49.71%	49.71%	35.41%	35.41%
1 Phase Wye 25 kVA	17,418	27.82%	77.52%	19.81%	55.22%
1 Phase Wye 37.5 kVA	8,619	13.76%	91.29%	9.81%	65.03%
1 Phase Wye 15 kVA	2,258	3.61%	94.89%	2.57%	67.60%
1 Phase Wye 100 kVA	1,431	2.29%	97.18%	1.63%	69.22%
1 Phase Wye 75 kVA	1,226	1.96%	99.14%	1.39%	70.62%
1 Phase Wye 10 kVA	279	0.45%	99.58%	0.32%	70.94%
1 Phase Wye 167 kVA	214	0.34%	99.92%	0.24%	71.18%
1 Phase Wye 250 kVA	15	0.02%	99.95%	0.02%	71.20%
1 Phase Wye Unknown kVA	7	0.01%	99.96%	0.01%	71.20%
1 Phase Wye 35 kVA	6	0.01%	99.97%	0.01%	71.21%
<b>Number of Transformers for 12 Remaining Single Phase Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0.03%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.02%</b>	<b>71.23%</b>
<b>Total 1 Phase Transformers</b>	<b>62,617</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>71.23%</b>	
<u>Configuration Details 2 Phase Underground Transformers</u>	<u>Number of Transformers</u>	<u>2 Phase %</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of 2 Phase Transformers</u>	<u>% of All UG Transformers</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of All Transformers</u>
2 Phase Wye/Delta 75 kVA	274	31.49%	31.49%	0.31%	0.31%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 125 kVA	173	19.89%	51.38%	0.20%	0.51%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 204.5 kVA	106	12.18%	63.56%	0.12%	0.63%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 300 kVA	61	7.01%	70.57%	0.07%	0.70%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 50 kVA	57	6.55%	77.13%	0.06%	0.76%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 100 kVA	37	4.25%	81.38%	0.04%	0.81%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 62.5 kVA	28	3.22%	84.60%	0.03%	0.84%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 150 kVA	19	2.18%	86.78%	0.02%	0.86%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 30 kVA	15	1.72%	88.51%	0.02%	0.88%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 87.5 kVA	12	1.38%	89.89%	0.01%	0.89%
<b>Number of Transformers for 26 Remaining 2 Phase Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>10.11%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.10%</b>	<b>0.99%</b>
<b>Total 2 Phase Transformers</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>0.99%</b>	

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Inventory of Underground Transformers by Transformer Configuration

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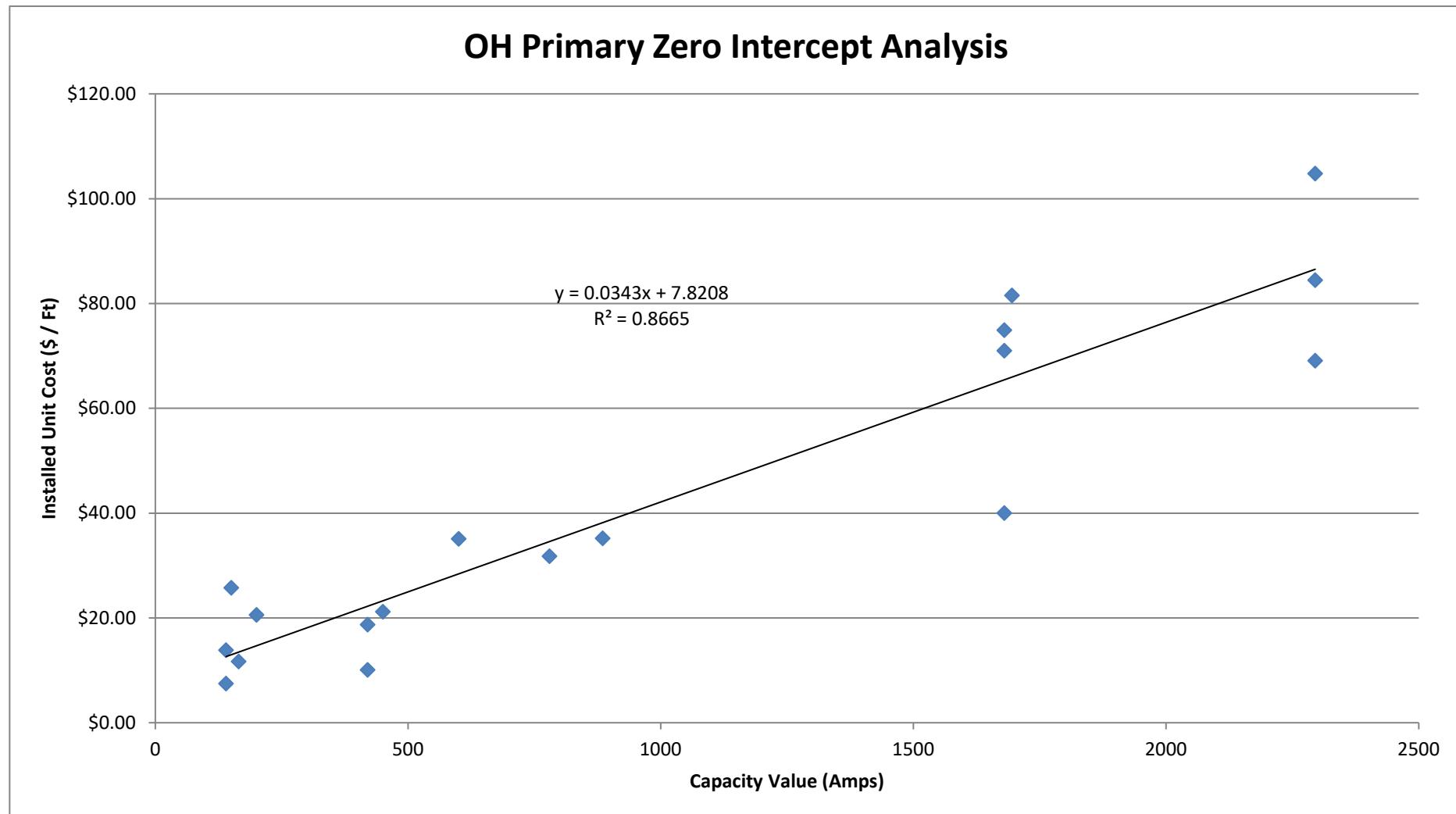
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3 Phase Wye/Wye 150 kVA	3,986	16.32%	16.32%	4.53%	4.53%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 300 kVA	3,834	15.70%	32.03%	4.36%	8.90%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 75 kVA	3,656	14.97%	47.00%	4.16%	13.06%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 500 kVA	3,255	13.33%	60.33%	3.70%	16.76%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 750 kVA	1,954	8.00%	68.33%	2.22%	18.98%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 112 kVA	1,932	7.91%	76.25%	2.20%	21.18%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 225 kVA	1,752	7.18%	83.42%	1.99%	23.17%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 1000 kVA	1,452	5.95%	89.37%	1.65%	24.82%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 1500 kVA	1,151	4.71%	94.08%	1.31%	26.13%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 45 kVA	506	2.07%	96.15%	0.58%	26.71%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 2000 kVA	491	2.01%	98.17%	0.56%	27.27%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 2500 kVA	135	0.55%	98.72%	0.15%	27.42%
<b>Number of Transformers for 72 Remaining 3 Phase Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>1.28%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.36%</b>	<b>27.78%</b>
<b>Total 3 Phase Transformers</b>	<b>24,417</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>27.78%</b>	
<b>Total Underground Transformers</b>	<b>87,904</b>			<b>100.00%</b>	

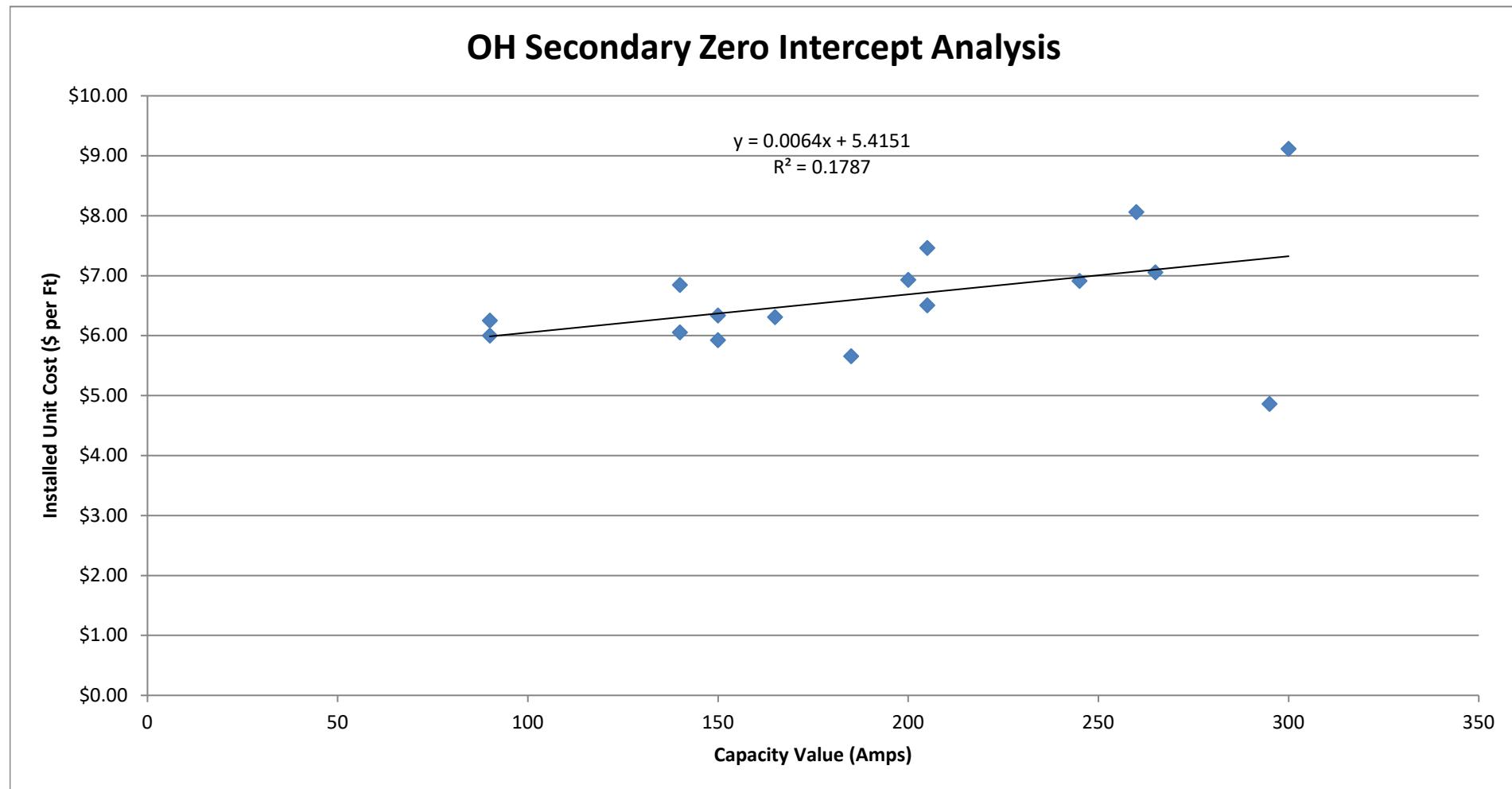
Phase	Configuration Details Overhead		% of 1 Phase Footage	Cumulative % of		<u>Cumulative % of All OH Primary</u>
	Primary	Footage		1 Phase Footage	% of All OH Primary	
1 Phase	4 ACSR 1ph	10,698,423	26.59%	26.59%	15.28%	15.28%
	2 ACSR 1ph	10,139,492	25.20%	51.79%	14.49%	29.77%
	6A CUWD 1ph	7,459,455	18.54%	70.33%	10.66%	40.43%
	6 CU 1ph	6,943,615	17.26%	87.59%	9.92%	50.35%
	3/10 CU 1ph	1,564,708	3.89%	91.48%	2.24%	52.58%
	4 CU 1ph	764,837	1.90%	93.38%	1.09%	53.68%
	Unknown Unknown 1ph	753,427	1.87%	95.26%	1.08%	54.75%
	2/0 ACSR 1ph	239,332	0.59%	95.85%	0.34%	55.10%
	3/8 CU 1ph	201,915	0.50%	96.35%	0.29%	55.38%
	6 CUWD 1ph	173,814	0.43%	96.78%	0.25%	55.63%
	8A CUWD 1ph	164,182	0.41%	97.19%	0.23%	55.87%
	2 CU 1ph	145,776	0.36%	97.55%	0.21%	56.08%
	Unknown CU 1ph	135,674	0.34%	97.89%	0.19%	56.27%
	1/0 ACSR 1ph	135,210	0.34%	98.23%	0.19%	56.46%
	130 Steel 1ph	75,306	0.19%	98.42%	0.11%	56.57%
	4A CUWD 1ph	69,548	0.17%	98.59%	0.10%	56.67%
	1/0 CU 1ph	67,877	0.17%	98.76%	0.10%	56.77%
	336 ACSR 1ph	58,553	0.15%	98.90%	0.08%	56.85%
	336 AL 1ph	49,374	0.12%	99.02%	0.07%	56.92%
	3/6 CU 1ph	36,084	0.09%	99.11%	0.05%	56.97%
<b>Footage of 62 Remaining Single Phase Overhead Primary Conductor Configurations</b>		356,241	0.89%	100.00%	0.51%	57.48%
<b>Total 1 Phase</b>		<b>40,232,843</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>57.48%</b>	
Phase	Config Details OH Primary		% of 3 Phase Footage	Cumulative % of		<u>Cumulative % of All OH Primary</u>
	Footage	3 Phase Footage		% of All OH Primary		
3 Phase	336 AL 3ph	6,449,212	21.67%	21.67%	9.21%	9.21%
	2 ACSR 3ph	5,828,121	19.58%	41.25%	8.33%	17.54%
	336 ACSR 3ph	5,187,129	17.43%	58.68%	7.41%	24.95%
	2/0 ACSR 3ph	2,335,697	7.85%	66.53%	3.34%	28.29%
	4 ACSR 3ph	1,756,872	5.90%	72.43%	2.51%	30.80%
	6 CU 3ph	1,294,407	4.35%	76.78%	1.85%	32.65%
	4/0 CU 3ph	820,787	2.76%	79.54%	1.17%	33.82%
	6A CUWD 3ph	733,392	2.46%	82.01%	1.05%	34.87%
	1/0 ACSR 3ph	719,893	2.42%	84.43%	1.03%	35.90%
<b>Footage of 85 Remaining 3 Phase Overhead Primary Conductor Configurations</b>		4,635,222	15.57%	114.18%	6.62%	42.52%
<b>Total 3 Phase</b>		<b>29,760,732</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>42.52%</b>	
<b>Total Overhead Primary</b>		<b>69,993,575</b>			<b>100.00%</b>	

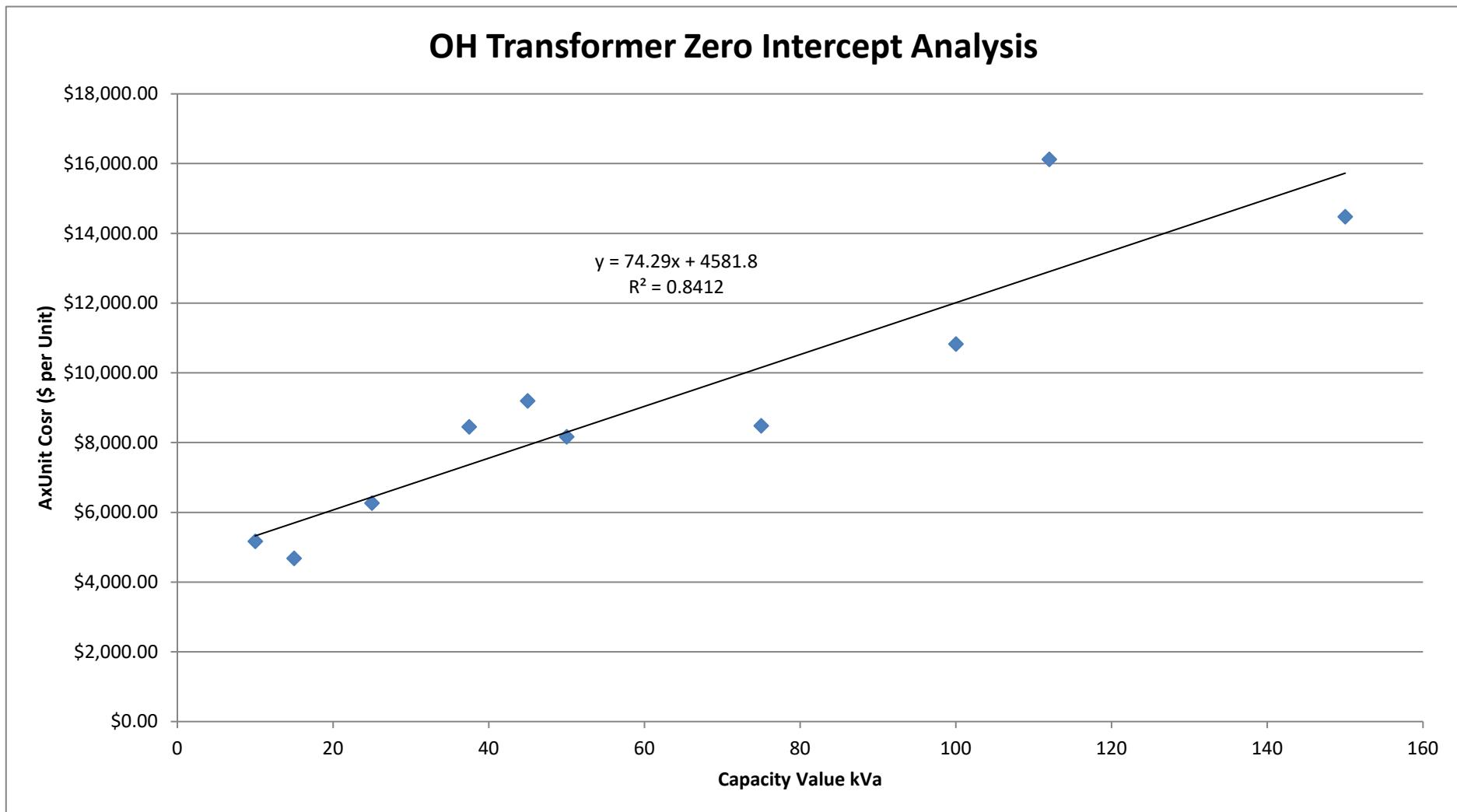
<u>Configuration Details Overhead Secondary</u>	<u>Total Footage</u>	<u>% of Total Overhead Secondary</u>	<u>Cumulative % Overhead Secondary</u>
2 ACSR Open Wire	20,338,802	14.90%	14.90%
1/0 ACSR Open Wire	18,334,359	13.43%	28.34%
4 CU Open Wire	15,181,580	11.12%	39.46%
2 CU Open Wire	14,916,284	10.93%	50.39%
6 CU Open Wire	9,845,756	7.21%	57.61%
4 ACSR Open Wire	9,718,445	7.12%	64.73%
1/0 AL Triplex	7,573,248	5.55%	70.28%
1/0 AL Triplex, Lashed	6,721,759	4.93%	75.21%
6A CUWD Open Wire	6,296,098	4.61%	79.82%
6 ACSR Duplex	4,852,695	3.56%	83.37%
2 AL Triplex	2,723,553	2.00%	85.37%
1/0 CU Open Wire	2,505,605	1.84%	87.21%
3/10 CU Open Wire	1,505,128	1.10%	88.31%
1/0 AL Open Wire	1,294,876	0.95%	89.26%
6 AL Duplex	1,292,144	0.95%	90.21%
2/0 ACSR Open Wire	915,530	0.67%	90.88%
2 ACSR N/A	790,708	0.58%	91.46%
Unknown CU Open Wire	785,058	0.58%	92.03%
2 AL Open Wire	725,975	0.53%	92.56%
3/8 CU Open Wire	688,413	0.50%	93.07%
6 AL Triplex	685,906	0.50%	93.57%
1/0 ACSR Quadruplex	495,596	0.36%	93.93%
2/0 ACSR Neutral	491,289	0.36%	94.29%
2 ACSR Neutral	486,200	0.36%	94.65%
2 ACSR Triplex	409,132	0.30%	94.95%
2 ACSR Triplex, Lashed	335,042	0.25%	95.19%
1/0 ACSR Triplex, Lashed	301,632	0.22%	95.42%
3/8 CU Open Wire	295,701	0.22%	95.63%
4 ACSR Triplex	213,935	0.16%	95.79%
4/0 ACSR Quadruplex	193,454	0.14%	95.93%
Unknown Unknown Unknown	185,375	0.14%	96.07%
4/0 AL Triplex	185,375	0.14%	96.20%
6 CUWD Open Wire	160,520	0.12%	96.32%
4 Unknown Open Wire	160,430	0.12%	96.44%
8A CUWD Open Wire	155,387	0.11%	96.55%
4 AL Open Wire	147,393	0.11%	96.66%
3/6 CU Open Wire	145,023	0.11%	96.77%
0 0 Open Wire	133,292	0.10%	96.86%
1/0 AL Quadruplex	126,111	0.09%	96.96%
4 ACSR Duplex	122,825	0.09%	97.05%
<b>Footage of 494 Remaining Overhead Secondary Conductor Configurations</b>	4,031,541	2.95%	100.00%
<b>Total OH Secondary</b>	<b>136,467,174</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	

<u>Config Details 1 Phase Overhead Transformers</u>	<u>Number of Transformers</u>	<u>1 Phase %</u>	<u>1 Phase Cumulative %</u>	<u>% of All Overhead Transformers</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of All OH Transformers</u>
1 Phase Wye 25 kVA	33,552	33.33%	33.33%	29.66%	29.66%
1 Phase Wye 10 kVA	17,527	17.41%	50.73%	15.50%	45.16%
1 Phase Wye 15 kVA	17,194	17.08%	67.81%	15.20%	60.36%
1 Phase Wye 37.5 kVA	15,358	15.25%	83.07%	13.58%	73.94%
1 Phase Wye 50 kVA	14,750	14.65%	97.72%	13.04%	86.98%
1 Phase Wye 75 kVA	773	0.77%	98.49%	0.68%	87.66%
1 Phase Wye 100 kVA	657	0.65%	99.14%	0.58%	88.24%
1 Phase Wye 5 kVA	368	0.37%	99.50%	0.33%	88.57%
1 Phase Wye 0.5 kVA	116	0.12%	99.62%	0.10%	88.67%
1 Phase Wye 3 kVA	101	0.10%	99.72%	0.09%	88.76%
1 Phase Wye 167 kVA	58	0.06%	99.78%	0.05%	88.81%
1 Phase Delta 25 kVA	42	0.04%	99.82%	0.04%	88.85%
<b>Number of Transformers for 22 Remaining 1 Phase Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>0.18%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.16%</b>	<b>89.01%</b>
<b>Total 1 Phase Transformers</b>	<b>100,679</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>89.01%</b>	
<u>Config Details 2 Phase Overhead Transformers</u>	<u>Number of Transformers</u>	<u>2 Phase %</u>	<u>2 Phase Cumulative %</u>	<u>% of All Overhead Transformers</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of All OH Transformers</u>
2 Phase Wye/Delta 75 kVA	24	30.77%	30.77%	0.02%	0.02%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 40 kVA	12	15.38%	46.15%	0.01%	0.03%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 50 kVA	7	8.97%	55.13%	0.01%	0.04%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 65 kVA	6	7.69%	62.82%	0.01%	0.04%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 100 kVA	5	6.41%	69.23%	0.00%	0.05%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 150 kVA	4	5.13%	74.36%	0.00%	0.05%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 25 kVA	4	5.13%	79.49%	0.00%	0.05%
2 Phase Wye/Delta 30 kVA	4	5.13%	84.62%	0.00%	0.06%
<b>Number of Transformers for 9 Remaining 2 Phase Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15.38%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.01%</b>	<b>0.07%</b>
<b>Total 2 Phase Transformers</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>0.07%</b>	
<u>Config Details 3 Phase OH Transformers</u>	<u>Number of Transformers</u>	<u>3 Phase %</u>	<u>3 Phase Cumulative %</u>	<u>% of All OH Transformers</u>	<u>Cumulative Percent of All OH Transformers</u>
3 Phase Wye/Wye 75 kVA	1,325	10.73%	10.73%	1.17%	1.17%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 150 kVA	1,068	8.65%	19.37%	0.94%	2.12%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 45 kVA	773	6.26%	25.63%	0.68%	2.80%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 75 kVA	735	5.95%	31.58%	0.65%	3.45%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 112 kVA	548	4.44%	36.02%	0.48%	3.93%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 300 kVA	515	4.17%	40.18%	0.46%	4.39%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 40 kVA	467	3.78%	43.97%	0.41%	4.80%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 35 kVA	364	2.95%	46.91%	0.32%	5.12%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 100 kVA	333	2.70%	49.61%	0.29%	5.42%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 62.5 kVA	314	2.54%	52.15%	0.28%	5.70%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 52.5 kVA	295	2.39%	54.54%	0.26%	5.96%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 65 kVA	293	2.37%	56.91%	0.26%	6.22%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 20 kVA	288	2.33%	59.24%	0.25%	6.47%
3 Phase Wye/Wye 225 kVA	282	2.28%	61.52%	0.25%	6.72%
3 Phase Open Wye/Open Delta 125 kVA	240	1.94%	63.47%	0.21%	6.93%
<b>Number of Transformers for 155 Remaining 3 Phase Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>4,513</b>	<b>36.53%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>3.99%</b>	<b>10.92%</b>
<b>Total 3 Phase Transformers</b>	<b>12,353</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>10.92%</b>	
<b>Total OH Transformers</b>	<b>113,110</b>			<b>100.00%</b>	

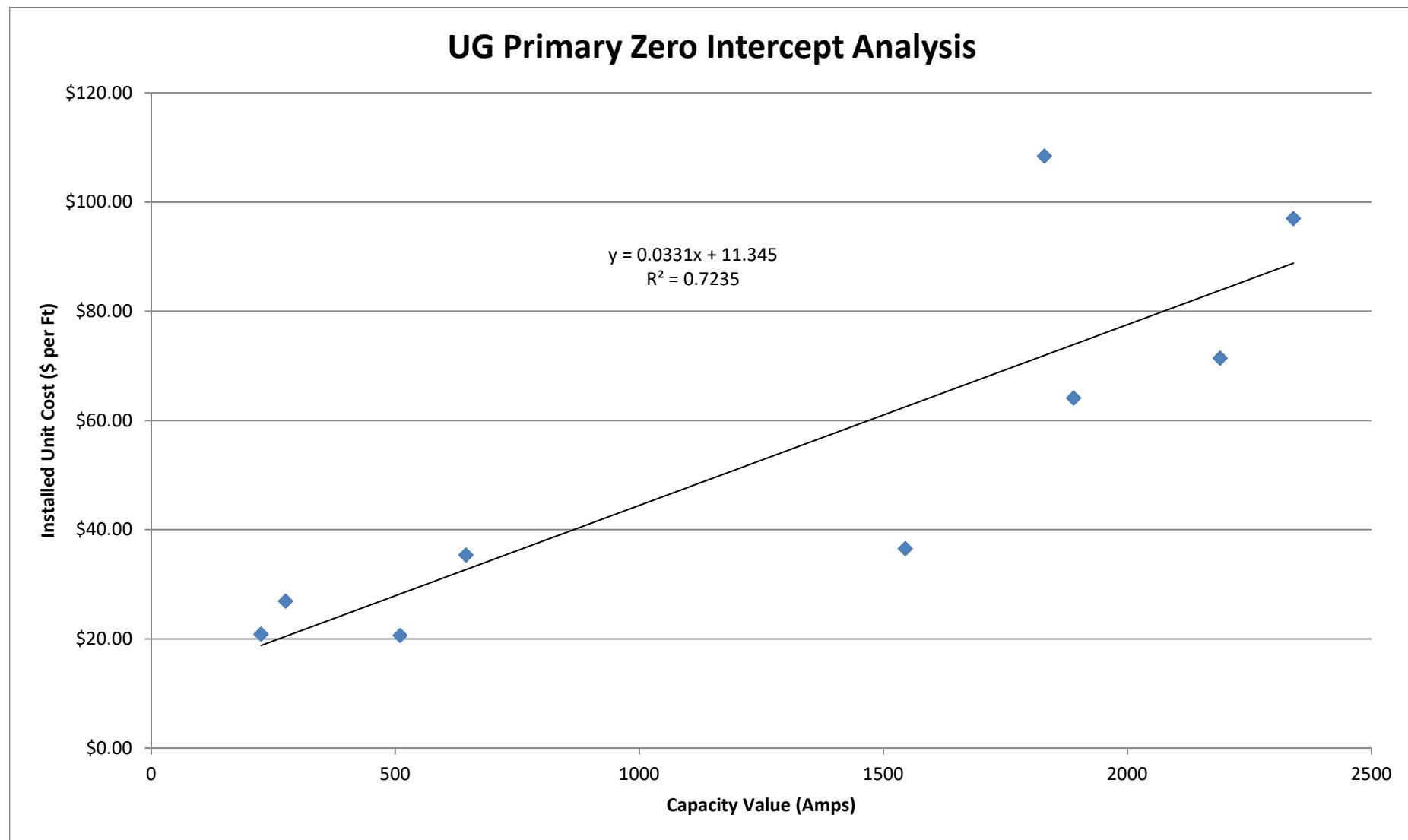
	<u>Number OH 1</u>	<u>% of OH 1</u>	<u>Cumulative % of OH 1 Phase</u>	<u>% of All OH Step-Down Transformers</u>	<u>Load Carrying Capacity (kVA)</u>	<u>Installed Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Replacement Costs</u>
<b>Overhead 1 Phase</b>							
OH 1 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 500 kVA	240	23.90%	23.90%	18.66%	500	\$102,886	\$24,692,533
OH 1 phase 19.92/7.2 kV 167 kVA	131	13.05%	36.95%	10.19%	167	\$53,067	\$6,951,733
OH 1 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 333 kVA	126	12.55%	49.50%	9.80%	333	\$88,233	\$11,117,400
OH 1 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 250 kVA	121	12.05%	61.55%	9.41%	250	\$72,404	\$8,760,830
OH 1 phase 19.92/7.97 kV 50 kVA	120	11.95%	73.51%	9.33%	50	\$23,489	\$2,818,667
OH 1 phase 19.92/7.2 kV 100 kVA	103	10.26%	83.76%	8.01%	100	\$46,678	\$4,807,811
<b>Number of Transformers and Cost of Transformers for 5 Remaining 1 Phase OH Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>16.24%</b>		<b>11.91%</b>		<b>\$291,923.72</b>	<b>\$47,583,567</b>
<b>Total OH 1 Phase</b>	<b>1004</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>78.07%</b>		<b>\$106,307.31</b>	<b>\$106,732,541</b>
	<u>Number OH 2</u>	<u>% of OH 2</u>	<u>Cumulative % of OH 2 Phase</u>	<u>% of All OH Step-Down Transformers</u>	<u>Load Carrying Capacity (kVA)</u>	<u>Installed Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Replacement Costs</u>
<b>Overhead 2 Phase</b>							
OH 2 phase 13.8/4.16 kV 500 kVA	5	35.71%	35.71%	0.39%	500	\$82,815	\$414,077
OH 2 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 1000 kVA	2	14.29%	50.00%	0.16%	1000	\$140,241	\$280,482
<b>Number of Transformers and Cost of Transformers for 5 Remaining 2 Phase OH Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>50.00%</b>		<b>0.54%</b>		<b>\$58,950</b>	<b>\$412,651</b>
<b>Total OH 2 Phase</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>1.09%</b>		<b>\$79,086</b>	<b>\$1,107,210</b>
	<u>Number OH 3</u>	<u>% of OH 3</u>	<u>Cumulative % of OH 3 Phase</u>	<u>% of All OH Step-Down Transformers</u>	<u>Load Carrying Capacity (kVA)</u>	<u>Installed Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Replacement Costs</u>
<b>Overhead 3 Phase</b>							
OH 3 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 1500 kVA	73	27.24%	27.24%	5.68%	1500	\$209,763	\$15,312,663
OH 3 phase 13.8/4.16 kV 1000 kVA	48	17.91%	45.15%	3.73%	1000	\$122,672	\$5,888,250
OH 3 phase 34.5/12.47 750 kVA	35	13.06%	58.21%	2.72%	750	\$99,114	\$3,468,974
OH 3 phase 13.8/4.16 kV 500 kVA	34	12.69%	70.90%	2.64%	500	\$77,198	\$2,624,715
OH 3 phase 34.5/13.8 300 kVA	21	7.84%	78.73%	1.63%	300	\$62,295	\$1,308,195
OH 3 phase 13.8/12.47 kV 5000 kVA	11	4.10%	82.84%	0.86%	5000	\$649,719	\$7,146,906
<b>Number of Transformers and Cost of Transformers for 17 Remaining 3 Phase OH Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>17.16%</b>		<b>3.58%</b>		<b>\$96,173</b>	<b>\$4,423,969</b>
<b>Total OH 3 Phase</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>20.84%</b>		<b>\$149,902</b>	<b>\$40,173,672</b>
<b>Total OH Step-Down Transformers</b>	<b>1,286</b>					<b>\$115,096</b>	<b>\$148,013,424</b>
	<u>Number UG 1</u>	<u>% of UG 1</u>	<u>Cumulative % of UG 1 Phase</u>	<u>% of All UG Step-Down Transformers</u>	<u>Load Carrying Capacity (kVA)</u>	<u>Installed Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Replacement Costs</u>
<b>Underground 1 Phase</b>							
UG 1 phase 19.92/7.97 kV 500 kVA	1	33.33%	33.33%	1.20%	500	\$61,508	\$61,508
UG 1 phase 19.92/7.2 333.0 kVA	1	33.33%	66.67%	1.20%	333	\$42,473	\$42,473
UG 1 phase 19.92/7.2 50.0 kVA	1	33.33%	100.00%	1.20%	50	\$5,335	\$5,335
<b>Total UG 1 Phase</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>3.61%</b>		<b>\$36,438</b>	<b>\$109,315</b>
	<u>Number UG 3</u>	<u>% of UG 3</u>	<u>Cumulative % of UG 3 Phase</u>	<u>% of All UG Step-Down Transformers</u>	<u>Load Carrying Capacity (kVA)</u>	<u>Installed Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Replacement Costs</u>
<b>Underground 3 Phase</b>							
UG 3 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 5000 kVA	48	60.00%	60.00%	57.83%	5000	\$683,393	\$32,802,844
UG 3 phase 34.5/13.8 kV 3750 kVA	20	25.00%	85.00%	24.10%	3750	\$1,024,753	\$20,495,056
UG 3 phase 34.5/4.16 kV 11250 kVA	4	5.00%	90.00%	4.82%	11250	\$3,684,733	\$14,738,933
<b>Number of Transformers and Cost of Transformers for 4 Remaining 3 Phase UG Transformer Configurations</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10.00%</b>		<b>9.64%</b>		<b>\$641,233</b>	<b>\$5,129,861</b>
<b>Total UG 3 Phase</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>96.39%</b>		<b>\$914,584</b>	<b>\$73,166,694</b>
<b>Total UG Step-Down Transformers</b>	<b>83</b>						<b>\$73,276,010</b>
<b>All OH &amp; UG Primary Step-Down Transfo</b>	<b>1,369</b>					<b>\$161,643</b>	<b>\$221,289,433</b>

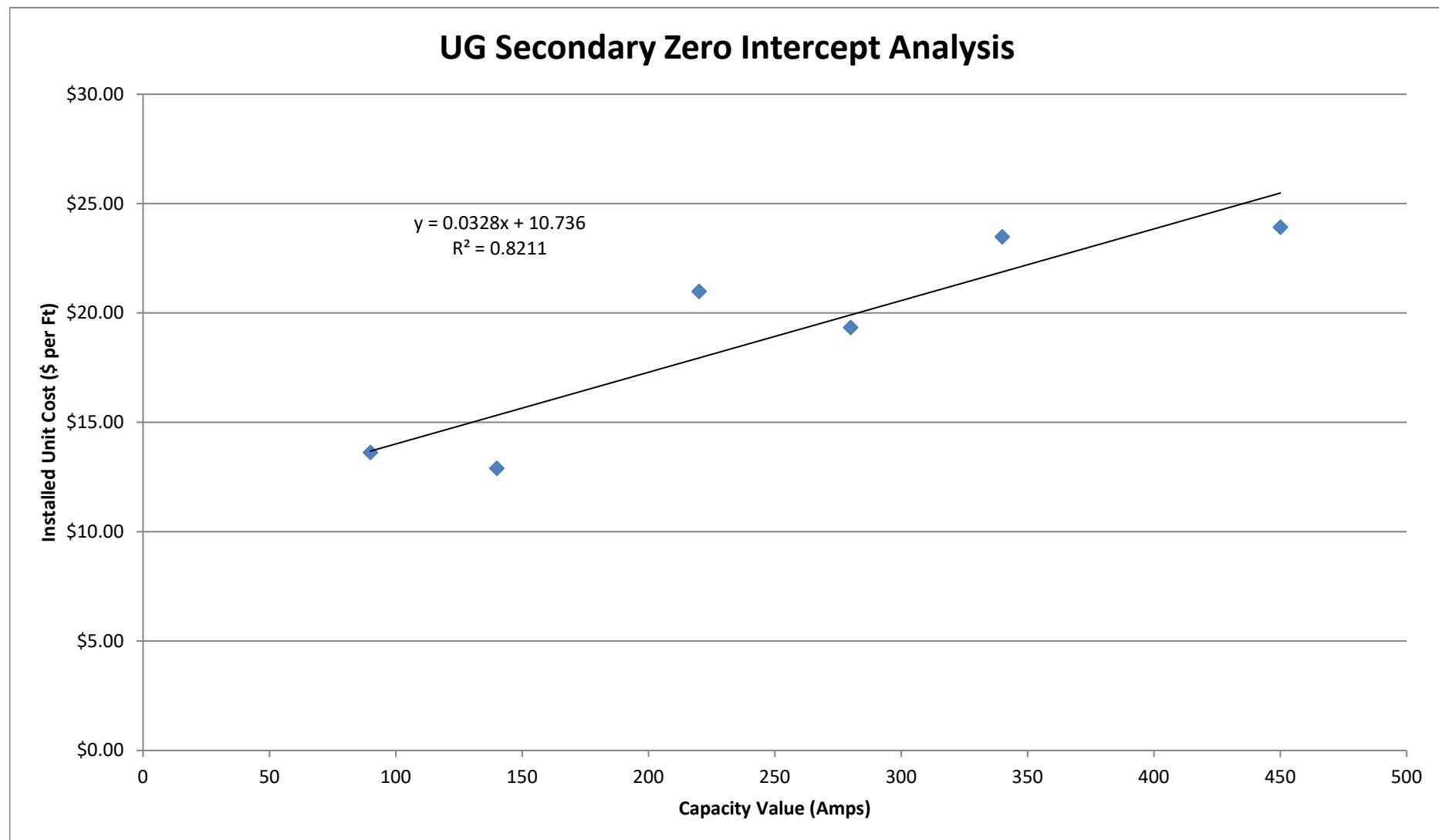


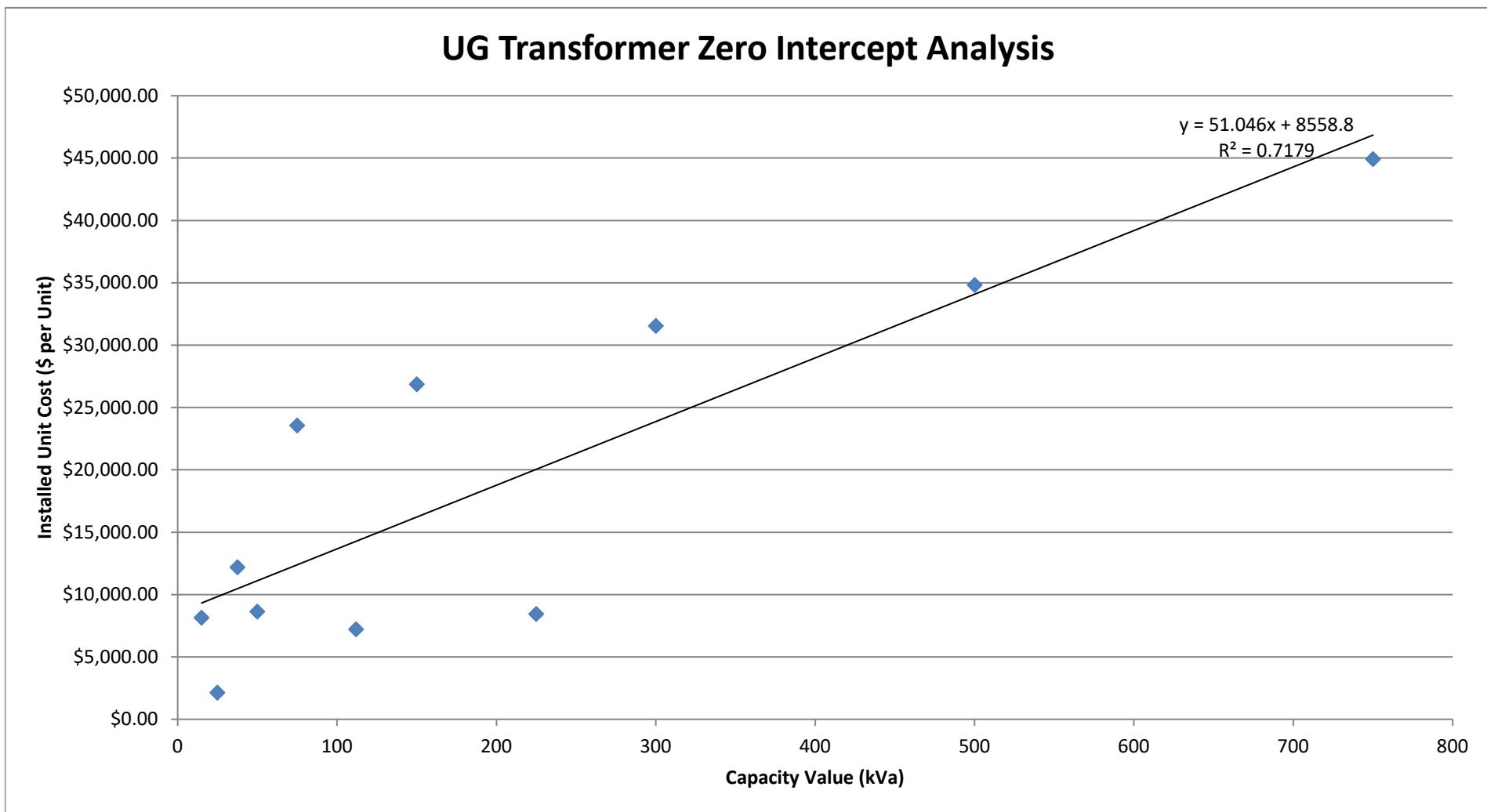




## Underground Primary Zero Intercept Analysis







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1	OH Primary	1 ph	4 ACSR 1ph	10,698,423	15.3%	15.3%	150	\$25.73	\$275,322,293	\$7.82	\$83,670,230	\$20.56	\$220,009,945
2	OH Primary	1 ph	2 ACSR 1ph	10,139,492	14.5%	29.8%	200	\$20.56	\$208,515,678	\$7.82	\$79,298,937	\$20.56	\$208,515,678
3	OH Primary	1 ph	6A CUWD 1ph	7,459,455	10.7%	40.4%	140	\$13.85	\$103,293,832	\$7.82	\$58,338,902	\$20.56	\$153,401,499
4	OH Primary	1 ph	6 CU 1ph	6,943,615	9.9%	50.3%	140	\$7.45	\$51,729,929	\$7.82	\$54,304,621	\$20.56	\$142,793,401
5	OH Primary	1 ph	3/10 CU 1ph	<u>1,564.708</u>	2.2%	52.6%	165	<u>\$11.68</u>	<u>\$18,282,341</u>	\$7.82	<u>\$12,237,267</u>	\$20.56	<u>\$32,177.759</u>
6	<b>Total 1 Phase Primary in Sample</b>			36,805,692				<b>\$17.85</b>	\$657,144,073		\$287,849,958		\$756,898,281
7	OH Primary	3 ph	336 AL 3ph	6,449,212	9.2%	61.8%	1680	\$71.01	\$457,964,375	\$7.82	\$50,437,999	\$20.56	\$132,626,161
8	OH Primary	3 ph	2 ACSR 3ph	5,828,121	8.3%	70.1%	600	\$35.10	\$204,561,003	\$7.82	\$45,580,572	\$20.56	\$119,853,609
9	OH Primary	3 ph	336 ACSR 3ph	5,187,129	7.4%	77.5%	1695	\$81.55	\$422,985,909	\$7.82	\$40,567,501	\$20.56	\$106,671,795
10	OH Primary	3 ph	2/0 ACSR 3ph	2,335,697	3.3%	80.9%	885	\$35.21	\$82,231,022	\$7.82	\$18,267,017	\$20.56	\$48,032,919
11	OH Primary	3 ph	4 ACSR 3ph	1,756,872	2.5%	83.4%	450	\$21.17	\$37,192,973	\$7.82	\$13,740,142	\$20.56	\$36,129,551
12	OH Primary	3 ph	6 CU 3ph	1,294,407	1.8%	85.2%	420	\$10.06	\$13,021,730	\$7.82	\$10,123,295	\$20.56	\$26,619,093
13	OH Primary	3 ph	6A CUWD 3ph	733,392	1.0%	86.3%	420	\$18.70	\$13,713,937	\$7.82	\$5,735,715	\$20.56	\$15,081,999
14	OH Primary	3 ph	1/0 ACSR 3ph	719,893	1.0%	87.3%	780	\$31.76	\$22,864,737	\$7.82	\$5,630,136	\$20.56	\$14,804,379
15	OH Primary	3 ph	4/0 CU 3ph	820,787	1.2%	88.5%	1680	\$40.01	\$32,837,361	\$7.82	\$6,419,214	\$20.56	\$16,879,253
16	OH Primary	3 ph	556 AL 3ph	448,373	0.6%	89.1%	2295	\$104.81	\$46,995,605	\$7.82	\$3,506,634	\$20.56	\$9,220,655
17	OH Primary	3 ph	556 ACSR 3ph	340,521	0.5%	89.6%	2295	\$69.07	\$23,519,500	\$7.82	\$2,663,148	\$20.56	\$7,002,718
18	OH Primary	3 ph	336 AAC 3ph	352,504	0.5%	90.1%	1680	\$74.90	\$26,401,194	\$7.82	\$2,756,862	\$20.56	\$7,249,138
19	OH Primary	3 ph	556 AAC 3ph	<u>244,006</u>	0.3%	90.5%	2295	<u>\$84.45</u>	<u>\$20,607,465</u>	\$7.82	<u>\$1,908,325</u>	\$20.56	<u>\$5,017,920</u>
20	OH Primary	<b>Total 3 Phase Primary in Sample</b>		26,510,914				<b>\$52.99</b>	\$1,404,896,810		\$207,336,559		\$545,189,189
19	OH Primary	<b>Total 1 Ph &amp; 3 Ph OH Primary in Sample</b>			63,316,607			<b>\$32.57</b>	\$2,062,040,882		\$495,186,518		\$1,302,087,470
20										<b>% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =</b>	<b>24.01%</b>	<b>% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =</b>	<b>63.15%</b>

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21	OH Secondary		2 ACSR Open Wire	20,338,802	14.9%	14.9%	200	\$6.93	\$140,948,065	\$5.42	\$110,136,646	\$6.51	\$132,308,390
22	OH Secondary		4 ACSR Open Wire	9,718,445	7.1%	22.0%	150	\$5.92	\$57,561,156	\$5.42	\$52,626,352	\$6.51	\$63,220,627
23	OH Secondary		1/0 ACSR Open Wire	18,334,359	13.4%	35.5%	260	\$8.06	\$147,781,520	\$5.42	\$99,282,385	\$6.51	\$119,269,044
24	OH Secondary		6 CU Open Wire	9,845,756	7.2%	42.7%	140	\$6.84	\$67,392,455	\$5.42	\$53,315,751	\$6.51	\$64,048,810
25	OH Secondary		6A CUWD Open Wire	6,296,098	4.6%	47.3%	140	\$6.05	\$38,114,991	\$5.42	\$34,094,002	\$6.51	\$40,957,507
26	OH Secondary		4 CU Open Wire	15,181,580	11.1%	58.4%	185	\$5.66	\$85,909,751	\$5.42	\$82,209,774	\$6.51	\$98,759,525
27	OH Secondary		2 CU Open Wire	14,916,284	10.9%	69.3%	245	\$6.91	\$103,105,077	\$5.42	\$80,773,171	\$6.51	\$97,033,717
28	OH Secondary		1/0 AL Triplex	7,573,248	5.5%	74.9%	205	\$6.51	\$49,265,645	\$5.42	\$41,009,893	\$6.51	\$49,265,645
29	OH Secondary		6 ACSR Duplex	4,852,695	3.6%	78.4%	90	\$6.00	\$29,112,049	\$5.42	\$26,277,828	\$6.51	\$31,567,850
30	OH Secondary		1/0 AL Triplex, Lashed	6,721,759	4.9%	83.4%	205	\$7.46	\$50,146,651	\$5.42	\$36,398,996	\$6.51	\$43,726,522
31	OH Secondary		3/10 CU Open Wire	1,505,128	1.1%	84.5%	165	\$6.31	\$9,498,772	\$5.42	\$8,150,419	\$6.51	\$9,791,189
32	OH Secondary		1/0 CU Open Wire	2,505,605	1.8%	86.3%	300	\$9.11	\$22,837,129	\$5.42	\$13,568,102	\$6.51	\$16,299,513
33	OH Secondary		2 AL Triplex	2,723,553	2.0%	88.3%	150	\$6.34	\$17,260,627	\$5.42	\$14,748,310	\$6.51	\$17,717,310
34	OH Secondary		2/0 ACSR Open Wire	915,530	0.7%	89.0%	295	\$4.86	\$4,449,475	\$5.42	\$4,957,685	\$6.51	\$5,955,723
35	OH Secondary		6 AL Duplex	1,292,144	0.9%	89.9%	90	\$6.25	\$8,078,627	\$5.42	\$6,997,088	\$6.51	\$8,405,680
36	OH Secondary		1/0 AL Open Wire	<u>1,294,876</u>	0.9%	90.9%	265	<u>\$7.06</u>	<u>\$9,135,603</u>	\$5.42	<u>\$7,011,880</u>	\$6.51	<u>\$8,423,451</u>
37	<b>Total OH Secondary in Sample</b>			124,015,860				<b>\$6.78</b>	\$840,597,592		\$671,558,283		\$806,750,504
38										% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =	<b>79.89%</b>	% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =	<b>95.97%</b>

	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]	[9] = [4] x [8]	[10]	[11] = [4] x [10]	[12]	[13] = [4] x [12]	
Line	Property Unit	Phase	Config Details	Conductor Footage/Number Transformers	% of Total Population Footage/Transformers	Cumulative % of Total Population Footage/Transformers	Load Carrying Capacity (A, or kVA)	Installed Unit Cost	Total Cost	Y Intercept Minimum Cost per Unit	Total Cost Using Y Intercept Unit Cost	Minimum System Cost per Unit	Total Cost Using Minimum System Cost per Unit	
39	OH Transformers		1 Phase Wye 25 kVA	33,552	29.7%	29.7%	25	\$6,268	\$210,290,392	\$4,582	\$153,728,554	\$5,171	\$173,497,392	
40	OH Transformers		1 Phase Wye 10 kVA	17,527	15.5%	45.2%	10	\$5,171	\$90,626,252	\$4,582	\$80,305,209	\$5,171	\$90,632,117	
41	OH Transformers		1 Phase Wye 37.5 kVA	15,358	13.6%	58.7%	37.5	\$8,449	\$129,763,828	\$4,582	\$70,367,284	\$5,171	\$79,416,218	
42	OH Transformers		1 Phase Wye 15 kVA	17,194	15.2%	73.9%	15	\$4,683	\$80,513,259	\$4,582	\$78,779,469	\$5,171	\$88,910,174	
43	OH Transformers		1 Phase Wye 50 kVA	14,750	13.0%	87.0%	50	\$8,169	\$120,489,966	\$4,582	\$67,581,550	\$5,171	\$76,272,250	
44	OH Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 75 kVA	1,325	1.2%	88.1%	75	\$8,483	\$11,239,552	\$4,582	\$6,070,885	\$5,171	\$6,851,575	
45	OH Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 150 kVA	1,068	0.9%	89.1%	150	\$14,478	\$15,463,035	\$4,582	\$4,893,362	\$5,171	\$5,522,628	
46	OH Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 112 kVA	548	0.5%	89.6%	112	\$16,120	\$8,833,592	\$4,582	\$2,510,826	\$5,171	\$2,833,708	
47	OH Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 45 kVA	773	0.7%	90.3%	45	\$9,192	\$7,105,570	\$4,582	\$3,541,731	\$5,171	\$3,997,183	
48	OH Transformers		1 Phase Wye 100 kVA	<u>657</u>	0.6%	90.8%	100	<u>\$10,829</u>	<u>\$7,114,626</u>	\$4,582	<u>\$3,010,243</u>	\$5,171	<u>\$3,397,347</u>	
49	<b>Total OH Transformers in Sample</b>				102,752				<b>\$6,631.89</b>	<b>\$681,440,072</b>		<b>\$470,789,114</b>	<b>\$531,330,592</b>	
50											% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =	<b>69.09%</b>	% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =	<b>77.97%</b>
51	UG Primary	1 ph	1/0 AL 1ph	16,024,349	28.7%	28.7%	275	\$26.92	\$431,436,628	\$11.35	\$181,796,240	\$20.88	\$334,525,622	
52	UG Primary	1 ph	2 AL 1ph	<u>14,788,376</u>	26.5%	55.1%	225	<u>\$20.88</u>	<u>\$308,723,338</u>	\$11.35	<u>\$167,774,120</u>	<u>\$20.88</u>	<u>\$308,723,338</u>	
53	<b>Total 1 Phase Primary in Sample</b>				30,812,725				<b>\$24.02</b>	<b>\$740,159,966</b>		<b>\$349,570,360</b>	<b>\$643,248,960</b>	
54														
55	UG Primary	3 ph	1/0 AL 3ph	14,140,772	25.3%	80.4%	645	\$35.34	\$499,721,282	\$11.35	\$160,427,055	\$20.88	\$295,203,907	
56	UG Primary	3 ph	750 AL 3ph	4,826,798	8.6%	89.1%	1890	\$64.09	\$309,330,428	\$11.35	\$54,760,018	\$20.88	\$100,764,620	
57	UG Primary	3 ph	2 AL 3ph	933,040	1.7%	90.7%	510	\$20.62	\$19,239,291	\$11.35	\$10,585,342	\$20.88	\$19,478,226	
58	UG Primary	3 ph	1000 AL 3ph	534,454	1.0%	91.7%	2190	\$71.40	\$38,161,254	\$11.35	\$6,063,383	\$20.88	\$11,157,309	
59	UG Primary	3 ph	500 AL 3ph	459,969	0.8%	92.5%	1545	\$36.51	\$16,793,481	\$11.35	\$5,218,352	\$20.88	\$9,602,358	
60	UG Primary	3 ph	500 CU 3ph	753,701	1.3%	93.9%	1830	\$108.41	\$81,709,846	\$11.35	\$8,550,735	\$20.88	\$15,734,319	
61	UG Primary	3 ph	750 CU 3ph	<u>436,689</u>	0.8%	94.7%	2340	<u>\$96.97</u>	<u>\$42,346,704</u>	\$11.35	<u>\$4,954,235</u>	\$20.88	<u>\$9,116,352</u>	
62	<b>Total 3 Phase Primary in Sample</b>				22,085,423				<b>\$44.85</b>	<b>\$990,508,805</b>		<b>\$250,559,120</b>	<b>\$461,057,091</b>	
63														
64	<b>Total 1 Ph &amp; 3 Ph UG Primary in Sample</b>				52,898,147				<b>\$1,730,668,771</b>		<b>\$600,129,480</b>		<b>\$1,104,306,051</b>	
65											% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =	<b>34.68%</b>	% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =	<b>63.81%</b>

	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]	[9] = [4] x [8]	[10]	[11] = [4] x [10]	[12]	[13] = [4] x [12]
Line	Property Unit	Phase	Config Details	Conductor Footage/Number Transformers	% of Total Population Footage/Transformers	Cumulative % of Total Population Footage/Transformers	Load Carrying Capacity (A, or kVA)	Installed Unit Cost	Total Cost	Y Intercept Minimum Cost per Unit	Total Cost Using Y Intercept Unit Cost	Minimum System Cost per Unit	Total Cost Using Minimum System Cost per Unit
66	UG Secondary		6 AL Duplex	9,878,341	36.7%	36.7%	90	\$13.62	\$134,523,954	\$10.74	\$106,053,871	\$20.98	\$207,265,507
67	UG Secondary		4/0 AL Triplex	8,355,002	31.0%	67.7%	340	\$23.48	\$196,188,727	\$10.74	\$89,699,304	\$20.98	\$175,303,093
68	UG Secondary		2/0 AL Triplex	2,679,564	10.0%	77.7%	280	\$19.33	\$51,808,384	\$10.74	\$28,767,803	\$20.98	\$56,222,119
69	UG Secondary		1/0 AL Triplex	1,460,657	5.4%	83.1%	220	\$20.98	\$30,647,236	\$10.74	\$15,681,615	\$20.98	\$30,647,236
70	UG Secondary		6 CU Open Wire	1,206,909	4.5%	87.6%	140	\$12.90	\$15,564,876	\$10.74	\$12,957,378	\$20.98	\$25,323,146
71	UG Secondary		350 AL Triplex	660,658	2.5%	90.1%	450	\$23.91	\$15,799,054	\$10.74	\$7,092,828	\$20.98	\$13,861,809
72	<b>Total UG Secondary in Sample</b>			24,241,133				\$18.34	\$444,532,232		\$260,252,800		\$508,622,909
73										% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =	<b>58.55%</b>	% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =	<b>100.00%</b>
74	UG Transformers		1 Phase Wye 50 kVA	31,125	35.4%	35.4%	50	\$8,630	\$268,614,731	\$8,559	\$266,392,650	\$8,137	\$253,272,440
75	UG Transformers		1 Phase Wye 25 kVA	17,418	19.8%	55.2%	25	\$2,129	\$37,087,596	\$8,559	\$149,077,178	\$8,137	\$141,734,919
76	UG Transformers		1 Phase Wye 37.5 kVA	8,619	9.8%	65.0%	37.5	\$12,182	\$104,994,055	\$8,559	\$73,768,297	\$8,137	\$70,135,106
77	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 150 kVA	3,986	4.5%	69.6%	150	\$26,857	\$107,053,066	\$8,559	\$34,115,377	\$8,137	\$32,435,147
78	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 300 kVA	3,834	4.4%	73.9%	300	\$31,548	\$120,955,892	\$8,559	\$32,814,439	\$8,137	\$31,198,282
79	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 75 kVA	3,656	4.2%	78.1%	75	\$23,569	\$86,170,049	\$8,559	\$31,290,973	\$8,137	\$29,749,849
80	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 500 kVA	3,255	3.7%	81.8%	500	\$34,818	\$113,331,005	\$8,559	\$27,858,894	\$8,137	\$26,486,805
81	UG Transformers		1 Phase Wye 15 kVA	2,258	2.6%	84.4%	15	\$8,137	\$18,373,949	\$8,559	\$19,325,770	\$8,137	\$18,373,949
82	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 112 kVA	1,932	2.2%	86.6%	112	\$7,217	\$13,942,448	\$8,559	\$16,535,602	\$8,137	\$15,721,200
83	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 225 kVA	1,752	2.0%	88.5%	225	\$8,446	\$14,798,075	\$8,559	\$14,995,018	\$8,137	\$14,256,492
84	UG Transformers		3 Phase Wye/Wye 750 kVA	1,954	2.2%	90.8%	750	\$44,930	\$87,792,569	\$8,559	\$16,723,895	\$8,137	\$15,900,220
85	<b>Total UG Transformers in Sample</b>			79,789				\$12,196.09	\$973,113,435		\$682,898,093		\$649,264,409
86										% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =	<b>70.18%</b>	% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =	<b>66.72%</b>
87	<b>Total OH and UG Transformers in Sample</b>			182,541				\$9,064	\$1,654,553,506		\$1,153,687,207		\$1,180,595,001
88										% Customer Related Costs Using Zero Intercept =	<b>69.73%</b>	% Customer Related Costs Using Minimum System =	<b>71.35%</b>

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 Minimum System / Zero Intercept Analysis Results  
 Distribution Plant Cost Classification: Capacity Vs Customer Classification  
 Hybrid Method

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Line	<u>Overhead Distribution Plant</u>	[1]	[2]	[3] = [1] x [2]	[4] = % of Line 11	[5] = [Col 5 Line 11 - Line 10] x [4]	[6] = (Customer % from Attachment N)	[7]	[8]
		Total Footage	Average Cost per Foot	Total Replacement Cost (\$000)	% of Total Replacement Cost	Test Year Plant in Service (\$000)	% Customer or Capacity Related	Final Test Year Plant in Service (\$000)	% of Total Overhead Dist Costs
1	OH Primary Single Phase Capacity						75.99%	\$246,875	16.24%
2	<u>OH Primary Single Phase Customer</u>						<u>24.01%</u>	<u>\$78,022</u>	5.13%
3	Total OH Primary Single Phase	40,232,843	\$17.85	\$718,334	22.31%	\$324,897	100.00%	\$324,897	
4	OH Primary Multi Phase Capacity						75.99%	\$542,018	35.65%
5	<u>OH Primary Multi Phase Customer</u>						<u>24.01%</u>	<u>\$171,299</u>	11.27%
6	Total OH Primary Multi Phase	29,760,732	\$52.99	\$1,577,115	48.97%	\$713,316	100.00%	\$713,316	
7	OH Secondary Capacity						20.11%	\$84,131	5.53%
8	<u>OH Secondary Customer</u>						<u>79.89%</u>	<u>\$334,236</u>	21.98%
9	Total OH Secondary	136,467,174	\$6.78	\$924,994	28.72%	\$418,367	100.00%	\$418,367	
10	Street Lighting (see Line 9 of Schedule XX)					\$63,793		\$63,793	4.20%
11	Total Overhead (see Schedule X, Page 4, Column 1, Line XX)			\$3,220,443	100.00%	\$1,520,374		\$1,520,374	100.00%
Line	<u>Underground Distribution Plant</u>	[1]	[2]	[3] = [1] x [2]	[4] = % of Line 22	[5] = [Col 5 Line 22 - Line 21] x [4]	[6] = (Customer % from Attachment N)	[7]	[8]
		Total Footage	Average Cost per Foot	Total Replacement Cost (\$000)	% of Total Replacement Cost	Test Year Plant in Service (\$000)	% Customer or Capacity Related	Final Test Year Plant in Service (\$000)	% of Total Underground Distr Costs
12	UG Primary Single Phase Capacity						65.32%	\$361,197	21.10%
13	<u>UG Primary Single Phase Customer</u>						<u>34.68%</u>	<u>\$191,736</u>	11.20%
14	Total UG Primary Single Phase	31,519,114	\$24.02	\$757,128	32.31%	\$552,933	100.00%	\$552,933	
15	UG Primary Multi Phase Capacity						65.32%	\$521,301	30.46%
16	<u>UG Primary Multi Phase Customer</u>						<u>34.68%</u>	<u>\$276,725</u>	16.17%
17	Total UG Primary Multi Phase	24,364,721	\$44.85	\$1,092,733	46.63%	\$798,026	100.00%	\$798,026	
18	UG Secondary Capacity						41.45%	\$149,449	8.73%
19	<u>UG Secondary Customer</u>						<u>58.55%</u>	<u>\$211,063</u>	12.33%
20	Total UG Secondary	26,919,485	\$18.34	\$493,648	21.06%	\$360,512	100.00%	\$360,512	
21	Street Lighting					\$0		\$0	0.00%
22	Total Underground			\$2,343,509	100.00%	\$1,711,471		\$1,711,471	100.00%
Line	<u>Transformers</u>	[1]	[2]	[3] = [1] x [2]	[4] = % of Line 27	[5] = [Col 5 Line 27] x [4]	[6] = (Customer % from Attachment N)	[7]	[8]
		Number of Transformers	Average Cost Per Transformer	Total Replacement Cost (\$000)	% of Total Replacement Cost	Test Year Plant in Service (\$000)	% Customer or Capacity Related	Final Test Year Plant in Service (\$000)	% of Total Transformer Costs
23	Primary	1,369	\$161,643	\$221,289	17.75%	\$94,136	100% Capacity	\$94,136	17.75%
24	Secondary Capacity						31.95%	\$139,331	26.28%
25	Secondary Customer						<u>68.05%</u>	<u>\$296,798</u>	<u>55.97%</u>
26	Total Secondary	113,110	\$9,064	\$1,025,230	82.25%	\$436,129	100.00%	\$436,129	82.25%
27	Total Transformers			\$1,246,520	100.00%	\$530,265		\$530,265	100.00%

	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6] = [3] x [4] x [5] / 1000	[7]	[8] = [6] / [7]	[9] = 1 - [8]
	<u>Services</u>	<u>Minimum Conductor Configuration</u>	<u>Minimum Footage per Service</u>	<u>Installed Cost per Foot</u>	<u>Number of Customers</u>	<u>Total Cost (\$000)</u>	<u>Test Year Plant Investment Distribution Services (\$000)</u>	<u>Customer Component Distribution Services</u>	<u>Capacity Component Distribution Services</u>
1	OH Services	2 ACSR Triplex	50	\$4.03	821,337	\$165,499			
2	<u>UG Services</u>	1/0 Triplex	50	\$2.81	<u>431,035</u>	<u>\$60,560</u>			
3	Total Services				1,252,372	\$226,060	\$364,895	61.95%	38.05%

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 Primary Distribution Cost Allocator Calculations

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Line	Primary Distribution Cost	Allocator Derivation	Allocator Label	MN	Resid	Customer Class			
						Commercial Non Demand	C&I Demand Secondary	C&I Demand Primary	Ltg
1	Customer Portion of <b>Multi-Phase</b> Primary Lines	Number of Customers	C61PS	1,394,361	1,248,393	89,156	50,179	495	6,138
2	Capacity Portion of <b>Multi-Phase</b> Primary Lines	Class Coincident Peak Demands	D61PS	6,068,286	2,567,861	191,730	2,681,876	593,538	33,281
3	% of Customers Served by Primary <b>Single Phase</b> Lines				71.6%	39.3%	10.3%	2.7%	57.4%
4	Customer Portion of <b>Single-Phase</b> Primary Lines	line 1 x line 3	C61PS1Ph	937,493	893,725	35,058	5,175	13	3,521
5	Capacity Portion of Single-Phase Primary Lines	line 2 x line 3	D61PS1Ph	2,225,548	1,838,334	75,392	276,606	16,126	19,090
6	Customer Portion of <b>Multi-Phase</b> Primary Lines	Cost Allocator %	C61PS	100.0%	89.53%	6.39%	3.60%	0.04%	0.44%
7	Capacity Portion of <b>Multi-Phase</b> Primary Lines	Cost Allocator %	D61PS	100.0%	42.32%	3.16%	44.19%	9.78%	0.55%
8	Customer Portion of <b>Single-Phase</b> Primary Lines	Cost Allocator %	C61PS1Ph	100.0%	95.33%	3.74%	0.55%	0.00%	0.38%
9	Capacity Portion of <b>Single-Phase</b> Primary Lines	Cost Allocator %	D61PS1Ph	100.0%	82.60%	3.39%	12.43%	0.72%	0.86%

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**Conservation Improvement Program Conservation Cost Recovery Charge (CCRC) Computation**  
12 Months Ending December 31, 2025

TY25 CIP Expense DOC-Approved Spending

**2025 Approved CIP Budget** **\$ 166,570,277**

TY25 kWh

TY 2025 MN kWh Sales 28,304,703,761

TY 2025 CIP Exempt Cust Sales (Est.) 1,454,874,924

**Net CIP Sales** 26,849,828,837

**CCRC = TY25 CIP Expense / TY2025 kWh Sales**

0.6204 ¢ per kWh

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Tariff	Description	Pres Price	Prop Price	2023 Units	Pres \$	Prop \$	Differ
1.8	<b>Dedicated Switching Service</b>	Chg / trip	Chg / trip				
	Monday through Saturday	\$300.00	\$800.00	398	\$119,400	\$318,400	\$199,000
	Sunday and Federal holidays	\$400.00	\$1,000.00	38	\$15,200	\$38,000	\$22,800
5.1	<b>Standard Installation and Extension Rules</b>						
	Excess service charge - Services	\$7.90	\$10.00	16,143	\$127,530	\$161,430	\$33,900
	Excess service charge - Excess single phase primary	\$8.00	\$10.50	-	\$0	\$0	\$0
	Excess service charge - Excess three phase primary	\$13.90	\$17.00	-	\$0	\$0	\$0
5.1.A.2.	<b>Winter Construction</b>						
	Per Frost Burner	\$640.00	\$870.00	782	\$500,480	\$680,340	\$179,860
	Per Trench Foot	\$8.90	\$18.00	99,123	\$882,195	\$1,784,214	\$902,019
				<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,644,804</b>	<b>\$2,982,384</b>	<b>\$1,337,580</b>

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Section 6.5.1.A1.			
Excess Footage Charge	Current Electric tariff per circuit foot	Proposed Tariff Charge per circuit foot	Proposed Rate
Services	\$7.90	\$10.12	\$10.00
Excess single phase primary or secondary extension	\$8.00	\$10.65	\$10.50
Excess three phase primary or secondary extension	\$13.90	\$17.03	\$17.00

## Equipment Specifications

Assumptions - based off 100 ft service

Single Phase secondary = 4/0 alum tri w/ installation

Single Phase primary = #2 alum 1/0 primary w/ installation

3 Phase primary or secondary = 1/0 alum 3/0 primary w/ installation

## 2024 Winter Construction Thaw Unit Costs

**Before January 1st (typically burns for 2 days)**  
**A thaw unit requires 3 - 20 lb propane tanks to run for 2 days (20 lb tank = 5 gallons)**

Process	Crew or Vehicles	Time to Do	Cost per Hour	Cost	Cost per Gallon	Gallons Used	Propane Cost	Totals
Set thaw unit	Two man crew	1	\$100.00	\$100.00				
Re-tank thaw unit	Two man crew	0	\$100.00	\$0.00				
Remove thaw unit	Two man crew	1	\$100.00	\$100.00				
Total Labor				\$200.00				
Labor Loading @ 78.604%				\$157.21				
Labor w/ Loading				\$357.21				
								\$357.21
Vehicle & Equipment	2 Trucks (stafford truck and the leads truck)	2	55	\$110.00				\$110.00
Propane Cost					2.72	15	\$40.80	\$40.80
Costs (before E&S)				\$508.01				\$508.01
E&S Cost @ 25.00%				\$127.00				\$127.00
Total Cost				\$635.01				\$635.01

**After January 1st (typically burns for 3 days)**

Process	Crew or Vehicles	Time to Do	Cost per Hour	Cost	Cost per Gallon	Gallons Used	Propane Cost	Totals
Set thaw unit	Two man crew	1	\$100.00	\$100.00				
Re-tank thaw unit	Two man crew	1	\$100.00	\$100.00				
Remove thaw unit	Two man crew	1	\$100.00	\$100.00				
Total Labor				\$300.00				
Labor Loading @ 78.604%				\$235.92				
Labor w/ Loading				\$535.92				
								\$535.92
Vehicle & Equipment	2 Trucks (stafford truck and the leads truck)	2	55	\$110.00				\$110.00
Propane Cost					2.72	22.5	\$61.20	\$61.20
Costs (before E&S)				\$707.12				\$707.12
E&S Cost @ 25.00%				\$176.78				\$176.78
Total Cost				\$883.90				\$883.90

\* Please note, 90% of all thaw units are set after January 1st.

Before and after January Costs	Percentage	
\$635.01	10%	\$63.50
\$883.90	90%	\$795.51
		\$859.01
Billing Labor		\$10.00
Producing Bill		\$0.53
Postage		\$0.73
<b>Total Cost of a Thaw Unit</b>		<b>\$870.27</b>

### 2024 Winter Construction Per foot Charge

Winter Construction billed for in Winter of 2023

Average Cost per Foot Winter 2023 Services = \$48.78  
 Average Cost per Foot Non-Winter Months Services = \$30.61  
 Difference for Winter Construction \$18.17

### 2024 Updates to Charges

Tariff							
Current Electric Charges			Updated Costs		Proposed Tarif Charge		
Winter Construction Service primary or secondary distribution	\$640.00	per thaw unit	\$870.27	per thaw unit	Thawing	\$870.00	per thaw unit
	\$8.90	plus per trench foot	\$18.17	plus per trench foot	Secondary distribution extension	\$18.00	per foot

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	Normal	Overtime	Overtime
	2023 \$	Mon-Sat x 1.5%	Sun-Fed Holidays x 2.0%
	\$/hour	2023 \$/hour	2023 \$/hour
Dispatching labor cost	\$ 43.07	\$ 64.61	\$ 129.21
Troubleman labor	\$ 554.59	\$ 596.55	\$ 795.40
Administrative @ 5% of Troubleman labor	\$ 27.73	\$ 29.83	\$ 39.77
<b>Sub total labor</b>	<b>\$ 625.39</b>	<b>\$ 690.98</b>	<b>\$ 964.38</b>
Trucks	\$ 111.16	\$ 111.16	\$ 111.16
<b>Total Trouble Costs</b>	<b>\$ 736.55</b>	<b>\$ 802.14</b>	<b>\$ 1,075.54</b>
Call Center labor cost per call	\$ 2.06	\$ 1.54	\$ 1.54
Producing bill	\$ 0.53	\$ 0.53	\$ 0.53
Postage for bill	\$ 0.73	\$ 0.73	\$ 0.73
<b>Total Billing Costs</b>	<b>\$ 3.32</b>	<b>\$ 2.80</b>	<b>\$ 2.80</b>
<b>TOTAL COSTS</b>	<b>\$ 739.87</b>	<b>\$ 804.94</b>	<b>\$ 1,078.34</b>

TARIFF	Charge per hour		
	Tariff \$	2023 \$	Proposed 2024 \$
Requested Appointment Date			
Monday through Saturday	\$ 300.00	\$ 804.94	\$ 800.00
Sunday and federally observed holidays	\$ 400.00	\$ 1,078.34	\$ 1,000.00

Labor	p/hour Loaded
Straight time/hour	<b>78.60%</b>
\$ 72.45	\$ 129.40
\$ 80.97	\$ 144.62
Troubleman Overtime @ 1.5%	
<b>Hourly rate @ 1.5%</b>	<b>\$ 216.93</b>
Troubleman Overtime @ 2.0%	
Hourly rate @ 2.0%	\$ 289.24
<b>Time for Avg Dedicated Switch Call</b>	
Task	Minutes
<b>Dispatch tasks</b>	
Scheduling	<b>20</b>
<b>Troubleman tasks</b>	
Drive to site	<b>40</b>
Drive from/to next site	<b>35</b>
Site work	<b>90</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>165</b>

Trucks Analysis
Monthly lease
Monthly hours
Hourly cost