

1 Q. What would be the estimated cost of an assessment of each of the units
2 individually?

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5 A. The total direct cost of the assessment if performed in one year is \$2.5
6 million, therefore the cost of a single unit is \$830,000. If performed in three
7 different years, it is estimated the cost of the assessments of the other two
8 units would be approximately \$1.0 million each. The increased cost is due to
9 escalation of costs in subsequent years, multiple remobilizations of
10 consultants and inspection companies (to perform non-distinctive testing
11 such as x-ray, surface replication, etc.), duplication of site supervision and
12 overhead costs.