

- 1 **Q. How does a 9.5% return on equity for Newfoundland Power for the 2016/2017 test**
2 **years compare to the recent allowed returns for all other Canadian regulated**
3 **electrical utilities?**
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5 A. Current allowed returns on equity for investor-owned Canadian regulated electric utilities
6 by province are shown in Table 1.
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Table 1
Recent Allowed Returns on Equity¹
Investor-owned Electric Utilities
(by province)
(%)

British Columbia	9.15
Alberta	8.30
Ontario	9.19
Prince Edward Island	9.75
Nova Scotia	9.00

¹ All allowed returns on equity are for 2015, except for the allowed return on equity for Ontario electrical distributors, which is a 2016 return on equity.