

1 Q. Please provide a table or chart that shows the current (February, 2019) electricity
2 rate (excluding HST) in cents per kWh paid by a domestic customer on the Island
3 Interconnected system and in each Atlantic Province and the rates forecast for each
4 for 2021. In the response include the assumptions used in the calculations.

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7 A. The requested information for the Island Interconnected System is provided in
8 Table 1.

Table 1

Average Domestic Electricity Rates

Utility / Province	Current Rates¹ (cents/kWh)	2021 Forecast Rates² (cents/kWh)
Nova Scotia Power (NS)	16.32	16.81
Maritime Electric (PEI)	15.99	16.10
New Brunswick Power (NB)	12.66	13.61
Newfoundland Power (NL)	13.06	21.20

¹ Reflecting published rates as at November 29, 2019 including the basic customer charge, energy charges reflecting consumption of 1,517 kWh, prompt payment discounts (if applicable), excluding HST.

² Forecast rates are based upon the current rates as presented, escalated based upon publically available data.