

1 Q. Please describe the extent that lateral taps off of mainline distribution feeders are  
2 fused.

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5 A. The majority of Hydro's lateral taps off of mainline distribution feeders contain  
6 fused disconnects. Some exceptions are:

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- taps that have a recloser or a sectionalizer providing protection;

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- taps where three-phase gang switches have been installed; and

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- older construction where disconnects were not originally installed.