

1    Q.    **Asset Management**

2            Provide the numbers of distribution line inspections scheduled each year 2011  
3            through 2013. Provide the numbers of distribution line inspections conducted each  
4            year 2011 through 2013.

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7    A.    Provided in the table below are the number of Island Interconnected distribution  
8            line inspections scheduled and completed through years 2011 to 2013.

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Island Interconnected Distribution Line Inspections		
Year	Inspections Scheduled	Inspections Completed
2011	154	121
2012	145	135
2013	127	121

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11            The number of inspections scheduled varies from year to year since not all  
12            distribution lines are inspected at the same frequency. One of the main drivers that  
13            dictates frequency is environmental exposure due to severe weather.

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15            A number of factors influence the completion of scheduled inspections during the  
16            year, such as: equipment failures, line trouble, customer issues, service extension  
17            and upgrade work, and adverse weather. These factors in some instances can lead  
18            to the reprioritization of scheduled inspections and deferrals to the following year.