

- 1 **Q. Provide the capital expenditures for vegetation management each year for 2010**
 2 **through 2013.**
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 4 A. Newfoundland Power's capital expenditures associated with vegetation management for
 5 each year from 2010 through 2013 are detailed in Table 1.
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Table 1
Vegetation Management
Capital Expenditures

Year	Amount
2010	\$1,002,512
2011	\$536,269
2012	\$796,571
2013	\$819,646

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 10 Capital expenditures associated with vegetation management involve the cost of (i)
 11 clearing new right of ways, (ii) widening an existing right of way and (iii) clearing
 12 vegetation to allow other capital work to proceed. The large variance year over year in
 13 the cost of vegetation management is attributed to the variety of capital work undertaken
 14 in a given year, and the associated need to clear vegetation.