

Table 36
Total water costs in thermal-electric power generation industries, by water cost component and region, 2011

	Acquisition	Intake treatment	Recirculation	Discharge treatment	Total water costs
thousands of dollars					
Region					
Atlantic ¹	10,215 ^B	3,602 ^C	689 ^E	3,120 ^B	17,625 ^B
Quebec	310 ^B	619 ^D	x	x	1,282 ^C
Ontario	53,564 ^A	30,262 ^A	5,392 ^B	4,695 ^A	93,912 ^A
Prairies ²	14,236 ^C	18,065 ^C	14,818 ^E	939 ^C	48,058 ^D
British Columbia and territories ³	2,346 ^A	1,346 ^A	x	x	3,912 ^A
Canada	80,670 ^A	53,892 ^A	21,289 ^D	8,939 ^A	164,790 ^A
percent					
Percentage of total water costs	49.0	32.7	12.9	5.4	100.0

1. Atlantic provinces include: Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

2. Prairie provinces include: Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

3. British Columbia and territories include: British Columbia, Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

Note(s): Thermal-electric power generation is defined as fossil-fuel electric power generation (North American Industry Classification System, code 221112) and nuclear electric power generation (North American Industry Classification System, code 221113). Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

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