

**UNIFORM DISCLOSURE INFORMATION LABEL
ELECTRICITY FACTS**

**For Standard Offer Service Within Eastern Maine Electric Cooperative Service Territory
All Rate Classes
June 2002**

LABEL DESCRIPTION

Generation Price: Generation Prices are shown at usage levels that are typical for residential and commercial customers.

Power Sources: The actual electricity you use will be indistinguishable from the electricity used by your friends and neighbors. This is unavoidable because everyone is served through the same transmission and distribution system. The power sources label cannot tell you about the source of the electricity you use on your home or business; instead, it tells you that your dollars are going to pay for particular power plants. Since it is impossible to track the flow of electricity on the grid however, there is no way to identify the actual power plant that produced the electricity you consume. But it is possible to track the dollars you pay to particular power plants. Your electricity dollars will support electricity generation from various energy resources in the proportions listed on the power content label.

Emissions: Emissions for each of the following pollutants are presented as a percent of the regional average emission rate

Carbon Dioxide (CO₂) is released when certain fuels are burned. It is considered a major greenhouse gas and a major contributor to global warming.

Nitrogen Oxides (NO_x) form when certain fuels are burned at high temperatures. They are considered contributors to acid rain and ground-level ozone (or smog).

Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) is formed when fuels containing sulfur are burned. Major health effects associated with SO₂ include asthma, respiratory illness and aggravation of existing cardiovascular disease.

The production of electricity can produce other harmful emissions and have other environmental impacts. Environmental impacts differ among individual power plants.

Generation Price Average price per kWh at different levels of use. Prices do not include regulated charges for customer service and delivery.	Average Use per Month	250 kWh	500 kWh	1000 kWh	2000 kWh								
	Average Price per kWh (Residential)	6.751 cents	6.751 cents	6.751 cents	6.751 cents								
	Average Use per Month	1000 kWh	10,000 kWh	20,000 kWh	40,000 kWh								
	Average Price per kWh (Commercial)	6.751 cents	6.751 cents	6.751 cents	6.751 cents								
Your average generation price may vary according to when and how much electricity you consume. See your most recent bill for your monthly use.													
Contract	Standard Offer Supply is currently provided by WPS Energy Services, Inc. The above generation prices are scheduled to remain in effect until February 28, 2004.												
Power Sources This electricity product was assigned generation from the following sources.	Power Sources	%	Power Sources	%									
	Biomass	33	Coal	12									
	Hydro	13	Nuclear	13									
	Natural Gas	8	Solar	0									
	Oil	19	Other Renewables	0									
	Wind	0	Municipal	2									
Air Emissions Carbon dioxide (CO ₂), nitrogen oxide (NO _x), and sulfur dioxide (SO ₂) emission rates from these sources, relative to the regional average.	<div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Regional Average - Maritimes Control Area</p> <table border="1"> <caption>Regional Average - Maritimes Control Area Emissions</caption> <thead> <tr> <th>Pollutant</th> <th>Relative to Regional Average</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>CO₂</td> <td>Higher Emissions</td> </tr> <tr> <td>NO_x</td> <td>Lower Emissions</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SO₂</td> <td>Lower Emissions</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> </div>					Pollutant	Relative to Regional Average	CO ₂	Higher Emissions	NO _x	Lower Emissions	SO ₂	Lower Emissions
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Notes

1. This power source and air emissions information is based on year 2000 year-to-date data.
2. See reverse side for further information.
3. You may also call WPS Energy Services, Inc. at (877) 838-0454 or the Maine Public Utilities Commission at (877) 782-3228 for information regarding these facts.