

1 **Ontario Energy Board (Board Staff) INTERROGATORY #7 (Southwest Submissions)**

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3 **Interrogatory**

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5 What proportion of the fixed costs of existing distribution assets in the service areas  
6 Essex, Erie Thames and Enwin propose to expand into has already been depreciated for  
7 accounting purposes? Please provide details by asset if possible.  
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10 **Response**

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12 Information on Networks' specific distribution fixed assets in the proposed amendment  
13 areas is not readily available because Networks had no knowledge of the proposed  
14 boundaries prior to this proceeding. Networks' financial accounting systems are set up to  
15 track distribution asset information on a pooled basis. Networks would need to undertake  
16 a specific asset inventory to provide the information requested.  
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