

1 **Q. TRANSMISSION**2
3 **PUB 40.0 (RE: B-29, Rebuild Transmission Lines)**4
5 **PUB 40.1**6 **Provide the dollar amount of all “Transmission” assets currently in rate base**
7 **together with the effective depreciation rate for the class.**

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- 9 A. The dollar value of all Transmission assets included in the Company’s average rate base
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- 10 as at December 31, 2003 is shown in the table below. The annual depreciation rate for
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- 11 Transmission assets is 3.27 per cent.
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Newfoundland Power Inc. Transmission Assets Included in Rate Base For the 2004 Forecast (\$000s)	
Transmission Assets as at January 1, 2003	81,272
Transmission Assets as at December 31, 2003	<u>83,761</u>
Average Transmission Assets	<u>82,517</u>
Accumulated Depreciation as at January 1, 2003	43,347
Accumulated Depreciation as at December 31, 2003	<u>43,901</u>
Average Accumulated Depreciation	<u>43,624</u>
Average Net Transmission Plant included in Rate Base as at December 31, 2003	<u>38,893</u>