

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1300

In the Matter of:	)	
	)	SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT
	)	TESTIMONY OF
Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC	)	ROGER A. MORIN
For Adjustment of Rates and Charges Applicable	)	FOR DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS,
to Electric Service in North Carolina and	)	LLC
Performance-Based Regulation	)	

1 **Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS, AND OCCUPATION.**

2 A. My name is Dr. Roger A. Morin. My business address is Georgia State University,
3 Robinson College of Business, University Plaza, Atlanta, Georgia, 30303. I am Emeritus
4 Professor of Finance at the Robinson College of Business, Georgia State University and
5 Professor of Finance for Regulated Industry at the Center for the Study of Regulated
6 Industry at Georgia State University. I am also a principal in Utility Research International,
7 an enterprise engaged in regulatory finance and economics consulting to business and
8 government. I am testifying on behalf of Duke Energy Progress, LLC (“Duke Energy
9 Progress”, “DEP”, or the “Company”).

10 **Q. DID YOU PREVIOUSLY SUBMIT TESTIMONY IN THIS PROCEEDING?**

11 A. Yes, I submitted direct testimony and exhibits on October 6, 2022. My direct testimony
12 presented the results of my analysis of the Company’s cost of equity capital (“ROE”).

13 **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL TESTIMONY?**

14 A. My supplemental testimony updates my ROE recommendation in view of the appreciable
15 changes that have occurred in capital market conditions since I prepared my direct
16 testimony. As indicated in this update, I estimate that DEP’s ROE is 10.4%, up from the
17 10.2% ROE presented in my direct testimony. My updated ROE estimate is based upon
18 the same proxy group and same methodologies described in my direct testimony. Except
19 as modified in this supplemental testimony, my direct testimony stands.

20 **Q. CAN YOU BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE BEHAVIOR OF INTEREST RATES**
21 **SINCE YOU PREPARED YOUR REBUTTAL TESTIMONY?**

22 A. Interest rates have increased. The level of U.S. Treasury 30-year long-term bond yield
23 forecast is 4.3%, versus 3.7% when I prepared my direct testimony. This increase in

1 forecast interest rates increases the CAPM, ECAPM, Historical Risk Premium, and
2 Allowed Risk Premium results in my direct testimony.

3 The DCF results for the electric utilities have decreased slightly but not sufficiently to
4 offset the increase in interest rates. This can be seen from the summary table below and
5 from my updated exhibits, Exhibit RAM_SUPPLEMENTAL-2 to Exhibit
6 RAM_SUPPLEMENTAL-9. These exhibits mirror the original exhibits and simply
7 contain the updated capital market data on which I base my updated recommendation.

8 **Q. DR. MORIN, WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO ELECTRIC UTILITY BETAS SINCE**
9 **YOU PREPARED YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?**

10 A. They have increased very slightly from 0.87 to 0.89, thus increasing slightly the CAPM
11 and ECAPM results.

12 **Q. DR. MORIN, HAS THE MARKET RISK PREMIUM CHANGED SINCE YOU**
13 **PREPARED YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?**

14 A. Yes, it has decreased slightly from 8.0% to 7.3%, partially offsetting the increase in interest
15 rates in the CAPM and ECAPM analyses.

16 **Q. DR. MORIN, PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR UPDATED RESULTS FROM THE**
17 **VARIOUS METHODOLOGIES.**

18 A. The net result of these capital market changes is a small increase in the cost of common
19 equity. Alongside the original results, the updated cost of common equity estimates as of
20 are summarized in the table below.

METHODOLOGY**ROE RESULTS**

	Original	Updated
DCF Elec Utilities Value Line Growth	9.9%	9.3%
DCF Elec Utilities Analysts Growth	9.3%	9.3%
CAPM	10.8%	11.0%
Empirical CAPM	11.1%	11.2%
Historical Risk Premium Electric	10.2%	10.8%
Allowed Risk Premium	10.2%	10.5%

The updated average ROE result is 10.4%, as is the truncated average result.

Q. DR. MORIN, WHAT IS YOUR FINAL CONCLUSION REGARDING DEP'S COST OF COMMON EQUITY CAPITAL?

A. Based on current capital market conditions and the application of my professional judgment, it is my opinion that a just and reasonable return on the common equity capital of DEP's electric utility operations in the State of North Carolina is now 10.4%.

Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT TESTIMONY?

A. Yes.

Proxy Group for Duke Energy

	Company	Ticker
1	Alliant Energy	LNT
2	Amer. Elec. Power	AEP
3	Ameren Corp.	AEE
4	Avista Corp.	AVA
5	Black Hills	BKH
6	CenterPoint Energy	CNP
7	CMS Energy Corp.	CMS
8	Dominion Energy	D
9	DTE Energy	DTE
10	Edison Int'l	EIX
11	Entergy Corp.	ETR
12	Eversource Energy	ES
13	FirstEnergy Corp.	FE
14	IDACORP Inc.	IDA
15	NorthWestern Corp.	NWE
16	OGE Energy	OGE
17	Otter Tail Corp.	OTTR
18	Portland General	POR
19	Sempra Energy	SRE
20	Southern Co.	SO

Vertically-Integrated Elec Utilities DCF Analysis Value Line Growth Rates

Line No.	(1) Company Name	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
		Current Dividend Yield	Projected EPS Growth	% Expected Divid Yield	Cost of Equity
1	Alliant Energy	3.09	6.00	3.28	9.28
2	Amer. Elec. Power	3.64	6.50	3.88	10.38
3	Ameren Corp.	2.74	6.50	2.92	9.42
4	Avista Corp.	4.52	3.00	4.66	7.66
5	Black Hills	3.66	6.00	3.88	9.88
6	CenterPoint Energy	2.43	6.50	2.59	9.09
7	CMS Energy Corp.	3.07	6.50	3.27	9.77
8	Dominion Energy	4.51	5.50	4.76	10.26
9	DTE Energy	3.09	4.50	3.23	7.73
10	Edison Int'l	4.54	16.00	5.27	21.27
11	Entergy Corp.	3.82	4.00	3.97	7.97
12	Evergy Inc.	4.18	7.50	4.49	11.99
13	Eversource Energy	3.20	6.50	3.41	9.91
14	FirstEnergy Corp.	4.05	3.00	4.17	7.17
15	IDACORP Inc.	2.99	4.00	3.11	7.11
16	NorthWestern Corp.	4.54	2.50	4.65	7.15
17	OGE Energy	4.22	6.50	4.49	10.99
18	Otter Tail Corp.	2.95	4.50	3.08	7.58
19	Portland General	3.84	4.50	4.01	8.51
20	Sempra Energy	2.90	7.00	3.10	10.10
21	Southern Co.	4.15	6.50	4.42	10.92
22	WEC Energy Group	3.04	6.00	3.22	9.22
23	Xcel Energy Inc.	2.85	6.00	3.02	9.02
25	AVERAGE	3.57	5.89	3.78	9.67

Notes:

- 28 Column 2: Zacks Investment Reports 11/19 /2022
 29 Column 3: Value Line Investment Reports 11/2022
 30 Column 4 = Column 2 times (1 + Column 3/100)
 31 Column 5 = Column 4 + Column 3

Vertically-Integrated Elec Utilities

DCF Analysis Value Line Growth Rates

Line No.	(1) Company Name	(2) Current Dividend Yield	(3) Projected EPS Growth	(4) % Expected Divid Yield	(5) Cost of Equity	(6) Return on Equity
1	Alliant Energy	3.09	6.00	3.28	9.28	9.45
2	Amer. Elec. Power	3.64	6.50	3.88	10.38	10.58
3	Ameren Corp.	2.74	6.50	2.92	9.42	9.57
4	Avista Corp.	4.52	3.00	4.66	7.66	7.90
5	Black Hills	3.66	6.00	3.88	9.88	10.08
6	CenterPoint Energy	2.43	6.50	2.59	9.09	9.22
7	CMS Energy Corp.	3.07	6.50	3.27	9.77	9.94
8	Dominion Energy	4.51	5.50	4.76	10.26	10.51
9	DTE Energy	3.09	4.50	3.23	7.73	7.90
10	Edison Int'l	4.54	16.00	5.27	21.27	
11	Entergy Corp.	3.82	4.00	3.97	7.97	8.18
12	Evergy Inc.	4.18	7.50	4.49	11.99	12.23
13	Eversource Energy	3.20	6.50	3.41	9.91	10.09
14	FirstEnergy Corp.	4.05	3.00	4.17	7.17	7.39
15	IDACORP Inc.	2.99	4.00	3.11	7.11	7.27
16	NorthWestern Corp.	4.54	2.50	4.65	7.15	7.40
17	OGE Energy	4.22	6.50	4.49	10.99	11.23
18	Otter Tail Corp.	2.95	4.50	3.08	7.58	7.75
19	Portland General	3.84	4.50	4.01	8.51	8.72
20	Sempra Energy	2.90	7.00	3.10	10.10	10.27
21	Southern Co.	4.15	6.50	4.42	10.92	11.15
22	WEC Energy Group	3.04	6.00	3.22	9.22	9.39
23	Xcel Energy Inc.	2.85	6.00	3.02	9.02	9.18
25	AVERAGE	3.57	5.89	3.78	9.67	9.34

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 31 Column 5 = Column 4 + Column 3
 32 Column 6 = Column 4/0.95 + Column 3

**Vertically Integrated Elec Utilities
DCF Analysis Analysts' Growth Forecasts**

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Line		Current	Analysts'	% Expected	
No.	Company Name	Dividend Yield	Growth Forecast	Divid Yield	Cost of Equity
1	Alliant Energy	3.09	5.92	3.27	9.19
2	Amer. Elec. Power	3.64	6.20	3.87	10.07
3	Ameren Corp.	2.74	7.20	2.94	10.14
4	Avista Corp.	4.52	5.18	4.75	9.93
5	Black Hills	3.66	5.37	3.86	9.23
6	CenterPoint Energy	2.43	3.53	2.52	6.05
7	CMS Energy Corp.	3.07	8.04	3.32	11.36
8	Dominion Energy	4.51	5.72	4.77	10.49
9	DTE Energy	3.09	6.00	3.28	9.28
10	Edison Int'l	4.54	2.57	4.66	7.23
11	Entergy Corp.	3.82	6.76	4.08	10.84
12	Evergy Inc.	4.18	5.24	4.40	9.64
13	Eversource Energy	3.20	6.21	3.40	9.61
14	FirstEnergy Corp.	4.05	6.70	4.32	11.02
15	IDACORP Inc.	2.99	3.38	3.09	6.47
16	NorthWestern Corp.	4.54	1.74	4.62	6.36
17	OGE Energy	4.22	5.00	4.43	9.43
18	Otter Tail Corp.	2.95	4.50	3.08	7.58
19	Portland General	3.84	5.35	4.05	9.40
20	Sempra Energy	2.90	5.71	3.07	8.78
21	Southern Co.	4.15	4.00	4.32	8.32
22	WEC Energy Group	3.04	6.16	3.23	9.39
23	Xcel Energy Inc.	2.85	6.47	3.03	9.50
25	AVERAGE	3.57	5.35	3.75	9.10
27	Notes:				
28	Column 2, 3: Zacks Investment Research 11/17/22				
29	Column 4 = Column 2 times (1 + Column 3/100)				
30	Column 5 = Column 4 + Column 3				

Vertically-Integrated Elec Utilities Beta Estimates

	(1)	(2)
Line No.	Company Name	Beta
1	Alliant Energy	0.85
2	Amer. Elec. Power	0.75
3	Ameren Corp.	0.85
4	Avista Corp.	0.90
5	Black Hills	0.95
6	CenterPoint Energy	1.15
7	CMS Energy Corp.	0.80
8	Dominion Energy	0.85
9	DTE Energy	0.95
10	Edison Int'l	0.95
11	Entergy Corp.	0.95
12	Evergy Inc.	0.90
13	Eversource Energy	0.90
14	FirstEnergy Corp.	0.85
15	IDACORP Inc.	0.80
16	NorthWestern Corp.	0.90
17	OGE Energy	1.05
18	Otter Tail Corp.	0.85
19	Portland General	0.85
20	Sempra Energy	0.95
21	Southern Co.	0.95
22	WEC Energy Group	0.80
23	Xcel Energy Inc.	0.80
25	AVERAGE	0.89

27 Source: Value Line Investment Reports 11/22

PROSPECTIVE MRP S&P 500

Company Name	Ticker	% Curr Div Yield	Proj EPS Gth
1 3M Company	MMM	4.5	6.5
2 Abbott Labs.	ABT	1.7	8.0
3 AbbVie Inc.	ABBV	3.8	4.5
4 Accenture Plc	ACN	1.5	12.5
5 Activision Blizzard	ATVI	0.7	12.5
6 Advance Auto Parts	AAP	3.1	16.0
7 AES Corp.	AES	3.2	
8 Aflac Inc.	AFL	3.1	9.0
9 Agilent Technologies	A	0.7	11.5
10 Air Products & Chem.	APD	2.8	11.0
11 Albemarle Corp.	ALB	0.7	15.0
12 Alexandria Real Estate	ARE	3.2	10.0
13 Allegion plc	ALLE	1.6	10.5
14 Alliant Energy	LNT	3.1	6.0
15 Allstate Corp.	ALL	2.8	2.5
16 Altria Group	MO	8.5	5.5
17 Amcor plc	AMCR	3.8	14.0
18 Amer. Elec. Power	AEP	3.5	6.5
19 Amer. Express	AXP	1.4	10.0
20 Amer. Tower 'A'	AMT	2.4	9.0
21 Amer. Water Works	AWK	1.8	3.0
22 Ameren Corp.	AEE	2.8	6.5
23 Ameriprise Fin'l	AMP	2.1	12.5
24 AmerisourceBergen	ABC	1.3	8.5
25 AMETEK Inc.	AME	0.8	10.0
26 Amgen	AMGN	3.3	5.5
27 Amphenol Corp.	APH	1.2	12.5
28 Analog Devices	ADI	1.9	14.0
29 Aon plc	AON	0.8	7.5
30 Apple Inc.	AAPL	0.6	14.0
31 Applied Materials	AMAT	1.0	14.5
32 Archer Daniels Midl'd	ADM	2.1	13.0
33 Assurant Inc.	AIZ	1.8	14.0
34 AT&T Inc.	T	5.4	0.5
35 Atmos Energy	ATO	2.6	7.5
36 Automatic Data Proc.	ADP	2.1	9.0
37 AvalonBay Communities	AVB	3.4	6.5
38 Avery Dennison	AVY	1.8	12.0
39 Baker Hughes	BKR	2.8	
40 Bank of America	BAC	2.6	9.5

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41 Bank of New York Mello	BK	3.4	6.5
42 Baxter Int'l Inc.	BAX	1.8	10.0
43 Becton Dickinson	BDX	1.5	5.5
44 Berkley (W.R.)	WRB	0.6	15.5
45 Best Buy Co.	BBY	4.5	7.0
46 Bio-Techne Corp.	TECH	0.4	17.5
47 BlackRock Inc.	BLK	3.2	10.0
48 BorgWarner	BWA	1.9	9.5
49 Boston Properties	BXP	4.4	-1.0
50 Broadridge Fin'l	BR	1.7	9.0
51 Brown & Brown	BRO	0.7	8.0
52 Brown-Forman 'B'	BF/B	1.1	14.0
53 C.H. Robinson	CHRW	2.2	8.0
54 Camden Property Trust	CPT	2.9	2.5
55 Campbell Soup	CPB	3.1	5.0
56 Capital One Fin'l	COF	2.1	-1.0
57 Cardinal Health	CAH	3.6	5.0
58 Carrier Global	CARR	1.6	
59 Caterpillar Inc.	CAT	2.7	10.0
60 Cboe Global Markets	CBOE	1.6	10.0
61 CDW Corp.	CDW	1.2	8.5
62 Celanese Corp.	CE	2.4	7.5
63 CenterPoint Energy	CNP	2.5	6.5
64 Chubb Ltd.	CB	1.8	11.0
65 Church & Dwight	CHD	1.1	6.0
66 Cigna Corp.	CI	1.7	9.5
67 Cincinnati Financial	CINF	2.5	7.0
68 Cintas Corp.	CTAS	1.0	13.5
69 Cisco Systems	CSCO	3.4	8.0
70 Citigroup Inc.	C	4.0	5.5
71 Citizens Fin'l Group	CFG	4.5	9.0
72 Clorox Co.	CLX	3.1	4.5
73 CME Group	CME	2.0	8.5
74 CMS Energy Corp.	CMS	3.0	6.5
75 Coca-Cola	KO	2.9	7.5
76 Cognizant Technology	CTSH	1.6	7.5
77 Colgate-Palmolive	CL	2.5	6.5
78 Comcast Corp.	CMCSA	2.6	9.5
79 Comerica Inc.	CMA	3.4	6.0
80 Conagra Brands	CAG	3.8	4.0
81 ConocoPhillips	COP	2.0	20.0
82 Consol. Edison	ED	3.5	4.5
83 Constellation Brands	STZ	1.3	5.0

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84 Constellation Energy	CEG	1.0	
85 Corning Inc.	GLW	3.1	17.5
86 Corteva Inc.	CTVA	1.1	16.5
87 Costco Wholesale	COST	0.7	10.5
88 Crown Castle Int'l	CCI	3.5	12.0
89 CSX Corp.	CSX	1.3	10.5
90 Cummins Inc.	CMI	3.1	8.5
91 CVS Health	CVS	2.3	6.0
92 Danaher Corp.	DHR	0.4	16.5
93 Darden Restaurants	DRI	4.0	19.5
94 Deere & Co.	DE	1.4	15.0
95 Dentsply Sirona	XRAY	1.4	10.0
96 Diamondback Energy	FANG	2.5	
97 Digital Realty Trust	DLR	4.1	-3.5
98 Discover Fin'l Svcs.	DFS	2.2	8.5
99 Dollar General	DG	0.9	10.0
100 Dominion Energy	D	3.6	14.0
101 Domino's Pizza	DPZ	1.1	16.0
102 Dover Corp.	DOV	1.6	8.0
103 Dow Inc.	DOW	5.5	15.0
104 DTE Energy	DTE	3.0	4.5
105 Duke Energy	DUK	3.9	6.0
106 Duke Realty Corp.	DRE	2.0	-2.5
107 DuPont de Nemours	DD	2.4	10.0
108 Eastman Chemical	EMN	3.3	9.5
109 Eaton Corp. plc	ETN	2.4	12.0
110 eBay Inc.	EBAY	1.9	15.5
111 Ecolab Inc.	ECL	1.3	10.5
112 Edison Int'l	EIX	4.6	15.5
113 Electronic Arts	EA	0.6	11.5
114 Elevance Health	ELV	1.1	12.5
115 Emerson Electric	EMR	2.5	10.0
116 Entergy Corp.	ETR	3.9	4.0
117 Equifax Inc.	EFX	0.8	10.0
118 Equinix Inc.	EQIX	2.0	15.0
119 Equity Residential	EQR	3.5	-6.0
120 Essex Property Trust	ESS	3.4	-4.0
121 Everest Re Group Ltd.	RE	2.5	9.5
122 Evergy Inc.	EVRG	3.8	7.5
123 Eversource Energy	ES	3.1	6.0
124 Exelon Corp.	EXC	3.2	3.5
125 Expeditors Int'l	EXPD	1.3	6.5
126 Extra Space Storage	EXR	3.5	4.0

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127 FactSet Research	FDS	0.9	10.0
128 Fastenal Co.	FAST	2.6	8.5
129 Federal Rlty. Inv. Trust	FRT	4.2	
130 FedEx Corp.	FDX	2.0	10.5
131 Fifth Third Bancorp	FITB	3.7	11.0
132 First Republic Bank	FRC	0.7	11.0
133 FirstEnergy Corp.	FE	4.2	7.5
134 FMC Corp.	FMC	2.1	11.0
135 Fortive Corp.	FTV	0.5	11.5
136 Fortune Brands Home	FBHS	1.7	10.5
137 Fox Corp. 'A'	FOXA	1.4	11.0
138 Franklin Resources	BEN	4.6	4.0
139 Gallagher (Arthur J.)	AJG	1.2	16.0
140 Garmin Ltd.	GRMN	2.7	8.0
141 Gen'l Dynamics	GD	2.3	8.5
142 Gen'l Mills	GIS	2.9	3.5
143 Genuine Parts	GPC	2.5	9.0
144 Gilead Sciences	GILD	4.7	13.5
145 Global Payments	GPN	0.8	17.0
146 Globe Life Inc.	GL	0.8	8.5
147 Goldman Sachs	GS	3.1	5.0
148 Grainger (W.W.)	GWW	1.5	8.5
149 Hartford Fin'l Svcs.	HIG	2.4	8.5
150 Hasbro Inc.	HAS	3.4	9.0
151 HCA Healthcare	HCA	1.3	11.0
152 Healthpeak Properties	PEAK	4.6	17.0
153 Henry (Jack) & Assoc.	JKHY	1.0	9.0
154 Hershey Co.	HSY	1.7	7.0
155 Hess Corp.	HES	1.4	
156 Hewlett Packard Ent.	HPE	3.5	7.5
157 Home Depot	HD	2.6	9.0
158 Honeywell Int'l	HON	2.2	11.0
159 Hormel Foods	HRL	2.2	8.0
160 Horton D.R.	DHI	1.3	13.0
161 Howmet Aerospace	HWM	0.2	17.0
162 HP Inc.	HPQ	3.0	12.5
163 Humana Inc.	HUM	0.7	10.5
164 Hunt (J.B.)	JBHT	0.9	11.5
165 Huntington Bancshs.	HBAN	4.9	12.5
166 Huntington Ingalls	HII	2.3	10.0
167 IDEX Corp.	IEX	1.3	10.5
168 Illinois Tool Works	ITW	2.6	11.0
169 Ingersoll Rand Inc.	IR	0.2	

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170 Int'l Business Mach.	IBM	5.1	3.0
171 Int'l Flavors & Frag.	IFF	2.6	7.5
172 Int'l Paper	IP	4.3	12.5
173 Intel Corp.	INTC	3.6	2.5
174 Intercontinental Exch.	ICE	1.5	6.5
175 Interpublic Group	IPG	4.0	10.0
176 Intuit Inc.	INTU	0.6	17.5
177 Invesco Ltd.	IVZ	4.5	11.5
178 Iron Mountain	IRM	5.4	11.0
179 Jacobs Engineering	J	0.7	12.0
180 Johnson & Johnson	JNJ	2.6	8.0
181 Johnson Ctrls. Int'l plc	JCI	2.8	12.5
182 JPMorgan Chase	JPM	3.8	7.0
183 Juniper Networks	JNPR	2.9	9.0
184 Kellogg	K	3.4	3.5
185 Keurig Dr Pepper	KDP	2.2	12.0
186 KeyCorp	KEY	4.3	9.0
187 Kimberly-Clark	KMB	3.5	5.5
188 Kimco Realty	KIM	3.9	8.5
189 Kinder Morgan Inc.	KMI	6.4	19.0
190 Kraft Heinz Co.	KHC	4.2	3.0
191 Kroger Co.	KR	2.2	6.5
192 L3Harris Technologies	LHX	2.0	18.5
193 Laboratory Corp.	LH	1.2	1.5
194 Lam Research	LRCX	1.3	17.0
195 Lamb Weston Holdings	LW	1.3	5.0
196 Lauder (Estee)	EL	1.0	14.0
197 Leidos Hldgs.	LDOS	1.4	9.0
198 Lennar Corp.	LEN	2.0	9.0
199 Lilly (Eli)	LLY	1.2	11.5
200 Lincoln Nat'l Corp.	LNC	3.7	11.5
201 Linde plc	LIN	1.7	12.0
202 LKQ Corp.	LKQ	1.9	11.0
203 Lockheed Martin	LMT	2.9	7.0
204 Loews Corp.	L	0.4	16.0
205 Lowe's Cos.	LOW	2.2	12.5
206 Lumen Technologies	LUMN	9.1	1.5
207 LyondellBasell Inds.	LYB	5.3	3.5
208 M&T Bank Corp.	MTB	3.0	8.0
209 Marathon Petroleum	MPC	2.6	
210 MarketAxess Holdings	MKTX	1.0	10.5
211 Marsh & McLennan	MMC	1.5	11.5
212 Martin Marietta	MLM	0.8	5.5

Company Name	Ticker	% Curr Div Yield	Proj EPS Gth
213 Masco Corp.	MAS	2.1	8.5
214 MasterCard Inc.	MA	0.6	13.5
215 McCormick & Co.	MKC	1.8	6.0
216 McDonald's Corp.	MCD	2.2	10.5
217 McKesson Corp.	MCK	0.6	11.5
218 Medtronic plc	MDT	3.0	8.0
219 Merck & Co.	MRK	3.1	8.0
220 MetLife Inc.	MET	3.3	5.0
221 Microchip Technology	MCHP	1.7	10.0
222 Microsoft Corp.	MSFT	1.0	16.5
223 Mid-America Apt.	MAA	2.9	
224 Mondelez Int'l	MDLZ	2.3	8.0
225 Moody's Corp.	MCO	1.0	8.0
226 Morgan Stanley	MS	3.8	9.0
227 Motorola Solutions	MSI	1.5	8.0
228 MSCI Inc.	MSCI	1.0	14.5
229 Nasdaq Inc.	NDAQ	1.4	6.0
230 NetApp Inc.	NTAP	3.0	8.0
231 Newell Brands	NWL	4.6	
232 Newmont Corp.	NEM	4.2	9.5
233 News Corp. 'A'	NWSA	1.2	
234 NextEra Energy	NEE	2.2	12.5
235 NiSource Inc.	NI	3.3	9.5
236 Nordson Corp.	NDSN	1.0	12.0
237 Norfolk Southern	NSC	2.1	10.5
238 Northern Trust Corp.	NTRS	2.9	8.0
239 Northrop Grumman	NOC	1.5	6.5
240 NortonLifeLock Inc.	NLOK	2.0	9.5
241 NRG Energy	NRG	3.9	-10.5
242 Nucor Corp.	NUE	1.7	-0.5
243 NXP Semi. NV	NXPI	1.9	12.0
244 Occidental Petroleum	OXY	0.9	
245 Old Dominion Freight	ODFL	0.4	10.5
246 Omnicom Group	OMC	4.1	6.5
247 ONEOK Inc.	OKE	6.4	11.5
248 Oracle Corp.	ORCL	1.8	9.0
249 Otis Worldwide	OTIS	1.6	
250 PACCAR Inc.	PCAR	3.4	9.5
251 Packaging Corp.	PKG	3.6	11.0
252 Paramount Global	PARA	3.7	7.5
253 Parker-Hannifin	PH	2.0	13.5
254 Paychex Inc.	PAYX	2.6	9.5
255 Pentair plc	PNR	1.7	12.5

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256 PepsiCo Inc.	PEP	2.6	6.0
257 PerkinElmer Inc.	PKI	0.2	5.0
258 Pfizer Inc.	PFE	3.1	6.5
259 Philip Morris Int'l	PM	5.6	5.0
260 Pinnacle West Capital	PNW	5.0	0.5
261 PNC Financial Serv.	PNC	3.7	12.0
262 Pool Corp.	POOL	1.0	14.0
263 PPG Inds.	PPG	2.0	4.0
264 PPL Corp.	PPL	3.5	-0.5
265 Price (T. Rowe) Group	TROW	4.1	8.0
266 Principal Fin'l Group	PFG	4.0	6.5
267 Procter & Gamble	PG	2.6	6.5
268 Progressive Corp.	PGR	0.4	6.5
269 Prologis	PLD	2.6	6.0
270 Prudential Fin'l	PRU	5.0	5.0
271 Public Serv. Enterprise	PEG	3.7	4.0
272 Public Storage	PSA	2.6	8.0
273 PulteGroup Inc.	PHM	1.4	11.0
274 PVH Corp.	PVH	0.2	13.5
275 Qualcomm Inc.	QCOM	2.0	19.0
276 Quanta Services	PWR	0.2	16.0
277 Quest Diagnostics	DGX	2.0	3.5
278 Ralph Lauren	RL	3.1	12.5
279 Raymond James Fin'l	RJF	1.4	14.5
280 Raytheon Technologies	RTX	2.3	7.0
281 Realty Income Corp.	O	4.3	6.0
282 Regency Centers Corp.	REG	4.0	12.5
283 Regions Financial	RF	3.7	10.0
284 Republic Services	RSG	1.4	12.5
285 ResMed Inc.	RMD	0.7	13.5
286 Robert Half Int'l	RHI	2.1	10.5
287 Rockwell Automation	ROK	2.1	9.5
288 Rollins Inc.	ROL	1.1	9.5
289 Roper Tech.	ROP	0.6	3.5
290 Ross Stores	ROST	1.6	13.5
291 S&P Global	SPGI	0.9	12.5
292 Schwab (Charles)	SCHW	1.3	9.0
293 Seagate Technology plc	STX	3.4	15.0
294 Sealed Air	SEE	1.4	10.0
295 Sempra Energy	SRE	3.1	7.5
296 Sherwin-Williams	SHW	1.0	11.5
297 Simon Property Group	SPG	6.8	3.0
298 Skyworks Solutions	SWKS	2.1	14.5

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299 Smith (A.O.)	AOS	1.9	11.5
300 Smucker (J.M.)	SJM	3.2	4.0
301 Snap-on Inc.	SNA	3.0	-16.0
302 Southern Co.	SO	3.8	6.5
303 Stanley Black & Decker	SWK	2.9	8.5
304 Starbucks Corp.	SBUX	2.5	16.5
305 State Street Corp.	STT	3.6	9.5
306 STERIS plc	STE	0.8	11.5
307 Stryker Corp.	SYK	1.4	8.5
308 Synchrony Financial	SYF	2.6	6.0
309 Sysco Corp.	SYY	2.2	16.5
310 Tapestry Inc.	TPR	3.0	15.0
311 Target Corp.	TGT	2.8	12.0
312 TE Connectivity	TEL	1.8	10.5
313 Teleflex Inc.	TFX	0.5	10.0
314 Teradyne Inc.	TER	0.4	9.0
315 Texas Instruments	TXN	2.8	9.0
316 Textron Inc.	TXT	0.1	10.5
317 Thermo Fisher Sci.	TMO	0.2	10.0
318 TJX Companies	TJX	1.9	17.0
319 Tractor Supply	TSCO	1.9	12.5
320 Trane Technologies plc	TT	2.0	
321 Travelers Cos.	TRV	2.4	6.5
322 Truist Fin'l	TFC	4.1	6.5
323 Tyson Foods 'A'	TSN	2.2	4.5
324 U.S. Bancorp	USB	4.3	6.0
325 UDR Inc.	UDR	3.4	10.5
326 Union Pacific	UNP	2.4	9.5
327 United Parcel Serv.	UPS	3.3	11.0
328 UnitedHealth Group	UNH	1.3	12.0
329 Universal Health `B'	UHS	0.7	9.0
330 V.F. Corp.	VFC	4.2	11.0
331 Valero Energy	VLO	3.6	12.5
332 Ventas Inc.	VTR	3.8	10.5
333 Verisk Analytics	VRSK	0.7	13.5
334 Verizon Communic.	VZ	5.3	3.0
335 VICI Properties	VICI	4.4	8.5
336 Visa Inc.	V	0.8	13.5
337 Vornado R'lty Trust	VNO	7.1	-20.5
338 Vulcan Materials	VMC	1.0	8.5
339 Wabtec Corp.	WAB	0.7	9.5
340 Walgreens Boots	WBA	4.9	5.0
341 Walmart Inc.	WMT	1.7	7.5

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342 Waste Management	WM	1.7	8.0
343 WEC Energy Group	WEC	3.1	6.0
344 Wells Fargo	WFC	2.5	11.5
345 Welltower Inc.	WELL	3.1	3.5
346 West Pharmac. Svcs.	WST	0.2	17.0
347 WestRock Co.	WRK	2.4	20.0
348 Weyerhaeuser Co.	WY	2.0	8.0
349 Whirlpool Corp.	WHR	4.2	7.0
350 Williams Cos.	WMB	5.2	8.5
351 Willis Towers Wat. plc	WTW	1.6	8.0
352 Xcel Energy Inc.	XEL	3.0	6.0
353 Xylem Inc.	XYL	1.5	9.0
354 Yum! Brands	YUM	1.9	10.5
355 Zimmer Biomet Hldgs.	ZBH	0.9	5.5
356 Zions Bancorp.	ZION	3.0	8.0
357 Zoetis Inc.	ZTS	0.7	11.0
AVERAGE		2.4	9.1

Source: Value Line Investment Survey 11/2022

ELECTRIC UTILITIES CAPM AND ECAPM RESULTS

Line No.	Company Name	Risk-Free	Beta	MRP	CAPM	Flotation	CAPM	ECAPM	Flotation	ECAPM
		Rate			Cost of Equity	Cost	ROE	Cost of Equity	Cost	ROE
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
									0	
1	Alliant Energy	4.30%	0.85	7.30%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%	10.78%	0.20%	10.98%
2	Amer. Elec. Power	4.30%	0.75	7.30%	9.78%	0.20%	9.98%	10.23%	0.20%	10.43%
3	Ameren Corp.	4.30%	0.85	7.30%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%	10.78%	0.20%	10.98%
4	Avista Corp.	4.30%	0.90	7.30%	10.87%	0.20%	11.07%	11.05%	0.20%	11.25%
5	Black Hills	4.30%	0.95	7.30%	11.24%	0.20%	11.44%	11.33%	0.20%	11.53%
6	CenterPoint Energy	4.30%	1.15	7.30%	12.70%	0.20%	12.90%	12.42%	0.20%	12.62%
7	CMS Energy Corp.	4.30%	0.80	7.30%	10.14%	0.20%	10.34%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%
8	Dominion Energy	4.30%	0.85	7.30%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%	10.78%	0.20%	10.98%
9	DTE Energy	4.30%	0.95	7.30%	11.24%	0.20%	11.44%	11.33%	0.20%	11.53%
10	Edison Int'l	4.30%	0.95	7.30%	11.24%	0.20%	11.44%	11.33%	0.20%	11.53%
11	Entergy Corp.	4.30%	0.95	7.30%	11.24%	0.20%	11.44%	11.33%	0.20%	11.53%
12	Eversource Energy	4.30%	0.90	7.30%	10.87%	0.20%	11.07%	11.05%	0.20%	11.25%
13	FirstEnergy Corp.	4.30%	0.85	7.30%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%	10.78%	0.20%	10.98%
14	IDACORP Inc.	4.30%	0.80	7.30%	10.14%	0.20%	10.34%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%
15	NorthWestern Corp.	4.30%	0.90	7.30%	10.87%	0.20%	11.07%	11.05%	0.20%	11.25%
16	OGE Energy	4.30%	1.05	7.30%	11.97%	0.20%	12.17%	11.87%	0.20%	12.07%
17	Otter Tail Corp.	4.30%	0.85	7.30%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%	10.78%	0.20%	10.98%
18	Portland General	4.30%	0.85	7.30%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%	10.78%	0.20%	10.98%
19	Sempra Energy	4.30%	0.95	7.30%	11.24%	0.20%	11.44%	11.33%	0.20%	11.53%
20	Southern Co.	4.30%	0.95	7.30%	11.24%	0.20%	11.44%	11.33%	0.20%	11.53%
21	WEC Energy Group	4.30%	0.80	7.30%	10.14%	0.20%	10.34%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%
22	Xcel Energy Inc.	4.30%	0.80	7.30%	10.14%	0.20%	10.34%	10.51%	0.20%	10.71%
23										
26	AVERAGE						11.02%			11.22%

Notes: Column (1): Risk-free rate
Column (2): see Exhibit RAM-5
Column (3): Market Risk Premium
Column (4): Column (1) + Column (2) x Column (3)
Column (5): Flotation cost allowance
Column (6): Column (4) + Column (5)
Column (7): Column (1) + 0.25 x Column (3) + 0.75 x Column (2) x Column (3) + Column (8)

2021 Utility Industry Historical Risk Premium

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	Long-Term Government Bond Yield	Long-Term Government Income Component Bond Yield	20 year Maturity Bond Value	Gain/Loss	Interest	Bond Total Return	S&P Utility Index Return	Utility Equity Risk Premium Over Bond Returns	Utility Equity Risk Premium Over Bond Return Income Component
Line No	Year								
1	1931	4.07%	3.33%	1,000.00					
2	1932	3.15%	3.69%	1,135.75	135.75	40.70	17.64%	-0.54%	-18.18%
3	1933	3.36%	3.12%	969.60	-30.40	31.50	0.11%	-21.87%	-21.98%
4	1934	2.93%	3.18%	1,064.73	64.73	33.60	9.83%	-20.41%	-30.24%
5	1935	2.76%	2.81%	1,025.99	25.99	29.30	5.53%	76.63%	71.10%
6	1936	2.56%	2.77%	1,031.15	31.15	27.60	5.88%	20.69%	14.81%
7	1937	2.73%	2.66%	973.93	-26.07	25.60	-0.05%	-37.04%	-36.99%
8	1938	2.52%	2.64%	1,032.83	32.83	27.30	6.01%	22.45%	16.44%
9	1939	2.26%	2.40%	1,041.65	41.65	25.20	6.68%	11.26%	4.58%
10	1940	1.94%	2.23%	1,052.84	52.84	22.60	7.54%	-17.15%	-24.69%
11	1941	2.04%	1.94%	983.64	-16.36	19.40	0.30%	-31.57%	-31.87%
12	1942	2.46%	2.46%	933.97	-66.03	20.40	-4.56%	15.39%	19.95%
13	1943	2.48%	2.44%	996.86	-3.14	24.60	2.15%	46.07%	43.92%
14	1944	2.46%	2.46%	1,003.14	3.14	24.80	2.79%	18.03%	15.24%
15	1945	1.99%	2.34%	1,077.23	77.23	24.60	10.18%	53.33%	43.15%
16	1946	2.12%	2.04%	978.90	-21.10	19.90	-0.12%	1.26%	1.38%
17	1947	2.43%	2.13%	951.13	-48.87	21.20	-2.77%	-13.16%	-10.39%
18	1948	2.37%	2.40%	1,009.51	9.51	24.30	3.38%	4.01%	0.63%
19	1949	2.09%	2.25%	1,045.58	45.58	23.70	6.93%	31.39%	24.46%
20	1950	2.24%	2.12%	975.93	-24.07	20.90	-0.32%	3.25%	3.57%
21	1951	2.69%	2.38%	930.75	-69.25	22.40	-4.69%	18.63%	23.32%
22	1952	2.79%	2.66%	984.75	-15.25	26.90	1.17%	19.25%	18.08%
23	1953	2.74%	2.84%	1,007.66	7.66	27.90	3.56%	7.85%	4.29%
24	1954	2.72%	2.79%	1,003.07	3.07	27.40	3.05%	24.72%	21.67%
25	1955	2.95%	2.75%	965.44	-34.56	27.20	-0.74%	11.26%	12.00%
26	1956	3.45%	2.99%	928.19	-71.81	29.50	-4.23%	5.06%	9.29%
27	1957	3.23%	3.44%	1,032.23	32.23	34.50	6.67%	6.36%	-0.31%
28	1958	3.82%	3.27%	918.01	-81.99	32.30	-4.97%	40.70%	45.67%
29	1959	4.47%	4.01%	914.65	-85.35	38.20	-4.71%	7.49%	12.20%
30	1960	3.80%	4.26%	1,093.27	93.27	44.70	13.80%	20.26%	6.46%
31	1961	4.15%	3.83%	952.75	-47.25	38.00	-0.92%	29.33%	30.25%
32	1962	3.95%	4.00%	1,027.48	27.48	41.50	6.90%	-2.44%	-9.34%

		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
		Long-Term	Long-Term	20 year				S&P	Utility Equity	Utility Equity
33	1963	4.17%	3.89%	970.35	-29.65	39.50	0.99%	12.36%	11.37%	8.47%
34	1964	4.23%	4.15%	991.96	-8.04	41.70	3.37%	15.91%	12.54%	11.76%
35	1965	4.50%	4.19%	964.64	-35.36	42.30	0.69%	4.67%	3.98%	0.48%
36	1966	4.55%	4.49%	993.48	-6.52	45.00	3.85%	-4.48%	-8.33%	-8.97%
37	1967	5.56%	4.59%	879.01	-120.99	45.50	-7.55%	-0.63%	6.92%	-5.22%
38	1968	5.98%	5.50%	951.38	-48.62	55.60	0.70%	10.32%	9.62%	4.82%
39	1969	6.87%	5.96%	904.00	-96.00	59.80	-3.62%	-15.42%	-11.80%	-21.38%
40	1970	6.48%	6.74%	1,043.38	43.38	68.70	11.21%	16.56%	5.35%	9.82%
41	1971	5.97%	6.32%	1,059.09	59.09	64.80	12.39%	2.41%	-9.98%	-3.91%
42	1972	5.99%	5.87%	997.69	-2.31	59.70	5.74%	8.15%	2.41%	2.28%
43	1973	7.26%	6.51%	867.09	-132.91	59.90	-7.30%	-18.07%	-10.77%	-24.58%
44	1974	7.60%	7.27%	965.33	-34.67	72.60	3.79%	-21.55%	-25.34%	-28.82%
45	1975	8.05%	7.99%	955.63	-44.37	76.00	3.16%	44.49%	41.33%	36.50%
46	1976	7.21%	7.89%	1,088.25	88.25	80.50	16.87%	31.81%	14.94%	23.92%
47	1977	8.03%	7.14%	919.03	-80.97	72.10	-0.89%	8.64%	9.53%	1.50%
48	1978	8.98%	7.90%	912.47	-87.53	80.30	-0.72%	-3.71%	-2.99%	-11.61%
49	1979	10.12%	8.86%	902.99	-97.01	89.80	-0.72%	13.58%	14.30%	4.72%
50	1980	11.99%	9.97%	859.23	-140.77	101.20	-3.96%	15.08%	19.04%	5.11%
51	1981	13.34%	11.55%	906.45	-93.55	119.90	2.63%	11.74%	9.11%	0.19%
52	1982	10.95%	13.50%	1,192.38	192.38	133.40	32.58%	26.52%	-6.06%	13.02%
53	1983	11.97%	10.38%	923.12	-76.88	109.50	3.26%	20.01%	16.75%	9.63%
54	1984	11.70%	11.74%	1,020.70	20.70	119.70	14.04%	26.04%	12.00%	14.30%
55	1985	9.56%	11.25%	1,189.27	189.27	117.00	30.63%	33.05%	2.42%	21.80%
56	1986	7.89%	8.98%	1,166.63	166.63	95.60	26.22%	28.53%	2.31%	19.55%
57	1987	9.20%	7.92%	881.17	-118.83	78.90	-3.99%	-2.92%	1.07%	-10.84%
58	1988	9.19%	8.97%	1,000.91	0.91	92.00	9.29%	18.27%	8.98%	9.30%
59	1989	8.16%	8.81%	1,100.73	100.73	91.90	19.26%	47.80%	28.54%	38.99%
60	1990	8.44%	8.19%	973.17	-26.83	81.60	5.48%	-2.57%	-8.05%	-10.76%
61	1991	7.30%	8.22%	1,118.94	118.94	84.40	20.33%	14.61%	-5.72%	6.39%
62	1992	7.26%	7.26%	1,004.19	4.19	73.00	7.72%	8.10%	0.38%	0.84%
63	1993	6.54%	7.17%	1,079.70	79.70	72.60	15.23%	14.41%	-0.82%	7.24%
64	1994	7.99%	6.59%	856.40	-143.60	65.40	-7.82%	-7.94%	-0.12%	-14.53%
65	1995	6.03%	7.60%	1,225.98	225.98	79.90	30.59%	42.15%	11.56%	34.55%
66	1996	6.73%	6.18%	923.67	-76.33	60.30	-1.60%	3.14%	4.74%	-3.04%
67	1997	6.02%	6.64%	1,081.92	81.92	67.30	14.92%	24.69%	9.77%	18.05%
68	1998	5.42%	5.83%	1,072.71	72.71	60.20	13.29%	14.82%	1.53%	8.99%
69	1999	6.82%	5.57%	848.41	-151.59	54.20	-9.74%	-8.85%	0.89%	-14.42%
70	2000	5.58%	6.50%	1,148.30	148.30	68.20	21.65%	59.70%	38.05%	53.20%

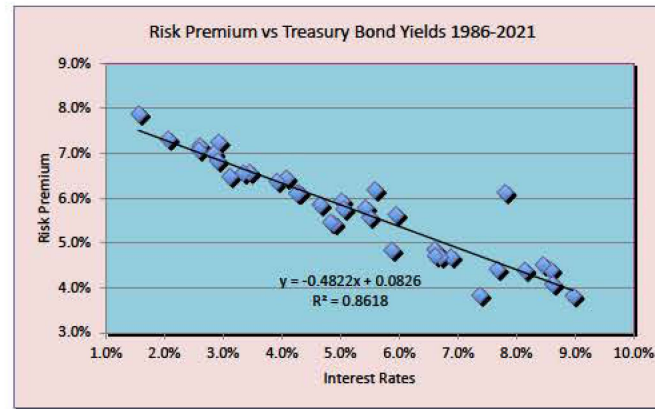
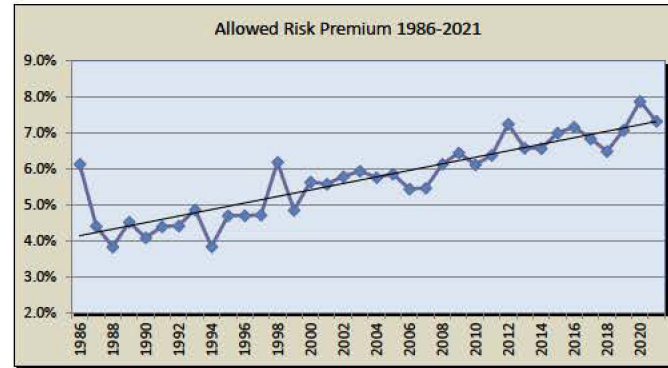
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
		Long-Term	Long-Term	20 year				S&P	Utility Equity	Utility Equity
71	2001	5.75%	5.53%	979.95	-20.05	55.80	3.57%	-30.41%	-33.98%	-35.94%
72	2002	4.84%	5.59%	1,115.77	115.77	57.50	17.33%	-30.04%	-47.37%	-35.63%
73	2003	5.11%	4.80%	966.42	-33.58	48.40	1.48%	26.11%	24.63%	21.31%
74	2004	4.84%	5.02%	1,034.35	34.35	51.10	8.54%	24.22%	15.68%	19.20%
75	2005	4.61%	4.69%	1,029.84	29.84	48.40	7.82%	16.79%	8.97%	12.10%
76	2006	4.91%	4.68%	962.06	-37.94	46.10	0.82%	20.95%	20.13%	16.27%
77	2007	4.50%	4.86%	1,053.70	53.70	49.10	10.28%	19.36%	9.08%	14.50%
78	2008	3.03%	4.45%	1,219.28	219.28	45.00	26.43%	-28.99%	-55.42%	-33.44%
79	2009	4.58%	3.47%	798.39	-201.61	30.30	-17.13%	11.94%	29.07%	8.47%
80	2010	4.14%	4.25%	1,059.45	59.45	45.80	10.52%	5.49%	-5.03%	1.24%
81	2011	2.55%	3.82%	1,247.89	247.89	41.40	28.93%	19.88%	-9.05%	16.06%
82	2012	2.46%	2.46%	1,014.15	14.15	25.50	3.96%	1.29%	-2.67%	-1.17%
83	2013	3.78%	2.88%	815.92	-184.08	24.60	-15.95%	13.26%	29.21%	10.38%
84	2014	2.46%	3.41%	1,207.53	207.53	37.80	24.53%	28.61%	4.08%	25.20%
85	2015	2.68%	2.47%	966.11	-33.89	24.60	-0.93%	1.38%	2.31%	-1.09%
86	2016	2.72%	2.30%	993.86	-6.14	26.80	2.07%	16.27%	14.20%	13.97%
87	2017	2.54%	2.67%	1,028.09	28.09	27.20	5.53%	12.11%	6.58%	9.44%
88	2018	2.84%	2.82%	954.46	-45.54	25.40	-2.01%	4.11%	6.12%	1.29%
89	2019	2.25%	2.55%	1,094.60	94.60	28.40	12.30%	31.48%	19.18%	28.93%
90	2020	1.37%	1.53%	1,153.49	153.49	22.50	17.60%	0.05%	-17.55%	-1.48%
91	2021	1.88%	1.73%	915.31	-84.69	13.70	-7.10%	4.20%	11.30%	2.47%
93	Mean								5.5%	6.3%

95 Source: Bloomberg Web site: Standard & Poors Utility Stock Index % Annual Change, Jan. to Dec.

96 Long-Term Government Bond yield data from Duff & Phelps 2022 Valuation Yearbook Appendices A7 and A9

ALLOWED RISK PREMIUM ANALYSIS

Line	Date	Treasury Bond Yield ¹	Authorized Electric Returns ²	Indicated Risk Premium
		(1)	(2)	(3)
1	1986	7.80%	13.93%	6.1%
2	1987	8.58%	12.99%	4.4%
3	1988	8.96%	12.79%	3.8%
4	1989	8.45%	12.97%	4.5%
5	1990	8.61%	12.70%	4.1%
6	1991	8.14%	12.54%	4.4%
7	1992	7.67%	12.09%	4.4%
8	1993	6.60%	11.46%	4.9%
9	1994	7.37%	11.21%	3.8%
10	1995	6.88%	11.58%	4.7%
11	1996	6.70%	11.40%	4.7%
12	1997	6.61%	11.33%	4.7%
13	1998	5.58%	11.77%	6.2%
14	1999	5.87%	10.72%	4.9%
15	2000	5.94%	11.58%	5.6%
16	2001	5.49%	11.07%	5.6%
17	2002	5.42%	11.21%	5.8%
18	2003	5.02%	10.96%	5.9%
19	2004	5.05%	10.81%	5.8%
20	2005	4.65%	10.51%	5.9%
21	2006	4.88%	10.32%	5.4%
22	2007	4.83%	10.30%	5.5%
23	2008	4.28%	10.41%	6.1%
24	2009	4.07%	10.52%	6.5%
25	2010	4.25%	10.37%	6.1%
26	2011	3.91%	10.29%	6.4%
27	2012	2.92%	10.17%	7.3%
28	2013	3.45%	10.03%	6.6%
29	2014	3.34%	9.91%	6.6%
30	2015	2.84%	9.84%	7.0%
31	2016	2.60%	9.77%	7.2%
32	2017	2.90%	9.74%	6.8%
33	2018	3.11%	9.60%	6.5%
34	2019	2.58%	9.66%	7.1%
35	2020	1.56%	9.44%	7.9%
36	2021	2.06%	9.38%	7.3%
Average		5.25%	10.98%	5.73%



IF YIELD = 4.3%
THEN RP = 6.2%
Ke = 10.5%

Sources:

- 1 Fed Reserve Board of Governors H 15 Release, 30-Yr Treasury rate
- 2 S&P Global Intelligence (Regulatory Research Associates)
Major Rate Case Decisions 1986-2021