

In a restructured – or deregulated - state like Connecticut, utilities do not own electric generation assets. They only deliver electricity to their customers while other entities generate it. What this means is that the energy “supply” portion of your electricity bill is the result of markets—not utility investment. The “public benefit” portion is the result of public policies passed in Hartford; and the delivery (transmission and distribution) are the costs associated with delivering the power to your home or business. Transmission costs are federally regulated and distribution costs are regulated at the state level. For more information about electricity markets [click here](#).

ACME UTILITY

Total Charges for Electricity

Supply:

Supply Charge	700 kWh x \$0.170625	
Subtotal Supply		\$119.44

Transmission

Transmission	700 kWh x \$0.045636	\$31.94
Subtotal Transmission		\$31.94

Local Delivery:

Fixed Monthly Charge		\$11.34
Distribution	700 kWh x \$0.100714	\$70.50
Revenue Decoupling	700 kWh x \$0.000500	\$.35
Subtotal Local Delivery		\$119.44

Public Benefits (The Government’s Cut):

Energy Assistance Costs	700 kWh x \$0.023159	\$16.61
Energy Efficiency Programs	700 kWh x \$0.006000	\$4.20
Renewable Energy Investment	700 kWh x \$0.001000	\$.70
New England Grid Operator Cost	700 kWh x \$0.001725	\$1.21
State Mandated Energy Purchases	700 kWh x \$0.015683	\$10.98
Customer Produced Energy	700 kWh x \$0.003567	\$2.50
Misc. & Other Mandates	700 kWh x \$0.004938	\$3.46

Subtotal Public Benefits		\$39.26
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Total Charges		\$272.83
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Supply 44% - \$119.44

Cost of electricity from supplier or Standard Service. Connecticut utilities do not own generation do these costs are based on competitive purchases from energy markets. You are billed for this based on your usage.

Transmission 12% - \$31.94

Cost to maintain high voltage towers and lines that move electricity from generating plants to local delivery network. Regulated by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. You are billed for this based on usage.

Local Delivery 30% - \$82.18

Cost for utilities to build infrastructure like poles, wires, meters as well as maintenance like tree-trimming that ensures the reliable delivery of electricity to your home or business. These charges are regulated by the CT Public Utility Regulatory Authority (PURA) and are based on usage.

Public Benefits 14% - \$39.26

These are the costs to support energy programs mandates by the state. These include energy efficiency programs, rooftop solar, energy assistance and state-mandated energy contracts among others.

Jane Doe
Main Street
Bridgeport, CT 060606

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Due Date

Tomorrw

Amount Now Due

\$272.83

Please send payment to

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