

The initial capital expenditure required to serve about twelve municipalities amounted to approximately \$3,600,000. At Oct. 31, 1942, the total capital investment amounted to \$483,333,025, of which \$354,867,278 were investments by the Commission in generating plants, transmission systems, etc., including electric railway and other properties operated by the Commission for the major systems under their control and \$128,465,747 were investments by municipalities in local distributing systems of their own, including other assets. Similarly, total reserves of the Commission and of the municipal electrical utilities for sinking fund, renewals, contingencies and insurance purposes amounted to \$289,473,996 of which \$182,504,711 represented reserves of the Commission and \$106,969,285 of the municipalities.

13.—Growth of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, Years Ended Oct. 31, 1930-42

NOTE.—Statistics for 1910-29 are given at p. 288 of the 1941 Year Book.

Year	Municipalities Served	Customers Served	Total Power Distributed	Capital of Commission and Assets of Municipal Utilities
	No.	No.	h. p.	\$
1930.....	668	586,267	1,263,512	359,648,000
1931.....	721	600,297	1,107,227	373,010,000
1932.....	747	611,955	1,108,037	382,558,000
1933.....	757	621,418	1,366,735	394,661,000
1934.....	760	624,801	1,451,699	398,225,000
1935.....	766	636,134	1,625,733	408,001,000
1936.....	782	649,517	1,509,667	413,710,000
1937.....	795	667,863	1,648,467	424,422,000
1938.....	821	694,400	1,831,216	436,822,000
1939.....	858	720,372	1,963,471	446,123,000
1940.....	886	748,232	1,954,069	449,038,000
1941.....	900	771,681	2,312,219	467,235,000
1942.....	902	785,564	2,265,796	483,333,000

14.—Distribution of Power to Systems of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, Years Ended Oct. 31, 1938-42

(20-minute peak horse-power—system, coincident peaks)

System and District	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942
	h.p.	h.p.	h.p.	h.p.	h.p.
Niagara System.....	1,259,115	1,358,177	1,375,335	1,682,975	1,676,273
Dominion Power and Transmission.....	46,515	56,970	50,134	1	1
Georgian Bay System.....	30,891	34,756	42,217	47,407	45,276
Eastern Ontario System.....	159,249	168,958	154,207	180,650	178,895
Thunder Bay System.....	131,394	118,740	97,855	128,539	106,716
Manitoulin District.....	205	273	330	504	464
Northern Ontario Properties—					
Nipissing District.....	4,857	5,188	5,121	5,791	5,416
Sudbury District.....	17,895	19,740	17,208	19,597	20,909
Abitibi District.....	172,409	188,877	197,453	230,965	222,788
Patricia District.....	5,697	11,792	14,209	15,791	11,059
St. Joseph District.....	2,989				
Española District.....	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Totals.....	1,831,216	1,963,471	1,954,069	2,312,219	2,265,796

¹ Included in Niagara System.