

**MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO.
SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
SET 1 - DATA REQUESTS
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1-6 For the Energy Audits recorded in 2018, how does the cost per audit compare between the cost shared audits and those that were not cost shared?

Response:

Of the 24 Energy Audits in 2018, 20 were performed by Western South Dakota Community Action and 4 were conducted by North Eastern South Dakota Community Action. A breakdown of the shared and non-shared audit average cost per audit by each auditing agency is provided below. The average cost per participant includes the retainer fee and is net of the customer copay.

	Auditor	Count	Cost Per Audit
Shared:	WSDCA	16	\$361
Non-shared:	WSDCA	4	652
Non-shared:	NESDCA	4	550