

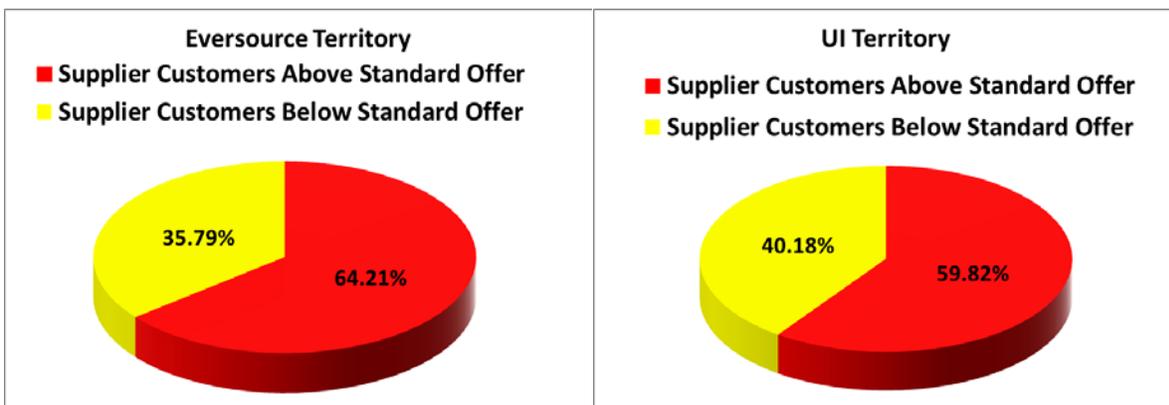


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## OCC FACT SHEET: ELECTRIC SUPPLIER MARKET, JANUARY THROUGH DECEMBER, 2015

The following is an update to the Office of Consumer Counsel's (OCC's) Electric Supplier Market Fact Sheet, originally created in [2014](#). The numbers provided herein are based on data submitted as compliance filings in the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority's Docket Number 06-10-22.

- Retail suppliers served on average 33.55% of Eversource Energy (Eversource) residential customers and 37.84% of United Illuminating (UI) residential customers during 2015.
- During 2015, **64.21%** of residential supplier customers paid more than the Standard Offer on average in Eversource territory, and **59.82%** of residential supplier customers paid more than the Standard Offer on average in UI territory.<sup>1</sup>



- For the time period of January 2015 through December 2015, which includes a six month period during which the Eversource and UI Standard Offer prices were unusually high, residential consumers who chose a retail supplier paid, in aggregate, **\$57,990,296.22 more** than the Standard Offer.<sup>2</sup>
- Standard service for Eversource customers was 12.6 cents/kWh from January 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015 and 8.2 cents/kWh from July 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015.
- Standard service for UI customers was 13.35 cents/kWh from January 1, 2015 through

June 30, 2015 and 9.12 cents/kWh from July 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015.<sup>1</sup>

- Below are summary charts of retail suppliers that had more than 250 customers. A red positive number represents customers' overpayment compared to standard service. A blue negative number represents customers' savings compared to standard service.

Supplier Summary for 2015 (Eversource Territory)	
Abest Power & Gas	-\$473,019.52
Aequitas Energy Inc.	-\$442,581.49
Ambit Energy LLC.	-\$478,134.86
Choice Energy	\$1,417,698.34
Clearview Electric	\$2,043,969.06
Connecticut Gas & Electric Inc.	\$513,938.60
Consolidated Edison Solutions Inc.	-\$562,650.68
Constellation Energy Power Source Inc.	\$2,422,977.83
Constellation Newenergy	\$19,288.35
Direct Energy Services	\$7,425,102.05
Discount Power Inc.	-\$641,876.38
Energy Plus Holdings	\$2,734,919.60
Gulf Oil Limited Partnership	-\$531,564.68
Hiko Energy LLC	\$83,413.24
Liberty Power Holdings	\$2,119,838.25
Nextera Energy Services	-\$17,428.00
North American Power & Gas LLC	\$5,692,477.55
NRG Retail Solutions	\$2,615,019.08
Palmco Power CT LLC	\$1,792,814.71
Perigee Energy LLC.	-\$194,874.57
Public Power LLC.	\$8,357,818.10
Spark Energy LP	\$2,993,821.79
Starion Energy Inc.	\$3,262,222.31
Sunwave Gas & Power CT	-\$365,661.14
Town Square Energy	-\$1,234,394.24
Verde Energy USA Inc.	\$6,641,050.40
Viridian Energy Inc.	\$2,264,998.52
Xoom Energy	\$652,572.42
<b>Total Overpayment</b>	<b>\$48,111,754.63</b>

Supplier Summary for 2015 (UI Territory)	
Abest Power & Gas	-\$180,083.91
Aequitas Energy Inc.	-\$139,397.71
Ambit Energy LLC.	-\$677,287.17
Choice Energy	\$670,783.90
Clearview Electric	\$420,281.39
Connecticut Gas & Electric Inc.	\$44,170.23
Consolidated Edison Solutions Inc.	-\$1,129,815.92
Constellation (F/K/A MX Energy)	\$709,071.83
Constellation Newenergy	-\$25,811.05
Direct Energy Services	\$1,989,428.63
Discount Power Inc.	-\$309,862.95
Energy Plus Holdings	\$716,017.77
Gulf Oil LP	-\$170,995.59
Hiko Energy LLC	\$29,624.05
Integrus Energy Services Inc.	-\$92,355.32
Liberty Power Holdings	\$927,128.78
North American Power & Gas LLC	\$2,111,192.80
Palmco Power CT LLC	\$896,635.04
Perigee Energy LLC	-\$92,763.71
Public Power LLC.	\$1,064,072.96
Reliant Energy Retail Holdings, LLC.	\$528,159.60
Spark Energy LP	\$895,766.71
Starion Energy Inc.	\$821,148.17
Sunwave Gas & Power CT	-\$330,717.63
Think Energy	\$23,052.78
Town Square F/K/A Community Power	-\$362,389.77
Verde Energy USA Inc.	\$1,326,842.24
Viridian Energy Inc.	\$284,678.90
Xoom Energy CT LLC	\$118,949.93
<b>Total Overpayment</b>	<b>\$10,065,524.95</b>

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<sup>1</sup> When the shoulder months of January and July are excluded as outliers, 59% of residential supplier customers paid more than the standard offer on average in Eversource Territory, and 63% of residential supplier customers paid more than the standard offer on average in UI territory.

<sup>2</sup> These calculations are based on an assumption of 750/month kWh usage, and likely underestimate the consumer harm, because they assume all non-electric heat customers.