

2013 Cable Service Price Survey Questionnaire

FCC Form 333

A. Community

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A1. 6-digit community unit identification (CUID)	
A2. Name of the community associated with this CUID	
A3. Name of county in which the community is situated	
A4. List one of the 5-digit Zip Codes in this community	

Local governments have authority to regulate the price of the basic service tier unless the FCC grants an "Effective Competition" petition for the franchise area. If the FCC has granted Effective Competition status, the answer to question A5 is "no". If the FCC has not granted Effective Competition status, the answer depends on whether the local government exercises its authority to regulate the price of the basic service tier.

A5. Does the local government regulate the basic tier rate in this community? (yes/no) (1/1/13)	
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Some questions ask for two years of information (Jan. 1, 2013 and Jan. 1, 2012):

A6. Did you operate a video service in this community on 1/1/2012? (yes/no)	
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System

A7. Name of cable system	
A8. Street address and/or POB	
A9. City, state and Zip Code	

Parent Company

A10. Name of ultimate parent entity	
A11. Name of survey contact person	

A12. E-mail address of contact person	
A13. Area Code & telephone number	
A14. Number of video subscribers nationwide of parent entity	

Certification

I certify that I have examined this report and all statements of fact herein are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, and are made in good faith. Willful false statements made on this form are punishable by fine and/or imprisonment (US Code, Title 18, Section 1001) and/or forfeiture (US Code, Title 47, Section 503).

A15. Name	
A16. Title	
A17. Date	
A18. From the drop down menu, choose the physical infrastructure in the community that best describes your video service (coaxial only, hybrid fiber-coaxial cable, fiber to the home, twisted copper pair, other-please explain)	

A19. As of 1/1/13, answer "yes" to one of Questions a - f, or explain in g, the scenario which best describes the way local broadcast television station signals you receive from local broadcasters are sent from the video (cable) headend to subscribers in the community.

a. Transmission is analog only. Analog broadcast signals are received at the headend and sent to subscribers in analog format. No headend equipment is in place to convert a digital broadcast signal to analog format	<input type="radio"/>
b. Transmission is analog only. Signals are sent in analog format from headend to subscribers. Headend equipment is in place to convert a broadcaster's digital signal to analog format, in case a station is digital only	<input type="radio"/>
c. Separate analog and digital signals are sent on separate paths from the headend to be viewed by analog and digital customers, respectively. Digital signal can be either SD or HD, with an HD version being converted by a SD digital subscriber's set-top box to SD format	<input type="radio"/>
d. Separate analog, SD, and HD digital signals are sent from the headend to be viewed by analog, SD digital, and HD digital customers, respectively.	<input type="radio"/>
e. SD digital signals only are sent from the headend, and the set-top box can convert the signals to analog format for viewing on analog television	<input type="radio"/>
f. HD digital signals only are sent from the headend, and the set-top box can convert the signals to SD digital format, and then to analog format if necessary.	<input type="radio"/>

g. If none of the above, please describe	<input type="radio"/>
A20. Number of local broadcast television stations carried in your channel lineup in this community. Count each local broadcast station only once. For example, if a local broadcast station is carried on two channels, an analog channel and a separate HD digital channel, these two channels count as one station for the purpose of this question. In addition, do not count local broadcast multicast channels. (1/1/13)	
A21. Of the local broadcast stations in A20, how many are carried in the community on an HD channel? (Enter "0" if no stations are carried in HD) (1/1/13)	
A22. Of the local broadcast stations in A20, how many are carried under the FCC must carry rules (excludes stations carried under retransmission consent)? (Enter "0" if no stations are under must carry) (1/1/13)	
A23. Of the must-carry stations in A22 (exclude retransmission consent), how many are carried on an HD channel? (Enter "0" if no must-carry stations are carried in HD) (1/1/13)	

B. Video Subscribers, Prices and Channels

If subscriber counts are unavailable at the community level, responses to questions B1 and B2 may be at the broader level of the **video (or cable) system**. In defining your system, use the smallest physical system area surrounding the community for which you maintain subscriber counts for video services.

	1/01/12	1/01/13
B1. Number of households passed (households your infrastructure currently reaches to which you could provide service, regardless of whether or not these households subscribe to your service) in the community (or system area) (1/1/13)		
B2. Number of video subscribers in the same area reported in B1		

Responses to "yes/no" questions below, as well as responses for prices and channels should be provided at the community level. Number of subscribers should be in the same area reported in B1 and B2.

	1/01/12	1/01/13
B3. Total number of video channels viewable in the community*		

B4. Do you offer high-speed Internet access in the community via cable, DSL, or any other technology? (yes/no) (1/1/12, 1/1/13)		
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Basic Service

Basic Service is the **entry level** video (cable) TV programming service that subscribers can purchase. Typically, basic service is a "**limited basic**" which consists of local broadcast channels; public, educational, and governmental access (PEG) channels; and sometimes a few national and/or other channels. In contrast to "limited basic", some operators only offer a "**bundled basic**" with a large number of popular national networks that other operators might offer separately with an expanded basic service. For operators who do not offer limited basic, the bundled basic should be reported as the basic service. Whether limited basic or bundled, basic service should be the entry-level service that is required for all customers.

	1/01/12	1/01/13
B5. Is basic service in the community a "limited basic" as described above? (Note: the majority of operators offer a limited basic)?		
B6. Name of this service (For example, "limited basic" or "basic", or some other name)		
B7. How many subscribers in the community (or system area) take only basic service (exclude subscribers who take expanded basic)?		
B8. Monthly price of basic service in the community	\$	\$
B9. Number of video channels viewable with basic service in the community. Include local broadcast (count all primary, simulcast and multicast), PEG, and commercial leased access basic service channels. This count consists of the maximum number of channels when purchasing only basic service, including channels that might require leasing equipment such as a standard definition or HD converter set-top box. Do not count audio-only channels such as DMX music suite. Only count premium, pay, or pay-per-view channels when offered with basic service at no additional charge. A video-on-demand channel offering content at no additional charge counts as one channel.		
B10. Is equipment possibly needed to view all or some basic service channels? (For example, a set-top box to output digital signals to analog TVs or to view local broadcast stations on HD channels)		
B11. What is the additional monthly fee to lease the most commonly used equipment needed to view all or some of the basic service channels? (If equipment is included at no extra charge then enter "0", or if you answered "no" to B10 then leave this question blank)	\$	\$
B12. Identify the features that are included with this equipment: VOD, DVR, HD, RCU (remote control unit), IPG, or other (specify). An IPG is interactive guide where a viewer can navigate the menu by time, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/> VOD <input type="checkbox"/> DVR <input type="checkbox"/> HD	<input type="checkbox"/> VOD <input type="checkbox"/> DVR <input type="checkbox"/> HD

	<input type="checkbox"/> RCU	<input type="checkbox"/> RCU
	<input type="checkbox"/> IPG	<input type="checkbox"/> IPG
	<input type="checkbox"/> other:	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

Expanded Basic Service

In most cases, expanded basic service includes the limited basic channels plus a large number of popular national networks. However, if you answered "no" to Question B5 (your basic service is not a limited basic) then basic service and expanded basic service are the same, and Questions B13-B19 below are automatically filled.

	1/01/12	1/01/13
Check box if expanded basic was not offered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B13. Name of this service (For example, "expanded basic" or "standard service")		
B14. Number of subscribers in community (or system area) who take expanded basic		
B15. Monthly price of expanded basic in the community (including the price of basic service)	\$	\$
B16. Number of video channels offered with expanded basic in the community (including basic service channels). Count the maximum number of channels including channels that might require leasing equipment such as a standard definition or HD converter set-top box. Do not count audio-only channels such as DMX music suite. Only count premium, pay, or pay-per-view channels when offered with expanded basic service at no additional charge. A video-on-demand channel offering content at no additional charge counts as one channel.		
B17. Is equipment possibly needed to view all or some of the expanded basic channels? (For example, a set-top box to output digital signals to analog TVs or to view local broadcast stations on HD channels)		
B18. What is the additional monthly fee to lease the most commonly used equipment needed to view the expanded basic channels? (If equipment is included at no extra charge then enter "0", or if you answered "no" to B17 then leave this question blank	\$	\$

<p>B19. Identify the features that are included with this equipment: VOD, DVR, HD, RCU (remote control unit), IPG, or other (specify). An IPG is interactive guide where a viewer can navigate the menu by time, etc.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	VOD	<input type="checkbox"/>	VOD
	<input type="checkbox"/>	DVR	<input type="checkbox"/>	DVR
	<input type="checkbox"/>	HD	<input type="checkbox"/>	HD
	<input type="checkbox"/>	RCU	<input type="checkbox"/>	RCU
	<input type="checkbox"/>	IPG	<input type="checkbox"/>	IPG
	<input type="checkbox"/>	other:	<input type="checkbox"/>	other:
	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

The Next Most-Subscribed Service (Relative to Expanded Basic)

This service consists of the expanded basic channels plus a group of additional video programming channels. Provide the most popular service that includes at least seven (7) additional non-premium, national cable networks.

	1/01/12	1/01/13
Check box if this service was not offered.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B20. Name of this service (For example, "digital basic" or "digital variety pack")		
B21. Number of subscribers in the community (or system area) who take this service		
B22. Monthly price of this service in the community (including the price of expanded basic)	\$	\$
B23. Number of video channels offered with this service in the community (including expanded basic channels). Count the maximum number of channels including channels that might require leasing equipment such as a standard definition or HD converter set-top box. Do not count audio-only channels such as DMX music suite. Only count premium, pay, or pay-per-view channels when offered with this service at no additional charge. A video-on-demand channel offering content at no additional charge counts as one channel.		
B24. Is equipment possibly needed to view all or some of the channels offered with this service? (For example, a set-top box to output digital signals to analog TVs or to view local broadcast stations or networks on an HD channel)		
B25. What is the additional monthly fee to lease the most commonly used equipment needed to view the channels offered with this service? (If equipment is included at no extra charge then enter "0", or if you answered "no" to B24 then leave this question blank)	\$	\$

B26. Identify the features that are included with this equipment: VOD, DVR, HD, RCU (remote control unit), IPG, or other (specify). An IPG is interactive guide where a viewer can navigate the menu by time, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/> VOD	<input type="checkbox"/> VOD
	<input type="checkbox"/> DVR	<input type="checkbox"/> DVR
	<input type="checkbox"/> HD	<input type="checkbox"/> HD
	<input type="checkbox"/> RCU	<input type="checkbox"/> RCU
	<input type="checkbox"/> IPG	<input type="checkbox"/> IPG
	<input type="checkbox"/> other:	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

Family Programming Service

Family Programming Service (if such a service is offered) is a substitute for expanded basic service. It is a set of "family-friendly" channels and includes most (if not all) basic channels, some (but not all) expanded basic channels, and possibly other channels.

B27. As of Jan. 1, 2013, did you offer a family programming service in this community?

Yes No. If no, skip to Section C, below.

B28. If you answered yes to question B27, did you report this service in response to the questions already asked about your programming services? Yes No.

If yes, Questions B29-B34 below are automatically filled with the information provided in response to questions B20-B26.

	1/01/13
B29. Name of this service (For example, "family package")	
B30. Number of subscribers taking this service in the community (or system area)	
B31. Monthly price of this service in the community (including price of basic service)	\$
B32. Number of video channels offered with this service in the community (including basic service channels). Count the maximum number of channels including channels that might require leasing equipment such as a standard definition or HD converter set-top box. Do not count audio-only channels such as DMX music suite. Only count premium, pay, or pay-per-view channels when offered with this service at no additional charge. A video-on-demand channel offering content at no additional charge counts as one channel.	
B33. Is equipment possibly needed to view all or some of the channels offered with this service? (For example, a set-top box to output digital signals to analog TVs or to	

view local broadcast stations on an HD channel)	
B34. What is the monthly fee to lease the most commonly used equipment needed to view the channels offered with this service? (If equipment is included at no extra charge then enter "0", or if you answered "no" to B33 then leave this question blank)	\$

C. Channel Lineup

Number Of Channels (January 1, 2013)	Number of channels				
	Basic Service	Ex- panded Basic Service	Next Most Subscribed Service	Family Programming Service	Other Service
C1. Report the number of local broadcast channels offered with each service. Count all primary broadcast, HD simulcast, and digital multicast channels. Enter "0" if none. Only report a number under "Other Service" if there are some local broadcast channels not reported with any of the first four services. Upon entering the basic service number, the same number automatically appears under the next 3 services since these include basic. If that number is not correct, over-write with the correct number for that service.					
C2. Report the number of public, educational & governmental access (PEG) channels offered under each of the four services. Enter "0" if none. Only report a number under "Other Service" if there are some PEG channels not reported with any of the first four services. Basic service channels are automatically filled under the next 3 services since these services generally					

include basic. If that number is not correct, over-write with the correct number for that service.					
<p>C3. Report the number of commercial leased access channels offered under each of the four services. Enter "0" if none. Only report a number under "Other Service" if there are some leased access channels not reported with any of the first four services. Basic service channels are automatically filled under the next 3 services since these services generally include basic. If that number is not correct, over-write with the correct number for that service.</p>					
<p>C4. Indicate the number of regional sports networks carried on each of the services. If a regional sports network is offered on the Basic Service then include that network for each service level that includes Basic Service. Indicate "other service" if offered but not on any of the first four services. A regional sports network is a channel that carries a substantial number of live games from at least one nearby professional sports team that is a member of the MLB, NBA, or NHL. Examples include Comcast SportsNet, Fox Sports Network, SportsTime Ohio, and Altitude Sports. Do not include as RSNs, for example, TBS, WGN, ESPN, Golf Channel, Big Ten, MLB Extra Innings, NHL Center Ice, NBA League Pass, and NFL Sunday Ticket / Redzone, or pay-per-view events.</p>					

C5. Read the list below and indicate which networks are offered in the community under each of the four services: basic, expanded basic, next most subscribed, and/or family. Denote "other service" if carried but not on any of these services. For example, HBO would be an "other service" unless offered with one of the four services at no additional charge. If offered with basic, the network is automatically included in the other services since these services include basic. If not, clear the icon for that service. No distinction is made for HD channels. For example, both ESPN and ESPN HD are "ESPN".

Channel Name	Basic Service	Expanded Basic Service	Next Most Subscribed Service	Family Programming Service	Other Service
A&E					
ABC Family					
Africa Channel					
AMC					
Animal Planet					
AXS TV (formerly HDNet)					
BBC America					
BBC World News					
BET					
BET Gospel					
BET Hip-Hop					
Big Ten (BTN)					
Biography Channel (Bio)					
Blackbelt TV					
Bloomberg					
Bluehighways TV					
Boomerang					
Bravo					
Bridges TV					
C-SPAN					
Canal Sur					
Cartoon					
CBS Sports Network					
Centric (formerly BET J)					
Chiller					
Cinemax					
Cloo (formerly Sleuth)					
CMT					
CMT Pure Country					
CNBC					
CNBC World					
CNN					

CNN en Espanol					
CNN International (CNNI)					
Comedy Central					
Cooking					
Crime & Investigation					
Current					
De Pelicula					
Destination America (formerly Planet Green)					
Discovery					
Discovery en Espanol					
Discovery Familia					
Discovery Fit and Health					
Disney Channel					
Disney Junior					
Disney XD					
DIY					
E!					
Encore					
ESPN					
ESPN Classic					
ESPN2					
ESPNews					
ESPNU					
FamilyNet					
Flix					
Food Network					
Fox Business Network					
Fox College Sports					
Fox Deportes (formerly Fox Sports en Espanol)					
Fox Movie Channel					
Fox News					
Fox Soccer Channel					
Fuel					

Fuse					
FX Network					
G4 TV (G4 Videogame TV)					
GAC (Great American County)					
Galavision					
Golf Channel					
Gospel Music Channel (GMC)					
GSN (Game Show Network)					
H2 (formerly History International)					
Hallmark					
Hallmark Movie Channel					
HBO					
HDNet Movies					
HGTV					
History					
History en Espanol					
HUB (The Hub)					
Independent Film Channel					
Inspiration Network (INSP)					
Investigation Discovery					
Lifetime					
Lifetime Movie Network					
Lifetime Real Women					
Logo					
MavTV					
MGM HD					
Military Channel					
Military History					
MLB Network					
MSNBC					
MTV					

MTV Hits					
MTV Jams					
MTV Tr3s (Tr3S)					
MTV2					
mun2					
National Geographic					
National Geographic Wild					
NBA TV					
NBC Sports Network (formerly VERSUS)					
NFL Network					
NHL Network					
Nick, Jr. (formerly Noggin)					
Nickelodeon					
Nicktoons					
NuvoTV (formerly Si TV)					
Outdoor Channel					
Ovation TV					
OWN (Oprah Winfrey Network)					
Oxygen					
Palladia					
PBS Kids Sprout					
ReelzChannel					
Retirement Living TV (RLTV)					
RFD-TV					
Science Channel					
Showtime					
Smithsonian Channel					
SOAPnet					
Speed Channel					
Spike TV					
Sportsman Channel					
Starz					
Style.					

Sundance					
Syfy (formerly Sci-Fi)					
TBS					
TCM					
TeenNick (formerly The N)					
Tempo					
Tennis Channel					
The Movie Channel					
TLC					
TNT					
Travel Channel					
truTV					
TV Chile					
TV Guide Network					
TV Land					
TV One					
TVE Internacional					
Universal HD					
USA					
Velocity (formerly HD Theater)					
VH1					
VH1 Classic					
VH1 Soul					
WE tv					
Wealth TV					
Weather Channel (TWC)					
WGN America					
Youtoo TV (formerly ALN or 'American Life TV')					

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