

November 1, 2018 Steward Update



Dear Stewards,

1. **Ontario OES:** OES wind up consultation webinars are now taking place. Should you wish to attend a webinar, please [register here](#). Kindly note that the current OES program remains in effect until **June 30th, 2020**. Any questions on wind up can be directed to: oeswindup@ontarioes.ca
2. **Yukon October 1, 2018:** As announced in July; sales of new, regulated electronics and electrical products are obligated for reporting as of **October 1st, 2018**. Yukon Designated Materials and applicable environmental surcharges are [available here](#).

Yukon Registration: If you have not registered for Yukon, please do so immediately. [The registration can be completed online](#).

Yukon POS Materials: POS materials are available for download/order. To place an order please [click here](#).
3. **YT, BC, SK, MB, OES, QC, NB, NS, PE & NL:** No new product specific clarification this month.

If you require further information or have any questions, please call 1-888-567-4535 or email rep@epra.ca.

Best Regards,

EPRA Steward Services

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DESKTOP COMPUTERS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.40	\$2.80	\$10.50	\$4.40	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.40	\$1.10	\$5.50	\$2.50	\$2.75
Computer Terminals	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Desktop Computers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Desktop/Tower servers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Small office tower servers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Thin clients	✓	✓	See Portable Computers*	See Portable Computers*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nettop computers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓			
Zero Clients with CPU	✓	✓	See Portable Computers*	See Portable Computers*	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Microcomputers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Minicomputers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Server modules (e.g., blades & pizza box server equipment commonly installed in a rack-mount frame or in an enclosure)	See IT & Telecom	✓	✓	✓							
Servers and data storage equipment for use in Data Centers	✓	✓									
All-in-one computers	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices	See Display Devices

Product Definitions:

Desktop models refer to those computers that are designed to be utilized on a work surface and require standard alternating current (AC) power plug for a primary source of power.

Under the BC, YT, SK, MB, QC, NB, NS&PE and NL but not OES, devices may be packaged with a mouse, keyboard, cables, speakers, webcam and other peripherals in a single Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) package carrying a single SKU, subject to a single desktop computer EHF. For OES, an EHF is applied to each obligated product in a given bundle.

Includes desktop computers and desktop computers acting as servers.

*ARMA and NT: Thin Clients & Zero Clients are obligated under Portable Computers category.

Excluded:

- Non-standalone computer terminals that is embedded into a non-regulated product
- Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)
- Cash registers / POS terminals – SEE DISPLAY DEVICES category
- Medical Imaging, EKG, or x-ray CPU – SEE MEDICAL AND MONITORING EQUIPMENT category
- Server racks (furniture – casing only)
- Computer Internal parts & components. Not chargeable, but acceptable for collection (except for OES and EPRA-Québec)
- Specialized Point-of-sale (POS) equipment



LARGE BATTERY-POWERED RIDE-ON TOYS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12 volt and over battery powered ride-on toys	✓										
12 volt and over battery-powered ride-on toy cars or trucks	✓										
Electric toy scooters	✓										
Product Definitions: Electronic Ride-On Toys that are powered by batteries 12 Volts and over.											
Excluded: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Segways or personal mobile transportation equipment and motorized wheelchairs • Any powered device that is not a toy 											

PORTABLE COMPUTERS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$1.20	\$0.80	\$0.80	\$1.00	\$0.90	\$4.50	\$1.50	\$1.50
Laptop computers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Notebook computers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Tablet computers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Netbook computers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Notepads	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Mini notebooks	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Lapdocks	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Devices commonly called Ultra Mobile PCs (UMPC) that utilize touch-sensitive screens, and that can operate the same software as a standard computer (i.e Windows)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Product Definitions:

A personal computer that can easily be carried by hand that contains a Central Processing Unit (CPU) and that can operate a self-contained battery or using an external AC/DC adapter. Under the BC, YT, SK, MB, QC, NB, NS&PE and NL but not OES, devices may be packaged with a mouse, keyboard, cables, speakers, webcam and other peripherals in a single Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) package carrying a single SKU, subject to a single tablet computer EHF. For OES, an EHF is applied to each product category represented in a given bundle.
 *ARMA and NT: Thin Clients & Zero Clients are obligated under Portable Computers category.

Excluded:

- Calculators – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category
- E-book readers – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category
- Other handheld computing devices
- Personal digital assistants (PDAs) – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category for non-cell-enabled; SEE CELLULAR DEVICES AND PAGERS for cell-enabled

SMALL BATTERY-POWERED RIDE-ON TOYS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Under 12 volt battery powered ride-on toys	✓										
Electronic ride-on toy cars or trucks	✓										
Electronic ride-on toy quads	✓										

Product Definitions:

Electronic Ride-On Toys that are powered with batteries under 12 Volts

Excluded:

- Scooters or baby strollers
- Non-powered scooters if they have lights or speakers
- Any powered device that is not a toy

DISPLAY DEVICES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	≤ 29": \$7.00	≤ 29": \$14.00	≤ 29": \$12.25	< 30": \$4.00	≤ 29": \$5.00	≤ 29": \$5.00	≤ 29": \$7.00	≤ 29": \$5.50	≤ 29": \$16.00	≤ 29": \$10.00	≤ 29": \$10.00
	30-45": \$12.00	30-45": \$24.00	30-45": \$24.50	≥ 30": \$10.00	30-45": \$10.00	30-45": \$10.00	30-45": \$12.00	30-45": \$9.00	30-45": \$31.00	30-45": \$20.00	30-45": \$20.00
	≥ 46": \$28.00	≥ 46": \$56.00	≥ 46": \$40.00		≥ 46": \$25.00	≥ 46": \$25.00	≥ 46": \$28.00	≥ 46": \$24.00	≥ 46": \$46.00	≥ 46": \$35.00	≥ 46": \$35.00
Televisions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Computer monitors	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Professional display monitors	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Closed circuit monitor screens	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dual monitors - two monitors sold under the same sku carry multiple fees	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
All-in-one (AIO) computers: a display device with an embedded computer	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cash registers / POS terminal-desktop/countertop	✓	✓					✓				
Computer monitors used with a Point of Sale (POS) System	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Robust panel PCs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Combination TV/DVD or VHS players	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Security system monitors with integrated DVR	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital interactive monitors with touchscreen capabilities	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Graphic tablets with display > 10"	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable display devices > 10"	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
POS Pole Display	✓	✓					✓				
Electronic White Boards with Display	✓	✓			✓				✓	✓	✓

Product Definitions:

A printing, scanning or facsimile device, that resides on a desktop or similar work surface. For OES, it includes printing, copying, and multifunction devices weighing less than 90 kg. May be a "multi-function" or "all in one" device that performs different tasks such as copy, scan, fax, print, etc., in which case the integrated product is subject to a single EHF. Fax machines packaged with corded or cordless telephone handsets in a single OEM packaged under a single SKU are subject a single EHF. Includes various printing technologies, such as Laser & LED (electrophotographic), ink jet, dot matrix, thermal, dye sublimation, etc.

Excluded:

- Floor standing printers – SEE FLOOR STANDING PRINTING DEVICES AND FLOOR STANDING COPYING DEVICES
- Printing devices that are embedded into non-obligated products, where the printing devices are not the primary product
- Manual typewriters
- Medical imaging, EKG or x-ray printers – SEE MEDICAL AND MONITORING EQUIPMENTS category
- ATM printers
- Microfiches
- Cables or other accessories
- Portable printers and scanners (business card scanners; photonegative scanners) – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category

FLOOR- STANDING PRINTERS, COPIERS AND MULTI-FUNCTION DEVICES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$10.00	-	\$40.00	\$4.80	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$25.00	-	-	-	-
Floor-standing office printers	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor-standing graphics printers	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor-standing wide-format printers	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Commercial plotters	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor-standing multi-function or "all-in-one" devices that perform different tasks such as copy, scan, fax or print	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor-standing photocopiers	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor-standing copy and print devices	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor-standing wide-format copiers and/or multifunction devices	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor standing scanners	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor standing fax machine drum scanners	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor standing fax machine photocopiers	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Floor standing fax machines	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				

Product Definitions:

Printing devices, utilizing all printing technologies that are floor-standing models and that can print on media with dimensions up to 48" wide, for BC, SK and MB. For OES, it includes printing, copying and multi-function devices that are floor-standing models, weighing greater than 90 kg. For ARMA and NWT, it includes all printers/printer combinations weight less than 1,000 kg. Copier and/or multi-function devices that are floor-standing models.

Excluded:

- Newspaper and industrial copying and/or multifunction devices
- Copying and/or multi-function devices capable of printing on media with dimensions greater than 48" wide
- Printing/Copying devices that are embedded into non-obligated products, where the printing device is not the primary product
- Models which are able to utilize an optional floor-stand
- Newspaper and industrial printing devices
- For OES, this material category is called FLOOR STANDING PRINTING DEVICES

COMPUTER PERIPHERALS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.20	\$0.40	-	-	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.50	\$0.50
Computer mouse	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Computer keyboards	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Trackballs	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Keypads	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Touchpad/trackpad mouse	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital notepads	✓	✓						✓			
Media readers	✓	✓						✓			
Network-Attached Storage Devices (NAS)	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
Computer peripheral travel kits	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
External CD-ROM, DVD, HD-DVD and Blu-ray drives	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
External floppy-disk drives	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
Internal Hard Drives							✓				
External Optical disk drives	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
External solid state drives	✓	✓			✓			✓			
External zip drives	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
External hard drives, including home media network hard drives	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
PVR expander drives	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
Numeric keypads	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓			
Controllers	✓	✓			✓						
Graphics tablets without display	✓	✓			✓			✓			
HDMI switches	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Joysticks	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Separately sold remote controls	✓	✓									
Video game console controllers, balance boards, sensors and other input devices	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Modems	See IT & Telecom	✓			✓		✓	✓			
Telephony Gateways	See IT & Telecom	✓									
Routers, Bridges, Wireless Access Points, Switches, Range Extenders	See IT & Telecom	✓						✓			
Embedded multimedia terminal adapters (EMTA)	See IT & Telecom	✓						✓			
Hard drive duplicators	✓	✓					✓	✓			

COMPUTER PERIPHERALS CONT'D

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.20	\$0.40	-	-	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.50	\$0.50
Multimedia controllers	✓	✓			✓						
Laptop Docking Stations/Port Replicators	✓	✓						✓			
Hard drive enclosures	✓	✓									
Cellphone signal boosters	See IT & Telecom	✓						✓			

Product Definitions:
 A manual input keying or pointing devices, such as a mouse, a keyboard, or a similar device, designed for use with a desktop or portable computer. Includes both wired and wireless devices.
 Additionally, OES includes integrated modems, disk drives and optical drives.
 A modem refers to a device that encodes digital computer signals into analog/analogue telephone signals and vice-versa and allows computers to communicate over a phone line or cable connection.
 For BC, YT, SK, MB, QC, NB, NS&PE and NL a combination of a single mouse and a single keyboard packaged in one OEM box under a single SKU is subject to a single EHF

- Excluded:**
- Stylus pens
 - Smart pens
 - Magnetic stripe readers – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category
 - Network hubs and switches – SEE IT AND TELECOM EQUIPMENT category
 - Mobile internet sticks (cellular telecommunications program)
 - Wireless adapters
 - Bluetooth dongles
 - Computer peripherals that are supplied as replacement parts under a warranty and non-warranty service repair arrangement
 - Internal components contained within the original desktop or portable computer at the time of supply
 - Speakers, cameras, microphone – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category
 - Satellite networking devices
 - Cables, connectors, chargers, memory cards as well as USB keys
 - Remote control - SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS
 - Keyboard embedded in ICI equipment
 - Security system input devices
 - Fingerprint readers
 - Embedded controllers

PERSONAL/PORTABLE AUDIO/VIDEO PLAYBACK AND/OR RECORDING SYSTEMS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.25	\$0.50	-	-	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.25	\$0.75	\$0.50	\$0.50
Portable AM/FM radios	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clock radios	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Wi-Fi Internet radios	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Citizen band radios	✓	✓					✓	✓			
Portable stereos, including those enabled to connect to wireless Internet	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable tapeplayers/recorders/ e.g dictating machines/transcribers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable disc (CD, DVD, Blu-ray, etc.) players/recorders	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable digital readers (e.g. MP3, MP4 players)	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Docking stations for portable digital players (e.g. MP3,MP4 players,etc), smart phones and other portable devices	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Portable docking/compact/folding speakers (wired and wireless including Wi-Fi or Bluetooth) (e.g. USB computer speakers; solar powered iPods; iPhone dock stations)	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable cassette or digital audio/voice recorders	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable video playback devices	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Headphones	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Mini earphones and microphones	✓				✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Headsets (wired and wireless, including Bluetooth)	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Microphones for use with an obligated product	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital cameras	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Non-digital cameras	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
Lenses & flashes	✓	✓									
HD cameras and microphones	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital photo key chains	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Video cameras/ camcorders	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs) which are not enabled to connect to cellular networks	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Multi-function satellite radios that include CD, MP3, AM/FM radio or other audio functions	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Multi-function radios that include CD, MP3, AM/FM or other audio functions	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable scanners (e.g., business card scanners; photo negative scanners)	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

PERSONAL/PORTABLE AUDIO/VIDEO PLAYBACK AND/OR RECORDING SYSTEMS CONT'D

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.25	\$0.50	-	-	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.25	\$0.75	\$0.50	\$0.50
Portable printers (e.g., portable photo printers)	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Webcams / Web cameras	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital frames	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable displays – screen size less than 10"	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sound, image and wave storage devices	✓	✓						✓			
Video monitors and camera systems <i>e.g baby videos & audio monitors & cameras, portable video surveillance systems</i>	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Audio baby monitors	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Handheld printers such as calculators with printing capabilities and label makers	✓	✓					✓				
Portable Point of Sale (POS) receipt printers	✓	✓					✓				
Handheld barcode scanners	✓	✓					✓	✓			
Pen scanners	✓	✓			✓		✓				
Industrial or commercial handheld or mobile computing devices	✓	✓					✓				
Portable two-way radios/FRS radios/GMRS radios/walkie-talkies/CB radios	✓	✓					✓	✓			
Professional radios	✓	✓									
Handheld video game systems	✓	✓			✓			✓			
E-book readers	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Electronic calculators	✓	✓									
Electronic dictionaries	✓	✓									
Single use disposable cameras	✓	✓					✓				
Intercoms	✓	✓									
Global Positioning System (GPS) receivers and components designed to be used for leisure or sports (e.g. hiking GPS)	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Magnetic stripe readers (sold individually)	✓	✓									
Personal FM transmitters	✓	✓					✓				
Satellite radio receivers (hand-held)	✓	✓						✓			
Portable microphone and amplifier bundles	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital visualizers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Tely HD	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portable multimedia projectors	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

PERSONAL/PORTABLE AUDIO/VIDEO PLAYBACK AND/OR RECORDING SYSTEMS CONT'D

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.25	\$0.50	-	-	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.75	\$0.25	\$0.75	\$0.50	\$0.50
Radio with flashlight	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Breathalyzers	✓	✓									
HD antennas	✓	✓						✓			
Odometers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sonars/Fishfinders	✓	✓									
White noise machines	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Product Definitions:

Personal and/or portable devices that can transmit, record and/or playback an image, audio or video using a variety of technologies including mechanical, optical and digital technologies and that operates on battery power or is powered directly from the device they are connected to (i.e. computer).

Portable audio/video players supplied with accessory headphones in a single OEM package under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.

Multiple speakers supplied in a single OEM package and sold under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.

For OES, this material category is called IMAGE, AUDIO, AND VIDEO DEVICES

Excluded:

- Discs (CDs, DVDs, Blu-ray, HDDVD, etc.)
- Industrial/commercial quality microphones used for musical recording, performances and/or public address, and not for use with an obligated product – SEE MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS *
- Cables or other accessories e.g. connectors and remote controls
- Cellular-enabled PDAs – SEE CELLULAR DEVICES
- 3D Glasses
- CD-writing drives contained within, or replacements parts for Desktop and Portable Computers– SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS category
- DVD-writing drives contained within, or replacement parts for Desktop and Portable Computers - – SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS category
- Non-audio optical disk-players
- Optical disk drives – SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS category
- Webcams embedded in Desktop Computers and Portable Computers
- Cameras embedded in devices for which the primary function is not to record an image/ video (e.g. document cameras for use with data projectors; ToolCam inspection cameras; underwater digital camera masks; security cameras embedded with lighting; camera pens)
- Speakers embedded in a non-obligated product (e.g. chair with embedded speakers)
- Cellular-enabled Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs) – SEE CELLULAR DEVICES AND PAGERS category
- Non-electronic toys
- Stuffed toys without electronics
- Connectors
- Remote controls - SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS

ELECTRONIC TOYS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Metal or hard plastic toys with electronics	✓										
Plush textiles with electronics	✓										
Remote control vehicles	✓										
Children's toy/learning computer	✓										
Electronic action accessories (i.e. electronic swords, blasters, etc.)	✓										
Electronic action figures or dolls	✓										
Electronic board or table top games	✓										
Electronic learning aids (i.e. electronic toy books)	✓										
Electronic plastic toy animals	✓										
Electronic toy apparels (i.e. electronic helmets, capes, etc.)	✓										
Electronic toy cameras	✓										
Electronic toy robots	✓										
Electronic toy sports equipment (i.e. indoor electronic basketball backboards)	✓										
Electronic toy vehicles	✓										
Interactive plush toys	✓										
Outdoor electronic toys (i.e. fishing rods)	✓										

Product Definitions:
 All electronic toys except micro toys, small & large battery powered ride-on toys

Excluded:

- Children's flashlights
- Children's watches
- Stuffed or plush toys without electronics
- Toys without electronics embedded
- Accessories, cabling, & components sold separately that don't constitute the primary toy or game
- Board games with non-electric 'wind-up' timers or similar non-electric parts
- Sport/Leisure equipment

HOME AUDIO/VIDEO PLAYBACK AND/OR RECORDING SYSTEMS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.10	\$2.20	-	-	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$2.50	\$0.80	\$2.75	\$2.00	\$2.00
Video cassette players (VCRs) and/or video projectors	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital projectors	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Digital Video Recorders (DVRs)	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Personal Video Recorders (PVRs)	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Non-portable Disc players/ recorders (DVD, Blu-ray, etc.)	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Laser Disc players/recorders	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cable & satellite digital receivers	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Set-top boxes Including digital TV	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Home automation controllers	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Wireless HD audio/video kits	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Internet media streamers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Converters	✓	✓						✓			
Non-portable AM/FM radios with satellite capabilities	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Non-portable AM/FM radios	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Non-portable combination multimedia players	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Non-portable combination cassette recorders and players	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Analog & digital video cameras for security or other closed circuit use	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Industrial/commercial quality amplifiers, speakers	✓	✓					✓				
Industrial/commercial equipment related to musical recordings, performances	✓	✓									
Public address systems	✓	✓					✓				
Horn Speakers	✓	✓									
Commercial, professional or industrial video cameras	✓	✓					✓				
Commercial, professional or industrial microphones	✓	✓									
Amplifiers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Frequency equalizers	✓	✓					✓	✓			
Receivers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
CD or tape decks	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Turntables/record players	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

HOME AUDIO/VIDEO PLAYBACK AND/OR RECORDING SYSTEMS CONT'D

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.10	\$2.20	-	-	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$2.50	\$0.80	\$2.75	\$2.00	\$2.00
Home speaker systems such as 5.1 and 7.1 speaker packages supplied without amplifier or video player	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Bar Speakers	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Home speaker systems with docking station e.g. sound dock systems	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Other digital music recorders/players	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Non-portable audio docking stations	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Non-portable combination cassettes	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Built-in or wall-mounted intercoms	✓	✓									
Home/non-commercial video gaming equipment consoles (TV or screen required)	✓	✓			✓			✓			
Karaoke machines	✓	✓					✓	✓			
Multimedia players/recorders	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Multimedia projectors	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Overhead projectors	✓	✓									
Small satellite dishes	✓	✓									
Video management systems	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Network cameras	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Signage players	✓	✓									
CD burners/duplicators	✓	✓									
White noise machines	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Product Definitions:

Home and/or non-portable devices that can transmit, record and/or playback an image, audio or video using a variety of technologies including mechanical, optical and digital technologies.
 Home and/or non-portable peripheral audio devices that enable playback as well as home/non commercial video gaming equipments (TV or Screen required) in QC.
 Multiple speakers supplied in a single OEM package and sold under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.
 Multiple security cameras supplied in a single OEM package and sold under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.
For OES, this material category is called IMAGE, AUDIO, VIDEO DEVICES HOME/NON-PORTABLE

Excluded:

- Cables or other accessories e.g. Connectors and chargers
- Remote controls - SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS
- Audio baby monitors and receivers -SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE A/V category
- 3D Glasses
- Web cameras – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE A/V category
- Digital Frames – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE A/V category
- Clock radios – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE A/V category
- Global Positioning Systems (GPS) for both portable and aftermarket vehicle installation – SEE AFTERMARKET VEHICLE ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS category
- DVD-writing drives contained within, or replacement parts for Desktop and Non-audio optical disk-players.
- External Optical disk drives SEE COMPUTER PERIPHERALS Category
- Industrial/commercial quality broadcasting or satellite cameras

HOME THEATRE IN A BOX

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.10	\$2.20	-	-	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$2.50	\$0.80	\$2.75	\$2.00	\$2.00
Home theatre image, audio and video equipment sold as a package/bundle with a single point-of-sale SKU supplied from one OEM. Includes: • Peripheral audio devices. • Audio and video equipment sold as a package/bundle that is used in residential and non-residential locations. • Amplifiers • Disc players • Speakers • Sub-woofers and all associated cables, etc.	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Product Definitions:

Bundled combinations of devices that can transmit, record and/or playback an image, audio or video using a variety of technologies.
 Bundled combinations must be supplied from one OEM and sold under one SKU as a complete system intended to provide an "in-home" theatre experience

Excluded:

- Home speaker systems – SEE HOME A/V category
- Home theatre image, audio and video equipment sold as a package/ bundle with more than a single point-of-sale SKU (report separately)
- Home theatre bundles that include televisions



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Product Definitions:

Aftermarket audio and/or video systems or system components intended to replace or supplement OEM factory-installed systems or system components. Multiple speakers supplied in a single OEM package and sold under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.

Excluded:

Factory-installed audio and video equipment developed for imbedded use in motorized vehicles of any type (including automobiles, aircraft, marine craft, motorcycles & recreational vehicles). Examples of products or devices that would fall under this exclusion include:

- Marine-craft radios
- Intercom systems
- Factory-installed dash navigation systems
- Factory-installed back-up camera systems
- Vehicle mounted computers
- Related cables or other accessories
- Satellite radio receivers and components
- Related cables or accessories
- CB radios

NON-CELLULAR TELEPHONES AND ANSWERING MACHINES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.45	\$0.90	-	-	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$1.50	\$0.45	\$0.85	\$0.60	\$0.60
Wire line telephones including rotary and touchtone technologies	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cordless telephones requiring an electrical base station/handset cradles for battery charging and wire-line network connection	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
VoIP phones	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
VoIP home phone services	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Satellite phones	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Telephone line answering machines that utilize cassette-based or digital recording technologies	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Telephone amplifiers	✓	✓					✓	✓			
VoIP phone adapters	✓	✓									
Telephone recording device	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
USB speakerphones	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Speakers/Conference phones	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Product Definitions:
 A telecommunication device with a handset, multiple handsets or microphone and speaker systems that is used to transmit and receive sound (most commonly speech).
 A device that is designed to record sound from incoming calls over a telephone line or VOIP line.
 Accessory handsets packaged with a telephone in a single OEM package under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.
 Accessory speakers/microphones packaged with a speaker/conference phone in a single OEM package under a single SKU are subject to a single EHF.
 For OES, this material category is called TELEPHONES AND TELEPHONE ANSWERING MACHINES
 OES definition is slightly different, view it by accessing the Ontario provincial document

Excluded:

- Telecommunication equipment developed for embedded use in motor vehicles of any type – SEE VEHICLES category
- Commercial-grade “pay phones”
- Voicemail/answering machine devices that utilize a centralized networked system
- Audio baby monitors and receivers - SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE A/V category
- Telephone accessories including headsets and hands-free accessories – SEE PERSONAL/PORTABLE category: PRODUCTS INCLUDED
- Fax machines – SEE PRINTERS category

CELLULAR DEVICES AND PAGERS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.07	\$0.14	-	-	-	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07
Cellular phones	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cellular phones offering camera, video recording and/or audio functions	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Smart phones	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Palmtop computers (cell-enabled)	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cell-enabled PDAs utilizing touch-screen technology	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cell-enabled handheld devices	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pagers	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Phablet/smart phone hybrids	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Product Definitions: A handheld mobile communication device that transmit voice or data signals. Includes cell-enabled Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs).											
Excluded: Non-cell-enabled PDAs (Included in Personal/Portable Image, Audio, and Video Devices category)											

COUNTERTOP MICROWAVE OVENS

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	<1.0 cu. Ft.: \$10.94 >1.0 cu. Ft.: \$10.94	-	-	<1.0 cu. Ft.: \$1.50 >1.0 cu. Ft.: \$1.50	<1.0 cu. Ft.: \$1.50 >1.0 cu. Ft.: \$1.50	-	-	-	-	-
May include microwave ovens from hotel rooms or restaurant units similar in chassis type to household type units		✓			✓	✓					
Product Definitions: A self-contained cooking appliance, designed to sit (non-enclosed) on a countertop, table, or shelf, that uses electromagnetic energy to perform the cooking function											
Excluded: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTR/MHC: built-in or over-the-range microwave ovens and microwave/range hood combinations; microwaves that are built into a wall assembly or combined with a thermal wall oven; microwave ovens that are installed under a counter, in a wall cabinet, or attached to the wall of a cabinet • Large industrial or commercial kitchen or microwave ovens 											

IT AND TELECOM EQUIPMENT CONT'D

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	<2 kg: \$0.25 2-10 kg: \$1.00 10-50 kg: \$1.40 50-200 kg: \$10.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
POS terminals (50-200kg)	✓										
Zero clients	✓										
Video splitters	✓										
Wireless audio/video transmitters/RF Transmitters	✓										
Cellphone signal boosters	✓							See Comp. Peripherals			
Flash memory duplicators	✓										
Floor-standing servers and routers	✓										
KVM drawers with display (rackable keyboards with display for data centre applications)	✓										
Telephony Gateways	✓										

Product Definitions:

Excluded:

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS CONT'D

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$1.10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Percussion instruments with built-in active electronics and power from an AC source or AC adaptor, including:	✓										
Electronic cymbals	✓										
Electronic drums	✓										
Electronic hand percussion pads	✓										
Electronic rhythm trainers or practice pads	✓										
Keyboard instruments with built-in active or passive electronics, to plug directly into AC current with a wall cord, including:	✓										
Digital pianos	✓										
Electronic keyboards	✓										
Industrial/commercial quality microphones used for musical recording, performances and/or public address, and not for use with an obligated product (e.g. wireless microphone systems)	✓										
MIDI controllers and devices	✓										
Guitar amplifier	✓						See Home Audio/Video				
Synthesizers	✓										
Amplifiers, mixers, and speaker enclosures for musical instruments and public address systems	✓										
DJ mixers and electronic audio devices	✓										

Product Definitions:

Non-portable musical instruments with electronics that must be connected directly to an AC power source ("corded") (<200 kg).

Excluded:

- Replacement or repair parts for musical instruments are not chargeable
- Installed products
- Products greater than 200 kg
- Stage lighting systems laser effects, fog machines, etc.
- Lamps or illuminating devices such as piano lamps, stand lamps, etc.
- Parts for musical instruments that are not chargeable
- Parts or replacement vacuum tubes for musical amplifiers

Product Definitions: Electronic medical devices & monitoring and control equipment
Excluded: • Electronic fertility monitors • Light therapy

MICRO TOYS ELECTRONIC

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	\$0.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Electronic toy promotional items (i.e. sold with meals)	✓										
Electronic action figures or dolls	✓										
Electronic toy key chains	✓										
Electronic toy vehicles	✓										
FURTHER EXAMPLES TO BE POSTED											

Product Definitions: Electronic Toys generally weighing less than 50 grams.
Excluded: • Children's flashlights • Toys without electronics imbedded • Children's watches • Accessories, cabling, & components sold separately that don't constitute the primary toy or game

TIME MEASUREMENT DEVICES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$0.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alarm Clocks/wall clocks		✓									
Timers		✓									

Product Definitions: Portable devices used for measuring time.
Excluded:



WEIGHT MEASUREMENT DEVICES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$0.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bathroom scales		✓									
Food scales		✓									
Luggage scales		✓									
Product Definitions: Portable devices used for measuring weight.											
Excluded: Small scales designed to fit in a pocket (rather than rest on a counter or floor) or any scale that weigh less than 250 grams (not including packaging and batteries)											

AIR TREATMENT APPLIANCES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$1.75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portable fans with plug		✓									
Heaters		✓									
Air Purifiers/Humidifiers		✓									
Aromatherapy Diffusers with a cord		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											
Air freshners, scent diffusers (wall plug-in design)											
Personal fans-small fans designed to be portable such as clip-on or handheld or pocketsize under 250 grams (not including packaging and batteries)											

GARMENT CARE APPLIANCES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$1.23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shavers for clothes		✓									
Portable heated towel racks with plug		✓									
Irons and steamers		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											
Lint removers/clothing shavers weighing less than 250g											

PERSONAL CARE APPLIANCES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$1.75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tooth care appliances		✓									
Shavers		✓									
Hair cutting and drying appliances		✓									
Hair straighteners		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											
Mini massagers under 250 grams (not including packing and batteries)											
Razors that use cell batteries or weigh less than 250 grams (not including packaging and batteries)											
Toothbrushes that use primary cell batteries											

KITCHEN COUNTERTOP HEATING AND COOKING APPLIANCES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$1.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Toasters/Toaster Ovens, fryers, hot plates		✓									
Bread maker		✓									
Induction cookers		✓									
Pressure cookers		✓									
Waffle irons		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											
Microwave ovens - See Countertop Microwave Ovens category.											
Mug warmers (small heating devices designed to fit under a mug to keep beverage warm)											



KITCHEN COUNTERTOP MOTORIZED APPLIANCES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$0.88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blenders, mixers, food processors		✓									
Juice extractors		✓									
Coffee grinders, food dehydraters		✓									
Fondue fountains		✓									
Vacuum sealers		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											
Frothers (handheld)											

KITCHEN COUNTERTOP APPLIANCES FOR MAKING HOT BEVERAGES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$1.23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coffee makers		✓									
Kettles		✓									
Espresso makers		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											

SMALL FLOOR CLEANING DEVICES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$0.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Handheld vacuum cleaners/stick vacuums		✓									
Handheld Floor/Surface Steamers		✓									
Electric Dust Pans		✓									
Steam Mops		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded: Mini table vacuums weighing less than 250g											

FULL SIZE FLOOR CLEANING DEVICES

PROVINCE	BC	YT	NT	ARMA	SK	MB	OES	QC	NB	NS/PE	NL
EHF	-	\$4.38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Floor standing vacuum cleaners		✓									
Upright vacuum cleaners		✓									
Carpet cleaners, robotic vacuums		✓									
Product Definitions:											
Excluded:											

NOTES:

1. Products included/excluded are examples based upon member inquiries but do not represent an exhaustive list of all obligated products by category. Stewards must assess products against the definitions of each obligated product category to determine the applicability and appropriate EHF, and may consult the program for assistance in clarification where required.
2. Products identified as “Included in the Obligated Category” are subject to the EHF for that category; Products identified as “Not Included in the Obligated Category” are not subject to the EHF for that category, however, members must consider all obligated product categories to determine if the product meets the definition of another obligated product category.
3. In selected cases, selected products such as cables, connectors, chargers and remote controls, memory cards and USB keys are regulated and will be accepted for recycling at QC depots, but do not attract an EHF.
4. Electronic equipment designed and intended to be used exclusively in an industrial, commercial or institutional (ICI) setting which exceed a unit weight threshold of 120 kilograms shall be excluded from the program (QC only).
5. A product is excluded from any category if it weighs >200kg, is professionally installed, or cannot readily and safely be de-installed, transported and/or recycled (BC, SK, MB and YT only).
6. A product is excluded from any category if it has been implanted in a person, if it is surgically invasive or is inserted into a patient's body, if it requires decontamination prior to recycling, or if it has come into contact with blood or other biological contaminants prior to end-of-life (BC only).
7. There are two instances where multiple obligated products may be packaged by the original equipment manufacturer (OEM) in a single physical package carrying a single SKU (stock-keeping unit) and be subject to one EHF for the entire package of products:
 - a) Where the product definition above specifically includes multiple obligated products, or
 - b) Where a product is comprised of different functional components that are sometimes sold separately, but in this case are integrate into a single operating unit.

In this instance, the integrated product carries the single highest EHF. Examples include:

Phase I

- Display device with integrated video player (DVD, VCR, Blu-ray, etc.)
- Printer/Scanner/Fax (all-in-ones)

Phase II

- Multiple drive players integrated into a single device –e.g. DVD & VCR player
- Fax machine with a corded telephone handset
- Telephone with built-in answering machine
- Security display monitor with built-in digital video recorder (DVR)

8. Floor-standing equipment should only include equipment which is integrated, and which cannot easily be broken down by the end-user for recycling (e.g. a mainframe). Floor-standing equipment is not considered one unit under the program if the equipment is comprised of easily-removable subcomponents. If the latter is the case, the rack or frame containing the equipment is excluded and the individual sub-components are covered in categories above as individual/multiple units.

9. Electronic Toys are defined as a plaything placed on the market that uses a cable/plug, batteries, of any type, or other untethered mechanism, to provide power to operate a feature function.

10. The list of Product Definitions and Clarifications may be revised periodically by the Program.