

Table 13.5-- ELECTRIC COMPANY CUSTOMERS HAWAII COUNTY: 1996 TO 1999

(As of December 31)

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999
Hawaii County				
Residential Customers	49,860	50,590	51,277	52,277
Residential Customers by Service Area <u>1/</u>				
Hilo	26,051	26,460	26,730	27,106
Kona	14,561	14,733	15,035	15,516
Waimea	9,248	9,397	9,512	9,655
Hawaii County				
All Customers	59,349	60,220	61,228	62,478

1/ Service Areas:

Hilo Service Area: Waipunalei (North Hilo District) to South Point (Ka'u District).

Kona Service Area: Kahuku Ranch (Ka'u District) to Pu'uana'hulu (North Kona District).

Waimea Service Area: Waikoloa (South Kohala District) to O'okala (North Hilo District).

Source: Hawaii Electric Light Company, Inc., Customer Services Department.