# **WEL Networks**

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10%

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3 year ratios

\$1.62

category

Network opex /

metre of line

Opex by expenditure

**Business support** 

Rank: 16

System operations & network support

Service interruptions & emergencies

Routine & corrective maintenance

Related party transactions

Asset replacement & renewal

Vegetation management

Total operating expenditure

+30.2%

+9.0%

15

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Explanatory documentation: Link

### Summary database: Link

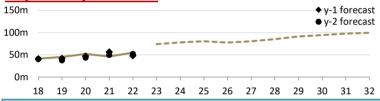
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### **Summary statistics** 2022 5 year 3 year Rank CAGR value trend Regulatory asset base \$644m +1.3% 7 Regulatory profit \$55.5m +3.3% 6 Return on investment 9.91% +3.5% 9 \$102.2m Line charge revenue -8.7% \$1.1m -36.0% Other income 96,894 +1.8% 6 **Customer connections** Energy delivered 1,331 GWh +1.2% 308 MW +3.5% Peak demand 7 996 MVA Network capacity +2.0% \$54.8m +6.6% 7 Capital expenditure Operating expenditure \$32.3m +9.3% 7 7 Capital contributions \$9.3m -3.5% 8 Related party transactions -17.1% \$16.2m Line length 5,570km +0.7% 8

### **Capital expenditure**

Outages - SAIDI

Outages - SAIFI



251 minutes

2.15 faults

	3 year ratio	os				
	Total capex / asset base		Total capex / connections		Total capex / depreciation	
	8.0%	Rank: 15	\$536	Rank: 16	2.38	Rank: 9
Capex by expenditure				Average	5 year	% o

Capex by expenditure category	Average (2020–2022)	5 year trend	% of capex
Consumer connection	\$18.7m		36.7%
Asset replacement & renewal	\$15.2m		29.7%
Asset relocations	\$5.4m		10.5%
Non-network assets	\$4.7m		9.1%
System growth	\$4.5m		8.7%
Reliability, safety & environment	\$2.7m		5.2%
Total capital expenditure	\$51.0m		100.0%
Related party transactions	\$10.9m		21.3%

### Line charge revenues

Opening RAB: \$569.3million

**Operating expenditure** 

Revaluations

Pro	•		rges unit	Rank
Average daily charge	22.5%	72.7¢	/ICP	17
Delivery (kWh)	51.7%	4.4¢/kWh		15
Peak based	25.8%	\$96/kW		9
2019				
2022				
■ Fixed ■ I	Delivery	■ Peak	Othe	r

Annualised RAB changes (2020-2022)

Assets

commissioned

Rank	n	Charges per unit		Proportion of revenue	
17	P	72.7¢/ICP		22.5%	narge
15	/h	4.4¢/kWh		51.7%	
9	W	\$96/kW		25.8%	
	Other	<	■ Peak	eliverv	D

Depreciation

18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

Non-network opex /

connections

Rank: 18

Average (2020-2022)

\$12.7m

\$7.7m

\$4.0m

\$2.0m

\$1.6m

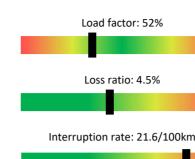
\$1.4m

\$29.4m

\$6.9m

\$214

### **Network ratios**



Closing RAB: \$644.3million change: \$75.0m (+4.2% p.a.)

Total opex /

kW

Rank: 22

% of

opex

43.3%

26.1%

13.5%

6.7%

5.5%

4.9%

100.0%

23.7%

\$102

5 year

trend

Other

adjustments

Asset disposals

## **Company details**

PQ Regulated?

CEO: **Garth Dibley** Ownership: WEL Energy Trust

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### Lines and cables









Estimated state				
of the assets	Oistribution & LV O/H lines	Distribution & LV U/G cables	Subtransmission lines and cables	Poles
Quantity	2,897km	2,231km	457km	39,227
RAB Value	\$131.7m	\$200.0m	\$70.6m	*
Average grade	4.84	4.34	4.68	4.82
Grade 1 / 2	0.0% / 0.0%	0.0% / 0.0%	0.0% / 0.0%	0.0% / 0.3%
Unknown grade	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	6.5%
Average age	38 years	23 years	23 years	35 years
Over generic age	39km (1.3%)	130km (5.8%)	18km (3.8%)	1,110 (2.8%)
Unknown age	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
5yr replacement req (e	st) 0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%
5yr planned replaceme	nt 1.2%	0.0%	0.0%	18.8%
Forecast repex (ave)	\$9.8m +7%	\$1.4m +34%	\$0.5m +14%	*
Repex series		<u> </u>	<b>^</b>	*

<sup>\*</sup> RAB and expenditure on poles is included within Distribution and LV lines

## Switchgear and transformers

Estimated state				
of the assets	Distribution transformers	Distribution	Zone-substation transformers	Zone-substation
Quantity	6,318	switchgear 8,116	50	switchgear 213
•	•	•		
RAB Value	\$70.3m	\$44.5m	< \$	80.0m>
Average grade	4.75	4.84	4.82	4.96
Grade 1 / 2	0.1% / 0.5%	0.0% / 0.2%	0.0% / 0.0%	0.0% / 0.0%
Unknown grade	19.8%	5.8%	0.0%	29.1%
Average age	19 years	20 years	27 years	23 years
Over generic age	583 (9.2%)	1,958 (24.1%)	16 (31.2%)	47 (22.0%)
Unknown age	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
5yr replacement req (es	t) 0.4%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
5yr planned replacemen	t 4.6%	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Forecast repex (ave)	\$1.2m -6%	\$1.9m -8%	\$0.3	3m -63%
Repex series	······	<i></i>		



<u>eliability</u>						
	Unplanned	Planned	Trend			
terruptions	817	388	1			
AIDI	210.5	40.1	1			
AIFI	1.89	0.26	1			
AIDI	111 4	154.2	1			

AIDI causes				SAIFI causes		
Weather & external				Obstruction		
Planned			Planned			
Obstruction			Weather & external			
Equipment & human error				Equipment & human error		
Unknown				Unkno	wn	
1%	10%	20%	30%	40% 0%	10%	20%