

Costs and Revenue

Total costs at R161,993,000 represent a cost per unit sold of 0.5608 cent, and includes an amount of R730,000 on research expenses, mainly as a contribution towards the Atomic Energy Board.

The total revenue from the sales of electricity and sundry revenue amounted to R161,475,000, an increase of R14,692,000, over the total revenue for 1967.

The more important components of Escom's cost structure are shown in the diagram, on page 20, depicting the production costs for the year 1968.