

VERIZON EAST - GSTC
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APPENDIX B2: 2005 Annual Filing, Short Form (GSTCAS05.WK4)

CALCULATION OF PERCENT CHANGE

Line #	Description
1.	2003 4th Quarter GDP Chain-Weighted Price Index
2.	2004 4th Quarter GDP Chain-Weighted Price Index
3.	Percent Change

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GE IN GDPPI

Source	Amount
U.S. Department of Commerce	106.60
U.S. Department of Commerce	109.20
(Line 2 -Line 1) / Line 1	2.4390%