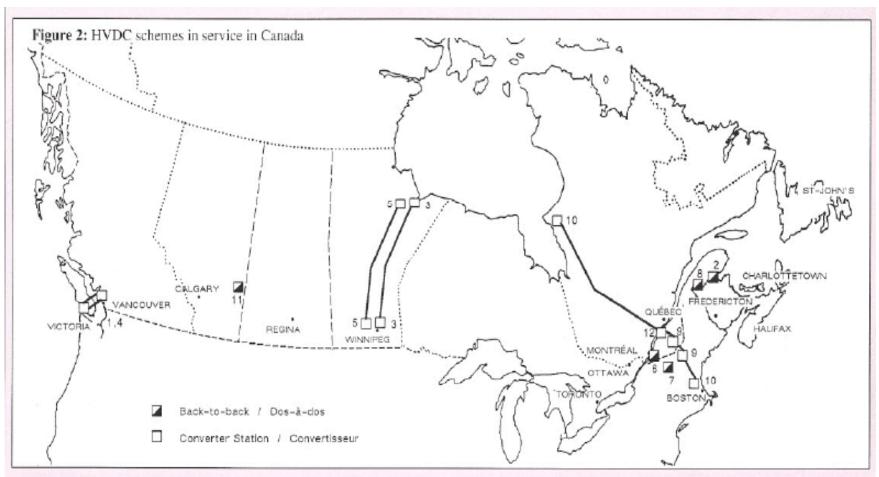
High Voltage DC Cables in Canada



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Close and Return







300 kV DC Sub-marine Cables

Year Voltage Capacity MW Operation

1969 300 310 Monopolar

1975 300 370 Mono-polar

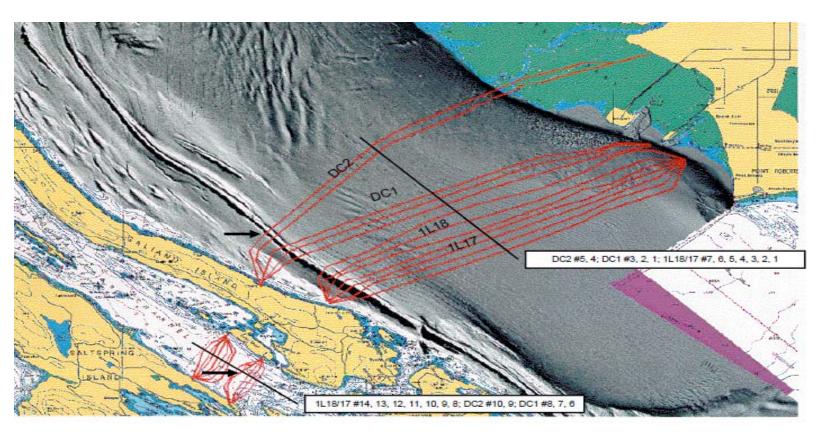
Cable Laying by 'Marcel Bayard' - 1969



Floating the shore ends



Mainland to Vancouver Island



Southern VI HV AC/DC Submarine Cable Locations



Québec

Interconnection with New England at +/_450 kV

A Bi-polar HV DC cables system is installed in a tunnel under the Saint Lawrence River

Size 1400 mm²

Voltage +/- 450 kV

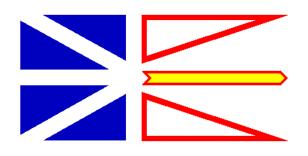
Capacity 2000 MW

450 kV DC Cables

Cable pulling in the tunnel



Newfoundland-Nova Scotia





What is being planned?

A new HV DC submarine cable interconnection between Newfoundland and Nova Scotia is being planned

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Experience

Good experience for over 40 years (BC) Good experience for almost 20 years (QC)

The future of DC submarine and land cables is promissing

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Thank you