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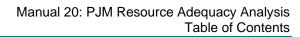


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Introduction

Welcome to the PJM Manual for *PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis*. In this Introduction, you will find the following information:

- What you can expect from the PJM Manuals in general (see "About PJM Manuals").
- What you can expect from this PJM Manual (see "About This Manual").
- How to use this manual (see "Using This Manual").

About PJM Manuals

The PJM Manuals are the instructions, rules, procedures, and guidelines established by PJM for the operation, planning, and accounting requirements of PJM and the PJM Energy Market. The manuals are grouped under the following categories:

- Transmission
- PJM Energy Market
- Generation and Transmission interconnection
- Reserve
- Accounting and Billing
- PJM administrative services

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About This Manual

The PJM Manual for **PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis** is one of a series of manuals within the Reserve manuals. This manual focuses on the process and procedure for establishing the amount of generating capacity required to supply customer load with sufficient reserve for reliable service.

The PJM Manual for PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis consists of four sections. The sections are as follows:

- Section 1: Resource Adequacy Planning
- Section 2: Capacity Review Process by Generation Owners
- Section 3: PJM Installed Reserve Margin (IRM) and Reliability analysis
- Section 4: PJM Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective (CETO) analysis

Intended Audience(s)

The intended audiences for the PJM Manual for *PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis* are:

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- Electric Distribution Company (EDC) resource planners The EDC resource planners are responsible for supplying load and generator data in the required format, and for input data verification.
- PJM Capacity Resource Owners Owners of PJM-qualified Capacity Resources are responsible for supplying generator data in the required format, and for input data verification.
- PJM Planning Staff PJM planning division staff is responsible for the calculation of the Installed Reserve Margin, Forecast Pool Requirement, Demand Resource Factor, Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective (CETO), and the Winter Weekly Reserve Target.
- *PJM Market Services Staff* PJM Market Services staff is responsible for the operation and settlement of the PJM Capacity Market.
- PJM Audit Staff PJM Audit staff is responsible for ensuring that reserve sharing requirements guidelines are unbiased and consistent among the PJM Members.
- Reserve Requirement Assumptions Working Group members The Reserve Requirement Assumptions Working Group (RRAWG) reports to the Planning Committee and is responsible for reviewing the modeling and study assumptions used to evaluate the annual PJM reserve requirement study as well as other associated modeling. The RRAWG provides reports and recommendations to the Planning Committee.
- Planning Committee members The Planning Committee (PC) is responsible for reviewing the techniques used to evaluate PJM reliability and determine capacity obligations. The PC also provides a recommendation for the Installed Reserve Margin, Forecast Pool Requirement, Demand Resource Factor, and the Winter Weekly Reserve Target.
- Markets and Reliability Committee members The Markets and Reliability
 Committee (MRC) members are responsible for the approval of rules, methods and
 parameters associated with the PJM Reserve Requirement. The MRC also provides
 a recommendation for the Installed Reserve Margin, Forecast Pool Requirement and
 Demand Resource Factor.
- Members Committee The Members Committee reviews the recommendation of the MRC and provides its recommendation to the PJM Board of Managers concerning the Installed Reserve Margin, Forecast Pool Requirement, and Demand Resource Factor.
- PJM Board of Managers The PJM Board of Managers reviews the assessments and recommendations and approves the Installed Reserve Margin, Forecast Pool Requirement, and Demand Resource Factor.

References

The References to other documents that provide background or additional detail directly related to the PJM Manual for *PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis* are:

- The Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EP Act 2005)
- PJM Reliability Assurance Agreement

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- PJM Operating Agreement
- PJM Manual 13 for Emergency Operations
- PJM Manual 14B for Generation and Transmission Interconnection Planning, Attachment E.
- PJM Manual 18 for PJM Capacity Market
- PJM Manual 19 for Load Forecasting and Analysis
- PJM Manual 21 for Rules and Procedures for Determination of Generating Capability
- PJM Manual 22 for Generator Resource Performance Indices
- PJM eGADS User Guide
- PJM Manual 29 for Billing
- PJM Manual 35 for Definitions and Abbreviations
- Reserve Requirement Study report posted under Planning Committee on the PJM web site. (http://www.pjm.com/committees/planning/planning.html)
- PJM paper posted on the PJM web site titled "PJM Generation Adequacy Analysis: Technical Methods".
- PJM web site <u>www.pjm.com/Rstudy</u>, PJM Planning Division Capacity Model.
- ReliabilityFirst Corporation's Standard BAL-502-RFC-01, Resource Planning Reserve Requirements.
- 2007 NESUG Conference paper, Applications Big and Small section, "Reinventing a Legacy System using SAS, the Web and OLAP reporting". (www.nesug.org)

Using This Manual

Because we believe that explaining concepts is just as important as presenting the procedures, we start each section with an overview. Then, we present details and procedures. This philosophy is reflected in the way we organize the material in this manual. The following paragraphs provide an orientation to the manual's structure.

What You Will Find In This Manual

- A table of contents
- An approval page that lists the required approvals and revision history
- This introduction
- Sections containing the specific reliability requirements, guidelines, and procedures including PJM actions and PJM Member actions.

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Section 1: Resource Adequacy Planning

Welcome to the *Resource Adequacy Planning* section of the PJM Manual for *PJM**Resource Adequacy Analysis. In this section you will find the following information:

- The purpose of providing resource adequacy (see "Overview").
- A description of the process for establishing the required amount of resource adequacy (see "Resource Adequacy *Planning Process*").

Overview

The reliable supply of electric services within the PJM RTO depends on adequate and secure generation and transmission facilities. This manual focuses on the supply of electricity; specifically, the process of determining the amount of generating capacity required to:

- provide electrical energy to satisfy customer load, especially during peak demand periods such as a heat wave or cold snap
- ensure an acceptable level of generation system reliability

The general requirements and obligations concerning PJM resource adequacy are defined in the Reliability Assurance Agreement (RAA) Among Load Serving Entities in the PJM Region. PJM is responsible for calculating the amount of generating capacity required to meet the defined reliability criteria. This calculation process is reviewed by the Reserve Requirement Assumptions Working Group. This process satisfies the ReliabilityFirst Corporation's Standard BAL-502-RFC-01 for all organizations that have notified the RFC they are a member of the PJM Planned Reserve Sharing Group (PRSG). Following a period of review and comment from the Planning Committee, the Markets and Reliability Committee, and the Members Committee, the PJM Board of Managers approves the final reserve margin value. The final reserve margin value is then the basis for defining the RTO Reliability Requirement for use in the Reliability Pricing Model (RPM) Base Residual Auction conducted three years prior to the delivery year. The total capacity procured in the auction is allocated as a capacity obligation to all LSEs within PJM. Each LSE is charged a Locational Reliability Charge associated with its capacity obligation.

Resource Adequacy Planning Process

The Resource Adequacy Planning process includes establishing planning parameters such as the reserve margin requirement, forecasting the peak load, establishing the reliability requirement (reserve margin times forecast peak load) and conducting a Base Residual Auction to procure resources required. See PJM Manual 18 – PJM Capacity Market for details of the RPM Base Residual Auction to procure resources three years prior to the delivery year and the Second Incremental Auction to procure additional resources if needed due to an increase in the forecast peak load 13 months prior to the delivery year. The total resources procured in both auctions, plus the forecast Interruptible Load for Reliability (ILR) obligation, would be allocated as capacity obligations to the LSEs. The first and third incremental RPM auctions are used for resources to replace their commitments if necessary due to reduced value, delay, or cancellation of planned resources. The RPM auction



timeline is shown in Exhibit 1. The planning parameters for the delivery year are posted by February 1 prior to the base residual auction.

The RPM auction clearing process uses a Variable Resource Requirement (VRR) curve (also known as a demand curve) that defines the maximum price the load is willing to pay for a given level of resources procured. This process may result in procuring more resources than those required to meet the reliability requirement if the resources' offer prices are below the VRR curve price. Any such additional resources procured will be allocated as capacity obligations to LSEs. Some LSEs may select a Fixed Resource Requirement (FRR) alternate which means their obligation would be based on their obligation peak load times the reserve requirement (FPR to determine the daily unforced capacity obligation). The planning parameters – IRM, FPR, DR Factor – developed in the resource adequacy planning process are also applicable to FRR Entities.

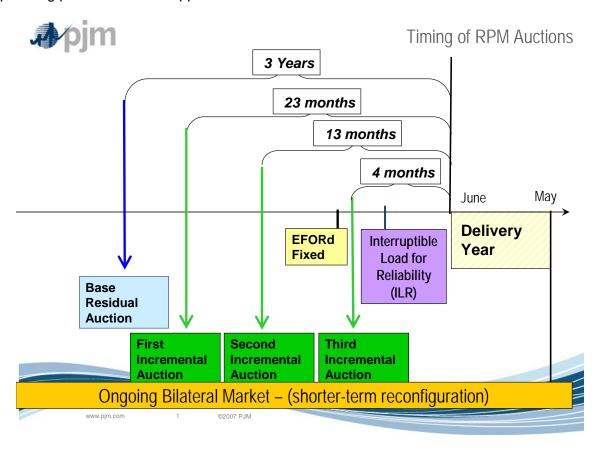


Exhibit 1: Timeline for RPM Auctions

The schedule of the basic steps in the planning process is:

- April, 4 years before Delivery Year— RRAWG establishes the assumptions and modeling parameters for the upcoming study. These assumptions are submitted to the Planning Committee in March for review and in April for approval.
- October The Planning Committee (PC) reviews analysis results and the Study report in September and, at their October meeting, recommends the Installed

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Reserve Margin that the PJM RTO requires for the future delivery year. The PC also recommends a winter weekly reserve target to the Operating Committee for the upcoming winter period.

November - January — The MRC and then the MC review the study results and PC recommendation and the MC provides a recommendation for the given delivery year to the PJM Board of Managers. The PJM Board of Managers approves and establishes the planning parameters (IRM, FPR, and DR Factor) for posting on the PJM web site by February 1.

PJM Responsibilities

PJM has the overall responsibility of establishing and maintaining the integrity of electricity supply within the PJM RTO. The Operating Agreement and Reliability Assurance Agreement set down the specific rules and guidelines for determining the required amount of generating capacity. The process is summarized as follows:

- Determine the Load Forecast PJM determines load forecasts per PJM Manual 19.
 The most recently published PJM Load Forecast prior to the Base Residual Auction is used for the delivery year.
- Determine the calculated PJM Reserve Requirement PJM determines the calculated reserve requirement for the PJM RTO based on:
 - The industry guidelines and standards for reliability, as established by the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) and the ReliabilityFirst Corporation (RFC). Specifically the applicable RFC Standard is BAL-502-RFC-01.
 - 2) The annual reliability analysis methods described in Section 3 of this manual. This analysis is performed by PJM staff and reviewed by the RRAWG and PC.

Parameters Reviewed in the Stakeholder Process

The following factors are used to establish capacity requirements and obligations. These factors are established 3 years prior to the applicable delivery year.

- IRM The Installed Reserve Margin is the installed capacity percent above the forecasted peak load required to satisfy a Loss Of Load Expectation (LOLE) of 1 Day / 10 Years. For a given delivery year, IRM is one of the two primary inputs needed for calculating the Forecast Pool Requirement (FPR).
- FPR The Forecast Pool Requirement is a key factor that is used across the entire PJM RTO capacity marketplace. The calculation of the FPR is based on the IRM and the pool wide average equivalent demand forced outage rate (EFORd). This EFORd excludes outage events outside of management control as defined in the eGADS reporting of events. This definition of EFORd is consistent with that used in the capacity market to establish the unforced capacity value of individual generators.
- DR Factor The Demand Resource Factor is used to determine the reliability value of load management. The megawatt amount of load management will vary between



zones but the DR Factor is constant across the entire PJMRTO for a given delivery year. The Unforced Capacity value of load management is the product of three factors: the megawatt level of load reduction, the DR Factor and the FPR.

LM(UCAP) = LM(MW) * DRFactor * FPR

Where:

LM (*UCAP*) = Unforced Capacity Value of Load Management

LM(MW) = Load Management value given in megawatts

FPR = Approved Forecast Pool Requirement (per-unit value)

DRFactor = Demand Resource Factor (value between 0 and 1.00)

PJM Installed Reserve Margin (IRM)

The PJM Reserve Requirement is defined to be the level of installed reserves needed to maintain the desired reliability index of ten years, on average, per occurrence (loss of load expectation of one occurrence every ten years). The PRISM program is the principal tool used to calculate the PJM Reserve Requirement. The PJM Reserve Requirement is calculated using a PRISM two-area model. PJM is modeled in Area #1 and a composite World representation consisting of parts of SERC, RFC, MRO and NPCC is modeled in Area #2. The PJM Installed Reserve Margin value is used in the determination of the Forecast Pool Requirement.

The installed reserve requirement for the PJM RTO is established by running PRISM studies. The two area PRISM data file created for the base case is also used to create a single-area file for use in determining the DR Factor. See Appendix B of the Reserve Requirement Study Report for further details.

In addition to the determination of the standard RPM related calculation factors, the PJM Reserve Requirement Study includes sensitivity analyses to assess the principal factors that affect PJM reliability. Examples of these analyses would include a measure of the sensitivity of the PJM Reserve Requirement to changes in the system average unit forced outage rate, changes in the PJM load forecast error factor, variations of PJM import capabilities, and alternative maintenance scenarios. The specific sensitivity analysis required for a particular study is driven by the study results and any significant changes in results or conclusions from previous studies.

Judgment must always be used in assessing the correct level of IRM to establish for future delivery years. Long-term trends and the influence of different modeling practices and assumptions should be important considerations in establishing the IRM.

Forecast Pool Requirement (FPR)

The determination of the Forecast Pool Requirement is based on two parameters. The first is the PJM Installed Reserve Margin (IRM). The IRM is approved by the PJM Board of Managers based on analysis performed by PJM and reviewed through the stakeholder process. The second parameter needed to calculate the FPR is the pool-wide average Equivalent Demand Forced Outage Rate ($EFOR_d$) of the units used in the analysis. This



average rate is based on a lagging five-year historical period. The Forecast Pool Requirement is calculated as follows:

Forecast Pool Requirement =
$$(1 + IRM)*(1 - Pool Average EFOR_d)$$

Note that the Pool average EFORd in the above equation does not consider outside management control events.

It is important to note that the IRM and the FPR represent the identical level of reserves but are expressed at different availability status levels. The IRM is expressed in units of installed capacity whereas the FPR is expressed in units of unforced capacity. Unforced capacity is defined in the RAA to be the MW level of a generating unit's capability after removing the effect of forced outage events.

Demand Resource Factor (formerly known as the ALM Factor)

The value of load management in the PJM Obligation process is determined by calculating the DR Factor. This factor is used to determine the reliability benefit of load management programs and to assign an appropriate value to load management in the Obligation process. The DR Factor is typically less than 1.0 where 1.0 indicates a 100% reliability benefit for load management. Under current rules, qualified load management programs allow PJM dispatchers to implement up to a maximum of ten interruptions in a given delivery year.

PRISM is used to calculate the value of the DR Factor, based on the load carry capability of the identified amount of load management. The analysis is based on a single-area PRISM base case. Weekly LOLE output from PRISM is saved for use in the CURTAIL program. The CURTAIL program measures the number of allowable interruptions required to obtain full credit for load management. PRISM and CURTAIL are also used to determine the maximum amount of PJM load management that can receive full credit with the required number of ten load management activations.

The reliability value of summer-only load management is compared with the reliability value of year-round load management. If these two values are roughly equal, summer-only load management can continue to receive the same credit as year-round load management in establishing PJM capacity obligations.

Winter Weekly Reserve Target

Maintaining adequate winter weekly reserve levels after scheduling generator planned maintenance outages ensures that the RFC LOLE Standard is met with the recommended IRM. In calculating PJM's installed capacity reserve requirement, the PRISM and Multi Area Reliability Simulation (MARS) program schedule unit planned outages on a weekly levelized reserve basis (reserve margins are held nearly the same from week to week). Reserves are intended to cover load forecast uncertainty and random unit forced outages. PJM RTO winter reserves are generally greater than those of the summer period, partly because winter unit ratings are generally greater and winter weekly peak loads are generally less than the corresponding values over the summer period.

It is desirable to maintain a negligible loss of load risk over the winter period because virtually all the LOLE (99.9%) is concentrated in the summer weeks, despite the complete absence of unit planned outages in the summer. Since the summer risk cannot be reduced further (without installing additional Capacity Resources), winter reserve levels must be held



greater than those over the summer to ensure the desired yearly LOLE. PJM coordinates equipment outages to obtain the desired LOLE while minimizing the need for additional generating capacity.

The PRISM tool is used to determine the lowest winter reserve level at which PJM still maintains an LOLE of one in ten years. This reserve level is then reviewed with the PJM Planning Committee and the Operating Committee before being implemented as the winter weekly reserve target.

Further details are given in the Reserve Requirement Study report, as posted on the Planning Committee portion of the PJM web site.

Compliance with Reliability First Corporation (RFC)

The required reliability standard for resource adequacy is expressed as a Loss of Load Expectation (LOLE) for the entire PJM RTO Region. Loss of Load is defined as invoking emergency operations procedures beyond demand resources and interruptible load for reliability. LOLE is expressed in terms of occurrences per year. PJM has adopted an LOLE planning criterion of 1-in-10 which is stated in the RFC Standard, BAL-502-RFC-01 effective April 1, 2006, as:

R1. The Loss of Load Expectation (LOLE) for any load in RFC due to resource inadequacy shall not exceed one occurrence in ten years.

This standard is based on a frequency metric and does not consider event duration or magnitude. The LOLE criterion for PJM can be expressed as 0.1 occurrences per delivery year.

This standard was recently adopted by the Regional Reliability Organization, ReliabilityFirst Corporation (RFC), and applies to all Planned Reserve Sharing Groups (PRSG) within its footprint. The PJM RTO qualifies as one of those PRSGs.

For further details of how this study provides compliance with RFC Standard, BAL-502-RFC-01, see the RFC web site at: http://www.rfirst.org/.

Modeling Tools

PJM's PRISM program is the primary modeling tool used for conducting the resource adequacy studies. PRISM is classified as a "two-area" model that simulates the PJM RTO and areas adjacent to PJM's footprint, called the "World". PRISM was in part built from and developed from an older two-area reliability model developed by General Electric (GE) called "GEBGE" (BGE referring to Baltimore Gas and Electric). The original GEBGE and its successor, PRISM, have been used by PJM since the 1970s.

PJM also has licenses and access to a multiple area model, General Electric's MARS (Multi-Area Reliability Simulation) program and uses this program to enhance the analytical capabilities of PRISM. PJM uses the MARS program for developing case sensitivities, coordinating study models and results with neighboring regions, participating in interregional studies, and performing the winter weekly reserve target analysis.

The PRISM program is used to calculate the LOLE of up to two interconnected systems with a single transfer link. PRISM is used to calculate the IRM and the DR factor.



Other supporting programs and reports include:

 ARC 	 Applications for Reliability Calculations. This web based
	application coordinates all databases and applications used to
	calculate generation Adequacy. All programs and reports are
	launched by this PJM Intranet application.

- Produces the load model(s) used by PRISM. Once the WeekPeakFreq required input parameters are given, this application produces 52 weekly mean and standard deviations for the defined study model. Input parameters include the historic time period, geographic region subzones, forecast start year, forecast end year, forecast report to use, 5 or 7 day model, and holidays to exclude.
- CURTAIL - Evaluates the reliability benefit of load management, which includes Demand Resources (DR) and Interruptible Load for Reliability (ILR). PJM's Load Management is subject to a limit on the number of interruptions allowed per delivery year. Currently the limit is 10.
- SYSPAR - A report that summarizes the models' capacity characteristics.
- Forecast Reserves A report that summarizes the model load, capacity and resulting reserves.
- A report that summarizes in some detail the capacity model. Capacity Check
- Futrix - An OLAP reporting application that uses metadata (data about data) to provide seamless queries of the coordinated reserves, generation, and load modeled. This allows aggregation and drill through capabilities to analyze and assess the intricate and detailed modeling requirements.

One of the key objectives in conducting the RRS is to develop the base case (or Baseline) scenario. This case is used in determining the IRM and FPR. Examples of the various assumptions that are used to derive the Base Case are presented in Appendix A of the RRS report. The current RRS report can be found at: http://www.pim.com/committees/planning/downloads/20070822-item-03-2007reserve-requirement-report.pdf. The Sensitivity cases, which start with the base case, are listed in Appendix B of the example report. The base case, sensitivities, and

engineering judgment (see Appendix E of the example report) are all necessary to make a

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recommendation for the IRM, FPR and DR Factor.

PJM has the overall responsibility of establishing and maintaining the Adequacy and Security of electricity supply within the PJMRTO. The Operating Agreement (OA) and Reliability Assurance Agreement (RAA) define the specific rules and guidelines for determining the required amount of generating capacity.

PJM Staff initiates a study each spring to calculate the IRM. This study is initially reviewed by the Reserve Requirement Assumptions Working Group (RRAWG). The study uses a





probabilistic model that recognizes, among other factors, historical load variability, load forecast error, scheduled maintenance requirements for generating units, forced outage rates of generating units and the capacity benefit of interconnection ties with other regions. Study results are reviewed through the PJM Committee structure and the PJM Members Committee forwards its recommendation for the IRM to the PJM Board of Managers. The PJM Board of Managers is ultimately responsible for approving the PJM IRM.

Resource adequacy planning begins at least four years in advance of the applicable delivery year. Early in the timeline, resource owners submit their capacity plans including expected outages for the capability period. During this time, PJM Staff provides load forecasts to determine peak load demand. PJM also determines the calculated reserve requirement for the PJM RTO based on industry guidelines and standards for reliability, as established by the North America Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) and ReliabilityFirst Corporation (RFC).

In accordance with the PJM Reliability Assurance Agreement (RAA), the assumptions and study activities are primarily developed by the PJM Reserve Requirements Assumptions Working Group (RRAWG) and endorsed by the PJM Planning Committee (PC). The principal duties and timetable of the RRAWG are:

- The assumptions letter for the upcoming RRS RPM requirements move the start of this effort to March.
- 2. The IRM, FPR, Demand Resource Factor (DR Factor) Analysis Report RPM requirements move the completion date to October.
- The Winter Weekly Reserve Target.This is part of the October report.



Section 2: Capacity Review Process by Generation Owners

Welcome to the Capacity Review Process by Generation Owners section of the PJM Manual for **PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis**. In this section you will find the following information:

- Description of the web site used to review, submit changes, and approve the generation model used by PJM staff in the calculation process for the PJM RTO generating capacity requirement including capacity emergency transfer objectives (CETO). See "Overview of the Generation Model Review Process".
- A description and summary of the steps that each representative performs in the review process. See "Specifics of Generation modeling data review".

Overview of Generation Model Review Process

The PJM RTO generation model contains the most significant modeling parameters for the calculation process. Review of the generation model by the owners' representatives ensures the data integrity of these important modeling parameters. Annually, by notification of the PJM staff, all generation owners submitting GADS data to PJM are solicited to review the statistical modeling parameters of their generation units. This activity is aligned with the RRAWG and PC efforts to finalize the reserve requirement study model assumptions. The web site used for this is: http://www.pjm.com/Rstudy/.

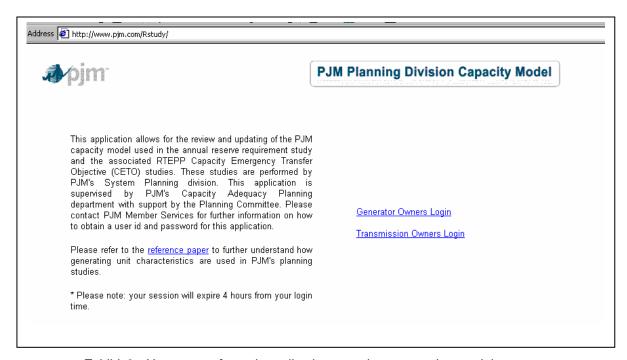


Exhibit 2: Home page for web application to review generation model



This is a secure web application, requiring an assigned ID and password. The PJM Capacity Adequacy Planning Staff administers this web site. This annual review includes a tutorial for how to use the web site, discussion of due dates to adhere to the Planning Committee approved schedule, and contact information of PJM staff for questions and one-on-one assistance. This web site allows for several representatives in one company to submit changes. It also allows for Transmission Owner representatives, who have signed Non Disclosure Agreements, limited read only views of the generation data model for their respective transmission zones.

Specifics of Generation Modeling Data Review

Once logged into the application, general help information is given in the upper right hand corner of the GUI. These are essential guides for how the data is formed by the PJM and general context of the statistical modeling data used in the generation model. Verification of the statistical values can be done by using the reporting feature of the eGADS, GORP report. If a column heading has an underline, one can obtain help information about that data entry by clicking on the heading (HTML link). A green entry indicates that new information has been entered. A red entry indicates that a value was changed for a unit. All data deleted can be viewed by selecting the "View deleted" entry at the bottom of the screen. All data changed can be viewed by selecting the "View changed" entry at the bottom of screen. The data has a unique key which is the combination of plant name, Gen code EIA and the Commercial Date. One can not enter a duplicate entry, based on this unique key. Editing of data is performed by checking the box in the left most column of the desired entry and then choosing the edit data at the bottom selection. To add a unit, choose the existing unit that is most like the new entry and click on the green plus sign in the left most column. Once all data has been reviewed and changes entered, click on the green check symbol to approve the data. Coordination of a given generation owner staff is necessary if more than one representative is making changes. Once a company has approved its data, only PJM staff can intervene to un-approve the data. To navigate through a list of units use the Next and Previous selection shown above the column heading descriptions. PJM Staff produces the most current modeling data, using the approved assumptions to start the review process.

Considering Exhibit 3, the focus of the data review typically is on columns: Summer rating, Winter rating, Gen Class category, subzone number, and retirement date. These data define the amount, location and type of generation resources in the PJM RTO. Exhibit 3 shows the initial editing screen used by the representatives in their review efforts.

All future generation projects for the study time period are included. Representatives are encouraged to submit changes known for any project shown in the PJM generation interconnection queues.



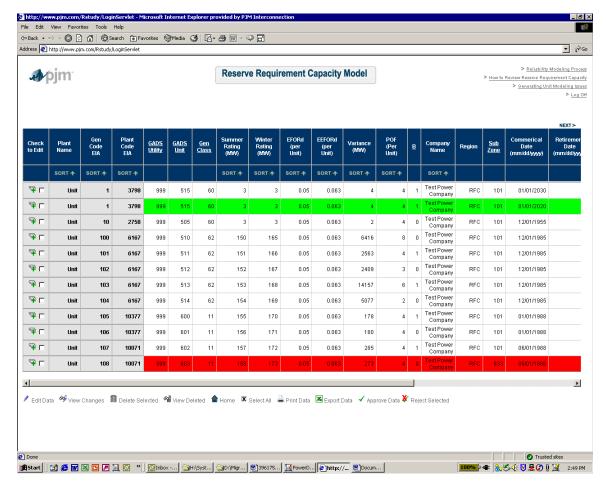


Exhibit 3: Home Generation Owner Editing Screen



Section 3: PJM Installed Reserve Margin and Reliability Analysis

Welcome to the *PJM Installed Reserve Margin (IRM) and Reliability Analysis* section of the PJM Manual for *PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis*. In this section you will find the following information:

- An overview of PJM's reliability analysis (see "Overview").
- A description of load and capacity modeling (see "Load & Capacity Models").
- A description of PJM's reliability calculation (see "Reliability Calculations & Analysis")

Overview

Generating capacity reserve margin above the forecast peak load is required to meet the load demand considering load variability due to weather and forecast uncertainty and outages of generating units. The goal of the PJM RTO is to maintain a degree of reliability that is consistent with utility industry standards in meeting the system load.

The primary tool used for the annual reliability analysis is a computer program called Probabilistic Reliability Index Study Model (PRISM). The program is used to calculate the following:

- the loss-of-load expectation (LOLE) of up to two interconnected systems with a single transfer link
- the installed capacity reserve margin needed to provide a user-specified level of reliability
- the DR Factor for Load Management

There are several detailed reference materials for this manual used by the PJM staff

- ARC technical documentation
- o ARC's on-line Help screens.
- o "PJM Reserve Requirements and Related Studies" document. This older documentation provides clear descriptions of general principles still in use.
- o How -To documentation stored on PJM's internal LAN.

All of these documents are maintained by PJM Staff in the Capacity Adequacy Planning Department. These documents do not specify a strict, inflexible procedure, but rather provide a guide for fostering consistency from year to year and across all related analysis. All procedures are consistent with RRAWG review and oversight. This section of the manual summarizes the more detailed information contained in these documents.

Load & Capacity Models

The reliability analysis depends to a great extent on the computer modeling of the load and generation within both the PJM RTO and its adjacent regions (commonly referred to as the "World"). These models provide the characteristics of the customer load demand pattern and generating capacity availability over the time period of the study. This subsection describes the input data and the models that are used by the PRISM program.



Regional Modeling

The study examines the combined PJM footprint area (Exhibit 4) that consists of the PJM Mid-Atlantic Region (PenElec, ME, JCPL, PPL, PSEG, RE, AEC, PECO, DPL, BGE, PEPCO) plus APS (Allegheny Power System), ComEd (Commonwealth Edison), AEP (American Electric Power), Dayton (Dayton Power and Light), and Dominion (Dominion Virginia Power), Duquesne (DLCO).

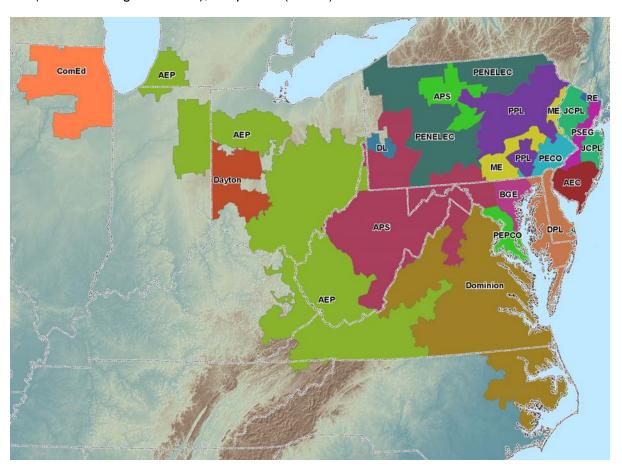


Exhibit 4: PJM RTO Region Modeled

Areas adjacent to the PJM Region are referred to as the "World" (Figure 2) and consist of the non-PJM portion of RFC and of the Southeastern Electric Reliability Council (SERC), much of the Northeast Power Coordinating Council (NPCC) territory and the U.S. portion of the Midwest Reliability Organization (MRO-USA). Areas outside of PJM and the World are not modeled in this study. However, sensitivities are periodically run to assess if all the appropriate areas are included in the World model.



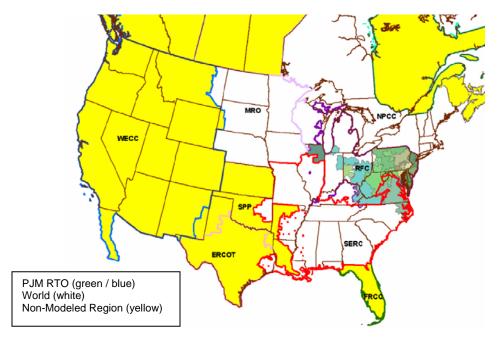


Exhibit 5: PJM RTO, World and Non-Modeled Regions

Load Model

The load model requires the following input data:

- PJM RTO The PJM RTO portion of the load model is based on PJM historical hourly load data. The most recent seven to ten historic delivery years for which both PJM and World hourly load data are available, is used. The hourly load history files can be updated any time prior to a reliability study. The PJM Load Forecast Report supplies the PJM peak and seasonal load forecasts. The PJM load forecast is developed by PJM staff and reviewed by the Load Analysis Subcommittee and the Planning Committee. The PJM staff also compiles and submits data for the annual RFC regional reports and for the EIA-411.
- World Historical hourly load data are obtained from the surrounding NERC Regional Reliability Councils: RFC, SERC, MRO, & NPCC (including Canada). PJM Staff gathers data from publicly available sources on the FERC web site. Due to the recent changes in the NERC regional boundaries with the formation of RFC, the World data has to be translated into its previous definitions which include ECAR, MAIN and MAAC. This step is started in early fall.

The load model used in most PRISM studies is called PLOTS (Peak Load Ordered Time Series) and is maintained by the WeekPeakFreq program. The load model consists of 52 weekly peak load distributions and a mean and standard deviation for each week. It is based on a user-specified number of years of the latest available historical loads, consistent with World load data. For individual PJM RTO load deliverability areas, these loads are obtained from the internal PJM system telemetered data stored in the PJM Information Warehouse (PIW). Typically, holiday and weekend loads are excluded but a seven day load model can be performed.



The PLOTS load model provides PRISM with the relationship of expected weekly peak loads across all 52 weeks of the delivery year and with a measure of the peak load variability within each individual week. This measure of peak load variability translates to an assessment of daily peaks within each week. PLOTS is a magnitude-ordered, as opposed to calendar-ordered, load model. The distinction between the two is that a magnitude-ordered load model re-orders the given years of historical data, on a seasonal basis, so that the peaks of each of the given years are combined (regardless of their actual calendar placement), the second highest peaks are combined and so on down to the last highest weekly peak in the given season. A calendar-ordered load model combines loads chronologically and so maintains a proper correlation to the calendar. The magnitude-ordered approach used in PLOTS results in a "peaky" annual load shape that tends to concentrate most of the loss-of-load risk in a few summer weeks. A magnitude-ordered load model is appropriate for determining an annual index such as the Installed Reserve Margin but is not ideal for performing studies that examine weekly, monthly, or seasonal LOLP risk.

Different load models are used with PRISM depending on the purpose of a particular study. PLOTS is the load model used for the Reserve Requirement Study (RRS) and CETO studies. It is based on historical hourly loads. Seven to ten years of loads are typically used, based on a recommendation by the Load Analysis Subcommittee. An annual plot of the weekly peaks from PLOTS is similar to a plot of a year's actual weekly peaks. See the peak load curve in Exhibit 8.

TREND is very similar to PLOTS. The only difference is that TREND is a calendar ordered load model. It combines historical loads based on their actual placement within the calendar year and not on their relative magnitudes. TREND, therefore, produces a "flatter" load shape than PLOTS. The TREND load model calculations are a preliminary step for producing the PLOTS load model.

MARS uses a deterministic 8760 hourly load model. The hourly load model is from an historic year judged to be most representative of the system for LOLE studies. Currently most regions are using the 2002 calendar year for this hourly load shape.

The TREND and MARS load models can be used for studies that examine reliability indices for individual seasons within the delivery year.

The PLOTS and TREND load models are probabilistic models based on a weekly distribution derived from hourly historical loads and load forecasts. PRISM's use of a probabilistic load model distinguishes it from other reliability programs, such as MARS, which use a deterministic approach to model loads.

21 point Standard Normal weekly distribution.

- PRISM's load model is a weekly load model. PRISM computes the daily LOLE using weekly distributions. The RRS uses a standard normal distribution as the appropriate forecast weekly distribution. This distribution is based on 5 peak weekdays. The standard normal distribution is represented using 21 points with the values shown below
- Exhibit 8 graphically shows how the distribution in Exhibit 6 is overlaid onto the Expected Weekly Maximum (EWM) to determine the LOLE for each week. This technique uses an order statistic of 5 which represents the 5 daily weekday peaks. See the paper "PJM Generation Adequacy Analysis: Technical Methods", available on the PJM website, for further discussion of how the order statistic, when n= 5, is



used in the determination of the EWM and how the 21 points are used to determine the daily LOLE.



Normal Distribution Values			
Sigma	Probability		
4.2	0.000033		
3.78	0.000145		
3.36	0.000638		
2.94	0.002351		
2.52	0.007273		
2.1	0.01894		
1.68	0.0414		
1.26	0.07608		
0.84	0.11749		
0.42	0.15248		
0	0.16634		
-0.42	0.15248		
-0.84	0.11749		
-1.26	0.07608		
-1.68	0.0414		
-2.1	0.01894		
-2.52	0.007273		
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Normal Distribution Graph

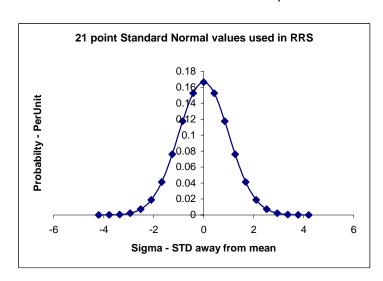


Exhibit 6: Normal distribution

Week Peak Frequency (WKPKFQ) Parameters.

Forecasted weekly unrestricted peaks are obtained from the forecasted monthly unrestricted peaks. These forecasted weekly unrestricted peaks are applied to a weekly peak model which is developed using the Week Peak Frequency (WKPKFQ) application. WKPKFQ currently uses historical data to obtain a weekly peak mean and standard deviation for each week of the study period. For each year, the historical data is per-unitized on the annual peak, magnitude ordered (highest to lowest) and then averaged across years to replicate actual load experience. The weekly restricted peak and the WKPKFQ mean and standard deviation are used to develop weekly standard normal distributions for each week of the study period. The definition of the load model, per the input parameters necessary to submit a WKPKFQ run, defines the modeling region and basis for all adequacy studies. Input parameters required for a WKPKFQ run include:

- Historic time period of the model.
- Sub-zones or geographic regions that define the model.
- Load Forecast Report to use.
- Start and end year of the forecast study period.
- Specification of 5 or 7 days to use in the load model. All RRS studies use a 5 day model, excluding weekends.



 Holidays to exclude from hourly data. These include Labor Day, Independence Day, Memorial Day, Good Friday, New Year's Day, Thanksgiving, Black Friday, and Christmas Day.

PRISM uses a 21-point normal probability density function to represent the distribution of each weekday's expected peak load. The number of points to represent the probability density function can be selected by the user. Studies typically use the 21 points of the normal probability density function; values plus and minus 4.2 standard deviations from the mean. Based on the inputted forecast loads, PRISM calculates a load and associated probability of occurrence for each of the 21 points used to represent each week's expected peak load. Based on appropriate load analysis, non-normal distributions for each of the 52 weeks can be modeled as well.) From the PLOTS weekly mean and standard deviation values, each week's expected weekly maximum (EWM) load is calculated using the order statistic based on n = 5 (or 5 daily peaks in one week). The mathematical calculation for the EWM is shown in Exhibit 7.

$$EWM_X = \mu_X + 1.16295 * \sqrt{\sigma_X^2 + FEF^2}$$

Where:

 $\mu_{\rm v} =$ Weekly Mean,

1.16295 = A Constant, the Order Statistic when n=5

 σ_x^2 = Weekly variance

 $FEF = Forecast \ Error \ Factor, \ for \ given \ delivery \ Year$

x ranges from 1 to 52

Exhibit 7: Expected Weekly Maximum equation

The quantity $\sqrt{\sigma_{\rm X}^2+FEF^2}$ is called the total sigma, where σ is the weekly standard deviation. A graph of these daily peak load values, EWM, overlaid with the 21 point distribution, is shown in Exhibit 8.

The peak load values evaluated are at each of the 21 load values where: Peak Load = 50 / 50 forecast annual peak (MW) x Mean (Per Unit of EWM) x (1+(No. of Sigma from Mean x Total Sigma). See the annual Reserve Requirement Study Report and the PJM Generation Adequacy Analysis: Technical Methods paper for further details. The PLOTS and TREND weekly load model parameters, mean and standard deviation, are combined with the 21 point probability density distribution. Each point is associated with a particular load level and probability of occurrence. MARS uses a Load Uncertainty Table to accomplish the same effect.



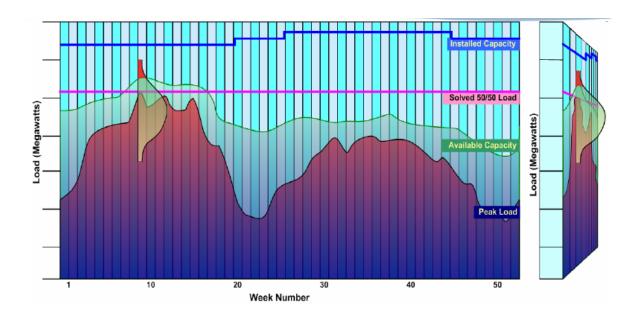


Exhibit 8: Daily load distribution

Capacity Model

The capacity model requires the following input data:

- PJM Unit outage performance data for existing generation is supplied by each generation owner. This data is typically provided through the PJM web-based applications (eRPM and eGADS) and the annual NERC data submission process. The data is entered into the capacity model in the 1st quarter. PJM generator planning outage rates are supplied according to rules established by PJM Manuals 21 and 22. This data is primarily supplied via the eGADS' GORP report. This application is available using eSuite on the PJM web site (http://www.pjm.com/etools/login.html).
- Specific data required for existing and future units include:
 - 1) Effective Equivalent demand Forced Outage Rates (EEFOR_d)
 - 2) unit variance (in MW)
 - planned maintenance cycles including start year for maintenance cycle and second year maintenance (given in weeks/Year) yielding a planned outage factor (POF)
 - 4) Equivalent Demand Forced Outage Rate, EFORd
 - 5) Equivalent Maintenance Outage Factor, EMOF

Performance data for future units is assumed to be PJM class-average based on unit type and size. Final data is issued per the annual reserve requirement assumptions approved by the PC.



For units that do not have a full five years of historic GADS events, the years that are missing are assumed to be equivalent to the appropriate category of PJM class average values. Blending of the class average data with the actual GADS event data gives a complete five years of data on which the generator's performance statistics are based.

World — World generating units do not provide PJM with outage data. These units, therefore, are assigned PJM class average data. PJM develops class average data for all NERC defined categories of units that are located in PJM. These categories are based on size, type and primary fuel. The class average data is from the PJM fleet of units' actual event data as reported in eGADS. The class average table is updated by PJM staff every year.

The source for a complete update of the World Capacity model is the annual Electric Supply and Demand data report from NERC. Currently RFC, MRO, NPCC, and SERC comprise the World representation. This update is completed in the fall or early winter.

GADS Data and eGADS Procedures.

- The principal modeling parameters in the RRS are those that define the generator unit characteristics. All generation units' performance characteristics are derived from PJM's eGADS web based system. For detailed information on PJM Generation Availability Data System (GADS), see the eGADS User Guide (http://www.pjm.com/etools/egads.html). The eGADS system is based on the IEEE Standard 762-2006. IEEE Standard 762 2006 is available by going to the IEEE web site (http://www.ieee.org/portal/site) => Standards => Buy Standards => Type 762 in the search window.
- The PJM Reliability Assurance Agreement (RAA), Schedule 4 and Schedule 5 are related to the concepts used in generation forecasting. The RAA is available at: http://www.pjm.com/documents/downloads/agreements/raa.pdf.

GADS Data and PJM Fleet Class Average Values

- For units with missing or insufficient GADS (Generating Availability Data System)
 data, PJM utilizes "class average" data developed from PJM's RTO fleet-based
 historical unit performance statistics. This was a change from the use of NERC
 based "class averages" in previous studies. Such "class averaging" is therefore used
 for future units, neighboring system units, and for those PJM units with less than 5
 years of GADS events. Recent improvements to PJM's fleet-based statistics include:
 - The ability to check on specifics of underlying data,
 - The ability to verify specifics of statistical calculations
 - Identification of necessary data that is independent of outside resources.
- With recent market integration activities, the PJM RTO Region has significantly increased its number of generating units. This increase has mitigated the need for assistance from the world region and improved the reliability of PJM on a standalone basis. Less than one half of the units in PJM continue to use class average data for at least part of their five-year history. It's important to note that the modeling



of PJM class average data in the study for these new units may not reflect their actual future performance.

- The process of combining the GADS data with "class average data" is called blending. The term blending is used when a given generating unit does not have actual reported outage events for the full five-year period being evaluated. The five-year period is used to calculate the various statistics (EFORd, EEFORd, EMOF, Two State Variance, POF) used in the study model.
- The actual generator unit outage events are blended with the class average values according to the generator class category for that unit. For example, a unit that has three years of its own reported outage history will have two years of class average values used in blending. The statistics, based on the actual reported outage history, will be weighted by a factor of 3/5 and the class average statistics will be weighted by a factor of 2/5. The values are added together to get a statistical value for each unit that represents the entire five-year time period.
- The class average categories are from NERC's Brochure, with the values determined from PJM's fleet of units. A five-year period is used for the statistics, with 74 unique generator class keys. The five-year period is based on the data available in the NERC Brochure or in PJM's eGADS, using the latest time period. A generator class category is given for each unit type, primary fuel and size of unit. The numbers of units for each category give an indication of how many units the average values are based on. The unit years value allows for an indication of how many units (and for how many years) were part of the total five-year reporting period. The class average statistical values are available via the web based application discussed in the pervious section, capacity review process by generation owners.

Modeling of Generating Units' Ambient Deratings

- Per the approved rules in place for Operations, Planning and Markets, a unit can
 operate at less than its Summer Net Dependable (SND) rating and not incur a GADS
 outage event. As discussed above, all units in the model are based on eGADS
 submitted data. The ambient derate modeling assumption and the eGADS data
 allow all observed outages to be modeled as seen by PJM Operations staff.
- Derating of generating units affected by hot and humid summer conditions is captured by this evaluation. This modeling practice is intended to capture the increased risk due to limited output from certain generators caused by more extreme than expected ambient weather conditions. Expected conditions are based on that unit's site averaged over the past 15 years.
- Per the RRS assumptions, 2,500 MW is derated in the peak summer period to model this risk. This derating is consistent with that modeled by the NYSRC (see report dated January 5, 2007 at:
 http://www.nysrc.org/pdf/Reports/2007_08IRMReportFinal011707.pdf.) in performing its adequacy assessment. This modeling assumption was developed through close coordination with the PJM Operations staff. Operations Staff recommended a derating in the range of 2000 MW to 2500 MW be in place for the RRS. The derating is implemented in the RRS model by scheduling planned maintenance of PJM units in the summer operating period. The particular units scheduled to be out in the study have average characteristics for the given



classification of units affected and the outages span the full length of the high-risk summer period, typically 10 weeks. PJM will continue to assess, on an on-going basis, the impact of these ambient weather conditions on generator output.

Forced Outage Rates: EFORd and EEFORd

All forced outages are based on eGADS reported events.

Effective Equivalent Forced Outage Rate on Demand (EEFORd) – This forced outage rate is used for reliability and reserve margin calculations. There are three general categories for GADS reported events: forced outage (FO), maintenance outage (MO) and planned outage (PO). The PRISM program can only model two categories (FO and PO). The EEFORd statistic is a solution for modeling all GADS events. A portion of the MO outages are placed within the FO category, while the other portion is placed within the PO category. In this way, all reported GADS events are modeled. The statistic used for MO is the equivalent maintenance outage factor (EMOF). For a more complete discussion of these equations see Manual 22 at: (http://www.pjm.com/contributions/pjm-manuals/pdf/m22.pdf) The equation for the EEFORd is as follows:

EEFORd = EFORd + (1/4 * EMOF)

Equivalent Demand Forced Outage Rate (EFORd) – This forced outage rate is used in reliability and reserve margin calculations. See Manual M-22 and RAA Schedule 4 and Schedule 5 for more specific information for defining and using this statistic. The EFORd forms the basis for the EEFORd and is the statistic used to calculate the unforced capacity (UCAP) value of generators used in the capacity market. UCAP is used in the Reliability Pricing Model (RPM). However, the EFORd values used in the RRS are different from those used in the marketplace. This is due to the fact that a five year period is used for the values modeled in the RRS and a one year period is the basis for determining the UCAP value of generators in the capacity market. In addition, the EFORd used to determine the UCAP value does not include the events Outside Management Control (OMC).

Once an updated capacity model has been created, representatives of generation owners review the model as discussed in Section 2 of this Manual. This review allows the generation owners to provide feedback on the data models used by PJM staff in the reserve requirement determination, CETO analysis and Interregional studies. This provides the representatives a reference of the models used for their units for planning study purposes. The program creates a single area or two area capacity model for whatever combination of load delivery areas (LDA) is desired. Some examples of tables that can be produced are:

- single area of PJM RTO
- single area of any of the PJM Load Delivery Area (a part of a zone, a zone or combination of zones)
- single area of one or all of the World sub region
- Two area capacity models can also be produced with each area containing any of the single area models.



Futrix is an On Line Analytical Processing (OLAP) tool used in the assessment of the capacity model. Futrix allows multidimensional analysis to be performed on the data and its structures to assess correct modeling. Futrix employs metadata, or data about data, so that a sensible ability to aggregate and drill into many aspects of the complicated data can be performed quickly and easily by PJM staff.

Application for Reliability Calculations (ARC) Application

PJM staff uses the ARC application to organize base capacity data and a capacity expansion plan into the format required by the various analytical programs. ARC combines several data sources into a single data source that directly creates the file parameters for PRISM and other applications. The RST (Short for R-Study) process, which has several phases, is used to provide the capacity modeling values into the SAS data mart which is used by all analysis tools.

ARC provides a GUI for processing the needed phases in the RST process to create an updated capacity model. This database is facilitated by the use of SAS data marts and SAS Enterprise Guide. The specifics of the stored data are documented in the ARC technical documentation.

PRISM is the main tool used in the reserve requirement study and CETO analysis. GEBGE can be used to verify certain modeling parameters such as the system parameters and overall model integrity. Both MARS and GEBGE play a minor role in performing some related analysis.

MARS is the primary tool used for Interregional Studies, such as that performed in cooperation with neighboring regions. MARS proves to be a very useful tool in many cooperative LOLE study efforts as it allows an ability to share data in a known and widely understood format.

Futrix reporting is based on ARC's options in it administrative options. ARC is a JSP based web application deployed on the PJM intranet. ARC System Administration allows for many administrative functions to be automated

The PJM Information Warehouse (PIW) contains the Oracle tables that are used to develop the SAS tables used by ARC. ARC tracks when these tables are updated and if there are any needed actions by PJM staff members.

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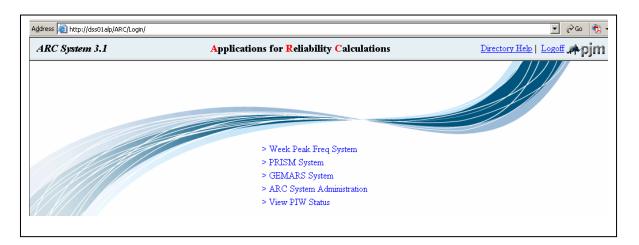


Exhibit 9: Applications for Reliability Calculations

Reliability Calculations and Analysis

The capacity model used in PRISM, GEBGE and MARS is probabilistic. The model uses each generating unit's capacity, forced outage rate, and planned maintenance outages to develop a cumulative capacity outage probability table for each week. Planned maintenance scheduling can be specified by the user or performed by the program based on one of two approaches:

- Levelized Reserves Option uses the capacity of units on planned maintenance to attempt to levelize the MW amount of available reserves for each week.
- Levelized Risk Option follows the same approach but uses a modified MW value for each unit based in part on the reliability of the unit. This method results in scheduling units on maintenance that are less reliable for the more critical weeks.
- See the referenced Reserve Requirement Study report, Appendix B, sensitivity number 19 for further details.

The Levelized Reserve Option has been used in recent studies. Because most of the risk occurs in the summer when very little maintenance is scheduled, the results of the two options are nearly identical. Also, actual planned maintenance scheduling of the units is not based on unit reliability; therefore, that characteristic of the levelized risk option is not an advantage.

Outage statistics of generating units are maintained for twelve outage states ranging from unit "full available" to "full out". PRISM can not yet specifically model these partial outages. (MARS can specifically model these partial outages.) The PRISM solution to this limitation is the use of a modified two-state representation for partial outages. This modified two-state representation is based on the 12 partial outage states reported in the GADS event data for each unit. A capacity variance for each unit is inputted. This variance is used by PRISM to modify both the unit capacity and the effective equivalent demand forced outage rate to provide a statistically accurate representation of the reported 12 partial outage states. PRISM still only models a unit either full available or full out, but with the modified capacity



the effect of partial outages is captured. The result is a significantly better representation of system reliability than would be provided by a strictly two-state model that does not consider partial outage events.

After scheduling planned maintenance, PRISM calculates a cumulative capacity probability table for every week of the year based on the units which are not scheduled on a planned outage. This table shows the probability of different amounts of capacity being available (i.e. not on a forced outage) typically in increments of 10 MW. PRISM then calculates the system loss of load probability for each load level using the available reserves and the cumulative capacity probability table. Each of the load levels has an associated probability of occurring and that factor is applied to each load level. (See discussion concerning 21 points in the load model section.) The probability of available capacity being less than "the installed capacity less planned outages minus load" multiplied by the load's probability of occurring is the loss of load probability for that load level. The determination of the cumulative capacity probability table for a system as large as PJM requires an extraordinary number of calculations and uses the largest portion of the solution time in PRISM.

Any combination of load and available capacity that results in the load level exceeding the available generation level contributes to the probability of a negative capacity margin (loss-of-load).

In a two area PRISM model, PRISM calculates a given area's LOLE at a given load level. The program calculates, on a weekly basis, the probability of every possible load level (21 separate points) occurring simultaneously with every possible generation availability level (from the cumulative capacity probability table). PRISM calculates a cumulative capacity probability table for every week of the delivery year based on the units in service and not on planned maintenance.

In a two-area calculation, the probability that the other area will have an excess capacity margin, within the value of the tie size, to eliminate the loss of load in the given area is appropriately subtracted from the given area's probability of loss of load.

The probability of loss of load (zero margin or less) is summed for each of the 21 load points to determine the loss of load probability for each day and then is multiplied by 5 (5 weekdays per week, we assume that weekends have negligible LOLE) to give the loss-of-load expectation (LOLE) for that particular week. The individual weekly LOLEs are then summed over the entire year to determine the annual LOLE. As mandated in the RFC Standard BAL-502-RFC-01, the annual LOLE standard is currently set to one occurrence, on average, every ten years or 0.100 days per delivery year. The PJM IRM is the reserve as a percentage of annual peak load that results in an LOLE adhering to this standard. Reserve is expressed as a percentage by dividing (the total installed capacity - the peak load) by the peak load. The peak load is adjusted up or down until the calculated LOLE meets the standard. IRM is the reserve corresponding to this adjusted peak load.

Interregional Studies and Analysis

PJM Planning Division staff is involved with interregional assessments, coordination of study models and discussion of technical methods and practices used in LOLE studies.

The tool used for these interregional efforts is MARS. Among the various regions' staffs, MARS seems to be the most widely used tool in performing LOLE studies. Therefore MARS



allows a common basis for the various regions' staffs to address specific modeling and technical practices.

The Inter-Area Planning Advisory Subcommittee (IPSAC) is one of the groups PJM staff is involved with for interregional efforts. This group includes members from the three Northeast RTOs (PJM, NYISO and ISO-NE). Please see the following web site for further details: http://www.interiso.com/default.cfm.

PJM staff also participates with NPCC's CP-8 Working Group. The CP-8 Working Group uses MARS to perform its assessments of adequacy and compliance with NPCC Standards. NPCC uses a similar standard of LOLE of 1 occurrence, on average, every 10 years or .1 days per year. The NPCC CP-8 WG published a long range report similar in scope to the PJM RRS. It is available at:

https://www.npcc.org/publicFiles/documents/adequacy/RCCApprovedLongRangeOverview_Dec19_.pdf .

All interregional models and assessments are coordinated with the other ARC models and technical methods employed by the PJM Planning division staff.

ReliabilityFirst Corporation Region Considerations

The RFC's assessment process should consider the PJM RTO Regional Transmission Expansion Planning Process (RTEPP). The RTEPP is overseen by PJM's Transmission Expansion Advisory Committee (TEAC). Please see the PJM web site for further details at: http://www.pjm.com/committees/teac/teac.html.

The PJM RTO is also a recognized Planned Reserve Sharing Group (PSRG) within RFC. The annual reserve requirement analysis and process outlined in this manual measures compliance with the reliability criteria defined in the RFC Standard BAL-502-RFC-01. The criteria pertaining to generation adequacy, defined in that document, are tested using the probabilistic tools described in previous sections of this manual.

The PJM staff coordinates and submits data for the PJM RTO to adhere to RFC requests including the annual EIA-411 filings.



Section 4: PJM Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective Analysis

Welcome to the *PJM Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective (CETO) Analysis* section of the PJM Manual for *PJM Resource Adequacy Analysis* In this section you will find the following information:

- An overview of PJM's CETO analysis (see "Overview").
- A description of the load deliverability method (see "Load Deliverability method").
- A description of PJM's CETO modeling specifics used in the calculations (see "modeling specifics")

Overview

A fundamental assumption of the PJM Reserve Requirement Study is the absence of any transmission constraints within PJM that could result in "bottled" generation. This assumption is tested by Load Deliverability Analysis based on the Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective (CETO) and Capacity Emergency Transfer Limit (CETL) tests. These tests are applied to electrical areas (called Locational Deliverability Areas or LDAs in the RPM process) within the PJM RTO to ensure that the needed capacity resources are deliverable to load. The CETO is defined to be the import capability required by the area to comply with a Transmission Risk LOLE of one event in 25 Years. The CETL is defined to be the actual emergency import capability of the test area. The CETO is driven largely by the level of generation reserves within the test area. An area passes the deliverability test if its CETL is equal to or greater than its CETO. A detailed description of modeling for these tests is contained in this Manual's references and summarized below. See PJM Manual 14B, Attachment E for further details.

The Load Deliverability Method requires the selection of a transmission risk level to define the CETO. This risk must be very small when compared to the one day in ten year LOLE applicable to generation risk. A transmission LOLE of 1 D/ 25 Y was judged to be sufficiently small. This risk refers to the probability of having to shed load due solely to insufficient transmission import capability, not a shortage of generation resources. The one day in 25 year LOLE is subject to periodic review.

Load Deliverability Method

The approved CETO procedure is referred to in the Load Deliverability Method of PJM Manual 14B. In this method, only the study area is modeled. The CETO for each area in the PJM RTO is determined separately. The computer models are based on the latest load and capacity data available at the time of the study. All of the load and capacity electrically within the study area is modeled. The physical nature inherent in operating the bulk electric grid is considered in the Load Deliverability Method modeling.

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Modeling Specifics

The specific modeling details and CETO procedures are coordinated with the PJM Reserve Requirement studies as reviewed by the RRAWG and PC. Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective (CETO) modeling includes the following list of guidelines:

- (1) A loss of load expectation (LOLE) which is considered much smaller compared to the generation LOLE, is used to evaluate the import capability risk. The generation LOLE, defined in the RFC BAL-502-RFC-01 Standard, is one occurrence, on average, in ten years.
- (2) The CETO is the import capability required for the area to meet a risk level of one day, on average, in 25 years. This risk specifically refers to the probability of an LDA shedding load due solely to its inability to import needed capacity assistance.
- (3) The PJM reliability program PRISM is used. Only a single area, the study area, is modeled.
- (4) Both Zonal and Global models are used depending on the LDA. A Zonal model excludes units directly connected to the 500 kV system and is used if the LDA is a zone or part of a zone. A Global model includes all connected units and is used if the LDA consists of more than one zone.
- (5) The most recent PJM Load Forecast Report is used for modeling loads.
- (6) The area's unrestricted peak load forecast (non-coincident peak), adjusted for forecasted load management and behind-the-meter load, is used.
- (7) Resource data is consistent with the most recent annual reserve requirement study and the CETL analysis.
- (8) Monthly load profile values and unit capacity factors are inputted and verified to capture the difference between winter and summer values.
- (9) Summer planned generator maintenance is not permitted.
- (10) See the PJM paper on PJM Generation Adequacy Analysis: Technical Methods, and the Reserve requirement study posted at the Planning Committee portion of the PJM web site. Further information is documented per the Application for Reliability Calculation's technical documentation and is available upon request.
- (11) Unit retirements are consistent with those posted on the PJM web site at: http://www.pjm.com/planning/project-queues/gen-retire.html.
- (12) A unit with a Reliability Must Run (RMR) contract for part of or for the entire delivery year is modeled consistent with the RTEPP. [Note: Per RPM business rules, an RMR unit with a part year contract must offer into the auction at its Avoidable Cost. If it clears, it should be kept in service for the entire year.] A unit scheduled to be retired with no RMR contract is not modeled.
- (13) A planned generation resource addition or planned increase in rating that has executed an Interconnection Service Agreement (ISA) is modeled.
- (14)A unit that was previously mothballed but committed to serve RPM or FRR load at the time of the study is modeled.



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Changed reference to PJM Manual for Accounting Obligation to reflect the current title of PJM Manual Capacity Obligation.

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This revision primarily reflects changes due to full implementation of the Reliability Assurance Agreement (RAA).

Removed Attachment A: Definitions and Abbreviations. Attachment A is being developed into a PJM Manual for **Definitions and Abbreviations** (M-35).

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