

## Monthly Availability Standards for Compliance Year 2012

The following table lists the monthly Availability Standards as described in CAISO Tariff Section 40.9.4 for Resource Adequacy Compliance Year 2012:

<b>Trade Month</b>	<b>Availability Standard</b>
January 2012	97.20%
February 2012	97.76%
March 2012	95.74%
April 2012	95.38%
May 2012	94.03%
June 2012	96.64%
July 2012	95.96%
August 2012	96.83%
September 2012	95.80%
October 2012	97.20%
November 2012	97.07%
December 2012	97.65%

The Standard Capacity Product (SCP) has become effective on January 1, 2010, as described in CAISO Tariff Section 40.9. Under the SCP program, the CAISO reviews the availability of each Resource Adequacy Resource subject to the SCP Availability Standard each month to determine whether it meets the Availability Standard applicable for that month. A Resource Adequacy Resource that has a higher availability rate than the Availability Standard plus 2.5% will be eligible to receive an Availability Incentive Payment subject to Non-Availability Charges. A Resource Adequacy Resource that has a lower availability rate than the Availability Standard minus 2.5% will be subject to a Non-Availability Charges. This standard applies only to RA resources as outlined in the *Reliability Requirements BPM*.