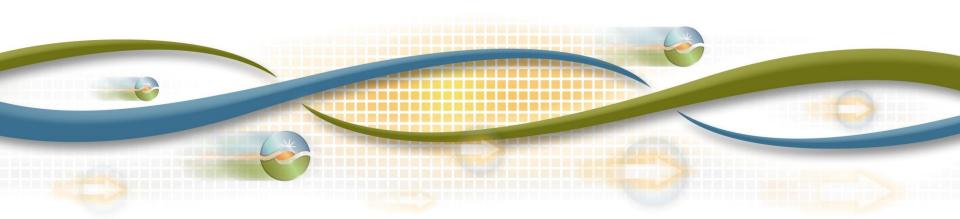


Market Performance and Planning Forum

May 23, 2012



Objective: Enable dialogue on implementation planning and market performance issues

- Review key market performance topics
- Share updates to 2012-2013 release plans, resulting from stakeholders inputs
- Provide information on specific initiatives
 - to support Market Participants in budget and resource planning
- Focus on implementation planning; not on policy
- Clarify implementation timelines
- Discuss external impacts of implementation plans
- Launch joint implementation planning process



Agenda

| TIME | TOPIC | LEAD |
|---------------|--|--|
| 10:00 – 10:10 | Introduction, Agenda | Mercy Parker Helget |
| 10:10 – 11:00 | Market Analysis | Shucheng Liu, Guillermo Bautista- Alderete, Nan Liu |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Policy Update | Brad Cooper |
| 11.00 | Tolloy opacio | Brad Gooper |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | 2012-2013 Transmission Planning Cycle Update | Jeff Billinton |
| 12:00 – 1:00 | Lunch | |
| 1:00 – 2:00 | Technical Updates | Khaled Abdul-Rahman, Li Zhou |
| 2:00 – 2:30 | Release Updates | Janet Morris, June Xie |



Market Performance and Quality Update

Market Analysis & Development

Shucheng Liu Guillermo Bautista-Alderete Nan Liu

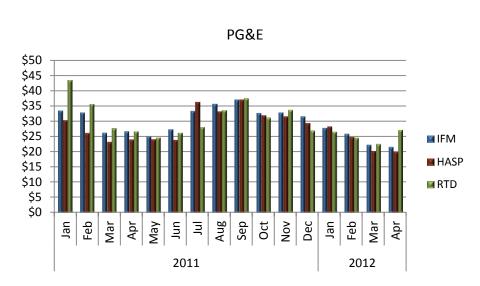


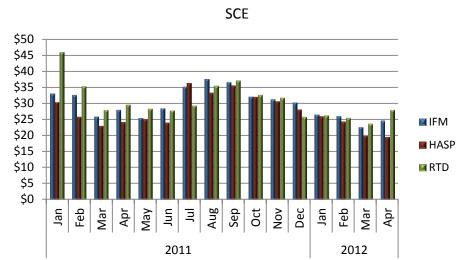
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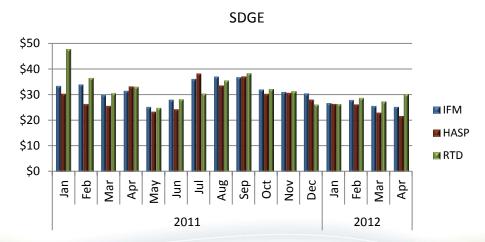
- Price volatility and market convergence
- RT energy imbalance offset
- Convergence bidding
- Exceptional dispatch trends
- Bid cost recovery
- MIP gap
- 2. Price Corrections
- 3. Recent Market Events
- 4. 2011 AS Scarcity Report



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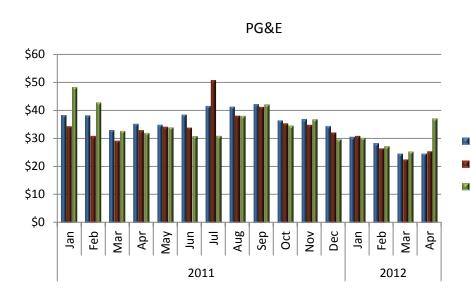


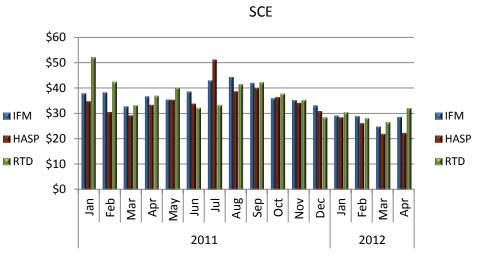


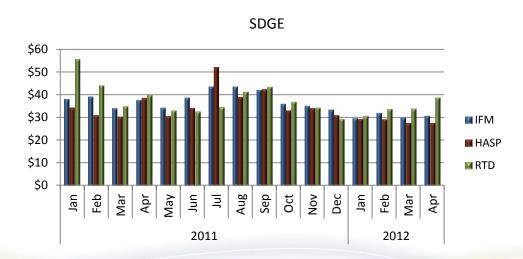




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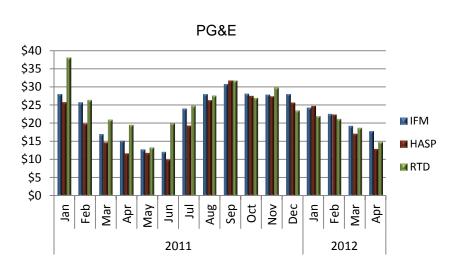


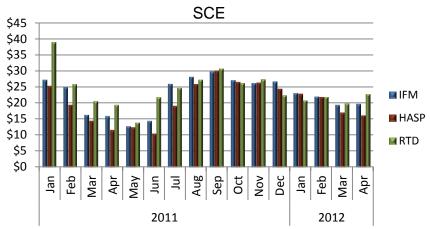


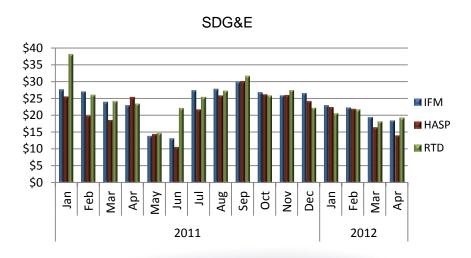




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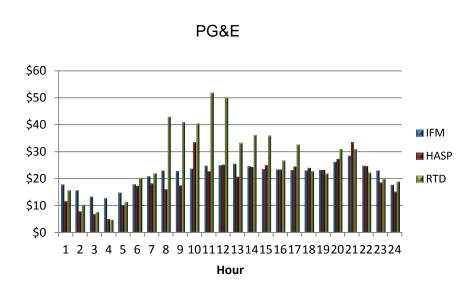


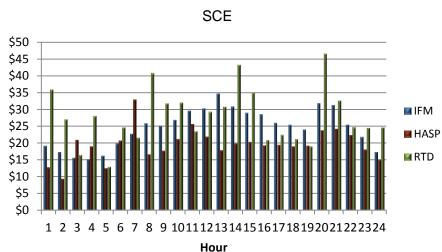


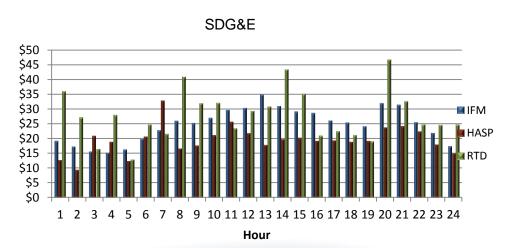




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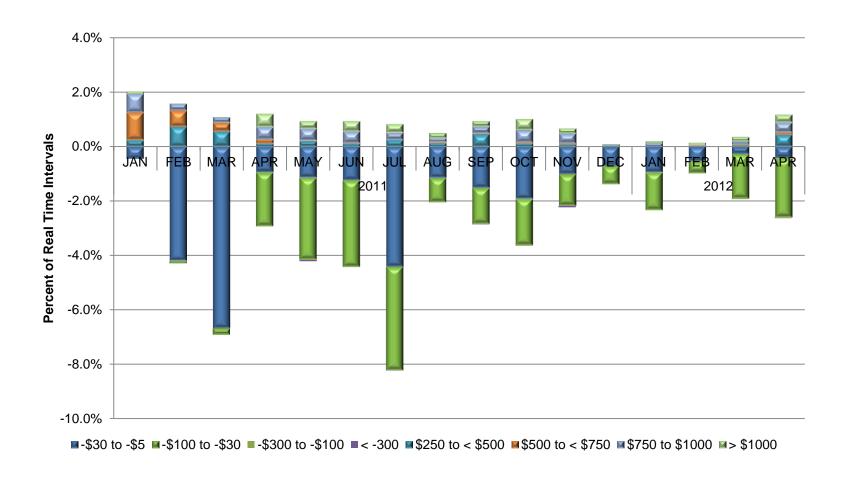






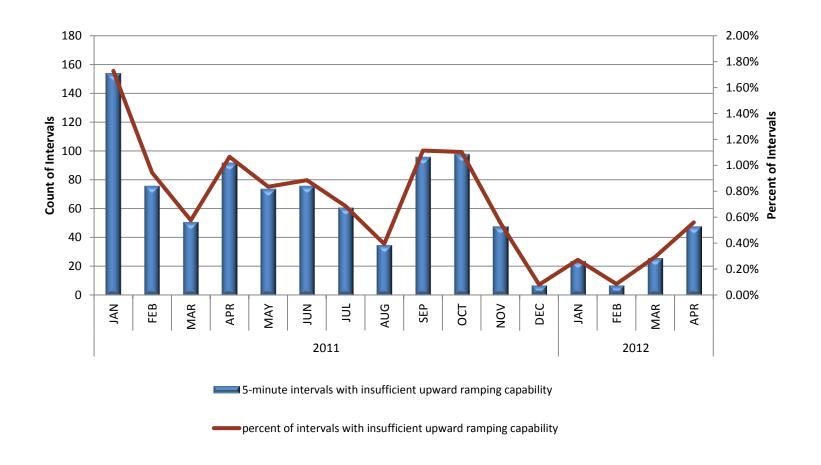


Monthly price distributions: price volatility increased in March/April 2012.



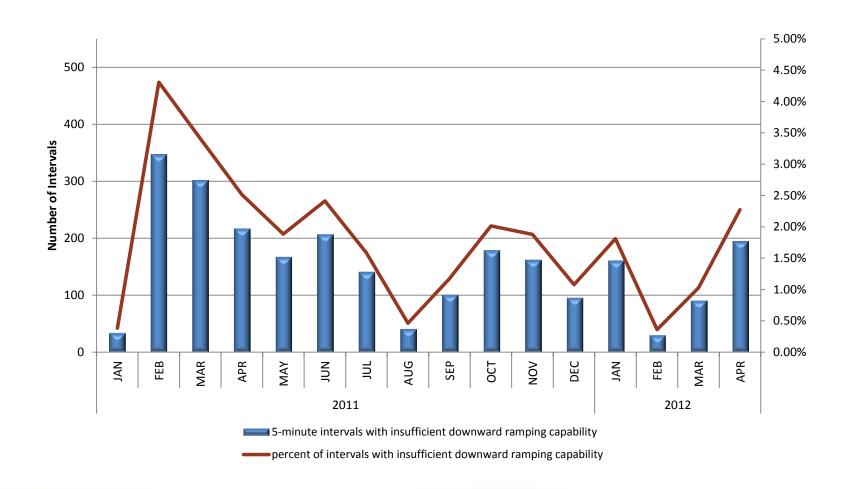


Monthly average of RTD intervals with insufficient up ramping capacity also increased in March/April.



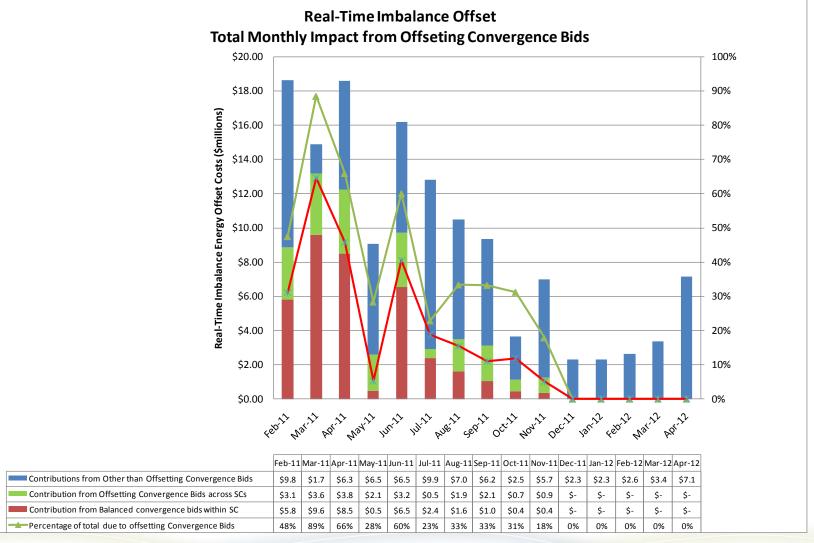


Monthly average of RTD Intervals with insufficient down ramping capacity increased too.



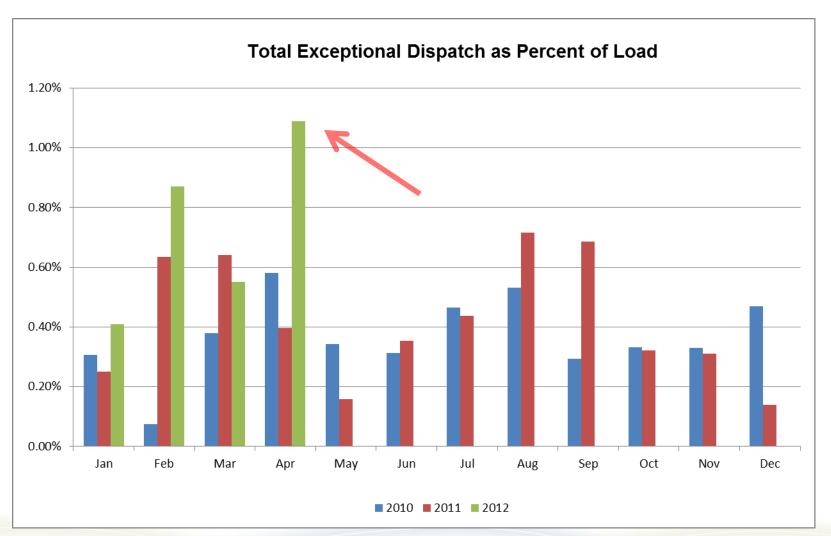


The real-time imbalance energy offset (RTIEO) moved up in March/April.



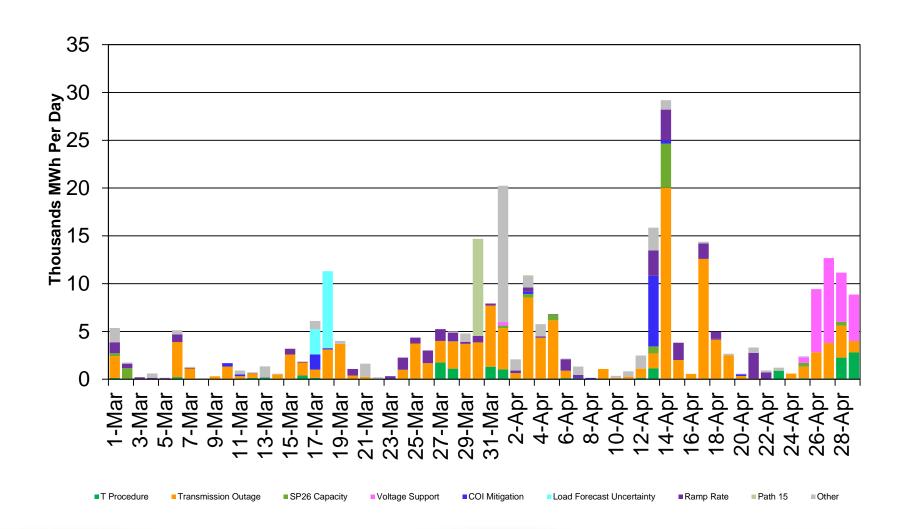


Exceptional dispatch volume was abnormally high at approximately 1.1% in April vs. 0.5% historically.



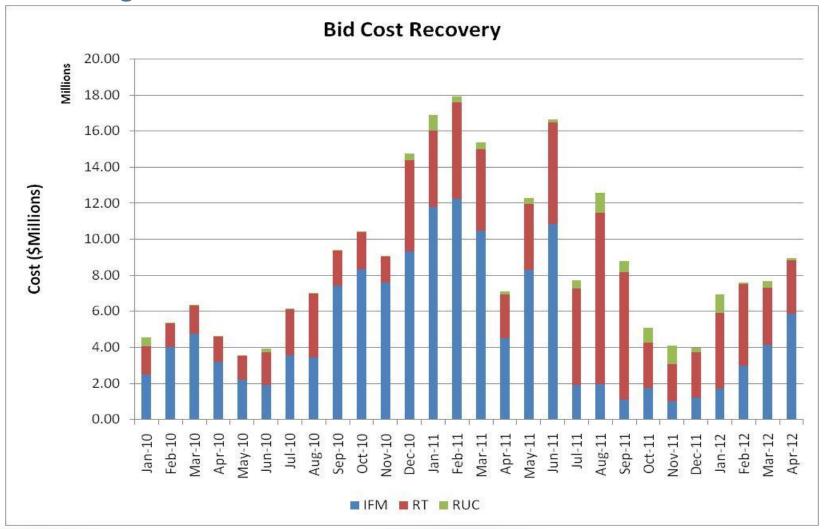


Daily exceptional dispatches in MWh - by reason



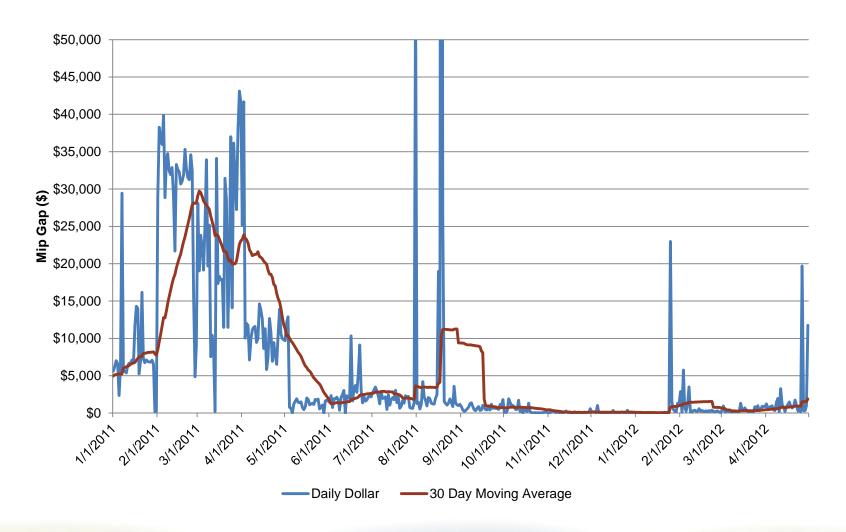


DA Bid cost recovery (BCR) costs trended up. ISO is reviewing sources of increase.



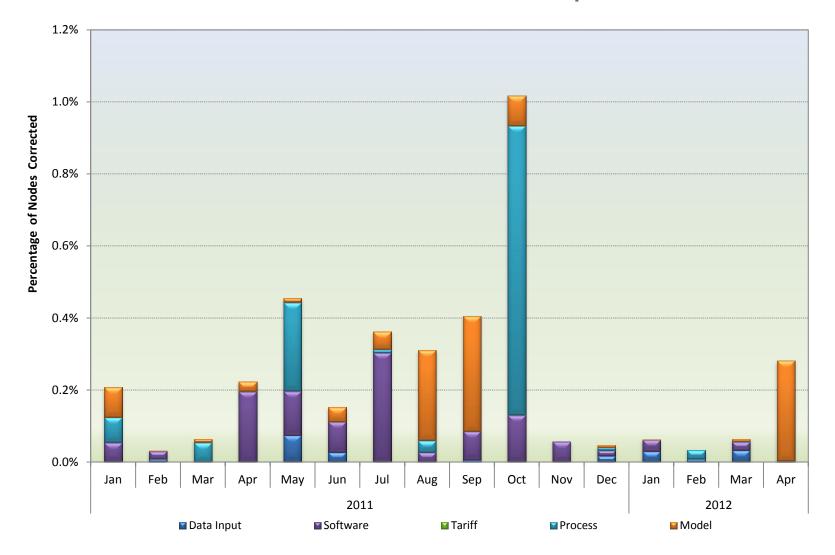


Good MIP Gap performance in March/April.



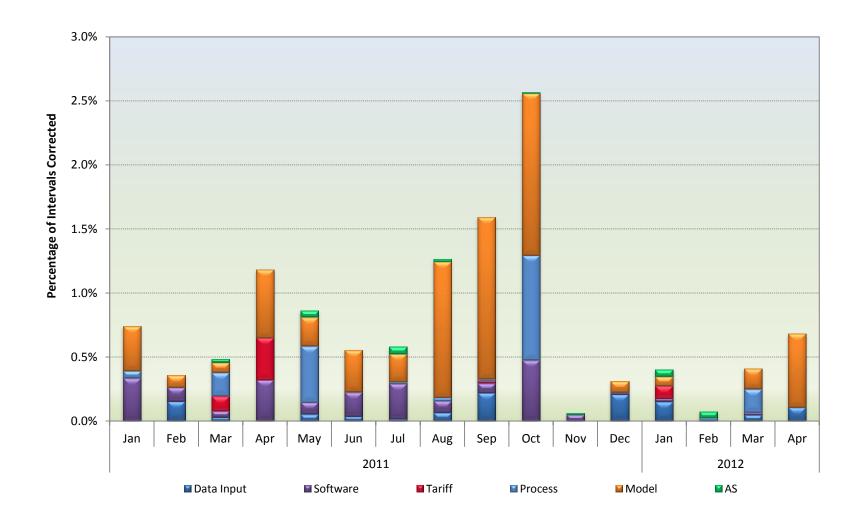


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Price/Dispatch Consistency

- The ISO market has observed price/dispatch inconsistencies.
- This may affect both physical and convergence bids, in both DAM and HASP.
- There are market features that lead to such outcomes.
- Market participants have expressed their concerns.
- This may create uncertainty in the market.
- The ISO is moving forward with a stakeholders initiative to address price/dispatch inconsistencies.
- An Issues Paper will be provided in the first half of June.



Recent system/market events

SONGS outages continue to impact grid/market operations:

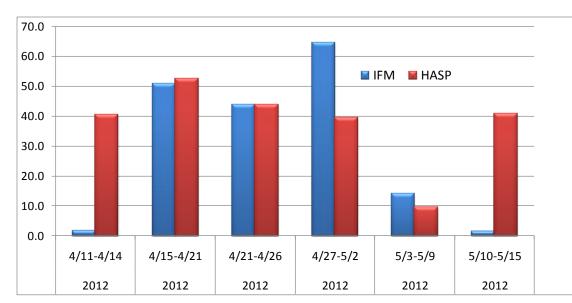
- Have taken steps to use market mechanisms to model constraints needed for reliability, local nomograms and Minimum online capacity (MOC).
- Exceptional dispatches volume increased in March and April.

Summer operations:

- SDG&E import limit (SOL) increased to 2900 MW after 230 kV Barre-Lewis upgrade and 500 kV Sunrise Powerlink.
- Plan to dispatch internal generation to prepare for largest generation contingency following SWPL outage for added reliability. Effective import limit 2450 MW modeled in the market.



Recent system/market events (Cont.)



Average number of units (including MSG configurations) subject to local market power mitigation per hour

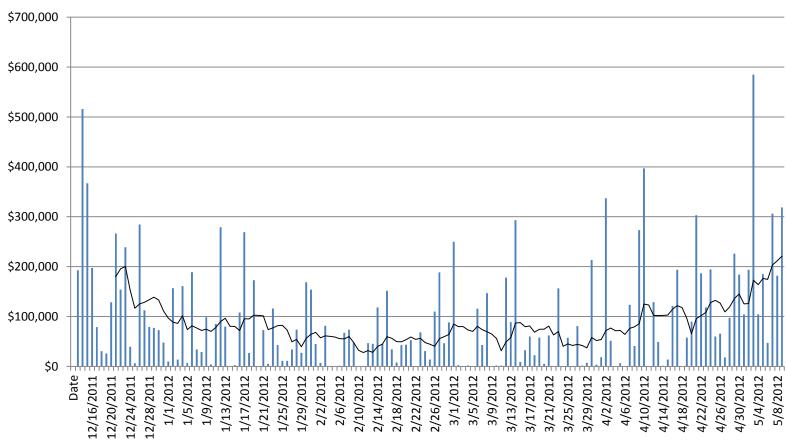
Top 3 constraints that triggered mitigation

| | 4/11-4/14 | SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG | | |
|------|---|--|---|--|
| | 4/15-4/21 | SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG | SCE_PCT_IMP_BG | 34112_EXCHEQUR_34116_LE GRAND |
| IFM | 4/21-4/26 | SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG | 34112_EXCHEQUR_34116_LE GRAND_BR | 32990_MARTINEZ_33016_ALHAMTP2_BR |
| | 4/27-5/2 | 34112_EXCHEQUR_34116_LE GRAND_BR | SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG | SDGE_CFEIMP_BG |
| | 5/3-5/9 | 34112_EXCHEQUR_34116_LE GRAND_BR | SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG | SDGE_CFEIMP_BG |
| | 5/10-5/15 | 32990_MARTINEZ_33016_ALHAMTP2_BR | 32754 OLEUM 32778 MRTNZJCT BR | SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG |
| | | | | |
| | | PATH26_N-S | LBN_S-N | 32314_SMRTSVLE_32316_YUBAGOLD |
| | 4/11-4/14 | † | | |
| HASP | 4/11-4/14 4/15-4/21 | PATH26_N-S | LBN_S-N | 32314_SMRTSVLE_32316_YUBAGOLD |
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| HASP | 4/11-4/14 4/15-4/21 4/21-4/26 4/27-5/2 | PATH26_N-S SCE_PCT_IMP_BG 7820_TL 230S_OVERLOAD_NG | LBN_S-N IVALLYBANK_XFBG SLIC 1883001_SDGE_OC_NG | 32314_SMRTSVLE_32316_YUBAGOLD 32990_MARTINEZ_33016_ALHAMTP2 32990_MARTINEZ_33016_ALHAMTP2_BR |



Flexi-ramp constraint cost jumped in April and early May.







2011 Ancillary Service Scarcity Event Report



There were 24 ancillary service scarcity events occurred in 2011.

Frequency of 2011 Scarcity Events by Market and Sub-region

| Month | Market | Sub-region | | | Cum |
|----------|--------|------------|------|----------|-----|
| WIOTILII | | CAISO | SP26 | SP26_EXP | Sum |
| 4 | RTUC | | 1 | | 1 |
| 5 | RTUC | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6 | RTUC | | | 8 | 8 |
| 7 | HASP | 9 | | | 9 |
| 11 | RTUC | | 3 | | 3 |
| Sum | | 9 | 5 | 10 | 24 |

- All in ancillary service sub-regions
- All in real-time markets (9 in HASP and 15 in RTUC)
- Incremental procurement cost \$53,226



The 2011 ancillary service scarcity events were caused by:

- Inconsistent ramp rates used to award ancillary services
- Forbidden operating region
- Multi-stage generating resource
- De-rate and outage of generation resources
- Manual load forecast adjustment
- Insufficient real-time ancillary service bids
- Inability to swap through buy-back of ancillary services



Existing resources were sufficient in 2011 to meet energy demand and ancillary service requirements.

- There was no system-wide scarcity event
- All scarcity events (except the ones in HASP) were cured within an hour
- Scarcity pricing mechanism is functioning properly
- Further improvements in market design and system operation are needed



Policy Update

Brad Cooper, Manager Market Design and Regulatory Policy



Market initiatives going to the Board for approval in July, Sep 2012

| Initiative | Board Presentation |
|--|--------------------|
| Flexible Ramping Product | July |
| RA Replacement Requirement | July |
| 2012 CRR Tariff Clean Up | July |
| Ancillary Services Buy Back | July |
| Exempting Inter-SC Trades from CFTC | July |
| Intertie Pricing and Settlement | July |
| BCR Mitigation Meas. (RIMPR 1) | Sep |
| Flex Capacity Procurement Phase 1 (Risk of Retirement) | Sep |
| FERC Order 1000 | Sep |
| Generator Project Downsizing | Sep |



Market design initiatives coming soon (slide 1 of 2)

- PIRP Decremental Bidding
 - Targeted to start June 2012
- Cost-Allocation Guiding Principles Phase 2: Apply Principles Across Market Design
 - Targeted to start August 2012
- Reliability Demand Response Product Order 745
 Compliance Modifications
 - Targeted to start August 2012



Market design initiatives coming soon (slide 2 of 2)

- Flexible Capacity Requirements/Procurement Phase II
 - Targeted to start Sep 2012
- Standard Capacity Product Phase III
 - FERC order to apply SCP to all RA resources
 - Phase III will evaluate SCP for DR
 - Targeted to start Sep 2012
- Marginal Loss Surplus Allocation
 - Targeted to start Sep 2012

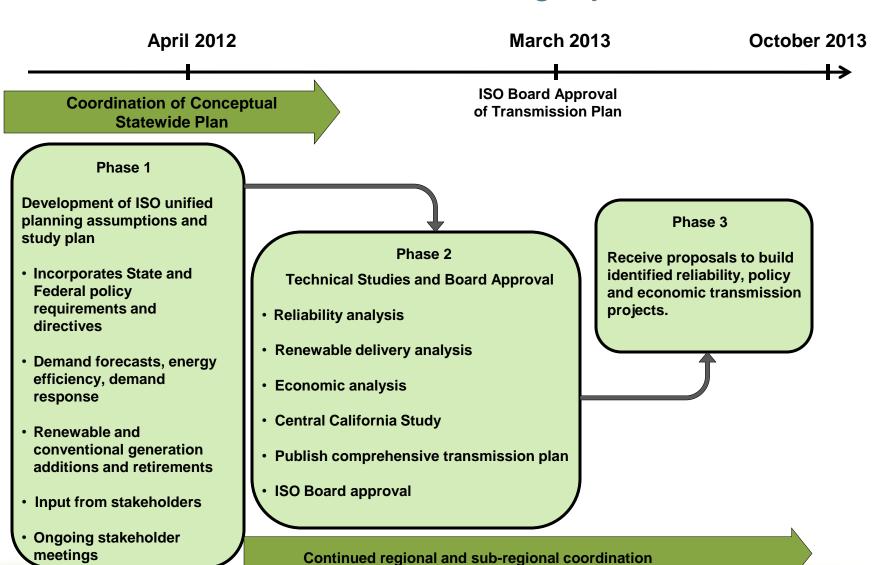


Transmission Planning Update

Jeff Billinton, Manager Regional Transmission - North



2012/2013 Transmission Planning Cycle





2012/2013 Transmission Planning Cycle Update

- Study Plan
 - Stakeholder session February 28, 2012
 - Finalized with responses to comments March 30, 2012
- Addendum to Study Plan for Central California study
 - Draft of study plan presented April 26, 2012
 - Target to finalize addendum and responses to comments on May 24, 2012



Central California Study Objective



- Central California transmission system integral part of the bulk electric system to facilitate power transfers throughout ISOcontrolled grid.
 - In addition to supply to overall Fresno area.
- System performance needs to be assessed under variety of scenarios to:
 - Ensure reliability requirements met;
 - Facilitate policy objectives;
 and
 - Assess economic opportunities.



2012/2013 Transmission Planning Cycle Update (continued)

- Renewable Generation Portfolios from CPUC and CEC
 - Held stakeholder session on April 2, 2012
 - Stakeholder comments received April 16, 2012
 - Received revised portfolios from CPUC and CEC on May 16 and posted on ISO website May 18, 2012
 - ISO will use base scenario and sensitivities as provided by CPUC and CEC with following:
 - Addition of further 200 to 250 MW in Valley Electric area to reflect difference in permitting
 - Sensitivity case modeling high out of state import scenario, for information purpose only



2012/2013 Transmission Planning Cycle Update (continued)

- Special Protection System (SPS) Review
 - The ISO will be reviewing performance, operation and design of the existing SPS on the system to determine if needs to modified, removed or replaced due to:
 - planned transmission developments
 - changes in transmission utilization
 - As a part of developing the corrective action plans to address the reliability performance issue identified in the studies, the ISO will assess if new SPS are appropriate and will bring forward projects as needed if we see concerns that warrant it.



2012/2013 Transmission Planning Cycle Update (continued)

Schedule

- Post Reliability study results August 15, 2012
- Request Window open August 15 October 15, 2012
- Stakeholder session September 26-27, 2012
 - Reliability study results
- Stakeholder session December 11-12, 2012
 - Policy and Economic study results
- Post draft Transmission Plan January 2013
- Present draft plan to stakeholders and comments period – February 2013
- Present to ISO Board for Approval March 2013



Technical Updates

Khaled Abdul-Rahman, Director
Li Zhou, Senior Advisor
Power Systems Technology Development



Spring 2012 Market Simulation – REM

- EMS/AGC 50% Rule
 - EMS/AGC has a rule to maintain the SOC at 50% of the energy limit if system condition is normal and it is not impacting the grid reliability;
 - The 50% Rule was NOT on as part of Spring market simulation.
 - The 50% Rule will be ON in Fall 2012 market simulation.



Spring 2012 Market Simulation – REM ... continue

- ISO plans the following changes for NGR AS No Pay
 - Eliminate the No Pay evaluation based on PI SOC;
 - No Pay on Day-Ahead AS forced buy-back including reason due to insufficient SOC (if the general dayahead AS buy back policy initiative passes);
 - All other AS No Pay rules shall remain applicable to NGR resources.



Spring 2012 Market Simulation – REM ... continue

- SIBR Rules for NGR (REM and non REM) posted on 05/21/12;
- External Business Requirement posted on 05/18/12;
- BPM for NGR expected energy algorithm will be posted by the end of May 2012;
- Technical explanations for the SIBR rules and expected energy algorithm will be given in July MAPP meeting.



Fall 2012 Release – Real-Time MPM

- Pre-HASP mitigation
- RTPD can mitigate units on 15-minute base
 - RTPD mitigated bids posted in CMRI;
 - RTPD mitigated bids will be used in RTD for dispatch in applicable 5-minute intervals;
 - RTPD mitigated bids will be used in expected energy allocation for applicable intervals and thus for BCR.

MSG Group Constraint (MSG Dec Market Sim)

- Model Minimum Up Time (MUT) and Down Time (MDT) on a group of configurations
 - A group of configurations can contain a sub-group of configurations;
 - Configuration level MUT and MDT stays. For example, a unit can have MUT(2X1, 2X1 Duct) as 6 hours And MUT(2X1 Duct) as 30 minutes;

MSG Group Constraint (MSG Dec Market Sim) ... continue

- With two groups A and B, assuming that configurations in group B is a subset of configurations in group A
 - -MUT(A) >= MUT(B); MDT(A) <= MDT(B).
- For any group A
 - -MUT(Plant) >= MUT(A); MDT(Plant) <= MDT(A).
- If registered values fail those rules, ISO will contact the market participant for justification.

Release Plan Updates

Janet Morris, Director June Xie, Lead Business Analyst Program Office



Release Plan – 2012

Pre Summer 2012

Settlements quarterly release

• Fall 2012

- Non-Generator Resources / Regulation Energy Management Phase 2
- LMPM Enhancements Phase 2
- Data Release Phase 3
- 72 Hour RUC
- Transmission Reliability Margin
- Commitment Costs Refinements Greenhouse Gas Regulation only
- FERC 745 Net Benefits Test
- Contingency Dispatch Upgrade
- Replacement Requirement for Scheduled Generation Outages
- Regulatory Must Take Generation
- IRR enhancement

TBD

MSG Enhancements Phase 3 (market simulation to occur in December 2012)



Release Plan – 2013

Spring 2013

- Dynamic Transfers
- FERC Order 755 Pay for Performance
- Mandatory MSG
- Post Emergency Filing BCR changes

Fall 2013

- RIMPR-Phase 1
- Circular Scheduling
- Commitment Cost Refinements (remaining scope)
- Flexible Ramping Product

Subject to further release planning:

- Enhanced Operating Reserve Management
- Enterprise Model Management System
- Outage Management System
 - BRS to be posted for review by end of May 2012
- Reliability Demand Response Product
 - Need a Policy Stakeholder process and then present the recommendation to the Board
- Subset of Hours



2012 Release Plan

| California ISO Shaping a Renewed Future | Apr 23 | Apr 30 | May 07 | May 14 | May 21 | May 28 | Jun 04 | Jun 11 | Jun 25 | Jul 02 | Jul 09 | Jul 16 | Jul 23 | Jul 30 | Aug 06 | Aug 13 | Aug 20 | Aug 27 | Sep 03 | Sep 10 | Sep 17 | Sep 24 | Oct 01 | Oct 08 | Oct 15 | Oct 22 | Oct 29 | Nov 05 | Nov 12 | Nov 19 | Nov 26 | Dec 10 | Dec 17 | Dec 24 | | Jan 07 |
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| Production | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OMAR FERC 741-Delayed Reqs T+172B | | | OMA | RFE | RC 7 | 41-De | laye | d Req | s T+1 | 72 <mark>B</mark> (| 05/02 | 2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OS Patching | | OSF | atch | ing (C | 4/30 | -05/1 | 1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May Fallback Market Systems | | | May | Fallb | ack | Marke | t Sys | stems | (05/0 | 7-05/ | 11) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May Fallback Infrastructure | | | | May | Fallb | acklr | fras | tructu | ге (0 | 5/14-(|)5 /18 |) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May Fallback Settlements/Metering | | | | | May | Fallb | ack S | ettlen | nents | /Mete | ring | (05/2 | 1-06/0 | 01) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pre-Summer Release | | | | | | | Pre-S | umm | er Re | lease | (06/ | 04) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DB59 | | | | | | | - | DB 59 | 06/1 | 4) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Settlements 9.04 | | | | | | | | | S | ettlen | ients | 9.04 | (06/2 | 7) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| November Fallback Market Systems | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Noven (11/15 | | | ackM | arket | Syste | ms | |
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| MAP Stage | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NGR/REM Phase 1 Market Simulation | NGF | R/REN | Pha | se 1 l | Nark | et Sin | ulat | on(04 | /16-0 | 5/04) | | мо | O D | | A | 1: | i 1 | la ele | | | 400 | Dead | | A . | | : I | la else | | | M | SG Dr | oduct | ion Ac | tivati | ion | |
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Fall 2012 Release - NGR Phase 2: Non-Rem

| Milestone | Date | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Application Software Changes | SIBR: NGR as a generation resource DAM/RTM: Model NGR with an negative to positive power injection Settlements - Settle the NGR energy and AS similar as generator; Master File: Define NGR resource characteristics and REM flag SLIC: Support NGR register outage or de-rate ramp rates OASIS: Include NGR for publishing T+90 bids, EMS: Model NGR with supply range of negative to positive | | | | | | | |
| BPM Changes | Manage Full Network Model Market Operations Market Instruments Outage Management Settlements & Billing Compliance Monitoring | | | | | | | |
| Business Process Changes | May 31, 2012 - Expected Energy Calculations | | | | | | | |
| External Business Requirements Update | May 21, 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Configuration Guides | July 31, 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Technical specifications | July 23, 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Market Simulation registration | July 27, 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Updated BPM | Sep 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Market Simulation | Sep 4 – 21, 2012 | | | | | | | |
| Production Activation | Dec 1, 2012 | | | | | | | |



Fall 2012 – LMPM Enhancements (Phase 2)

| Milestone | Date |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| Application Software Changes | Day Ahead and Real-Time Market: MPM for 15 min. RT, DCPA for HASP and 15 min. RT OASIS: Display LMPM-related components for nomogram & intertie shadow prices, and competitive paths for real-time CMRI: Display real-time mitigated bid curve |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations Market Instruments |
| Business Process Changes | Manage Market Setup & Execution Manage Day Ahead Market Real Time Market & Grid Manage Real Time Market- After Close of Market Manage Real Time Operations- Generation Dispatch |
| Board Approval | July 14, 2011 |
| External Business Requirements | May 2012 (update for phase 2 requirements) |
| OASIS/ CMRI Technical Specifications | July 27, 2012 |
| Updated BPMs | August 17, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 10 - 21, 2012 |
| Tariff Filing / Approved | Filing in June, FERC Approval TBD |
| Production Activation | Trade Date December 11, 2012 |



Fall 2012 – Data Release (Phase 3)

| Milestone | Date |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Application Software Changes | CMRI: Release of Day – Ahead Load Distribution Factors Release of Shift Factors, Transmission Limits, & Nomogram Constraint Limits and Enforcements for Day-Ahead and Real-Time OASIS: Release of Aggregated Generation Outages, Wind and Solar Forecasts, & CRR Public Bids |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations; Market Instruments |
| Business Process Changes | None |
| Board Approval | May 17, 2011 |
| External Business Requirements | March 19, 2012 |
| NDAs | 6/1/2012 – posted, 8/1/2012 - due for Market Simulation |
| OASIS/ CMRI Technical Specifications | July 20, 2012 |
| Updated BPMs | August 13, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 4 – 14, 2012 |
| Tariff Filing / Approved | Filing TBD |
| Production Activation | Trade Date December 11, 2012 |



Fall 2012 – 72 Hour RUC

| Milestone | Date |
|---|--|
| Application Software Changes | CMRI: Existing reports will publish extra long start unit binding startup instructions / initial condition |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations Market Instruments |
| Business Process Changes | Not Applicable |
| External Business Requirements | September 23, 2010 and September 1, 2011 (BPM synch revision) |
| Technical Specifications | Not Applicable |
| Updated BPMs | October 28, 2011 |
| Market Simulation Plan to include Implementation Plan | July 30, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 10-14 |
| Production Activation | Trade Date December 1, 2012 |



Fall 2012 – Transmission Reliability Margin

| Milestone | Date |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Application Software Changes | OASIS – CBM line item replaced, three TRM component line items added. |
| BPM Changes | Market Instruments, Market Operations, Full Network Model (TBD), Reliability Requirements (TBD), Congestion Revenue Rights (TBD) |
| Business Process Changes | Manage Real-Time Interchange Scheduling |
| Board Approval | March 22, 2012 |
| External Business Requirements | April 9, 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | July 31, 2012 |
| Updated BPMs | July 31, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 11, 2012- September 17, 2012 |
| Tariff Filing / Approved | June 2012 / September 2012 |
| Production Activation | Trade Date December 1, 2012 |



Fall 2012 – Commitment Cost Refinements (Green House Gas Emissions Costs)

| Milestone | Date |
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| Application Software Changes | SIBR: SIBR must consume calculations performed by POTOMAC for proxy bid use. Master File: Registration of units that did not emit more than 25,000 mtCO2 in the previous year (to be exempt from greenhouse gas allowance costs in its calculation of variable costs). System must also store the greenhouse gas allowance price and make it available to downstream systems for consumption. |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations |
| Business Process Changes | Manage Day Ahead Market Manage Reliability Requirements |
| Board Approval | May 16, 2012 |
| External Business Requirements | June 2012 |
| Market Simulation | Fall 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | TBD |
| Tariff Filing | July 2012 |
| Production Activation | Trade Date January 1, 2013 |

Fall 2012 Release - FERC Order 745

DR Compensation in Wholesale Electricity Markets

| Milestone | Date | | | | |
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| Application Software Changes | Demand Response System (DRS): Changes needed to support the settlement of DRs in compliance with the FERC order 745 Settlements Automation of the calculation of the Monthly Demand Response DR Net Benefits test (NBT) Threshold Prices. Change Settlement Charge Codes (RT Energy Pre-Calc, CC6806, CC6475, CC6477) to comply with guidance issued in FERC order 745 | | | | |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations, Settlement Configuration Guides, Definitions and Acronyms | | | | |
| External Business Requirement Specification | May 2, 2012 | | | | |
| Technical Specifications | Not Applicable | | | | |
| Configuration Guides | Aug 27, 2012 – CC6806, CC6475, CC6477, RT Energy Pre-Calculation | | | | |
| Market Simulation | Sep 25-26, 2012 | | | | |
| Production Deployment | Nov 5, 2012 | | | | |
| Production Activation | Trade Date December 1, 2012 Retroactive settlement dating back to effective trade date Dec 15, 2011 | | | | |



Fall 2012 – Contingency Dispatch Upgrade

| Milestone | Date |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Application Software Changes | RTM: Prioritize Operating reserves dispatch over energy-only during Disturbance Control Standard (DCS) event ADS: Always broadcast the Dispatch when it is coming from Real-Time Contingency Dispatch (RTCD). Three new Yes/No flags to Indicate RTCD was a Disturbance Dispatch (Prioritized Operating Reserves over energy-only bids) Incrementing the Northern Ties was skipped Incrementing Southern Ties was skipped |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations |
| Business Process Changes | Manage Real-Time Contingency Dispatch |
| Board Approval | May 16, 2012 |
| External Business Requirements | May 8, 2012 |
| Updated BPMs | RTCD-6/15/12, RTDD-8/17/12 |
| Tariff Filing / Approved | Filing July 2012 requesting FERC approval by Oct 2012 |
| ADS Technical Specifications | July 23, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 17 – September 21, 2012 |
| Production Activation | December 11, 2012 |



Fall 2012 – Replacement Requirements for Scheduled Generation Outages

| Milestone | Date |
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| Application Software Changes | RAAM: Unit substitution has to be expanded for Planned Outages. |
| BPM Changes | Outage Management; Reliability Requirements |
| Business Process Changes | Manage Generation Outages: Annual Monthly RA Process (new) RA Outage Management Process (new) |
| Board Approval | July 12, 2012 |
| External Business Requirements | June 29, 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | TBD |
| Market Simulation | Fall 2012 |
| Tariff Filing | TBD |
| Production Activation | Trade Date January 1, 2013 |



Fall 2012 – Regulatory Must Take Generation

| Milestone | Description/Date |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Application Software Changes | Master File: Allow SCs of Combined Heat and Power (CHP) resources to submit on-peak and off-peak RMTmax values via Resource Data Template (RDT). RMTMax values must be within Pmin and Pmax. SIBR: Add validation rules to enforce on-peak and off-peak RMTmax capacities |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations and Market Instruments |
| Business Process Changes | Potential new business process to Manage 180-day exemption between contract expiration and ISO tariff compliance (metering) Manage contracts and approval of a CHP resource for RMT |
| External Business Requirements | April 30, 2012 |
| Board Approval | May 16, 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | July 23, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 11, 2012- September 17, 2012 |
| Production Activation | Trade date December 11, 2012 |



Fall 2012 – IRR (ISO Reliability Requirements) Annual

| Milestone | Date |
|------------------------------|---|
| Application Software Changes | IRR: Modifications to enable annual automated cross validation and loading of supply and RA plans |
| BPM Changes | Reliability Requirements |
| Business Process Changes | No business process impacts |
| Board Approval | Not Applicable |
| IRR Users Guide | August 20, 2012 |
| Market Simulation | September 18 - 20 |
| Technical Specifications | TBD |
| Tariff Filing | Not Applicable |
| Production Activation | Trade Date Oct,1 2012 |



TBD – MSG Enhancements (Phase 3)

| Milestone | Date |
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| Application Software Changes | Master File: System must be extended to allow the registration of minimum up time (MUT) or minimum down time (MDT) on a group of MSG configurations. Registrations would be submitted to the ISO via a separate registration form. DAM/RTM: System must be able to recognize the MUT and MDT constraints on a group of configurations (as registered in the Master File) during the optimization. |
| BPM Changes | Market Instruments, Market Operations |
| Business Process Changes | Not Applicable |
| Board Approval | Not Applicable |
| External Business Requirements | May 7, 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | Not applicable |
| Market Simulation | December 17-21, 2012 |
| Tariff Filing | Not Applicable |
| Production Activation | TBD |



Spring 2013 – Dynamic Transfers

| Milestone | Description/Date |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Application Software Changes | SIBR: Pass the 5-min-2-hour rolling forward forecast to Real-Time Market; Include bidding capability and relevant validation rules for the TRC ALFS: Create the ISO forecast for the intermittent DT CAS: e-tag DS/PTG that mapped to multi-ITGs CMRI: Report Transmission Reservation (TRC) DAM/RTM: Include TRC, incorporate forecast value, model multi-tie services, model primary/alternative tie under open tie Master File: Define TRC, multi-tie group OASIS: Show aggregated TRC Settlements: Settle TRC as shadow price of Intertie constraint in market Exclude congestion cost in RTD for the resources that have TRC. |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations; Market Instruments; Settlements & Billing; Definitions & Acronyms |
| Business Process Changes | Maintain Master File, Day Ahead Process, Real Time Process, Manage Billing and Settlements, Manage Interchange Scheduling |
| External Business Requirements | May 31, 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | TBD |
| Board Approval | May 19, 2011 |
| Market Simulation | Spring 2013 |
| Production Activation | Spring 2013 Release |

Spring 2013 – FERC Order 755

| Milestone | Description/Date |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Application Software Changes | ADS: provide DA regulation up/down mileage awards CMRI: provide DA and RT regulation up/down mileage price and awards DAM/RTM: include mileage bids and requirements into the optimization and generate mileage price and awards Master File: regulation certification based on 10 min ramping capability OASIS: provide DA regulation up/down mileage price, system mileage multipliers, system mileage requirement, actual system mileage, historical mileage bids, historical resource mileage multipliers Settlements: calculate mileage payment, mileage cost allocation and GMC for mileage bids SIBR: receive and validate regulation up/down mileage bid SLIC: Allow for regulation outage status to be submitted |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations Market Instruments Settlements & Billing Definitions & Acronyms |
| Business Process Changes | Maintain Master File, Day Ahead Process Manage Billing and Settlements, Manage Analysis Dispute and Resolution, Market Performance (MAD), Market Performance (DMM) Manage AS Certification and Testing |
| Board Approval | March 23, 2012 |
| External Business Requirements | May 25, 2012 |
| Technical Specifications | TBD |
| Compliance Filing | April 2012 |
| Product Activation | Spring 2013 Release |



Spring 2013 – Post Emergency Filing BCR changes

| Milestone | Date |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Application Software Changes | Master File: Additional MSG Configurations need to completed by Spring Release 2013. Reporting: A Breakdown of BCR Components will be added to the Monthly Market Report. SAMC: Requires a tune-up on formulas to determine the ON criteria for resources, and the eligibility for Bid Cost Recovery. |
| BPM Changes | Market Instruments; Market Operations; Settlements & Billing |
| Business Process Changes | N/A |
| Board Approval | Feb 16, 2012 |
| External Business Requirements | N/A |
| Technical Specifications | N/A |
| Market Simulation | TBD |
| Tariff Filing | TBD |
| Production Activation | Spring 2013 Release |



Fall 2013 – Flexible Ramping Product

| Milestone | Description/Date |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Application Software Changes | ADS: Send Flexible Ramping Up/Down Awards to Market Participants. CMRI: Report Flex Ramp Up/Down Awards to Market Participants. DAM/RTM: Co-optimize Energy Ancillary Services and Flexible Ramping up/down. This optimization is subject to Flexible Ramping requirements and existing constraints. OASIS: Show aggregated Flexible Ramping capacity awards, requirements and marginal prices. Settlements: Settle Flexible Ramping payment at marginal price in Day Ahead and Real Time markets Add no pay and cost allocation for Flexible Ramping. SIBR: Include Flexible Ramping bidding capability and relevant validation rules of bid cap, self provision. |
| BPM Changes | Market Operations; Market Instruments; Settlements & Billing; Definitions & Acronyms. |
| Business Process Changes | Maintain Day Ahead Process, Real Time Process, Manage Billing and Settlements |
| External Business Requirements | TBD |
| Technical Specifications | TBD |
| Board Approval | TBD |
| Market Simulation | TBD |
| Production Activation | Fall 2013 Release - tentative |

