

Congestion Revenue Rights (CRR) **2026 Pre-Auction**Customer Partnership Group

Nov. 12, 2025 9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m. (Pacific Time)

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Please keep comments professional and respectful.

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- You may also send your question via chat to either Brenda Marquez or to all panelists.
- Closed Captioning and Transparency Viewer are available



Agenda

Time (PST)	Topic			
9:00 – 9:05	Welcome			
9:05 — 9:15	RDFID-PSLF mapping for 2026 Auction Market			
9:15 – 9:45	CRR EDAM implementation Update			
9:35 – 9:45	Open Discussion and Questions			
9:45-10:00	Next Steps			

CRR - Congestion Revenue Right
PSLF - Power System Load Flow
RDFID - Resource Description Framework Identifier



RDFID-PSLF mapping for 2026 auction market

- The **FNM DB135** model is being used for the 2026 auction market, as well as the 2025 August and September monthly markets.
- We have posted the DB135 RDFID-PSLF mapping to the Market Participant Portal (MPP) under the following path:
 - CRR_FNM > 2025_08_August / 2025_09_September
- As part of our reporting transition, we are sunsetting the RDFID-PSLF mapping. This change reflects the fact that the CRR market reports use RDFID names directly, rather than PSLF identifiers.
- The final RDFID-PSLF mapping will be provided for the 2025 December monthly market. No further mappings will be published beyond that point.



CRR EDAM Implementation Update

- The existing CISO-intertie scheduling point will continue to be supported in EDAM for a transitional period through at least 2026, where non-EDAM transmission is available
- For CISO-intertie schedules that are associated with EDAM transmission rights EDAM transfers will be used with EDAM go-live
- CRR model will continue to use the existing CISO-intertie scheduling point for both 2026 annual and subsequent monthly CRR allocation and auction markets throughout the transitional period
- The posted informational SP-Tie to DGAP-Tie mapping is a reflection of the current CISOintertie scheduling points to adjacent BAA DGAPs to be considered and evaluated after transitional period



OPEN DISCUSSION AND QUESTIONS



Next Steps

We also want to highlight two important stakeholder meetings happening this week:

1. Storage Design and Modeling Stakeholder Meeting

- Date/Time: Nov. 12, 10–5 p.m.
- Overview: We will review Three topic groups will be discussed during this meeting: Uplift & Default Energy Bids (DEB),
 Outage Management, and Mixed-Fuel and Distribution-Level Resources.
- Details: <u>Link to meeting information</u>

2. CAISO EDAM Q&A Workshop

- Date/Time: Friday, Nov. 14, 11 a.m.–3 p.m.
- Overview: This session will revisit topics from last week and address new stakeholder submissions related to Intertie Scheduling and Resource Adequacy Imports. Please bring your questions or submit them in advance using the comment template on the initiative webpage.
- Details: Link to workshop information

Thank you for your engagement and patience as we work through these important discussions!

- Please contact Brenda Marquez at bmarquez@caiso.com or ISOStakeholdersaffairs@caiso.com with any questions.
- For training questions, contact <u>CustomerReadiness@caiso.com</u>.
- Visit CPG webpage for more information: https://www.caiso.com/meetings-events/topics/congestion-revenue-rights-crrsettlement-upgrade-project-customer-partnership-group





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APPENDIX REFERENCE SLIDES



MapStage AIM Provisioning

- For CRR Holders and Load-Serving Entities that are currently provisioned in AIM as:
 - EXTERNAL MUI USER WITH NDA or
 - EXTERNAL MUI RESTRICTED WITHOUT NDA
- The ISO will provision/migrate access to:
 - EXTERNAL CRR HOLDER READ/WRITE ACCESS
- For CRR NDA Users that are currently provisioned as:
 - CRRFNM EXTERNAL READ-ONLY or
 - EXTERNAL MUI USER WITH NDA
- The ISO will provision/migrate their access to:
 - EXTERNAL CRR NDA REPORTS READ-ACCESS



MapStage AIM Provisioning

- If you have new users that need to be provisioned for testing, please make sure you provision them to any of these new roles:
 - EXTERNAL CRR HOLDER READ/WRITE ACCESS or
 EXTERNAL CRR HOLDER READ ACCESS
 (both above follows the existing CRR Holder participant registration process)
 - EXTERNAL CRR NDA REPORTS READ-ACCESS
 (follows the existing CRR ISO Non-Disclosure Agreement process)



CRR – B2B Spec Updates

Spec File	Changes
caiso_crr_historical_forecasted_load_v 1.1.1.yaml	- Added error code SEC0002 for invalid participant name
caiso_crr_load_migration_v1.3.1.yaml	 Added error code SEC0002 for invalid participant name Added error code LMV1003 for the specified load migration market name does not exist in the system
caiso_crr_secondary_market_v1.2.1.ya ml	 Added error code SEC0002 for invalid participant name Added error code SMT0016 for nonexistence of request ID in the system Added error code SMT0063 for mismatched asset owner of specified request and participant name Added error code SMT0145 when price in the response does not match price in the corresponding offer Correct description of error code SMT0082 to "Unable to retrieve a secondary market record by the given request ID and participant name."
caiso_crr_tor_conversion_v1.2.1.yaml	 Remove Start Date and End Date from ConversionApprovalRecord to be consistent with MUI TOR Conversion Approval Editor Added error code SEC0002 for invalid participant name Modified description of error code TOR0016 for nonexistence of TOR conversion window name in the system
caiso_crr_messages_v1.2.1.yaml	- Added error code SEC0002 for invalid participant name



CRR – JSON Schema Update

Schema Name	Changes
CRRHistoricalForecastLoad_v1.0.2.draft- 07.schema	- Corrected time in date example to '2025-07-01T 07 :00:00Z'



CRR MUI CSV Templates, API Connectivity Guidance

Developer Site https://developer.caiso.com

Apps > CRR > Release Notes

(1) CRR v4.x.x MUI Upload CSV Template for MP DRAFT.zip CSV Template for MP draft

CRRH Only	CLSE/CRRH	CUDC	TOR	CEC
 CRR bids/Offers Secondary market 	 CRR nominations CRR bids/Offers Historical and forecasted load Secondary market LT Nomination Election MT_TOR CRR Approvals 	 Customer rate (once a year) Customer number DASR 	TOR Conversion Request	Load data - no change



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(2) CRR v4.x.x API Connectivity.zip

CRR_APIConnectivitySoapUI_v1.0.xml: SoapUI project

CRRv4.x.x.APIConnectivity.pdf: Contains information about the API testing tool (SoapUI) request and responses for CRR B2B API connectivity testing purposes

Purpose

This document is an accompaniment to the CRR v4.x.x. Application Programming Interface (API) connectivity/sample SoapUI project <CRR_APIConnectivitySoapUI_v1.0.xml>; which is comprised of a subset of CRR endpoints' screenshots, illustrating its respective request and response.

Market participants may utilize the provided SoapUI project to confirm initial integration with the CRR application via APIs manually, such that: API submissions can successfully connect to CRR endpoints and servers, with a valid return response code Verifying that the API authenticates and authorizes user to access the CRR application

Pre-requisites/Dependencies

Market participants who would utilize the SoapUI project would need:

SoapUI 5.7.2, to import the project

Valid ISO certificate and correct user access role provisioned

To execute the API requests within the same network as where your system API calls would be coming from

API Connectivity Checklist

The provided SoapUI project contains one POST and/or GET method sample for each of the ten (10) RESTful CRR v4.x.x services available. Please refer to the ISO Developer Portal CRR application page for the comprehensive/complete endpoint service definitions per API.

CRR Service Endpoint Details

#	Service	GET	POST	Likelihood that file submission may be greater than > 1 MB filesize	CRR System (UI / API)
1	CRR Historical & Forecasted Load	x	х	Yes	Phase 1: Use UI for submission for now, no API available Phase 2: API submission pattern - TBD
2	CRR Auction	X	Х	Yes	Maximum 500 recs for any file submission to the system 20 bid segments per bid (business rule)
3	CRR Load Migration	x	x	No	-
4	CRR Nomination	Х	x	Yes	Maximum 500 recs for any file submission to the system
5	CRR Secondary Market	х	Х	No	Maximum 500 recs for any file submission to the system



CRR Service Endpoint Details

#	Service	GET	POS T	Potential submission for >1mb filesize	Comments
1	CRR App Status	X			
2	CRR Market Data	x	/-	n/a	Only retrieve data, no submission
3	CRR Market Status	x	n/a		
4	CRR Messages	X			



RECAP: CRR Upgrade Project - Overview

- The ISO has decided to upgrade the existing CRR system with a new system that adopts the
 latest technology stack aligned with the ISO's technology standards, consolidates all CRR related
 functions, minimizes human errors, reduces processing time, eliminates manual workarounds,
 and positions the system to accommodate policy changes down the road.
- This on-going Customer Partnership Group (CPG) will provide an overview of the schedule, review
 of external BRS and answer questions. Subsequent meetings will include detailed review and
 discussion of business process changes impacting market participants.
- http://www.caiso.com/Documents/BusinessRequirementsSpecification_CongestionRightsRevenueUpgrade.pdf
- The goal of this CPG is to ensure customer readiness as this project deploys to Production in 2024.



RECAP: CRR Upgrade Project – Overview of changes

Load submission process

 At the time of load submission participant will be notified of any failed validation per sink location based on the exceedance load and allow to resubmit

OBAALSE process

EQ load election will be submitted through the UI during the OBAALSE load submission

Consolidate data publishing in MUI and/or OASIS

- Calendar: change from webpost to OASIS
- Model data: change from webpost to MUI, including both NDA and non NDAfiles
- Market Result data: from webpost to MUI

Modeling data

- Powerflow case to be released in PSSE v30
- ITC definition will be modeled as source and sink

Features added to enable user performing additional tasks

- MT_TOR: user to submit through UI, currently performed by CRR group
- Changes to Load Migration and Source and Sink processes
- User access
 - User will be provisioned to specific functions within the system, based on the application access request approval process
- Webservices interface for interacting with MUI



Market Sim - Overview

- Market participant training will complete prior to last week of connectivity, and one week before start of Market Sim
- 4 weeks connectivity
 - Week two CAISO will provide ability for allocation and auction API upload
 - No functionality will be available to test until the start of Market Sim
- 3 week structured scenario execution
- 2 week unstructured
- CAISO will request all interested CRR market participants sign up to participate in Market Sim
- All current user profiles will be migrated into Map-stage for Market Sim, new participants will need to request to be provisioned



RECAP: CRR Upgrade Project- Overview of changes cont.

Source and Sink list release

- Remove the existing 30 days ahead of allocation version
- Will be released in v0, v1 and other updates within the active market period

Retired resource mapping

- Re-map the retired PNode to the closest electrically connected PNode that is also a biddable location in the CRR processes and has the same source/sink designation as the retired location
- Baseloading CRR will be mapped based on the model used in the active market period to capture the most accurate topology
- Mapping will be released for the corresponding market period

Source and Sink islanded by outage

- With baseloading CRR, sell offerallowed
- No baseloading CRR, will not be biddable for the effective market



CAISO B2B Improvements – Goals & Current Status

Goals

- Enhance the developer experience working with CAISO Web API's
- Provide API's in REST/JSON using OpenAPI 3.0 specification
- Provide examples, mock services and tooling to generate client/server stubs and SDK
- Provide tests for the API's using Postman collections
- Collaboration using Git and forums on developer.caiso.com
- Simplify authentication using mutual TLS and X.509 certificates

Update

- POC updates and notes and recording from meetings are posted on developer forum at https://developer.caiso.com/forum/topics.aspx?ForumID=4.
- Documents uploaded to the Developer Forum: https://developer.caiso.com/forum/messages.aspx?TopicID=6119
 - PowerPoint presentation and webinar recording
 - Draft version of CRR Auction Service OpenAPI Specifications
 - Draft version of CRR business validate message bundle



CAISO B2B Improvements – SOAP vs REST

SOAP

POST /GetStock HTTP/1.1 Host: www.example.org

Content-Type: application/soap+xml

<?xml version="1.0"?> <soap:Envelope xmlns:soap="http://www.w3.org/2001/12/soapenvelope" soap:encodingStyle="http://www.w3.org/ 2001/12/soap-encoding">

<soap:Body xmlns:m="http://www.example.org/</pre> stock"> <m:GetStockPrice> <m:StockName>IBM</m:StockName>

</soap:Body> </soap:Envelope>

</m:GetStockPrice>

GET http://example.org/stock/IBM

- SOAP (Simple Object Access Protocol) provides the following advantages when compared to REST:
 - Language, platform, and transport independent (REST requires use of HTTP)
 - Works well in distributed enterprise environments (REST assumes direct point-to-point communication)
 - Standardized
 - Provides significant pre-build extensibility in the form of the WS* standards
 - Built-in error handling
 - Automation when used with certain language products
- REST (Representational State Transfer) is easier to use for the most part and is more flexible. It has the following advantages when compared to SOAP:
 - Uses easy to understand standards like swagger and OpenAPI Specification 3.0
 - Smaller learning curve
 - Efficient (SOAP uses XML for all messages, REST mostly uses smaller message formats like JSON)
 - Fast (no extensive processing required)
 - Closer to other Web technologies in design philosophy
 - As one REST API tutorial put it: SOAP is like an envelope while REST is just a postcard

https://www.soapui.org/learn/api/soap-vs-rest-api/



CAISO B2B Improvements – CRR Developer Forum

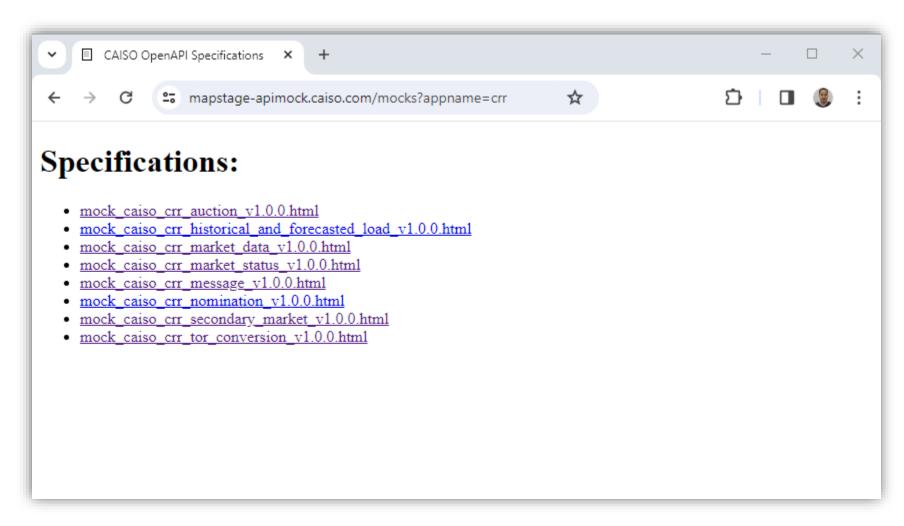
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SERVICE	SPECIFICATION	DOCUMENTATION	STATUS	RELEASE \$	EFFI	
CRR Auction	crr_auction_1.0.0.yaml	crr_auction_1.0.0.html	NA	NA	NA	
CRR Historical and Forecasted Load	crr_historical_and_forecasted_load_1.0.0.yaml	crr_historical_and_forecasted_load_1.0.0.html	NA	NA	NA	
CRR Market Data	crr_market_data_1.0.0.yaml	crr_market_data_1.0.0.html	NA	NA	NA	
CRR Market Status	crr_market_status_v1.0.0.yaml	crr_market_status_v1.0.0.html	NA	NA	NA	
CRR Message	crr_message_1.0.0.yaml	crr_message_1.0.0.html	NA	NA.	NA	
CRR Nomination	crr_nomination_1.0.0.yaml	crr_nomination_1.0.0.html	NA	NA	NA.	
CRR Secondary Market	crr_secondary_market_1.0.0.yaml	crr_secondary_market_1.0.0.html	• PROD_LATEST	Spring 2020	NA	
	crr_secondary_market_0.0.0.yaml	crr_secondary_market_0.0.0.html	MAP_STAGE	DRAFT	NA	
CRR Tor Conversion	crr tor conversion 1.0.0.yaml	crr_tor_conversion_1.0.0.html	NA	NA	NA	



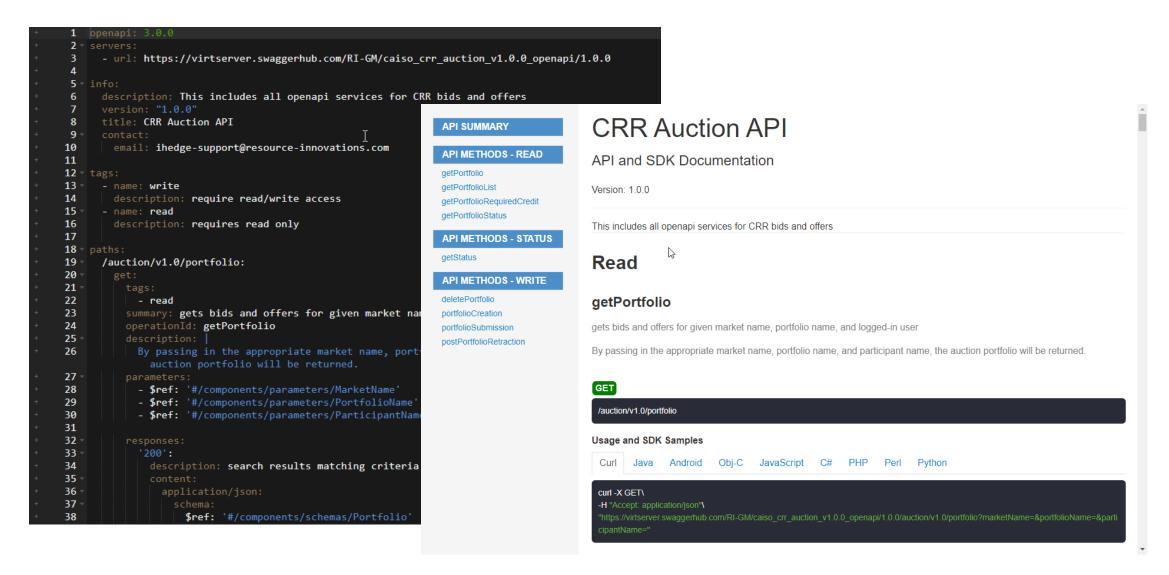
CAISO CRR API Mock Services

https://mapstage-apimock.caiso.com/mocks?appname=crr





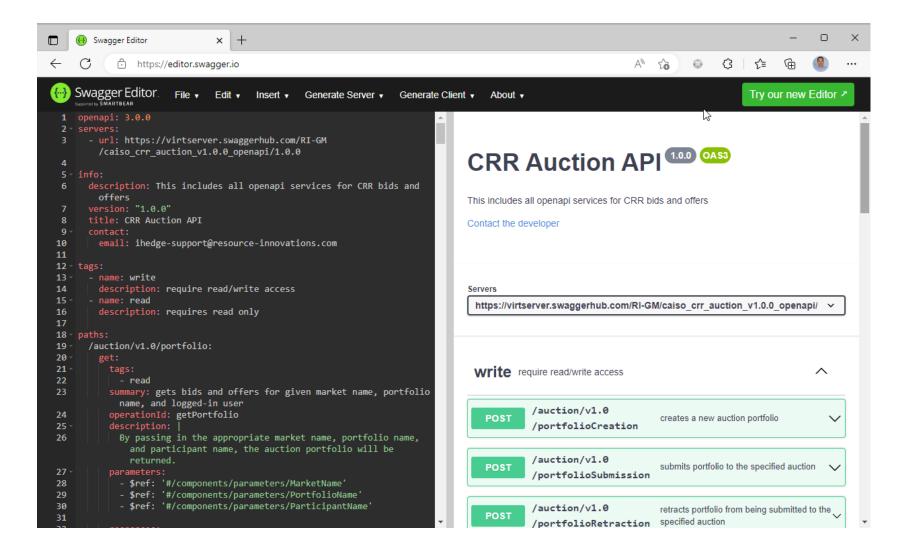
CAISO B2B Improvements – Example: CRR Auction API





CAISO B2B Improvements – Free Swagger Editor Tool

https://editor.swagger.io/





CAISO B2B Improvements – New Web Services for CRR

Service	Operation
Allocation Nomination Portfolio	POST/GET
Auction Bid Portfolio	POST/GET
Historical and Forecasted Load	POST/GET
Existing CRRs (CRR Market Data)	GET
Market Data (CRR Market Data)	GET
Market Results (CRR Market Data)	GET
Private Allocation Results (CRR Market Data)	GET
Private Auction Results (CRR Market Data)	GET
Load Migration Data	POST/GET
Market Status (Market Info)	GET
CRR Messages	GET
Secondary Market	POST/GET
TOR Conversion	POST/GET



CAISO B2B Improvements – File Naming Convention

A2A/B2B OpenAPI File Naming Conventions for versioning:

File name example: caiso_crr_market_info_v1.0.0_openapi.yaml

Version Numbering Format: MAJOR.MINOR.MINI

MAJOR version of the file name will be incremented if there are any newservices added or any major version update to any of the existing services

MINOR version of the file name will be incremented if there any minor version update to any of the existing services

MINI version of the file name will be incremented if there are only documentation changes/corrections, with no service changes.



CAISO B2B Improvements

Each version update of the file name will reset the version numbers on the right

Version numbers will be tracked into the YAML file as part of the Release Notes

Example:

v1.0.0 File is published to market participants v1.0.1 Edits were made to documentations, no functional changes v1.0.2 Edits were made to documentations, no functional changes v1.0.3 Edits were made to documentations, no functional changes v1.1.0 Added a Minor version for a service v1.1.1 Edits were made to documentations, no functional changes v1.2.0 Added a Minor version for a service v1.3.0 Added a Minor version for a service **v2**.0.0 Added a Major version for a service v2.0.1 Edits were made to documentations, no functional changes **v3**.0.0 Added a new service

