

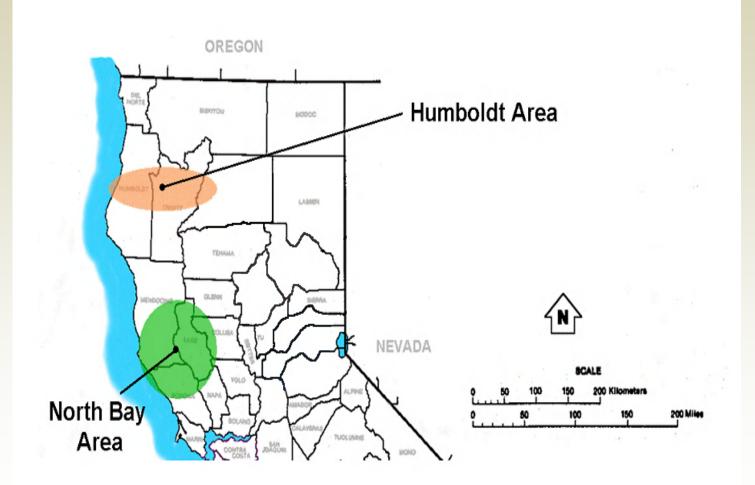
2011 Final LCR Study Results Humboldt and North Coast/ North Bay

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Humboldt and North Coast/North Bay Areas



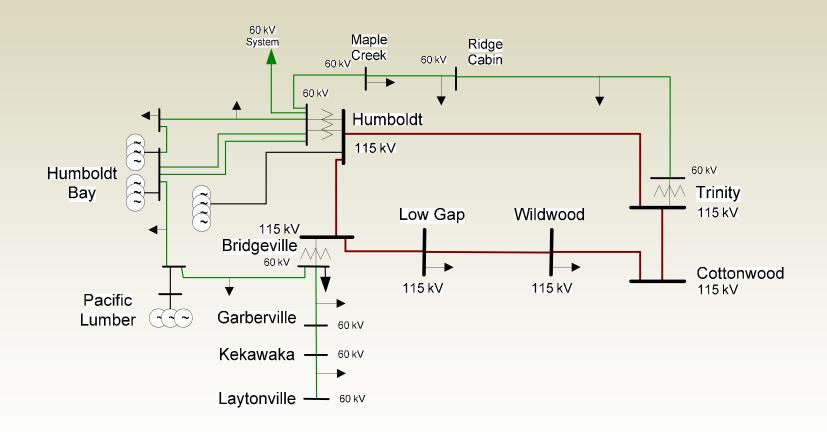


Humboldt Load and Resources (MW)

		2011
Load	=	197
Transmission Losses	=	9
Total Load	=	206
Market Generation	=	166
Muni Generation	=	0
QF/Self-Gen Generation	=	57
Total Qualifying Capacity	=	223



Critical Contingencies Humboldt Area

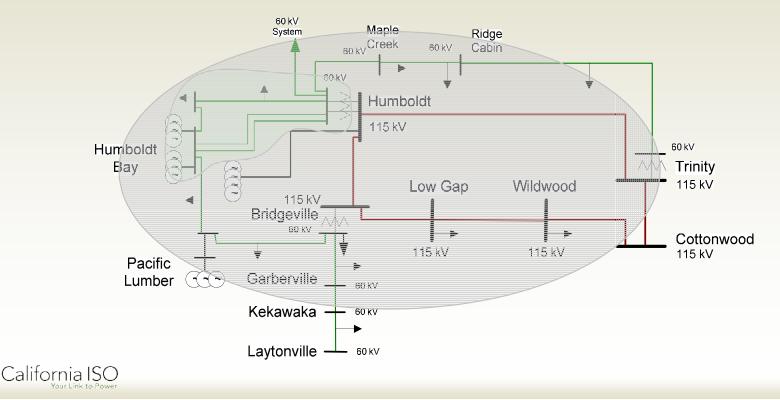




Critical Contingencies Humboldt Area

Two types of requirements:

- Humboldt 60 kV Pocket
- Entire Humboldt area



Critical Contingencies Humboldt 60 kV Sub-area

Humboldt 60 kV Sub-area – Category B

Contingency: The outages of one Humboldt 115/60 kV Transformer and one unit of the New Humboldt Bay (on 60 kV side)
LCR need: 163 MW (including 57 MW of QF/Self generation and 6 MW of deficiency)
Limiting component: Thermal overload on the parallel Humboldt 115/60 kV Transformer

Humboldt 60 kV Sub-area – Category C

Contingency: The outages of one Humboldt 115/60 kV Transformer and one of the tie-line connecting the New Humboldt Bay units (on 60 kV side)
LCR need: 174 MW (including 57 MW of QF/Self generation and 17 MW of deficiency)

Limiting component: Thermal overload on the parallel Humboldt 115/60 kV Transformer



Critical Contingencies Humboldt Area

Humboldt Overall – Category B

Nothing extra to the single contingency for the 60 kV pocket.

Humboldt Overall – Category C

Contingency: The outages of Cottonwood – Bridgeville 155 kV line overlapping with an outage of one of the tie-line connecting the New Humboldt Bay Units

LCR need: 188 MW (including 57 MW of QF/Self generation)

Limiting component: Thermal overload on the Humboldt -Trinity 115kV Line



Changes

Since last year:

- 1) The new Humboldt Bay Repowering Project (HBPP) is modeled
- 2) Two new transmission projects are modeled
 - Maple Creek Reactive Support
 - Garberville Reactive Support

While load is lower but total LCR need has increased since system conditions have changed and different limitation is identified

- Reactive power is no longer the most critical contingency
- The HBPP project changes the amount of generation on 115 and 60 kV sides

Your comments and questions are welcome.

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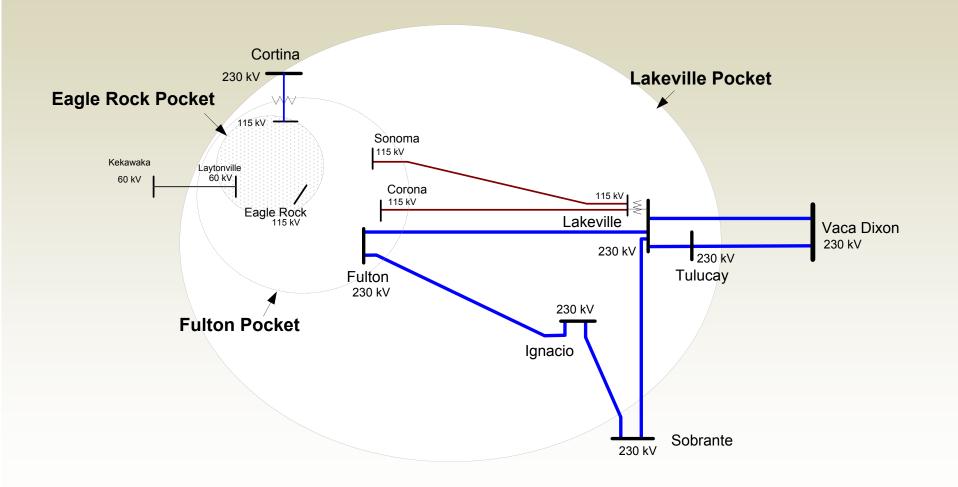


North Coast/Bay Load and Resources (MW)

		2011
Load	=	1511
Transmission Losses	=	63
Total Load	=	1574
Market Generation	=	728
Muni Generation	=	118
QF Generation	=	15
Total Qualifying Capacity	=	861



North Coast and North Bay





Eagle Rock Sub-Area

Eagle Rock Sub-area – Category C

Contingency: Eagle Rock-Silverado- Fulton 115 kV line and Cortina #4 230/115 kV bank.

LCR need: 217 MW (includes 3 MW of QF/Muni generation)

Limiting component: Thermal overload on Fulton-Hopland 60 kV line

Eagle Rock Sub-area – Category B

Contingency: Cortina #4 230/115 kV bank. LCR need: 93 MW (includes 3 MW of QF/Muni generation) Limiting component: Thermal overload on Fulton-Hopland 60 kV line



Fulton and Lakeville Sub-areas

Fulton Sub-area – Category C

- Contingency: Lakeville-Ignacio #1 230 kV line and Crocket-Sobrante #1 230 kV line.
- LCR need: 546 MW (includes 14 of QF and 57 MW of Muni generation)

Limiting component: Thermal overload on Fulton-Lakeville #1 230 kV line

Lakeville Sub-area (NC/NB Overall) – Category B

Contingency: Vaca Dixon-Lakeville 230 kV line and DEC power plant out of service

LCR need: 734 MW (includes 133 MW of QF/Muni generation)

Limiting component: Thermal overload on the Vaca Dixon-Tulucay 230 kV line



Changes

Since last year:

- 1) Load forecast is down by 40 MW
- 2) Total LCR need has decreased by 56 MW

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