



California ISO

Final Availability Assessment Hours

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AVAILABILITY ASSESSMENT HOURS

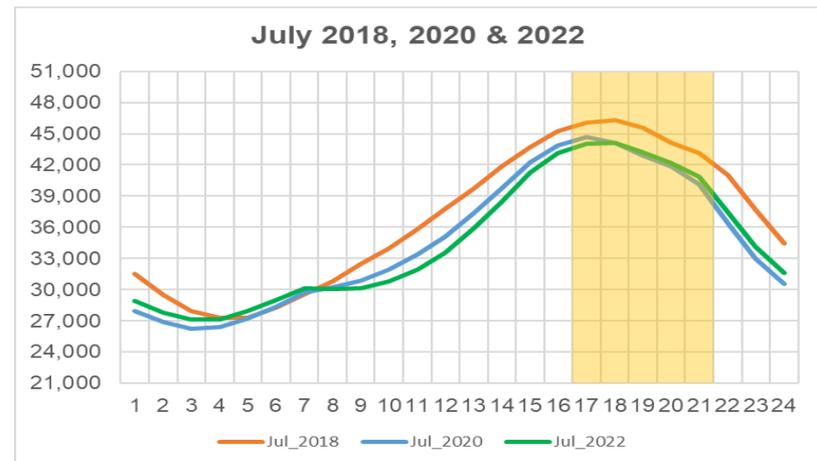
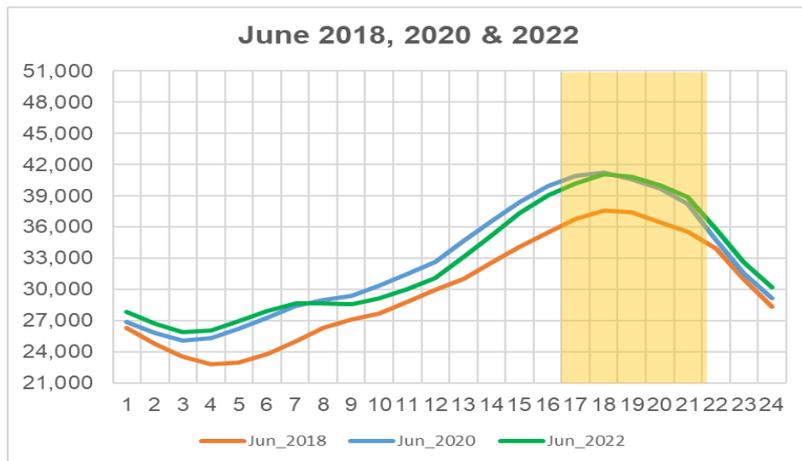
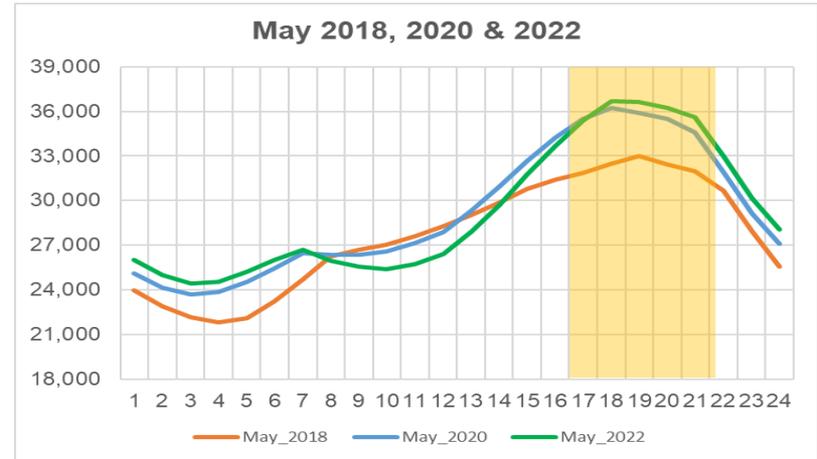
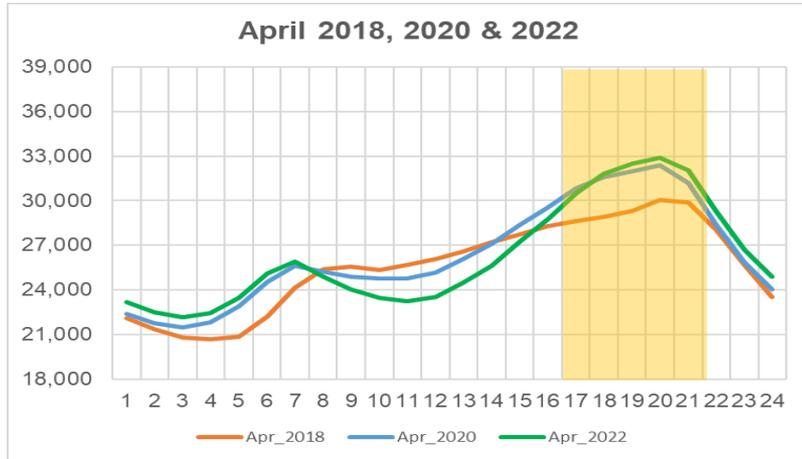
Availability assessment hours: Background and purpose

- Concept originally developed as part of the ISO standard capacity product (SCP)
 - Maintained as part of Reliability Service Initiative – Phase 1 (i.e. RA Availability Incentive Mechanism, or RAAIM)
- Determine the hours of greatest need to maximize the effectiveness of the availability incentive structure
 - Resources are rewarded for availability during hours of greatest need
 - Hours determined annually by ISO and published in the BPM
 - See section 40.9 of the ISO tariff

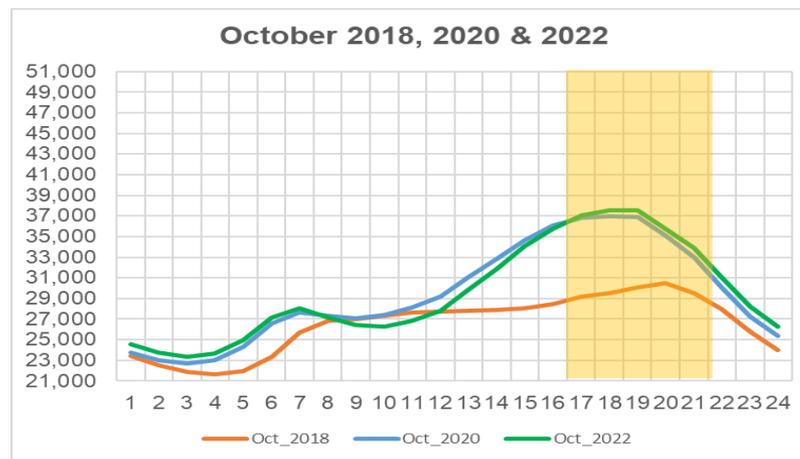
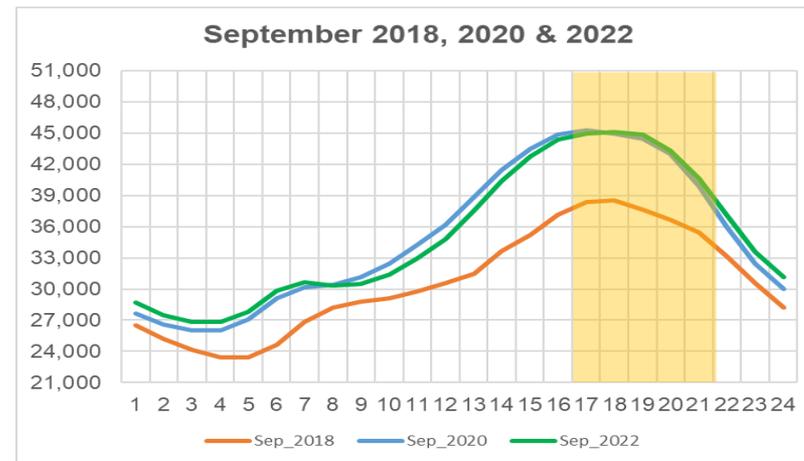
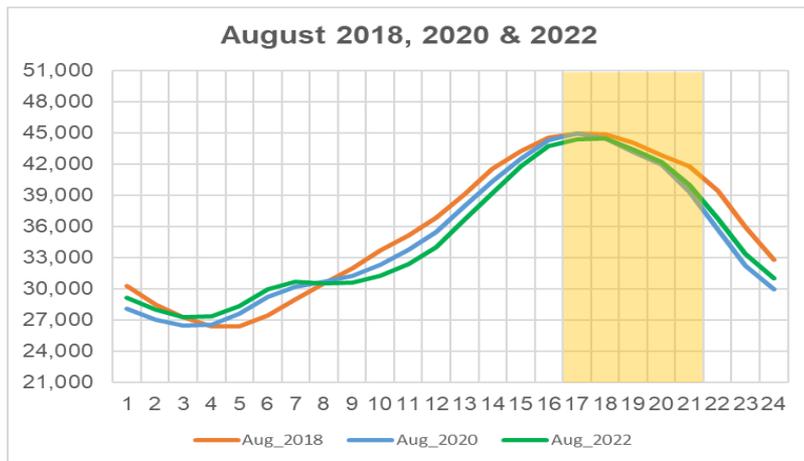
Methodology overview of system/local availability assessment hours

- Used data described in previous slides to obtain:
 - Hourly Average Load
 - By Hour
 - By Month
 - Years 2020-2022
- Calculated:
 - Top 5% of Load Hours within each month using an hourly load distribution
 - Years 2020 through 2022

Expected load shape evolution: Summer season



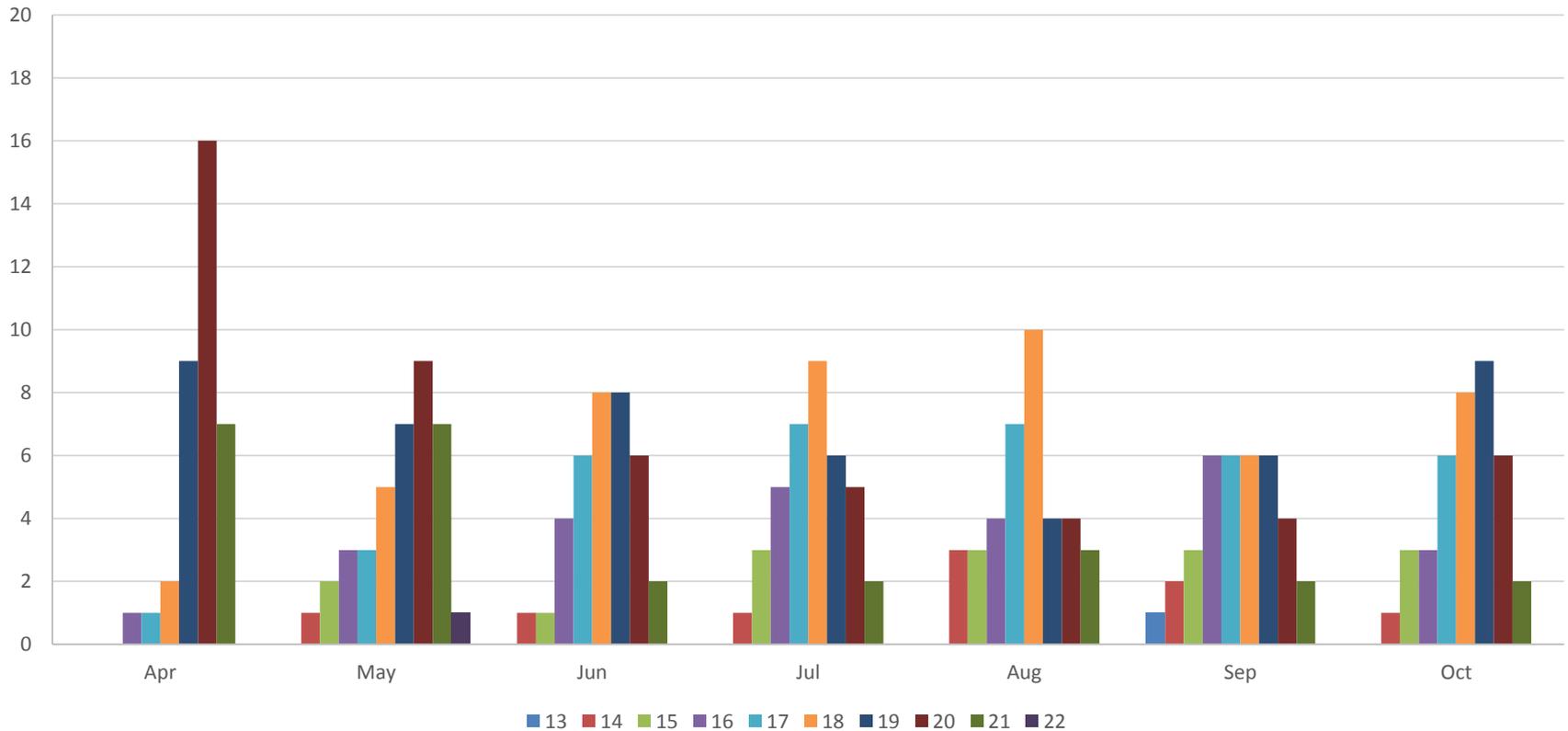
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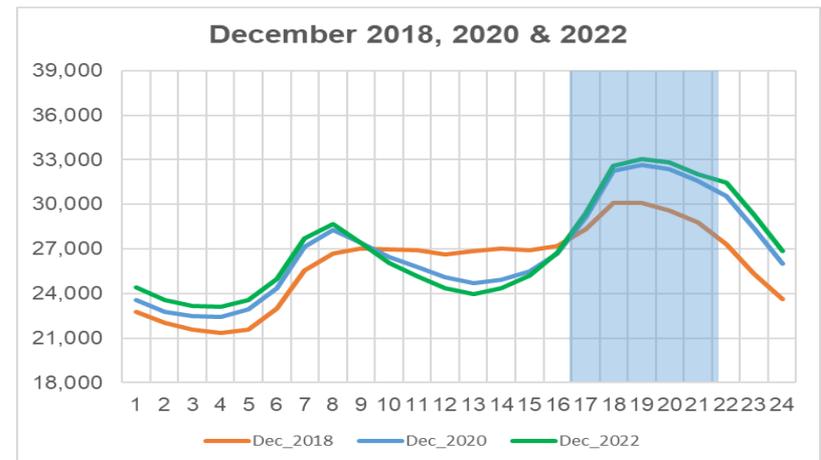
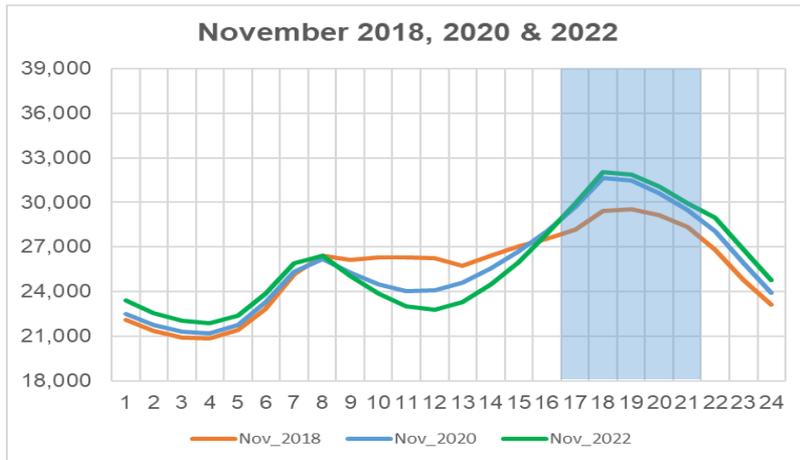
Summer Season

2020 top 5% of load hours (in HE)

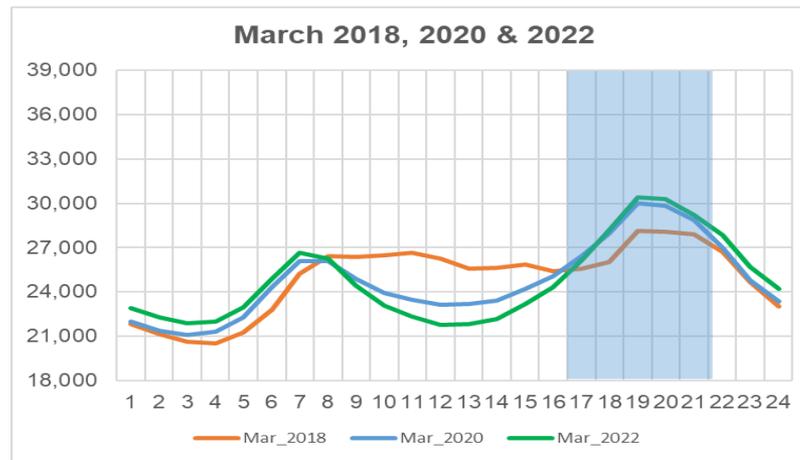
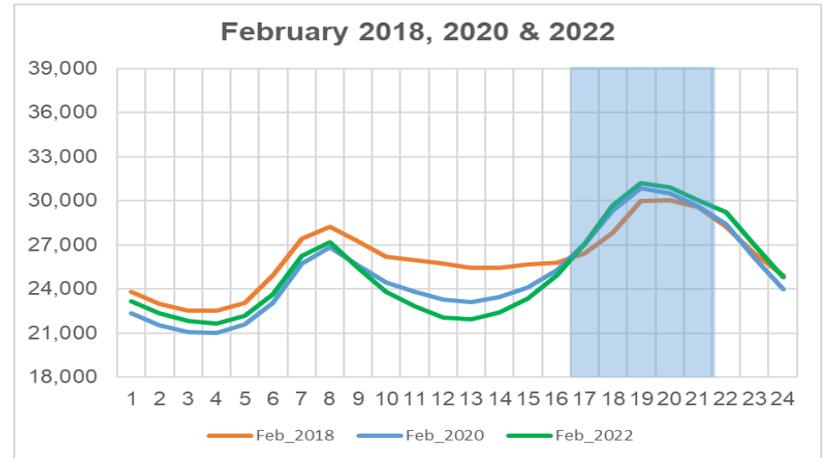
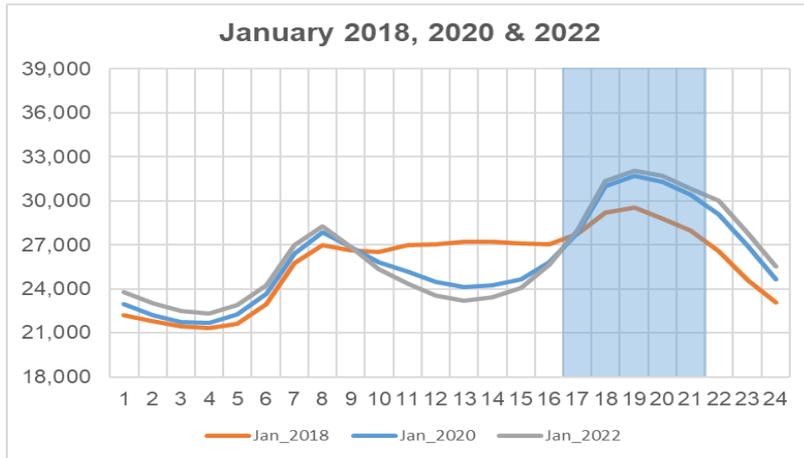
Summer Season: Top 5% Hour Ending



Expected load shape evolution: Winter season



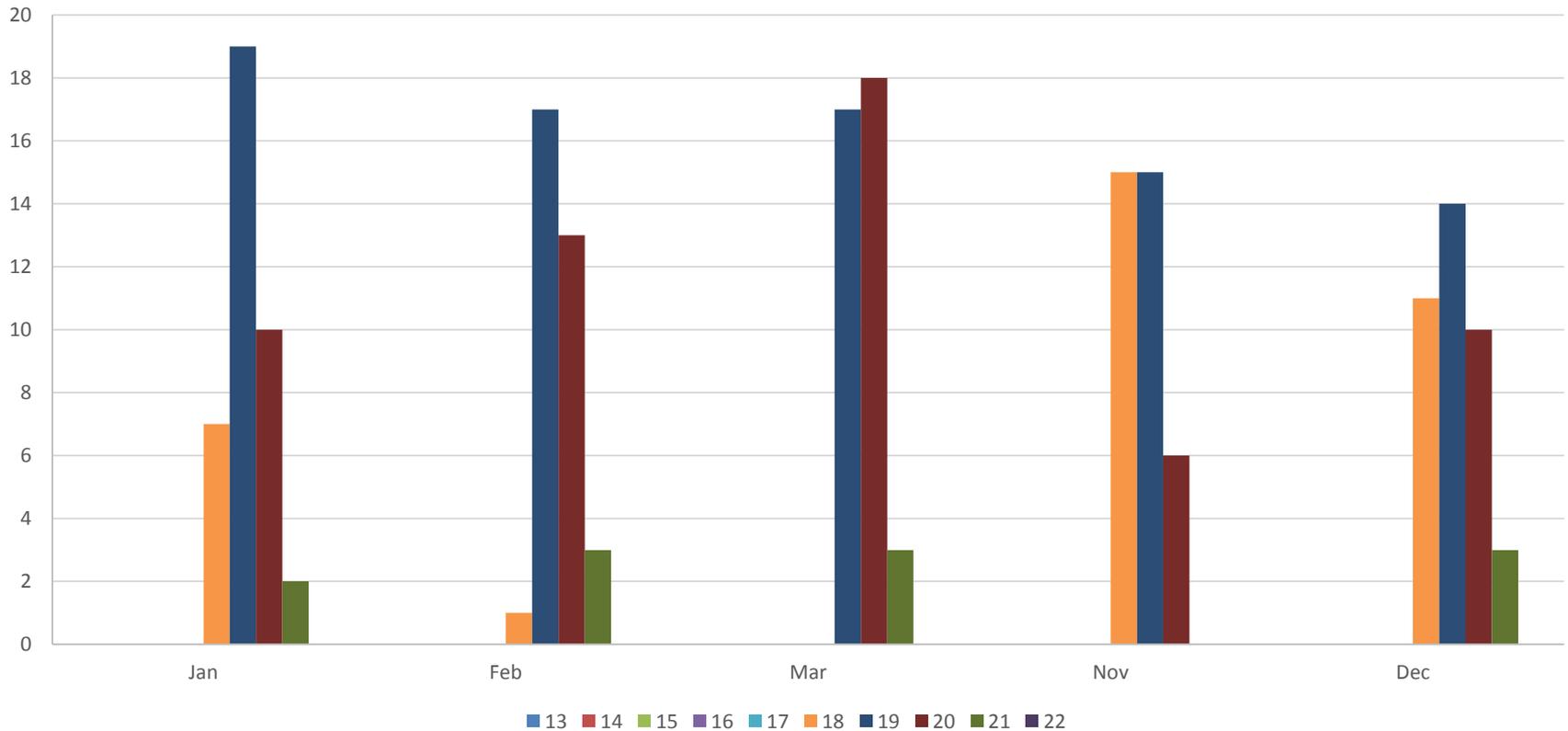
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Winter Season

2020 top 5% of load hours (HE)

Winter Season: Top 5% Hour Ending



Availability assessment hours draft recommendation

Winter Season Draft Recommendation

Year	Start	End
2019 (Final)	HE 17	HE 21
2020 (Final)	HE 17	HE 21
2021 (Estimate)	HE 17	HE 21
2022 (Estimate)	HE 17	HE 21

Summer Season Draft Recommendation

Year	Start	End
2019 (Final)	HE 17	HE 21
2020 (Final)	HE 17	HE 21
2021 (Estimate)	HE 17	HE 21
2022 (Estimate)	HE 17	HE 21

Reliability Requirements; Section 7 –No BPM Updates Needed

2020 System and Local Resource Adequacy Availability Assessment Hours

Analysis employed: Top 5% of load hours using average hourly load

Summer – April 1 through October 31

Availability Assessment Hours: 4pm – 9pm (HE17 – HE21)

Winter – November 1 through March 31

Availability Assessment Hours: 4pm – 9pm (HE17 – HE21)

2020 Flexible Resource Adequacy Availability Assessment Hours and must offer obligation hours

Flexible Type	RA Capacity	Category Designation	Required Hours (All Hour Ending Times)	Bidding Hours Ending	Required Bidding Days
January – April					
October – December					
Base Ramping		Category 1	05:00am to 10:00pm (HE6-HE22)	10:00pm	All days
Peak Ramping		Category 2	3:00pm to 8:00pm (HE16-HE20)	8:00pm	All days
Super-Peak Ramping		Category 3	3:00pm to 8:00pm (HE16-HE20)	8:00pm	Non-Holiday Weekdays*
May – September					
Base Ramping		Category 1	05:00am to 10:00pm (HE6-HE22)	10:00pm	All days
Peak Ramping		Category 2	3:00pm to 8:00pm (HE16-HE20)	8:00pm	All days
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