

Wind and Solar Curtailment June 21, 2024

This report is produced daily to provide a detailed accounting of the wind and solar renewable generation that was curtailed and the reasons why¹. This report should be read in the context of the Renewables Watch report for a more complete understanding of both renewable curtailment and generation².

Wind and solar curtailments are grouped into the following categories:

- 1. Economic Local: Market dispatch of generators with economic bids to mitigate local congestion³.
- 2. Economic System: Market dispatch of generators with economic bids to mitigate system-wide oversupply.
- 3. SelfSchCut Local: Market dispatch of self-schedules to mitigate local congestion.
- 4. SelfSchCut System: Market dispatch of self-schedules to mitigate system-wide oversupply.
- 5. ExDispatch Local: Exceptional dispatch to mitigate local congestion.
- 6. ExDispatch System: Exceptional dispatch to mitigate system-wide oversupply.

Note: Amounts smaller than 1 MW are filtered out for simplicity. Such small curtailments are occasionally observed when forecasts are lower than Pmin when market will de-commit the unit and send the 0 MW dispatch.

¹Only wind and solar resources can be reported in this manner because these resources have a forecast. Curtailment is defined as the difference between actual production and the forecast when actual production is less than the forecast.

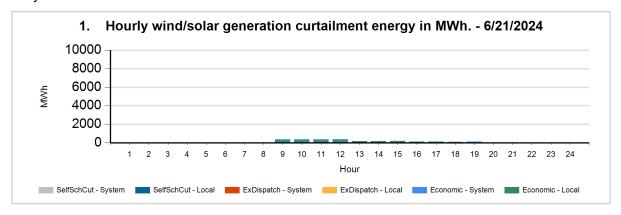
²The Renewables Watch report provides daily actual renewable production within the ISO grid. It is available at: http://www.caiso.com/green/renewableswatch.html.

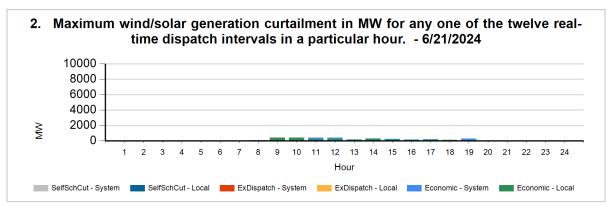
³Congestion occurs when available, least-cost energy cannot be delivered to some loads because transmission facilities do not have sufficient capacity to deliver the energy.

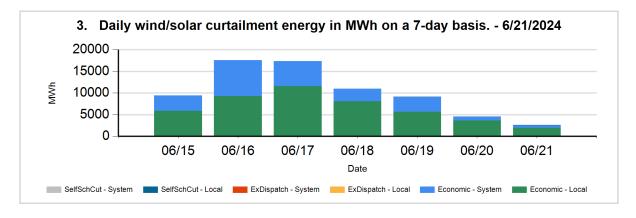
For more information on oversupply conditions, please see: https://www.caiso.com/Documents/FlexibleResourcesHelpRenewables FastFacts.pdf

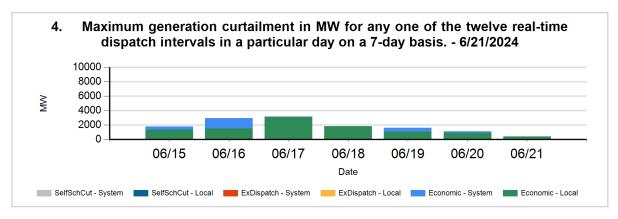


The following charts show the daily and 7-day wind and solar curtailment by category, if any.



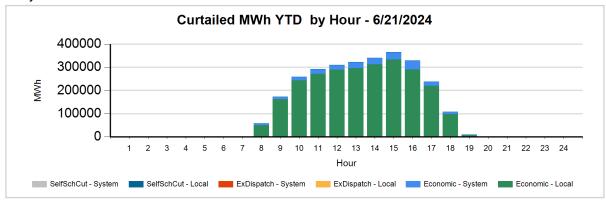




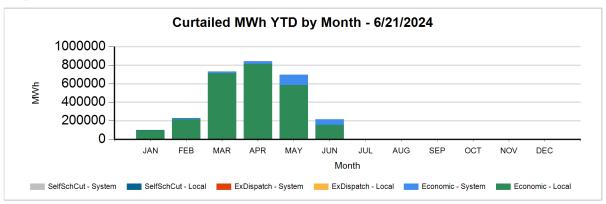




The following charts show hourly year to date wind and solar curtailment by category, if any.



The following charts show monthly year to date wind and solar curtailment by category, if any.



TYPE	YTD CURTAILED MWH - 6/21/2024
LocalEconomic	2,580,385
LocalSelfSchCut	1,591
SystemEconomic	228,570
TOTAL	2,810,545



Data used to produce hourly chart

DATE	HOU R	CURT TYPE	REASON	FUEL TYPE	CURTAILED MWH	CURTAILED MW
06/21	8	Economic	Local	SOLR	17	60
06/21	8	Economic	System	SOLR	14	28
06/21	9	Economic	Local	SOLR	206	335
06/21	9	Economic	Local	WIND	45	67
06/21	9	Economic	System	SOLR	84	
06/21	9	Economic	System	WIND	45	
06/21	10	Economic	Local	SOLR	237	364
06/21	10	Economic	Local	WIND	9	35
06/21	10	Economic	System	SOLR	110	
06/21	10	Economic	System	WIND	37	
06/21	11	Economic	Local	SOLR	234	224
06/21	11	Economic	Local	WIND	4	
06/21	11	Economic	System	SOLR	118	148
06/21	11	Economic	System	WIND	14	26
06/21	11	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	0	
06/21	12	Economic	Local	SOLR	226	239
06/21	12	Economic	Local	WIND	2	
06/21	12	Economic	System	SOLR	127	153
06/21	12	Economic	System	WIND	7	7
06/21	12	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	2	
06/21	13	Economic	Local	SOLR	165	167
06/21	13	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	6	15
06/21	14	Economic	Local	SOLR	183	273
06/21	14	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	3	11
06/21	15	Economic	Local	SOLR	160	150
06/21	15	Economic	Local	WIND	3	
06/21	15	Economic	System	SOLR	44	59
06/21	15	Economic	System	WIND	7	36
06/21	16	Economic	Local	SOLR	142	147
06/21	16	Economic	System	SOLR	3	35
06/21	17	Economic	Local	SOLR	132	133



06/21	17	Economic	Local	WIND	0	
06/21	17	Economic	System	WIND	6	67
06/21	18	Economic	Local	SOLR	89	108
06/21	19	Economic	Local	SOLR	45	67
06/21	19	Economic	System	SOLR	67	152
06/21	19	Economic	System	WIND	18	50

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