

Wind and Solar Curtailment June 23, 2023

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.

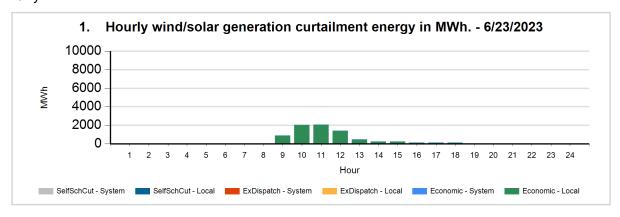
²The Renewables Watch report provides daily actual renewable production within the ISO grid. It is available at: http://www.caiso.com/green/renewableswatch.html.

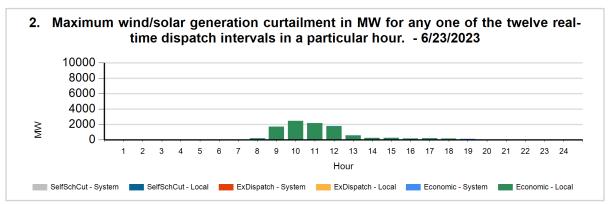
³Congestion occurs when available, least-cost energy cannot be delivered to some loads because transmission facilities do not have sufficient capacity to deliver the energy.

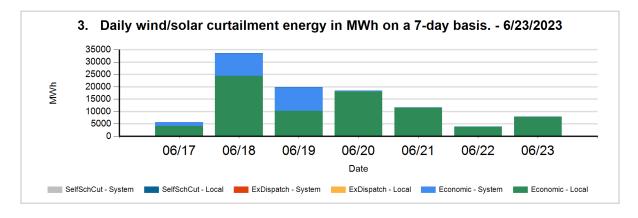
For more information on oversupply conditions, please see: https://www.caiso.com/Documents/FlexibleResourcesHelpRenewables FastFacts.pdf

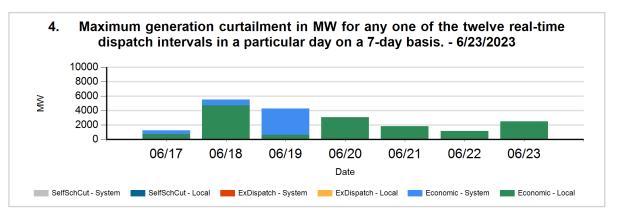


The following charts show the daily and 7-day wind and solar curtailment by category, if any.



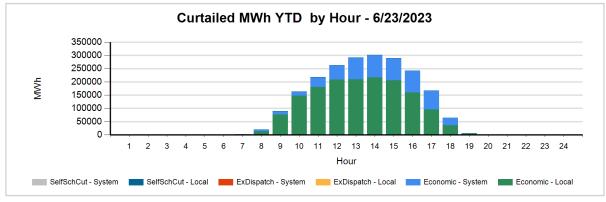




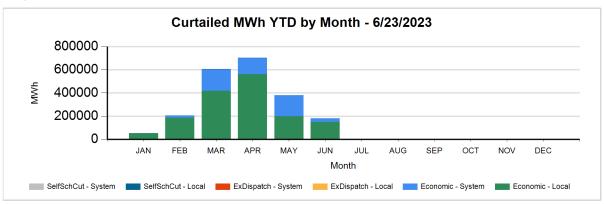




The following charts show hourly year to date wind and solar curtailment by category, if any.



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



TYPE	YTD CURTAILED MWH - 6/23/2023
LocalEconomic	1,559,844
LocalSelfSchCut	820
SystemEconomic	563,760
TOTAL	2,124,424



Data used to produce hourly chart

DATE	HOU R	CURT TYPE	REASON	FUEL TYPE	CURTAILED MWH	CURTAILED MW
06/23	1	Economic	Local	WIND	8	8
06/23	2	Economic	Local	WIND	7	8
06/23	3	Economic	Local	WIND	6	7
06/23	4	Economic	Local	WIND	6	7
06/23	5	Economic	Local	WIND	6	7
06/23	6	Economic	Local	WIND	6	7
06/23	7	Economic	Local	SOLR	8	37
06/23	7	Economic	Local	WIND	5	6
06/23	7	Economic	System	WIND	1	
06/23	8	Economic	Local	SOLR	39	211
06/23	8	Economic	Local	WIND	2	
06/23	8	Economic	System	SOLR	2	
06/23	8	Economic	System	WIND	3	7
06/23	9	Economic	Local	SOLR	841	1639
06/23	9	Economic	Local	WIND	47	67
06/23	9	Economic	System	WIND	1	
06/23	10	Economic	Local	SOLR	1977	2404
06/23	10	Economic	Local	WIND	71	66
06/23	11	Economic	Local	SOLR	2005	2119
06/23	11	Economic	Local	WIND	66	67
06/23	11	Economic	System	SOLR	8	
06/23	12	Economic	Local	SOLR	1327	1672
06/23	12	Economic	Local	WIND	66	67
06/23	12	Economic	System	SOLR	33	57
06/23	13	Economic	Local	SOLR	417	507
06/23	13	Economic	Local	WIND	67	67
06/23	13	Economic	System	SOLR	13	24
06/23	14	Economic	Local	SOLR	209	227
06/23	14	Economic	Local	WIND	18	37
06/23	14	Economic	System	SOLR	5	
06/23	14	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	2	



06/23	15	Economic	Local	SOLR	221	255
06/23	15	Economic	System	SOLR	11	
06/23	15	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	3	4
06/23	16	Economic	Local	SOLR	141	130
06/23	16	Economic	System	SOLR	4	31
06/23	16	SelfSchCut	Local	SOLR	0	1
06/23	17	Economic	Local	SOLR	114	212
06/23	17	Economic	System	SOLR	5	
06/23	18	Economic	Local	SOLR	113	145
06/23	18	Economic	System	SOLR	5	
06/23	19	Economic	Local	SOLR	5	25
06/23	19	Economic	Local	WIND	0	
06/23	19	Economic	System	SOLR	34	76
06/23	20	Economic	Local	WIND	5	8
06/23	21	Economic	Local	WIND	8	8
06/23	21	Economic	System	SOLR	0	2
06/23	22	Economic	Local	WIND	8	8
06/23	23	Economic	Local	WIND	8	8
06/23	24	Economic	Local	WIND	7	8

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