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OF UNS ELECTRIC, INC. FOR THE
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DESIGNED TO REALIZE A REASONABLE
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OF THE PROPERTIES OF UNS ELECTRIC,
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Nucor Steel ("Nucor"), hereby provides notice of filing the Direct Testimony of Dr. Jay Zarnikau on Rate Design, in the above-referenced matter.

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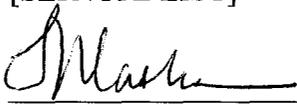
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2 **I. INTRODUCTION**

3 **Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.**

4 A. My name is Jay Zarnikau. My business address is 1515 Capital of Texas Hwy, South,
5 Suite 110, Austin, Texas, 78746.

6 **Q. BY WHOM ARE YOU EMPLOYED AND IN WHAT CAPACITY?**

7 A. I am the president of Frontier Associates LLC. With a professional staff of nearly 30, my
8 consulting firm provides assistance to energy consumers, electric and gas utilities, and
9 government agencies on topics related to energy economics and pricing, utility cost
10 allocation and rate design, forecasting, resource planning, energy efficiency program
11 design and evaluation, and regulatory policy.

12 I am also a Visiting (adjunct) Professor at The University of Texas. I teach graduate-
13 level courses in applied statistics in the Department of Statistics and the LBJ School of
14 Public Affairs.

15 **Q. PLEASE STATE BRIEFLY YOUR EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND**
16 **PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS.**

17 A. I have a Ph.D. degree in Economics from the University of Texas. I completed
18 undergraduate studies in Business Administration and Economics at the State University
19 of New York and McGill University in Canada.

20 From 1983 through 1991, I was employed by the Public Utility Commission of Texas,
21 where I served as the Manager of Economic Analysis from 1985 through 1988; as the
22 Assistant Director of the Electric Division from 1987 to 1988; and as the Director of

1 Electric Utility Regulation from 1988 to 1991. From 1991 through 1993, I held a faculty-
2 level research position at The University of Texas College of Engineering Center for
3 Energy Studies. I served as a vice president at Planergy, Inc. from 1992 to 1999. Since
4 1999, I have been president and a principal of Frontier Associates LLC. I have taught
5 courses in applied statistics at The University of Texas since 2003.

6 My resume, which is attached to this direct testimony as Attachment JZ-1, describes in
7 greater detail my educational background and work experience.

8 **Q. ON WHOSE BEHALF ARE YOU APPEARING IN THIS PROCEEDING?**

9 A. I am appearing on behalf of Nucor Steel – Kingman (“Nucor”).

10 **Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY APPEARED BEFORE THIS COMMISSION?**

11 A. I provided pre-filed direct testimony on behalf of the applicant in Docket No. E-04100A-
12 04-527, Application of Southwest Transmission Cooperative, Inc. for a Rate Increase. I
13 also provided pre-filed testimony for Nucor Steel in UNS Electric’s previous rate case,
14 Docket No. E-04204A-12-0504. I was not cross-examined in those proceedings.

15 **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY IN THIS PROCEEDING?**

16 A. My testimony reviews the rates and tariff changes proposed by UNS Electric in this
17 proceeding, with a focus upon the proposed changes which might impact Nucor’s facility
18 in Kingman, Arizona. I propose a number of changes which I believe would be of mutual
19 benefit to both UNS Electric and Nucor.

20 **Q. WHAT MATERIALS DID YOU REVIEW IN ORDER TO PREPARE YOUR**
21 **TESTIMONY?**

1 A. I reviewed the sections of the rate change application that I determined to potentially
2 have an effect on the cost of electricity incurred by Nucor, as well as related discovery
3 materials.

4 **II. SUMMARY OF CONCLUSIONS**

5 **Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR CONCLUSIONS.**

6 A. I conclude that:

- 7 • The design of the demand charges paid by industrial customers of UNS Electric does not
8 properly reflect how the customer's coincident demand (i.e., demand at the time of the
9 utility's system peak) affects the utility's cost of acquiring and maintaining generating
10 and transmission capacity.
- 11 • The utility has provided no support for its proposal to reduce the differential between on-
12 peak and off-peak energy rates in the Large Power Service Time of Use (LPS-TOU)
13 tariff. A reduction in this differential will send an inappropriate price signal.
- 14 • The proposed Interruptible Rider restricts participation to industrial energy consumers
15 with potentially-interruptible loads which are available throughout the summer months.
16 There is no need to limit the proposed Interruptible Rider solely to industrial energy
17 consumers that are available to be interrupted "around the clock."

18 **Q. PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS.**

19 A. I recommend the following:

- 1 • The demand charges in the utility's tariffs for industrial energy consumers should be set
2 on the same basis upon which capacity-related costs are incurred by the utility.
- 3 • The utility incurs capacity-related costs to meet peak demand on the utility system.
4 Consequently, the demand charges to industrial energy consumers should be based upon
5 their contribution to peak demand.
- 6 • The present differential between on-peak energy charges and off-peak energy charges in
7 the LPS-TOU tariff should be increased or maintained.
- 8 • The proposed Interruptible Rider should be redesigned so that it is available to all
9 industrial energy consumers, regardless of when they operate.
- 10 • In the proposed Rider-13 Economic Development Rider (EDR), it should be clarified that
11 the calculation of the customer's monthly load factor in the summer months is based
12 upon the customer's billing demand.

13 III. NUCOR'S OPERATION IN KINGMAN

14 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE NUCOR'S OPERATION IN KINGMAN, ARIZONA.**

15 A. Nucor Steel is the largest steel producer in the U.S., as well as the nation's largest
16 recycler of steel. The Nucor-Kingman facility produces coiled rebar and wire rod
17 products. This former North Star Steel facility was acquired by Nucor in 2003.
18 Operations at the facility were re-started by Nucor in 2009. The return of steel
19 production at this facility has provided a boost to the local and state economy.

20 **Q. WHAT ELECTRICITY TARIFF IS NUCOR SERVED THROUGH?**

1 A. Most of Nucor's electricity is purchased through UNS Electric's Large Power Service
2 Time of Use (LPS-TOU) tariff.

3 **Q. HOW DOES THE STRUCTURE OF THE ELECTRICITY TARIFF THROUGH**
4 **WHICH NUCOR IS SERVED AFFECT NUCOR STEEL'S OPERATION IN**
5 **KINGMAN, ARIZONA?**

6 A. In the steel industry, electricity is a very important input and tends to be one of the
7 highest variable input costs in steel production. Managing energy costs is critical for
8 Nucor and other American steel manufacturers who must compete against steel producers
9 in Mexico, China, Turkey, and other countries that flood the U.S. market with competing
10 products. To keep electricity costs as low as possible, Nucor schedules operations to
11 minimize its production during on-peak periods. Wherever possible, labor and
12 production shifts are scheduled to coincide with the off-peak periods in the LPS-TOU
13 tariff.

14 Nucor's operating strategy benefits not only Nucor, but also benefits UNS Electric and all
15 other consumers on the UNS Electric system. To the extent that Nucor is able to produce
16 steel during off-peak periods rather than on-peak periods, UNS Electric's need for
17 generating capacity to meet on-peak demands may be reduced, and energy generation
18 costs may be lowered. By increasing operations during off-peak periods, Nucor also
19 helps improve the UNS Electric system load factor by filling in the periods of low
20 demand, and in the process helps UNS Electric make better use of its generation
21 resources. In general, steel production facilities are very "price responsive" and can
22 respond to economic price signals in a manner that ultimately benefits UNS Electric and
23 its customers. For industrial customers like Nucor, even small percentage increases in

1 electricity rates can translate into hundreds of thousands of dollars in additional costs,
2 impacting Nucor's ability to operate in a highly competitive international market.

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4 **III. INDUSTRIAL DEMAND CHARGES SHOULD BE RE-DESIGNED**

5 **Q. WHAT COSTS DOES UNS ELECTRIC RECOVER FROM INDUSTRIAL**
6 **ENERGY CONSUMERS THROUGH A DEMAND CHARGE?**

7 A. As detailed in UNS Electric's Class Cost of Service Schedule G-7, UNS Electric seeks to
8 recover costs associated with generation and transmission capacity from industrial energy
9 consumers through demand charges. UNS Electric has properly classified these costs as
10 "demand related."¹

11 **Q. WHAT CAUSES A UTILITY SUCH AS UNS ELECTRIC TO INCUR COSTS**
12 **RELATED TO GENERATING AND TRANSMISSION CAPACITY?**

13 A. In large part, these costs are incurred by a utility to meet the utility's peak demand.
14 Utility system infrastructure is designed and built to meet the anticipated needs of the
15 system during peak periods. Maximum demand on the system is forecast. Power plants
16 are constructed and other resources (including purchased power and demand side
17 resources) are secured in order to ensure that there is adequate generating resource
18 capacity to meet hourly peak demand, plus some reserve margin. Similarly, the
19 transmission system is designed and constructed to meet the needs of the system during
20 peaks.

¹ Some costs related to distribution capacity are also demand-related and recovered through a demand charge. I shall ignore these costs in this discussion, since I am focusing on the demand charges billed to large industrial energy consumers and UNS Electric incurs little if any distribution system costs in order to serve these large consumers, who tend to be served at high voltages.

1 As a witness for Tucson Electric Power (“TEP”), an affiliate of UNS Electric, D. Bentley
2 Erdwurm, described the role of system peak demand in TEP’s cost allocation
3 methodology in TEP’s 2007 rate case:

4 The allocator includes the peak component to *recognize that the system must have*
5 *adequate capacity to satisfy demand at the time of the peak*, and that classes of
6 customers should receive some allocation of costs reflecting contribution to this
7 peak.²
8

9 In the 2012 TEP rate case, Craig Jones (a witness for UNS Electric in this proceeding)
10 likewise testified:

11 This is because the allocator includes the peak component to *recognize that the*
12 *system must have adequate capacity to satisfy demand at the time of the peak*, and
13 that classes of customers should receive some allocation of costs reflecting
14 contribution to this peak.³
15

16 In the present rate case, Mr. Jones states that the utility’s peak demand partly “drives”
17 generating capacity costs. From his Direct Testimony:

18 . . . class non-coincident peaks drive the allocation of part of the distribution
19 system capacity *while it is some combination of coincident peaks and demand and*
20 *energy methods for generation.*⁴
21

22 I generally agree with the above statements. Indeed, the system peak plays a primary role
23 in determining the need for generation and transmission capacity.

² Direct Testimony of D. Bentley Erdwurm on behalf of Tucson Electric Power Company at 22, lines 6-8, Docket No. E-01933A-07-0402 (July 2, 2007) (emphasis added).

³ Direct Testimony of Craig A. Jones on behalf of Tucson Electric Power Company at 17, lines 19-22, Docket No. E-01933A-12-0291 (July 2, 2012) (emphasis added).

⁴ Direct Testimony of Craig A. Jones on behalf of UNS Electric, Inc. at 18, lines 6-8, Docket No. E-04204A-15-0142 (May 5, 2015) (emphasis added). This language is repeated in Direct Testimony of Craig A. Jones on behalf of Tucson Electric Power Company at 18, lines 23-26, Docket No. E-01933A-15-0322 (Nov. 5, 2015).

1 The design of the demand charge should recognize that generating and transmission
2 capacity costs are incurred to meet peak system demands. Customers should pay for
3 these costs in proportion to their contribution to the system peak demand. As noted in the
4 Direct Testimony of Mr. Jones:

5 Just and reasonable rates must avoid undue discrimination and must reflect the
6 principle of user pays,” also known as “cost causation,” or as I prefer to say, those
7 who cause the costs should pay the costs.⁵
8

9 Customers who contribute to system peak demand cause UNS Electric to incur capacity-
10 related costs and should be responsible for paying those costs in relation to their
11 contribution to the system peak.

12 **Q. DOES THE MANNER IN WHICH UNS ELECTRIC PRESENTLY COLLECTS**
13 **DEMAND-RELATED COSTS REFLECT THE MANNER IN WHICH UNS**
14 **ELECTRIC INCURS THESE COSTS?**

15 **A.** No. The tariffs that UNS Electric applies to its largest customers apply a complicated set
16 of alternatives that distort the connection between how and why the utility’s demand
17 costs are incurred and how the demand costs are paid by these customers. For example,
18 under the **LPS tariff**, the monthly billing demand is the greater of the following three
19 alternatives:

- 20 1. The greatest measured 15 minute interval demand read of the meter during all
21 hours of the billing period;
- 22 2. The greatest demand metered in the preceding eleven (11) months; or
- 23 3. The contract capacity or 500 kW, whichever is greater.

⁵ Direct Testimony of Craig A. Jones on behalf of UNS Electric, Inc. at 12, Docket No. E-04204A-15-0142 (May 5, 2015).

1 Under the **LPS-TOU** tariff, monthly billing demand charges are the greater of the
2 following four alternatives:

- 3 1. The greatest measured fifteen-minute interval demand read of the meter during
4 the on-peak hours of the billing period;
- 5 2. One-half of the greatest measured fifteen-minute interval read of the meter
6 during the off-peak hours of the billing period;
- 7 3. The greater of (i) or (ii) above during the preceding 11 months; or
- 8 4. The contract capacity or 500 kW, whichever is greater.

9 For the **LGS**, **LGS-TOU**, and **LGS-TOU-S** tariffs, the monthly billing demand is the
10 greater of the following three alternatives:

- 11 1. The greatest measured 15 minute interval demand read of the meter during all
12 hours of the billing period;
- 13 2. 75% of the greatest demand used for billing purposes in the preceding 11
14 months; or
- 15 3. The contract capacity or 450 kW, whichever is greater.

16 The design of the demand charge in the **MGS** tariffs is similar to the design of the **LGS**
17 tariffs, although a lower minimum demand is set in the third item of the list.

1 The design of demand charges in these UNS Electric tariffs is inconsistent with the
2 theory that at least some of the costs are related to a customer's contribution to *coincident*
3 *peak demand*.

4 **Q. WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY COINCIDENT PEAK DEMAND?**

5 A. As discussed in the NARUC Cost Allocation Manual cited by Mr. Jones:

6 A customer or class of customers contributes to the system maximum peak to the
7 extent that it is imposing demand at the time of – coincident with – the system
8 peak. The customer's demand at the time of the system peak is that customer's
9 "coincident" peak.⁶
10

11 **Q. IS IT YOUR CONTENTION THAT NONE OF THE CRITERIA SET FORTH IN**
12 **THESE TARIFFS IS A GOOD MEANS OF MEASURING A CUSTOMER'S**
13 **CONTRIBUTION TO SYSTEM DEMAND OR RESPONSIBILITY FOR SYSTEM**
14 **DEMAND-RELATED COSTS?**

15 A. Yes.

16 **Q. WHY WOULDN'T THE FIRST CRITERIA IN THE LPS-TOU TARIFF, "THE**
17 **GREATEST MEASURED FIFTEEN-MINUTE INTERVAL DEMAND READ OF**
18 **THE METER DURING THE ON-PEAK HOURS OF THE BILLING PERIOD,"**
19 **BE A GOOD INDICATOR OF A CUSTOMER'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE**
20 **DEMAND AT THE TIME OF THE SYSTEM PEAK?**

21 A. In the summer on-peak period of the test year, there were 3,096 on-peak hours, and an
22 additional 3,024 winter on-peak hours for LPS-TOU customers. In many of these hours,
23 the system demand was not very high. For example, when I compared the hourly
24 demand figures for all peak hours to the highest system demand reading for the test year,

⁶ NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REGULATORY UTILITY COMMISSIONERS, ELECTRIC UTILITY COST ALLOCATION MANUAL, 41 (1992).

1 I found that during the test year there were hours within the peak period in which the load
2 on the UNS Electric system was less than 17% of the annual system peak.⁷

3 If an LPS customer's individual demand peaked in one of these hours of low system
4 demand, it would be a poor measure of that customer's contribution to the system peak
5 demand. That customer's highest demand certainly wouldn't create a need for additional
6 generation or transmission capacity.

7 **Q. WHY WOULDN'T THE SECOND CRITERIA, "ONE-HALF OF THE**
8 **GREATEST MEASURED FIFTEEN-MINUTE INTERVAL READ OF THE**
9 **METER DURING THE OFF-PEAK HOURS OF THE BILLING PERIOD IN THE**
10 **LPS-TOU TARIFF," BE A GOOD INDICATOR OF A CUSTOMER'S**
11 **CONTRIBUTION TO THE DEMAND AT THE TIME OF THE SYSTEM PEAK?**

12 A. These time of use periods were defined so that there is extremely little probability that a
13 system peak would be set within the off-peak period. Consequently, a customer's highest
14 demand reading during an off-peak period has no impact on the utility's need for
15 generation and transmission capacity.

16 It is also unclear why *one-half* of the off-peak period demand should be used? Why not
17 one-quarter, two-thirds, or one-eighth? This seems arbitrary.

18 **Q. WHY WOULDN'T THE FOURTH CRITERIA, "THE CONTRACT CAPACITY**
19 **OR 500 KW, WHICHEVER IS GREATER," BE A GOOD INDICATOR OF A**
20 **CUSTOMER'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE DEMAND AT THE TIME OF THE**
21 **SYSTEM PEAK?**

22 A. Apparently, there are no customers of UNS with a "contract capacity."

⁷ The hourly demand information was provided as a response to Nucor's discovery request No. 1.07.

1 I asked UNS Electric for information pertaining to contract capacities through discovery
2 (Nucor 4.4), and was informed that there are no customers of UNS with a “contract
3 capacity.” The utility’s response to Nucor 4.4 states:

4 There are no current LPS or LGS customers with special agreements that would
5 specify a “contract capacity” demand that exceeded the minimum provided for in
6 the tariff. All current LPS customers have a minimum billing demand of 500 kW
7 and all current LGS customers have a minimum billing demand of 20 kW.
8

9 I see no need to include language about “contract capacity” in the LPS and LPS-TOU
10 tariffs (or the LGS tariff, for that matter), if none of these customers have a contract
11 capacity.

12 **Q. YOU HAVE SHOWN THAT THE CRITERIA IN UNS ELECTRIC’S LARGE**
13 **CUSTOMER TARIFFS ARE POOR INDICATORS OF A CUSTOMER’S**
14 **CONTRIBUTION TO SYSTEM DEMAND AT THE TIME OF THE SYSTEM**
15 **PEAK. WHAT WOULD BE A BETTER MEASURE?**

16 **A.** A more accurate approach would be to simply bill a customer based on its contribution to
17 the utility’s system peak. For load forecasting and generation planning purposes, a single
18 hour or interval representing the highest demand on the utility system in a given year is
19 typically used to represent peak demand. Nonetheless, a one coincident peak, or 1 CP,
20 approach is seldom used in practice for rate design or cost allocation purposes. The use
21 of a larger number of hours is thought to provide a more “stable” basis for rate design.

22 When the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (or ERCOT) was restructuring its market
23 to introduce customer choice in 1999-2001, I proposed that all industrial energy
24 consumers exposed to retail competition compensate transmission owners for the use of
25 the transmission network based on the consumers’ contribution to ERCOT’s highest
26 system peak demand in each of the four summer months. My proposal was designed to

1 recognize that system peak demand drives the need for investments in the transmission
2 system; and where the metering infrastructure permits, transmission costs should be
3 recovered from customers based on the costs they impose on the system. Further, this
4 proposal was designed to encourage industrial energy consumers to reduce their demand
5 on the system during hours with high system demand, to assist ERCOT in preserving
6 reliability and to reduce the need for additional investment in generating and transmission
7 capacity. My 4 CP pricing proposal (sponsored by Nucor Steel – Texas Division) was
8 adopted by the Texas Commission and remains intact today.⁸

9 **Q. IS THE PRACTICE OF BILLING INDUSTRIAL ENERGY CONSUMERS**
10 **BASED UPON THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO SYSTEM 4 CP MEASUREMENTS**
11 **COMMON?**

12 A. It is becoming common. As noted above, energy consumers in the competitive areas
13 within the ERCOT market – the electricity market which covers most of Texas – with a
14 demand over 700 kW are charged for transmission service based on their contribution to
15 ERCOT’s summer 4 CPs during the previous year. Many utilities and competitive retail
16 service providers in the PJM market – the electricity market which serves much of the
17 northeast U.S. – follow a similar practice, as well. For example, Attachment JZ-2
18 includes a recent press release that describes how Direct Energy’s demand charges for
19 transmission cost recovery in the PJM market are based upon five coincident peaks.

20 **Q. YOUR ERCOT AND PJM EXAMPLES FOCUS ON THE RECOVERY OF**
21 **TRANSMISSION COSTS. IS THIS PRICING ALSO APPLICABLE TO THE**
22 **RECOVERY OF COSTS RELATED TO GENERATION CAPACITY?**

⁸ See Direct Testimony of Dr. Jay Zarnikau on behalf of Nucor Steel – Texas Division, Docket No. 22344 (Pub. Util. Comm’n of Tex. Oct. 16, 2000).

1 A. Yes. The logic behind recovering transmission costs based on 4 CP (or 5 CP) billing
2 demands can likewise be applied to the recovery of costs related to generation capacity.

3 **Q. WOULD THE USE OF A LARGER NUMBER OF HOURS TO DETERMINE**
4 **THE DEMAND CHARGE ALSO BE REASONABLE?**

5 A. Yes. Using a slightly larger number of hours might also have some merit, if, for some
6 reason, a 4-CP (or 5CP) methodology is deemed inappropriate.

7 Several years ago, I proposed that sponsors of energy efficiency projects in Texas receive
8 incentive payments that would be based upon the energy efficiency project's expected
9 demand reduction during 20 peak hours. I proposed 20 hours because this is a reasonable
10 estimate of the run-time of a combustion turbine generating unit used to meet peak
11 demands on a utility system, and the Texas Commission bases its estimate of the
12 generating capacity costs avoided by energy efficiency using the cost of a combustion
13 turbine.⁹ My proposal was accepted by the Texas Commission and is presently being
14 implemented.

15 At the same time I proposed an approach for quantifying the capacity values of energy
16 efficiency based upon the 20 hours of highest system load, the ERCOT staff
17 independently developed a very similar proposal for determining the contribution of non-
18 dispatchable generation resources towards meeting ERCOT's peak demand. Under
19 ERCOT's "Top 20 Hours Approach," the capacity value of wind turbines, solar
20 photovoltaics, and power transactions with other reliability councils is determined based

⁹ PUB. UTIL. COMM'N OF TEX. SUBSTANTIVE RULE § 25.181(d) (2013).

1 on each resource's contribution toward meeting system demand during the 20 hours of
2 highest demand in a previous year or years.

3 The ERCOT Staff takes a simple average of the contribution of these resources over each
4 of the 20 hours, while my approach involves a probabilistic weighting of the 20 hours.
5 But these approaches are conceptually similar and have the same basic objective.

6 These approaches using 20 peak hours are essentially a "20 CP" method, and represent an
7 acceptable alternative to a 4-CP methodology.

8 **Q. WOULD THERE BE BENEFITS TO UNS IF DEMAND CHARGES WERE**
9 **BASED UPON ON A CUSTOMER'S CONTRIBUTION TO EITHER THE 4 CP**
10 **OR THE TOP 20 HOURS?**

11 A. Yes. This type of pricing encourages energy consumers to reduce their electricity
12 purchases during summer peaks, which is exactly the time when a utility system would
13 benefit the most from demand reduction. The present design of the demand charges
14 requires a consumer to flatten its load pattern over the entire year in order to obtain
15 significant cost savings -- it does not, however, encourage the consumer to reduce
16 demand during those hours when demand reduction would have its greatest value to the
17 system. The papers that I have provided as Attachments JZ-3 through JZ-5 demonstrate
18 how industrial energy consumers in the ERCOT market have reduced system demand
19 through their response to 4 CP price signals. In fact, 4 CP pricing is often viewed as one
20 of the ERCOT market's most successful demand response initiatives.

21 **Q. SHOULD THE DESIGN OF A DEMAND CHARGE BASED UPON A**
22 **CUSTOMER'S 4 CP DEMAND OR CONTRIBUTION TO SYSTEM DEMAND**
23 **DURING 20 PEAK HOURS BE APPLIED TO ALL CUSTOMERS WITHIN THE**
24 **LPS RATE CLASS?**

1 A. Yes. It should at a minimum apply to all customers taking service under the LPS and
2 LPS-TOU tariffs, since UNS Electric has combined these two groups of customers for
3 cost allocation purposes.

4 I would favor extending this rate design to other customer classes with adequate metering
5 (e.g. consumers within the LGS class), as well.

6 **Q. ARE ALL OF THE COSTS INCURRED BY UNS ELECTRIC FOR**
7 **GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION CAPACITY RELATED TO MEETING**
8 **THE SYSTEM PEAK DEMAND?**

9 A. Rate analysts differ on how to answer this question. Some generation capacity costs may
10 arguably be incurred to achieve greater diversity in fuel costs. Some transmission
11 investments may arguably be made to accommodate economy energy transactions.
12 Nonetheless, I view system peak demand as the greatest “driver” of generation and
13 transmission costs, and other alleged drivers to be largely incidental to the primary
14 motivation for adding the generation or transmission in the first place. Even if one was to
15 allege that half of a utility’s generation and transmission capacity costs were driven by
16 factors other than the need to meet system peak demand, I would support a 4 CP or Top
17 20 Hours method, since it sends a better price signal which motivates customers to
18 respond in a way that is more likely to lead to reductions in the utility’s capacity
19 requirements.

20 **Q. WOULD RE-DESIGNED DEMAND CHARGES RESULT IN A LOSS IN**
21 **REVENUES TO UNS?**

22 A. No. It should not. I propose that my recommendation be implemented in a “revenue-
23 neutral” manner. The demand charges should be adjusted to ensure that revenues

1 approved by the Commission to be recovered by UNS under their proposed tariff design
2 equal the revenues collected by UNS with my proposed demand charge design.

3 **Q. WILL YOUR RECOMMENDATION RESULT IN ANY SHIFT IN COSTS TO**
4 **CUSTOMER CLASSES WITH RELATIVELY HIGH CONTRIBUTIONS TO**
5 **THE SUMMER PEAK?**

6 A. No. My recommendation is not intended to affect cost allocation. The costs assigned to
7 each class will not change. My recommendation only affects how costs are recovered
8 from industrial energy consumers, and not how costs are allocated between customer
9 classes. I suggest that after costs are allocated, that the demand charge be designed to
10 recover demand-related costs in a manner which better reflects how system peak demand
11 affects capacity requirements and capacity costs.

12 My recommendation may affect the costs incurred by individual consumers within the
13 LPS class (and the LGS class, if it is extended to those customers). Those customers with
14 disproportionately high usage during the 4 CPs might (appropriately) pay more. Those
15 customers within the LPS class with relatively-low purchases of electricity during the
16 peaks may (appropriately) pay less. But this will depend on the ability of customers to
17 shift load into less costly periods on an annual basis.

18 **Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN THE STEPS NECESSARY FOR UNS TO IMPLEMENT**
19 **THIS RECOMMENDATION.**

20 A. One way to implement this would be to simply calculate a customer's share of its
21 customer class's 4 CPs or Top 20 hours in the previous year and multiply it by the
22 generation and transmission costs allocated to the rate class. For example, if a customer
23 in the LPS (including LPS-TOU) rate class was responsible for 25% of the 4 CP load (or
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1 load during the Top 20 hours) contributed by that rate class during the previous year, the
 2 customer would be billed for one-quarter of the generation and transmission costs
 3 allocated to that class. The utility would recover these costs in equal monthly payments.
 4 An example is provided in Table JZ-1 below.

TABLE JZ-1
Load During Monthly Summer Coincident Peaks of Previous Year
(kW)

| | Customer A | Total for Class |
|---|---------------|--------------------|
| June | 450 | 2500 |
| July | 500 | 2400 |
| August | 550 | 2500 |
| September | 500 | 2600 |
| Average | 500 | 2500 |
| Customer A's Percent Contribution to 4 CPs: | | 20% |
| Costs to be recovered from Class through Demand Charge: | | \$2,500,000 |
| Annual Cost to be recovered from Customer A: | | \$500,000 |
| Monthly Cost to be recovered from Customer A: | | \$41,667 |

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 6 This example is very similar to the calculation provided by UNS Electric in response to
 7 Nucor 1.05. This discovery response provides the “evaluation” for the allocation of
 8 demand costs on a 4CP basis referenced on page 78, lines 21-27 of the direct testimony
 9 of Mr. Craig Jones in this proceeding. This is the study required by Settlement
 10 Agreement in the previous UNS Electric rate case, Docket No. E-04204A-12-0504.¹⁰
 11 If a portion of demand-related costs will also be collected through a separate customer
 12 charge, then the amount collected through this demand charge would be adjusted

¹⁰ See Opinion and Order, Decision No. 74235, Exhibit A, Proposed Settlement of Rate Application of UNS Electric, Inc., § 15.2, Docket No. E-04204A-12-0504, (Sep. 30, 2013).

1 accordingly. The formulas in row 56 of the spreadsheet provided by UNS Electric in
2 response to Nucor 1.05 provide such an adjustment.¹¹

3 Alternatively, to set the demand charge for 2016, for example, the rate class's costs to be
4 collected through the demand charge could be divided by the class's contribution to the 4
5 CP or the class's contribution to the Top 20 Hours in the previous year (2015). The
6 denominator is in kW, to obtain a per-kW demand charge. This annual per-kW cost is, in
7 turn, divided by 12, so that the annual per-kW amount is collected over 12 months.

8 This second method is similar to the manner in which UNS Electric presently determines
9 the demand charge, but the determination of billing determinants that I am
10 recommending would be simpler – that is, it would no longer be based on the highest of
11 four or five different measurements. An example using this approach is provided in
12 Table JZ-2 below.

TABLE JZ-2
Load During Monthly Peak of Previous
Year (kW)

| | Total for Class |
|---|--------------------|
| June | 2500 |
| July | 2400 |
| August | 2500 |
| September | 2600 |
| Average | 2500 |
| Costs to be recovered from Class through Demand Charge: | |
| | \$2,500,000 |
| Monthly Demand Charge per Average of Previous Year's 4 CPs: | \$83.33 |
| Customer A's Average Contribution to Current Year's 4 CPs (kW): | 500 |

¹¹ In row 56, 1200*12 is subtracted from the annual costs which would be allocated to customers within the LPS rate class under a 4 CP pricing approach. Since \$1,200 is the monthly customer charge applicable to LPS and LPS-TOU customers, I presume that this adjustment is intended to remove those costs recovered from a customer charge from the calculation of the demand charge.

Monthly Cost to be recovered from
Customer A:

\$41,667

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An adjustment may again be needed if a portion of the demand-related costs will also be collected through a separate customer charge.

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The same amount will be collected from the customer under either of these two approaches. The first approach essentially allocates the demand-related costs to each customer within the class based on the customer's relative contribution to the class's contribution to the 4 CPs, while the second approach develops a per-4 CP kW charge, i.e., a per-kW charge where the kW demand is measured as the customer's demand during the 4 CP hours.

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While I am assuming that a customer's contributions to the class's 4 CPs are the basis for charges in my examples, the math would be very similar if a Top 20 hours approach was adopted.

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Note that I am not suggesting that the allocation of costs among rate classes be changed every year. Rather, these approaches would assure that the costs are recovered from customers within a rate class in proportion to their contribution to the system peak.

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IV. DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN ON-PEAK AND OFF-PEAK ENERGY

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Q. WHAT IS THE PRESENT DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE ON-PEAK AND OFF-PEAK ENERGY CHARGES IN THE LPS-TOU TARIFF?

1 A. Presently, the Power Supply Charge: Base Power price during on-peak periods in the
2 summer is \$0.12358 per kWh and the price during off-peak periods is \$0.024716 per
3 kWh. Thus, the differential in the summer is 5 to 1. During the winter, the current
4 charges are \$0.09338 during the on-peak period and \$0.022105 during the off-peak
5 period, resulting in a differential of roughly 4.25 to 1 during the winter pricing period.

6 **Q. HAS UNS ELECTRIC PROPOSED CHANGING THE DIFFERENTIAL IN THIS**
7 **PROCEEDING?**

8 A. Yes. Under the proposal by UNS Electric, the summer Power Supply Charge: Base
9 Power price would be \$0.12251 and \$0.03211 during on-peak and off-peak periods,
10 respectively. Thus the differential would be 3.8 to 1. During the winter, the proposed
11 charges are \$0.09211 during the on-peak period and \$0.03091 during the off-peak period,
12 resulting in a differential of less than 3 to 1.

13 Thus, UNS Electric is proposing to greatly increase the off-peak energy charges, while
14 the on-peak energy charges would be left at very similar levels. This has the effect of
15 greatly reducing the difference between the on-peak and off-peak energy charges.

16 **Q. WHY HAS UNS ELECTRIC PROPOSED TO CHANGE THE RATIO OF ON-**
17 **PEAK TO OFF-PEAK PRICES?**

18 A. When I requested an explanation from UNS Electric, I received the following response:

19 NUCOR 5.8: Please explain why UNS Electric has proposed increasing the Off-
20 Peak Power Supply Charges for LPS-TOU customers. Provide any relevant work
21 papers used to calculate or support the new Off Peak Power Supply Charges.

22 RESPONSE: The LPS TOU customers in the test period are currently paying
23 well below the system average compared to all other rate classes. Even though
24 the Company raised the off-peak price for the LPS TOU customers in this case to
25 be closer to the system average, they continue to be charged below the system
26 average.

1 **Q. DOES THIS ADEQUATELY PROVIDE A JUSTIFICATION FOR INCREASING**
2 **THE OFF-PEAK CHARGE?**

3 A. No. It is not clear what “system average” means in this context. If the objective of UNS
4 Electric is to make all customers – residential, commercial, and industrial – pay the same
5 system average price for electricity, that strategy conflicts with sound utility ratemaking
6 practice. Different customers impose different costs on the utility system and their prices
7 should reflect this difference in cost.

8 **Q. HAS UNS ELECTRIC PROPOSED SHRINKING THE ON-PEAK TO OFF-PEAK**
9 **DIFFERENTIALS IN THE LGS-TOU TARIFF TO THESE SAME LEVELS?**

10 A. No. Under the utility’s proposed LGS-TOU tariff, the differences in these charges
11 between the on-peak to off-peak periods in the summer actually *increase* from the current
12 2.88 to 1 to 4.22 to 1.¹² And while there would be a reduction from 4.39 to 1 to 3.7 to 1
13 in the winter, both of these differentials would remain higher than what the utility has
14 proposed for the LPS-TOU tariff.

15 **Q. ONE OF THE GOALS OF TOU PRICING IS TO SEND A PRICE SIGNAL TO**
16 **CONSUMERS TO ENCOURAGE THE SHIFTING OF CONSUMPTION FROM**
17 **ON-PEAK TO OFF-PEAK PERIODS. WILL THEIR SUGGESTED CHANGE**
18 **CONTRIBUTE TO THAT OBJECTIVE?**

19 A. No. The proposed changes to the LPS-TOU energy charges reduce the incentive for
20 consumers on this tariff to shift consumption from high-cost to low-cost periods.

21 **Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR RECOMMENDATION REGARDING THIS ISSUE?**

22 A. I recommend that the present differentials between on-peak and off-peak Power Supply
23 Charge: Base Power charges be increased, or at a minimum maintained in the LPS-TOU
24 tariff.

¹² We note that in a similar fashion, the on-peak to off-peak ratio for summer energy charges for LGS-TOU-S customers would *increase* from 2.65 to 3.83 under the proposed changes.

1 **Q. WOULD RE-SETTING THE ON-PEAK AND OFF-PEAK POWER SUPPLY**
2 **CHARGE: BASE POWER TO MAINTAIN THE SAME DIFFERENTIAL**
3 **BETWEEN ON-PEAK AND OFF-PEAK PERIODS RESULT IN A LOSS IN**
4 **REVENUES TO UNS?**

5 A. No. It should not. I propose that my recommendation be implemented in a “revenue-
6 neutral” manner.

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8 **V. THE INTERRUPTIBLE RIDER SHOULD BE RE-DESIGNED TO ALLOW FOR**
9 **GREATER PARTICIPATION**

10 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE UTILITY’S PROPOSED RIDER R-12:**
11 **INTERRUPTIBLE SERVICE.**

12 A. Under the proposed Rider R-12, industrial energy consumers would be eligible to receive
13 a bill credit during five summer months in return for allowing UNS Electric to interrupt
14 the supply of power to the consumer with a notice period of 10 minutes.¹³ The consumer
15 must have at least 500 kW of load available for interruption.

16 **Q. COULD A PORTION OF THE ELECTRICAL DEMAND AT NUCOR’S**
17 **KINGMAN FACILITY POTENTIALLY BE INTERRUPTED?**

18 A. Yes. A portion of the electrical service provided by UNS to Nucor could be interrupted,
19 under the right circumstances.

20 **Q. WOULD NUCOR BE ABLE TO USE THE NEW INTERRUPTIBLE RIDER AS**
21 **PROPOSED BY UNS?**

22 A. Not as the rider is currently designed. The proposed rider is limited to industrial energy
23 consumers who are able to designate loads which are *always* available for interruption

¹³ A 10-minute notice requirement is stated in the Terms and Conditions, although a 30-minute notice requirement is suggested in the section Nomination of Interruptible Load By Customer.

1 during five summer months. That is, the load must be available “around the clock”

2 During those months. Through Nucor 2.07 (part c), I asked:

3 In the “Nomination of Interruptible Load by Customer” process, would a
4 customer be able to nominate different amounts during different times of the day
5 or days of the week under the Company’s proposal? If the quantity varies by time
6 of day or day of the week, how will the quantity of interruptible load available
7 from a customer be determined for the purpose of calculating the Interruptible
8 Credit?

9 And the utility responded:

10 The answer to the first part of this request is no, see Terms and Conditions of
11 Service No. 2 and 3. The Company cannot predict when these interruptions will
12 be needed during its peak times in the summer; this is why the Company is
13 offering a credit to any qualified participant for all summer months whether the
14 Company interrupts service or not. Once a participant has been qualified by the
15 Company, the Commission-approved credit for that participating season will be
16 automatically applied to the customer’s monthly bill (the credit is multiplied by
17 the nominated interruptible load of the customer for all summer months regardless
18 of an interruption). Should an interruption occur, the Company will validate that
19 the customer’s complied with all terms and conditions during the interruption by
20 reviewing the customer’s interval data for the customers nominated service
21 points.

22 **Q. CAN YOU ADDRESS THE CONCERN EXPRESSED BY UNS ELECTRIC?**

23 A. I agree that the utility can certainly not anticipate when it might need to call for an
24 interruption. Yet, the utility may be ignoring a valuable system demand-side resource if
25 it only considers loads which can be interrupted at any time during the summer. That is,
26 at the time of a system emergency or spike in wholesale prices, there may be other loads
27 available from industrial facilities which operate based on certain production schedules
28 that are willing and able to be interrupted. Further, the utility’s proposal fails to consider
29 the possibility that an emergency or a spike in wholesale electricity prices could occur
30 during the non-summer months.

1 **Q. HOW SHOULD THIS LIMITATION IN THE UTILITY'S PROPOSAL BE**
2 **ADDRESSED?**

3 A. I recommend that the utility's proposed Rider R-12 be modified in either of the following
4 ways:

- 5 • Allow participation by industrial facilities which operate based on a production schedule
6 (as opposed to "around the clock" operations) and adjust the bill credit accordingly; or
- 7 • Introduce a simple system whereby industrial customers would be notified by UNS
8 Electric when a load reduction would be valuable in order to maintain reliability or for
9 economic reasons, and allow industrial customers an opportunity to voluntarily reduce
10 load in return for a payment or bill credit from the utility.

11 **Q. PLEASE DISCUSS HOW THIS FIRST OPTION FOR IMPROVING RIDER R-12**
12 **WOULD WORK.**

13 A. An industrial facility that operates largely on a predetermined fixed schedule such as
14 Nucor could provide UNS Electric with information about the expected amounts of load
15 available for potential interruptions during various days (e.g. days of the week and
16 holidays) and times of the day. This should still have value to UNS Electric. Indeed,
17 there is no guarantee that an industrial facility that operates on a schedule will have a load
18 which could be interrupted when UNS Electric needs it. Consequently, the bill credit
19 provided to a potentially-interruptible customer that operates on a schedule could be
20 prorated accordingly. For example, an industrial customer with a 1 MW potentially-
21 interruptible load during half of the summer hours could receive a bill credit that is one-
22 half of the credit received by an industrial customer with 1 MW of load which is

1 available for interruption around-the-clock. This might be adjusted accordingly,
2 depending upon the value that UNS Electric assigns to resources available during various
3 day types and hours of the day.

4 Certainly, UNS Electric purchases and values other resources which are not available
5 around the clock, including solar power from the Rio Rico and La Senita facilities.¹⁴

6 **Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN YOUR SECOND PROPOSED OPTION FOR ENHANCING**
7 **THE UTILITY'S PROPOSED RIDER R-12.**

8 A. A second way to address UNS Electric's concern while enabling expanded participation
9 in Rider R-12 would be to add a "peak time rebate" option. This option would permit
10 UNS Electric to interrupt or curtail service to LPS or LPS-TOU customers at any time,
11 upon voluntary agreement between the utility and the customer. Under such an option
12 UNS would notify Nucor and other industrials that it is short of resources or expects a
13 spike in prices and offers to split the savings with the industrial customer. Participation
14 in this option would, of course, be limited to customers who were not otherwise
15 interruptible – i.e., taking service under the interruptible tariff or participating in the
16 Rider R-12 program as proposed by UNS Electric. There would be no obligation placed
17 on the customer to interrupt, but of course the customer would receive to bill credit if is
18 declined to curtail at the utility's request or had no load that could be shed at the time of
19 the utility's request. When the industrial customer receives a request from UNS Electric,
20 the customer could compare the payment quoted by UNS Electric against the value of
21 their lost production.

¹⁴ The investments of the utility in solar facilities are discussed in the direct testimonies of Terry Nay and Carmine Tilghman in this proceeding.

1 This option is similar to how demand-side resources are handled in many restructured
2 wholesale markets. It also has some similarities to the “peak building” or “peak time
3 rebate” programs offered by some vertically-integrated utilities.

4 **Q. UNDER THIS OPTION, HOW WOULD COMPENSATION BE DETERMINED?**

5 A. A simple approach would be to simply split the savings evenly between the utility and the
6 participating load. The savings would be cost avoided by the actions taken by the
7 consumer. For example, the interruption of 1 MW of load for an hour-long period when
8 the wholesale price was \$1,000 would result in savings of \$1,000. A purchase of power
9 at \$1,000 per MWh could be avoided, or 1 MWh of excess generation on the UNS
10 Electric system could be sold, resulting in a similar economic outcome.

11 **Q. WHAT SHOULD BE THE NOTICE PERIOD?**

12 A. Ideally, this should be established following discussions with candidate industrial energy
13 consumers. However, either a 10-minute or 30-minute notice period would seem
14 reasonable.

15 **Q. ARE THERE OTHER POTENTIAL BENEFITS ASSOCIATED WITH YOUR
16 SECOND PROPOSED OPTION FOR ENHANCING RIDER R-12?**

17 A. While Rider R-12 as proposed by UNS Electric would provide a system resource only
18 during the summer months, my proposed option could be introduced year-round,
19 whenever there was a price spike or system emergency.

20 **Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE
21 INTERRUPTIBLE RIDER PROPOSED BY UNS ELECTRIC.**

22 A. The proposed Rider R-12 should be redesigned to allow for greater participation by
23 industrial energy consumers with potentially-interruptible loads. Greater participation,

1 and the availability of a demand-side resource during times other than the summer
2 months, will provide a valuable resource to the benefit of the utility and its customers.

3 This may be accomplished by:

- 4 • Removing restrictions that the interruptible load be available “around the clock”
5 during summer months; or
- 6 • Introducing an option whereby a customer not already involved in an interruptible
7 program would be offered a financial incentive (determined on a “shared savings”
8 basis) to curtail during times when the utility anticipates high wholesale energy prices
9 or a reliability problem.

10 **VI. THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT RIDER SHOULD BE CLARIFIED**

11 **Q. HAVE YOU REVIEWED THE UTILITY’S PROPOSED ECONOMIC**
12 **DEVELOPMENT RIDER?**

13 **A.** Yes, I have reviewed Rider-13.

14 **Q. DO YOU SUPPORT RIDER-13?**

15 **A.** Generally, yes. Nucor supports measures that provide economic incentives for businesses
16 in Arizona to create jobs and opportunities for economic growth. While it is not yet clear
17 whether this rider will apply to Nucor, I believe it recognizes the value provided by
18 Arizona businesses that provide jobs and invest in local communities.

19 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY COMMENTS REGARDING THIS RIDER?**

20 **A.** Yes. I believe that the “load factor” requirement requires some clarification. The
21 Availability section of the proposed rider reads:

1 Customers with a projected peak demand of 1,000 kW or more and a load factor
2 of 75% or higher for the highest 4 coincident-peak months in a rolling 12-month
3 period.

4 I suggest that the following sentence be added following the sentence cited above:

5 The monthly load factor shall be calculated based upon the customer's billing
6 demand and monthly energy usage.

7 Thus, if the customer's billing demand was based upon the 4 CP pricing approach which
8 I have recommended in this testimony, then the customer's average demand at the time of
9 the four coincident peaks during the previous calendar year would be used in the
10 calculation of the customer's load factor.

11 **Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?**

12 **A.** Yes, it does.

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14 ERCOT Working Group on Demand Side Resources, Founder and Co-Chair (2001)

15 Board Member and Vice President for Publications, Association of Energy Services
16 Professionals, 2001-2007

17 Retail Energy Aggregators of Texas, Director, 2001-2003

18 State of Texas Energy Policy Partnership, Member, 1992

19 National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners Staff Subcommittee on Wheeling and
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21 Member of American Economic Association, International Association for Energy Economics
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43 Analyzed the utility's filing on behalf of PUCT Staff.

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3 customers data. Analyzed the utility's filing on behalf of PUCT Staff.
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24 *plant.* Reviewed the utility's future demand and capacity needs. Analyzed the utility's
25 filing on behalf of PUCT Staff.
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28 utility's demand projections. Analyzed the utility's filing on behalf of PUCT Staff.
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31 to test-year sales for weather normalization, demand, and number of customers data, and
32 miscellaneous operations and maintenance expenses. Analyzed the utility's filing on
33 behalf of PUCT Staff.
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Attachment JZ-2

Direct Energy Business Unveils Service Alerting Customers to Likely 5CP Days in PJM Region

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Direct Energy Business is now offering an email alert service in the PJM region as part of a new pilot program for 2013.

This free service includes email notifications throughout the summer months that will alert customers if a particular day shows medium or high probability of being one of PJM's coincident peak days.

Additionally, customers will have access to additional data that provides the details behind why the probability is medium or high.

In the PJM region, data from the five coincident peak days, as selected by the Independent System Operator (ISO), determines a business' peak load contribution (PLC), also known as a capacity tag for invoicing purposes. If customers can be forewarned of when these five days might occur, they have the opportunity, if they choose, to attempt to curtail or otherwise lower their demand during on-peak hours.

Factors such as weather, offline power plants, and monitoring PJM's grid demand reports and forecasts allow Direct Energy Business to provide customers with an estimate of how likely it may be for PJM to hit a coincident peak day on a particular day in the summer.

"Last year, our portfolio strategy team provided a similar alert system to PowerPortfolio customers in PJM as part of our consultative services, which received positive feedback. This sparked the creation of the peak demand probability alert service," said Mike Senff, vice president of sales and marketing of Direct Energy Business.

Attachment JZ-3

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2 Jay Zarnikau & Dan Thal, *The response of large industrial energy consumers to four coincident*
3 *peak (4CP) transmission charges in the Texas (ERCOT) market*, 26 UTILITIES POLICY 1 (2013).

1 The response of large industrial energy consumers to four coincident peak (4CP) transmission
2 charges in the Texas (ERCOT) market

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12 **Abstract**

13 *Large industrial energy consumers served at transmission voltage in the ERCOT market*
14 *reduce their consumption up to 4% during intervals in which consumers are charged for*
15 *transmission services. The response normally lasts two to three hours, since consumers do not*
16 *know exactly which interval will set one of the four summer coincident peaks (CPs), which are*
17 *the basis for transmission charges. Thus, the design of transmission prices in ERCOT has been*
18 *successful in eliciting demand response from that market's largest industrial energy consumers.*
19 *However, there is no noticeable response during some CPs, reflecting the difficulties in*
20 *predicting the actual timing of the peak. The response by industrials served at primary voltage*
21 *to the price signals is insignificant.*

22 Keywords: Electricity pricing; transmission charges; ERCOT

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1 **1. Introduction**

2 When the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) wholesale market was
3 redesigned to foster competition among generators and provide a foundation for retail
4 competition during the 1999-2001 timeframe, the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT)
5 grappled with how to charge consumers for transmission services under the new unbundled
6 market structure. Under the resulting policy, large industrial energy consumers with interval data
7 recorders (IDRs) are charged for transmission services based on the individual consumer's
8 contribution to four coincident peaks (4CPs), i.e., the 15-minute intervals of highest demand on
9 the ERCOT system in each of four summer months -- June, July, August, and September. The
10 total level of compensation provided to transmission owners is approved by the PUCT each year.
11 Transmission costs are then apportioned to each load, or user of the transmission system, based
12 on its share of total demand during these 4CPs. The costs are recovered through levelized
13 monthly charges paid the following year. Revenues from the transmission charges are collected
14 by the retail electric provider (REP) providing electricity to the consumer at the retail level and
15 these revenues are ultimately passed through to transmission owners.

16 A consumer that can reduce its demand for electricity by 1 MW during each of the four
17 CPs can save about \$25,000 in transmission charges the following year, as illustrated in Table 1
18 for energy consumers in the three largest transmission and distribution utility (TDU) services
19 areas. This potential avoidance of transmission charges provides a strong incentive for industrial
20 energy consumers with some flexibility in their operations to engage in "4CP chasing." In 2012,
21 14 REPs and eight municipal utilities or cooperatives, as well as a number of consulting firms,
22 operated 4CP forecasting services to notify industrial energy consumers of opportunities to

1 reduce their transmission costs by strategically reducing their energy purchases during the
 2 summer peaks. (Wattles and Farley, 2012)

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 4 **Table 1.**
 5 **Example Savings Calculations for a 1 MW Reduction in Demand during 4CP Periods**
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| | Monthly Charge per Previous Year's 4-CP kW | Annual Savings from a 1 MW demand reduction during 4CP periods |
|----------------------------|--|---|
| CenterPoint Energy | | |
| Primary Voltage (with IDR) | \$2.1546 | \$25,855.20 |
| Transmission Voltage | \$2.1187 | \$25,424.40 |
| Oncor | | |
| Primary Voltage (with IDR) | \$2.5684 | \$30,820.25 |
| Transmission Voltage | \$2.6368 | \$31,641.71 |
| AEP-Texas Central | | |
| Primary Voltage (with IDR) | \$1.9250 | \$23,100.00 |
| Transmission Voltage | \$1.7180 | \$20,616.00 |

Source of rates:
<http://www.puc.texas.gov/industry/electric/rates/Trans/TDGenericRateSummary.pdf>
 Last accessed December 15, 2012. The calculations assume the customer has a power factor of one.

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 9 Despite the significant potential savings, not all industrial energy consumers respond to
 10 transmission prices. Some industrial facilities have little flexibility in their operations. A
 11 curtailment may impose economic costs upon some consumers in excess of the value of the
 12 potential savings in transmission costs. Energy consumers with the ability to easily interrupt or
 13 curtail their purchases from the grid and commit to providing an ancillary service to the ERCOT

1 market (i.e., commit to curtail at the request of the system operator to provide an operating
2 reserve) cannot concurrently chase 4CPs. This could limit the response of an interruptible load
3 that had elected to provide an ancillary service in ERCOT's day-ahead market or has an
4 obligation with a load-serving entity through a bilateral arrangement to "be available" to provide
5 a curtailment at ERCOT's request.

6 Demand response to the 4CPs may also be hampered by difficulties in predicting the CPs.
7 Until a summer month is over, the interval with the highest level of system demand is not
8 known. It is particularly difficult to discern whether a hot day during the first week of a month
9 will indeed set a CP, since weather forecasts for the later days of the month will not yet be
10 widely available, and any available forecasts so early in a month will possess considerable
11 uncertainty. Further, a strong response to a likely CP may move the monthly peak demand to a
12 different 15-minute interval within the same day or to another day.

13 When the service areas of the investor-owned TDUs were opened to retail competition in
14 January 2002, consumers with a non-coincident peak demand or "billing demand" of over 1 MW
15 were required to have Interval Data Recorders (IDRs) installed. The interval-level
16 measurements obtained from IDRs facilitates the settlement of energy generation transactions
17 and provides a measurement of each large load's contribution to the 4CPs. The IDR threshold
18 was lowered to 700 kW in 2006. (Raish and Linsey, 2004)

19 Until recently, the contribution of smaller consumers (e.g., residential and commercial
20 energy consumers) to the 4CPs was difficult to cost-effectively measure, so generic profiles were
21 used to approximate their level of demand in given time periods. As a result, there is no direct
22 benefit to an individual residential or small commercial consumer from reducing electricity use

1 during a 4CP. Perhaps this situation will change, once advanced metering systems are fully
2 deployed.

3 On occasion, the staff of ERCOT has provided graphs showing a significant drop in
4 demand from large industrial energy consumers during a 4CP. In previous studies of the
5 response of industrial energy consumers to price signals in the ERCOT market, real-time energy
6 prices were combined with the 4CP transmission prices and consumer response to the combined
7 prices was analyzed. It was apparent that certain customers responded to wholesale market price
8 signals – either the 4CP charges, real-time energy prices, or both. (Zarnikau and Hallett, 2008;
9 and Zarnikau, et. al. 2007) In this analysis, the focus is solely on the 4CP transmission charges.

10 In the U.S., demand response activities are increasing. (FERC, 2012) The price
11 elasticity of demand of industrial electricity consumers has been estimated in a number of
12 previous studies, including Caves and Christensen (1984), Boisvert et al (2007), Herriges (1993),
13 Schwarz et al (2002), Taylor et al (2005), and Choi et al (2011). In these studies, the response to
14 changes in wholesale generation prices or retail energy prices was the subject. The only previous
15 analysis of customer response to CP transmission prices with which we are aware is Liu et al
16 (undated). That study simulated the benefits to data centers of avoiding transmission charges,
17 rather than analyzing the actual consumption behavior of industrial facilities.

18 This paper contributes a more-detailed analysis of consumer response to 4CP in ERCOT
19 than has been conducted to date. In Texas, a better understanding of demand response is
20 critically important in light of ERCOT's "energy-only" market design which relies extensively
21 on market forces to balance supply and demand. As low natural gas prices have impaired the
22 profitability of constructing new power plants in recent years, means of reducing peak demand
23 and preserving system reliability through demand response have become increasingly important.

1 It is anticipated that this analysis will also prove instructive to those faced with the task of
2 designing tariffs for transmission service for other markets or utility systems. An important
3 consideration in the design of transmission prices is the impact such pricing will have on system
4 demand. While the design of policies to foster the efficient operation of wholesale electricity
5 markets tends to focus on electricity generation, transmission pricing can make an important
6 contribution toward reliability and efficiency by affecting consumption behavior during peak
7 periods, as is demonstrated in this analysis.

8 The following section uses a regression approach to explore the degree to which these
9 two groups of large energy consumers respond to the transmission prices. Section III estimates
10 the response of consumers served at transmission voltage to the 4CP-based transmission prices
11 using an historical baseline approach. The final section summarizes our findings and offers
12 some observations.

14 **2. Do Large Consumers Respond to Transmission Prices?**

15 As noted above, large consumers of electricity in ERCOT with their interval-level
16 consumption metered with IDRs can realize significant cost savings by reducing their purchases
17 during the 4CPs. But, to what degree do they indeed take advantage of this opportunity and
18 respond to this price signal?

19 To explore this question, 15-minute interval aggregated load data for the two groups of
20 energy consumers thought most likely to respond to 4CP events were obtained from the staff of
21 ERCOT. These groups were 1) consumers with a non-coincident peak demand (billing demand)
22 that exceeded 1 MW at least 10 times since January 2002 and were served at transmission
23 voltage and 2) consumers served at primary voltage with a peak demand meeting these same

1 criteria. The former group includes many very large refineries and chemical production facilities
2 along the Gulf Coast. Data for the period from January 2007 through mid-2012 was used in this
3 analysis.

4 Regression models were used to screen whether demand by the two groups of consumers
5 during summer afternoons were affected by the transmission price signals. The observations
6 used in the estimation were confined to the nine 15-minute intervals from 3:00 pm through 5:15
7 pm (intervals 61 through 69) during weekday summer months. In recent years, the monthly CPs
8 during the summer have always fallen within this period.

9 Because the timing of the CPs cannot be perfectly predicted (and a response by
10 consumers to an anticipated CP period could shift CP to a different interval), we are interested in
11 detecting both 1) any reduction in demand during an actual CP and 2) changes in consumption
12 during other intervals when a CP might have been considered probable. To determine the
13 intervals when consumers might have thought a CP was likely, a logistic regression model was
14 used to estimate the historical relationship between a CP and a set of explanatory variables.
15 Variables representing the month of the year and interval within the day were included to capture
16 seasonal and diurnal factors affecting electricity use. The variable *Interval61_62_63* represents
17 the period from 3 p.m. to 3:45 p.m., while *Interval 64_65_66* covers the period from 3:45 p.m. to
18 4:30 p.m. While a CP may occur later in an afternoon than 4:30 p.m., a third variable was not
19 included in the model, to avoid multicollinearity. Binary monthly variables were used to
20 represent the months of June, July, and August. A September variable was not included, to avoid
21 multicollinearity. The real-time market price of electricity was included as an explanatory
22 variable, to recognize that the response by consumers to a high price could reduce the odds of
23 setting a CP, *ceteris paribus*. Or, perhaps a high price would signal the possibility of a CP to a

1 consumer monitoring market prices. The real time energy price is the market-clearing price of
2 balancing energy during the period in which ERCOT had a zonal market structure, and the zonal
3 average of locational marginal prices for the period since ERCOT adopted a nodal market
4 structure. Energy prices (expressed in dollars per MWh) were obtained from ERCOT's website.
5 Total system demand during the same interval of the previous day was included to recognize that
6 patterns in demand across consecutive days may affect the likelihood of a CP, or the perception
7 that one might occur. Finally, since summer peak loads are largely determined by air
8 conditioning usage in Texas, a variable was constructed to represent the difference between the
9 actual temperature in a central location within the ERCOT market (Austin) for a given interval
10 and the highest temperature reading during the given month. Since interval-level temperature
11 data were not available, it was assumed that all intervals within each hour had the same
12 temperature. Of course, at any given time prior to the end of the month, a consumer will not
13 have complete information about hourly temperatures for the entire month. Thus, our use of this
14 variable implicitly assumes that a consumer has access to – and responds -- to reasonably
15 accurate weather forecasts. As noted earlier, the uncertainty surrounding weather forecasts
16 makes it more difficult to predict CPs that occur early in a month. A variable representing “heat
17 storms,” representing the cooling degree days over four consecutive days with declining weights
18 assigned to previous days, was also tested. However, it yielded inferior results to a simpler
19 measure of relative temperature and consequently was not used.

20 Estimation results are presented in Table 2. As one would expect, the greater the gap
21 between the temperature of an interval and the highest temperature reading for the month, the
22 lower the odds of setting a CP. An increase in energy prices and an increase in system load
23 during the previous days tend to raise the odds of reaching a CP, holding other variables

1 constant. The dummy variables representing the month of the year and time of day tended to not
 2 have significant impacts. The high percent concordant suggests the predictive power of the
 3 model is quite satisfactory.

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 5 **Table 2**
 6 **Estimation Results from Logistic Regression Model used to Determine Probability of a CP**

| Variable or Statistic | Odds Ratio Estimate (p- value in parentheses) |
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| Temperature Relative to Monthly Highest Temperature | -0.741 (<.0001) |
| Energy Price in Real-Time Market | 1.001 (.0248) |
| June Dummy | 0.426 (.1919) |
| July Dummy | 0.439 (.2081) |
| August Dummy | 0.45 (.2707) |
| Interval61_62_63 Dummy | 0.077 (.0161) |
| Interval64_65_66 Dummy | 0.79 (.6032) |
| System Demand Previous on Same Interval of Previous Day | 1.001 (.013) |
| Percent Concordant | 94 |
| Percent Discordant | 5.2 |

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 9 From the logistic regression model, the estimated probability of a CP during every
 10 interval of the estimation period (summer weekday late afternoons from 2007 to mid-2012) was
 11 obtained. Some scaling was performed to ensure that the probability of setting a CP over all

1 intervals in a given month was equal to one. Two new variables were created to represent
2 intervals when the estimated probability was greater than 1.4%, yet a CP was not actually set.
3 *NearCP Low Probability* was set to one when the probability of a CP in a given interval was
4 between 1.4% and 6.5%, and *NearCP High Probability* was coded as one for periods with a
5 probability of reaching summer month CP was over 6.5%. While the variable *CP* represents
6 may represent perfect foresight of the CP interval, the *NearCP* variables might reflect imperfect
7 foresight. The *NearCP* variables may also encompass periods that would have established a
8 peak, had consumers not responded to transmission prices. The 1.4% cutoff point was adopted
9 since it resulted in numbers of 15-minute intervals with a high likelihood of a CP (but no actual
10 CP) ranging from 6 per month (1.5 hours) to 29 per month (7.25). It was thought unlikely that a
11 consumer hoping to avoid transmission charges would respond by curtailing its energy use in a
12 greater number of periods than this. The cut-off point distinguishing a *NearCP High Probability*
13 from a *NearCP High Probability* was set so as to maximize the R^2 of the linear regression model
14 used to explain variations in electricity purchases by energy consumers served at transmission
15 voltage. Model runs using the raw probability values for hitting a CP as a variable (rather than a
16 pair of dummy variables) provided inferior statistical results. Having now constructed variables to
17 represent intervals when the response of a consumer chasing CP's might have been expected to
18 respond, a set of simple linear models was used to detect whether the presence of an actual CP or
19 a *NearCP* (either associated with a high probability or low probability of occurrence) had any
20 detectable effect on the electricity consumption of either group of large energy consumers. The
21 dependent variables represented the energy consumption of the two groups, expressed in kWh
22 per 15-minute interval. The explanatory variables were the real-time energy price (dollars per
23 MWh), the presence of a CP (coded with a 1 if the interval was a CP and 0 otherwise), the

1 *NearCP High Probability* (coded with a 1 if the interval had a high probability of setting CP and
2 0 otherwise), the similarly-coded *NearCP Low Probability*, and variables representing the
3 month of the year and interval within the day to capture seasonal and diurnal factors affecting
4 electricity use. Again, the variable *Interval61_62_63* represents the period from 3 p.m. to 3:45
5 p.m., while *Interval 64_65_66* covers the period from 3:45 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The real time
6 energy price (the same variable as was used in the logit model) was used to distinguish the
7 response by consumers to a high market price of electricity generation from a 4CP-based
8 transmission price. The temperature at a central location within the ERCOT market (i.e., Austin)
9 was also used as a control variable.

10 Regression results are provided in Table 3. In the regression model which seeks to
11 explain interval-level demand of energy consumers served at primary voltage, the high *p*-value
12 on the coefficient estimated for the variable representing the CP interval suggests no significant
13 response by primary voltage customers to CPs, after controlling for the effects of real-time
14 market prices, temperature, and time-of-day and month-of-year effects. Similarly, the effect of a
15 *NearCP* (either one associated with a high probability or low probability of occurrence) upon the
16 energy purchased by consumers served at primary voltage does not significantly differ from zero.

17 In contrast, a CP reduces the consumption of consumers served at transmission voltage
18 by 36,865 kWh on average and after controlling for the effects of the other variables considered.
19 A *NearCP* reduces the energy consumption of consumers served at transmission voltage by a
20 lesser, but still significant, amount – perhaps reflecting the success of these consumers in
21 identifying a true CP. Indeed, the response to a *NearCP* with a high probability is much stronger
22 than the response to a *NearCP* which is less probably. Similar results were obtained when the
23 variable representing the 15-minute interval of the CP was replaced with a variable representing

1 the day in which the CP occurred. It is also interesting to note that the consumers taking service
2 at transmission voltage are quite responsive to real-time energy prices, whereas the consumers
3 served at primary voltage do not appear to react to changes in wholesale electricity prices. While
4 the electricity demand of consumers served at primary voltage is quite temperature-sensitive,
5 temperature changes have no significant impact on the electricity demand of the generally-larger
6 industrial energy consumers served at transmission voltage.

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Table 3
Estimated Impacts of CP Events and Other Factors on Load (in kWh) of Customers Served at Transmission and Primary Voltages
(p-values are provided in parentheses.)

| Variable or Statistic | Transmission Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) | Primary Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) |
|----------------------------------|--|---|
| R ² | 0.102 | 0.257 |
| Intercept | 825,633 (<.0001) | 447,352 (<.0001) |
| CP Interval | -36,865 (.0003) | 3,405 (.5310) |
| NearCP_High Probability Interval | -11,723 (.0774) | 3,072 (.3863) |
| NearCP_Low Probability Interval | -7,918 (.0119) | 401 (.7929) |
| Energy Price in Real-Time Market | -9.7442 (<.0001) | 1.532 (.1943) |
| June Dummy | 34,643 (<.0001) | 16,639 (<.0001) |
| July Dummy | 35,404 (<.0001) | 12,569 (<.0001) |
| August Dummy | 37,550 (<.0001) | 21,899 (<.0001) |
| Austin Temperature (degrees F) | -15.782 (.8811) | 1,131 (<.0001) |
| Interval61_62_63 Dummy | 6,643 (.0002) | 14,114 (<.0001) |
| Interval64_65_66 Dummy | 1,301 (.4631) | 7,710 (<.0001) |

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3. Estimating the Impacts with an Historical Baseline Approach

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Graphical analysis illustrates that the response to a CP is quite pronounced on certain

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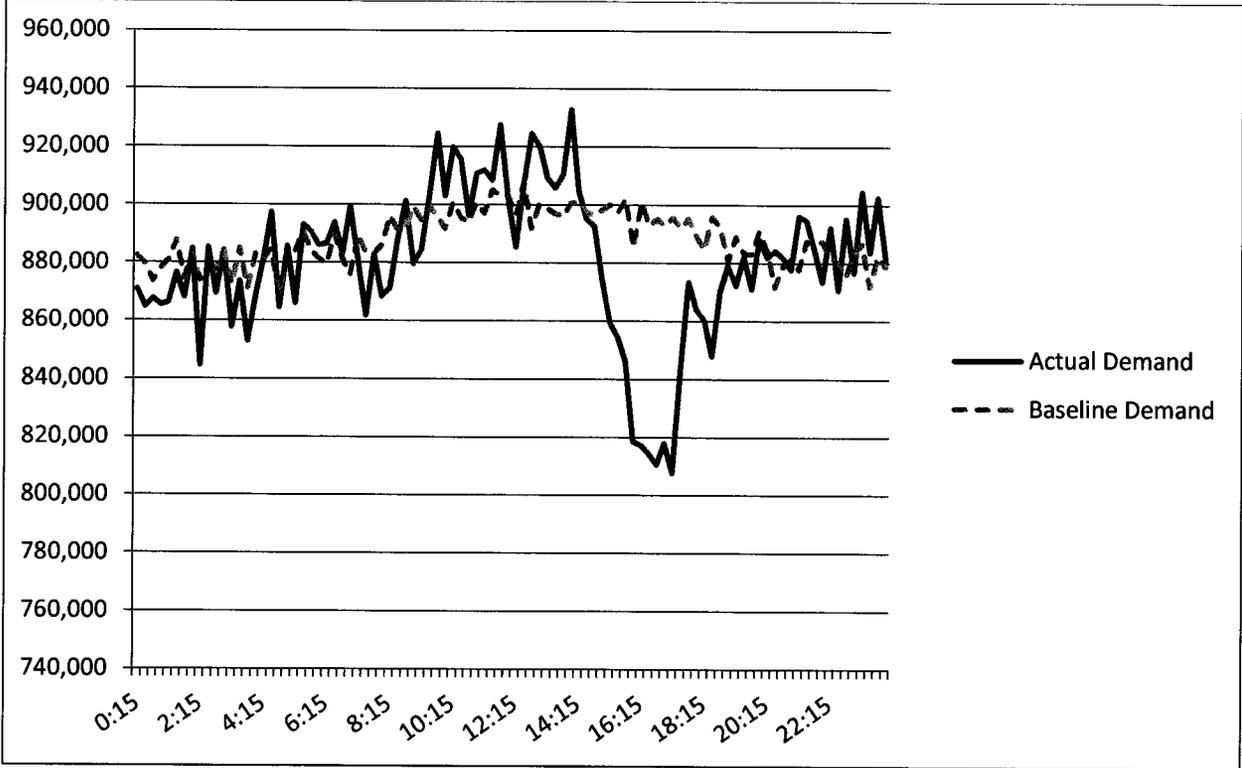
days. Figures 1 and 2 compare actual interval-level energy consumption by transmission voltage

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1 consumers against a baseline usage pattern. The baseline was constructed by averaging the load
2 levels exhibited by this group of consumers over the five previous weekdays. Weekend days
3 were not included in the baseline calculations, since no CPs were set on weekends during the
4 timeframe studied here. Near-CP days were also excluded from the baselines, as these days tend
5 to have CP responses, so including them would blur the picture. The historical baseline was then
6 scaled, so that the total energy up to 15:00 (3 p.m.) for the baseline matched the total energy
7 consumed up to 15:00 on the CP day. On the two days represented in the first two figures, the
8 response to the anticipated CP appears obvious. While the CPs on these two days actually
9 occurred during intervals 67 and 68 -- ending at 16:45 (4:45 p.m.) and 17:00 (5 p.m.),
10 respectively -- the response started earlier and diminished later than the actual CP interval, since
11 the consumers did not know which interval would set the CP. Thus the period of response is
12 typically 2 or 3 hours.

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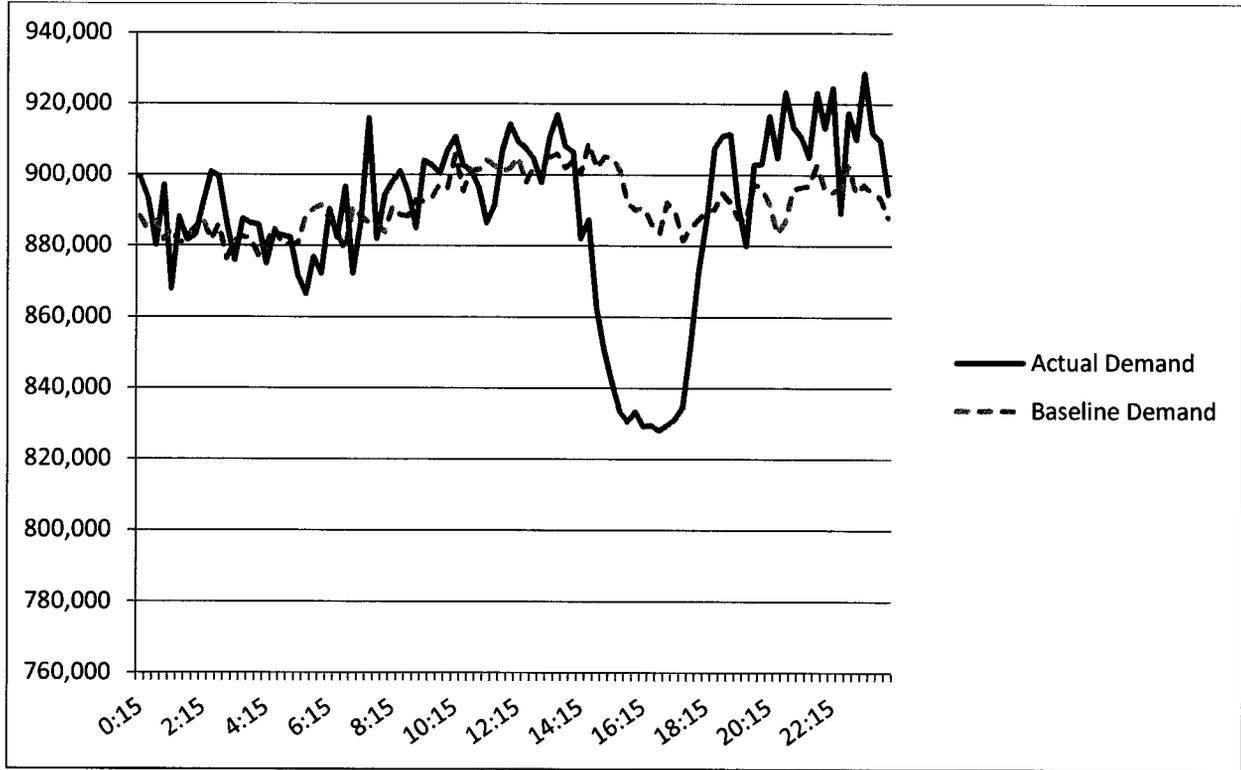
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Fig. 1. Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on June 16, 2008, Contrasted against Baseline Energy



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4 Fig. 2. Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on June 26, 2011,
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9 On some days, it appears as though this group of consumers failed to anticipate the CP, as
10 demonstrated in Fig. 3. The CP was reached in the interval ending 16:45 on the September 2008
11 CP. A lack of response was sometimes exhibited when the CP occurred early in the month, at
12 which time weather conditions and the resulting load levels for the entire month would be
13 difficult to anticipate.
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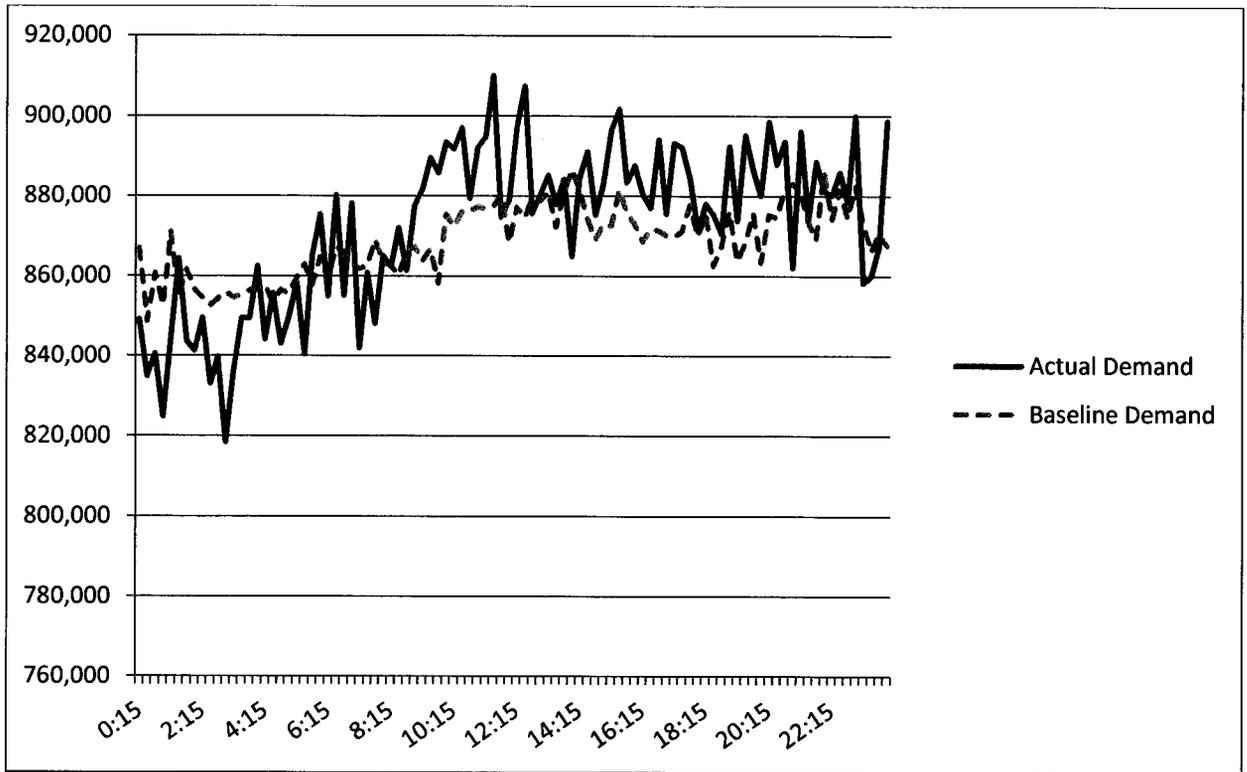
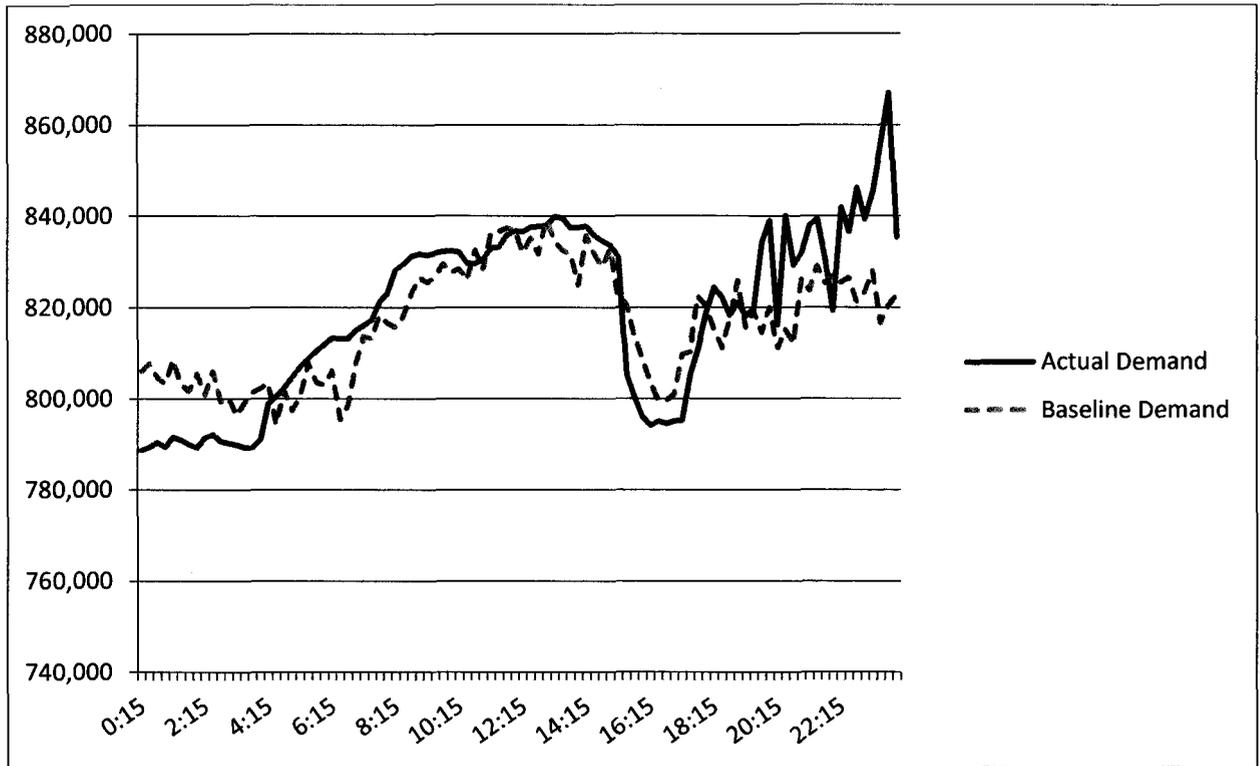


Fig. 3. Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on September 2, 2008, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

Finally, there are some days when both the load for the day containing the CP interval and the baseline load show a significant drop during the late afternoon, as can be seen from Fig. 4. Presumably, this reflects a situation where consecutive days appear to be equally likely to set the CP, and consumers engage in a pattern of reducing their energy consumption during the late afternoon in each of the days.



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2 Fig. 4. Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on June 21, 2010,
3 Contrasted against Baseline Energy
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6 The estimated demand reduction during each of the CP events from 2007 through mid-
7 2012 is provided on Table 4. A baseline constructed from the five previous weekdays (excluding
8 near-CP days) was again used to estimate the load pattern which would have prevailed had a
9 CP not been expected. If the previous month's CP was among the five previous weekdays – as
10 was the case for the August 2008 CP, then the previous month's CP was removed from the
11 baseline calculation and replaced with an earlier day.
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Table 4.
Estimated Demand Reduction During CP Intervals

| Year | Month | Day | Interval | Actual kWh | Baseline kWh | kWh Drop within Interval | Demand Reduction in MW | Percentage Drop in Load Served at Transmission Voltage |
|------|-------|-----|----------|------------|--------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--|
| 2007 | 6 | 19 | 16:45 | 921,415 | 909,321 | -12,094 | -48 | -0.53% |
| 2007 | 7 | 12 | 16:30 | 867,977 | 895,888 | 27,910 | 112 | 1.25% |
| 2007 | 8 | 13 | 15:30 | 885,253 | 906,844 | 21,591 | 86 | 0.95% |
| 2007 | 9 | 7 | 16:00 | 848,865 | 902,231 | 53,366 | 213 | 2.37% |
| 2008 | 6 | 16 | 16:45 | 810,464 | 895,107 | 84,643 | 339 | 3.78% |
| 2008 | 7 | 31 | 16:45 | 817,820 | 848,674 | 30,854 | 123 | 1.45% |
| 2008 | 8 | 4 | 17:00 | 809,458 | 877,318 | 67,860 | 271 | 3.09% |
| 2008 | 9 | 2 | 16:45 | 894,133 | 871,420 | -22,713 | -91 | -1.04% |
| 2009 | 6 | 25 | 16:15 | 755,751 | 821,269 | 65,518 | 262 | 3.19% |
| 2009 | 7 | 13 | 17:00 | 782,326 | 816,379 | 34,053 | 136 | 1.67% |
| 2009 | 8 | 5 | 16:00 | 770,848 | 839,342 | 68,493 | 274 | 3.26% |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 16:00 | 808,405 | 846,666 | 38,262 | 153 | 1.81% |
| 2010 | 6 | 21 | 16:45 | 794,491 | 799,680 | 5,189 | 21 | 0.26% |
| 2010 | 7 | 16 | 16:30 | 813,729 | 871,681 | 57,952 | 232 | 2.66% |
| 2010 | 8 | 23 | 16:00 | 779,120 | 802,858 | 23,738 | 95 | 1.18% |
| 2010 | 9 | 14 | 16:45 | 785,135 | 850,913 | 65,778 | 263 | 3.09% |
| 2011 | 6 | 15 | 17:00 | 806,468 | 893,428 | 86,959 | 348 | 3.89% |
| 2011 | 7 | 27 | 16:30 | 824,147 | 902,259 | 78,112 | 312 | 3.46% |
| 2011 | 8 | 3 | 17:00 | 819,712 | 910,745 | 91,033 | 364 | 4.00% |
| 2011 | 9 | 2 | 16:30 | 796,848 | 863,959 | 67,111 | 268 | 3.11% |
| 2012 | 6 | 26 | 16:30 | 829,475 | 886,217 | 56,743 | 227 | 2.56% |
| 2012 | 7 | 31 | 17:00 | 723,581 | 776,613 | 53,032 | 212 | 2.73% |

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Response to transmission prices appear to be generally increasing over time. In recent years, consumers served at transmission voltage reduced their electricity purchases up to 4% during a summer CP, if a baseline calculation using previous days is used to quantify the impact.

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The average energy reduction over all 22 CP events reported in Table 3 is 47,427 kWh. This is higher than the 36,861 kWh energy reduction implied by the coefficient estimate

1 presented in Table 3, which controls for the effects of market prices. Relatively high prices may
2 be expected during a summer peak and some large industrial energy consumers in the ERCOT
3 market purchase energy with pricing based upon real-time energy prices, as confirmed by the
4 regression results presented in Table 3. Thus some of the demand reduction estimated against an
5 historical baseline may actually be attributable to consumer response to a high energy price. The
6 regression approach strives to separate the influences of these two motivations for demand
7 response, whereas the historical baseline approach does not.

8 9 **4. Conclusions**

10 Industrial energy consumers served at transmission voltage reduce their energy purchased
11 by up to 4% in response to a CP – the basis for recovering transmission costs from consumers in
12 the ERCOT market. Given that ERCOT’s total annual system peak demand is slightly over
13 66,500 MW, a reduction of 364 MW (the largest demand reduction estimated during a CP using
14 an historical baseline) impacts ERCOT’s summer peak by less than six-tenths of one percent.
15 During peak, consumers served at transmission voltage contribute about 5.4% of ERCOT’s total
16 demand.

17 Responsiveness to transmission prices has generally increased over time. The magnitude
18 of the response appears to be related to the certainty or predictability of the timing of the CP.

19 As ERCOT strives to maintain reliability under its energy-only market structure, this
20 approach to transmission pricing is one market feature with considerable value as a source of
21 demand response. An expansion of direct 4CP pricing of transmission services to smaller loads
22 (e.g., residential and commercial customers) should be considered, now that advanced meters
23 have been widely deployed in the ERCOT power region. Technology which will facilitate the

1 response of consumers to likely peaks should be encouraged, including better communications,
2 control, and metering infrastructure.

3 The estimates presented here – ranging from negative values, suggesting an absence of
4 any response, up to 364 MW -- are lower than the demand reduction of 500 MW that ERCOT
5 commonly assumes as a response to both 4CP pricing and high real-time prices during the peak
6 summer hour of the year. Yet, this analysis is confined to large industrial energy consumers that
7 purchase power at transmission voltage. Additional demand reduction during peak periods
8 comes from demand response programs implemented by municipal utilities or rural electric
9 cooperatives within the ERCOT power region and programs within the competitive retail market
10 operated by REPs involving smaller loads. Consequently, the demand reduction estimates
11 presented here appear to be compatible with ERCOT's planning assumption.

12 Issues surrounding the appropriate method to use for the allocation and recovery of
13 transmission costs frequently arise in rate cases and in market design. There are great
14 differences in how each of the world's restructured markets have approached the problem of
15 recovering the cost of transmission services from load-serving entities and industrial energy
16 consumers. (PJM, 2010) If a prominent objective of rate design or market design is to encourage
17 demand response during peak periods, ERCOT's experience demonstrates that a 4CP approach
18 may prove valuable.

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Executive Summary

This report provides estimates of the amount of demand response that is occurring outside of ERCOT’s formal markets for energy and ancillary services and outside of ERCOT’s Emergency Response Service (ERS) program. This analysis is based on data collected through a survey of load-serving entities (LSEs) -- including Retail Electric Providers (REPs), municipal electric systems, and rural electric cooperatives serving the ERCOT power region.

Demand Response to 4CP Events

During one of the four summer coincident peak (4CP) intervals used to recover transmission costs from consumers with interval data recorders (IDRs) and LSEs, we estimate about 500 MW of demand reduction. About half of this response is from energy consumers served at transmission voltage in areas opened to retail competition. A similar amount of demand reduction may be traced to programs operated by non-opt-in entities (NOIEs). The demand reduction achieved through the NOIE programs varies considerably during different events and we have been unable to independently verify the impacts reports by the NOIEs. So we are using a “round number” to report the impacts of the NOIE programs here.

Table ES.1: Estimated Average Demand Response During a 4CP in 2013

| | Total MW |
|--|------------|
| Demand Response from Energy Consumers Served at Transmission Voltage in Competitive Areas (regardless of their participation in formal programs) (1) | 250 |
| Programs Implemented by NOIEs (2) | 200 |
| Other Load Control Programs activated during a CP | Small |
| Real Time Pricing (RTP) and Block and Index (BI) Programs (incidental impacts during a CP) | Small |
| Rough Estimate of Other Response not otherwise accounted for (3) | <u>50</u> |
| TOTAL | 500 |
| Notes: | |
| (1) An historical baseline calculation yields an average estimate of 251 MW for the four CPs in 2013. Regression analysis suggests a reduction of 201 MW on average over the past 5 years. | |
| (2) Based on a review of savings estimates reported by NOIEs. We have been unsuccessful in independently confirming these estimates. | |
| (3) This is a conservative estimate based on judgment, to account for response by industrials with IDRs served at a voltage other than transmission and industrials within NOIE service areas. | |

There is some “Other Response” that is similarly difficult to independently verify with the data available to us. Yet, we know anecdotally that it exists. This might include response by large industrial energy consumers served by NOIEs and the response of energy consumers with IDRs served at a voltage other than transmission. With only aggregate NOIE-level data or aggregate consumption for consumers served at primary voltage to us, we were unable to detect this response. Our conservative estimate of 50 MW is based on judgment.

One REP-sponsored Other Load Control program was deployed during one of the CPs in 2013, but the impact of this 15-minute deployment which overlapped part of the interval setting the CP was difficult to detect.

About three-quarters of the demand reduction during 4CPs is coming from larger commercial, industrial, and institutional consumers. The source of the other one-quarter is from the residential sector, as noted in Figure ES.1. This estimate was informed by a review of the composition of participants in the NOIE programs.

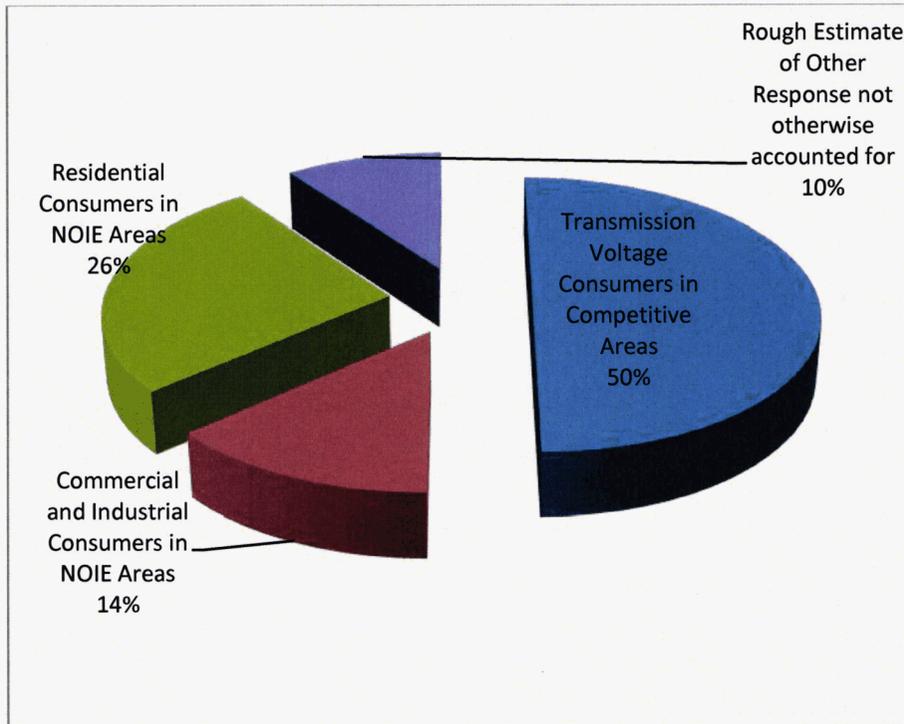


Figure ES.1: Composition of Demand Response during a 4CP by Source

We note that our estimate of about 500 MW is lower than the estimates of demand response during 4CPs that ERCOT had earlier estimated.¹ Consequently, we conducted discussions with the ERCOT staff to identify the differences, and the ERCOT staff conducted some supplemental analysis.

Demand Response to Spikes in Wholesale Prices

The demand reduction in response to price spikes in 2013 was around 432.5 MW, as shown in Table ES.2. Most of this came from larger commercial and industrial energy consumers served through real-time pricing programs and block and index programs. The load control programs of the NOIEs can have a large impact, as well.

¹ Calvin Opheim, *Load Forecasting Process Review*, presentation to the Generation Adequacy Task Force, October 7, 2013, slide 14.

Table ES.2: Estimated Demand Response During a Spike in Wholesale Energy Prices in 2013 (1)
(Load Zone Settlement Point Price above \$3,000/MWh)

| | Total MW |
|--|-----------------|
| RTP and BI Programs | |
| Customers with IDR Meters | 180 |
| Customers with AMS Meters | 2 |
| Rough Estimate of Other Response not otherwise accounted for (2) | 50 |
| Load Control Programs Implemented by NOIEs | 200 |
| Peak Load Rebate Programs (3) | 0.5 |
| TOTAL | 432.5 |
| Notes: | |
| (1) There were very few price spikes in ERCOT in 2013. Consequently, many programs were not activated and the estimates here do not reflect potential demand reduction. Methodology: Regression analysis. | |
| (2) This is a conservative estimate based on judgment, to account for response by industrials with IDRs served at a voltage other than transmission and industrials within NOIE service areas. | |
| (3) A discussion of the data and calculations used to derive our estimate of the demand reduction from Peak Load Rebate Programs has been removed from this "public" report, in order to protect confidential information from disclosure. | |

We detected a strong increase in demand reduction as wholesale market prices increase, as noted in Figure ES.2.

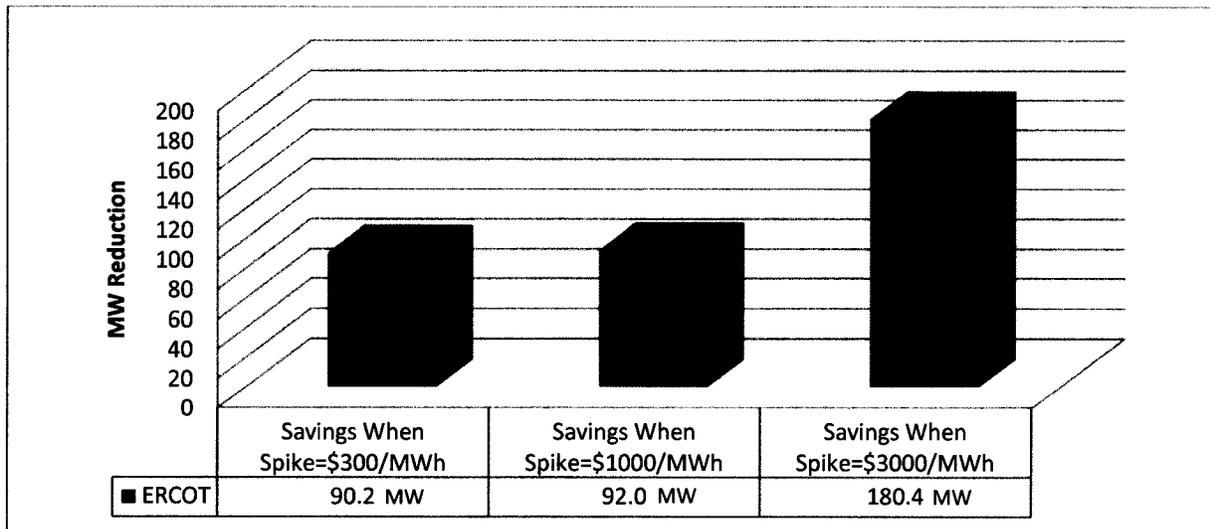


Figure ES.2: Demand Response by Consumers with IDRs Increase as the Wholesale Market Price Increases

Chapter 1: Introduction

A better understanding of demand response (DR) is important to maintaining reliability in the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) power market in light of ERCOT's "energy-only" market design which relies extensively on market forces to balance supply and demand. While the amount of curtailable or interruptible load participating in ERCOT's formal markets and the Emergency Response Service program is well-known to ERCOT's system operators and planners, the amount of demand response that is occurring outside of formal markets in response to a spike in wholesale prices or a program implemented by a load-serving entity (LSEs) is not well-understood. Deployments of such "out-of-market DR"² are generally not reported to ERCOT in advance or in real-time.

Using its authority under Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) Substantive Rule §25.505(e)(5), ERCOT has periodically surveyed LSEs to determine the magnitude of out-of-market DR activities. This report summarizes the results obtained through the survey conducted by ERCOT during the summer of 2013.

The types of DR products for which data were collected include:

- Time of Use (TOU) pricing
- Critical Peak pricing/rebates
- Real-Time pricing
- Direct Load Control
- Programs designed to facilitate response to Four Coincident Peak (4CP) transmission charges

As a component of ERCOT's survey, Retail Electric Providers (REPs) serving energy consumers in the areas of ERCOT opened to retail competition were asked to provide the ESI IDs or account numbers of consumers participating in a REP-sponsored out-of-market DR program during the summer of 2013. This report provides an independent quantification of the customer-specific response to various REP-initiated deployments.

While REPs were asked to identify the consumers participating in time-of-use pricing (TOU) programs such as "Free Weekends" and "Free Nights" programs, it was decided that the analysis described in this report would focus on "event-driven" DR. Nonetheless, we have included data summarizing the popularity of TOU programs during the summer of 2013 in this report, albeit without any quantification of the change in load patterns resulting from such programs.

Information was also collected pertaining to DR programs offered by non-opt-in entities (NOIEs, which tend to be municipal utility systems and rural electric cooperative utilities which have not opted-in to retail competition). However, since the Smart Meter Texas (SMT) repository of interval-level usage information does not include data for consumers in the NOIE areas, no independent analysis was conducted to quantify the impacts from the NOIE programs.

² The California Public Utilities Commission and the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) have adopted the term "Load Modifying Resource Demand Response" to describe demand response programs which are not directly dispatched by an ISO.

Table 1.1 summarizes the numbers of REPs reporting programs and the number of programs provided by these REPs under various categories.

Table 1.1: Programs by REPs - Summary Table³

| | REP1 | REP2 | REP5 | REP6 | REP7 | REP8 |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| OLC | 11 | 4 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| RTP | -- | -- | 4 | -- | -- | -- |
| PR | -- | 4 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| BI | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | -- | -- |
| 4CP | -- | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 4 |
| OTHER | -- | -- | 4 | -- | -- | -- |

Where:

- OLC = Other Load Control
- RTP = Real-Time Pricing
- PR = Peak Rebate
- BI = Block & Index pricing
- 4CP = REP-initiated 4CP notification
- OTH = Other

The survey responses from REPs in the competitive retail market indicated the numbers of customers enrolled in various types of programs. Aggregate numbers of customers (excluding customers enrolled in multiple programs) are provided in Table 1.2, while Table 1.3 identifies the types of energy consumers participating in each category of DR program.

Table 1.2: ESI IDs Participating in Only One Program (in Areas Opened to Retail Competition)

| | 4CP | BI | OLC | OTH | PR | RTP | TOU | Total |
|-------------------|-----|--------|--------|-----|-------|-------|---------|---------|
| ESID Count | 10 | 22,947 | 10,071 | 733 | 1,877 | 4,105 | 117,570 | 157,313 |
| REP Count | 3 | 14 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 12 | 4 | 21 |

³ Tables 1.1 through 1.3 were provided by ERCOT.

**Table 1.3: Participation in Categories of Programs by Type of Energy Consumer⁴
ESIDs Participating in Only One Program**

| prof_type | program_type | | | | | | | |
|--------------|----------------|-----------|---------------|---------------|------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| | total | 4CP | BI | OLC | OTH | PR | RTP | TOU |
| BUSHILF | 3,215 | | 2,688 | | 110 | | 417 | |
| BUSHIPV | 1 | | | | | | 1 | |
| BUSIDRRQ | 1,806 | 10 | 1,262 | | 36 | 32 | 466 | |
| BUSLOLF | 1,983 | | 1,075 | 1 | 108 | 17 | 768 | 14 |
| BUSLOPV | 15 | | | | | | 2 | 13 |
| BUSMEDLF | 11,101 | | 9,062 | 2 | 383 | 3 | 1,555 | 96 |
| BUSMEDPV | 6 | | | | | | 1 | 5 |
| BUSNODEM | 8,320 | | 7,456 | 2 | 76 | 5 | 604 | 177 |
| BUSNODPV | 3 | | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| BUSOGFLT | 1,494 | | 1,404 | | | | 90 | |
| NMLIGHT | 1 | | | | | | 1 | |
| RESHIPV | 148 | | | 4 | | 2 | | 142 |
| RESHIWD | 5 | | | 2 | | | | 3 |
| RESHIWR | 58,455 | | | 4,224 | 9 | 768 | 50 | 53,404 |
| RESLOPV | 224 | | | 6 | | 1 | | 217 |
| RESLOWD | 1 | | | 1 | | | | |
| RESLOWR | 70,535 | | | 5,829 | 11 | 1,049 | 149 | 63,497 |
| total | 157,313 | 10 | 22,947 | 10,071 | 733 | 1,877 | 4,105 | 117,570 |

Summary

A summary of the approach to quantifying impacts and the data sources used in the analysis of each type of demand response program is presented in Table 1.4.

The chapters that follow provide a detailed description of the analysis and findings for 4CP response and real-time pricing (combined with block and index pricing). Our analysis of the impacts from Other Load Control and Peak Rebate programs has been removed from this public version, in order to protect confidential information from disclosure.

⁴ Please note “prof_type” stands for Profile Type.

Table 1.4: Summary of Programs, Data Sources, and Methods of Analysis

| Program | Data Source | Method of Analysis |
|--|--|---|
| OLC - Other Load Control | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15-minute interval consumption data (anonymized) from 05/01/2013 to 10/15/2013 for each ESI ID in this type of program. Event information, as reported by two REPs operating larger programs (including start and stop times). Start date for participation in the program, as reported by REP, for over 10,000 ESI IDs. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Baseline analysis focused on events as reported by REPs. Impacts were calculated on a customer-specific basis, for each program. An historical baseline was constructed, same as the ERCOT ERS “Middle 8-of-10” methodology, and actual usage was compared against baseline usage to estimate demand response. (1) |
| 4CP | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aggregated IDR data for consumers served at transmission voltage for each regulated transmission and distribution utility (TDU) service area from 2001 to early 2014. Evaluation was limited to use of aggregated (non-individual) data. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A probabilistic analysis (logistic regression) was conducted to identify the days most likely to have elicited a 4CP response, based on weather, time of day, and other factors. Baseline analysis focused on actual and potential 4CP days (summer weekday afternoons). Baselines excluded weekend days, holidays, prior CPs, and near-CPs. Additionally, a regression model quantified the response of the aggregate usage of the transmission voltage customers in each TDU service area to 4CPs and “near 4CPs,” while controlling for other factors. |
| RTP (Real Time Pricing) and BI (Block & Index) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anonymized data for 4,100 RTP customers and 23,000 BI customers (10/15/2011-10/15/2013), along with location-related information for each account. Wholesale price data. Start date for program, as reported by REP, for each ESI ID enrolled in this type of program. Weather data. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regression baseline focused on pricing events, defined as LZ SPPs at three distinct price levels: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$300/MWh \$1,000/MWh \$3,000/MWh Additional models were estimated looking at single price spike levels (e.g., just \$3,000/MWh). An historical baseline was constructed, same as the ERCOT ERS “Middle 8-of-10” methodology, and actual usage was compared against baseline usage to estimate demand response. |
| PR (Peak Rebate) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15-minute interval consumption data (anonymized) for each ESI ID in this type of program. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An historical baseline was constructed, same as the ERCOT ERS “Middle 8-of-10” methodology, and actual usage was compared against baseline usage to estimate demand response. (2) |
| TOU | <i>No analysis will be performed for TOU, at least for now. TOU price offerings are designed to promote a behavioral shift in customers and are not considered event-driven DR.</i> | |
| OTH | <i>No analysis is envisioned for OTH. ERCOT will bilaterally contact the REPs reporting “Other” products to better define the product types in future data collection exercises.</i> | |
| Notes: | | |
| (1) A discussion of the data used to derive our estimate of the demand reduction from Other Load Control Programs has been removed from this “public” report, in order to protect confidential information from disclosure. | | |
| (2) A discussion of the data and calculations used to derive our estimate of the demand reduction from Peak Load Rebate Programs has been removed from this “public” report, in order to protect confidential information from disclosure. | | |

Chapter 2: The Response of Large Industrial Energy Consumers to Four Coincident Peak (4CP) Transmission Charges

The Motivation to Avoid 4CP Intervals

In the areas of ERCOT opened to retail competition, large energy consumers with interval data recorders (IDRs) are charged for transmission services based on the individual consumer's contribution to four coincident peaks (4CPs), i.e., the 15-minute intervals of highest demand on the ERCOT system in each of four summer months -- June, July, August, and September. This chapter presents estimates of the degree to which large industrial energy consumers seek to reduce their demand, and thus their transmission costs, during periods in which 4CPs are set or there is a high likelihood that a CP will be set.

All energy consumers with a billing demand over 700 kW in a competitive area have an incentive to respond to the 4CP transmission prices. There is no apparent advantage to conducting this analysis on an individual-load basis, so aggregated or class-level data for energy consumers served at transmission voltage within each TDU service area were used. The data used were 15-minute interval aggregated load data for consumers with a non-coincident peak demand (billing demand) that exceeded 1 MW at least 10 times since January 2002 and were served at transmission voltage. Data for the summers of 2008 through 2013 were used in this analysis.

A consumer that can reduce its demand for electricity by 1 MW during each of the four CPs can save roughly \$40,000 to over \$55,000 in transmission charges the following year, as illustrated in Table 2.1 for energy consumers in the three largest transmission and distribution utility (TDU) services areas. This potential avoidance of transmission charges provides a strong incentive for industrial energy consumers with some flexibility in their operations to engage in "4CP chasing." These charges have been increasing in recent years and will continue to increase over the next couple years, as the costs associated with the Competitive Renewable Energy Zone (CREZ) projects are recovered.

Table 2.1: Example Savings Calculations for a 1 MW Reduction in Demand during 4CP Periods

| | Monthly Charge per Previous Year's 4-CP kW | Annual Savings from a 1 MW demand reduction during 4CP periods |
|---|--|--|
| CenterPoint Energy (Docket Nos. 42053, 38339, and 41072; and base rates from tariff) | | |
| Primary Voltage (with IDR; excluding Distribution Charge) | \$3.4356 | \$41,226.97 |
| Transmission Voltage (including Distribution Charge) | \$4.0154 | \$48,184.27 |
| Oncor (Docket No. 42059) | | |
| Primary Voltage (with IDR) | \$3.3259 | \$39,910.32 |
| Transmission Voltage | \$3.6055 | \$43,266.19 |
| AEP-Texas Central (Docket No. 42054 and base rates from tariff) | | |
| Primary Voltage (with IDR) | \$4.6183 | \$55,420.02 |
| Transmission Voltage | \$3.7265 | \$44,718.00 |
| Tariffs and TCRFs last accessed April 20, 2014. The calculations assume the customer has a power factor of one. | | |

The survey of LSEs conducted during the summer of 2013 identified very few customers who were involved in REP-initiated programs to provide 4CP warnings. However, many organizations other than REPs provide such services. Therefore the 2013 survey does not reflect the full numbers of industrial and institutional energy consumers involved in 4CP chasing.

Although industrial and institutional energy consumers served at primary voltage have about as much incentive to reduce their transmission costs by reducing demand during CPs as consumers served at transmission voltage, previous analysis could find no significant response among primary voltage consumers.⁵ Consequently, the demand response of the smaller energy consumers served at primary voltage was not considered here.

Despite the significant potential savings, not all industrial and institutional energy consumers respond to transmission prices. For some facilities, a curtailment may impose economic costs upon some consumers in excess of the value of the potential savings in transmission costs. Energy consumers with the ability to easily interrupt or curtail their purchases from the grid and commit to providing an ancillary service to the ERCOT market (i.e., commit to curtail at the request of the system operator to provide an operating

⁵ Zarnikau, Jay, Dan Thal (2013). "The response of large industrial energy consumers to four coincident peak (4CP) transmission charges in the Texas (ERCOT) market," *Utilities Policy*, Vol. 26, Sept. 2013, pp. 1-6.

reserve) cannot concurrently chase 4CPs. This could limit the response of an interruptible load that had elected to provide an ancillary service in ERCOT's day-ahead market or has an obligation with a load-serving entity through a bilateral arrangement to "be available" to provide a curtailment at ERCOT's request.

The following section identifies "near-CP" intervals and days. Near-CP days are excluded from baseline calculations and near-CP intervals are used as a variable in the regression analysis presented here. Chapter 3 provides estimates of the response of consumers served at transmission voltage to the 4CP-based transmission prices using an historical baseline approach. Chapter 2 uses a regression approach to explore the degree to which these two groups of large energy consumers respond to the transmission prices. The final section summarizes our findings and offers further observations.

Identification of Near-CP Intervals and Days

The timing of the CPs cannot be perfectly predicted. Until a summer month is over, the interval with the highest level of system demand is not known. It is particularly difficult to determine whether a hot day during the first week of a month will indeed set a CP, since weather forecasts for the later days of the month will not yet be widely available, and forecasts made early in a month will be uncertain. Further, a strong response to a likely CP may move the monthly peak demand to a different 15-minute interval within the same day or to another day.

Consequently, days when consumers are likely to have responded to a likely CP should be excluded from our calculation of savings from CP-chasing relative to an historical baseline, and in our regression analysis we are interested in detecting both 1) any reduction in demand during an actual CP and 2) during other intervals when a CP might have been considered probable. Thus, an identification of near-CPs is needed to implement both of the methods used to quantify the demand reduction during CPs.

To determine the intervals when consumers might have thought a CP was likely, a logistic regression model was used to estimate the historical relationship between a CP and a set of explanatory variables. Variables representing the month of the year and interval within the day were included to capture seasonal and diurnal factors affecting electricity use. The observations used in the estimation were confined to the nine 15-minute intervals from 3:00 pm through 5:15 pm (intervals 61 through 69) during weekday summer months in the years 2008 through 2013. In recent years, the monthly CPs during the summer have always fallen within this period. The variable *Interval61_62_63* is coded 1 for the period from 3 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. and 0 otherwise. Similarly, *Interval 64_65_66* was coded 1 for the period from 3:45 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 0 otherwise. Binary monthly variables were used to represent the months of June, July, and August. The real-time market price of electricity was included as an explanatory variable, to recognize that the response by consumers to a high price could change the odds of setting a CP, *ceteris paribus*. Alternatively, it might signal the possibility of a CP to a consumer monitoring market prices. The real time energy price is the market-clearing price of balancing energy during the period in which ERCOT had a zonal market structure, and the zonal average of locational marginal prices for the period since ERCOT adopted a nodal market structure. Energy prices (expressed in dollars per MWh) were obtained from ERCOT's website. Total system demand during the same interval of the previous day was included to recognize that patterns in demand across consecutive days may affect the likelihood of a CP, or the perception that one might occur. Finally, since summer peak loads are largely determined by air conditioning usage in Texas, a variable was constructed to represent the difference between the actual temperature in a central location within the ERCOT market (Austin) for a given interval and the highest temperature reading during the given month. Since interval-level temperature data were not available, it was assumed that all intervals within each hour had the same temperature.

Of course, at any given time prior to the end of the month, a consumer will not have complete information about hourly temperatures for the remainder of the month. Thus, our use of this variable implicitly assumes that a consumer has access to – and responds -- to reasonably accurate weather forecasts. As noted earlier, the uncertainty surrounding weather forecasts makes it more difficult to predict CPs that occur early in a month.

Estimation results are presented in Table 2.2. The greater the gap between the temperature of an interval and the highest temperature reading for the month, the lower the odds of setting a CP. An increase in energy prices and an increase in system load during the previous days tend to raise the odds of reaching a CP, holding other variables constant. While the dummy variable for intervals 61, 62, and 63 was significant, the dummy variables representing the month of the year and the variable representing the intervals 64, 65, and 66 did not have significant impacts. The high percent concordant suggests the predictive power of the model is satisfactory.

Table 2.2: Estimation Results from Logistic Regression Model used to Determine Probability of a CP

| Variable or Statistic | Odds Ratio Estimate (p-value in parentheses) |
|---|---|
| Temperature Relative to Monthly Highest Temperature | 0.490 (<.0001) |
| Energy Price in Real-Time Market | 1.001 (.0003) |
| June Dummy | 0.849 (.7728) |
| July Dummy | 0.885 (.8310) |
| August Dummy | 0.829 (.7427) |
| Interval61_62_63 Dummy | 0.058 (.0062) |
| Interval64_65_66 Dummy | 0.552 (.1493) |
| | |
| McFadden's Pseudo R ² | 0.293 |

Scaling was performed to ensure that the probability of setting a CP over all intervals in a given month was equal to one. A new variable, *NearCP*, was created to represent intervals when the estimated probability was greater than 7%, yet a CP was not actually set. The 7% cutoff point was adopted since it resulted in roughly 50 15-minute intervals with a high likelihood of a CP (but no actual CP), as reported on Table 2.3. It was thought that it was reasonable for consumers to respond to roughly this number of possible CP events. Some of these near-CP intervals were on the same days as actual CP intervals.

Table 2.3: Identification of Near-CP Intervals

| Year | Month | Day | Hour | Interval | Austin Temp. in F degrees |
|-------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| 2007 | 6 | 19 | 16 | 68 | 94 |
| 2007 | 8 | 13 | 15 | 64 | 99 |
| 2007 | 8 | 13 | 17 | 69 | 98 |
| 2007 | 8 | 14 | 15 | 64 | 99 |
| 2007 | 9 | 27 | 16 | 67 | 94 |
| 2007 | 9 | 27 | 16 | 68 | 94 |
| 2008 | 8 | 7 | 16 | 67 | 100 |
| 2008 | 8 | 7 | 16 | 68 | 100 |
| 2008 | 9 | 2 | 15 | 64 | 100 |
| 2008 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 65 | 100 |
| 2008 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 66 | 100 |
| 2008 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 68 | 100 |
| 2009 | 6 | 25 | 16 | 67 | 104 |
| 2009 | 6 | 25 | 16 | 68 | 104 |
| 2009 | 6 | 25 | 17 | 69 | 104 |
| 2009 | 6 | 29 | 16 | 67 | 105 |
| 2009 | 6 | 29 | 16 | 68 | 105 |
| 2009 | 7 | 8 | 17 | 69 | 105 |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 65 | 99 |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 66 | 99 |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 67 | 99 |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 68 | 99 |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 17 | 69 | 98 |
| 2010 | 6 | 28 | 15 | 64 | 98 |
| 2010 | 6 | 28 | 16 | 67 | 97 |
| 2010 | 6 | 28 | 16 | 68 | 97 |
| 2010 | 8 | 23 | 16 | 65 | 104 |

Table 2.3: Identification of Near-CP Intervals – Continued

| Year | Month | Day | Hour | Interval | Austin Temp. in F degrees |
|------|-------|-----|------|----------|---------------------------------|
| 2010 | 9 | 1 | 15 | 64 | 98 |
| 2010 | 9 | 1 | 16 | 65 | 98 |
| 2010 | 9 | 1 | 16 | 66 | 98 |
| 2010 | 9 | 1 | 16 | 67 | 98 |
| 2010 | 9 | 1 | 16 | 68 | 98 |
| 2010 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 67 | 97 |
| 2010 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 68 | 97 |
| 2011 | 6 | 17 | 16 | 67 | 104 |
| 2011 | 6 | 17 | 16 | 68 | 104 |
| 2011 | 6 | 17 | 17 | 69 | 104 |
| 2011 | 9 | 12 | 16 | 67 | 104 |
| 2011 | 9 | 12 | 16 | 68 | 104 |
| 2012 | 6 | 26 | 15 | 64 | 106 |
| 2012 | 6 | 26 | 16 | 65 | 107 |
| 2012 | 6 | 26 | 16 | 67 | 107 |
| 2012 | 6 | 26 | 16 | 68 | 107 |
| 2012 | 9 | 4 | 16 | 67 | 103 |
| 2013 | 6 | 28 | 16 | 67 | 102 |
| 2013 | 6 | 28 | 16 | 68 | 102 |
| 2013 | 6 | 28 | 17 | 69 | 104 |
| 2013 | 7 | 30 | 17 | 69 | 102 |
| 2013 | 8 | 6 | 17 | 69 | 104 |
| 2013 | 8 | 8 | 17 | 69 | 104 |
| 2013 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 66 | 99 |
| 2013 | 9 | 3 | 16 | 68 | 99 |
| 2013 | 9 | 3 | 17 | 69 | 101 |

Estimating the Impacts with an Historical Baseline Approach

Our first attempt to quantify the impacts of the demand response associated with 4CP events involves comparing actual load to a baseline constructed using historical data. The baseline was constructed by averaging the load levels exhibited by this group of consumers during the previous “middle 8 of 10” weekdays. Thus, the same baseline approach discussed elsewhere in this report was applied here. Weekend days were not included in the baseline calculations, since no CPs were set on weekends during the timeframe studied here. Days with a near-CP interval, as identified in the previous section, were also omitted from the baseline calculation. If a CP from a previous month was within the historical period used to construct the baseline, then it was removed. Calculations were conducted separately for each

TDU service area. The historical baseline was then scaled, so that the total energy up to 15:00 (3 p.m.) for the baseline matched the total energy consumed up to 15:00 on the CP day.

Figures 2.1 to 2.8 compare the actual aggregate system-wide load of consumers served at transmission voltage to the baselines during each CP in 2012 and 2013. The response appears to be prominent and consistent. The period of response is typically 2 or 3 hours, since consumers do not know exactly which interval may set the CP.

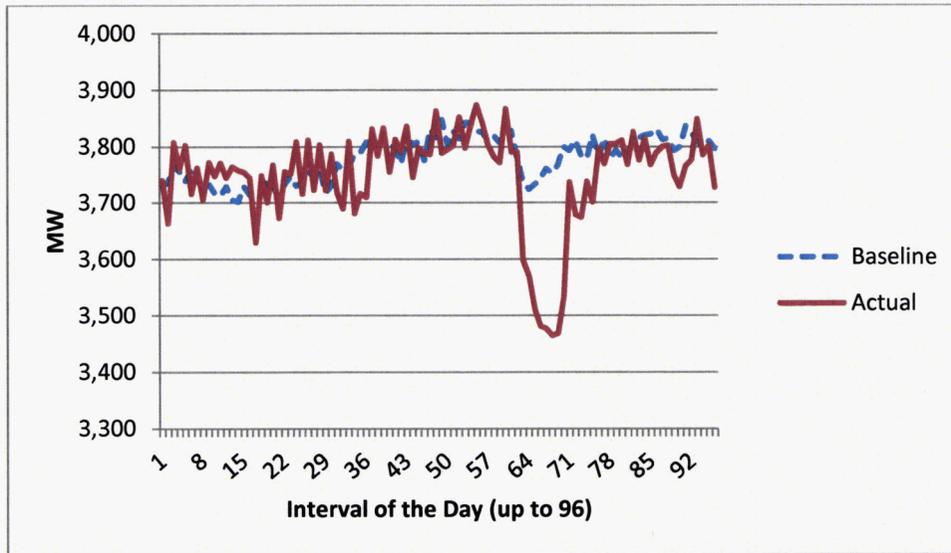


Figure 2.1: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on June 12, 2012, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

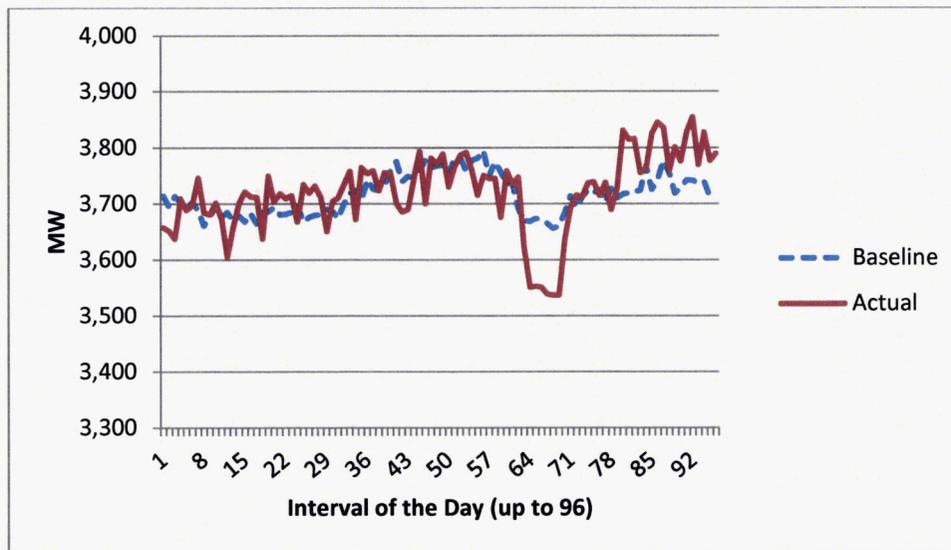


Figure 2.2: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on July 31, 2012, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

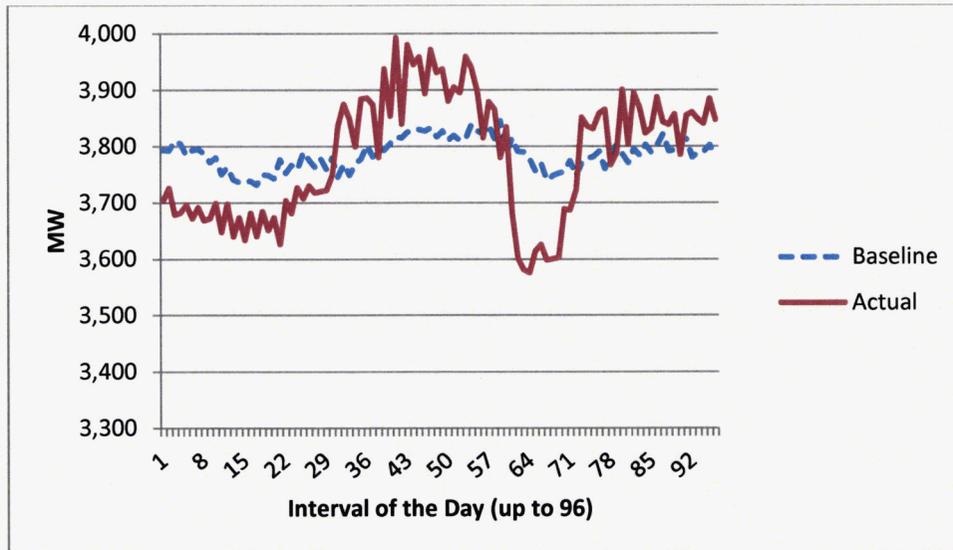


Figure 2.3: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on August 1, 2012, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

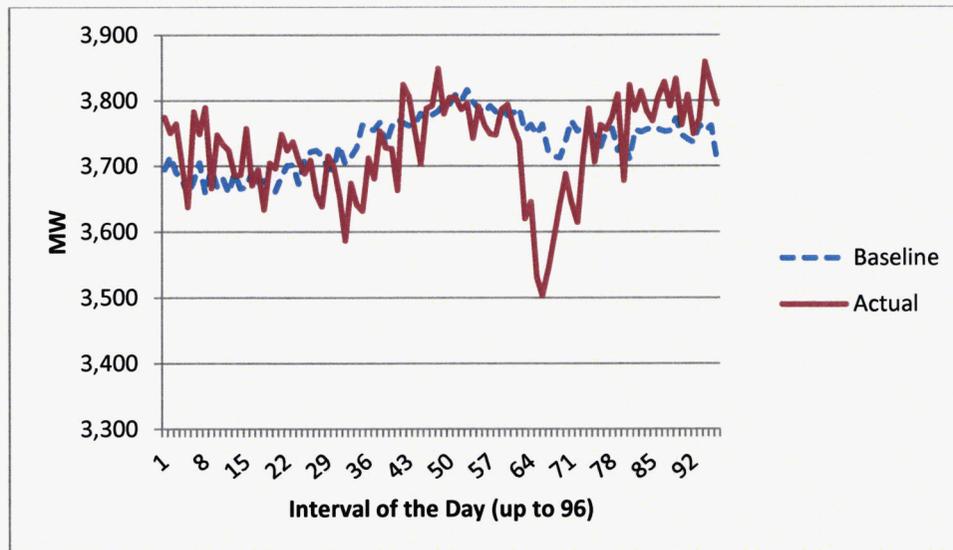


Figure 2.4: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on September 4, 2012, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

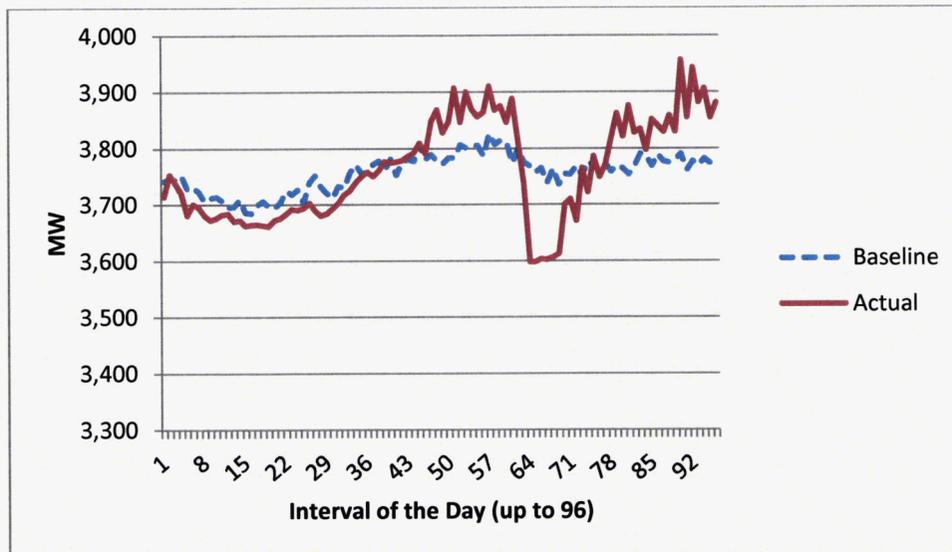


Figure 2.5: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on June 27, 2013, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

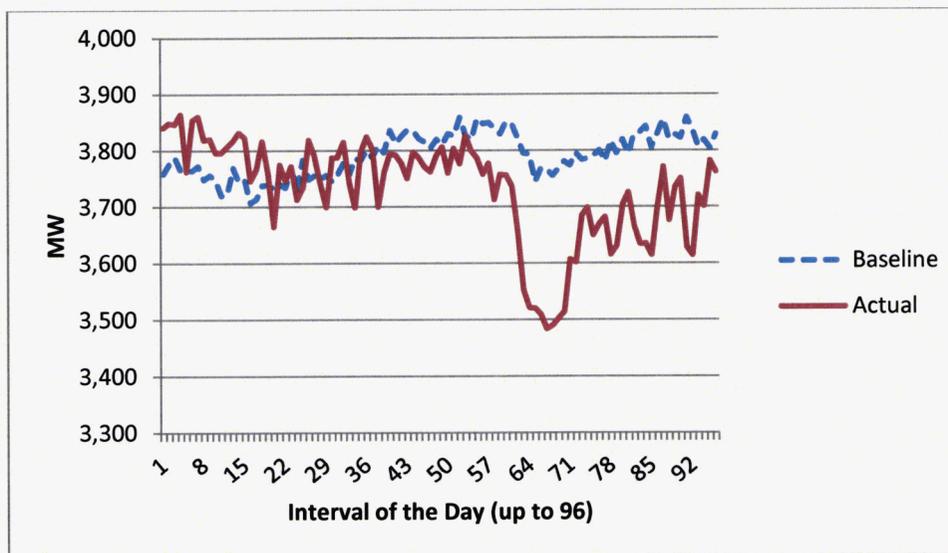


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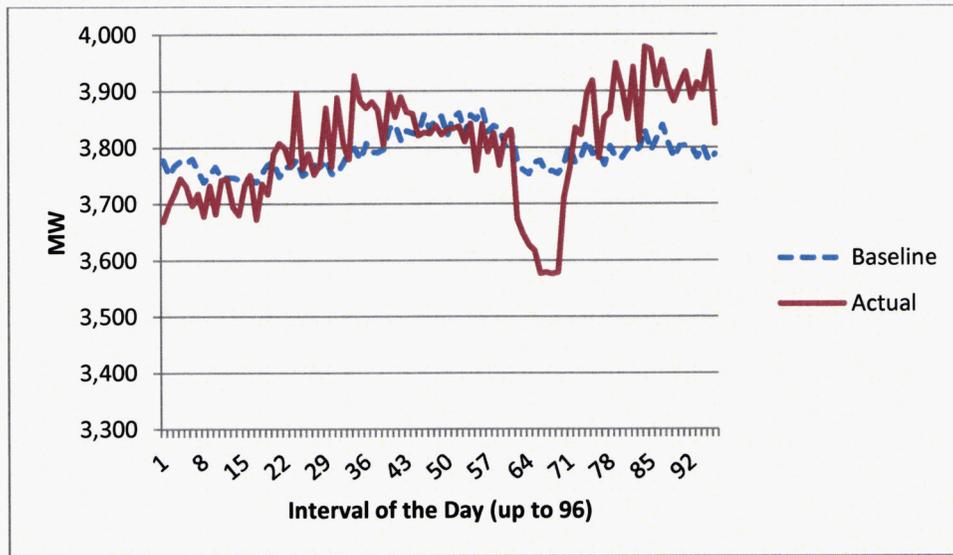


Figure 2.7: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on August 7, 2013, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

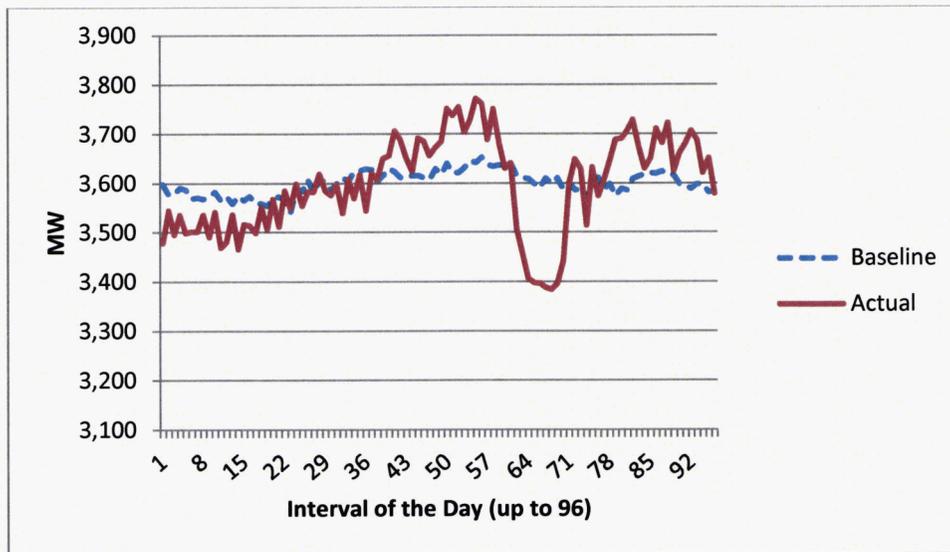


Figure 2.8: Energy Consumption (in kWh) by Transmission Voltage Customers on September 3, 2013, Contrasted against Baseline Energy

The estimated demand reduction during each of the CP events from 2007 through 2013 is provided in Table 2.4.

Table 2.4: Estimated Demand Reduction During CP Intervals

| Year | Month | Day | Interval | Demand Reduction in MW |
|------|-------|-----|----------|------------------------|
| 2007 | 6 | 19 | 16:45 | -18 |
| 2007 | 7 | 12 | 16:30 | 28 |
| 2007 | 8 | 13 | 15:30 | 206 |
| 2007 | 9 | 7 | 16:00 | 263 |
| 2008 | 6 | 16 | 16:45 | 72 |
| 2008 | 7 | 31 | 16:45 | 220 |
| 2008 | 8 | 4 | 17:00 | -116 |
| 2008 | 9 | 2 | 16:45 | 209 |
| 2009 | 6 | 25 | 16:15 | 111 |
| 2009 | 7 | 13 | 17:00 | 270 |
| 2009 | 8 | 5 | 16:00 | 167 |
| 2009 | 9 | 3 | 16:00 | 87 |
| 2010 | 6 | 21 | 16:45 | 87 |
| 2010 | 7 | 16 | 16:30 | 98 |
| 2010 | 8 | 23 | 16:00 | 294 |
| 2010 | 9 | 14 | 16:45 | 311 |
| 2011 | 6 | 15 | 17:00 | 264 |
| 2011 | 7 | 27 | 16:30 | 345 |
| 2011 | 8 | 3 | 17:00 | 230 |
| 2011 | 9 | 2 | 16:30 | 284 |
| 2012 | 6 | 26 | 16:30 | 238 |
| 2012 | 7 | 31 | 17:00 | 176 |
| 2012 | 8 | 1 | 17:00 | 178 |
| 2012 | 9 | 4 | 17:00 | 219 |
| 2013 | 6 | 27 | 17:00 | 304 |
| 2013 | 7 | 31 | 17:00 | 268 |
| 2013 | 8 | 7 | 16:45 | 268 |
| 2013 | 9 | 3 | 16:45 | 164 |

Response to transmission prices appear to be generally increasing over time. In recent years, consumers served at transmission voltage reduced their electricity purchases up to 4% during a summer CP, using an historical baseline calculation.

Where, within the ERCOT network, is the demand response to a 4CP event coming from? The two largest service areas account for over 80% of the demand reduction. The contributions from transmission voltage consumers in the Oncor and CenterPoint service areas were very similar. There was no noticeable demand response to 4CPs in the AEP-Texas North service area in 2013.

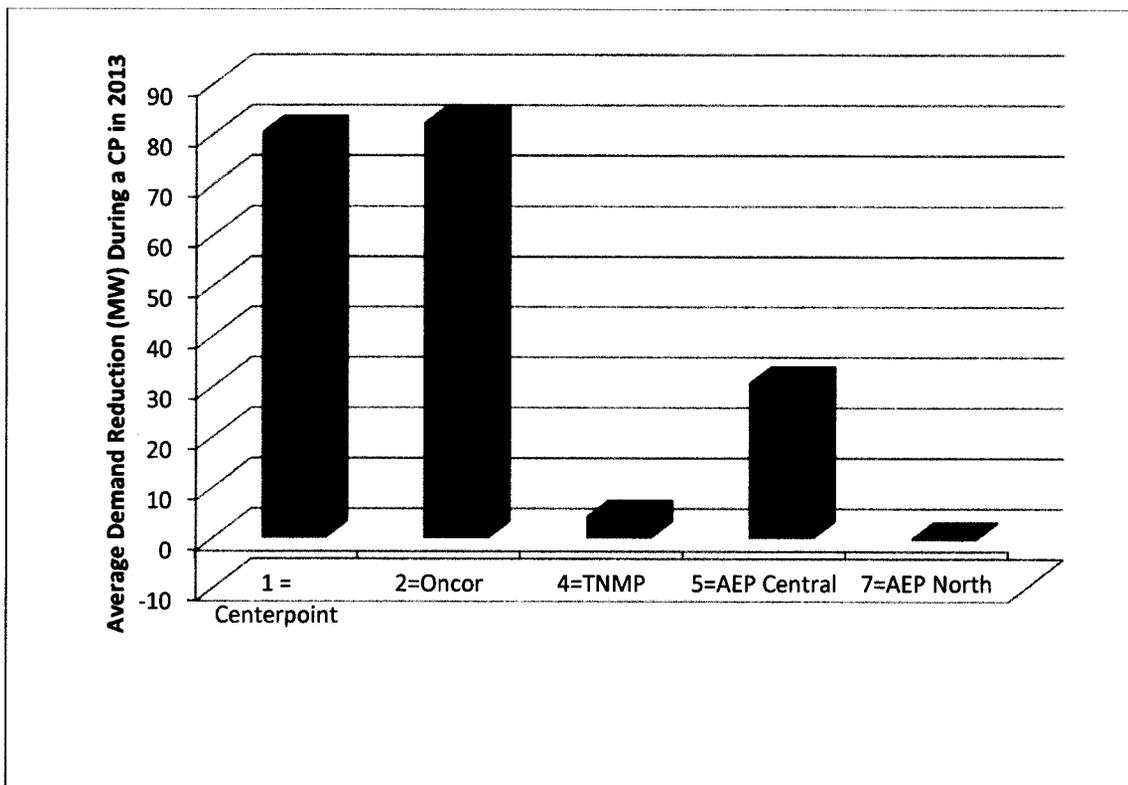


Figure 2.9: Distribution of the 4CP Response in 2013 by TDU Service Area

Regression Approach

A set of simple linear models was additionally used to detect whether the presence of an actual CP or *NearCP* had any detectable effect on the electricity consumption of energy consumers served at transmission voltage. This approach can better separate the effects of spikes in wholesale energy prices and local temperature from behavior designed to avoid the 4CPs.

Separate models were constructed for each TDU service area. The dependent variables represented the energy consumption of transmission voltage energy consumers, expressed in kWh per 15-minute interval. The explanatory variables were the real-time energy price (dollars per MWh), the presence of a CP (coded with a 1 if the interval was a CP and 0 otherwise), the *NearCP* variable discussed earlier (coded with a 1 if the interval had a high probability of setting CP and 0 otherwise), variables representing the month of the year and interval within the day to capture seasonal and diurnal factors affecting electricity use. Again, the variable *Interval61_62_63* represents the period from 3 p.m. to 3:45 p.m., while *Interval 64_65_66* covers the period from 3:45 p.m. to 4:30 p.m, five dummy variables representing year (year2008, year2009, year2011, year2012, year2013) to capture variation between years and one dummy variable “Ike” representing the widespread power outages due to hurricane Ike in 2008. The real time energy price (the same variable as was used in the logit model) was used to distinguish the response by consumers to a high market price of electricity generation from a 4CP-based transmission price. The temperature at a central location within each TDU service area was also used as a control variable. Data since the beginning of 2008 were used in the estimation, which treated the equations as a set in the estimation, applying Zellner’s method for seemingly unrelated regressors (SUR).

Regression results are provided in Table 2.3. On average, over the period since 2008 and controlling for other factors, a CP reduces demand among energy consumers served at transmission voltage in the Oncor service area by 79MW (the coefficient of 19830.8 kWh/Interval * 4 Intervals/Hour /1000 to convert from kW to MW). Response in the Oncor service area to a near-CP is about 35% as great (27.6 MW = 6903*4/1000). Response to a CP in the CenterPoint area is about 52 MW. Estimation of the response by CenterPoint consumers to a near-CP yielded an implausible estimate (a positive coefficient), and the variable was consequently dropped from the model. It is also interesting to note that the consumers taking service at transmission voltage within the Oncor service area are particularly responsive to real-time energy prices.

Table 2.5: Estimated Impacts of CP Events and Other Factors on Load (in kWh) of Customers Served at Transmission and Primary Voltages by TDU Service Area

| Variable or Statistic | CenterPoint Transmission Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) | | Oncor Transmission Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) | | TNMP Transmission Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) | | AEP-Texas Central Transmission Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) | | AEP-Texas North Transmission Voltage Consumers (kWh/Interval) | |
|--|---|---------|---|---------|--|---------|---|---------|---|---------|
| | Estimate | p-Value | Estimate | p-Value | Estimate | p-Value | Estimate | p-Value | Estimate | p-Value |
| R ² | 0.78 | | 0.36 | | 0.86 | | 0.77 | | 0.76 | |
| Intercept | 363677.3 | <.0001 | 350369.8 | <.0001 | 64856.54 | <.0001 | 88657.47 | <.0001 | 9992.432 | <.0001 |
| CP Interval | -15580.8 | <.0001 | -19830.8 | <.0001 | -1018.18 | 0.2368 | -6706.68 | <.0001 | 280.7897 | 0.0656 |
| NearCP_High Probability Interval | NA | NA | -6903.33 | 0.0205 | -770.56 | 0.1689 | -25.6753 | 0.9723 | | |
| Energy Price in Real-Time Market in Local Zone | -2.35895 | 0.0001 | -12.8803 | <.0001 | -0.088 | 0.6457 | -0.92722 | <.0001 | -0.47994 | <.0001 |
| June Dummy | 8043.149 | <.0001 | -20.5485 | 0.9819 | -11.0228 | 0.9509 | -609.731 | 0.0047 | -50.9359 | 0.1052 |
| July Dummy | 7978.235 | <.0001 | 468.9615 | 0.616 | 19.82816 | 0.9143 | 3502.168 | <.0001 | 235.5142 | <.0001 |
| August Dummy | 7001.718 | <.0001 | 8596.896 | <.0001 | 866.3201 | <.0001 | 2591.734 | <.0001 | 140.131 | <.0001 |
| Local Temperature (degrees F) | 188.0845 | <.0001 | -211.927 | <.0001 | -63.6615 | <.0001 | 205.8192 | <.0001 | 41.51656 | <.0001 |
| Interval61_62_63 Dummy | 2233.152 | <.0001 | 4527.598 | <.0001 | 407.4673 | 0.0056 | 615.9458 | 0.0008 | -8.70573 | 0.7372 |
| Interval64_65_66 Dummy | 619.8589 | 0.2465 | 535.0589 | 0.4777 | 170.1504 | 0.2459 | 89.50766 | 0.6238 | -10.0201 | 0.6993 |
| year2008 | 28673.35 | <.0001 | 10049.27 | <.0001 | -6497.35 | <.0001 | -9249.52 | <.0001 | -280.012 | 0.0002 |
| year2009 | 10694.27 | <.0001 | -17219 | <.0001 | -8421.09 | <.0001 | -14360.8 | <.0001 | -1576.02 | <.0001 |
| year2011 | 6297.305 | <.0001 | 13038.81 | <.0001 | 8284.497 | <.0001 | 7911.582 | <.0001 | -1260.18 | <.0001 |
| year2012 | 18258.21 | <.0001 | 13883.01 | <.0001 | 11891.87 | <.0001 | 7969.366 | <.0001 | 568.7932 | <.0001 |
| year2013 | 30939.03 | <.0001 | 31638.89 | <.0001 | 11704.42 | <.0001 | 7134.617 | <.0001 | 1350.582 | <.0001 |
| Ike | -183402 | <.0001 | NA | NA | -32601.1 | <.0001 | NA | NA | NA | NA |

A system-wide estimation was also conducted, as presented in Table 2.6. In this estimation, the loads of transmission voltage energy consumers in all service areas were combined. Temperature data for Austin – a central location within the ERCOT market – were used to construct a weather variable. A simple average of the prices in the North and Houston zones were used to control for the effects of changes in energy prices. The coefficients were estimated using ordinary least-squares (OLS).

Table 2.6: ERCOT-Wide Estimated Impacts of CP Events and Other Factors on Load (in kWh) of Customers Served at Transmission Voltage

| Variable or Statistic | Estimate | p-Value |
|--|-----------------|------------------|
| R ² | 0.75 | |
| Intercept | 992971.7 | <.0001 |
| CP Interval | -50259.8 | <.0001 |
| NearCP_High Probability Interval | -8884.02 | 0.0766 |
| Energy Price, Average of North and Houston Zones | -19.3721 | <.0001 |
| June Dummy | 5063.015 | 0.0007 |
| July Dummy | 12388.67 | <.0001 |
| August Dummy | 19965.19 | <.0001 |
| Austin Temperature (degrees F) | -77.0511 | 0.3379 |
| Interval61_62_63 Dummy | 9056.429 | <.0001 |
| Interval64_65_66 Dummy | 1770.888 | 0.1405 |
| year2008 | 17410.7 | <.0001 |
| year2009 | -40736.5 | <.0001 |
| year2011 | 45865.84 | <.0001 |
| year2012 | 61354.8 | <.0001 |
| year2013 | 90024.4 | <.0001 |
| Ike (for Hurricane Ike) | -257865 | <.0001 |

These modeling results suggest that a CP has resulted in about 201 MW of demand response (four times the coefficient on the variable for CP Interval) on average over the past 5 years, after controlling for the effects of weather and energy prices. A near-CP event prompts a demand response of about 36 MW. Since the historical baseline analysis suggests that this response is increasing over time, higher values than these five-year averages should be expected in the future.

Conclusions

The historical baseline and regression methods provide very similar results. An average of the impacts for the 4CPs in 2013 estimated using an historical baseline approach as reported on Table 2.2 yields about 251 MW. Results from the regression analysis suggest that a CP has resulted in about 201 MW of demand response on average over the past 5 years. In addition to this response from large industrial and institutional energy consumers, NOIE utility systems and some REP programs may also contribute demand reduction during 4CPs.

Chapter 3: The Response of NOIEs to Four Coincident Peak (4CP) Transmission Charges

Non-Opt-In Entities (NOIEs) have an incentive to reduce their consumers' usage similarly to the incentive faced by large industrial and institutional energy consumers, as discussed in the previous chapter. NOIEs are charged for transmission services based on their contribution to ERCOT's system-wide four coincident peaks (4CPs), i.e., the 15-minute intervals of highest demand on the ERCOT system in each of four summer months -- June, July, August, and September. These already significant costs have been increasing in recent years and will continue to rise over the next couple years, as the Competitive Renewable Energy Zone (CREZ) project costs are recovered.

Unfortunately, our efforts to provide independent demand reduction estimates proved unsuccessful. Because ERCOT does not maintain NOIE customer data, only total usage data for the NOIE systems was available. We found it difficult to detect the impacts of relatively-small demand response programs using aggregate system-wide data for the NOIEs. The historical baseline approach described in the previous chapter was applied to the NOIE-system data for over 70 NOIEs. Baselines were developed for each NOIE and the NOIE-specific demand reduction during 4CPs was estimated. The results suggested no systematic pattern of 4CP response. For the sum of all NOIEs, demand was higher than the historical baseline for two of the CPs in 2013 and lower than the baseline for the other two. For most other years, there was a similar absence of any pattern. Figure 3.1 displays the demand reduction (or, lack thereof) achieved each year, calculated against the historical baseline described in the previous chapter.

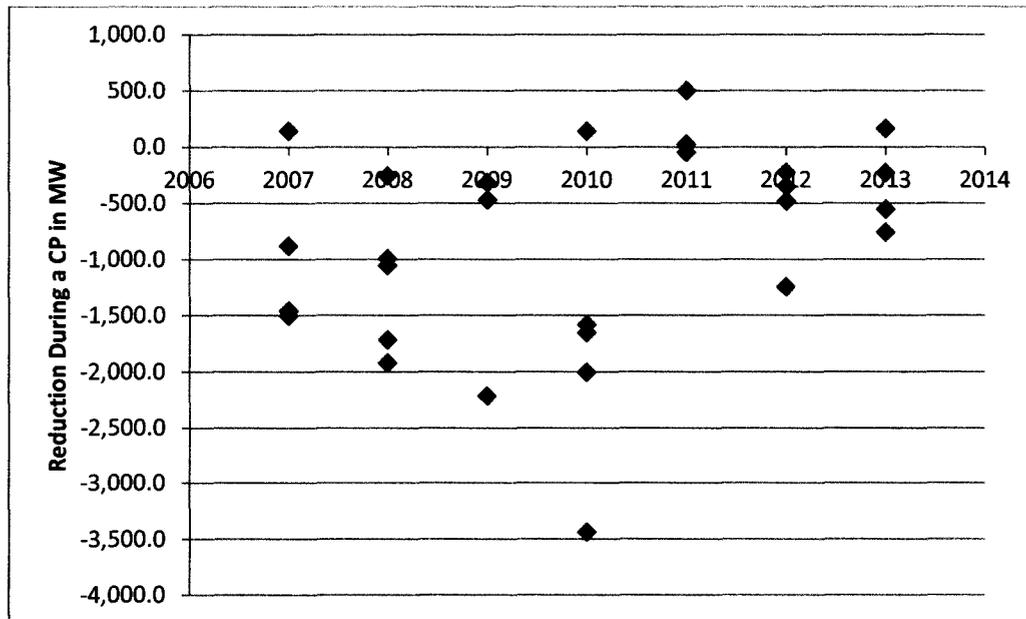


Figure 3.1: Aggregate Demand Reduction in MW of all NOIEs Relative to a 5-Day Adjusted Historical Baseline

A second attempt at an independent estimate of NOIE impacts from programs designed to reduce contributions to 4CPs focused on the two NOIEs that reported specific load control programs to ERCOT. Data for all other NOIEs were removed from the modeling. The results again were mixed, with both positive and negative estimates for peak demand reduction using both a 5-day historical baseline and a 10-baseline.

In summary, we have concluded that attempts to detect the impacts of NOIE-sponsored demand response programs using NOIE-system level data is too difficult and imprecise.

Our review of supplemental information provided by NOIEs with formal demand response programs suggests that they were very successful in predicting the timing of 4CPs in 2013 (although one of the NOIEs appears to have ended a direct load control deployment before the precise CP interval).

Chapter 4: RTP (Real Time Pricing) and BI (Block & Index)

General Description and Goal

A real-time pricing (RTP) rate provides customers with incentives to shift load from higher priced periods to lower priced periods. In the ERCOT market, wholesale electricity prices may change every 15 minutes of the day, and price spikes (extremely high price) may occur occasionally when the demand is high or generating capacity poses a constraint.

BI (Block & Index) pricing is a compromise between a fully indexed pricing and a fully fixed pricing. Under this purchasing strategy, buyers purchase part, or a “block,” of their energy at a fixed price. The remainder of their energy is purchased at real-time prices (e.g., zonal averages of locational marginal prices).⁶

The goal of this analysis is to quantify any load reductions during price spikes during the period from October 2010 to October 2013. This analysis is somewhat limited, because there were rather few price spikes in ERCOT’s wholesale market during this period.

Data Available

- Time Range:
 - October 15th, 2010 and October 15th, 2013. All customers who the REPs reported to have been served under a RTP or BI contract or program are included. Customers served by a NOIE under an analogous tariff or contract were not included.
- Customer demographic information:
 - To perform this analysis, the following information was obtained from ERCOT to each customer served under a RTP or BI contract or program:
 - Masked REP Code
 - Masked UIDESIID number
 - Profile Code: customer profile code
 - All of the data in a dataset of customers with Interval Data Recorders (IDRs) had a “BUSIDRRQ” code, all of the data in use have 1537 UIDESIIDs.
 - In a dataset of customers with 15-minute usage information collected with an Advanced Metering System (AMS), there were 11 profile types
 - Program start date
This date is used to delete those who started RTP program later than the trade date. In other words, only those who have program start date earlier than trade date are used.

⁶ <http://energysmart.enernoc.com/bid/287786/Block-and-Index-Pricing-Model-Explained>

Table 4.1: Profile Types

| Profile Type | # of UIDESIIDs |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| BUSHILF | 1944 |
| BUSHIPV | 1 |
| BUSLOLF | 1688 |
| BUSLOPV | 2 |
| BUSMEDLF | 5274 |
| BUSMEDPV | 1 |
| BUSNODEM | 2824 |
| BUSNOPV | 1 |
| BUSOGFLT | 1356 |
| RESHIWR | 48 |
| RESLOWR | 116 |

- Weather and Price Data:
 - In our modeling, we sought to control for the effects of temperature when estimating the response of these energy consumers to price spikes.
 - To enable us to test our modeling at a few different levels of geographic granularity, we collected weather data for four settlement zones: north region, south region, Houston region and west region.

We used Austin hourly weather data for an ERCOT-wide model run, given Austin’s central location in the ERCOT power region.

- Price Data:
 - For our ERCOT-wide model run, we used the North zone’s real time market 15-minute interval price (LMPz) to develop variables to represent price spikes. ERCOT north settlement zone is the largest region within the ERCOT market.
- Consumption Data:
 - 15-minute interval kWh consumption data for each customer with traditional IDR meter, one day for each row. All the customers in this dataset in use have a profile code of BUSIDRRQ.
 - 15-minute interval kWh consumption data for each customer with advanced meter, one day for each row. There are 11 profile types are in this dataset.

Methodologies

Regression method was used to estimate load reduction of RTP customers with AMS customers. Two methods were used to estimate load reduction of RTP customers with IDR meters: regression analysis and ERCOT's ERS "8-of-10" baseline methodology.

1. Regression Analysis

Regression analysis is used to detect the potential relation between load reduction and price spike. One advantage for regression analysis is that it can control the weather factor and focus solely on the load reduction caused by price spike to some extent. For both IDR and AMS dataset, we applied the following regression model equation for each profile type.

We first estimated a regression model on an ERCOT-wide basis, using:

$$\text{Consumption} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 * \text{austincdh} + \beta_2 * \text{austinhdh} + \beta_3 * \text{mon} + \beta_4 * \text{tue} + \beta_5 * \text{wed} + \beta_6 * \text{thu} + \beta_7 * \text{fri} + \beta_8 * \text{sat} + \beta_9 * \text{northspike300} + \beta_{10} * \text{northspike1000} + \beta_{11} * \text{northspike3000} + \beta_{12} * \text{year2011} + \beta_{13} * \text{year2012} + \beta_{14} * \text{year2013};$$

In the equation above:

- Consumption: average 15-minute kWh consumption for each profile code
- austincdh: Austin cooling degree hours. Balance point is set as 65F. $\text{austincdh} = \max(\text{Austin temperature at that hour} - 65, 0)$.
- austinhdh: Austin heating degree hours. Balance point is set as 65F. $\text{austinhdh} = \max(65 - \text{Austin temperature at that hour}, 0)$.
- mon-sat: A set of dummy variables to control for day-of-week factor. For example, $\text{mon} = 1$ if that day is Monday, otherwise $\text{mon} = 0$. Other variables are designed in the similar manner.
- northspike300: dummy variable indicating price spike. If price in north region > 300 , then $\text{northspike300} = 1$, otherwise $\text{northspike300} = 0$.
- northspike1000: dummy variable indicating high price spike. If price in north region > 1000 , then $\text{northspike1000} = 1$, otherwise $\text{northspike1000} = 0$.
- northspike3000: dummy variable indicating extreme price spike. If price in north region > 3000 , then $\text{northspike3000} = 1$, otherwise $\text{northspike3000} = 0$.
- year2011, year2012, and year2013: dummy variables indicating year, with year 2010 as baseline year.

Due to considerable heterogeneity in this group and varying dates at which customers enrolled in these programs (more than 80% of the customers joined the RTP/BI program during the three-year period), these three dummy variables can explain a great deal of variation of average consumption change over the year.

2. ERCOT ERS “8-of10” Baseline Methodology

The coefficients of northspike, northspike1000 and northspike300 will show a rough picture of how customers reduce their energy usage gradually as prices increase.

Since there is only one profile type in the IDR dataset, the model is run only once. There are 11 profile codes in the AMS (advanced meters) dataset, the model is run 11 times for that dataset consequently.

A disadvantage of this ERCOT-wide estimation is that Austin weather data may not match the weather actually experienced by the consumer, given the state’s large size and climatological diversity. And the North zone’s wholesale prices may not exactly match the prices faced by RTP and BI customers in the Houston, South, and West settlement zones.

This led us to also estimate models for various settlement zones within ERCOT. OncorTNMP Region (Dallas-Fort Worth area), CenterPoint Region (Houston area), AEP Central Region (South area) and AEP North (West area). We used corresponding weather data and real-time 15-minute price data, running similar models mentioned above. We use customers’ zip code to match their service area.

Results and Interpretation

The ERCOT-wide regression results for traditional meter is as follows:

Table 4.2: Table Results for IDR (Traditional Meter) Dataset

| Parameter | Estimate | Approx |
|-----------|----------|---------|
| | | P-Value |
| Intercept | 263.6523 | <.0001 |
| cdh | 2.147348 | <.0001 |
| hdh | -0.97035 | <.0001 |
| mon | 16.95715 | <.0001 |
| tue | 22.68545 | <.0001 |
| wed | 23.4731 | <.0001 |
| thu | 25.31967 | <.0001 |
| fri | 24.65566 | <.0001 |
| sat | 7.279482 | <.0001 |
| spike300 | -11.6215 | <.0001 |
| spike1000 | -3.70562 | 0.3119 |
| spike3000 | -8.86777 | 0.0934 |
| year2011 | 32.67268 | <.0001 |
| year2012 | 47.59334 | <.0001 |
| year2013 | 121.9359 | <.0001 |

As we can see from the result, the coefficients of spike300, spike1000 and spike3000 show us the 15-minute kWh usage reduction in a price spike. Based on the coefficients above, we can estimate the MW load reduction for different price spikes:

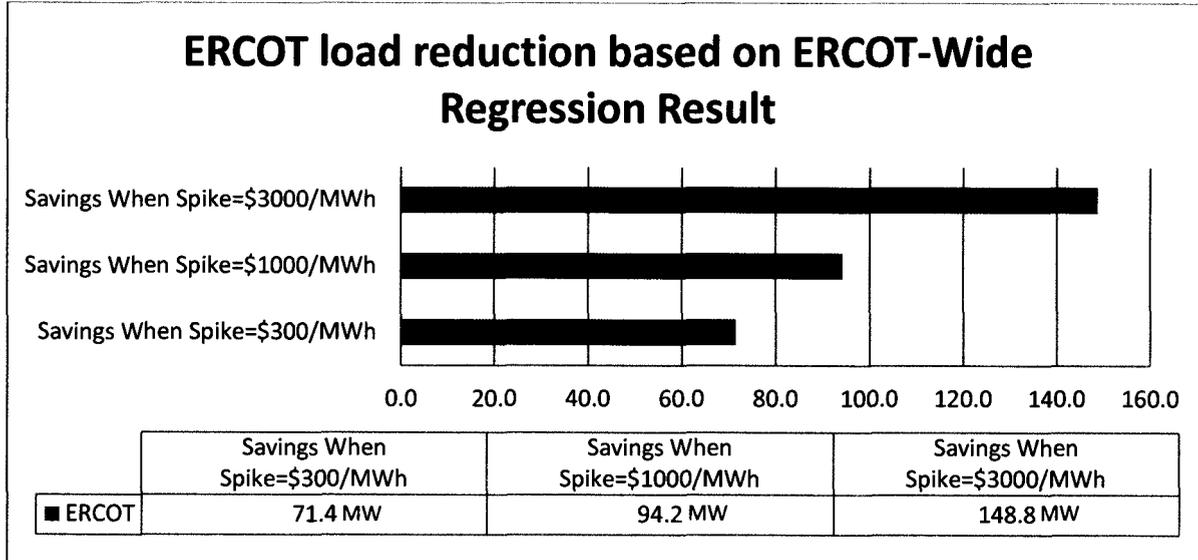


Figure 4.1: ERCOT Load Reduction Based on ERCOT-Wide Regression Results

As we can see from the Figure 4.1, we can get an overall load reduction of 71.4MW if the price spike is set at \$300/MWh. We can get an overall load reduction of 94.2MW if the price spike is set at \$1000/MWh. We can get an overall load reduction of 148.8MW if the price spike is set at \$3000/MWh.

The region-based regression results for IDR meters are presented in Table 4.3.:

Table 4.3: Region-Based Regression Results for IDR Meters

| Parameter | OncorTNMP | Adjusted | CenterPoint | Adjusted | AEPCentral | Adjusted | AEPNorth | Adjusted |
|----------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|----------|
| | Estimate | P-value | Estimate | P-value | Estimate | P-value | Estimate | P-value |
| R² | 0.3859 | | 0.7061 | | 0.6329 | | 0.7368 | |
| intercept | 272.8794 | <.0001 | 331.0149 | <.0001 | 161.8939 | <.0001 | 159.1689 | <.0001 |
| cdh | 2.02035 | <.0001 | 3.5562 | <.0001 | 3.816527 | <.0001 | 1.090409 | <.0001 |
| hdh | -0.11518 | <.0001 | -1.22374 | <.0001 | 0.008857 | 0.8406 | -1.10035 | <.0001 |
| mon | 21.43919 | <.0001 | 23.46694 | <.0001 | 15.50464 | <.0001 | 1.098698 | 0.0618 |
| tue | 33.41428 | <.0001 | 26.77246 | <.0001 | 21.44107 | <.0001 | 0.039425 | 0.9467 |
| wed | 37.67381 | <.0001 | 24.89043 | <.0001 | 22.52676 | <.0001 | 2.179524 | 0.0002 |
| thu | 41.25911 | <.0001 | 25.56702 | <.0001 | 20.00804 | <.0001 | 2.370597 | <.0001 |
| fri | 38.07965 | <.0001 | 25.96479 | <.0001 | 21.31024 | <.0001 | 3.725477 | <.0001 |
| sat | 11.65019 | <.0001 | 6.557132 | <.0001 | 12.14564 | <.0001 | 0.883711 | 0.1335 |
| spike300 | -13.5334 | <.0001 | -19.8066 | <.0001 | -14.1144 | 0.0003 | -4.51961 | 0.0161 |
| spike1000 | -0.81206 | 0.8698 | 2.401403 | 0.5578 | 1.162505 | 0.871 | -6.74183 | 0.1953 |
| spike3000 | -1.90622 | 0.7887 | -8.86314 | 0.1485 | -26.1713 | 0.0181 | -48.525 | <.0001 |
| year2011 | -2.06366 | 0.0002 | -26.1882 | <.0001 | -69.5993 | <.0001 | 194.3828 | <.0001 |
| year2012 | 14.58787 | <.0001 | 1.017165 | 0.0364 | -64.0176 | <.0001 | 209.8581 | <.0001 |
| year2013 | 46.1671 | <.0001 | 80.18717 | <.0001 | 119.2617 | <.0001 | 320.6365 | <.0001 |

As we can see from the result, the coefficients of spike300, spike1000 and spike3000 show us the 15-minute kWh usage reduction in a price spike. Based on the coefficients in Table 4.3, we can estimate the MW load reduction for different price spikes in four areas:

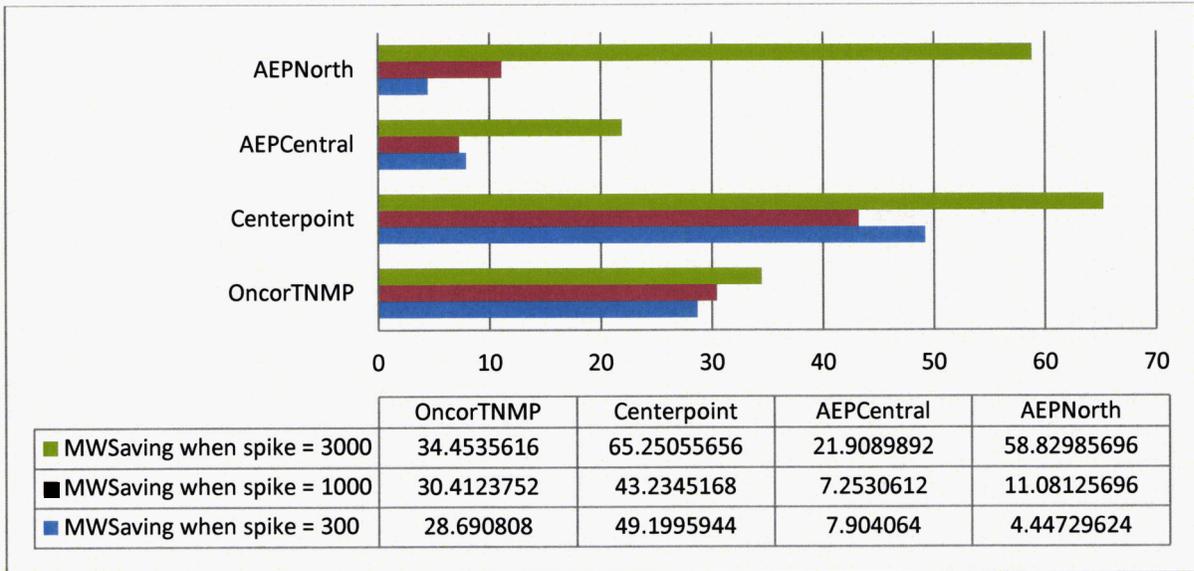


Figure 4.2: Load Reduction (MW) By Region

The Overall load reduction calculated by summarizing four areas is graphed as shown in Figure 4.3:

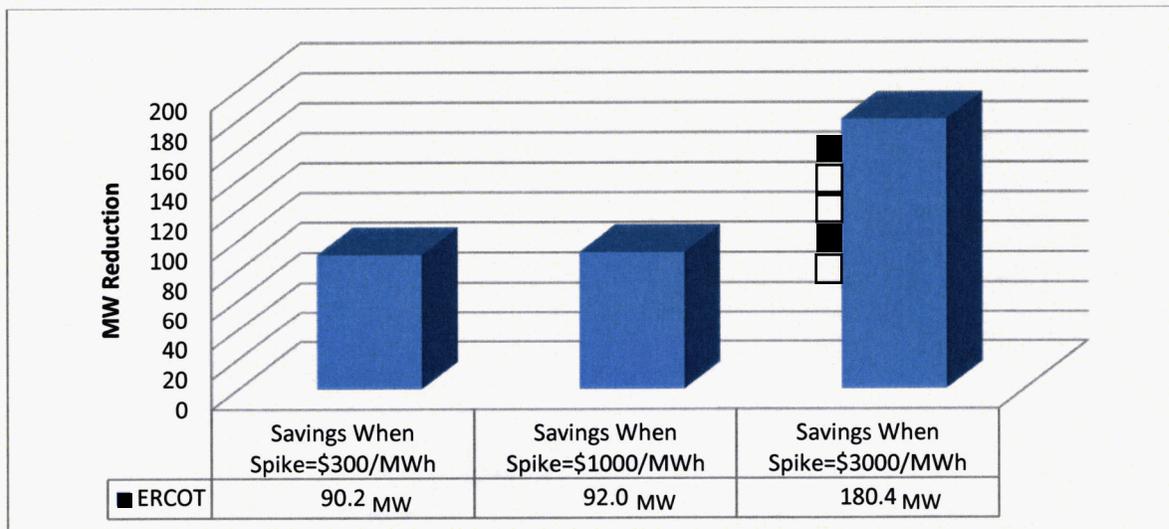


Figure 4.3: ERCOT Load Reduction Based on 4 Areas: Regression Results

Using this approach, we can get an overall load reduction of 90.24MW if the price spike is set at \$300/MWh. We can get an overall load reduction of 91.98MW if the price spike is set at \$1000/MWh. We can get an overall load reduction of 180.44MW if the price spike is set at \$3000/MWh.

An alternative ERCOT ERS “8-of-10” baseline methodology was also adopted.

Since this method is event-based, we set intervals with north region price higher than \$3,000/MWh as events. During Oct.15th, 2010 – Oct.15th, 2013, there were 70 events (intervals) in total. After using ERCOT’s ERS “8-of-10” baseline methodology, the results are on Table 4.4 below:

Table 4.4: ERCOT ERS “8-of-10” Baseline Methodolgy Procedure and Results

| Year | Month | Day | IntervalDuration | MW Savings | #Of Customers In Use |
|------|-------|-----|------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 2011 | 3 | 3 | 76 | -3.00 | 292 |
| 2011 | 6 | 27 | 63 | 0.86 | 374 |
| 2011 | 8 | 1 | 60 | -10.29 | 380 |
| 2011 | 8 | 2 | 63-68 | -0.46 | 380 |
| 2011 | 8 | 3 | 61-70 | 10.30 | 380 |
| 2011 | 8 | 4 | 55-65 | 30.20 | 380 |
| 2011 | 8 | 5 | 61-68 | 7.48 | 380 |
| 2011 | 8 | 23 | 64,65,67,68 | -2.76 | 382 |
| 2011 | 8 | 24 | 57-67 | 28.72 | 383 |
| 2013 | 4 | 5 | 28 | 181.88 | 1192 |
| 2013 | 9 | 3 | 67 | 90.09 | 1531 |

Note that Feb 2nd, 2011 price spike event was deleted due to overlapping ERCOT EEA and ERS deployment.

As we can see from the results in Table 4.4, load savings vary by a great deal, ranging from -10MW to 182MW. Thus, some of the events with high levels of estimated demand reduction as estimated with this historical baseline approach are consistent with the 148.75 MW of demand reduction estimated with a regression approach on ERCOT-wide basis. And we can also see that more than 1,200 customers joined the program gradually during the less-than-3-year period, also partly explained the variations in this part of result.

Further Analysis - Breakdown Analysis by Customer Size

Due to significant heterogeneity in customer size and variation in program joining dates (and correlation between these, as several large customers joined late in the analysis period), Frontier performed an additional analysis in which we split RTP program participants into two groups by size. A simple overall 15-minute average consumption was used as the criterion to group customers by size. Customers consuming more than 5000kWh in 15-minute intervals went into the large customers group, while the rest were placed in a “small” customer group.

Large Customers

In the RTP traditional meter (IDR) dataset group, only 31 of the 1537 customers belong to the large customer group. Among these 31 customers, 27 of them joined the respective RTP/BI rate offerings after April 2012. If price spike event threshold is set as \$3,000/kWh, as we can see from Table 4.4, only 2 events occurred after April 2012. Regression is not appropriate in this case due to too few price spikes. Therefore, Frontier used the ‘middle 8-of-10 days’ baseline method to calculate load reduction for the large customer group for price spike events on April, 5th and September, 3rd 2013.

Calculation Procedures and Results

Using the same “8-of-10” baseline methodology applied to ERCOT’s ERS program, the load reduction estimates for these two events contributed by this group are presented in Table 4.5.

Table 4.5 ERCOT ERS “8-of-10” Baseline Methodology Procedure and Results for Bigger-Size Group

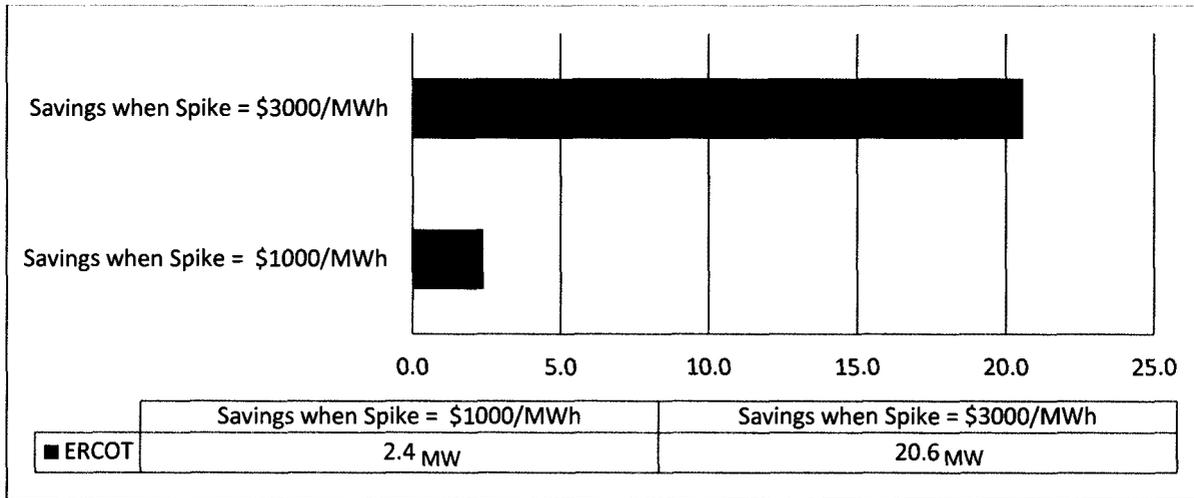
| Date | Interval | MW Savings | # Of Customers In Use |
|----------|----------|------------|-----------------------|
| 4/5/2013 | 28 | 133.67 | 24 |
| 9/3/2013 | 67 | 87.06 | 31 |

As we can see from Table 4.5, these 31 customers alone contributed load reductions of 134 MW and 87 MW respectively during these 2 events, while the overall customers (1537 customers): these load reductions represented 74 and 97 percent, respectively, of total load shed for these 2 events (totals of 182 MW and 90 MW load reductions, as shown in Table 4.4. For these two events, the large customers contributed most of the load reduction.

Smaller Customers

Frontier applied regression analysis for the smaller customers group to estimate their load reduction. Since smaller customers tend to be less sensitive to price signals, some of them may not respond until the price is higher. Based on this assumption, we removed the spike300 variable from this analysis, leaving only the two price spikes dummy variables: spike1000 and spike3000. The regression-based load reduction estimates for the smaller- customers group by region are as follows:

Figure 4.6: Smaller-Size Customer Group Load Reduction Based on 4 Areas Regression Results



As shown in Figure 4.4, although the RTP rate participants in the smaller customers group provide about 21 MW of load reduction when prices spike to \$3000/MWh. Although they account for more than 95% of the customers in RTP rate programs, they only contribute between 15 and 25 percent of total load reduction (as compared to the 87 and 134 MW provided by the large customers to the two events evaluated in Table 4.5).

Results

This analysis shows that the smaller customers make small contributions, individually, to overall load reduction by RTP rate program participants during price spikes. Most of the load reduction is driven by large customers. Overall, the results of this analysis are consistent with the observations from the original analysis: it shows load shed on the order of 155 MW in the largest event (134 MW from large customers plus 21 MW from smaller customers according to the regression analysis), a result similar to the 148 MW reported in Figure 4.1. These two results are also generally consistent with the 8-of-10 baseline methodology results for overall ERCOT-wide data provided in Table 4.4. Since most of the larger customers joined the RTP/BI program during the past 2 years and only experienced 2 or less price spikes, Frontier believes it is reasonable to conclude that the findings for the most recent events are the most representative of the load reduction capacity in RTP rate programs for the future.

Results for AMS (Advanced Meter) Dataset

Unlike traditional meter users, advanced meter users consume relatively small amount of energy. Although there are some significant load reductions for most profile type groups, the overall load reduction for this dataset is trivial compared with IDR group. The preliminary results are summarized in Table 4.7.

Table 4.7: Results for AMS (Advanced Meter) Dataset

| Profile Type | Spike300 Coefficient | # of Individuals | MWSavings |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| BUSHILF | -0.9434 | 1944 | 7.335878 |
| BUSHIPV | -1.8511 | 1 | 0.007404 |
| BUSLOLF | 0.5505 | 1688 | -3.71698 |
| BUSLOPV | -0.2773 | 2 | 0.002218 |
| BUSMEDLF | 0.2811 | 5274 | -5.93009 |
| BUSMEDPV | -0.0415 | 1 | 0.000166 |
| BUSNODEM | -0.061 | 2824 | 0.689056 |
| BUSNODPV | -0.1589 | 1 | 0.000636 |
| BUSOGFLT | -0.6726 | 1356 | 3.648182 |
| RESHIWR | -0.341 | 48 | 0.065472 |
| RESLOWR | 0.1507 | 116 | -0.06992 |
| Summary | NA | 13255 | 2.032027 |

As we can see from the table above, the overall load reduction for this group is around 2MW. The result is relatively small compared with the IDR group.

Attachment JZ-5

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**Four-CP Response in ERCOT
Competitive Area
2009 - 2014**

Carl L Raish

DSWG – March 9, 2015

4 CP Response Methodology

- Analysis limited to ESIDs in competitive ERCOT areas with 'BUSIDRRQ' profile types
 - Transmission charges are based on ESID-specific load during CP intervals
 - ESIDs classified by connection at transmission or distribution voltage level
 - Distribution ESIDs were classified based on weather sensitivity
- Classified days as CP Days, Near-CP Days and Non-CP Days
 - Near-CP days
 - Base-lined transmission total load for all summer weekdays using the 20 days nearest in time (before and after) excluding CP days and holidays
 - Applied Day-of-Adjustment factor to baseline
 - Days with at least 100 MW reduction for Hour-ending 5:00 PM were classified as near CP days – found 69 Near-Peak days between 2009 - 2014
 - Non-CP days were all remaining non-holiday weekdays (June 1 – Sep 30)
- Classified ESIDs based on Weather Sensitivity and Load Factor
 - Weather sensitivity (R^2 for week-day use vs average temperature ≥ 0.6)
 - Load Factor based on week-day afternoon usage (1:00 PM – 6:00 PM)
 - High LF > 0.85
 - Medium LF > 0.60
 - Low LF ≤ 0.60

4 CP Response Type Classification

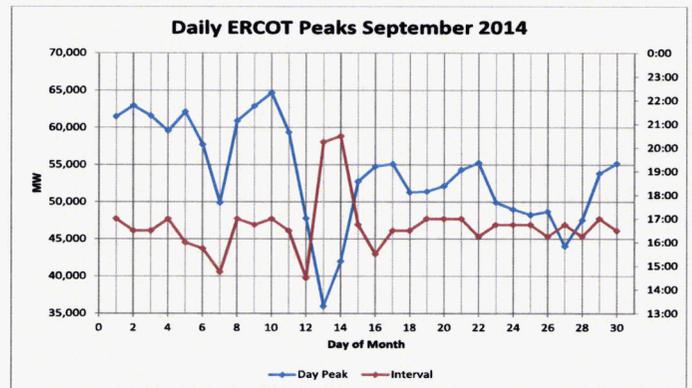
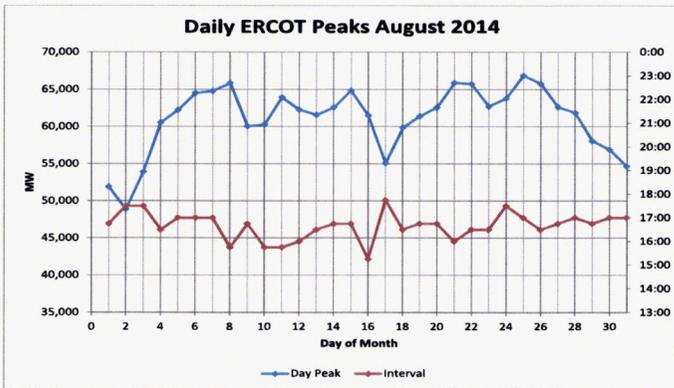
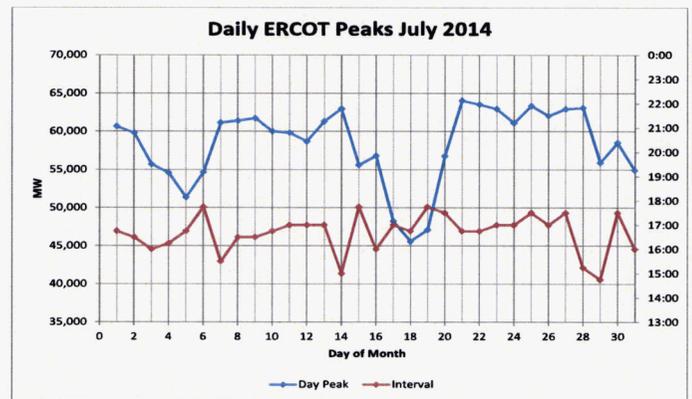
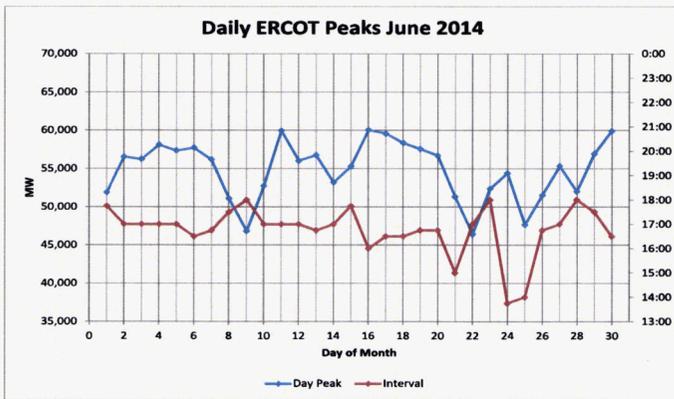
- **All ESIDs subject to 4-CP charges were base-lined**
 - Non-weather sensitive: 20 Non-CP days closest in time (before and after)
 - Weather sensitive using regression baseline
 - Day-of-adjustment factor from midnight to 3:00 PM was applied to baseline
- **Used baselines to calculate hour-ending 5:00 pm CP and Near-CP reductions (MW and percent) for three years closest to the analysis year (40 – 48 days of possible reductions)**
 - Usually used the analysis year, the year before and the year after
 - If the frequency and magnitude of MW17 reductions on CP and Near-CP days met thresholds the ESID was classified as 4-CP responder
 - If not, just the analysis year and year after were examined
 - This was done to improve the classification of ESIDs that started responding to 4-CP during the analysis year)
- **ESIDs classified as responders were also examined for usage patterns indicating ‘day-use’ reduction for the 9:00 am – 4:00 pm time period on CP- and Near-CP days.**
- **Based on the frequency and magnitude of ‘day-use’ reductions ESIDs were classified as reducing or not reducing ‘day-use’ on CP- and Near-CP days.**

Quantifying 4-CP and Near-CP Reductions

- ESIIIDs already classified as responders were used in the calculation for a day if they reduced by more than the lesser of 10% or the ESIIID's average reduction determined during the classification for the hour-ending 5:00 PM
- ESIIIDs with a lower reduction or ESIIIDs already classified as non-responders were not part of the reduction calculation.
- If the ESIIID was classified as a peak responder, a scalar day-of-adjustment was applied to the baseline for calculating the load reduction for the CP/Near-CP day.
- No scalar adjustment was applied to ESIIIDs previously classified as having 'day-use' response.
- The methodology was modified from last year to narrow in on response from responding ESIIIDs and to more effectively remove the impact of non-responding ESIIIDs from reduction calculations.

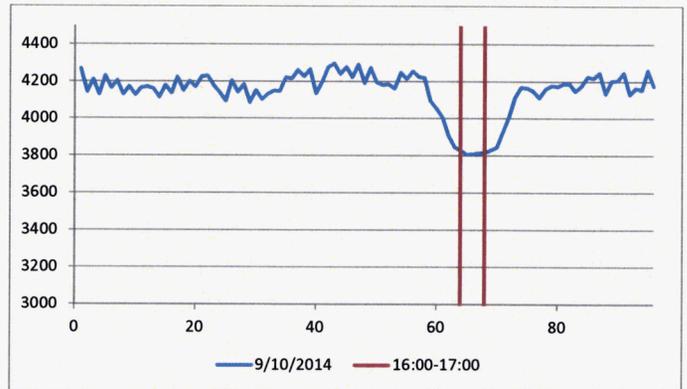
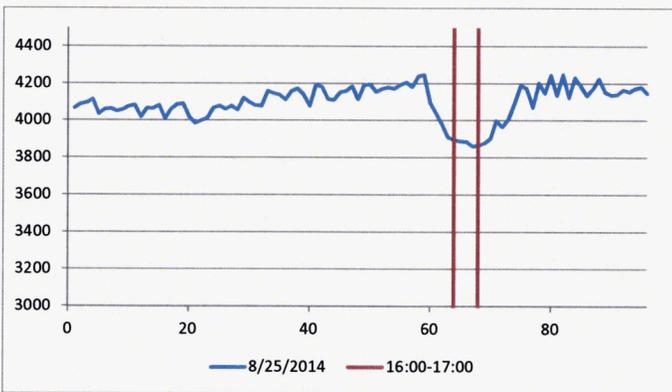
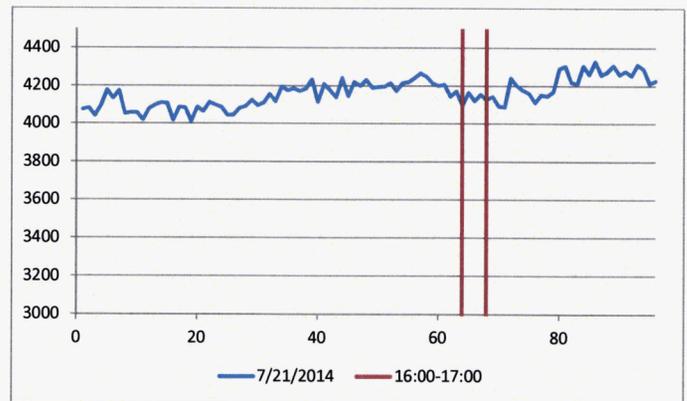
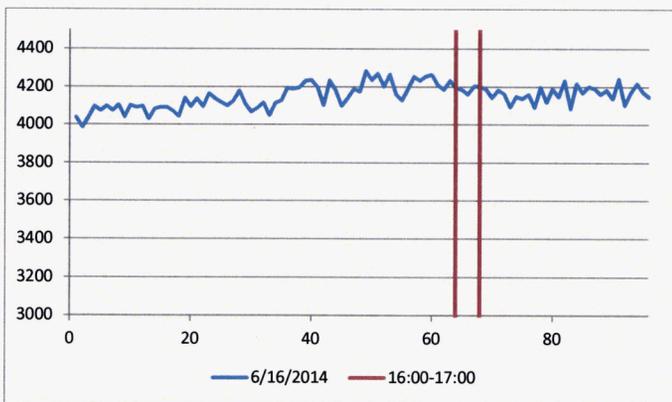
ERCOT Daily Peaks June – September 2014

Examined ERCOT Load daily peaks to determine possible Near-CP days



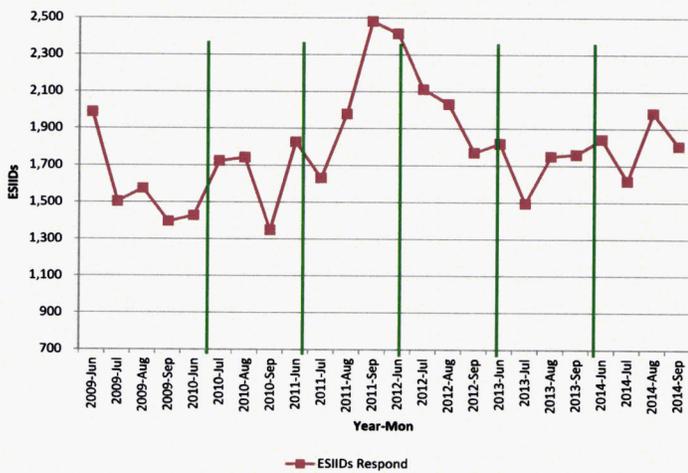
Total Load - Transmission Connected ESIIDs - 2014

Examined Transmission ESIID Load to Identify Near-CP days

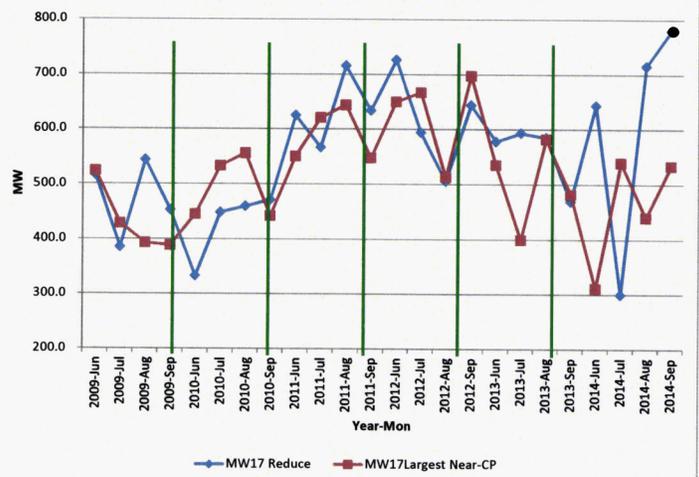


Hour Ending 17:00 Response on 4 CP Days 2009 - 2014

ESIIDs with 4-CP Reductions 2009 - 2014



4-CP Day MW17 Reductions 2009 - 2014



| | 2009-Jun | 2009-Jul | 2009-Aug | 2009-Sep | 2010-Jun | 2010-Jul | 2010-Aug | 2010-Sep | 2011-Jun | 2011-Jul | 2011-Aug | 2011-Sep |
|-------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| MW-17 | 516.4 | 385.1 | 544.0 | 452.6 | 332.3 | 448.5 | 459.5 | 471.5 | 624.7 | 566.8 | 715.5 | 633.5 |
| Largest Near CP17 | 389.6 | 336.7 | 392.8 | 388.6 | 444.8 | 533.5 | 556.4 | 442.1 | 550.8 | 620.7 | 643.7 | 547.6 |
| MW-CP-Int | 524.3 | 428.1 | 408.1 | 398.5 | 591.1 | 564.5 | 634.2 | 553.3 | 672.5 | 583.4 | 495.3 | 527.6 |
| ESIIDs | 1,988 | 1,504 | 1,575 | 1,396 | 1,427 | 1,724 | 1,743 | 1,349 | 1,827 | 1,977 | 2,480 | 1,737 |
| | 2012-Jun | 2012-Jul | 2012-Aug | 2012-Sep | 2013-Jun | 2013-Jul | 2013-Aug | 2013-Sep | 2014-Jun | 2014-Jul | 2014-Aug | 2014-Sep |
| MW-17 | 726.1 | 594.0 | 505.6 | 643.7 | 578.1 | 593.4 | 585.1 | 468.9 | 643.1 | 299.2 | 715.2 | 779.6 |
| Largest Near CP17 | 649.4 | 667.1 | 513.1 | 697.8 | 535.5 | 399.1 | 582.8 | 482.1 | 311.0 | 540.0 | 439.9 | 534.0 |
| MW-CP-Int | 672.5 | 583.4 | 495.3 | 527.6 | 545.9 | 589.0 | 566.0 | 425.8 | 211.2 | 258.7 | 633.1 | 750.6 |
| ESIIDs | 2,413 | 2,112 | 2,031 | 1,770 | 1,819 | 1,495 | 1,751 | 1,761 | 1,842 | 1,617 | 1,983 | 1,806 |

4 CP 15-Minute Response 2009 - 2014

| CP Date | CP Time | Reduce MW | Near-CP Date | Near-CP Time | Reduce MW | CP Date | CP Time | Reduce MW | Near-CP Date | Near-CP Time | Reduce MW |
|-----------|---------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| 6/25/2009 | 16:15 | 558.8 | 6/4/2009 | 17:00 | 348.2 | 6/26/2012 | 16:30 | 725.2 | 6/11/2012 | 16:30 | 532.6 |
| 7/13/2009 | 17:00 | 394.5 | 6/12/2009 | 17:00 | 349.2 | 7/31/2012 | 17:00 | 599.6 | 6/25/2012 | 17:00 | 641.7 |
| 8/5/2009 | 16:00 | 486.7 | 6/16/2009 | 17:00 | 407.8 | 8/1/2012 | 17:00 | 526.7 | 7/20/2012 | 16:00 | 489.1 |
| 9/3/2009 | 16:00 | 401.7 | 6/24/2009 | 16:30 | 535.0 | 9/5/2012 | 17:00 | 655.6 | 7/30/2012 | 16:45 | 665.7 |
| | | | 7/8/2009 | 16:45 | 397.0 | | | | 8/2/2012 | 16:45 | 518.1 |
| | | | 7/10/2009 | 16:45 | 402.2 | | | | 9/4/2012 | 16:45 | 549.0 |
| | | | 7/17/2009 | 16:45 | 403.1 | | | | 9/6/2012 | 17:00 | 683.6 |
| | | | 7/31/2009 | 16:00 | 377.7 | | | | 9/7/2012 | 16:30 | 694.6 |
| | | | 8/4/2009 | 17:00 | 405.7 | | | | 9/28/2012 | 14:30 | 171.2 |
| | | | 8/6/2009 | 17:00 | 333.7 | | | | | | |
| | | | 9/2/2009 | 17:00 | 416.5 | | | | | | |
| average | | 460.4 | n=11 | average | 397.8 | average | | 626.8 | n=9 | average | 549.5 |
| 6/21/2010 | 16:45 | 335.6 | 6/18/2010 | 16:00 | 353.6 | 6/27/2013 | 17:00 | 585.7 | 6/19/2013 | 16:30 | 337.8 |
| 7/16/2010 | 16:30 | 434.2 | 6/22/2010 | 16:30 | 468.1 | 7/31/2013 | 17:00 | 600.5 | 6/26/2013 | 17:00 | 385.8 |
| 8/23/2010 | 16:00 | 424.9 | 6/23/2010 | 17:00 | 344.7 | 8/7/2013 | 16:45 | 601.9 | 6/28/2013 | 17:00 | 603.5 |
| 9/14/2010 | 16:45 | 474.3 | 6/23/2010 | 17:00 | 428.8 | 9/3/2013 | 16:45 | 471.7 | 7/9/2013 | 16:45 | 339.2 |
| | | | 7/14/2010 | 17:00 | 522.0 | | | | 7/10/2013 | 17:00 | 413.5 |
| | | | 7/15/2010 | 16:45 | 560.9 | | | | 8/1/2013 | 16:45 | 607.3 |
| | | | 8/3/2010 | 16:30 | 445.1 | | | | 8/6/2013 | 16:45 | 515.9 |
| | | | 8/4/2010 | 16:45 | 508.0 | | | | 9/4/2013 | 17:00 | 477.0 |
| | | | 8/5/2010 | 16:30 | 448.9 | | | | | | |
| | | | 8/11/2010 | 15:15 | 126.7 | | | | | | |
| | | | 8/20/2010 | 15:30 | 176.5 | | | | | | |
| | | | 9/1/2010 | 15:30 | 336.7 | | | | | | |
| average | | 417.3 | n=12 | average | 393.3 | average | | 565.0 | n=8 | average | 460.0 |
| 6/15/2011 | 17:00 | 631.2 | 6/14/2011 | 17:00 | 494.0 | 6/30/2014 | 16:30 | 662.5 | 6/3/2014 | 17:00 | 316.5 |
| 7/27/2011 | 16:30 | 566.4 | 6/16/2011 | 17:00 | 355.1 | 7/21/2014 | 16:45 | 304.0 | 7/8/2014 | 16:30 | 436.3 |
| 8/3/2011 | 17:00 | 707.7 | 6/17/2011 | 16:45 | 562.9 | 8/25/2014 | 17:00 | 714.0 | 7/14/2014 | 15:00 | 249.0 |
| 9/2/2011 | 16:30 | 639.6 | 6/28/2011 | 17:00 | 428.1 | 9/10/2014 | 17:00 | 781.9 | 7/22/2014 | 16:45 | 476.2 |
| | | | 7/7/2011 | 16:45 | 461.3 | | | | 7/25/2014 | 17:00 | 490.4 |
| | | | 7/13/2011 | 17:00 | 594.6 | | | | 8/6/2014 | 17:00 | 396.5 |
| | | | 7/14/2011 | 16:45 | 636.2 | | | | 8/8/2014 | 15:45 | 448.5 |
| | | | 8/1/2011 | 16:45 | 468.7 | | | | 8/21/2014 | 16:00 | 318.4 |
| | | | 8/2/2011 | 16:45 | 640.3 | | | | 8/22/2014 | 16:30 | 565.0 |
| | | | 8/5/2011 | 16:45 | 478.0 | | | | 9/2/2014 | 16:30 | 729.8 |
| | | | 8/23/2011 | 16:45 | 403.7 | | | | 9/9/2014 | 16:45 | 560.5 |
| | | | 9/1/2011 | 16:45 | 540.6 | | | | | | |
| | | | 9/13/2011 | 16:30 | 533.3 | | | | | | |
| average | | 636.2 | n=13 | average | 507.4 | average | | 615.6 | n=11 | average | 416.1 |



4 CP 15-Minute Response 2009 - 2014

| | CP | Near-CP | Total |
|-------|----|---------|-------|
| 14:30 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 14:45 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15:00 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 15:15 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 15:30 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| 15:45 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 16:00 | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| 16:15 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 16:30 | 5 | 11 | 16 |
| 16:45 | 5 | 21 | 26 |
| 17:00 | 10 | 22 | 32 |

| 4-CP Peak Shifting | | | |
|--------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|
| Actual Peak | | Peak with no 4-CP Reduction | |
| Date | Time | Date | Time |
| 7/16/2010 | 16:30 | 7/15/2010 | 16:45 |
| 6/15/2011 | 17:00 | 6/15/2011 | 16:45 |
| 7/27/2011 | 16:30 | 7/27/2011 | 16:45 |
| 8/3/2011 | 17:00 | 8/3/2011 | 16:45 |
| 6/26/2012 | 16:30 | 6/26/2012 | 16:45 |

- Number of Near-CP days averaged about 10 per year
- Since 2009, no CP intervals have occurred prior to interval ending 4:00 pm
- Of the 24 CP intervals since 2009, only 5 appear to have been shifted by 4-CP response
 - 2 shifted one interval earlier
 - 2 shifted one interval later
 - 1 (7/16/2010) shifted one day earlier and one interval later

4 CP Response – ERCOT REP Survey

| | |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| REPs with 4_CP in 2013 Only | 2 |
| REPs with 4_CP in both 2013 and 2014 | 3 |
| REPs with 4_CP in 2014 Only | 2 |

| | |
|---|-----|
| Total ESIIDs on 4_CP in 2014 | 228 |
| ESIIDs on 4-CP in 2014 and on other 2014 program(s) | 83 |
| ESIIDs on 4-CP in 2014 and not on other 2014 program(s) | 145 |

| 4-CP Reports | | Other Programs Reported | | Number of ESIIDs | Pct |
|--------------|---------|-------------------------|-------------|------------------|--------|
| 2013 | 2014 | 2013 | 2014 | | |
| NO | YES/N | BI/N | BI/N | 1 | 0.4% |
| NO | YES/N | BI/N | BI/N#RTP/N | 6 | 2.5% |
| NO | YES/N | BI/N | NO | 6 | 2.5% |
| NO | YES/N | BI/N | RTP/N | 13 | 5.5% |
| NO | YES/N | PR/N | PR/N | 32 | 13.4% |
| NO | YES/N | RTP/N | RTP/N | 5 | 2.1% |
| NO REPT | YES/N | NO REPT | NO | 139 | 58.4% |
| NO REPT | YES/N | NO REPT | PR/N | 1 | 0.4% |
| NO REPT | YES/N | NO REPT | RTP/N | 21 | 8.8% |
| YES/N | NO | OLC/Y | OLC/N#RTP/N | 2 | 0.8% |
| YES/N | NO REPT | BI/N | NO REPT | 1 | 0.4% |
| YES/N | NO REPT | NO | NO REPT | 1 | 0.4% |
| YES/N | YES/N | BI/N | RTP/N | 3 | 1.3% |
| YES/N | YES/N | NO | RTP/N | 1 | 0.4% |
| YES/Y | NO REPT | NO | NO REPT | 6 | 2.5% |
| Total | | | | 238 | 100.0% |

Key

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|--|
| NO: ESIID submitted but not for this program |
| NO REPT: ESIID not submitted for any program |
| YES/N: ESIID submitted for REP 4-CP notification - no DLC |
| BI/N: ESIID on Block and Index - no DLC |
| OLC/Y: ESIID on Other Load Control - no DLC |
| RTP/NP: ESIID on Real Time Pricing - no DLC |
| #: Used to separate multiple programs |

4 CP Response – ERCOT REP Survey

| Response Date | Entity | | | ERCOT Analysis | | |
|---------------|--------|-------|-------|----------------|--------|-------------|
| | | | | Near CP Day | CP Day | CP Interval |
| 6/3/2014 | | | | Yes | | |
| 6/4/2014 | | | | | | |
| 6/5/2014 | | | | | | |
| 6/6/2014 | | | | | | |
| 6/11/2014 | | | | | | |
| 6/16/2014 | | REP 2 | | | | |
| 6/17/2014 | | | | | | |
| 6/23/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 6/24/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 6/30/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | REP 3 | Yes | | 16:30 |
| 8/4/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 8/5/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 8/6/2014 | REP 1 | | | Yes | | |
| 8/7/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | | | |
| 8/8/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 8/15/2014 | REP 1 | | | Yes | | |
| 8/21/2014 | | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 8/22/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 8/25/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | REP 3 | Yes | | 17:00 |
| 8/26/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| Response Date | Entity | | | ERCOT Analysis | | |
| | | | | Near CP Day | CP Day | CP Interval |
| 7/1/2014 | | | | | | |
| 7/2/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 7/7/2014 | | | | | | |
| 7/8/2014 | | | | Yes | | |
| 7/9/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 7/10/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 7/11/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 7/14/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 7/21/2014 | | REP 2 | REP 3 | Yes | Yes | 16:45 |
| 7/22/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 7/23/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | | | |
| 7/24/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 7/25/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 7/28/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | | | |
| 9/2/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 9/3/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 9/5/2014 | | | | | | |
| 9/8/2014 | REP 1 | | | | | |
| 9/9/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | | Yes | | |
| 9/10/2014 | REP 1 | REP 2 | REP 3 | Yes | Yes | 17:00 |

- Notifications: REP 1 – 27 REP 2 – 16 REP 3 – 4
- REP 1 missed July CP, otherwise REP notifications were sent for all actual CP days

4 CP Response – ERCOT REP Survey

| REP Reports | | ERCOT Analysis | | |
|--------------|--------------|-------------------|------------|--------------------|
| 4-CP 2013 | 4-CP 2014 | Non Responders | Responders | Percent Respond |
| NO | YES/N | 12 | 51 | 81.0 |
| NO REPT | YES/N | 43 | 128 | 74.9 |
| YES/N | NO | 1 | 1 | 50.0 |
| YES/N | NO REPT | 1 | 2 | 66.7 |
| YES/N | YES/N | 1 | 3 | 75.0 |
| YES/Y | NO REPT | 1 | 7 | 87.5 |
| Total | | 59 | 192 | 76.5 |

- 238 ESIIDs reported by REPS as being on 4-CP notification programs in 2013 or 2014
- 182 (76%) were classified by ERCOT as 4-CP responders.

Number of ESIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2014

| Load Factor Response Type | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 11 | 1 | 152 | 15 | 8 | 120 | 7 | 18 | 39 | 33 | 27 | 311 |
| Distribution NWS | 136 | 1 | 1,704 | 321 | 50 | 5,207 | 791 | 269 | 2,299 | 1,248 | 320 | 9,210 |
| Distribution WS | 69 | 5 | 521 | 91 | 35 | 1,202 | 6 | 8 | 62 | 166 | 48 | 1,785 |
| Total | 216 | 7 | 2,377 | 427 | 93 | 6,529 | 804 | 295 | 2,400 | 1,447 | 395 | 11,306 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 5 | 1 | 159 | 15 | 8 | 122 | 7 | 19 | 39 | 27 | 28 | 320 |
| Distribution NWS | 68 | 2 | 1,771 | 231 | 56 | 5,293 | 725 | 266 | 2,365 | 1,024 | 324 | 9,429 |
| Distribution WS | 40 | 6 | 549 | 109 | 39 | 1,180 | 11 | 9 | 56 | 160 | 54 | 1,785 |
| Total | 113 | 9 | 2,479 | 355 | 103 | 6,595 | 743 | 294 | 2,460 | 1,211 | 406 | 11,534 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 8 | 1 | 156 | 19 | 10 | 116 | 8 | 18 | 39 | 35 | 29 | 311 |
| Distribution NWS | 142 | 5 | 1,695 | 351 | 59 | 5,169 | 757 | 270 | 2,337 | 1,250 | 334 | 9,201 |
| Distribution WS | 112 | 6 | 477 | 160 | 37 | 1,131 | 11 | 9 | 56 | 283 | 52 | 1,664 |
| Total | 262 | 12 | 2,328 | 530 | 106 | 6,416 | 776 | 297 | 2,432 | 1,568 | 415 | 11,176 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 12 | 3 | 150 | 22 | 10 | 113 | 13 | 23 | 29 | 47 | 36 | 292 |
| Distribution NWS | 143 | 3 | 1,696 | 340 | 56 | 5,178 | 595 | 242 | 2,522 | 1,078 | 301 | 9,396 |
| Distribution WS | 113 | 6 | 476 | 166 | 36 | 1,126 | 13 | 10 | 53 | 292 | 52 | 1,655 |
| Total | 268 | 12 | 2,322 | 528 | 102 | 6,417 | 621 | 275 | 2,604 | 1,417 | 389 | 11,343 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Responding Transmission Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 99.0 | 79.0 | 20.0 | 124.7 | 75.3 | 49.4 | 132.3 | 109.5 | 22.8 | 355.9 | 263.8 | 92.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 25.3 | 20.1 | 5.2 | 35.6 | 14.0 | 21.6 | 48.3 | 31.9 | 16.4 | 109.2 | 66.0 | 43.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 110.1 | 78.5 | 31.6 | 122.8 | 79.0 | 43.8 | 127.4 | 104.8 | 22.6 | 360.3 | 262.3 | 98.0 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 119.5 | 81.8 | 37.7 | 127.6 | 82.3 | 45.3 | 177.6 | 134.4 | 43.2 | 424.8 | 298.6 | 126.2 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 72.0 | 65.8 | 6.1 | 99.4 | 73.6 | 25.8 | 147.1 | 125.9 | 21.2 | 318.5 | 265.3 | 53.2 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 51.4 | 50.8 | 0.6 | 102.9 | 84.8 | 18.1 | 108.8 | 63.8 | 45.1 | 263.2 | 199.4 | 63.8 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 9.4 | 8.2 | 1.2 | 62.3 | 46.4 | 16.0 | 99.3 | 54.6 | 44.7 | 171.1 | 109.2 | 62.0 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 78.6 | 76.4 | 2.1 | 106.2 | 85.4 | 20.8 | 134.5 | 82.5 | 52.0 | 319.3 | 244.3 | 75.0 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 73.0 | 71.6 | 1.4 | 121.7 | 90.2 | 31.5 | 121.9 | 72.0 | 49.9 | 316.7 | 233.9 | 82.8 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 45.0 | 43.8 | 1.1 | 103.1 | 88.1 | 15.0 | 130.4 | 95.5 | 34.9 | 278.4 | 227.4 | 51.0 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 9.0 | 8.6 | 0.4 | 14.0 | 5.4 | 8.6 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 23.9 | 14.0 | 9.9 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 0.5 | 14.7 | 5.7 | 9.0 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 18.8 | 8.5 | 10.4 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 10.7 | 10.0 | 0.8 | 23.1 | 9.9 | 13.1 | 1.9 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 35.6 | 20.4 | 15.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 11.7 | 11.0 | 0.7 | 24.5 | 11.2 | 13.3 | 2.0 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 38.2 | 22.8 | 15.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 0.7 | 17.3 | 4.0 | 13.3 | 1.4 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 27.3 | 12.1 | 15.1 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 159.4 | 138.4 | 21.0 | 241.7 | 165.5 | 76.1 | 242.0 | 173.4 | 68.7 | 643.1 | 477.3 | 165.8 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 37.5 | 30.5 | 7.0 | 112.7 | 66.1 | 46.6 | 149.0 | 87.1 | 62.0 | 299.2 | 183.6 | 115.5 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 199.4 | 164.9 | 34.5 | 252.0 | 174.3 | 77.7 | 263.8 | 187.8 | 76.0 | 715.2 | 526.9 | 188.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 204.3 | 164.4 | 39.8 | 273.9 | 183.8 | 90.1 | 301.5 | 207.0 | 94.5 | 779.6 | 555.2 | 224.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 125.5 | 117.6 | 7.9 | 219.8 | 165.7 | 54.1 | 278.8 | 221.6 | 57.2 | 624.2 | 504.9 | 119.3 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 355.9 | 263.8 | 92.1 | 263.2 | 199.4 | 63.8 | 23.9 | 14.0 | 9.9 | 643.1 | 477.3 | 165.8 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 109.2 | 66.0 | 43.2 | 171.1 | 109.2 | 62.0 | 18.8 | 8.5 | 10.4 | 299.2 | 183.6 | 115.5 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 360.3 | 262.3 | 98.0 | 319.3 | 244.3 | 75.0 | 35.6 | 20.4 | 15.2 | 715.2 | 526.9 | 188.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 424.8 | 298.6 | 126.2 | 316.7 | 233.9 | 82.8 | 38.2 | 22.8 | 15.4 | 779.6 | 555.2 | 224.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 318.5 | 265.3 | 53.2 | 278.4 | 227.4 | 51.0 | 27.3 | 12.1 | 15.1 | 624.2 | 504.9 | 119.3 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load | | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|
| CP Date | High Load Factor MW | | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 159.4 | 527.8 | 5,436.6 | 5,964.4 | 2.7% | | 241.7 | 769.8 | 5,967.0 | 6,736.9 | 3.6% |
| 21-Jul-14 | 37.5 | 277.8 | 5,782.9 | 6,060.7 | 0.6% | | 112.7 | 563.9 | 6,344.9 | 6,908.8 | 1.6% |
| 25-Aug-14 | 199.4 | 570.0 | 5,473.0 | 6,043.0 | 3.3% | | 252.0 | 868.2 | 6,115.1 | 6,983.3 | 3.6% |
| 10-Sep-14 | 204.3 | 625.2 | 5,417.4 | 6,042.6 | 3.4% | | 273.9 | 874.5 | 6,036.3 | 6,910.9 | 4.0% |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | | Total | | | | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 242.0 | 409.1 | 850.9 | 1,260.0 | 19.2% | | 643.1 | 1,706.7 | 12,254.6 | 13,961.3 | 4.6% |
| 21-Jul-14 | 149.0 | 325.7 | 987.5 | 1,313.2 | 11.3% | | 299.2 | 1,167.3 | 13,115.3 | 14,282.7 | 2.1% |
| 25-Aug-14 | 263.8 | 506.6 | 1,095.6 | 1,602.2 | 16.5% | | 715.2 | 1,944.7 | 12,683.8 | 14,628.5 | 4.9% |
| 10-Sep-14 | 301.5 | 492.4 | 1,115.4 | 1,607.8 | 18.8% | | 779.6 | 1,992.1 | 12,569.1 | 14,561.2 | 5.4% |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 159.4 | 24.8% | 241.7 | 37.6% | 242.0 | 37.6% | 643.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 37.5 | 12.5% | 112.7 | 37.7% | 149.0 | 49.8% | 299.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 199.4 | 27.9% | 252.0 | 35.2% | 263.8 | 36.9% | 715.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 204.3 | 26.2% | 273.9 | 35.1% | 301.5 | 38.7% | 779.6 |

| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 355.9 | 55.3% | 263.2 | 40.9% | 23.9 | 3.7% | 643.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 109.2 | 36.5% | 171.1 | 57.2% | 18.8 | 6.3% | 299.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 360.3 | 50.4% | 319.3 | 44.6% | 35.6 | 5.0% | 715.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 424.8 | 54.5% | 316.7 | 40.6% | 38.2 | 4.9% | 779.6 |

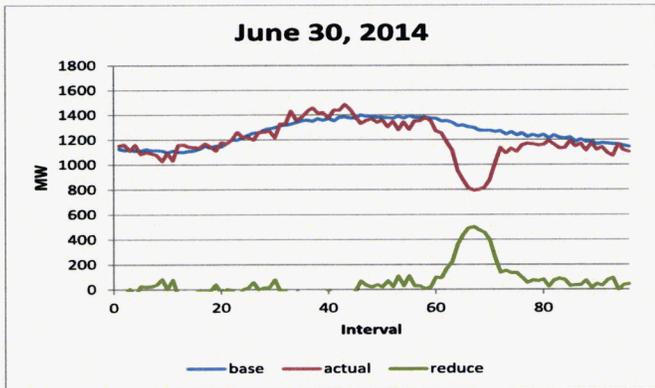
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Percentage of Load Reduction based on Customer Peak

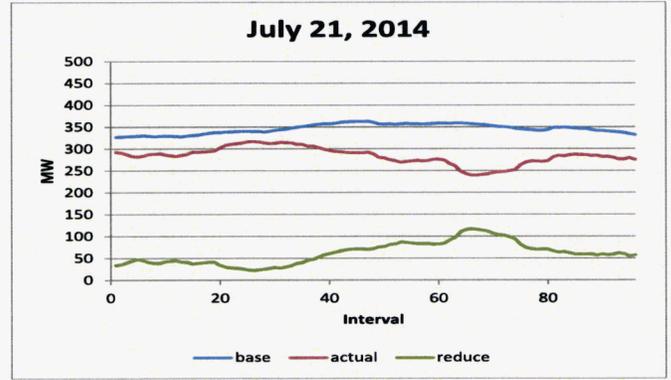
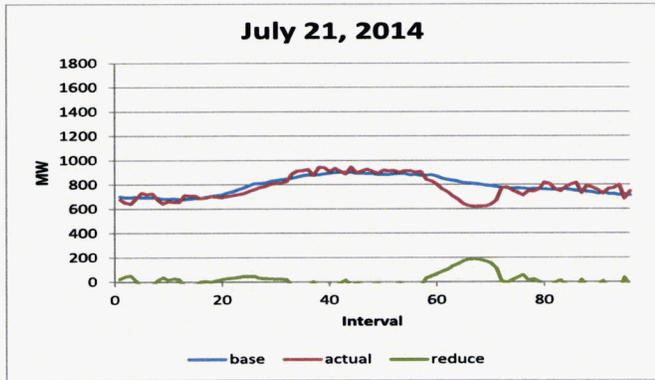
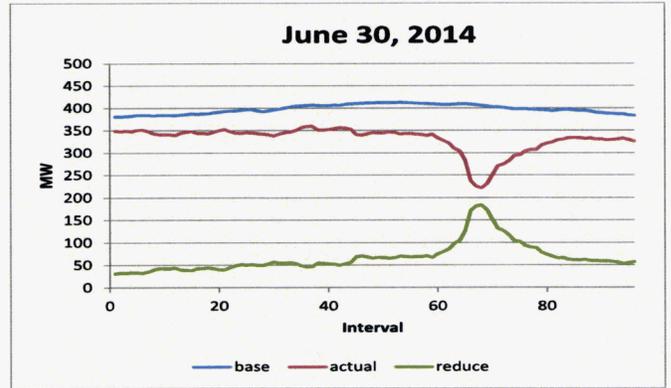
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|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 30-Jun-14 | 72.7 | 11.3% | 202.9 | 31.6% | 98.4 | 15.3% | 269.0 | 41.8% | 643.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 58.8 | 19.6% | 134.7 | 45.0% | 30.6 | 10.2% | 75.1 | 25.1% | 299.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 92.8 | 13.0% | 212.1 | 29.7% | 99.3 | 13.9% | 310.9 | 43.5% | 715.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 82.8 | 10.6% | 234.9 | 30.1% | 123.6 | 15.8% | 338.4 | 43.4% | 779.6 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Peak Response

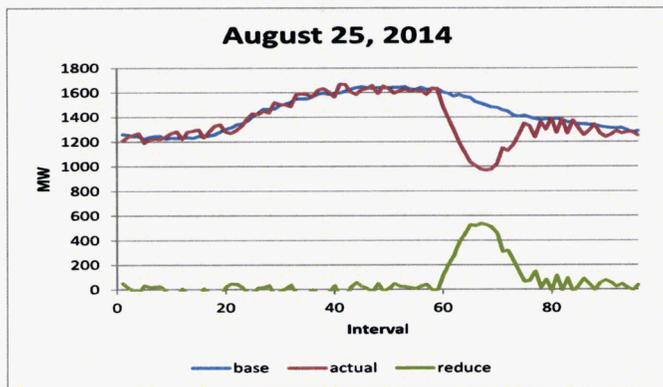


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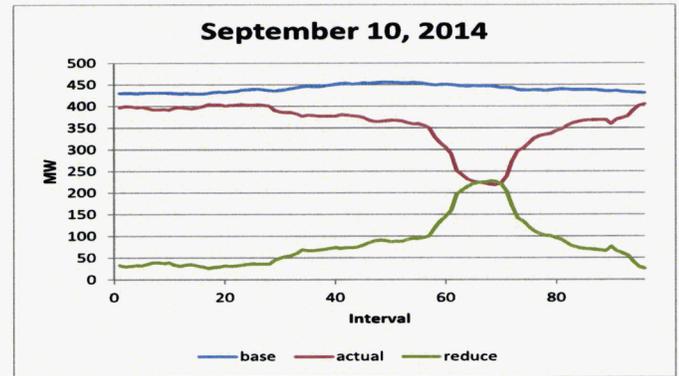
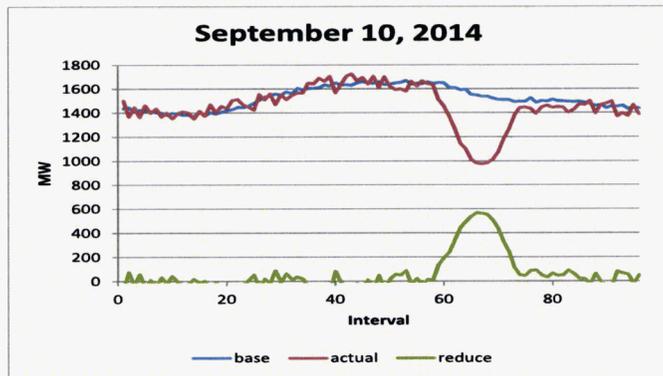
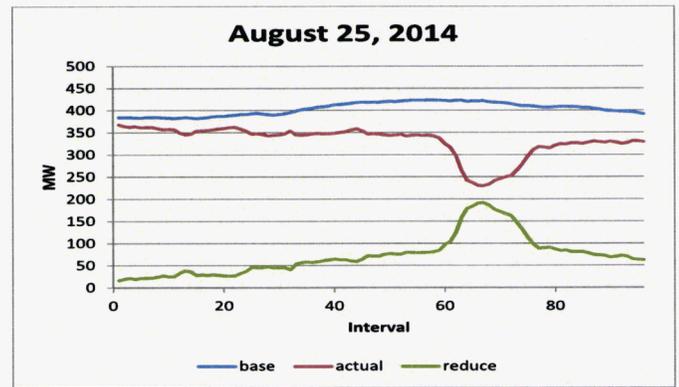


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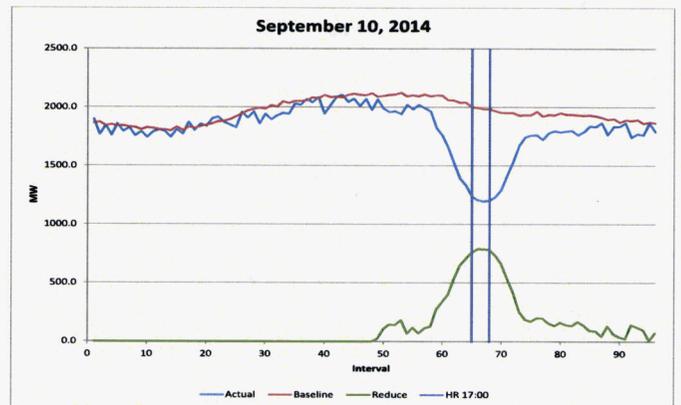
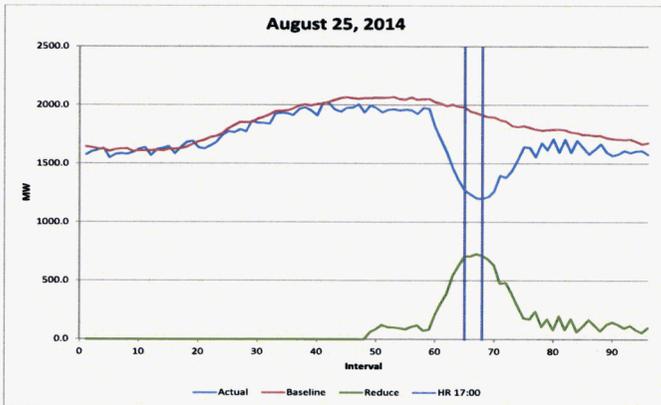
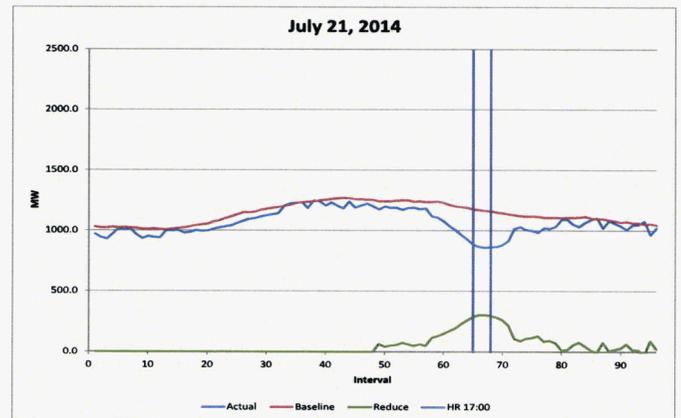
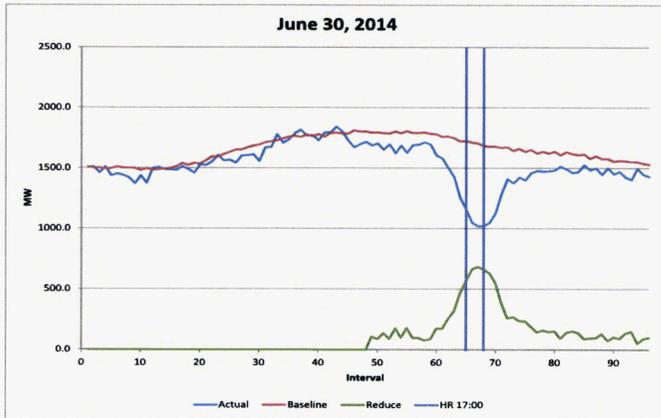
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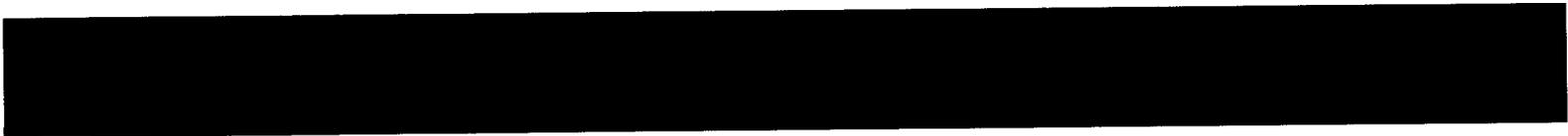


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Appendix 1 – ESIIDs Responding

Number of ESIIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2009

| Load Factor | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|---------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 2 | 131 | 15 | 4 | 112 | 19 | 17 | 34 | 41 | 23 | 277 |
| Distribution NWS | 117 | 3 | 1,717 | 384 | 41 | 4,598 | 864 | 196 | 2,009 | 1,365 | 240 | 8,324 |
| Distribution WS | 30 | 1 | 893 | 219 | 28 | 1,629 | 31 | 10 | 78 | 280 | 39 | 2,600 |
| Total | 154 | 6 | 2,741 | 618 | 73 | 6,339 | 914 | 223 | 2,121 | 1,686 | 302 | 11,201 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 4 | 1 | 135 | 13 | 9 | 109 | 13 | 18 | 39 | 30 | 28 | 283 |
| Distribution NWS | 62 | 4 | 1,770 | 243 | 35 | 4,746 | 684 | 229 | 2,153 | 989 | 268 | 8,669 |
| Distribution WS | 27 | 1 | 896 | 101 | 26 | 1,749 | 28 | 6 | 85 | 156 | 33 | 2,730 |
| Total | 93 | 6 | 2,801 | 357 | 70 | 6,604 | 725 | 253 | 2,277 | 1,175 | 329 | 11,682 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 9 | 1 | 130 | 10 | 5 | 116 | 13 | 14 | 43 | 32 | 20 | 289 |
| Distribution NWS | 101 | 2 | 1,733 | 261 | 38 | 4,726 | 689 | 200 | 2,178 | 1,051 | 240 | 8,637 |
| Distribution WS | 34 | 1 | 889 | 140 | 22 | 1,745 | 28 | 7 | 84 | 202 | 30 | 2,718 |
| Total | 144 | 4 | 2,752 | 411 | 65 | 6,587 | 730 | 221 | 2,305 | 1,285 | 290 | 11,644 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 6 | 1 | 133 | 9 | 6 | 116 | 13 | 11 | 45 | 28 | 18 | 294 |
| Distribution NWS | 61 | 1 | 1,771 | 236 | 54 | 4,733 | 595 | 215 | 2,257 | 892 | 270 | 8,761 |
| Distribution WS | 26 | 1 | 895 | 109 | 22 | 1,028 | 20 | 10 | 89 | 155 | 33 | 2,012 |
| Total | 93 | 3 | 2,799 | 354 | 82 | 5,877 | 628 | 236 | 2,391 | 1,075 | 321 | 11,067 |

Number of ESIIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2010

| Load Factor Response Type | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 6 | 1 | 147 | 7 | 4 | 107 | 7 | 17 | 50 | 20 | 22 | 304 |
| Distribution NWS | 54 | 1 | 2,106 | 196 | 32 | 4,697 | 710 | 250 | 2,125 | 960 | 283 | 8,928 |
| Distribution WS | 27 | 2 | 892 | 83 | 10 | 1,101 | 18 | 2 | 46 | 128 | 14 | 2,039 |
| Total | 87 | 4 | 3,145 | 286 | 46 | 5,905 | 735 | 269 | 2,221 | 1,108 | 319 | 11,271 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 3 | 1 | 150 | 10 | 6 | 102 | 15 | 21 | 39 | 28 | 28 | 291 |
| Distribution NWS | 96 | 1 | 2,065 | 347 | 29 | 4,547 | 821 | 214 | 2,052 | 1,264 | 244 | 8,664 |
| Distribution WS | 38 | 2 | 881 | 100 | 10 | 1,084 | 8 | 2 | 56 | 146 | 14 | 2,021 |
| Total | 137 | 4 | 3,096 | 457 | 45 | 5,733 | 844 | 237 | 2,147 | 1,438 | 286 | 10,976 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 3 | 144 | 12 | 5 | 101 | 14 | 22 | 39 | 33 | 30 | 284 |
| Distribution NWS | 89 | 1 | 2,072 | 255 | 39 | 4,630 | 787 | 237 | 2,071 | 1,131 | 277 | 8,773 |
| Distribution WS | 61 | 2 | 858 | 186 | 12 | 1,118 | 10 | 1 | 55 | 257 | 15 | 2,031 |
| Total | 157 | 6 | 3,074 | 453 | 56 | 5,849 | 811 | 260 | 2,165 | 1,421 | 322 | 11,088 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 3 | 143 | 10 | 9 | 99 | 10 | 16 | 50 | 27 | 28 | 292 |
| Distribution NWS | 93 | 1 | 2,064 | 253 | 38 | 4,629 | 580 | 217 | 2,293 | 926 | 256 | 8,986 |
| Distribution WS | 26 | 2 | 893 | 64 | 12 | 1,028 | 7 | 1 | 57 | 97 | 15 | 1,978 |
| Total | 126 | 6 | 3,100 | 327 | 59 | 5,756 | 597 | 234 | 2,400 | 1,050 | 299 | 11,256 |

Number of ESIIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2011

| Load Factor Response Type | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 8 | 4 | 147 | 16 | 7 | 113 | 13 | 16 | 30 | 37 | 27 | 290 |
| Distribution NWS | 138 | 1 | 2,151 | 328 | 50 | 4,707 | 777 | 196 | 2,000 | 1,243 | 247 | 8,858 |
| Distribution WS | 79 | 1 | 1,093 | 145 | 29 | 1,376 | 12 | 7 | 54 | 236 | 37 | 2,523 |
| Total | 225 | 6 | 3,391 | 489 | 86 | 6,196 | 802 | 219 | 2,084 | 1,516 | 311 | 11,671 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 5 | 1 | 153 | 9 | 12 | 115 | 14 | 16 | 30 | 28 | 29 | 298 |
| Distribution NWS | 110 | 3 | 2,177 | 305 | 46 | 4,734 | 723 | 203 | 2,049 | 1,138 | 252 | 8,960 |
| Distribution WS | 40 | 1 | 1,132 | 99 | 23 | 1,428 | 17 | 5 | 51 | 156 | 29 | 2,611 |
| Total | 155 | 5 | 3,462 | 413 | 81 | 6,277 | 754 | 224 | 2,130 | 1,322 | 310 | 11,869 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 1 | 151 | 18 | 12 | 106 | 16 | 18 | 26 | 41 | 31 | 283 |
| Distribution NWS | 155 | 4 | 2,131 | 358 | 66 | 4,662 | 764 | 212 | 2,001 | 1,277 | 282 | 8,794 |
| Distribution WS | 93 | - | 1,080 | 212 | 23 | 1,315 | 13 | 5 | 55 | 318 | 28 | 2,450 |
| Total | 255 | 5 | 3,362 | 588 | 101 | 6,083 | 793 | 235 | 2,082 | 1,636 | 341 | 11,527 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 2 | 150 | 13 | 9 | 114 | 16 | 16 | 28 | 36 | 27 | 292 |
| Distribution NWS | 182 | 3 | 2,104 | 540 | 47 | 4,496 | 1,038 | 212 | 1,723 | 1,760 | 262 | 8,323 |
| Distribution WS | 100 | 1 | 1,072 | 240 | 28 | 1,282 | 19 | 7 | 47 | 359 | 36 | 2,401 |
| Total | 289 | 6 | 3,326 | 793 | 84 | 5,892 | 1,073 | 235 | 1,798 | 2,155 | 325 | 11,016 |

Number of ESIIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2012

| Load Factor | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|---------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 13 | 1 | 147 | 14 | 17 | 102 | 17 | 16 | 25 | 44 | 34 | 274 |
| Distribution NWS | 106 | 4 | 1,717 | 322 | 52 | 5,061 | 778 | 214 | 2,256 | 1,206 | 270 | 9,034 |
| Distribution WS | 195 | 1 | 469 | 598 | 13 | 983 | 38 | 14 | 54 | 831 | 28 | 1,506 |
| Total | 314 | 6 | 2,333 | 934 | 82 | 6,146 | 833 | 244 | 2,335 | 2,081 | 332 | 10,814 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 11 | - | 149 | 12 | 14 | 107 | 11 | 15 | 32 | 34 | 29 | 288 |
| Distribution NWS | 99 | 2 | 1,725 | 316 | 50 | 5,068 | 784 | 247 | 2,216 | 1,199 | 299 | 9,009 |
| Distribution WS | 106 | 1 | 558 | 398 | 11 | 1,185 | 27 | 8 | 71 | 531 | 20 | 1,814 |
| Total | 216 | 3 | 2,432 | 726 | 75 | 6,360 | 822 | 270 | 2,319 | 1,764 | 348 | 11,111 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 6 | - | 155 | 10 | 11 | 112 | 10 | 12 | 36 | 26 | 23 | 303 |
| Distribution NWS | 81 | 1 | 1,745 | 329 | 40 | 5,065 | 788 | 223 | 2,236 | 1,198 | 264 | 9,046 |
| Distribution WS | 117 | - | 548 | 359 | 9 | 1,226 | 25 | 10 | 71 | 501 | 19 | 1,845 |
| Total | 204 | 1 | 2,448 | 698 | 60 | 6,403 | 823 | 245 | 2,343 | 1,725 | 306 | 11,194 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 10 | 1 | 150 | 15 | 13 | 104 | 8 | 16 | 34 | 33 | 30 | 288 |
| Distribution NWS | 94 | - | 1,733 | 302 | 50 | 5,079 | 684 | 220 | 2,342 | 1,080 | 270 | 9,154 |
| Distribution WS | 70 | - | 595 | 238 | 12 | 1,344 | 25 | 12 | 69 | 333 | 24 | 2,008 |
| Total | 174 | 1 | 2,478 | 555 | 75 | 6,527 | 717 | 248 | 2,445 | 1,446 | 324 | 11,450 |

Number of ESIIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2013

| Load Factor Response Type | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 11 | 1 | 152 | 17 | 11 | 97 | 11 | 15 | 37 | 39 | 27 | 286 |
| Distribution NWS | 133 | 4 | 1,761 | 317 | 51 | 5,102 | 876 | 235 | 2,153 | 1,326 | 290 | 9,016 |
| Distribution WS | 36 | - | 362 | 90 | 2 | 753 | 6 | 3 | 31 | 132 | 5 | 1,146 |
| Total | 180 | 5 | 2,275 | 424 | 64 | 5,952 | 893 | 253 | 2,221 | 1,497 | 322 | 10,448 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 4 | 153 | 15 | 7 | 103 | 14 | 19 | 30 | 36 | 30 | 286 |
| Distribution NWS | 86 | 3 | 1,808 | 254 | 40 | 5,174 | 736 | 229 | 2,299 | 1,076 | 272 | 9,281 |
| Distribution WS | 19 | - | 379 | 54 | 2 | 789 | 2 | 4 | 34 | 75 | 6 | 1,202 |
| Total | 112 | 7 | 2,340 | 323 | 49 | 6,066 | 752 | 252 | 2,363 | 1,187 | 308 | 10,769 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 9 | 2 | 152 | 15 | 8 | 102 | 11 | 20 | 32 | 35 | 30 | 286 |
| Distribution NWS | 165 | 1 | 1,731 | 377 | 43 | 5,051 | 760 | 225 | 2,280 | 1,302 | 269 | 9,062 |
| Distribution WS | 23 | - | 375 | 75 | 5 | 765 | 6 | 6 | 28 | 104 | 11 | 1,168 |
| Total | 197 | 3 | 2,258 | 467 | 56 | 5,918 | 777 | 251 | 2,340 | 1,441 | 310 | 10,516 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 7 | 2 | 154 | 12 | 15 | 98 | 8 | 14 | 39 | 27 | 31 | 291 |
| Distribution NWS | 98 | 4 | 1,795 | 236 | 64 | 5,171 | 714 | 240 | 2,308 | 1,048 | 308 | 9,274 |
| Distribution WS | 23 | - | 375 | 39 | 6 | 800 | 4 | 5 | 31 | 66 | 11 | 1,206 |
| Total | 128 | 6 | 2,324 | 287 | 85 | 6,069 | 726 | 259 | 2,378 | 1,141 | 350 | 10,771 |

Number of ESIIDs with 4 CP Responses – 2014

| Load Factor Response Type | High | | | Medium | | | Low | | | Total | | |
|------------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Reduce Hour | Reduce Day | Non Respond |
| June | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 11 | 1 | 152 | 15 | 8 | 120 | 7 | 18 | 39 | 33 | 27 | 311 |
| Distribution NWS | 136 | 1 | 1,704 | 321 | 50 | 5,207 | 791 | 269 | 2,299 | 1,248 | 320 | 9,210 |
| Distribution WS | 69 | 5 | 521 | 91 | 35 | 1,202 | 6 | 8 | 62 | 166 | 48 | 1,785 |
| Total | 216 | 7 | 2,377 | 427 | 93 | 6,529 | 804 | 295 | 2,400 | 1,447 | 395 | 11,306 |
| July | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 5 | 1 | 159 | 15 | 8 | 122 | 7 | 19 | 39 | 27 | 28 | 320 |
| Distribution NWS | 68 | 2 | 1,771 | 231 | 56 | 5,293 | 725 | 266 | 2,365 | 1,024 | 324 | 9,429 |
| Distribution WS | 40 | 6 | 549 | 109 | 39 | 1,180 | 11 | 9 | 56 | 160 | 54 | 1,785 |
| Total | 113 | 9 | 2,479 | 355 | 103 | 6,595 | 743 | 294 | 2,460 | 1,211 | 406 | 11,534 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 8 | 1 | 156 | 19 | 10 | 116 | 8 | 18 | 39 | 35 | 29 | 311 |
| Distribution NWS | 142 | 5 | 1,695 | 351 | 59 | 5,169 | 757 | 270 | 2,337 | 1,250 | 334 | 9,201 |
| Distribution WS | 112 | 6 | 477 | 160 | 37 | 1,131 | 11 | 9 | 56 | 283 | 52 | 1,664 |
| Total | 262 | 12 | 2,328 | 530 | 106 | 6,416 | 776 | 297 | 2,432 | 1,568 | 415 | 11,176 |
| September | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Transmission | 12 | 3 | 150 | 22 | 10 | 113 | 13 | 23 | 29 | 47 | 36 | 292 |
| Distribution NWS | 143 | 3 | 1,696 | 340 | 56 | 5,178 | 595 | 242 | 2,522 | 1,078 | 301 | 9,396 |
| Distribution WS | 113 | 6 | 476 | 166 | 36 | 1,126 | 13 | 10 | 53 | 292 | 52 | 1,655 |
| Total | 268 | 12 | 2,322 | 528 | 102 | 6,417 | 621 | 275 | 2,604 | 1,417 | 389 | 11,343 |



Appendix 2 – Transmission MW Response

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

Responding Transmission Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 87.0 | 67.8 | 19.2 | 70.6 | 57.8 | 12.8 | 149.9 | 125.1 | 24.8 | 307.5 | 250.7 | 56.8 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 72.3 | 55.7 | 16.6 | 85.4 | 57.7 | 27.7 | 69.1 | 51.4 | 17.6 | 226.7 | 164.7 | 61.9 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 87.0 | 70.4 | 16.6 | 75.1 | 49.8 | 25.3 | 204.2 | 158.3 | 45.9 | 366.3 | 278.5 | 87.8 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 87.5 | 76.2 | 11.4 | 80.7 | 59.0 | 21.8 | 116.0 | 101.6 | 14.4 | 284.3 | 236.7 | 47.6 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24-Jun-09 | 84.3 | 64.2 | 20.1 | 80.1 | 56.1 | 24.0 | 159.3 | 128.6 | 30.7 | 323.8 | 249.0 | 74.8 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2010

Responding Transmission Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 76.2 | 58.0 | 18.2 | 65.9 | 8.7 | 57.2 | 32.2 | 5.4 | 26.8 | 174.3 | 72.1 | 102.2 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 54.0 | 35.9 | 18.1 | 56.3 | 18.6 | 37.7 | 131.5 | 104.1 | 27.4 | 241.7 | 158.6 | 83.1 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 81.9 | 59.9 | 22.0 | 90.7 | 29.2 | 61.5 | 63.4 | 11.7 | 51.7 | 236.0 | 100.8 | 135.2 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 99.1 | 62.9 | 36.2 | 63.8 | 13.3 | 50.5 | 140.1 | 113.1 | 26.9 | 303.0 | 189.3 | 113.6 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20-Aug-10 | 127.3 | 118.0 | 9.3 | 110.3 | 60.7 | 49.6 | 38.5 | 6.3 | 32.2 | 276.1 | 185.0 | 91.1 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2011

Responding Transmission Connected ESIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 78.9 | 74.8 | 4.0 | 110.5 | 26.1 | 84.4 | 218.1 | 190.7 | 27.4 | 407.4 | 291.6 | 115.8 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 89.1 | 67.4 | 21.7 | 134.0 | 31.4 | 102.6 | 130.4 | 116.1 | 14.4 | 353.6 | 214.9 | 138.7 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 89.2 | 67.5 | 21.7 | 130.1 | 33.0 | 97.1 | 204.2 | 179.9 | 24.2 | 423.5 | 280.5 | 143.0 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 73.5 | 63.8 | 9.6 | 89.5 | 25.5 | 64.0 | 166.0 | 139.8 | 26.2 | 329.0 | 229.2 | 99.8 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2-Aug-11 | 81.4 | 81.4 | 0.0 | 140.7 | 38.5 | 102.1 | 175.4 | 162.8 | 12.6 | 397.5 | 282.8 | 114.7 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2012

Responding Transmission Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 94.3 | 92.5 | 1.8 | 138.8 | 58.2 | 80.6 | 184.3 | 157.3 | 27.0 | 417.4 | 308.0 | 109.4 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 106.5 | 106.5 | 0.0 | 112.7 | 31.4 | 81.3 | 97.1 | 64.8 | 32.2 | 316.3 | 202.8 | 113.5 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 67.3 | 67.3 | 0.0 | 91.1 | 14.5 | 76.7 | 90.5 | 69.8 | 20.7 | 248.9 | 151.6 | 97.3 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 116.1 | 105.3 | 10.8 | 107.5 | 43.9 | 63.6 | 183.4 | 164.0 | 19.4 | 407.0 | 313.2 | 93.8 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7-Sep-12 | 107.4 | 104.5 | 2.8 | 102.4 | 44.1 | 58.3 | 170.2 | 152.1 | 18.1 | 379.9 | 300.6 | 79.3 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

Responding Transmission Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 73.1 | 69.6 | 3.5 | 109.6 | 73.2 | 36.4 | 139.8 | 110.0 | 29.8 | 322.5 | 252.8 | 69.7 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 111.5 | 75.6 | 35.9 | 117.9 | 85.0 | 32.9 | 127.7 | 97.8 | 29.8 | 357.0 | 258.4 | 98.6 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 75.4 | 54.2 | 21.2 | 99.7 | 82.9 | 16.7 | 128.4 | 104.8 | 23.6 | 303.5 | 241.9 | 61.6 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 101.1 | 70.3 | 30.8 | 105.5 | 38.7 | 66.8 | 30.8 | 18.7 | 12.1 | 237.5 | 127.7 | 109.7 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-Aug-13 | 77.2 | 56.9 | 20.3 | 90.7 | 61.9 | 28.8 | 150.1 | 123.5 | 26.6 | 318.0 | 242.3 | 75.7 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Responding Transmission Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 99.0 | 79.0 | 20.0 | 124.7 | 75.3 | 49.4 | 132.3 | 109.5 | 22.8 | 355.9 | 263.8 | 92.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 25.3 | 20.1 | 5.2 | 35.6 | 14.0 | 21.6 | 48.3 | 31.9 | 16.4 | 109.2 | 66.0 | 43.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 110.1 | 78.5 | 31.6 | 122.8 | 79.0 | 43.8 | 127.4 | 104.8 | 22.6 | 360.3 | 262.3 | 98.0 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 119.5 | 81.8 | 37.7 | 127.6 | 82.3 | 45.3 | 177.6 | 134.4 | 43.2 | 424.8 | 298.6 | 126.2 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 72.0 | 65.8 | 6.1 | 99.4 | 73.6 | 25.8 | 147.1 | 125.9 | 21.2 | 318.5 | 265.3 | 53.2 |



Appendix 3 – Distribution NWS MW Response

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days – 2009

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 22.5 | 20.7 | 1.8 | 76.0 | 59.0 | 17.0 | 109.8 | 78.7 | 31.2 | 208.3 | 158.4 | 50.0 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 8.3 | 6.8 | 1.5 | 58.4 | 33.7 | 24.7 | 88.5 | 53.2 | 35.3 | 155.2 | 93.7 | 61.5 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 17.3 | 16.8 | 0.5 | 66.4 | 47.2 | 19.1 | 94.6 | 65.7 | 28.9 | 178.3 | 129.7 | 48.6 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 0.3 | 65.2 | 46.8 | 18.4 | 91.9 | 62.1 | 29.8 | 165.1 | 116.5 | 48.6 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24-Jun-09 | 17.4 | 15.6 | 1.7 | 64.3 | 47.2 | 17.1 | 95.5 | 65.1 | 30.4 | 177.2 | 128.0 | 49.2 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days – 2010

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 0.0 | 49.0 | 25.5 | 23.4 | 93.0 | 57.6 | 35.4 | 150.2 | 91.3 | 58.9 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 12.6 | 12.1 | 0.5 | 74.6 | 60.3 | 14.3 | 110.3 | 76.8 | 33.5 | 197.5 | 149.2 | 48.3 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 13.2 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 61.3 | 42.7 | 18.6 | 132.5 | 86.1 | 46.4 | 206.9 | 141.9 | 65.0 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 12.1 | 11.7 | 0.4 | 59.1 | 49.7 | 9.4 | 91.2 | 55.4 | 35.8 | 162.4 | 116.8 | 45.5 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20-Aug-10 | 73.3 | 73.3 | 0.0 | 84.7 | 76.3 | 8.4 | 106.7 | 73.0 | 33.6 | 264.7 | 222.6 | 42.0 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days – 2011

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 27.2 | 24.7 | 2.5 | 73.6 | 49.8 | 23.8 | 96.7 | 63.5 | 33.1 | 197.5 | 138.1 | 59.5 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 24.9 | 24.6 | 0.3 | 64.5 | 45.0 | 19.5 | 110.2 | 76.8 | 33.4 | 199.6 | 146.4 | 53.3 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 23.6 | 23.0 | 0.6 | 99.2 | 66.5 | 32.7 | 141.2 | 108.5 | 32.7 | 264.0 | 198.0 | 66.0 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 19.6 | 17.6 | 2.1 | 96.8 | 79.8 | 17.0 | 160.6 | 127.6 | 33.1 | 277.0 | 224.9 | 52.1 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2-Aug-11 | 14.3 | 13.9 | 0.4 | 80.9 | 50.9 | 30.0 | 124.6 | 91.7 | 32.9 | 219.8 | 156.6 | 63.2 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days – 2012

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 37.7 | 30.8 | 6.8 | 84.1 | 69.3 | 14.8 | 116.2 | 70.3 | 45.9 | 238.0 | 170.4 | 67.5 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 24.8 | 24.7 | 0.1 | 94.6 | 82.4 | 12.2 | 124.3 | 80.5 | 43.8 | 243.6 | 187.6 | 56.1 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 12.9 | 12.0 | 0.9 | 89.6 | 78.2 | 11.4 | 120.8 | 80.8 | 40.0 | 223.4 | 171.1 | 52.3 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 24.3 | 24.3 | 0.0 | 79.0 | 65.5 | 13.6 | 113.3 | 72.7 | 40.6 | 216.7 | 162.4 | 54.2 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7-Sep-12 | 44.3 | 44.3 | 0.0 | 119.0 | 102.7 | 16.4 | 133.4 | 87.7 | 45.7 | 296.7 | 234.6 | 62.1 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 35.4 | 33.1 | 2.3 | 90.2 | 71.9 | 18.3 | 117.3 | 80.4 | 36.9 | 242.9 | 185.4 | 57.5 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 39.0 | 38.4 | 0.6 | 78.7 | 62.9 | 15.8 | 112.4 | 70.3 | 42.1 | 230.1 | 171.6 | 58.5 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 37.9 | 37.7 | 0.1 | 109.0 | 88.8 | 20.1 | 120.2 | 79.1 | 41.1 | 267.0 | 205.6 | 61.4 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 34.9 | 34.3 | 0.6 | 72.2 | 52.8 | 19.3 | 117.0 | 73.2 | 43.8 | 224.0 | 160.3 | 63.7 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-Aug-13 | 33.4 | 33.3 | 0.2 | 99.9 | 84.2 | 15.7 | 117.4 | 73.3 | 44.1 | 250.8 | 190.8 | 60.0 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Responding NWS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 51.4 | 50.8 | 0.6 | 102.9 | 84.8 | 18.1 | 108.8 | 63.8 | 45.1 | 263.2 | 199.4 | 63.8 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 9.4 | 8.2 | 1.2 | 62.3 | 46.4 | 16.0 | 99.3 | 54.6 | 44.7 | 171.1 | 109.2 | 62.0 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 78.6 | 76.4 | 2.1 | 106.2 | 85.4 | 20.8 | 134.5 | 82.5 | 52.0 | 319.3 | 244.3 | 75.0 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 73.0 | 71.6 | 1.4 | 121.7 | 90.2 | 31.5 | 121.9 | 72.0 | 49.9 | 316.7 | 233.9 | 82.8 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 45.0 | 43.8 | 1.1 | 103.1 | 88.1 | 15.0 | 130.4 | 95.5 | 34.9 | 278.4 | 227.4 | 51.0 |



Appendix 4 – Distribution WS MW Response

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 0.1 | 18.2 | 16.1 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 2.1 | 0.9 | 23.0 | 19.9 | 3.1 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 0.1 | 7.8 | 5.7 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 11.6 | 8.7 | 2.9 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 0.1 | 11.8 | 10.7 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 2.0 | 0.6 | 16.7 | 14.9 | 1.9 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 0.1 | 7.3 | 6.0 | 1.3 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 0.5 | 11.1 | 9.3 | 1.9 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24-Jun-09 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 0.1 | 17.4 | 15.4 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 0.8 | 23.3 | 20.5 | 2.9 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2010

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 5.8 | 4.9 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 7.8 | 6.6 | 1.2 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 0.2 | 6.9 | 5.6 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 9.3 | 7.8 | 1.4 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 3.7 | 3.4 | 0.3 | 12.4 | 11.4 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 16.6 | 15.2 | 1.3 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 6.1 | 5.5 | 0.7 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20-Aug-10 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 0.1 | 12.3 | 11.5 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 15.6 | 14.6 | 1.0 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2011

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 0.1 | 12.3 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 19.7 | 17.1 | 2.6 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 9.5 | 8.2 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 13.6 | 11.9 | 1.7 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 0.0 | 21.4 | 19.9 | 1.5 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 28.0 | 26.3 | 1.7 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 7.0 | 6.9 | 0.0 | 19.0 | 17.2 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 27.5 | 25.4 | 2.1 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2-Aug-11 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 0.1 | 19.4 | 18.0 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 26.5 | 24.9 | 1.7 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2012

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 15.9 | 15.8 | 0.1 | 51.8 | 50.4 | 1.4 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 0.9 | 70.7 | 68.4 | 2.4 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 0.2 | 26.0 | 25.4 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 34.1 | 32.7 | 1.4 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 0.0 | 24.7 | 24.2 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 33.3 | 32.2 | 1.1 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 0.0 | 15.0 | 14.2 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 20.1 | 18.7 | 1.3 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7-Sep-12 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 0.0 | 15.6 | 14.2 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 21.1 | 19.2 | 2.0 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 0.0 | 10.0 | 4.0 | 6.0 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 12.8 | 6.7 | 6.1 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 3.8 | 0.7 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 6.3 | 5.4 | 0.9 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 11.7 | 4.5 | 7.2 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 14.6 | 7.2 | 7.4 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 5.3 | 2.0 | 3.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 7.4 | 3.9 | 3.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-Aug-13 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 10.6 | 7.6 | 3.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 13.9 | 10.7 | 3.2 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Responding WS Distribution Connected ESIIDs

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 9.0 | 8.6 | 0.4 | 14.0 | 5.4 | 8.6 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 23.9 | 14.0 | 9.9 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 0.5 | 14.7 | 5.7 | 9.0 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 18.8 | 8.5 | 10.4 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 10.7 | 10.0 | 0.8 | 23.1 | 9.9 | 13.1 | 1.9 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 35.6 | 20.4 | 15.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 11.7 | 11.0 | 0.7 | 24.5 | 11.2 | 13.3 | 2.0 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 38.2 | 22.8 | 15.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 0.7 | 17.3 | 4.0 | 13.3 | 1.4 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 27.3 | 12.1 | 15.1 |



Appendix 5 – Total MW Response

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 88.7 | 69.5 | 19.3 | 164.9 | 133.0 | 31.9 | 262.8 | 205.8 | 56.9 | 516.4 | 408.3 | 108.1 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 73.8 | 57.1 | 16.7 | 151.5 | 97.1 | 54.4 | 159.8 | 106.2 | 53.7 | 385.1 | 260.4 | 124.7 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 89.3 | 72.6 | 16.8 | 153.3 | 107.7 | 45.6 | 301.4 | 226.0 | 75.4 | 544.0 | 406.2 | 137.8 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 88.9 | 77.4 | 11.5 | 153.3 | 111.8 | 41.5 | 210.4 | 165.7 | 44.7 | 452.6 | 354.9 | 97.7 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24-Jun-09 | 105.1 | 83.2 | 22.0 | 161.8 | 118.8 | 43.0 | 257.4 | 195.5 | 61.9 | 524.3 | 397.4 | 126.9 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2010

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 85.6 | 67.1 | 18.4 | 120.7 | 39.1 | 81.6 | 126.1 | 63.8 | 62.3 | 332.3 | 170.0 | 162.3 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 68.7 | 49.9 | 18.7 | 137.7 | 84.5 | 53.2 | 242.1 | 181.2 | 60.9 | 448.5 | 315.7 | 132.8 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 98.8 | 76.4 | 22.4 | 164.4 | 83.3 | 81.0 | 196.3 | 98.2 | 98.1 | 459.5 | 257.9 | 201.5 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 112.3 | 75.6 | 36.7 | 127.8 | 67.3 | 60.5 | 231.5 | 168.7 | 62.7 | 471.5 | 311.7 | 159.9 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20-Aug-10 | 203.5 | 194.1 | 9.5 | 207.4 | 148.5 | 58.8 | 145.5 | 79.6 | 65.8 | 556.4 | 422.2 | 134.1 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2011

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 112.6 | 106.0 | 6.6 | 196.4 | 86.0 | 110.4 | 315.7 | 254.8 | 60.9 | 624.7 | 446.8 | 177.9 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 117.3 | 95.3 | 22.1 | 208.1 | 84.6 | 123.5 | 241.4 | 193.3 | 48.1 | 566.8 | 373.1 | 193.6 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 118.7 | 96.4 | 22.3 | 250.8 | 119.5 | 131.2 | 346.0 | 288.8 | 57.2 | 715.5 | 504.8 | 210.7 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 100.0 | 88.3 | 11.7 | 205.3 | 122.5 | 82.7 | 328.2 | 268.6 | 59.5 | 633.5 | 479.5 | 154.0 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2-Aug-11 | 102.1 | 101.6 | 0.4 | 240.9 | 107.4 | 133.5 | 300.8 | 255.1 | 45.7 | 643.8 | 464.2 | 179.6 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2012

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 147.8 | 139.1 | 8.7 | 274.7 | 177.9 | 96.8 | 303.5 | 229.7 | 73.8 | 726.1 | 546.8 | 179.3 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 137.7 | 137.3 | 0.3 | 233.3 | 139.2 | 94.1 | 223.1 | 146.5 | 76.5 | 594.0 | 423.1 | 170.9 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 87.2 | 86.3 | 0.9 | 205.5 | 116.9 | 88.6 | 213.0 | 151.7 | 61.3 | 505.6 | 354.8 | 150.7 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 144.2 | 133.4 | 10.8 | 201.6 | 123.6 | 78.0 | 297.9 | 237.3 | 60.6 | 643.7 | 494.3 | 149.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7-Sep-12 | 155.9 | 153.1 | 2.8 | 237.0 | 160.9 | 76.1 | 304.9 | 240.5 | 64.4 | 697.8 | 554.4 | 143.4 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 110.7 | 104.9 | 5.8 | 209.8 | 149.1 | 60.6 | 257.6 | 190.9 | 66.8 | 578.1 | 444.9 | 133.2 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 152.0 | 115.5 | 36.5 | 201.1 | 151.7 | 49.4 | 240.3 | 168.2 | 72.1 | 593.4 | 435.4 | 158.0 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 115.5 | 94.1 | 21.4 | 220.3 | 176.3 | 44.1 | 249.3 | 184.4 | 64.9 | 585.1 | 454.8 | 130.3 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 137.7 | 106.4 | 31.4 | 183.0 | 93.5 | 89.5 | 148.2 | 92.1 | 56.0 | 468.9 | 292.0 | 176.9 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-Aug-13 | 113.4 | 92.9 | 20.4 | 201.2 | 153.7 | 47.5 | 268.1 | 197.2 | 71.0 | 582.8 | 443.8 | 138.9 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

All Responding 4-CP ESIIDS

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | High Load Factor | | | Medium Load Factor | | | Low Load Factor | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 159.4 | 138.4 | 21.0 | 241.7 | 165.5 | 76.1 | 242.0 | 173.4 | 68.7 | 643.1 | 477.3 | 165.8 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 37.5 | 30.5 | 7.0 | 112.7 | 66.1 | 46.6 | 149.0 | 87.1 | 62.0 | 299.2 | 183.6 | 115.5 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 199.4 | 164.9 | 34.5 | 252.0 | 174.3 | 77.7 | 263.8 | 187.8 | 76.0 | 715.2 | 526.9 | 188.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 204.3 | 164.4 | 39.8 | 273.9 | 183.8 | 90.1 | 301.5 | 207.0 | 94.5 | 779.6 | 555.2 | 224.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 125.5 | 117.6 | 7.9 | 219.8 | 165.7 | 54.1 | 278.8 | 221.6 | 57.2 | 624.2 | 504.9 | 119.3 |



Appendix 6 – Reductions by Voltage Level



Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 307.5 | 250.7 | 56.8 | 185.9 | 137.7 | 48.2 | 23.0 | 19.9 | 3.1 | 516.4 | 408.3 | 108.1 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 226.7 | 164.7 | 61.9 | 146.9 | 86.9 | 60.0 | 11.6 | 8.7 | 2.9 | 385.1 | 260.4 | 124.7 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 366.3 | 278.5 | 87.8 | 161.0 | 112.9 | 48.1 | 16.7 | 14.9 | 1.9 | 544.0 | 406.2 | 137.8 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 284.3 | 236.7 | 47.6 | 157.2 | 108.9 | 48.2 | 11.1 | 9.3 | 1.9 | 452.6 | 354.9 | 97.7 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24-Jun-09 | 323.8 | 249.0 | 74.8 | 177.2 | 128.0 | 49.2 | 23.3 | 20.5 | 2.9 | 524.3 | 397.4 | 126.9 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2010

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 174.3 | 72.1 | 102.2 | 150.2 | 91.3 | 58.9 | 7.8 | 6.6 | 1.2 | 332.3 | 170.0 | 162.3 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 241.7 | 158.6 | 83.1 | 197.5 | 149.2 | 48.3 | 9.3 | 7.8 | 1.4 | 448.5 | 315.7 | 132.8 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 236.0 | 100.8 | 135.2 | 206.9 | 141.9 | 65.0 | 16.6 | 15.2 | 1.3 | 459.5 | 257.9 | 201.5 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 303.0 | 189.3 | 113.6 | 162.4 | 116.8 | 45.5 | 6.1 | 5.5 | 0.7 | 471.5 | 311.7 | 159.9 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20-Aug-10 | 276.1 | 185.0 | 91.1 | 264.7 | 222.6 | 42.0 | 15.6 | 14.6 | 1.0 | 556.4 | 422.2 | 134.1 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2011

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 407.4 | 291.6 | 115.8 | 197.5 | 138.1 | 59.5 | 19.7 | 17.1 | 2.6 | 624.7 | 446.8 | 177.9 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 353.6 | 214.9 | 138.7 | 199.6 | 146.4 | 53.3 | 13.6 | 11.9 | 1.7 | 566.8 | 373.1 | 193.6 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 423.5 | 280.5 | 143.0 | 264.0 | 198.0 | 66.0 | 28.0 | 26.3 | 1.7 | 715.5 | 504.8 | 210.7 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 329.0 | 229.2 | 99.8 | 277.0 | 224.9 | 52.1 | 27.5 | 25.4 | 2.1 | 633.5 | 479.5 | 154.0 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14-Jul-11 | 397.5 | 282.8 | 114.7 | 219.8 | 156.6 | 63.2 | 26.5 | 24.9 | 1.7 | 643.8 | 464.2 | 179.6 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2012

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 417.4 | 308.0 | 109.4 | 238.0 | 170.4 | 67.5 | 70.7 | 68.4 | 2.4 | 726.1 | 546.8 | 179.3 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 316.3 | 202.8 | 113.5 | 243.6 | 187.6 | 56.1 | 34.1 | 32.7 | 1.4 | 594.0 | 423.1 | 170.9 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 248.9 | 151.6 | 97.3 | 223.4 | 171.1 | 52.3 | 33.3 | 32.2 | 1.1 | 505.6 | 354.8 | 150.7 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 407.0 | 313.2 | 93.8 | 216.7 | 162.4 | 54.2 | 20.1 | 18.7 | 1.3 | 643.7 | 494.3 | 149.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7-Sep-12 | 379.9 | 300.6 | 79.3 | 296.7 | 234.6 | 62.1 | 21.1 | 19.2 | 2.0 | 697.8 | 554.4 | 143.4 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 322.5 | 252.8 | 69.7 | 242.9 | 185.4 | 57.5 | 12.8 | 6.7 | 6.1 | 578.1 | 444.9 | 133.2 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 357.0 | 258.4 | 98.6 | 230.1 | 171.6 | 58.5 | 6.3 | 5.4 | 0.9 | 593.4 | 435.4 | 158.0 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 303.5 | 241.9 | 61.6 | 267.0 | 205.6 | 61.4 | 14.6 | 7.2 | 7.4 | 585.1 | 454.8 | 130.3 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 237.5 | 127.7 | 109.7 | 224.0 | 160.3 | 63.7 | 7.4 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 468.9 | 292.0 | 176.9 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-Aug-13 | 318.0 | 242.3 | 75.7 | 250.8 | 190.8 | 60.0 | 13.9 | 10.7 | 3.2 | 582.8 | 443.8 | 138.9 |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Reductions by Voltage Group

| | Reductions for Hour Ending 17:00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| | Transmission | | | Distribution Non-Weather Sensitive | | | Distribution Weather Sensitive | | | Total | | |
| | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response | Total Response | Peak Response | Day Response |
| 4 CP Days | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 355.9 | 263.8 | 92.1 | 263.2 | 199.4 | 63.8 | 23.9 | 14.0 | 9.9 | 643.1 | 477.3 | 165.8 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 109.2 | 66.0 | 43.2 | 171.1 | 109.2 | 62.0 | 18.8 | 8.5 | 10.4 | 299.2 | 183.6 | 115.5 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 360.3 | 262.3 | 98.0 | 319.3 | 244.3 | 75.0 | 35.6 | 20.4 | 15.2 | 715.2 | 526.9 | 188.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 424.8 | 298.6 | 126.2 | 316.7 | 233.9 | 82.8 | 38.2 | 22.8 | 15.4 | 779.6 | 555.2 | 224.4 |
| Near CP Day with Largest Response | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Aug-14 | 318.5 | 265.3 | 53.2 | 278.4 | 227.4 | 51.0 | 27.3 | 12.1 | 15.1 | 624.2 | 504.9 | 119.3 |



Appendix 7 – Reductions as a Percent of Total Load



Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | Total Reduction | Responders | | Response as | | Total Reduction | Responders | | Response as | |
|-----------|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------|---------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| | | Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | | Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load |
| | High Load Factor MW | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 88.7 | 232.9 | 2,914.8 | 3,147.7 | 2.8% | 164.9 | 697.1 | 6,217.3 | 6,914.4 | 2.4% |
| 13-Jul-09 | 73.8 | 192.0 | 3,019.4 | 3,211.4 | 2.3% | 151.5 | 486.5 | 6,565.6 | 7,052.1 | 2.1% |
| 5-Aug-09 | 89.3 | 227.0 | 2,951.3 | 3,178.3 | 2.8% | 153.3 | 513.2 | 6,506.0 | 7,019.1 | 2.2% |
| 3-Sep-09 | 88.9 | 201.2 | 2,955.1 | 3,156.3 | 2.8% | 153.3 | 449.3 | 6,188.6 | 6,637.9 | 2.3% |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | Total | | | | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 262.8 | 633.6 | 920.6 | 1,554.2 | 16.9% | 516.4 | 1,563.5 | 10,052.7 | 11,616.3 | 4.4% |
| 13-Jul-09 | 159.8 | 342.9 | 1,042.0 | 1,384.9 | 11.5% | 385.1 | 1,021.4 | 10,627.0 | 11,648.4 | 3.3% |
| 5-Aug-09 | 301.4 | 583.0 | 997.1 | 1,580.2 | 19.1% | 544.0 | 1,323.2 | 10,454.5 | 11,777.6 | 4.6% |
| 3-Sep-09 | 210.4 | 421.9 | 1,204.8 | 1,626.7 | 12.9% | 452.6 | 1,072.4 | 10,348.5 | 11,420.9 | 4.0% |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | Total Reduction | Responders | | Non-Responders | | Response as | | Total Reduction | Responders | | Non-Responders | | Response as | |
|-----------|----------------------------|------------|------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------|------------|----------------|------------|-----------------------|--|
| | | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | |
| | High Load Factor MW | | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 85.6 | 214.6 | 5,910.9 | 6,125.5 | 1.4% | 120.7 | 388.6 | 5,596.9 | 5,985.5 | 2.0% | | | | |
| 16-Jul-10 | 68.7 | 246.2 | 5,887.6 | 6,133.8 | 1.1% | 137.7 | 611.2 | 5,290.6 | 5,901.8 | 2.3% | | | | |
| 23-Aug-10 | 98.8 | 347.3 | 5,812.0 | 6,159.2 | 1.6% | 164.4 | 573.2 | 5,628.5 | 6,201.8 | 2.7% | | | | |
| 14-Sep-10 | 112.3 | 346.1 | 5,606.5 | 5,952.6 | 1.9% | 127.8 | 475.4 | 5,512.3 | 5,987.7 | 2.1% | | | | |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | | Total | | | | | | | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 126.1 | 325.2 | 1,088.9 | 1,414.1 | 8.9% | 332.3 | 928.4 | 12,596.7 | 13,525.0 | 2.5% | | | | |
| 16-Jul-10 | 242.1 | 512.8 | 838.9 | 1,351.7 | 17.9% | 448.5 | 1,370.2 | 12,017.1 | 13,387.4 | 3.4% | | | | |
| 23-Aug-10 | 196.3 | 532.9 | 1,017.9 | 1,550.8 | 12.7% | 459.5 | 1,453.4 | 12,458.4 | 13,911.8 | 3.3% | | | | |
| 14-Sep-10 | 231.5 | 476.9 | 1,197.3 | 1,674.3 | 13.8% | 471.5 | 1,298.5 | 12,316.1 | 13,614.6 | 3.5% | | | | |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2010

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | Total Reduction | Responders | | Response as | | Total Reduction | Responders | | Response as | | |
|-----------|----------------------------|------------|---------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------|--|
| | | Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | |
| | High Load Factor MW | | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 112.6 | 387.4 | 6,094.5 | 6,481.9 | 1.7% | 196.4 | 636.9 | 5,981.2 | 6,618.1 | 3.0% | |
| 27-Jul-11 | 117.3 | 277.7 | 6,213.3 | 6,491.0 | 1.8% | 208.1 | 668.8 | 6,099.1 | 6,767.9 | 3.1% | |
| 3-Aug-11 | 118.7 | 377.7 | 6,212.5 | 6,590.2 | 1.8% | 250.8 | 906.5 | 5,964.2 | 6,870.7 | 3.6% | |
| 24-Sep-11 | 100.0 | 421.9 | 6,069.7 | 6,491.6 | 1.5% | 205.3 | 841.9 | 5,545.3 | 6,387.2 | 3.2% | |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | | Total | | | | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 315.7 | 612.3 | 880.5 | 1,492.9 | 21.1% | 624.7 | 1,636.6 | 12,956.3 | 14,592.9 | 4.3% | |
| 27-Jul-11 | 241.4 | 464.1 | 965.6 | 1,429.8 | 16.9% | 566.8 | 1,410.6 | 13,278.1 | 14,688.8 | 3.9% | |
| 3-Aug-11 | 346.0 | 624.7 | 900.9 | 1,525.5 | 22.7% | 715.5 | 1,908.8 | 13,077.5 | 14,986.3 | 4.8% | |
| 24-Sep-11 | 328.2 | 733.2 | 790.6 | 1,523.9 | 21.5% | 633.5 | 1,997.0 | 12,405.7 | 14,402.7 | 4.4% | |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2011

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | High Load Factor MW | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------|---|
| | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load |
| 26-Jun-12 | 147.8 | 590.5 | 5,342.1 | 5,932.6 | 2.5% | 274.7 | 1,176.6 | 5,870.7 | 7,047.3 | 3.9% |
| 31-Jul-12 | 137.7 | 427.1 | 5,428.9 | 5,856.0 | 2.4% | 233.3 | 967.8 | 6,005.3 | 6,973.1 | 3.3% |
| 1-Aug-12 | 87.2 | 274.8 | 5,623.2 | 5,898.0 | 1.5% | 205.5 | 832.2 | 6,201.1 | 7,033.3 | 2.9% |
| 5-Sep-12 | 144.2 | 431.9 | 5,476.5 | 5,908.5 | 2.4% | 201.6 | 770.3 | 6,166.9 | 6,937.2 | 2.9% |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | Total | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 303.5 | 533.3 | 834.1 | 1,367.4 | 22.2% | 726.1 | 2,300.4 | 12,046.9 | 14,347.3 | 5.1% |
| 31-Jul-12 | 223.1 | 447.4 | 893.1 | 1,340.6 | 16.6% | 594.0 | 1,842.3 | 12,327.4 | 14,169.7 | 4.2% |
| 1-Aug-12 | 213.0 | 489.4 | 907.5 | 1,396.9 | 15.2% | 505.6 | 1,596.3 | 12,731.8 | 14,328.1 | 3.5% |
| 5-Sep-12 | 297.9 | 509.2 | 1,112.1 | 1,621.3 | 18.4% | 643.7 | 1,711.4 | 12,755.6 | 14,467.0 | 4.4% |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2012

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | High Load Factor MW | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------|---|
| | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load |
| 26-Jun-12 | 139.2 | 397.5 | 5,517.4 | 5,914.9 | 2.4% | 233.7 | 745.4 | 6,257.2 | 7,002.6 | 3.3% |
| 31-Jul-12 | 135.4 | 321.6 | 5,523.5 | 5,845.1 | 2.3% | 214.7 | 618.6 | 6,333.2 | 6,951.8 | 3.1% |
| 1-Aug-12 | 83.5 | 162.3 | 5,722.8 | 5,885.1 | 1.4% | 180.2 | 493.8 | 6,511.3 | 7,005.0 | 2.6% |
| 4-Sep-12 | 130.2 | 328.5 | 5,559.7 | 5,888.2 | 2.2% | 168.1 | 491.0 | 6,392.2 | 6,883.3 | 2.4% |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | Total | | | | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 302.2 | 522.9 | 855.9 | 1,378.8 | 21.9% | 675.0 | 1,665.8 | 12,630.5 | 14,296.3 | 4.7% |
| 31-Jul-12 | 225.8 | 438.2 | 916.5 | 1,354.7 | 16.7% | 575.9 | 1,378.4 | 12,773.2 | 14,151.6 | 4.1% |
| 1-Aug-12 | 213.7 | 482.6 | 927.2 | 1,409.8 | 15.2% | 477.3 | 1,138.6 | 13,161.2 | 14,299.9 | 3.3% |
| 4-Sep-12 | 211.7 | 425.7 | 1,115.5 | 1,541.1 | 13.7% | 510.0 | 1,245.3 | 13,067.3 | 14,312.6 | 3.6% |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | Total Reduction | Responders | | Non-Responders | | Response as | | Total Reduction | Responders | | Non-Responders | | Response as | |
|-----------|----------------------------|------------|------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------|------------|----------------|------------|-----------------------|--|
| | | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Total Load | Percent of Total Load | |
| | High Load Factor MW | | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 110.7 | 319.1 | 5,221.8 | 5,540.8 | 2.0% | 209.8 | 783.8 | 5,624.1 | 6,407.9 | 3.3% | | | | |
| 31-Jul-13 | 152.0 | 379.4 | 5,188.9 | 5,568.2 | 2.7% | 201.1 | 648.4 | 5,697.4 | 6,345.8 | 3.2% | | | | |
| 7-Aug-13 | 115.5 | 328.4 | 5,184.5 | 5,512.9 | 2.1% | 220.3 | 850.6 | 5,612.1 | 6,462.7 | 3.4% | | | | |
| 3-Sep-13 | 137.7 | 396.3 | 5,149.3 | 5,545.6 | 2.5% | 183.0 | 627.0 | 5,640.9 | 6,268.0 | 2.9% | | | | |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | | Total | | | | | | | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 257.6 | 481.7 | 915.7 | 1,397.4 | 18.4% | 578.1 | 1,584.6 | 11,761.6 | 13,346.1 | 4.3% | | | | |
| 31-Jul-13 | 240.3 | 491.2 | 883.7 | 1,374.9 | 17.5% | 593.4 | 1,519.0 | 11,769.9 | 13,288.9 | 4.5% | | | | |
| 7-Aug-13 | 249.3 | 470.8 | 1,004.7 | 1,475.5 | 16.9% | 585.1 | 1,649.9 | 11,801.2 | 13,451.1 | 4.3% | | | | |
| 3-Sep-13 | 148.2 | 365.8 | 1,138.1 | 1,503.9 | 9.9% | 468.9 | 1,389.2 | 11,928.3 | 13,317.5 | 3.5% | | | | |

Hour-ending 17:00 MW Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Reductions as a Percent of Total Voltage Group Load

| CP Date | High Load Factor MW | | | | | Medium Load Factor MW | | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load | Total Reduction | Responders Total Load | Non-Responders Total Load | Total Load | Response as Percent of Total Load |
| 16-Jun-14 | 159.4 | 527.8 | 5,436.6 | 5,964.4 | 2.7% | 241.7 | 769.8 | 5,967.0 | 6,736.9 | 3.6% |
| 21-Jul-14 | 37.5 | 277.8 | 5,782.9 | 6,060.7 | 0.6% | 112.7 | 563.9 | 6,344.9 | 6,908.8 | 1.6% |
| 25-Aug-14 | 199.4 | 570.0 | 5,473.0 | 6,043.0 | 3.3% | 252.0 | 868.2 | 6,115.1 | 6,983.3 | 3.6% |
| 10-Sep-14 | 204.3 | 625.2 | 5,417.4 | 6,042.6 | 3.4% | 273.9 | 874.5 | 6,036.3 | 6,910.9 | 4.0% |
| | Low Load Factor | | | | | Total | | | | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 242.0 | 409.1 | 850.9 | 1,260.0 | 19.2% | 643.1 | 1,706.7 | 12,254.6 | 13,961.3 | 4.6% |
| 21-Jul-14 | 149.0 | 325.7 | 987.5 | 1,313.2 | 11.3% | 299.2 | 1,167.3 | 13,115.3 | 14,282.7 | 2.1% |
| 25-Aug-14 | 263.8 | 506.6 | 1,095.6 | 1,602.2 | 16.5% | 715.2 | 1,944.7 | 12,683.8 | 14,628.5 | 4.9% |
| 10-Sep-14 | 301.5 | 492.4 | 1,115.4 | 1,607.8 | 18.8% | 779.6 | 1,992.1 | 12,569.1 | 14,561.2 | 5.4% |



Appendix 8 – Percent of Load by Group



Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2009

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 88.7 | 17.2% | 164.9 | 31.9% | 262.8 | 50.9% | 516.4 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 73.8 | 19.2% | 151.5 | 39.3% | 159.8 | 41.5% | 385.1 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 89.3 | 16.4% | 153.3 | 28.2% | 301.4 | 55.4% | 544.0 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 88.9 | 19.6% | 153.3 | 33.9% | 210.4 | 46.5% | 452.6 |

| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 25-Jun-09 | 307.5 | 59.6% | 185.9 | 36.0% | 23.0 | 4.5% | 516.4 |
| 13-Jul-09 | 226.7 | 58.9% | 146.9 | 38.1% | 11.6 | 3.0% | 385.1 |
| 5-Aug-09 | 366.3 | 67.3% | 161.0 | 29.6% | 16.7 | 3.1% | 544.0 |
| 3-Sep-09 | 284.3 | 62.8% | 157.2 | 34.7% | 11.1 | 2.5% | 452.6 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2010

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 85.6 | 25.8% | 120.7 | 36.3% | 126.1 | 37.9% | 332.3 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 68.7 | 15.3% | 137.7 | 30.7% | 242.1 | 54.0% | 448.5 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 98.8 | 21.5% | 164.4 | 35.8% | 196.3 | 42.7% | 459.5 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 112.3 | 23.8% | 127.8 | 27.1% | 231.5 | 49.1% | 471.5 |

| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 21-Jun-10 | 174.3 | 52.4% | 150.2 | 45.2% | 7.8 | 2.4% | 332.3 |
| 16-Jul-10 | 241.7 | 53.9% | 197.5 | 44.0% | 9.3 | 2.1% | 448.5 |
| 23-Aug-10 | 236.0 | 51.4% | 206.9 | 45.0% | 16.6 | 3.6% | 459.5 |
| 14-Sep-10 | 303.0 | 64.3% | 162.4 | 34.4% | 6.1 | 1.3% | 471.5 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2011

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 112.6 | 18.0% | 196.4 | 31.4% | 315.7 | 50.5% | 624.7 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 117.3 | 20.7% | 208.1 | 36.7% | 241.4 | 42.6% | 566.8 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 118.7 | 16.6% | 250.8 | 35.0% | 346.0 | 48.4% | 715.5 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 100.0 | 15.8% | 205.3 | 32.4% | 328.2 | 51.8% | 633.5 |

| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 15-Jun-11 | 407.4 | 65.2% | 197.5 | 31.6% | 19.7 | 3.2% | 624.7 |
| 27-Jul-11 | 353.6 | 62.4% | 199.6 | 35.2% | 13.6 | 2.4% | 566.8 |
| 3-Aug-11 | 423.5 | 59.2% | 264.0 | 36.9% | 28.0 | 3.9% | 715.5 |
| 24-Sep-11 | 329.0 | 51.9% | 277.0 | 43.7% | 27.5 | 4.3% | 633.5 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2012

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 147.8 | 20.4% | 274.7 | 37.8% | 303.5 | 41.8% | 726.1 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 137.7 | 23.2% | 233.3 | 39.3% | 223.1 | 37.6% | 594.0 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 87.2 | 17.2% | 205.5 | 40.6% | 213.0 | 42.1% | 505.6 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 144.2 | 22.4% | 201.6 | 31.3% | 297.9 | 46.3% | 643.7 |

| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 26-Jun-12 | 417.4 | 57.5% | 238.0 | 32.8% | 70.7 | 9.7% | 726.1 |
| 31-Jul-12 | 316.3 | 53.2% | 243.6 | 41.0% | 34.1 | 5.7% | 594.0 |
| 1-Aug-12 | 248.9 | 49.2% | 223.4 | 44.2% | 33.3 | 6.6% | 505.6 |
| 5-Sep-12 | 407.0 | 63.2% | 216.7 | 33.7% | 20.1 | 3.1% | 643.7 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2013

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 110.7 | 19.2% | 209.8 | 36.3% | 257.6 | 44.6% | 578.1 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 152.0 | 25.6% | 201.1 | 33.9% | 240.3 | 40.5% | 593.4 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 115.5 | 19.7% | 220.3 | 37.7% | 249.3 | 42.6% | 585.1 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 137.7 | 29.4% | 183.0 | 39.0% | 148.2 | 31.6% | 468.9 |

| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 27-Jun-13 | 322.5 | 55.8% | 242.9 | 42.0% | 12.8 | 2.2% | 578.1 |
| 31-Jul-13 | 357.0 | 60.2% | 230.1 | 38.8% | 6.3 | 1.1% | 593.4 |
| 7-Aug-13 | 303.5 | 51.9% | 267.0 | 45.6% | 14.6 | 2.5% | 585.1 |
| 3-Sep-13 | 237.5 | 50.6% | 224.0 | 47.8% | 7.4 | 1.6% | 468.9 |

Hour-ending 17:00 Reductions on 4 CP Days - 2014

Percentage of Load Reduction by Load Factor and Voltage Group

| 4 CP Days | High Load Factor | | Medium Load Factor | | Low Load Factor | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 159.4 | 24.8% | 241.7 | 37.6% | 242.0 | 37.6% | 643.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 37.5 | 12.5% | 112.7 | 37.7% | 149.0 | 49.8% | 299.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 199.4 | 27.9% | 252.0 | 35.2% | 263.8 | 36.9% | 715.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 204.3 | 26.2% | 273.9 | 35.1% | 301.5 | 38.7% | 779.6 |

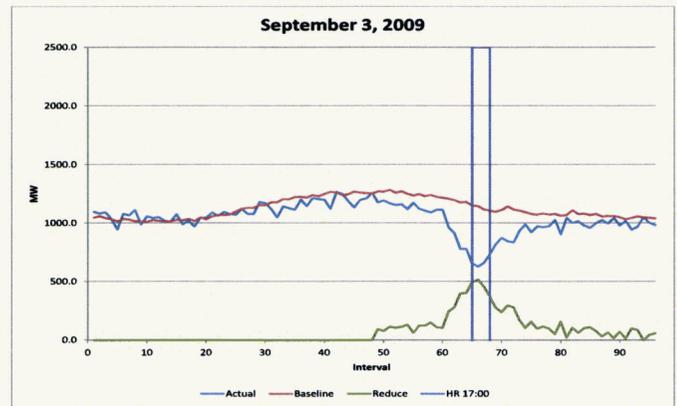
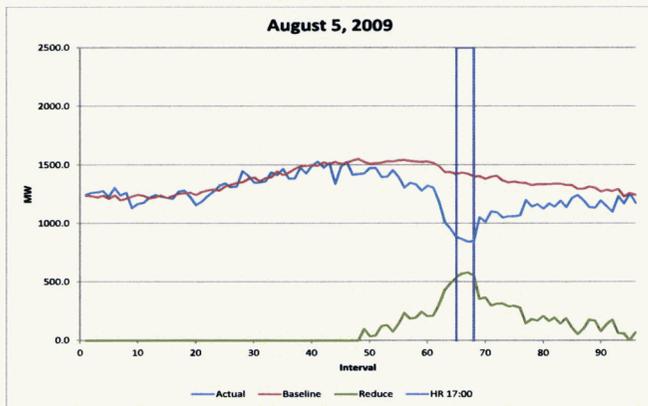
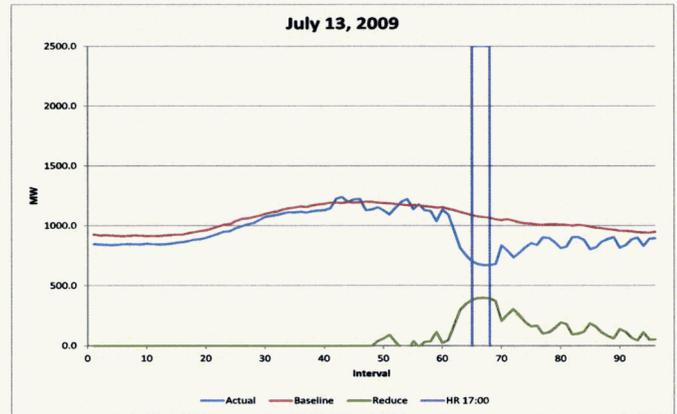
| 4 CP Days | Transmission | | Distribution NWS | | Distribution WS | | Total Reduction |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | Total Reduction | Percent of Total Reduction | |
| 16-Jun-14 | 355.9 | 55.3% | 263.2 | 40.9% | 23.9 | 3.7% | 643.1 |
| 21-Jul-14 | 109.2 | 36.5% | 171.1 | 57.2% | 18.8 | 6.3% | 299.2 |
| 25-Aug-14 | 360.3 | 50.4% | 319.3 | 44.6% | 35.6 | 5.0% | 715.2 |
| 10-Sep-14 | 424.8 | 54.5% | 316.7 | 40.6% | 38.2 | 4.9% | 779.6 |



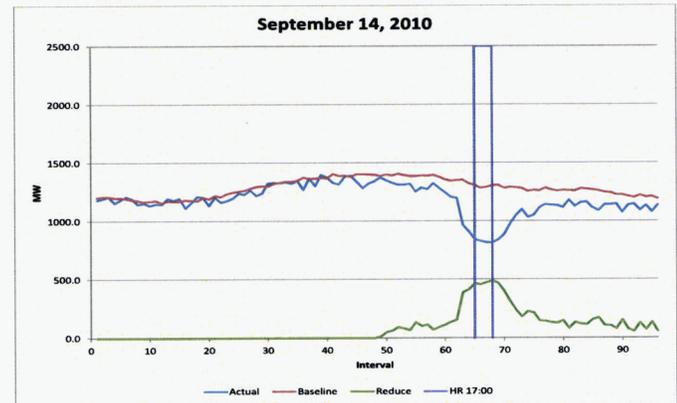
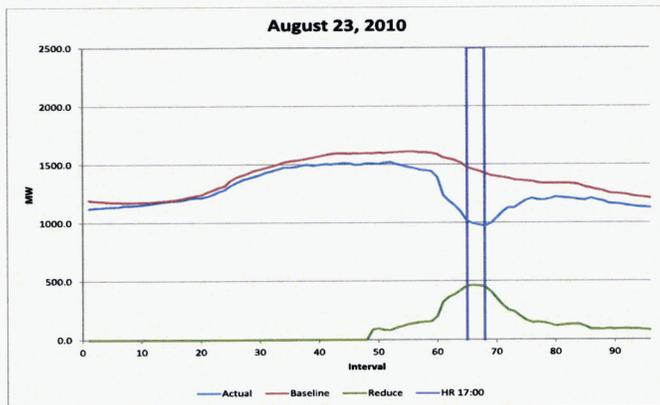
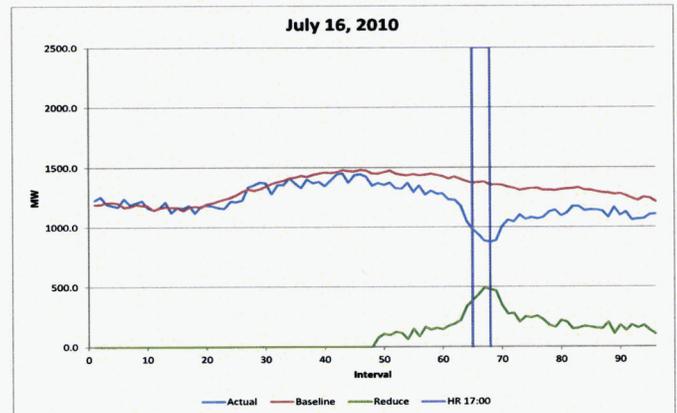
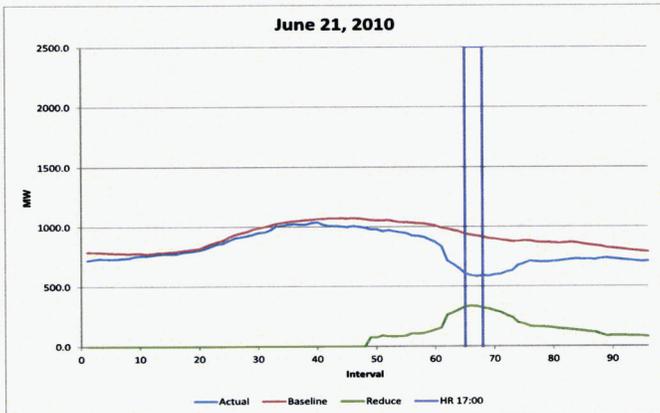
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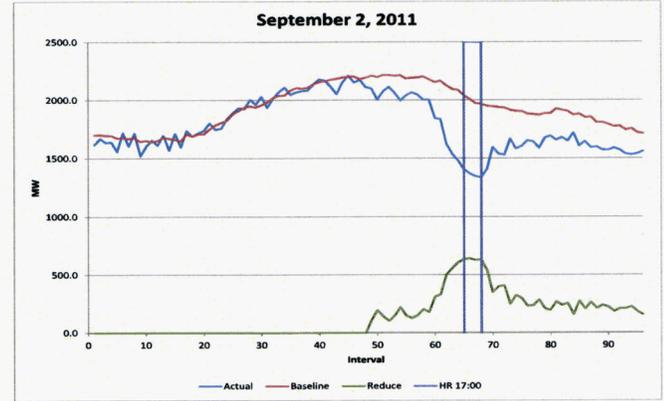
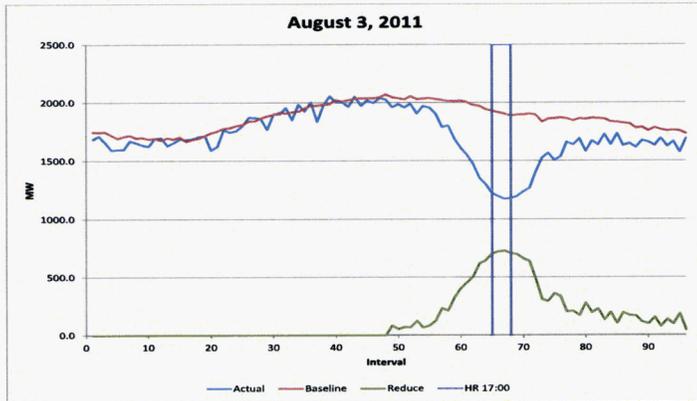
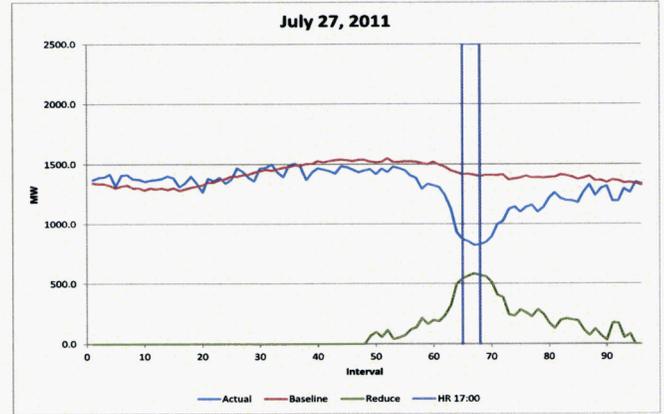
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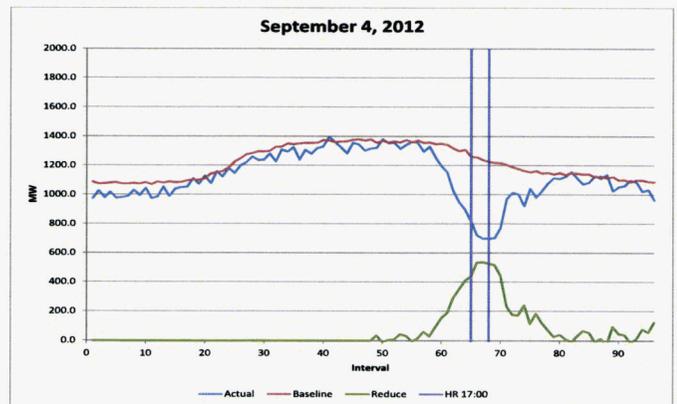
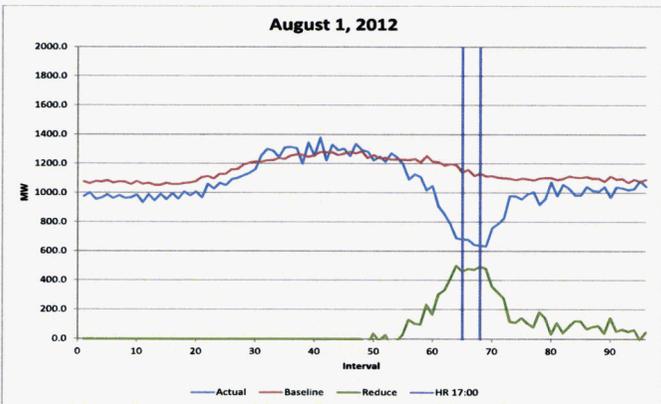
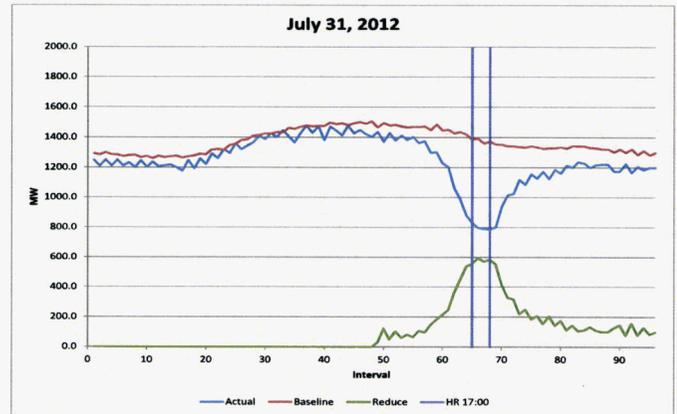
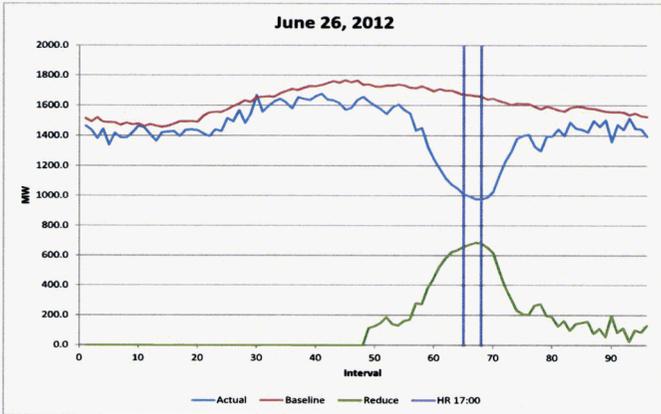
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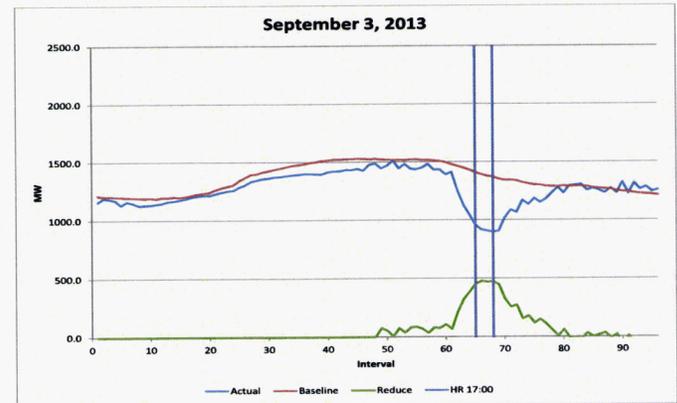
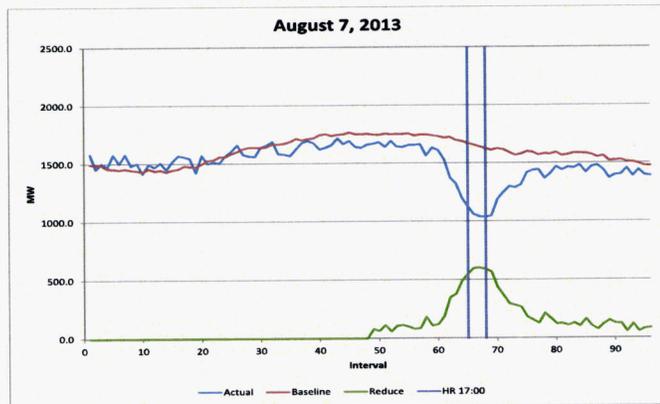
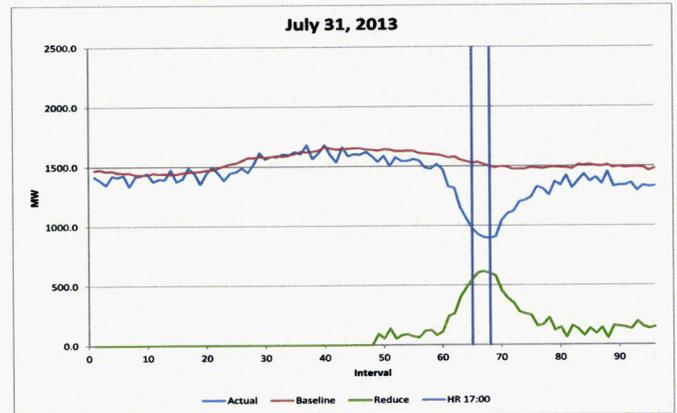
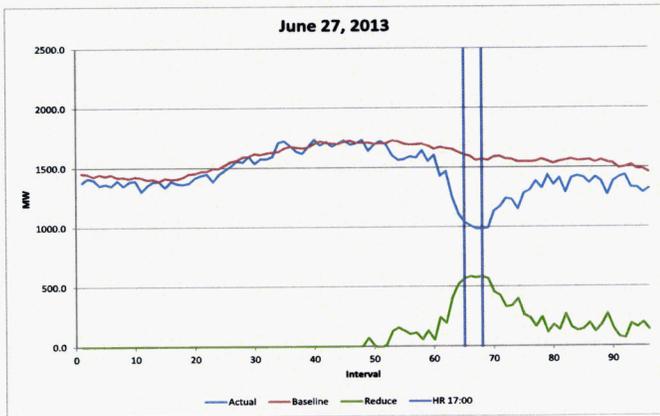
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