



# **Assessment of New England's Natural Gas Pipeline Capacity to Satisfy Short and Near- Term Electric Generation Needs: Phase II**

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<sup>1</sup> IREMM is the acronym for the Inter-Regional Electric Market Model (IREMM). More information can be found at: [www.iremm.com](http://www.iremm.com).

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## Executive Summary

In 2011 and 2012, ICF International (ICF) conducted a study under the direction of ISO New England, Inc. (ISO-NE) aimed at assessing the adequacy of the natural gas pipeline infrastructure in New England to serve the combined needs of the core natural gas market and the regional electric generation fleet.<sup>2</sup> In the 2011/12 study (referred to hereafter as “Phase I”), ICF quantified New England’s natural gas supply capabilities (contracted pipeline capacity, peak shaving capabilities, and LNG import facilities) and projections for growth in peak winter day and summer day gas loads for the region’s local distribution companies (LDCs), and compared these values to ISO-NE projections for power sector peak day gas consumption to assess the adequacy of New England gas supplies to meet the growth in peak day gas loads through 2020.

Subsequent to the Phase I study, there have been several significant changes in the existing natural gas and electric power systems and projections for future changes that prompted ISO-NE to specify additional cases for gas supply and power sector demand. Additionally, ISO-NE identified the need to extend the power sector gas supply adequacy analysis beyond the peak winter and summer demand day to examine supply adequacy throughout the peak winter demand period (December 1 through February 28). This report provides findings from the new study (referred to hereafter as “Phase II”).<sup>3</sup>

As in the Phase I study, Phase II focuses on the potential for shortfalls in gas supply to electric generators through 2020, given currently available pipeline capacity and expansion projects likely to come online before 2020. While LDCs contract for firm pipeline capacity and arrange for other supplies (such as LNG imports and peak shaving facilities) to meet the projected peak day demands of their firm gas customers, most electric generators rely on interruptible pipeline capacity for their fuel supplies. As in the Phase I study, this analysis assumes that on peak and near-peak demand days, the firmly contracted pipeline capacity is used to meet firm LDC loads, and electric generators must rely on whatever supply capabilities remain.<sup>4</sup> ***Therefore, in the context of this report, a gas supply “deficiency” suggests that the firm shippers are at or near their full contract limits and there is insufficient interruptible pipeline capacity remaining to meet the overall needs of the electric generators. A potential deficit of supplies available to electric generators does not mean that the pipelines serving New England are under-designed or otherwise incapable of meeting their contractual firm shipper obligations; rather it raises a number of questions about how to address potential supply shortages for electric generators.***

For the Phase II study, ICF performed a new review of pipeline contracts based on each pipeline’s Index of Customers data from Q4 2012, as reported on FERC Form 549B. The changes between the Phase I and Phase II pipeline capacity assessments are shown in Exhibit ES-1. There were no changes to either the assumed peak shaving or LNG sendout capabilities; therefore the net change in base year (2011/12) maximum winter and supply capabilities was +150 MMcf/d.

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<sup>2</sup> Assessment of New England’s Natural Gas Pipeline Capacity to Satisfy Short and Near-Term Electric Generation Needs, ICF International, ISO New England posting to the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) on June 15, 2012.

<sup>3</sup> The Phase II assessment was completed prior to the winter of 2013/13. A follow-on assessment looking at gas demands and supplies during the winter of 2013/14 was completed in April 2014; see “Winter 2013/14 Benchmark and Revised Projections for New England Natural Gas Supplies and Demand,” presented to ISO-New England Planning Advisory Committee, April 29, 2014.

<sup>4</sup> In reality, any spare pipeline capacity during the winter or summer peak load periods could be sought by regional gas LDCs, gas-fired generators, portfolio managers, gas marketers, etc.

**Exhibit ES-1. Assessment of New England Natural Gas Pipeline Capacity Contracts,  
Phase II versus Phase I**

<b>Pipeline System and Contracted Capacity (in MMcf/d)</b>	<b>Phase I Assessment of Contracts</b>	<b>Phase II Assessment of Contracts</b>	<b>Net Change in Phase II</b>
Algonquin Gas Transmission (AGT)	1,087	1,118	+31
Iroquois Gas Transmission (IGT)	220	228	+8
Tennessee Gas Pipeline (TGP)	1,261	1,291	+30
Portland Natural Gas Transmission (PNGTS)	168	249	+81
Maritimes and Northeast Pipeline (M&N)	833	833	-
<b>Total In-Bound Contracted Capacity</b>	<b>3,569</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>+150</b>

The size and timing of assumed pipeline expansions into New England was also updated for Phase II, based on ICF's most recent market recognition of planned projects. ICF currently projects that by November 2016, contracted pipeline capacity into the New England market will increase by a total of 450 MMcf/d, from planned expansions on Algonquin (380 MMcf/d) and Tennessee (70 MMcf/d).

The Phase II cases examine a variety of scenarios for New England gas supply and power sector demand. These scenarios can be group into four categories:

- Phase II Retirement
- Phase II Energy Efficiency
- Phase II Decreased LNG
- Phase II Winter Near-Peak

The first three scenarios (Retirement, Energy Efficiency, and Decreased LNG) use the same analytic approach as in Phase I, but with revised assumptions for generating capacity, energy efficiency, and natural gas supplies. The analysis for the first three scenarios focuses on the winter peak (design) day and summer peak day fuel requirements through 2020, and consisted of five steps:

- 1) Estimate New England's natural gas supply capabilities (pipeline capacities, LNG import capacities, and peak-shaving facility capabilities.)
- 2) Estimate New England LDCs' firm gas requirements for a winter peak (design) day and summer peak day.
- 3) By subtracting (2) from (1), estimate remaining gas supply capabilities to serve electric generation.
- 4) Project overall power sector gas demands (analysis performed by ISO-NE).
- 5) By subtracting (4) from (3), calculate the difference between the demand projection and the remaining gas supply capabilities to represent the surplus (or deficit) in gas supplies available for electric generation.

As in Phase I, the Phase II analysis for the Retirement, Energy Efficiency, and Decreased LNG scenarios was repeated for four alternative generation forecasts provided by ISO-NE:

- 1) **Nominal Gas Demand Forecast**, based on a 50/50 electric demand forecast where the probability of electric load (and therefore gas demand) exceeding the forecast is 50%.
- 2) **Reference Gas Demand Forecast**, based on a 90/10 electric demand forecast where the probability of electric load (and therefore gas demand) exceeding the forecast is 10%. While it is not identical to the gas sector concept of a design day, the 90/10 forecast is closer to the conditions assumed for the gas market on a peak day.
- 3) **Higher Gas Demand Forecast**, based on the Reference Gas Demand Forecast, where there is a large nuclear or coal-fired power plant outage, combined with high regional natural gas prices.
- 4) **Maximum Gas Demand Forecast**, based on the Reference Gas Demand Forecast, but where there is a large nuclear or coal-fired power plant outage with low regional natural gas prices.

All of the first three Phase II scenarios still show significant gas supply deficits on peak winter demand days from 2014 through 2020:

- Phase II Retirement gas supply deficits range from about -400,000 Dth (Nominal) to -1,000,000 Dth (Maximum).
  - The Phase II Retirement supply deficits are smaller than the deficits in the Phase I Reference cases due to Phase II's higher assumed base year pipeline capacities and larger assumed pipeline capacity expansion in 2016.
- Phase II Energy Efficiency cases reduced winter peak day electric generator gas consumption by 40,000 Dth (Nominal) to 290,000 Dth (Maximum).
  - Despite the reduced gas requirements, the gas supply adequacy analysis still shows significant deficits in power sector gas supplies on winter peak days throughout the forecast in the Energy Efficiency cases.
- Phase II Decreased LNG cases reduced peak day gas supplies (and thereby increased supply deficits) by 311,000 Dth in each of the cases examined.

The analytic approach for the Winter Near-Peak was different from the approach used for first three Phase II scenarios. Whereas the first three scenarios focus solely on gas supply and demand on a winter peak day (also referred to as a design day), the Phase II Winter Near-Peak analysis uses load duration analysis to look not just as the peak day, but at supplies and demands throughout the winter. On near-peak winter days, LDC gas loads are still relatively high, but the availability of supplies from LNG terminals and regional peak shaving facilities is reduced, lowering the total gas supplies available. The goal of the Winter Near-Peak analysis was to determine the number of winter days on which there may not be sufficient gas supplies to meet projected consumption for electric generation.

To examine gas supply and demand conditions throughout the 90 days (December 1 through February 28) of winter, ICF developed temperature-based load duration curves to represent the LDC daily gas demand as a function of mean daily temperature, as well as temperature-based gas supply curves for load-following supply sources such as the DISTRIGAS LNG terminal and M&N Pipeline (which is fed in part by the Canaport LNG terminal) and the LDCs' regional peak shaving facilities. To represent a sufficiently wide range of weather conditions, ICF collected

historical winter mean daily temperatures for the past 20 years (1993/94 through 2012/13).<sup>5</sup> Using the gas load and gas supply curves along with the historical temperature data, ICF projected the gas supply capability remaining to serve electric generation for each day of winter for each of the 20 historical winter temperature patterns.

Similarly, ISO-NE performed additional analysis on the Phase I Reference, Phase I Repower, and Phase II Retirement cases to quantify the relationship between daily temperatures and gas consumption for electric generation for the winter of 2019/20. ICF then compared the projections for gas supplies remaining to the projected daily power sector consumption to arrive at projection for both the duration of the supply deficit (i.e., the number of days when remaining supplies are less than projected demand) and the total quantity (in Dth) of the daily deficit for each of the 20 historical winter temperature scenarios.

The results indicate median values of between 24 and 34 days for duration of the winter 2019/20 deficit. The duration of the deficit ranges from 0 days (Phase I Reference, assuming the warmest temperature scenario) to 51 days (Phase II Retirement, assuming the coldest temperature scenario). The median quantities of the deficit range from about 6,000,000 Dth to about 10,700,000 Dth. The minimum quantity was 0 Dth (Phase I Reference, assuming the warmest temperature scenario), and the maximum quantity was over 21,900,000 Dth (Phase II Retirement, assuming the coldest temperature scenario).

**Exhibit ES-2. Duration of Gas Supply Deficit in Days, Winter 2019/20**

Electric Sector Scenario	Duration of Deficit, in Days		
	Median	Minimum	Maximum
Phase I Reference	24	0	42
Phase I Repower	29	1	46
Phase II Retirement	34	5	51

**Exhibit ES-3. Size of Gas Supply Deficit in 1,000 Dth, Winter 2019/20**

Electric Sector Scenario	Total Winter Deficit (1000 Dth)		
	Median	Minimum	Maximum
Phase I Reference	6,047	0	14,436
Phase I Repower	8,107	66	18,361
Phase II Retirement	10,680	439	21,931

<sup>5</sup> As was noted earlier, the Phase II analysis was completed prior to the winter of 2013/14, therefore the historical data used for this analysis does not include this winter.

## **Conclusions and Implications**

- Despite the increase in currently contracted capacity on the interstate pipelines and the likelihood of 450 MMcf/d of new capacity being added by the end of 2016, the New England market is likely to remain supply constrained through 2020.
- The updated forecast for capacity retirements (Phase II Retirements) results in very little change in projected gas consumption for electric generation.
- The updated energy efficiency projection (Phase II Energy Efficiency) has a significant impact on projected gas consumption for electric generation.
  - The Phase II Energy Efficiency cases reduced projection winter peak day gas consumption by as much as 550,000 Dth by 2019/20.
  - However, the consumption reductions in the Energy Efficiency cases were not sufficient to eliminate the projected winter peak day supply deficits.
- Future imports of LNG into the region (Phase II Decreased LNG) are likely to be well below the rated capacity of the import terminals.
  - As in the Phase I study, neither Northeast Gateway nor Neptune are projected to receive any future LNG shipments.
  - M&N Pipeline is expected to continue to flow at full capacity on a peak winter day.
    - The ramp-up of Deep Panuke production will increase supplies feeding into M&N through 2014, but Eastern Canadian production is expected to decline from 2015 through 2020.
    - Even with reduced LNG shipments, sendout from the Canaport terminal has been managed so to keep M&N Pipeline full on peak winter days (when New England gas demand and gas prices are highest). However, with fewer LNG shipments coming in, M&N will flow full on fewer winter days in the future.
  - Since 2010, Distrigas winter sendout has declining on both the peak day and over the entire winter.
    - Based on the 2012/13 sendout pattern, the projected winter peak day sendout from Distrigas is less than 60 percent of its rated capacity.
- The Winter Near-Peak analysis indicates that gas supply deficits may occur not just on peak days, but also on multiple high demand days throughout the winter.
  - Based on projected gas supplies, LDC demands, and electric generator gas demands, there is a high probability that the electric sector will have a gas supply deficit on 24 to 34 day per winter by 2019/20.

# 1. Introduction

## 1.1. Purpose of the Report

In 2011 and 2012, ICF International (ICF) conducted a study under the direction of ISO New England, Inc. (ISO-NE) aimed at assessing the adequacy of the natural gas pipeline infrastructure in New England to serve the combined needs of the core natural gas market and the regional electric generation fleet.<sup>6</sup> In the 2011/12 study (referred to hereafter as “Phase I”), ICF quantified New England’s natural gas supply capabilities (contracted pipeline capacity, peak shaving capabilities, and LNG import facilities) and projections for growth in peak day gas loads for the region’s local distribution companies (LDCs), and compared these values to ISO-NE projections for power sector peak day gas consumption to assess the adequacy of New England gas supplies to meet the growth in peak day gas loads.

Since the Phase I study, there have been several significant changes in the existing natural gas and electric power systems and projections for future changes that prompted ISO-NE to specify additional cases for gas supply and power sector demand. Additionally, ISO-NE identified the need to extend the power sector gas supply adequacy analysis beyond the peak winter and summer demand day to examine supply adequacy throughout the peak winter demand period (December 1 through February 28). This report provides findings from the new study (referred to hereafter as “Phase II”).

As in Phase I, the Phase II examines a variety of scenarios for New England gas supply and power sector demand. These scenarios can be group into four categories:

Phase II Retirement – After the Phase I study was conducted and published, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) changed and revised their U.S. EPA Air and Water Regulations. ISO-NE subsequently revised their “At-Risk” list of retirements, but those units on that list was virtually the same as those in the Phase I analysis.

Phase II Energy Efficiency – The Phase II study also includes an assessment of the impacts of ISO-NE’s Energy Efficiency Forecast 2015-2021 on gas consumption. The new load forecast results from the Phase II Energy Efficiency scenario were applied to the Phase I Reference and Repower projections and the Phase II Retirement projections.

Phase II Decreased LNG – In the Phase I study, the Everett and Canaport LNG import facilities were assumed to be operating at maximum sendout capacity on the peak day. For this portion of the Phase II analysis, ICF developed revised assumptions for LNG terminal sendout, based on each facility’s firm and short-term contracts, and the relationship between recent historical winter sendout and daily temperatures.

Phase II Winter Near-Peak – All Phase I and the other Phase II cases focus solely on gas supply and demand on a winter peak day (also referred to as a design day). The Winter Near-Peak Day scenarios use load duration analysis to look not just as the peak day, but at supplies and demands throughout the winter. On near-peak winter days, LDC gas loads are still relatively high, but the availability of supplies from LNG terminals and regional peak shaving facilities is reduced, lowering the total gas supplies available. To examine gas supply and

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<sup>6</sup> Assessment of New England’s Natural Gas Pipeline Capacity to Satisfy Short and Near-Term Electric Generation Needs, ICF International, ISO New England posting to the Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) on June 15, 2012.

demand conditions on near-peak winter days, ICF developed temperature-based load duration curves to represent the LDC daily gas demand throughout the 90-day peak winter demand period, as well as daily gas supply curves for load-following supply sources such as the Dstrigas and Canaport LNG terminals and the LDCs' regional peak shaving facilities.

## 1.2. Analytic Approach

As in the earlier study, the development of input assumptions for the Phase II analyses was divided between ICF and ISO-NE: ISO-NE provided its projections of power sector gas loads, ICF performed the analysis of New England natural gas supply capabilities and projected LDC gas loads, and ICF compared the projected total gas loads to the projected supply capabilities to assess gas supply adequacy (i.e., gas supplies remaining for electric generators). In total, ISO-NE provided ICF with 42 unique projections for peak day winter and summer power sector gas consumption, based on various combinations of Phase I and Phase II assumptions, and a range of economic dispatch cases.

For the first three groups of scenarios (Retirement, Energy Efficiency, and Decreased LNG), ISO-NE created four gas demand cases, based on a range of projections for peak day electric system dispatch.<sup>7</sup> For each gas demand case, ISO-NE identified the gas-fired<sup>8</sup> generation dispatch and, based on gas-fired unit heat rates, estimated the corresponding daily fuel (gas) requirements. The four economic dispatch cases are:

1. **Nominal Gas Demand Forecast**, based on a 50/50 electric demand forecast where the probability of electric load (and therefore gas demand) exceeding the forecast is 50%.
2. **Reference Gas Demand Forecast**, based on a 90/10 electric demand forecast where the probability of electric load (and therefore gas demand) exceeding the forecast is 10%. While it is not identical to the gas sector concept of a design day, the 90/10 forecast is close to the conditions assumed for the gas market on a peak day.
3. **Higher Gas Demand Forecast**, based on the Reference Gas Demand Forecast, where there is a large nuclear or coal-fired power plant outage, combined with high regional natural gas prices.
4. **Maximum Gas Demand Forecast**, based on the Reference Gas Demand Forecast, but where there is a large nuclear or coal-fired power plant outage with low regional natural gas prices.

The Retirement, Energy Efficiency, and Decreased LNG scenarios use the same analytic approach as in Phase I. The analysis focuses on the winter and summer peak day fuel requirements through 2020, and consisted of five steps:

- 1) Estimate New England's natural gas supply capabilities (pipeline capacities, LNG import capacities, and peak-shaving facility capabilities.)
- 2) Estimate New England LDCs' firm gas requirements for a peak winter day and peak summer day.
- 3) By subtracting (2) from (1), estimate remaining gas supply capabilities to serve electric generation.
- 4) Project overall power sector gas demands.

<sup>7</sup> The Decreased LNG scenario had no direct impact on the ISO-NE's demand forecast, so those cases use the ISO-NE Phase I and Phase II gas demand projections.

<sup>8</sup> Also includes dual fuel units burning natural gas as either a primary or secondary fuel.

- 5) By subtracting (4) from (3), estimate the difference between the demand projection and the remaining gas supply capabilities.

The Phase II Winter Near-Peak scenario approach was different. For this scenario, ISO-NE developed a series of three gas demand cases that were used to estimate winter near-peak day gas demands in the power sector, and ICF developed winter daily gas supply and load curves to represent the availability of gas to the electric sector throughout the 90 days (December 1 through February 28) of winter.

Based on these projections from ISO-NE and varying assumptions for gas supplies, ICF examined a total of 49 distinct cases:

- **Phase II Retirement (4 cases)**
  - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
- **Phase II Energy Efficiency (12 cases)**
  - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
    - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
  - Phase I Repowering capacity assumptions
    - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
  - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions
    - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
- **Phase II Decreased LNG (24 cases)**
  - Phase I Reference electric load growth assumptions
    - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
      - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
    - Phase I Repowering capacity assumptions
      - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
    - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions
      - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
  - Phase II Energy Efficiency electric load growth assumptions
    - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
      - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
    - Phase I Repowering capacity assumptions
      - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
    - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions
      - Nominal, Reference, Higher, and Maximum Gas Demand
- **Phase II Winter Near-Peak (9 cases)**
  - With Maximum LNG sendout
    - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
    - Phase I Repower capacity assumptions
    - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions
  - With Decreased LNG sendout
    - Phase I Reference electric load growth assumptions
      - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
      - Phase I Repower capacity assumptions
      - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions
    - Phase II Energy Efficiency electric growth load assumptions:
      - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
      - Phase I Repower capacity assumptions
      - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions



### **1.3. Organization of this Report**

Because of the large number of cases examined, the main body of the report focuses on a high level comparison of the Phase I and Phase II assumptions and results. Section 2 describes Phase II updates to New England natural gas market assumptions. Sections 3, 4, and 5 summarize the results for the Phase II Retirement, Energy Efficiency, and Decreased LNG cases respectively. Section 6 described the Near-Peak Winter Day and “duration of risk” analysis. Detailed results for each of the individual cases are provided in Appendix A (ISO-NE projections for power sector gas demand) and Appendix B (ICF’s electric sector surplus/deficit calculations).

## 2. Phase II Updates to New England Natural Gas Market Assumptions

### 2.1. Natural Gas Supply Capabilities

For the Phase I study, ICF estimated the overall gas supply capability into New England based on a summation of the interstate pipeline capacities into the region (Exhibit 2-1), the firm LNG import capability at Distrigas of Massachusetts, and regional peak shaving capability, as well as anticipated pipeline expansions. The Phase I pipeline capacities were based on an ICF assessment of Index of Customers (IOC) data for firmly contracted supplies into the region on each system conducted in mid-2011. This deterministic assessment was intended to provide a snapshot of the peak winter day deliverability.

**Exhibit 2-1. Map of New England Interstate Pipelines and LNG Terminals**

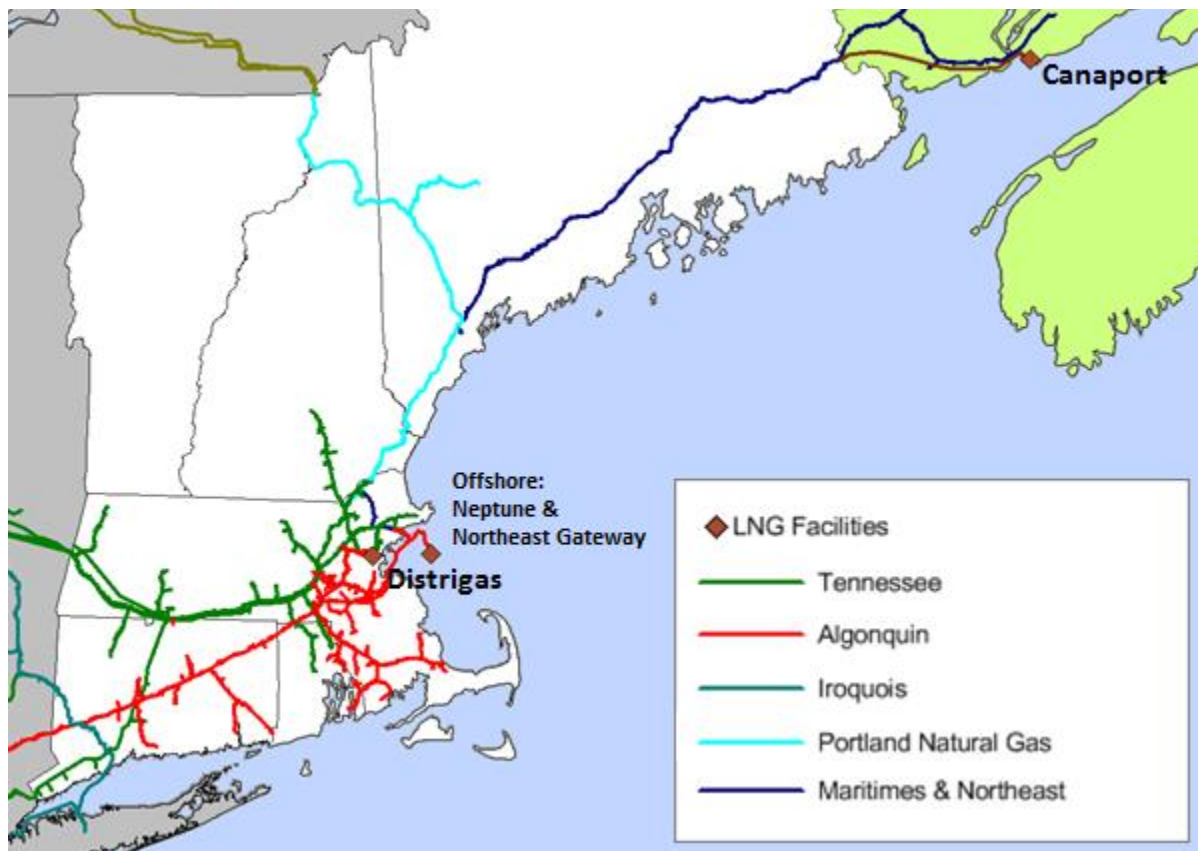


Exhibit 2-2 presents the original Phase I estimate for winter peak day supply capabilities over the forecast period. The estimated supply capability for the winter peak day includes the maximum sendout capability from regional peak shaving facilities and Distrigas, but does not include capacity from the offshore LNG facilities. The offshore LNG facilities have not received any shipments since 2010, and therefore were not included as potential gas supply sources.

The estimate for the summer peak day deliverability does not include the local peak shaving capacity, since these facilities typically do not operate in the summer months.<sup>9</sup>

## Exhibit 2-2. Phase I Assumptions for New England Natural Gas Supply Capabilities

Total Projected Pipeline Capacity	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
<i>Forward Haul Pipeline Capacity</i>									
Algonquin Gas Transmission (AGT).	1,087	1,087	1,087	1,087	1,287	1,437	1,437	1,437	1,437
Iroquois Gas Transmission System (IGTS).	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220
Tennessee Gas Pipeline (TGP).	1,261	1,261	1,261	1,261	1,261	1,261	1,261	1,261	1,261
Portland Natural Gas Transmission System (PNGTS).	168	168	168	168	168	168	168	168	168
<i>Pipeline Capacity Partly Dependent on LNG Supplies</i>									
Maritimes & Northeast Pipeline (M&N).	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3,570</b>	<b>3,570</b>	<b>3,570</b>	<b>3,570</b>	<b>3,770</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>3,920</b>
<b>Peak Shaving Capacity</b>									
LNG Peakshaving	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319
Propane-Air	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>
<b>Direct LNG Import Capability</b>									
Everett Distrigas Facility	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
Northeast Gateway	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neptune	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>
<b>Total Assumed Supply Capability Available on a Winter Design Day</b>	<b>5,741</b>	<b>5,741</b>	<b>5,741</b>	<b>5,741</b>	<b>5,941</b>	<b>6,091</b>	<b>6,091</b>	<b>6,091</b>	<b>6,091</b>
<b>Total Assumed Supply Capability Available on a Summer Peak Day (excludes Peak Shaving)</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>

For Phase II, ICF performed a new review of pipeline contracts using data from Q4 2012, and also updated its projection for likely pipeline capacity additions through 2020. The revised Phase II supply capability projections are shown in Exhibit 2-3, and the net change between the Phase I and Phase II assessment are shown in Exhibit 2-4. There were no changes to either the assumed peak shaving or LNG sendout capabilities; therefore the net change in base year (2011/12) maximum winter and supply capabilities was +150 MMcf/d.

<sup>9</sup> Local peak-shaving capability is devoted to serving the economics and reliability of the regional gas LDCs and is almost never used to support merchant power production.

### Exhibit 2-3. Phase II Assumptions for New England Natural Gas Supply Capabilities, 1000s Dth per Day

Total Projected Pipeline Capacity	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
<i>Forward Haul Pipeline Capacity</i>									
Algonquin Gas Transmission (AGT).	1,118	1,118	1,118	1,118	1,118	1,568	1,568	1,568	1,568
Iroquois Gas Transmission System (IGTS).	228	228	228	228	228	228	228	228	228
Tennessee Gas Pipeline (TGP).	1,291	1,291	1,291	1,291	1,291	1,291	1,291	1,291	1,291
Portland Natural Gas Transmission System (PNGTS).	249	249	249	249	249	249	249	249	249
<i>Pipeline Capacity Partly Dependent on LNG Supplies</i>									
Maritimes & Northeast Pipeline (M&N).	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>4,169</b>	<b>4,169</b>	<b>4,169</b>	<b>4,169</b>
<b>Peak Shaving Capacity</b>									
LNG Peakshaving	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319	1,319
Propane-Air	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>	<b>1,456</b>
<b>Direct LNG Import Capability</b>									
Everett Distrigas Facility	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
Northeast Gateway	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neptune	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>715</b>
<b>Total Assumed Supply Capability Available on a Winter Design Day</b>	<b>5,890</b>	<b>5,890</b>	<b>5,890</b>	<b>5,890</b>	<b>5,890</b>	<b>6,340</b>	<b>6,340</b>	<b>6,340</b>	<b>6,340</b>
<b>Total Assumed Supply Capability Available on a Summer Peak Day (excludes Peak Shaving)</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,884</b>	<b>4,884</b>	<b>4,884</b>	<b>4,884</b>

### Exhibit 2-4. Assessment of New England Natural Gas Pipeline Capacity Contracts, Phase II versus Phase I, 1000s Dth per Day

Pipeline System	Phase I Assessment of Contracts	Phase II Assessment of Contracts	Net Change in Phase II
Algonquin Gas Transmission (AGT)	1,087	1,118	+31
Iroquois Gas Transmission (IGT)	220	228	+8
Tennessee Gas Pipeline (TGP)	1,261	1,291	+30
Portland Natural Gas Transmission (PNGTS)	168	249	+81
Maritimes and Northeast Pipeline (M&N)	833	833	-
<b>Total In-Bound Contracted Capacity</b>	<b>3,569</b>	<b>3,719</b>	<b>+150</b>

The size and timing of assumed pipeline expansions was also updated for Phase II, based on ICF's then current market recognition. The Phase I analysis assumed a phased capacity expansion on the Algonquin system (the Algonquin Incremental Market project, AIM) of 350 MMcf/d between 2015 and 2016. As of October 2013, the projected size of the AIM expansion was approximately 380 MMcf/d. Additionally, Tennessee Gas Pipeline launched an open season in July 2013 for its Connecticut Expansion Project, which would provide an additional 72 MMcf/d from Tennessee's existing interconnect with Iroquois in Wright, New York, to zone 6 delivery points on Tennessee's 200 line, as well as on the 300 line into Connecticut. Therefore,

ICF current projects that by the end of 2016, contracted pipeline capacity into the New England market will increase by 450 MMcf/d, most likely on a combination of expansions on the Tennessee and Algonquin system.

While it does not directly provide any additional capacity to the New England market, Spectra's NY-NJ expansion of its Texas Eastern Transmission and Algonquin lines in the New York City metropolitan area may have an indirect impact on the New England market. By providing additional capacity into New York City metropolitan area, the Spectra expansion may displace some of the flow from New England to Long Island on the Iroquois system, thereby allowing for resale of New York-contracted capacity on Iroquois to New England shippers. However, since the Spectra expansion was only just completed in November 2013, the amount of potential displacement of Iroquois flows (and the availability of release capacity to New England shippers) is still unknown. Therefore, the only assumed change to the Iroquois capacity was the nominal 8 MMcf/d increase in contracted capacity indicated by the Index of Shipper data, as shown in Exhibit 2-4 above.

### Summary of New England's Natural Gas Supply Capabilities

About two-thirds of the pipeline capacity contracted by New England shippers is on the Tennessee and Algonquin systems. Tennessee contracts are currently at 1,291 MMcf/d, and Algonquin contracts are 1,118 MMcf/d. Iroquois has a total of over 1,500 MMcf/d of capacity, but the majority of this capacity is contracted for New York shippers; New England shippers contract for only 228 MMcf/d of firm capacity on Iroquois.

On PNGTS, New England shippers currently contract for 249 MMcf/d, but the system's physical capacity is greater; on recent peak winter days PNGTS has flowed over 300 MMcf/d. While PNGTS has proposed an expansion (the "Continent to Coast", or C2C, Expansion Project) to offer additional capacity to the New England market, it will likely be a relatively costly option for New England shippers. PNGTS is supplied through the TransCanada Pipeline (TCPL) and TransQuebec systems with gas sourced in western Canada. Declining production and increasing demand in Alberta has reduced flows on TCPL, but there are still localized constraints in the eastern portion of TCPL's system. For the C2C Project to go forward, it would be necessary for TCPL to increase capacity on the eastern portion of their system.

Maritimes and Northeast Pipeline (M&N) has a capacity of 833 MMcf/d, essentially all of which is contracted for by Repsol's gas marketing division. The M&N pipeline is supplied by gas production in Eastern Canada (primarily from offshore fields) and the Canaport LNG import terminal in New Brunswick. While M&N does flow full on peak demand days (when New England gas prices are very high), the annual capacity utilization of the system has been decreasing due to declining Sable Island offshore production, reduced LNG imports to Canaport, and demand growth in Eastern Canada. (Flows on M&N Pipeline are discussed in more detail in Section 5.)

Distrigas (operated by GDF Suez NA) is only terminal in the region currently receiving continuous shipments. DOMAC has a sustainable vaporization capacity of 715 MMcf/d, and can distribute another 100 MMcf/d via truck; it has two storage tanks with a combined capacity of 3.4 Bcf. The combined sendout from Distrigas to interstate pipelines (Tennessee and Algonquin) and Mystic Generating Station averaged about 215 MMcf/d in 2012, with a peak day sendout of about 440 MMcf/d. Distrigas also delivers additional volumes directly to the local LDC system (National Grid/Boston Gas) and via truck to LNG peak shaving facilities across New England. (Distrigas LNG imports are discussed in more detail in Section 5.)

The region's two other offshore LNG terminals, Neptune and Northeast Gateway, have not received any shipments since 2010. The offshore terminals can only receive deliveries from specialized tankers with on-board regasification and buoy-docking systems. Also, since the offshore terminals have no LNG storage capacity, they are only able to send out gas when a LNG tanker is docked at one of their buoys.

In addition to the pipeline and LNG import terminals, LDCs in New England also operate 45 LNG and 15 propane-air peak shaving facilities. The peak shaving facilities are used by the LDCs to maintain system reliability and help meet firm customer demand during the 10 to 15 peak demand days of winter. The peak shaving facilities have a total send-out capability of 1,456 MMcf/d and a total storage capacity of about 16 Bcf.<sup>10</sup> Some of the facilities are "full-cycle" LNG peak shaving (i.e., they can liquefy pipeline gas to refill the storage tanks), but the majority are supplied by truck shipments from the Distrigas facility.

## 2.2. Projected LDC Firm Demand Forecast

The analysis of Phase II Retirement, Energy Efficiency, and Decreased LNG cases use the same projection for LDC annual and peak day firm demand as were used in the Phase I study. The aggregate projections for LDC firm demand (annual, winter peak day, and summer peak day) is shown below in Exhibit 2-5. Winter peak day demands are based on projected design day loads for each of New England's LDCs. In some cases, the annual and design day load projections were provided to ICF directly by the LDCs at ISO-NE's request for use in the Phase I study; however, most were derived from LDC filings with the New England state public utility / public service commissions.<sup>11</sup>

**Exhibit 2-5. Projected LDC Firm Gas Demand**

Gas Year	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	CAGR 2011- 2020
Annual Consumption, Bcf/year	421	425	429	434	439	444	450	456	462	468	1.2%
<b>Winter</b>	<b>2010/11</b>	<b>2011/12</b>	<b>2012/13</b>	<b>2013/14</b>	<b>2014/15</b>	<b>2015/16</b>	<b>2016/17</b>	<b>2017/18</b>	<b>2018/19</b>	<b>2019/20</b>	
Winter Peak Day, Bcf/d	4.252	4.306	4.360	4.414	4.472	4.541	4.612	4.685	4.760	4.839	1.4%
<b>Summer</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	
Summer Peak Day, Bcf/d	0.605	0.611	0.615	0.621	0.627	0.635	0.642	0.651	0.659	0.668	1.1%

CAGR = Cumulative Average Growth Rate. 1 Bcf is equivalent to 1,000,000 MMBtu or 1,000,000 Dth.

Growth rates for annual, winter peak day, and summer peak day are generally similar. Overall consumption grows at approximately 1.2% per year over the forecast period, whereas peak

<sup>10</sup> "NGA 2012 Statistical Guide", Northeast Gas Association, 2012.

<sup>11</sup> Assessment of New England's Natural Gas Pipeline Capacity to Satisfy Short and Near-Term Electric Generation Needs (Phase I Report), submitted by ICF International to ISO-NE June 2012.

requirements grow slightly higher at approximately 1.4%. Winter peak gas demand is projected to grow at a slightly faster rate because of increased gas use for space heating, which is highest in winter. Likewise, summer peak day demand grows at a slightly slower rate (1.1% per year) for the same reason.

### **3. Phase II Retirement Cases**

This section of the reports presents the results for ISO-NE's Phase II Retirement case forecasts. As in the Phase I study, ICF compared the projected peak day supply capabilities with ISO-NE's projections of power sector demand and the projected peak day requirements of LDC firm customers on the winter peak and summer peak days, and then calculated the net surplus (+) or deficit (-) in gas supply capability to meet these combined loads.

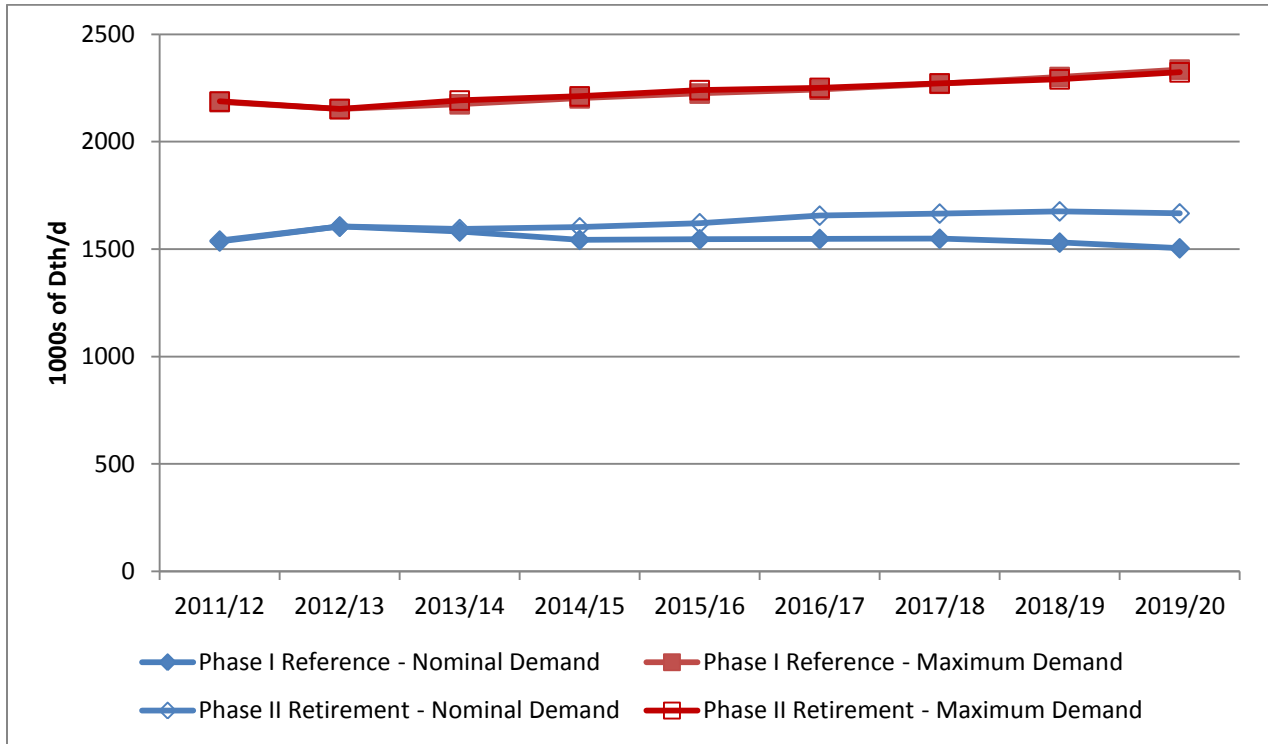
The detailed results for each of the Phase II Retirement cases are provided in Appendix A; summary comparisons of the results are shown in Exhibit 3-1 (for ISO-NE demand projections) and Exhibit 3-2 (for the power sector supply/deficit calculations) for both the Nominal and Maximum power sector demand cases. The power sector supply deficits in Exhibit 3-2 are shown both in terms on 1,000s of Dth (left-hand Y-axis) and Megawatt equivalent (right-hand Y-axis, based on an assumed heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh).

Because the Phase II Retirement cases indicated a supply surplus (no supply constraint) on the summer peak day, this summary discussion focuses only on the winter peak day.

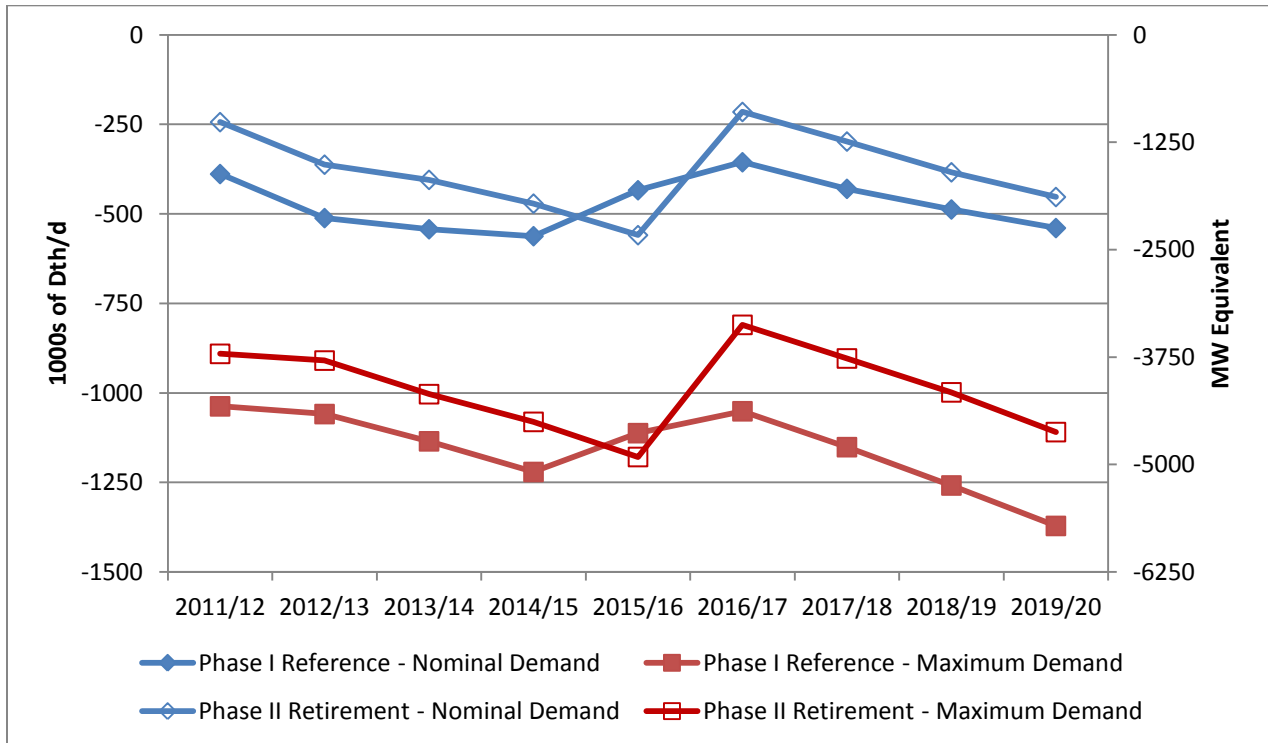
ISO-NE's projection for Phase II Retirement power sector gas demand is very similar to the Phase I Reference for the Maximum demand case; however, in the Nominal demand case, Phase II Retirement demands are higher by about 110,000 Dth (+7%) from 2014 through 2020 (Exhibit 3-1).

In terms of gas supply adequacy, the Phase II Retirement projections for winter peak day still show significant (if slightly smaller) supply deficits throughout the projection period. From 2014 through 2020, Phase II Retirement gas supply deficits range from about -400,000 Dth (Nominal) to -1,000,000 Dth (Maximum). The Phase II Retirement supply deficits are smaller than the deficits in the Phase I Reference cases due to Phase II's higher assumed base year pipeline capacities and larger assumed pipeline capacity expansion in 2016.

**Exhibit 3-1. ISO-NE Projected Power Sector Winter Peak Day Gas Demand, Phase II Retirement versus Phase I Reference**



**Exhibit 3-2. Power Sector Winter Peak Day Supply Deficits, Phase II Retirement versus Phase I Reference**





## 4. Phase II Energy Efficiency Cases

The Phase II Energy Efficiency scenarios use power sector gas demands based on ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast 2015-2021, which result in lower electric peak load and energy growth and lower power sector gas demands. These scenarios are divided into three groups of cases, based on the capacity assumed for each:

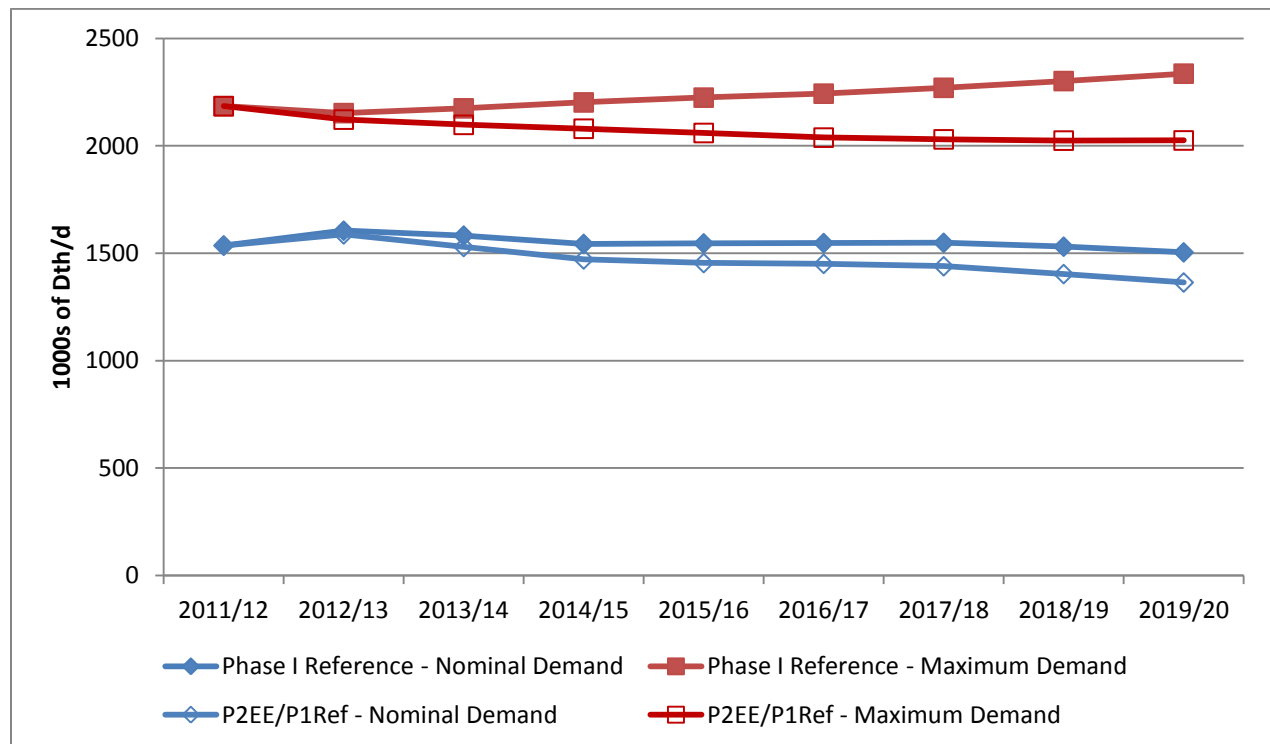
- Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
- Phase I Repowering capacity assumptions
- Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions

The detailed results for each of the Phase II Energy Efficiency cases are provided in Appendix A; summary comparisons of the results to the relevant Phase I cases are provided in the three subsection below. In general, the Phase II Energy Efficiency cases show lower deficits than the Phase I cases due to both the increase in contracted pipeline capacity (150 MMcf/d higher than assumed in Phase I) and the reduced power sector gas demands.

### 4.1. Phase II Energy Efficiency Cases using Phase I Reference Capacity Assumptions

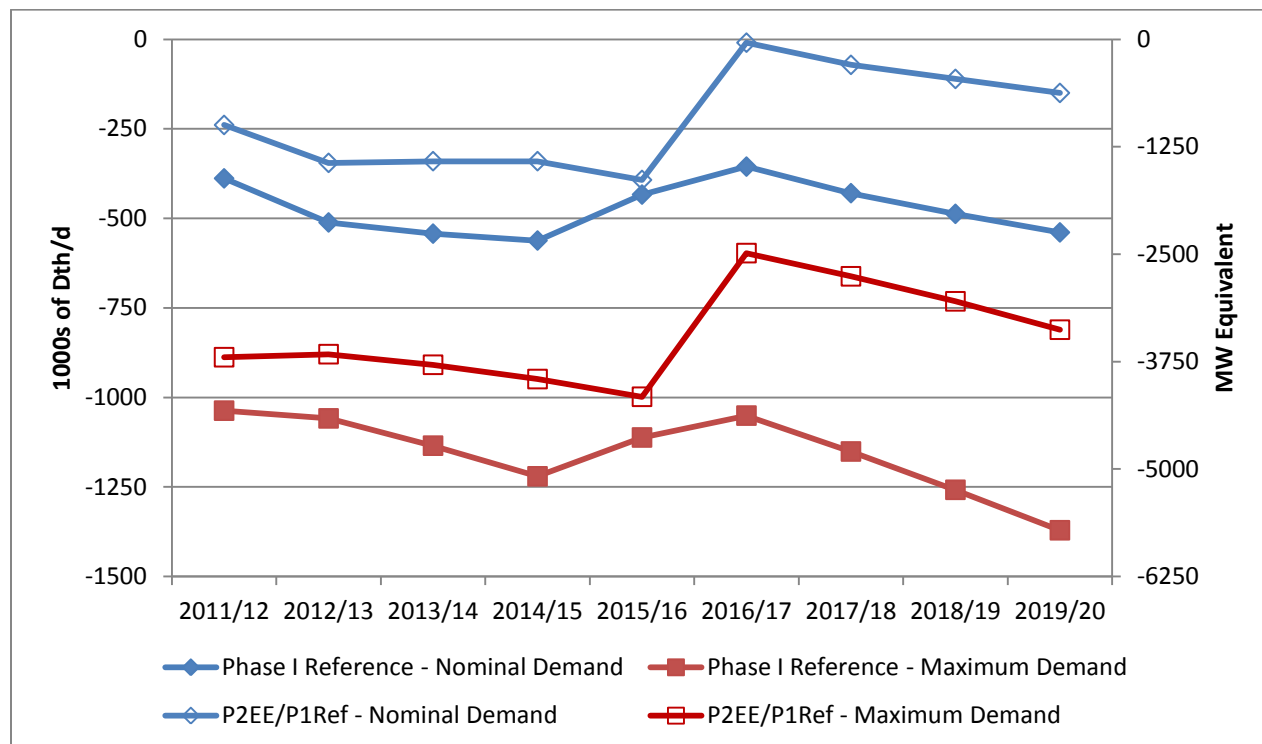
The adoption of the Phase II Energy Efficiency forecast results in a net flat to slightly downward trend in projection power generation gas demand (Exhibit 4-1). Compared to the Phase I Reference case, power sector gas demand between 2014 and 2020 is reduced by an average of 100,000 Dth (Nominal) to 200,000 Dth (Maximum) on the winter peak day.

**Exhibit 4-1. ISO-NE Projected Power Sector Winter Peak Day Gas Demand, Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Reference Nominal and Maximum Gas Demands**



However, despite the reduced gas requirements, the gas supply adequacy analysis still shows deficits in power sector gas supplies on winter peak days throughout the forecast. Supply deficits in the Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Reference (P2EE/P1Ref) cases range from 200,000 Dth (Nominal) to 800,000 Dth (Maximum); on average, about a 300,000 Dth reduction from the deficits observed in the Phase I Reference cases due to the combination of lower electric sector demand and higher assumed pipeline capacity for Phase II (Exhibit 4-2).

**Exhibit 4-2. Power Sector Winter Peak Day Supply Deficits, Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Reference Nominal and Maximum Gas Demands**

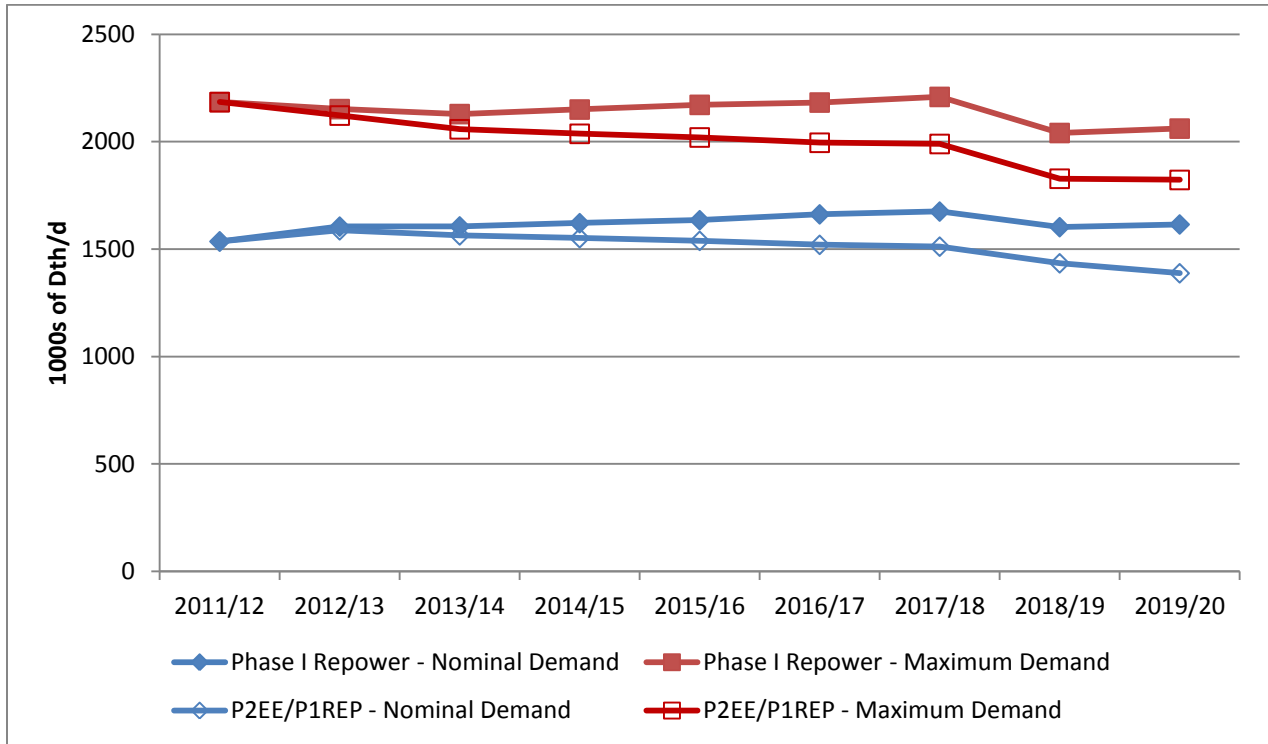


#### 4.2. Phase II Energy Efficiency Cases using Phase I Repowering Capacity Assumptions

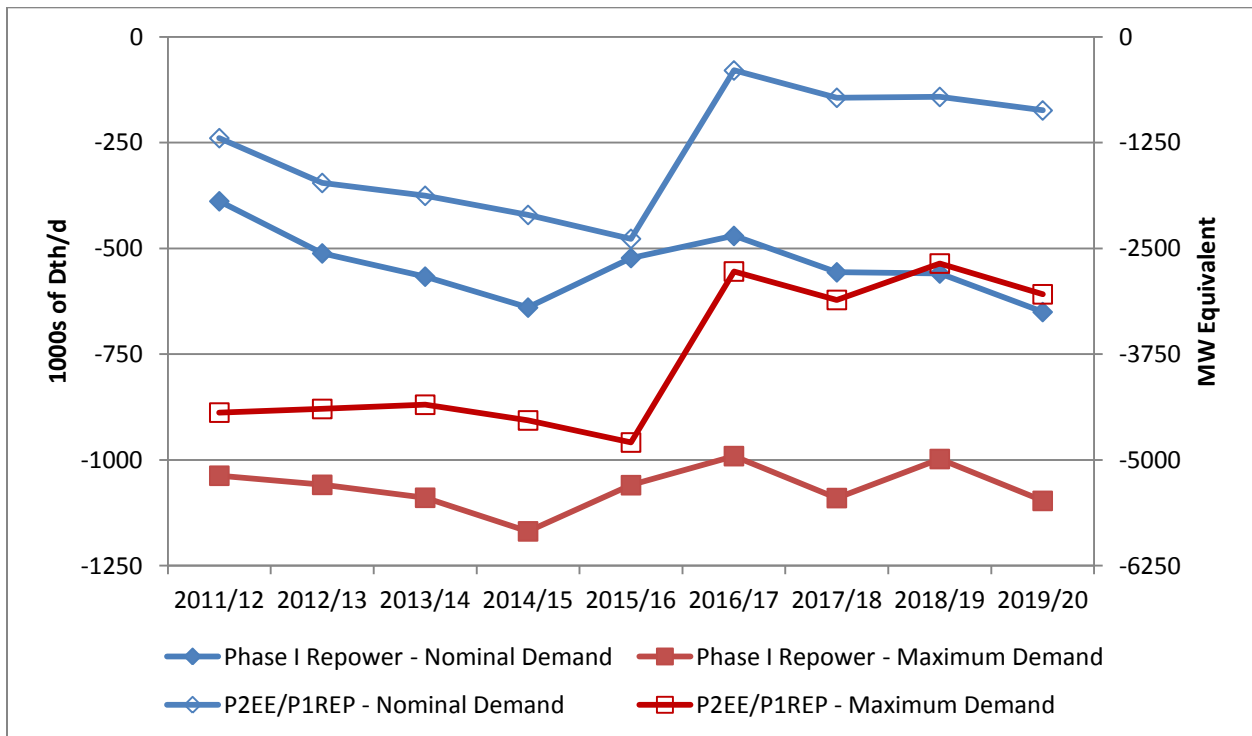
Using the capacity assumptions from the Phase I Repowering case, the adoption of the Phase II Energy Efficiency forecast results in a net flat to slightly downward trend in projection power generation gas demand (Exhibit 4-1). Compared to the Phase I Repowering case, average sector gas demand between 2014 and 2020 is reduced by 130,000 Dth (Nominal) to 170,000 Dth (Maximum) on the peak winter day.

The gas supply adequacy analysis still shows winter peak day supply deficits throughout all the cases in this scenario (Exhibit 4-4). The projected supply deficits in the Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Repower cases range from about 250,000 Dth (Nominal) to 700,000 Dth (Maximum); on average, about a 300,000 Dth reduction from the deficits observed in the Phase I Repower cases.

**Exhibit 4-3. ISO-NE Projected Power Sector Winter Peak Day Gas Demand, Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Repower Nominal and Maximum Gas Demands**



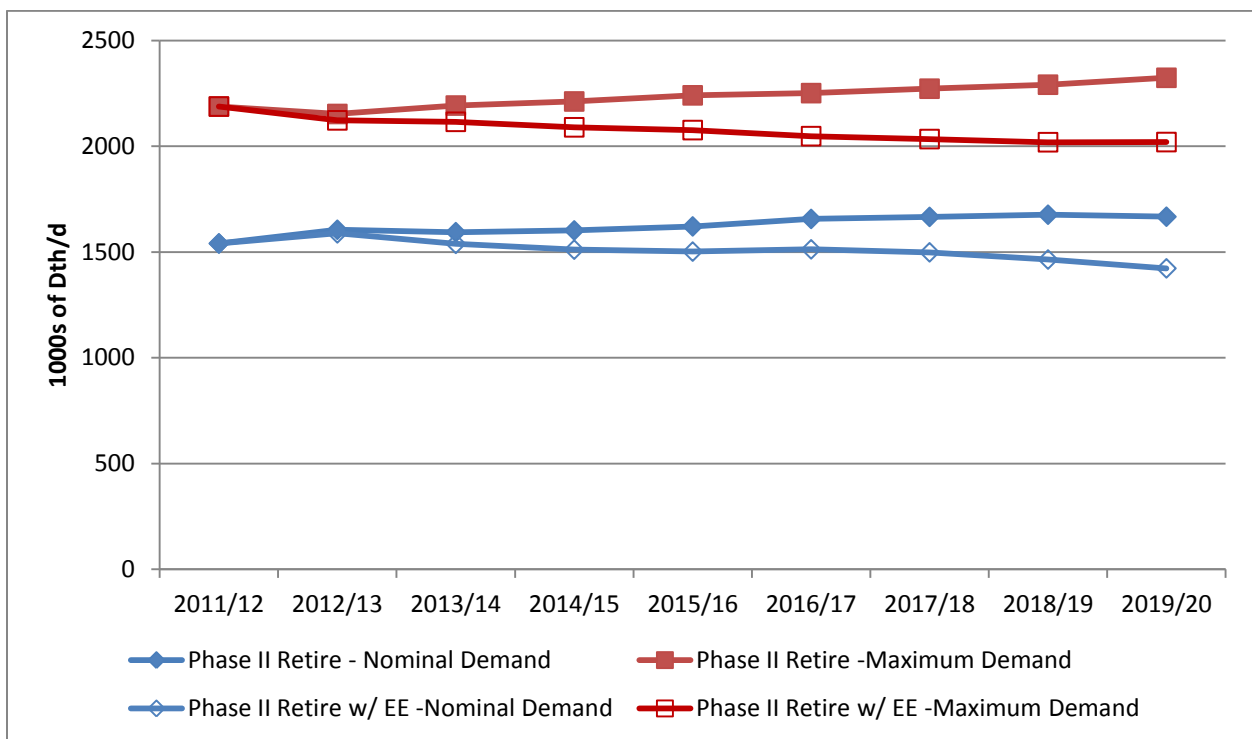
**Exhibit 4-4. Power Sector Winter Peak Day Supply Deficits, Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Repower Nominal and Maximum Gas Demands**



### 4.3. Phase II Energy Efficiency Cases using Phase II Retirement Capacity Assumptions

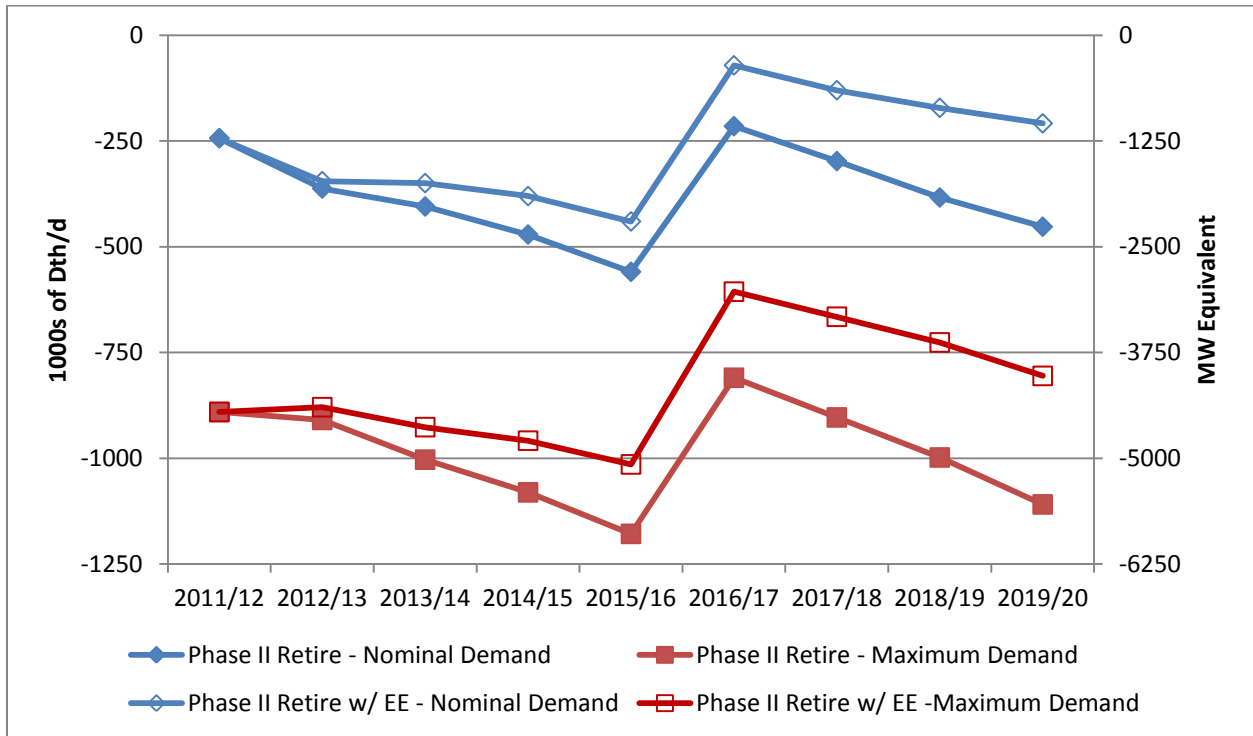
The next set of cases uses capacity assumptions from the Phase II Retirement case combined with the Phase II Energy Efficiency forecast. These cases result in a net flat to slightly downward trend in projection power generation gas demand (Exhibit 4-5). Compared to the Phase II Retirement case without Energy Efficiency, average sector gas demand between 2014 and 2020 is reduced by 150,000 Dth (Nominal) to 190,000 Dth (Maximum) on the peak winter day.

**Exhibit 4-5. ISO-NE Projected Power Sector Winter Peak Day Gas Demand, Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase II Retirement versus Phase II Retirement Nominal and Maximum Gas Demands**



Even with the reduced power sector gas demand, the gas supply adequacy analysis still shows winter peak day supply deficits throughout all the cases in this scenario (Exhibit 4-6). The projected supply deficits in the Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase I Repower cases range from about 250,000 Dth (Nominal) to 800,000 Dth (Maximum); on average, about a 200,000 Dth reduction from the deficits observed in the Phase II Retirement cases that did not include Energy Efficiency.

**Exhibit 4-6. Power Sector Winter Peak Day Supply Deficits, Phase II Energy Efficiency/Phase II Retirement versus Phase II Retirement Nominal and Maximum Gas Demands**



## 5. Phase II Decreased LNG Cases

Each of the cases described in Section 3 and Section 4 examined alternate scenarios for power sector natural gas consumption on the peak day with fixed assumptions for gas supplies. In this section, we examine the impact of an alternate (decreased) projection for regional LNG imports on the availability of gas supplies to the power sector on a winter design day.<sup>12</sup> These “Decreased LNG” cases apply the same power sector gas demand assumptions used in the Phase II Retirement and Phase II Energy Efficiency cases, but with lower levels of LNG imports to determine the subsequent impact on potential peak day gas supply deficits.

Section 5.5.1 reviews the recent historical operations of the New England LNG terminals and changes in their supply contracts, and historical gas supplies delivered via the M&N Pipeline. Section 5.5.2 describes ICF’s projections for peak day supplies Distrigas and M&N Pipeline throughout the forecast period. Section 5.5.3 provides a summary of the impacts on gas supplies available to the power sector for the Phase I Reference and Phase II Energy Efficiency cases, respectively.

### 5.1. Historic Activity for Distrigas and M&N Pipeline

<sup>12</sup> Cases examining variations in LNG supplies throughout the 90 days of winter are discussed in Section 6.

As described in Section 2.2.1, there are three LNG import terminals located within New England: Distrigas, Neptune, and Northeast Gateway. Canaport is located outside the region, but is an important gas supply source for the New England market, particularly on peak winter days.

#### Assumptions for Offshore LNG Terminals

Neptune (operated by GDF Suez Gas North America) and Northeast Gateway (operated by Excelerate Energy) are both offshore buoy terminals that can only receive LNG shipments from specialized tankers with on-board regasification systems. Neither of the two offshore terminals has received any shipments since 2010. In June 2013, the U.S. Maritime Administration approved Neptune LNG's request for a temporary five-year suspension of its deepwater port license.<sup>13</sup> In January 2013 article in the Boston Globe, Excelerate's chief operating officer was quoted as saying the Northeast Gateway terminal remains "in a state of readiness." However, despite several weeks of sustained high gas prices in New England during January and February 2013, no shipments were received at Northeast Gateway.

#### Distrigas LNG Imports and Winter Sendout

The Distrigas facility, located on the Mystic River in Boston Harbor, has been operating continuously since 1971, longer than any other import terminal in the U.S. Owned and operated by Distrigas of Massachusetts (DOMAC), a subsidiary of GDF Suez North America, the terminal currently supplies up to 20 percent of New England's annual natural gas demand. Imports to Distrigas come primarily from Trinidad and Tobago, with some additional shipments from Yemen. Distrigas is also the sole source of gas supply for Mystic power plant's combined cycle units 8 and 9, with supplies procured under long-term contract through 2027. About 20 percent of the LNG received at Distrigas goes directly in to National Grid's Greater Boston-area distribution system, and another 10 percent is delivered via trucks to satellite LNG peak shaving facilities throughout New England. The remaining LNG is regasified and delivered via a dedicated pipeline to the Mystic Generating Station or into either the Tennessee or Algonquin pipeline systems.

From 2006 through 2011, Distrigas received over 60 shipments per year. However, as natural gas prices in the U.S. declined, the number of shipments received at Distrigas has fallen. In 2012, Distrigas received only 81 Bcf, due to declines in both long-term and short-term contract shipments (Exhibit 5-1). As of September (latest data available), only 59 Bcf of LNG shipments have been received at Distrigas in 2013. Given the long-term contract shipments expected in the fourth quarter, the total for long-term contract shipments in 2013 is likely to be similar to 2012 (about 70 Bcf), but it appears unlikely there will be any short-term contract or spot cargo shipments received at Distrigas in 2013.

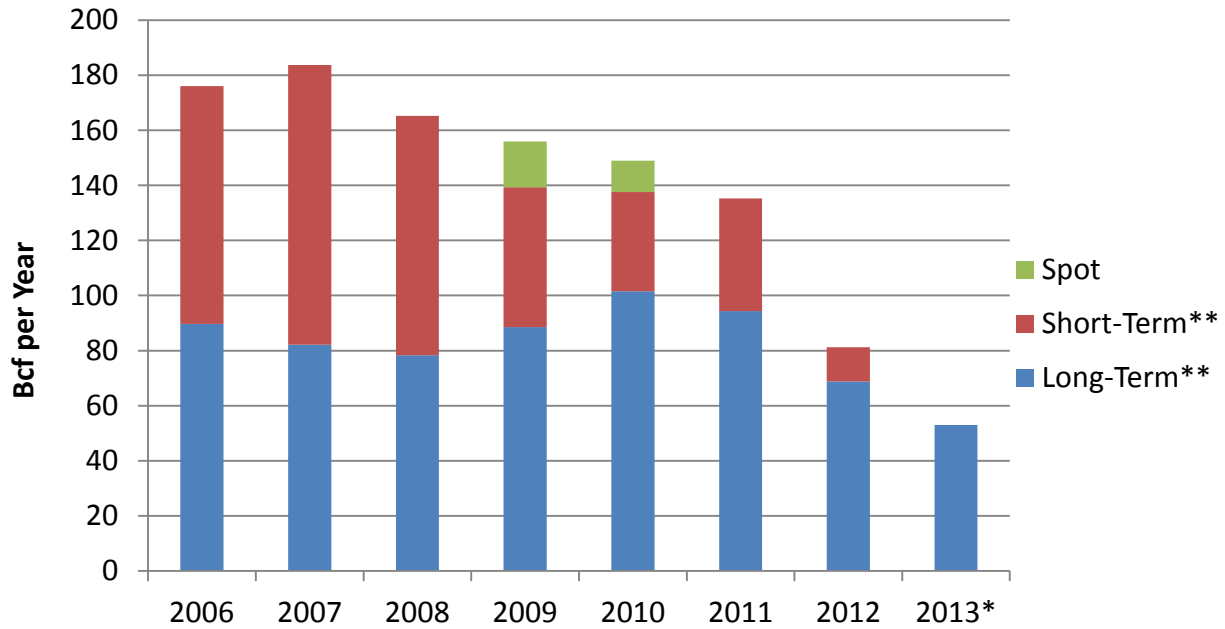
The winter sendout from the Distrigas facility is correlated to daily mean temperatures; as temperatures decline, sendout increases. However, as LNG imports have declined, so has the daily winter sendout. Exhibit 5-2 show the change in daily sendout from Distrigas over the past 4 years, with points representing actual daily sendout during each winter (December 1 through February 28), and lines representing the fit trend for each winter period. During the winter of 2010/11, daily sendout from Distrigas average about 420 MMcf/d and peaked at 620 MMcf/d.

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<sup>13</sup> Federal Docket for Neptune LNG (Docket Number: USCG-2005-22611); Response Letter from U.S. DOT/MARAD dated June 22, 2013 (<http://www.regulations.gov/#!documentDetail;D=USCG-2005-22611-0481>).

By the winter of 2012/13, average daily sendout had declined to 200 MMcf/d and the peak sendout was only 330 MMcf/d.

**Exhibit 5-1. Distrigas Terminal LNG Annual Import Volumes, Bcf per Year**

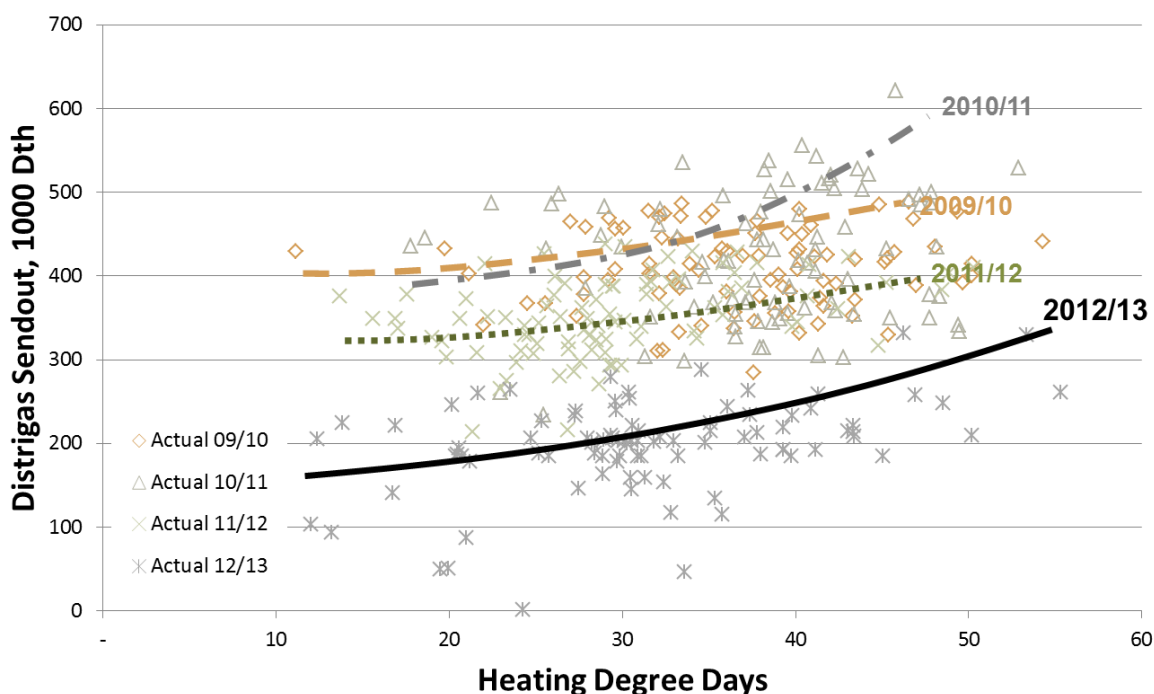


Source: U.S. DOE, Office of Oil and Gas Global Security and Supply

\* 2013 data through September

\*\* U.S. DOE defines Long-Term contract shipments as those with contract terms of 2 years or more, and Short-Term contract shipments as those with contract terms of less than 2 years.

**Exhibit 5-2. Distrigas Historical Daily Winter Sendout versus Heating Degree Days**



Canaport LNG and Flows on M&N Pipeline

The flow of gas on the M&N Pipeline into the U.S. is a function of three factors: Eastern Canadian gas production, gas consumption in Maritimes Canada, and sendout from the Canaport LNG terminal.

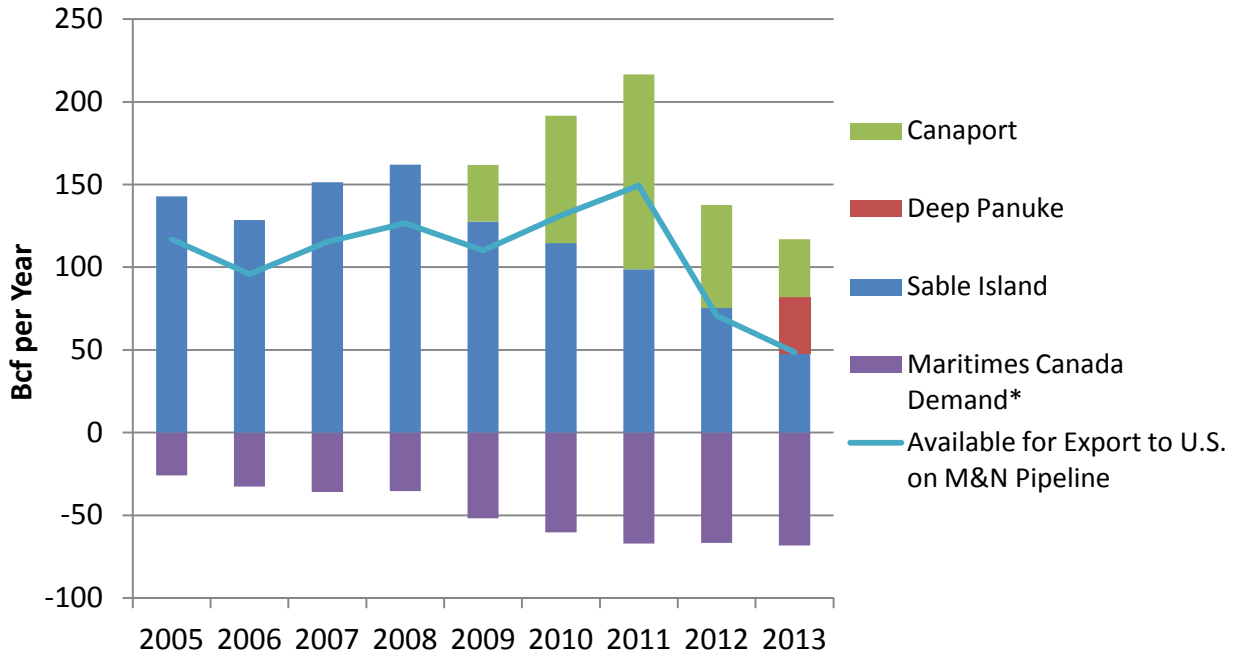
The M&N Pipeline was originally constructed to bring Sable Island offshore gas production to markets in Eastern Canada and New England. However, Sable Island production was less than originally anticipated, and production has been declining over the past 5 years (Exhibit 5-3). A new offshore field, Deep Panuke, has been under development for over four years. After numerous delays, Deep Panuke production began in October 2013. At its peak, Deep Panuke is expected to produce about 300 MMcf/d (equivalent to 110 Bcf per year), but then production is expected to decline due to basin maturation through the remainder of the decade.

The onshore areas of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick also have some conventional and unconventional gas resources. Currently, there is a small amount (about 10 MMcf/d) of conventional gas production in McCully Field in New Brunswick. Several exploration and production (E&P) companies have done exploratory drilling in New Brunswick’s Frederick Brooks shale, but there is currently no commercial shale gas production in Eastern Canada. In April 2012, the Nova Scotia provincial government implemented a moratorium on the use of hydraulic fracturing (i.e., “fracking”) through the summer of 2014, pending additional studies of the potential impacts.<sup>14</sup> Currently, ICF is not projecting any commercial development of Eastern Canadian shale gas or other onshore resources within the next ten years.

<sup>14</sup> <http://metronews.ca/news/halifax/106301/fracking-on-hold-for-two-years-in-nova-scotia/>



**Exhibit 5-3. Eastern Canadian Historical Supply, Demand, and Exports on M&N Pipeline**



\* All demands, including residential, commercial, industrial, power generation, lease, plant, and pipeline fuel use.

While Eastern Canadian gas production has been declining, gas consumption in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick has been growing. The Maritimes Canadian gas market is dominated by three end users: Nova Scotia Power’s Tufts Cove generating station, Emera’s Bayside power plant, and Irving Oil’s refinery in Saint John, which also has a gas-fired cogeneration power plant on site. There are also two LDCs in Maritimes Canada, Enbridge in New Brunswick and Heritage in Nova Scotia. Enbridge serves primarily commercial, residential, and small industrial users Saint John, Fredericton and Moncton. Heritage has a similar load profile, serving primarily the Halifax/Dartmouth metropolitan area. In addition, there are a number of direct industrial gas customers served off of the Canadian portion of the M&N pipeline, including several pulp and paper mills. In 2012, Eastern Canada’s total gas consumption (which includes all end uses, pipeline fuel, lease, and plant gas use) was about 66 Bcf in 2012. The LDCs accounted for just over 10 Bcf, or about one-sixth of the total consumption. ICF projects relatively modest growth in Maritimes Canadian gas demand, with total consumption reaching about 76 Bcf per year by 2020.

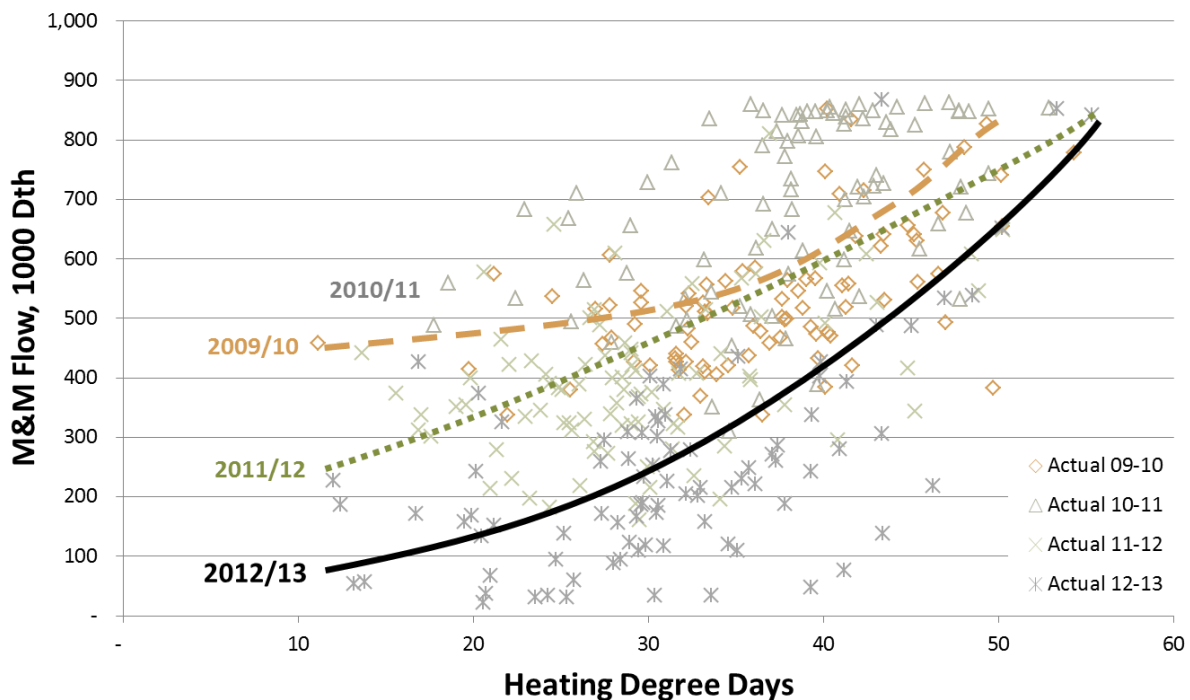
In 2001, Irving Oil applied to the Canadian government for a permit to add the capability to receive shipment of LNG at its Canaport deep-water crude receiving terminal. The permit was granted in April 2004, and Irving Oil entered into a partnership with Repsol S.A. to develop what is now called Canaport LNG. Canaport LNG is jointly owned by Irving Oil (25 percent) and Repsol (75 percent). The facility was commissioned in 2008 and received its first shipment of LNG in June 2009. The construction of Canaport LNG was coincident with construction of the Brunswick Pipeline, which connects the terminal to M&N pipeline at the U.S./Canada border.

LNG supplies for Canaport were originally contracted by Repsol. However, due to the rapid growth of Marcellus shale gas production, shoulder and summer month gas prices in New England and Eastern Canada have been far below Atlantic basin LNG prices. As a result, there

is little if any call on Canaport to provide gas supplies outside of winter peak days, and the overall utilization of the facility has been very low. In February 2013, Repsol reached an agreement to sell its LNG supply contracts and ship charters to Shell. As part of the deal, Shell will continue to supply the Canaport terminal with approximately 1 million tons (48 Bcf) over the next ten years. In their press release discussing the deal, Repsol said that, “The [Canaport terminal] is not included in the sale process as the low gas prices currently seen in the US market do not allow the asset’s medium and long term potential to be adequately valued.”<sup>15</sup>

Since 2009, the Canaport terminal has acted primarily as a “swing” supply of gas for the Eastern Canadian and New England markets, increasing its sendout on cold winter days (when gas prices are highest), and reducing sendout when regional demand (and gas prices) are low. Exhibit 5-4 shows the change in daily flows over on M&N Pipeline over the past 4 years, with points representing actual daily flows during each winter (December 1 through February 28), and lines representing the fit trend for each winter period. During the winter of 2010/11, daily flows on M&N averaged over 630 MMcf/d, and flows were at or slightly above M&N’s contracted capacity of 833 MMcf/d on 25 days. During the winter of 2012/13, average daily sendout had declined to about 250 MMcf/d, and the pipeline reached full capacity on only 3 days.

**Exhibit 5-4. Historical Daily Flows on M&N Pipeline to the U.S.**



## 5.2. Assumed Peak Day Supplies from Distrigas and M&N Pipeline in the Decreased LNG Cases

For the Decreased LNG cases, design day sendout from Distrigas LNG was based on a regression fit of the winter 2012/13 observed sendout versus heating degree days, shown

<sup>15</sup> Repsol press release dated February 26, 2013.

above in Exhibit 5-2. The regression fit was based on data for the combined Distrigas sendout (total deliveries to Tennessee, Algonquin, and the Mystic Generating Station) and heating degree day (HDD) values (65 minus the mean daily temperature, in degrees Fahrenheit). The fit equation is:

$$\text{Projected Distrigas Design Day Sendout in MMcf/d} = \min(a + (HDD^2 * c), \text{Maximum Daily Sendout})$$

Where:

$$a \text{ (intercept)} = 150 \text{ MMcf/d}$$

$$c \text{ (HDD}^2 \text{ coefficient)} = 0.06$$

$$HDD = 65$$

$$\text{Maximum Daily Sendout} = 715 \text{ MMcf/d}$$

The intercept value was based on the typical winter sendout to the Mystic Generating Station alone, which averages about 150 MMcf/d. The assumed design day temperature is 0 degrees Fahrenheit, so design day HDD is equal to 65. The Maximum Daily Sendout defines the upper bound on sendout, based on Distrigas's reported maximum sustained sendout of 715 MMcf/d; however, because the value of  $a + (HDD^2 * c)$  is less than 715 when  $HDD = 65$ , this is not a binding constraint. Based on this regression fit of the 2012/13 sendout pattern, ICF projects Distrigas sendout on a design day would be just over 400 MMcf/d; this same assumed sendout is used for all the of the Decreased LNG cases.

For design day flows on M&N Pipeline, ICF used the same functional form for the regression analysis of daily M&N flows versus heating degree days as was used for the Distrigas fit:

$$\text{Projected M\&N Pipeline Design Day Flow in MMcf/d} = \min(a + (HDD^2 * c), \text{Maximum Daily Flow})$$

Where:

$$a \text{ (intercept)} = 31 \text{ to } 384 \text{ MMcf/d, depending on the year}$$

$$c \text{ (HDD}^2 \text{ coefficient)} = 0.40$$

$$HDD = 65$$

$$\text{Maximum Daily Flow} = 833 \text{ MMcf/d}$$

The projected intercept value is based on projected Eastern Canada gas production and demand, and therefore changes over time. The assumed design day temperature is 0 degrees Fahrenheit, so design day HDD is equal to 65. The Maximum Daily Flow is 833 MMcf/d, based on M&N Pipeline's contracted capacity; since the value of  $a + (HDD^2 * c)$  is greater than 833 MMcf/d when  $HDD = 65$ , this is a binding constraint. Therefore, the projected design day flows on M&N pipeline are 833 MMcf/d through 2020; this is the same as was assumed for the other Phase I and Phase II cases.

The same regression fits of Distrigas sendout and M&N Pipeline flows are used for the Winter Near-Peak analysis, discussed in Section 6.

### 5.3. Decreased LNG Case: Summary Results

The Decreased LNG cases use the same Phase II assumptions for pipeline capacities (other than M&N) and peak shaving gas supplies as described in Section 2.2.1. Since the alternate projection for M&N Pipeline flows on a design day is the same as the pipeline's contracted capacity of 833 MMcf/d, the only difference in the Decreased LNG cases design day gas supplies is the reduction in the assumed Distrigas sendout (Exhibit 5-5).

## Exhibit 5-5. Winter Design Day Gas Supply Assumptions for Decreased LNG Case

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Base Phase II Assumption for									
Total Winter Design Day Supply Capability (Distrigas Sendout at Full Capacity)	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	6,340	6,340	6,340	6,340
Decreased LNG Assumption for									
Total Winter Design Day Supply Capability (Distrigas Sendout Less than Full Capacity)	5,579	5,579	5,579	5,579	5,579	6,029	6,029	6,029	6,029
<b>Total Reduction in Supplies (Base minus Reduced)</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>311</b>

The Decreased LNG gas supply assumptions shown in Exhibit 5-5 were applied to a total of six cases, using both Phase I and Phase II power sector gas demands:

- Phase I Reference electric load growth assumptions
  - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
  - Phase I Repowering capacity assumptions
  - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions
- Phase II Energy Efficiency electric load growth assumptions
  - Phase I Reference capacity assumptions
  - Phase I Repowering capacity assumptions
  - Phase II Retirement capacity assumptions

Detailed results for each of these cases are shown in Appendix B; the result for each case was to increase the peak day gas supply deficit by 311,000 Dth (i.e., the same as the reduction in LNG supplies).

## 6. Phase II Winter Near-Peak and Duration of Risk Analysis

The cases summarized above in Sections 3, 4, and 5 used the same methodology as the Phase I analysis, and focused on gas supplies, demands, and potential shortfalls in power sector gas supplies on a winter peak (design) day. While it is important to examine winter design day conditions, there is also the potential for a shortfall in gas supplies on “near-peak” winter days; that is, a winter day that is relatively cold, but not as cold as a design day. To determine the availability of gas supplies to electric generators on winter near-peak days, ICF performed a regression analyses to derive relationships between mean daily temperatures and daily LDC demands, Distrigas sendout, pipeline flows on the M&N system, and peak shaving storage sendout. As with the design day analyses, gas supplies on the interstate pipelines (other than M&N pipeline) were assumed to be equal to the firmly contracted capacities shown in Exhibit 2-3.

The analyses on Distrigas sendout and M&N Pipeline flows was described above in Section 5.1. Section 6.6.2 describes how the projections for LDC daily firm demand were developed. Section 6.6.4 describes the methodology for projecting peak shaving sendout.

### 6.1. Mean Daily Temperature Data

Heating degree days for New England were based on mean daily temperature data from the 13 weather stations shown in Exhibit 6-1. The weather stations were selected based on the continuity of the historical data (i.e., few or no missing days of temperature data) and for their geographic diversity. From these data, ICF calculated population-weighted daily temperatures for New England from 1993/94 through 2012/13. In addition to being used from the regression analysis of LDC demand (discussed below), the historic data are used to represent the potential range of LDC firm demand New England could experience in the 10-year forecast horizon.

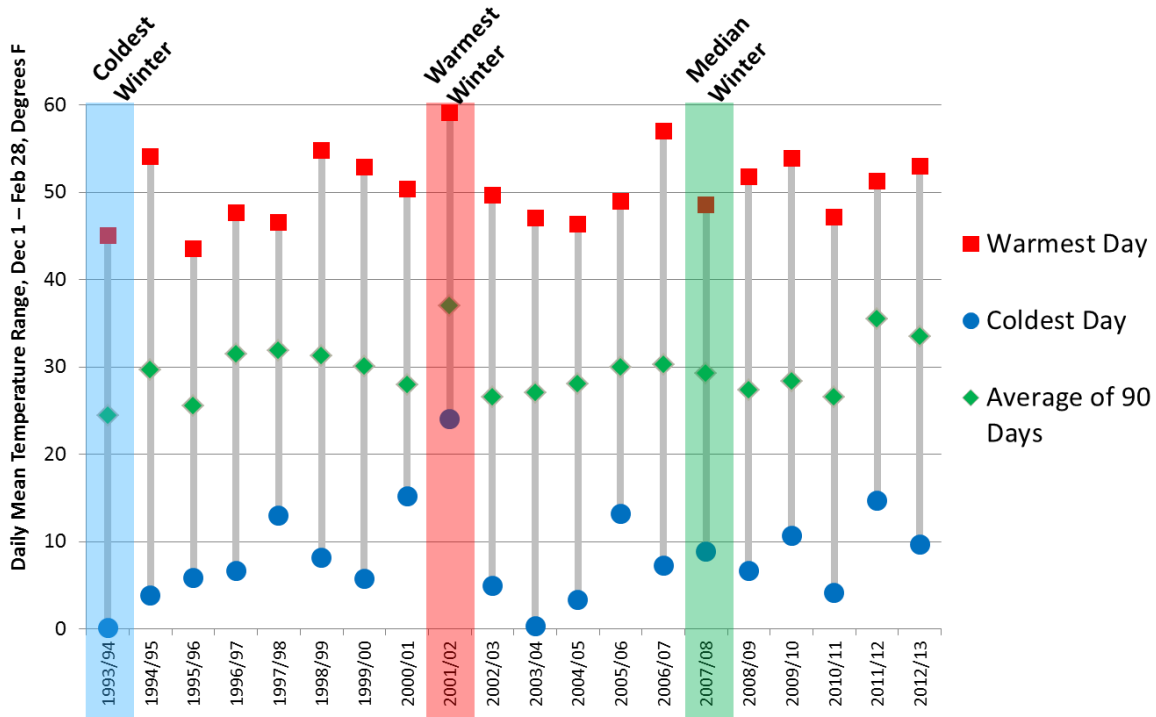
**Exhibit 6-1. List of New England Weather Stations**

State	Station Name	Station Code
CT	DANBURY MUNI ARPT	KDXR
CT	GROTON AAF	KGON
CT	NEW HAVEN TWEED AIRPORT	KHVN
MA	BOSTON/LOGAN INTL	KBOS
MA	NEW BEDFORD RGNL	KEWB
MA	WORCESTER RGNL	KORH
ME	PORTLAND/INTNL. JET	KPWM
NH	CONCORD MUNICIPAL	KCON
NH	MANCHESTER	KMHT
RI	PROVIDENCE/GREEN ST	KPVD
VT	BURLINGTON INTL	KBTV
VT	EDWARD F KNAPP STATE	KMPV
VT	RUTLAND STATE	KRUT

A chart representing the high, average, and low winter daily temperatures over the past 20 years is shown in Exhibit 6-2. Of the 20 years of data examined, the coldest winter (for both cumulative heating degree days throughout the winter and the coldest single day) was 1993/94; and the warmest winter was 2001/02.<sup>16</sup> While there are a number of winters that fall near the middle of the observed range, ICF selected 2007/08 (10<sup>th</sup> ranked in terms of total heating degree days) as representative of “median” winter temperatures.

<sup>16</sup> This ranking is based on temperatures for the peak winter gas demand period, which runs from December 1 through February 28. If the months of November and March are included, then the 2011/12 heating season would rank as the warmest.

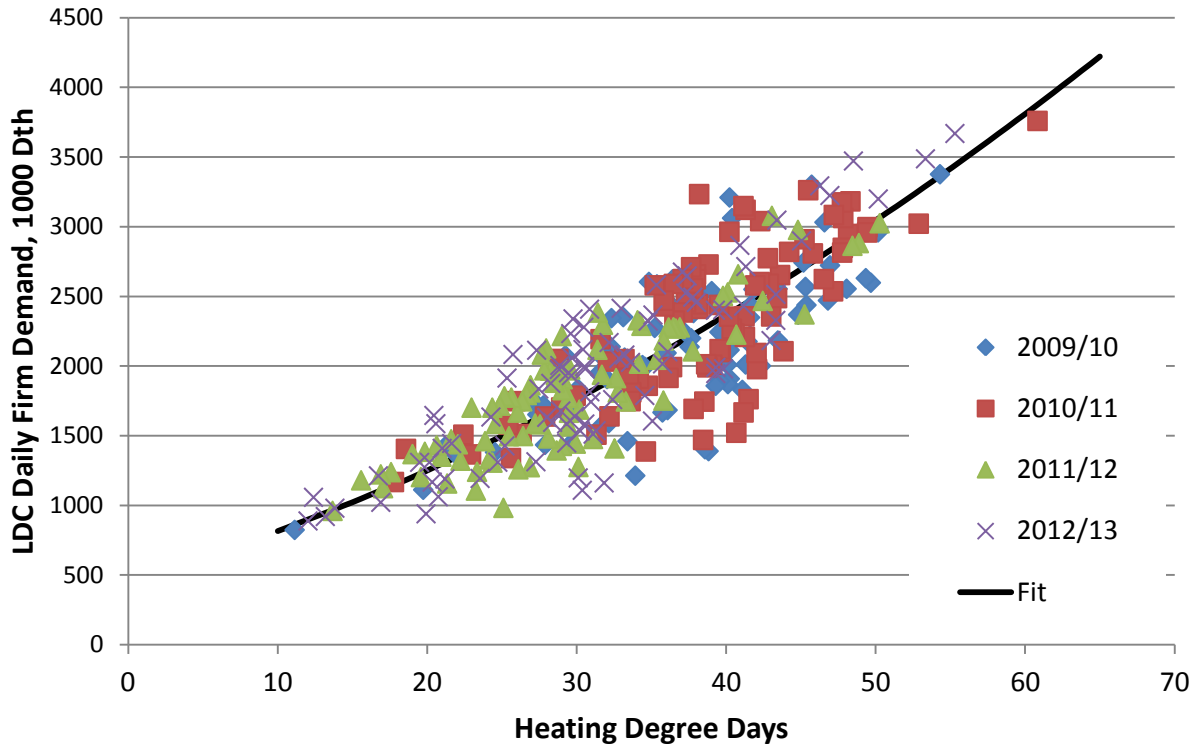
**Exhibit 6-2. New England Winter Daily Mean Temperatures, 1993/94 through 2012/13**



**6.2. LDC Daily Firm Demand versus Mean Daily Temperature**

ICF developed winter load duration curves for the aggregate LDC firm demand based on a regression analysis of historical gas demand for New England LDCs and daily mean temperatures (expressed as heating degree days) for the winters of 2008/09 through 2012/13. Exhibit 6-3 shows a scatter plot of the 360 observations (90 winter days for each of the four years) used for the regression. Historical demands were based on an aggregation of New England LDC daily citygate receipts from interstate pipelines.

**Exhibit 6-3. Historical LDC Daily Firm Demand versus Heating Degree Days**



Based on the regression analysis, ICF derived the following equation used to projected LDC daily firm demand:

$$\text{Projected LDC Daily Firm Demand} = (a + (HDD * b) + (HDD^2 * c)) * e$$

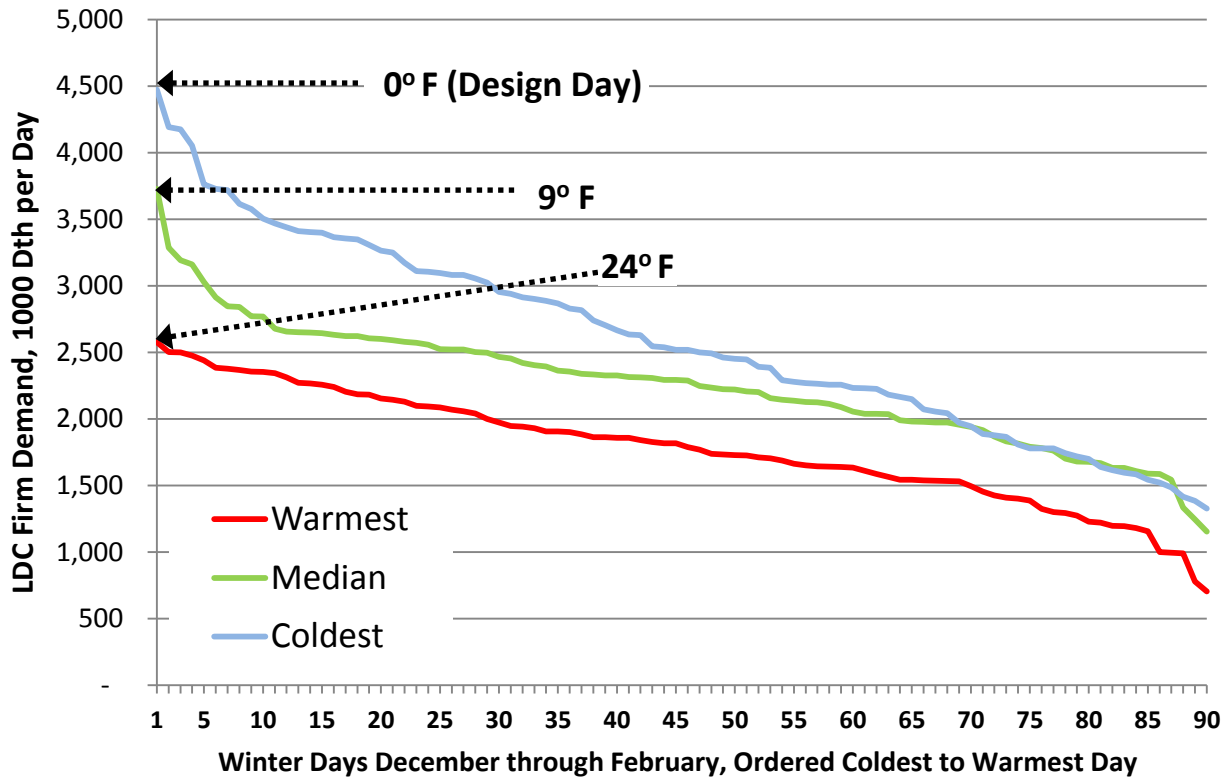
Where:

- $a$  (intercept) = 465 1000 Dth
- $b$  (HDD coefficient) = 31.0
- $c$  (HDD<sup>2</sup> coefficient) = 0.41
- $e$  (load growth factor) = 1.014<sup>(Year-2012)</sup>

The intercept and heating degree day coefficients were derived directly from the regression. The load growth factor (e) of 1.4% per year growth is based on the Phase I projection for growth in winter LDC firm gas demand.

Using this equation and the historical temperature data, ICF constructed daily load curve for each forecast year. For example, Exhibit 6-4 shows the projected LDC daily firm demand for the winter 2014/15 based on historical temperatures from 1993/94 (representing a cold winter, and including a design day), 2001/02 (representing a warm winter), and 2007/08 (representing median winter conditions). In the coldest winter case, 2014/15 LDC daily demand peaks at 4,500,000 Dth, and remains above 3,500,000 Dth for a total of 10 days.

**Exhibit 6-4. LDC Daily Firm Demand Projections, Winter 2014/15**



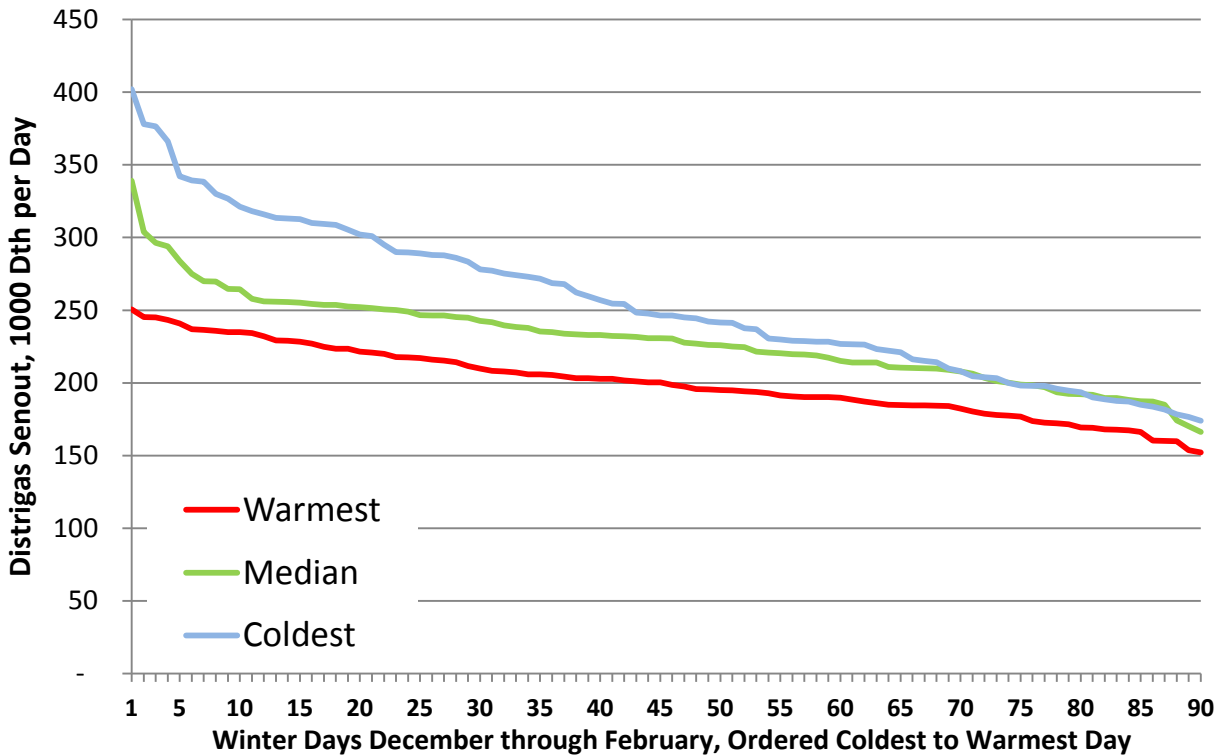
**6.3. Projected Daily Sendout from Distrigas LNG and Daily Flows on M&N Pipeline**

The projected daily sendout from Distrigas LNG and the daily flows on M&N Pipeline are based on the analysis of historical data described in Section 5.5.2 above.

The forecast of Distrigas daily sendout is based on the observed values for the winter of 2012/13, based on the assumption that the future mix of long- and short-term supply contracts to Distrigas will be similar to this time period. Exhibit 6-5 shows the forecast daily sendout for 2014/15. Even under the coldest condition, Distrigas sendout is projected to be only about 400,000 Dth, or about 56 percent of its rated capacity.

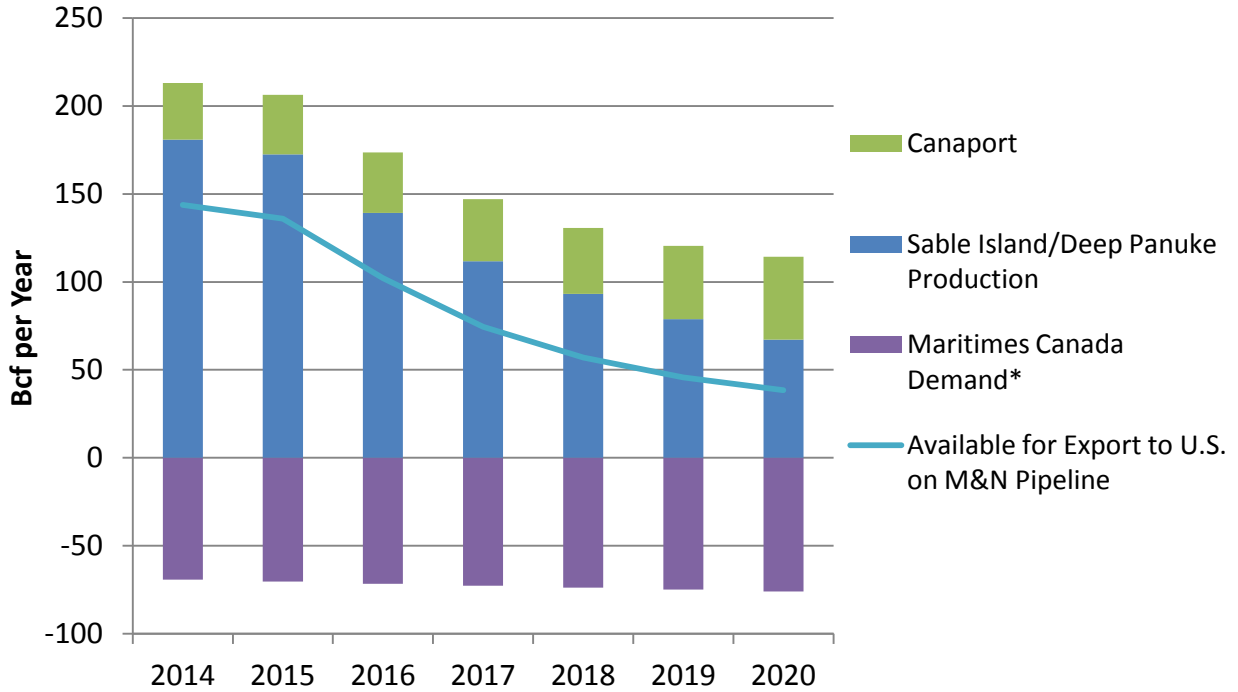


**Exhibit 6-5. Distringas Daily Sendout Projections, Winter 2014/15**



The projections for daily flows on M&N Pipeline are based on a combination of factors. As shown in Exhibit 6-6, total production from the Eastern Canadian offshore fields is projected to increase through 2014 (as Deep Panuke production ramps up to full capacity), and then decline as both the Deep Panuke and Sable Island fields are depleted. Demand in Maritimes Canada is expected to increase only modestly, reaching about 76 Bcf per year by 2020. The Canaport LNG terminal is assumed to continue receiving imports, but only at a fraction of its rated capacity. By 2020, the net supply available for export from Eastern Canada to the U.S. on the M&N Pipeline declines to about 40 Bcf per year.

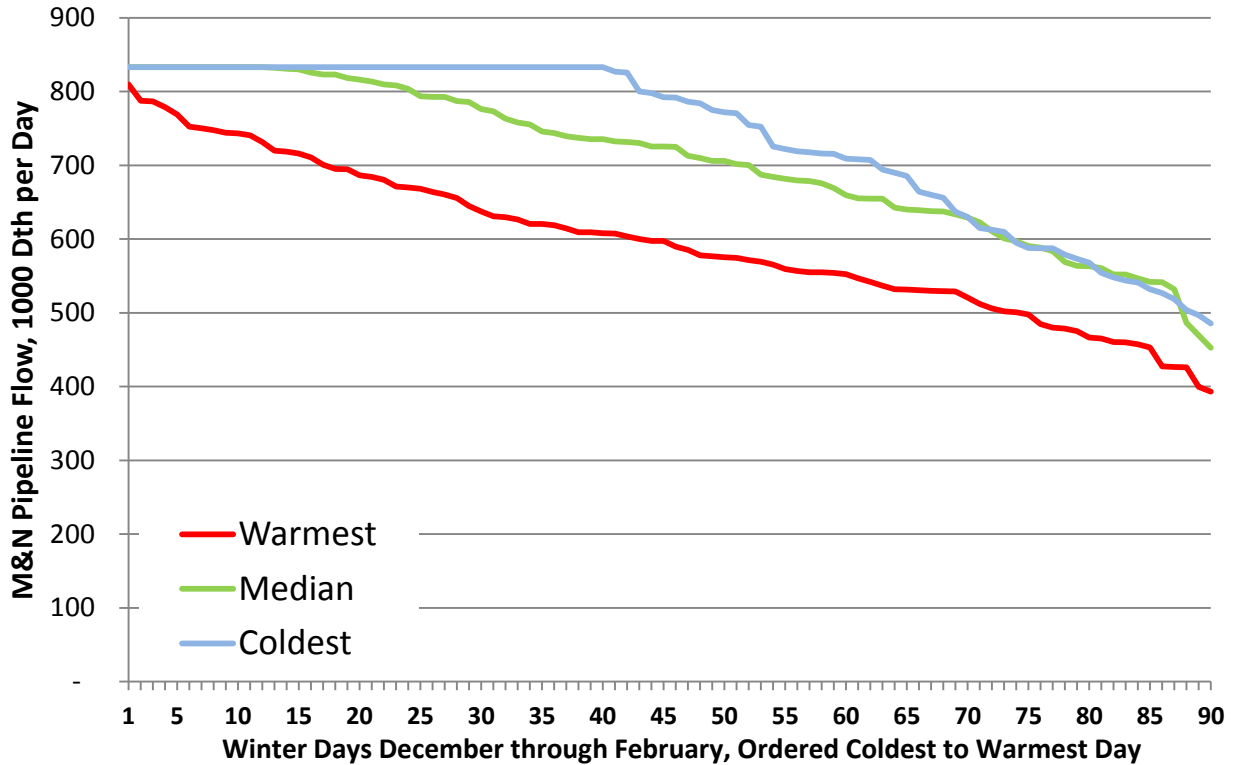
**Exhibit 6-6. Eastern Canadian Projected Supply, Demand, and Exports on M&N Pipeline**



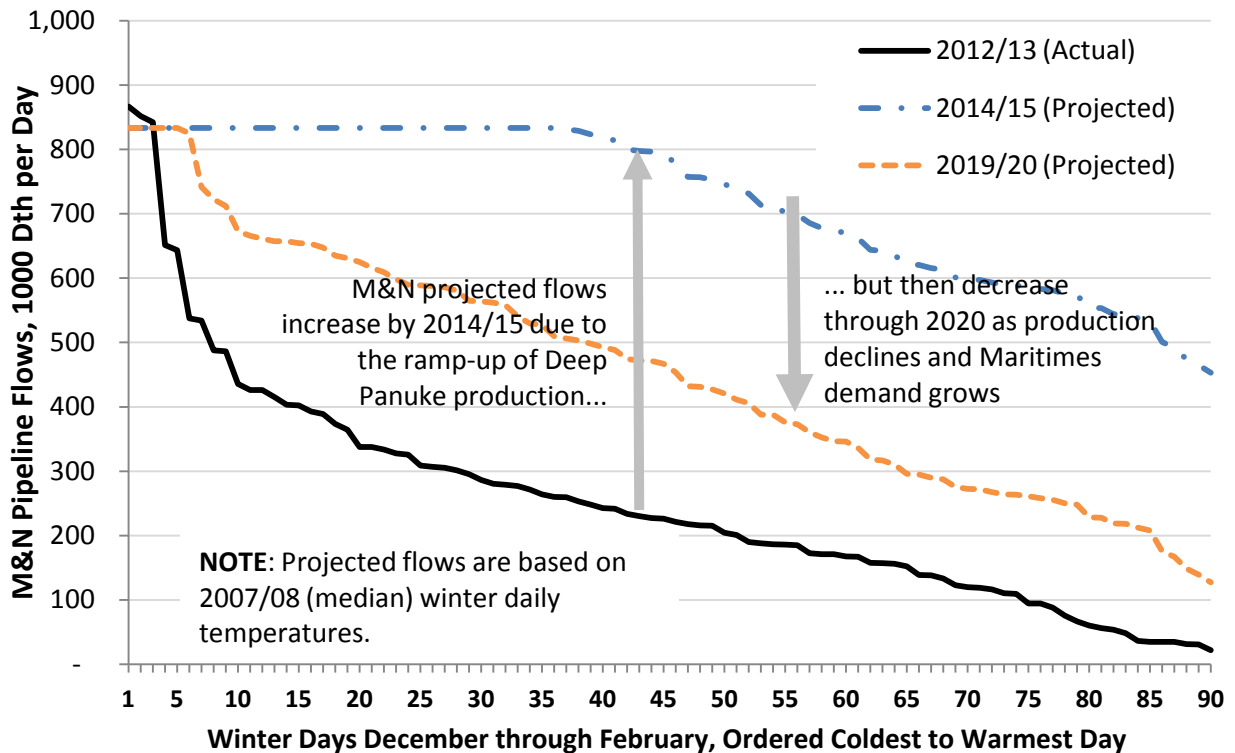
\* All demands, including residential, commercial, industrial, power generation, lease, plant, and pipeline fuel

Exhibit 6-7 shows a comparison of projected M&N flows for 2014/15 based on the cold, median, and warm daily temperature series. Due to the anticipated ramp-up of Deep Panuke production, M&N projected to have the highest winter flows in 2014/15. Under the median (2007/08) temperature scenario, M&N is projected to flow at or very near its rated capacity for the 15 coldest days, and average about 700,000 Dth per day during the winter of 2014/15. However, after 2014/15, M&N flows are projected to decrease at an average rate of about 11 percent per year, due to both the depletion of offshore fields and the increased in Maritimes gas demand. Exhibit 6-8 shows the actual daily flows for 2012/13 and projected flows for 2014/15 and 2019/20, based on the median historical daily temperatures. Through 2014/15, the average daily winter flows on M&N Pipeline are projected to increase by about 6 percent, as Deep Panuke production increases. By the winter 2019/20, the projected average daily flows are less than 50 percent of the pipeline’s rated capacity.

**Exhibit 6-7. M&N Pipeline Daily Flow Projections, Winter 2014/15**



**Exhibit 6-8. M&N Pipeline Daily Flow Projections, Winter 2013/14 through 2019/20**



#### 6.4. Projected Peak Shaving Storage Daily Sendout

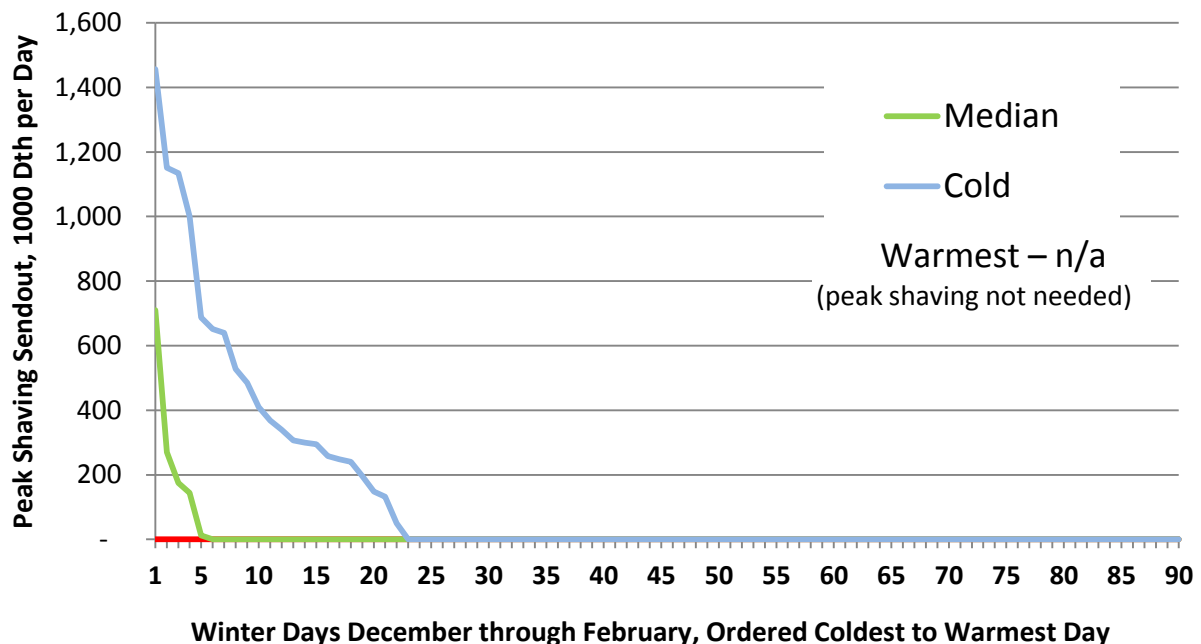
New England peak shaving facilities are operated by the regional LDCs, and there are no publically available data on their daily operations.<sup>17</sup> To account for the contribution of peak shaving storage to regional gas supplies, ICF has estimated peak-shaving sendout as a function of the projected LDC daily firm demand and the LDCs' contracted pipeline capacity:

$$\text{Projected Daily Peak Shaving Sendout} = \text{Max}[(\text{Projected LDC Daily Firm Demand} - \text{Pipeline Capacity Contracted by LDCs}), \text{Maximum Daily Peak Shaving Sendout}]$$

In other words, it is assumed the LDCs will use their peak shaving resources whenever their daily gas load is greater than their contracted pipeline capacity. The projected peak shaving sendout is limited by the combined maximum re-vaporization capability of the facilities (approximately 1,500,000 Dth per day) and the total capacity of the storage tanks (about 16.7 Bcf). At maximum sendout, the total peak shaving storage capacity would be depleted within 11 days.

Exhibit 6-9 shows the projected peak shaving sendout in the winter of 2014/15 for the cold and median temperature scenarios; under the warm temperature scenario, LDC daily firm demand is consistently below contracted capacity, and therefore peak shaving supplies would not be needed.

**Exhibit 6-9. Peak Shaving Daily Sendout Projections, Winter 2014/15**



<sup>17</sup> LNG peak shaving operators report annual net additions to and withdrawals from LNG storage in Form EIA-176 (Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition), but not winter daily sendout.

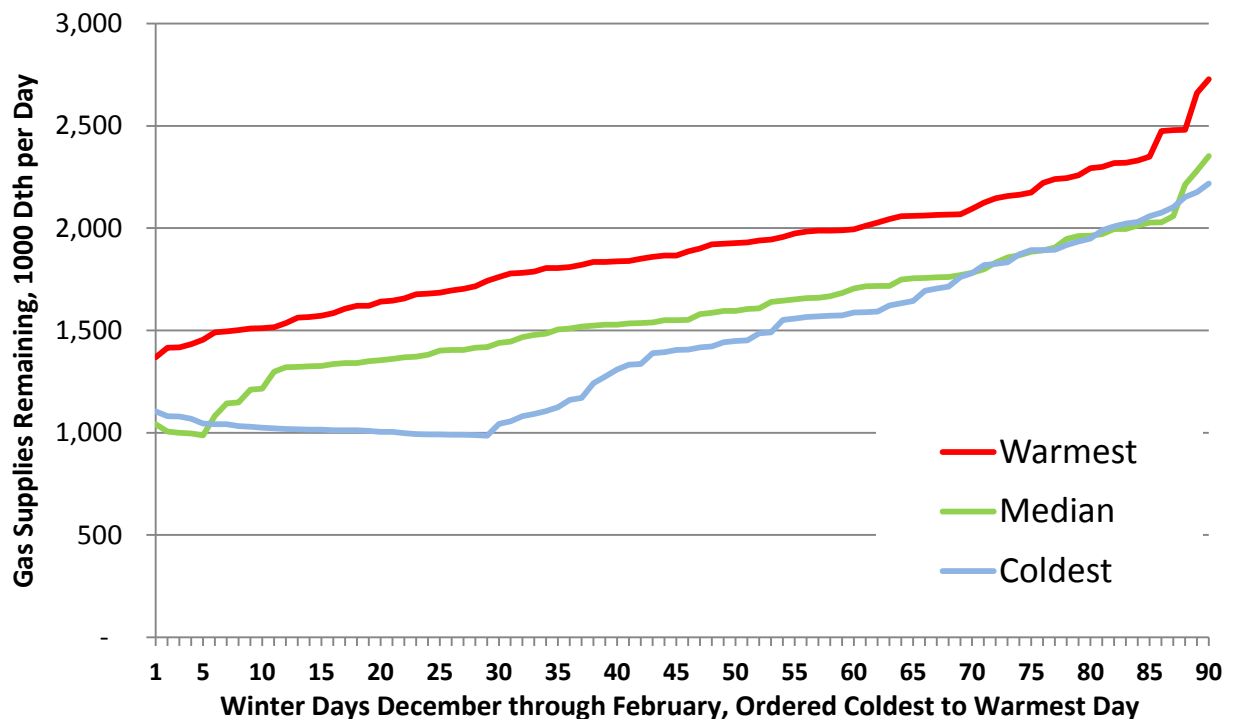
## 6.5. Winter Daily Gas Supplies Available to Electric Generators (Duration of Risk)

The projected winter daily values for gas supply and LDC firm demand described above were combined to arrive at gas supplies remaining for electric generators:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Contracted Pipeline Capacity (excluding M\&N Pipeline)} \\
 & + \text{Distrigas LNG daily sendout} \\
 & + \text{M\&N Pipeline daily flow} \\
 & + \text{Peak shaving storage daily sendout} \\
 & - \text{LDC firm daily demand} \\
 & = \text{Gas Supplies Remaining for Electric Generators}
 \end{aligned}$$

For example, Exhibit 6-10 shows the projected gas supply remaining for electric generators for winter 2014/15 under the warm, median, and cold weather scenarios. Under the median weather scenario, gas supplies remaining are 1,100,000 Dth or less for only 6 days, and then increases as temperatures increase above 20 degrees F. Under the cold weather scenario, gas supplies remaining are under 1,100,000 Dth for 33 days. Under the warm weather scenario, daily temperatures are 24 degrees F or higher throughout the winter, and gas supplies remaining are above 1,300,000 Dth on all days.

**Exhibit 6-10. Projected Gas Supplies Remaining for Electric Generators, Winter 2014/15**

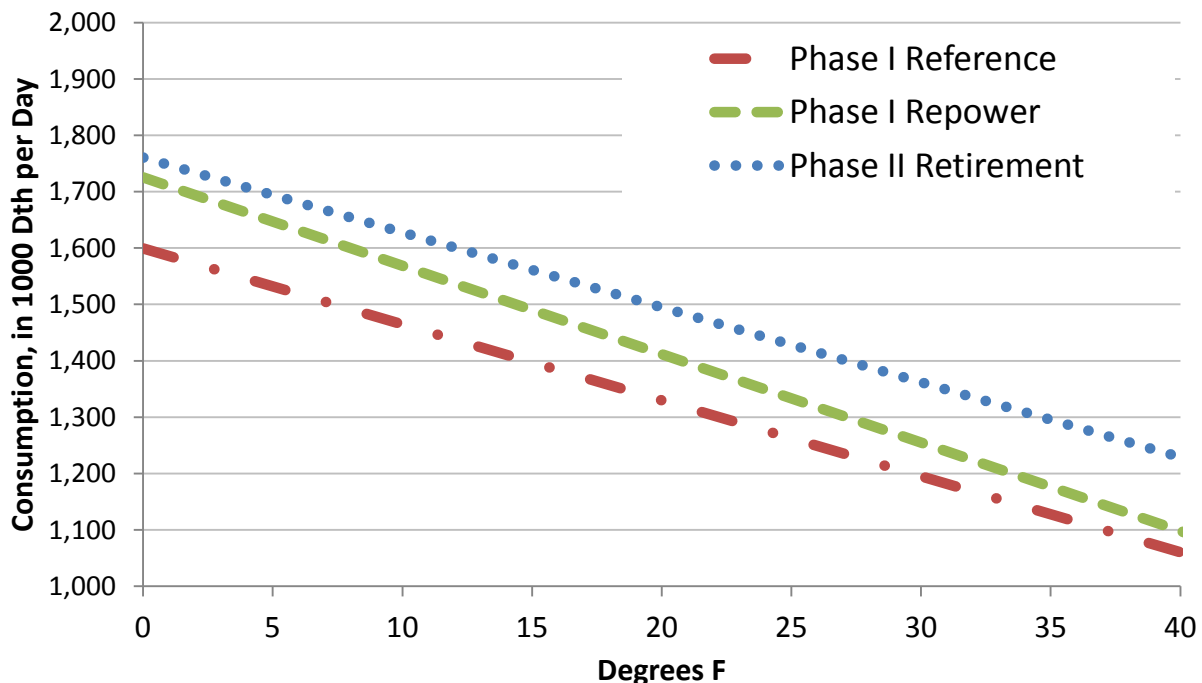


To investigate the impact of temperature on winter near-peak day gas demands, ISO-NE developed alternate projections for 2019/20 winter day gas demand for the Phase I Reference, Phase I Repower, and Phase II Retirement case. The alternate projections use different combinations of load and nuclear outages to represent gas demands over a range of temperatures:

- A peak load day using the ISO-NE 90/10 load projection, to represent gas loads at a temperature of 1.61 degrees F;
- A peak load day using the ISO-NE 50/50 load projection and 1,200 MW of nuclear capacity offline, to represent gas loads at a temperature of -2.97 degrees F; and
- A peak load day using the ISO-NE 90/10 load projection and 1,200 MW of nuclear capacity offline, to represent gas loads at a temperature of -8.39 degrees F.

Based on results from the ISO-NE cases, ICF developed linear projections of electric generation gas consumption over the 90 day of the 2019/20 winter as a function of the mean daily temperature, as shown in Exhibit 6-11.

**Exhibit 6-11. Projected Electric Generator Gas Consumption as a Function of Temperature, Winter 2019/20**



Using the 20-years of historical temperature data described in Section 6.1, ICF then calculated for the winter of 2019/20 the gas supplies remaining for electric generators versus the projected daily electric generation gas demand to determine:

- 1) the number of days during which gas demand would exceed available supplies for each temperature scenario, and
- 2) the quantity (total Dth shortfall over the 90 days of winter) of the gas supply in deficit for each temperature scenario.

A summary of these results are shown in Exhibit 6-12 (duration of deficit) and Exhibit 6-13 (size (Dth) of deficit). The results indicate median values of between 24 and 34 days for duration of the winter 2019/20 deficit, depending on which of the electric sector scenario is assumed. Assuming an equal probability for each of the 20 years of temperature data, there is an equal probability (50/50) that the duration of the deficit would be greater or less than the median values. Looking across all the temperature and electric sector scenarios, the duration of the deficit ranges from 0 days (Phase I Reference, assuming the warmest temperature scenario) to

51 days (Phase II Retirement, assuming the coldest temperature scenario). The median total quantity of the deficit ranges from about 6,000,000 Dth to about 10,700,000 Dth. The minimum deficit quantity was 0 Dth (no shortfall in Phase I Reference, assuming the warmest temperature scenario), and the maximum quantity was over 21,900,000 Dth (greatest shortfall in Phase II Retirement, assuming the coldest temperature scenario).

**Exhibit 6-12. Duration of Gas Supply Deficit in Days, Winter 2019/20**

Electric Sector Scenario	Duration of Deficit, in Days		
	Median (50/50)	Minimum (5/95)	Maximum (95/5)
Phase I Reference	24	0	42
Phase I Repower	29	1	46
Phase II Retirement	34	5	51

**Exhibit 6-13. Size of Gas Supply Deficit in 1,000 Dth, Winter 2019/20**

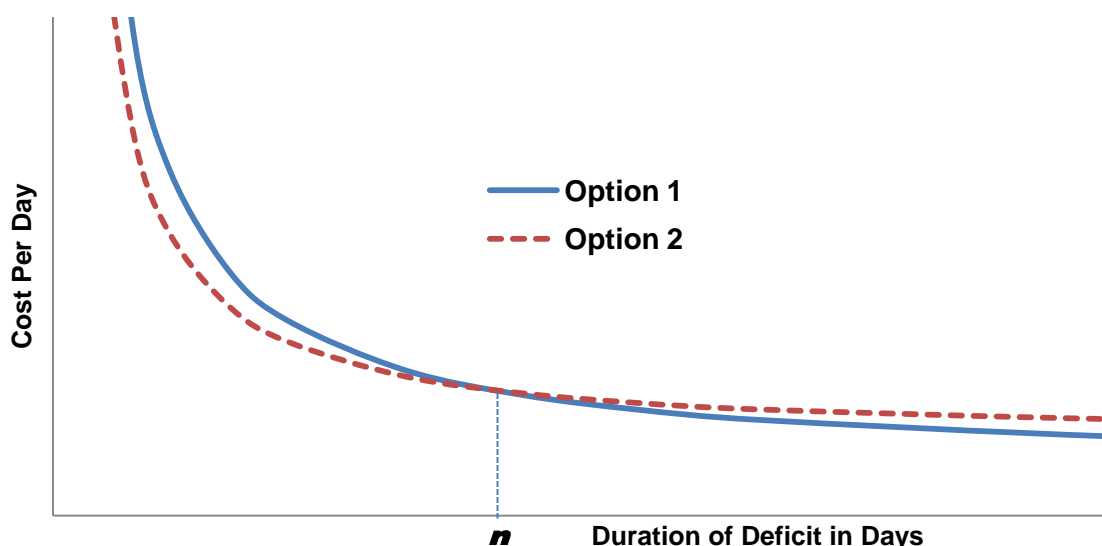
Electric Sector Scenario	Total Winter Deficit (1000 Dth)		
	Median (50/50)	Minimum (5/95)	Maximum (95/5)
Phase I Reference	6,047	0	14,436
Phase I Repower	8,107	66	18,361
Phase II Retirement	10,680	439	21,931

## 6.6. Duration of Risk and Analysis of Options

There are a wide variety of potential solutions to the projected supply deficit. The most obvious solution would be increases natural gas pipeline capacity, either through construction of a new pipeline or additional expansions of existing pipelines. Other options to increase regional fuel supplies include increasing LNG imports, adding peak-shaving gas storage to serve the electric sector, and the expansion of dual-fuel capability. Another set of options involve reducing electric generation gas demand by reducing winter peak electric load (through enhanced electric efficiency and demand side management programs) or adding new electric transmission capacity.

An approach for assessing the costs of each option is to create “cost duration curves,” constructed by allocating the fixed and variable costs associated with each option over number of days the option is to be used. The example cost durations curves shown in Exhibit 6-14 compare “Option 1” and “Option 2”. In this example, for a deficit that that is less than  $n$  days in duration, Option 2 has the lower cost. However, to serve loads greater than  $n$  days, Option 1 has the lower cost.

### Exhibit 6-14. Example Cost Duration Curves



Generally, options with a high fixed cost component (such as a new gas pipeline) become more economical the more days they are used. For example, if a new pipeline were built from the northeastern Pennsylvania (part of the Marcellus shale supply area) to eastern Massachusetts, it may cost as much as \$1.8 billion (Exhibit 6-15). Using a capital recovery factor of 14 percent, the capital cost component of the pipeline’s tariff would be \$252 per Dth each year; the variable operating costs (fuel charges plus non-fuel O&M) would be only about \$0.05 per Dth. If the pipeline were only needed to meet a supply deficit that last 10 days per year, then the cost would be over \$25 per Dth per day. However, if the pipeline were needed for 40 days per year, then the costs drops to just over \$6 per Dth per day.

### Exhibit 6-15. Example Costs for New Pipeline from Marcellus to New England

Pipeline Length (miles)	250
Pipeline Diameter (inch)	36
Pipeline Capacity (Dth per Day)	1,000,000
Total Inch-Miles of Pipeline	9,000
Cost per Inch-Mile (\$)	200,000
Capital Cost of Pipeline (\$)	1,800,000,000
Capital Cost per Unit of Transport (\$/Dth)	1,800
Capital Cost Recovery (\$/Dth/Year) /1	252
Variable O&M Costs (\$/Dth)	0.01
Pipeline Fuel Cost (\$/Dth) /2	0.04

1. Assuming a capital recovery factor of 14% per year.
2. Assuming pipeline fuel use of 1% and a gas price of \$4.00 per Dth.

In contrast, options that have high variable costs but low capital cost can be more economical for serving fuel needs of a shorter duration. Exhibit 6-16 has example cost for adding 600 MW



of distillate fuel switching capability to existing gas-fired capacity (enough to displace about 100,000 Dth per day of gas consumption). In this example, the capital cost for the fuel switching capability is \$14.4 million and fixed O&M costs are \$270 thousand. Using the same 14 percent capital cost recovery factor as for the pipeline, the annualized capital cost is only \$20 per Dth per year. For a supply deficit of only 10 day, the capital cost component would be only \$2 per Dth per day. However, because the cost of distillate fuel oil is very high, the variable cost is nearly \$20 per Dth. Comparing this example to the example pipeline costs in Exhibit 6-15, the pipeline becomes the more economic option as the number of days the option is used increased beyond 11 days.

**Exhibit 6-16. Example Costs for Adding Distillate Fuel Oil Switching**

MW of Fuel Switching Capacity	600
Displaced Gas Use (Dth per Day)	100,000
Capital Cost (\$)	14,400,000
Capital Cost Recovery (\$/Dth/Year) /1	20.16
Fuel Cost (\$/Dth) /2	19.66

1. Assuming a capital recovery factor of 14% per year.
2. Based on crude oil cost of \$95/bbl.

Given that the Distrigas LNG terminal is currently operating below its rated capacity, another potential supply option would be to import additional LNG to Distrigas. Based on currently Atlantic Basin LNG prices, the cost of LNG delivered to the Distrigas terminal would be between \$14 and \$15 per Dth. To this would be added the Distrigas terminal fee, which is relatively low since it only covers marginal operating costs and does not include any capital recovery. As with oil fuel switching, the relative high fuel cost of imported LNG makes it a more attractive option for serving shorter duration loads.

In reality, many factors other than costs (for example, electric reliability, environmental issues, and fuel security concerns) must also be considered when assessing options for meeting electric generators’ incremental fuel requirements. However, the cost duration analysis is a practical and balanced method of assessing the relative costs of each option.

# Appendix A – Power Sector Gas Demand

## A.1 Methodology

As stated within the original Scope of Work, the development of the electric sector natural gas demands were performed by ISO New England Inc. Using its internal production simulation program, the Inter-Regional Electric Market Model (IREMM), ISO-NE developed the natural gas demands for all of the Phase II assessments, which were then reviewed and benchmarked, and subsequently incorporated into the capacity analysis spreadsheet developed by ICF Resources.<sup>18</sup>

The development of the production simulation cases for all of the Phase II assessments were based on the assumptions that the supply and demand-side capacity for the short-term (2011 – 2015) would be the same as that that procured within the ISO’s Forward Capacity Auctions, specifically, FCA#2 through FCA#5.<sup>19</sup> Table 1 identified the aggregate supply and demand-side capacity (Capacity Supply Obligations (CSOs)) procured within the respective Forward Capacity Auction (FCA). For the near-term assumption (2015-2020), ISO-NE then held the overall supply and demand-side capacity assumptions constant by continuing the use of that same capacity procured under FCA#5.<sup>20</sup> Table 2 identifies the aggregate supply and demand-side capacity in the near-term timeframe.

**Table 1 – Revised Retirement Assessment - Short-Term Capacity Procurement (MW)**

Winter 2011/12	Summer 2012	Winter 2012/13	Summer 2013	Winter 2013/14	Summer 2014	Winter 2014/15
CSOs FCA #2	CSOs FCA #3	CSOs FCA #3	CSOs FCA #4	CSOs FCA #4	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5
37,678	37,026	37,246	37,589	37,800	37,040	37,276

**Table 2 – Revised Retirement Assessment - Near-Term Capacity Procurement (MW)**

Summer 2015	Winter 2015/16	Summer 2016	Winter 2016/17	Summer 2017	Winter 2017/18	Summer 2018	Winter 2018/19	Summer 2019	Winter 2019/20	Summer 2020
CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5	CSOs FCA #5
37,040	37,276	37,040	37,276	37,040	37,276	37,040	37,276	37,040	37,276	37,040

The development of the Phase I Repowering Assessment and Phase II Retirement Assessment were based on the same supply and demand-side capacity assumptions used within the Phase I Reference Assessment for both the short and near-term (2011 – 2020), with the hypothetical exception that several regional power stations would subsequently be repowered within the Phase I Repowering Assessment and retire (and not repowered) within the Phase II Retirement

<sup>18</sup> More information about the IREMM can be located at: [www.iremm.com](http://www.iremm.com).

<sup>19</sup> FCA#2 procured forward capacity for the June 2011 to May 31, 2012 capability period. FCA#3 procured forward capacity for the June 2012 to May 31, 2013 capability period. FCA#4 procured forward capacity for the June 2013 to May 31, 2014 capability period. FCA#5 procured forward capacity for the June 2014 to May 31, 2015 capability period.

<sup>20</sup> FCA#5 is the Forward Capacity Market (FCM) Auction procuring regional capacity for the June 2014 to May 31, 2015 capability period.

Assessment. The units and/or stations that were subject to this potential repowering/retirement are those that are currently subject to the ongoing environmental policies of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and as such, would face pending compliance with several new air emissions and water management policies. As a preface to these repowering assumptions, these potential retirements are exemplified at the nation-wide level within the 2010 NERC Assessment entitled “*2010 Special Reliability Scenario Assessment: Resource Adequacy Impacts of Potential U.S. Environmental Regulations.*”<sup>21</sup> The significant findings from the 2010 NERC Special Reliability Scenario Assessment includes the ramifications of potential retirements of existing facilities due to compliance with four U.S. EPA rulemaking policies, which include:

1. Clean Water Act – Section 316(b) - Cooling Water and Wastewater
2. Clean Air Act – Utility Air Toxics Rule
3. Clean Air Act - Clean Air Transport Rule (CATR)
4. Resource Conservation & Recovery Act - Coal Combustion Residue (CCR)

Under the umbrella of ISO-NE’s Strategic Planning Initiative and to specifically support both the Phase I and Phase II Gas Study Scopes of Work, ISO-NE has developed a similar list of “*At-Risk*” regional power plants/stations that could *potentially* retire due to the economics related to compliance with pending environmental regulations. This ISO-NE “*At-Risk List*” identifies the *assumed potential* retirements of existing coal and oil-fired facilities within New England. Within the Phase II Retirement assessment, these units are *assumed* to be retired at their compliance dates. Within the Phase I Repowering Assessment, ISO-NE takes these retirement assumptions one step further by *assuming* that the units/stations within this “*At-Risk List*” are may be repowered to equivalent capacity, natural gas-fired power plants/stations. Then the ISO performed new production simulations under the Repowering and Retirement Assessments, to gauge the incremental gas demands of these “*potentially*” repowered gas-fired facilities to gauge the potential increase duty cycles (and gas demands) on the remaining fleet of units within New England. Thus the Repowering and Retirement Assessments identify the potential upper limits of future gas demand from the electric power sector.

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<sup>21</sup> This report can be located at the NERC web site at: [http://www.nerc.com/files/EPA\\_Scenario\\_Final\\_v2.pdf](http://www.nerc.com/files/EPA_Scenario_Final_v2.pdf)

Figure 1 – ISO-NE Assumed “At-Risk List” of Generating Units for Potential Repowering

ISO-NE Gas Study – Assumed “At-Risk” List of Generating Units for Potential Repowering												
#	Plant Name	Unit	ISO-NE Zone	Net Summer Capacity (MW)	Repowered Technology Type *	Equivalent Repowered Capacity (MW)	Assumed Repowered Heat Rate (Btu/KWh)	Fuel Type	Interconnecting Pipeline	Assumed Repowering Date	Impacting Environmental Compliance Rule	NOTES:
1	New Haven Harbor	1	Z.CONNNECTICUT	488	CC400+	488	5,900	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
2	Monrovia Station	6	Z.CONNNECTICUT	407	CC400+	407	5,900	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
3	Montville Station	5	Z.CONNNECTICUT	81	SC65-120	81	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
4	Bridgeport Station	3	Z.CONNNECTICUT	183	CC400+	183	5,900	Nat Gas	IGTS	12/1/2014	MACT	
5	Bridgeport Station	2	Z.CONNNECTICUT	130	SC120-400	130	7,695	Nat Gas	IGTS	12/1/2014	MACT	Two SC120-400 Units
6	Middletown	3	Z.CONNNECTICUT	236	SC120-400	236	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
7	Middletown	2	Z.CONNNECTICUT	117	SC65-120	117	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
8	AES Thames	1	Z.CONNNECTICUT	181	SC120-400	181	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	12/1/2014	MACT	Two SC120-400 Units
9	Norwalk Harbor	2	Z.CONNNECTICUT	168	SC120-400	168	7,695	Nat Gas	TGP	1/1/2019	316(b)	Two SC120-400 Units
10	Norwalk Harbor	1	Z.CONNNECTICUT	162	SC120-400	162	7,695	Nat Gas	TGP	1/1/2019	316(b)	Two SC120-400 Units
11	Sprague Paperboard	1	Z.CONNNECTICUT	14	SC16-35	14	9,287	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
12	W.F. Wyman	4	Z.MAINE	503	CC400+	503	5,900	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
13	W.F. Wyman	3	Z.MAINE	116	SC65-120	116	7,695	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
14	W.F. Wyman	2	Z.MAINE	51	SC35-65	51	8,364	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
15	W.F. Wyman	1	Z.MAINE	52	SC35-65	52	8,364	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
16	Mead/Rumford Cogen	1	Z.MAINE	85	SC65-120	85	7,695	Nat Gas	PNGTS	1/1/2019	316(b)	
17	Bucksport Mill	2	Z.MAINE	72	SC65-120	72	7,695	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
18	Bucksport Mill	1	Z.MAINE	21	SC16-35	21	9,287	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
19	Millisrocket	4	Z.MAINE	45	SC35-65	45	8,364	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
20	Millisrocket	3	Z.MAINE	29	SC16-35	29	9,287	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
21	Millisrocket	2	Z.MAINE	15	SC16-35	15	9,287	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
22	Wiscasset	7	Z.NEMASSBOST	378	CC400+	378	5,900	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
23	Salem Harbor	4	Z.NEMASSBOST	437	CC400+	437	5,900	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
24	Salem Harbor	3	Z.NEMASSBOST	145	SC120-400	145	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	Two SC120-400 Units
25	Salem Harbor	2	Z.NEMASSBOST	80	SC65-120	80	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
26	Salem Harbor	1	Z.NEMASSBOST	82	SC65-120	82	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
27	Kendall Square	3	Z.NEMASSBOST	20	SC16-35	20	9,287	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
28	Kendall Square	2	Z.NEMASSBOST	18	SC16-35	18	9,287	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
29	Kendall Square	1	Z.NEMASSBOST	17	SC16-35	17	9,287	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
30	GE Lynn	7	Z.NEMASSBOST	16	SC16-35	16	9,287	Nat Gas	TGP	1/1/2019	316(b)	
31	Healington	1	Z.NEW HAMPSHIRE	400	CC400+	400	5,900	Nat Gas	M&N	1/1/2019	316(b)	
32	Merrimack	2	Z.NEW HAMPSHIRE	320	SC120-400	320	7,695	Nat Gas	M&N	12/1/2014	MACT	Three SC120-400 Units
33	Merrimack	1	Z.NEW HAMPSHIRE	113	SC65-120	113	7,695	Nat Gas	M&N	12/1/2014	MACT	
34	Schiller	6	Z.NEW HAMPSHIRE	48	SC35-65	48	8,364	Nat Gas	M&N	12/1/2014	MACT	
35	Schiller	5	Z.NEW HAMPSHIRE	47	SC35-65	47	8,364	Nat Gas	M&N	12/1/2014	MACT	
36	Schiller	4	Z.NEW HAMPSHIRE	48	SC35-65	48	8,364	Nat Gas	M&N	12/1/2014	MACT	
37	Cane	1	Z.SEMASS	353	CC400+	353	5,900	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
38	Cane	1	Z.SEMASS	350	CC400+	350	5,900	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
39	Somerset	6	Z.SEMASS	109	SC65-120	109	7,695	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
40	Cleary/Flood	8	Z.SEMASS	26	SC16-35	26	9,287	Nat Gas	AGT	1/1/2019	316(b)	
41	Mount Tom	1	Z.WCMASS	144	SC120-400	144	7,695	Nat Gas	TGP	12/1/2014	MACT	Two SC120-400 Units
42	West Springfield	3	Z.WCMASS	94	SC65-120	94	7,695	Nat Gas	TGP	1/1/2019	316(b)	
TOTAL MW -->				7,261		7,261						

NOTES (\*): Repowered Technology Type and Associated Heat Rate  
 SC16-35: Assumed Equivalent Capacity in the 16 MW - 35 MW Range - Assumed to be a GE LM2500+ Gas Turbine with a heat rate of 9,287 Btu/Kwh  
 SC35-65: Assumed Equivalent Capacity in the 35 MW - 65 MW Range - Assumed to be a GE LM6000-PH Gas Turbine with a heat rate of 8,364 Btu/Kwh.  
 SC65-120: Assumed Equivalent Capacity in the 65 MW - 120 MW Range - Assumed to be a GE LM5100 (PB-60HZ) Gas Turbine with a heat rate of 7,695 Btu/Kwh.  
 SC120-400: Assumed Equivalent Capacity in the 120 MW - 400 MW Range - Assumed to be a several GE LM5100s Gas Turbines with a heat rate of 7,695 Btu/Kwh.  
 CC400+: Assumed Equivalent Capacity in the 400 MW - 550 MW Range - Assumed to be a GE Gas Energy 5B C.C. Station with a heat rate of 5,900 Btu/Kwh  
 These units are "behind-the-meter" paper mills and have been discontinued/removed from the analysis

It should also be noted that within the Retirement Assessment, the “At-Risk” units/stations were theoretically retired. Within the Repowering Assessment, the “At-Risk” units/stations were theoretically retired and then assumed to be repowered with new, equivalent capacity, single-cycle (unit level) or combined cycle (station level) that reflect “state-of-the-art” gas-fired technologies with improved heat-rates for fuel to electricity conversions.<sup>22</sup> The ISO-NE “At-Risk List,” is shown in Figure 1.

<sup>22</sup> These new generation technologies were chosen from the General Electric Energy Systems/Services web-site, located at: <http://www.ge-energy.com/>

## A.2 Electric Sector Gas Demands

### A.2.1 Introduction

As stated within the Phase I and Phase II Scopes of Work, the development of the electric sector natural gas demands was performed by ISO New England Inc. Eighty-four (84) production simulations were run to determine both the economic, upper and lower limit on the overall electric sector natural gas demands, ISO-NE used its own, internal production simulation model, IREMM, to approximate the seasonal peak day fuel requirements (consumption) of all regional gas-fired and dual-fueled power generators serving both short-term and near-term winter and summer peak electrical demands.

In order to gauge both the short-term and near-term fuel requirements of New England's electric sector, ISO-NE performed several production simulation dispatches, which are categorized below;

- 1) An Economic Dispatch under the Reference (50/50) peak demand and energy forecasts. The simulation of the New England power system was economically committed and dispatched to serve seasonal electrical demands. These are identified as *Nominal Gas Demand Forecast*.
- 2) An Economic Dispatch under the High (90/10) peak demand and energy forecasts. The simulation of the New England power system was economically committed and dispatched to serve seasonal electrical demands. These are identified as *Reference Gas Demand Forecast*.
- 3) An Upper Dispatch Limit under the High (90/10) peak demand and energy forecasts. The simulation of the New England power system was economically committed and dispatched to serve seasonal electrical demands using natural gas prices that were increase from their reference projections, along with the simulated outage of a large nuclear station. These are identified as *Higher Gas Demand Forecast*.
- 4) A Maximum Dispatch Limit under the High (90/10) peak demand and energy forecasts. The simulation of the New England power system was economically committed and dispatched to serve seasonal electrical demands using natural gas prices that were decreased from their reference projections, along with the simulated outage of a large nuclear station. These are identified as *Maximum Gas Demand Forecast*

ISO-NE then performed an internal review of the results and findings of these production simulations in order to determine their accuracy and correctness. Upon completion of this process, ISO-NE then supplied the seasonal results of these production simulations to ICF Resources for incorporation into their capacity analysis spreadsheet. The results included the electric sector's overall natural gas requirements for both individual regional pipelines (including LNG), and aggregate fuel requirements for the total system. As noted earlier, eighty-four (84) production simulations were developed to "*bandwidth*" the project.

The development of the production simulation cases for all of the Phase II Gas Study Assessments were based on the original Phase I Gas Study assumptions, that the supply and demand-side capacity for the short-term (2011–2015) would be the same as that that procured within the ISO's Forward Capacity Market's (FCM) - Forward Capacity Auctions (FCAs), specifically, FCA#2 through FCA#5. Table 1 identified the aggregate supply and demand-side capacity (Capacity Supply Obligations (CSOs)) procured within the respective FCA. For the near-term assumption (2015-2020), ISO-NE then held the overall supply and demand-side capacity assumptions constant by continuing the use of that same capacity procured under

FCA#5. Table 2 identifies the aggregate supply and demand-side capacity in the near-term timeframe.

## A.2.2 Retirement Assessment - Electric Sector Gas Demands

### A.2.2.1 Retirement Assessment – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)

To identify the incremental gas demands from the Phase I Reference Assessment for the existing fleet of gas-fired facilities, the “*At-Risk*” units/stations were subsequently “*retired*” but not repowered. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 3 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Retirement Assessment - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 3 – Retirement Assessment – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,594	Summer 2014	2,693
Winter 2014/15	1,602	Summer 2015	2,748
Winter 2015/16	1,621	Summer 2016	2,817
Winter 2016/17	1,656	Summer 2017	2,863
Winter 2017/18	1,666	Summer 2018	2,892
Winter 2018/19	1,676	Summer 2019	2,597
Winter 2019/20	1,667	Summer 2020	2,612

### A.2.2.2 Retirement Assessment – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)

Table 4 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Retirement Assessment - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 4 – Retirement Assessment – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,606	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,682	Summer 2013	2,862
Winter 2013/14	1,682	Summer 2014	2,982
Winter 2014/15	1,680	Summer 2015	2,995
Winter 2015/16	1,700	Summer 2016	3,039
Winter 2016/17	1,734	Summer 2017	3,065
Winter 2017/18	1,738	Summer 2018	3,079
Winter 2018/19	1,785	Summer 2019	2,682
Winter 2019/20	1,777	Summer 2020	2,688

*A.2.2.3 Retirement Assessment - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 5 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Retirement Assessment – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 5 – Retirement Assessment - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,611	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,697	Summer 2013	2,947
Winter 2013/14	1,784	Summer 2014	3,076
Winter 2014/15	1,801	Summer 2015	3,097
Winter 2015/16	1,830	Summer 2016	3,143
Winter 2016/17	1,886	Summer 2017	3,165
Winter 2017/18	1,911	Summer 2018	3,179
Winter 2018/19	2,015	Summer 2019	2,689
Winter 2019/20	2,001	Summer 2020	2,689

*A.2.2.4 Retirement Assessment - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 6 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Retirement Assessment – Low Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.



**Table 6 – Retirement Assessment - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,187	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,152	Summer 2013	3,376
Winter 2013/14	2,192	Summer 2014	3,396
Winter 2014/15	2,211	Summer 2015	3,411
Winter 2015/16	2,240	Summer 2016	3,446
Winter 2016/17	2,251	Summer 2017	3,465
Winter 2017/18	2,272	Summer 2018	3,480
Winter 2018/19	2,291	Summer 2019	2,934
Winter 2019/20	2,323	Summer 2020	2,934

**A.2.3 Decreases LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.3.1 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “normal winter weather conditions” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 7 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 7 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11NOR50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,583	Summer 2014	2,508
Winter 2014/15	1,544	Summer 2015	2,533
Winter 2015/16	1,546	Summer 2016	2,588
Winter 2016/17	1,548	Summer 2017	2,646
Winter 2017/18	1,549	Summer 2018	2,710
Winter 2018/19	1,531	Summer 2019	2,758
Winter 2019/20	1,504	Summer 2020	2,794

*A.2.3.2 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 8 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identifying the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 8 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11NOR90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,603	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,682	Summer 2013	2,862
Winter 2013/14	1,655	Summer 2014	2,833
Winter 2014/15	1,601	Summer 2015	2,867
Winter 2015/16	1,604	Summer 2016	2,908
Winter 2016/17	1,620	Summer 2017	2,945
Winter 2017/18	1,622	Summer 2018	2,973
Winter 2018/19	1,616	Summer 2019	2,994
Winter 2019/20	1,588	Summer 2020	3,017

*A.2.3.3 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 9 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 9 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SNOR9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,608	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,697	Summer 2013	2,948
Winter 2013/14	1,617	Summer 2014	2,948
Winter 2014/15	1,635	Summer 2015	2,987
Winter 2015/16	1,655	Summer 2016	3,017
Winter 2016/17	1,692	Summer 2017	3,052
Winter 2017/18	1,716	Summer 2018	3,079
Winter 2018/19	1,750	Summer 2019	3,105
Winter 2019/20	1,738	Summer 2020	3,128

*A.2.3.4 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 10 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price. - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 10 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SNOR9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,185	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,152	Summer 2013	3,376
Winter 2013/14	2,175	Summer 2014	3,394
Winter 2014/15	2,202	Summer 2015	3,423
Winter 2015/16	2,225	Summer 2016	3,444
Winter 2016/17	2,243	Summer 2017	3,471
Winter 2017/18	2,270	Summer 2018	3,487
Winter 2018/19	2,302	Summer 2019	3,502
Winter 2019/20	2,336	Summer 2020	3,515

**A.2.4 Decreases LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.4.1 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “normal winter weather conditions” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 11 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 11 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11BAS50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,606	Summer 2014	2,672
Winter 2014/15	1,621	Summer 2015	2,716
Winter 2015/16	1,635	Summer 2016	2,778
Winter 2016/17	1,662	Summer 2017	2,832
Winter 2017/18	1,675	Summer 2018	2,900
Winter 2018/19	1,603	Summer 2019	2,793
Winter 2019/20	1,615	Summer 2020	2,828

*A.2.4.2 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 12 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 12 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11BAS90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,603	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,683	Summer 2013	2,862
Winter 2013/14	1,692	Summer 2014	3,025
Winter 2014/15	1,699	Summer 2015	3,066
Winter 2015/16	1,716	Summer 2016	3,113
Winter 2016/17	1,753	Summer 2017	3,154
Winter 2017/18	1,760	Summer 2018	3,181
Winter 2018/19	1,697	Summer 2019	3,182
Winter 2019/20	1,712	Summer 2020	3,218

*A.2.4.3 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 13 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 13 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SBAS9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,608	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,697	Summer 2013	2,948
Winter 2013/14	1,743	Summer 2014	3,161
Winter 2014/15	1,760	Summer 2015	3,200
Winter 2015/16	1,780	Summer 2016	3,231
Winter 2016/17	1,837	Summer 2017	3,267
Winter 2017/18	1,863	Summer 2018	3,295
Winter 2018/19	1,801	Summer 2019	3,303
Winter 2019/20	1,782	Summer 2020	3,343

*A.2.4.4 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 14 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.



**Table 14 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SBAS9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,185	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,152	Summer 2013	3,376
Winter 2013/14	2,129	Summer 2014	3,496
Winter 2014/15	2,150	Summer 2015	3,532
Winter 2015/16	2,172	Summer 2016	3,558
Winter 2016/17	2,183	Summer 2017	3,591
Winter 2017/18	2,209	Summer 2018	3,615
Winter 2018/19	2,041	Summer 2019	3,598
Winter 2019/20	2,062	Summer 2020	3,628

#### **A.2.5 Decreases LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

##### *A.2.5.1 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “normal winter weather conditions” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 15 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 15 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,594	Summer 2014	2,693
Winter 2014/15	1,602	Summer 2015	2,748
Winter 2015/16	1,621	Summer 2016	2,817
Winter 2016/17	1,656	Summer 2017	2,863
Winter 2017/18	1,666	Summer 2018	2,892
Winter 2018/19	1,676	Summer 2019	2,597
Winter 2019/20	1,667	Summer 2020	2,612

*A.2.5.2 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 16 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “Design-Day” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 16 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,606	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,682	Summer 2013	2,862
Winter 2013/14	1,682	Summer 2014	2,982
Winter 2014/15	1,680	Summer 2015	2,995
Winter 2015/16	1,700	Summer 2016	3,040
Winter 2016/17	1,734	Summer 2017	3,065
Winter 2017/18	1,738	Summer 2018	3,079
Winter 2018/19	1,785	Summer 2019	2,682
Winter 2019/20	1,777	Summer 2020	2,688

*A.2.5.3 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 17 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 17 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,611	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,697	Summer 2013	2,947
Winter 2013/14	1,784	Summer 2014	3,076
Winter 2014/15	1,801	Summer 2015	3,097
Winter 2015/16	1,830	Summer 2016	3,143
Winter 2016/17	1,886	Summer 2017	3,165
Winter 2017/18	1,911	Summer 2018	3,179
Winter 2018/19	2,015	Summer 2019	2,689
Winter 2019/20	2,001	Summer 2020	2,689

*A.2.5.4 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 18 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 18 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,187	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,152	Summer 2013	3,376
Winter 2013/14	2,192	Summer 2014	3,396
Winter 2014/15	2,211	Summer 2015	3,411
Winter 2015/16	2,240	Summer 2016	3,446
Winter 2016/17	2,251	Summer 2017	3,465
Winter 2017/18	2,272	Summer 2018	3,480
Winter 2018/19	2,291	Summer 2019	2,934
Winter 2019/20	2,323	Summer 2020	2,934

**A.2.6 Decreases LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.6.1 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas demands, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “normal winter weather conditions” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 19 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 19 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11NOR50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,583	Summer 2014	2,508
Winter 2014/15	1,544	Summer 2015	2,533
Winter 2015/16	1,546	Summer 2016	2,588
Winter 2016/17	1,548	Summer 2017	2,646
Winter 2017/18	1,549	Summer 2018	2,710
Winter 2018/19	1,531	Summer 2019	2,758
Winter 2019/20	1,504	Summer 2020	2,794

*A.2.6.2 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 20 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflective of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 20 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SNOR5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,501	Summer 2012	2,617
Winter 2012/13	1,589	Summer 2013	2,603
Winter 2013/14	1,509	Summer 2014	2,626
Winter 2014/15	1,526	Summer 2015	2,711
Winter 2015/16	1,544	Summer 2016	2,772
Winter 2016/17	1,580	Summer 2017	2,828
Winter 2017/18	1,605	Summer 2018	2,878
Winter 2018/19	1,635	Summer 2019	2,920
Winter 2019/20	1,621	Summer 2020	2,953

*A.2.6.3 Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 21 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Low Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 21 – Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SNOR5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,060	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,030	Summer 2013	3,205
Winter 2013/14	2,050	Summer 2014	3,235
Winter 2014/15	2,076	Summer 2015	3,272
Winter 2015/16	2,098	Summer 2016	3,301
Winter 2016/17	2,115	Summer 2017	3,333
Winter 2017/18	2,141	Summer 2018	3,358
Winter 2018/19	2,170	Summer 2019	3,381
Winter 2019/20	2,204	Summer 2020	3,402

**A.2.7 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.7.1 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. Table 22 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).



**Table 22 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11NOR50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,583	Summer 2014	2,508
Winter 2014/15	1,544	Summer 2015	2,533
Winter 2015/16	1,546	Summer 2016	2,588
Winter 2016/17	1,548	Summer 2017	2,646
Winter 2017/18	1,549	Summer 2018	2,710
Winter 2018/19	1,531	Summer 2019	2,758
Winter 2019/20	1,504	Summer 2020	2,794

*A.2.7.2 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 23 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 23 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SNOR5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,501	Summer 2012	2,617
Winter 2012/13	1,589	Summer 2013	2,603
Winter 2013/14	1,509	Summer 2014	2,626
Winter 2014/15	1,526	Summer 2015	2,711
Winter 2015/16	1,544	Summer 2016	2,772
Winter 2016/17	1,580	Summer 2017	2,828
Winter 2017/18	1,605	Summer 2018	2,878
Winter 2018/19	1,635	Summer 2019	2,920
Winter 2019/20	1,621	Summer 2020	2,953

*A.2.7.3 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 24 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak day Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price. - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 24 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SNOR5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,060	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,030	Summer 2013	3,205
Winter 2013/14	2,050	Summer 2014	3,235
Winter 2014/15	2,076	Summer 2015	3,272
Winter 2015/16	2,098	Summer 2016	3,301
Winter 2016/17	2,115	Summer 2017	3,333
Winter 2017/18	2,141	Summer 2018	3,358
Winter 2018/19	2,170	Summer 2019	3,381
Winter 2019/20	2,204	Summer 2020	3,402

**A.2.8 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.8.1 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. Table 25 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 25 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11BAS50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,606	Summer 2014	2,672
Winter 2014/15	1,621	Summer 2015	2,716
Winter 2015/16	1,635	Summer 2016	2,778
Winter 2016/17	1,662	Summer 2017	2,832
Winter 2017/18	1,675	Summer 2018	2,900
Winter 2018/19	1,603	Summer 2019	2,793
Winter 2019/20	1,615	Summer 2020	2,828

*A.2.8.2 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 26 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repowering - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 26 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SBAS5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,501	Summer 2012	2,616
Winter 2012/13	1,589	Summer 2013	2,603
Winter 2013/14	1,637	Summer 2014	2,826
Winter 2014/15	1,653	Summer 2015	2,913
Winter 2015/16	1,671	Summer 2016	2,979
Winter 2016/17	1,728	Summer 2017	3,035
Winter 2017/18	1,753	Summer 2018	3,087
Winter 2018/19	1,701	Summer 2019	2,924
Winter 2019/20	1,682	Summer 2020	2,993

*A.2.8.3 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 27 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repowering - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 27 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SBAS5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,060	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,030	Summer 2013	3,205
Winter 2013/14	2,014	Summer 2014	3,256
Winter 2014/15	2,034	Summer 2015	3,318
Winter 2015/16	2,055	Summer 2016	3,366
Winter 2016/17	2,065	Summer 2017	3,414
Winter 2017/18	2,091	Summer 2018	3,447
Winter 2018/19	1,941	Summer 2019	3,255
Winter 2019/20	1,960	Summer 2020	3,328

**A.2.9 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.9.1 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. Table 28 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 28 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,594	Summer 2014	2,693
Winter 2014/15	1,602	Summer 2015	2,748
Winter 2015/16	1,621	Summer 2016	2,817
Winter 2016/17	1,656	Summer 2017	2,863
Winter 2017/18	1,666	Summer 2018	2,892
Winter 2018/19	1,676	Summer 2019	2,597
Winter 2019/20	1,667	Summer 2020	2,612

*A.2.9.2 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 29 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 29 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,504	Summer 2012	2,616
Winter 2012/13	1,589	Summer 2013	2,603
Winter 2013/14	1,671	Summer 2014	2,877
Winter 2014/15	1,686	Summer 2015	2,923
Winter 2015/16	1,713	Summer 2016	2,979
Winter 2016/17	1,767	Summer 2017	3,010
Winter 2017/18	1,792	Summer 2018	3,027
Winter 2018/19	1,890	Summer 2019	2,670
Winter 2019/20	1,877	Summer 2020	2,680

*A.2.9.3 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 30 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.



**Table 30 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,063	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,030	Summer 2013	3,205
Winter 2013/14	2,067	Summer 2014	3,239
Winter 2014/15	2,086	Summer 2015	3,264
Winter 2015/16	2,114	Summer 2016	3,304
Winter 2016/17	2,123	Summer 2017	3,329
Winter 2017/18	2,144	Summer 2018	3,355
Winter 2018/19	2,170	Summer 2019	2,930
Winter 2019/20	2,202	Summer 2020	2,935

**A.2.10 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.2.10.1 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. Table 31 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 31 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,605	Summer 2013	2,503
Winter 2013/14	1,594	Summer 2014	2,693
Winter 2014/15	1,602	Summer 2015	2,748
Winter 2015/16	1,621	Summer 2016	2,817
Winter 2016/17	1,656	Summer 2017	2,863
Winter 2017/18	1,666	Summer 2018	2,892
Winter 2018/19	1,676	Summer 2019	2,597
Winter 2019/20	1,667	Summer 2020	2,612

*A.2.10.2 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 32 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 32 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,504	Summer 2012	2,616
Winter 2012/13	1,589	Summer 2013	2,603
Winter 2013/14	1,671	Summer 2014	2,877
Winter 2014/15	1,686	Summer 2015	2,923
Winter 2015/16	1,713	Summer 2016	2,979
Winter 2016/17	1,767	Summer 2017	3,010
Winter 2017/18	1,792	Summer 2018	3,027
Winter 2018/19	1,890	Summer 2019	2,670
Winter 2019/20	1,877	Summer 2020	2,680

*A.2.10.3 Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 33 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Low Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 33 – Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G1SGON5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,063	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,030	Summer 2013	3,205
Winter 2013/14	2,067	Summer 2014	3,239
Winter 2014/15	2,086	Summer 2015	3,264
Winter 2015/16	2,114	Summer 2016	3,304
Winter 2016/17	2,123	Summer 2017	3,329
Winter 2017/18	2,144	Summer 2018	3,355
Winter 2018/19	2,170	Summer 2019	2,930
Winter 2019/20	2,202	Summer 2020	2,935

**A.3.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.1.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 34 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 34 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11NOR50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,529	Summer 2014	2,447
Winter 2014/15	1,471	Summer 2015	2,444
Winter 2015/16	1,455	Summer 2016	2,461
Winter 2016/17	1,451	Summer 2017	2,477
Winter 2017/18	1,440	Summer 2018	2,496
Winter 2018/19	1,403	Summer 2019	2,510
Winter 2019/20	1,364	Summer 2020	2,534

*A.3.1.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 35 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 35 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11NOR90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,603	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,666	Summer 2013	2,845
Winter 2013/14	1,617	Summer 2014	2,787
Winter 2014/15	1,546	Summer 2015	2,794
Winter 2015/16	1,532	Summer 2016	2,819
Winter 2016/17	1,510	Summer 2017	2,845
Winter 2017/18	1,500	Summer 2018	2,869
Winter 2018/19	1,448	Summer 2019	2,885
Winter 2019/20	1,410	Summer 2020	2,904

*A.3.1.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 36 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 36 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SNOR9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,608	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,671	Summer 2013	2,936
Winter 2013/14	1,550	Summer 2014	2,917
Winter 2014/15	1,529	Summer 2015	2,942
Winter 2015/16	1,512	Summer 2016	2,961
Winter 2016/17	1,515	Summer 2017	2,985
Winter 2017/18	1,509	Summer 2018	3,006
Winter 2018/19	1,509	Summer 2019	3,024
Winter 2019/20	1,467	Summer 2020	3,041

*A.3.1.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 37 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price. - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 37 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SNOR9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,185	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,122	Summer 2013	3,368
Winter 2013/14	2,098	Summer 2014	3,375
Winter 2014/15	2,080	Summer 2015	3,395
Winter 2015/16	2,060	Summer 2016	3,409
Winter 2016/17	2,039	Summer 2017	3,429
Winter 2017/18	2,030	Summer 2018	3,442
Winter 2018/19	2,025	Summer 2019	3,455
Winter 2019/20	2,025	Summer 2020	3,467

**A.3.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.2.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 38 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).



**Table 38 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11BAS50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,565	Summer 2014	2,607
Winter 2014/15	1,552	Summer 2015	2,616
Winter 2015/16	1,539	Summer 2016	2,642
Winter 2016/17	1,521	Summer 2017	2,660
Winter 2017/18	1,512	Summer 2018	2,681
Winter 2018/19	1,435	Summer 2019	2,613
Winter 2019/20	1,388	Summer 2020	2,624

*A.3.2.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower – Base Gas price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 39 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 39 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11BAS90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,603	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,666	Summer 2013	2,845
Winter 2013/14	1,642	Summer 2014	2,982
Winter 2014/15	1,625	Summer 2015	2,993
Winter 2015/16	1,613	Summer 2016	3,019
Winter 2016/17	1,611	Summer 2017	3,046
Winter 2017/18	1,603	Summer 2018	3,072
Winter 2018/19	1,504	Summer 2019	2,947
Winter 2019/20	1,483	Summer 2020	2,966

*A.3.2.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 40 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 40 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SBAS9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,608	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,671	Summer 2013	2,936
Winter 2013/14	1,678	Summer 2014	3,128
Winter 2014/15	1,656	Summer 2015	3,154
Winter 2015/16	1,640	Summer 2016	3,175
Winter 2016/17	1,664	Summer 2017	3,199
Winter 2017/18	1,660	Summer 2018	3,219
Winter 2018/19	1,589	Summer 2019	3,126
Winter 2019/20	1,545	Summer 2020	3,164

*A.3.2.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 41 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repowering - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 41 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SBAS9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,185	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,122	Summer 2013	3,368
Winter 2013/14	2,058	Summer 2014	3,472
Winter 2014/15	2,037	Summer 2015	3,494
Winter 2015/16	2,020	Summer 2016	3,511
Winter 2016/17	1,996	Summer 2017	3,534
Winter 2017/18	1,990	Summer 2018	3,551
Winter 2018/19	1,828	Summer 2019	3,444
Winter 2019/20	1,823	Summer 2020	3,474

### **A.3.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

#### *A.3.3.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance for the existing fleet of gas-fired facilities, the “*At-Risk*” units/stations were “*retired*” but not repowered. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 42 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 42 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,539	Summer 2014	2,624
Winter 2014/15	1,511	Summer 2015	2,637
Winter 2015/16	1,502	Summer 2016	2,683
Winter 2016/17	1,513	Summer 2017	2,710
Winter 2017/18	1,498	Summer 2018	2,726
Winter 2018/19	1,464	Summer 2019	2,538
Winter 2019/20	1,423	Summer 2020	2,548

*A.3.3.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 43 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 43 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11GON90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,606	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,666	Summer 2013	2,845
Winter 2013/14	1,629	Summer 2014	2,951
Winter 2014/15	1,604	Summer 2015	2,956
Winter 2015/16	1,595	Summer 2016	2,989
Winter 2016/17	1,603	Summer 2017	3,004
Winter 2017/18	1,585	Summer 2018	3,012
Winter 2018/19	1,557	Summer 2019	2,651
Winter 2019/20	1,521	Summer 2020	2,659

*A.3.3.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 44 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 44 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,611	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,671	Summer 2013	2,935
Winter 2013/14	1,714	Summer 2014	3,055
Winter 2014/15	1,689	Summer 2015	3,063
Winter 2015/16	1,679	Summer 2016	3,101
Winter 2016/17	1,699	Summer 2017	3,116
Winter 2017/18	1,692	Summer 2018	3,123
Winter 2018/19	1,748	Summer 2019	2,689
Winter 2019/20	1,704	Summer 2020	2,689

*A.3.3.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 45 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Low Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 45 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = ES1GON9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,188	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,122	Summer 2013	3,368
Winter 2013/14	2,115	Summer 2014	3,378
Winter 2014/15	2,089	Summer 2015	3,385
Winter 2015/16	2,076	Summer 2016	3,411
Winter 2016/17	2,048	Summer 2017	3,424
Winter 2017/18	2,034	Summer 2018	3,437
Winter 2018/19	2,019	Summer 2019	2,935
Winter 2019/20	2,020	Summer 2020	2,935

**A.3.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.4.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 46 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).



**Table 46 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11NOR50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,529	Summer 2014	2,447
Winter 2014/15	1,471	Summer 2015	2,444
Winter 2015/16	1,455	Summer 2016	2,461
Winter 2016/17	1,451	Summer 2017	2,477
Winter 2017/18	1,440	Summer 2018	2,496
Winter 2018/19	1,403	Summer 2019	2,510
Winter 2019/20	1,364	Summer 2020	2,534

*A.3.4.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 47 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 47 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11NOR90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,603	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,666	Summer 2013	2,845
Winter 2013/14	1,617	Summer 2014	2,787
Winter 2014/15	1,546	Summer 2015	2,794
Winter 2015/16	1,532	Summer 2016	2,819
Winter 2016/17	1,510	Summer 2017	2,845
Winter 2017/18	1,500	Summer 2018	2,869
Winter 2018/19	1,448	Summer 2019	2,885
Winter 2019/20	1,410	Summer 2020	2,904

*A.3.4.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 48 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 48 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SNOR9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,608	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,671	Summer 2013	2,936
Winter 2013/14	1,550	Summer 2014	2,917
Winter 2014/15	1,529	Summer 2015	2,942
Winter 2015/16	1,512	Summer 2016	2,961
Winter 2016/17	1,515	Summer 2017	2,985
Winter 2017/18	1,509	Summer 2018	3,006
Winter 2018/19	1,509	Summer 2019	3,024
Winter 2019/20	1,467	Summer 2020	3,041

*A.3.4.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 49 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price. - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 49 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SNOR9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,185	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,122	Summer 2013	3,368
Winter 2013/14	2,098	Summer 2014	3,375
Winter 2014/15	2,080	Summer 2015	3,395
Winter 2015/16	2,060	Summer 2016	3,409
Winter 2016/17	2,039	Summer 2017	3,429
Winter 2017/18	2,030	Summer 2018	3,442
Winter 2018/19	2,025	Summer 2019	3,455
Winter 2019/20	2,025	Summer 2020	3,467

**A.3.5 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.5.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 50 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 50 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11BAS50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,565	Summer 2014	2,607
Winter 2014/15	1,552	Summer 2015	2,616
Winter 2015/16	1,539	Summer 2016	2,642
Winter 2016/17	1,521	Summer 2017	2,660
Winter 2017/18	1,512	Summer 2018	2,681
Winter 2018/19	1,435	Summer 2019	2,613
Winter 2019/20	1,388	Summer 2020	2,624

*A.3.5.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 51 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repowering - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 51 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11BAS90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,603	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,666	Summer 2013	2,845
Winter 2013/14	1,642	Summer 2014	2,982
Winter 2014/15	1,625	Summer 2015	2,993
Winter 2015/16	1,613	Summer 2016	3,019
Winter 2016/17	1,611	Summer 2017	3,046
Winter 2017/18	1,603	Summer 2018	3,072
Winter 2018/19	1,504	Summer 2019	2,947
Winter 2019/20	1,483	Summer 2020	2,966

*A.3.5.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 52 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repowering - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 52 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SBAS9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,608	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,671	Summer 2013	2,936
Winter 2013/14	1,678	Summer 2014	3,128
Winter 2014/15	1,656	Summer 2015	3,154
Winter 2015/16	1,640	Summer 2016	3,175
Winter 2016/17	1,664	Summer 2017	3,199
Winter 2017/18	1,660	Summer 2018	3,219
Winter 2018/19	1,589	Summer 2019	3,126
Winter 2019/20	1,545	Summer 2020	3,164

*A.3.5.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 53 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repowering - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 53 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SBAS9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,185	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,122	Summer 2013	3,368
Winter 2013/14	2,058	Summer 2014	3,472
Winter 2014/15	2,037	Summer 2015	3,494
Winter 2015/16	2,020	Summer 2016	3,511
Winter 2016/17	1,996	Summer 2017	3,534
Winter 2017/18	1,990	Summer 2018	3,551
Winter 2018/19	1,828	Summer 2019	3,444
Winter 2019/20	1,823	Summer 2020	3,474

**A.3.6 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.6.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 54 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).



**Table 54 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,539	Summer 2014	2,624
Winter 2014/15	1,511	Summer 2015	2,637
Winter 2015/16	1,502	Summer 2016	2,683
Winter 2016/17	1,513	Summer 2017	2,710
Winter 2017/18	1,498	Summer 2018	2,726
Winter 2018/19	1,464	Summer 2019	2,538
Winter 2019/20	1,423	Summer 2020	2,548

*A.3.6.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 55 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector.

**Table 55 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11GON90)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,606	Summer 2012	2,748
Winter 2012/13	1,666	Summer 2013	2,845
Winter 2013/14	1,629	Summer 2014	2,951
Winter 2014/15	1,604	Summer 2015	2,956
Winter 2015/16	1,595	Summer 2016	2,989
Winter 2016/17	1,603	Summer 2017	3,004
Winter 2017/18	1,585	Summer 2018	3,012
Winter 2018/19	1,557	Summer 2019	2,651
Winter 2019/20	1,521	Summer 2020	2,659

*A.3.6.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 56 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 56 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON9H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,611	Summer 2012	2,892
Winter 2012/13	1,671	Summer 2013	2,935
Winter 2013/14	1,714	Summer 2014	3,055
Winter 2014/15	1,689	Summer 2015	3,063
Winter 2015/16	1,679	Summer 2016	3,101
Winter 2016/17	1,699	Summer 2017	3,116
Winter 2017/18	1,692	Summer 2018	3,123
Winter 2018/19	1,748	Summer 2019	2,689
Winter 2019/20	1,704	Summer 2020	2,689

*A.3.6.4 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 57 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of “*Design-Day*” operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 57 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON9L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,188	Summer 2012	3,303
Winter 2012/13	2,122	Summer 2013	3,368
Winter 2013/14	2,115	Summer 2014	3,378
Winter 2014/15	2,089	Summer 2015	3,385
Winter 2015/16	2,076	Summer 2016	3,411
Winter 2016/17	2,048	Summer 2017	3,424
Winter 2017/18	2,034	Summer 2018	3,437
Winter 2018/19	2,019	Summer 2019	2,935
Winter 2019/20	2,020	Summer 2020	2,935

**A.3.7 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.7.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 58 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 58 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID =E11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,539	Summer 2014	2,624
Winter 2014/15	1,511	Summer 2015	2,637
Winter 2015/16	1,502	Summer 2016	2,683
Winter 2016/17	1,513	Summer 2017	2,710
Winter 2017/18	1,498	Summer 2018	2,726
Winter 2018/19	1,464	Summer 2019	2,538
Winter 2019/20	1,423	Summer 2020	2,548

*A.3.7.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 59 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Days – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled *“Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022”* dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of *“Design-Day”* operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 59 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,504	Summer 2012	2,616
Winter 2012/13	1,563	Summer 2013	2,572
Winter 2013/14	1,604	Summer 2014	2,827
Winter 2014/15	1,579	Summer 2015	2,852
Winter 2015/16	1,569	Summer 2016	2,899
Winter 2016/17	1,589	Summer 2017	2,923
Winter 2017/18	1,582	Summer 2018	2,933
Winter 2018/19	1,636	Summer 2019	2,632
Winter 2019/20	1,590	Summer 2020	2,640

*A.3.7.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

Table 60 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Low Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled *“Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022”* dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional LNG import facilities were modeled as partially available, reflecting seasonal send-out to only their firm customers. This assessment is representative of peak conditions on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from extremely cold and windy winter weather. These extreme winter weather conditions are more reflect of *“Design-Day”* operations within the natural gas sector. This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 60 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,063	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,001	Summer 2013	3,188
Winter 2013/14	1,993	Summer 2014	3,209
Winter 2014/15	1,968	Summer 2015	3,222
Winter 2015/16	1,955	Summer 2016	3,248
Winter 2016/17	1,928	Summer 2017	3,265
Winter 2017/18	1,916	Summer 2018	3,283
Winter 2018/19	1,896	Summer 2019	2,902
Winter 2019/20	1,896	Summer 2020	2,909

**A.3.8 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.8.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 61 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 61 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11NOR50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,529	Summer 2014	2,447
Winter 2014/15	1,471	Summer 2015	2,444
Winter 2015/16	1,455	Summer 2016	2,461
Winter 2016/17	1,451	Summer 2017	2,477
Winter 2017/18	1,440	Summer 2018	2,496
Winter 2018/19	1,403	Summer 2019	2,510
Winter 2019/20	1,364	Summer 2020	2,534

*A.3.8.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 62 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.



**Table 62 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SNOR5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,501	Summer 2012	2,617
Winter 2012/13	1,563	Summer 2013	2,572
Winter 2013/14	1,444	Summer 2014	2,544
Winter 2014/15	1,422	Summer 2015	2,580
Winter 2015/16	1,406	Summer 2016	2,617
Winter 2016/17	1,409	Summer 2017	2,655
Winter 2017/18	1,403	Summer 2018	2,698
Winter 2018/19	1,403	Summer 2019	2,735
Winter 2019/20	1,360	Summer 2020	2,771

*A.3.8.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 63 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference – High Gas Price – Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 63 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SNOR5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,060	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,001	Summer 2013	3,188
Winter 2013/14	1,976	Summer 2014	3,205
Winter 2014/15	1,957	Summer 2015	3,228
Winter 2015/16	1,938	Summer 2016	3,245
Winter 2016/17	1,918	Summer 2017	3,266
Winter 2017/18	1,911	Summer 2018	3,285
Winter 2018/19	1,902	Summer 2019	3,300
Winter 2019/20	1,902	Summer 2020	3,316

**A.3.9 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.9.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 64 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 64 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11BAS50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,536	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,565	Summer 2014	2,607
Winter 2014/15	1,552	Summer 2015	2,616
Winter 2015/16	1,539	Summer 2016	2,642
Winter 2016/17	1,521	Summer 2017	2,660
Winter 2017/18	1,512	Summer 2018	2,681
Winter 2018/19	1,435	Summer 2019	2,613
Winter 2019/20	1,388	Summer 2020	2,624

*A.3.9.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 65 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repowering - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 65 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SBAS5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,501	Summer 2012	2,616
Winter 2012/13	1,563	Summer 2013	2,572
Winter 2013/14	1,574	Summer 2014	2,745
Winter 2014/15	1,553	Summer 2015	2,781
Winter 2015/16	1,537	Summer 2016	2,817
Winter 2016/17	1,561	Summer 2017	2,855
Winter 2017/18	1,556	Summer 2018	2,897
Winter 2018/19	1,490	Summer 2019	2,672
Winter 2019/20	1,446	Summer 2020	2,704

*A.3.9.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 66 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repowering - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 66 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SBAS5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,060	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,001	Summer 2013	3,188
Winter 2013/14	1,945	Summer 2014	3,192
Winter 2014/15	1,924	Summer 2015	3,229
Winter 2015/16	1,907	Summer 2016	3,259
Winter 2016/17	1,884	Summer 2017	3,289
Winter 2017/18	1,880	Summer 2018	3,319
Winter 2018/19	1,729	Summer 2019	2,987
Winter 2019/20	1,722	Summer 2020	3,021

**A.3.10 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

*A.3.10.1 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 67 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s).

**Table 67 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E11GON50)**

Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,540	Summer 2012	2,420
Winter 2012/13	1,588	Summer 2013	2,481
Winter 2013/14	1,539	Summer 2014	2,624
Winter 2014/15	1,511	Summer 2015	2,637
Winter 2015/16	1,502	Summer 2016	2,683
Winter 2016/17	1,513	Summer 2017	2,710
Winter 2017/18	1,498	Summer 2018	2,726
Winter 2018/19	1,464	Summer 2019	2,538
Winter 2019/20	1,423	Summer 2020	2,548

*A.3.10.2 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 68 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment also reflects a regionally high natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 68 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON5H)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Summer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	1,504	Summer 2012	2,616
Winter 2012/13	1,563	Summer 2013	2,572
Winter 2013/14	1,604	Summer 2014	2,827
Winter 2014/15	1,579	Summer 2015	2,852
Winter 2015/16	1,569	Summer 2016	2,899
Winter 2016/17	1,589	Summer 2017	2,923
Winter 2017/18	1,582	Summer 2018	2,933
Winter 2018/19	1,636	Summer 2019	2,632
Winter 2019/20	1,590	Summer 2020	2,640

*A.3.10.3 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)*

To identify the decremental gas demands related to the impact that modeling the 2013 ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast has upon regional electric sector power plant gas demands, the 2011 CELT energy and demand forecasts were reduced by the energy efficiency found within the report entitled “*Final 2013 Energy-Efficiency Forecast 2016-2022*” dated February 22, 2013. This forecast estimates reductions in energy (GWH) consumption and demand (MW) from state-regulated utility energy-efficiency programs in the New England control area by region and state (CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT). To identify the gas balance, the regional gas and electric system were assumed to operate below winter peak day levels, satisfying customer demands without the need for using peaking facilities. This assessment is also representative of “*normal winter weather conditions*” on both the electric and natural gas systems, with respect to peak electrical loads resulting from normal winter weather. Table 69 reflects the aggregate fuel consumption (in MMBtu format) by all gas-fired and dual fuel generators within the region, under the ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Peak Demand Forecast(s). This assessment also reflects a regionally low natural gas price, with respect to the reference fuel price forecast, combined with the implications of needing additional regional, natural gas-fired capacity online to replenish the temporary (hypothetical) loss of a generic, 1,200 MW nuclear unit within the generation fleet.

**Table 69 – ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = E1SGON5L)**

Winter Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)	Sumer Peak Demand Period	Total Electric Sector Gas Demand (MMBtu)
Winter 2011/12	2,063	Summer 2012	3,148
Winter 2012/13	2,001	Summer 2013	3,188
Winter 2013/14	1,993	Summer 2014	3,209
Winter 2014/15	1,968	Summer 2015	3,222
Winter 2015/16	1,955	Summer 2016	3,248
Winter 2016/17	1,928	Summer 2017	3,265
Winter 2017/18	1,916	Summer 2018	3,283
Winter 2018/19	1,896	Summer 2019	2,902
Winter 2019/20	1,896	Summer 2020	2,909

## A.2 Additional Assumptions, Caveats, and Observations

### 4.4.1 Accounting for Operating Reserves

Although the IREMM production simulation model dispatches its available capacity resources to satisfy hourly electrical demands, it does so in a way that does not specifically account for electric system operating reserves (both spinning and non-spinning reserves).<sup>23</sup> Therefore ISO-NE imputes that to satisfy the modeling and the potential triggering of operating reserves, and the fuel required to deliver and sustain such reserves in the event that they were called upon to replenish the occurrence of a first contingency (N-1) event on New England’s bulk electric system, ISO-NE will assume that a “*fuel reserve margin*” of 200,000 MMBtu is needed above and beyond the specific electric sector fuel requirements developed from the IREMM production simulation modeling. This 200,000 MMBtu “*fuel reserve margin*” was developed using the assumption that this was the daily amount of fuel needed to continuously deliver 1,200 MW of gas-fired reserves to the power system at an approximate heat rate of ~7,000 Btu/KWh (i.e. the full load heat rate of a newer gas-fired, combined cycle facility).

This “*fuel reserve margin*” serves as a placeholder to represent the amount of additional fuel required to be delivered (over a 24 hour period) from the subsequent triggering of operating

<sup>23</sup> In New England, a typical daily operating reserve requirement may be 2,000 MW, which represents 100% first largest contingency (~1,200 MW and deliverable within 10 minutes) and 50% of the second largest contingency (~800 MW and deliverable within 30 minutes). In addition, at least 50% of the first contingency coverage must be in the form of spinning reserves (~600 MW) and the remaining first contingency coverage (~600 MW) may be offline but must be deliverable within 10 minutes. The second contingency coverage (30 minute reserves) can also be a combination of both spinning and non-spinning reserves, with the spinning portion being that which may be online and available for delivery after satisfying the first contingency (10 minute reserve) requirement, which is typically based on the reserve unit(s) response rates (in MW per minute times 30 minutes), and any additional offline capacity that is available for delivery within the 30 minute timeframe.



reserves in order to replenish the resultant energy loss from sustaining a first contingency event (i.e. the hypothetical loss of a generic, 1,200 MW (class) nuclear unit within the regional generation fleet). Implementation of this assumption would then restore the post-contingency state of the power system to an equilibrium state, as the Control Room Operators re-dispatched the power system to prepare for the next potential (second) contingency (N-1-1) on the system.

In relation to implementing this “*fuel reserve margin*” concept into the Gas Study analysis, this was done by adding an additional line item, entitled *Fuel Reserve Margin*, within ICF’s Capacity Analysis spreadsheet (Tab Name = *Revised Retirement, Decreased LNG Imports, and Winter Near-Peak Day Cases*) in between the line item entitled *Electric Sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)* and the line item entitled *Remaining Gas Grid Capability (Surplus or Deficiency)*. This “*Fuel Reserve Margin*” was held constant at 200,000 MMBtu for all cases within the Gas Study project.

If the spreadsheet line item entitled *Remaining Gas Grid Capability (Surplus or Deficiency)*, is surplus, then the Control Room Operators could apply this amount (of fuel) to recovering from the next potential (second (N-1-1)) contingency on the power system. If the spreadsheet line item entitled *Remaining Gas Grid Capability (Surplus or Deficiency)*, is deficient, then the Control Room Operators would most likely need to invoke Emergency Operating Procedures (EOPs) (such as ISO-NE OP4 - *Action During a Capacity Deficiency*) in order to recover from the next potential (second (N-1-1)) contingency on the power system. This is a good approximation of what would traditionally happen within real time.

#### **4.4.2 Electric Sector Caveats**

In developing the production simulations for the ISO-NE Gas Study, ISO-NE must note the following caveats with respect to the limitations of the overall modeling process. These are due to variations in input assumption sets and the resultant disclaimers on ISO-NE’s development of electric sector gas demands.

1. Overall electric sector natural gas demands reflect peak (winter/summer) daily gas consumption for the twenty-four (24) hour Electric Day, which begins and ends at midnight, and is referred to in hour ending format (i.e., HE01 to HE 24).
2. Since only daily gas demands were assessed, the ability to observe and critique the seasonal peak hour of delivery within both the electric and gas sectors is not provided. However, this may be one of the possible “*Next-Steps*” within the sequence of the Strategic Planning Initiative.
3. Since the Gas Day in New England is from 10:00 AM to 10:00 AM and because the electric sector gas demands were developed in Electric Day format, the misalignment between the Electric and Gas Days should be noted. It must also be noted that the electric sector gas demands were not converted into a equivalent Gas Day gas demands, and thus the scheduling of natural gas through the pipeline nomination/confirmation process may impact the actual fuel deliveries required by the electric sector.
4. The IREMM production simulations resulted in the generation of approximately two hundred and twenty (220) seasonal results: 110 results for the winter peak demand period and 110 results for the summer peak demand period. However, from this superset of results, only one hundred and seventy-six results were chosen for discussion purposes.

5. The IREMM production simulations produced aggregate electric sector natural gas demands (by pipeline) for New England. These simulations also produced fuel demands from the Mystic 8 & 9 power block (located in Everett, MA), which reflects direct vaporization of LNG from the Distrigas Terminal. These gas demands were subsequently included within the overall gas demands for the electric sector.
6. The IREMM production simulation modeling:
  - a. Does not reflect the start-up time necessary or the minimum up/minimum down time requirements of older fossil-steam units.
  - b. Only reflects major transmission constraints within the New England system and only those within neighboring systems, which impact imports and exports to the New England system.
  - c. Although IREMM dispatches its capacity resources to satisfy hourly electrical demands, it does not do so in a way that would specifically account for electric system operating reserves. Please reference the Section A.3.1 entitled “Accounting for Operating Reserves.”
  - d. Does not automatically account for seasonal fuel price volatility.

# Appendix B – Detailed Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Calculations

## B.1. Brief Summary of Phase II Retirement Case Scenarios

### Exhibit B-1. Phase II Retirement Case Scenarios

<b>Nominal Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Nominal gas demand from reference case (50/50) electric demand case. (this case yields the lowest levels of gas demand over time)
<b>Reference Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Reference gas demand from extreme case (90/10) electrical demand case. (this case aligns itself with the “design day” concept within the gas sector)
<b>Higher Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Starts with the above Reference Gas Demand Forecast with additional gas demand to cover a disruption to non-gas-fired capacity. Also assumes regionally high natural gas prices.
<b>Maximum Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Starts with the above Reference Gas Demand Forecast with additional gas demand to cover a disruption to non-gas-fired capacity. Also assumes regionally low natural gas prices. (this case yields the highest levels of gas demand over time)

**Note:** The reference case (50/50) peak electrical loads have a 50% chance of being exceeded because of weather conditions. For the reference case, the summer peak load is expected to occur at a weighted New England-wide temperature of 90.2 °F, and the winter peak load is expected to occur at 7.0 °F. The extreme case (90/10) peak loads have a 10% chance of being exceeded because of weather. For the extreme case, the summer peak is expected to occur at a temperature of 94.2 °F, and the winter peak is expected to occur at a temperature of 1.6 °F. (Source: ISO-NE, 2011 *Regional System Plan*)

Case ID	Name
G11GON50	Retirement Assessment – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
G11GON90	Retirement Assessment – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SGON9H	Retirement Assessment - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SGON9L	Retirement Assessment - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)

## Comparing Projected Supply and Gas Use to Determine System Surpluses/Deficits in the Phase II Retirement Assessment

### B.3.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-2. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	6,340	6,340	6,340	6,340
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,497	1,443	1,389	1,331	1,262	1,641	1,568	1,493	1,414
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,540	1,605	1,594	1,602	1,621	1,656	1,666	1,676	1,667
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(244)</b>	<b>(362)</b>	<b>(405)</b>	<b>(471)</b>	<b>(559)</b>	<b>(215)</b>	<b>(298)</b>	<b>(384)</b>	<b>(453)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,015)</i>	<i>(1,510)</i>	<i>(1,687)</i>	<i>(1,963)</i>	<i>(2,330)</i>	<i>(897)</i>	<i>(1,241)</i>	<i>(1,599)</i>	<i>(1,886)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-3. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	6,340	6,340	6,340	6,340
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,497	1,443	1,389	1,331	1,262	1,641	1,568	1,493	1,414
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,606	1,682	1,682	1,680	1,700	1,734	1,738	1,785	1,777
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(309)</b>	<b>(440)</b>	<b>(493)</b>	<b>(549)</b>	<b>(638)</b>	<b>(293)</b>	<b>(370)</b>	<b>(492)</b>	<b>(563)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,287)</i>	<i>(1,831)</i>	<i>(2,055)</i>	<i>(2,288)</i>	<i>(2,659)</i>	<i>(1,222)</i>	<i>(1,542)</i>	<i>(2,050)</i>	<i>(2,345)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-4. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	6,340	6,340	6,340	6,340
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,497	1,443	1,389	1,331	1,262	1,641	1,568	1,493	1,414
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,611	1,697	1,784	1,801	1,830	1,886	1,911	2,015	2,001
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(314)</b>	<b>(454)</b>	<b>(595)</b>	<b>(670)</b>	<b>(768)</b>	<b>(445)</b>	<b>(543)</b>	<b>(722)</b>	<b>(786)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,310)</i>	<i>(1,891)</i>	<i>(2,477)</i>	<i>(2,791)</i>	<i>(3,201)</i>	<i>(1,854)</i>	<i>(2,262)</i>	<i>(3,010)</i>	<i>(3,277)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-5. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	5,890	6,340	6,340	6,340	6,340
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,497	1,443	1,389	1,331	1,262	1,641	1,568	1,493	1,414
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,187	2,152	2,192	2,211	2,240	2,251	2,272	2,291	2,323
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(891)</b>	<b>(909)</b>	<b>(1,003)</b>	<b>(1,081)</b>	<b>(1,179)</b>	<b>(810)</b>	<b>(904)</b>	<b>(998)</b>	<b>(1,109)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,711)</i>	<i>(3,789)</i>	<i>(4,180)</i>	<i>(4,502)</i>	<i>(4,911)</i>	<i>(3,374)</i>	<i>(3,765)</i>	<i>(4,159)</i>	<i>(4,621)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

## B.3.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-6. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,884	4,884	4,884	4,884
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,736	3,732	3,727	3,721	3,714	4,156	4,149	4,140	4,132
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,503	2,693	2,748	2,817	2,863	2,892	2,597	2,612
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>1,117</b>	<b>1,029</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>1,093</b>	<b>1,057</b>	<b>1,344</b>	<b>1,320</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>4,653</i>	<i>4,286</i>	<i>3,474</i>	<i>3,221</i>	<i>2,904</i>	<i>4,556</i>	<i>4,402</i>	<i>5,598</i>	<i>5,498</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-7. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,884	4,884	4,884	4,884
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,736	3,732	3,727	3,721	3,714	4,156	4,149	4,140	4,132
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,862	2,982	2,995	3,039	3,065	3,079	2,682	2,688
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>1,258</b>	<b>1,244</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>3,285</i>	<i>2,792</i>	<i>2,270</i>	<i>2,192</i>	<i>1,977</i>	<i>3,715</i>	<i>3,624</i>	<i>5,244</i>	<i>5,184</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-8. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

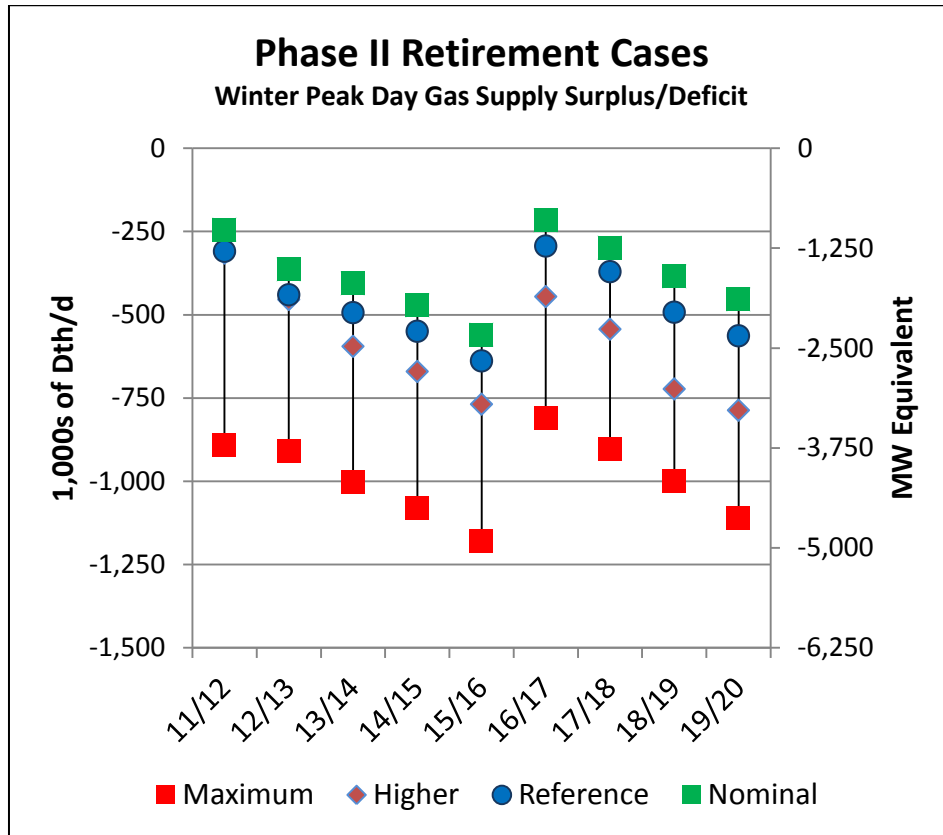
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,884	4,884	4,884	4,884
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,736	3,732	3,727	3,721	3,714	4,156	4,149	4,140	4,132
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,947	3,076	3,097	3,143	3,165	3,179	2,689	2,689
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>1,251</b>	<b>1,243</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,685</i>	<i>2,436</i>	<i>1,876</i>	<i>1,767</i>	<i>1,544</i>	<i>3,296</i>	<i>3,208</i>	<i>5,213</i>	<i>5,178</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-9. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

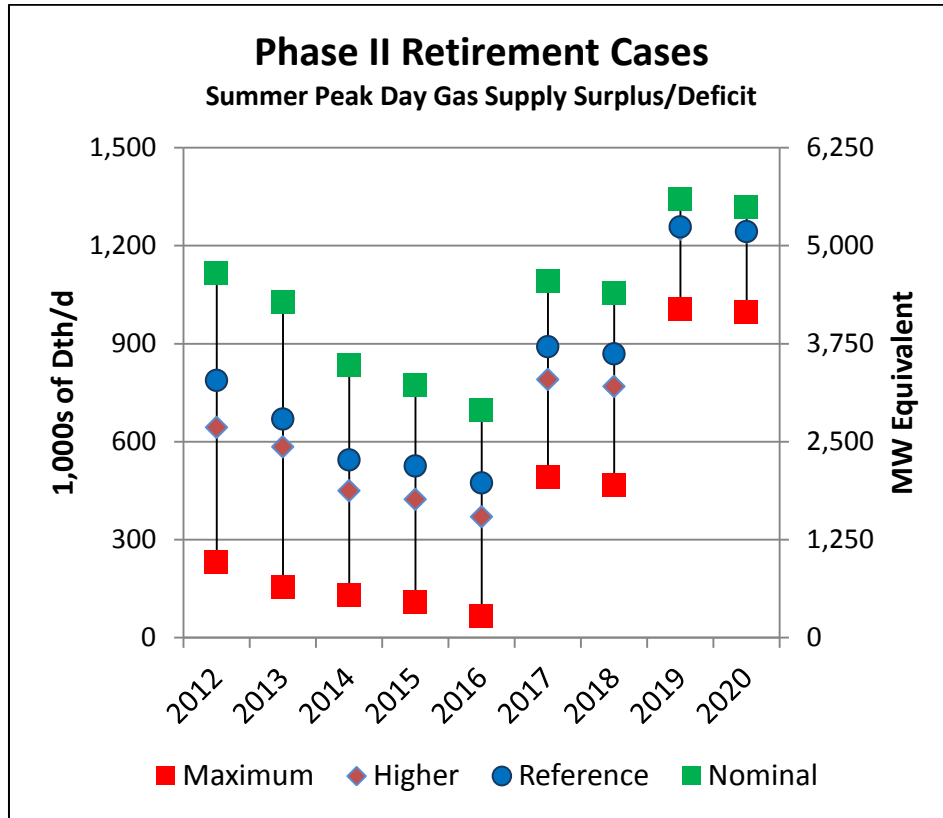
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,434	4,884	4,884	4,884	4,884
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,736	3,732	3,727	3,721	3,714	4,156	4,149	4,140	4,132
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,376	3,396	3,411	3,446	3,465	3,480	2,934	2,934
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>998</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>973</i>	<i>650</i>	<i>543</i>	<i>460</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>2,046</i>	<i>1,951</i>	<i>4,192</i>	<i>4,157</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh</li> </ol>									

Summary of Phase II Retirement Case Results, with Key Findings

Exhibit B-10. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Case Results



**Exhibit B-11. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Results**



## B.4. Brief Summary of Phase II Energy Efficiency Case Scenarios

### Exhibit B-12. Phase II Energy Efficiency Case Scenarios

<b>Nominal Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Nominal gas demand from reference case (50/50) electric demand case. (this case yields the lowest levels of gas demand over time)
<b>Reference Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Reference gas demand from extreme case (90/10) electrical demand case. (this case aligns itself with the “design day” concept within the gas sector)
<b>Higher Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Starts with the above Reference Gas Demand Forecast with additional gas demand to cover a disruption to non-gas-fired capacity. Also assumes regionally high natural gas prices.
<b>Maximum Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Starts with the above Reference Gas Demand Forecast with additional gas demand to cover a disruption to non-gas-fired capacity. Also assumes regionally low natural gas prices. (this case yields the highest levels of gas demand over time)

**Note:** The reference case (50/50) peak electrical loads have a 50% chance of being exceeded because of weather conditions. For the reference case, the summer peak load is expected to occur at a weighted New England-wide temperature of 90.2 °F, and the winter peak load is expected to occur at 7.0 °F. The extreme case (90/10) peak loads have a 10% chance of being exceeded because of weather. For the extreme case, the summer peak is expected to occur at a temperature of 94.2 °F, and the winter peak is expected to occur at a temperature of 1.6 °F. (Source: ISO-NE, 2011 *Regional System Plan*)

Case ID	Name
E11NOR50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E11NOR90	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SNOR9H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SNOR9L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
E11BAS50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E11BAS90	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SBAS9H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SBAS9L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
E11GON50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E11GON90	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SGON9H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
ES1GON9L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)

## Comparing Projected Supply and Gas Use to Determine System Surpluses/Deficits in the Phase II Energy Efficiency Assessments

### B.4.1 Phase I Reference Energy Efficiency Forecast results

#### B.4.1.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-13. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,536	1,588	1,529	1,471	1,455	1,451	1,440	1,403	1,364
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(388)</b>	<b>(494)</b>	<b>(490)</b>	<b>(490)</b>	<b>(342)</b>	<b>(259)</b>	<b>(321)</b>	<b>(360)</b>	<b>(399)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,619)</i>	<i>(2,060)</i>	<i>(2,040)</i>	<i>(2,040)</i>	<i>(1,425)</i>	<i>(1,078)</i>	<i>(1,336)</i>	<i>(1,500)</i>	<i>(1,663)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-14. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,603	1,666	1,617	1,546	1,532	1,510	1,500	1,448	1,410
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(455)</b>	<b>(572)</b>	<b>(577)</b>	<b>(565)</b>	<b>(419)</b>	<b>(318)</b>	<b>(381)</b>	<b>(404)</b>	<b>(445)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,897)</i>	<i>(2,383)</i>	<i>(2,404)</i>	<i>(2,353)</i>	<i>(1,747)</i>	<i>(1,326)</i>	<i>(1,589)</i>	<i>(1,685)</i>	<i>(1,855)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-15. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,608	1,671	1,550	1,529	1,512	1,515	1,509	1,509	1,467
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(461)</b>	<b>(577)</b>	<b>(510)</b>	<b>(547)</b>	<b>(399)</b>	<b>(323)</b>	<b>(390)</b>	<b>(466)</b>	<b>(502)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,920)</i>	<i>(2,404)</i>	<i>(2,127)</i>	<i>(2,280)</i>	<i>(1,664)</i>	<i>(1,344)</i>	<i>(1,624)</i>	<i>(1,940)</i>	<i>(2,091)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-16. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,185	2,122	2,098	2,080	2,060	2,038	2,030	2,024	2,025
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,037)</b>	<b>(1,029)</b>	<b>(1,058)</b>	<b>(1,098)</b>	<b>(948)</b>	<b>(846)</b>	<b>(911)</b>	<b>(981)</b>	<b>(1,060)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(4,321)</i>	<i>(4,286)</i>	<i>(4,409)</i>	<i>(4,575)</i>	<i>(3,948)</i>	<i>(3,527)</i>	<i>(3,797)</i>	<i>(4,087)</i>	<i>(4,418)</i>
<p>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</p> <p>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</p> <p>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</p> <p>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</p>									

### B.4.1.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-17. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,481	2,447	2,444	2,461	2,477	2,496	2,510	2,533
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>927</b>	<b>1,104</b>	<b>1,231</b>	<b>1,203</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,149</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>4,031</i>	<i>3,758</i>	<i>3,879</i>	<i>3,864</i>	<i>4,598</i>	<i>5,127</i>	<i>5,013</i>	<i>4,924</i>	<i>4,789</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-18. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,845	2,787	2,794	2,819	2,845	2,869	2,885	2,904
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>863</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>779</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,662</i>	<i>2,242</i>	<i>2,460</i>	<i>2,408</i>	<i>3,105</i>	<i>3,594</i>	<i>3,461</i>	<i>3,361</i>	<i>3,244</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-19. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,936	2,917	2,942	2,961	2,985	3,006	3,023	3,041
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>604</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>642</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,062</i>	<i>1,863</i>	<i>1,918</i>	<i>1,791</i>	<i>2,515</i>	<i>3,008</i>	<i>2,889</i>	<i>2,783</i>	<i>2,674</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

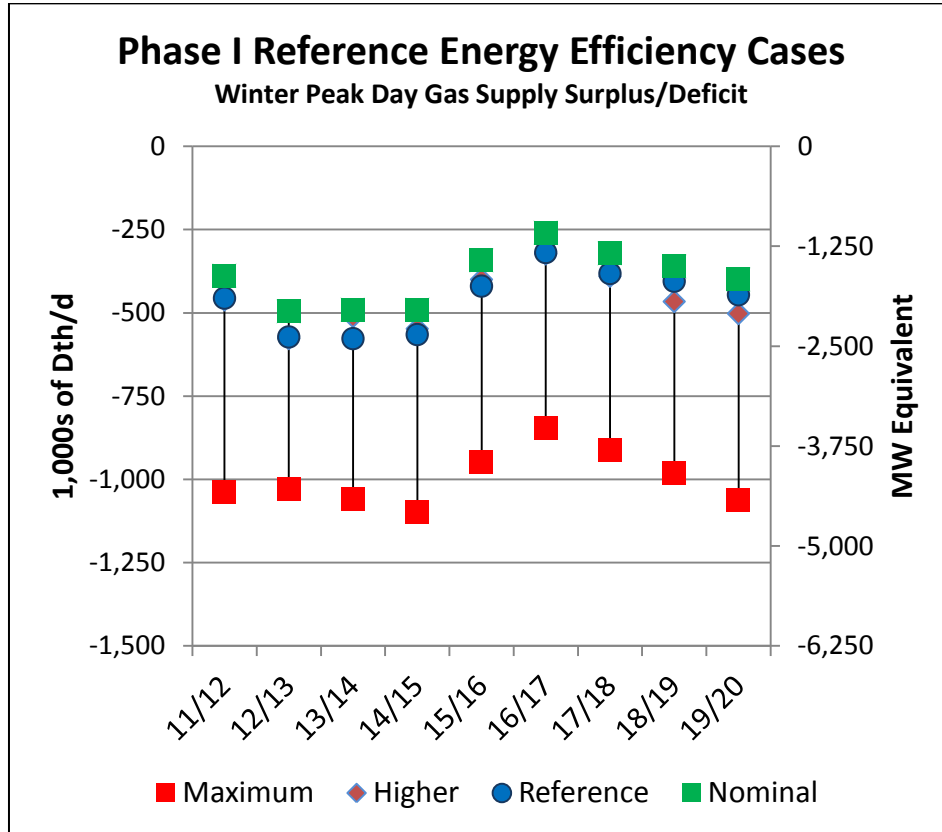
**Exhibit B-20. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,368	3,375	3,395	3,409	3,429	3,442	3,455	3,467
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>(24)</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>216</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>350</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>(98)</i>	<i>650</i>	<i>1,161</i>	<i>1,074</i>	<i>986</i>	<i>900</i>

1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh

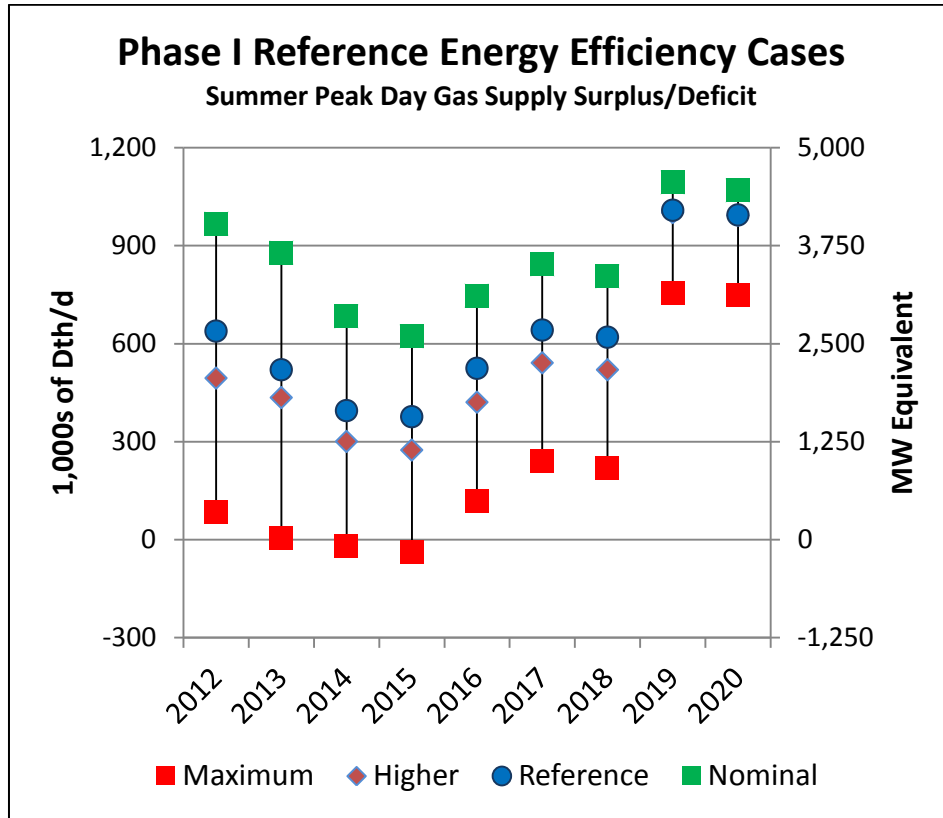
### B.4.2 Summary of Phase I Reference Energy Efficiency Forecast, with Key Findings

Exhibit B-21. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Reference Energy Efficiency Case Results





**Exhibit B-22. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase I Reference Energy Efficiency Results**



## B.4.3 Phase I Repower Energy Efficiency Forecast results

### B.4.3.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-23. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,536	1,588	1,564	1,552	1,539	1,521	1,512	1,435	1,388
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(388)</b>	<b>(494)</b>	<b>(525)</b>	<b>(570)</b>	<b>(426)</b>	<b>(328)</b>	<b>(393)</b>	<b>(391)</b>	<b>(423)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,619)</i>	<i>(2,060)</i>	<i>(2,186)</i>	<i>(2,375)</i>	<i>(1,777)</i>	<i>(1,369)</i>	<i>(1,637)</i>	<i>(1,629)</i>	<i>(1,763)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-24. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,603	1,666	1,642	1,625	1,613	1,611	1,603	1,504	1,483
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(455)</b>	<b>(572)</b>	<b>(602)</b>	<b>(643)</b>	<b>(500)</b>	<b>(419)</b>	<b>(484)</b>	<b>(460)</b>	<b>(518)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,897)</i>	<i>(2,383)</i>	<i>(2,508)</i>	<i>(2,679)</i>	<i>(2,085)</i>	<i>(1,747)</i>	<i>(2,018)</i>	<i>(1,917)</i>	<i>(2,158)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-25. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,608	1,671	1,678	1,656	1,640	1,664	1,660	1,589	1,545
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(461)</b>	<b>(577)</b>	<b>(638)</b>	<b>(674)</b>	<b>(528)</b>	<b>(472)</b>	<b>(540)</b>	<b>(545)</b>	<b>(580)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,920)</i>	<i>(2,404)</i>	<i>(2,659)</i>	<i>(2,809)</i>	<i>(2,199)</i>	<i>(1,966)</i>	<i>(2,252)</i>	<i>(2,272)</i>	<i>(2,417)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-26. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,185	2,122	2,058	2,037	2,020	1,996	1,990	1,828	1,823
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,037)</b>	<b>(1,028)</b>	<b>(1,018)</b>	<b>(1,056)</b>	<b>(908)</b>	<b>(804)</b>	<b>(871)</b>	<b>(785)</b>	<b>(857)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(4,321)</i>	<i>(4,285)</i>	<i>(4,244)</i>	<i>(4,398)</i>	<i>(3,782)</i>	<i>(3,348)</i>	<i>(3,629)</i>	<i>(3,270)</i>	<i>(3,573)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

### B.4.3.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-27. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,481	2,607	2,616	2,642	2,660	2,681	2,612	2,624
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>922</b>	<b>1,047</b>	<b>1,018</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>1,059</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>4,031</i>	<i>3,758</i>	<i>3,210</i>	<i>3,149</i>	<i>3,843</i>	<i>4,363</i>	<i>4,243</i>	<i>4,495</i>	<i>4,411</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-28. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,845	2,982	2,993	3,019	3,046	3,072	2,947	2,966
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>716</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,663</i>	<i>2,242</i>	<i>1,650</i>	<i>1,579</i>	<i>2,275</i>	<i>2,756</i>	<i>2,614</i>	<i>3,101</i>	<i>2,985</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-29. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,936	3,128	3,154	3,175	3,199	3,219	3,126	3,164
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>519</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,063</i>	<i>1,863</i>	<i>1,042</i>	<i>907</i>	<i>1,626</i>	<i>2,119</i>	<i>2,001</i>	<i>2,354</i>	<i>2,161</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

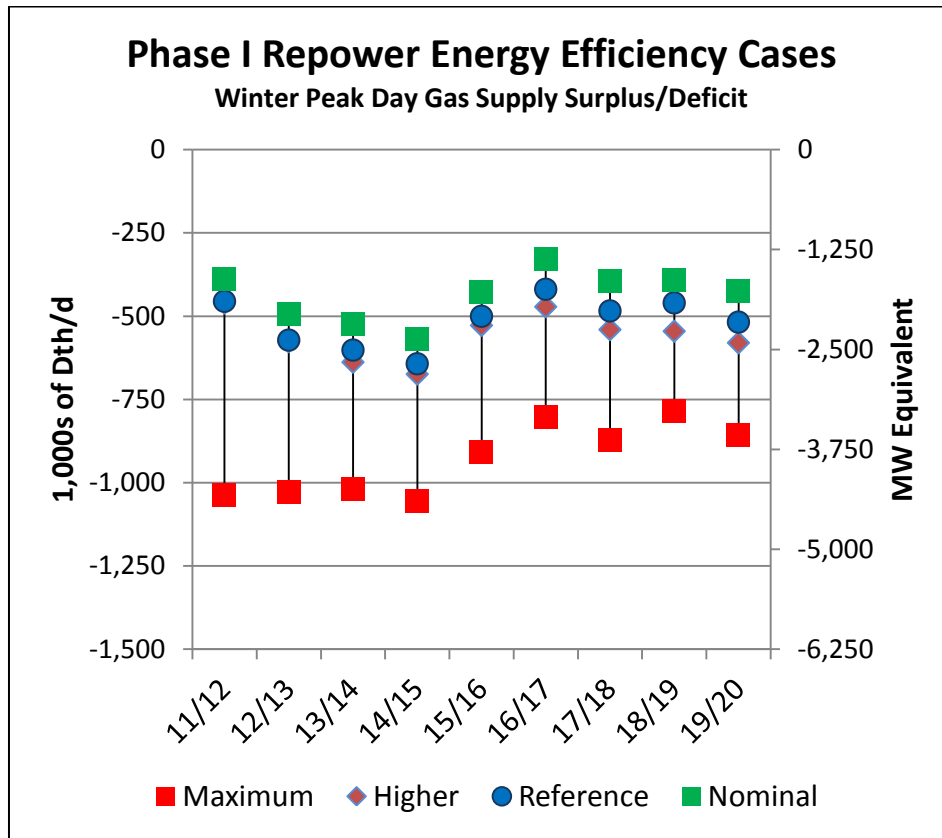


**Exhibit B-30. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

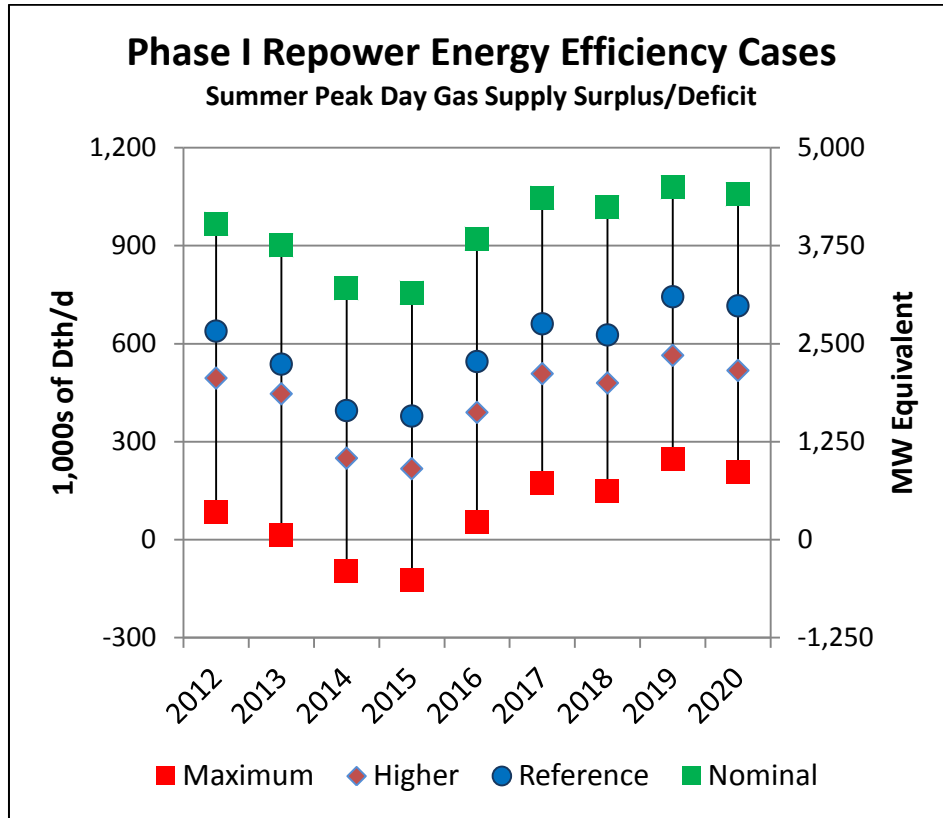
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,368	3,472	3,494	3,511	3,534	3,551	3,444	3,474
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>(95)</b>	<b>(122)</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>209</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>351</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>(395)</i>	<i>(510)</i>	<i>224</i>	<i>722</i>	<i>618</i>	<i>1,032</i>	<i>870</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh									

**B.4.3.3 Summary of Phase I Repower Energy Efficiency Forecast, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-31. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Repower Energy Efficiency Case Results**



**Exhibit B-32. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase I Repower Energy Efficiency Results**



## B.4.4 Phase II Retirement Energy Efficiency Forecast results

### B.4.4.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-33. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,540	1,588	1,539	1,511	1,502	1,513	1,498	1,464	1,423
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(393)</b>	<b>(494)</b>	<b>(499)</b>	<b>(529)</b>	<b>(389)</b>	<b>(321)</b>	<b>(379)</b>	<b>(421)</b>	<b>(458)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,637)</i>	<i>(2,060)</i>	<i>(2,078)</i>	<i>(2,206)</i>	<i>(1,623)</i>	<i>(1,336)</i>	<i>(1,581)</i>	<i>(1,754)</i>	<i>(1,907)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-34. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,606	1,666	1,629	1,604	1,595	1,603	1,585	1,557	1,521
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(458)</b>	<b>(572)</b>	<b>(589)</b>	<b>(623)</b>	<b>(482)</b>	<b>(411)</b>	<b>(466)</b>	<b>(513)</b>	<b>(556)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,908)</i>	<i>(2,383)</i>	<i>(2,455)</i>	<i>(2,594)</i>	<i>(2,010)</i>	<i>(1,711)</i>	<i>(1,941)</i>	<i>(2,138)</i>	<i>(2,316)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-35. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,611	1,671	1,714	1,689	1,679	1,699	1,692	1,748	1,704
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(464)</b>	<b>(577)</b>	<b>(674)</b>	<b>(707)</b>	<b>(566)</b>	<b>(507)</b>	<b>(573)</b>	<b>(705)</b>	<b>(739)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,932)</i>	<i>(2,404)</i>	<i>(2,807)</i>	<i>(2,946)</i>	<i>(2,359)</i>	<i>(2,111)</i>	<i>(2,388)</i>	<i>(2,937)</i>	<i>(3,077)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-36. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,741	5,941	6,091	6,091	6,091	6,091
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	1,348	1,294	1,240	1,182	1,313	1,392	1,319	1,243	1,165
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,187	2,122	2,115	2,089	2,076	2,048	2,034	2,019	2,020
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,040)</b>	<b>(1,028)</b>	<b>(1,076)</b>	<b>(1,108)</b>	<b>(964)</b>	<b>(855)</b>	<b>(915)</b>	<b>(975)</b>	<b>(1,055)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(4,333)</i>	<i>(4,285)</i>	<i>(4,482)</i>	<i>(4,615)</i>	<i>(4,015)</i>	<i>(3,565)</i>	<i>(3,811)</i>	<i>(4,064)</i>	<i>(4,394)</i>
<p>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</p> <p>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</p> <p>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</p> <p>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</p>									

### B.4.4.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-37. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,481	2,624	2,637	2,683	2,710	2,726	2,538	2,548
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>997</b>	<b>974</b>	<b>1,153</b>	<b>1,135</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>4,031</i>	<i>3,758</i>	<i>3,140</i>	<i>3,064</i>	<i>3,676</i>	<i>4,154</i>	<i>4,058</i>	<i>4,806</i>	<i>4,729</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-38. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,845	2,951	2,956	2,989	3,004	3,012	2,651	2,659
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>1,040</b>	<b>1,023</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,663</i>	<i>2,243</i>	<i>1,777</i>	<i>1,734</i>	<i>2,398</i>	<i>2,930</i>	<i>2,864</i>	<i>4,335</i>	<i>4,265</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-39. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

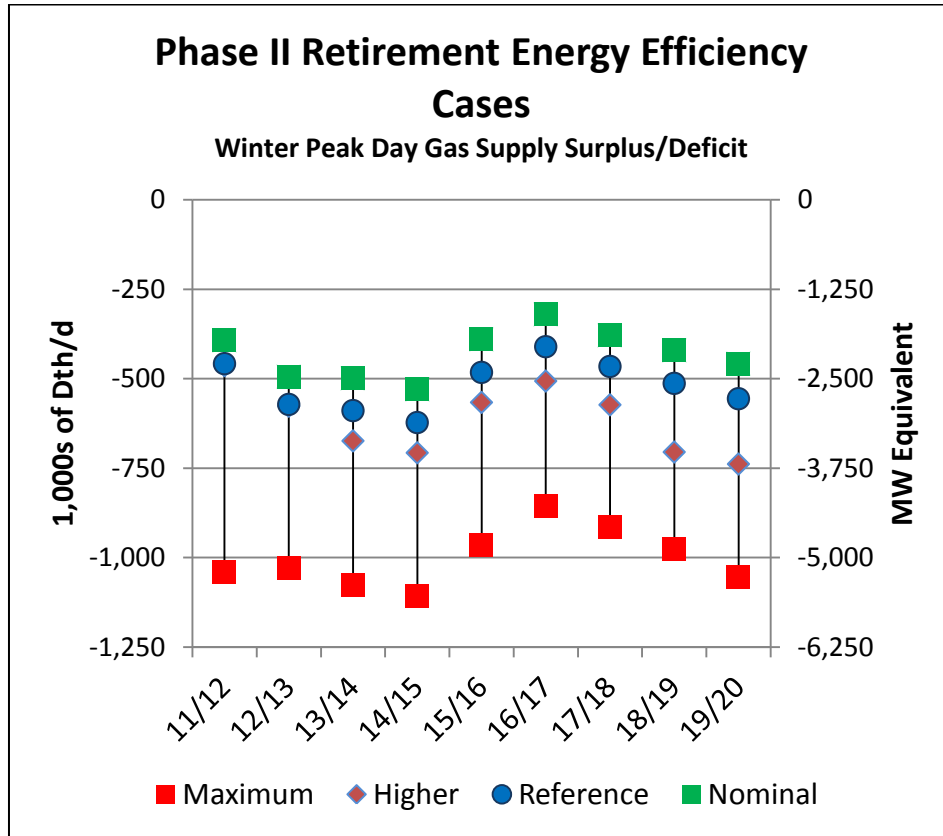
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,935	3,055	3,063	3,101	3,116	3,123	2,689	2,689
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1,002</b>	<b>993</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>2,063</i>	<i>1,864</i>	<i>1,343</i>	<i>1,287</i>	<i>1,934</i>	<i>2,462</i>	<i>2,401</i>	<i>4,174</i>	<i>4,139</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-40. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

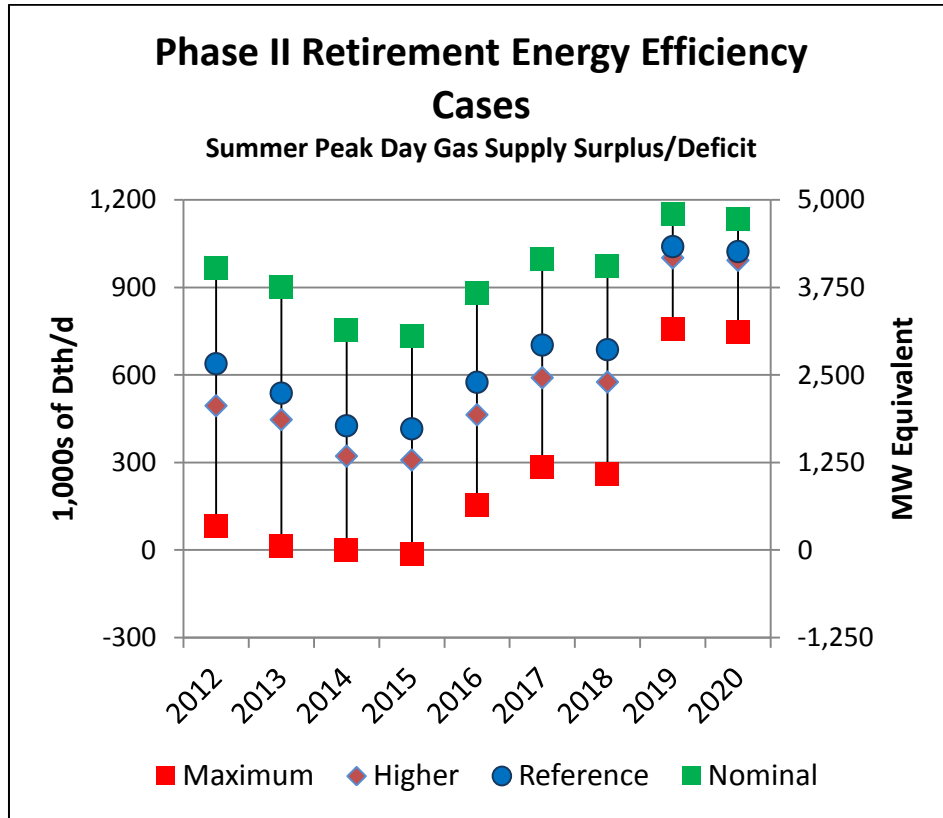
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,285	4,485	4,635	4,635	4,635	4,635
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	3,587	3,583	3,578	3,572	3,765	3,907	3,899	3,891	3,883
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,368	3,378	3,384	3,411	3,423	3,437	2,934	2,934
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>(0)</b>	<b>(13)</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>748</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>351</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>(0)</i>	<i>(53)</i>	<i>640</i>	<i>1,182</i>	<i>1,095</i>	<i>3,153</i>	<i>3,118</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh									

**B.4.4.3 Summary of Phase II Retirement Energy Efficiency Forecast, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-41. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Energy Efficiency Case Results**



**Exhibit B-42. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Energy Efficiency Results**



## B.5. Brief Summary of Phase II Decrease LNG Import Case Scenarios

**Exhibit B-43. Phase II Decreased LNG Imports Case Scenarios**

<b>Nominal Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Nominal gas demand from reference case (50/50) electric demand case. (this case yields the lowest levels of gas demand over time)
<b>Reference Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Reference gas demand from extreme case (90/10) electrical demand case. (this case aligns itself with the “design day” concept within the gas sector)
<b>Higher Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Starts with the above Reference Gas Demand Forecast with additional gas demand to cover a disruption to non-gas-fired capacity. Also assumes regionally high natural gas prices.
<b>Maximum Gas Demand Forecast</b>	Starts with the above Reference Gas Demand Forecast with additional gas demand to cover a disruption to non-gas-fired capacity. Also assumes regionally low natural gas prices. (this case yields the highest levels of gas demand over time)

**Note:** The reference case (50/50) peak electrical loads have a 50% chance of being exceeded because of weather conditions. For the reference case, the summer peak load is expected to occur at a weighted New England-wide temperature of 90.2 °F, and the winter peak load is expected to occur at 7.0 °F. The extreme case (90/10) peak loads have a 10% chance of being exceeded because of weather. For the extreme case, the summer peak is expected to occur at a temperature of 94.2 °F, and the winter peak is expected to occur at a temperature of 1.6 °F. (Source: ISO-NE, 2011 *Regional System Plan*)

Case ID	Name
G11NOR50	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
G11NOR90	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SNOR9H	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SNOR9L	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
G11BAS50	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
G11BAS90	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SBAS9H	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SBAS9L	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
G11GON50	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)

G11GON90	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SGON9H	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SGON9L	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
E11NOR50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E11NOR90	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SNOR9H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SNOR9L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
E11BAS50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E11BAS90	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SBAS9H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SBAS9L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
E11GON50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E11GON90	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Reference Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SGON9H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SGON9L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 90/10 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)

## Comparing Projected Supply and Gas Use to Determine System Surpluses/Deficits in the Phase II Decreased LNG Imports Assessments

### B.5.1 Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports results

#### B.5.1.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-44. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11NOR50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,536	1,605	1,583	1,544	1,546	1,548	1,549	1,531	1,504
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(848)</b>	<b>(919)</b>	<b>(919)</b>	<b>(938)</b>	<b>(810)</b>	<b>(731)</b>	<b>(806)</b>	<b>(863)</b>	<b>(915)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,534)</i>	<i>(3,828)</i>	<i>(3,827)</i>	<i>(3,908)</i>	<i>(3,373)</i>	<i>(3,048)</i>	<i>(3,357)</i>	<i>(3,597)</i>	<i>(3,813)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-45. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11NOR90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,603	1,682	1,655	1,601	1,603	1,620	1,622	1,616	1,588
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(915)</b>	<b>(996)</b>	<b>(991)</b>	<b>(995)</b>	<b>(867)</b>	<b>(804)</b>	<b>(879)</b>	<b>(949)</b>	<b>(999)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,813)</i>	<i>(4,149)</i>	<i>(4,131)</i>	<i>(4,146)</i>	<i>(3,611)</i>	<i>(3,348)</i>	<i>(3,661)</i>	<i>(3,953)</i>	<i>(4,162)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-46. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SNOR9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,608	1,697	1,617	1,635	1,655	1,691	1,716	1,750	1,738
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(920)</b>	<b>(1,010)</b>	<b>(953)</b>	<b>(1,030)</b>	<b>(918)</b>	<b>(875)</b>	<b>(973)</b>	<b>(1,082)</b>	<b>(1,149)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,835)</i>	<i>(4,209)</i>	<i>(3,969)</i>	<i>(4,290)</i>	<i>(3,827)</i>	<i>(3,647)</i>	<i>(4,054)</i>	<i>(4,508)</i>	<i>(4,786)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-47. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SNOR9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,185	2,152	2,175	2,202	2,225	2,243	2,270	2,302	2,336
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,497)</b>	<b>(1,466)</b>	<b>(1,511)</b>	<b>(1,596)</b>	<b>(1,488)</b>	<b>(1,427)</b>	<b>(1,527)</b>	<b>(1,634)</b>	<b>(1,747)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(6,237)</i>	<i>(6,108)</i>	<i>(6,295)</i>	<i>(6,651)</i>	<i>(6,200)</i>	<i>(5,945)</i>	<i>(6,362)</i>	<i>(6,808)</i>	<i>(7,279)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

### B.5.1.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-48. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11NOR50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,503	2,508	2,533	2,588	2,646	2,710	2,758	2,794
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>(65)</b>	<b>(354)</b>	<b>(330)</b>	<b>(36)</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>(138)</b>	<b>(265)</b>	<b>(359)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>462</i>	<i>(269)</i>	<i>(1,476)</i>	<i>(1,376)</i>	<i>(148)</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>(575)</i>	<i>(1,103)</i>	<i>(1,497)</i>

1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.

**Exhibit B-49. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11NOR90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,862	2,833	2,867	2,908	2,945	2,973	2,994	3,017
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(218)</b>	<b>(423)</b>	<b>(679)</b>	<b>(664)</b>	<b>(355)</b>	<b>(276)</b>	<b>(402)</b>	<b>(501)</b>	<b>(582)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(907)</i>	<i>(1,764)</i>	<i>(2,830)</i>	<i>(2,768)</i>	<i>(1,481)</i>	<i>(1,151)</i>	<i>(1,673)</i>	<i>(2,088)</i>	<i>(2,425)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-50. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SNOR9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,948	2,948	2,987	3,017	3,052	3,079	3,105	3,128
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(362)</b>	<b>(509)</b>	<b>(794)</b>	<b>(784)</b>	<b>(465)</b>	<b>(384)</b>	<b>(507)</b>	<b>(612)</b>	<b>(693)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,507)</i>	<i>(2,120)</i>	<i>(3,309)</i>	<i>(3,268)</i>	<i>(1,936)</i>	<i>(1,598)</i>	<i>(2,114)</i>	<i>(2,550)</i>	<i>(2,887)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

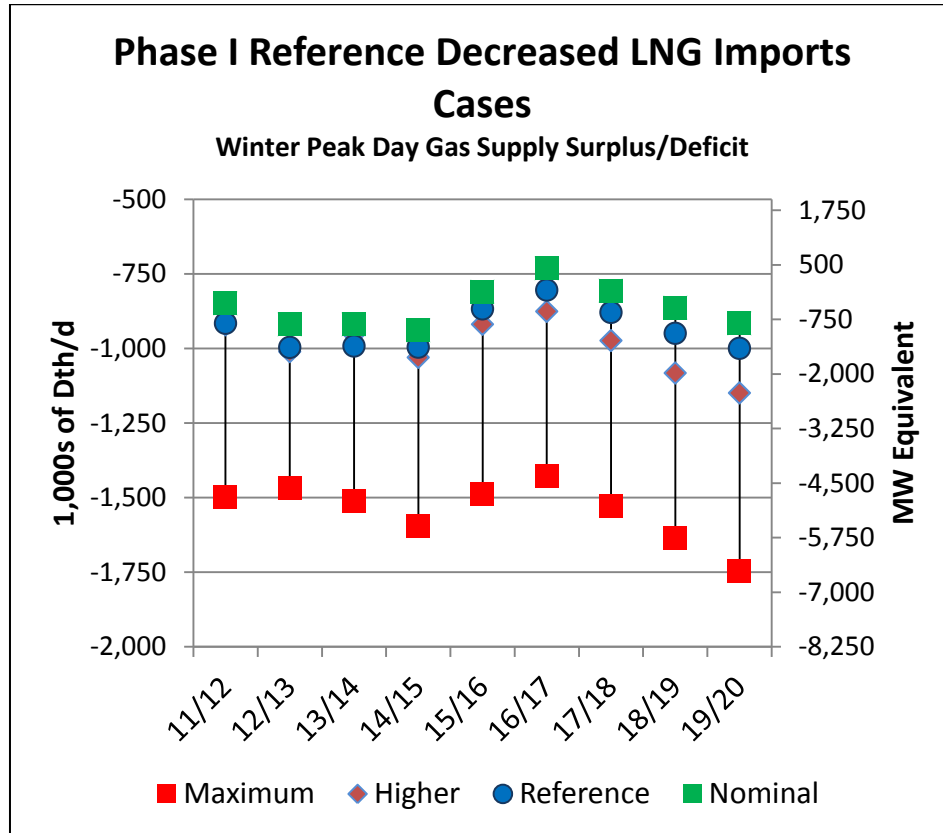
**Exhibit B-51. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SNOR9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,376	3,394	3,423	3,444	3,471	3,487	3,502	3,515
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(773)</b>	<b>(937)</b>	<b>(1,241)</b>	<b>(1,220)</b>	<b>(892)</b>	<b>(803)</b>	<b>(915)</b>	<b>(1,009)</b>	<b>(1,080)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,219)</i>	<i>(3,906)</i>	<i>(5,169)</i>	<i>(5,085)</i>	<i>(3,716)</i>	<i>(3,345)</i>	<i>(3,814)</i>	<i>(4,203)</i>	<i>(4,501)</i>

1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh

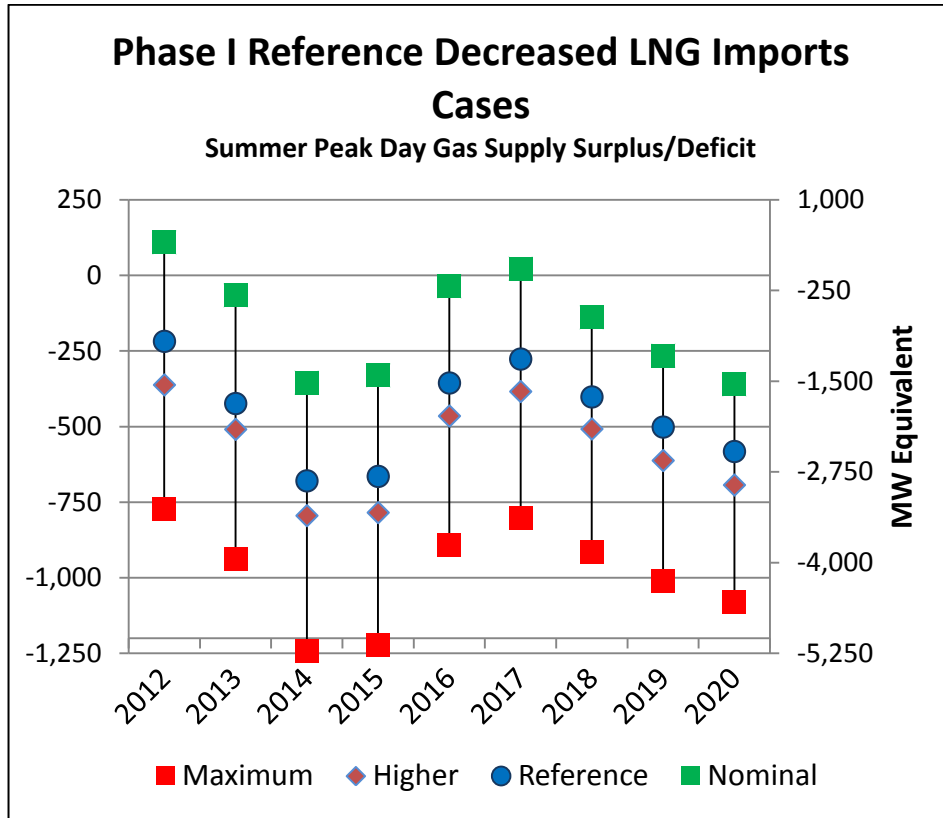
**B.5.1.3 Summary of Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-52. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports Results**





**Exhibit B-53. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports Results**



**B.5.2 Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports results**

**B.5.2.1 Winter Design Day**

**Exhibit B-54. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11BAS50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,536	1,605	1,606	1,621	1,635	1,662	1,675	1,603	1,615
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(848)</b>	<b>(919)</b>	<b>(942)</b>	<b>(1,016)</b>	<b>(898)</b>	<b>(846)</b>	<b>(932)</b>	<b>(935)</b>	<b>(1,026)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,534)</i>	<i>(3,829)</i>	<i>(3,927)</i>	<i>(4,231)</i>	<i>(3,743)</i>	<i>(3,526)</i>	<i>(3,884)</i>	<i>(3,896)</i>	<i>(4,276)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-55. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11BAS90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,603	1,683	1,692	1,699	1,716	1,753	1,760	1,697	1,712
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(915)</b>	<b>(996)</b>	<b>(1,028)</b>	<b>(1,093)</b>	<b>(979)</b>	<b>(936)</b>	<b>(1,017)</b>	<b>(1,029)</b>	<b>(1,123)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,813)</i>	<i>(4,150)</i>	<i>(4,285)</i>	<i>(4,555)</i>	<i>(4,081)</i>	<i>(3,901)</i>	<i>(4,237)</i>	<i>(4,289)</i>	<i>(4,680)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-56. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SBAS9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,608	1,697	1,743	1,760	1,780	1,837	1,863	1,801	1,782
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(920)</b>	<b>(1,010)</b>	<b>(1,080)</b>	<b>(1,154)</b>	<b>(1,043)</b>	<b>(1,021)</b>	<b>(1,120)</b>	<b>(1,133)</b>	<b>(1,193)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,835)</i>	<i>(4,209)</i>	<i>(4,498)</i>	<i>(4,809)</i>	<i>(4,347)</i>	<i>(4,254)</i>	<i>(4,665)</i>	<i>(4,722)</i>	<i>(4,971)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-57. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SBAS9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,185	2,152	2,129	2,150	2,172	2,183	2,209	2,041	2,062
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,497)</b>	<b>(1,466)</b>	<b>(1,465)</b>	<b>(1,544)</b>	<b>(1,435)</b>	<b>(1,366)</b>	<b>(1,466)</b>	<b>(1,373)</b>	<b>(1,472)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(6,236)</i>	<i>(6,107)</i>	<i>(6,104)</i>	<i>(6,435)</i>	<i>(5,980)</i>	<i>(5,694)</i>	<i>(6,107)</i>	<i>(5,722)</i>	<i>(6,135)</i>
<p>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</p> <p>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</p> <p>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</p> <p>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</p>									

## B.5.2.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-58. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11BAS50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,503	2,672	2,716	2,778	2,832	2,900	2,793	2,828
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>(65)</b>	<b>(519)</b>	<b>(514)</b>	<b>(226)</b>	<b>(164)</b>	<b>(329)</b>	<b>(300)</b>	<b>(393)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>463</i>	<i>(269)</i>	<i>(2,163)</i>	<i>(2,140)</i>	<i>(942)</i>	<i>(682)</i>	<i>(1,369)</i>	<i>(1,249)</i>	<i>(1,639)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-59. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11BAS90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,862	3,025	3,066	3,113	3,154	3,181	3,182	3,218
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(217)</b>	<b>(423)</b>	<b>(871)</b>	<b>(864)</b>	<b>(561)</b>	<b>(486)</b>	<b>(609)</b>	<b>(689)</b>	<b>(783)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(906)</i>	<i>(1,764)</i>	<i>(3,631)</i>	<i>(3,599)</i>	<i>(2,336)</i>	<i>(2,024)</i>	<i>(2,538)</i>	<i>(2,870)</i>	<i>(3,262)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-60. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SBAS9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,948	3,161	3,200	3,231	3,267	3,295	3,303	3,343
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(361)</b>	<b>(509)</b>	<b>(1,007)</b>	<b>(997)</b>	<b>(679)</b>	<b>(598)</b>	<b>(723)</b>	<b>(810)</b>	<b>(908)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,505)</i>	<i>(2,120)</i>	<i>(4,198)</i>	<i>(4,155)</i>	<i>(2,829)</i>	<i>(2,493)</i>	<i>(3,011)</i>	<i>(3,375)</i>	<i>(3,783)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



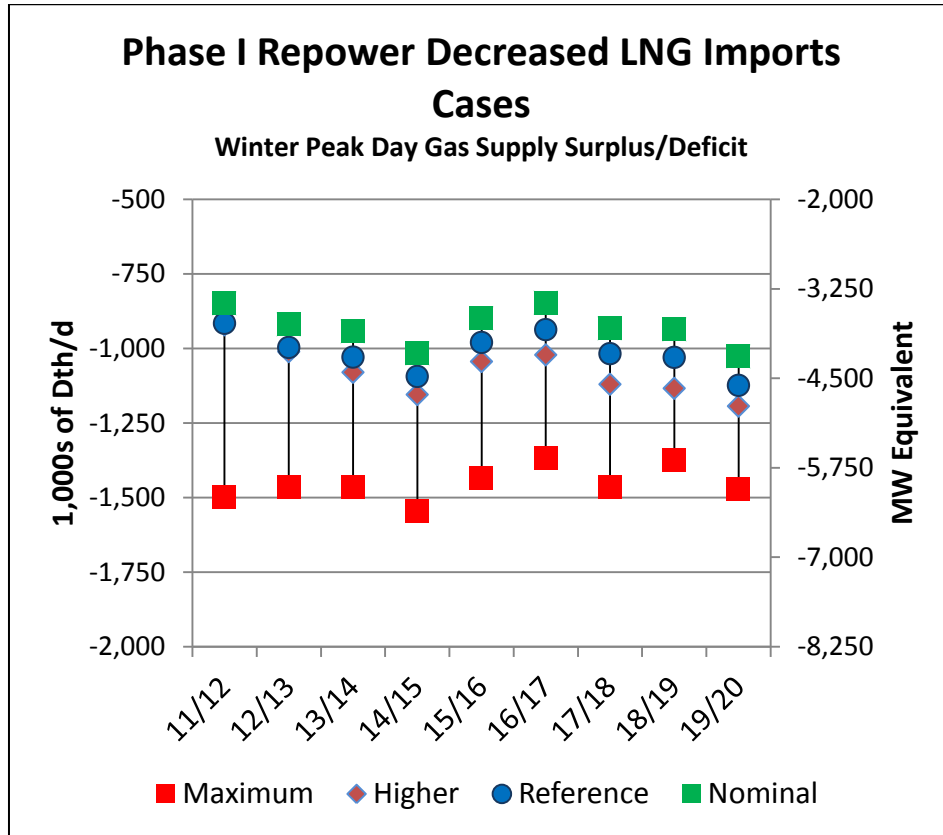
**Exhibit B-61. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SBAS9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,376	3,496	3,532	3,558	3,591	3,615	3,598	3,628
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(772)</b>	<b>(937)</b>	<b>(1,343)</b>	<b>(1,329)</b>	<b>(1,006)</b>	<b>(923)</b>	<b>(1,044)</b>	<b>(1,106)</b>	<b>(1,194)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,218)</i>	<i>(3,906)</i>	<i>(5,596)</i>	<i>(5,538)</i>	<i>(4,192)</i>	<i>(3,845)</i>	<i>(4,348)</i>	<i>(4,606)</i>	<i>(4,973)</i>

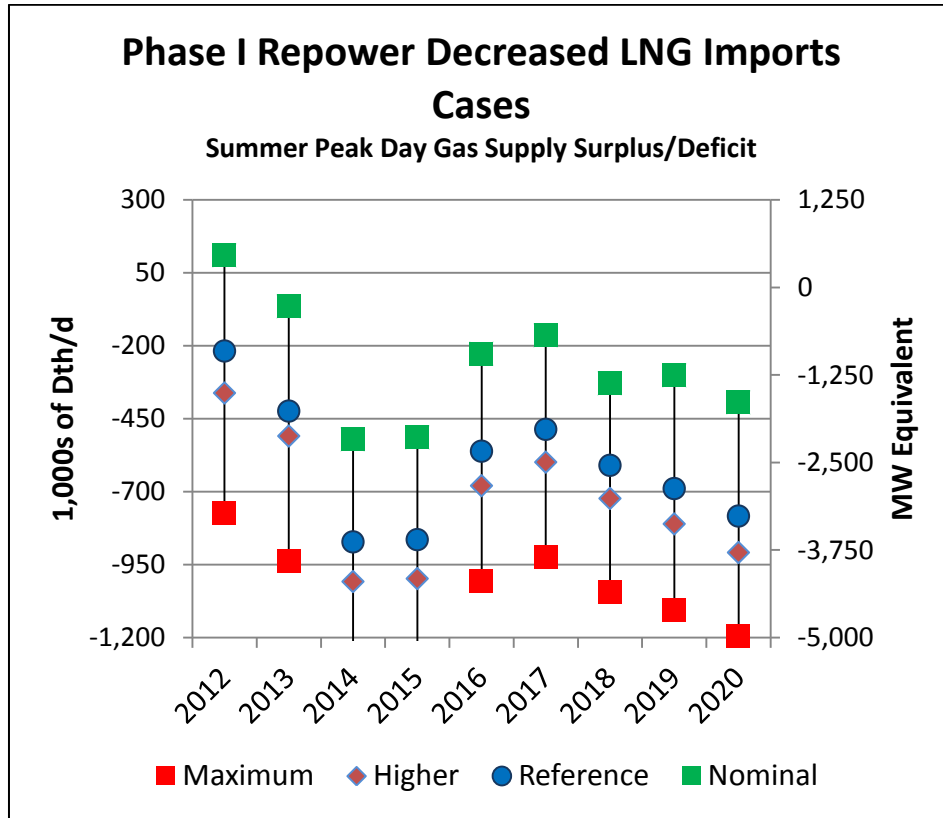
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh

**B.5.2.3 Summary of Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-62. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports Results**



**Exhibit B-63. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports Results**



## B.5.3 Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports results

### B.5.3.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-64. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,540	1,605	1,594	1,602	1,621	1,656	1,666	1,676	1,667
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(852)</b>	<b>(919)</b>	<b>(930)</b>	<b>(996)</b>	<b>(884)</b>	<b>(840)</b>	<b>(923)</b>	<b>(1,009)</b>	<b>(1,078)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,552)</i>	<i>(3,828)</i>	<i>(3,874)</i>	<i>(4,151)</i>	<i>(3,685)</i>	<i>(3,501)</i>	<i>(3,845)</i>	<i>(4,203)</i>	<i>(4,490)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-65. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,606	1,682	1,682	1,680	1,700	1,734	1,738	1,785	1,777
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(918)</b>	<b>(996)</b>	<b>(1,018)</b>	<b>(1,074)</b>	<b>(963)</b>	<b>(918)</b>	<b>(995)</b>	<b>(1,117)</b>	<b>(1,188)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,824)</i>	<i>(4,149)</i>	<i>(4,243)</i>	<i>(4,476)</i>	<i>(4,013)</i>	<i>(3,826)</i>	<i>(4,147)</i>	<i>(4,654)</i>	<i>(4,949)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-66. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,611	1,697	1,784	1,801	1,830	1,886	1,911	2,015	2,001
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(923)</b>	<b>(1,010)</b>	<b>(1,120)</b>	<b>(1,195)</b>	<b>(1,093)</b>	<b>(1,070)</b>	<b>(1,168)</b>	<b>(1,347)</b>	<b>(1,411)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,847)</i>	<i>(4,209)</i>	<i>(4,665)</i>	<i>(4,979)</i>	<i>(4,555)</i>	<i>(4,459)</i>	<i>(4,867)</i>	<i>(5,615)</i>	<i>(5,881)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-67. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,187	2,152	2,192	2,211	2,240	2,251	2,272	2,291	2,323
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,500)</b>	<b>(1,466)</b>	<b>(1,528)</b>	<b>(1,606)</b>	<b>(1,504)</b>	<b>(1,435)</b>	<b>(1,529)</b>	<b>(1,623)</b>	<b>(1,734)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(6,248)</i>	<i>(6,108)</i>	<i>(6,368)</i>	<i>(6,690)</i>	<i>(6,265)</i>	<i>(5,978)</i>	<i>(6,369)</i>	<i>(6,763)</i>	<i>(7,226)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

### B.5.3.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-68. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,503	2,693	2,748	2,817	2,863	2,892	2,597	2,612
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>(64)</b>	<b>(540)</b>	<b>(545)</b>	<b>(265)</b>	<b>(194)</b>	<b>(320)</b>	<b>(104)</b>	<b>(178)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>463</i>	<i>(269)</i>	<i>(2,249)</i>	<i>(2,272)</i>	<i>(1,103)</i>	<i>(810)</i>	<i>(1,334)</i>	<i>(434)</i>	<i>(740)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-69. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,862	2,982	2,995	3,039	3,065	3,079	2,682	2,688
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(217)</b>	<b>(423)</b>	<b>(829)</b>	<b>(792)</b>	<b>(487)</b>	<b>(396)</b>	<b>(507)</b>	<b>(189)</b>	<b>(253)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(906)</i>	<i>(1,763)</i>	<i>(3,452)</i>	<i>(3,301)</i>	<i>(2,030)</i>	<i>(1,651)</i>	<i>(2,113)</i>	<i>(788)</i>	<i>(1,055)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-70. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,947	3,076	3,097	3,143	3,165	3,179	2,689	2,689
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(361)</b>	<b>(508)</b>	<b>(923)</b>	<b>(894)</b>	<b>(591)</b>	<b>(497)</b>	<b>(607)</b>	<b>(197)</b>	<b>(255)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,505)</i>	<i>(2,119)</i>	<i>(3,846)</i>	<i>(3,726)</i>	<i>(2,463)</i>	<i>(2,070)</i>	<i>(2,529)</i>	<i>(819)</i>	<i>(1,061)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

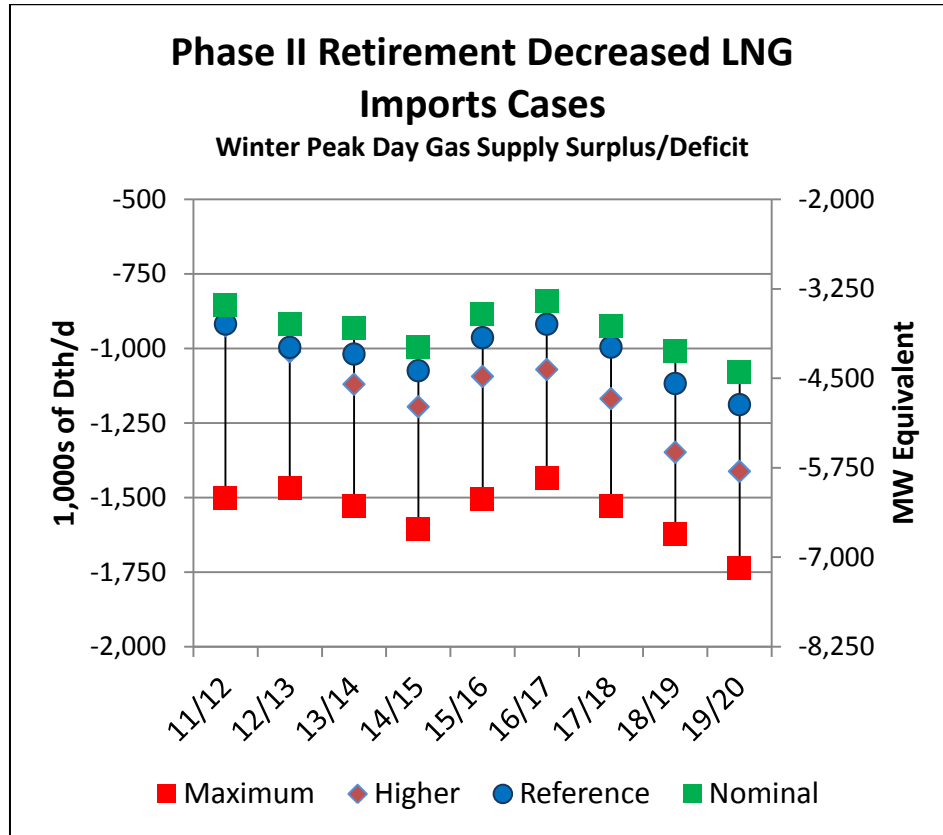
**Exhibit B-71. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID G1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,376	3,396	3,411	3,446	3,465	3,480	2,934	2,934
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(772)</b>	<b>(937)</b>	<b>(1,243)</b>	<b>(1,208)</b>	<b>(894)</b>	<b>(797)</b>	<b>(909)</b>	<b>(442)</b>	<b>(500)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,218)</i>	<i>(3,904)</i>	<i>(5,179)</i>	<i>(5,034)</i>	<i>(3,726)</i>	<i>(3,320)</i>	<i>(3,786)</i>	<i>(1,840)</i>	<i>(2,082)</i>

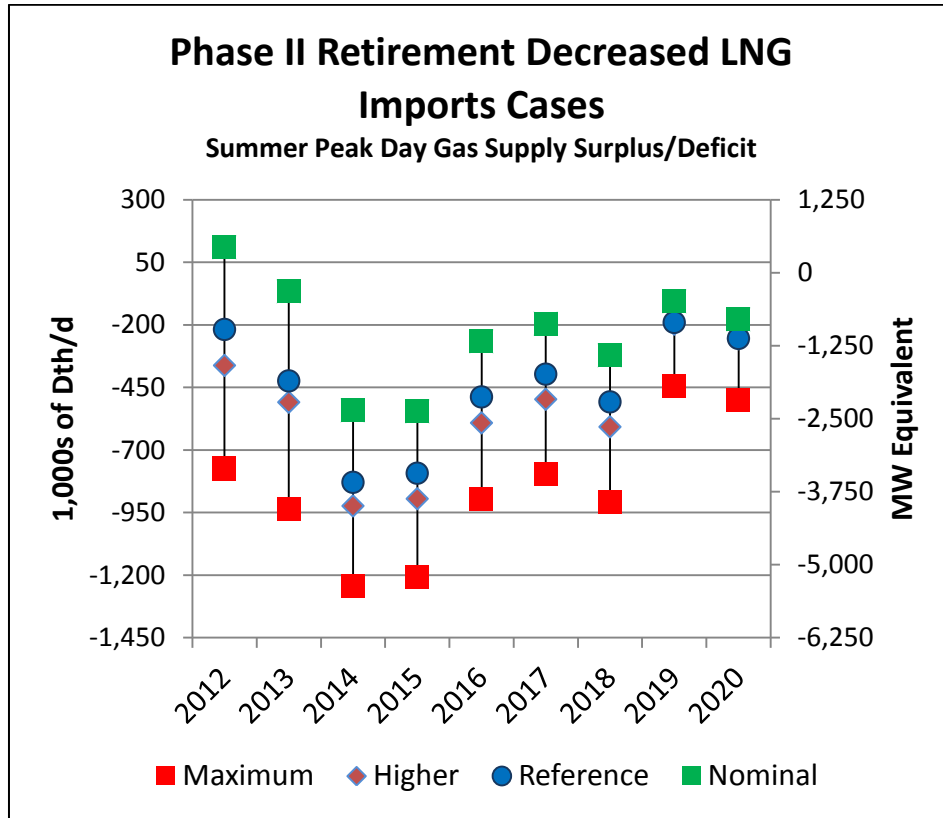
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh

**B.5.3.3 Summary of Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-72. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports Results**



**Exhibit B-73. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Summer Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports Results**



## B.5.4 Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast results

### B.5.4.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-74. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,536	1,588	1,529	1,471	1,455	1,451	1,440	1,403	1,364
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(848)</b>	<b>(901)</b>	<b>(865)</b>	<b>(865)</b>	<b>(718)</b>	<b>(635)</b>	<b>(696)</b>	<b>(736)</b>	<b>(775)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,534)</i>	<i>(3,756)</i>	<i>(3,606)</i>	<i>(3,606)</i>	<i>(2,991)</i>	<i>(2,644)</i>	<i>(2,902)</i>	<i>(3,066)</i>	<i>(3,229)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-75. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,603	1,666	1,617	1,546	1,532	1,510	1,500	1,448	1,410
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(915)</b>	<b>(979)</b>	<b>(953)</b>	<b>(941)</b>	<b>(795)</b>	<b>(694)</b>	<b>(757)</b>	<b>(780)</b>	<b>(821)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,813)</i>	<i>(4,079)</i>	<i>(3,970)</i>	<i>(3,919)</i>	<i>(3,313)</i>	<i>(2,892)</i>	<i>(3,155)</i>	<i>(3,251)</i>	<i>(3,421)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-76. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,608	1,671	1,550	1,529	1,512	1,515	1,509	1,509	1,467
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(920)</b>	<b>(984)</b>	<b>(886)</b>	<b>(923)</b>	<b>(775)</b>	<b>(698)</b>	<b>(766)</b>	<b>(841)</b>	<b>(878)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,835)</i>	<i>(4,101)</i>	<i>(3,693)</i>	<i>(3,846)</i>	<i>(3,230)</i>	<i>(2,910)</i>	<i>(3,190)</i>	<i>(3,506)</i>	<i>(3,657)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-77. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,185	2,122	2,098	2,080	2,060	2,038	2,030	2,024	2,025
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,497)</b>	<b>(1,436)</b>	<b>(1,434)</b>	<b>(1,474)</b>	<b>(1,323)</b>	<b>(1,222)</b>	<b>(1,287)</b>	<b>(1,357)</b>	<b>(1,436)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(6,237)</i>	<i>(5,983)</i>	<i>(5,975)</i>	<i>(6,141)</i>	<i>(5,514)</i>	<i>(5,093)</i>	<i>(5,363)</i>	<i>(5,653)</i>	<i>(5,984)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

### B.5.4.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-78. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,481	2,447	2,444	2,461	2,477	2,496	2,510	2,533
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>(42)</b>	<b>(293)</b>	<b>(242)</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>(17)</b>	<b>(99)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>462</i>	<i>(175)</i>	<i>(1,221)</i>	<i>(1,007)</i>	<i>380</i>	<i>800</i>	<i>315</i>	<i>(70)</i>	<i>(411)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-79. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11NOR90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,845	2,787	2,794	2,819	2,845	2,869	2,885	2,904
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(218)</b>	<b>(406)</b>	<b>(634)</b>	<b>(591)</b>	<b>(267)</b>	<b>(176)</b>	<b>(297)</b>	<b>(392)</b>	<b>(469)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(907)</i>	<i>(1,691)</i>	<i>(2,641)</i>	<i>(2,463)</i>	<i>(1,113)</i>	<i>(733)</i>	<i>(1,237)</i>	<i>(1,632)</i>	<i>(1,956)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-80. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,936	2,917	2,942	2,961	2,985	3,006	3,023	3,041
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(362)</b>	<b>(497)</b>	<b>(764)</b>	<b>(739)</b>	<b>(409)</b>	<b>(317)</b>	<b>(434)</b>	<b>(531)</b>	<b>(606)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,507)</i>	<i>(2,070)</i>	<i>(3,183)</i>	<i>(3,080)</i>	<i>(1,704)</i>	<i>(1,319)</i>	<i>(1,809)</i>	<i>(2,211)</i>	<i>(2,527)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

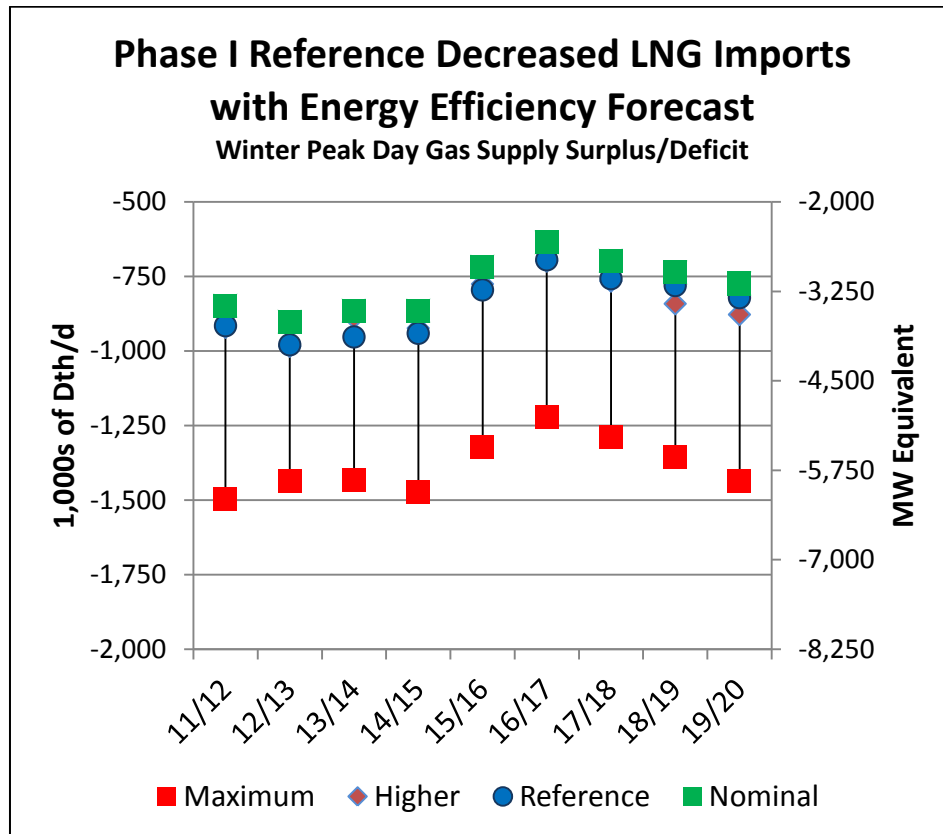
**Exhibit B-81. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SNOR9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,368	3,375	3,395	3,409	3,429	3,442	3,455	3,467
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(773)</b>	<b>(930)</b>	<b>(1,222)</b>	<b>(1,193)</b>	<b>(857)</b>	<b>(760)</b>	<b>(870)</b>	<b>(962)</b>	<b>(1,032)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,219)</i>	<i>(3,873)</i>	<i>(5,091)</i>	<i>(4,970)</i>	<i>(3,569)</i>	<i>(3,166)</i>	<i>(3,624)</i>	<i>(4,008)</i>	<i>(4,300)</i>

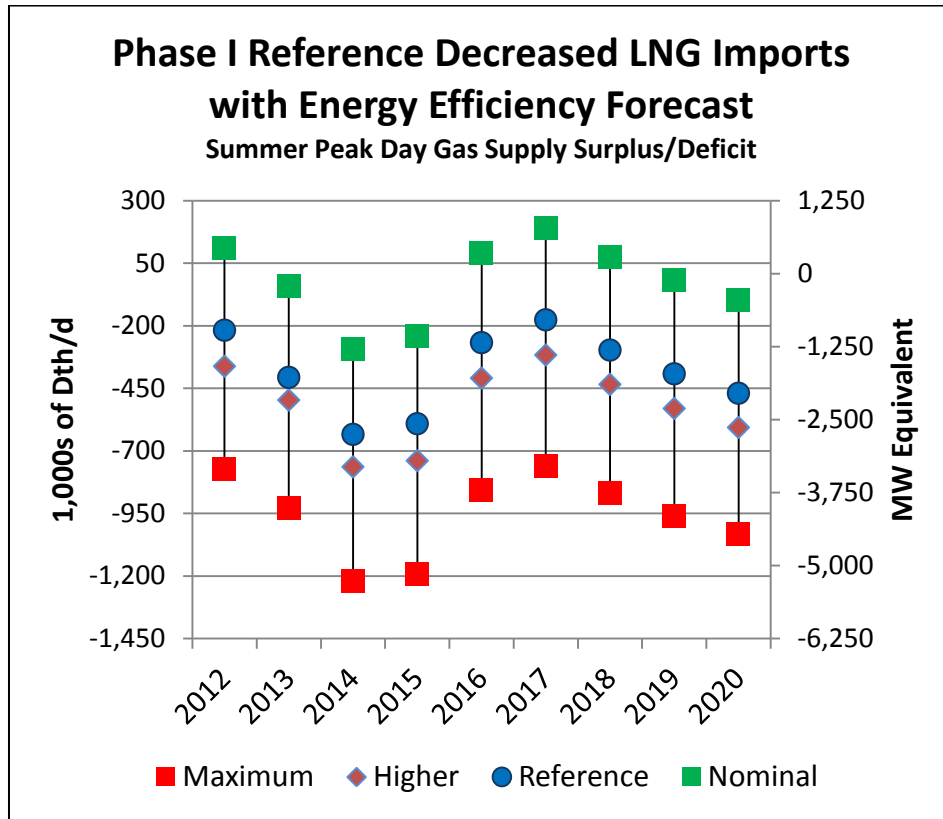
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh

**B.5.4.3 Summary of Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-82. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Reference Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast**



**Exhibit B-83. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Reference Energy Efficiency Forecast with Decreased LNG Imports**



## B.5.5 Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast results

### B.5.5.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-84. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,536	1,588	1,564	1,552	1,539	1,521	1,512	1,435	1,388
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(848)</b>	<b>(902)</b>	<b>(901)</b>	<b>(946)</b>	<b>(802)</b>	<b>(704)</b>	<b>(769)</b>	<b>(767)</b>	<b>(799)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,534)</i>	<i>(3,757)</i>	<i>(3,752)</i>	<i>(3,941)</i>	<i>(3,343)</i>	<i>(2,935)</i>	<i>(3,203)</i>	<i>(3,195)</i>	<i>(3,329)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**Exhibit B-85. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,603	1,666	1,642	1,625	1,613	1,611	1,603	1,504	1,483
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(915)</b>	<b>(979)</b>	<b>(978)</b>	<b>(1,019)</b>	<b>(876)</b>	<b>(795)</b>	<b>(860)</b>	<b>(836)</b>	<b>(894)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,813)</i>	<i>(4,080)</i>	<i>(4,074)</i>	<i>(4,245)</i>	<i>(3,651)</i>	<i>(3,313)</i>	<i>(3,584)</i>	<i>(3,483)</i>	<i>(3,724)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-86. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,608	1,671	1,678	1,656	1,640	1,664	1,660	1,589	1,545
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(920)</b>	<b>(984)</b>	<b>(1,014)</b>	<b>(1,050)</b>	<b>(904)</b>	<b>(848)</b>	<b>(916)</b>	<b>(921)</b>	<b>(956)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,835)</i>	<i>(4,101)</i>	<i>(4,225)</i>	<i>(4,375)</i>	<i>(3,765)</i>	<i>(3,532)</i>	<i>(3,818)</i>	<i>(3,838)</i>	<i>(3,983)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-87. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,185	2,122	2,058	2,037	2,020	1,996	1,990	1,828	1,823
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,497)</b>	<b>(1,436)</b>	<b>(1,394)</b>	<b>(1,431)</b>	<b>(1,284)</b>	<b>(1,179)</b>	<b>(1,247)</b>	<b>(1,161)</b>	<b>(1,233)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(6,236)</i>	<i>(5,982)</i>	<i>(5,810)</i>	<i>(5,964)</i>	<i>(5,348)</i>	<i>(4,914)</i>	<i>(5,195)</i>	<i>(4,836)</i>	<i>(5,139)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

### B.5.5.2 Summer Peak Day

**Exhibit B-88. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,481	2,607	2,616	2,642	2,660	2,681	2,612	2,624
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>(42)</b>	<b>(454)</b>	<b>(413)</b>	<b>(90)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>(109)</b>	<b>(120)</b>	<b>(190)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>463</i>	<i>(175)</i>	<i>(1,891)</i>	<i>(1,723)</i>	<i>(375)</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>(456)</i>	<i>(499)</i>	<i>(790)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-89. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11BAS90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,845	2,982	2,993	3,019	3,046	3,072	2,947	2,966
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(217)</b>	<b>(406)</b>	<b>(828)</b>	<b>(790)</b>	<b>(466)</b>	<b>(377)</b>	<b>(500)</b>	<b>(454)</b>	<b>(532)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(906)</i>	<i>(1,691)</i>	<i>(3,451)</i>	<i>(3,293)</i>	<i>(1,944)</i>	<i>(1,571)</i>	<i>(2,084)</i>	<i>(1,892)</i>	<i>(2,215)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-90. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,936	3,128	3,154	3,175	3,199	3,219	3,126	3,164
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(361)</b>	<b>(497)</b>	<b>(974)</b>	<b>(951)</b>	<b>(622)</b>	<b>(530)</b>	<b>(647)</b>	<b>(634)</b>	<b>(730)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,505)</i>	<i>(2,070)</i>	<i>(4,059)</i>	<i>(3,964)</i>	<i>(2,593)</i>	<i>(2,208)</i>	<i>(2,697)</i>	<i>(2,640)</i>	<i>(3,040)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

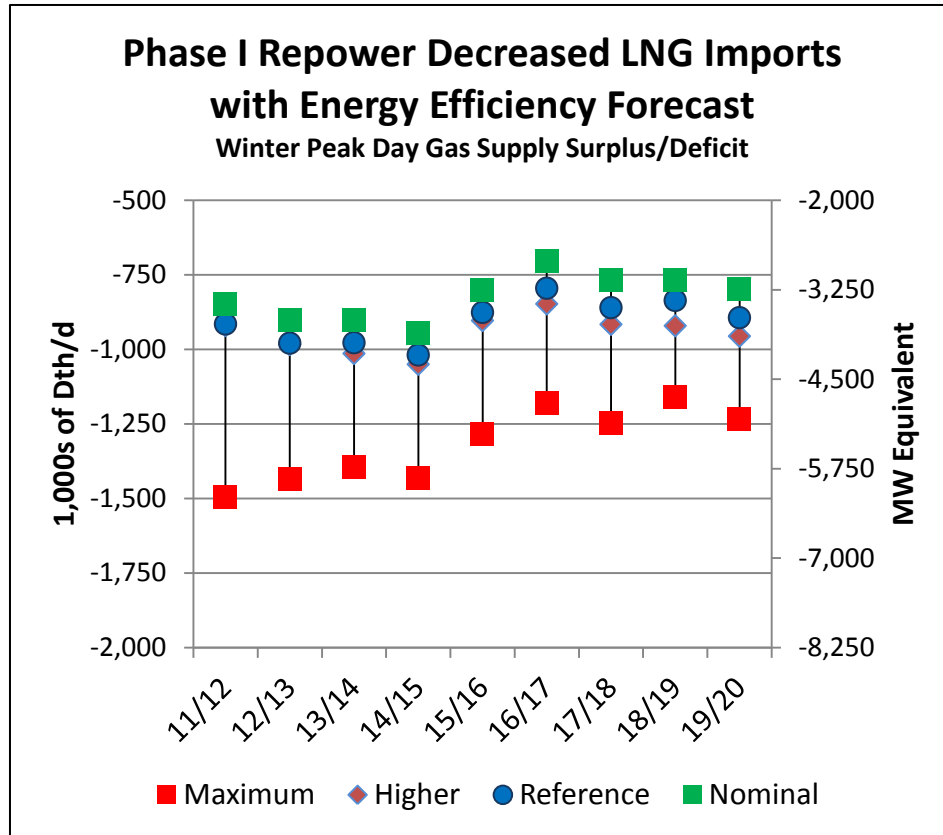
**Exhibit B-91. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SBAS9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,368	3,472	3,494	3,511	3,534	3,551	3,444	3,474
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(772)</b>	<b>(929)</b>	<b>(1,319)</b>	<b>(1,292)</b>	<b>(959)</b>	<b>(865)</b>	<b>(979)</b>	<b>(951)</b>	<b>(1,039)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,218)</i>	<i>(3,873)</i>	<i>(5,496)</i>	<i>(5,381)</i>	<i>(3,995)</i>	<i>(3,605)</i>	<i>(4,080)</i>	<i>(3,961)</i>	<i>(4,330)</i>

1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.
2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.
3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.
4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh

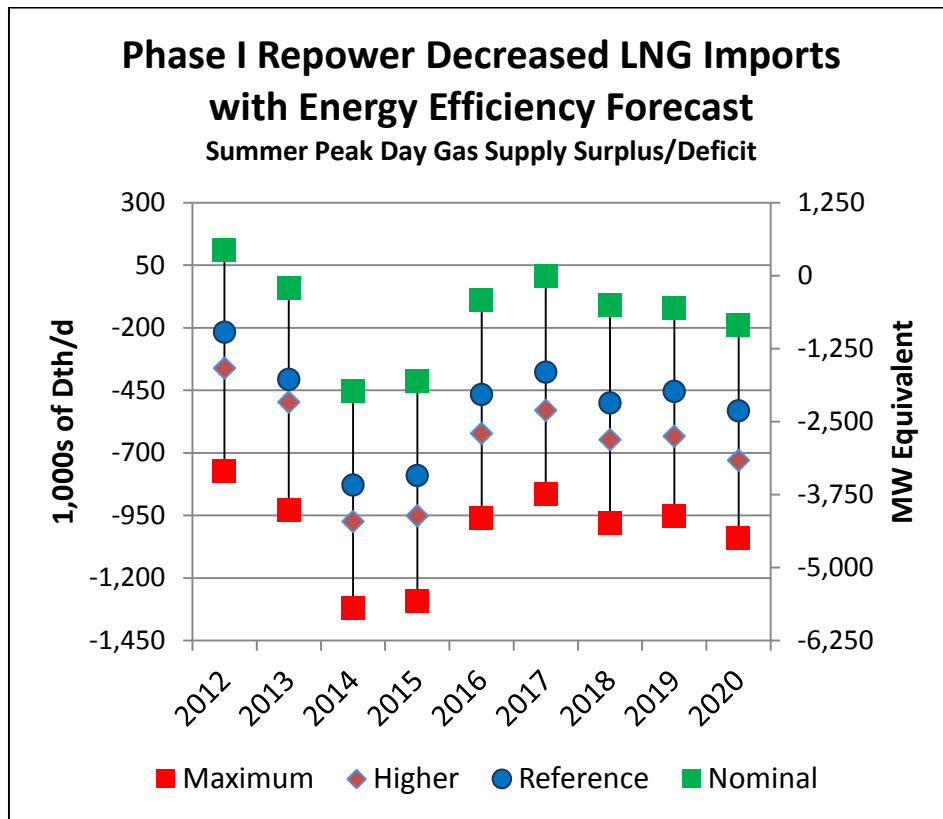
**B.5.5.3 Summary of Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-92. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast**





**Exhibit B-93. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase I Repower Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast**



## B.5.6 Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast results

### B.5.6.1 Winter Design Day

**Exhibit B-94. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,540	1,588	1,539	1,511	1,502	1,513	1,498	1,464	1,423
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(852)</b>	<b>(901)</b>	<b>(875)</b>	<b>(905)</b>	<b>(765)</b>	<b>(696)</b>	<b>(755)</b>	<b>(797)</b>	<b>(833)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,552)</i>	<i>(3,756)</i>	<i>(3,644)</i>	<i>(3,772)</i>	<i>(3,189)</i>	<i>(2,902)</i>	<i>(3,147)</i>	<i>(3,320)</i>	<i>(3,473)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-95. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,606	1,666	1,629	1,604	1,595	1,603	1,585	1,557	1,521
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(918)</b>	<b>(979)</b>	<b>(965)</b>	<b>(998)</b>	<b>(858)</b>	<b>(786)</b>	<b>(842)</b>	<b>(889)</b>	<b>(932)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,824)</i>	<i>(4,079)</i>	<i>(4,021)</i>	<i>(4,160)</i>	<i>(3,576)</i>	<i>(3,277)</i>	<i>(3,507)</i>	<i>(3,704)</i>	<i>(3,882)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-96. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,611	1,671	1,714	1,689	1,679	1,699	1,692	1,748	1,704
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(923)</b>	<b>(984)</b>	<b>(1,050)</b>	<b>(1,083)</b>	<b>(942)</b>	<b>(882)</b>	<b>(949)</b>	<b>(1,081)</b>	<b>(1,114)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,847)</i>	<i>(4,101)</i>	<i>(4,373)</i>	<i>(4,512)</i>	<i>(3,925)</i>	<i>(3,677)</i>	<i>(3,954)</i>	<i>(4,503)</i>	<i>(4,643)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-97. Winter Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	5,281	5,333	5,365	5,365	5,565	5,715	5,715	5,715	5,715
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	4,306	4,360	4,414	4,472	4,541	4,612	4,685	4,760	4,839
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	888	887	864	806	937	1,016	943	868	789
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,187	2,122	2,115	2,089	2,076	2,048	2,034	2,019	2,020
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(1,500)</b>	<b>(1,436)</b>	<b>(1,451)</b>	<b>(1,484)</b>	<b>(1,340)</b>	<b>(1,231)</b>	<b>(1,291)</b>	<b>(1,351)</b>	<b>(1,430)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(6,248)</i>	<i>(5,982)</i>	<i>(6,048)</i>	<i>(6,181)</i>	<i>(5,581)</i>	<i>(5,131)</i>	<i>(5,377)</i>	<i>(5,630)</i>	<i>(5,960)</i>
<p>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</p> <p>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</p> <p>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</p> <p>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</p>									

## B.5.6.2 Summer Peak Day

### Exhibit B-98. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Nominal Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON50) (1,000 Dth/d)

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,420	2,481	2,624	2,637	2,683	2,710	2,726	2,538	2,548
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>(42)</b>	<b>(471)</b>	<b>(434)</b>	<b>(130)</b>	<b>(42)</b>	<b>(154)</b>	<b>(45)</b>	<b>(113)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>463</i>	<i>(175)</i>	<i>(1,961)</i>	<i>(1,808)</i>	<i>(543)</i>	<i>(174)</i>	<i>(640)</i>	<i>(188)</i>	<i>(472)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-99. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Reference Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E11GON90) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,748	2,845	2,951	2,956	2,989	3,004	3,012	2,651	2,659
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(217)</b>	<b>(406)</b>	<b>(798)</b>	<b>(753)</b>	<b>(437)</b>	<b>(335)</b>	<b>(440)</b>	<b>(158)</b>	<b>(225)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(906)</i>	<i>(1,691)</i>	<i>(3,324)</i>	<i>(3,138)</i>	<i>(1,820)</i>	<i>(1,398)</i>	<i>(1,834)</i>	<i>(658)</i>	<i>(936)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**Exhibit B-100. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Higher Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9H) (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	2,892	2,935	3,055	3,063	3,101	3,116	3,123	2,689	2,689
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(361)</b>	<b>(497)</b>	<b>(902)</b>	<b>(860)</b>	<b>(548)</b>	<b>(448)</b>	<b>(551)</b>	<b>(197)</b>	<b>(255)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,505)</i>	<i>(2,069)</i>	<i>(3,757)</i>	<i>(3,584)</i>	<i>(2,285)</i>	<i>(1,865)</i>	<i>(2,297)</i>	<i>(819)</i>	<i>(1,061)</i>
1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

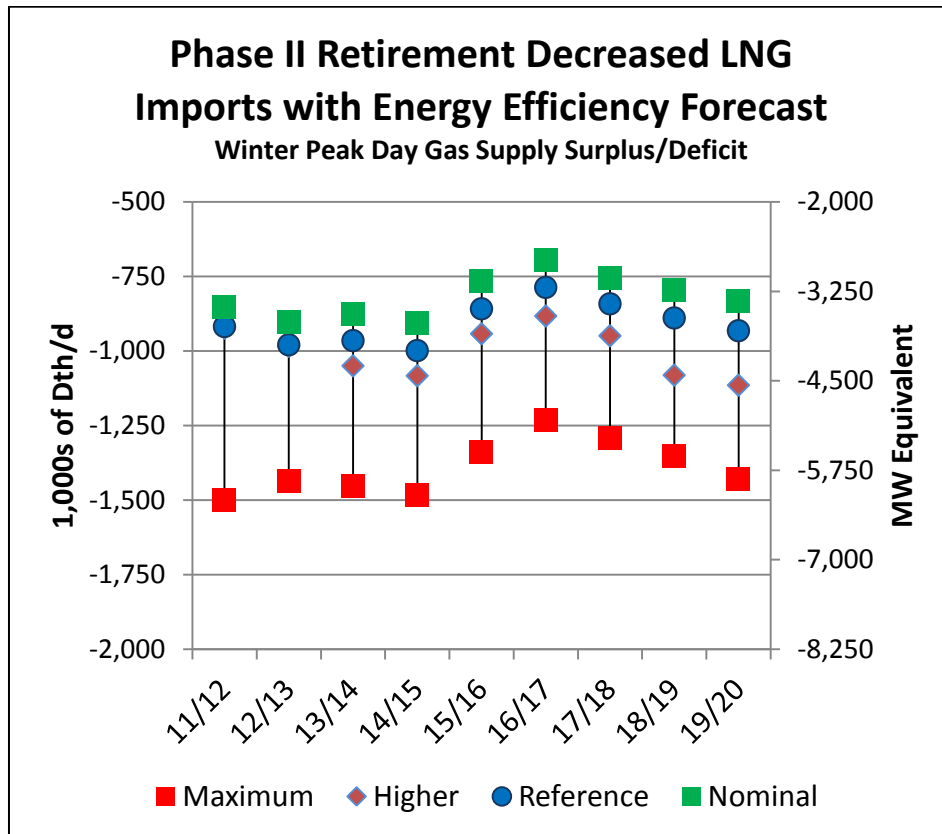


**Exhibit B-101. Summer Gas System Supply Capability under the Maximum Gas Demand Forecasts (Case ID E1SGON9L) (1,000 Dth/d)**

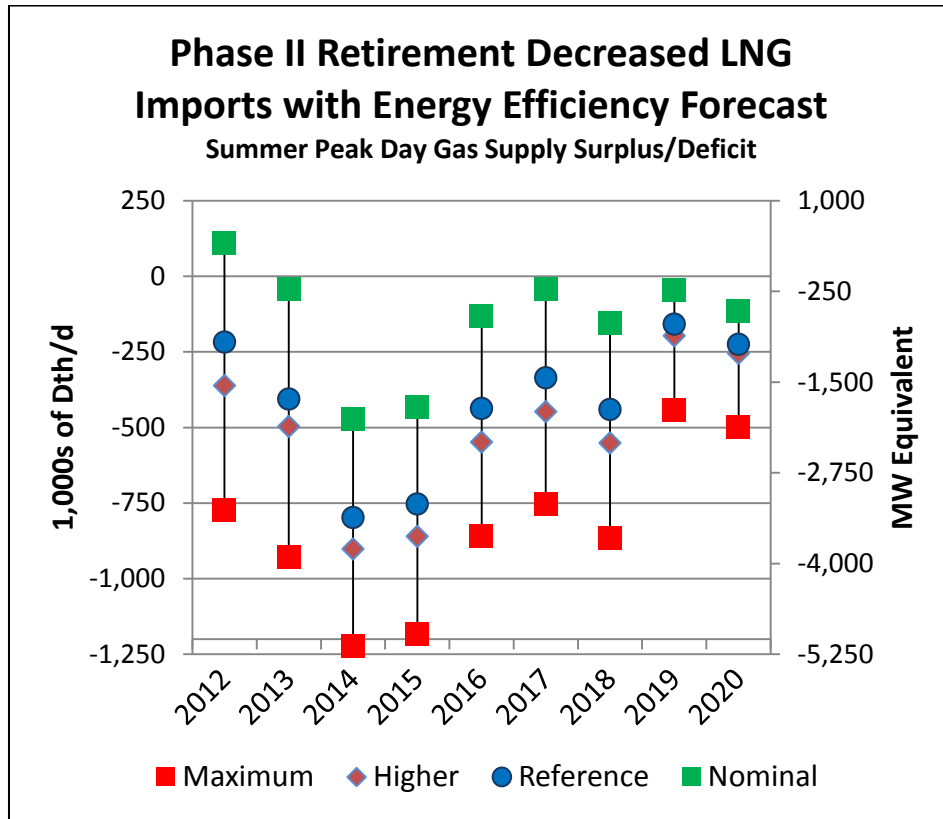
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability	3,428	3,341	3,061	3,116	3,472	3,596	3,507	3,436	3,387
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	611	615	620	626	633	641	649	657	665
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	2,731	2,639	2,353	2,403	2,752	2,869	2,772	2,693	2,635
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	3,303	3,368	3,378	3,384	3,411	3,423	3,437	2,934	2,934
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(772)</b>	<b>(929)</b>	<b>(1,224)</b>	<b>(1,182)</b>	<b>(859)</b>	<b>(755)</b>	<b>(865)</b>	<b>(442)</b>	<b>(500)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,218)</i>	<i>(3,872)</i>	<i>(5,101)</i>	<i>(4,924)</i>	<i>(3,578)</i>	<i>(3,145)</i>	<i>(3,603)</i>	<i>(1,840)</i>	<i>(2,082)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the projected summer peak day value for the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh</li> </ol>									

**B.5.6.3 Summary of Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-102. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast**



**Exhibit B-103. Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Peak Power Demand – Phase II Retirement Decreased LNG Imports with Energy Efficiency Forecast**



## B.6. Brief Summary of Phase II Winter Near-Peak Case Scenarios

Near-Peak Case	Case ID	Name
<b>Phase I Reference</b>	G11NOR50	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
	G1SNOR5H	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
	G1SNOR5L	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
<b>Phase I Repower</b>	G11BAS50	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
	G1SBAS5H	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
	G1SBAS5L	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
<b>Phase II Retirement</b>	G11GON50	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast) (WHC Case ID = G11GON50)
	G1SGON5H	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
	G1SGON5L	Winter Near-Peak Day Assessment – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)

## Comparing Projected Supply and Gas Use to Determine System Surpluses/Deficits in the Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day Assessments

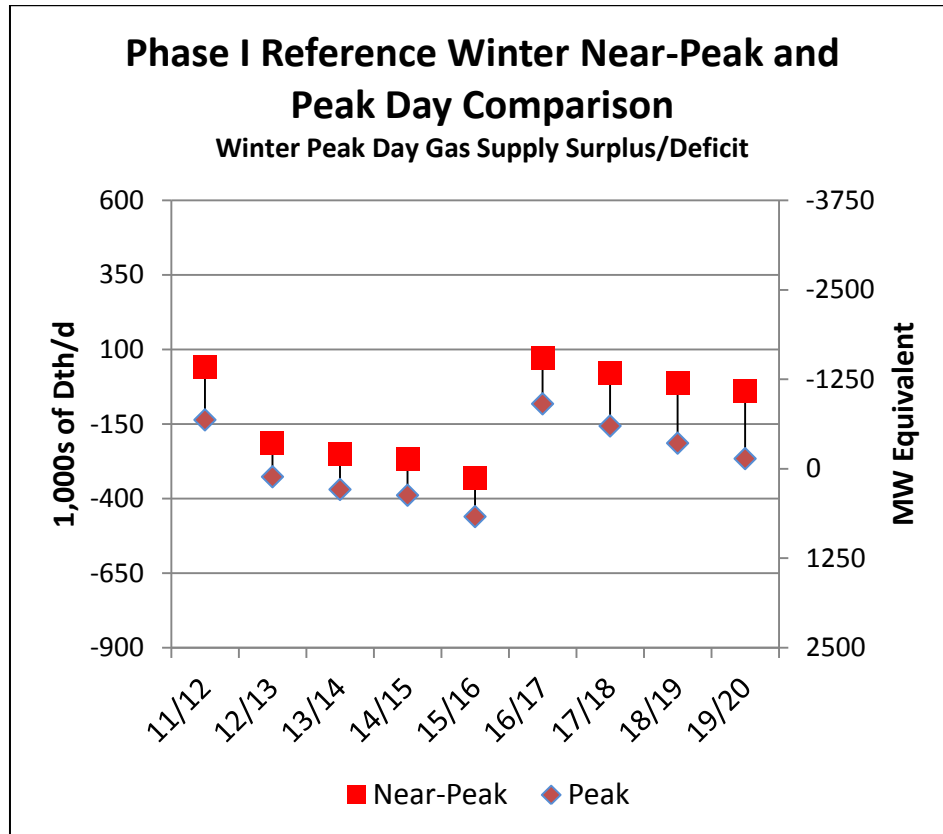
### B.6.1 Phase I Reference Winter Near-Peak Day results

#### Exhibit B-104. Winter Gas System Supply Capability for Phase I Reference Near-Peak Day with Maximum LNG Sendout (1,000 Dth/d)

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,886	2,886	2,886	2,886	2,886	3,336	3,336	3,336	3,336
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,462</b>	<b>4,465</b>	<b>4,447</b>	<b>4,434</b>	<b>4,884</b>	<b>4,884</b>	<b>4,884</b>	<b>4,884</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	<b>1,602</b>	<b>1,443</b>	<b>1,389</b>	<b>1,331</b>	<b>1,271</b>	<b>1,674</b>	<b>1,624</b>	<b>1,573</b>	<b>1,520</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,359	1,457	1,438	1,399	1,402	1,403	1,404	1,386	1,360
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>(214)</b>	<b>(249)</b>	<b>(268)</b>	<b>(330)</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>(13)</b>	<b>(40)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>180</i>	<i>(891)</i>	<i>(1,037)</i>	<i>(1,118)</i>	<i>(1,376)</i>	<i>294</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>(56)</i>	<i>(166)</i>
1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year. 2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365. 3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities. 4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.									

**B.6.1.1 Summary of Phase I Reference Winter Near-Peak Day Case, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-105. Comparison of Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Power Demand under Phase I Reference Assumptions**



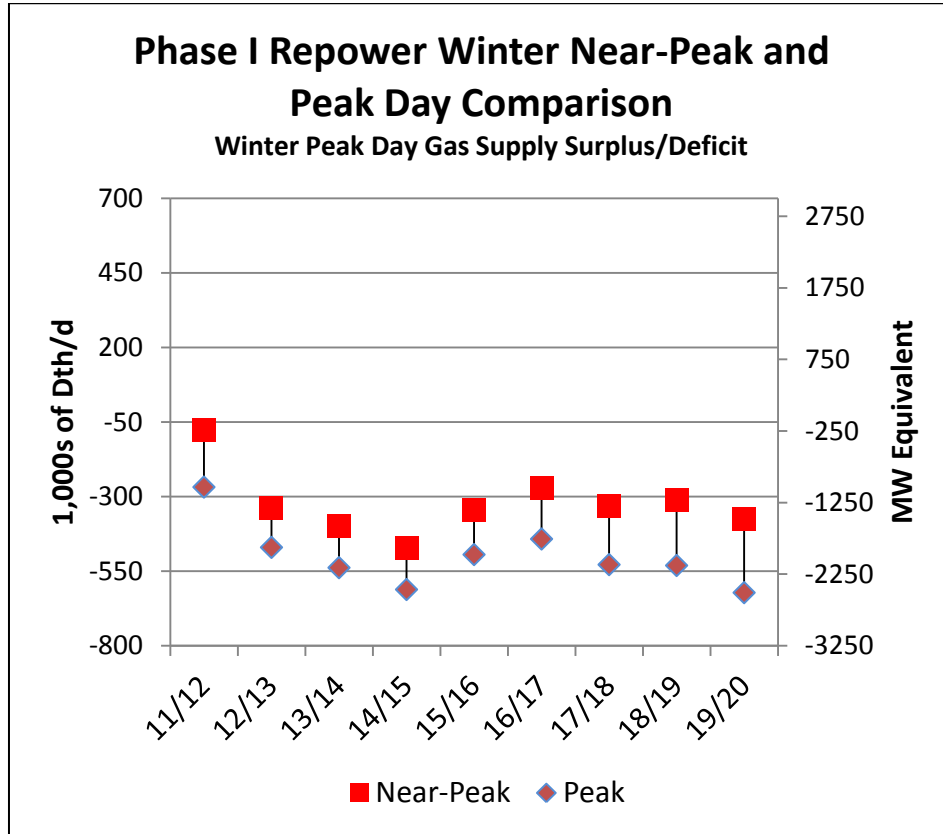
## B.6.2 Phase I Repower Winter Near-Peak Day results

### Exhibit B-106. Winter Gas System Supply Capability for Phase I Repower Near-Peak Day with Maximum LNG Sendout (1,000 Dth/d)

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,312</b>	<b>4,316</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>1,453</b>	<b>1,294</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>1,271</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,330	1,432	1,438	1,453	1,467	1,494	1,507	1,434	1,447
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(77)</b>	<b>(339)</b>	<b>(398)</b>	<b>(471)</b>	<b>(345)</b>	<b>(270)</b>	<b>(332)</b>	<b>(311)</b>	<b>(376)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(320)</i>	<i>(1,411)</i>	<i>(1,659)</i>	<i>(1,964)</i>	<i>(1,436)</i>	<i>(1,123)</i>	<i>(1,384)</i>	<i>(1,294)</i>	<i>(1,568)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**B.6.2.1 Summary of Phase I Repower Winter Near-Peak Day Case, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-107. Comparison of Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Power Demand under Phase I Repower Assumptions**





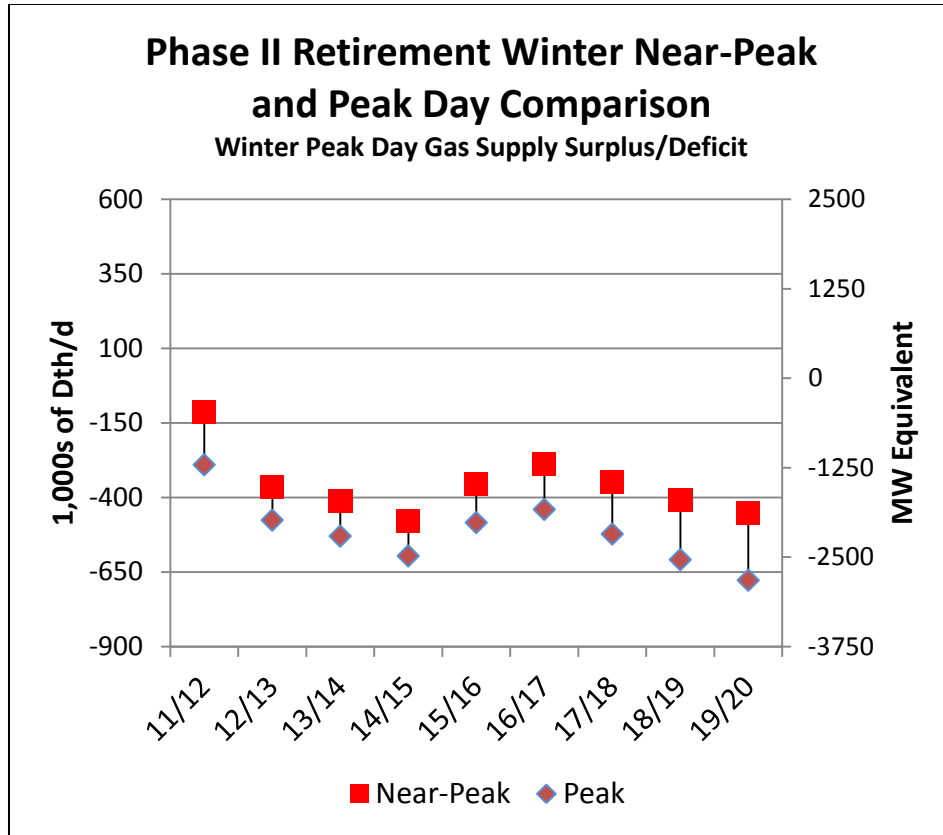
### B.6.3 Phase II Retirement Winter Near-Peak Day results

**Exhibit B-108. Winter Gas System Supply Capability for Phase II Retirement Near-Peak Day with Maximum LNG Sendout (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,312</b>	<b>4,316</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>1,453</b>	<b>1,294</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>1,271</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,366	1,459	1,451	1,459	1,478	1,514	1,523	1,534	1,524
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(113)</b>	<b>(365)</b>	<b>(411)</b>	<b>(478)</b>	<b>(356)</b>	<b>(289)</b>	<b>(348)</b>	<b>(410)</b>	<b>(454)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(470)</i>	<i>(1,521)</i>	<i>(1,714)</i>	<i>(1,990)</i>	<i>(1,484)</i>	<i>(1,206)</i>	<i>(1,452)</i>	<i>(1,708)</i>	<i>(1,890)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**B.6.3.1 Summary of Phase II Retirement Winter Near-Peak Day Cases, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-109. Comparison of Electric Sector Surplus/Deficit Availability to Meet Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Power Demand**



## B.7. Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Electric Sector Gas Demands

Case ID	Name
G11NOR50	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SNOR5H	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
G1SNOR5L	Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)

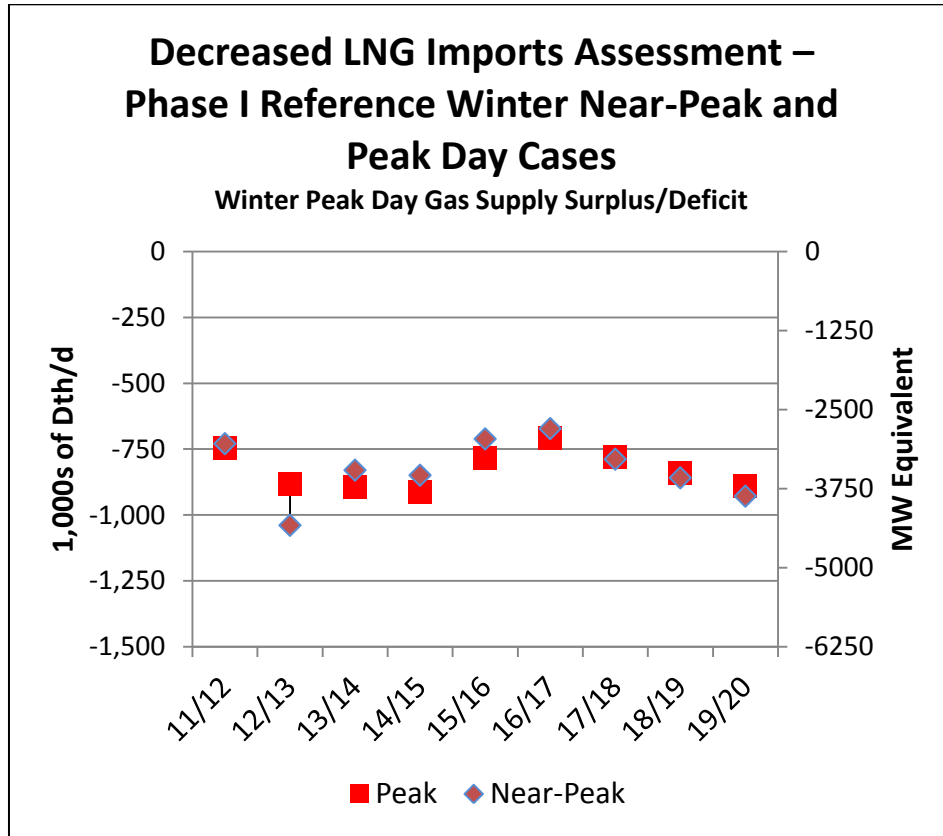
## B.7.1 Surpluses/Deficits in a Phase I Reference Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout

**Exhibit B-110. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Phase I Reference Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	655	590	833	833	833	772	706	669	625
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	270	282	284	284	284	284	284	284	284
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>3,637</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>3,866</b>	<b>4,054</b>	<b>4,142</b>	<b>4,076</b>	<b>4,039</b>	<b>3,996</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>632</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,359	1,457	1,438	1,399	1,402	1,403	1,404	1,386	1,360
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(729)</b>	<b>(1,039)</b>	<b>(829)</b>	<b>(849)</b>	<b>(711)</b>	<b>(672)</b>	<b>(788)</b>	<b>(858)</b>	<b>(928)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,037)</i>	<i>(4,328)</i>	<i>(3,455)</i>	<i>(3,536)</i>	<i>(2,961)</i>	<i>(2,798)</i>	<i>(3,282)</i>	<i>(3,577)</i>	<i>(3,867)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**B.7.1.1 Summary of Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Reference Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-111. Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Reference Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout – Power Sector Gas Demands (1,000 Dth/d)**



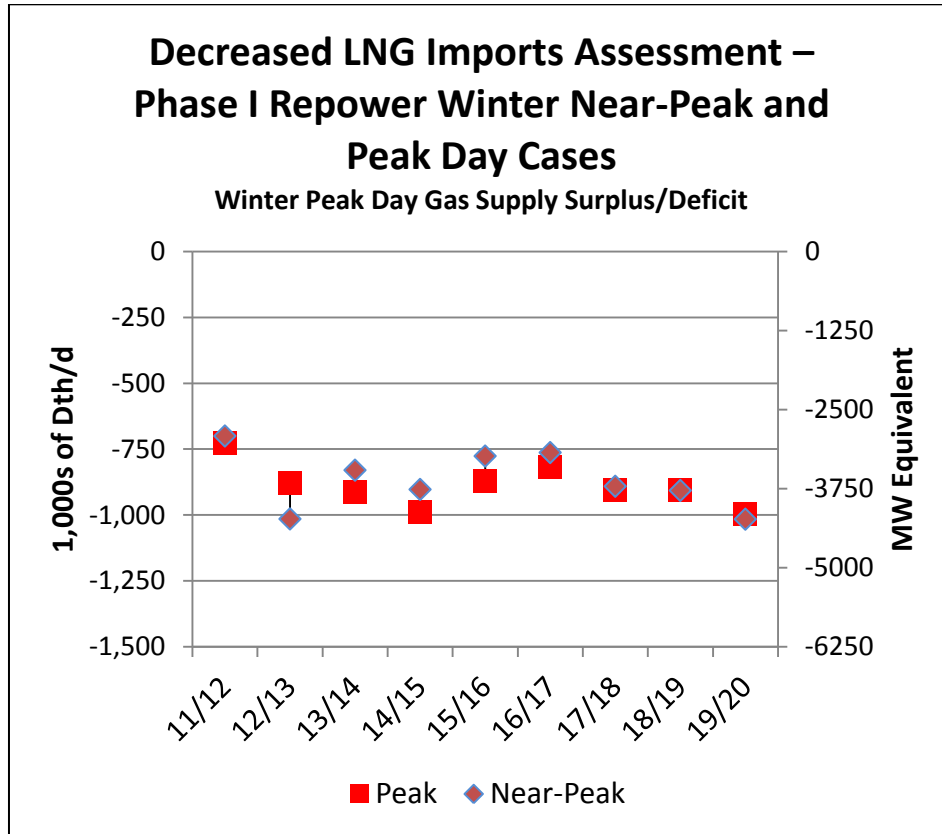
## B.7.2 Surpluses/Deficits in a Phase I Repower Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout

**Exhibit B-112. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Phase I Repower Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	655	590	833	833	833	772	706	669	625
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	270	282	284	284	284	284	284	284	284
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>3,637</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>3,866</b>	<b>4,054</b>	<b>4,142</b>	<b>4,076</b>	<b>4,039</b>	<b>3,996</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>632</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,330	1,432	1,438	1,453	1,467	1,494	1,507	1,434	1,447
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(700)</b>	<b>(1,014)</b>	<b>(829)</b>	<b>(902)</b>	<b>(776)</b>	<b>(763)</b>	<b>(890)</b>	<b>(906)</b>	<b>(1,015)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(2,915)</i>	<i>(4,227)</i>	<i>(3,456)</i>	<i>(3,760)</i>	<i>(3,232)</i>	<i>(3,177)</i>	<i>(3,710)</i>	<i>(3,776)</i>	<i>(4,230)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**B.7.2.1 Summary of Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase I Repower Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout**

**Exhibit B-113. Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase I Repower Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout – Power Sector Gas Demands (1,000 Dth/d)**



### B.7.3 Surpluses/Deficits in a Phase II Retirement Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout

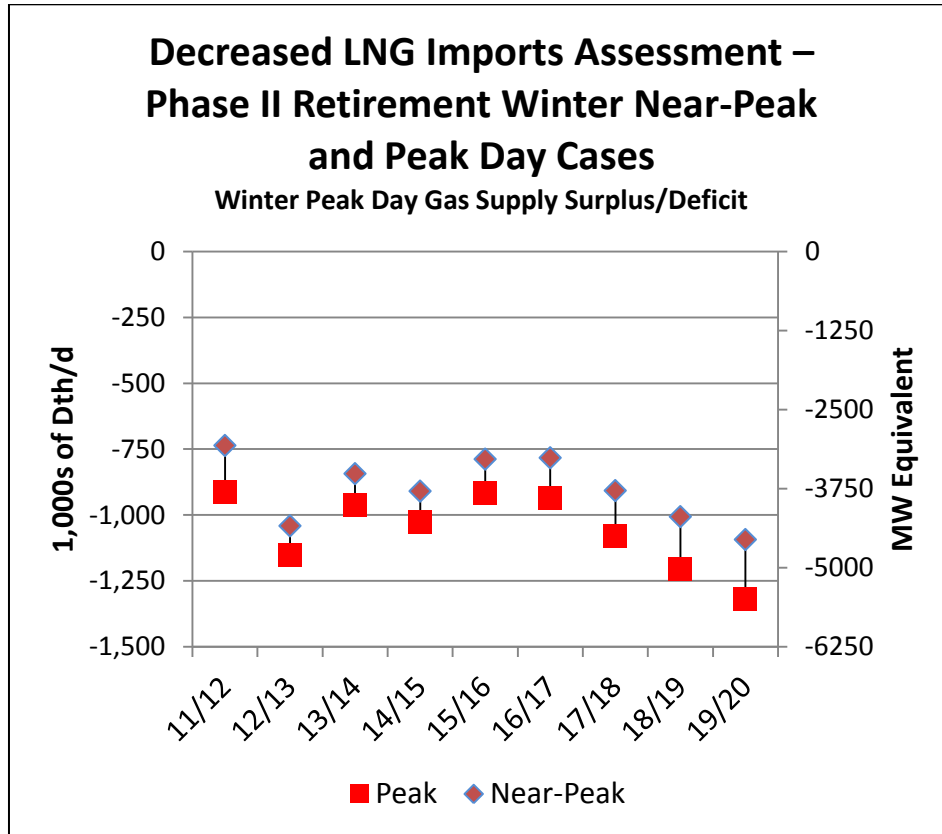
**Exhibit B-114. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Phase II Retirement Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	655	590	833	833	833	772	706	669	625
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	270	282	284	284	284	284	284	284	284
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>3,637</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>3,866</b>	<b>4,054</b>	<b>4,142</b>	<b>4,076</b>	<b>4,039</b>	<b>3,996</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>632</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,366	1,459	1,451	1,459	1,478	1,514	1,523	1,534	1,524
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(736)</b>	<b>(1,041)</b>	<b>(843)</b>	<b>(909)</b>	<b>(787)</b>	<b>(782)</b>	<b>(907)</b>	<b>(1,006)</b>	<b>(1,093)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,065)</i>	<i>(4,336)</i>	<i>(3,511)</i>	<i>(3,787)</i>	<i>(3,281)</i>	<i>(3,260)</i>	<i>(3,778)</i>	<i>(4,190)</i>	<i>(4,553)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									



**B.7.3.1 Summary of Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Retirement Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout**

**Exhibit B-115. Decreased LNG Imports Assessment - Phase II Retirement Near-Peak Winter Day with Decreased LNG Sendout – Power Sector Gas Demands (1,000 Dth/d)**



## B.8. Energy Efficiency Forecast – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Electric Sector Gas Demands

Near-Peak Case	Case ID	Name
<b>Phase I Reference</b>	E11NOR50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase I Reference – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
	E1SNOR5H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
	E1SNOR5L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Reference - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
<b>Phase I Repower</b>	E11BAS50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase I Repower – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
	E1SBAS5H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
	E1SBAS5L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase I Repower - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)
<b>Phase II Retirement</b>	E11GON50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day - Phase II Retirement – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
	E1SGON5H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
	E1SGON5L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Winter Near-Peak Day – Phase II Retirement - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)

### B.8.1 Surpluses/Deficits in a Near-Peak Winter Day in the Energy Efficiency Forecast Cases

**Exhibit B-116. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Phase I Reference Near-Peak Day (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,312</b>	<b>4,316</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>1,453</b>	<b>1,294</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>1,271</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,359	1,439	1,385	1,327	1,310	1,306	1,295	1,259	1,220
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(106)</b>	<b>(346)</b>	<b>(345)</b>	<b>(345)</b>	<b>(188)</b>	<b>(82)</b>	<b>(120)</b>	<b>(135)</b>	<b>(149)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(442)</i>	<i>(1,440)</i>	<i>(1,438)</i>	<i>(1,438)</i>	<i>(783)</i>	<i>(341)</i>	<i>(501)</i>	<i>(563)</i>	<i>(620)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**Exhibit B-117. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Phase I Repower Near-Peak Day (1,000 Dth/d)**

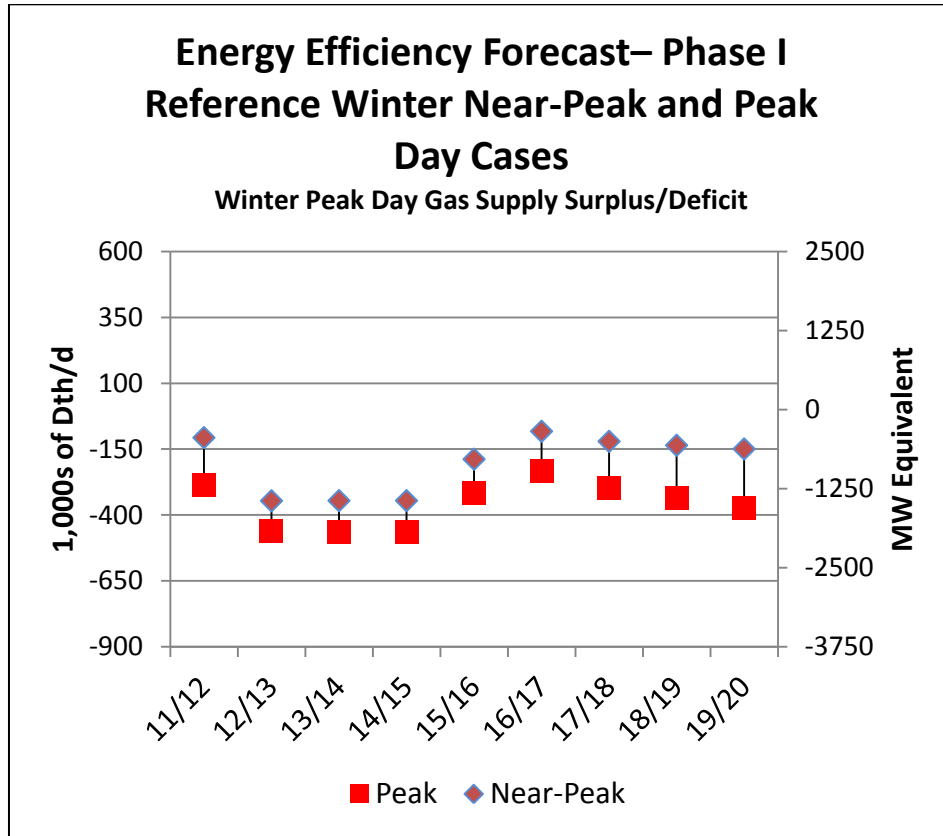
	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833	833
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715	715
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>4,285</b>	<b>4,312</b>	<b>4,316</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>4,635</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>1,453</b>	<b>1,294</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>1,271</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,330	1,415	1,396	1,383	1,371	1,352	1,344	1,266	1,220
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(77)</b>	<b>(321)</b>	<b>(356)</b>	<b>(402)</b>	<b>(248)</b>	<b>(128)</b>	<b>(169)</b>	<b>(142)</b>	<b>(149)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(320)</i>	<i>(1,339)</i>	<i>(1,485)</i>	<i>(1,673)</i>	<i>(1,035)</i>	<i>(532)</i>	<i>(703)</i>	<i>(593)</i>	<i>(621)</i>
<p>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</p> <p>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</p> <p>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</p> <p>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</p>									

**Exhibit B-118. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Phase II Retirement Near-Peak Day (1,000 Dth/d)**

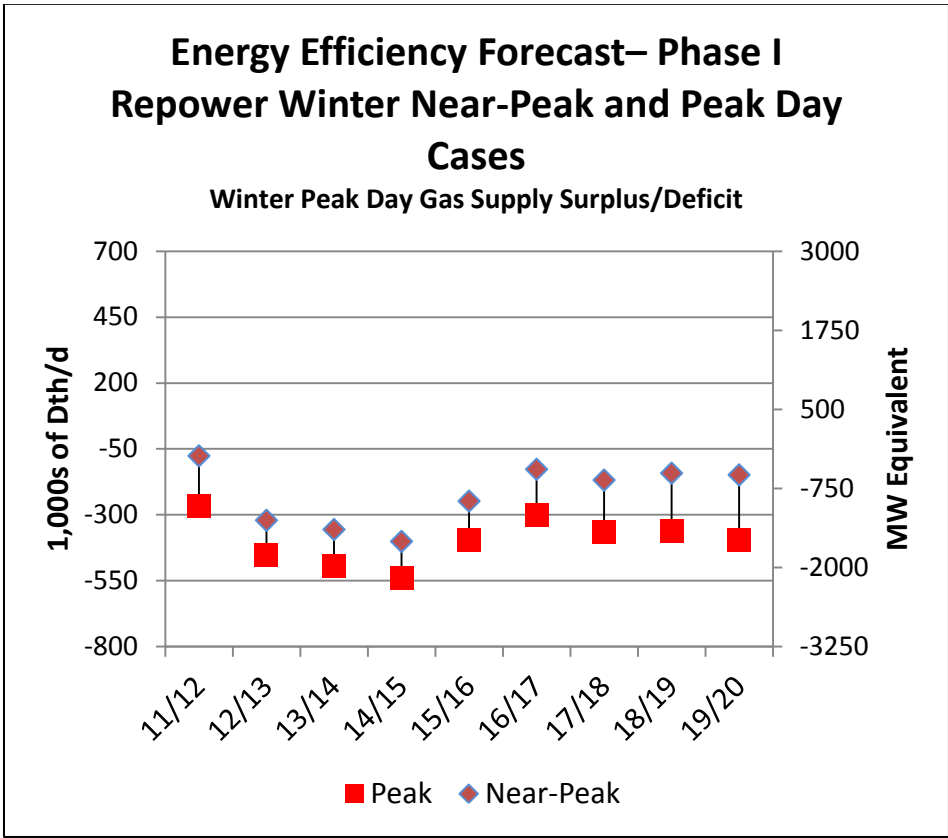
	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	655	590	833	833	833	772	706	669	625
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	270	282	284	284	284	284	284	284	284
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	0	28	31	13	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>3,637</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>3,866</b>	<b>4,054</b>	<b>4,142</b>	<b>4,076</b>	<b>4,039</b>	<b>3,996</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,745	2,932	2,990	3,029	3,076	3,124	3,173	3,224	3,277
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>632</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,366	1,441	1,396	1,369	1,359	1,370	1,356	1,322	1,280
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(736)</b>	<b>(1,023)</b>	<b>(787)</b>	<b>(818)</b>	<b>(668)</b>	<b>(639)</b>	<b>(739)</b>	<b>(794)</b>	<b>(848)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(3,065)</i>	<i>(4,264)</i>	<i>(3,280)</i>	<i>(3,408)</i>	<i>(2,785)</i>	<i>(2,660)</i>	<i>(3,080)</i>	<i>(3,307)</i>	<i>(3,535)</i>
<p>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.                  2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.                  3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.                  4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</p>									

**B.8.2 Comparisons of Energy Efficiency Forecasts Near-Peak and Peak Day Case Results**

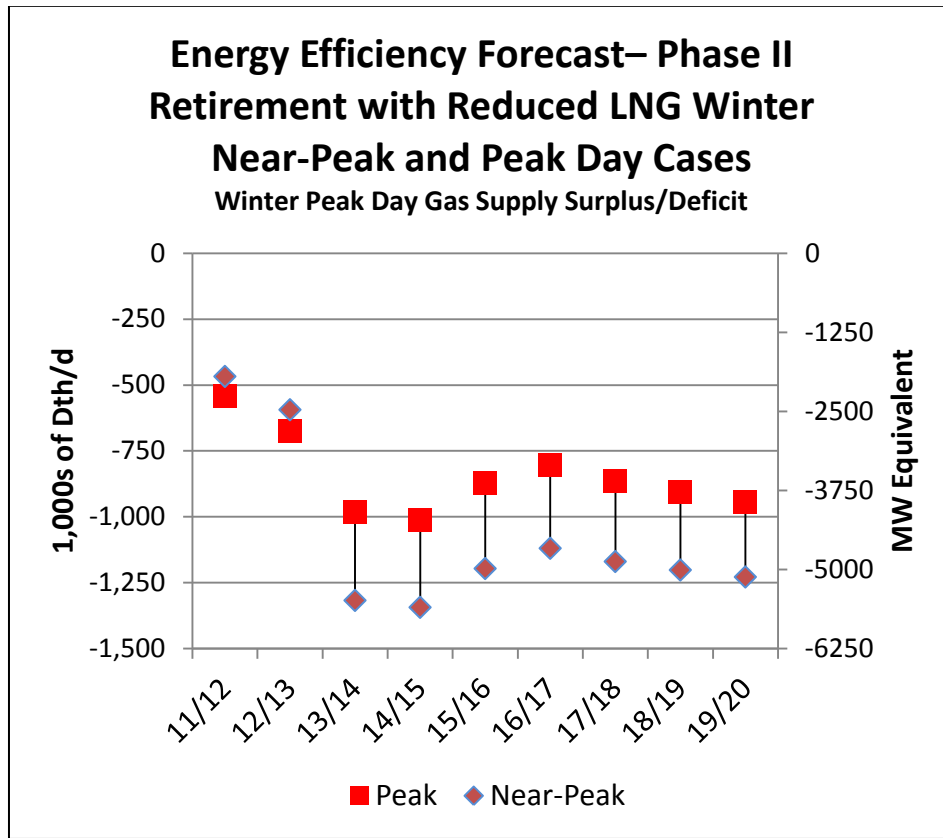
**Exhibit B-119. Comparison of Energy Efficiency Forecast Phase I Reference Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Case Results**



**Exhibit B-120. Comparison of Energy Efficiency Forecast Phase I Repower Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Case Results**



**Exhibit B-121. Comparison of Energy Efficiency Forecast Phase II Retirement with Reduced LNG Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Case Results**





**B.9. Decreased LNG Imports and Energy Efficiency Forecast Phase II Retirement Winter Near-Peak Day - Electric Sector Gas Demands**

Case ID	Name
E11GON50	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports - Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day – Base Gas Price - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Nominal Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SGON5H	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - High Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out - 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Higher Gas Demand Forecast)
E1SGON5L	ISO-NE Energy Efficiency Forecast - Decreased LNG Imports – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day - Low Gas Price - Nuclear Unit Out – 2011 CELT 50/50 Forecast (Maximum Gas Demand Forecast)

## B.9.1 Surpluses/Deficits in a Near-Peak Winter Day in the Decreased LNG Imports Assessment

**Exhibit B-122. Winter Gas System Supply Capability on a Near-Peak Day (1,000 Dth/d)**

	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Non-Temperature-Sensitive Gas Supplies	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,737	2,937	3,087	3,087	3,087	3,087
(Plus) M&N Pipeline Flows	372	448	674	664	654	645	635	625	616
(Plus) Distrigas Sendout	145	175	217	217	217	217	217	217	217
(Plus) LNG/Propane Air Peak Shaving	544	655	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Gas Pipeline and Supply Capability</b>	<b>3,797</b>	<b>4,014</b>	<b>3,628</b>	<b>3,618</b>	<b>3,808</b>	<b>3,948</b>	<b>3,939</b>	<b>3,929</b>	<b>3,920</b>
(Minus) Firm Demand by LDCs (Note 1)	2,732	2,981	3,308	3,352	3,404	3,457	3,511	3,568	3,627
(Minus) Regional Industrial Demands (Note 2)	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287	287
(Plus) Firm Power and Industrial Demands Served Behind LDC Citygates (Note 3)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
(Equals) Gas Grid Capability to Serve Power sector Demands Surplus or (Deficiency)	<b>978</b>	<b>946</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>206</b>
(Minus) Power sector Demand (from ISO-NE Scenarios)	1,246	1,340	1,351	1,323	1,314	1,325	1,311	1,277	1,235
(Minus) Fuel Reserve Margin	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
<b>(Equals) Remaining Gas Grid Capability: Surplus or (Deficiency)</b>	<b>(468)</b>	<b>(594)</b>	<b>(1,318)</b>	<b>(1,344)</b>	<b>(1,197)</b>	<b>(1,120)</b>	<b>(1,170)</b>	<b>(1,202)</b>	<b>(1,229)</b>
<i>MW Equivalent (Surplus or Deficiency)</i>	<i>(1,949)</i>	<i>(2,476)</i>	<i>(5,491)</i>	<i>(5,600)</i>	<i>(4,986)</i>	<i>(4,666)</i>	<i>(4,876)</i>	<i>(5,010)</i>	<i>(5,120)</i>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Represents the design day value for the winter beginning November of the prior year through March of the forecast year.</li> <li>2. Projected industrial load remains constant at the annual 2009 value reported by EIA divided by 365.</li> <li>3. This calculation nets out the estimated firm power and industrial load served directly by gas utilities.</li> <li>4. The MW equivalent of the gas grid surplus/deficit is based on an assumed marginal heat rate of 10,000 Btu/kWh.</li> </ol>									

**B.9.2 Summary of Decreased LNG Imports Assessment – Phase II Winter Near-Peak Day Case, with Key Findings**

**Exhibit B-123. Comparison of Energy Efficiency Forecast and Decreased LNG Imports Phase II Retirement Winter Near-Peak and Peak Day Case Results**

