

# NEPOOL Participants Committee Report

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### **Highlights**

- Day-Ahead (DA), Real-Time (RT) Prices and Transactions
  - Energy market value over the period was \$182M, down \$139M from August 2019 and down \$221M from September 2018
    - September natural gas prices over the period were 2.6% higher than August average values
    - Average RT Hub Locational Marginal Prices (\$20.97/MWh) over the period were 11% lower than August averages
      - Avg. DA Hub: \$21.77/MWh
    - Average September 2019 natural gas prices and RT Hub LMPs over the period were down 29% and down 49%, respectively, from September 2018 averages
  - Average DA cleared physical energy during the peak hours as percent of forecasted load was 99.6% during September, down from 101.3% during August\*
    - The minimum value for the month was 95.4% on Saturday, Sep. 7th

Data is through September 25<sup>th</sup>, unless otherwise indicated.

\*DA Cleared Physical Energy is the sum of Generation and Net Imports cleared in the DA Energy Market

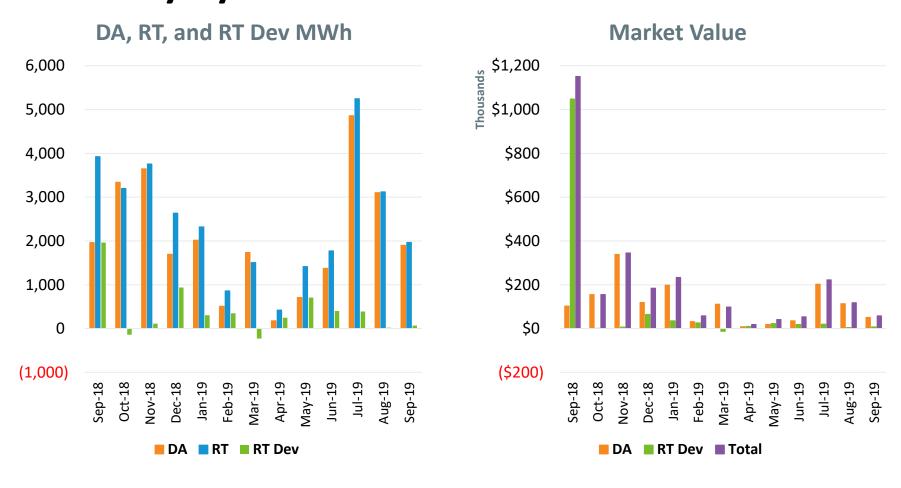
Underlying natural gas data furnished by:

### Highlights, cont.

- Daily Net Commitment Period Compensation (NCPC)
  - September NCPC payments totaled \$1.6M over the period, up \$0.1M
     from August and down \$1.9M from September 2018
    - First Contingency\* payments totaled \$1.1M, up \$23K from August
      - \$1M paid to internal resources, down \$32K from August
        - » \$368K charged to DALO, \$479K to RT Deviations, \$256K to RTLO
      - \$62K paid to resources at external locations, up \$55K from August
        - » Charged to RT Deviations
    - Second Contingency payments totaled \$479K, up \$121K from August
    - Voltage payments totaled \$56K, up \$56K from August
    - Distribution payments were zero
  - NCPC payments over the period as percent of Energy Market value were
     0.9%

<sup>\*</sup> NCPC types reflected in the First Contingency Amount: Dispatch Lost Opportunity Cost (DLOC) - \$143K; Rapid Response Pricing (RRP) Opportunity Cost - \$101K; Posturing - \$12K; Generator Performance Auditing (GPA) - \$0K;

## Price Responsive Demand (PRD) Energy Market Activity by Month



Note: DA and RT (deviation) MWh are settlement obligations and reflect appropriate gross-ups for distribution losses.

### **Highlights**

- Tariff enhancements related to the competitive transmission solicitation process are expected to be filed with FERC by October 11
- FCA 14 qualification activities are nearing completion
  - New Capacity Resource Qualification Determinations were disseminated on September 27
  - FERC filings pertaining to ICR and qualification will be made on November 5
- The final version of RSP19 is under review by the ISO Board

### Forward Capacity Market (FCM) Highlights

- CCP 10 (2019-2020)
  - Late, new resources (regardless of size) are being monitored closely
- CCP 11 (2020-2021)
  - Third and final annual reconfiguration auction to be held March 1-5, 2020 and results to be posted by March 19, 2020
- CCP 12 (2021-2022)
  - Second reconfiguration auction will be August 3-5, 2020 and results to be posted by September 2, 2020
- CCP 13 (2022-2023)
  - Auction results were filed with FERC on February 28 and, on September 25,
     FERC issued notice that FCA 13 results are effective under operation of law
  - First reconfiguration auction will be June 1-3, 2020 and results to be posted by July 1, 2020

#### FCM Highlights, cont.

- CCP 14 (2023-2024)
  - New Capacity Resource Qualification is complete and QDNs were released on September 27
    - Renewable Technology Resource Exemption: approximately 336 MW, and election is due October 1
    - FCM deposit (financial assurance) is due October 28
  - Existing Capacity Resource Qualification is complete
  - This will be the first FCA where nested capacity zones will be modeled
    - Tariff changes were filed with FERC and an order is expected by October 1
    - Capacity Zones to be modeled include: Rest of Pool, Southeastern New England, Northern New England, and Maine (nested zone within Northern New England)
  - ICR & related values with and without Mystic 8/9 have been developed and will be filed with FERC
    - Exelon has until January 20 to decide whether or not to retire the Mystic 8/9 resources
- Both the ICR and Informational FERC filings will be made on November 5

#### FERC Order 1000

- Intraregional Planning
  - Qualified Transmission Project Sponsor (QTPS)
    - 21 companies have achieved QTPS status
    - One company is currently moving through the QTPS application process
  - Based on the results of the Boston Needs Assessment to date, the ISO plans to release its first request for proposal (RFP) for a competitively developed transmission solution in late 2019 or early 2020
  - The ISO anticipates an October Tariff filing by October 11, 2019
  - Draft RFP templates are being updated based on stakeholder feedback and are planned to be reposted for PAC comment in mid-October

#### **Load Forecast**

- The 2020 load forecast process has begun
  - Energy-Efficiency Forecast Working Group WebEx will be held on October 18
  - Load Forecast Committee meeting will be held on November 18
  - Distributed Generation Forecast Working Group meeting will be
     December 5
- Efforts continue to enhance load forecast models and tools to improve day-ahead and long-term load forecast performance
  - Discussions are ongoing with industry experts regarding emerging technologies/trends and methods of incorporating these into the forecast

#### **Highlights**

- The lowest 50/50 and 90/10 Fall Operable Capacity Margins are projected for week beginning November 2, 2019.
- The lowest 50/50 and 90/10 Preliminary Winter Operable Capacity Margins are projected for week beginning January 11, 2020.

#### **SYSTEM OPERATIONS**

### **System Operations**

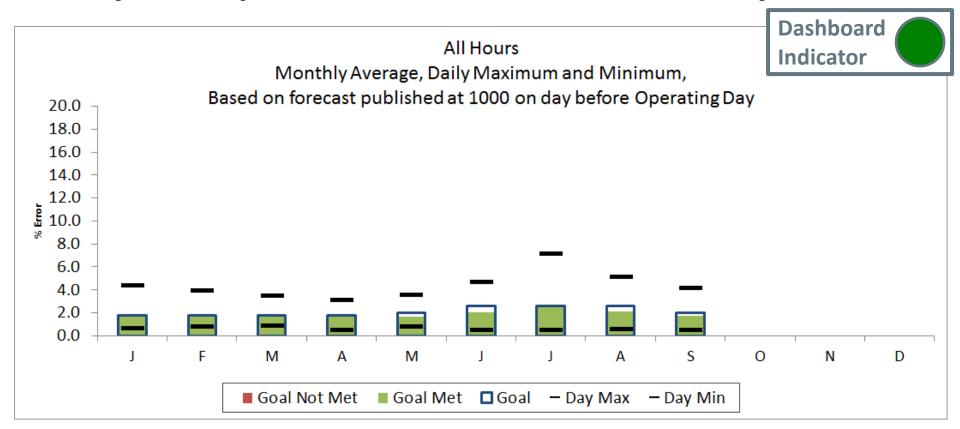
Weather Patterns	Boston	Max Pred	perature: Above Normal (3.3°F) x: 92°F, Min: 50°F cipitation: 2.16" – Below Normal mal: 3.31"		Hartford	Max: 92°F,	n: 1.93" - Below Normal		
Peak Load:			18,924 MW	September 23, 2019			18:00 (ending)		
Emergency Procedure Events (OP-4, M/LCC 2, Minimum Generation Emergency)									
Proced	edure Declared				Cancelled	_	Note		
NONE									

### **System Operations**

#### NPCC Simultaneous Activation of Reserve Events

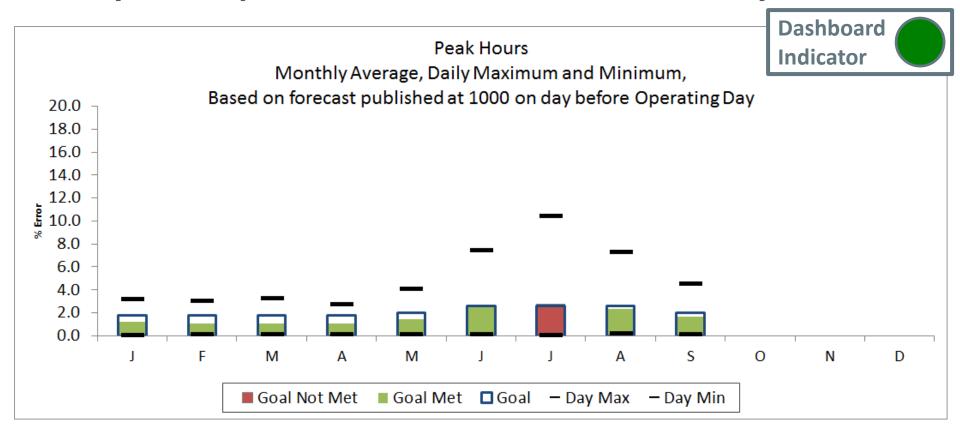
Date	Area	MW Lost
9/3/2019	NYISO	1200
9/21/2019	ISO-NE	668
9/23/2019	PJM	1255

#### **2019 System Operations - Load Forecast Accuracy**



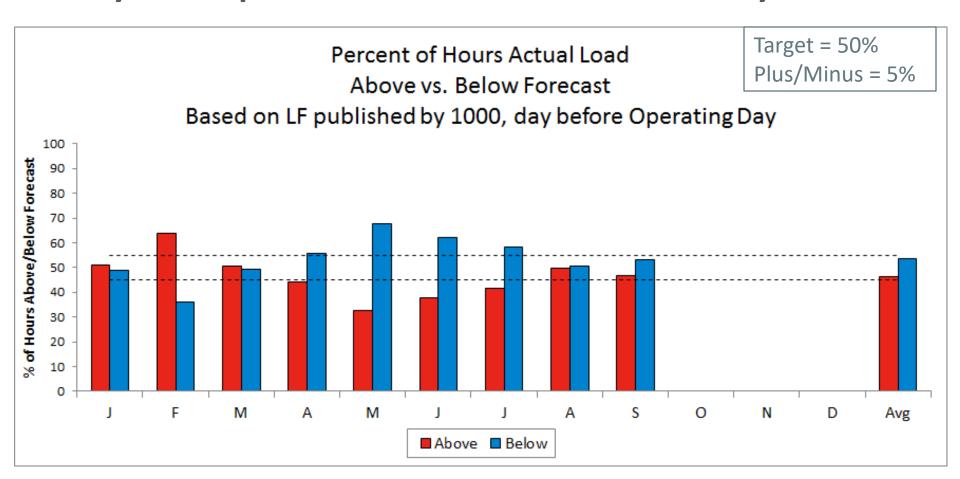
Month	J	F	M	Α	M	J	J	Α	S	0	N	D	
Day Max	4.36	3.87	3.47	3.11	3.53	4.68	7.14	5.10	4.11				7.14
Day Min	0.60	0.77	0.81	0.49	0.79	0.49	0.44	0.57	0.48				0.44
MAPE	1.76	1.68	1.72	1.79	1.64	2.01	2.46	2.12	1.75				1.88
Goal	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	2.00	2.60	2.60	2.60	2.00				

#### 2019 System Operations - Load Forecast Accuracy cont.



Month	J	F	М	Α	М	J	J	Α	S	0	N	D	
Day Max	3.17	3.03	3.23	2.71	4.08	7.39	10.38	7.27	4.53				10.38
Day Min	0.02	0.06	0.06	0.12	0.07	0.07	0.01	0.16	0.07				0.01
MAPE	1.22	1.04	1.06	1.04	1.45	2.53	2.72	2.37	1.67				1.68
Goal	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	2.00	2.60	2.60	2.60	2.00				

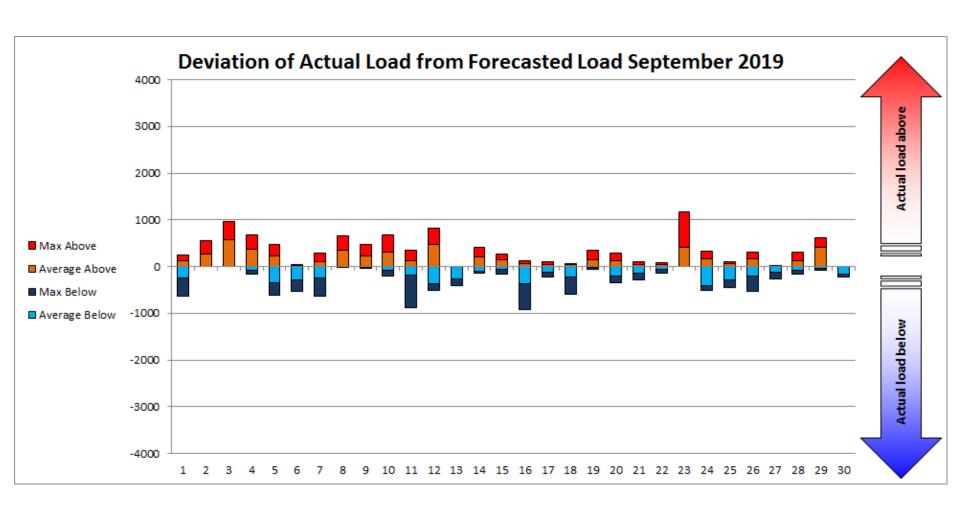
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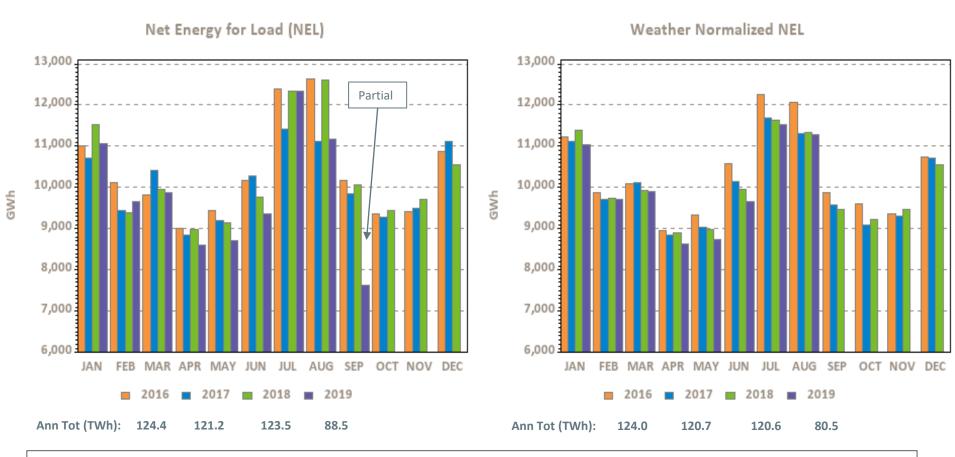
Above %
Below %
Avg Above
Avg Below
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J	F	М	Α	М	J	J	Α	S	0	N	D	Avg
51.1	64	50.5	44.2	32.5	37.9	41.7	49.6	46.7				46
48.9	36	49.5	55.8	67.5	62.1	58.3	50.4	53.3				54
211.7	224.2	162.1	184.1	126.1	144.9	268.3	230.9	178.8				268
-183.0	-174.3	-192.4	-161.7	-179.6	-225.1	-350.1	-220.1	-158.3				-350
30	88	-12	1	-79	-80	-108	8	10				-17

#### 2019 System Operations - Load Forecast Accuracy cont.

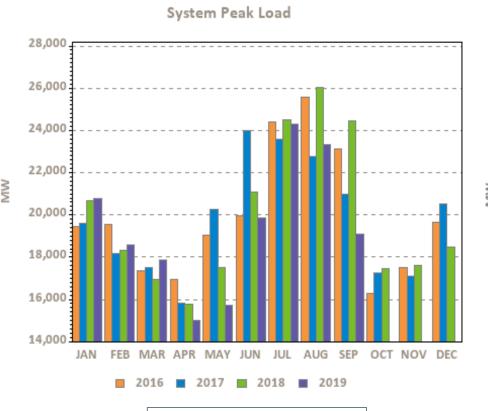


### Monthly Recorded Net Energy for Load (NEL) and Weather Normalized NEL

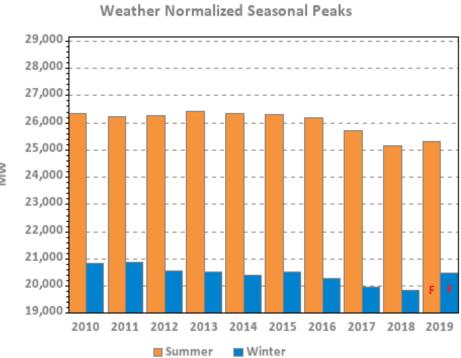


NEPOOL NEL is the total net revenue quality metered energy required to serve load and is analogous to 'RT system load.' NEL is calculated as: Generation – pumping load + net interchange where imports are positively signed. Current month's data may be preliminary. Weather normalized NEL may be reported on a one-month lag.

# Monthly Peak Loads and Weather Normalized Seasonal Peak History



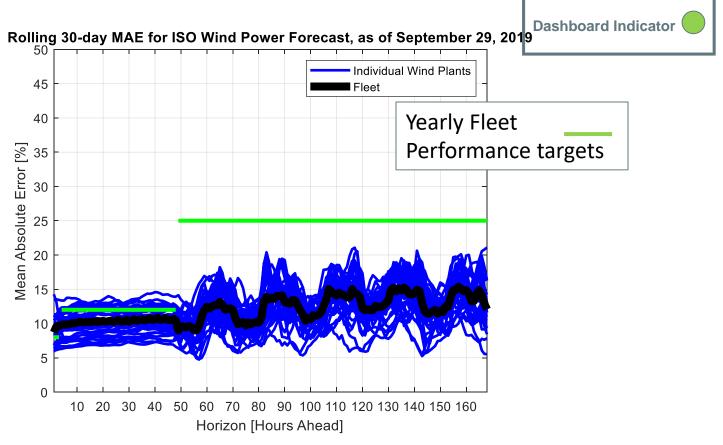
Revenue quality metered value



Winter beginning in year displayed

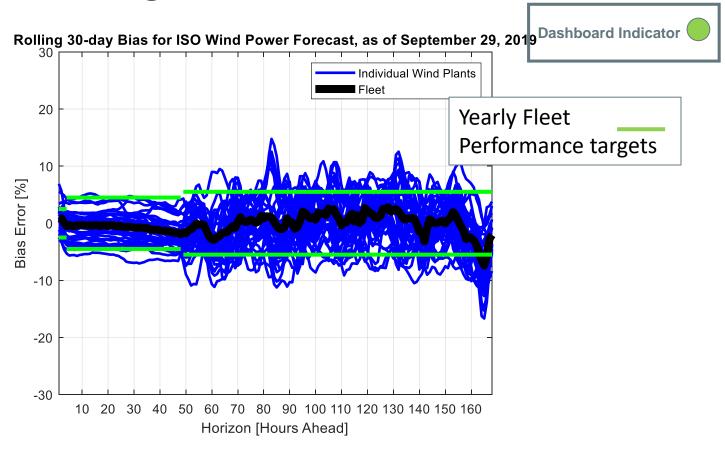
F – designates forecasted values, which are updated in April/May of the following year; represents "net forecast" (i.e., the gross forecast net of passive demand response and behind-the-meter solar demand)

# Wind Power Forecast Error Statistics: Medium and Long Term Forecasts MAE



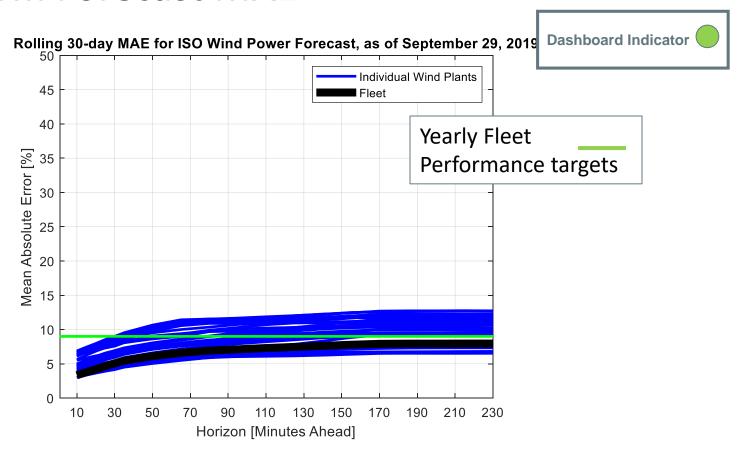
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# Wind Power Forecast Error Statistics: Medium and Long Term Forecasts Bias



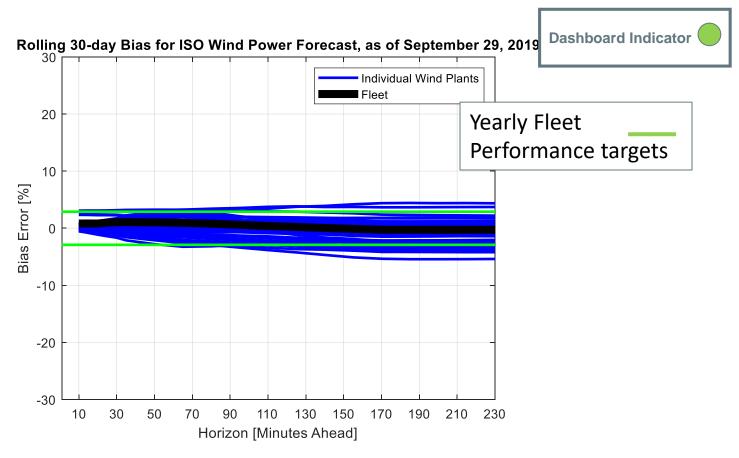
Ideally, MAE and Bias would be both equal to zero. Positive bias means less windpower was actually available compared to forecast. Negative bias means more windpower was actually available compared to forecast. Across all time frames, the ISO-NE/DNV-GL forecast compares well with industry standards, and, out to 167, hours monthly Bias is within yearly performance targets.

### Wind Power Forecast Error Statistics: Short Term Forecast MAE



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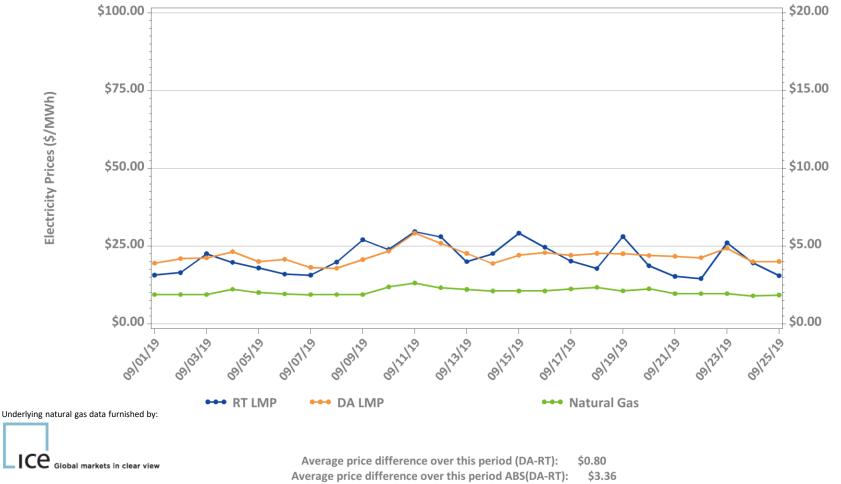
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### **MARKET OPERATIONS**

# Daily Average DA and RT ISO-NE Hub Prices and Input Fuel Prices: September 1-25, 2019



Average price difference over this period (DA-RT): \$0.80

Average price difference over this period ABS(DA-RT): \$3.36

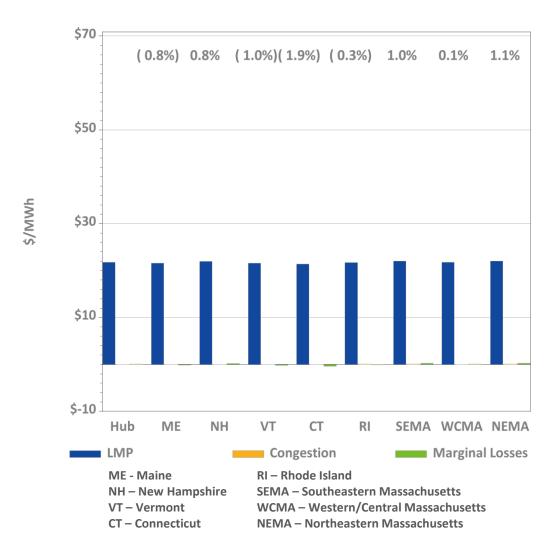
Average percentage difference over this period ABS(DA-RT)/RT Average LMP: 16%

Gas price is average of Massachusetts delivery points

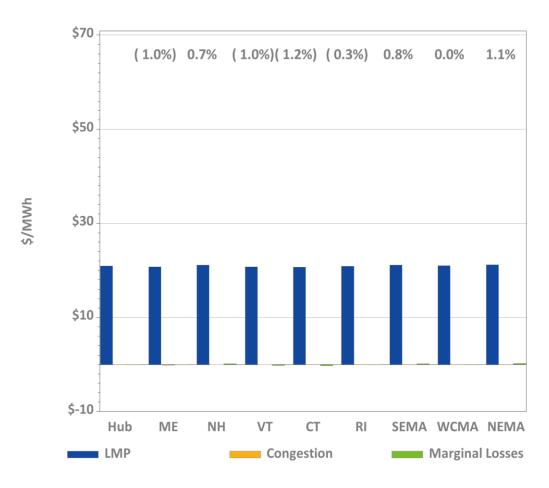
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Fuel Price (\$/MMBtu)

# DA LMPs Average by Zone & Hub, September 2019



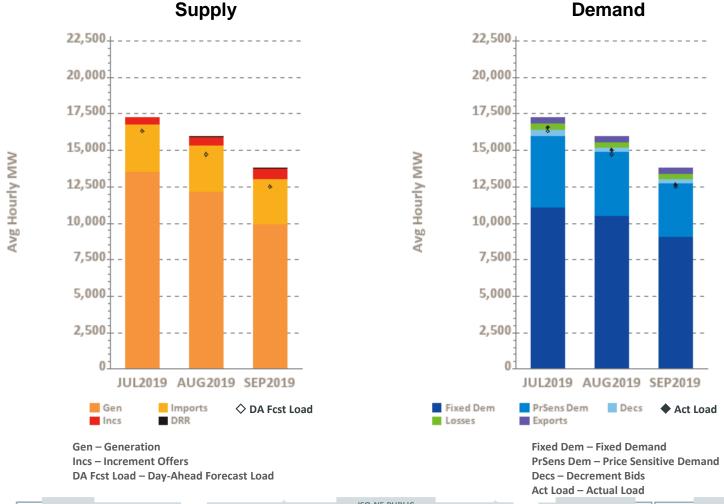
# RT LMPs Average by Zone & Hub, September 2019



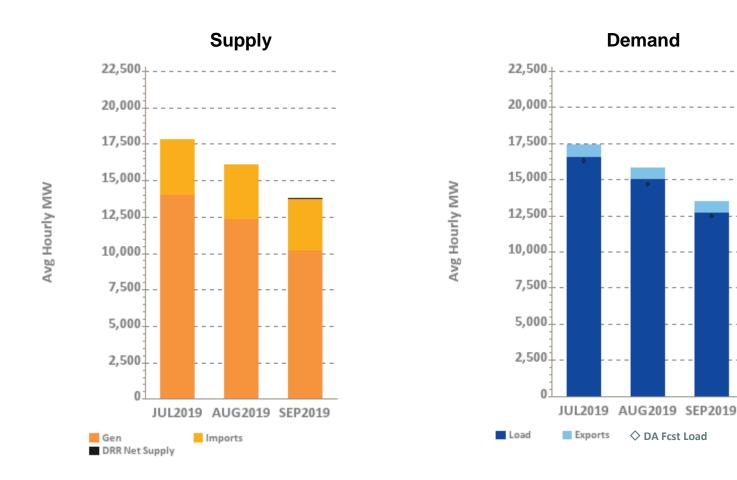
### **Definitions**

Day-Ahead Concept	Definition
Day-Ahead Load Obligation (DALO)	The sum of day-ahead cleared load (including asset load, pump load, exports, and virtual purchases and excluding modeled transmission losses)
Day-Ahead Cleared Physical Energy	The sum of day-ahead cleared generation and cleared net imports

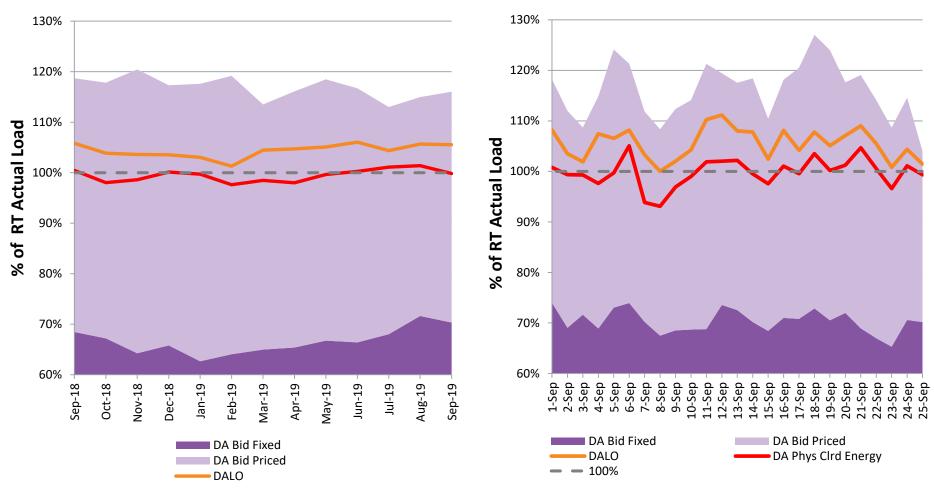
### **Components of Cleared DA Supply and Demand** Last Three Months



### **Components of RT Supply and Demand – Last Three Months**

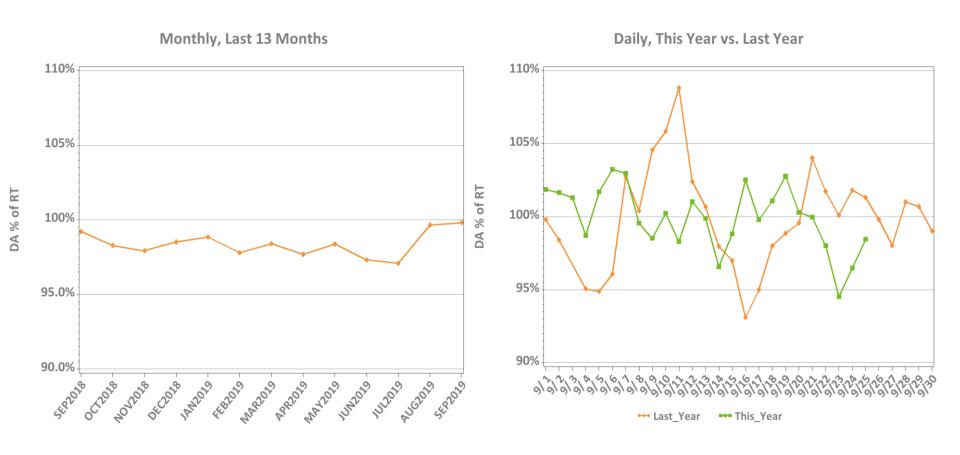


# DAM Volumes as % of RT Actual Load (Forecasted Peak Hour)



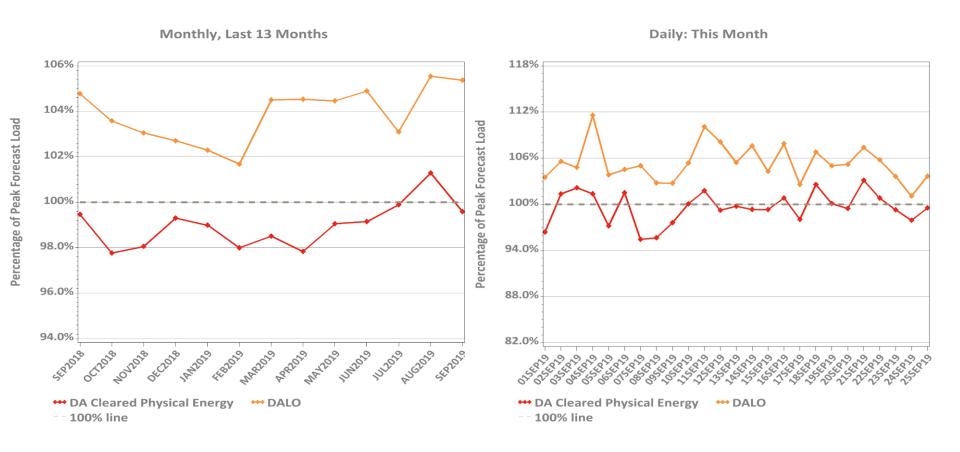
Note: Percentages were derived for the peak hour of each day (shown on right), then averaged over the month (shown on left). Values at hour of forecasted peak load. DA Bid categories reflect internal load asset bidding behavior (Virtual demand and export bid behavior not reflected).

### DA vs. RT Load Obligation: September, This Year vs. Last Year



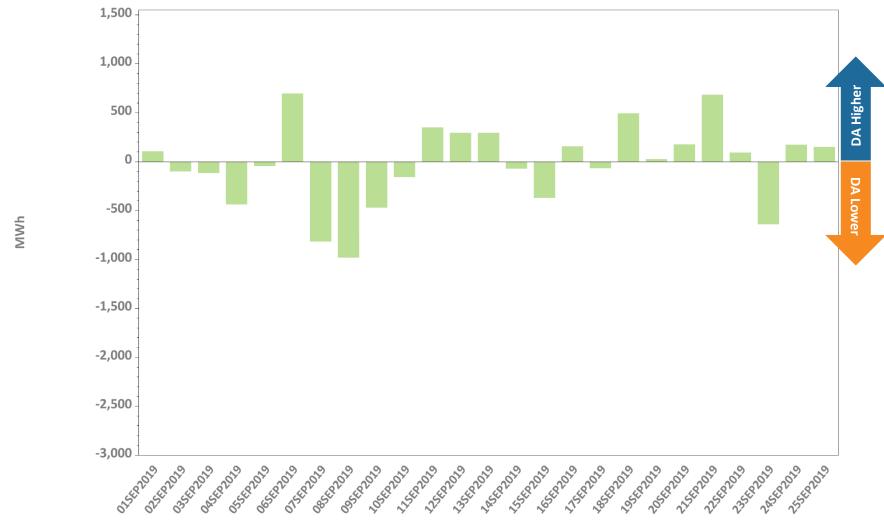
<sup>\*</sup>Hourly average values

#### DA Volumes as % of Forecast in Peak Hour



<sup>\*</sup> There were no supplemental commitments required for capacity during the Reserve Adequacy Assessment (RAA) during September.

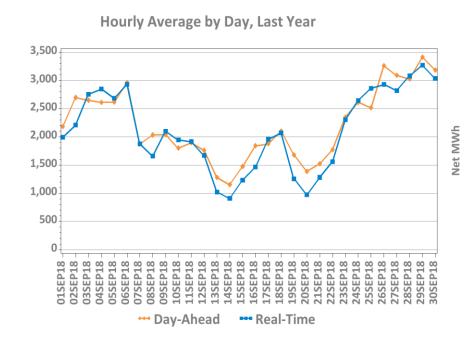
# DA Cleared Physical Energy Difference from RT System Load at Peak Hour\*

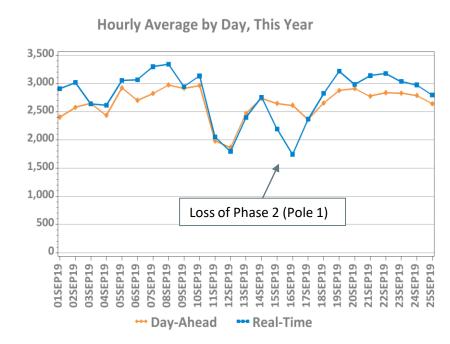


<sup>\*</sup>Negative values indicate DA Cleared Physical Energy value below its RT counterpart. Forecast peak hour reflected.

### MWh

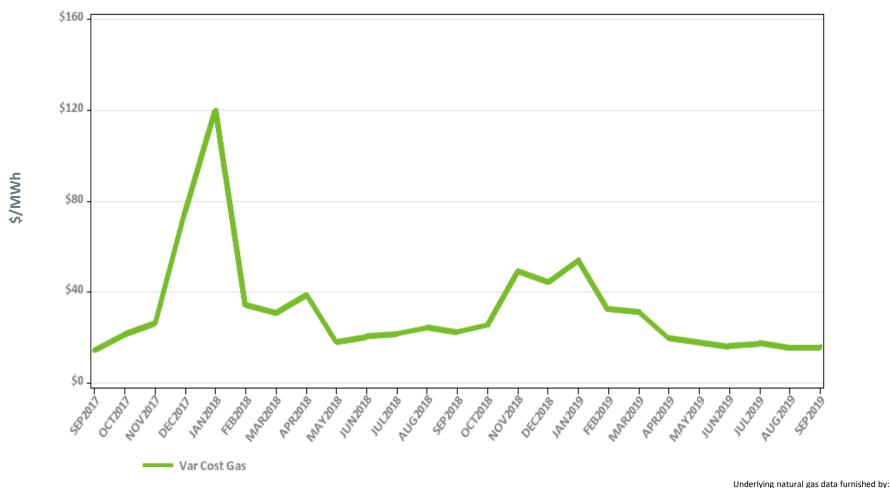
### DA vs. RT Net Interchange September 2019 vs. September 2018





Net Interchange is the sum of daily imports minus the sum of daily exports Positive values are net imports

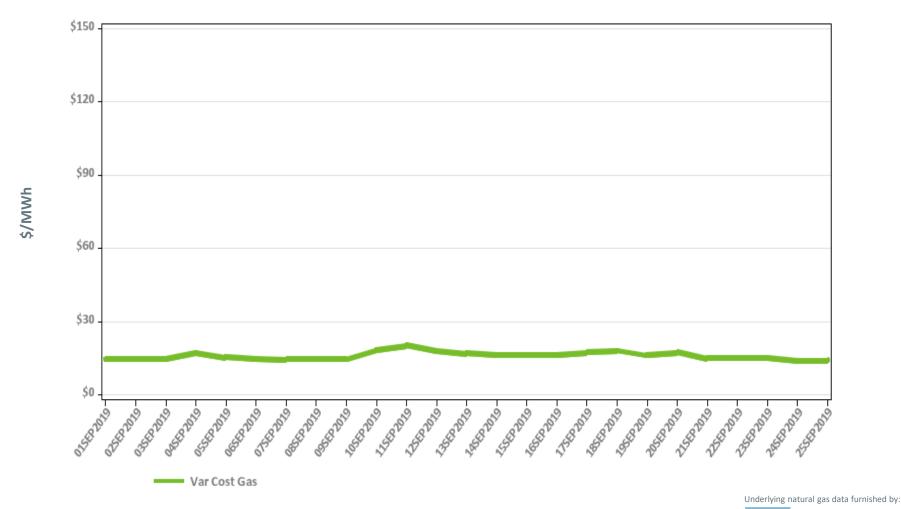
# Variable Production Cost of Natural Gas: Monthly



Note: Assumes proxy heat rate of 7,800,000 Btu/MWh for natural gas units.

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#### Variable Production Cost of Natural Gas: Daily

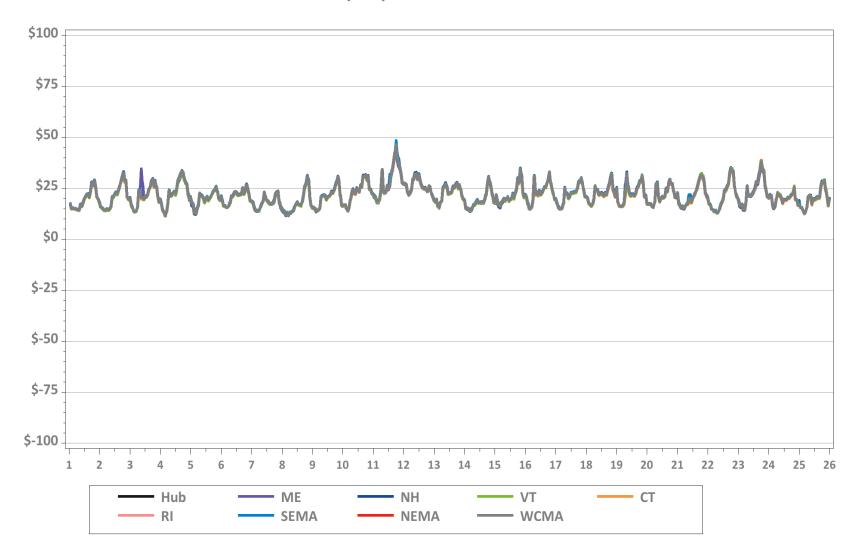


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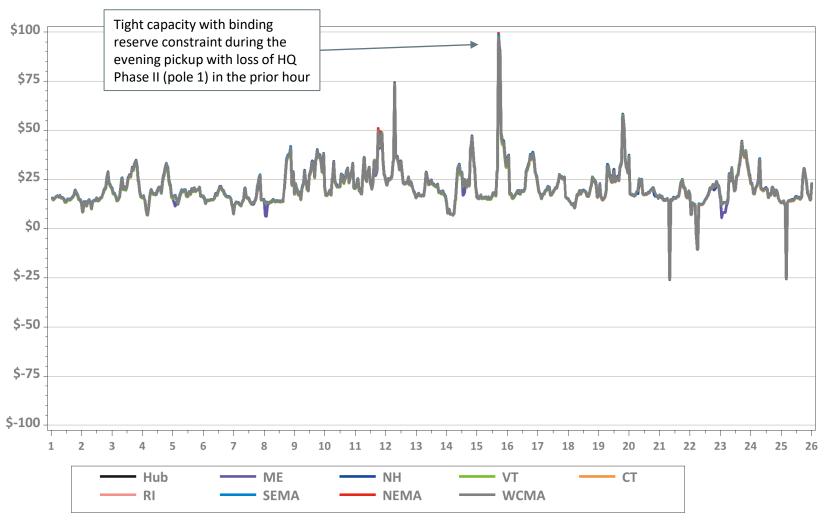
#### Hourly DA LMPs, September 1-25, 2019

**Hourly Day-Ahead LMPs** 



#### Hourly RT LMPs, September 1-25, 2019

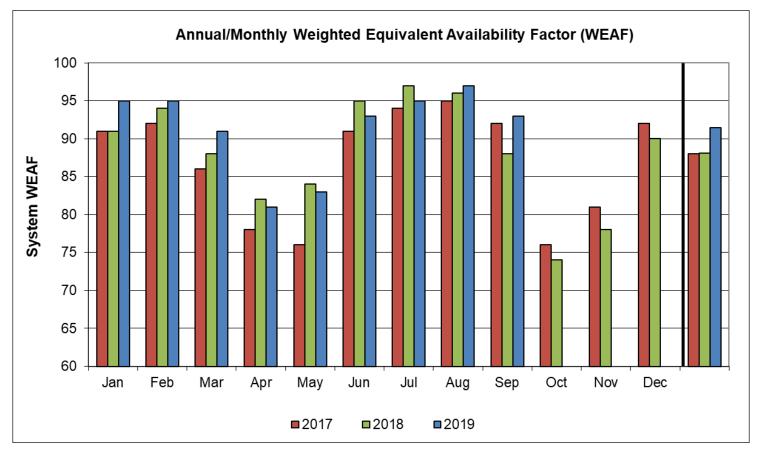




No Minimum Generation Emergencies were declared during September.

\$/MWh

#### **System Unit Availability**



	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	95	95	91	81	83	93	95	97	93				91
2018	91	94	88	82	84	95	97	96	88	74	78	90	88
2017	91	92	86	78	76	91	94	95	92	76	81	92	88

#### **BACK-UP DETAIL**

#### **DEMAND RESPONSE**

# Capacity Supply Obligation (CSO) MW by Demand Resource Type for October 2019

Load Zone	ADCR*	On Peak	Seasonal Peak	Total
Load Zone	ADCK	On Peak	reak	Total
ME	102.6	186.1	0.0	288.7
NH	28.6	107.9	0.0	136.5
VT	30.2	120.0	0.0	150.2
СТ	104.8	125.9	457.9	688.7
RI	20.4	230.0	0.0	250.4
SEMA	25.4	409.7	0.0	435.1
WCMA	57.7	412.3	49.6	519.7
NEMA	49.8	667.8	0.0	717.6
Total	419.6	2,259.7	507.5	3,186.9

<sup>\*</sup> Active Demand Capacity Resources

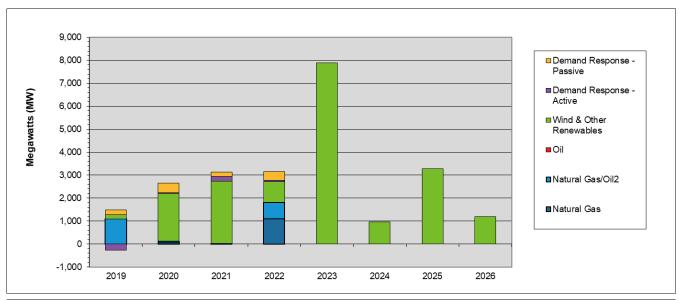
NOTE: CSO values include T&D loss factor (8%).

#### **NEW GENERATION**

### **New Generation Update Based on Queue as of 9/30/19**

- 2 projects totaling 1,220 MW applied for interconnection study since the last update
- 1 project withdrew, 2 went commercial and net decreases in project capacities resulted in a net increase in new generation projects of 940 MW
- In total, 183 generation projects are currently being tracked by the ISO, totaling approximately 21,140 MW

## Actual and Projected Annual Capacity Additions By Supply Fuel Type and Demand Resource Type



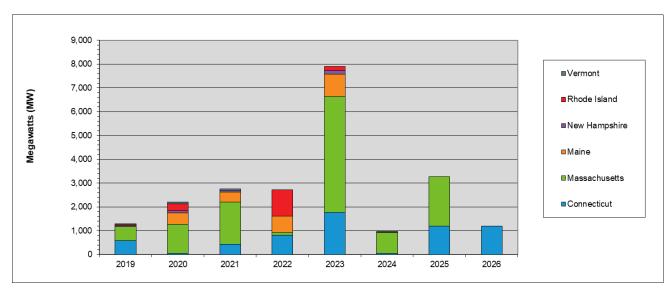
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total MW	% of Total <sup>1</sup>
Demand Response - Passive	212	422	184	380	0	0	0	0	1,199	5.1
Demand Response - Active	-270	42	204	62	0	0	0	0	39	0.2
Wind & Other Renewables	187	2,070	2,719	898	7,901	960	3,276	1,200	19,211	81.7
Oil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Natural Gas/Oil <sup>2</sup>	1,097	76	0	711	0	0	0	0	1,884	8.0
Natural Gas	0	49	25	1,103	0	0	0	0	1,177	5.0
Totals	1,227	2,660	3,132	3,154	7,901	960	3,276	1,200	23,510	100.0

<sup>1</sup> Sum may not equal 100% due to rounding

• DR reflects changes from the initial FCM Capacity Supply Obligations since 2010-11

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The projects in this category are dual fuel, with either gas or oil as the primary fuel

#### Actual and Projected Annual Generator Capacity Additions By State



	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total MW	% of Total <sup>1</sup>
Vermont	33	75	70	0	0	0	0	0	178	0.8
Rhode Island	50	282	0	1,103	356	0	0	0	1,791	8.5
New Hampshire	28	90	55	5	150	20	0	0	348	1.7
Maine	0	481	427	680	931	20	0	0	2,539	12.0
Massachusetts	592	1,212	1,770	116	4,704	880	2,076	0	11,350	53.9
Connecticut	581	55	422	808	1,760	40	1,200	1,200	4,866	23.1
Totals	1,284	2,195	2,744	2,712	7,901	960	3,276	1,200	21,072	100.0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sum may not equal 100% due to rounding

#### New Generation Projection By Fuel Type

	То		Gre	een	Yel	low
Fuel Type	No. of Projects	Capacity (MW)	No. of Projects	Capacity (MW)	No. of Projects	Capacity (MW)
Biomass/wood waste	1	37	0	0	1	37
Hydro	2	71	0	0	2	71
Landfill Gas	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Gas	7	1,240	0	0	7	1,240
Natural Gas/Oil	6	832	1	45	5	787
Oil	0	0	0	0	0	0
Solar	120	3,176	2	51	118	3,125
Wind	25	13,722	2	33	23	13,689
Battery storage	22	2,064	0	0	22	2,064
Total	183	21,142	5	129	178	21,013

- Projects in the Natural Gas/Oil category may have either gas or oil as the primary fuel
- •Green denotes projects with a high probability of going into service
- •Yellow denotes projects with a lower probability of going into service or new applications

## **New Generation Projection** *By Operating Type*

	То	tal	Gre	een	Yel	low
	No. of	Capacity	No. of	Capacity	No. of	Capacity
Operating Type	Projects	(MW)	Projects	(MW)	Projects	(MW)
Baseload	5	130	0	0	5	130
Intermediate	3	1,146	0	0	3	1,146
Peaker	150	6,144	3	96	147	6,048
Wind Turbine	25	13,722	2	33	23	13,689
Total	183	21,142	5	129	178	21,013

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## **New Generation Projection** *By Operating Type and Fuel Type*

	Total		Base	load	Interm	ediate	Pea	ker	Wind T	urbine
Fuel Type	No. of Projects	Capacity (MW)								
Biomass/wood waste	1	37	1	37	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hydro	2	71	1	5	0	0	1	66	0	0
Landfill Gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Natural Gas	7	1,240	3	88	3	1,146	1	6	0	0
Natural Gas/Oil	6	832	0	0	0	0	6	832	0	0
Oil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Solar	120	3,176	0	0	0	0	120	3,176	0	0
Wind	25	13,722	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	13,722
Battery storage	22	2,064	0	0	0	0	22	2,064	0	0
Total	183	21,142	5	130	3	1,146	150	6,144	25	13,722

<sup>•</sup> Projects in the Natural Gas/Oil category may have either gas or oil as the primary fuel

#### **FORWARD CAPACITY MARKET**

			Annual Bila ARA		AR	A 1	Annual Bila ARA		ARA	2	Annual Bi AR		ARA	3
Resource Type	Resource Type	*cso	cso	Change	cso	Change	CSO	Change	CSO	Change	cso	Change	cso	Change
		MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW
Demand	Active Demand	377.525	367.227	-10.298	464.715	97.488	460.55	-4.165	459.928	-0.622	457.966	-1.962	493.5	35.534
Demand	Passive Demand	2,368.631	2,366.783	-1.848	2,363.949	-2.834	2,363.789	-0.16	2,527.244	163.46	2,529.014	1.77	2594.08	65.066
Dema	and Total	2,746.156	2,734.01	-12.146	2,828.664	94.654	2,824.339	-4.325	2,987.172	162.83	2,986.98	-0.192	3,087.58	100.6
Generator	Non- Intermittent	30,520.433	30,462.67	-57.763	30,048.398	-414.272	30,103.684	55.286	30,093.142	-10.54	30,081.64	-11.502	30,146.76	65.115
	Intermittent	850.143	893.189	43.046	904.311	11.122	831.251	-73.06	798.958	-32.293	800.387	1.429	733.668	-66.719
Genera	ator Total	31,370.576	31,355.86	-14.716	30,952.709	-403.151	30,934.935	-17.774	30,892.1	-42.84	30,882.027	-10.073	30,880.42	-1.604
Impo	ort Total	1,449.8	1,449.8	0	1,451	1.2	1,451	0	1,451	0	1,459	8	1,428	-31
**Gra	and Total	35,566.532	35,539.668	-26.864	35,232.373	-307.295	35,210.274	-22.099	35,330.272	120.00	35,328.007	-2.265	35,396	67.996
Net IC	CR (NICR)	34,151	33,755	-396	33,755	0	33,407	-348	33,407	0	33,390	-17	33,390	0

<sup>\*</sup> Real-time Emergency Generators (RTEG) CSO not capped at 600.000 MW

<sup>\*\*</sup> Grand Total reflects both CSO Grand Total and the net total of the Change Column.

			FCA	AR	A 1	AR	A 2	AR	A 3
Resource Type	Resource Type Resource Type		*cso	cso	Change	cso	Change	cso	Change
			MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW
Demand	Active I	Demand	419.928	441.221	21.293	594.551	153.33		
Demand	Passive	Demand	2,791.02	2,835.354	44.334	2,883.767	48.413		
	Demand Total		3,210.95	3,276.575	65.625	3,478.318	201.743		
Gene	erator	Non-Intermittent	30,494.80	30,064.23	-430.569	30,159.891	95.661		
		Intermittent	894.217	823.796	-70.421	809.571	-14.225		
	Generator Total		31,389.02	30,888.03	-500.993	30,969.462	81.432		
	Import Total		1,235.40	1,622.037	386.637	1,609.844	-12.193		
	**Grand Total			35,786.64	-48.731	36,057.624	270.984		
	Net ICR (NICR)			33,660	-415	33,520	-140		

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Grand Total reflects both CSO Grand Total and the net total of the Change Column.

			FCA	AR	A 1	AR	A 2	AR	A 3
Resource Type	Resource Type Resource Type		*cso	CSO	Change	CSO	Change	cso	Change
			MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW
Demand	Active I	Demand	624.445	659.137	34.692				
Demand	Passive	Demand	2,975.36	3,045.073	69.713				
	Demand Total		3,599.81	3,704.21	104.4				
Gene	rator	Non-Intermittent	29,130.75	29,244.404	113.654				
		Intermittent	880.317	806.609	-73.708				
	Generator Total		30,011.07	30,051.013	39.943				
	Import Total		1,217	1,305.487	88.487				
	**Grand Total			35,060.710	232.83				
	Net ICR (NICR)			33,550	-175				

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Grand Total reflects both CSO Grand Total and the net total of the Change Column.

			FCA	AR	A 1	AR	A 2	AR	A 3
Resource Type	Resource Type Resource Type		*cso	CSO	Change	cso	Change	cso	Change
			MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW	MW
Demand	Active Demand		685.554						
Demand	Passive	Demand	3,354.69						
	Demand Total		4,040.244						
Gene	rator	Non-Intermittent	28,586.498						
		Intermittent	1,024.792						
	Generator Total		2,9611.29						
	Import Total								
	**Grand Total								
	Net ICR (NICR)								

<sup>\*</sup> Real-time Emergency Generators (RTEG) CSO not capped at 600.000 MW

<sup>\*\*</sup> Grand Total reflects both CSO Grand Total and the net total of the Change Column.

#### **Active/Passive Demand Response**

#### **CSO Totals by Commitment Period**

Commitment Period	Active/ Passive	Existing	New	Grand Total
	Active	1,246.40	603.675	1,850.07
2010-11	Passive	119.211	584.277	703.488
	Grand Total	1365.61	1187.952	2553.562
	Active	1,768.39	184.99	1,953.38
2011-12	Passive	719.98	263.25	983.23
	Grand Total	2488.372	448.24	2936.612
	Active	1,726.55	98.227	1,824.78
2012-13	Passive	861.602	211.261	1,072.86
	Grand Total	2588.15	309.488	2897.638
	Active	1,794.20	257.341	2,051.54
2013-14	Passive	1,040.11	257.793	1,297.91
	Grand Total	2834.308	515.134	3349.442
	Active	2,062.20	41.945	2,104.14
2014-15	Passive	1,264.64	221.072	1,485.71
	Grand Total	3326.837	263.017	3589.854
	Active	1,935.41	66.104	2,001.51
2015-16	Passive	1,395.89	247.449	1,643.33
	Grand Total	3331.291	313.553	3644.844
	Active	1,116.47	0.23	1,116.70
2016-17	Passive	1,386.56	244.775	1,631.34
	Grand Total	2503.028	245.005	2748.033
	Active	1,066.59	13.486	1,080.08
2017-18	Passive	1,619.15	341.37	1,960.52
	Grand Total	2685.74	354.856	3040.596
	Active	565.866	81.394	647.26
2018-19	Passive	1,870.55	285.602	2,156.15
	Grand Total	2436.415	366.996	2803.411
	Active	357.221	20.304	377.525
2019-20	Passive	2,018.20	350.43	2,368.63
	Grand Total	2375.422	370.734	2746.156
	Active	334.634	85.294	419.928
2020-21	Passive	2,236.73	554.292	2,791.02
	Grand Total	2571.361	639.586	3210.947
	Active	480.941	143.504	624.445
2021-22	Passive	2,604.79	370.568	2,975.36
	Grand Total	3085.734	514.072	3599.806
	Active	598.376	87.178	685.554
2022-23	Passive	2,788.33	566.363	3,354.69
	Grand Total	3386.703	653.541	4040.244

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# RELIABILITY COSTS – NET COMMITMENT PERIOD COMPENSATION (NCPC) OPERATING COSTS

#### What are Daily NCPC Payments?

- Payments made to resources whose commitment and dispatch by ISO-NE resulted in a shortfall between the resource's offered value in the Energy and Regulation Markets and the revenue earned from output during the day
- Typically, this is the result of some out-of-merit operation of resources occurring in order to protect the overall resource adequacy and transmission security of specific locations or of the entire control area
- NCPC payments are intended to make a resource that follows the ISO's operating instructions "no worse off" financially than the best alternative generation schedule

#### **Definitions**

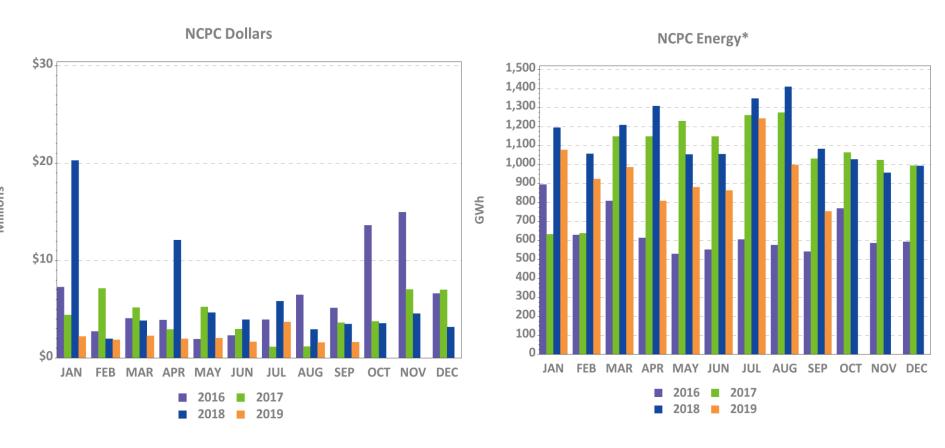
1 <sup>st</sup> Contingency NCPC Payments	Reliability costs paid to eligible resources that are providing first contingency (1stC) protection (including low voltage, system operating reserve, and load serving) either system-wide or locally	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Contingency NCPC Payments	Reliability costs paid to resources providing capacity in constrained areas to respond to a local second contingency. They are committed based on 2 <sup>nd</sup> Contingency (2ndC) protocols, and are also known as Local Second Contingency Protection Resources (LSCPR)	
Voltage NCPC Payments	Reliability costs paid to resources operated by ISO-NE to provide voltage support or control in specific locations	
Distribution NCPC Payments	Reliability costs paid to units dispatched at the request of local transmission providers for purpose of managing constraints on the low voltage (distribution) system. These requirements are not modeled in the DA Market software	
OATT	Open Access Transmission Tariff	

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#### **Charge Allocation Key**

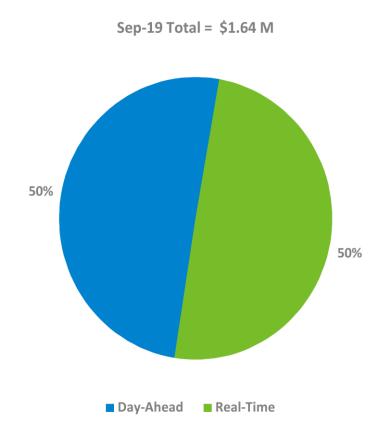
Allocation Category	Market / OATT	Allocation
System 1 <sup>st</sup> Contingency	Market	DA 1 <sup>st</sup> C (excluding at external nodes) is allocated to system DALO. RT 1 <sup>st</sup> C (at all locations) is allocated to System 'Daily Deviations'. Daily Deviations = sum of(generator deviations, load deviations, generation obligation deviations at external nodes, increment offer deviations)
External DA 1 <sup>st</sup> Contingency	Market	DA 1 <sup>st</sup> C at external nodes (from imports, exports, Incs and Decs) are allocated to activity at the specific external node or interface involved
Zonal 2 <sup>nd</sup> Contingency	Market	DA and RT 2 <sup>nd</sup> C NCPC are allocated to load obligation in the Reliability Region (zone) served
System Low Voltage	OATT	(Low) Voltage Support NCPC is allocated to system Regional Network Load and Open Access Same-Time Information Service (OASIS) reservations
Zonal High Voltage	OATT	High Voltage Control NCPC is allocated to zonal Regional Network Load
Distribution - PTO	OATT	Distribution NCPC is allocated to the specific Participant Transmission Owner (PTO) requesting the service
System – Other	Market	Includes GPA, Economic Generator/DARD Posturing, Dispatch Lost Opportunity Cost (DLOC), and Rapid Response Pricing (RRP) Opportunity Cost NCPC (allocated to RTLO); and Min Generation Emergency NCPC (allocated to RTGO).

#### **Year-Over-Year Total NCPC Dollars and Energy**



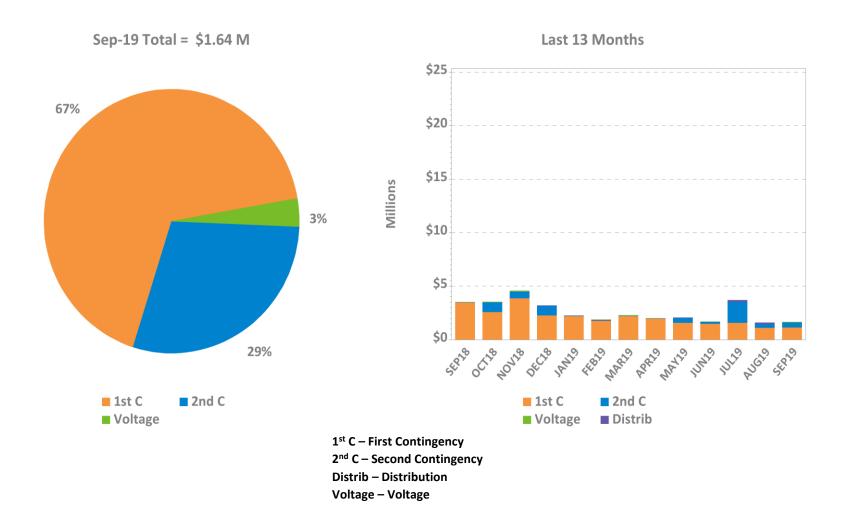
<sup>\*</sup> NCPC Energy GWh reflect the DA and/or RT economic minimum loadings of all units receiving DA or RT NCPC credits (except for DLOC, RRP, or posturing NCPC), assessed during hours in which they are NCPC-eligible. Scheduled MW for external transactions receiving NCPC are also reflected. All NCPC components (1st Contingency, 2nd Contingency, Voltage, and RT Distribution) are reflected.

#### **DA and RT NCPC Charges**

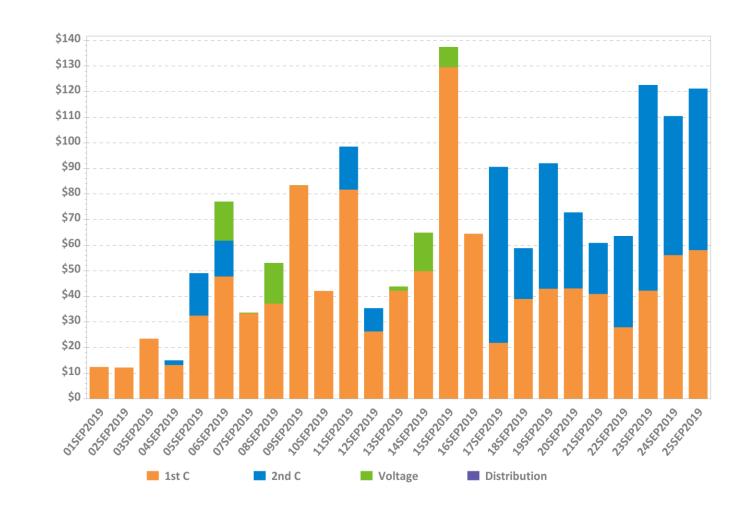




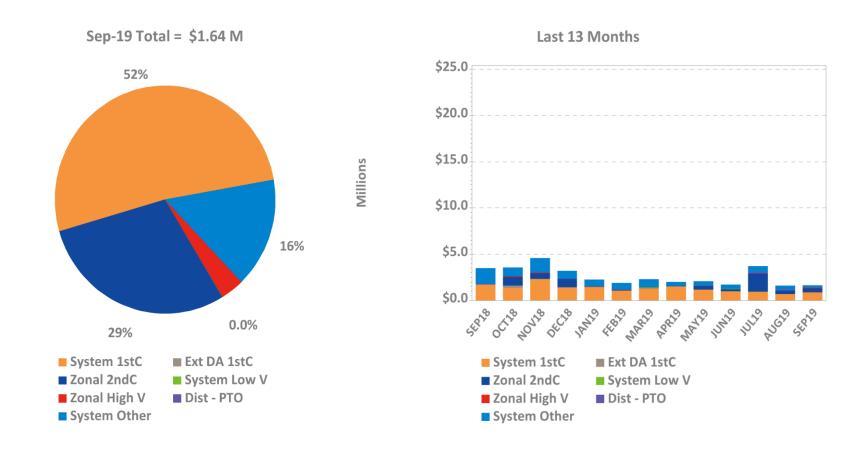
#### **NCPC Charges by Type**



#### **Daily NCPC Charges by Type**

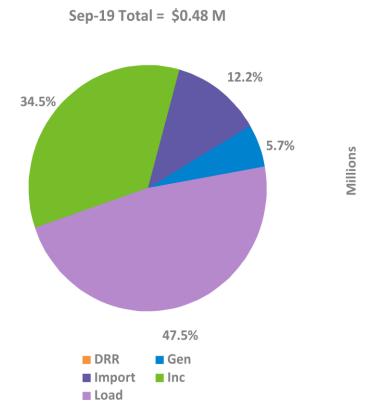


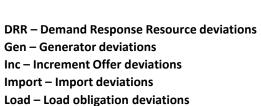
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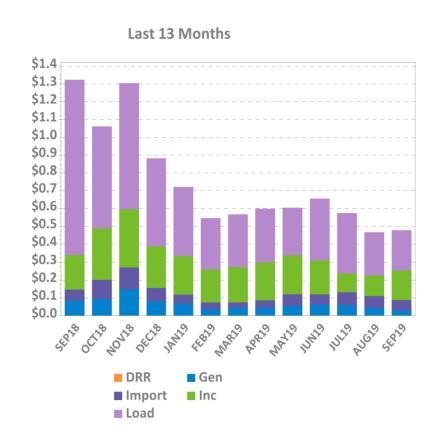


Note: 'System Other' includes, as applicable: Resource Economic Posturing, GPA, Min Gen Emergency, Dispatch Lost Opportunity Cost (DLOC), and Rapid Response Pricing (RRP) Opportunity Cost credits.

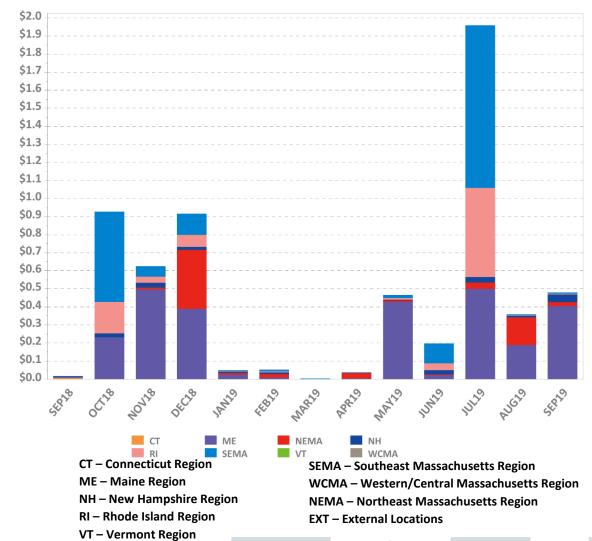
#### RT First Contingency Charges by Deviation Type



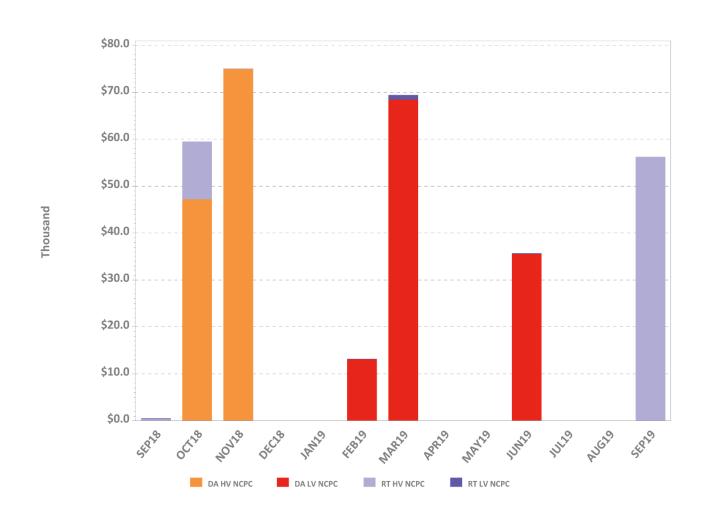




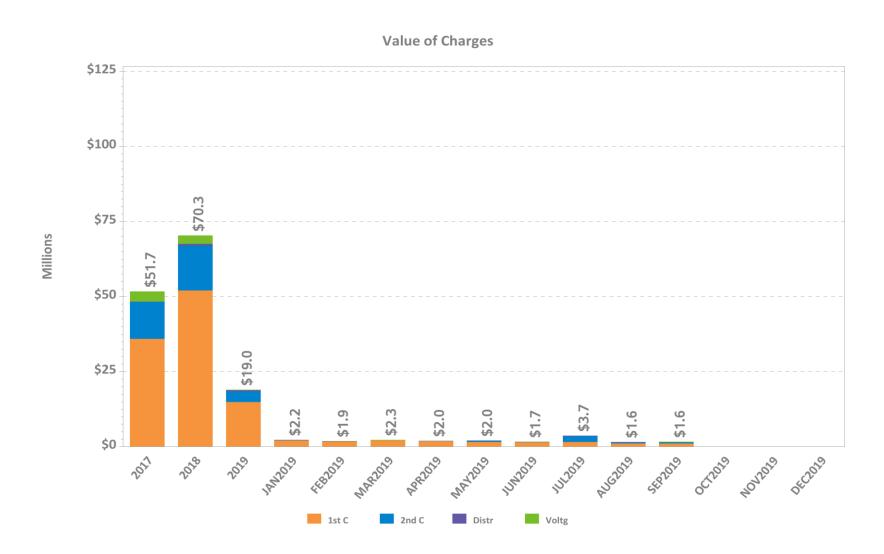
#### **LSCPR Charges by Reliability Region**



## NCPC Charges for Voltage Support and High Voltage Control

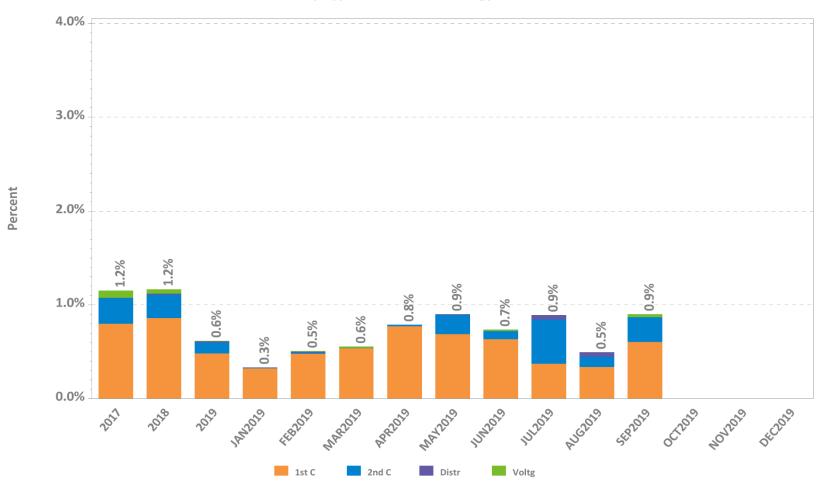


#### **NCPC Charges by Type**

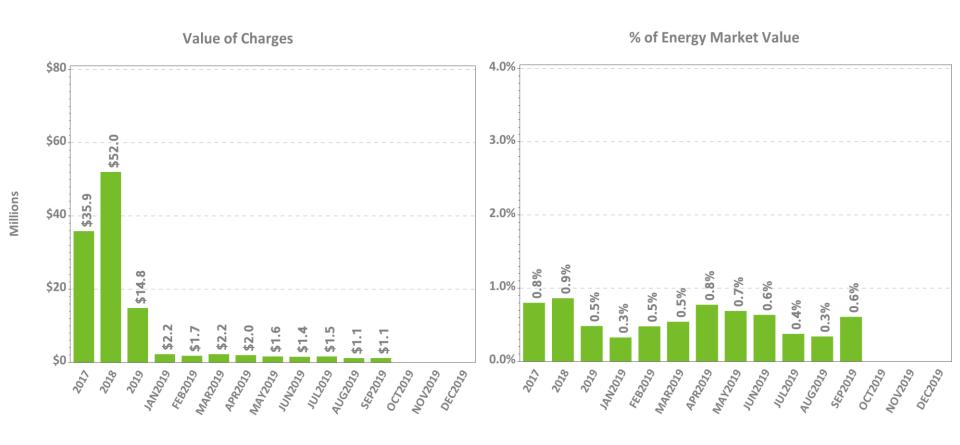


#### NCPC Charges as Percent of Energy Market



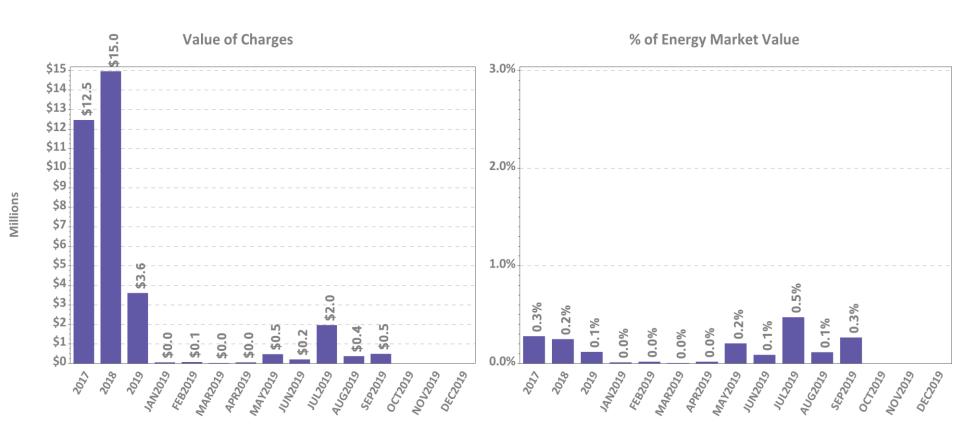


#### **First Contingency NCPC Charges**



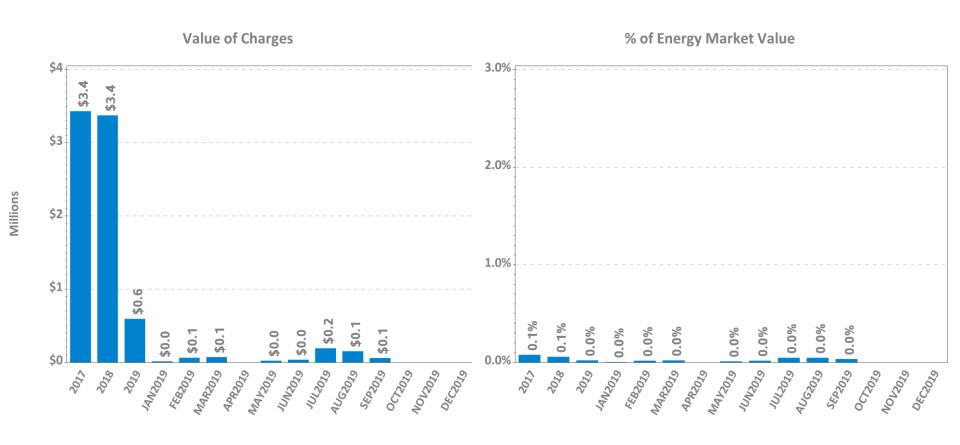
Note: Energy Market value is the hourly locational product of load obligation and price in the DA Market plus the hourly locational product of price and RT Load Obligation Deviation in the RT Market

### **Second Contingency NCPC Charges**



Note: Energy Market value is the hourly locational product of load obligation and price in the DA Market plus the hourly locational product of price and RT Load Obligation Deviation in the RT Market

### **Voltage and Distribution NCPC Charges**



Note: Energy Market value is the hourly locational product of load obligation and price in the DA Market plus the hourly locational product of price and RT Load Obligation Deviation in the RT Market

### DA vs. RT Pricing

#### The following slides outline:

- This month vs. prior year's average LMPs and fuel costs
- Reserve Market results
- DA cleared load vs. RT load
- Zonal and total incs and decs
- Self-schedules
- DA vs. RT net interchange

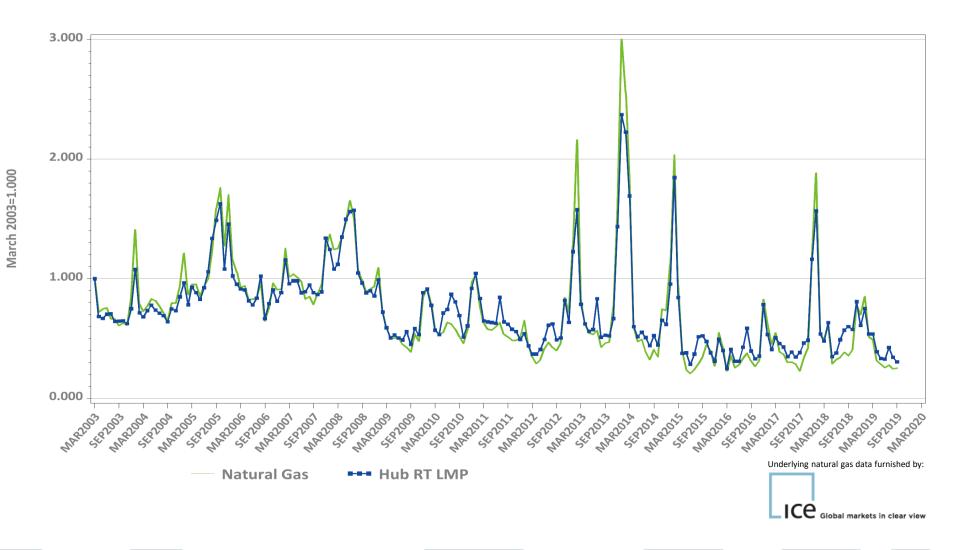
## DA vs. RT LMPs (\$/MWh)

#### **Arithmetic Average**

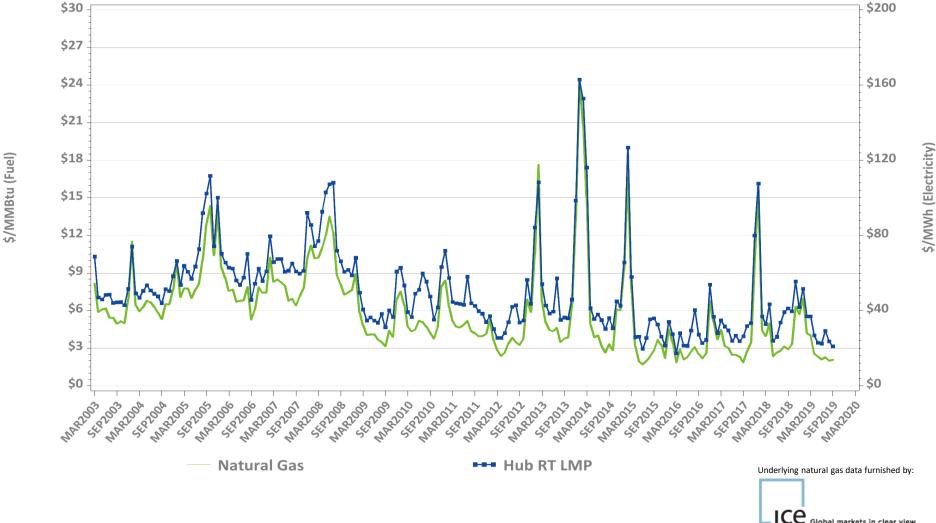
Year 2017	NEMA	СТ	ME	NH	VT	RI	SEMA	WCMA	Hub
Day-Ahead	\$33.46	\$33.35	\$32.50	\$33.13	\$33.05	\$33.13	\$33.27	\$33.43	\$33.35
Real-Time	\$34.76	\$33.93	\$31.39	\$32.78	\$33.02	\$33.78	\$33.98	\$33.97	\$33.94
RT Delta %	3.9%	1.7%	-3.4%	-1.0%	-0.1%	2.0%	2.1%	1.6%	1.7%
Year 2018	NEMA	СТ	ME	NH	VT	RI	SEMA	WCMA	Hub
Day-Ahead	\$44.45	\$43.60	\$42.63	\$44.04	\$43.71	\$44.11	\$44.62	\$44.19	\$44.13
Real-Time	\$43.87	\$43.13	\$41.03	\$43.17	\$42.83	\$43.37	\$43.68	\$43.58	\$43.54
RT Delta %	-1.3%	-1.1%	-3.8%	-2.0%	-2.0%	-1.7%	-2.1%	-1.4%	-1.3%

September-18	NEMA	СТ	ME	NH	VT	RI	SEMA	WCMA	Hub
Day-Ahead	\$34.15	\$33.33	\$33.24	\$34.12	\$33.72	\$34.12	\$35.95	\$33.94	\$33.89
Real-Time	\$41.50	\$40.75	\$40.52	\$41.55	\$40.96	\$40.83	\$41.22	\$41.25	\$41.17
RT Delta %	21.5%	22.3%	21.9%	21.8%	21.5%	19.7%	14.6%	21.5%	21.5%
September-19	NEMA	СТ	ME	NH	VT	RI	SEMA	WCMA	Hub
Day-Ahead	\$22.00	\$21.36	\$21.59	\$21.94	\$21.55	\$21.70	\$21.99	\$21.78	\$21.77
Real-Time	\$21.20	\$20.72	\$20.76	\$21.11	\$20.75	\$20.90	\$21.13	\$20.98	\$20.97
RT Delta %	-3.6%	-3.0%	-3.9%	-3.8%	-3.7%	-3.7%	-3.9%	-3.7%	-3.7%
Annual Diff.	NEMA	СТ	ME	NH	VT	RI	SEMA	WCMA	Hub
Yr over Yr DA	-35.6%	-35.9%	-35.0%	-35.7%	-36.1%	-36.4%	-38.8%	-35.8%	-35.8%
Yr over Yr RT	-48.9%	-49.1%	-48.8%	-49.2%	-49.3%	-48.8%	-48.7%	-49.1%	-49.1%

# Monthly Average Fuel Price and RT Hub LMP Indexes



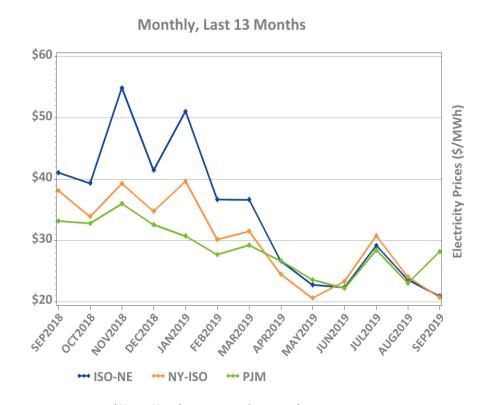
### Monthly Average Fuel Price and RT Hub LMP



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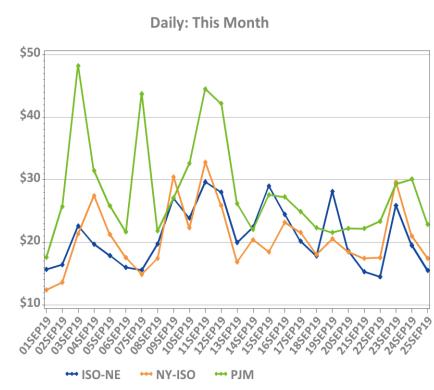
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## New England, NY, and PJM Hourly Average Real Time Prices by Month



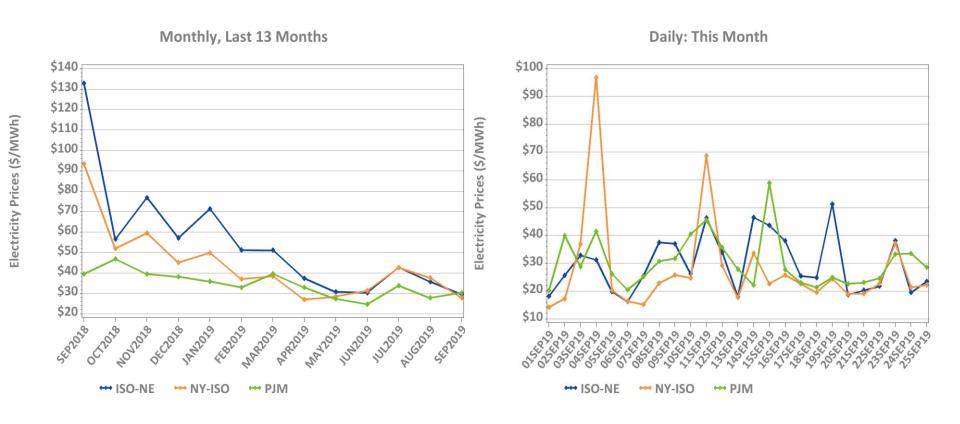
Electricity Prices (\$/MWh)





\*Note: Hourly average prices are shown.

# New England, NY, and PJM Average Peak Hour Real Time Prices



<sup>\*</sup>Forecasted New England daily peak hours reflected

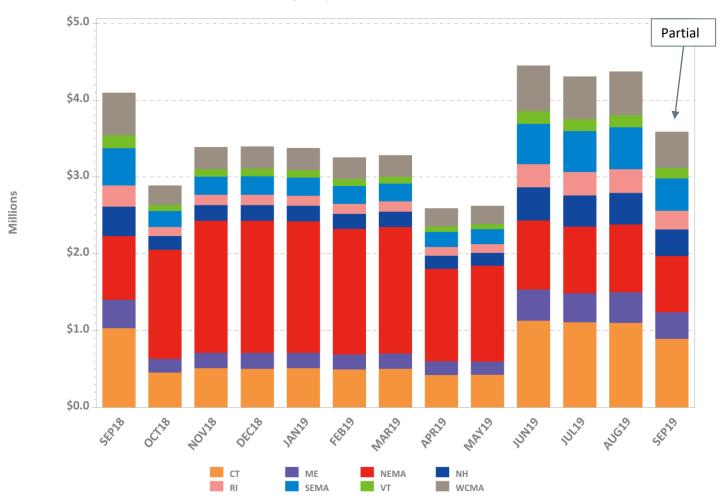
### Reserve Market Results – September 2019

- Maximum potential Forward Reserve Market payments of \$3.9M were reduced by credit reductions of \$111K, failure-to-reserve penalties of \$167K and no failure-to-activate penalties, resulting in a net payout of \$3.6M or 93% of maximum
  - Rest of System: \$2.68M/2.87M (93%)
  - Southwest Connecticut: \$0.3M/0.31M (96%)
  - Connecticut: \$0.61M/0.68M (90%)
- \$506K total Real-Time credits were not reduced by any Forward Reserve Energy Obligation Charges for a net of \$506K in Real-Time Reserve payments
  - Rest of System: 189 hours, \$383K
  - Southwest Connecticut: 189 hours, \$50K
  - Connecticut: 189 hours, \$53K
  - NEMA: 189 hours, \$21K

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;Failure to reserve" results in both credit reductions and penalties in the Locational Forward Reserve Market.

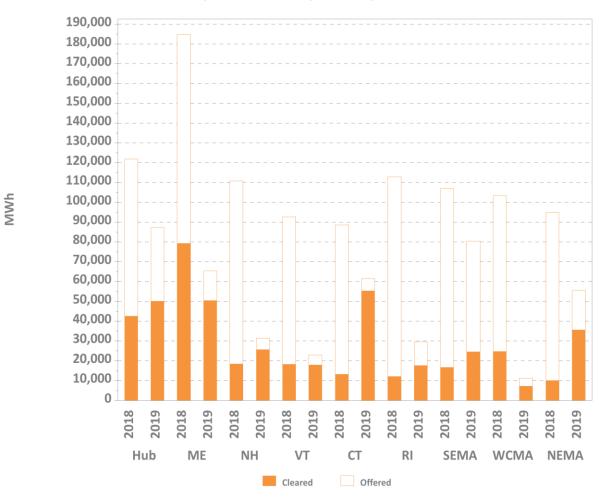
### LFRM Charges to Load by Load Zone (\$)

LFRM Charges by Zone, Last 13 Months



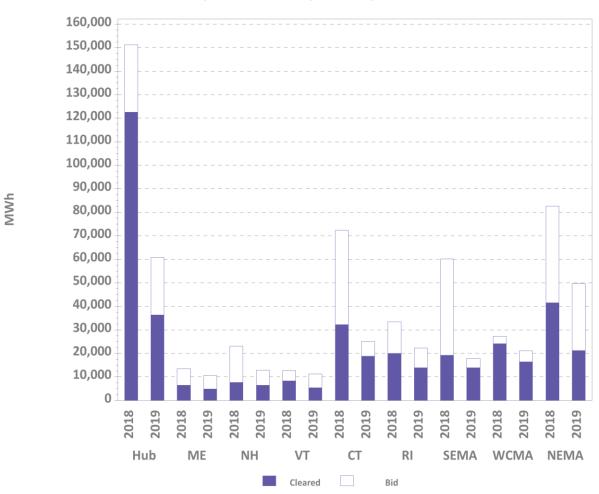
### **Zonal Increment Offers and Cleared Amounts**





### **Zonal Decrement Bids and Cleared Amounts**





### **Total Increment Offers and Decrement Bids**

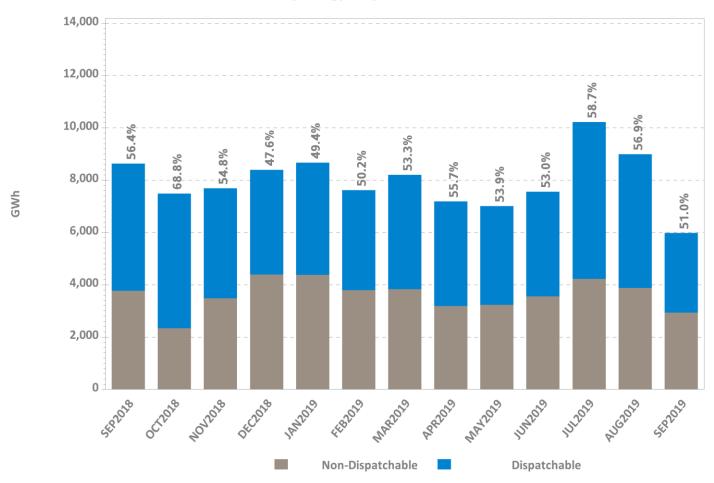


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Data excludes nodal offers and bids

### Dispatchable vs. Non-Dispatchable Generation





<sup>\*</sup> Dispatchable MWh here are defined to be all generation output that is not self-committed ('must run') by the customer.

## **REGIONAL SYSTEM PLAN (RSP)**

### **2019 Regional System Plan**

- The final version of RSP19 is under ISO Board review, with a decision expected by early November
  - The final draft reflects minor revisions to the Public Meeting version
  - Report will be posted to the ISO-NE website upon ISO Board approval

### **Planning Advisory Committee (PAC)**

- October 24 PAC Meeting Agenda Topics\*
  - NH 2029 Needs Assessment Results
  - Regional System Plan Transmission Projects and Asset Condition October 2019 Update
  - NPCC Directory 1 Project Updates
  - Transmission Owners Local System Plan Presentations

<sup>\*</sup> Agenda topics are subject to change. Visit https://www.iso-ne.com/committees/planning/planning-advisory for the latest PAC agendas.

#### **Economic Studies**

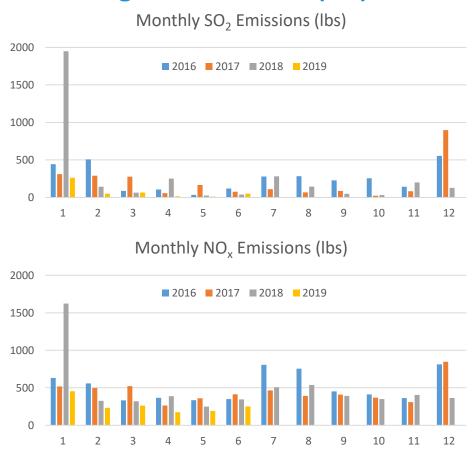
- Three economic study requests were introduced at the April 25 PAC meeting
  - Study requests were submitted by Anbaric, NESCOE, and RENEW Northeast
- Detailed assumptions for each study request were discussed at the August 8 PAC meeting
- The ISO will attempt to complete all analyses for all three requests by Q2 of 2020
  - Preliminary results expected by Q4 of 2019

# **Environmental Matters – Monthly System Emissions**

## Monthly CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Trending Lower in 2019

### Monthly CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions (Million Short Tons) 4.00 **■** 2016 **■** 2017 **■** 2018 **■** 2019 3.50 3.00 2.50 2.00 1.50 1.00 0.50 0.00

# Monthly SO<sub>2</sub> & NOx Emissions Trending Lower in 2019 (lbs)



# Environmental Matters – MA CO<sub>2</sub> Generator Emissions Cap Update (310 CMR 7.74)

Massachusetts Global Warming Solutions Act (GWSA)

# Estimated 2019 Monthly Emissions Trend Lower under GWSA CO<sub>2</sub> Cap

- 2019 cap set at 8.73 million metric tons (MMT)
  - 2018 emissions: 7.56 MMT
- Estimated 2019 monthly emissions range (metric tons):

- Jan 2019: 545,228 - 635,949

- Feb 2019: 429,523 - 505,696

- Mar 2019: 345,470 - 473,633

- Apr 2019: 224,138 - 257,386

- May 2019: 264,374 - 329,763

- Jun 2019: 336,584 - 407,926

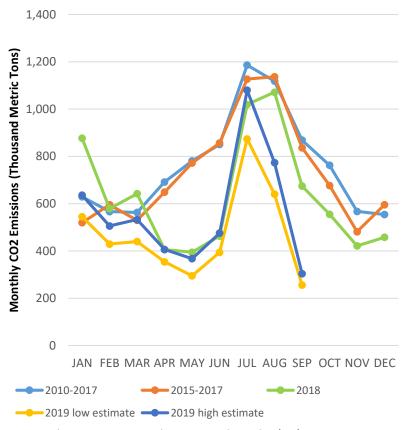
- Jul 2019: 616,343 - 747,649

- Aug 2019: 525,494 - 634,284

- Sep 2019: 256,214 - 304,322\*

– YTD 2019: 4.2 MMT – 5.1 MMT

# **GWSA Monthly CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions** (Thousand Metric Tons)



September 2019 estimated emissions through 9/22/19

<sup>\*</sup> September 2019 estimated emissions through 9/22/19

### **RSP Project Stage Descriptions**

Stage	Description
1	Planning and Preparation of Project Configuration
2	Pre-construction (e.g., material ordering, project scheduling)
3	Construction in Progress
4	In Service

Note: The listings in this section focus on major transmission line construction and rebuilding.

### New Hampshire/Vermont 10-Year Upgrades

Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses Needs in New Hampshire and Vermont

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Eagle Substation Add: 345/115 kV autotransformer	Dec-16	4
Littleton Substation Add: Second 230/115 kV autotransformer	Oct-14	4
New C-203 230 kV line tap to Littleton NH Substation	Nov-14	4
New 115 kV overhead line, Fitzwilliam-Monadnock	Feb-17	4
New 115 kV overhead line, Scobie Pond-Huse Road	Dec-15	4
New 115 kV overhead/submarine line, Madbury-Portsmouth	May-20	3
New 115 kV overhead line, Scobie Pond-Chester	Dec-15	4

### New Hampshire/Vermont 10-Year Upgrades, cont.

Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses Needs in New Hampshire and Vermont

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Saco Valley Substation - Add two 25 MVAR dynamic reactive devices	Aug-16	4
Rebuild 115 kV line K165, W157 tap Eagle-Power Street	May-15	4
Rebuild 115 kV line H137, Merrimack-Garvins	Jun-13	4
Rebuild 115 kV line D118, Deerfield-Pine Hill	Nov-14	4
Oak Hill Substation - Loop in 115 kV line V182, Garvins-Webster	Dec-14	4
Uprate 115 kV line G146, Garvins-Deerfield	Mar-15	4
Uprate 115 kV line P145, Oak Hill-Merrimack	May-14	4

### New Hampshire/Vermont 10-Year Upgrades, cont.

Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses Needs in New Hampshire and Vermont

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Upgrade 115 kV line H141, Chester-Great Bay	Nov-14	4
Upgrade 115 kV line R193, Scobie Pond-Kingston Tap	Dec-14	4
Upgrade 115 kV line T198, Keene-Monadnock	Nov-13	4
Upgrade 345 kV line 326, Scobie Pond-NH/MA Border	Dec-13	4
Upgrade 115 kV line J114-2, Greggs - Rimmon	Dec-13	4
Upgrade 345 kV line 381, between MA/NH border and NH/VT border	Jun-13	4

# **Greater Hartford and Central Connecticut (GHCC) Projects\***Status as of 9/30/19

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Add a 2nd 345/115 kV autotransformer at Haddam substation and reconfigure the 3-terminal 345 kV 348 line into two 2-terminal lines	Apr-17	4
Terminal equipment upgrades on the 345 kV line between Haddam Neck and Beseck (362)	Feb-17	4
Redesign the Green Hill 115 kV substation from a straight bus to a ring bus and add two 115 kV 25.2 MVAR capacitor banks	Jun-18	4
Add a 37.8 MVAR capacitor bank at the Hopewell 115 kV substation	Dec-15	4
Separation of 115 kV double circuit towers corresponding to the Branford – Branford RR line (1537) and the Branford to North Haven (1655) line and adding a 115 kV breaker at Branford 115 kV substation	Mar-17	4
Increase the size of the existing 115 kV capacitor bank at Branford Substation from 37.8 to 50.4 MVAR	Jan-17	4
Separation of 115 kV double circuit towers corresponding to the Middletown – Pratt and Whitney line (1572) and the Middletown to Haddam (1620) line	Dec-16	4

<sup>\*</sup> Replaces the NEEWS Central Connecticut Reliability Project

#### **Greater Hartford and Central Connecticut Projects, cont.\***

Status as of 9/30/19

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Terminal equipment upgrades on the 115 kV line from Middletown to Dooley (1050)	Jun-15	4
Terminal equipment upgrades on the 115 kV line from Middletown to Portland (1443)	Jun-15	4
Add a 3.7 mile 115 kV hybrid overhead/underground line from Newington to Southwest Hartford and associated terminal equipment including a 1.4% series reactor	Jun-20	3
Add a 115 kV 25.2 MVAR capacitor at Westside 115 kV substation	Jun-18	4
Loop the 1779 line between South Meadow and Bloomfield into the Rood Avenue substation and reconfigure the Rood Avenue substation	May-17	4
Reconfigure the Berlin 115 kV substation including two new 115 kV breakers and the relocation of a capacitor bank	Nov-17	4
Reconductor the 115 kV line between Newington and Newington Tap (1783)	Jun-20	3

<sup>\*</sup> Replaces the NEEWS Central Connecticut Reliability Project

### **Greater Hartford and Central Connecticut Projects, cont.\***

Status as of 9/30/19

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Separation of 115 kV DCT corresponding to the Bloomfield to South Meadow (1779) line and the Bloomfield to North Bloomfield (1777) line and add a breaker at Bloomfield 115 kV substation	Dec-17	4
Separation of 115 kV DCT corresponding to the Bloomfield to North Bloomfield (1777) line and the North Bloomfield – Rood Avenue – Northwest Hartford (1751) line and add a breaker at North Bloomfield 115 kV substation	Dec-17	4
Install a 115 kV 3% reactor on the 115 kV line between South Meadow and Southwest Hartford (1704)	Jun-20	3
Replace the existing 3% series reactors on the 115 kV lines between Southington and Todd (1910) and between Southington and Canal (1950) with a 5% series reactors	Dec-18	4
Replace the normally open 19T breaker at Southington 115 kV with a normally closed 3% series reactor	Jun-19	4
Add a 345 kV breaker in series with breaker 5T at Southington	May-17	4

<sup>\*</sup> Replaces the NEEWS Central Connecticut Reliability Project

### **Greater Hartford and Central Connecticut Projects, cont.\***

Status as of 9/30/19

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Add a new control house at Southington 115 kV substation	Dec-18	4
Add a new 115 kV line from Frost Bridge to Campville	Dec-17	4
Separation of 115 kV DCT corresponding to the Frost Bridge to Campville (1191) line and the Thomaston to Campville (1921) line and add a breaker at Campville 115 kV substation	Jun-18	4
Upgrade the 115 kV line between Southington and Lake Avenue Junction (1810-1)	Dec-16	4
Add a new 345/115 kV autotransformer at Barbour Hill substation	Dec-15	4
Add a 345 kV breaker in series with breaker 24T at the Manchester 345 kV substation	Dec-15	4
Reconductor the 115 kV line between Manchester and Barbour Hill (1763)	Apr-16	4

<sup>\*</sup> Replaces the NEEWS Central Connecticut Reliability Project

### **Southwest Connecticut (SWCT) Projects**

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the four study sub-areas of Frost

Bridge/Naugatuck Valley, Housatonic Valley/Plumtree - Norwalk, Bridgeport,

*New Haven – Southington and improves system reliability* 

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Add a 25.2 MVAR capacitor bank at the Oxford substation	Mar-16	4
Add 2 x 25 MVAR capacitor banks at the Ansonia substation	Oct-18	4
Close the normally open 115 kV 2T circuit breaker at Baldwin substation	Sep-17	4
Reconductor the 115 kV line between Bunker Hill and Baldwin Junction (1575)	Dec-16	4
Expand Pootatuck (formerly known as Shelton) substation to 4-		
breaker ring bus configuration and add a 30 MVAR capacitor bank at	Jul-18	4
Pootatuck		
Loop the 1570 line in and out the Pootatuck substation	Jul-18	4
Replace two 115 kV circuit breakers at the Freight substation	Dec-15	4

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Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the four study sub-areas of Frost Bridge/Naugatuck Valley, Housatonic Valley/Plumtree — Norwalk, Bridgeport, New Haven — Southington and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Add two 14.4 MVAR capacitor banks at the West Brookfield substation	Dec-17	4
Add a new 115 kV line from Plumtree to Brookfield Junction	Jun-18	4
Reconductor the 115 kV line between West Brookfield and Brookfield Junction (1887)	Dec-20	2
Reduce the existing 25.2 MVAR capacitor bank at the Rocky River substation to 14.4 MVAR	Apr-17	4
Reconfigure the 1887 line into a three-terminal line (Plumtree - W. Brookfield - Shepaug)	May-18	4
Reconfigure the 1770 line into 2 two-terminal lines (Plumtree - Stony Hill and Stony Hill - Bates Rock)	May-18	4
Install a synchronous condenser (+25/-12.5 MVAR) at Stony Hill	Jun-18	4
Relocate an existing 37.8 MVAR capacitor bank at Stony Hill to the 25.2 MVAR capacitor bank side	May-18	4

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the four study sub-areas of Frost

Bridge/Naugatuck Valley, Housatonic Valley/Plumtree - Norwalk,

Bridgeport, New Haven – Southington and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Relocate the existing 37.8 MVAR capacitor bank from 115 kV B bus to 115 kV A bus at the Plumtree substation	Apr-17	4
Add a 115 kV circuit breaker in series with the existing 29T breaker at the Plumtree substation	May-16	4
Terminal equipment upgrade at the Newtown substation (1876)	Dec-15	4
Rebuild the 115 kV line from Wilton to Norwalk (1682) and upgrade Wilton substation terminal equipment	Jun-17	4
Reconductor the 115 kV line from Wilton to Ridgefield Junction (1470-1)	Jun-20	3
Reconductor the 115 kV line from Ridgefield Junction to Peaceable (1470-3)	Jun-20	3

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Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the four study sub areas of Frost Bridge/Naugatuck Valley, Housatonic Valley/Plumtree — Norwalk, Bridgeport, New Haven — Southington and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Add 2 x 20 MVAR capacitor banks at the Hawthorne substation	Mar-16	4
Upgrade the 115 kV bus at the Baird substation	Mar-18	4
Upgrade the 115 kV bus system and 11 disconnect switches at the Pequonnock substation	Dec-14	4
Add a 345 kV breaker in series with the existing 11T breaker at the East Devon substation	Dec-15	4
Rebuild the 115 kV lines from Baird to Congress (8809A / 8909B)	Dec-18	4
Rebuild the 115 kV lines from Housatonic River Crossing (HRX) to Barnum to Baird (88006A / 89006B)	Jun-21	2

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Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the four study sub areas of Frost Bridge/Naugatuck Valley, Housatonic Valley/Plumtree — Norwalk, Bridgeport, New Haven — Southington and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Remove the Sackett phase shifter	Mar-17	4
Install a 7.5 ohm series reactor on 1610 line at the Mix Avenue substation	Dec-16	4
Add 2 x 20 MVAR capacitor banks at the Mix Avenue substation	Dec-16	4
Upgrade the 1630 line relay at North Haven and Wallingford 1630 terminal equipment	Jan-17	4
Rebuild the 115 kV lines from Devon Tie to Milvon (88005A / 89005B)	Nov-16	4
Replace two 115 kV circuit breakers at Mill River	Dec-14	4

### **Greater Boston Projects**

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the Greater Boston area and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Install new 345 kV line from Scobie to Tewksbury	Dec-17	4
Reconductor the Y-151 115 kV line from Dracut Junction to Power Street	Apr-17	4
Reconductor the M-139 115 kV line from Tewksbury to Pinehurst and associated work at Tewksbury	May-17	4
Reconductor the N-140 115 kV line from Tewksbury to Pinehurst and associated work at Tewksbury	May-17	4
Reconductor the F-158N 115 kV line from Wakefield Junction to Maplewood and associated work at Maplewood	Dec-15	4
Reconductor the F-158S 115 kV line from Maplewood to Everett	Jun-19	4
Install new 345 kV cable from Woburn to Wakefield Junction, install two new 160 MVAR variable shunt reactors and associated work at Wakefield Junction and Woburn*	May-21	3*
Refurbish X-24 69 kV line from Millbury to Northboro Road	Dec-15	4
Reconductor W-23W 69 kV line from Woodside to Northboro Road	Jun-19	4

<sup>\*</sup> Substation portion of the project is a Present Stage status 4

### **Greater Boston Projects, cont.**

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the Greater Boston area and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Separate X-24 and E-157W DCT	Dec-18	4
Separate Q-169 and F-158N DCT	Dec-15	4
Reconductor M-139/211-503 and N-140/211-504 115 kV lines from Pinehurst to North Woburn tap	May-17	4
Install new 115 kV station at Sharon to segment three 115 kV lines from West Walpole to Holbrook	May-20	3
Install third 115 kV line from West Walpole to Holbrook	May-20	3
Install new 345 kV breaker in series with the 104 breaker at Stoughton	May-16	4
Install new 230/115 kV autotransformer at Sudbury and loop the 282-602 230 kV line in and out of the new 230 kV switchyard at Sudbury	Dec-17	4
Install a new 115 kV line from Sudbury to Hudson	Dec-20	2*

<sup>\*</sup> Project ISD to be reassessed after MA-EFSB Approval

### **Greater Boston Projects, cont.**

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the Greater Boston area and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Replace 345/115 kV autotransformer, 345 kV breakers, and 115 kV switchgear at Woburn	Dec-19	3
Install a 345 kV breaker in series with breaker 104 at Woburn	May-17	4
Reconfigure Waltham by relocating PARs, 282-507 line, and a breaker	Dec-17	4
Upgrade 533-508 115 kV line from Lexington to Hartwell and associated work at the stations	Aug-16	4
Install a new 115 kV 54 MVAR capacitor bank at Newton	Dec-16	4
Install a new 115 kV 36.7 MVAR capacitor bank at Sudbury	May-17	4
Install a second Mystic 345/115 kV autotransformer and reconfigure the bus	May-19	4
Install a 115 kV breaker on the East bus at K Street	Jun-16	4
Install 115 kV cable from Mystic to Chelsea and upgrade Chelsea 115 kV station to BPS standards	Jan-20	3
Split 110-522 and 240-510 DCT from Baker Street to Needham for a portion of the way and install a 115 kV cable for the rest of the way	May-20	3

### **Greater Boston Projects, cont.**

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the Greater Boston area and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Install a second 115 kV cable from Mystic to Woburn to create a bifurcated 211-514 line	Dec-20	3
Open lines 329-510/511 and 250-516/517 at Mystic and Chatham, respectively. Operate K Street as a normally closed station.	May-19	4
Upgrade Kingston to create a second normally closed 115 kV bus tie and reconfigure the 345 kV switchyard	Mar-19	4
Relocate the Chelsea capacitor bank to the 128-518 termination postion	Dec-16	4

### **Greater Boston Projects, cont.**

Status as of 9/30/19

Plan Benefit: Addresses long-term system needs in the Greater Boston area and improves system reliability

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Upgrade North Cambridge to mitigate 115 kV 5 and 10 stuck breaker contingencies	Dec-17	4
Install a 200 MVAR STATCOM at Coopers Mills	Nov-18	4
Install a 115 kV 36.7 MVAR capacitor bank at Hartwell	May-17	4
Install a 345 kV 160 MVAR shunt reactor at K Street	Nov-19	3
Install a 115 kV breaker in series with the 5 breaker at Framingham	Apr-17	4
Install a 115 kV breaker in series with the 29 breaker at K Street	Apr-17	4

## Pittsfield/Greenfield Projects

Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses system needs in the Pittsfield/Greenfield area in Western

Massachusetts

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Separate and reconductor the Cabot Taps (A-127 and Y-177 115 kV lines)	Mar-17	4
Install a 115 kV tie breaker at the Harriman Station, with associated buswork, reconductor of buswork and new control house	Nov-17	4
Modify Northfield Mountain 16R Substation and install a 345/115 kV autotransformer	Jun-17	4
Build a new 115 kV three-breaker switching station (Erving) ring bus	Mar-17	4
Build a new 115 kV line from Northfield Mountain to the new Erving Switching Station	Jun-17	4
Install 115 kV 14.4 MVAR capacitor banks at Cumberland, Podick and Amherst Substations	Dec-15	4

## Pittsfield/Greenfield Projects, cont.

Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses system needs in the Pittsfield/Greenfield area in Western Massachusetts

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Rebuild the Cumberland to Montague 1361 115 kV line and terminal work at Cumberland and Montague. At Montague Substation, reconnect Y177 115 kV line into 3T/4T position and perform other associated substation work	Dec-16	4
Remove the sag limitation on the 1512 115 kV line from Blandford Substation to Granville Junction and remove the limitation on the 1421 115 kV line from Pleasant to Blandford Substation	Dec-14	4
Loop the A127W line between Cabot Tap and French King into the new Erving Substation	Mar-17	4
Reconductor A127 between Erving and Cabot Tap and replace switches at Wendell Depot	Apr-15	4

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## Pittsfield/Greenfield Projects, cont.

Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses system needs in the Pittsfield/Greenfield area in Western Massachusetts

Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
Install a 115 kV 20.6 MVAR capacitor at the Doreen substation and operate the 115 kV 13T breaker N.O.	Oct-17	4
Install a 75-150 MVAR variable reactor at Northfield substation	Dec-17	4
Install a 75-150 MVAR variable reactor at Ludlow substation	Dec-17	4
Construct a 115 kV three-breaker ring bus at or adjacent to Pochassic 37R Substation, loop line 1512-1 into the new three-breaker ring bus, construct a new line connecting the new three-breaker ring bus to the Buck Pond 115 kV Substation on the vacant side of the double-circuit towers that carry line 1302-2, add a new breaker to the Buck Pond 115 kV straight bus and reconnect lines 1302-2, 1657-2 and transformer 2X into new positions	Jun-20	3

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## **SEMA/RI Reliability Projects**

Status as of 9/30/19

Project ID	Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
1714	Construct a new 115 kV GIS switching station (Grand Army) which includes remote terminal station work at Brayton Point and Somerset substations, and the looping in of the E-183E, F-184, X3, and W4 lines	Nov-20	3
1742	Conduct remote terminal station work at the Wampanoag and Pawtucket substations for the new Grand Army GIS switching station	Nov-20	3
1715	Install upgrades at Brayton Point substation which include a new 115 kV breaker, new 345/115 kV transformer, and upgrades to E183E, F184 station equipment	Jun-20	3
1716	Increase clearances on E-183E & F-184 lines between Brayton Point and Grand Army substations	Nov-19	3
1717	Separate the X3/W4 DCT and reconductor the X3 and W4 lines between Somerset and Grand Army substations; reconfigure Y2 and Z1 lines	Nov-19	3

Status as of 9/30/19

Project ID	Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
1718	Add 115 kV circuit breaker at Robinson Ave substation and re-terminate the Q10 line	Nov-20	2
1719	Install 45.0 MVAR capacitor bank at Berry Street substation	Dec-20	2
1720	Separate the N12/M13 DCT and reconductor the N12 and M13 between Somerset and Bell Rock substations	Nov-21	2
1721	Reconfigure Bell Rock to breaker-and-a-half station, split the M13 line at Bell Rock substation, and terminate 114 line at Bell Rock; install a new breaker in series with N12/D21 tie breaker, upgrade D21 line switch, and install a 37.5 MVAR capacitor	Dec-21	2
1722	Extend the Line 114 from the Dartmouth town line (Eversource- NGRID border) to Bell Rock substation	Dec-21	2
1723	Reconductor L14 and M13 lines from Bell Rock substation to Bates Tap	Sep-21	2

Status as of 9/30/19

Project ID	Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
1725	Build a new 115 kV line from Bourne to West Barnstable substations which includes associated terminal work	Dec-21	1
1726	Separate the 135/122 DCT from West Barnstable to Barnstable substations	Nov-20	1
1727	Retire the Barnstable SPS	Dec-21	1
1728	Build a new 115 kV line from Carver to Kingston substations and add a new Carver terminal	Dec-21	1
1729	Install a new bay position at Kingston substation to accommodate new 115 kV line	Dec-21	1
1730	Extend the 114 line from the Eversource/National Grid border to the Industrial Park Tap	Dec-21	1

Status as of 9/30/19

Project ID	Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
1731	Install 35.3 MVAR capacitors at High Hill and Wing Lane substations	Dec-21	1
1732	Loop the 201-502 line into the Medway substation to form the 201-502N and 201-502S lines	Dec-21	1
1733	Separate the 325/344 DCT lines from West Medway to West Walpole substations	Dec-21	1
1734	Reconductor and upgrade the 112 Line from the Tremont substation to the Industrial Tap	Jun-18	4
1736	Reconductor the 108 line from Bourne substation to Horse Pond Tap*	Oct-18	4
1737	Replace disconnect switches on 323 line at West Medway substation and replace 8 line structures	Dec-21	3

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include the reconductoring work over the Cape Cod canal

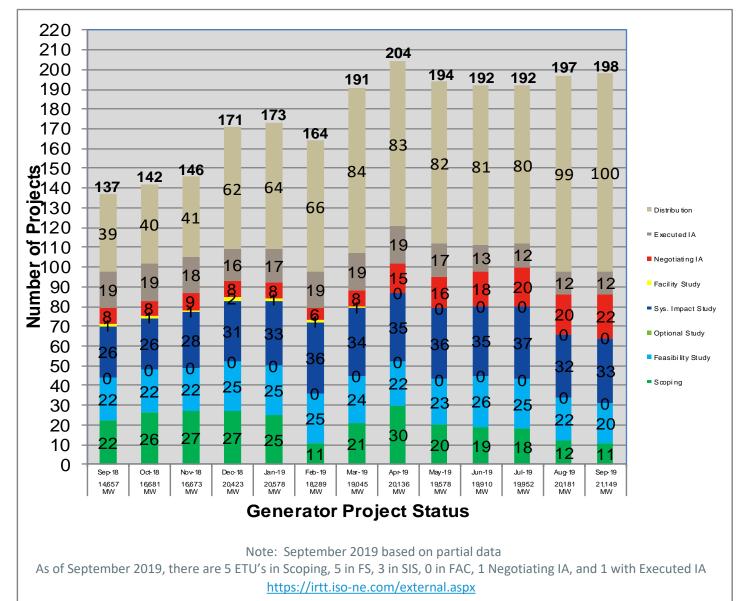
Status as of 9/30/19

Project Benefit: Addresses system needs in the Southeast Massachusetts/Rhode Island area

Project ID	Upgrade	Expected/ Actual In-Service	Present Stage
1741	Rebuild the Middleborough Gas and Electric portion of the E1 line from Bridgewater to Middleborough	Apr-19	4
1782	Reconductor the J16S line	Dec-20	2
1724	Replace the Kent County 345/115 kV transformer	Nov-20	2
1789	West Medway 345 kV circuit breaker upgrades	Dec-21	2
1790	Medway 115 kV circuit breaker replacements	Dec-21	2

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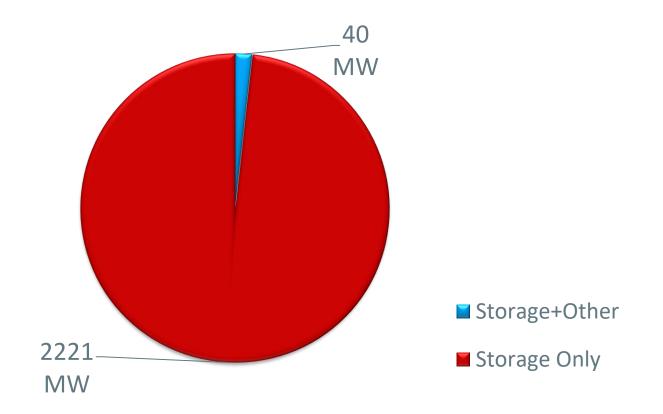
#### **Status of Tariff Studies**



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## What is in the Queue (as of September 27, 2019)

Storage Projects are proposed as stand-alone storage or as co-located with wind or solar projects



### **OPERABLE CAPACITY ANALYSIS**

Fall 2019 Analysis

### **Fall 2019 Operable Capacity Analysis**

50/50 Load Forecast (Reference)	November - 2019 <sup>2</sup> CSO (MW)	November - 2019 <sup>2</sup> SCC (MW)
Operable Capacity MW <sup>1</sup>	31,344	33,309
Active Demand Capacity Resource (+) <sup>5</sup>	455	439
External Node Available Net Capacity, CSO imports minus firm capacity exports (+)	897	917
Non Commercial Capacity (+)	28	28
Non Gas-fired Planned Outage MW (-)	4,051	4,154
Gas Generator Outages MW (-)	2,890	3,182
Allowance for Unplanned Outages (-) <sup>4</sup>	3,600	3,600
Generation at Risk Due to Gas Supply (-) <sup>3</sup>	0	0
Net Capacity (NET OPCAP SUPPLY MW)	22,183	23,757
Peak Load Forecast MW(adjusted for Other Demand Resources) <sup>2</sup>	16,912	16,912
Operating Reserve Requirement MW	2,305	2,305
Operable Capacity Required (NET LOAD OBLIGATION MW)	19,217	19,217
Operable Capacity Margin	2,966	4,540

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Operable Capacity is based on data as of **September 17, 2019** and does not include Capacity associated with Settlement Only Generators, Passive and Active Demand Response, and external capacity. The Capacity Supply Obligation (CSO) and Seasonal Claim Capability (SCC) values are based on data as of **September 17, 2019.** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Load forecast that is based on the 2019 CELT report and represents the week with the lowest Operable Capacity Margin, week beginning **November 2, 2019.** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Total of (Gas at Risk MW) – (Gas Gen Outages MW).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Allowance For Unplanned Outage MW is based on the month corresponding to the day with the lowest Operable Capacity Margin for the week.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Active Demand Capacity Resources (ADCRs) can participate in the Forward Capacity Market (FCM), have the ability to obtain a CSO and also participate in the Day-Ahead and Real-Time Energy Markets.

### **Fall 2019 Operable Capacity Analysis**

90/10 Load Forecast (Extreme)	November - 2019 <sup>2</sup> CSO (MW)	November - 2019 <sup>2</sup> SCC (MW)
Operable Capacity MW <sup>1</sup>	31,344	33,309
Active Demand Capacity Resource (+) <sup>5</sup>	455	439
External Node Available Net Capacity, CSO imports minus firm capacity exports (+)	897	917
Non Commercial Capacity (+)	28	28
Non Gas-fired Planned Outage MW (-)	4,051	4,154
Gas Generator Outages MW (-)	2,890	3,182
Allowance for Unplanned Outages (-) <sup>4</sup>	3,600	3,600
Generation at Risk Due to Gas Supply (-) <sup>3</sup>	0	0
Net Capacity (NET OPCAP SUPPLY MW)	22,183	23,757
Peak Load Forecast MW(adjusted for Other Demand Resources) <sup>2</sup>	17,503	17,503
Operating Reserve Requirement MW	2,305	2,305
Operable Capacity Required (NET LOAD OBLIGATION MW)	19,808	19,808
Operable Capacity Margin	2,375	3,949

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Operable Capacity is based on data as of **September 17, 2019** and does not include Capacity associated with Settlement Only Generators, Passive and Active Demand Response, and external capacity. The Capacity Supply Obligation (CSO) and Seasonal Claim Capability (SCC) values are based on data as of **September 17, 2019.** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Load forecast that is based on the 2019 CELT report and represents the week with the lowest Operable Capacity Margin, week beginning **November 2, 2019.** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Total of (Gas at Risk MW) – (Gas Gen Outages MW).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Allowance For Unplanned Outage MW is based on the month corresponding to the day with the lowest Operable Capacity Margin for the week.

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## Fall 2019 Operable Capacity Analysis 50/50 Forecast (Reference)

#### ISO-NE OPERABLE CAPACITY ANALYSIS

October 1, 2019 - 50-50 FORECAST using CSO

This analysis is a tabulation of weekly assessments shown in one single table. The information shows the operable capacity situation under assumed conditions for each week. It is not expected that the system peak will occur every week during June, July, August and Mid September

STUDY WEEK (Week Beginning,	AVAILABLE OPCAP MW	Active Capacity Demand MW	EXTERNAL NODE AVAIL CAPACITY MW	NON COMMERCIAL CAPACITY MW	NON-GAS PLANNED OUTAGES CSO MW	GAS GENERATOR OUTAGES CSO MW	ALLOWANCE FOR UNPLANNED OUTAGES MW	GAS AT RISK	NET OPCAP SUPPLY MW	PEAK LOAD FORECAST MW	OPER RESERVE REQUIREMENT MW	NET LOAD OBLIGATION MW	OPCAP MARGIN MW
Saturday)	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]	[9]	[10]	[11]	[12]	[13]
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11/16/2019	31344	455	897	28	3205	668	3600	752	24499	18034	2305	20339	4160
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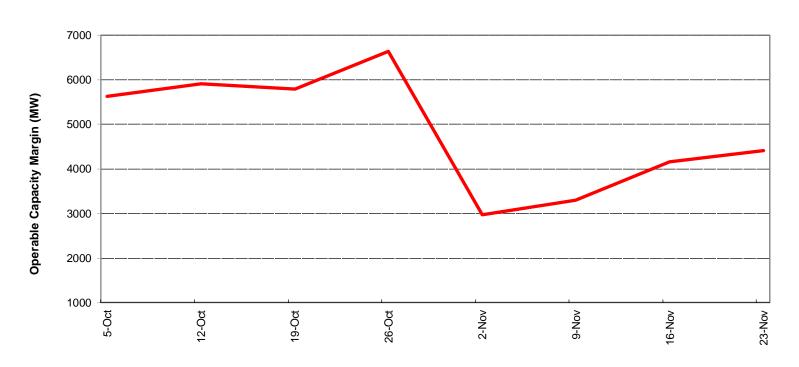
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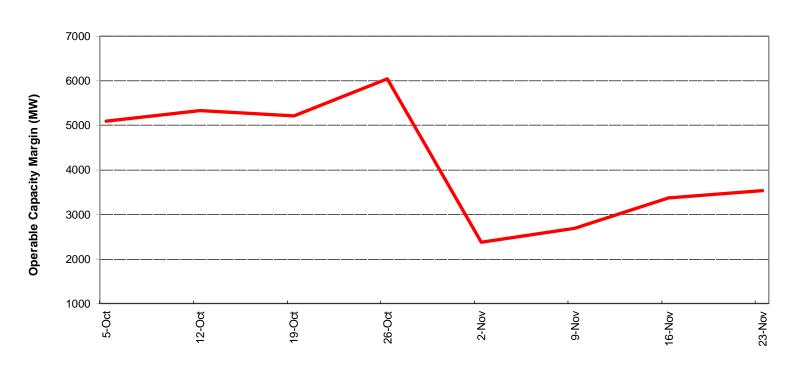
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October 5, 2019 - November 29, 2019, W/B Saturday

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### **OPERABLE CAPACITY ANALYSIS**

Preliminary Winter 2019/20 Analysis

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External Node Available Net Capacity, CSO imports minus firm capacity exports (+)	917	917
Non Commercial Capacity (+)	28	28
Non Gas-fired Planned Outage MW (-)	482	499
Gas Generator Outages MW (-)	0	0
Allowance for Unplanned Outages (-) <sup>4</sup>	2,800	2,800
Generation at Risk Due to Gas Supply (-) <sup>3</sup>	4,207	4,648
Net Capacity (NET OPCAP SUPPLY MW)	25,258	26,635
Peak Load Forecast MW(adjusted for Other Demand Resources) <sup>2</sup>	20,476	20,476
Operating Reserve Requirement MW	2,305	2,305
Operable Capacity Required (NET LOAD OBLIGATION MW)	22,781	22,781
Operable Capacity Margin	2,477	3,854

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Net Capacity (NET OPCAP SUPPLY MW)	24,791	26,118
Peak Load Forecast MW(adjusted for Other Demand Resources) <sup>2</sup>	21,173	21,173
Operating Reserve Requirement MW	2,305	2,305
Operable Capacity Required (NET LOAD OBLIGATION MW)	23,478	23,478
Operable Capacity Margin	1,313	2,640

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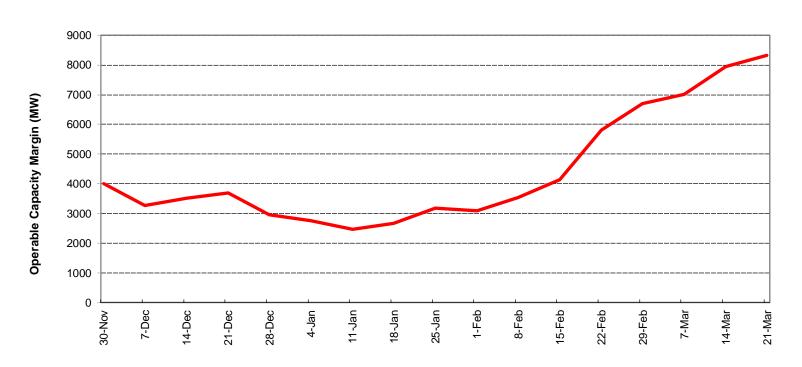
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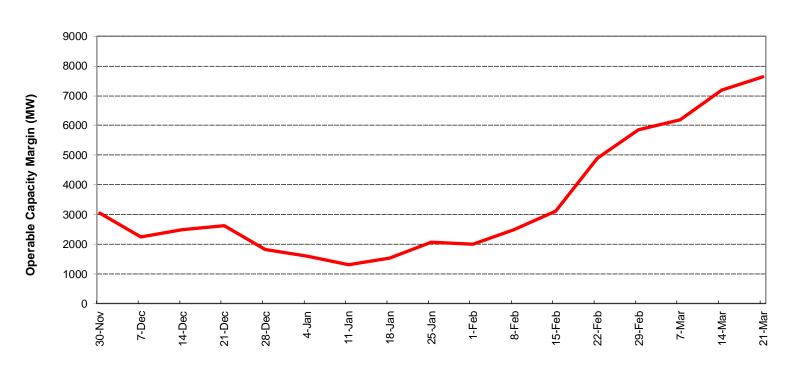
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November 30, 2019- March 27, 2020, W/B Saturday

# Preliminary Winter 2019/20 Operable Capacity Analysis 90/10 Forecast (Extreme)

#### 2019/20 ISO-NEW ENGLAND OPERABLE CAPACITY -90/10 CSO-



November 30, 2019- March 27, 2020, W/B Saturday

### **OPERABLE CAPACITY ANALYSIS**

**Appendix** 

## Possible Relief Under OP4: Appendix A

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1	Implement Power Caution and advise Resources with a CSO to prepare to provide capacity and notify "Settlement Only" generators with a CSO to monitor reserve pricing to meet those obligations.	0 1
	Begin to allow the depletion of 30-minute reserve.	600
2	Declare Energy Emergency Alert (EEA) Level 1 <sup>4</sup>	0
3	Voluntary Load Curtailment of Market Participants' facilities.	40 <sup>2</sup>
4	Implement Power Watch	0
5	Schedule Emergency Energy Transactions and arrange to purchase Control Area-to- Control Area Emergency	1,000
6	Voltage Reduction requiring > 10 minutes	125 <sup>3</sup>

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8	5% Voltage Reduction requiring 10 minutes or less	250 <sup>3</sup>
9	Transmission Customer Generation Not Contractually Available to Market Participants during a Capacity Deficiency.	5
	Voluntary Load Curtailment by Large Industrial and Commercial Customers.	200 <sup>2</sup>
10	Radio and TV Appeals for Voluntary Load Curtailment Implement Power Warning	200 <sup>2</sup>
11	Request State Governors to Reinforce Power Warning Appeals.	100 <sup>2</sup>
Total		2,520

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