# **Capacity Market**

Each organization serving PJM load must meet its capacity obligations through the PJM Capacity Market, where load serving entities (LSEs) must pay the locational capacity price for their zone. LSEs can also construct generation and offer it into the capacity market, enter into bilateral contracts, develop demand resources and energy efficiency (EE) resources and offer them into the capacity market, or construct transmission upgrades and offer them into the capacity market.

The Market Monitoring Unit (MMU) analyzed market structure, participant conduct and market performance in the PJM Capacity Market for 2018, including supply, demand, concentration ratios, pivotal suppliers, volumes, prices, outage rates and reliability.<sup>1</sup>

# Table 5-1 The capacity market results were not competitive

Market Element	Evaluation	Market Design
Market Structure: Aggregate Market	Not Competitive	
Market Structure: Local Market	Not Competitive	
Participant Behavior	Not Competitive	
Market Performance	Not Competitive	Mixed

- The aggregate market structure was evaluated as not competitive. For almost all auctions held from 2007 to the present, the PJM region failed the three pivotal supplier test (TPS), which is conducted at the time of the auction.<sup>2</sup> Structural market power is endemic to the capacity market.
- The local market structure was evaluated as not competitive. For almost every auction held, all LDAs have failed the TPS test, which is conducted at the time of the auction.<sup>3</sup>
- Participant behavior was evaluated as not competitive. Market power mitigation measures were applied when the Capacity Market Seller failed the market power test for the auction, the submitted sell offer exceeded the defined offer cap, and the submitted sell offer, absent mitigation, would increase the market clearing price. But the net CONE

times B offer cap under the capacity performance design, in the absence of performance assessment hours, exceeds the competitive level and should be reevaluated for each BRA. In the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, some participants' offers were above the competitive level. The MMU recognizes that these market participants followed the capacity market rules by offering at less than the stated offer cap of Net CONE times B. But Net CONE times B is not a competitive offer when the expected number of performance assessment intervals is zero or a very small number and the non-performance charge rate is defined as Net CONE/30. Under these circumstances, a competitive offer, under the logic defined in PJM's capacity performance filing, is net ACR. That is the way in which most market participants offered in this and prior capacity performance auctions.

- Market performance was evaluated as not competitive. Although structural market power exists in the Capacity Market, a competitive outcome can result from the application of market power mitigation rules. The outcome of the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction was not competitive as a result of participant behavior which was not competitive, specifically offers which exceeded the competitive level.
- Market design was evaluated as mixed because while there are many positive features of the Reliability Pricing Model (RPM) design and the capacity performance modifications to RPM, there are several features of the RPM design which still threaten competitive outcomes. These include the definition of DR which permits inferior products to substitute for capacity, the replacement capacity issue, the definition of unit offer parameters, the inclusion of imports which are not substitutes for internal capacity resources, and the definition of the default offer cap.

<sup>1</sup> The values stated in this report for the RTO and LDAs refer to the aggregate level including all nested LDAs unless otherwise specified. For example, RTO values include the entire PJM market and all LDAs. Rest of RTO values are RTO values net of nested LDA values.

<sup>2</sup> In the 2008/2009 RPM Third Incremental Auction, 18 participants in the RTO market passed the TPS test. In the 2018/2019 RPM Second Incremental Auction, 35 participants in the RTO market passed the test.

<sup>3</sup> In the 2012/2013 RPM Base Residual Auction, six participants included in the incremental supply of EMAAC passed the TPS test. In the 2014/2015 RPM Base Residual Auction, seven participants in the incremental supply in MAAC passed the TPS test.

# **Overview** RPM Capacity Market

# Market Design

The Reliability Pricing Model (RPM) Capacity Market is a forward-looking, annual, locational market, with a must offer requirement for Existing Generation Capacity Resources and mandatory participation by load, with performance incentives, that includes clear market power mitigation rules and that permits the direct participation of demand-side resources.<sup>4</sup>

Under RPM, capacity obligations are annual. Base Residual Auctions (BRA) are held for Delivery Years that are three years in the future. Effective with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, First, Second and Third Incremental Auctions (IA) are held for each Delivery Year.<sup>5</sup> Prior to the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, the Second Incremental Auction was conducted if PJM determined that an unforced capacity resource shortage exceeded 100 MW of unforced capacity due to a load forecast increase. Effective January 31, 2010, First, Second, and Third Incremental Auctions are conducted 20, 10, and three months prior to the Delivery Year.<sup>6</sup> Also effective for the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, a Conditional Incremental Auction may be held if there is a need to procure additional capacity resulting from a delay in a planned large transmission upgrade that was modeled in the BRA for the relevant Delivery Year.<sup>7</sup>

The 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction, the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, the 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction, and the 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction were conducted in 2018.

On June 9, 2015, FERC accepted changes to the PJM capacity market rules proposed in PJM's Capacity Performance (CP) filing.<sup>8</sup> For a transition period during the 2018/2019 and 2019/2020 Delivery Years, PJM will procure two product types, Capacity Performance and Base Capacity. PJM also procured Capacity Performance resources in two transition auctions for the 2016/2017 and 2017/2018 Delivery Years. Effective

with the 2020/2021 Delivery Year, PJM will procure a single capacity product, Capacity Performance. CP Resources are expected to be available and capable of providing energy and reserves when needed at any time during the Delivery Year.9 Effective for the 2018/2019 through the 2019/2020 Delivery Years, a Base Capacity Demand Resource Constraint and a Base Capacity Resource Constraint are established for each modeled LDA. These maximum quantities are set for reliability purpose to limit the quantity procured of the less available products, including Base Capacity Generation Resources, Base Capacity Demand Resources, and Base Capacity Energy Efficiency Resources. The Capacity Performance (CP) Transition Incremental Auctions (IAs) were held as part of a five year transition to a single capacity product type in the 2020/2021 Delivery Year. Participation in the CP Transition IAs was voluntary. If a resource cleared a CP Transition IA and had a prior commitment for the relevant delivery year, the existing commitment was converted to a CP commitment, which is subject to the CP performance requirements and nonperformance charges. The Transition IAs were not designed to minimize the cost of purchasing Capacity Performance resources for the two delivery years and were not designed to maximize economic welfare for the two delivery years.

RPM prices are locational and may vary depending on transmission constraints.<sup>10</sup> Existing generation capable of qualifying as a capacity resource must be offered into RPM auctions, except for resources owned by entities that elect the fixed resource requirement (FRR) option. Participation by LSEs is mandatory, except for those entities that elect the FRR option. There is an administratively determined demand curve that defines scarcity pricing levels and that, with the supply curve derived from capacity offers, determines market prices in each BRA. RPM rules provide performance incentives for generation, including the requirement to submit generator outage data and the linking of capacity payments to the level of unforced capacity, and the performance incentives have been strengthened significantly Performance under the Capacity modifications to RPM. Under RPM there are explicit

<sup>4</sup> The terms *PJM Region, RTO Region* and *RTO* are synonymous in this report and include all capacity within the PJM footprint.

<sup>5</sup> See 126 FERC ¶ 61,275 at P 86 (2009)

<sup>6</sup> See Letter Order, FERC Docket No. ER10-366-000 (January 22, 2010).

<sup>7</sup> See 126 FERC ¶ 61,275 at P 88 (2009).

<sup>8</sup> See 151 FERC ¶ 61,208 (2015).

<sup>9</sup> See "PJM Manual 18: PJM Capacity Market," § 1.5 Transition to Capacity Performance, Rev. 41 (Jan. 1, 2019).

<sup>10</sup> Transmission constraints are local capacity import capability limitations (low capacity emergency transfer limit (CETL) margin over capacity emergency transfer objective (CETO)) caused by transmission facility limitations, voltage limitations or stability limitations.

market power mitigation rules that define the must offer requirement, that define structural market power based on the marginal cost of capacity, that define offer caps, that define the minimum offer price, and that have flexible criteria for competitive offers by new entrants. Market power mitigation is effective only when these definitions are up to date and accurate. Demand resources and energy efficiency resources may be offered directly into RPM auctions and receive the clearing price without mitigation.

### **Market Structure**

- RPM Installed Capacity. During 2018, RPM installed capacity increased 2,069.3 MW or 1.1 percent, from 183,882.4 MW on January 1 to 185,951.7 MW on December 31. Installed capacity includes net capacity imports and exports and can vary on a daily basis.
- RPM Installed Capacity by Fuel Type. Of the total installed capacity on December 31, 2018, 40.2 percent was gas; 32.7 percent was coal; 17.6 percent was nuclear; 4.8 percent was hydroelectric; 3.4 percent was oil; 0.6 percent was wind; 0.4 percent was solid waste; and 0.3 percent was solar.
- Market Concentration. In the 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction, 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction, 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, and the 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction all participants in the total PJM market as well as the LDA RPM markets failed the three pivotal supplier (TPS) test.<sup>11</sup> Offer caps were applied to all sell offers for resources which were subject to mitigation when the Capacity Market Seller did not pass the test, the submitted sell offer exceeded the defined offer cap, and the submitted sell offer, absent mitigation, increased the market clearing price.<sup>12 13 14</sup>

- Imports and Exports. Of the 4,470.4 MW of imports in the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, 4,051.8 MW cleared. Of the cleared imports, 1,909.9 MW (47.1 percent) were from MISO.
- Demand-Side and Energy Efficiency Resources. Capacity in the RPM load management programs was 10,798.7 MW for June 1, 2018, as a result of cleared capacity for demand resources and energy efficiency resources in RPM auctions for the 2018/2019 Delivery Year (13,731.7 MW) less replacement capacity (2,933.0 MW).

# **Market Conduct**

- 2018/2019 RPM Base Residual Auction. Of the 473 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated offer caps for 219 generation resources (46.3 percent), of which 166 (35.1 percent) were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 53 (11.2 percent) were unit-specific offer caps. Of the 992 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for 35 generation resources (3.5 percent).
- 2018/2019 RPM First Incremental Auction. Of the 80 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated offer caps for 30 generation resources (37.5 percent), of which 18 (22.5 percent) were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 12 (15.0 percent) were unit-specific offer caps. Of the 293 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for nine generation resources (3.1 percent).
- 2018/2019 RPM Second Incremental Auction. Of the 68 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated offer caps for 23 generation resources (33.8 percent), of which 12 (17.6 percent) were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 11 (16.2 percent) were unit-specific offer caps. Of the 344 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for five generation resources (1.5 percent).
- 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction. Of the 211 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated offer caps for five generation resources (2.4 percent), of which one

<sup>11</sup> There are 27 Locational Deliverability Areas (LDAs) identified to recognize locational constraints as defined in "Reliability Assurance Agreement Among Load Serving Entities in the PJM Region", Schedule 10.1. PJM determines, in advance of each BRA, whether the defined LDAs will be modeled in the given delivery year using the rules defined in OATT Attachment DD § 5.10(a)(ii).
12 See OATT Attachment DD § 6.5.

<sup>13</sup> Prior to November 1, 2009, existing DR and EE resources were subject to market power mitigation in RPM Auctions. See 129 FERC ¶ 61,081 at P 30 (2009).

<sup>14</sup> Effective January 31, 2011, the RPM rules related to market power mitigation were changed, including revising the definition for Planned Generation Capacity Resource and creating a new definition for Existing Generation Capacity Resource for purposes of the must-offer requirement and market power mitigation, and treating a proposed increase in the capability of a generation capacity resource the same in terms of mitigation as a Planned Generation Capacity Resource 134 FERC ¶ 61,065 (2011).

(0.5 percent) was based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and four (1.9 percent) were unit-specific offer caps. Of the 495 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for three generation resources (0.6 percent).

- 2019/2020 RPM Base Residual Auction. Of the 505 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated offer caps for 212 generation resources (42.0 percent), of which 171 (33.9 percent) were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 41 (8.1 percent) were unit-specific offer caps. Of the 1,003 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for 25 generation resources (2.5 percent).
- 2019/2020 RPM First Incremental Auction. Of the 81 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated offer caps for 28 generation resources (34.6 percent), of which 17 (21.0 percent) were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 11 (13.6 percent) were unit-specific offer caps. Of the 382 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for six generation resources (1.6 percent).
- 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction. Of the 72 generation resources that submitted Base Capacity offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for eight generation resources (11.1 percent). Of the 409 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for six generation resources (1.5 percent).
- 2020/2021 RPM Base Residual Auction. Of the 1,114 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for 14 generation resources (1.3 percent).
- 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction. Of the 397 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit specific offer caps for eight generation resources (2.0 percent).
- 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction. Of the 1,132 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers, the MMU calculated unit

specific offer caps for eight generation resources (0.7 percent).

 The conduct of some participants was determined to be not competitive.

# Market Performance

- The 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction, the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, the 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction, and the 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction were conducted in 2018. The weighted average capacity price for the 2018/2019 Delivery Year is \$172.09, including all RPM auctions for the 2018/2019 Delivery Year held 2018. The weighted average capacity price for the 2019/2020 Delivery Year is \$112.63, including all RPM auctions for the 2019/2020 Delivery Year held through 2018.
- For the 2018/2019 Delivery Year, RPM annual charges to load are \$11.0 billion.
- In the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, market performance was determined to be not competitive as a result of noncompetitive offers that affected market results.

# **Reliability Must Run Service**

• Of the seven companies (23 units) that have provided RMR service, two companies (seven units) filed to be paid for RMR service under the deactivation avoidable cost rate (DACR), the formula rate. The other five companies (16 units) filed to be paid for RMR service under the cost of service recovery rate.

# **Generator Performance**

- Forced Outage Rates. The average PJM EFORd for 2018 was 7.2 percent, an increase from 7.1 percent for 2017.<sup>15</sup>
- Generator Performance Factors. The PJM aggregate equivalent availability factor for 2018 was 83.2 percent, a decrease from 83.9 percent for 2017.

<sup>15</sup> The generator performance analysis includes all PJM capacity resources for which there are data in the PJM generator availability data systems (GADS) database. This set of capacity resources may include generators in addition to those in the set of generators committed as capacity resources in RPM. Data was downloaded from the PJM GADS database on February 1, 2019. EFORd data presented in state of the market reports may be revised based on data submitted after the publication of the reports as generation owners may submit corrections at any time with permission from PJM GADS administrators.

• Outages Deemed Outside Management Control (OMC). In 2018, 1.2 percent of forced outages were classified as OMC outages.

## **Recommendations**<sup>16</sup>

The MMU recognizes that PJM has implemented the Capacity Performance Construct to replace some of the existing core market rules and to address fundamental performance incentive issues. The MMU recognizes that the Capacity Performance Construct addresses many of the MMU's recommendations. The MMU's recommendations are based on the existing capacity market rules. The status is reported as adopted if the recommendation was included in FERC's order approving PJM's Capacity Performance filing.<sup>17</sup>

#### **Definition of Capacity**

- The MMU recommends the enforcement of a consistent definition of capacity resource. The MMU recommends that the requirement to be a physical resource be enforced and enhanced. The requirement to be a physical resource should apply at the time of auctions and should also constitute a commitment to be physical in the relevant Delivery Year. The requirement to be a physical resource should be applied to all resource types, including planned generation, demand resources and imports.<sup>18 19</sup> (Priority: High. First reported 2013. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that DR providers be required to have a signed contract with specific customers for specific facilities for specific levels of DR at least six months prior to any capacity auction in which the DR is offered. (Priority: High. First reported 2016. Status: Not adopted.)

#### **Market Design and Parameters**

• The MMU recommends that the test for determining modeled Locational Deliverability Areas (LDAs) in RPM be redefined. A detailed reliability analysis of all at risk units should be included in the redefined

model. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2013. Status: Not adopted.)

- The MMU recommends that the net revenue calculation used by PJM to calculate the net Cost of New Entry (CONE) VRR parameter reflect the actual flexibility of units in responding to price signals rather than using assumed fixed operating blocks that are not a result of actual unit limitations.<sup>20</sup> <sup>21</sup> The result of reflecting the actual flexibility is higher net revenues, which affect the parameters of the RPM demand curve and market outcomes. (Priority: High. First reported 2013. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that energy efficiency resources (EE) not be included on the supply side of the capacity market, because PJM's load forecasts now account for future EE, unlike the situation when EE was first added to the capacity market. However, the MMU recommends that the PJM load forecast method should be modified so that EE impacts immediately affect the forecast without the long lag times incorporated in the current forecast method. If EE is not included on the supply side, there is no reason to have an add back mechanism. If EE remains on the supply side, the implementation of the EE add back mechanism should be modified to ensure that market clearing prices are not affected. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2016. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that PJM reduce the number of incremental auctions to a single incremental auction held three months prior to the start of the delivery year and reevaluate the triggers for holding conditional incremental auctions. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2013. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that PJM offer to sell back capacity in incremental auctions only at the BRA clearing price for the relevant delivery year. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2017. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends changing the RPM solution method to explicitly incorporate the cost of make whole payments in the objective function. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2014. Status: Not adopted.)

<sup>16</sup> The MMU has identified serious market design issues with RPM and the MMU has made specific recommendations to address those issues. These recommendations have been made in public reports. See Table 5-2.

<sup>17 151</sup> FERC ¶ 61,208 (2015)

<sup>18</sup> See also Comments of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER14-503-000 (December 20, 2013).

<sup>19</sup> See "Analysis of Replacement Capacity for RPM Commitments: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2017," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Report\_on\_Capacity\_Replacement\_Activity\_4\_20171214.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Report\_on\_Capacity\_Replacement\_Activity\_4\_20171214.pdf</a>> (December 14, 2017).

<sup>20</sup> See PJM Interconnection, LLC., Docket No. ER12-513-000 (December 1, 2011) ('Triennial Review''). 21 See the 2017 State of the Market Report for PJM, Volume 2, Section 7: Net Revenue.

• The MMU recommends that PJM clear the capacity market based on nodal capacity resource locations and the characteristics of the transmission system consistent with the actual electrical facts of the grid. The current nested LDA structure used in the capacity market does not adequately represent all the capacity transfers that are feasible among LDAs. Absent a fully nodal capacity market clearing process, the MMU recommends that PJM use a nonnested model for all LDAs and specify a VRR curve for each LDA separately. Each LDA requirement should be met with the capacity resources located within the LDA and exchanges from neighboring LDAs up to the transmission limit. LDAs should price separate if that is the result of the LDA supply curves and the transmission constraints. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2017. Status: Not adopted.)

#### Offer Caps, Offer Floors, and Must Offer

- The MMU recommends use of the Sustainable Market Rule (SMR) in order to protect competition in the capacity market from nonmarket revenues.<sup>22</sup> (Priority: High. First reported 2016. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that, as part of the MOPR unit specific standard of review, all projects be required to use the same basic modeling assumptions. That is the only way to ensure that projects compete on the basis of actual costs rather than on the basis of modeling assumptions.<sup>23</sup> (Priority: High. First reported 2013. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that modifications to existing resources not be treated as new resources for purposes of market power related offer caps or MOPR offer floors. (Priority: Low. First reported 2012. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that the RPM market power mitigation rule be modified to apply offer caps

in all cases when the three pivotal supplier test is failed and the sell offer is greater than the offer cap. This will ensure that market power does not result in an increase in make whole payments. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2017. Status: Not adopted.)

- The MMU recommends that PJM develop a forward looking estimate for the expected number of Performance Assessment Intervals (H) to use in calculating the Non-Performance Charge Rate. The MMU recommends that PJM develop a forward looking estimate for the Balancing Ratio (B) during Performance Assessment Intervals (PAIs) to use in calculating the default offer cap. Both H and B parameters should be included in the annual review of planning parameters for the Base Residual Auction, and should incorporate the actual observed reserve margins, and other assumptions consistent with the annual IRM study. (Priority: High. First reported 2017. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that when expected H and B are not the same as the assumed levels used to calculate the default market seller offer cap of Net CONE times B, the offer cap be recalculated for each BRA using the fundamental economic logic for a competitive offer of a CP resource. (Priority: High. First reported 2017. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that capacity market sellers be required to request the use of minimum MW quantities greater than 0 MW (inflexible sell offer segments) and that the requests should only be permitted for defined physical reasons. (Priority: Medium. First reported Q3, 2018. Status: Not adopted.)

#### Performance Incentive Requirements of RPM

- The MMU recommends that a unit which is not capable of supplying energy consistent with its dayahead offer reflect an appropriate outage. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2009. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that retroactive replacement transactions associated with a failure to perform during a PAH not be allowed and that, more generally, retroactive replacement capacity transactions not be permitted. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2016. Status: Not adopted.)

<sup>22</sup> Brief of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. EL16-49, ER18-1314-000,-001; EL18-178 (October 2, 2018).

<sup>23</sup> See 143 FERC ¶ 61,090 (2013) ("We encourage PJM and its stakeholders to consider, for example, whether the unit-specific review process would be more effective if PJM requires the use of common modeling assumptions for establishing unit-specific offer floors while, at the same time, allowing sellers to provide support for objective, individual cost advantages. Moreover, we encourage PJM and its stakeholders to consider these modifications to the unit-specific review process together with possible enhancements to the calculation of Net CONE-7); see also, Comments of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER13-535-001 (March 25, 2013); Complaint of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER13-535-000 (May 1, 2012); Motion for Clarification of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000, et al. (February 17, 2012); Protest of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000, et al. (Patruary 17, 2012); Protest of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000 (June 2, 2011); Comments of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000, et al. (February 17, 2012); Protest of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000, et al. (February 17, 2012); Protest of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000 (June 2, 2011); Comments of the Independent Market Monitor for PJM, Docket No. ER11-2875-000 and ER11-2875 (March 4, 2011).

• The MMU recommends that there be an explicit requirement that capacity resource offers in the Day-Ahead Energy Market be competitive, where competitive is defined to be the short run marginal cost of the units. (Priority: Low. First reported 2013. Status: Not adopted.)

### **Capacity Imports and Exports**

- The MMU recommends that all capacity imports be required to be deliverable to PJM load prior to the relevant delivery year to ensure that they are full substitutes for internal, physical capacity resources. Pseudo ties alone are not adequate to ensure deliverability. (Priority: High. First reported 2016. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that all costs incurred as a result of a pseudo tied unit be borne by the unit itself and included as appropriate in unit offers in the capacity market. (Priority: High. First reported 2016. Status: Not adopted.)
- The MMU recommends clear, explicit and detailed rules that define the conditions under which PJM will and will not recall energy from PJM capacity resources and prohibit new energy exports from PJM capacity resources. The MMU recommends that those rules define the conditions under which PJM will purchase emergency energy while at the same time not recalling energy exports from PJM capacity resources. PJM has modified these rules, but the rules need additional clarification and operational details. (Priority: Low. First reported 2010. Status: Partially adopted.)

#### **Deactivations/Retirements**

- The MMU recommends that the notification requirement for deactivations be extended from 90 days prior to the date of deactivation to 12 months prior to the date of deactivation and that PJM and the MMU be provided 60 days rather than 30 days to complete their reliability and market power analyses. (Priority: Low. First reported 2012. Status: Partially adopted.)
- The MMU recommends that RMR units recover all and only the incremental costs, including incremental investment costs, required by the RMR service that the unit owner would not have incurred if the unit owner had deactivated its unit as it

proposed. Customers should bear no responsibility for paying previously incurred costs, including a return on or of prior investments. (Priority: Low. First reported 2010. Status: Not adopted.)

• The MMU recommends elimination of the cost of service recovery rate in OATT Section 119, and that RMR service should be provided under the deactivation avoidable cost rate in Part V. The MMU also recommends specific improvements to the DACR provisions. (Priority: Medium. First reported 2017. Status: Not adopted.)

# Conclusion

The analysis of PJM Capacity Markets begins with market structure, which provides the framework for the actual behavior or conduct of market participants. The analysis examines participant behavior within that market structure. In a competitive market structure, market participants are constrained to behave competitively. The analysis examines market performance, measured by price and the relationship between price and marginal cost, that results from the interaction of market structure and participant behavior. Market power is and will remain endemic to the structure of the PJM Capacity Market. Nonetheless a competitive outcome can be assured by appropriate market power mitigation rules.

The MMU concludes that the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction results were not competitive as a result of offers above the competitive level by some market participants. The MMU recognizes that these market participants followed the capacity market rules by offering at less than the stated offer cap of Net CONE times B. But Net CONE times B is not a competitive offer when the expected number of performance assessment intervals is zero or a very small number and the nonperformance charge rate is defined as Net CONE/30. Under these circumstances, a competitive offer, under the logic defined in PJM's capacity performance filing, is net ACR. That is the way in which most market participants offered in this and prior capacity performance auctions.

The FERC approved PJM tariff defines the offer cap as Net CONE times B, rather than including the full logic supporting the definition of the offer cap under the capacity performance paradigm. If the tariff had defined the offer cap consistent with PJM's filing in the capacity performance matter, the offer cap would have been net ACR rather than Net CONE times B.

The MMU is required to identify market issues and to report them to the Commission and to market participants. The Commission decides on any action related to the MMU's findings.

The MMU found serious market structure issues, measured by the three pivotal supplier test results in the PJM Capacity Market in 2018. Explicit market power mitigation rules in the RPM construct only partially offset the underlying market structure issues in the PJM Capacity Market under RPM. In the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, the default offer cap of net CONE times B exceeded the competitive offer for a number of resources. Some seasonal resources were paid additional make whole based on a failure of the market power rules to apply offer capping.

The MMU has identified serious market design issues with RPM and the MMU has made specific recommendations to address those issues.<sup>24</sup> <sup>25</sup> <sup>26</sup> <sup>27</sup> <sup>28</sup> <sup>29</sup> <sup>30</sup> In 2017 and 2018, the MMU prepared a number of RPM related reports and testimony, shown in Table 5-2. The capacity performance modifications to the RPM construct have significantly improved the capacity market and addressed many of the issues identified by the MMU. The MMU will continue to publish more detailed reports on the CP auctions which include more specific issues and suggestions for improvements.

The PJM markets have worked to provide incentives to entry and to retaining capacity. PJM had excess reserves of more than 9,000 MW on June 1, 2018, and will have excess reserves of more than 17,000 MW on June 1, 2019, based on current positions.<sup>31</sup> Capacity investments in PJM were financed by market sources. Of the 30,881.7 MW of additional capacity that cleared in RPM auctions for the 2007/2008 through 2017/2018 delivery years, 22,419.7 MW (72.6 percent) were based on market funding. Of the 13,553.8 MW of additional capacity that cleared in RPM auctions for the 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 delivery years, 11,752.4 MW (86.7 percent) are based on market funding. Those investments were made based on the assumption that markets would be allowed to work and that inefficient units would exit.

The issue of external subsidies emerged more fully in 2017 and 2018. The subsidies are not part of the PJM market design but nonetheless threaten the foundations of the PJM capacity market as well as the competitiveness of PJM markets overall.

The Ohio subsidy proceedings, the Illinois ZEC legislation to subsidize the Quad Cities nuclear power plant, the request in Pennsylvania to subsidize the Three Mile Island nuclear power plant, the New Jersey legislation to subsidize the Salem and Hope Creek nuclear power plants, the potential U.S. DOE proposal to subsidize coal and nuclear power plants, and the request by FirstEnergy to the U.S. DOE for subsidies consistent with the DOE Grid Resilience Proposal, all originate from the fact that competitive markets result in the exit of uneconomic and uncompetitive generating units. Regardless of the specific rationales offered by unit owners, the proposed solution for all such generating units has been to provide out of market subsidies in order to retain such units. The proposed solution in all cases ignores the opportunity cost of subsidizing uneconomic units, which is the displacement of new resources and technologies that would otherwise be economic. These subsidies are not accurately characterized as state subsidies. These subsidies were all requested by the owners of specific uneconomic generating units in order to improve the profitability of those specific units. These subsidies were not requested to accomplish broader social goals. Broader social goals can all be met with market-based mechanisms available to all market participants on a competitive basis and without discrimination.

<sup>24</sup> See "Analysis of the 2017/2018 RPM Base Residual Auction," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/2014/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_2017\_2018\_RPM\_Base\_Residual\_Auction\_20141006.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/2014/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_2017\_2018\_RPM\_Base\_Residual\_Auction\_20141006.pdf</a> (October 6, 2014).

<sup>25</sup> See "Analysis of the 2018/2019 RPM Base Residual Auction Revised," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2016/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20182019\_RPM\_Base\_Residual\_Auction\_20160706.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2016/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20182019\_RPM\_Base\_Residual\_Auction\_20160706.pdf</a>> (July 6, 2016).

<sup>26</sup> See "Analysis of the 2019/2020 RPM Base Residual Auction Revised," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2016/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20192020\_RPM\_BRA\_20160831-Revised.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2016/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20192020\_RPM\_BRA\_20160831-Revised.pdf</a>> (August 31, 2016).

<sup>27</sup> See "Analysis of the 2020/2021 RPM Base Residual Auction," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20202021\_RPM\_BRA\_20171117.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20202021\_RPM\_BRA\_20171117.pdf</a> (November 11, 2017).

<sup>28</sup> See "Analysis of the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction - Revised," <http://www. monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20212022\_RPM\_BRA\_ Revised\_20180824.pdf> (August 24, 2018).

<sup>29</sup> See "Analysis of Replacement Capacity for RPM Commitments: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2016," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2016/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_Replacement\_Capacity\_for\_RPM\_Commitments\_06012007\_to\_06012016\_20161227.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2016/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_Replacement\_Capacity\_for\_RPM\_Commitments\_06012007\_to\_06012016\_20161227.pdf</a>> (December 27, 2016).

<sup>30</sup> See "Analysis of Replacement Capacity for RPM Commitments: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2017," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Report\_on\_Capacity\_Replacement\_Activity\_4\_20171214.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Report\_on\_Capacity\_Replacement\_Activity\_4\_20171214.pdf</a>> (December 14, 2017).

<sup>31</sup> The calculated reserve margin for June 1, 2019, does not account for cleared buy bids that have not been used in replacement capacity transactions.

Subsidies are contagious. Competition in the markets could be replaced by competition to receive subsidies. Similar threats to competitive markets are being discussed by unit owners in other states and the potentially precedential nature of these actions enhances the urgency of creating an effective rule to maintain competitive markets by modifying market rules to address these subsidies.

It is essential that any approach to the PJM markets incorporate a consistent view of how the preferred market design is expected to provide competitive results in a sustainable market design over the long run. A sustainable market design means a market design that results in appropriate incentives to competitive market participants to retire units and to invest in new units over time such that reliability is ensured as a result of the functioning of the market. The MMU calls this approach the Sustainable Market Rule (SMR).

A sustainable competitive wholesale power market must recognize three salient structural elements: state nonmarket revenues for renewable energy; a significant level of generation resources subject to cost of service regulation; and the structure and performance of the existing market based generation fleet.

Subsidies to specific resources that are uneconomic as a result of competition are an effort to reverse market outcomes with no commitment to a regulatory model and no attempt to mitigate negative impacts on competition. The unit specific subsidy model is inconsistent with the PJM market design and inconsistent with the market paradigm and constitutes a significant threat to both.

The existing FRR approach remains an option for utilities with regulated revenues based on cost of service rates, including both privately and publicly owned (including public power entities and electric cooperatives) utilities. Such regulated utilities have had and continue to have the ability to opt out of the capacity market and provide their own capacity.

Given that states have increasingly aggressive renewable energy targets, a core goal of a competitive market design should be to ensure that the resources required to provide reliability receive appropriate competitive market incentives for entry and for ongoing investment and for exit when uneconomic. A significant level of renewable resources, operating with zero or near zero marginal costs, will result in very low energy prices. Since renewable resources are intermittent, the contribution of renewables to meeting reliability targets must be analyzed carefully to ensure that the capacity value is calculated correctly.

In order to attract and retain adequate resources for the reliable operation of the energy market, revenues from PJM energy, ancillary services and capacity markets must be adequate for those resources. That adequacy requires a capacity market. The capacity market plays the essential role of equilibrating the revenues necessary to incent competitive entry and exit of the resources needed for reliability, with the revenues from the energy market that are directly affected by nonmarket sources.

Price suppression below the competitive level in the capacity market should not be acceptable and is not consistent with a competitive market design. Harmonizing means that the integrity of each paradigm is maintained and respected. Harmonizing permits nonmarket resources to have an unlimited impact on energy markets and energy prices. Harmonizing means designing a capacity market to account for these energy market impacts, clearly limiting the impact of nonmarket revenues on the capacity market and ensuring competitive outcomes in the capacity market and thus in the entire market.

The expected impact of the SMR design on the offers and clearing of renewable resources and nuclear plants would be from zero to insignificant. The competitive offers of renewables, based on the net ACR of current technologies, are likely to clear in the capacity market. The competitive offers of nuclear plants, based on net ACR, are likely to clear in the capacity market.

Cost of service resources have the option of using the existing FRR rules, which would allow regulated utilities to opt out of the capacity market. The expected impact of the SMR design on the offers and clearing of regulated cost of service resources that remained in the capacity market would be from zero to insignificant. The competitive offers of these resources, based on net ACR, are likely to clear in the capacity market.

To the extent that there are shared broader goals related to PJM markets, they should also be addressed, but this can happen with a slightly longer lead time. If a shared goal is to reduce carbon output, a price on carbon is the market based solution. If a shared goal is increased renewables in addition to their carbon attributes, a common approach to RECs would be a market based solution. Fuel diversity has also been mentioned as an issue. Current fuel diversity is higher than ever in PJM. If there is an issue, the real issue is fuel security and not fuel diversity. Significant reliance on specific fuels, including nuclear, coal and gas means that markets are at risk from a significant disruption in any one fuel. If fuel security for gas is a concern, a number of issues should be considered including the reliability of the pipelines, the compatibility of the gas pipeline and the merchant generator business models, the degree to which electric generators have truly firm gas service and the need for a gas RTO to help ensure reliability.

As a result of the fact that demand side resources have contributed to price suppression in PJM capacity markets, the place of demand side in PJM should be reexamined. There are ways to ensure and enhance the vibrancy of demand side without negatively affecting markets for generation. There are other price formation issues in the capacity market that should also be examined and addressed.

#### Table 5-2 RPM related MMU reports: 2017 through 2018

Date	Name
January 11, 2017	Replacement Capacity http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MIC_Replacement_Capacity_Report_20170111.pdf
January 24, 2017	Summary of BRA Analysis Results: 2013/2014 - 2019/2020
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_BRA_Scenario_Results_Summary_20170124.pdf
January 30, 2017	IMM Answer re Amended Calpine MOPR Complaint Docket No. EL16-49-000
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Answer_Docket_No_EL16-49_20170130.pdf
February 13, 2017	IMM Answer re Base Capacity Complaint Docket Nos. EL17-32 and EL17-36
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Answer_Docket_Nos_EL17-32_EL17-36_20170213.pdf
February 24, 2017	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2017/2018, 2018/2019 and 2019/2020 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/RPM_Must_Offer_Obligation_20170224.pdf
March 1, 2017	Incremental Auction Review
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_IASTF_Incremental_Auction_Review_20170301.pdf
May 11, 2017	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/RPM_Material/RPM_Must_Offer_Obligation_20170509.pdf
June 27, 2017	MMU Incremental Auction Recommendation - Package B
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_IASTF_MMU_Package_B_Summary_20170627.pdf
June 27, 2017	Replacement Capacity Issues
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_IASTF_Replacement_Capacity_Issues_20170627.pdf
August 30, 2017	IMM Answer re IMM MOPR Exemption Complaint Docket No. EL17-82
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Answer_Docket_No_EL17-82_20170830.pdf
August 30, 2017	Incremental Auction Design Changes, Package B
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_IASTF_Package_B_Executive_Summary_20170830.pdf
September 5, 2017	IMM Comments re PJM Deficiency Letter Compliance Docket No. ER17-775-002
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Comments_Docket_No_ER17-775-002_20170905.pdf
September 8, 2017	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/RPM_Material/RPM_Must_Offer_Obligation_20170509.pdf
September 11, 2017	IMM CCPPSTF Proposal http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_CCPPSTF_Proposal_20170911.pdf
September 12, 2017	IMM Answer re Pleasants Transfer Docket No. EC17-88
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Answer_Docket_No_EC17-88_20170912.pdf
October 17, 2017	Revised IMM MOPR-Ex Proposal for CCPPSTF
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_Letter_CCPPSTF_IM_%20Proposal_Summary_Revised_20171017.pdf
November 2, 2017	IMM MOPR-Ex Proposal for the CCPPSTF
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_CCPPSTF_Proposal_Summary_Revised_20171103.pdf
November 12, 2017	IMM MOPR-Ex Proposal for the CCPPSTF
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_CCPPSTF_Proposal_Summary_Revised_3_Redline_20171112.pdf
November 14, 2017	IMM Answer re MOPR Reforms Docket No. ER13-535
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Answer_Docket_No_ER13-535_20171114.pdf
November 17, 2017	Analysis of 2020/2021 RPM Base Residual Auction
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Analysis_of_the_20202021_RPM_BRA_20171117.pdf
December 12, 2017	IMM MOPR-Ex RPS Status
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MRC_Special_Session_MOPR-Ex_RPS_Status_20171212.pdf
December 12, 2017	IMM MOPR-Ex Proposal Language - Revised
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MRC_Special_Session_MOPR_Ex_Proposal_Language_Revised_20171212.pdf
December 14, 2017	Analysis of Replacement Capacity for RPM Commitments: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2017
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM_Report_on_Capacity_Replacement_Activity_4_20171214.pdf
December 21, 2017	MOPR-Ex Proposal Language Revised - 2
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MOPR-Ex_Proposal_Language_Revised_2_2017121.pdf

Date	Name
December 21, 2017	MOPR-Ex Proposal Language - Revised 3
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MOPR-Ex_Proposal_Language_Revised_3_20171213.pdf
December 21, 2017	IMM MOPR-Ex RPS Status Revisions
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MRC_MOPR-Ex_RPS_Status_Revisions_20171214.pdf
December 21, 2017	MOPR-Ex Proposal
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2017/IMM_MRC_MOPR-Ex_Proposal_20171221.pdf
December 22, 2017	IMM Parameter Limited Schedule Matrix (Annual)
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/IMM_Parameter_Limited_Schedule_Market_Notice_20171222.pdf
December 27, 2017	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/RPM_Must_Offer_Obligations_20171227.pdf
January 19, 2018	Analysis of Replacement Capacity for RPM Commitments http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2018/IMM_IASTF_Analysis_
	of_Replacement_Capacity_for_RPM_Commitments_20180119.pdf
January 25, 2018	MOPR-Ex Main Motion http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2018/IMM_MRC_MOPR-Ex_Main_Motion_20180125.pdf
January 25, 2018	MOPR-Ex Alternate Proposal
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January 25, 2018	MOPP-EX Memo http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2018/IMM_MRC_MOPR-Ex_Memo_20180125.pdf
February 23, 2018	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 Delivery Years
20,2010	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/RPM_Material/IMM_Notice_RPM_Must_Offer_Obligations_20180223.pdf
March 9, 2018	Generation Additions and Retirements in the PJM Capacity Market: MW and Funding Sources http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/
Warch 5, 2010	Reports/2018/IMM_Generation_Additions_and_Retirements_in_the_PJM_Capacity_Market_20180309.pdf
April 11, 2018	IMM Comments re Base Capacity Complaint Docket Nos. EL17-32 and EL17-36
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M 0.0010	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/2018/IMM_Comments_Docket_No_EL17-32_EL17-36_20180411.pdf
May 9, 2018	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/IMM_Notice_RPM_Must_Offer_Obligations_20180509.pdf
June 1, 2018	IMM CONE CT Study Results http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2018/IMM_MIC_Quadrennial_Review_Special_Session_
	CONE_CT_Study_Results_20180601.pdf
June 7, 2018	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/IMM_Notice_RPM_Must_Offer_Obligations_20180706.pdf
June 13, 2018	IMM Post Technical Conf. Comments re Base Capacity Complaint Docket No. EL17-31, -36
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Post_Tech_Conf_Comments_Docket_No_EL17-3236_20180713.pdf
June 22, 2018	IMM CONE CT Study Results http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Presentations/2018/IMM_MIC_Quadrennial_Review_Special_Session_
	CONE_CT_Study_Results_20180601.pdf
August 24, 2018	Analysis of the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction - Revised
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM_Analysis_of_the_20212022_RPM_BRA_Revised_20180824.pdf
August 24, 2018	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 Delivery Years (PDF
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/IMM_Notice_RPM_Must_Offer_Obligations_20180824.pdf
September 26, 2018	MOPR/FRR Sensitivity Analyses of the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM_MOPR_FRR_Sensitivity_Analyses_Report_20180926.pdf
October 2, 2018	IMM Brief re Capacity Market Investigation Docket Nos. EL16-49-000,ER18-1314-000,-001, EL18-178
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Brief_Docket_No_EL16-49_EL18-178_ER18-1314_20181002.pdf
October 22, 2018	IMM Comments re NJ ZECs Docket No. EO18080899
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Comments_Docket_No_E018080899_20181022.pdf
October 23, 2018	IMM Notice of Withdrawal re Fairless MOPR Docket No. EL17-82
000001 23, 2010	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Notice_of_Withdrawal_Docket_No_EL17-82_20181023.pdf
October 31, 2018	IMM Summary of Position re Capacity Market Investigation Docket Nos. EL18-178, ER18-1314-000,-001, EL16-49
000001 31, 2010	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Summary_of_Position_Docket_NoEL18-178_ER18-1314_EL16-49.pdf
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November 6, 2018	IMM Brief re Capacity Market Investigation Docket Nos. EL18-178, ER18-1314-000,-001, EL16-49
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Reply_Brief_Docket_No_EL18-178_ER18-1314-000_001_EL16-49_20181106.pdf
November 19, 2018	IMM Protest re Quadrennial Review Docket No. ER19-105
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Protest_Docket_No_ER19-105_20181119.pdf
November 19, 2018	IMM Protest re Maintenance Adders Docket No. ER19-210
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Protest_Docket_No_ER19-210_20181119.pdf
December 21, 2018	IMM Answer and Motion for Leave to Answer re VOM Complaint and Maintenance Adder Docket No. EL19-8, ER19-210
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/Filings/2018/IMM_Answer_Docket_Nos_EL19-8_ER19-210_20181221.pdf
December 31, 2018	Generation Capacity Resources in PJM Region Subject to RPM Must Offer Obligation for 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 Delivery Years
	http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Market_Messages/Messages/RPM_Must_Offer_Obligation_20181231.pdf

## Table 5-2 RPM related MMU reports: 2017 through 2018 (continued)

# **Installed Capacity**

On January 1, 2018, RPM installed capacity was 183,882.4 MW (Table 5-3).<sup>32</sup> Over the next twelve months, new generation, unit deactivations, facility reratings, plus import and export shifts resulted in RPM installed capacity of 185,951.7 MW on December 31, 2018, an increase of 2,069.3 MW or 1.1 percent from the January 1 level.<sup>33 34</sup> The 2,069.3 MW increase was the result of new or reactivated generation (8,381.6 MW), a decrease in exports (224.9 MW), and uprates (526.3 MW), offset by deactivations (5,596.9 MW), a decrease in imports (1,323.3 MW), and derates (143.3 MW).

At the beginning of the new delivery year on June 1, 2018, RPM installed capacity was 183,386.2 MW, a decrease of 1,658.3 MW or 0.9 percent from the May 31, 2018 level.

Table 5-3 Installed capacity (By fuel source): January 1, May 31, June 1, and December 31, 2018

	01-Jan	-18	31-Ma	y-18	01-Jun	-18	31-Dec	-18
	MW	Percent	MW	Percent	MW	Percent	MW	Percent
Coal	65,144.0	35.4%	64,992.8	35.1%	61,033.1	33.3%	60,763.4	32.7%
Gas	67,811.4	36.9%	69,256.9	37.4%	71,241.8	38.8%	74,716.8	40.2%
Hydroelectric	8,856.2	4.8%	8,819.0	4.8%	8,888.2	4.8%	8,888.2	4.8%
Nuclear	33,163.5	18.0%	33,242.2	18.0%	33,292.2	18.2%	32,684.5	17.6%
Oil	6,587.2	3.6%	6,429.4	3.5%	6,388.2	3.5%	6,388.2	3.4%
Solar	374.0	0.2%	374.0	0.2%	589.1	0.3%	640.0	0.3%
Solid waste	809.4	0.4%	786.4	0.4%	795.3	0.4%	712.3	0.4%
Wind	1,136.7	0.6%	1,143.8	0.6%	1,158.3	0.6%	1,158.3	0.6%
Total	183,882.4	100.0%	185,044.5	100.0%	183,386.2	100.0%	185,951.7	100.0%

33 Unless otherwise specified, the capacity described in this section is the summer installed capacity rating of all PJM generation capacity resources, as entered into the eRPM system, regardless of whether the capacity cleared in the RPM auctions. Figure 5-1 shows the share of installed capacity by fuel source for the first day of each delivery year, from June

1, 2007, to June 1, 2018, as well as the expected installed

capacity for the next three delivery years, based on the

results of all auctions held through December 31, 2018.<sup>35</sup>

On June 1, 2007, coal comprised 40.7 percent of the

installed capacity, reached a maximum of 42.9 percent

in 2012, decreased to 33.3 percent on June 1, 2018 and

is projected to decrease to 28.2 percent by June 1, 2021.

The share of gas increased from 29.1 percent in 2007 to

38.9 percent in 2018 and is projected to increase to 50.3

percent in 2021.

<sup>32</sup> Percent values shown in Table 5-3 are based on unrounded, underlying data and may differ from calculations based on the rounded values in the tables.

<sup>34</sup> Wind resources accounted for 1,158.3 MW, and solar resources accounted for 640.0 MW of installed capacity in PJM on December 31, 2018. PJM administratively reduces the capabilities of all wind generators to 14.7 percent for wind farms in mountainous terrain and 17.6 percent for wind farms in open terrain, and solar generators to 42.0 percent for ground mounted fixed panel, 60.0 percent for ground mounted tracking panel, and 38.0 percent for other than ground mounted solar arrays, of nameplate capacity when determining the installed capacity because wind and solar resources cannot be assumed to be available on peak and cannot respond to dispatch requests. As data become available, unforced capability of wind and solar resources will be calculated using actual data. There are additional wind and solar resources not reflected to tal capacity because they are energy only resources and do not participate in the PJM Capacity Market. See "PJM Manual 21: Rules and Procedures for Determination of Generating Capability," § Appendix B: Calculating Capacity Values for Wind and Solar Capacity Resources, Rev. 12 (Jan. 1, 2017).

<sup>35</sup> Due to EFORd values not being finalized for future delivery years, the projected installed capacity is based on cleared unforced capacity (UCAP) MW using the EFORd submitted with the offer.

# Figure 5-1 Percent of installed capacity (By fuel source): June 1, 2007 through June 1, 2021

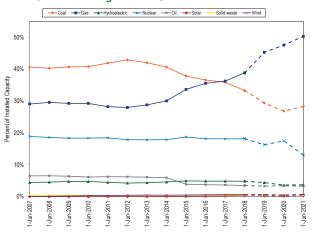


Table 5-4 shows the RPM installed capacity on January 1, 2018, through December 31, 2018, for the top five generation capacity resource owners, excluding FRR committed MW.

# Table 5-4 Installed capacity by parent company:January 1, May 31, June 1, and December 31, 2018

capacity on January 1, 2018, to December 31, 2018, by funding type.

# **Fuel Diversity**

Figure 5-2 shows the fuel diversity index (FDI) for RPM installed capacity.<sup>36</sup> The FDI<sub>a</sub> is defined as  $1 - \sum_{i=1}^{N} s_i^2$ , where  $s_i$  is the percent share of fuel type *i*. The minimum possible value for the FDI is zero, corresponding to all capacity from a single fuel type. The maximum possible value for the FDI is achieved when each fuel type has an equal share of capacity. For a capacity mix of eight fuel types, the maximum achievable index is 0.875. The fuel type categories used in the calculation of the FDI are the eight fuel sources in Table 5-3. The FDI is stable and does not exhibit any long-term trends. The only significant deviation occurred with the expansion of the PJM footprint. On April 1, 2002, PJM expanded with the addition of Allegheny Power System, which added about 12,000 MW of generation.<sup>37</sup> The reduction in the FDI resulted from an increase in coal capacity resources. A similar but more significant reduction occurred in 2004

	01	-Jan-18		31	-May-18		01	-Jun-18		30-Sep-18			31-Dec-18		
		Percent			Percent			Percent			Percent			Percent	
	ICAP	of Total		ICAP	of Total		ICAP	of Total		ICAP	of Total		ICAP	of Total	
Parent Company	(MW)	ICAP	Rank	(MW)	ICAP	Rank	(MW)	ICAP	Rank	(MW)	ICAP	Rank	(MW)	ICAP	Rank
Exelon Corporation	23,426.0	13.9%	1	23,423.1	13.8%	1	23,426.8	13.9%	1	22,819.1	13.4%	1	22,819.1	13.3%	1
Dominion Resources, Inc.	21,098.5	12.5%	2	20,467.3	12.0%	2	20,610.8	12.2%	2	20,527.8	12.1%	2	19,851.9	11.6%	2
FirstEnergy Corp.	15,840.6	9.4%	3	14,959.5	8.8%	4	14,943.3	8.9%	3	14,651.9	8.6%	3	14,644.0	8.5%	3
NRG Energy, Inc.	15,756.5	9.3%	4	15,745.0	9.3%	3	13,937.3	8.3%	4	13,810.5	8.1%	4	5,116.5	3.0%	10
Dynegy Inc.	12,307.4	7.3%	5												
Talen Energy Corporation	11,527.7	6.8%	6	11,121.2	6.5%	6	10,959.3	6.5%	6	10,959.3	6.4%	6	10,959.3	6.4%	5
Vistra Energy Corp.				13,388.2	7.9%	5	12,115.0	7.2%	5	12,133.3	7.1%	5	12,082.3	7.0%	4

Table 5–5 Installed capacity by funding type: January 1, May 31, June 1, and December 31, 2018

	01-Ja	n-18	31-M	ay-18	01-Ju	n-18	31-Dec-18		
		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of	
Funding Type	ICAP (MW)	Total ICAP							
Market	151,193.8	82.2%	152,037.2	82.2%	150,108.7	81.9%	153,668.5	82.6%	
Nonmarket	32,688.6	17.8%	33,007.3	17.8%	33,277.5	18.1%	32,283.2	17.4%	
Total	183,882.4	100.0%	185,044.5	100.0%	183,386.2	100.0%	185,951.7	100.0%	

The sources of funding for generation owners can be categorized as one of two types: market and nonmarket. Market funding is from private investors bearing the investment risk without guarantees or support from any public sources, subsidies or guaranteed payment by ratepayers. Providers of market funding rely entirely on market revenues. Nonmarket funding is from guaranteed revenues, including cost of service rates for a regulated utility and subsidies. Table 5-5 shows the RPM installed

37 On April 1, 2002, the PJM Region expanded with the addition of Allegheny Power System under a set of agreements known as "PJM-West." See page 4 in the 2002 State of the Market Report for PJM for additional details.

<sup>36</sup> Monitoring Analytics developed the FDI to provide an objective metric of fuel diversity. The FDI metric is similar to the HHI used to measure market concentration. The FDI is calculated separately for energy output and for installed capacity.

with the expansion into the ComEd, AEP, and Dayton Power & Light control zones.<sup>38</sup> The average FDI<sub>c</sub> for 2018 decreased 0.3 percent from 2017. Figure 5-2 also includes the expected FDI<sub>c</sub> through June 2021 based on cleared RPM auctions. The expected FDI<sub>c</sub> is indicated in Figure 5-2 by the dashed orange line.

The FDI<sub>c</sub> was used to measure the impact of potential retirements of resources that the MMU has identified as being at risk of retirement. There were 18 capacity resources with installed capacity totaling 14,954 MW identified as being at risk of retirement. The dashed green line in Figure 5-2 shows the FDI<sub>c</sub> calculated assuming that the capacity from these 18 resources that has cleared in a RPM auction is replaced by gas generation. The FDI<sub>c</sub> under these assumptions would decrease by 0.018 (2.6 percent) on average from the expected FDI<sub>c</sub> for the period January 1, 2019, through June 1, 2021.





# **RPM Capacity Market**

The RPM Capacity Market, implemented June 1, 2007, is a forward-looking, annual, locational market, with a must-offer requirement for Existing Generation Capacity Resources and mandatory participation by load, with performance incentives, that includes clear market power mitigation rules and that permits the direct participation of demand-side resources.

38 See the 2018 State of the Market Report for PJM, Volume 2, Appendix A, "PJM Geography" for an explanation of the expansion of the PJM footprint. The integration of the ComEd Control Area occurred in May 2004 and the integration of the AEP and Dayton control zones occurred in October 2004. Annual base auctions are held in May for delivery years that are three years in the future. Effective January 31, 2010, First, Second, and Third Incremental Auctions are conducted 20, 10, and three months prior to the delivery year.<sup>39</sup> In 2018, the 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction, the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, the 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction, and the 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction were conducted.

# Market Structure

## Supply

Table 5-6 shows generation capacity changes since the implementation of the Reliability Pricing Model through the 2017/2018 Delivery Year. The 19,726.8 MW increase was the result of new generation capacity resources (23,479.1 MW), reactivated generation capacity resources (971.0 MW), uprates (6,431.6 MW), integration of external zones (18,109.0 MW), a net increase in capacity imports (3,545.5 MW), a net decrease in capacity exports (2,519.2 MW), offset by deactivations (31,959.6 MW) and derates (3,369.0 MW).

Table 5-7 shows the calculated RPM reserve margin and reserve in excess of the defined installed reserve margin (IRM) for June 1, 2016, through June 1, 2021, and accounts for cleared capacity, replacement capacity, and deficiency MW for all auctions held and the final peak load forecast for the given delivery year. The completion of the replacement process using cleared buy bids from RPM incremental auctions includes two transactions. The first step is for the entity to submit and clear a buy bid in an RPM incremental auction. The next step is for the entity to complete a separate replacement transaction using the cleared buy bid capacity. The calculated reserve margins for June 1, 2019, and June 1, 2020, do not account for cleared buy bids that have not been used in replacement capacity transactions. Without an approved early replacement transaction requested for defined physical reasons, replacement capacity transactions can be completed only after the EFORds for the delivery year are finalized, on November 30 in the year prior to the delivery year, but before the start of the delivery day.

<sup>39</sup> See PJM Interconnection, LLC., Letter Order in Docket No. ER10-366-000 (January 22, 2010).

#### Future Changes in Generation Capacity<sup>40</sup>

As shown in Table 5-6, for the period from the introduction of the RPM capacity market design in the 2007/2008 Delivery Year through the 2017/2018 Delivery Year, internal installed capacity decreased by 4,446.9 MW after accounting for new capacity resources, reactivations, and uprates (30,881.7 MW) and capacity deactivations and derates (35,328.6 MW).

For the current and future delivery years (2018/2019 through 2021/2022), new generation capacity is defined as capacity that cleared an RPM auction for the first time in the specified DY. Looking ahead, based on expected completion rates of cleared new generation capacity (10,654.1 MW) and pending deactivations (10,950.2 MW), PJM capacity is expected to decrease by 296.1 MW for the 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 Delivery Years.

# Table 5-6 Generation capacity changes: 2007/2008 to 2018/2019

New generation capacity from the 2007/2008 DY through the 2017/2018 DY totaled 23,479.1 MW (76.0 percent of all additions), with 16,450.0 MW from market funding and 7,029.1 MW from nonmarket funding. Reactivated generation capacity from the 2007/2008 DY through the 2017/2018 DY totaled 971.0 MW (3.1 percent of all additions), with 896.0 MW from market funding and 75.0 MW from nonmarket funding. Uprates to existing generation capacity from the 2007/2008 DY through the 2017/2018 DY totaled 6,431.6 MW (20.8 percent of all additions), with 5,073.7 MW from market funding and 1,357.9 MW from nonmarket funding. In summary, of the 30,881.7 MW of additional capacity from new, reactivated, and uprated generation that cleared in RPM auctions for the 2007/2008 through 2017/2018 delivery years, 22,419.7 MW (72.6 percent) were based on market funding.

Of the 8,159.3 MW of the additional generation capacity (new resources, reactivated resources, and uprates) that

					ICAP	(MW)				
						Net Change	Net Change			
	Total at					in Capacity	in Capacity			
	June 1	New	Reactivations	Uprates	Integration	Imports	Exports	Deactivations	Derates	Net Change
2007/2008	163,659.4	372.8	156.8	1,238.1	0.0	(96.7)	143.9	389.5	617.8	519.8
2008/2009	164,179.2	812.9	6.3	1,108.9	0.0	871.1	(1,702.9)	615.0	612.4	3,274.7
2009/2010	167,453.9	188.1	13.0	370.4	0.0	68.6	735.9	472.4	171.2	(739.4)
2010/2011	166,714.5	1,751.2	16.0	587.3	11,821.6	187.2	(427.0)	1,439.2	286.9	13,064.2
2011/2012	179,778.7	3,095.0	138.0	553.8	3,607.4	262.7	(1,374.5)	2,758.5	313.0	5,959.9
2012/2013	185,738.6	266.4	79.0	364.5	2,680.0	841.8	(17.3)	4,152.1	267.6	(170.7)
2013/2014	185,567.9	264.7	20.9	397.9	0.0	2,217.2	21.6	4,027.7	421.9	(1,570.5)
2014/2015	183,997.4	3,036.0	0.0	480.4	0.0	859.1	73.3	11,442.9	221.0	(7,361.7)
2015/2016	176,635.7	5,497.8	0.0	409.0	0.0	787.6	285.1	863.4	156.4	5,389.5
2016/2017	182,025.2	2,537.8	537.0	589.8	0.0	(1,011.1)	(36.4)	1,447.3	167.8	1,074.8
2017/2018	183,100.0	5,656.4	4.0	331.5	0.0	(1,442.0)	(220.9)	4,351.6	133.0	286.2
2018/2019	183,386.2									
Total		23,479.1	971.0	6,431.6	18,109.0	3,545.5	(2,519.2)	31,959.6	3,369.0	19,726.8

### Sources of Funding<sup>41</sup>

Developers use a variety of sources to fund their projects, including Power Purchase Agreements (PPA), cost of service rates, and private funds (from internal sources or private lenders and investors). PPAs can be used for a variety of purposes and the use of a PPA does not imply a specific source of funding. cleared in RPM auctions for the 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 delivery years, that are not yet in service, 6,536.3 MW have market funding and 1,623.0 MW have nonmarket funding. Applying the historical completion rates, 4,045.8 MW, or 61.9 percent, of the market funded projects are expected to go into service. Similarly, 1,163.2 MW, or 71.7 percent, of nonmarket funded projects are expected to go into service. Together, 5,209.1 MW, or 63.8 percent, of new generation capacity that cleared MW in RPM and are not yet in service are expected to go into service through the 2021/2022 Delivery Year.

Of the 5,394.5 MW of the additional generation capacity that cleared in RPM auctions for the 2018/2019

<sup>40</sup> For more details on future changes in generation capacity, see "Generation Additions and Retirements in the PJM Capacity Market: MW and Funding Sources for Delivery Years 2007/2008 through 2020/2021," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM\_ Generation\_Additions\_and\_Retirements\_in\_the\_PJM\_Capacity\_Market\_20180309.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM\_ Generation\_Additions\_and\_Retirements\_in\_the\_PJM\_Capacity\_Market\_20180309.pdf</a>> (March 9. 2018).

<sup>41</sup> For more details on sources of funding for generation capacity, see "Generation Additions and Retirements in the PJM Capacity Market: MW and Funding Sources for Delivery Years 2007/2008 through 2020/2021," <<a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM\_ Generation\_Additions\_and\_Retirements\_in\_the\_PJM\_Capacity\_Market\_20180309.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM\_ Generation\_Additions\_and\_Retirements\_in\_the\_PJM\_Capacity\_Market\_20180309.pdf</a>> (March 9, 2018).

through 2021/2022 delivery years and are already in service, 5,216.1 MW (96.7 percent) are based on market funding. In summary, 11,752.4 MW (86.7 percent) of the additional generation capacity (5,216.1 MW in service and 6,536.3 MW not yet in service) that cleared in RPM auctions for the 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 delivery years are based on market funding. Capacity additions based on nonmarket funding are 1,801.4 MW (13.3 percent) of proposed generation that cleared at least one RPM auction for the 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 delivery years.

Table 5-7 RPM reserve margin: June 1, 2016 to June 1, 2021<sup>42 43</sup>

- Non-PJM EDC Marketing Affiliate. Affiliate companies of non-PJM EDCs that sell power and have load obligations in PJM, but do not own generating resources.
- Non-EDC Generating Affiliate. Affiliate companies of non-EDCs that own generating resources.
- Non-EDC Marketing Affiliate. Affiliate companies of non-EDCs that sell power and have load obligations in PJM, but do not own generating resources.

On June 1, 2018 PJM EDCs and their affiliates maintained a large market share of load obligations

	Generation									Reserve	Margin	Projected	
	and DR RPM									in Exces	s of IRM	Replacement	
	Committed Less		FRR				Pool Wide	Generation and DR				Capacity using	Projected
	Deficiency UCAP	Forecast	Peak		RPM Peak		Average	RPM Committed Less	Reserve		ICAP	<b>Cleared Buy Bids</b>	Reserve
	(MW)	Peak Load	Load	PRD	Load	IRM	EFORd	Deficiency ICAP (MW)	Margin	Percent	(MW)	UCAP (MW)	Margin
01-Jun-16	160,883.3	152,356.6	12,511.6	0.0	139,845.0	16.4%	5.91%	170,988.7	22.3%	5.9%	8,209.2	0.0	22.3%
01-Jun-17	163,872.0	153,230.1	12,837.5	0.0	140,392.6	16.6%	5.94%	174,220.7	24.1%	7.5%	10,522.9	0.0	24.1%
01-Jun-18	161,242.6	152,407.9	12,732.9	0.0	139,675.0	16.1%	6.07%	171,662.5	22.9%	6.8%	9,499.8	0.0	22.9%
01-Jun-19	167,892.2	151,643.5	12,284.2	0.0	139,359.3	16.0%	6.08%	178,760.9	28.3%	12.3%	17,104.1	3,988.8	25.2%
01-Jun-20	165,943.4	152,245.4	12,065.2	558.0	139,622.2	15.9%	5.97%	176,479.2	26.4%	10.5%	14,657.1	3,446.6	23.8%
01-Jun-21	160,795.3	152,647.4	12,107.1	510.0	140,030.3	15.8%	5.89%	170,858.9	22.0%	6.2%	8,703.8	0.0	22.0%

# Demand

The MMU analyzed market sectors in the PJM Capacity Market to determine how they met their load obligations. The PJM Capacity Market was divided into the following sectors:

- PJM EDC. EDCs with a franchise service territory within the PJM footprint. This sector includes traditional utilities, electric cooperatives, municipalities and power agencies.
- PJM EDC Generating Affiliate. Affiliate companies of PJM EDCs that own generating resources.
- PJM EDC Marketing Affiliate. Affiliate companies of PJM EDCs that sell power and have load obligations in PJM, but do not own generating resources.
- Non-PJM EDC. EDCs with franchise service territories outside the PJM footprint.
- Non-PJM EDC Generating Affiliate. Affiliate companies of non-PJM EDCs that own generating resources.

under RPM, together totaling 59.8 percent (Table 5-8), down from 63.6 percent on June 1, 2017. The combined market share of LSEs not affiliated with any EDC and of non-PJM EDC affiliates was 40.2 percent, up from 36.4 percent on June 1, 2017. The share of capacity market load obligation fulfilled by PJM EDCs and their affiliates, and LSEs not affiliated with any EDC and non-PJM EDC affiliates from June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2018 is shown in Figure 5-3. PJM EDCs' and their affiliates' share of load obligation has decreased from 77.5 percent on June 1, 2007, to 59.8 percent on June 1, 2018. The share of load obligation held by LSEs not affiliated with any EDC and non-PJM EDC affiliates increased from 22.5 percent on June 1, 2007, to 40.2 percent on June 1, 2018. Prior to the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, obligation was defined as cleared and make whole MW in the Base Residual Auction and the Second Incremental Auction plus ILR forecast obligations. Effective with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, obligation is defined as the sum of the unforced capacity obligations satisfied through all RPM auctions for the delivery year.

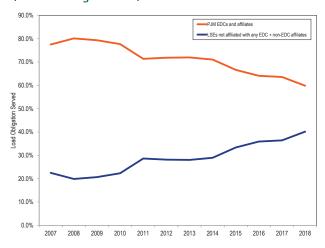
<sup>42</sup> The calculated reserve margins in this table do not include EE on the supply side or the EE add back on the demand side. The EE excluded from the supply side for this calculation includes annual EE and summer EE. This is how PJM calculates the reserve margin.

<sup>43</sup> These reserve margin calculations do not consider Fixed Resource Requirement (FRR) load.

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		Obligation (MW)									
		PJM EDC	PJM EDC	Non-PJM EDC	Non-PJM EDC	Non-EDC	Non-EDC				
	PJM	Generating	Marketing	Generating	Marketing	Generating	Marketing				
	EDCs	Affiliates	Affiliates	Affiliates	Affiliates	Affiliates	Affiliates	Total			
Obligation	50,211.2	32,092.5	24,393.1	6,719.4	12,183.7	37,165.1	15,549.5	178,314.4			
Percent of total obligation	28.2%	18.0%	13.7%	3.8%	6.8%	20.8%	8.7%	100.0%			

 Table 5-8 Capacity market load obligation served: June 1, 2018

Figure 5-3 Capacity market load obligation served: June 1, 2007 through June 1, 2018



#### Capacity Transfer Rights (CTRs)

Capacity Transfer Rights (CTRs) are used to return capacity market congestion revenues to load. Load pays for the transmission system through firm transmission charges and pays for congestion. Capacity market congestion revenues are the difference between the total dollars paid by load for capacity and the total dollars received by capacity market sellers. The MW of CTRs available for allocation to LSEs in an LDA is equal to the Unforced Capacity imported into the LDA, based on the results of the Base Residual Auction and Incremental Auctions, less any MW of CETL paid for directly by market participants in the form of Qualifying Transmission Upgrades (QTUs) cleared in an RPM Auction and Incremental Capacity Transfer Rights (ICTRs). There are two types of ICTRs, those allocated to a New Service Customer obligated to fund a transmission facility or upgrade and those associated with Incremental Rights-Eligible Required Transmission Enhancements.

For LDAs in which the RPM auctions for a delivery year resulted in a positive average weighted Locational Price Adder, an LSE with CTRs corresponding to the LDA is entitled to a payment or charge equal to the Locational Price Adder multiplied by the MW of the LSEs' CTRs. In the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, EMAAC had 4,352.6 MW of CTRs with a total value of \$40,877,295, PSEG had 4,990.5 MW of CTRs with a total value of \$70,238,159, ATSI had 6,402.8 MW of CTRs with a total value of \$73,219,252, ComEd had 1,527.9 MW of CTRs with a total value of \$30,978,820, and BGE had 5,125.6 MW of CTRs with a total value of \$112,812,971.

EMAAC had 40.0 MW of customer funded ICTRs with a total value of \$375,658, PSEG had 41.0 MW of customer funded ICTRs with a total value of \$577,050, BGE had 65.7 MW of customer funded ICTRs with a total value of \$6,734,907, and ComEd had 1,097.0 MW of customer funded ICTRs with a total value of \$22,242,498.

EMAAC had 948.0 MW of ICTRs due to Incremental Rights-Eligible Required Transmission Enhancements with a value of \$8,903,095. PSEG had 499.4 MW of ICTRs due to Incremental Rights-Eligible Required Transmission Enhancements with a value of \$7,605,806. BGE had 306.0 MW of ICTRs due to Incremental Rights-Eligible Required Transmission Enhancements with a value of \$8,180,931.

# Market Concentration

#### Auction Market Structure

As shown in Table 5-9, in the 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction, the 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction, the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, and the 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction all participants in the total PJM market as well as the LDA RPM markets failed the three pivotal supplier (TPS).<sup>44</sup> Offer caps were applied to all sell offers for resources which were subject to mitigation when the capacity market seller did not pass the test, the submitted sell offer exceeded the defined offer cap, and

<sup>44</sup> The market definition used for the TPS test includes all offers with costs less than or equal to 1.50 times the clearing price. See MMU Technical Reference for PJM Markets, at "Three Pivotal Supplier Test" for additional discussion.

the submitted sell offer, absent mitigation, increased the market clearing price.<sup>45 46 47</sup>

In applying the market structure test, the relevant supply for the RTO market includes all supply offered at less than or equal to 150 percent of the RTO cost-based clearing price. The relevant supply for the constrained LDA markets includes the incremental supply inside the constrained LDAs which was offered at a price higher than the unconstrained clearing price for the parent LDA market and less than or equal to 150 percent of the cost-based clearing price for the constrained LDA. The relevant demand consists of the MW needed inside the LDA to relieve the constraint.

Table 5-9 presents the results of the TPS test. A generation owner or owners are pivotal if the capacity of the owners' generation facilities is needed to meet the demand for capacity. The results of the TPS are measured by the residual supply index (RSIx). The RSIx is a general measure that can be used with any number of pivotal suppliers. The subscript denotes the number of pivotal suppliers included in the test. If the RSIx is less than or equal to 1.0, the supply owned by the specific generation owner, or owners, is needed to meet market demand and the generation owners are pivotal suppliers with a significant ability to influence market prices. If the RSIx is greater than 1.0, the supply of the specific generation owner or owners is not needed to meet market demand and those generation owners have a reduced ability to unilaterally influence market price.

# Table 5-9 RSI results: 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 RPM Auctions<sup>48</sup>

			T ( )	F 1   DCI
	DCI	DCI	Total	Failed RSI <sub>3</sub>
RPM Markets	RSI <sub>1, 1.05</sub>	KSI₃	Participants	Participants
2018/2019 Base Residual Auction	0.01	0.05	105	105
RTO	0.81	0.65	125	125
EMAAC	0.59	0.16	12	12
ComEd	1.11	0.02	4	4
2018/2019 First Incremental Auction				
RTO	0.51	0.23	32	32
EMAAC	0.00	0.00	2	2
ComEd	0.00	0.00	1	1
2018/2019 Second Incremental Auction				
RTO	0.64	0.87	44	9
EMAAC	0.04	0.06	5	5
	0.23	0.00	5	
2018/2019 Third Incremental Auction				
RTO	0.88	0.65	71	71
EMAAC	0.00	0.00	3	3
	0.00	0.00	5	
2019/2020 Base Residual Auction				
RTO	0.81	0.66	131	131
EMAAC	0.79	0.23	6	6
ComEd	0.74	0.12	6	6
BGE	0.00	0.00	1	1
2019/2020 First Incremental Auction	0.02	0.50	F.2	
RTO	0.63	0.50	53	53
EMAAC	0.00	0.00	5	5
2019/2020 Second Incremental Auction				
RTO	0.61	0.48	38	38
BGE	0.00	0.00	1	1
2020/2021 Base Residual Auction				
RTO	0.81	0.69	119	119
MAAC	0.67	0.77	24	24
EMAAC	0.45	0.18	21	21
ComEd	0.47	0.20	14	14
DEOK	0.00	0.00	1	1
2020/2021 First Incremental Auction				
RTO	0.47	0.42	47	47
2021/2022 Base Residual Auction	0.07	0.05		
RTO	0.80	0.68	122	122
EMAAC	0.71	0.22	14	14
PSEG	0.20	0.01	5	5
ATSI	0.01	0.00	2	2
ComEd	0.08	0.02	5	5
BGE	0.23	0.00	3	3

#### Locational Deliverability Areas (LDAs)

Under the PJM Tariff, PJM determines, in advance of each BRA, whether defined Locational Deliverability Areas (LDAs) will be modeled in the auction. Effective with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, an LDA is modeled as a potentially constrained LDA for a Delivery Year if the Capacity Emergency Transfer Limit (CETL) is less than

<sup>45</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 6.5.

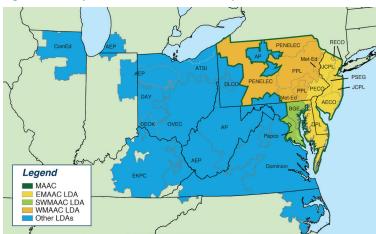
<sup>46</sup> Prior to November 1, 2009, existing DR and EE resources were subject to market power mitigation in RPM Auctions. See 129 FERC ¶ 61,081 at P 30 (2009).

<sup>47</sup> Effective January 31, 2011, the RPM rules related to market power mitigation were changed, including revising the definition for planned generation capacity resource and creating a new definition for existing generation capacity resource for purposes of the must-offer requirement and market power mitigation, and treating a proposed increase in the capability of a generation capacity resource the same in terms of mitigation as a planned generation capacity resource. See 134 FERC ¶ 61,065 (2011).

<sup>48</sup> The RSI shown is the lowest RSI in the market.

1.15 times the Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective (CETO), such LDA had a locational price adder in one or more of the three immediately preceding BRAs, or such LDA is determined by PJM in a preliminary analysis to be likely to have a locational price adder based on historic offer price levels. The rules also provide that starting with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, EMAAC, SWMAAC, and MAAC LDAs are modeled as potentially constrained LDAs regardless of the results of the above three tests.<sup>49</sup> In addition, PJM may establish a constrained LDA even if it does not qualify under the above tests if PJM finds that "such is required to achieve an acceptable level of reliability."50 A reliability requirement and a Variable Resource Requirement (VRR) curve are established for each modeled LDA. Effective for the 2014/2015 through 2016/2017 Delivery Years, a Minimum Annual and a Minimum Extended Summer Resource Requirement are established for each modeled LDA. Effective for the 2017/2018 Delivery Year, Sub-Annual and Limited Resource Constraints, replacing the Minimum Annual and a Minimum Extended Summer Resource Requirements, are established for each modeled LDA.<sup>51</sup> Effective for the 2018/2019 through the 2019/2020 Delivery Years, Base Capacity Demand Resource Constraint and a Base Capacity Resource Constraint, replacing the Sub-Annual and Limited Resource Constraints, are established for each modeled LDA.

Locational Deliverability Areas are shown in Figure 5-4, Figure 5-5 and Figure 5-6.

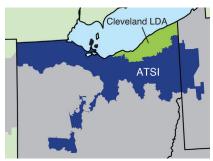


#### Figure 5-4 Map of locational deliverability areas

#### Figure 5-5 Map of RPM EMAAC subzonal LDAs







### Imports and Exports

Units external to the metered boundaries of PJM can

qualify as PJM capacity resources if they meet the requirements to be capacity resources. Generators on the PJM system that do not have a commitment to serve PJM loads in the given delivery year as a result of RPM auctions, FRR capacity plans, locational UCAP transactions, and/or are not designated as a replacement resource, are eligible to export their capacity from PJM.<sup>52</sup>

The PJM market rules should not create inappropriate barriers to either the import or export of capacity. The market rules in other balancing authorities should also not create inappropriate barriers to the import or export

 <sup>49</sup> Prior to the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, an LDA with a CETL less than 1.05 times CETO was modeled as a constrained LDA in RPM. No additional criteria were used in determining modeled LDAs.
 50 OATT Attachment DD § 5.10 (a) (ii).

<sup>51 146</sup> FERC ¶ 61,052 (2014).

<sup>52</sup> OATT Attachment DD § 5.6.6(b).

of capacity. The PJM market rules should ensure that the definition of capacity is enforced including physical deliverability, recallability and the obligation to make competitive offers into the PJM Day-Ahead Energy Market. Physical deliverability can only be assured by requiring that all imports are deliverable to PJM load to ensure that they are full substitutes for internal capacity resources. While pseudo ties were a step toward this goal, pseudo ties alone are not adequate to ensure deliverability. Pseudo ties create potential issues in the exporting area and do not ensure deliverability into the importing area. Selling capacity into the PJM Capacity Market but making energy offers daily of \$999 per MWh would not fulfill the requirements of a capacity resource to make a competitive offer, but would constitute economic withholding. This is one of the reasons that the rules governing the obligation to make a competitive offer in the Day-Ahead Energy Market should be clarified for both internal and external resources.

For the 2017/2018 through the 2019/2020 Delivery Year, Capacity Import Limits (CILs) are established for each of the five external source zones and the overall PJM region to account for the risk that external generation resources may not be able to deliver energy during the relevant delivery year due to the curtailment of firm transmission by third parties.<sup>53</sup> Capacity Market Sellers may request an exception to the CIL for an external generation resource by committing that the resource will be pseudo tied prior to the start of the relevant delivery year, by demonstrating that it has long-term firm transmission path from the resource to PJM, and by agreeing to be subject to the same RPM must offer requirement as internal PJM generation resources.

Effective June 9, 2015, an external generation capacity resource must obtain an exception to the CILs to be eligible to offer as a Capacity Performance Resource, which means that effective with the 2020/2021 delivery year, CILs are no longer defined as an RPM parameter.<sup>54</sup>

As shown in Table 5-10, of the 4,470.4 MW of imports offered in the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction,

4,051.8 MW cleared. Of the cleared imports, 1,909.9 MW (47.1 percent) were from MISO.

#### **Importing Capacity**

#### Existing External Generation Capacity Resource

Generation external to the PJM region is eligible to be offered into an RPM auction if it meets specific requirements.<sup>55 56</sup> Firm transmission service from the unit to the border of PJM and generation deliverability into PJM must be demonstrated prior to the start of the delivery year. In order to demonstrate generation deliverability into PJM, external generators must obtain firm point to point transmission service on the PJM OASIS from the PJM border into the PJM transmission system or by obtaining network external designated transmission service. In the event that transmission upgrades are required to establish deliverability, those upgrades must be completed by the start of the delivery year. The following are also required: the external generating unit must be in the resource portfolio of a PJM member; 12 months of NERC/GADs unit performance data must be provided to establish an EFORd; the net capability of each unit must be verified through winter and summer testing; a letter of nonrecallability must be provided to assure PJM that the energy and capacity from the unit is not recallable to any other balancing authority.

All external generation resources that have an RPM commitment or FRR capacity plan commitment or that are designated as replacement capacity must be offered in the PJM Day-Ahead Energy Market.<sup>57</sup>

To avoid balancing market deviations, any offer accepted in the Day-Ahead Energy Market must be scheduled to physically flow in the Real-Time Energy Market. When submitting the real-time energy market transaction, a valid NERC Tag is required, with the appropriate transmission reservations associated. External capacity transactions must designate the transaction as such when submitting the NERC Tag. This designation allows the PJM dispatch operators to identify capacity backed transactions in order to avoid curtailing them out of merit order. External capacity backed transactions are

<sup>55</sup> See "Reliability Assurance Agreement Among Load Serving Entities in the PJM Region," Schedule 9  $\pounds$  10.

<sup>56</sup> See "PJM Manual 18: PJM Capacity Market," § 4.2.2 Existing Generation Capacity Resources – External, § 4.2.4 Planned Generation Capacity Resources – External, § 4.6.4 Importing an External Generation Resource, Rev. 41 (Jan. 1, 2019).

<sup>57</sup> OATT Schedule 1 § 1.10.1A.

<sup>53 147</sup> FERC ¶ 61,060 (2014). 54 151 FERC ¶ 61,208 (2015).

evaluated the same way as all other energy transactions and are subject to all scheduling timing requirements and PJM interchange ramp limits. If the offer is not accepted in the Day-Ahead Energy Market, but the unit is requested during the operating day, the PJM dispatch operator will notify the participant. The market participant will then submit a tag to match the request. This tag will also be subject to all scheduling timing requirements and PJM interchange ramp limits.

#### **Planned External Generation Capacity Resource**

Planned external generation capacity resources are eligible to be offered into an RPM auction if they meet specific requirements.<sup>58 59</sup> Planned external generation capacity resources are proposed generation capacity resources, or a proposed increase in the capability of an existing generation capacity resource, that is located outside the PJM region; participates in the generation interconnection process of a balancing authority external to PJM; is scheduled to be physically and electrically interconnected to the transmission facilities of such balancing authority on or before the first day of the delivery year for which the resource is to be committed to satisfy the reliability requirements of the PJM Region; and is in full commercial operation prior to the first day of the delivery year.<sup>60</sup> An external generation capacity resource becomes an existing generation capacity resource as of the earlier of the date that interconnection service commences or the resource has cleared an RPM auction.61

#### Exporting Capacity

Nonfirm transmission can be used to export capacity from the PJM region. A generation capacity resource located in the PJM region not committed to service of PJM loads may be removed from PJM capacity resource status if the Capacity Market Seller shows that the resource has a financially and physically firm commitment to an external sale of its capacity.<sup>62</sup> The Capacity Market Seller must also identify the megawatt

58 See RAA § 1.69A.

amount, export zone, and time period (in days) of the export.<sup>63</sup>

The MMU evaluates requests submitted by Capacity Market Sellers to export generation capacity resources, makes a determination as to whether the resource meets the applicable criteria to export, and must inform both the Capacity Market Seller and PJM of such determination.<sup>64</sup>

When submitting a real-time market export capacity transaction, a valid NERC Tag is required, with the appropriate transmission reservations associated. Capacity transactions must designate the transaction as capacity when submitting the NERC Tag. This designation allows the PJM dispatch operators to identify capacity backed transactions in order to avoid curtailing them out of merit order. External capacity backed transactions are evaluated the same way as all other energy transactions and are subject to all scheduling timing requirements and PJM interchange ramp limits.

# Table 5-10 RPM imports: 2007/2008 through2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auctions

			UCAP (	MW)			
	MIS	60	Non-N	/ISO	Total Imports		
Base Residual							
Auction	Offered	Cleared	Offered	Cleared	Offered	Cleared	
2007/2008	1,073.0	1,072.9	547.9	547.9	1,620.9	1,620.8	
2008/2009	1,149.4	1,109.0	517.6	516.8	1,667.0	1,625.8	
2009/2010	1,189.2	1,151.0	518.8	518.1	1,708.0	1,669.1	
2010/2011	1,194.2	1,186.6	539.8	539.5	1,734.0	1,726.1	
2011/2012	1,862.7	1,198.6	3,560.0	3,557.5	5,422.7	4,756.1	
2012/2013	1,415.9	1,298.8	1,036.7	1,036.7	2,452.6	2,335.5	
2013/2014	1,895.1	1,895.1	1,358.9	1,358.9	3,254.0	3,254.0	
2014/2015	1,067.7	1,067.7	1,948.8	1,948.8	3,016.5	3,016.5	
2015/2016	1,538.7	1,538.7	2,396.6	2,396.6	3,935.3	3,935.3	
2016/2017	4,723.1	4,723.1	2,770.6	2,759.6	7,493.7	7,482.7	
2017/2018	2,624.3	2,624.3	2,320.4	1,901.2	4,944.7	4,525.5	
2018/2019	2,879.1	2,509.1	2,256.7	2,178.8	5,135.8	4,687.9	
2019/2020	2,067.3	1,828.6	2,276.1	2,047.3	4,343.4	3,875.9	
2020/2021	2,511.8	1,671.2	2,450.0	2,326.0	4,961.8	3,997.2	
2021/2022	2,308.4	1,909.9	2,162.0	2,141.9	4,470.4	4,051.8	

63 Id.

<sup>59</sup> See "PJM Manual 18: PJM Capacity Market," § 4.2.4 Planned Generation Capacity Resources – External, Rev. 41 (Jan. 1, 2019).

<sup>60</sup> Prior to January 31, 2011, capacity modifications to existing generation capacity resources were not considered planned generation capacity resources. See 134 FERC ¶ 61,065 (2011).

<sup>61</sup> Effective January 31, 2011, the RPM rules related to market power mitigation were changed, including revising the definition for Planned Generation Capacity Resource for purposes of the must-offer requirement and market power mitigation. See 134 FERC ¶ 61,065 (2011).

<sup>62</sup> OATT Attachment DD § 6.6(g)

<sup>64</sup> OATT Attachment M-Appendix § II.C.2.

# **Demand Resources**

There are three basic demand products incorporated in the RPM market design:<sup>65</sup>

- Demand Resources (DR). Interruptible load resource that is offered into an RPM Auction as capacity and receives the relevant LDA or RTO resource clearing price.
- Interruptible Load for Reliability (ILR). Interruptible load resource that is not offered into the RPM auction, but receives the final zonal ILR price determined after the second incremental auction. The ILR product was eliminated after the 2011/2012 Delivery Year.
- Energy Efficiency (EE) Resources. Load resources that are offered into an RPM auction as capacity and receive the relevant LDA or RTO resource clearing price. The EE resource type was eligible to be offered in RPM auctions starting with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year and in incremental auctions in the 2011/2012 Delivery Year.<sup>66</sup>

Effective for the 2014/2015 through the 2017/2018 Delivery Year, there are three types of Demand Resource products included in the RPM market design:<sup>67 68</sup>

- Annual DR. A demand resource that is required to be available on any day in the relevant delivery year for an unlimited number of interruptions. Annual DR is required to be capable of maintaining each interruption for only 10 hours only during the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. EPT for the period May through October and 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. EPT for the period November through April unless there is an Office of the Interconnection approved maintenance outage during October through April.
- Extended Summer DR. A demand resource that is required to be available on any day from June through October and the following May in the relevant delivery year for an unlimited number of interruptions. Extended summer DR is required to be capable of maintaining each interruption for

only 10 hours only during the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. EPT.

• Limited DR. A demand resource that is required to be available on weekdays not including NERC holidays during the period of June through September in the relevant delivery year for up to 10 interruptions. Limited DR is required to be capable of maintaining each interruption for only six hours only during the hours of 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. EPT.

Effective for the 2018/2019 and the 2019/2020 Delivery Years, there are two types of demand resource and energy efficiency resource products included in the RPM market design:<sup>69 70</sup>

- Base Capacity Resources
  - Base Capacity Demand Resources. A demand resource that is required to be available on any day from June through September for an unlimited number of interruptions. Base capacity DR is required to be capable of maintaining each interruption for at least 10 hours only during the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. EPT.
  - Base Capacity Energy Efficiency Resources. A project designed to achieve a continuous (during summer peak periods) reduction in electric energy consumption that is not reflected in the peak load forecast for the delivery year for which the base capacity energy efficiency resource is proposed, and that is fully implemented at all times during the relevant delivery year, without any requirement of notice, dispatch, or operator intervention. The peak period definition for the base capacity energy efficiency resource type includes the period from the hour ending 15:00 EPT and the hour ending 18:00 EPT from June through August, excluding weekends and federal holidays.
- Capacity Performance Resources
  - Annual Demand Resources. A demand resource that is required to be available on any day in the relevant delivery year for an unlimited number of interruptions. Annual DR is required to be capable of maintaining each interruption for only 10 hours during the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 10:00

<sup>65</sup> Effective June 1, 2007, the PJM active load management (ALM) program was replaced by the PJM load management (LM) program. Under ALM, providers had received a MW credit which offset their capacity obligation. With the introduction of LM, qualifying load management resources can be offered into RPM auctions as capacity resources and receive the clearing price.

<sup>66</sup> Letter Order in Docket No. ER10-366-000 (January 22, 2010)

<sup>67 134</sup> FERC ¶ 61,066 (2011).

<sup>68 &</sup>quot;Reliability Assurance Agreement among Load-Serving Entities in the PJM Region," Article 1.

<sup>69 151</sup> FERC ¶ 61,208.

<sup>70 &</sup>quot;Reliability Assurance Agreement Among Load Serving Entities in the PJM Region," Article 1.

p.m. EPT for the period May through October and 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. EPT for the period November through April unless there is an Office of the Interconnection approved maintenance outage during October through April.

- Annual Energy Efficiency Resources. A project designed to achieve a continuous (during summer and winter peak periods) reduction in electric energy consumption during peak periods that is not reflected in the peak load forecast for the delivery year for which the energy efficiency resource is proposed, and that is fully implemented at all times during the relevant delivery year, without any requirement of notice, dispatch, or operator intervention. The peak period definition for the annual energy efficiency resource type includes the period from the hour ending 15:00 EPT and the hour ending 18:00 EPT from June through August, and the period from the hour ending 8:00 EPT and the hour ending 9:00 EPT and the period from the hour ending 19:00 EPT and the hour ending 20:00 EPT from January through February, excluding weekends and federal holidays.

Effective with the 2020/2021 Delivery Year, the Capacity Performance Product will be the only capacity product type, with two possible season types, annual and summer.

- Annual Capacity Performance Resources
  - Annual Demand Resources
  - Annual Energy Efficiency Resources
- Seasonal Capacity Performance Resources
  - Summer-Period Demand Resources. A demand resource that is required to be available on any day from June through October and the following May of the delivery year for an unlimited number of interruptions. Summer period DR is required to be capable of maintaining each interruption between the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. EPT.
  - Summer-Period Energy Efficiency Resources. A project designed to achieve a continuous (during summer peak periods) reduction in electric energy consumption during peak periods that is not reflected in the peak load forecast for the delivery year for which the energy efficiency resource is

proposed, and that is fully implemented at all times during the relevant delivery year, without any requirement of notice, dispatch, or operator intervention. The peak period definition for the summer-period efficiency resource type includes the period from the hour ending 15:00 EPT and the hour ending 18:00 EPT from June through August, excluding weekends and federal holidays.

As shown in Table 5-11, Table 5-12, and Table 5-13, capacity in the RPM load management programs was 10,798.7 MW for June 1, 2018, as a result of cleared capacity for demand resources and energy efficiency resources in RPM auctions for the 2018/2019 Delivery Year (13,731.7 MW) less replacement capacity (2,933.0 MW).

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						DDI			AP (MW)		ATSI					
		RTO	MAAC	EMAAC	SWMAAC	DPL South	PSEG	PSEG North	Рерсо	ATSI	AISI Cleveland	ComEd	BGE	PPL	DAY	DEOK
	DR cleared	11,870.7	4,584.5	1,630.9	1,464.1	86.3	402.8	157.1	658.3	1,256.0	323.5	1,602.9	805.8	811.9		
	EE cleared	1,922.3	547.7	180.0	291.5	5.6	55.2	18.5	155.4	192.3	41.4	747.6	136.1	43.2		
01-Jun-17	DR net replacements	(3,870.8)	(1,461.6)	(555.7)	(344.8)	(39.5)	(107.9)	(30.6)	(136.5)	(457.2)	(163.1)	(279.2)	(208.3)	(299.2)		
	EE net replacements	195.6	145.8	20.6	98.3	(0.4)	4.4	2.6	26.2	(41.9)	(11.7)	10.3	72.1	(9.9)		
	Total RPM load management	10,117.8	3,816.4	1,275.8	1,509.1	52.0	354.5	147.6	703.4	949.2	190.1	2,081.6	805.7	546.0		
	DR cleared	11,435.4	4,361.9	1,707.2	1,226.4	86.8	389.9	139.2	559.3	1,034.3	287.2	1,895.2	667.1	716.2		
	EE cleared	2,296.3	706.8	315.9	317.6	9.2	102.0	45.2	186.1	184.4	33.2	807.4	131.5	43.1		
01-Jun-18	DR net replacements	(3,181.8)	(1,268.4)	(584.3)	(199.5)	(52.4)	(150.9)	(43.6)	(25.6)	(261.0)	(136.7)	(430.0)	(173.9)	(220.0)		
	EE net replacements	248.8	163.0	45.5	107.6	1.1	22.4	9.1	(8.9)	14.7	4.7	29.0	116.5	5.4		
	Total RPM load management	10,798.7	3,963.3	1,484.3	1,452.1	44.7	363.4	149.9	710.9	972.4	188.4	2,301.6	741.2	544.7		
	DR cleared	10,422.7	3,810.5	1,650.7	758.9	91.3	381.1	176.5	496.5	906.3	289.9	1,757.4	262.4	739.8		
	EE cleared	2,198.2	675.8	297.2	272.5	5.4	94.1	33.3	151.3	188.1	39.6	750.1	121.2	62.9		
01-Jun-19	DR net replacements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	EE net replacements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total RPM load management	12,620.9	4,486.3	1,947.9	1,031.4	96.7	475.2	209.8	647.8	1,094.4	329.5	2,507.5	383.6	802.7		
	DR cleared	9,008.7	2,823.2	1,168.9	481.1	72.6	339.0	152.7	234.6	853.0	227.1	1,623.0	246.5	615.6	211.4	164.1
	EE cleared	2,080.5	683.7	346.7	261.4	8.7	119.6	38.7	114.2	172.0	40.1	722.6	147.2	44.2	53.8	74.1
01-Jun-20	DR net replacements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	EE net replacements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Total RPM load management	11,089.2	3,506.9	1,515.6	742.5	81.3	458.6	191.4	348.8	1,025.0	267.2	2,345.6	393.7	659.8	265.2	238.2
	DR cleared	11,125.8	3,413.4	1,378.9	624.9	66.3	407.9	188.6	345.9	1,142.4	272.8	1,997.8	279.0	684.7	227.7	213.8
	EE cleared	2,832.0	938.7	617.0	207.0	13.6	240.1	72.9	102.6	148.2	36.2	770.5	104.4	72.4	60.1	89.7
01-Jun-21	DR net replacements	.0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	EE net replacements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Total RPM load management	13,957.8	4,352.1	1,995.9	831.9	79.9	648.0	261.5	448.5	1,290.6	309.0	2,768.3	383.4	757.1	287.8	303.5

Table 5-12 RPM commitments, replacements, and registrations for demand resources: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 202175 76 77

			UC	AP (MW)				Registered DR	
					RPM	<b>RPM Commitments</b>		UCAP	
		Adjustments	Net	RPM	Commitment	Less Commitment		Conversion	
	RPM Cleared	to Cleared	Replacements	Commitments	Shortage	Shortage	ICAP (MW)	Factor	UCAP (MW)
01-Jun-07	127.6	0.0	0.0	127.6	0.0	127.6	0.0	1.033	0.0
01-Jun-08	559.4	0.0	(40.0)	519.4	(58.4)	461.0	488.0	1.034	504.7
01-Jun-09	892.9	0.0	(474.7)	418.2	(14.3)	403.9	570.3	1.033	589.2
01-Jun-10	962.9	0.0	(516.3)	446.6	(7.7)	438.9	572.8	1.035	592.6
01-Jun-11	1,826.6	0.0	(1,052.4)	774.2	0.0	774.2	1,117.9	1.035	1,156.5
01-Jun-12	8,752.6	(11.7)	(2,253.6)	6,487.3	(34.9)	6,452.4	7,443.7	1.037	7,718.4
01-Jun-13	10,779.6	0.0	(3,314.4)	7,465.2	(30.5)	7,434.7	8,240.1	1.042	8,586.8
01-Jun-14	14,943.0	0.0	(6,731.8)	8,211.2	(219.4)	7,991.8	8,923.4	1.042	9,301.2
01-Jun-15	15,774.8	(321.1)	(4,829.7)	10,624.0	(61.8)	10,562.2	10,946.0	1.038	11,360.0
01-Jun-16	13,284.7	(19.4)	(4,800.7)	8,464.6	(455.4)	8,009.2	8,961.2	1.042	9,333.4
01-Jun-17	11,870.7	0.0	(3,870.8)	7,999.9	(30.3)	7,969.6	8,681.4	1.039	9,016.3
01-Jun-18	11,435.4	0.0	(3,181.8)	8,253.6		8,252.6	8,512.0	1.091	9,282.4
01-Jun-19	10,422.7	0.0	0.0	10,422.7	0.0	10,422.7	0.0	1.090	0.0
01-Jun-20	9,008.7	0.0	0.0	9,008.7	0.0	9,008.7	0.0	1.090	0.0
01-Jun-21	11,125.8	0.0	0.0	11,125.8	0.0	11,125.8	0.0	1.090	0.0

<sup>71</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 8.4. The reported DR cleared MW may reflect reductions in the level of committed MW due to relief from Capacity Resource Deficiency Charges.

<sup>72</sup> Pursuant to OA § 15.1.6(c), PJM Settlement shall attempt to close out and liquidate forward capacity commitments for PJM Members that are declared in collateral default. The replacement transactions reported for the 2014/2015 Delivery Year include transactions associated with RTP Controls, Inc., which was declared in collateral default on March 9, 2012.

<sup>73</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 5.14C. The reported DR cleared MW for the 2015/2016 and 2016/2017 Delivery Years reflect reductions in the level of committed MW due to the Demand Response Operational Resource Flexibility Transition Provision.

<sup>74</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 5.14E. The reported DR cleared MW for the 2016/2017, 2017/2018, and 2018/2019 Delivery Years reflect reductions in the level of committed MW due to the Demand Response Legacy Direct Load Control Transition Provision.

<sup>75</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 8.4. The reported DR adjustments to cleared MW include reductions in the level of committed MW due to relief from Capacity Resource Deficiency Charges.

<sup>76</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 5.14C. The reported DR adjustments to cleared MW for the 2015/2016 and 2016/2017 Delivery Years include reductions in the level of committed MW due to the Demand Response Operational Resource Flexibility Transition Provision.

<sup>77</sup> See OATT Attachment DD § 5.14E. The reported DR adjustments to cleared MW for the 2016/2017, 2017/2018, and 2018/2019 Delivery Years include reductions in the level of committed MW due to the Demand Response Legacy Direct Load Control Transition Provision.

Table 5-13 RPM commitments and replacements for energy efficiency resources: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2021<sup>78</sup>

			UC	AP (MW)		
					RPM	<b>RPM Commitments</b>
		Adjustments	Net	RPM	Commitment	Less Commitment
	RPM Cleared	to Cleared	Replacements	Commitments	Shortage	Shortage
01-Jun-07	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
01-Jun-08	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
01-Jun-09	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
01-Jun-10	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
01-Jun-11	76.4	0.0	0.2	76.6	0.0	76.6
01-Jun-12	666.1	0.0	(34.9)	631.2	(5.1)	626.1
01-Jun-13	904.2	0.0	120.6	1,024.8	(13.5)	1,011.3
01-Jun-14	1,077.7	0.0	204.7	1,282.4	(0.2)	1,282.2
01-Jun-15	1,189.6	0.0	335.9	1,525.5	(0.9)	1,524.6
01-Jun-16	1,723.2	0.0	61.1	1,784.3	(0.5)	1,783.8
01-Jun-17	1,922.3	0.0	195.6	2,117.9	(7.4)	2,110.5
01-Jun-18	2,296.3	0.0	248.8	2,545.1	0.0	2,545.1
01-Jun-19	2,198.2	0.0	0.0	2,198.2	0.0	2,198.2
01-Jun-20	2,080.5	0.0	0.0	2,080.5	0.0	2,080.5
01-Jun-21	2,832.0	0.0	0.0	2,832.0	0.0	2,832.0

# Market Conduct

## **Offer Caps and Offer Floors**

Market power mitigation measures were applied to capacity resources such that the sell offer was set equal to the defined offer cap when the Capacity Market Seller failed the market structure test for the auction, the submitted sell offer exceeded the defined offer cap, and the submitted sell offer, absent mitigation, would have increased the market clearing price.<sup>79 80 81</sup> For Base Capacity, offer caps are defined in the PJM Tariff as avoidable costs less PJM market revenues, or opportunity costs based on the potential sale of capacity in an external market. For Capacity Performance Resources, offer caps are defined in the PJM Tariff as the applicable zonal net Cost of New Entry (CONE) times (B) where B is the average of the Balancing Ratios (B) during the Performance Assessment Hours in the three consecutive calendar years that precede the base residual auction for such delivery year unless net avoidable costs exceed this level, or opportunity costs based on the potential sale of capacity in an external market. For RPM Third Incremental Auctions, capacity market sellers may elect,

for Base Capacity offers, an offer cap equal to 1.1 times the BRA clearing price for the relevant LDA and delivery year or, for Capacity Performance offers, an offer cap equal to the greater of the net CONE for the relevant LDA and delivery year or 1.1 times the BRA clearing price for the relevant LDA and delivery year.

Avoidable costs are the costs that a generation owner would not incur if the generating unit did not operate for one year, in particular the delivery year.<sup>82</sup> In the calculation of avoidable costs, there is no presumption

that the unit would retire as the alternative to operating, although that possibility could be reflected if the owner documented that retirement was the alternative. Avoidable costs may also include annual capital recovery associated with investments required to maintain a unit as a generation capacity resource, termed Avoidable Project Investment Recovery (APIR). Avoidable cost based offer caps are defined to be net of revenues from all other PJM markets and unit-specific bilateral contracts. For Capacity Performance Resources, avoidable cost based offer caps are defined to be net of revenues from all other PJM markets and unit-specific bilateral contracts and expected bonus performance payments/non-performance charges.83 Capacity resource owners could provide ACR data by providing their own unit-specific data or, for delivery years prior to 2020/2021, by selecting the default ACR values. The specific components of avoidable costs are defined in the PJM Tariff.84

Effective for the 2018/2019 and subsequent delivery years, the ACR definition includes two additional components, Avoidable Fuel Availability Expenses (AFAE) and Capacity Performance Quantifiable Risk

<sup>78</sup> Pursuant to PJM Operating Agreement § 15.1.6(c), PJM Settlement shall attempt to close out and liquidate forward capacity commitments for PJM members that are declared in collateral default. The replacement transactions reported for the 2014/2015 Delivery Year included transactions associated with RTP Controls, Inc., which was declared in collateral default on March 9, 2012. 79 See OATT Attachment DD § 6.5.

<sup>80</sup> Prior to November 1, 2009, existing DR and EE resources were subject to market power mitigation in RPM Auctions. See 129 FERC ¶ 61,081 at P 30 (2009).

<sup>81</sup> Effective January 31, 2011, the R<sup>D</sup>M rules related to market power mitigation were changed, including revising the definition for Planned Generation Capacity Resource and creating a new definition for Existing Generation Capacity Resource for purposes of the must-offer requirement and market power mitigation, and treating a proposed increase in the capability of a Generation Capacity Resource the same in terms of mitigation as a Planned Generation Capacity Resource. See 134 FERC ¶ 61,065 (2011).

<sup>82</sup> OATT Attachment DD § 6.8 (b).

<sup>83</sup> For details on the competitive offer of a capacity performance resource, see "Analysis of the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction - Revised," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/</a> Reports/2018/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20212022\_RPM\_BRA\_Revised\_20180824.pdf> (August 24, 2018).

<sup>84</sup> OATT Attachment DD § 6.8 (a).

(CPQR).<sup>85</sup> AFAE is available for Capacity Performance Resources. AFAE is defined to include expenses related to fuel availability and delivery. CPQR is available for Capacity Performance Resources and, for the 2018/2019 and 2019/2020 Delivery Years, Base Capacity Resources. CPQR is defined to be the quantifiable and reasonably supported cost of mitigating the risks of nonperformance associated with submission of an offer.

The opportunity cost option allows Capacity Market Sellers to offer based on a documented price available in a market external to PJM, subject to export limits. If the relevant RPM market clears above the opportunity cost, the generation capacity resource is sold in the RPM market. If the opportunity cost is greater than the clearing price and the generation capacity resource does not clear in the RPM market, it is available to sell in the external market.

#### **Calculation of Offer Caps**

The competitive offer of a Capacity Performance resource is based on a market seller's expectations of a number of variables, some of which are resource specific: the resource's net going forward costs (Net ACR); and the resource's performance during performance assessment intervals (A) in the delivery year.<sup>86</sup>

The competitive offer of a Capacity Performance resource is also based on a market seller's expectations of system level variables: the number of performance assessment intervals (PAI) in a delivery year (H) where the resource is located; the level of performance required to meet its capacity obligation during those performance assessment hours, measured as the average Balancing Ratio (B); and the level of the bonus performance payment rate (CPBR) compared to the nonperformance charge rate (PPR). The level of bonus performance payment rate depends on the level of underperforming MW net of the underperforming MW excused by PJM during performance assessment hours for reasons defined in the PJM OATT.<sup>87</sup> The default offer cap defined in the PJM tariff, Net CONE times the average Balancing Ratio, is based on a number of assumptions:

1. The Net ACR of a resource is less than its expected energy only bonuses:

$$ACR \le \sum_{i=1}^{H} (CPBR_i \times A_i)$$
$$r \ ACR \le \left(\frac{1}{12}\right) (CPBR \times H \times \bar{A})$$

- 2. The expected number of performance assessment intervals equals 360. (H = 360 intervals, or 12 hours)
- 3. The expected value of the bonus performance payment rate (CPBR) is equal to the nonperformance charge rate (PPR)
- 4. The average expected performance of the resource during performance assessment hours  $(\bar{A})$

The competitive offer of such a resource is:

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$$p = \left(\frac{1}{12}\right) (CPBR \times H \times \bar{A} + PPR \times H \times (\bar{B} - \bar{A}))$$

In other words, the competitive offer of such a resource is the opportunity cost of taking on the capacity obligation which equals the sum of the energy only bonuses it would have earned  $(CPBR \times H \times \overline{A})/12$  and the net nonperformance charges it would incur by taking on the capacity obligation (*PPR* × *H* × ( $\overline{B} - \overline{A}$ )/12). Both the components are proportional to the expected number of performance assessment intervals. If the expected number of performance assessment intervals (H) is significantly lower than the value used to determine the non-performance charge rate (PPR), the opportunity of earning bonuses as an energy only resource, as well as the net non-performance charges incurred by taking on a capacity obligation are lower. Under such a scenario, the likelihood that that the resource's Net ACR is lower than the expected energy only bonuses is reduced. For resources whose Net ACR is greater than the expected energy only bonuses, the competitive offer is the Net ACR adjusted with any capacity performance bonuses or non-performance charges they expect to incur during the delivery year.

This means that when the expected number of performance assessment intervals are lower than the value used to determine the non-performance charge

<sup>85 151</sup> FERC ¶ 61,208.

<sup>86</sup> The model is only applicable to generation resources and storage resources that have an annual obligation to perform with very limited specific excuses as defined in the PJM OATT.
87 OATT Attachment DD § 10A (d).

rate (360 intervals, or 30 hours), the current default offer cap of Net CONE times B overstates the competitive offer and the market seller offer cap.

The recent history of a low number of emergency actions in PJM reflect the improvements to generator performance with the capacity performance design, the reduction in actual and expected pool wide outage rates as a result of new units added to the system and the retirement of old units, the upward biased peak load forecasts used in RPM, and the high reserve margins in capacity.<sup>88 89</sup> Given these developments, the assumption that there would be 30 hours of emergency actions in a year that would trigger performance assessment intervals is unsupported. Since the non-performance charge rate is defined in the tariff as net CONE divided by 30 hours, the adjusted default offer cap to reflect a lower estimate for the number of PAIs is much lower than net CONE times B.

In the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, net CONE times B exceeded the actual competitive offer level of a Low ACR resource that the default offer cap is based on.<sup>90</sup> While most participants offered in the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction at competitive levels based on their expectation of the number of performance assessment hours and projected net revenues, some market participants did not offer competitively and affected the market clearing prices.

#### MOPR

Effective April 12, 2011, the RPM Minimum Offer Price Rule (MOPR) was changed.<sup>91</sup> The changes to the MOPR included updating the calculation of the net Cost of New Entry (CONE) for Combined Cycle (CC) and Combustion Turbine (CT) plants which is used as a benchmark value in assessing the competitiveness of a sell offer, increasing the percentage value used in the screen to 90 percent for CC and CT plants, eliminating the net-short requirement as a prerequisite for applying the MOPR, eliminating the impact screen, revising the process for reviewing proposed exceptions to the defined minimum sell offer price, and clarifying which resources are subject to the MOPR along with the duration of mitigation. Subsequent FERC Orders revised the MOPR, including clarification on the duration of mitigation, which resources are subject to MOPR, and the MOPR review process.<sup>92</sup>

Effective May 3, 2013, the RPM Minimum Offer Price Rule (MOPR) was changed again.93 The changes to the MOPR included establishing Competitive Entry and Self Supply Exemptions while also retaining the unit specific exception process for those that do not qualify for the Competitive Entry or Self Supply Exemptions; changing the applicability of MOPR to include only combustion turbine, combined cycle, integrated gasification combined cycle (IGCC) technologies while excluding units primarily fueled with landfill gas or cogeneration units which are certified or self-certified as Qualifying Facilities (QFs); changing the applicability to increases in installed capacity of 20.0 MW or more combined for all units at a single point of interconnection to the transmission system; changing the applicability to include the full capability of repowering of plants based on combustion turbine, combined cycle, IGCC technology; increasing the screen from 90 percent to 100 percent of the applicable net CONE values; and broadening the region subject to MOPR to the entire RTO from modeled LDAs only.

Effective December 8, 2017, FERC issued an order on remand rejecting PJM's MOPR proposal in Docket No. ER13-535, and as a result, the rules that were in effect prior to PJM's December 7, 2012, MOPR filing were reinstated. These changes include eliminating the Competitive Entry and Self Supply Exemptions and retaining only the Unit Specific Exception request; narrowing the region subject to MOPR from the entire RTO to only modeled LDAs; eliminating the 20.0 MW threshold for applicability; redefining the applicability criteria to exclude nuclear, coal, IGCC, hydroelectric, wind and solar facilities; modifying the duration of mitigation criteria from clearing in a prior delivery year to clearing in any delivery year; and changing the procedural deadlines.<sup>94</sup>

<sup>88</sup> PJM experienced zero emergency events since April 2014, that would have triggered a PAI in an area that at least encompasses a PJM transmission zone. See "Balancing Ratio Determination Issue", at 12 <http://www.pjm.com/-/media/committees-groups/ committees/m ic/20180404/20180404-item-10b1-balancing-ratio-determination-solution-options.ashx> (April 4, 2018).

<sup>89</sup> See Table 5-7.

<sup>90</sup> See "Analysis of the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction - Revised," at Attachment B <http:// www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2018/IMM\_Analysis\_of\_the\_20212022\_RPM\_ BRA\_Revised\_20180824.pdf> (August 24, 2018).

<sup>91 135</sup> FERC ¶ 61,022 (2011).

<sup>92 135</sup> FERC ¶ 61,022 (2011), order on reh'g, 137 FERC ¶ 61,145 (2011).

<sup>93 143</sup> FERC ¶ 61,090 (2013).

<sup>94 161</sup> FERC 9 61,252 (2017).

#### 2018/2019 RPM Base Residual Auction

As shown in Table 5-14, 473 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2018/2019 RPM Base Residual Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 219 generation resources (46.3 percent), of which 166 were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values, 53 were unit-specific offer caps (11.2 percent of all generation resources), of which 45 included an APIR component, eight Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (1.7 percent), and the remaining 246 generation resources were price takers (52.0 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of 18 generation capacity resources, including 3,271.9 MW.

As shown in Table 5-14, 992 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2018/2019 RPM Base Residual Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 35 generation resources (3.5 percent), all of which were unit-specific with an APIR component, 15 Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (1.5 percent), and the remaining 54 generation resources were price takers (5.4 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

Of the 473 generation resources which submitted Base Capacity offers, 45 (9.5 percent) included an APIR component. Of the 992 generation resources which submitted Capacity Performance offers, 35 (3.5 percent) included an APIR component. As shown in Table 5-18, the weighted average gross ACR for units with APIR was \$406.58 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$496.37 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The weighted average offer caps, net of net revenues, for units with APIR was \$321.80 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$356.54 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The APIR component added to the ACR value of the APIR units an average of \$281.13 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$344.93 for Capacity Performance Resources. The maximum APIR effect (\$1,051.98 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and Capacity Performance Resources) is the maximum amount by which an offer cap was increased by APIR. The CPQR component added to the ACR value of the APIR units an average of \$0.00 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$10.08 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources.

#### 2018/2019 RPM First Incremental Auction

As shown in Table 5-14, 80 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2018/2019 RPM First Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 30 generation resources (37.5 percent), of which 18 were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 12 were unit-specific offer caps (15.0 percent of all generation resources), of which all of which included an APIR component. Of the 30 generation resources with Base Capacity offers, four Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (5.0 percent), and the remaining 46 generation resources were price takers (57.5 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of three generation resources, including 8.2 MW.

As shown in Table 5-14, 293 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2018/2019 RPM First Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for nine generation resources (3.1 percent), all of which were unit-specific with an APIR component. Of the 293 generation resources, 261 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap (89.1 percent), seven Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (2.4 percent), one generation resource had an uncapped planned uprate plus net CONE times B offer cap for the existing portion of the unit (0.3 percent), and the remaining 15 generation resources were price takers (5.1 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

#### 2018/2019 RPM Second Incremental Auction

As shown in Table 5-14, 68 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2018/2019 RPM Second Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 23 generation resources (33.8 percent), of which 12 were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 11 were unit-specific offer caps (16.2 percent of all generation resources), of which all included an APIR component. Of the 68 generation resources with Base Capacity offers, six Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (8.8 percent), and the remaining 39 generation resources were price takers (57.4 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW. As shown in Table 5-14, 344 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2018/2019 RPM Second Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for five generation resources (1.5 percent), all of which were unit-specific with an APIR component. Of the 344 generation resources, 327 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap (95.1 percent), four Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (1.2 percent), and the remaining eight generation resources were price takers (2.3 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

#### 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction

As shown in Table 5-14, 211 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for five generation resources (2.4 percent), of which one was based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and four were unit-specific offer caps (1.9 percent of all generation resources), of which all included an APIR component. Of the 211 generation resources with Base Capacity offers, 137 generation resources elected the offer cap option of 1.1 times the BRA clearing price (64.9 percent), five Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (2.4 percent), and the remaining 64 generation resources were price takers (30.3 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

As shown in Table 5-14, 495 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2018/2019 RPM Third Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for three generation resources (06 percent), all of which were unit-specific with an APIR component. Of the 495 generation resources, 364 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap (73.5 percent), 98 generation resources elected the offer cap option of 1.1 times the BRA clearing price (19.8 percent), two Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (0.4 percent), and the remaining 28 generation resources were price takers (5.7 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

#### 2019/2020 RPM Base Residual Auction

As shown in Table 5-15, 505 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2019/2020 RPM Base Residual Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 212 generation resources (42.0 percent), of which 171 were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 41 were unit-specific offer caps (8.1 percent of all generation resources), of which 34 included an APIR component. Of the 505 generation resources, nine Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (1.8 percent), and the remaining 284 generation resources were price takers (56.2 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of 34 generation resources, including 3,116.5 MW.

As shown in Table 5-15, 1,003 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2019/2020 RPM Base Residual Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 25 generation resources (2.5 percent), all of which were unit-specific with an APIR component. Of the 1,003 generation resources, 888 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap (88.5 percent), 14 Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (1.4 percent), two generation resources had uncapped planned uprates plus net CONE times B offer cap for the existing portion of the units (0.2 percent), and the remaining 74 generation resources were price takers (5.4 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of three generation resources, including 50.8 MW.

Of the 505 generation resources which submitted Base Capacity offers, 34 (6.7 percent) included an APIR component. Of the 1,003 generation resources which submitted Capacity Performance offers, 25 (2.5 percent) included an APIR component. As shown in Table 5-19, the weighted average gross ACR for units with APIR was \$341.40 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$499.18 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The weighted average offer caps, net of net revenues, for units with APIR was \$271.22 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$323.27 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The APIR component added to the ACR value of the APIR units an average of \$230.67 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$375.38 for Capacity Performance Resources. The maximum APIR effect (\$1,104.93 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and Capacity Performance Resources) is the maximum amount by which an offer cap was increased by APIR. The CPQR component added to the ACR value of the APIR units an average of \$0.00 per MW-day for Base Capacity Resources and \$1.53 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources.

#### 2019/2020 RPM First Incremental Auction

As shown in Table 5-15, 81 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2019/2020 RPM First Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 28 generation resources (34.6 percent), of which 17 were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 11 were unit-specific offer caps (13.6 percent of all generation resources), of which all included an APIR component. Of the 81 generation resources with Base Capacity offers, the remaining 53 generation resources were price takers (65.4 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

As shown in Table 5-15, 382 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2019/2020 RPM First Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for seven generation resources (1.8 percent), of which six were unit-specific with an APIR component and one was based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR value. Of the 382 generation resources, 362 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap (94.8 percent), one Planned Generation Capacity Resource had an uncapped offer (0.3 percent), one generation resource had an uncapped planned uprate plus price taker status for the existing portion of the unit (0.3 percent), and the remaining 11 generation resources were price takers (2.9 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

#### 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction

As shown in Table 5-15, 72 generation resources submitted Base Capacity offers in the 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 18 generation resources (25.0 percent), of which 10 were based on the technology specific default (proxy) ACR values and 8 were unit-specific offer caps (11.1 percent of all generation resources), of which all included an APIR component. Of the 72 generation resources with Base Capacity offers, two Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers (2.8 percent), one generation resource had an uncapped planned uprate price taker for the existing portion of the unit, and the remaining 51 generation resources were price takers (70.8 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Base Capacity sell offers of one generation resource, including 0.1 MW.

As shown in Table 5-15, 409 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2019/2020 RPM Second Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for six generation resources (1.5 percent), all of which were unit-specific including one generation resource (0.2 percent) with an Avoidable Project Investment Recovery Rate (APIR) and a CPQR component and five generation resources (1.2 percent) with an APIR component and no CPQR component. Of the 409 generation resources, 350 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap (85.6 percent), three generation resources had uncapped planned uprates plus net CONE times B offer cap for the existing portion of the units, one generation resource had uncapped planned uprates and price taker for the existing portion of the unit, and the remaining 49 generation resources were price takers (12.0 percent). Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of one generation resource, including 0.2 MW.

#### 2020/2021 RPM Base Residual Auction

As shown in Table 5-16, 1,114 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2020/2021 RPM Base Residual Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for 14 generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers. Unit-specific ACR-based offer caps were calculated for 14 generation resources (1.3 percent) including 11 generation resources (1.0 percent) with an Avoidable Project Investment Recovery Rate (APIR) and a CPQR component and three generation resources (0.3 percent) with an APIR component and no CPQR component. Of the 1,114 generation resources offered as Capacity Performance, 956 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap, zero generation resources had opportunity cost-based offer caps, 12 Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers, 18 generation resources had uncapped planned uprates plus net CONE times B offer cap for the existing portion of the units, two generation resource had an uncapped planned uprate plus price taker status for the existing portion of the unit, while the remaining 112 generation resources were price takers. Market power mitigation was applied to the sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

Of the 1,114 generation resources which submitted Capacity Performance offers, 14 (1.3 percent) included an APIR component. As shown in Table 5-20, the weighted average gross ACR for units with APIR was \$498.15 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The weighted average offer caps, net of net revenues, for units with APIR was \$209.18 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The APIR component added to the ACR value of the APIR units an average of \$235.67 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources. The maximum APIR effect (\$464.71 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources) is the maximum amount by which an offer cap was increased by APIR. The CPQR component added to the ACR value of the APIR units an average of \$0.23 per MW-day for Capacity Performance Resources.

#### 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction

As shown in Table 5-16, 397 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2020/2021 RPM First Incremental Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for eight generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers. Unit-specific ACR-based offer caps were calculated for eight generation resources (2.0 percent) including seven generation resources (1.8 percent) with an Avoidable Project Investment Recovery Rate (APIR) and a CPQR component and one generation resources (0.3 percent) with an APIR component and no CPQR component. Of the 397 generation resources offered as Capacity Performance, 371 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap, zero generation resources had opportunity cost-based offer caps, six Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers, two generation resources had uncapped planned uprates plus net CONE times B offer cap for the existing portion of the units, while the remaining 10 generation resources were price takers. Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

#### 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction

As shown in Table 5-17, 1,132 generation resources submitted Capacity Performance offers in the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction. The MMU calculated offer caps for eight generation resources that submitted Capacity Performance offers. Unit-specific ACR-based offer caps were calculated for eight generation resources (0.7 percent) including five generation resources (0.4 percent) with an Avoidable Project Investment Recovery Rate (APIR) and a CPQR component and three generation resources (0.3 percent) with an APIR component and no CPQR component. Of the 1,132 generation resources offered as Capacity Performance, 953 generation resources had the net CONE times B offer cap, zero generation resources had opportunity cost-based offer caps, 11 Planned Generation Capacity Resources had uncapped offers, 31 generation resources had uncapped planned uprates plus net CONE times B offer cap for the existing portion of the units, while the remaining 129 generation resources were price takers. Market power mitigation was applied to the Capacity Performance sell offers of zero generation resources, including 0.0 MW.

#### **MOPR Statistics**

Market power mitigation measures are applied to MOPR Screened Generation Resources such that the sell offer is set equal to the MOPR Floor Offer Price when the submitted sell offer is less than the MOPR Floor Offer Price and an exemption or exception was not granted, or the sell offer is set equal to the agreed upon minimum level of sell offer when the sell offer is less than the agreed upon minimum level of sell offer based on a Unit-Specific Exception. As shown in Table 5-21, of the 7,276.0 ICAP MW of MOPR Unit-Specific Exception requests for the 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auction, requests for 4,344.0 MW were granted.

## Table 5-14 ACR statistics: 2018/2019 RPM Auctions

	201	8/2019 Base	Residual Aucti	on	2018	/2019 First In	cremental Auc	tion
	Base Ca	pacity	Capacity Pe	rformance	Base Ca	pacity	Capacity Pe	rformance
		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of
	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation
	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources
Offer Cap/Mitigation Type	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered
Default ACR	164	34.7%	0	0.0%	18	22.5%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (APIR)	45	9.5%	9	0.9%	12	15.0%	8	2.7%
Unit specific ACR (APIR and CPQR)	0	0	26	2.6%	0	0	1	0.3%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR)	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR and CPQR)	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%
Opportunity cost input	7	1.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Default ACR and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Net CONE times B	NA	NA	881	88.8%	NA	NA	261	89.1%
Offer cap of 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned uprate and default ACR	2	0.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and Net CONE times B	NA	NA	6	0.6%	NA	NA	1	0.3%
Uncapped planned uprate and price taker	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned generation resources	8	1.7%	15	1.5%	4	5.0%	7	2.4%
Existing generation resources as price takers	246	52.0%	54	5.4%	46	57.5%	15	5.1%
Total Generation Capacity Resources offered	473	100.0%	992	100.0%	80	100.0%	293	100.0%

	2018/2	2019 Second I	ncremental Au	ction	2018/	2018/2019 Third Incremental Auction		
	Base Ca	pacity	Capacity Pe	rformance	Base Ca	pacity	Capacity Pe	rformance
		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of
	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation
	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources
Offer Cap/Mitigation Type	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered
Default ACR	12	17.6%	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (APIR)	11	16.2%	5	1.5%	4	1.9%	3	0.6%
Unit specific ACR (APIR and CPQR)	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR and CPQR)	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Opportunity cost input	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Default ACR and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Net CONE times B	NA	NA	327	95.1%	NA	NA	364	73.5%
Offer cap of 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	137	64.9%	98	19.8%
Uncapped planned uprate and default ACR	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and Net CONE times B	NA	NA	0	0.0%	NA	NA	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and price taker	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned generation resources	6	8.8%	4	1.2%	5	2.4%	2	0.4%
Existing generation resources as price takers	39	57.4%	8	2.3%	64	30.3%	28	5.7%
Total Generation Capacity Resources offered	68	100.0%	344	100.0%	211	100.0%	495	100.0%

## Table 5-15 ACR Statistics: 2019/2020 RPM Auctions

	201	9/2020 Base	Residual Aucti	on	2019	19/2020 First Incremental Auction		
	Base Ca	apacity	Capacity Pe	rformance	Base Ca	pacity	Capacity Pe	rformance
		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of		Percent of
	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation	Number of	Generation
	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources
Offer Cap/Mitigation Type	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered
Default ACR	171	33.9%	0	0.0%	17	21.0%	1	0.3%
Unit specific ACR (APIR)	34	6.7%	8	0.8%	11	13.6%	5	1.3%
Unit specific ACR (APIR and CPQR)	0	0	17	1.7%	0	0	1	0.3%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR and CPQR)	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%
Opportunity cost input	7	1.4%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Default ACR and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Net CONE times B	NA	NA	888	88.5%	NA	NA	362	94.8%
Offer cap of 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned uprate and default ACR	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and Net CONE times B	NA	NA	2	0.2%	NA	NA	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and price taker	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.3%
Uncapped planned uprate and 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned generation resources	9	1.8%	14	1.4%	0	0.0%	1	0.3%
Existing generation resources as price takers	284	56.2%	74	7.4%	53	65.4%	11	2.9%
Total Generation Capacity Resources offered	505	100.0%	1,003	100.0%	81	100.0%	382	100.0%

	2019/2	2020 Second I	ncremental Auction		
	Base Ca	pacity	Capacity Performance		
	Number of	Percent of Generation	Number of	Percent of Generation	
	Generation	Resources	Generation	Resources	
Offer Cap/Mitigation Type	Resources	Offered	Resources	Offered	
Default ACR	10	13.9%	NA	NA	
Unit specific ACR (APIR)	8	11.1%	5	1.2%	
Unit specific ACR (APIR and CPQR)	0	0	1	0.2%	
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR and CPQR)	0	0	0	0.0%	
Opportunity cost input	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Default ACR and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	NA	NA	
Net CONE times B	NA	NA	350	85.6%	
Offer cap of 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Uncapped planned uprate and default ACR	0	0.0%	NA	NA	
Uncapped planned uprate and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Uncapped planned uprate and Net CONE times B	NA	NA	3	0.7%	
Uncapped planned uprate and price taker	1	1.4%	1	0.2%	
Uncapped planned uprate and 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Uncapped planned generation resources	2	2.8%	0	0.0%	
Existing generation resources as price takers	51	70.8%	49	12.0%	
Total Generation Capacity Resources offered	72	100.0%	409	100.0%	

#### Table 5-16 ACR Statistics: 2020/2021 RPM Auctions

	2020/20	21 Base	2020/20	
	Residual	Auction	Increment	al Auction
	Number of	Percent of	Number of	Percent of
	Generation	Generation	Generation	Generation
Offer Cap/Mitigation Type	Resources	<b>Resources Offered</b>	Resources	<b>Resources Offered</b>
Default ACR	NA	NA	NA	NA
Unit specific ACR (APIR)	3	0.3%	1	0.3%
Unit specific ACR (APIR and CPQR)	11	1.0%	7	1.8%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR and CPQR)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Opportunity cost input	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Default ACR and opportunity cost	NA	NA	NA	NA
Net CONE times B	956	85.8%	371	93.5%
Offer cap of 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned uprate and default ACR	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned uprate and opportunity cost	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and Net CONE times B	18	1.6%	2	0.5%
Uncapped planned uprate and price taker	2	0.2%	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA	NA	NA
Uncapped planned generation resources	12	1.1%	6	1.5%
Existing generation resources as price takers	112	10.1%	10	2.5%
Total Generation Capacity Resources offered	1,114	100.0%	397	100.0%

#### Table 5-17 ACR Statistics: 2021/2022 RPM Auction

	2021/20	22 Base
	Residual	Auction
	Number of	Percent of
	Generation	Generation
Offer Cap/Mitigation Type	Resources	<b>Resources Offered</b>
Default ACR	NA	NA
Unit specific ACR (APIR)	3	0.3%
Unit specific ACR (APIR and CPQR)	5	0.4%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR)	0	0.0%
Unit specific ACR (non-APIR and CPQR)	0	0.0%
Opportunity cost input	0	0.0%
Default ACR and opportunity cost	NA	NA
Net CONE times B	953	84.2%
Offer cap of 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA
Uncapped planned uprate and default ACR	NA	NA
Uncapped planned uprate and opportunity cost	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and Net CONE times B	31	2.7%
Uncapped planned uprate and price taker	0	0.0%
Uncapped planned uprate and 1.1 times BRA clearing price elected	NA	NA
Uncapped planned generation resources	11	1.0%
Existing generation resources as price takers	129	11.4%
Total Generation Capacity Resources offered	1,132	100.0%

# Table 5-18 APIR Statistics: 2018/2019 RPM Base Residual Auction

	Weighted-Average (\$	per MW-day UCAP)
	Base Capacity	Capacity Performance
Non-APIR units		
ACR	\$85.36	\$197.45
Net revenues	\$117.38	\$131.61
Offer caps	\$30.74	\$65.83
APIR units		
ACR	\$406.58	\$496.37
Net revenues	\$83.43	\$139.25
Offer caps	\$321.80	\$356.54
APIR	\$281.13	\$344.93
CPQR	\$0.00	\$10.08
Maximum APIR effect	\$1,051.98	\$1,051.98

#### Table 5-19 APIR Statistics: 2019/2020 RPM Base Residual Auction

	Weighted-Average (\$	per MW-day UCAP)
	Base Capacity	Capacity Performance
Non-APIR units		
ACR	\$89.05	
Net revenues	\$150.86	
Offer caps	\$33.97	
APIR units		
ACR	\$341.40	\$499.18
Net revenues	\$65.48	\$167.61
Offer caps	\$271.22	\$323.27
APIR	\$230.67	\$375.38
CPQR	\$0.00	\$1.53
Maximum APIR effect	\$1,104.93	\$1,104.93

#### Table 5-20 APIR Statistics: 2020/2021 RPM Base Residual Auction

	Weighted-Average
	(\$ per MW-day UCAP)
Non-APIR units	
ACR	
Net revenues	
Offer caps	
APIR units	
ACR	\$498.15
Net revenues	\$277.52
Offer caps	\$209.18
APIR	\$235.67
CPQR	\$0.23
Maximum APIR effect	\$464.71

#### Table 5-21 MOPR statistics: 2018/2019 through 2021/2022 RPM Base Residual Auctions<sup>95</sup>

		Number of Requests	UCAP (MW)				
		(Company-Plant Level)	Requested	Granted	Offered	Offered	Cleared
2018/2019 Base Residual Auction	Competitive Entry Exemption	28	13,462.5	13,462.5	3,723.3	3,563.6	3,563.6
	Self-Supply Exemption	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Unit-Specific Exception for resources	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Unit-Specific Exception for uprates	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Other MOPR Screened Generation Resources	0	0.0	0.0	543.1	511.5	0.0
	Total	28	13,462.5	13,462.5	4,266.4	4,075.1	3,563.6
	Competitive Entry Exemption	28	12,270.0	12,270.0	4,671.0	4,515.1	3,561.7
	Self-Supply Exemption	3	1,827.2	1,827.2	1,779.5	1,697.8	1,697.8
2019/2020 Base Residual Auction	Unit-Specific Exception for resources	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Unit-Specific Exception for uprates	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Other MOPR Screened Generation Resources	0	0.0	0.0	14.4	14.4	0.0
	Total	31	14,097.2	14,097.2	6,464.9	6,227.3	5,259.5
	Competitive Entry Exemption	27	12,171.0	12,171.0	3,212.5	3,161.1	2,646.7
	Self-Supply Exemption	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	. 0.0
2020/2021 Base	Unit-Specific Exception for resources	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Residual Auction	Unit-Specific Exception for uprates	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Other MOPR Screened Generation Resources	0	0.0	0.0	142.0	140.1	0.0
	Total	27	12,171.0	12,171.0	3,354.5	3,301.2	2,646.7
	Unit Specific Evention for recourses	8	6.605.0	2 672 0	0.0	0.0	0.0
0001/0000 D	Unit-Specific Exception for resources	8		3,673.0		127.6	127.6
2021/2022 Base	Unit-Specific Exception for uprates		671.0	671.0	131.3		
Residual Auction	Other MOPR Screened Generation Resources	0	0.0	0.0	177.5	174.2	0.0
	Total	23	7,276.0	4,344.0	308.8	301.8	127.6

<sup>95</sup> There were additional MOPR Screened Generation Resources for which no exceptions or exemptions were requested and to which the MOPR floor was applied. Some numbers not reported as a result of PJM confidentiality rules.

# Replacement Capacity<sup>96</sup>

Table 5-22 shows the committed and replacement capacity for all capacity resources for June 1 of each year from 2007 through 2021. The 2019 through 2021 numbers are not final.

# Table 5-22 RPM commitments and replacements for allCapacity Resources: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2021

its initial offer and all its subsequent offers in RPM auctions.

Table 5-26 shows RPM revenue by calendar year for all RPM auctions held through 2018. In 2017, RPM revenue was \$8.8 billion. In 2018, RPM revenue was \$10.3 billion.

	UCAP (MW)								
					RPM	RPM Commitments			
		Adjustments	Net	RPM	Commitment	Less Commitment			
	RPM Cleared	to Cleared	Replacements	Commitments	Shortage	Shortage			
01-Jun-07	129,409.2	0.0	0.0	129,409.2	(8.1)	129,401.1			
01-Jun-08	130,629.8	0.0	(766.5)	129,863.3	(246.3)	129,617.0			
01-Jun-09	134,030.2	0.0	(2,068.2)	131,962.0	(14.7)	131,947.3			
01-Jun-10	134,036.2	0.0	(4,179.0)	129,857.2	(8.8)	129,848.4			
01-Jun-11	134,182.6	0.0	(6,717.6)	127,465.0	(79.3)	127,385.7			
01-Jun-12	141,295.6	(11.7)	(9,400.6)	131,883.3	(157.2)	131,726.1			
01-Jun-13	159,844.5	0.0	(12,235.3)	147,609.2	(65.4)	147,543.8			
01-Jun-14	161,214.4	(9.4)	(13,615.9)	147,589.1	(1,208.9)	146,380.2			
01-Jun-15	173,845.5	(326.1)	(11,849.4)	161,670.0	(1,822.0)	159,848.0			
01-Jun-16	179,773.6	(24.6)	(16,157.5)	163,591.5	(924.4)	162,667.1			
01-Jun-17	180,590.5	0.0	(13,982.7)	166,607.8	(625.3)	165,982.5			
01-Jun-18	175,996.0	0.0	(12,057.8)	163,938.2	(150.5)	163,787.7			
01-Jun-19	171,237.2	0.0	(1,083.5)	170,153.7	0.0	170,153.7			
01-Jun-20	168,634.0	0.0	(610.1)	168,023.9	0.0	168,023.9			
01-Jun-21	163,627.3	0.0	0.0	163,627.3	0.0	163,627.3			

# **Market Performance**

Figure 5-7 shows cleared MW weighted average capacity market prices on a Delivery Year basis for the entire history of the PJM capacity markets.

Table 5-23 shows RPM clearing prices for all RPMauctions held through 2018.

Figure 5-8 shows the RPM cleared MW weighted average prices for each LDA for the current delivery year and all results for auctions for future delivery years that have been held through 2018. A summary of these weighted average prices is given in Table 5-24.

Table 5-25 shows RPM revenue by resource type for all RPM auctions held through 2018 with \$9.4 billion for new/repower/reactivated generation resources based on the unforced MW cleared and the resource clearing prices. A resource classified as "new/repower/reactivated" is a capacity resource addition since the implementation of RPM and is considered "new/repower/reactivated" for

Table 5-27 shows the RPM annual charges to load. For the 2017/2018 Delivery Year, RPM annual charges to load are \$9.1 billion. For the 2018/2019 Delivery Year, annual charges to load are \$11.0 billion.

<sup>96</sup> For more details on replacement capacity, see "Analysis of Replacement Capacity for RPM Commitments: June 1, 2007 to June 1, 2017," <a href="http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/Reports/2017/IMM\_Report\_on\_Capacity\_Replacement\_Activity\_4\_20171214.pdf">http://www.monitoringanalytics.com/reports/ Reports/2017/IMM\_Report\_on\_Capacity\_Replacement\_Activity\_4\_20171214.pdf</a>> (December 14, 2017).

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### Table 5-23 Capacity market clearing prices: 2007/2008 through 2021/2022 RPM Auctions

### Table 5-23 Capacity market clearing prices: 2007/2008 through 2021/2022 RPM Auctions (continued)

					RPM Cl	earing Pri	ce (\$ per N	1W-day)						
								DPL		PSEG				
	Product Type	RTO	MAAC	APS	PPL	EMAAC	SWMAAC	South	PSEG	North	Рерсо	ATSI	ComEd	BGE
2019/2020 First Incremental Auction	Base Capacity	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$22.22	\$15.00	\$22.22	\$22.22	\$22.22	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00
2019/2020 First Incremental Auction	Base Capacity DR/EE	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$22.22	\$15.00	\$22.22	\$22.22	\$22.22	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00
2019/2020 First Incremental Auction	Capacity Performance	\$51.33	\$51.33	\$51.33	\$51.33	\$58.55	\$51.33	\$58.55	\$58.55	\$58.55	\$51.33	\$51.33	\$51.33	\$51.33
2019/2020 Second Incremental Auction	Base Capacity	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$32.14
2019/2020 Second Incremental Auction	Base Capacity DR/EE	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$10.01	\$32.14
2019/2020 Second Incremental Auction	Capacity Performance	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$32.87	\$55.00
2020/2021 BRA	Capacity Performance	\$76.53	\$86.04	\$76.53	\$86.04	\$187.87	\$86.04	\$187.87	\$187.87	\$187.87	\$86.04	\$76.53	\$188.12	\$86.04
2020/2021 First Incremental Auction	Capacity Performance	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90	\$42.90
2021/2022 BRA	Capacity Performance	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$140.00	\$165.73	\$140.00	\$165.73	\$204.29	\$204.29	\$140.00	\$171.33	\$195.55	\$200.30

### Table 5-24 Weighted average clearing prices by zone: 2018/2019 through 2021/2022

Weighted Average Clearing Price (\$ per M)									
LDA	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022					
RTO									
AEP	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
APS	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
ATSI	\$148.42	\$94.74	\$74.98	\$171.32					
Cleveland	\$158.68	\$95.36	\$72.16	\$171.33					
ComEd	\$199.02	\$194.82	\$184.32	\$195.55					
DAY	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
DEOK	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
DLCO	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
Dominion	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
EKPC	\$158.20	\$95.57	\$75.83	\$140.05					
MAAC									
EMAAC									
AECO	\$214.31	\$113.49	\$186.61	\$165.68					
DPL	\$214.31	\$113.49	\$186.61	\$165.68					
DPL South	\$211.38	\$116.08	\$184.53	\$165.73					
JCPL	\$214.31	\$113.49	\$186.61	\$165.68					
PECO	\$214.31	\$113.49	\$186.61	\$165.68					
PSEG	\$210.92	\$116.35	\$187.39	\$204.20					
PSEG North	\$211.71	\$116.64	\$186.33	\$204.27					
RECO	\$214.31	\$113.49	\$186.61	\$165.68					
SWMAAC									
BGE	\$141.58	\$93.53	\$85.24	\$199.00					
Рерсо	\$144.90	\$91.46	\$85.54	\$140.00					
WMAAC									
Met-Ed	\$152.65	\$96.38	\$85.16	\$140.00					
PENELEC	\$152.65	\$96.38	\$85.16	\$140.00					
PPL	\$147.90	\$95.36	\$85.70	\$140.08					

### Table 5-25 RPM revenue by type: 2007/2008 through 2021/2022<sup>97 98</sup>

				Co	al	Ga	is	Hydroe	lectric
		Energy							
	Demand	Efficiency			New/repower/		New/repower/		New/repower/
	Resources	Resources	Imports	Existing	reactivated	Existing	reactivated	Existing	reactivated
2007/2008	\$5,537,085	\$0	\$22,225,980	\$1,019,060,206	\$0	\$1,625,158,046	\$3,516,075	\$209,490,444	\$0
2008/2009	\$35,349,116	\$0	\$60,918,903	\$1,835,059,769	\$0	\$2,115,862,522	\$9,784,064	\$287,838,147	\$12,255
2009/2010	\$65,762,003	\$0	\$56,517,793	\$2,409,315,953	\$1,854,781	\$2,551,967,501	\$30,168,831	\$364,731,344	\$11,173
2010/2011	\$60,235,796	\$0	\$106,046,871	\$2,648,278,766	\$3,168,069	\$2,829,039,737	\$58,065,964	\$442,410,730	\$19,085
2011/2012	\$55,795,785	\$139,812	\$185,421,273	\$1,586,775,249	\$28,330,047	\$1,721,272,563	\$98,448,693	\$278,529,660	\$0
2012/2013	\$264,387,897	\$11,408,552	\$13,260,822	\$1,014,858,378	\$7,568,127	\$1,256,600,367	\$76,633,409	\$179,117,374	\$11,998
2013/2014	\$558,715,114	\$21,598,174	\$31,804,645	\$1,741,613,525	\$12,950,135	\$2,154,401,813	\$167,844,235	\$308,853,673	\$25,708
2014/2015	\$681,315,139	\$42,308,549	\$135,573,409	\$1,935,468,356	\$57,078,818	\$2,176,442,220	\$205,555,569	\$333,941,614	\$6,649,774
2015/2016	\$903,496,003	\$66,652,986	\$260,806,674	\$2,902,870,267	\$63,682,708	\$2,676,692,075	\$535,039,154	\$389,540,948	\$15,478,144
2016/2017	\$466,952,356	\$68,709,670	\$244,091,507	\$2,137,545,515	\$72,217,195	\$2,217,027,225	\$667,098,133	\$283,613,426	\$13,927,638
2017/2018	\$515,145,457	\$86,147,605	\$218,710,769	\$2,452,687,763	\$62,790,145	\$2,550,970,172	\$984,733,791	\$348,972,234	\$15,219,121
2018/2019	\$637,742,320	\$103,105,796	\$263,475,004	\$2,637,322,434	\$77,072,397	\$2,992,482,882	\$1,444,760,231	\$416,075,805	\$15,382,098
2019/2020	\$372,756,931	\$89,249,885	\$83,736,046	\$1,655,571,636	\$47,528,002	\$1,949,596,494	\$1,058,669,656	\$247,843,671	\$6,208,824
2020/2021	\$343,544,146	\$93,092,140	\$74,256,199	\$1,318,324,680	\$36,115,158	\$2,080,256,094	\$1,146,062,527	\$209,060,912	\$7,737,607
2021/2022	\$631,409,762	\$166,627,498	\$130,197,690	\$2,079,667,778	\$66,256,260	\$2,670,256,030	\$1,676,705,702	\$295,309,520	\$11,589,480

	Nucl	ear	Oil		Sola	r	Solid wa	aste
		New/repower/		New/repower/		New/repower/		New/repower/
	Existing	reactivated	Existing	reactivated	Existing	reactivated	Existing	reactivated
2007/2008	\$996,085,233	\$0	\$339,272,020	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$31,512,230	\$0
2008/2009	\$1,322,601,837	\$0	\$375,774,257	\$4,837,523	\$0	\$0	\$35,011,991	\$0
2009/2010	\$1,517,723,628	\$0	\$447,358,085	\$5,676,582	\$0	\$0	\$42,758,762	\$523,739
2010/2011	\$1,799,258,125	\$0	\$440,593,115	\$4,339,539	\$0	\$0	\$40,731,606	\$413,503
2011/2012	\$1,079,386,338	\$0	\$263,061,402	\$967,887	\$0	\$66,978	\$25,636,836	\$261,690
2012/2013	\$762,719,550	\$0	\$248,107,065	\$2,772,987	\$0	\$1,246,337	\$26,840,670	\$316,420
2013/2014	\$1,346,223,419	\$0	\$385,720,626	\$5,670,399	\$0	\$3,523,555	\$43,943,130	\$1,977,705
2014/2015	\$1,464,950,862	\$0	\$319,758,617	\$4,106,697	\$0	\$3,836,582	\$34,281,137	\$1,709,533
2015/2016	\$1,850,033,226	\$0	\$397,556,965	\$5,947,275	\$0	\$7,064,983	\$35,862,368	\$6,179,607
2016/2017	\$1,483,759,630	\$0	\$261,495,016	\$4,030,823	\$0	\$7,057,256	\$32,648,789	\$6,380,604
2017/2018	\$1,694,447,711	\$0	\$276,148,715	\$3,888,126	\$0	\$10,899,883	\$34,771,100	\$9,036,976
2018/2019	\$2,004,607,689	\$0	\$339,771,633	\$2,922,855	\$0	\$16,928,323	\$38,243,467	\$9,658,138
2019/2020	\$1,275,670,828	\$0	\$185,300,298	\$1,723,692	\$0	\$11,954,557	\$21,205,162	\$5,326,702
2020/2021	\$1,421,992,631	\$0	\$212,589,855	\$1,408,492	\$0	\$7,389,376	\$26,917,827	\$5,428,707
2021/2022	\$1,181,920,902	\$0	\$253,987,440	\$2,401,396	\$0	\$29,673,108	\$31,924,862	\$7,757,690

	Win	d	
		New/repower/	
	Existing	reactivated	Total revenue
2007/2008	\$430,065	\$0	\$4,252,287,381
2008/2009	\$1,180,153	\$2,917,048	\$6,087,147,586
2009/2010	\$2,011,156	\$6,836,827	\$7,503,218,157
2010/2011	\$1,819,413	\$15,232,177	\$8,449,652,496
2011/2012	\$1,072,929	\$9,919,881	\$5,335,087,023
2012/2013	\$812,644	\$5,052,036	\$3,871,714,635
2013/2014	\$1,373,205	\$13,538,988	\$6,799,778,047
2014/2015	\$1,524,551	\$32,766,219	\$7,437,267,646
2015/2016	\$1,829,269	\$42,994,253	\$10,161,726,902
2016/2017	\$1,144,873	\$26,189,042	\$7,993,888,695
2017/2018	\$1,529,251	\$40,577,901	\$9,306,676,719
2018/2019	\$1,166,553	\$54,226,228	\$11,054,943,851
2019/2020	\$756,891	\$45,598,006	\$7,058,697,281
2020/2021	\$25,124	\$35,671,349	\$7,019,872,821
2021/2022	\$2,089,282	\$63,102,701	\$9,300,877,101

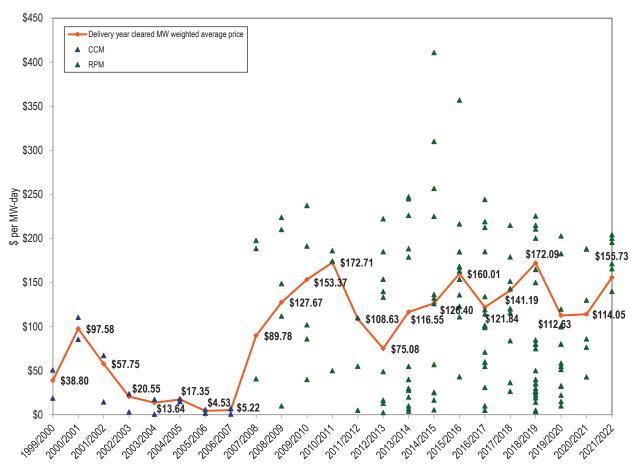
98 The results for the ATSI Integration Auctions are not included in this table.

<sup>97</sup> A resource classified as "new/repower/reactivated" is a capacity resource addition since the implementation of RPM and is considered "new/repower/reactivated" for its initial offer and all its subsequent offers in RPM Auctions.

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	Weighted Average RPM	Weighted Average		
Year	Price (\$ per MW-day)	Cleared UCAP (MW)	Effective Days	RPM Revenue
2007	\$89.78	129,409.2	214	\$2,486,310,108
2008	\$111.93	130,223.2	366	\$5,334,880,241
2009	\$142.74	132,772.0	365	\$6,917,391,702
2010	\$164.71	134,033.9	365	\$8,058,113,907
2011	\$135.14	134,105.2	365	\$6,615,032,130
2012	\$89.01	137,684.7	366	\$4,485,656,150
2013	\$99.39	154,044.3	365	\$5,588,442,225
2014	\$122.32	160,668.7	365	\$7,173,539,072
2015	\$146.10	169,112.0	365	\$9,018,343,604
2016	\$137.69	176,742.6	366	\$8,906,998,628
2017	\$133.19	180,272.0	365	\$8,763,578,112
2018	\$159.31	177,680.6	365	\$10,331,688,133
2019	\$137.23	173,706.1	365	\$8,700,631,571
2020	\$113.46	169,707.2	366	\$7,047,241,889
2021	\$138.49	165,333.1	365	\$8,357,228,755
2022	\$155.73	163,627.3	151	\$3,847,760,116

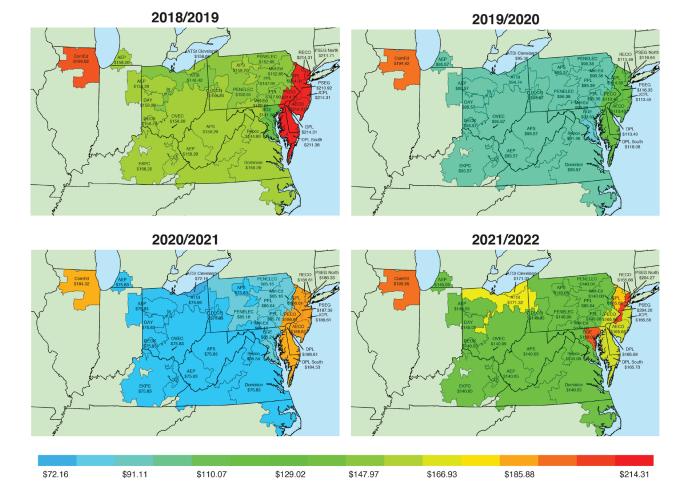
Table 5-26 RPM revenue by calendar year: 2007 through 202299





<sup>99</sup> The results for the ATSI Integration Auctions are not included in this table.

<sup>100</sup> The 1999/2000 through 2006/2007 capacity prices are CCM combined market, weighted average prices. The 2007/2008 through 2021/2022 capacity prices are RPM weighted average prices. The CCM data points plotted are cleared MW weighted average prices for the daily and monthly markets by delivery year. The RPM data points plotted are RPM resource clearing prices. For the 2014/2015 and subsequent delivery years, only the prices for Annual Resources or Capacity Performance Resources are plotted.



### Figure 5-8 Map of RPM capacity prices: 2018/2019 through 2021/2022



Table 5-27	RPM cost to load: 2017/2018 through	
2021/2022	RPM Auctions <sup>101 102 103</sup>	

	Net Load Price	UCAP Obligation	
	(\$ per MW-day)	(MW)	Annual Charges
2017/2018			
Rest of RTO	\$153.61	94,874.5	\$5,319,445,392
Rest of MAAC	\$153.74	44,352.0	\$2,488,734,815
PSEG	\$208.59	10,932.0	\$832,333,767
PPL	\$151.86	7,935.5	\$439,869,055
Total		158,094.0	\$9,080,383,029
2018/2019			
Rest of RTO	\$164.70	80,837.7	\$4,859,734,465
Rest of MAAC	\$218.98	31,118.9	\$2,487,249,930
BGE	\$158.20	7,701.4	\$444,710,759
DPL	\$219.29	4,463.7	\$357,277,053
ComEd	\$212.03	24,752.4	\$1,915,591,298
Рерсо	\$156.90	7,329.2	\$419,746,111
PPL	\$155.11	8,300.9	\$469,969,694
Total		164,504.2	\$10,954,279,310
2019/2020			
Rest of RTO	\$98.01	89,481.5	\$3,209,816,762
Rest of EMAAC	\$115.68	24,189.5	\$1,024,134,241
BGE	\$97.72	7,609.2	\$272,145,810
ComEd	\$191.70	25,196.6	\$1,767,877,460
Рерсо	\$92.80	7,281.3	\$247,297,867
PSEG	\$115.93	11,169.9	\$473,945,328
Total		164,928.0	\$6,995,217,469
2020/2021			
Rest of RTO	\$77.00	69,538.0	\$1,954,438,669
Rest of MAAC	\$86.89	29,572.5	\$937,886,000
Rest of EMAAC	\$176.17	34,949.0	\$2,247,251,699
ComEd	\$183.79	25,040.0	\$1,679,743,111
DEOK	\$103.53	5,208.1	\$196,815,744
Total		164,307.7	\$7,016,135,223
2021/2022			
Rest of RTO	\$140.53	82,080.4	\$4,210,274,861
Rest of EMAAC	\$163.08	23,762.8	\$1,414,495,718
ATSI	\$157.99	14,464.9	\$834,165,114
BGE	\$161.62	7,435.0	\$438,596,021
ComEd	\$192.69	24,983.0	\$1,757,064,009
PSEG	\$184.03	10,901.1	\$732,248,951
Total		163,627.3	\$9,386,844,675

# Reliability Must Run (RMR) Service

PJM must make out of market payments to units for Reliability Must Run (RMR) service during periods when a unit that would otherwise have been deactivated is needed for reliability.<sup>104</sup> The need for RMR service reflects a flawed market design and/or planning process problems. If a unit is needed for reliability, the market should reflect a locational value consistent with that need which would result in the unit remaining in service or being replaced by a competitor unit. The planning process should evaluate the impact of the loss of units at risk and determine in advance whether transmission upgrades are required.<sup>105</sup>

When notified of an intended deactivation, the Market Monitor performs a market power study to ensure that the deactivation is economic, not an exercise of market power through withholding, and consistent with competition.<sup>106</sup> PJM performs a system study to determine whether the system can accommodate the deactivation on the desired date, and if not, when it could.107 If PJM determines that it needs a unit for a period beyond the intended deactivation date, PJM will request a unit to provide RMR service.<sup>108</sup> The PJM market rules do not require an owner to provide RMR service, but owners must provide 90 days advance notice of a proposed deactivation.<sup>109</sup> The owner of a generation capacity resource must provide notice of a proposed deactivation in order to avoid a requirement to offer in RPM auctions.<sup>110</sup> In order to avoid submitting an offer for a unit in the next three-year forward RPM base residual auction, an owner must show "a documented plan in place to retire the resource," including a notice of deactivation filed with PJM, 120 days prior to such auction.111

104 OATT Part V.

<sup>101</sup> The RPM annual charges are calculated using the rounded, net load prices as posted in the PJM RPM Auction results.

<sup>102</sup> There is no separate obligation for DPL South as the DPL South LDA is completely contained within the DPL Zone. There is no separate obligation for PSEG North as the PSEG North LDA is completely contained within the PSEG Zone.

<sup>103</sup> Prior to the 2009/2010 Delivery Year, the final UCAP obligation is determined after the clearing of the Second Incremental Auction. For the 2009/2010 through 2011/2012 Delivery Years, the final UCAP obligations are determined after the clearing of the Third Incremental Auction. Effective with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, the final UCAP obligation is determined after the clearing of the final Incremental Auction. Prior to the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, the Final Zonal Capacity Prices are determined after certification of ILR. Effective with the 2012/2013 Delivery Year, the Final Zonal Capacity Prices are determined after the final Incremental Auction. The 2019/2020, 2020/2021, and 2021/2022 Net Load Prices are not finalized. The 2019/2020, 2020/2021, and 2021/2022 obligation MW are not finalized.

<sup>105</sup> See, e.g., 140 FERC ¶ 61,237 at P 36 (2012) ("The evaluation of alternatives to an SSR designation is an important step that deserves the full consideration of MISO and its stakeholders to ensure that SSR Agreements are used only as a 'limited, last-resort measure."); 118 FERC ¶ 61,243 at P 41 (2007) ("the market participants that pay for the agreements pay out-of-market prices for the service provided under the RMR agreements, which broadly hinders market development and performance.[footnote omitted] As a result of these factors, we have concluded that RMR agreements should be used as a last resort."); 100 FERC ¶ 61,315 at P 40 (2005) ("The Commission has stated on several occasions that it shares the concerns... that RMR agreements not proliferate as an alternative pricing option for generators, and that they are used strictly as a last resort so that units needed for reliability receive reasonable compensation."). 106 0ATI \$ 113.2; 0ATI Attachment M § IV.1.

<sup>106</sup> UATI § 113.2 107 OATI § 113.2

<sup>107</sup> OATES 11: 108 *Id*.

<sup>109</sup> OATT § 113.1.

<sup>110</sup> OATT Attachment DD § 6.6(g).

<sup>110</sup> UATI Attachment DD 9 6.6(g). 111 *Id*.

Under the current rules, a unit providing RMR service can recover its costs under either the deactivation avoidable cost rate (DACR), which is a formula rate, or the cost of service recovery rate. The deactivation avoidable cost rate is designed to permit the recovery of the costs of the unit's "continued operation," termed "avoidable costs," plus an incentive adder.<sup>112</sup> Avoidable costs are defined to mean "incremental expenses directly required for the operation of a generating unit." <sup>113</sup> The incentives escalate for each year of service (first year, 10 percent; second year, 20 percent; third year, 35 percent; fourth year, 50 percent).<sup>114</sup> The rules provide terms for early termination of RMR service and for the repayment of project investment by owners of units that choose to keep units in service after the RMR period ends.115 Project investment is capped at \$2 million, above which FERC approval is required.<sup>116</sup> The cost of service rate is designed to permit the recovery of the unit's "cost of service rate to recover the entire cost of operating the generating unit" if the generation owner files a separate rate schedule at FERC. 117

Table 5-28 shows units that have provided or are providing RMR service to PJM.

In each of the cost of service recovery rate filings for RMR service, the scope of recovery permitted under the cost of service approach defined in Section 119 has been a significant issue. Owners have sought to recover fixed costs, incurred prior to the noticed deactivation date, in addition to the cost of operating the generating unit. Owners have cited the cost of service reference to mean that the unit is entitled to file to recover costs that it was unable to recover in the competitive markets, in addition to recovery of costs of actually providing the RMR service.

The cost of service recovery rate approach has been interpreted by the companies using that approach to allow the company to establish a rate base including investment in the existing plant and new investment necessary to provide RMR service and to earn a return on that rate base and receive depreciation of that rate base. Companies developing the cost of service recovery rate have ignored the tariff's limitation to the costs of operating the unit during the RMR service period and have included costs incurred prior to the decision to the deactivate.<sup>118</sup> In one cost of service recovery rate, the filing included costs that already had been written

		ICAP			Start of	End of
Unit Names	Owner	(MW)	Cost Recovery Method	Docket Numbers	Term	Term
B.L. England 2	RC Cape May Holdings, LLC	150.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER17-1083	01-May-17	31-May-19
Yorktown 1	Dominion Virginia Power	159.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER17-750	06-Jan-17	08-Mar-19
Yorktown 2	Dominion Virginia Power	164.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER17-750	06-Jan-17	08-Mar-19
B.L. England 3	RC Cape May Holdings, LLC	148.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER17-1083	01-May-17	24-Jan-18
Ashtabula	FirstEnergy Service Company	210.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER12-2710	01-Sep-12	11-Apr-15
Eastlake 1	FirstEnergy Service Company	109.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER12-2710	01-Sep-12	15-Sep-14
Eastlake 2	FirstEnergy Service Company	109.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER12-2710	01-Sep-12	15-Sep-14
Eastlake 3	FirstEnergy Service Company	109.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER12-2710	01-Sep-12	15-Sep-14
Lakeshore	FirstEnergy Service Company	190.0	Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate	ER12-2710	01-Sep-12	15-Sep-14
Elrama 4	GenOn Power Midwest, LP	171.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER12-1901	01-Jun-12	01-0ct-12
Niles 1	GenOn Power Midwest, LP	109.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER12-1901	01-Jun-12	01-0ct-12
Cromby 2 and Diesel	Exelon Generation Company, LLC	203.7	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER10-1418	01-Jun-11	01-Jan-12
Eddystone 2	Exelon Generation Company, LLC	309.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER10-1418	01-Jun-11	01-Jun-12
Brunot Island CT2A, CT2B, CT3 and CC4	Orion Power MidWest, L.P.	244.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER06-993	16-May-06	05-Jul-07
Hudson 1	PSEG Energy Resources & Trade LLC and PSEG Fossil LLC	355.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER05-644, ER11-2688	25-Feb-05	08-Dec-11
Sewaren 1-4	PSEG Energy Resources & Trade LLC and PSEG Fossil LLC	453.0	Cost of Service Recovery Rate	ER05-644	25-Feb-05	01-Sep-08

#### Table 5-28 RMR service summary

Only two of seven owners have used the deactivation avoidable cost rate approach. The other five owners used the cost of service recovery rate, despite the greater administrative expense. off on the company's public books.<sup>119</sup> Unit owners have filed for revenues under the cost of service method that substantially exceed the actual incremental costs of providing RMR service.

Because an RMR unit is needed by PJM for reliability reasons, and the provision of RMR service is voluntary

<sup>112</sup> OAIT § 114 (Deactivation Avoidable Credit = ((Deactivation Avoidable Cost Rate + Applicable Adder) \* MW capability of the unit \* Number of days in the month) – Actual Net Revenues). 113 OAIT § 115. 114 *Id.* 115 OAIT § 118.

<sup>116</sup> OATT §§ 115, 117. 117 OATT § 119.

<sup>118</sup> See, e.g., FERC Dockets Nos. ER10-1418-000, ER12-1901-000.

<sup>119</sup> See GenOn Filing, Docket No. ER12-1901-000 (May 31, 2012) at Exh. No. GPM-1 at 9:16-21.

in PJM, owners of RMR service have significant market power in establishing the terms of RMR service.

RMR service should be provided to PJM customers at reasonable rates, which reflect the riskless nature of providing such service to owners, the reliability need for such service and the opportunity for owners to be guaranteed recovery of 100 percent of the actual costs incurred to provide the service plus an incentive markup.

The cost of service recovery rates have been excessive compared to the actual costs of providing RMR service. The DACR method also provides excessive incentives for service longer than a year, given that customers bear the risks.

The MMU recommends elimination of the cost of service recovery rate in OATT Section 119, and that RMR service should be provided under the deactivation avoidable cost rate in Part V.

The MMU also recommends, based in part on its experience with application of the deactivation avoidable cost rate and proceedings filed under Section 119, the following improvements to the DACR provisions:

- Revise the applicable adders in Section 114 to be 15 percent for the second year of RMR service and 20 percent for the provision of RMR service in excess of two years.
- Add true up provisions that ensure that the RMR service provider is reimbursed for, and consumers pay for, the actual costs associated with the RMR service, plus the applicable adder.
- Eliminate the \$2 million cap on project investment expenditures.
- Clearly distinguish operating expenses and project investment costs.
- Clarify the tariff language in Section 118 regarding the refund of project investment in the event the RMR unit continues operation beyond the RMR term.

# **Generator Performance**

Generator performance results from the interaction between the physical characteristics of the units and the level of expenditures made to maintain the capability of the units, which in turn is a function of incentives from energy, ancillary services and capacity markets. Generator performance indices include those based on total hours in a period (generator performance factors) and those based on hours when units are needed to operate by the system operator (generator forced outage rates).

### **Capacity Factor**

Capacity factor measures the actual output of a power plant over a period of time compared to the potential output of the unit had it been running at full nameplate capacity for every hour during that period. Table 5-29 shows the capacity factors by unit type for 2017 and 2018. In 2018, nuclear units had a capacity factor of 94.2 percent, compared to 94.1 percent in 2017; combined cycle units had a capacity factor of 60.0 percent in 2018, compared to a capacity factor of 58.4 percent in 2017; all steam units had a capacity factor of 39.0 percent in 2018, compared to 40.8 percent in 2017; coal units had a capacity factor of 44.4 percent in 2018, compared to 46.6 percent in 2017.

	2017	7	2018	3	Change ir
	Generation	Capacity	Generation	Capacity	2018 from
Unit Type	(GWh)	Factor	(GWh)	Factor	2017
Battery	25.1	0.9%	14.3	0.6%	(0.3%
Combined Cycle	195,631.7	58.4%	234,614.7	60.0%	1.5%
Single Fuel	159,214.6	62.6%	194,921.2	63.5%	0.9%
Dual Fuel	36,417.1	45.1%	39,693.5	47.1%	2.0%
Combustion Turbine	13,384.9	5.3%	17,590.9	6.9%	1.7%
Single Fuel	9,708.0	5.1%	11,810.7	6.3%	1.2%
Dual Fuel	3,676.8	5.7%	5,780.2	8.7%	3.0%
Diesel	322.3	10.1%	351.8	10.4%	0.3%
Single Fuel	314.3	11.1%	341.9	11.4%	0.2%
Dual Fuel	8.1	2.2%	9.9	2.7%	0.5%
Diesel (Landfill gas)	1,727.7	51.6%	1,712.8	51.8%	0.2%
Fuel Cell	226.7	86.2%	225.9	82.9%	(3.4%
Nuclear	287,575.8	94.1%	286,155.4	94.2%	0.0%
Pumped Storage Hydro	6,475.4	14.6%	7,004.9	15.8%	1.2%
Run of River Hydro	8,393.0	32.0%	12,410.6	46.8%	14.8%
Solar	1,463.1	17.0%	2,104.9	17.7%	0.7%
Steam	272,282.7	40.8%	253,826.7	39.0%	(1.8%
Biomass	5,859.6	59.3%	6,451.9	68.6%	9.2%
Coal	258,498.3	46.6%	241,022.0	44.4%	(2.2%
Single Fuel	252,866.1	48.6%	235,262.5	45.8%	(2.8%
Dual Fuel	5,632.2	16.6%	5,759.5	19.6%	3.0%
Natural Gas	7,770.2	9.3%	5,987.5	7.5%	(1.8%
Single Fuel	678.6	7.1%	637.8	8.0%	0.9%
Dual Fuel	7,091.6	9.6%	5,349.7	7.4%	(2.1%
Oil	154.6	0.8%	365.2	1.9%	1.2%
Wind	20,714.1	29.5%	21,626.8	28.4%	(1.1%
Total	808,228.0	47.0%	837,644.2	47.4%	0.4%

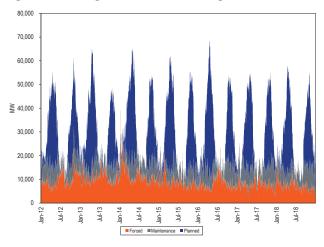
# Table 5-29 Capacity factor (By unit type (GWh)): 2017 and 2018<sup>120 121</sup>

### **Generator Performance Factors**

Generator outages fall into three categories: planned, maintenance, and forced. The MW on outage vary throughout the year. For example, the MW on planned outage are generally highest in the spring and fall, as shown in Figure 5-9, due to restrictions on planned outages during the winter and summer. The effect of the seasonal variation in outages can be seen in the monthly generator performance metrics in Figure 5-12.

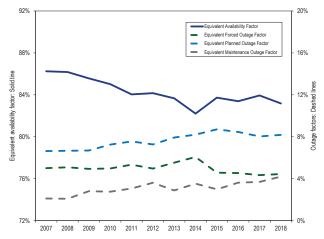
Performance factors include the equivalent availability factor (EAF), the equivalent maintenance outage factor (EMOF), the equivalent planned outage factor (EPOF) and the equivalent forced outage factor (EFOF). These four factors add to 100 percent for any generating unit. The EAF is the proportion of hours in a year when a unit is available to generate at full capacity while the three outage factors include all the hours when a unit is unavailable. The EMOF is the proportion of hours in a year when a unit is unavailable because of maintenance outages and maintenance deratings. The EPOF is the proportion of hours in a year when a unit is unavailable because of planned outages and planned deratings. The EFOF is the proportion of hours in a year when a unit is unavailable because of forced outages and forced deratings.

#### Figure 5-9 Outages (MW): 2012 through 2018



The PJM aggregate EAF, EFOF, EPOF, and EMOF are shown in Figure 5-10. Metrics by unit type are shown in Table 5-30.





<sup>120</sup> The capacity factors in this table are based on nameplate capacity values, and are calculated based on when the units come on line.

<sup>121</sup> The subcategories of steam units are consolidated consistent with confidentiality rules. Coal is comprised of coal and waste coal. Natural gas is comprised of natural gas and propane. Oil is comprised of both heavy and light oil. Biomass is comprised of biomass, landfill gas, and municipal solid waste.

		Co	al		Combined Cycle				Co	mbustic	on Turbi	ne	Diesel			
	EFOF	EPOF	EMOF	EAF	EFOF	EPOF	EMOF	EAF	EFOF	EPOF	EMOF	EAF	EFOF	EPOF	EMOF	EAF
2007	7.7%	8.7%	2.8%	80.8%	2.4%	6.1%	1.8%	89.7%	4.7%	2.5%	2.7%	90.1%	10.2%	0.6%	1.6%	87.6%
2008	7.8%	7.5%	2.5%	82.2%	2.2%	6.0%	1.7%	90.1%	2.8%	4.1%	2.3%	90.7%	9.1%	1.0%	1.2%	88.7%
2009	6.8%	8.7%	3.6%	81.0%	2.7%	5.8%	3.2%	88.3%	1.5%	2.8%	2.5%	93.3%	6.6%	0.6%	1.1%	91.7%
2010	7.8%	8.9%	4.1%	79.2%	2.1%	7.9%	2.7%	87.3%	2.0%	2.8%	2.1%	93.1%	4.4%	0.4%	1.5%	93.6%
2011	8.3%	8.4%	4.5%	78.9%	2.3%	8.4%	2.1%	87.2%	2.1%	3.7%	2.4%	91.8%	3.3%	0.1%	1.8%	94.8%
2012	7.3%	8.5%	5.8%	78.4%	3.8%	8.2%	2.1%	86.0%	2.9%	3.1%	1.8%	92.2%	3.9%	0.7%	2.4%	93.1%
2013	8.6%	9.9%	4.5%	77.1%	2.5%	8.3%	2.2%	87.0%	5.2%	4.0%	1.8%	89.1%	6.0%	0.3%	1.4%	92.4%
2014	9.4%	9.1%	5.5%	76.0%	2.7%	9.4%	2.5%	85.4%	6.3%	4.0%	1.9%	87.9%	13.8%	0.4%	2.2%	83.5%
2015	7.7%	9.5%	4.5%	78.3%	2.2%	10.5%	2.0%	85.3%	2.9%	4.2%	2.5%	90.4%	7.6%	0.3%	2.7%	89.4%
2016	8.4%	8.7%	6.3%	76.6%	2.9%	10.9%	1.8%	84.4%	2.2%	5.3%	2.7%	89.8%	5.2%	0.2%	2.6%	92.0%
2017	9.5%	9.7%	6.9%	73.9%	1.9%	10.8%	1.6%	85.7%	1.4%	5.8%	2.0%	90.8%	6.5%	0.3%	2.0%	91.1%
2018	9.6%	10.9%	8.1%	71.4%	1.6%	9.4%	1.5%	87.6%	2.0%	5.5%	1.8%	90.8%	6.6%	0.9%	3.3%	89.2%

Table 5-30 EFOF, EPOF, EMOF and EAF by unit type: 2007 through 2018

		Hydroe	lectric			Nuc	lear		Other				
	EFOF	ÉPOF	EMOF	EAF	EFOF	EPOF	EMOF	EAF	EFOF	EPOF	EMOF	EAF	
2007	1.3%	7.2%	1.4%	90.1%	1.3%	5.3%	0.3%	93.1%	6.1%	7.6%	3.0%	83.3%	
2008	1.3%	7.8%	2.1%	88.8%	1.8%	5.1%	0.8%	92.3%	8.6%	10.3%	3.1%	78.0%	
2009	2.3%	8.7%	2.3%	86.8%	4.1%	5.2%	0.6%	90.1%	7.7%	7.6%	4.6%	80.0%	
2010	0.7%	8.6%	1.9%	88.8%	2.3%	5.4%	0.5%	91.8%	8.1%	9.8%	3.5%	78.6%	
2011	1.7%	11.7%	1.9%	84.7%	2.6%	6.1%	1.2%	90.1%	8.4%	10.8%	3.4%	77.3%	
2012	2.8%	6.3%	2.1%	88.9%	1.5%	6.4%	1.1%	91.1%	8.0%	10.5%	5.0%	76.6%	
2013	2.3%	7.8%	1.9%	87.9%	1.1%	5.9%	0.7%	92.2%	8.1%	10.7%	3.9%	77.4%	
2014	2.5%	9.3%	3.0%	85.3%	1.8%	5.8%	0.9%	91.5%	7.2%	15.2%	5.4%	72.2%	
2015	3.7%	9.6%	1.5%	85.2%	1.3%	5.5%	1.2%	91.9%	6.0%	17.2%	4.1%	72.7%	
2016	2.6%	7.7%	3.1%	86.6%	1.7%	5.5%	1.2%	91.7%	4.7%	15.8%	4.4%	75.2%	
2017	2.3%	5.8%	3.1%	88.9%	0.5%	5.1%	0.6%	93.7%	4.8%	9.3%	5.9%	80.0%	
2018	2.5%	7.4%	3.6%	86.6%	0.8%	5.3%	0.6%	93.3%	5.1%	8.7%	7.9%	78.3%	

### **Generator Forced Outage Rates**

There are three primary forced outage rate metrics. The most fundamental forced outage rate metric is EFORd. The other forced outage rate metrics either exclude some outages, XEFORd, or exclude some outages and exclude some time periods, EFORp. The other outage rate metrics will no longer be used under the capacity performance capacity market design.

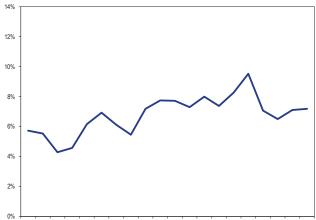
The unadjusted forced outage rate of a generating unit is measured as the equivalent demand forced outage rate (EFORd). EFORd is a measure of the probability that a generating unit will fail, either partially or totally, to perform when it is needed to operate. EFORd measures the forced outage rate during periods of demand, and does not include planned or maintenance outages. A period of demand is a period during which a generator is running or needed to run. EFORd calculations use historical performance data, including equivalent forced outage hours, service hours, average forced outage duration, average run time, average time between unit starts, available hours and period hours.<sup>122</sup> The EFORd metric includes all forced outages, regardless of the reason for those outages.

The average PJM EFORd for 2018 was 7.2 percent, an increase from 7.1 percent for 2017. Figure 5-11 shows the average EFORd since 1999 for all units in PJM.<sup>123</sup>

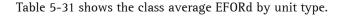
<sup>122</sup> Equivalent forced outage hours are the sum of all forced outage hours in which a generating unit is fully inoperable and all partial forced outage hours in which a generating unit is partially inoperable prorated to represent full hours.

<sup>123</sup> The universe of units in PJM changed as the PJM footprint expanded and as units retired from and entered PJM markets. See the 2018 State of the Market Report for PJM, Appendix A: "PJM Geography" for details.

# Figure 5–11 Trends in the equivalent demand forced outage rate (EFORd): 1999 through 2018



1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018



# Table 5-31 EFORd data for different unit types: 2007through 2018

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Coal	8.8%	8.9%	8.4%	9.4%	10.5%	9.7%	11.0%	11.8%	9.4%	10.4%	12.5%	13.1%
Combined Cycle	3.7%	3.5%	3.7%	2.7%	3.2%	4.5%	3.0%	4.5%	2.9%	3.7%	2.6%	2.3%
<b>Combustion Turbine</b>	11.7%	11.2%	9.8%	9.1%	8.3%	8.5%	11.1%	15.8%	9.2%	6.1%	5.9%	6.7%
Diesel	11.7%	10.3%	9.3%	6.4%	9.3%	5.1%	6.6%	14.8%	9.1%	7.2%	7.6%	7.2%
Hydroelectric	2.0%	2.0%	3.2%	1.2%	2.9%	4.4%	3.6%	3.8%	5.2%	3.7%	3.2%	3.2%
Nuclear	1.4%	1.9%	4.1%	2.5%	2.8%	1.6%	1.2%	1.9%	1.4%	1.9%	0.6%	0.8%
Other	11.1%	15.5%	14.3%	12.3%	14.9%	12.3%	15.5%	14.5%	13.0%	9.2%	13.8%	11.8%
Total	7.2%	7.7%	7.7%	7.3%	8.0%	7.4%	8.3%	9.5%	7.1%	6.5%	7.1%	7.2%

### **Other Forced Outage Rate Metrics**

There are a number of performance incentives in the current capacity market design, but they fall short of the incentives that a unit would face if it earned all its revenue in an energy market. These incentives will change when the capacity performance capacity market design is implemented beginning with the 2018/2019 Delivery Year but remain essential reasons why the incentive components of capacity performance design were necessary.

Currently, there are two additional forced outage rate metrics that play a significant role in PJM markets, XEFORd and EFORp. Under the capacity performance modifications to RPM, neither XEFORd nor EFORp will be relevant.

The XEFORd metric is the EFORd metric adjusted to remove outages that have been defined to be outside management control (OMC). Under the capacity performance modifications to RPM, all outages will be included in the EFORd metric used to determine the level of unforced capacity for specific units that must be offered in PJM's Capacity Market, including the outages previously designated as OMC. OMC outages will no longer be excluded from the EFORd calculations.

The EFORp metric is the EFORd metric adjusted to remove OMC outages and to reflect unit availability only during the approximately 500 hours defined in the PJM RPM tariff to be the critical load hours. Under the capacity performance modifications to RPM, EFORp will no longer be used to calculate performance penalties.

Current PJM capacity market rules use XEFORd to determine the UCAP for generating units. Unforced capacity in the PJM Capacity Market for any individual generating unit is equal to one minus the XEFORd multiplied by the unit ICAP.

> The current PJM capacity market rules create an incentive to minimize the forced outage rate excluding OMC outages, but not an incentive to minimize the forced outage rate accounting for all forced outages. In fact, because PJM uses XEFORd as the outage metric to define capacity

available for sale, the current PJM Capacity Market includes an incentive to classify as many forced outages as possible as OMC. That incentive is removed in the capacity performance design.

## Outages Deemed Outside Management Control

OMC outages will continue to be excluded from outage rate calculations through the end of the 2017/2018 Delivery Year. Under the capacity performance modifications to RPM, effective with the 2018/2019 Delivery Year, OMC outages will no longer be excluded from the EFORd metric used to determine the level of unforced capacity for specific units that must be offered in PJM's Capacity Market. All forced outages will be included.<sup>124</sup>

<sup>124 &</sup>quot;Reliability Assurance Agreement Among Load Serving Entities in the PJM Region," Schedule 5.B.

Table 5-32 shows OMC forced outages by cause code, as classified by PJM. OMC forced outages accounted for 1.2 percent of all forced outages in 2018. The largest contributor to OMC outages, wet coal, was the cause of 25.8 percent of OMC outages and 0.3 percent of all forced outages.

#### Table 5-32 OMC outages: 2018

	Percent of OMC	Percent of all
OMC Cause Code	Forced Outages	Forced Outages
Wet coal	25.8%	0.3%
Other switchyard equipment	15.6%	0.2%
Switchyard circuit breakers	10.0%	0.1%
Other miscellaneous external problems	9.8%	0.1%
Flood	8.0%	0.1%
Transmission system problems other than catastrophes	6.1%	0.1%
Lack of fuel	5.9%	0.1%
Transmission line	5.1%	0.1%
Lightning	3.6%	0.0%
Switchyard transformers and associated cooling systems	2.6%	0.0%
Lack of water (hydro)	2.3%	0.0%
Transmission equipment	1.3%	0.0%
Storms	1.2%	0.0%
Switchyard system protection devices	1.1%	0.0%
Other fuel quality problems	0.9%	0.0%
Transmission equipment beyond the 1st substation	0.4%	0.0%
Low Btu coal	0.1%	0.0%
Other catastrophe	0.0%	0.0%
Regulatory	0.0%	0.0%
Hurricane	0.0%	0.0%
Total	100.0%	1.2%

### Forced Outage Analysis

The MMU analyzed the causes of forced outages for the entire PJM system. The metric used was lost generation, which is the product of the duration of the outage and the size of the outage reduction. Lost generation can be converted into lost system equivalent availability.<sup>125</sup> On a system wide basis, the resultant lost equivalent availability from the forced outages is equal to the equivalent forced outage factor (EFOF).<sup>126</sup>

PJM EFOF was 4.4 percent in 2018. This means there was 4.4 percent lost availability because of forced outages. Table 5-33 shows that forced outages for boiler tube leaks, at 18.8 percent of the system wide EFOF, were the largest single contributor to EFOF.

<sup>125</sup> For any unit, lost generation can be converted to lost equivalent availability by dividing lost generation by the product of the generating units' capacity and period hours. This can also be done on a system wide basis.

<sup>126</sup> EFOF incorporates all outages regardless of their designation as OMC.

		Combined	Combustion					
	Coal	Cycle	Turbine	Diesel	Hydroelectric	Nuclear	Other	System
Boiler Tube Leaks	24.4%	3.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	14.8%	18.8%
Wet Scrubbers	10.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%
Boiler Air and Gas Systems	7.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.7%	5.8%
Unit Testing	4.6%	3.0%	10.1%	40.4%	6.1%	7.3%	8.2%	5.6%
Economic	0.5%	2.1%	7.1%	4.5%	2.9%	0.0%	33.5%	4.5%
Low Pressure Turbine	4.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	5.8%	3.4%
Feedwater System	3.2%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	23.8%	1.1%	3.4%
Boiler Fuel Supply from Bunkers to Boiler	4.5%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	3.2%
Miscellaneous (Generator)	2.4%	5.1%	10.6%	5.4%	4.1%	0.0%	2.4%	3.1%
Electrical	2.3%	4.2%	6.4%	1.4%	1.9%	2.7%	4.8%	3.0%
Miscellaneous (Pollution Control Equipment)	4.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	2.9%
Intermediate Pressure Turbine	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	2.7%
Fuel Quality	3.5%	0.0%	0.2%	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	2.6%
Circulating Water Systems	2.0%	9.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	5.7%	2.2%	2.3%
Auxiliary Systems	1.1%	6.3%	11.2%	0.0%	0.3%	0.1%	0.9%	2.0%
Miscellaneous (Steam Turbine)	0.6%	18.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	8.0%	0.4%	1.8%
Boiler Tube Fireside Slagging or Fouling	2.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	1.7%
Boiler Piping System	1.9%	3.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.3%	1.7%
Condensing System	1.8%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.8%	0.3%	1.4%
All Other Causes	14.6%	42.3%	54.3%	44.5%	84.7%	48.6%	18.0%	22.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

### Table 5-33 Contribution to EFOF by unit type by cause: 2018

Table 5-34 shows the categories which are included in the economic category.<sup>127</sup> Lack of fuel that is considered outside management control accounted for 1.7 percent of all economic reasons.

OMC lack of fuel is described as "Lack of fuel where the operator is not in control of contracts, supply lines, or delivery of fuels."<sup>128</sup> Only a handful of units use other economic problems to describe outages. Other economic problems are not defined by NERC GADS and are best described as economic problems that cannot be classified by the other NERC GADS economic problem cause codes. Lack of water events occur when a hydroelectric plant does not have sufficient fuel (water) to operate.

### Table 5-34 Contributions to economic outages: 2018

	Contribution to
	Economic Reasons
Lack of fuel (Non-OMC)	93.7%
Fuel conservation	1.8%
Lack of fuel (OMC)	1.7%
Other economic problems	1.2%
Problems with primary fuel for units with secondary fuel operation	0.9%
Lack of water (hydro)	0.6%
Wet fuel (biomass)	0.2%
Ground water or other water supply problems	0.0%
Total	100.0%

### EFORd, XEFORd and EFORp

The equivalent forced outage rate during peak hours (EFORp) is a measure of the probability that a generating unit will fail, either partially or totally, to perform when it is needed to operate during the peak hours of the day in the peak months of January, February, June, July and August. EFORp is calculated using historical performance data and is designed to measure if a unit would have run had the unit not been forced out. Like XEFORd, EFORp excludes OMC outages. PJM systemwide EFORp is a capacity-weighted average of individual unit EFORp.

<sup>127</sup> The definitions of these outages are defined by NERC GADS.

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Until the capacity performance market design is fully implemented for the 2020/2021 Delivery Year, EFORp will be used in the calculation of nonperformance charges for units that are not capacity performance capacity resources. Under capacity performance, EFORp will not be used.

EFORd, XEFORd and EFORp are designed to measure the rate of forced outages, which are defined as outages that cannot be postponed beyond the end of the next weekend.<sup>129</sup> It is reasonable to expect that units have some degree of control over when to take a forced outage, depending on the underlying cause of the forced outage. If units had no control over the timing of forced outages, outages during peak hours of the peak months would be expected to occur at roughly the same rate as outages during periods of demand throughout the rest of the year. With the exception of nuclear units, EFORp is lower than XEFORd, suggesting that units elect to take non-OMC forced outages during off-peak hours, as much as it is within their ability to do so. That is consistent with the incentives created by the PJM Capacity Market but it does not directly address the question of the incentive effect of omitting OMC outages from the EFORp metric.

Table 5-35 shows the capacity-weighted class average of EFORd, XEFORd and EFORp.

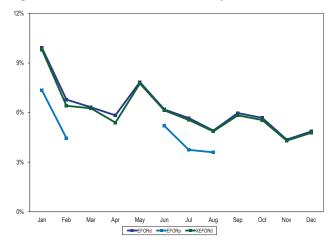
# Table 5-35 EFORd, XEFORd and EFORp data by unit type: 2018<sup>130</sup>

				Difference	Difference
				EFORd and	EFORd and
	EFORd	XEFORd	EFORp	XEFORd	EFORp
Coal	13.1%	13.1%	10.0%	0.1%	3.1%
Combined Cycle	2.3%	2.2%	1.7%	0.0%	0.6%
Combustion Turbine	6.7%	6.3%	3.9%	0.4%	2.8%
Diesel	7.2%	6.9%	5.3%	0.2%	1.9%
Hydroelectric	3.2%	3.1%	2.1%	0.1%	1.1%
Nuclear	0.8%	0.8%	0.6%	0.0%	0.2%
Other	11.8%	11.1%	6.0%	0.7%	5.8%
Total	7.2%	7.0%	5.0%	0.2%	2.2%

### Performance by Month

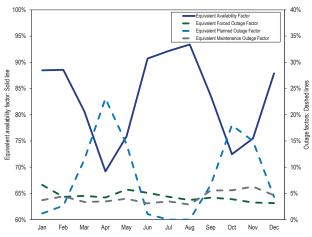
On a monthly basis, EFORp values were less than EFORd and XEFORd values as shown in Figure 5-12, demonstrating that units had fewer non-OMC outages during peak hours than would have been expected based on EFORd.





On a monthly basis, unit availability as measured by the equivalent availability factor is shown in Figure 5-13.

# Figure 5-13 Monthly generator performance factors: 2018



<sup>129</sup> See "PJM Manual 22: Generator Resource Performance Indices," § 2.0 Definitions, Rev. 17 (April

<sup>130</sup> EFORp is only calculated for the peak months of January, February, June, July and August.