

# Peak Load Shaving Analysis: Impact on Zonal Load Forecast & Capacity Allocation

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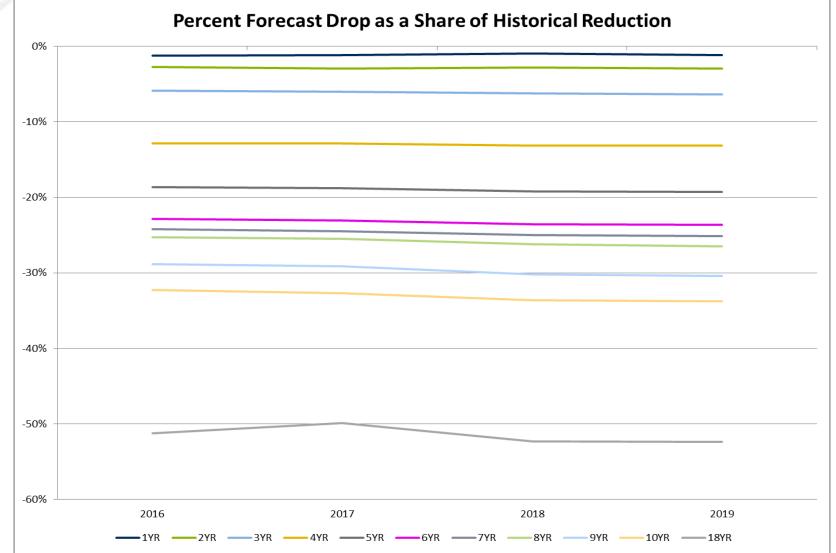
### Forecasting Exercise Methodology

- Historical loads were reduced on the RTO 10 Coincident Peak (CP) days for the past 1, 2, 3, ...,10, and 18 years
  - In the 18 year scenario, historical loads are revised on 176 days\*
- Reduction amount was equal to 23% of available DR in the 2016 Delivery Year (2,019 MW)
  - Amount represents behind-the-meter generation capability used to reduce load. Increasing this amount does not impact the results.
- Compare baseline forecast to the revised forecast affected by peak load shaving
  - Calculate the % drop as a share of the load reduction amount

<sup>\*</sup> Four of the 10CPs in 2015 are in September and thus fall outside of the estimation period



#### **Forecast Results**



- Reduction in zonal load forecast as a percent of peak shaving MWs
- Additional analyses indicate that the percent reductions are not very sensitive to the MW magnitude of the historical load drop

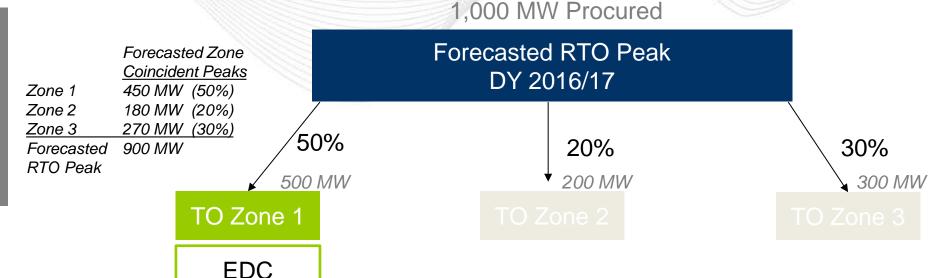


- Reducing on the 10 Coincident Peak days does not have a onefor-one impact on the forecasted load
  - Reducing on all 10 CPs back to 1998 would only yield a forecast drop equal to approximately 50% of the historical load drop
- The load forecast looks at load back to 1998 and reducing on the 10 CPs is a small share of all days
  - 153 days (May to September, no September in 2015) x 18 years
     (1998 to 2015) = 2724 summer daily observations
  - 176 days of reduction / 2724 total days = 6.5% of total summer observations in the 18 year scenario

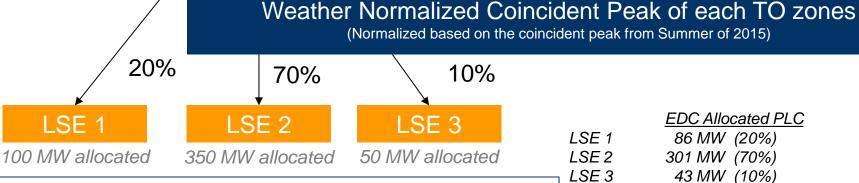


## Capacity Cost Allocation: No Peak Shaving

allocation of total RTO capacity obligation allocated to TO Zones based on zone's forecasted coincident peak (coincident with forecasted RTO peak)



zonal capacity obligation allocated to LSEs within zone based on EDC allocation of w/n zone coincident peak



EDC Allocated PLC 86 MW (20%) 301 MW (70%) 43 MW (10%) 430 MW

Values depicted in this example are all summer period

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LSE<sub>1</sub>

LSE 2

LSE 3

Zone 1

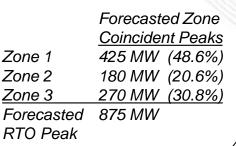
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## Capacity Cost Allocation: 50 MW Peaking Shaving by LSE 2

972.2 MW Procured

allocation of total RTO capacity obligation allocated to TO Zones based on zone's forecasted coincident peak (coincident with forecasted RTO peak)

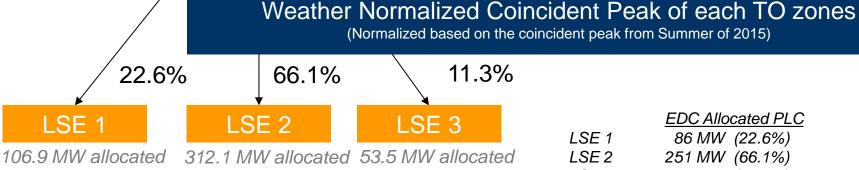


LSE 1



**EDC** 

zonal capacity obligation allocated to LSEs within zone based on EDC allocation of w/n zone coincident peak



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EDC Allocated PLC 86 MW (22.6%) 251 MW (66.1%) 43 MW (11.3%) 380 MW

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w/n Peak

LSE<sub>1</sub>

LSE 2

LSE 3

Zone 1