

History of Combined Cycle Modeling in PJM



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- PJM developed a Combined Cycle Model in 2005 that could be used to model CC units as
 - A single composite unit
 - Or multiple individual units.
- Use of the model and the associated eMKT Screens were only available upon request
- This model was not used and is not currently available



- Each Physical component of the plant was modeled and had all the normal unit constraints
- Individual availability could be assigned for each component in the combined cycle group
- Each Combustion turbine and each Steam turbine could have its own startup cost, minimum up/down time, cost curves etc.



- Optional field enforced a minimum time between startups for all the CTs in the plant
- The Steam output was a function of the CT output
- There was a field to indicate if unit should be modeled as simple cycle.
- The Steam Unit could only be committed if at least one CT is committed



| Data Elements | CT 1 | | CT 2 | | Steam | |
|--------------------------------|--|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|
| Hot Start Price | | | | | | |
| Inter Start Price | | | | | | |
| Cold Start Price | \$4,000 | | \$4,000 | | | |
| Hourly No-Load | *****CT'S CANNOT SUBMIT NO-LOAD COSTS***** | | | | | |
| CT Factor | | | | | .50 | |
| Offer Curve (max 10 points) | MW | Price | MW | Price | MW | Price |
| segment 1 | 100 | \$ 55 | 100 | \$ 70 | 0 | \$0 |
| segment 2 | 150 | \$ 80 | 150 | \$ 90 | 0 | \$0 |
| Eco Min MW | 100 | | 100 | | 100 | |
| Eco Max MW | 150 | | 150 | | 150 | |
| Min Run Time | 4 hours | | 4 hours | | 8 hours | |
| Use Start Up No Load | Yes | | Yes | | Yes | |
| Use Offer Slope | No | | No | | No | |

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Combined Cycle Modeling 2011 - 2012

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 - IMM brought seven (7) Problem Statements to CDS in January 2011 which included Combined Cycling Modeling
 - CDS provided education on Combined Cycle Modeling in January 2012. CDS forwarded the Problem Statement to the MRC, since it would impact more than cost offers.
 - MRC endorsed the Combined Cycle Modeling Problem Statement in March 2012 and forwarded it to the Operating Committee for action.



Combined Cycle Modeling at OC 2012 - 2013

- OC initially evaluated three (3) different potential solutions
 - Additive (Pseudo) Model
 - Alstom Configuration Model
 - Enhancements to the current Combustion Turbine or Steam models
- OC ultimately reduced its efforts to evaluating just the Additive Model and the Alstom Configuration Model

Combined Cycle Modeling at OC 2012 - 2013

- Additive (Pseudo) model
 - Combustion Turbines ca be modeled as separate Market units.
 Steam Turbine is split evenly and modeled as part of the Combustion Turbine
- Alstom Configuration Model
 - Existing Add-On Combined Cycle Module which has the ability to model Combined Cycle units as single Market Unit with many configurations.
- OC endorsed the Alstom Configuration Model in April 2013



Combined Cycle Modeling at OC 2012 - 2013

Alstom Configuration Model

- Each configuration modeled as a conventional generator
- Transition matrix
- Warmth based transition states



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- PJM performed a detail review of the Alstom Configuration Model with Day Ahead, Real Time, Dispatch, Real Time Data Management, and Settlements.
- PJM also had discussions with Alstom, MISO, and SPP.
- Due to estimated implementation cost of \$1M along with many more system being impacted than expected, PJM decided to perform cost benefit analysis in October 2013

Combined Cycle Modeling on Hold 2014

- PJM and the IMM were unable to accurately quantify the cost benefit savings from implementation of the Alstom Configuration CC model.
- SPP delayed their implementation of the model due to performance issues and estimated implementation cost increase (\$7M) to perform a cost benefit
- PJM placed implementation of the model on hold in August 2014 with plans to monitor SPP's experiences.

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Combined Cycle Owners User Group 2016

- The Combined Cycle Owners User Group was created in May 2016.
- The Users Group reviewed CC models in various RTOs
 - ERCOT's Combined Cycle Train Model
 - CAISO's Multi-Stage Generation Model
 - SPP's Configuration Model
- The CCOUG developed a Problem Statement which was approved at the November MRC creating the Modeling Generation Senior Task Force.

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