

Use of Penalty Factor for the ORDC

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Use of \$2,000/MWh as the Penalty Factor

- PJM is proposing a penalty factor of \$2,000/MWh for all reserve products
- PJM will commit and dispatch all economic generation to maintain 10- and 30minute reserves products
- Energy offers from these resources can be up-to \$2,000/MWh
- When LMPs are in the range of \$2,000/MWh, the lost opportunity costs for resources with lower offers will be high.
- PJM's dispatch systems must be able take these actions so that operators do not need to manually dispatch resources.
- Prices must reflect these actions.





- No congestion, no losses
- Marginal unit offer = \$1,900/MWh
- LMP at Generator A = \$1,900/MWh
- Energy Offer of Generator A = \$50/MWh
- Lost Opportunity Cost = LMP Offer = \$1,900/MWh \$50/MWh = \$1,850/MWh



- Pre-Emergency and Emergency Demand Response can also submit offers close to \$2,000/MWh (~\$1,850/MWh)
- These offers are submitted everyday and are an action that operators will take to maintain 10-minute reserves everyday
 - Section 2.3, PJM Manual 13



Other Emergency Procedures

- Voltage Reduction Action and Manual Load Dump Action
 - Voltage Reduction Action will be done to maintain Synchronized Reserves but not Primary Reserves
 - Manual Load Dump Action will be done as a reserve deployment but not to maintain a minimum level of reserves
- These are the most extreme actions.
- Should the system operators ever take these actions, prices should be at or near their peak.
- When in either of these conditions today, PJM's rules force a simultaneous shortage of all reserve products.
 - PJM believes this process should continue.







Probability of Not Meeting the Minimum Requirement

- Probabilities are determined using uncertainties
- This is a two-tailed distribution
 - Uncertainty can result in more reserves or less
 - This can happen under various conditions
- PJM will not rely on the benefit of forecast error to meet its minimum reserve requirements.
- This results in the removal of one tail of the distribution and the block shape to all the curves.



Removal of Tail



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PBMRR * Penalty Factor

- Downward-sloping section of the curve
- Based on the PBMRR * Penalty Factor for various levels of reserves
 - Regulation requirement is subtracted from the MW levels
- At its core, the ORDC intended to reflect demand bids for reserves at various levels that do not exist in any markets today

What would a consumer be willing to pay to procure another MW of reserves given the incremental benefit to reliability?

- The incremental benefit to reliability is the reduction in probability of not meeting the MRR.
- The maximum willingness to pay has already been established at \$2,000/MWh
 - \$850/MWh in today's model



PBMRR * Penalty Factor

- If the cost of a reserve shortage is \$2,000/MWh, and procuring another MW of reserves would result in a 40% chance of that shortage occurring, a rational demand bid for those reserves would be \$800/MWh (\$2,000/MWh * 40%).
- More generically, "willingness to pay" is:

marginal cost of a reserve shortage * probability of that shortage occurring or Penalty Factor * PBMRR

Synchronized Reserve Demand Curve

