

IMM Proposals

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Proposal 1: Eliminate The Process

- **Current approach favors non-market solutions over market solutions to market signals**
 - **Markets shift risk to those that can best internalize the risk**
 - **Fundamental premise of PJM markets not represented in efficiency project approach**
 - **Rate of return assets vs. competitive market responses to prices**



Proposal 1: Eliminate The Process

- **Uncertain benefits streams highly sensitive to assumptions regarding fuel mix and fuel prices**
 - **Dramatic changes in projected benefits and costs possible**
 - **Risk of incorrect answer forced on customers in the form of a regulated rate of return asset**
 - **Market would be able to correct of for a bad investment, same is not true of regulated assets**
- **LMPs are correct, not a sign of market inefficiency**
 - **Congestion the result of least cost security constrained optimization**
 - **LMP provide the marginal price of energy by location**



Overview: Proposals 2 and 3



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Benefit/Cost Analysis: Basic Concepts

- **Sum Identified Benefits (positive and negative)**
 - **Inclusive list of benefits and costs**
 - **Cost/Benefit analysis is intended to measure the positive or negative consequences of a project.**
 - **To evaluate benefits:**
 - **List all parties/categories of parties affected by the project**
 - Add the positive or negative value of the project to each party
 - Benefit = the net benefits



Benefit/Cost Analysis: Basic Concepts

- **Risk associated with project outcomes is usually handled with probability theory.**
 - **Can be factored into the discount rate**
 - **Can/should be considered separately**
 - **Risk can be used to weight results**
- **Uncertainty in assumptions/parameters should be evaluated with sensitivity analysis**
 - **Monte Carlo**
 - **Both Benefits and Costs subject to uncertainty**



PJM Benefit Cost Analysis

- **Market Efficiency Projects intended to address:**
 - **Energy market constraints**
 - **Compare Benefits to Costs**
 - **Capacity market constraints**
 - **Compare Benefits to Costs**
- **Total Benefits = Energy Benefits + Capacity Benefits**



PJM Regional Energy Benefit Analysis

- **Regional Projects: 50 percent Change in Total Energy Production Cost + 50 percent Change in Load Energy Payment**
- **Change in Total Energy Production Cost**
 - Calculated for the whole PJM Region
 - Total change in energy production cost
- **Change in Load Energy Payments**
 - Calculated for each transmission zone
 - Includes only zones that show a reduction in load energy payments
 - Total change in load energy costs not considered.



PJM Low Voltage Energy Benefit Analysis

- **Regional Projects: 100% of change in Load Energy Payments**
- **Change in Load Energy Payments**
 - **Calculated for each transmission zone**
 - **Includes only zones that show a reduction in load energy payments**
 - **Total change in load energy costs not considered.**



PJM Capacity Benefit Analysis

- **Mirrors Energy Benefit Analysis**
- **Regional Projects: 50% Change in System Capacity Cost + 50% Change in Load Capacity Payment**
 - Total system capacity cost
 - Load capacity payments included if lowers cost
- **Lower Voltage Projects: 100% change in Load Capacity Payment**
 - Load capacity payments included if lowers cost

Issues with Benefit Analysis

- **Current B/C Analysis only lists energy benefit to those zones that would benefit from the project**
 - **Ignores zones that would be hurt by project.**
- **To evaluate benefits, need to list all parties/categories affected by the project**
 - **Add the positive or negative value of the project to each party**
 - **Benefit = the net benefits**



Need to account for Risk in Benefit/Cost Analysis

- **Uncertainty in assumptions/parameters can be evaluated with a sensitivity analysis**
 - **Monte Carlo**
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Need to account for Risk in Benefit/Cost Analysis

- **Benefit assumptions in B/C analysis are not subject to rigorous sensitivity analysis**
 - **One benefit estimate used in ratio**
 - **Does not explicitly account for different probabilities (generation build, changes in fuel costs, load change) in ratio**
- **Uncertainty in assumptions/parameters can be evaluated with a sensitivity analysis**
 - **Monte Carlo**
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Proposal 2 and 3

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Proposal 2: Benefit measured as changes in system wide load costs, net of modeled congestion allocation

- **Proposal is to correct the calculation of benefits in the B/C analysis**
 - **Difference in total load costs before and after proposed project**
 - **Positive and negative benefits (load costs)**
 - **Accounting for changes in ARR related offsets**
 - Methodology would update with any changes in the ARR/FTR market construct
 - **Use the average of the forecasted benefits**
 - **Same metric for benefit calculation used for regional and local projects**

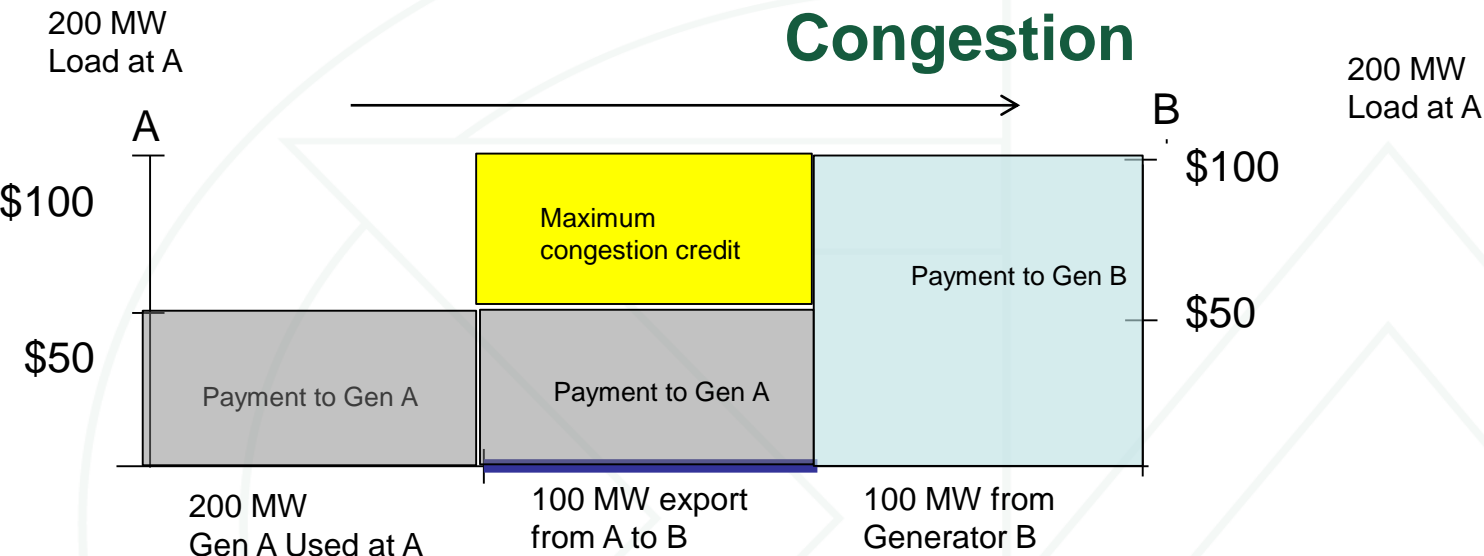
Proposal 3: Benefit measured as changes in system wide production costs

- **Proposal is to correct the calculation of benefits in the B/C analysis**
 - **Difference in total system-wide production costs before and after proposed project**
 - **Positive and negative benefits (production costs)**
 - **Method assumes perfect allocation of congestion to those that pay (no difference between generation payments and load payments)**
 - Methodology matches IMM proposed revisions to ARR/FTR market
 - **Use the average of the forecasted benefits (changes in production costs)**
 - **Same metric for benefit calculation used for regional and local projects**

Example 1



Congestion

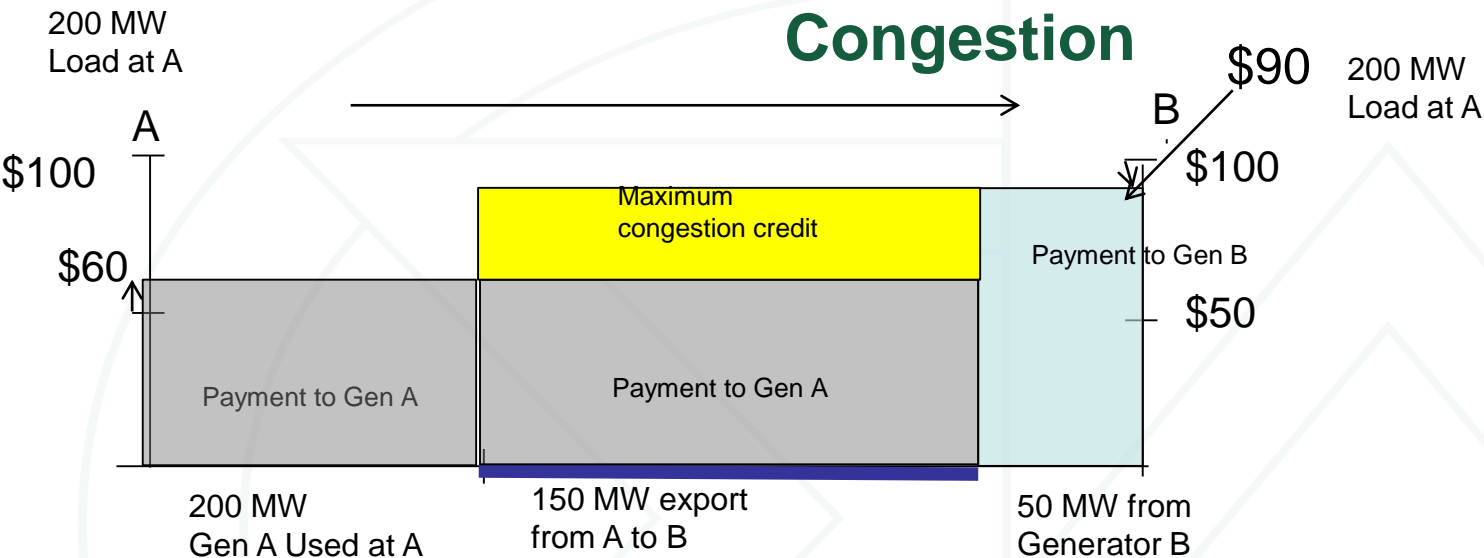


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Load	200	→	200
Generation	300	100 MW	100

Day Ahead	Bus A	Bus B	System Total
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Generation	\$15,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$25,000.00
Total	-\$5,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$5,000.00
(Load charges - congestion allocation)/(Total Load)	\$50.00	\$75.00	\$62.50
(Generation credits/Total Load)			\$62.50



Congestion



Day Ahead	Bus A	Transfer A to B	Bus B
Price	\$60		\$90
Load	200	→	200
Generation	350	150 MW	50

Day Ahead	Bus A	Bus B	System Total
Load	\$12,000.00	\$18,000.00	\$30,000.00
Generation	\$21,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$25,500.00
Total	-\$9,000.00	\$13,500.00	\$4,500.00

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Comparing Approaches to Benefit Calculation

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Changes in costs (+ Higher Cost)	A	B	Total
Upgrade Change in Load Costs	\$2,000	-\$2,000	\$0
Change in Congestion Offset	NA	-\$500	-\$500
Change in Total Load Costs	\$2,000	-\$1,500	\$500
Change in Generation Costs	\$6,000	-\$5,500	\$500

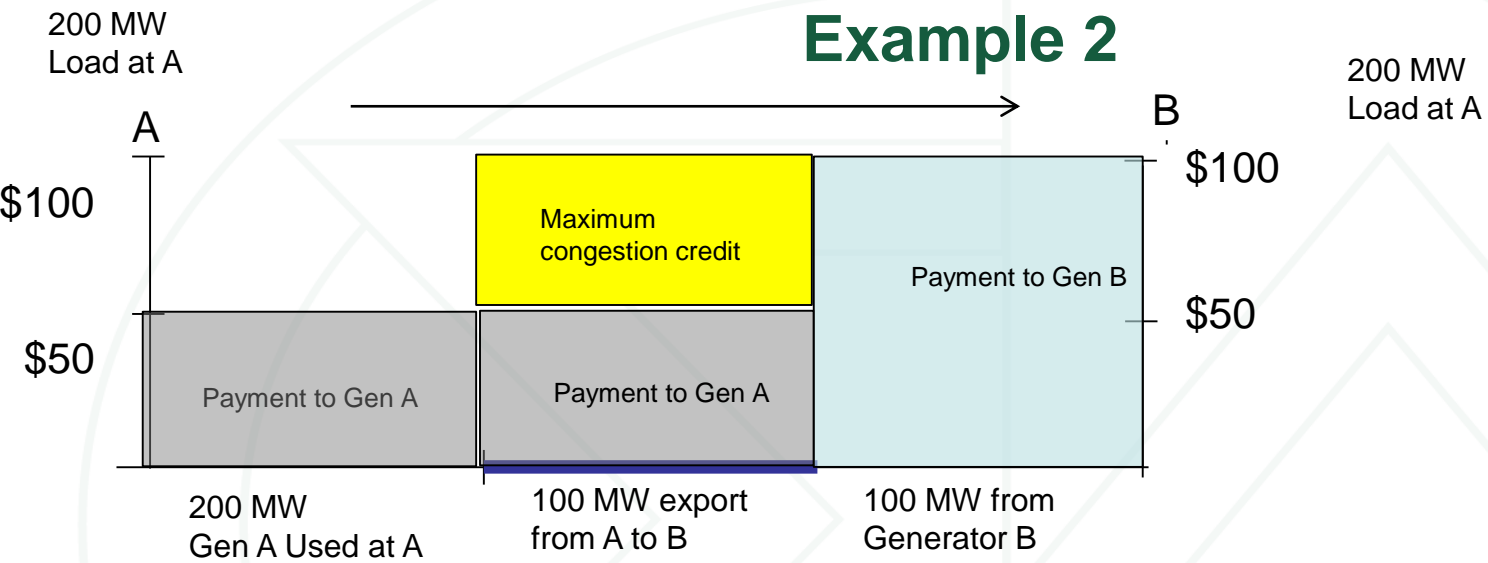
	Benefit
PJM Method Regional (50 +50), Positive Load Only	\$500.00
PJM Method Local (local load only)	\$1,500.00
IMM Proposal 2	-\$500.00
IMM Proposal 3	-\$500.00



Example 2



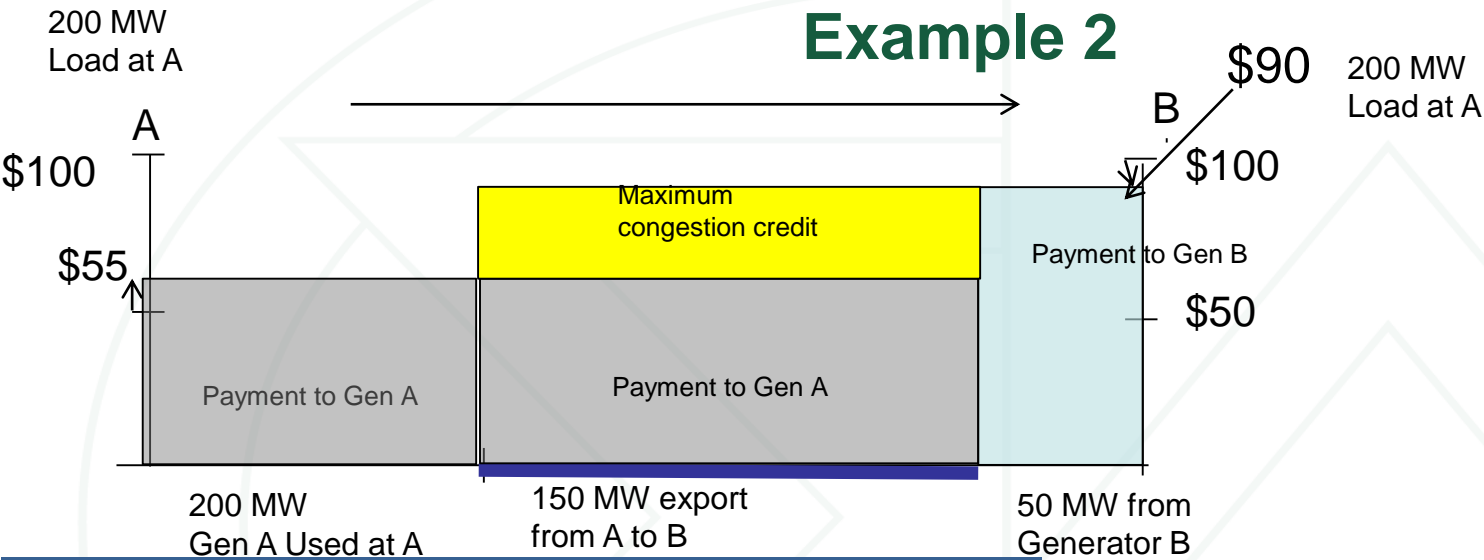
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Load	200	→	200
Generation	350	150 MW	50

Day Ahead	Bus A	Bus B	System Total
Load	\$11,000.00	\$18,000.00	\$29,000.00
Generation	\$19,250.00	\$4,500.00	\$23,750.00
Total	-\$8,250.00	\$13,500.00	\$5,250.00
(Load charges - congestion allocation)/(Total Load)	\$55.00	\$63.75	\$59.38
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Changes in costs (+ Higher Cost)	A	B	Total
Upgrade Change in Load Costs	\$1,000	-\$2,000	-\$1,000
Change in Congestion Offset	NA	\$250	
Change in Total Load Costs	\$1,000	-\$2,250	-\$1,250
Change in Generation Costs	\$4,250	-\$5,500	-\$1,250

	Benefit
PJM Method Regional (50 +50), Positive Load Only	\$1,750.00
PJM Method Local (local load only)	\$2,250.00
IMM Proposal 2	\$1,250.00
IMM Proposal 3	\$1,250.00



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