

Status Quo and RMISTF review Substitution Curves and Effective MWs

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Status Quo – Benefits Factor

- Defined in PJM Manual 11 Section 3.2.7.6
- Translates a RegD MWs into RegA MWs or Effective MWs. Reflects the rate of substitution between resources following the different regulation signals
- Benefits Factor curve was originally designed with Order 755 implementation, with input from KEMA study on impact of fast responding resources
 - Updated in 2015 out of PJM's regulation performance issues stakeholder process





Status Quo – Effective MW calculation (RegD)

- Effective MW is calculated as the product of Performance Adjusted MW on the X-axis * Benefits Factor value on the Y-axis
 - Does not fully account for area under the curve
 - Less computational burden
- Identified by PJM and IMM as not fulling accounting for RegD MWs and a design flaw in RMISTF



Percentage of RegD Performance Adjusted MW to the RTO Effective MW Requirement

RMISTF – Rate of Technical Substitution (RTS) Curve

- Represents a defined engineering relationship for a desired operational control for RegA and RegD resources
 - Developed based on PJM analysis and signal definition
 - Optimized commitment of RegA and RegD least-cost solution
- Proposed curves changed seasonally and on/off ramp







RMISTF- Effective MW calculation (RegD)

- Effective MW is calculated as area under the curve
 - Full valuation of the rate of substitution





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