A topographic map of the Pacific Northwest region, showing parts of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, and Wyoming. Major river basins are labeled, including the Willamette, Cowlitz, Lewis, Wenatchee, Snake, Clearwater, Salmon, and Snake River basins. Cities marked with red dots include Astoria, St. Helens, Vancouver, Portland, Salem, Corvallis, Eugene, Bend, Richland, Pendleton, Umatilla, The Dalles, Spokane, Boise, Idaho Falls, and Pocatello. The Pacific Ocean is visible on the left. The text 'Briefing on 2022-23 Adequacy Analysis and Report' is overlaid in large black font across the center of the map.

Briefing on 2022-23 Adequacy Analysis and Report

NW Power and Conservation Council

ETAC Meeting

May 24, 2018

Outline

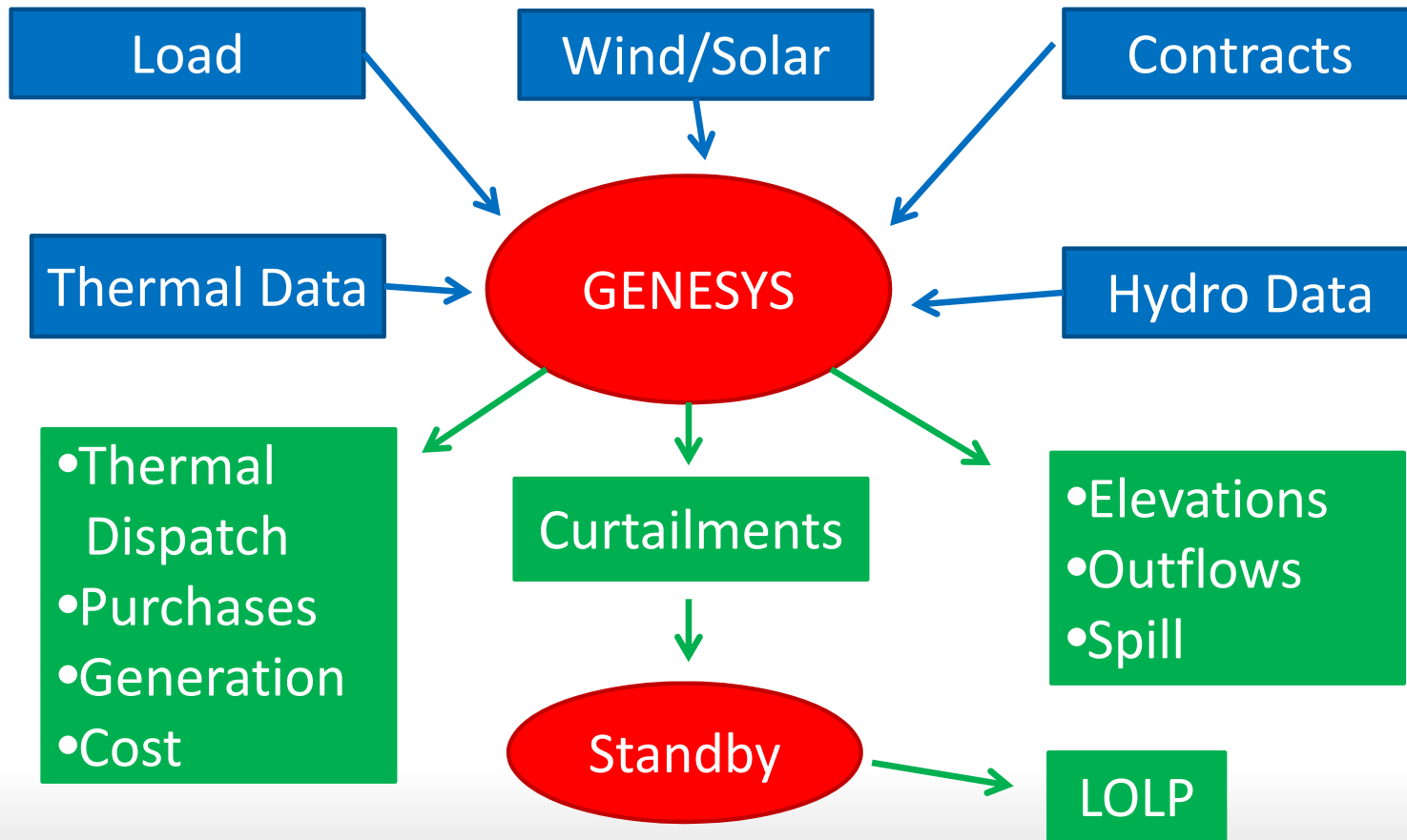
- How does the Council assess resource adequacy?
 - GENESYS computer model
 - Loss of load probability
- 2023 Resource Adequacy Assessment
 - Coal retirements put region into inadequate range (LOLP > 5%)
 - Utilities are prepared – planned resources
 - Which months are most likely to see curtailments?

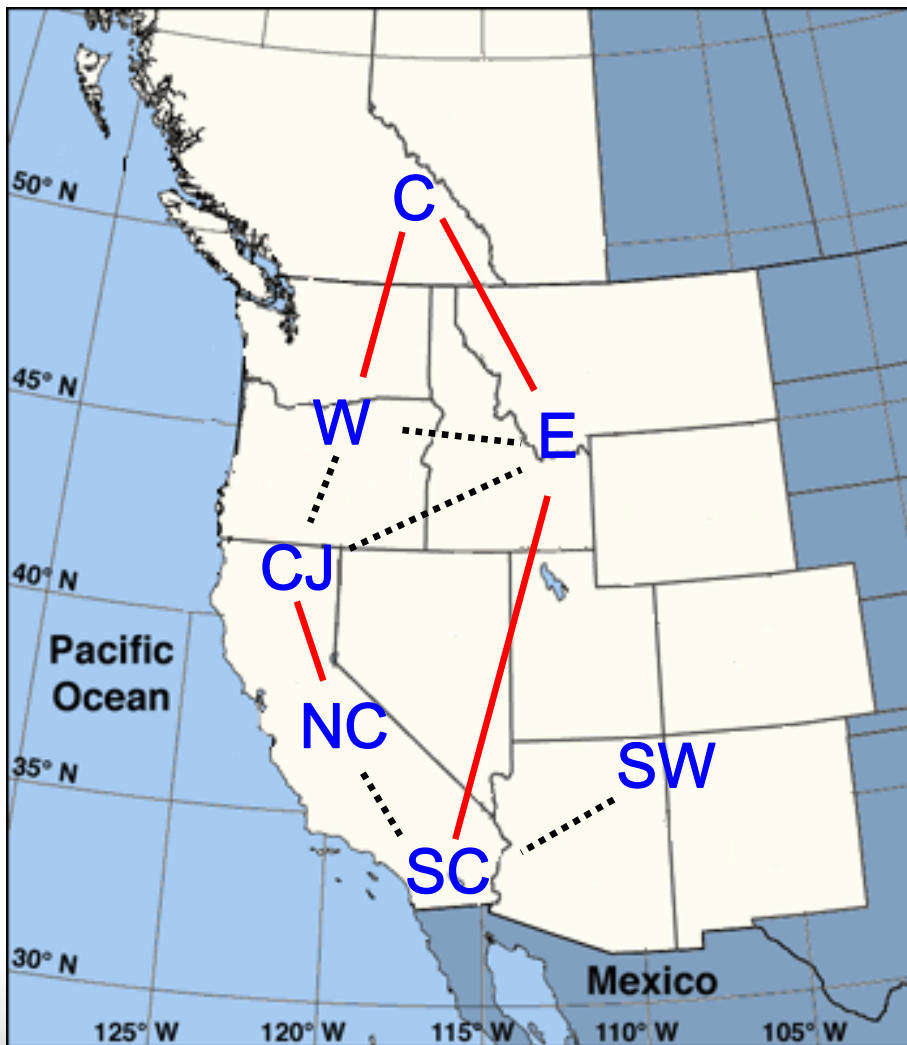
What is GENESYS

- A computer model that simulates the operation of the regional power system on an hourly basis
- For a single year (8760 hours)
- Thousands of times with different combinations of future unknowns¹
 - River flows
 - Temperatures
 - Wind generation
 - Forced outages

¹This is commonly referred to as a Monte-Carlo program.

GENESYS Flow Diagram



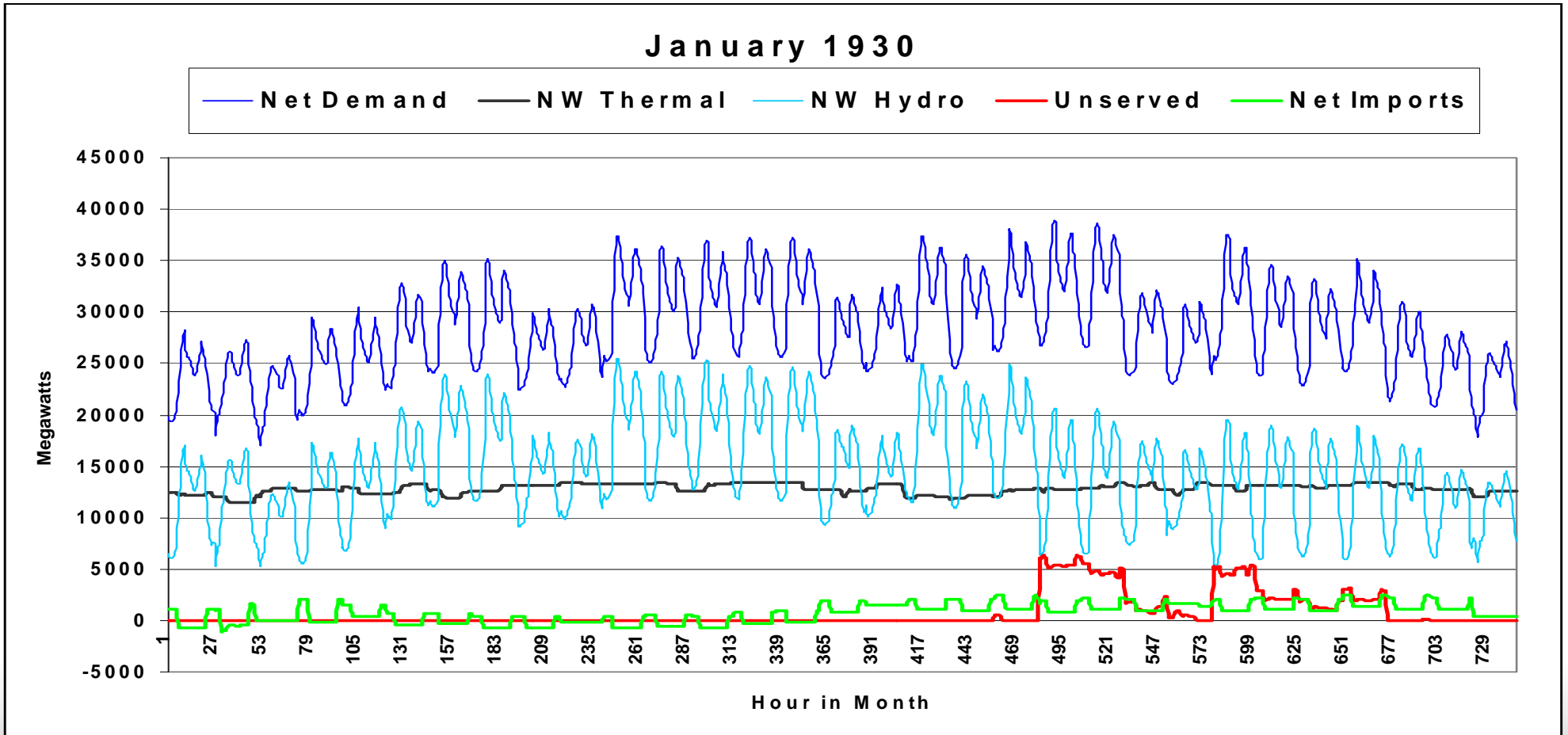


Transmission in GENESYS

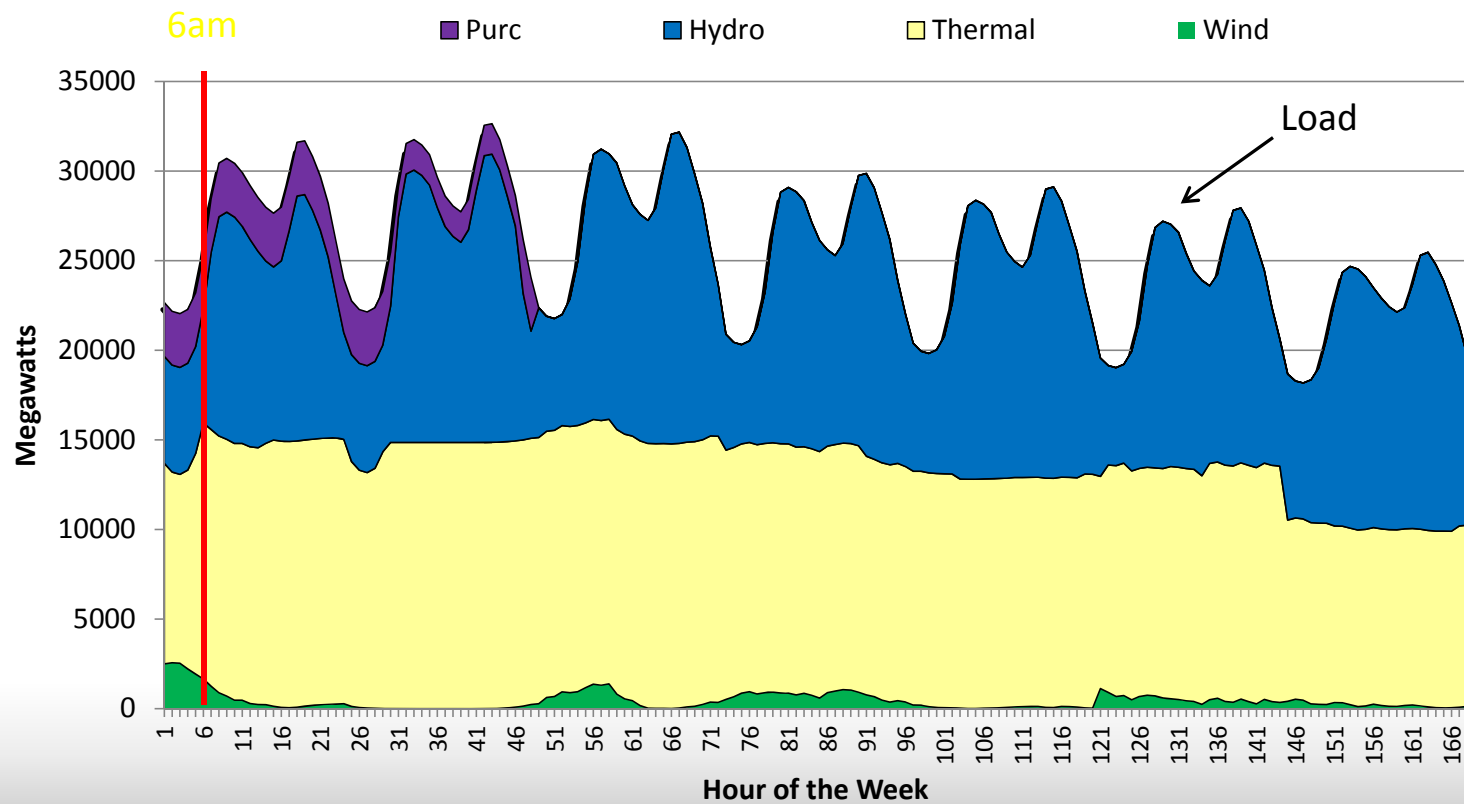
- NW region includes:
East (E)
West (W)
- Solid lines indicate transmission into and out of the region
- Not a power-flow analysis
- East/west transmission capability varies based on BPA data
- Southern interties have fixed transfer capability
- SW modeled as import market only

Simulated Dispatch January

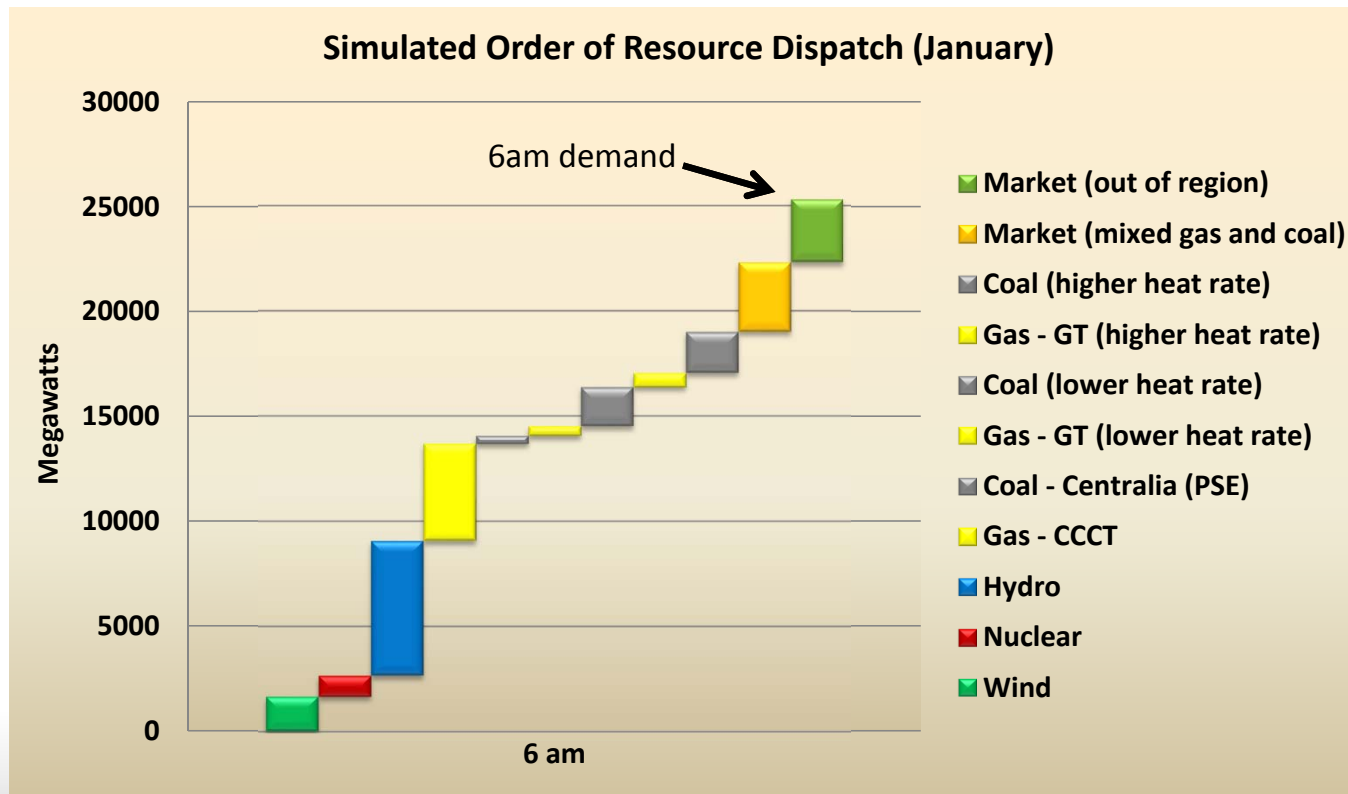
January 1930



Simulated Hourly Dispatch (typical January week)



Simulated Dispatch Order (6am January weekday)



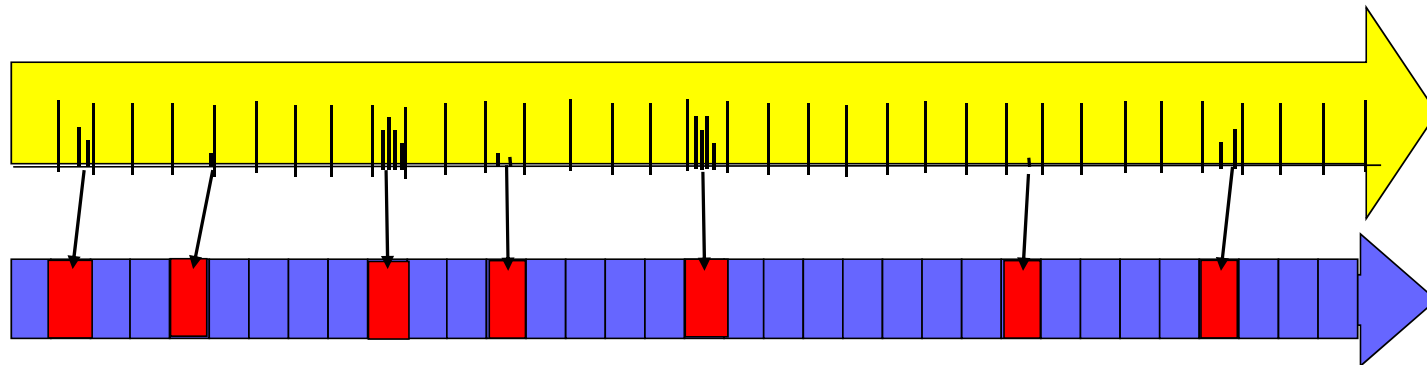
Assessing Resource Adequacy

- Run every combination of temperature and streamflow (80 times 88 = 7,040)
- Count only existing resources or those that are sited and licensed
- EE is built into the load forecast
- Count the number of simulations (games) that have at least one curtailment



Loss of Load Probability

7040 Simulations



Out of 7040 simulations, 352 had curtailment events (red bins)

Loss of Load Probability (LOLP) = $352/7040 = 5$ percent

2023 Resource Adequacy Assessment

- LOLP Max for adequacy 5%
 - 2018-20 < 5%
 - 2021 6+% 1330 MW retired: Boardman, Centralia 1
 - 2022 7% 479 MW retired: Colstrip 1 & 2, Pasco and N Valmy 1
 - 2023 7% No major resource change
- Need¹ ≈ 300 MW by 2021 (range 0 to 750 MW)
300 to 400 MW by 2022 (range 0 to 750 MW)
- Available² ≈ 800 MW of dispatchable + ≈ 400 MW of DR

¹Capacity need is based on generic CT additions. Low-end need assumes low load and high SW imports and high-end need assumes high load and low SW imports.

²Available dispatchable capacity for 2021 is taken from the 2018 PNUCC NRF. The 400 MW of demand response is the remaining part of the 600 MW of estimated availability for 2021 from the Council's 7th power plan.

2023 LOLP Heat Map (%)

SW Import (MW)	1500	2000	2500	3000 ¹
High Load (+2%)	14.3	12.1	10.1	7.8
Med Load	11.0	8.6	6.9	5.1
Low Load (-2%)	8.0	6.4	4.9	3.5

¹The “3000 MW import” case represents the maximum amount of market import capability from California. This is based on the Bonneville Power Administration’s recommendation to use 3400 MW as the maximum S-to-N transfer capability for the transmission interties and accounts for approximately 400 MW of space required for firm capacity imports.

2023 Estimated¹ Capacity Need (MW)

SW Import (MW)	1500	2000	2500	3000
High Load (+2%)	1650	1500	1100	600
Med Load	1400	1050	650	50
Low Load (-2%)	950	550	0	0

¹The amount of additional capacity needed in 2023 to maintain adequacy (i.e. an LOLP of 5%) is estimated by using a surrogate dispatchable resource, in this case a combined cycle combustion turbine. GENESYS studies were run for the “2500 MW import medium load” case and for the “1500 MW import high load” case to estimate nameplate capacity needed to get to 5% LOLP. Other values were estimated using linear interpolation and are rounded to the nearest 50 MW.

Potentially Available Resources

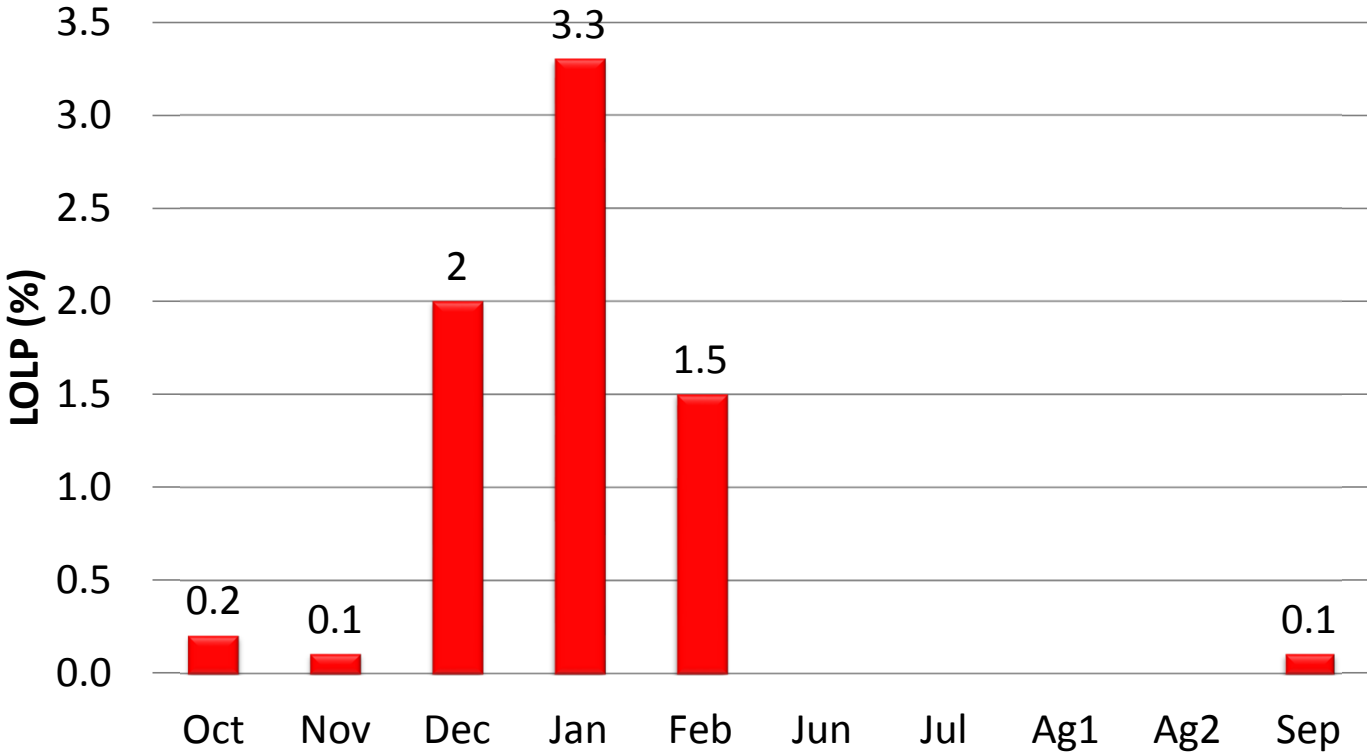
2018 NRF Planned Resource Nameplate Capacity

(MW)	2021	2022	2023
Solar	0	266	266
Hydro	28	28	28
Wind	540	540	540
Generic/Gas	809	809	809
Battery	39	39	89
Total Nameplate	1416	1682	1732
Firm Capacity ¹	930	1000	1050
Demand Response ²	400	400	400

¹Firm capacity is the amount of capacity that can be counted on for planning reserve margin calculations. It is often referred to as the effective load carrying capability (ELCC). See the last 2 slides for more detail.

²Available DR for 2021 is taken from the 7th power plan.

2023 Monthly LOLP¹



¹Sum of monthly LOLP values is equal to or greater than the annual LOLP value because monthly curtailments are generally independent.