Showcase Roundtable Gas/Electric Integration Issues in PJM Footprint

Natural Gas / Electric Nexus in PJM

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EIPC Study Results: Reference Case, Winter 2018





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- Peak Day Spot Gas Prices: Demand -25% v. Ref, 17% is affected





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Low Gas Prices: Demand +93% v. Ref, 26% is affected



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 High Gas Demand Scenario: Demand +132% v. Ref, 30% is affected



EIPC Study Results: PJM Hydraulic Baseline



EIPC Study Results: PJM Contingencies, Winter 2018

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* Scheduled energy with undeliverable gas

EIPC Study Results: Mitigation Measures

- Physical infrastructure improvements
 - Applicable for frequent / extended constraints
 - New pipeline from a liquid sourcing point
 - Loopline or compression along constrained segment
 - New conventional or LNG storage
- Use of alternate fuels / services
 - Fragility of the supply chain
 - Applicable for infrequent / short constraints
 - Installation of new or use of existing oil tanks
 - Flow day diversions earmarked for LNG exports
 - LDC gas DR measures

Pipeline Contracting and Risk Allocation

- Who will contract for new gas pipeline capacity?
 - Deterioration in producers' credit
 - Low LDC growth rates
 - Market / commercial hindrances affecting generators' willingness to enter into long-term contracts
- Solutions?
 - Expanded role for EDCs
 - Paradigm shift, *i.e.*, back to the future
 - Pipelines' willingness to tolerate risk may warrant equity sweetener

Electric/Gas Market Coordination Challenges

- Day-Ahead Scheduling
 - Gas day extends over 2 electric days
 - Timely Cycle nomination deadline delayed 90 minutes
 - Time to schedule issuance shortened
- Intraday/Real-Time Scheduling
 - Electric System: 5-minutes intervals
 - Gas System: With addition of required Intraday 3 cycle, minimum of 4 opportunities to adjust nomination volumes
- Pipeline Hourly Nomination Protocols