

## Market Rule Amendment Proposal Form

### Part 1 - Market Rule Information

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| Identification No.:                 | MR-00494-R00                                                                                                                                                  |
| Subject:                            | Pseudo-Unit Updates in the Calculation Engines                                                                                                                |
| Title:                              | Pseudo-Unit Updates in the Calculation Engines                                                                                                                |
| Nature of Proposal:                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alteration <input type="checkbox"/> Deletion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Addition                                 |
| Chapter:                            | 7                                                                                                                                                             |
| Appendix:                           | 7.5 – The Day-Ahead Market Calculation Engine Process<br>7.5A - The Pre-Dispatch Calculation Engine Process<br>7.6 - The Real-Time Calculation Engine Process |
| Sections:                           | Various                                                                                                                                                       |
| Sub-sections proposed for amending: | Various                                                                                                                                                       |
| Current Market Rules Baseline:      | 55.1                                                                                                                                                          |

### Part 2 - Proposal History

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## Part 3 - Explanation for Proposed Amendment

Provide a brief description that includes some or all of the following points:

- The reason for the proposed amendment and the impact on the *IESO-administered markets* if the amendment is not made.
- Alternative solutions considered.
- The proposed amendment, how the amendment addresses the above reason and impact of the proposed amendment on the *IESO-administered markets*.

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### 22.2 Application of Physical Resource Deratings to the Pseudo-Unit Model

22.2.1 The *day-ahead market calculation engine* shall apply deratings submitted by *market participants* to the applicable *dispatchable* capacity and duct firing capacity parameters for a *pseudo-unit*, where:

22.2.1.1  $CTCap_{h,k}$  designates the capacity of combustion turbine *resource*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in hour  $h$  as determined by submitted deratings;

22.2.1.2  $STCap_h$  designates the capacity of the steam turbine *resource* in hour  $h$  as determined by submitted deratings; and

22.2.1.3  $TotalQ_{h,k}$  designates the total *offered* quantity of *energy* for *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in hour  $h$ .

- 22.2.2 The *day-ahead market calculation engine* shall solve for the following operating region parameters for hour  $h \in [1, \dots, 24]$  for each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$ :
- 22.2.2.1  $MLP_{h,k}$  designates the *minimum loading point* of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in hour  $h$ ;
  - 22.2.2.2  $DR_{h,k}$  designates the *dispatchable* region capacity of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in hour  $h$ ; and
  - 22.2.2.3  $DF_{h,k}$  designates the duct firing region capacity of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in hour  $h$ .
- 22.2.2A The *day-ahead market calculation engine* shall prorate the derating submitted by a market participant on the steam turbine resource in hour  $h \in \{1, \dots, 24\}$  to the associated pseudo-units when pseudo-unit  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for hour  $h$  meets all the following conditions:
- 22.2.2A.1 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has submitted an offer in hour  $h$ ;
  - 22.2.2A.2 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no planned outage or forced outage on the associated combustion turbine resource in hour  $h$ ;
  - 22.2.2A.3 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint on the associated combustion turbine resource below the designated minimum loading point of combustion turbine resource in hour  $h$ ;
  - 22.2.2A.4 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint below the minimum loading point of pseudo-unit  $k$  in hour  $h$ ; and
  - 22.2.2A.5 Pseudo-unit  $k$  is not operating in single cycle mode for the day.
- 22.2.3 Pre-processing of De-rates
- 22.2.3.1 The *day-ahead market calculation engine* shall perform the following pre-processing steps to determine the available operating regions for a *pseudo-unit* based on the combustion turbine resource and steam turbine resource share and the application of the *pseudo-unit* deratings. For *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for hour  $h \in \{1, \dots, 24\}$ :
    - 22.2.3.1.1 Step 1: Calculate the amount of *offered energy* attributed to each combustion turbine resource ( $CTAmt_{h,k}$ ) and steam turbine resource portion ( $STAmt_{h,k}$ ):
      - If  $TotalQ_{h,k} < MMLP_k$  then:
        - $CTAmt_{h,k} = 0$ ; and
        - $STAmt_{h,k} = 0$ .
      - Otherwise:

$$CTAmtMLP = MMLP_k \cdot CTShareMLP_k; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmtMLP = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot MMLP_k \cdot STShareMLP_k.$$

If  $TotalQ_{h,k} > MMLP_k + MDR_k$ , then:

$$CTAmtDR = MDR_k \cdot CTShareDR_k;$$

$$STAmtDR = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot MDR_k \cdot STShareDR_k; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmtDF = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot (TotalQ_{h,k} - MMLP_k - MDR_k).$$

Otherwise:

$$CTAmtDR = (TotalQ_{h,k} - MMLP_k) \cdot CTShareDR_k;$$

$$STAmtDR = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot (TotalQ_{h,k} - MMLP_k) \cdot STShareDR_k; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmtDF = 0;$$

$$CTAmt_{h,k} = CTAmtMLP + CTAmtDR; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmt_{h,k} = STAmtMLP + STAmtDR + STAmtDF.$$

22.2.3.1.2 Step 2: Allocate the steam turbine *resource* capacity to each steam turbine resource portion associated with pseudo-unit that meets the conditions in Section 22.2.2A:

$$PRSTCap_{h,k} = \left( \frac{STAmt_{h,k}}{\sum_{w \in \{1, \dots, K\}} STAmt_{h,w}} \right) \cdot STCap_h$$

If pseudo-unit  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in hour  $h$  does not meet all conditions in Section 22.2.2A, then:

$$STAmt_{h,k} = 0; \text{ and}$$

$$PRSTCap_{h,k} = 0.$$

## 22.3 Convert Physical Resource Constraints to Pseudo-Unit Constraints

22.3.5.2 If *pseudo-units* with sufficient steam turbine *resource* capacity are not committed, then the *day-ahead market calculation engine* shall not convert the entire quantity of the steam turbine *resource* minimum constraint to *pseudo-unit* constraints.

22.3.5.2A The day-ahead market calculation engine shall prorate a steam turbine resource maximum constraint in hour  $h \in \{1, \dots, 24\}$  to the associated pseudo-units when pseudo-unit  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for hour  $h$  meets all the following conditions:

22.3.5.2A.1 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has submitted an offer in hour  $h$ ;

22.3.5.2A.2 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no planned outage or forced outage on the associated combustion turbine resource in hour  $h$ ;

22.3.5.2A.3 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint on the associated combustion turbine resource below the designated minimum loading point of combustion turbine resource in hour  $h$ ;

22.3.5.2A.4 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint below the minimum loading point of pseudo-unit  $k$  in hour  $h$ ; and

22.3.5.2A.5 Pseudo-unit  $k$  is not operating in single cycle mode for the day.

22.3.5.3 The steam turbine resource maximum constraint shall be converted to a pseudo-unit constraint as follows:

The steam turbine resource portion ( $STAmt_{h,k}$ ) shall be calculated as per Section 22.2.4.1.1.

Allocate the steam turbine resource maximum constraints to each pseudo-unit that met the conditions in Section 22.3.5.2A as follows:

$$PRSTMax_{h,k} = \left( \frac{STAmt_{h,k}}{\sum_{w \in \{1, \dots, K\}} STAmt_{h,w}} \right) \cdot STMax$$

If the prorated steam turbine maximum constraint limits the steam turbine portion to below its *minimum loading point*, then

$$PSUMax_{h,k} = 0$$

Otherwise, calculate  $R$  so that  $SMLP + R \cdot STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k = PRSTMax_{h,k}$

If  $R \leq 1$ , set  $PSUMax_{h,k} = MLP_{h,k} + \min(DR_{h,k}, R \cdot MDR_k)$

If  $R > 1$ , set  $PSUMax_{h,k} = MLP_{h,k} + DR_{h,k} + PRSTMax_{h,k} - SMLP - STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k$

22.3.5.4 If the steam turbine resource minimum and maximum constraints are equal but do not convert to equal pseudo-unit minimum and maximum constraints, then the steam turbine resource minimum constraint

conversion in section 22.3.5.1 shall be used to determine equal *pseudo-unit* minimum and maximum constraints.

## Appendix 7.5A – The Pre-Dispatch Calculation Engine Process

### 15 Pseudo-Unit Modelling

#### 15.2 Application of Physical Resource Deratings to the Pseudo-Unit Model

15.2.1 The *pre-dispatch calculation engine* shall apply deratings submitted by *market participants* to the applicable *dispatchable* capacity and duct firing capacity parameters for a *pseudo-unit*, where:

15.2.1.1  $CTCap_{t,k}$  designates the capacity of combustion turbine *resource*  $k \in \{1,..,K\}$  in time-step  $t$  as determined by submitted deratings;

15.2.1.2  $STCap_t$  designates the capacity of the steam turbine *resource* in time-step  $t$  as determined by submitted deratings; and

15.2.1.3  $TotalQ_{t,k}$  designates the total quantity of *energy* for *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1,..,K\}$  in time-step  $t$ .

15.2.2 The *pre-dispatch calculation engine* shall solve for the following operating region parameters for each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1,..,K\}$ :

15.2.2.1  $MLP_{t,k}$ , which designates the *minimum loading point* of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in time-step  $t$ ;

15.2.2.2  $DR_{t,k}$ , which designates the *dispatchable* region capacity of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in time-step  $t$ ; and

15.2.2.3  $DF_{t,k}$ , which designates the duct firing region capacity of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in time-step  $t$ .

15.2.2A The *pre-dispatch calculation engine* shall prorate the derating submitted by a *market participant* on the steam turbine *resource* in time-step  $t \in TS$  to the associated

*pseudo-units* when *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for time-step  $t$  meets all the following conditions:

15.2.2A.1 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has submitted an offers in time-step  $t$ ;

15.2.2A.2 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no *planned outage* or *forced outage* on the associated combustion turbine *resource* in time-step  $t$ ;

15.2.2A.3 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint on the associated combustion turbine *resource* below the designated *minimum loading point* of combustion turbine *resource* in time-step  $t$ ;

15.2.2A.4 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint below the *minimum loading point* of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in time-step  $t$ ; and

15.2.2A.5 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  is not operating in *single cycle mode* for the day.

### 15.2.3 Pre-Processing of De-rates

15.2.3.1 The *pre-dispatch calculation engine* shall perform the following pre-processing steps to determine the available operating regions for a *pseudo-unit* based on the combustion turbine *resource's* and steam turbine *resource's* share and the application of the *pseudo-unit* deratings. For *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for time-step  $t \in TS$ :

15.2.3.1.1 Step 1: Calculate the amount of *offered energy* attributed to each combustion turbine *resource* ( $CTAmt_{t,k}$ ) and steam turbine *resource* portion ( $STAmt_{t,k}$ ):

If  $TotalQ_{t,k} < MMLP_k$  then:

~~Calculate~~  $CTAmt_{t,k} = 0$ ; and

~~Calculate~~  $STAmt_{t,k} = 0$ .

Otherwise:

$$CTAmt_{MLP} = MMLP_k \cdot CTShare_{MLP_k}; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmt_{MLP} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot MMLP_k \cdot STShare_{MLP_k}.$$

If  $TotalQ_{t,k} > MMLP_k + MDR_k$ , then:

$$CTAmt_{DR} = MDR_k \cdot CTShare_{DR_k};$$

$$STAmt_{DR} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot MDR_k \cdot STShare_{DR_k}; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmt_{DF} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot (TotalQ_{t,k} - MMLP_k - MDR_k).$$

Otherwise:

$$CTAmtDR = (TotalQ_{t,k} - MMLP_k) \cdot CTShareDR_k;$$

$$STAmtDR = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot (TotalQ_{t,k} - MMLP_k) \cdot STShareDR_k;$$

$$STAmtDF = 0;$$

$$CTAmt_{t,k} = CTAmtMLP + CTAmtDR; \text{ and}$$

$$STAmt_{t,k} = STAmtMLP + STAmtDR + STAmtDF.$$

- 15.2.3.1.2 Step 2: Allocate the steam turbine *resource's* capacity to each steam turbine resource portion associated with a pseudo-unit that meets all conditions in section 15.2.2A:

$$PRSTCap_{t,k} = \left( \frac{STAmt_{t,k}}{\sum_{w \in \{1, \dots, K\}} STAmt_{t,w}} \right) \cdot STCap_t$$

If pseudo-unit  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in time-step  $t$  does not meet all conditions in section 15.2.2A, then:

$$STAmt_{t,k} = 0; \text{ and}$$

$$PRSTCap_{t,k} = 0.$$

## 15.3 Convert Physical Resource Constraints to Pseudo-Unit Constraints

- 15.3.5.2 If *pseudo-units* with sufficient steam turbine *resource* capacity are not committed, then the *pre-dispatch calculation engine* shall not convert the entire quantity of the steam turbine *resource's* minimum constraint to *pseudo-unit* constraints.

15.3.5.2A The pre-dispatch calculation engine shall prorate the steam turbine resource's maximum constraint in time-step  $t \in TS$  to the associated pseudo-units when pseudo-unit  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for time-step  $t$  meets all the following conditions:

15.3.5.2A.1 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has submitted an offer in time-step  $t$ ;

15.3.5.2A.2 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no planned outage or forced outage on the associated combustion turbine resource in time-step  $t$ ;

15.3.5.2A.3 Pseudo-unit  $k$  has no fixed or maximum constraint on the associated combustion turbine resource below the

designated *minimum loading point* of combustion turbine *resource* in time-step  $t$ ;

15.3.5.2A.4 *Pseudo-unit  $k$*  has no fixed or maximum constraint below the *minimum loading point* of *pseudo-unit  $k$*  in time-step  $t$ ; and

15.3.5.2A.5 *Pseudo-unit  $k$*  is not operating in *single cycle mode* for the day.

15.3.5.3 The steam turbine *resource's* maximum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint as follows:

15.3.5.3.1 The steam turbine *resource* portion ( $STAmt_{t,k}$ ) shall be calculated as per section 15.2.3.1.1.

15.3.5.3.2 Allocate the steam turbine *resource* maximum constraints to each *pseudo-unit* that met the conditions in section 15.3.5.2A as follows:

$$PRSTMax_{t,k} = \left( \frac{STAmt_{t,k}}{\sum_{w \in \{1, \dots, K\}} STAmt_{t,w}} \right) \cdot STMax.$$

15.3.5.3.3 If the converted steam turbine *resource* maximum constraint limits the steam turbine *resource* portion to below its *minimum loading point*, then

$$PSUMax_{t,k} = 0.$$

15.3.5.3.4 Otherwise, calculate  $R$  so that  $SMLP + R \cdot STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k = PRSTMax_{t,k}$ :

If  $R \leq 1$ , set  $PSUMax_{t,k} = MLP_{t,k} + \min(DR_{t,k}, R \cdot MDR_k)$ .

If  $R > 1$ , set  $PSUMax_{t,k} = MLP_{t,k} + DR_{t,k} + PRSTMax_{t,k} - SMLP - STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k$ .

15.3.5.4 If the steam turbine *resource's* minimum and maximum constraints are equal but do not convert to equal *pseudo-unit* minimum and maximum constraints, then the steam turbine *resource* minimum constraint conversion in section 15.3.5.1 shall be used to determine equal *pseudo-unit* minimum and maximum constraints.

# Appendix 7.6 – The Real-Time Calculation Engine Process

## 5.6 Initial Scheduling Assumptions

### 5.6.1 Initial Schedules

5.6.1.1 Initial *energy* schedules shall be based on the values determined by the IESO's *energy* management system and the schedules from the previous *real-time calculation engine* run, where:

5.6.1.1.1  $RTDLTel_{-1,b}$  designates the *energy* management system MW value for the *dispatchable load* at bus  $b \in B^{DL}$ ;

5.6.1.1.2  $SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$  designates the schedule determined for the *dispatchable load* at bus  $b \in B^{DL}$  by the Real-Time Scheduling algorithm in section 8, of the previous *real-time calculation engine* run;

5.6.1.1.3  $RTDGTel_{-1,b}$  designates the *energy* management system MW value for the *dispatchable generation resource* at bus  $b \in B^{DG}$ ;

5.6.1.1.4  $SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$  designates the schedule determined for the *dispatchable generation resource* at bus  $b \in B^{DG}$  by the Real-Time Scheduling algorithm in section 8, of the previous *real-time calculation engine* run;

5.6.1.1.5  $SDLPrC_{0,b}^{Prev}$  designates the schedule determined for the *dispatchable load* at bus  $b \in B^{DL}$  by the Real-Time Pricing algorithm in section 9, of the previous *real-time calculation engine* run; and

5.6.1.1.6  $SDGPrC_{0,b}^{Prev}$  designates the schedule determined for the *dispatchable generation resource* at bus  $b \in B^{DG}$  by the Real-Time Pricing algorithm in section 9, of the previous *real-time calculation engine* run.

5.6.1.2 For the *dispatchable load* at bus  $b$ , the initial schedule,  $SDLInitSch_{0,b}$ , for the Real-Time Scheduling algorithm in section 8, shall be determined as follows:

5.6.1.2.1 Step 1: Calculate  $TelUp_{0,b}$  using the submitted up ramp rates and break points to determine the maximum

consumption level the *dispatchable load* can achieve in five minutes from  $RTDLTel_{-1,b}$ ;

5.6.1.2.2 Step 2: Calculate  $TelDown_{0,b}$  using the submitted down ramp rates and break points to determine the minimum consumption level the *dispatchable load* can achieve in five minutes from  $RTDLTel_{-1,b}$ ; and

5.6.1.2.3 Step 3: If the schedule from the previous *real-time calculation engine* run is achievable by ramping from the  $RTDLTel_{-1,b}$ , then set the initial schedule to the schedule from the previous *real-time calculation engine* run. Otherwise, set the initial schedule to the nearest boundary:

If  $TelDown_{0,b} \leq SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq TelUp_{0,b}$ , then set  $SDLInitSch_{0,b} = SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$   
 If  $SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev} < TelDown_{0,b}$ , then set  $SDLInitSch_{0,b} = TelDown_{0,b}$   
 Otherwise, set  $SDLInitSch_{0,b} = TelUp_{0,b}$ .

5.6.1.3 For the *dispatchable generation resource* at bus  $b$ , the initial schedule,  $SDGInitSch_{0,b}$ , for the Real-Time Scheduling algorithm in section 8, shall be determined as follows:

5.6.1.3.1 Step 1: Calculate  $TelUp_{0,b}$  using the submitted up ramp rates and break points to determine the maximum production level the *resource* can achieve in five minutes from  $RTDGTel_{-1,b}$ ;

5.6.1.3.2 Step 2: Calculate  $TelDown_{0,b}$  using the submitted down ramp rates and break points to determine the minimum production level the *resource* can achieve in five minutes from  $RTDGTel_{-1,b}$ ; and

5.6.1.3.3 Step 3: If the schedule from the previous *real-time calculation engine* run is achievable by ramping from the  $RTDGTel_{-1,b}$ , then set the initial schedule to the schedule from the previous *real-time calculation engine* run. Otherwise, set the initial schedule to the nearest boundary:

If  $TelDown_{0,b} \leq SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq TelUp_{0,b}$ , then set  $SDGInitSch_{0,b} = SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$

If  $SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev} < TelDown_{0,b}$  then set  $SDGInitSch_{0,b} = TelDown_{0,b}$   
 Otherwise, set  $SDGInitSch_{0,b} = TelUp_{0,b}$ .

- 5.6.1.4 For the *dispatchable load* at bus  $b$ , the initial schedule,  $SDLInitPr_{0,b}$ , for the Real-Time Pricing algorithm in section 9, shall be determined as follows:

If  $SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq SDLPr_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq$   
 $SDLInitSch_{0,b}$  or  $SDLInitSch_{0,b} \leq SDLPr_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq$   
 $SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$ , then set  $SDLInitPr_{0,b} = SDLInitSch_{0,b}$ ;  
 Otherwise set  $SDLInitPr_{0,b} = SDLPr_{0,b}^{Prev}$ .

- 5.6.1.5 For the *dispatchable generation* at bus  $b$ , the initial schedule  $SDGInitPr_{0,b}$ , for the Real-Time Pricing algorithm in section 9, designates the initial schedule for the *dispatchable generation resource* at bus  $b$  and is determined as follows:

If  $SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq SDGPr_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq$   
 $SDGInitSch_{0,b}$  or  $SDGInitSch_{0,b} \leq SDGPr_{0,b}^{Prev} \leq$   
 $SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$  then set  $SDGInitPr_{0,b} = SDGInitSch_{0,b}$ ;  
 Otherwise set  $SDGInitPr_{0,b} = SDGPr_{0,b}^{Prev}$ .

- 5.6.1.6 Where *dispatch instructions* are issued by the *IESO* due to a manual constraint, the *real-time calculation engine* shall determine the initial *energy* schedule using the most recent *dispatch instructions* in place of  $SDLSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$  and  $SDGSch_{0,b}^{Prev}$ .

## 8 Real-Time Scheduling

### 8.6 Dispatch Data Inter-Interval/Multi-Interval Constraints

#### 8.6.2 Non-Quick Start Resource Start-up and Shutdown

- 8.6.2.1 For all intervals in the real-time look-ahead period in which a *non-quick start resource* is scheduled to start-up, such *resource* shall be scheduled on a fixed ramp-up trajectory as determined by its *offered* ramp rates. The ramp-up trajectory ( $UpTraj_{i,b}$ ) for interval  $i \in I$  such that  $SU_{i,b}=1$  is determined as follows:

- 8.6.2.1.1 If  $i = 1$ , then  $UpTraj_{i,b}$  shall be determined from the *resource* initial schedule and the *offered* ramp up capability;
- 8.6.2.1.2 If  $i > 1$  and  $SU_{i-1,b} = 0$ , then  $UpTraj_{i,b}$  shall be determined from the *offered* ramp up capability from 0; and
- 8.6.2.1.3 For all intervals  $i \in I$  such that  $SU_{i,b} = 1$ :

$$\sum_{k \in K_{i,b}^E} SDG_{i,b,k} = UpTraj_{i,b}.$$

- 8.6.2.2 For all intervals in the real-time look-ahead period in which a *non-quick start resource* is scheduled to shutdown, such *resource* shall be scheduled on a fixed ramp-down trajectory as determined by its *offered* ramp rates. The ramp-down trajectory ( $DnTraj_{i,b}$ ) for interval  $i \in I$  such that  $SD_{i,b} = 1$  is determined as follows:

- 8.6.2.2.1 If  $i = 1$ , then  $DnTraj_{i,b}$  shall be determined from the *resource* initial schedule and the *offered* ramp down capability;
- 8.6.2.2.2 If  $i > 1$  and  $SD_{i-1,b} = 0$ , then  $DnTraj_{i,b}$  shall be  $MinQDG_b$ ; and
- 8.6.2.2.3 If  $i > 1$  and  $SD_{i-1,b} = 1$ , then  $DnTraj_{i,b}$  shall be determined from the *offered* ramp down capability from  $DnTraj_{i-1,b}$ .
- 8.6.2.2.4 For all intervals  $i \in I$  such that  $SD_{i,b} = 1$ :

$$\sum_{k \in K_{i,b}^E} SDG_{i,b,k} = DnTraj_{i,b}.$$

- 8.6.2.3 Where a *resource's* minimum constraint, maximum constraint, or derating below *minimum loading point* overlaps with the calculated ramping trajectory of a *non-quick start resource*, the *real-time calculation engine* shall enforce the applicable constraint or derating for the duration of that overlap. Upon the expiry or removal of the constraint or derating, the *real-time calculation engine* shall continue ramping the *non-quick start resource* from the most recently established quantity in the *real-time schedule*.

# 10 Pseudo-Unit Modelling

## 10.2 Application of Physical Resource Deratings to the Pseudo-Unit Model

10.2.1 The *real-time calculation engine* shall apply deratings submitted by *market participants* to the applicable minimum loading point, *dispatchable* capacity and duct firing capacity parameters for a *pseudo-unit*, where:

10.2.1.1  $CTCap_{i,k}$  designates the capacity of combustion turbine *resource*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in interval  $i$  as determined by submitted deratings;

10.2.1.2  $STCap_i$  designates the capacity of the steam turbine *resource* in interval  $i$  as determined by submitted deratings; and

10.2.1.3  $TotalQ_{i,k}$  designates the total *offered* quantity of *energy* for *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in interval  $i$ .

10.2.2 The *real-time calculation engine* shall solve for the following operating region parameters for each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$ :

10.2.2.1  $MLP_{i,k}$  designates the *minimum loading point* of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in interval  $i$ ;

10.2.2.2  $DR_{i,k}$  designates the *dispatchable* capacity region of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in interval  $i$ ; and

10.2.2.3  $DF_{i,k}$  designates the duct firing capacity region of *pseudo-unit*  $k$  in interval  $i$ .

10.2.2A The *real-time calculation engine* shall prorate the derating submitted by the *market participant* on the steam turbine *resource* in interval  $i \in I$  to the associated *pseudo-units* when *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for interval  $i$  meets all the following conditions:

10.2.2A.1 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has submitted an *offer* in interval  $i$ ;

10.2.2A.2 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no *planned outage* or *forced outage* on the associated combustion turbine *resource* in interval  $i$ ;

10.2.2A.3 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no OMW fixed or maximum constraint on the associated combustion turbine *resource* in interval  $i$ ;

10.2.2A.4 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no OMW fixed or maximum constraint in interval  $i$ ; and

10.2.2A.5 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  is not operating in *single cycle mode* for the day.

10.2.3 Pre-Processing of De-rates

10.2.3.1 The *real-time calculation engine* shall perform the following pre-processing steps to determine the available operating regions for a *pseudo-unit* based on the combustion turbine *resource's* and steam turbine *resource's* share and the application of the *pseudo-unit* deratings. For *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for interval  $i \in I$ :

10.2.3.1.1 Step 1: Calculate the amount of the *offer for energy* that is attributed to each combustion turbine *resource* ( $CTAmt_{i,k}$ ) and steam turbine *resource* portion ( $STAmt_{i,k}$ ):

If  $TotalQ_{i,k} < MMLP_k$ , then:

~~\_Calculate~~  $CTAmt_{i,k} = 0$ ; and

~~\_Calculate~~  $STAmt_{i,k} = 0$ .

Otherwise:

~~\_~~  $CTAmt_{MLP} = MMLP_k \cdot CTShare_{MLP,k}$ ; and

$STAmt_{MLP} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot MMLP_k \cdot STShare_{MLP,k}$ .

If  $TotalQ_{i,k} > MMLP_k + MDR_k$ , then:

$CTAmt_{DR} = MDR_k \cdot CTShare_{DR,k}$ ;

$STAmt_{DR} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot MDR_k \cdot STShare_{DR,k}$ ; and

$STAmt_{DF} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot (TotalQ_{i,k} - MMLP_k - MDR_k)$ .

Otherwise:

$CTAmt_{DR} = (TotalQ_{i,k} - MMLP_k) \cdot CTShare_{DR,k}$ ;

$STAmt_{DR} = (1 - CSCM_k) \cdot (TotalQ_{i,k} - MMLP_k) \cdot STShare_{DR,k}$ ;

$STAmt_{DF} = 0$ ;

$CTAmt_{i,k} = CTAmt_{MLP} + CTAmt_{DR}$ ; and

$STAmt_{i,k} = STAmt_{MLP} + STAmt_{DR} + STAmt_{DF}$ .

10.2.3.1.2 Step 2: Allocate the steam turbine *resource's* capacity to each steam turbine resource portion associated with the pseudo-unit that meets all conditions in section 10.2.2A:

$$PRSTCap_{i,k} = \left( \frac{STAmt_{i,k}}{\sum_{w \in \{1, \dots, K\}} STAmt_{i,w}} \right) \cdot STCap_i$$

If  $pseudo\text{-}unit\ k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  in interval  $i$  does not meet all conditions in section 10.2.2A, then:

$STAmt_{i,k} = 0$ ; and

$PRSTCap_{i,k} = 0$ .

10.2.3.1.3 Step 3: Determine if the *pseudo-unit* is available:

If  $CTAmt_{i,k} < CMLP_k$ , then the *pseudo-unit* is unavailable.

If  $STAmt_{i,k} < SMLP \cdot (1 - CSCM_k)$ , then the *pseudo-unit* is unavailable.

~~If  $CTCap_{i,k} < CMLP_k$ , then the *pseudo-unit* is unavailable.~~

~~If  $PRSTCap_{i,k} < SMLP \cdot (1 - CSCM_k)$ , then the *pseudo-unit* is unavailable.~~

10.2.3.1.4 Step 4: Initialize the operating region parameters for interval  $i \in I$  to the model parameter values:

Set  $MLP_{i,k} = MMLP_k$ .

Set  $DR_{i,k} = MDR_k$ .

Set  $DF_{i,k} = MDF_k$ .

10.2.3.1.5 Step 5: Apply the derating for the combustion turbine *resource* to the dispatchable and minimum loading point regions for pseudo-units not operating in single cycle mode where the associated steam turbine resource is online:

If  $CTCap_{i,k} < CMLP_k$ , then

Calculate  $PRSTCapMLP_{i,k} = CTCap_{i,k} \cdot \left( \frac{STShareMLP_k}{CTShareMLP_k} \right)$

Update  $MLP_{i,k} = CTCap_{i,k} + PRSTCapMLP_{i,k}$ .

$DR_{i,k} = 0$ ; and  $DF_{i,k} = 0$ .

Otherwise:

Calculate  $P$  so that  $CMLP_k + P \cdot CTShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k = CTCap_{i,k}$ ; and

Set  $Update\ DR_{i,k} = \min(DR_{i,k}, P \cdot MDR_k)$ .

10.2.3.1.5A If a *pseudo-unit* is flagged to operate in single cycle mode or the associated steam turbine resource is offline, then the combustion

turbine resource's derating shall be applied to the *dispatchable* and *minimum loading point* regions of the *pseudo-unit* as follows:

If  $CTCap_{i,k} < CMLP_k$ , then

Update  $MLP_{i,k} = CTCap_{i,k}$ ;  $DR_{i,k} = 0$ , and  $DF_{i,k} = 0$ .

Otherwise:

Calculate  $P$  so that  $CMLP_k + P \cdot CTShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k = CTCap_{i,k}$ ; and

Update  $MLP_{i,k} = CMLP_k$ ;  $DR_{i,k} = \min(DR_{i,k}, P \cdot MDR_k)$ ; and  $DF_{i,k} = 0$ .

- 10.2.3.1.6 Step 6: Apply the derating for the steam turbine *resource* to the duct firing ~~and *dispatchable capacity*, and *minimum loading point*~~ regions for *pseudo-units* that meets all conditions in section 10.2.2~~not operating in single cycle mode~~.

If  $PRSTCap_{i,k} < SMLP \cdot (1 - CSCM_k)$ , then

Update  $MLP_{i,k} = CMLP_k + PRSTCap_{i,k}$ ;  
 $DR_{i,k} = 0$ ; and  $DF_{i,k} = 0$ .

Otherwise:

Calculate  $R$  so that  $SMLP + R \cdot STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k = PRSTCap_{i,k}$ .

If  $R \leq 1$ , update  $DF_{i,k} = 0$ , and  $DR_{i,k} = \min(DR_{i,k}, R \cdot MDR_k)$ .

If  $R > 1$ , update  $DF_{i,k} = \min(DF_{i,k}, PRSTCap_{i,k} - SMLP - STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k)$ .

## 10.2.4 Available Energy Laminations

- 10.2.4.1 The *real-time calculation engine* shall determine the *offer quantity* laminations that may be scheduled for *energy* and *operating reserve* in each operating region for interval  $i \in I$  for each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$ , subject to section 10.2.4.2, where:

10.2.4.1.1  $QMLP_{i,k}$  designates the total quantity that may be scheduled in the *minimum loading point* region;

10.2.4.1.2  $QDR_{i,k}$  designates the total quantity that may be scheduled in the *dispatchable* region; and

10.2.4.1.3  $QDF_{i,k}$  designates the total quantity that may be scheduled in the duct firing region.

10.2.4.2 The available *offered* quantity laminations shall be subject to the following conditions:

$$0 \leq QMLP_{i,k} \leq MLP_{i,k};$$

$$0 \leq QDR_{i,k} \leq DR_{i,k};$$

$$0 \leq QDF_{i,k} \leq DF_{i,k};$$

if  $QMLP_{i,k} < MLP_{i,k}$ , then the *pseudo-unit* is unavailable and  $QDR_{i,k} = QDF_{i,k} = 0$ ; and

if  $QDR_{i,k} < DR_{i,k}$ , then  $QDF_{i,k} = 0$ .

### 10.3 Convert Physical Resource Constraints to Pseudo-Unit Constraints

10.3.1 The *real-time calculation engine* shall convert physical *resource* constraints to *pseudo-unit* constraints, where:

10.3.1.1  $PSUMin_{i,k}^q$  designates the minimum limitation on *pseudo-unit*  $k$  determined by translating constraint  $q$ . When constraint  $q$  does not provide a minimum limitation on *pseudo-unit*  $k$ , then  $PSUMin_{i,k}^q$  shall be set equal to 0;

10.3.1.2  $PSUMax_{i,k}^q$  designates the maximum limitation on *pseudo-unit*  $k$  determined by translating constraint  $q$ . When constraint  $q$  does not provide a maximum limitation on *pseudo-unit*  $k$ , then  $PSUMax_{i,k}^q$  shall be set equal to  $MLP_{i,k} + DR_{i,k} + DF_{i,k}$ ; and

10.3.1.3  $CTCmt_{i,k} \in \{0,1\}$  designates whether combustion turbine *resource*  $k \in \{1,..K\}$  is considered committed in interval  $i \in I$ .

10.3.2 The *real-time calculation engine* shall calculate the minimum and maximum limitations, subject to section 10.3.3.1, as follows:

10.3.2.1 Minimum limitation:  $MinDG_{i,k} = \max_{q \in \{1,..Q\}} PSUMin_{i,k}^q$

10.3.2.2 Maximum limitation:  $MaxDG_{i,k} = \min_{q \in \{1,..Q\}} PSUMax_{i,k}^q$

where  $Q$  designates the number of constraints impacting a *combined cycle plant* that have been provided to the *real-time calculation engine*.

10.3.3 Pseudo-Unit Minimum and Maximum Constraints

10.3.3.1 *Pseudo-unit* minimum and maximum constraints shall be calculated as follows:

10.3.3.1.1  $PSUMin_{i,k} = PMin$  where  $PMin$  shall be a minimum constraint provided on *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1,...,K\}$  for interval  $i \in I$ ; and

10.3.3.1.2  $PSUMax_{i,k} = PMax$  where  $PMax$  shall be a maximum constraint provided on *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1,...,K\}$  for interval  $i \in I$ .

10.3.3.2 Where *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1,...,K\}$  for interval  $i \in I$  is not flagged to operate in *single cycle mode* and either the maximum constraint or maximum offered quantity is below the *minimum loading point*, the *real-time calculation engine* shall adjust the the maximum constraints on the associated combustion turbine *resource* ( $CTMax_{i,k}$ ) and steam turbine *resource portion* ( $PRSTMax_{i,k}$ ) in accordance with the following:

10.3.3.2.1 Where the associated combustion turbine *resource* is online and the steam turbine *resource* is offline, the combustion turbine *resource* maximum constraint and steam turbine *resource portion* maximum constraint shall be determined as follows:

$$CTMax_{i,k} = PSUMax_{i,k} * CTShareMLP_k; \text{ and} \\ PRSTMax_{i,k} = 0;$$

10.3.3.2.2 Where both the combustion turbine *resource* and steam turbine *resource* are online, the maximum constraints shall be determined as follows:

$$CTMax_{i,k} = PSUMax_{i,k} * CTShareMLP_k; \text{ and} \\ PRSTMax_{i,k} = PSUMax_{i,k} - CTMax_{i,k};$$

The aggregate steam turbine maximum constraint shall equal the summation of the steam turbine *resource portion* maximum constraints across all applicable *pseudo-units*.

10.3.3.2.3 Where the associated combustion turbine *resource* and/or steam turbine *resource* are not online and a future *start-up time* has been confirmed, the *real-time calculation engine* shall apply the calculated maximum constraints determined in Sections 10.3.3.2.1 and 10.3.3.2.2 to the advisory intervals, using the confirmed *start-up time* to determine when the associated *resource* is considered online.

#### 10.3.4 Combustion Turbine Resource Minimum and Maximum Constraints

10.3.4.1 If the *pseudo-unit* is not flagged to operate in *single cycle mode* and the associated steam turbine *resource* is online, then the combustion turbine

*resource's* minimum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint as follows:

If  $CTMin < MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k$ , then set

$$STMinMLP = CTMin \cdot \left( \frac{STShareMLP_k}{CTShareMLP_k} \right),$$

$$STMinDR = 0.$$

Otherwise, if  $CTMin \geq MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k$ , then set

$$STMinMLP = MLP_{i,k} \cdot STShareMLP_k,$$

$$STMinDR = (CTMin - MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k) \cdot \left( \frac{STShareDR_k}{CTShareDR_k} \right).$$

Therefore:

$$PSUMin_{i,k} = CTMin + STMinMLP + STMinDR.$$

- 10.3.4.2 If a *pseudo-unit* is flagged to operate in *single cycle mode* or the associated steam turbine resource is offline, then the combustion turbine *resource's* minimum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint as follows:

$$PSUMin_{i,k} = CTMin$$

- 10.3.4.3 If the *pseudo-unit* is not flagged to operate in *single cycle mode* and the associated steam turbine resource is online, then the combustion turbine *resource's* maximum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint as follows:

If  $CTMax < MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k$ , then  ~~$PSUMax_{i,k} = 0$  and the *pseudo-unit* is unavailable.~~

$$PRSTMaxMLP = CTMax \cdot \left( \frac{STShareMLP_k}{CTShareMLP_k} \right)$$

$$PSUMax_{i,k} = CTMax + PRSTMaxMLP$$

Otherwise, calculate the value of the constraint on the steam turbine *resource portion* within the *minimum loading point* and *dispatchable* regions:

$$PRSTMaxMLP = MLP_{i,k} \cdot STShareMLP_k$$

~~$$STMaxDR = (CTMax - MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k) \cdot \left( \frac{STShareDR_k}{CTShareDR_k} \right)$$~~

$$PRSTMaxDR = (CTMax - MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k) \cdot \left( \frac{STShareDR_k}{CTShareDR_k} \right)$$

$$PSUMax_{i,k} = CTMax + PRSTMaxMLP + PRSTMaxDR$$

- 10.3.4.4 If a *pseudo-unit* is flagged to operate in *single cycle mode* or the associated steam turbine resource is offline, then the combustion turbine *resource's* maximum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint as follows:

$$PSUMax_{i,k} = CTMax.$$

### 10.3.5 Steam Turbine Resource Minimum and Maximum Constraints

- 10.3.5.1 The *real-time calculation engine* shall convert a steam turbine *resource's* minimum constraint to a *pseudo-unit* constraints as follows:

- 10.3.5.1.1 Step 1: Identify  $A \subseteq \{1,..,K\}$ , which designates the set of *pseudo-units* to which the constraint may be allocated where *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1,..,K\}$  is placed in set  $A$  if and only if  $CSCM_k = 0$  and  $CTCmtd_{i,k} = 1$ . If the set  $A$  is empty, then no further steps are required, otherwise proceed to Step 2.

- 10.3.5.1.2 Step 2: Determine the steam turbine *resource's* portion of the capacity for *pseudo-unit*  $k \in A$ :

$$STCap_k = QMLP_{i,k} \cdot STShareMLP_k + QDR_{i,k} \cdot STShareDR_k + QDF_{i,k}.$$

- 10.3.5.1.3 Step 3: Allocate the *STMin* constraint to each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in A$ , where *STMin* constraint shall be allocated equally to each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in A$ , where *STPMin<sub>k</sub>* is limited by *STCap<sub>k</sub>*.

- 10.3.5.1.4 Step 4: The steam turbine *resource* portion minimum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint, where for each *pseudo-unit*  $k \in A$ :

If  $STPMin_k < MLP_{i,k} \cdot STShareMLP_k$ , then set

$$CTMinMLP_k = STPMin_k \cdot \left( \frac{CTShareMLP_k}{STShareMLP_k} \right); \text{ and}$$

$$CTMinDR_k = 0.$$

Otherwise, if  $STPMin_k \geq MLP_{i,k} \cdot STShareMLP_k$ , then set

$$CTMinMLP_k = MLP_{i,k} \cdot CTShareMLP_k; \text{ and}$$

$$CTMinDR_k = (STPMin_k - MLP_{i,k} \cdot STShareMLP_k) \cdot \left( \frac{CTShareDR_k}{STShareDR_k} \right).$$

Therefore:

$$PSUMin_{i,k} = STPMin_k + CTMinMLP_k + CTMinDR_k.$$

- 10.3.5.1.4 If *pseudo-units* with sufficient steam turbine *resource* capacity are not committed, then the *real-time calculation engine* shall not convert the entire quantity of the steam turbine *resource's* minimum constraint to *pseudo-unit* constraints.

#### 10.3.5.1A

The *real-time calculation engine* shall prorate maximum constraints submitted by the *market participant* for the steam turbine *resource* in interval  $i \in I$  to the associated *pseudo-units* when *pseudo-unit*  $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$  for interval  $i$  meets all the following conditions:

10.3.5.1A.1 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has submitted an *offer* in interval  $i$ ;

10.3.5.1A.2 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no *planned outage* or *forced outage* submitted on the associated combustion turbine *resource* in interval  $i$ ;

10.3.5.1A.3 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no OMW fixed or maximum constraint on the associated combustion turbine *resource* in interval  $i$ ;

10.3.5.1A.4 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  has no OMW fixed or maximum constraint in interval  $i$ ; and

10.3.5.1A.5 *Pseudo-unit*  $k$  is not operating in *single cycle mode* for the day.

- 10.3.5.2 The steam turbine *resource's* maximum constraint shall be converted to a *pseudo-unit* constraint as follows:

10.3.5.2.1 The steam turbine *resource* portion  $STAmt_{i,k}$  shall be calculated as per section 10.2.4.1.1.

10.3.5.2.2 Allocate the steam turbine *resource* maximum constraints to each *pseudo-unit* that met the conditions in section 10.3.5.1A as follows:

$$PRSTMax_{i,k} = \left( \frac{STAmt_{i,k}}{\sum_{w \in \{1, \dots, K\}} STAmt_{i,w}} \right) \cdot STMax.$$

10.3.5.2.3 If the converted steam turbine *resource* maximum constraint limits the steam turbine *resource* portion to below its *minimum loading point*, then

$$\text{Set } PSUMax_{i,k} = CMLP_k + PRSTMax_{i,k}$$

0.

10.3.5.2.4 Otherwise, calculate  $R$  so that  $SMLP + R \cdot STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k = PRSTMax_{i,k}$

If  $R \leq 1$ , set  $PSUMax_{i,k} = MLP_{i,k} + \min(DR_{i,k}, R \cdot MDR_k)$ .

If  $R > 1$ , set  $PSUMax_{i,k} = MLP_{i,k} + DR_{i,k} + PRSTMax_{i,k} - SMLP - STShareDR_k \cdot MDR_k$ .

- 10.3.5.3 If the steam turbine *resource's* minimum and maximum constraints are equal but do not convert to equal *pseudo-unit* minimum and maximum constraints, then the steam turbine *resource* minimum constraint conversion in section 10.3.5.1 shall be used to determine equal *pseudo-unit* minimum and maximum constraints.

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