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Appendix 8.1 – Mathematical Formulation of the TR Objective Function and Constraints

- 1.1 This Appendix describes the objective function used to determine the number of *transmission rights* to be awarded to each *TR bidder* and sold by each *TR offeror* in a given round of a *TR auction*.
- 1.2 The objective function used for each *TR auction* has as its mathematical objective the maximization of the benefit, measured in dollars, of the aggregate willingness of successful *TR bidders* to pay for *transmission rights* that they have been awarded in a given round of a *TR auction*, net of the amounts that successful *TR offerors* were willing to accept for those *transmission rights*, as constrained by the results of the simultaneous feasibility test required to be conducted in accordance with section 4.6 of this Chapter.
- 1.3 The objective function for each round of a given *TR auction* is to:

$$\max\sum_{j\in J_r}A_jB_jT_{iwpj},$$

where:

 J_r is the set of *TR bids* and *TR offers* for *transmission rights* submitted in round *r* of the *TR auction*;

 A_j is the proportion of *TR bid j* that is awarded in the *TR auction*;

 B_j is, in respect of a *TR bidder*, the maximum price that the *TR bidder* submitting *TR bid j* offers to pay for a *transmission right* in that *TR bid* and, in respect of a *TR offeror*, is the minimum price that the *TR offeror* submitting *TR offer j* for that *transmission right* offers to accept for that *transmission right*; and

 T_{iwpj} is, in respect of a *TR bidder*, the number of *transmission rights* associated with injection *TR zone i* and withdrawal *TR zone w* valid in period *p* that the *TR bidder* submitting *TR bid j* bids to purchase and, in respect of a *TR offeror*, the number of *transmission rights* associated with injection *TR zone i* and withdrawal *TR zone w* valid in period *p* that the *TR offeror* submitting *TR offer j* offers to sell; subject to the constraint that:

$$0 \le A_j \le 1$$
 for all $j \in J_r$,

and also subject to the following two additional constraints, each of which must be honoured for every period p in which *transmission rights* available for purchase in the *TR auction* are valid:

$$\sum_{j \in J_r} A_j T_{iwpj} PSF_{iwc} + PT_{iwpr} PSF_{iwc} \le U_{crp} \text{ for all } c \in C^+,$$

and

$$\sum_{j \in J_r} A_j T_{iwpj} NSF_{iwc} + PT_{iwpr} NSF_{iwc} \geq L_{crp} \text{ for all } c \in C^-,$$

where:

 PSF_{iwc} is the greater of (i) zero and (ii) the shift factor that determines the incremental effect on the flow of power over constraint *c* that results from an incremental injection at *TR zone i* and an offsetting withdrawal at *TR zone w*,

 PT_{iwpr} is the number of *transmission rights* associated with injection *TR zone i* and withdrawal *TR zone w* valid in period *p* that meet the following criteria: (1) they were purchased by or awarded to *TR participants* in a previous *TR auction* or in a round of the *TR auction* conducted before round *r*, (2) they have not been sold by their respective *TR holders* in a previous *TR auction* or in a round of the *TR auction* conducted before round *r*, (3) they have not been offered for sale by their respective *TR holders* in round *r* of the *TR auction*;

 U_{crp} is the maximum limit established for the flow of power over constraint c in period p for round r of the *TR auction*;

 C^+ is, in respect of the flow of power across an *interconnection*, the set of constraints that specifies a maximum limit on the flow of power over that *interconnection*;

 NSF_{iwc} is the lesser of (i) zero and (ii) the shift factor that determines the incremental effect on the flow of power over constraint *c* that results from an incremental injection at *TR* zone *i* and an offsetting withdrawal at *TR* zone *w*;



 L_{crp} is the minimum limit established for the flow of power over constraint c in period p for round r of the *TR auction*; and

C is, in respect of the flow of power across an *interconnection*, the set of constraints that specifies a minimum limit on the flow of power over that *interconnection*

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