

# **2023 Summer Energy Market and Electric Reliability Assessment/2022 State of the Energy Markets**

June 14, 2023









### **Agenda**

- Welcome/Introductions
- Introduction of Staff Presenters
- Summer Markets and Reliability Assessment
- Brief Q&A
- 2022 State of the Markets Report
- Q&A
- Conclude











# **2023 Summer Energy Market and Electric Reliability Assessment**

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### **Key Findings**

- Warmer-than-average temperatures expected this summer
- NERC forecasts regions will have sufficient generating resources to meet expected summer demand and some regions may require operating mitigations under challenging summer conditions
- Regions facing higher likelihood of tight supply and reliability issues during extreme conditions: ERCOT, MISO, New England, SERC-Central, SPP, and WECC-CAMX, WECC-NW. WECC-SW
- Resource additions outpaced retirements, with rapid growth in storage capacity
- Natural gas prices are expected to be lower this summer than one last with high levels of natural gas production and storage
- Electric industry faces supply chain, economic, and security concerns



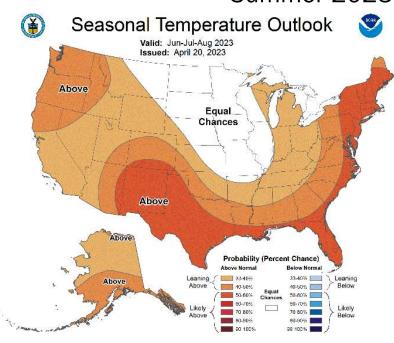


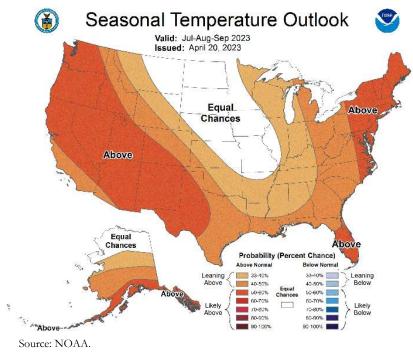




### **Summer Temperatures Likely Warmer Than Normal**

Summer 2023 Temperature Forecast







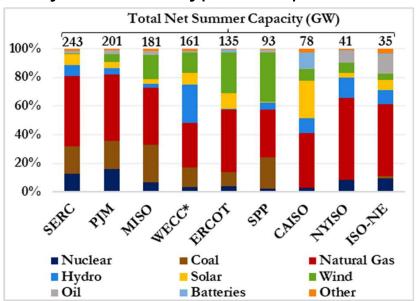






### **Summer Resource Mix**

Total Net Summer Capacity and Percentage Share by Resource Type in September 2023



Source: U.S. EIA



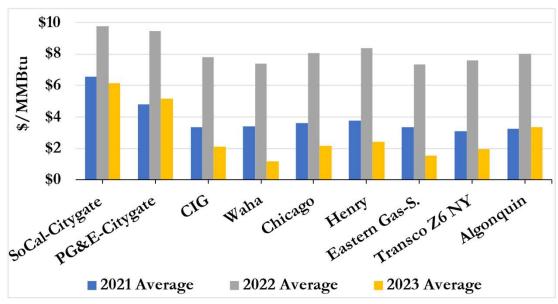






### **Natural Gas Futures Prices Decrease**

Natural Gas Futures Prices At Major Hubs (June - September)



Source: S&P Global Commodity Insights

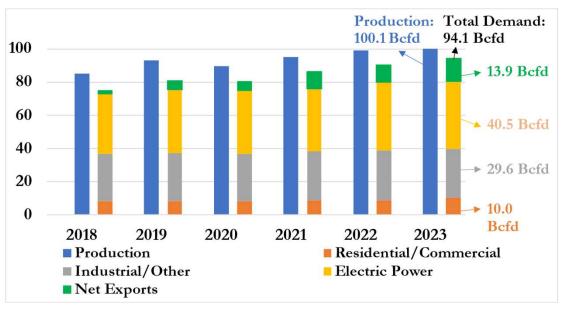






### **Natural Gas Demand To Grow Slightly**

### U.S. Natural Gas Demand and Production



Source: U.S. EIA

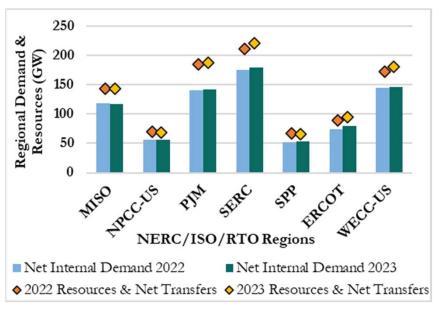






# **Reserve Margins and Net Transfers**

2022 and 2023 Demand Resources



Source: U.S. EIA



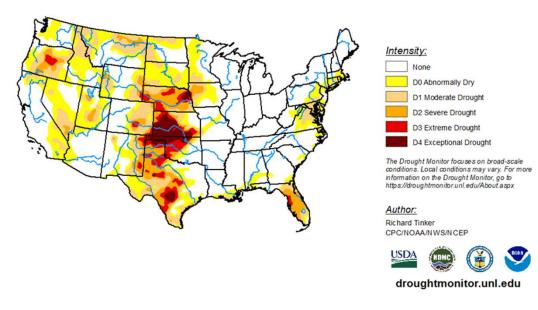






# **Changes in Drought Conditions in the West**

**Summer Drought Forecast** 



Source: U.S. EIA









### **Electric Risks**

New and Continuing Reliability Concerns

- Supply Chain Disruptions
- Factors Affecting Solar Development
- EPA Actions and Regulations
- Increase in Physical Attacks on the Grid
- Diablo Canyon Power Plant License Extension

Source Department of Energy OE-417s







### **Summer Reliability Risk Area Summary**

#### Resource Adequacy Risks

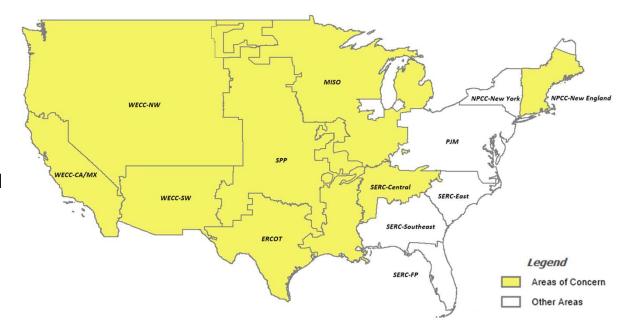
**U.S. West:** Extreme demand during widearea heat events strains resources and transmission network.

**SPP and MISO:** Dispatchable generation insufficient for meeting high demand during low wind.

**SERC-Central:** Higher demand forecast, and less supply capacity are reducing reserves.

**New England:** Less supply capacity is reducing reserves and increasing reliance on operating mitigations.

**Texas (ERCOT):** Demand growth increases strain on dispatchable generation when variable energy resource output is low.



Source: North American Electric Reliability Corporation









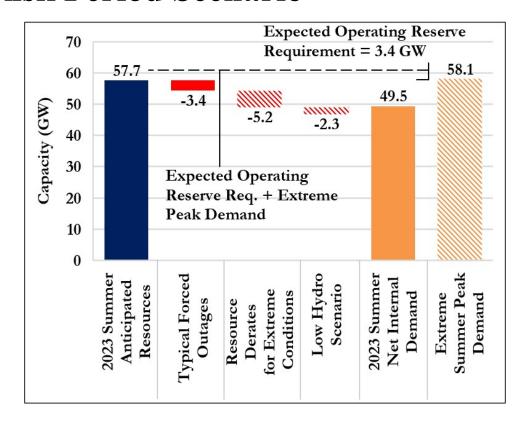
### WECC-CAMX Risk Period Scenario

### <u>Probabilistic Risk Analysis to Assess</u> <u>Resource Availability</u>

**2023 Summer Anticipated Resources:** 57.7 GW of anticipated resources.

**Demand Scenarios:** Normal peak net internal demand (50/50) scenario; and the Extreme summer peak demand (90/10) scenario determined by the regional or subregional assessment area.

# Factors that affect resource availability: Typical Forced Outages; Resource derate for Extreme conditions; and Low Hydro conditions.



Source: North American Electric Reliability Corporation











# Q&A







# **2022 State of the Markets**

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# **Key Findings**

- Most generation capacity additions came from wind and solar resources.
- Most retirements came from coal resources.
- Natural gas still holds the largest share of generation at 38.9% in 2022.
- New generating resources encountered interconnection delays.
- Higher wholesale electricity prices and higher natural gas prices in 2022.
- Largest mean wholesale price increases in NYISO Zone J and PJM over 80%.
- U.S. LNG exports grew in 2022, though at a slower pace than in 2021.
- Western heat wave impacted the Western Interconnection and CAISO.
- December winter storm triggered power outages mainly in the Southeast.



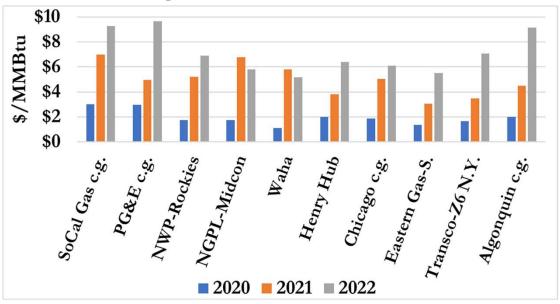






### **Natural Gas Prices Increased at Nearly All Major Hubs**





Source: S&P Global Commodity Insights





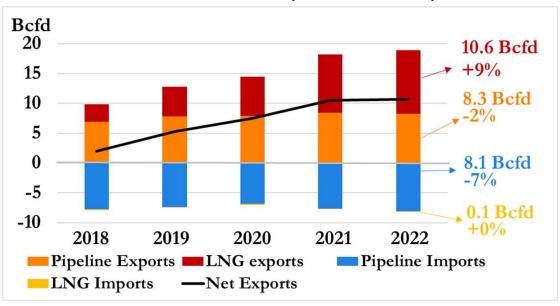


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### **Natural Gas Net Exports Increase Due to LNG Exports**

U.S. Natural Gas Imports and Exports



Source: U.S. EIA



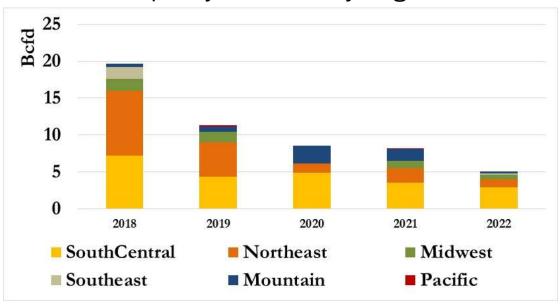






### **South Central Has Added the Most Pipeline Capacity**

U.S. Interstate Natural Gas Pipeline In-Service Capacity Additions by Region



Source: U.S. EIA



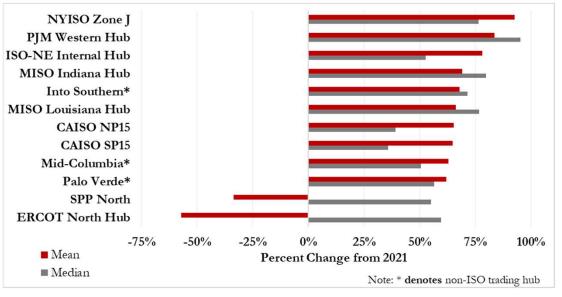






### **Wholesale Electricity Prices Increase Across Hubs**

Change in Average Day-Ahead On-Peak Price from 2021 for Select Pricing Hubs



Source: S&P Global Intelligence



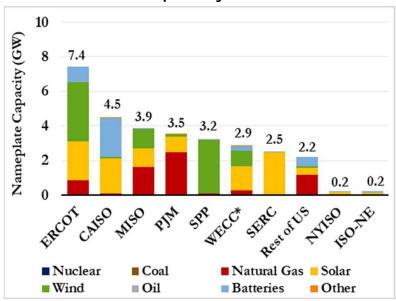






# Increased Solar, Wind, Gas-fired, and Battery Installed **Capacity**

2022 Capacity Additions



Note: the data do not include Alaska and Hawaii Source: EIA 860M

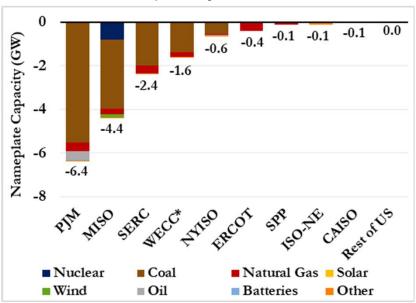






# Largest Share of Capacity Retirements Came from Coal

### 2022 Capacity Retirements



Source: Form EIA-860M, January 2023 Release.



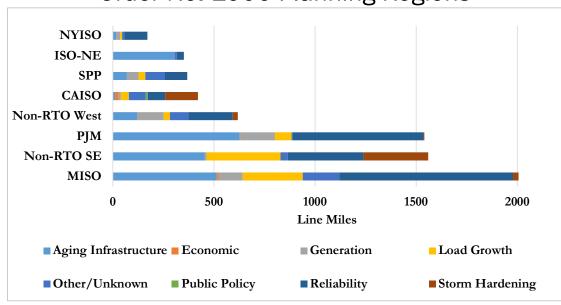






### **Continued Transmission Investment**

2022 Line-Related Transmission Projects within Order No. 1000 Planning Regions



Source: North American Electric Transmission Project Database, The C Three Group, L.L.C.



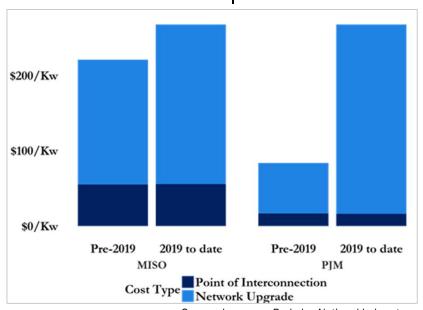






# **Interconnection Becoming More Costly**

Average Costs to Interconnect, PJM and MISO Sample



Source: Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory







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### **Other Topics Discussed in the Report**

- Electricity Market Fundamentals
  - Capacity Markets
  - Electricity Demand
  - Electricity Market Expansion and New Arrangements
- Other Market Developments
  - Credit Trends and Events in the Markets
  - Other Fuels Markets
  - Natural Gas Trading



















