



Monthly Report

August 2006

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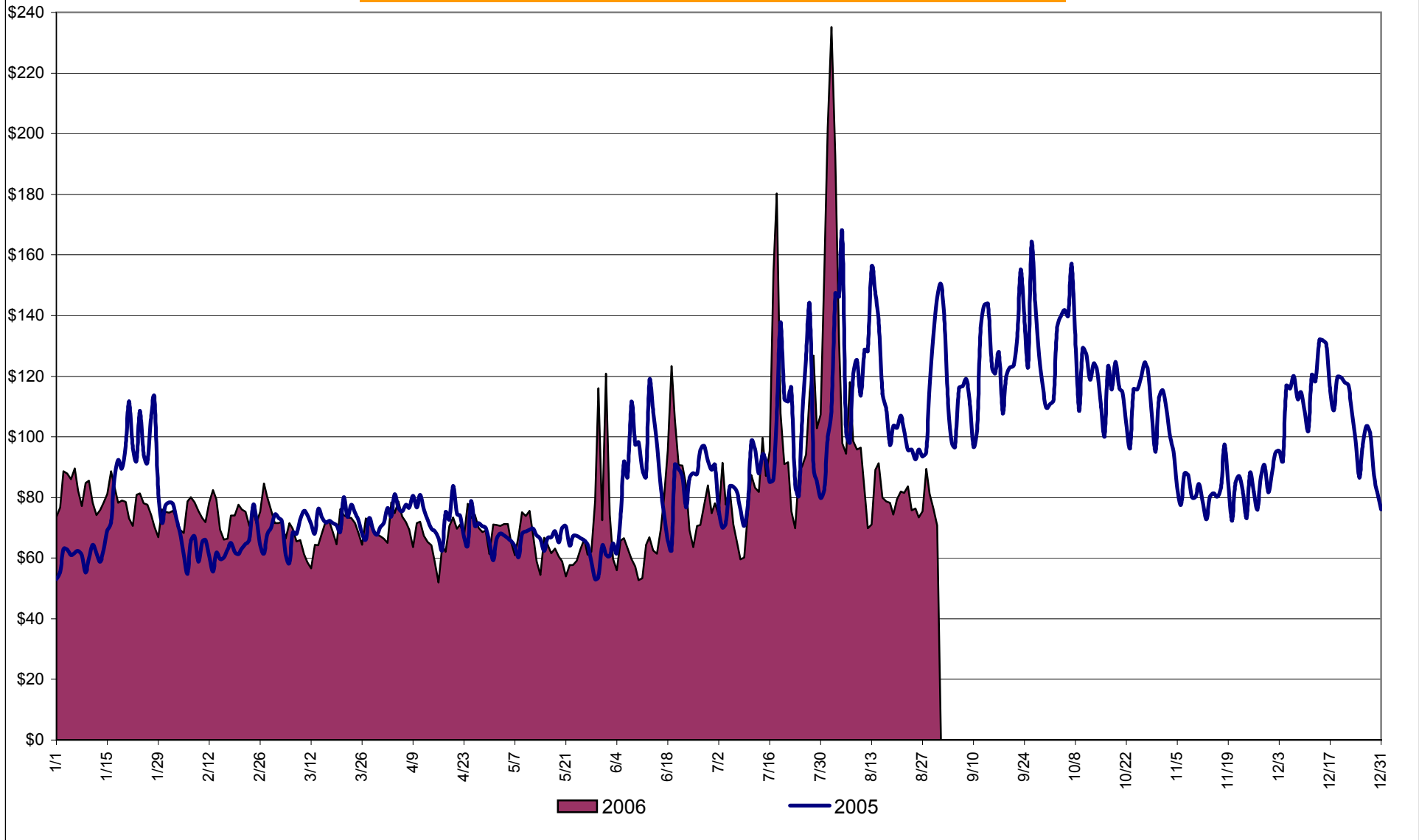
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Market Performance Highlights for August 2006

- A new NYISO peak load of 33,939 MW was set on 2 August 2006, passing a record of 33,879 MW set on 1 August 2006.
- LBMP for August is \$101.33/MWh, up from \$93.41/MWh in July.
 - Average monthly cost is \$105.42/MWh, up from \$97.90/MWh in July.
 - Day Ahead and Real Time LBMPs have increased from July.
- Fuel prices are all up this month.
 - Kerosene is \$16.26/mmBTU, up from \$16.20/mmBTU in July
 - No. 2 Fuel Oil is \$14.12/mmBTU, up from \$13.74/mmBTU in July
 - No. 6 Fuel Oil is \$9.18/mmBTU, up from \$8.73/mmBTU in July
 - Natural Gas is \$7.86/mmBTU, up from \$6.99/mmBTU in July
- Uplift has decreased slightly this month relative to July 2006.
 - Uplift (not including NYISO cost of operations) is \$2.28/MWh, slightly down from \$2.42/MWh in July. The primary component is Balancing Residuals.
 - Total uplift (Schedule 1 components including NYISO Cost of Operations) decreased from \$54.2 million in July 2006 to \$46.7 million in August 2006.
- Price corrections have decreased relative to July.
- Average Real Time ten and thirty minute reserve prices have increased from July due to the record loads experienced in early August.

Daily NYISO Average Cost/MWh (Energy & Ancillary Services)*
2005 Annual Average \$93.89/MWh
August 2005 YTD Average \$85.52/MWh
August 2006 YTD Average \$82.10/MWh



* Excludes ICAP payments.

NYISO Average Cost/MWh (Energy and Ancillary Services) *
from the LBMP Customer point of view

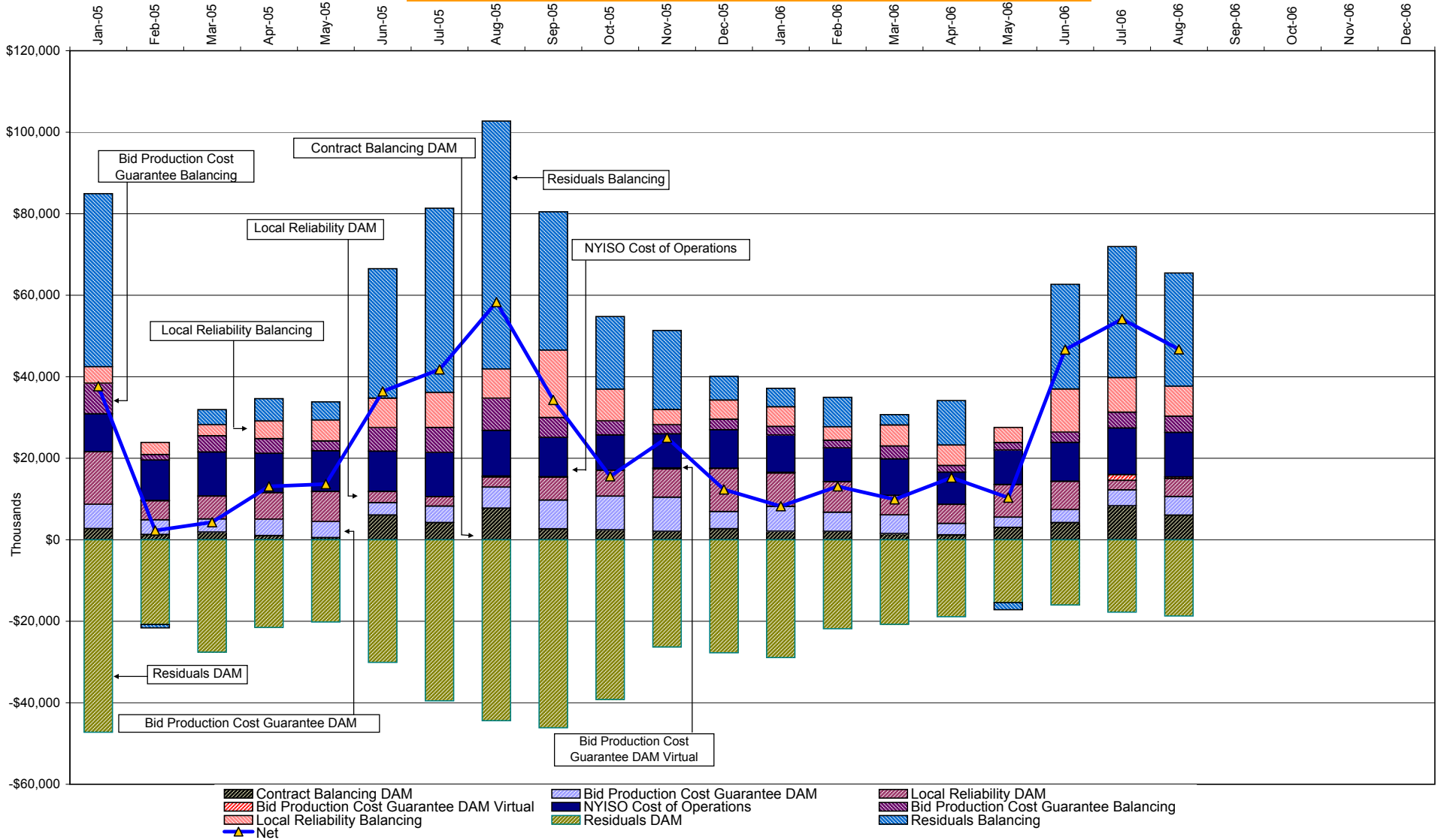
2006	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
LBMP	77.14	71.85	66.52	66.24	65.54	71.93	93.41	101.33				
NTAC	0.47	0.90	0.43	0.54	0.64	0.69	0.47	0.39				
Reserve	0.35	0.30	0.29	0.35	0.16	0.22	0.30	0.13				
Regulation	0.56	0.68	0.69	0.48	0.42	0.39	0.30	0.28				
NYISO Cost of Operations	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64				
Uplift	(0.07)	0.37	0.09	0.63	0.14	2.60	2.42	2.28				
Voltage Support and Black Start	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.36</u>				
Avg Monthly Cost	79.46	75.10	69.02	69.24	67.90	76.84	97.90	105.42				
Avg YTD Cost	79.46	77.39	74.49	73.24	72.19	73.06	77.89	82.10				

2005	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
LBMP	75.70	64.03	69.95	71.28	63.13	84.83	92.42	115.19	122.40	118.56	82.00	106.11
NTAC	0.42	0.36	0.23	0.49	0.40	0.58	0.46	0.25	0.10	0.03	0.39	0.64
Reserve	0.24	0.08	0.17	0.21	0.20	(0.01)	0.11	0.02	0.31	0.54	0.34	0.38
Regulation	0.32	0.40	0.34	0.22	0.25	0.20	0.15	0.06	0.41	0.64	0.70	0.53
NYISO Cost of Operations	0.63	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63
Uplift	1.99	(0.59)	(0.47)	0.29	0.30	1.85	1.95	2.76	1.68	0.52	1.26	0.17
Voltage Support and Black Start	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.39</u>
Avg Monthly Cost	79.70	65.45	71.38	73.67	65.46	88.48	96.09	119.29	125.93	121.32	85.72	108.85
Avg YTD Cost	79.70	73.25	72.61	72.86	71.56	74.91	78.90	85.52	90.31	93.10	92.53	93.89

* Excludes ICAP payments.

These numbers reflect the rebilling of prior periods.

NYISO Dollar Flows - Uplift - OATT Schedule 1 components



DAM Contract Balancing amounts are for payments made to generating units to make them whole for being dispatched below their Day-Ahead schedule, as a result of out-of-merit dispatches.
 DAM Bid Production Cost Guarantees for Virtual Transactions are included in the chart and are shown from the inception of Virtual Transactions. These values are small and cannot be identified on the chart.
 DAM residuals are revenue charged or returned to customers due to the under or over collection of funds.

NYISO Markets Transactions

<u>2006</u>	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
Day Ahead Market MWh	13,877,416	12,532,754	13,392,627	11,860,369	12,637,299	14,251,897	17,302,066	16,604,505				
DAM LSE Internal LBMP Energy Sales	46%	47%	48%	50%	46%	48%	51%	50%				
DAM External TC LBMP Energy Sales	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	5%	5%				
DAM Bilateral - Internal Bilaterals	47%	47%	45%	45%	47%	45%	41%	42%				
DAM Bilateral - Import/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%				
DAM Bilateral - Export/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%				
DAM Bilateral - Wheel Through Bilaterals	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%				
Balancing Energy Market MWh	300,904	322,333	558,199	396,791	486,316	575,072	471,866	339,367				
Balancing Energy LSE Internal LBMP Energy Sales	3%	22%	31%	26%	45%	34%	49%	38%				
Balancing Energy External TC LBMP Energy Sales	86%	74%	66%	68%	48%	58%	62%	63%				
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Internal Bilaterals	5%	2%	2%	2%	2%	5%	1%	2%				
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Import/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	2%	1%	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%				
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Export/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	-12%	1%				
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Wheel Through Bilaterals	4%	1%	0%	3%	2%	3%	0%	-3%				
Transactions Summary												
LBMP	51%	50%	52%	53%	51%	53%	57%	56%				
Internal Bilaterals	46%	46%	43%	43%	45%	44%	40%	42%				
Import Bilaterals	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%				
Export Bilaterals	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%				
Wheels Through	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%				
Market Share of Total Load												
Day Ahead Market	97.9%	97.5%	96.0%	96.8%	96.3%	96.1%	97.3%	98.0%				
Balancing Energy †	2.1%	2.5%	4.0%	3.2%	3.7%	3.9%	2.7%	2.0%				
Total MWh	14,178,320	12,855,086	13,950,825	12,257,160	13,123,615	14,826,969	17,773,932	16,943,872				
Average Daily Energy Sendout/Month GWh	439	444	428	395	407	471	528	518				
2005	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
Day Ahead Market MWh	14,281,481	12,510,148	13,410,579	12,215,628	12,773,478	14,981,363	16,344,465	16,587,663	14,706,243	13,309,658	12,893,992	14,418,648
DAM LSE Internal LBMP Energy Sales	48%	49%	52%	52%	45%	50%	53%	52%	49%	46%	45%	46%
DAM External TC LBMP Energy Sales	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%	3%	4%	6%	4%	4%	5%
DAM Bilateral - Internal Bilaterals	47%	48%	45%	44%	50%	44%	42%	42%	43%	47%	48%	46%
DAM Bilateral - Import/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
DAM Bilateral - Export/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
DAM Bilateral - Wheel Through Bilaterals	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Balancing Energy Market MWh	414,096	123,162	329,431	58,175	-101,200	582,604	796,586	1,107,346	544,610	384,383	365,677	515,733
Balancing Energy LSE Internal LBMP Energy Sales	77%	-39%	22%	-336%	-307%	46%	73%	73%	33%	4%	-15%	41%
Balancing Energy External TC LBMP Energy Sales	43%	161%	77%	463%	208%	45%	23%	21%	51%	93%	100%	49%
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Internal Bilaterals	-13%	-9%	7%	-27%	5%	5%	6%	6%	13%	4%	13%	11%
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Import/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Export/Non-LBMP Market Bilaterals	1%	0%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
Balancing Energy Bilateral - Wheel Through Bilaterals	-8%	-13%	-5%	-2%	-8%	3%	-2%	1%	3%	-1%	2%	-1%
Transactions Summary												
LBMP	53%	51%	54%	54%	47%	54%	58%	58%	56%	52%	50%	52%
Internal Bilaterals	45%	47%	44%	44%	50%	43%	40%	39%	42%	45%	47%	45%
Import Bilaterals	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
Export Bilaterals	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Wheels Through	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Market Share of Total Load												
Day Ahead Market	97.2%	99.0%	97.6%	99.5%	100.8%	96.3%	95.4%	93.7%	96.4%	97.2%	97.2%	96.5%
Balancing Energy †	2.8%	1.0%	2.4%	0.5%	-0.8% *	3.7%	4.6%	6.3%	3.6%	2.8%	2.8%	3.5%
Total MWh	14,695,577	12,633,310	13,740,011	12,273,803	12,672,278	15,563,968	17,141,051	17,695,009	15,250,854	13,694,041	13,259,669	14,934,381
Average Daily Energy Sendout/Month GWh	462	447	433	399	395	501	536	549	478	418	419	454

† Balancing Energy: Load(MW) purchased at Real Time LBMP.

* The signs for the detail section intuitively reflect the direction of power flow eliminating the use of double negatives when Balancing Energy is negative.

Notes: Percent totals may not equal 100% due to rounding.
Virtual Transactions are not reflected in this chart.

NYISO Markets 2006 Energy Statistics

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<u>DAY AHEAD LBMP</u>												
Price *	\$73.28	\$68.90	\$64.31	\$63.21	\$59.31	\$64.40	\$83.27	\$88.13				
Standard Deviation	\$15.03	\$12.95	\$11.95	\$13.28	\$13.70	\$22.66	\$40.24	\$50.58				
Load Weighted Price **	\$75.09	\$70.34	\$65.74	\$64.93	\$61.29	\$68.02	\$89.27	\$95.39				
<u>RTC *** LBMP</u>												
Price *	\$70.25	\$63.41	\$63.04	\$62.39	\$60.81	\$61.60	\$77.27	\$91.21				
Standard Deviation	\$26.63	\$15.86	\$20.50	\$18.82	\$37.26	\$39.82	\$56.30	\$107.73				
Load Weighted Price **	\$71.94	\$64.44	\$64.43	\$63.93	\$63.75	\$65.15	\$83.30	\$101.89				
<u>REAL TIME LBMP</u>												
Price *	\$70.91	\$63.96	\$63.66	\$62.35	\$63.29	\$61.23	\$78.58	\$89.95				
Standard Deviation	\$31.34	\$20.06	\$23.01	\$20.98	\$62.40	\$52.63	\$66.83	\$97.29				
Load Weighted Price **	\$73.18	\$65.38	\$65.38	\$64.13	\$68.66	\$66.47	\$86.37	\$102.03				
Average Daily Energy Sendout/Month GWh	439	444	428	395	407	471	528	518				

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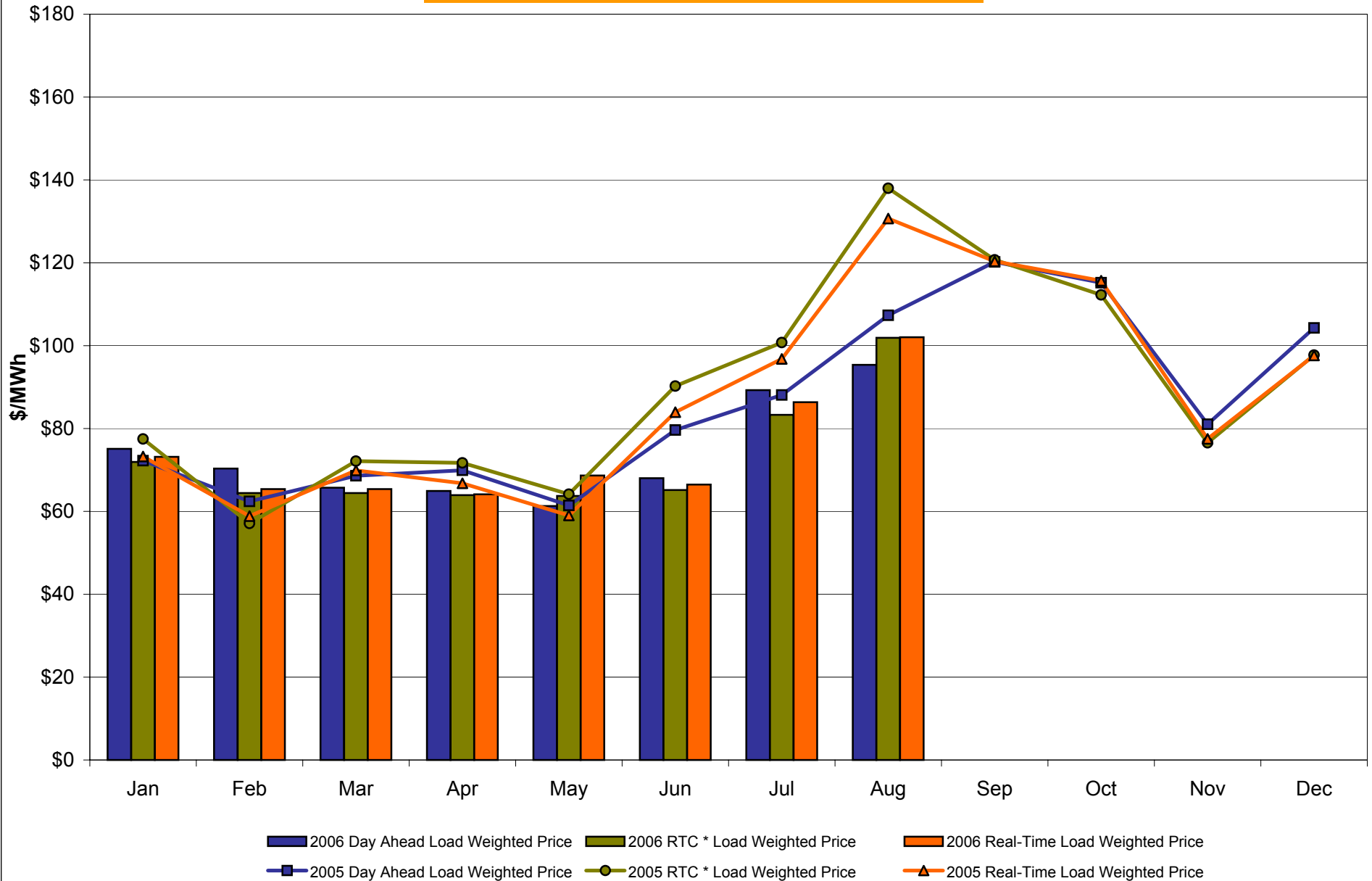
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<u>DAY AHEAD LBMP</u>												
Price *	\$69.55	\$61.04	\$67.17	\$68.14	\$59.59	\$75.49	\$83.75	\$102.33	\$115.47	\$110.99	\$78.56	\$101.24
Standard Deviation	\$23.42	\$12.00	\$12.49	\$14.20	\$13.39	\$22.85	\$24.32	\$31.65	\$32.31	\$28.39	\$21.07	\$26.32
Load Weighted Price **	\$72.26	\$62.42	\$68.61	\$69.92	\$61.44	\$79.64	\$88.09	\$107.34	\$120.22	\$115.20	\$81.05	\$104.27
<u>RTC *** LBMP</u>												
Price *	\$74.47	\$55.93	\$70.40	\$69.92	\$61.59	\$85.42	\$94.96	\$129.60	\$116.00	\$108.53	\$74.02	\$94.86
Standard Deviation	\$44.64	\$16.80	\$26.13	\$23.51	\$59.20	\$62.91	\$68.35	\$116.09	\$44.35	\$42.95	\$33.43	\$40.18
Load Weighted Price **	\$77.48	\$57.10	\$72.12	\$71.72	\$64.16	\$90.25	\$100.76	\$138.00	\$120.72	\$112.25	\$76.57	\$97.73
<u>REAL TIME LBMP</u>												
Price *	\$70.25	\$57.57	\$68.04	\$64.95	\$57.20	\$77.75	\$90.48	\$122.21	\$114.94	\$110.90	\$74.62	\$94.16
Standard Deviation	\$31.79	\$20.48	\$32.50	\$26.06	\$42.34	\$55.70	\$72.95	\$103.00	\$42.92	\$55.35	\$36.61	\$40.67
Load Weighted Price **	\$73.26	\$58.86	\$69.88	\$66.77	\$59.04	\$83.96	\$96.82	\$130.69	\$120.36	\$115.69	\$77.51	\$97.64
Average Daily Energy Sendout/Month GWh	462	447	433	399	395	501	536	549	478	418	419	454

* Average zonal load weighted prices.

** Average zonal load weighted prices, load weighted in each hour.

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NYISO Monthly Average Internal LBMPs 2005 - 2006



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August 2006 Zonal LBMP Statistics for NYISO (\$/MWh)

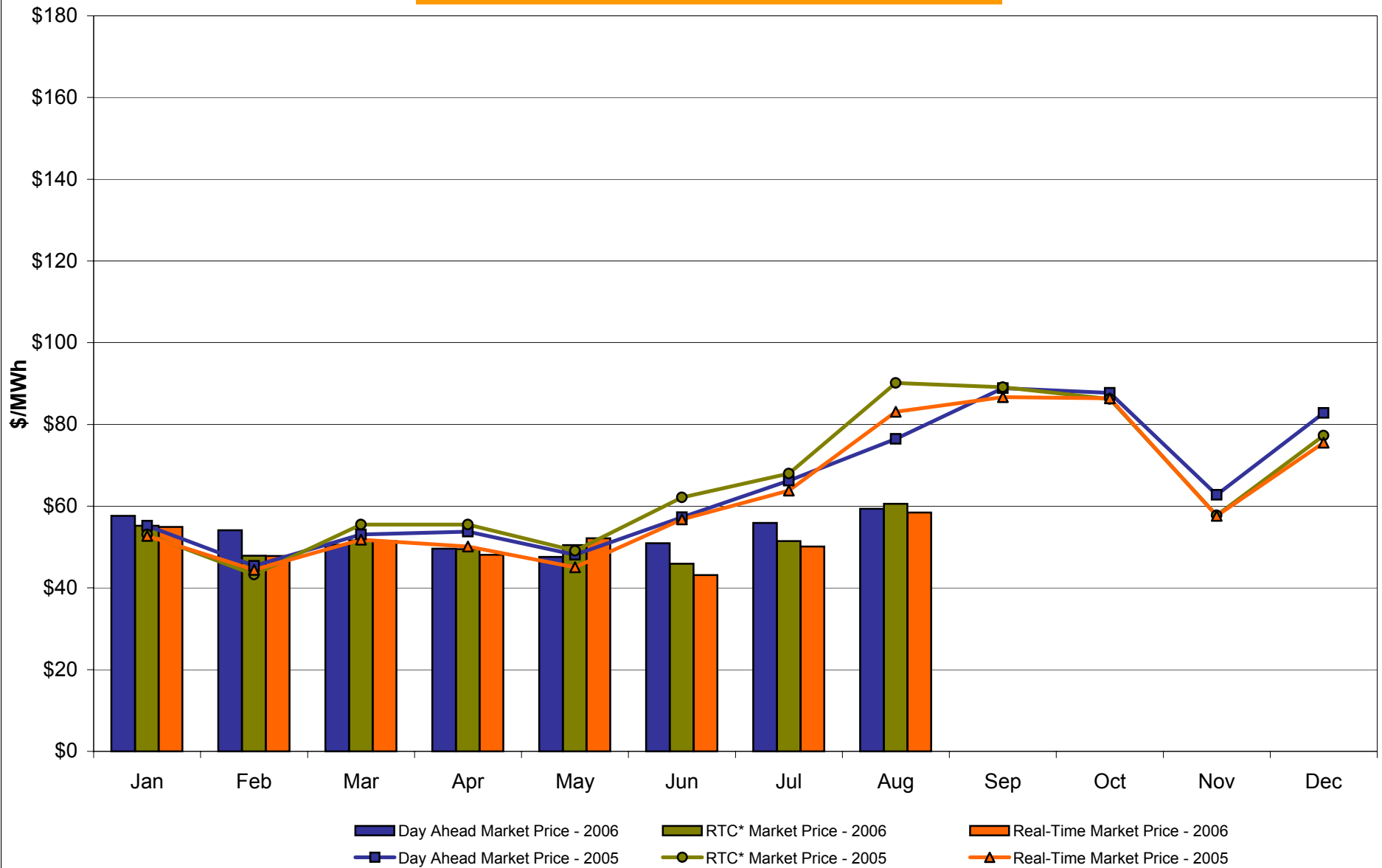
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<u>DAY AHEAD LBMP</u>											
Unweighted Price *	59.39	61.71	62.57	63.38	66.36	68.73	80.36	84.01	85.20	100.24	120.44
Standard Deviation	19.91	19.68	17.84	19.81	21.21	22.58	45.59	56.45	56.74	55.32	109.54
<u>RTC** LBMP</u>											
Unweighted Price *	60.60	63.07	63.47	64.13	66.20	68.46	83.66	87.62	89.03	99.27	136.23
Standard Deviation	66.05	68.72	62.70	66.85	67.39	70.39	108.03	123.72	125.55	124.70	185.25
<u>REAL TIME LBMP</u>											
Unweighted Price *	58.42	60.77	61.22	61.81	63.88	70.50	82.60	86.60	88.17	99.67	134.62
Standard Deviation	54.34	56.47	51.75	55.01	55.58	73.56	100.33	116.38	118.19	117.43	169.00
	<u>ONTARIO IESO Zone O</u>	<u>HYDRO QUEBEC Zone M</u>	<u>PJM Zone P</u>	<u>NEW ENGLAND Zone N</u>	<u>CROSS SOUND CABLE Controllable Line</u>						
<u>DAY AHEAD LBMP</u>											
Unweighted Price *	57.99	62.52	63.90	73.34	119.81						
Standard Deviation	19.40	17.21	29.86	31.06	109.03						
<u>RTC** LBMP</u>											
Unweighted Price *	58.18	50.47	73.39	70.93	134.45						
Standard Deviation	66.02	111.27	79.29	54.90	181.47						
<u>REAL TIME LBMP</u>											
Unweighted Price *	56.66	59.56	71.35	70.70	133.39						
Standard Deviation	69.39	45.73	75.79	57.21	170.01						

* Straight zonal LBMP averages

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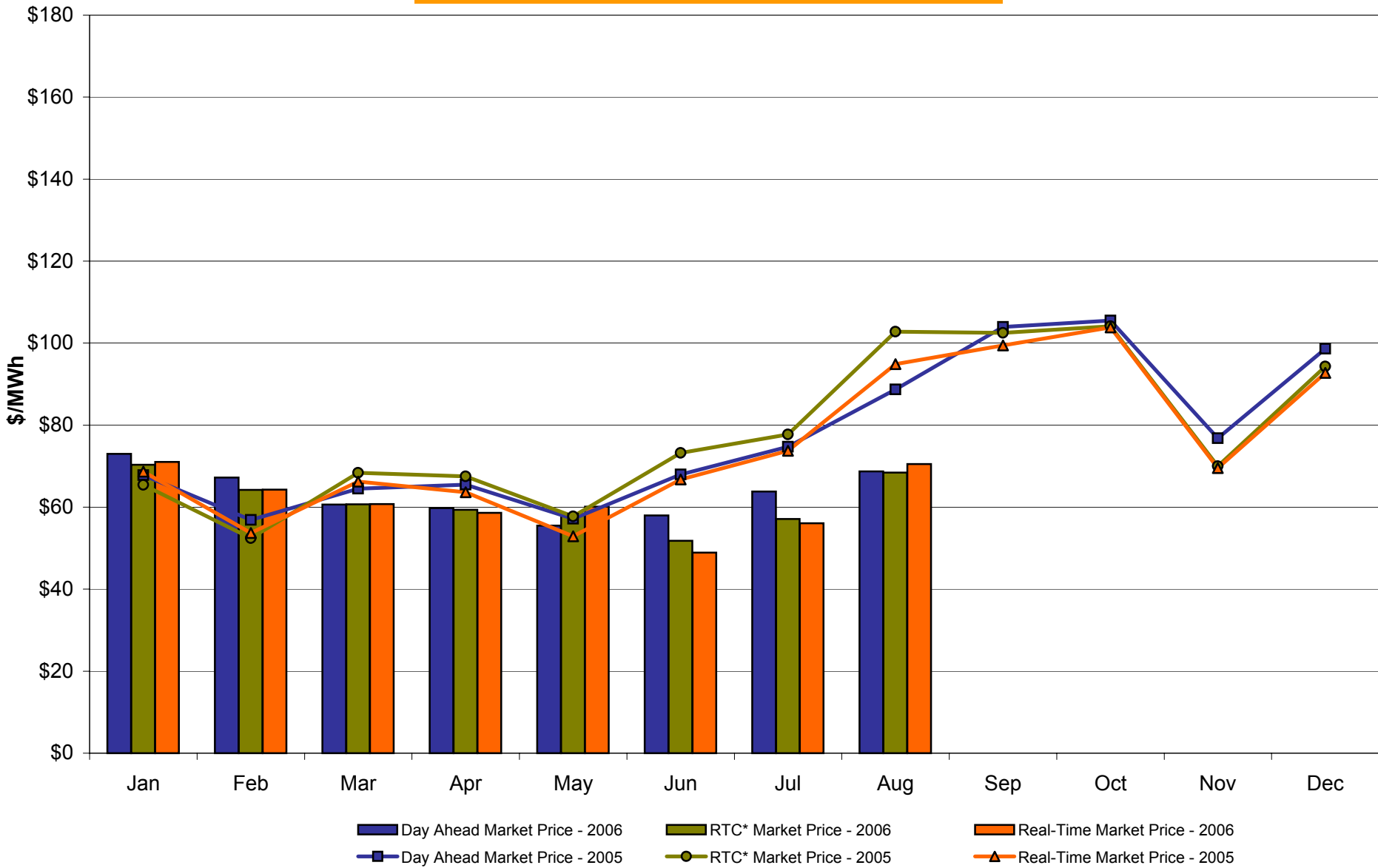
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West Zone A Monthly Average LBMP Prices 2005 - 2006



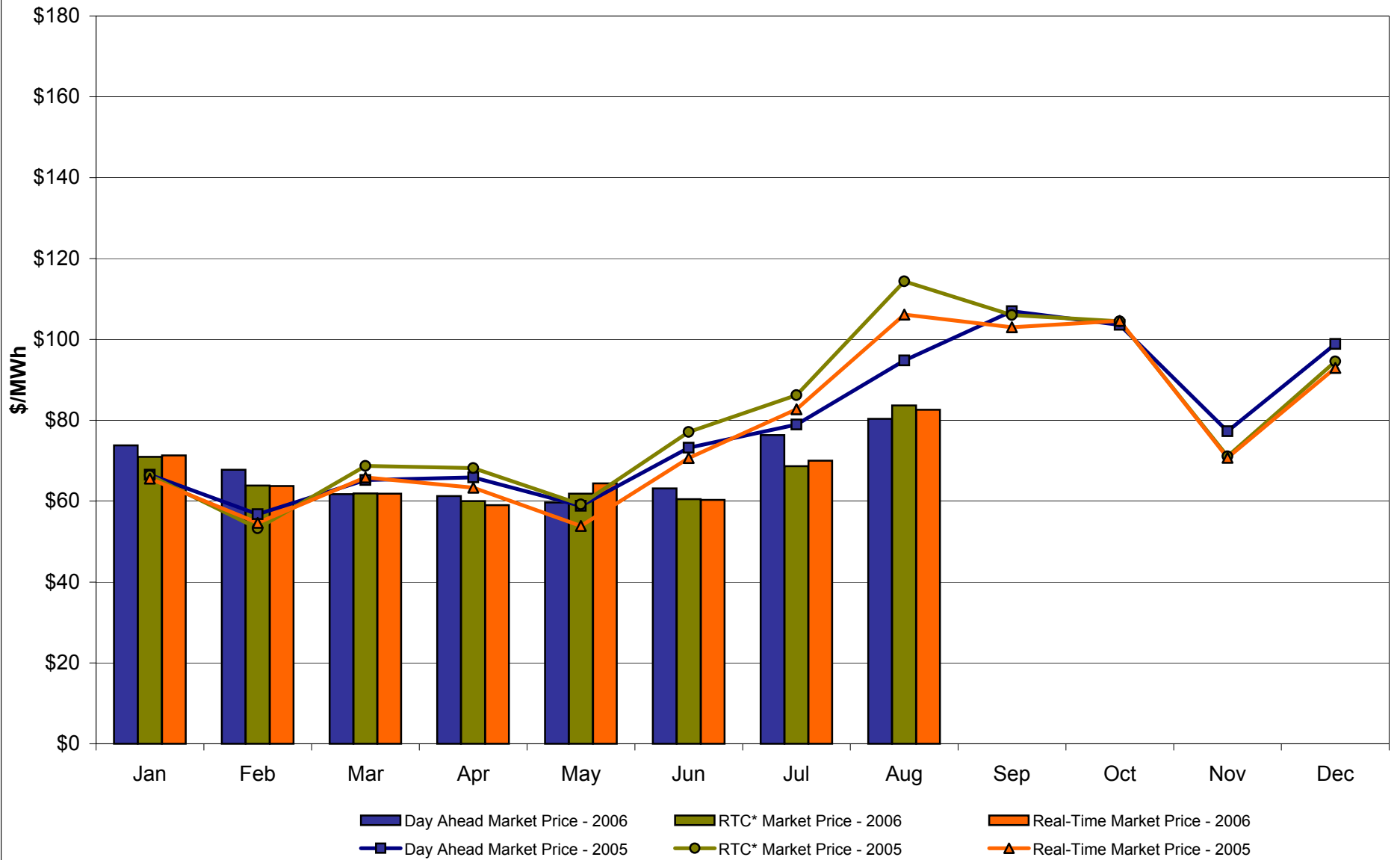
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Capital Zone F Monthly Average LBMP Prices 2005 - 2006



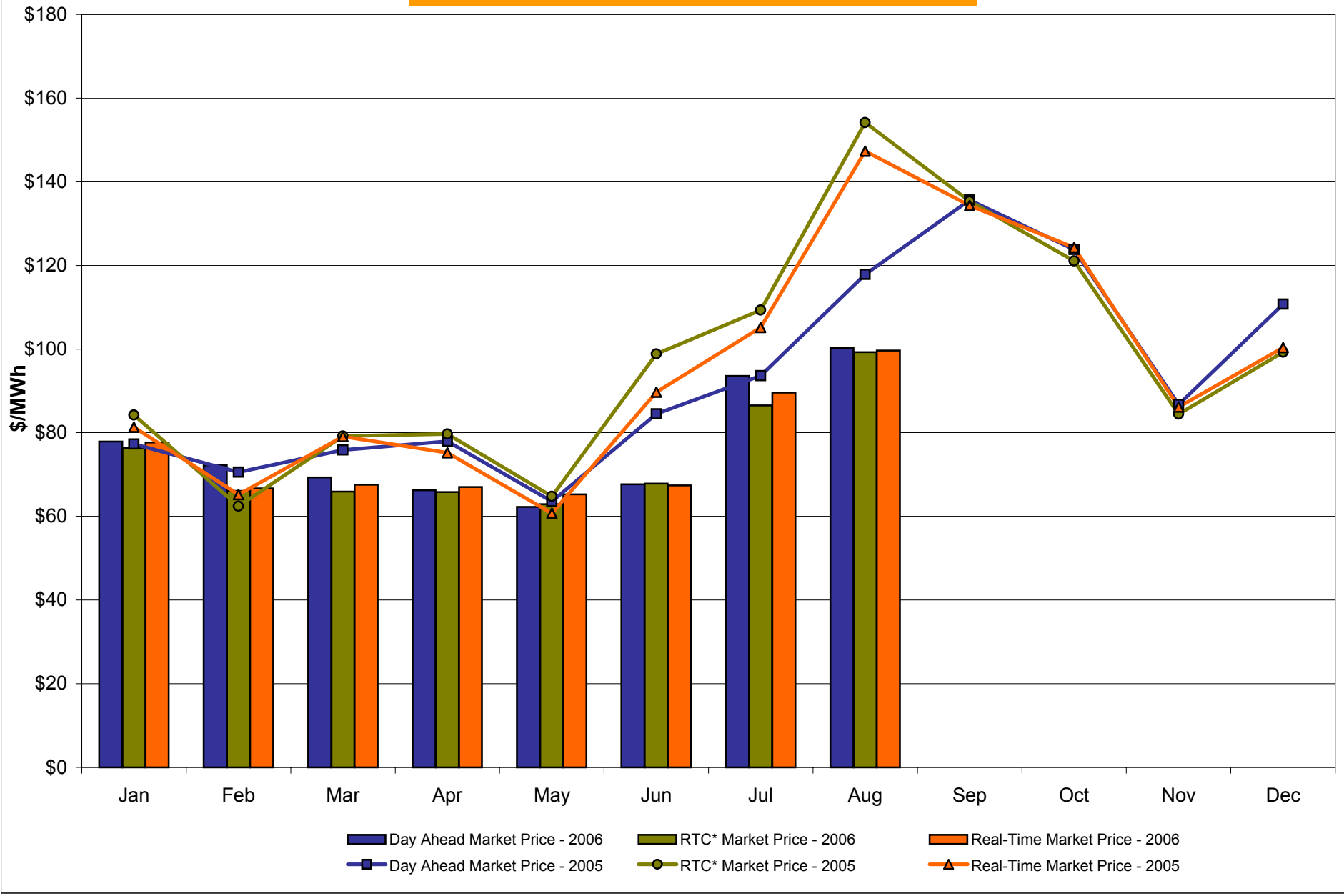
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Hudson Valley Zone G Monthly Average LBMP Prices 2005 - 2006



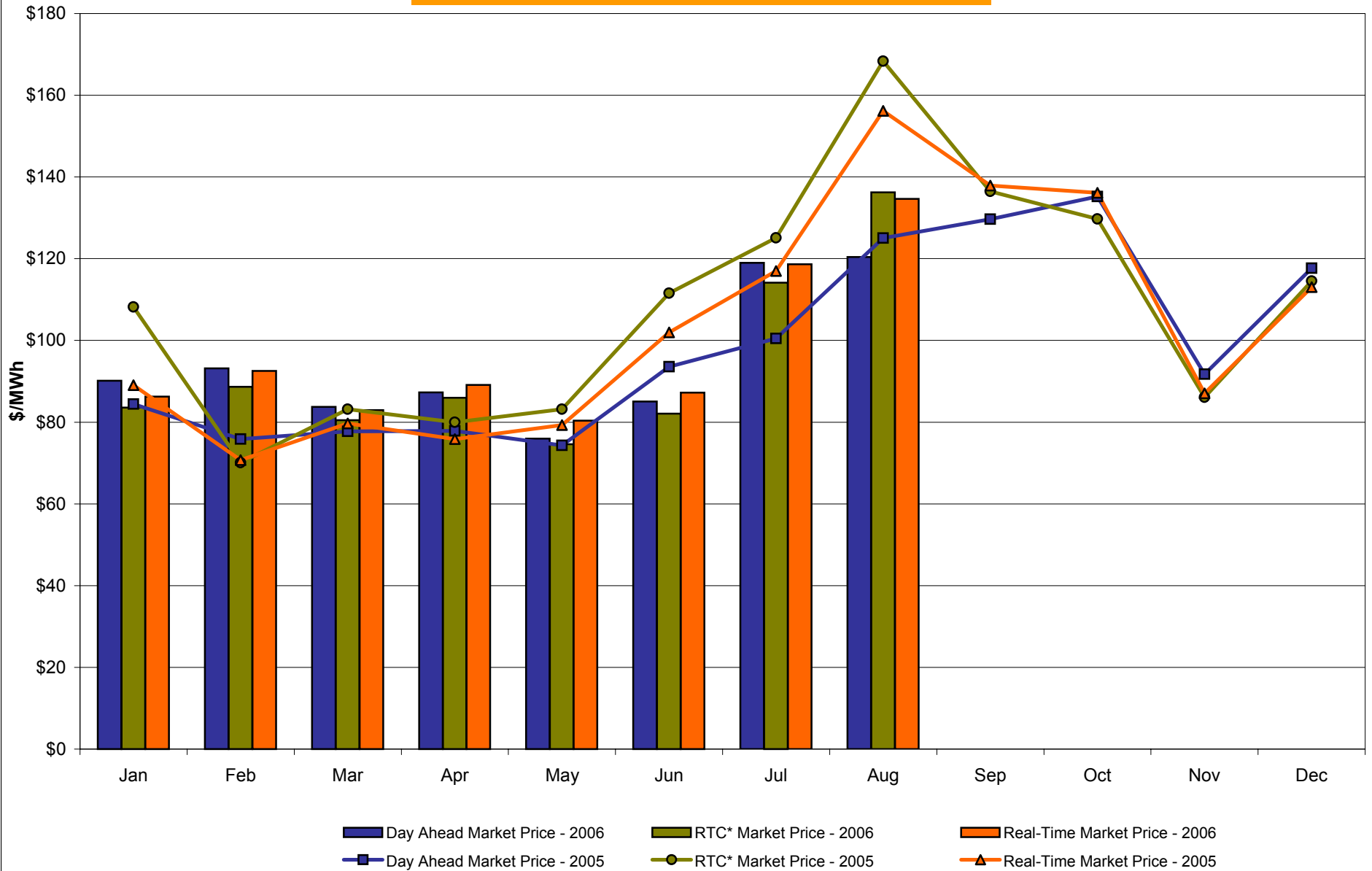
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NYC Zone J Monthly Average LBMP Prices 2005 - 2006



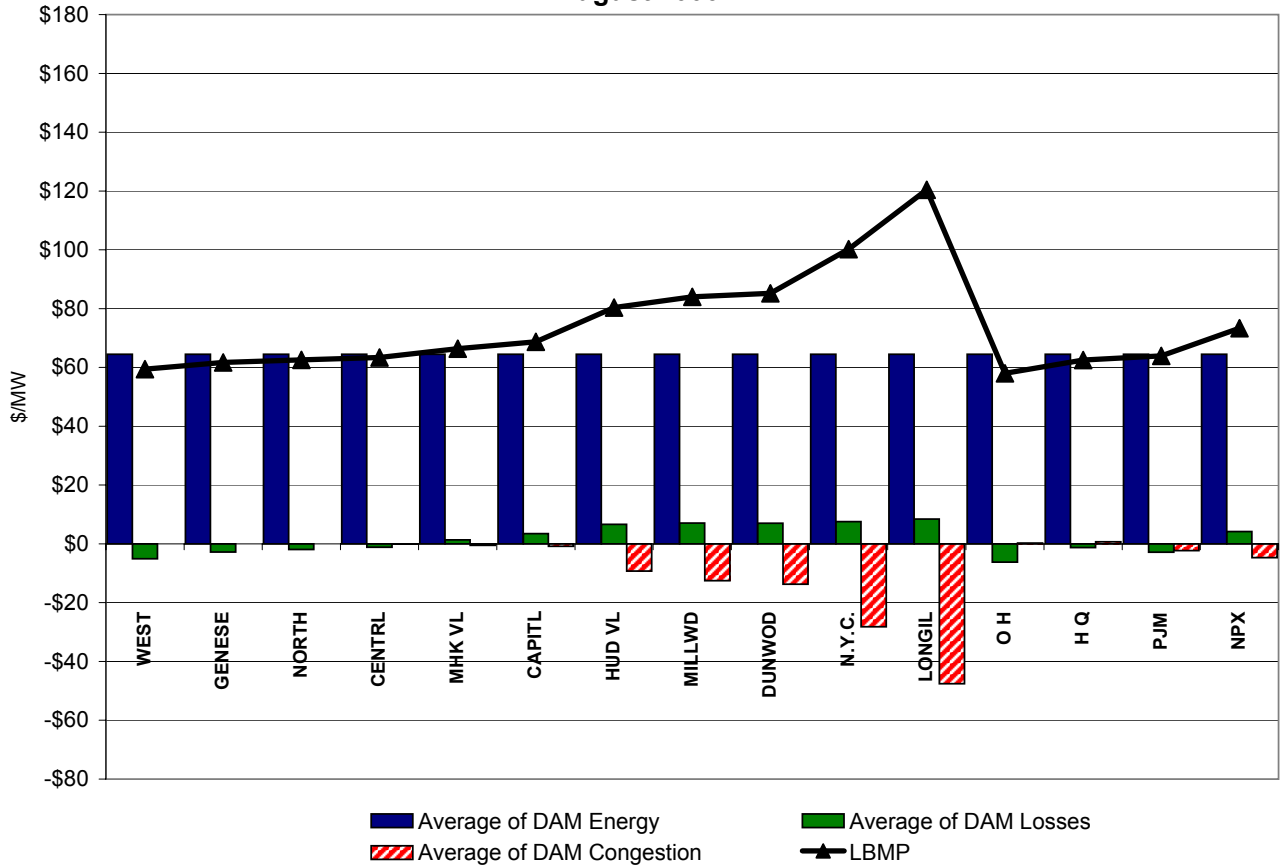
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Long Island Zone K Monthly Average LBMP Prices 2005 - 2006

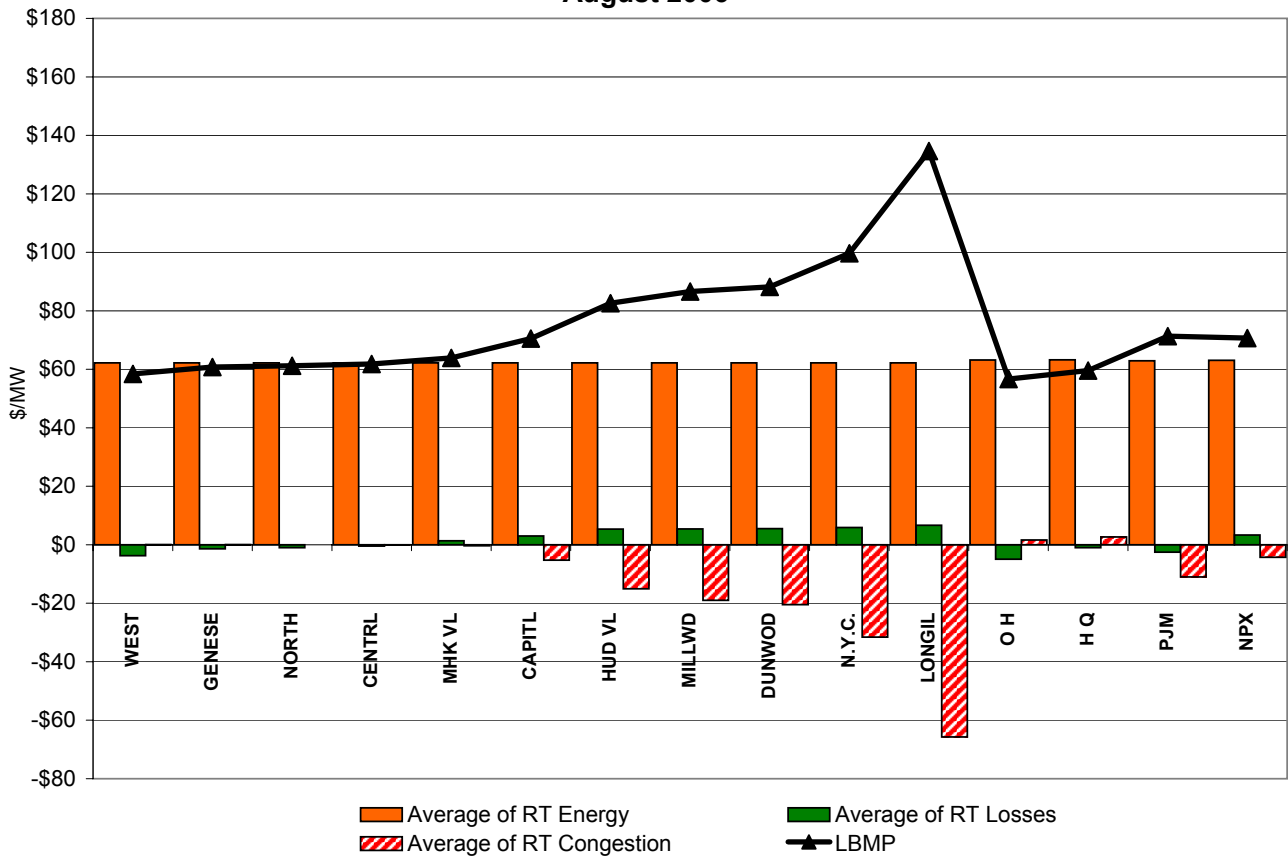


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**DAM Zonal Unweighted Monthly Average LBMP Components
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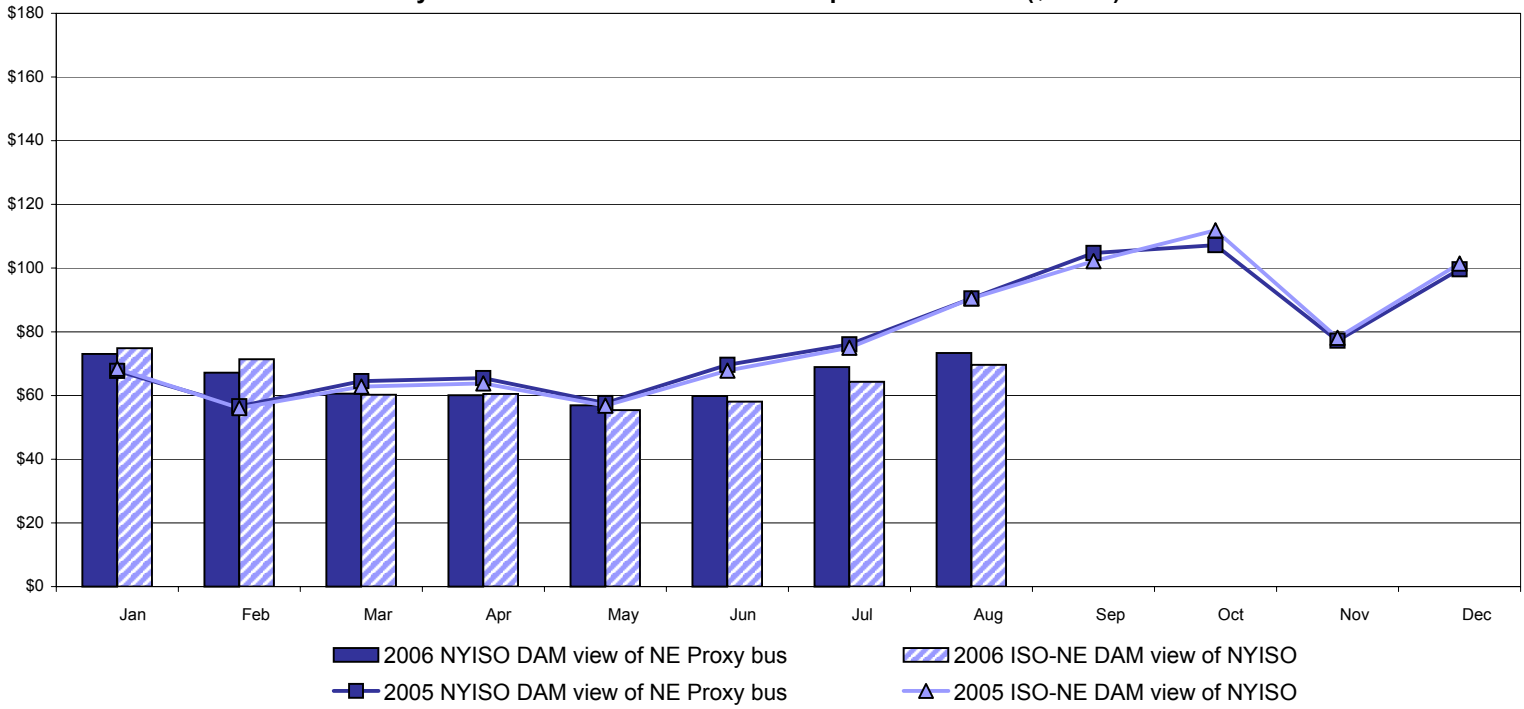


**RT Zonal Unweighted Monthly Average LBMP Components
August 2006**

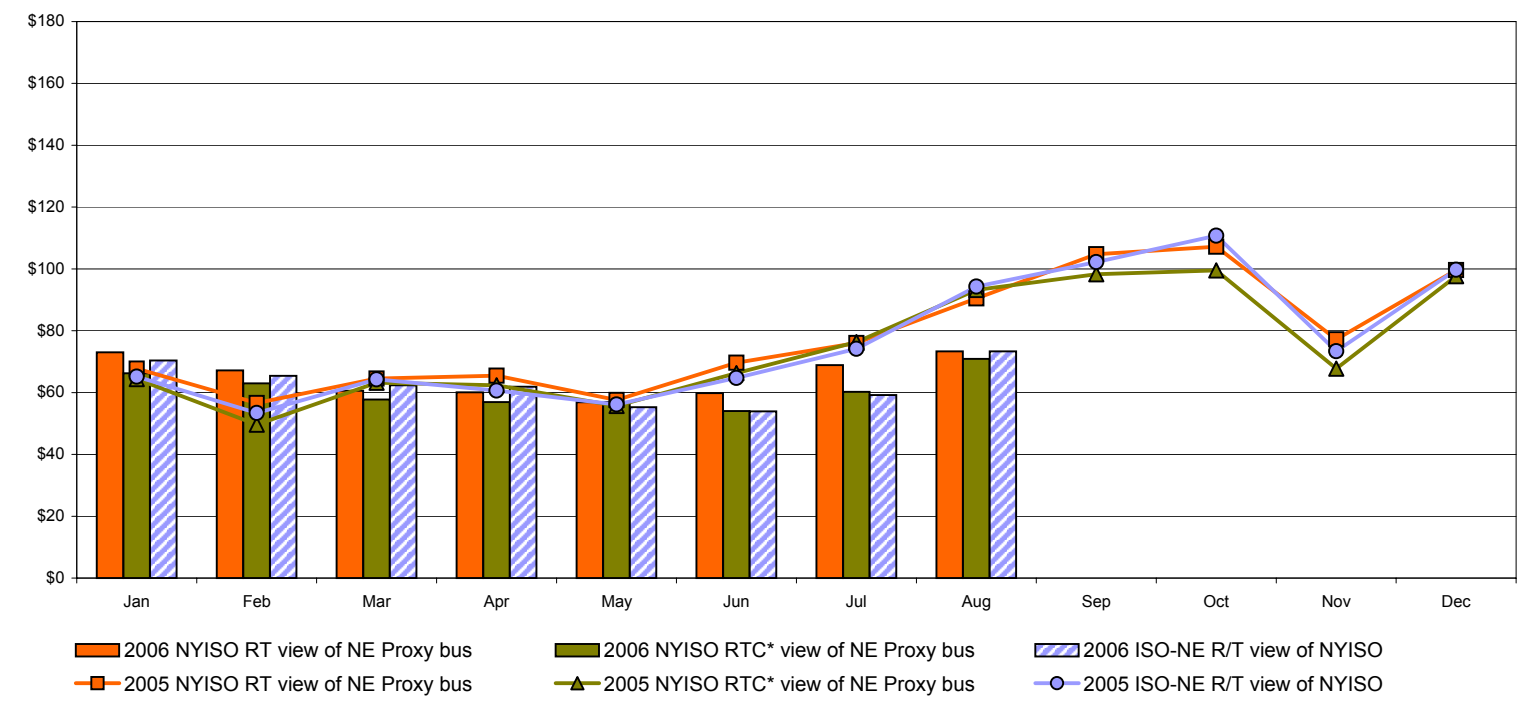


External Comparison ISO-New England

Day Ahead Market External Zone Comparison: ISO-NE (\$/MWh)



Real Time Market External Zone Comparison: ISO-NE (\$/MWh)

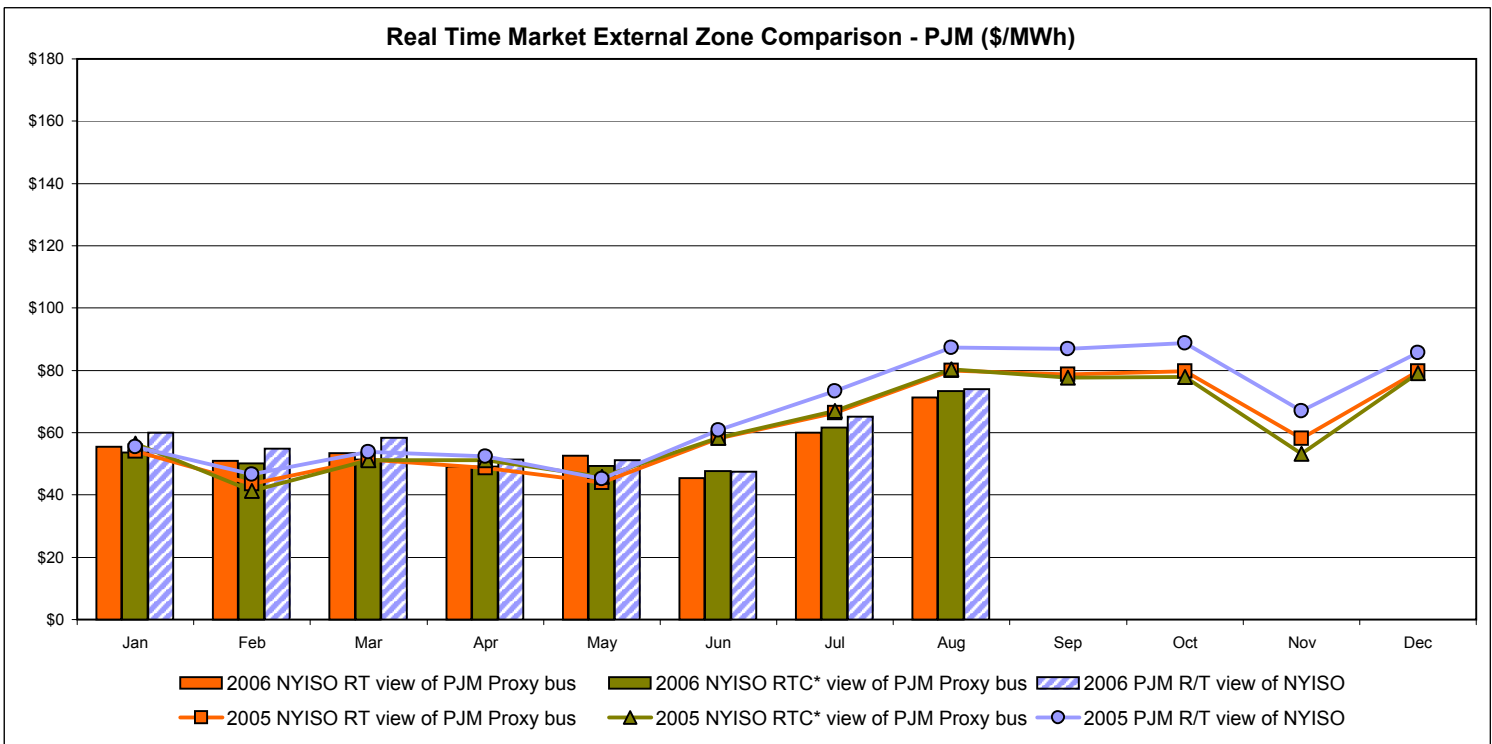
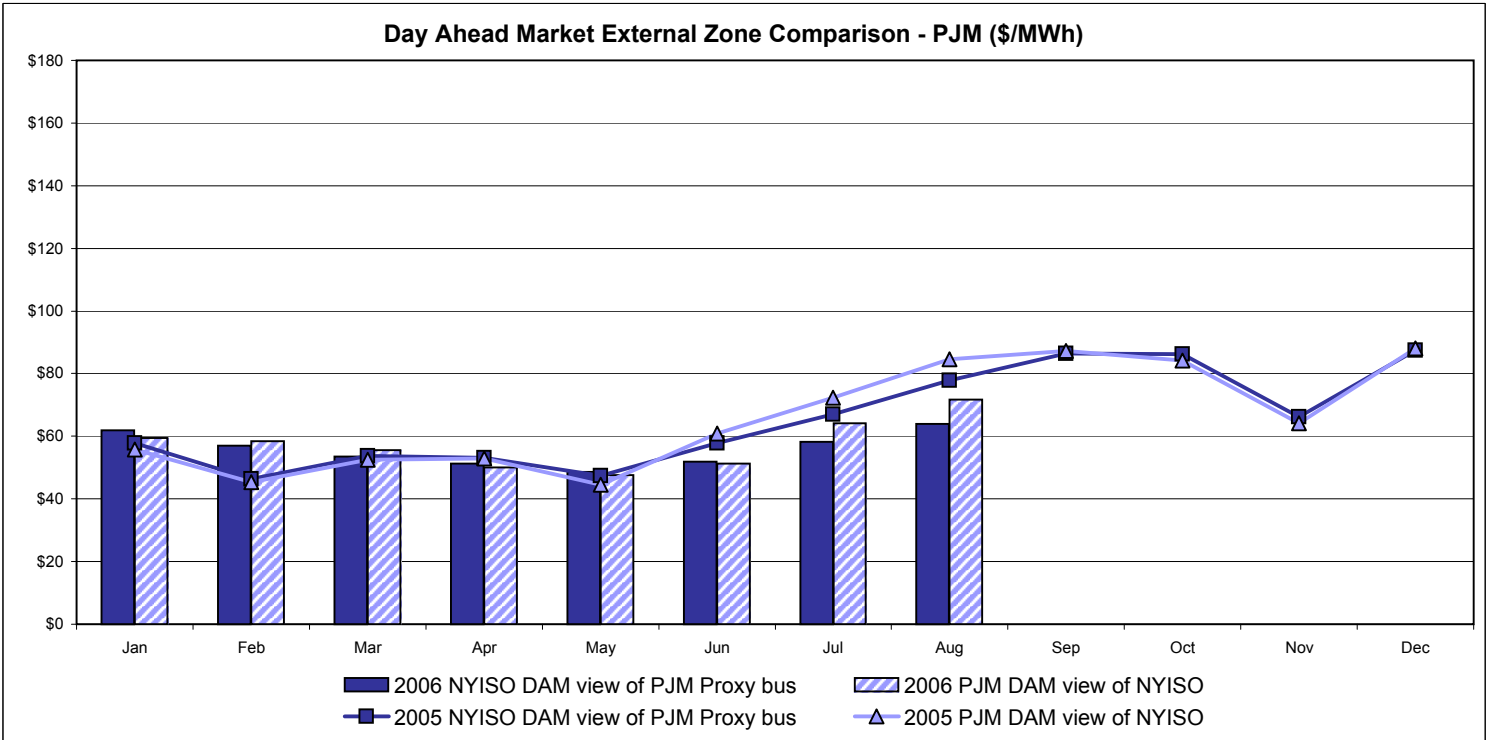


Note:

ISO-NE Forecast is an advisory posting @ 18:00 day before.
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 The DAM and R/T prices at the SandyPond interface are used for NYISO.

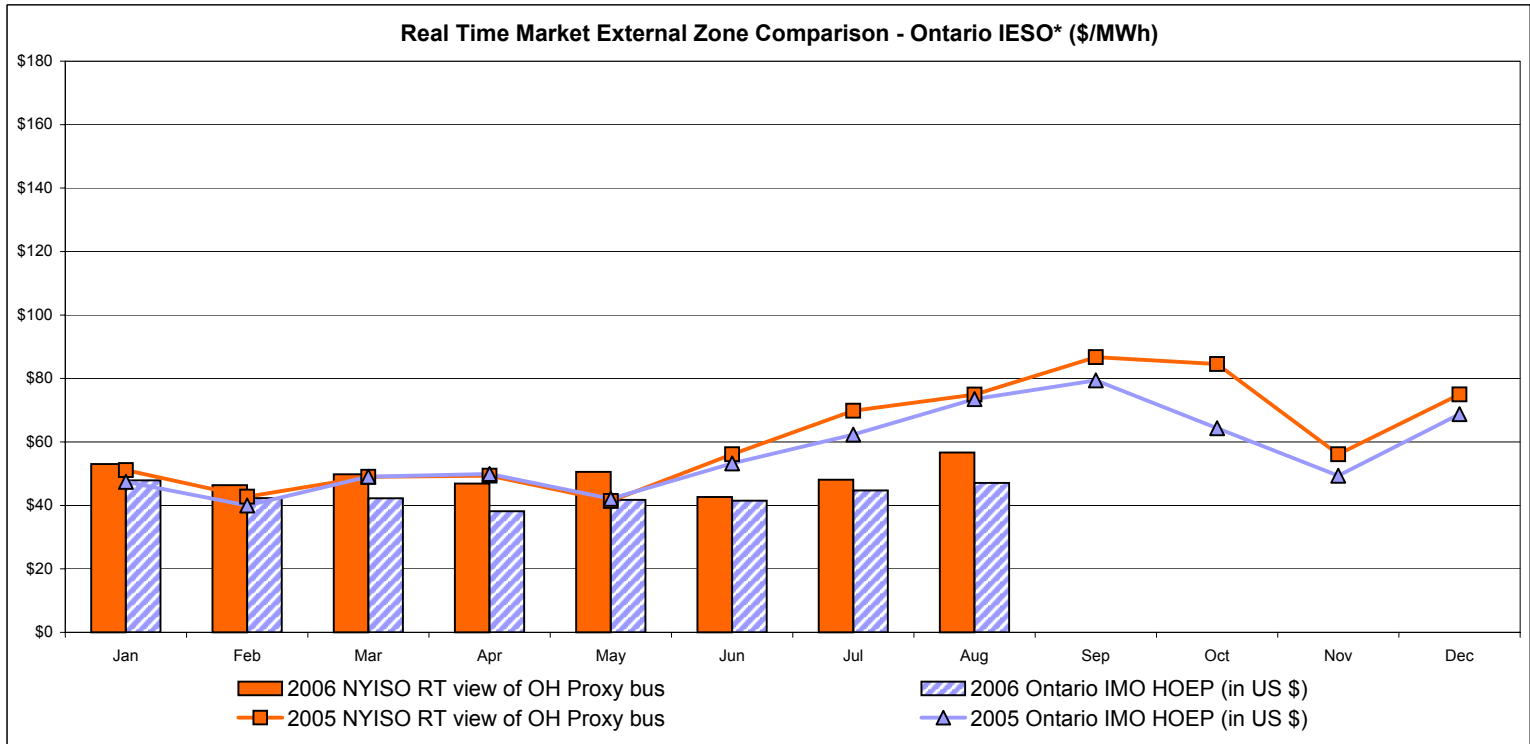
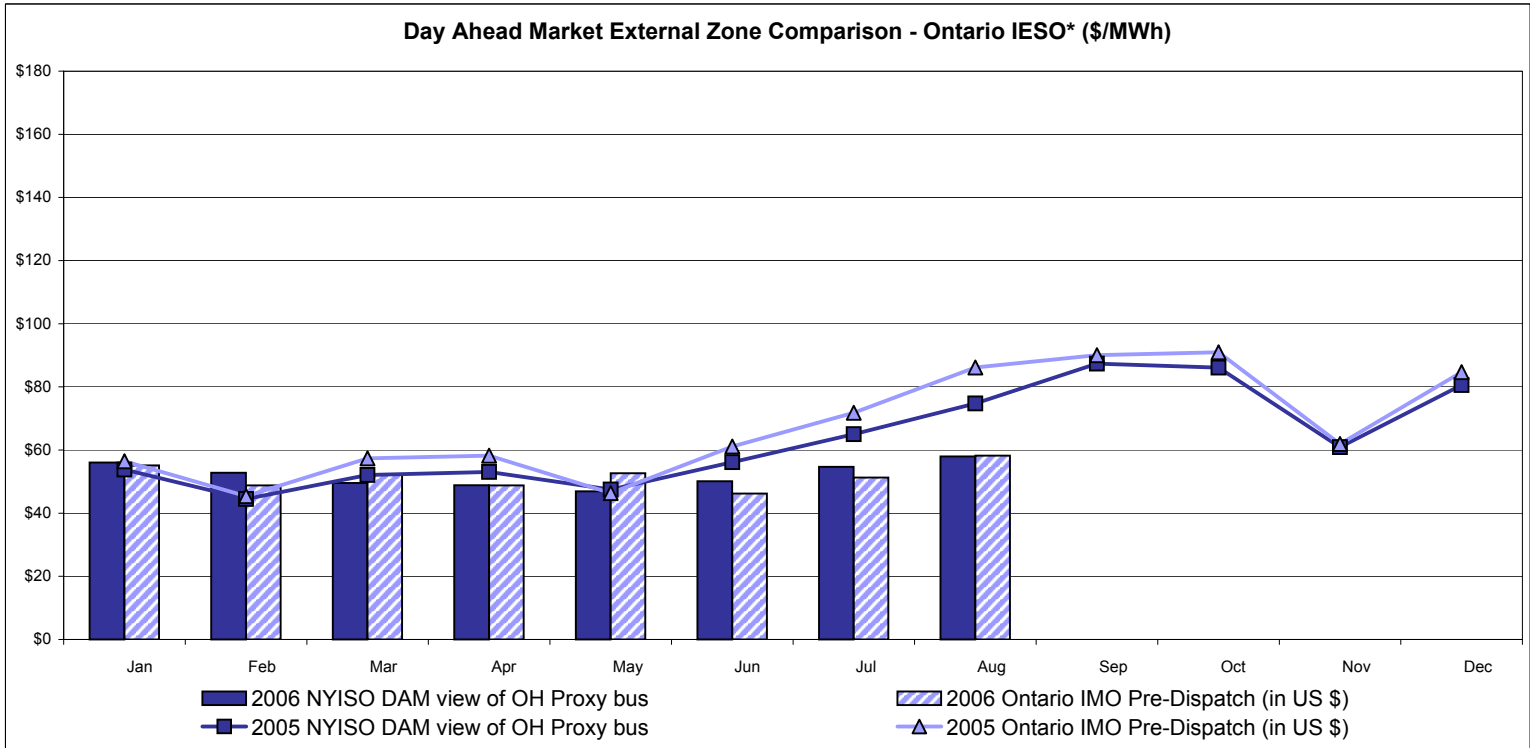
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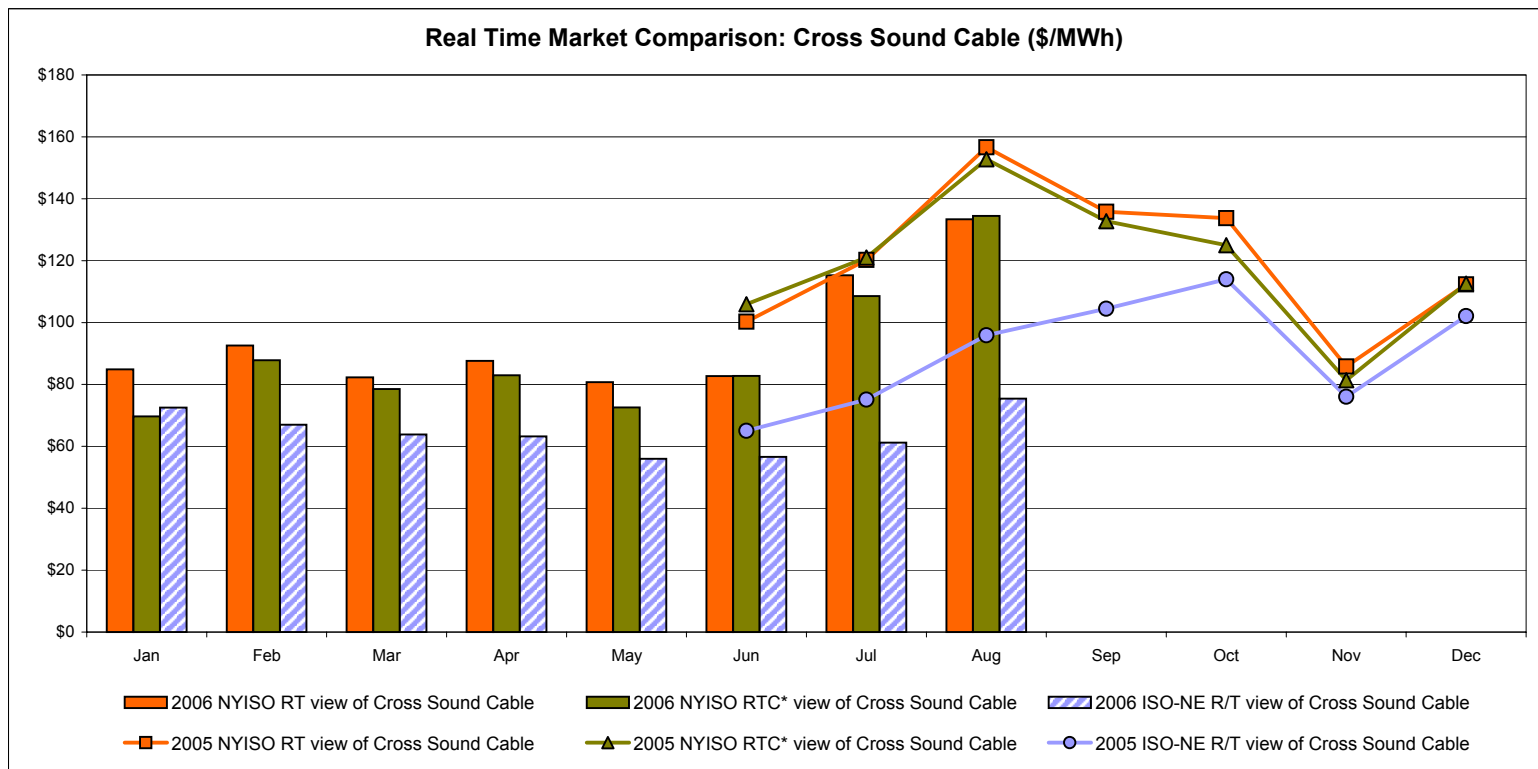
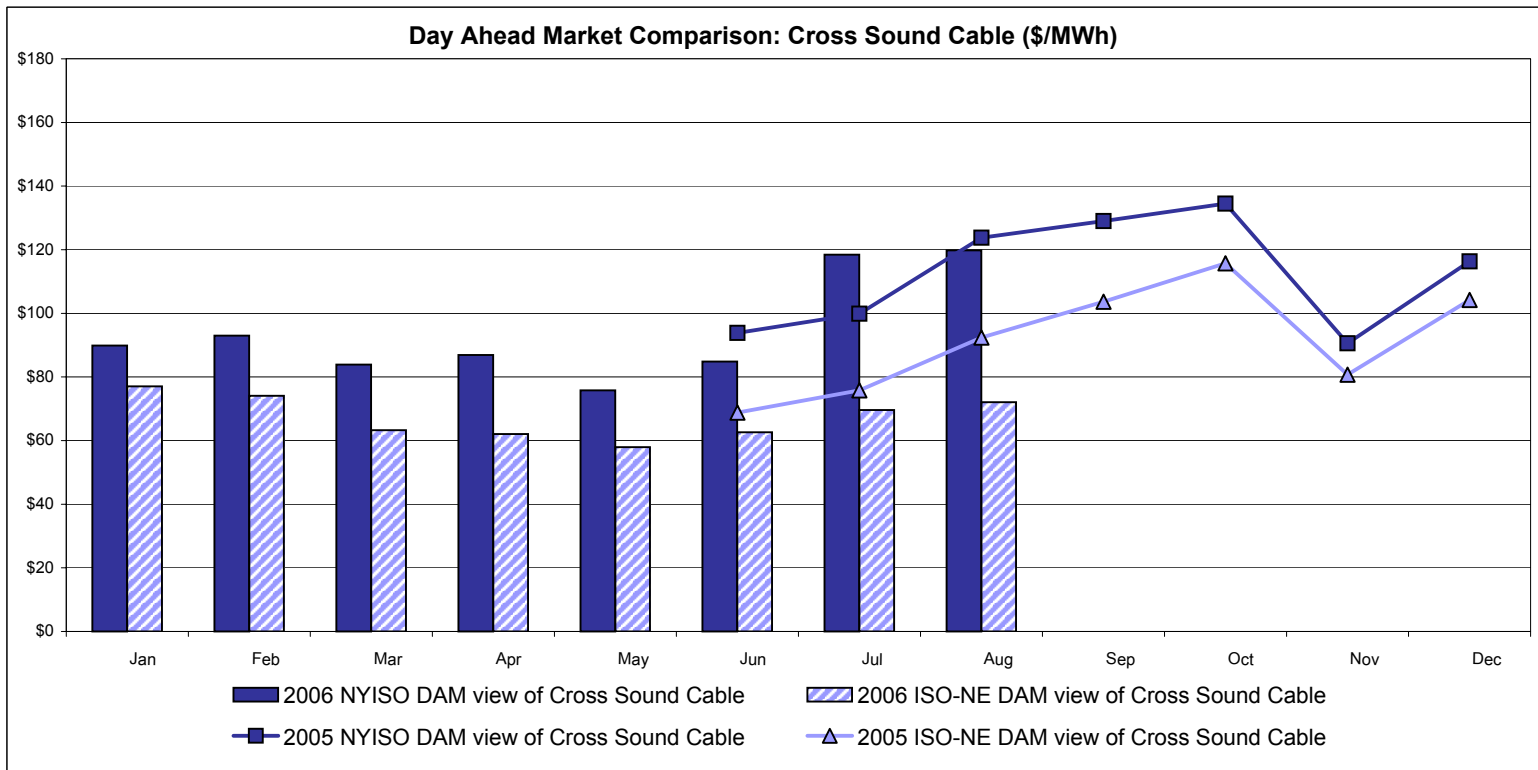
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Notes: Exchange factor used for August 2006 was .89 to US \$
 HOEP: Hourly Ontario Energy Price
 Pre-Dispatch: Projected Energy Price

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Note:

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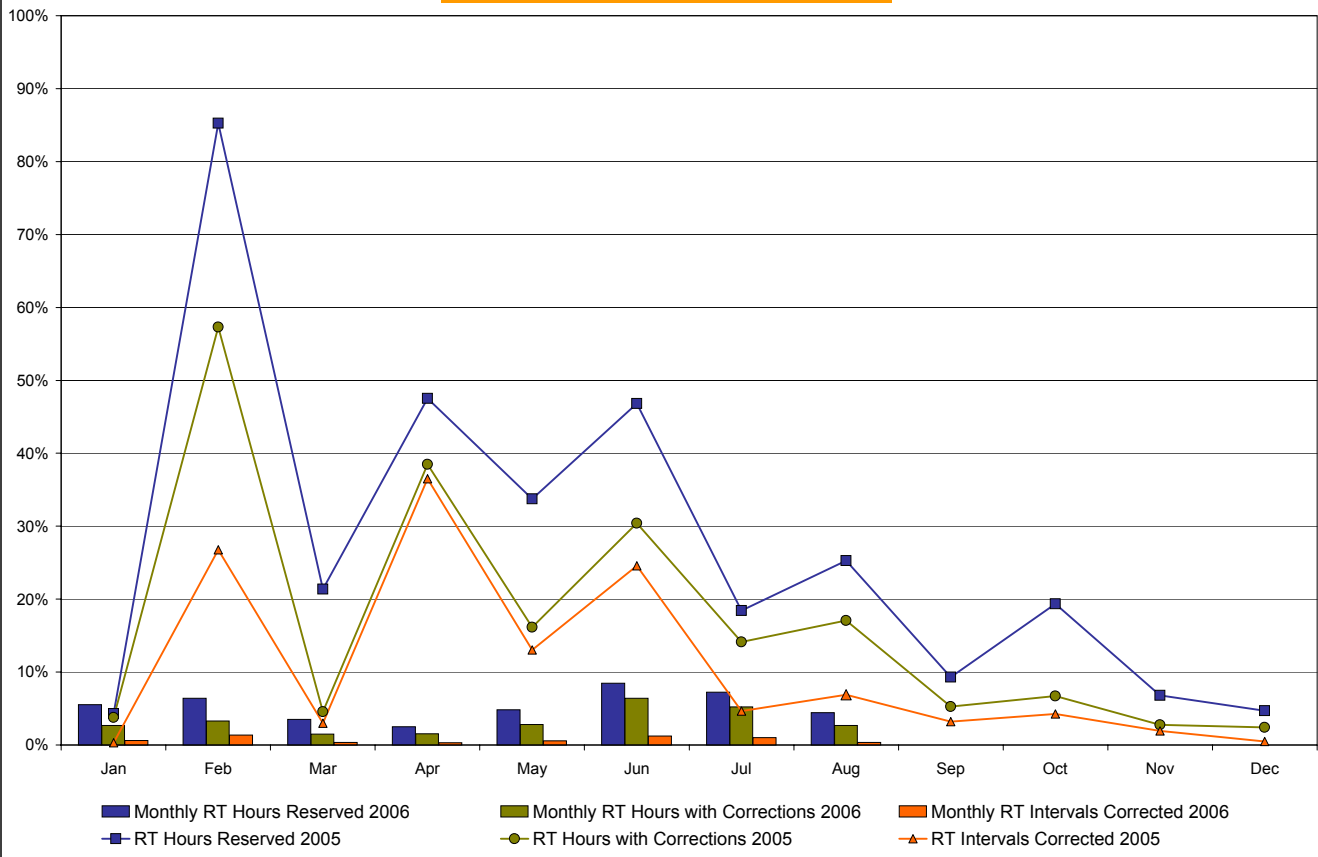
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NYISO Real Time Price Correction Statistics

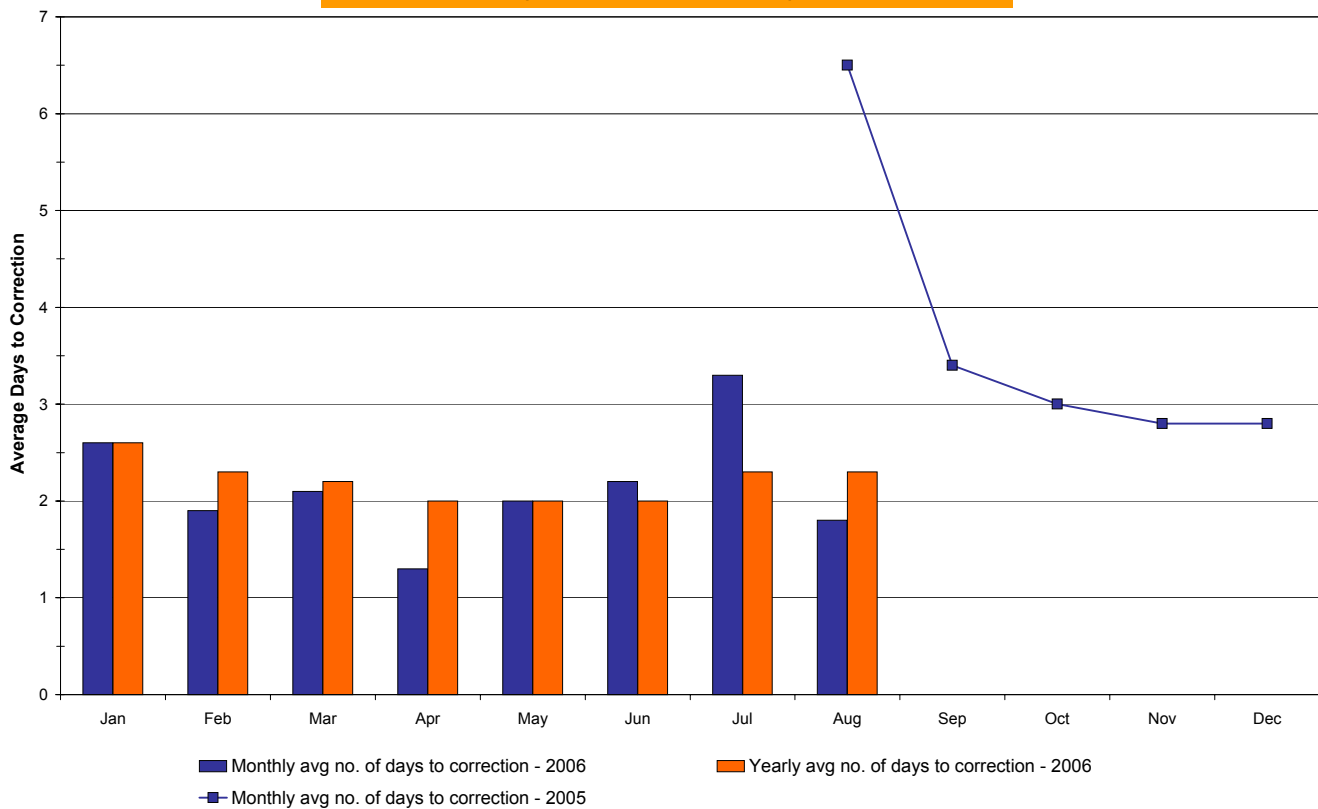
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Hour Corrections													
Number of hours with corrections	in the month	20	22	11	11	21	46	39	20				
Number of hours	in the month	744	672	744	720	744	720	744	744				
% of hours with corrections	in the month	2.69%	3.27%	1.48%	1.53%	2.82%	6.39%	5.24%	2.69%				
% of hours with corrections	year-to-date	2.69%	2.97%	2.45%	2.22%	2.35%	3.02%	3.34%	3.26%				
Interval Corrections													
Number of intervals corrected	in the month	54	112	33	27	51	107	92	31				
Number of intervals	in the month	9,004	8,129	9,035	8,779	9,037	8,742	9,083	9,088				
% of intervals corrected	in the month	0.60%	1.38%	0.37%	0.31%	0.56%	1.22%	1.01%	0.34%				
% of intervals corrected	year-to-date	0.60%	0.97%	0.76%	0.65%	0.63%	0.73%	0.77%	0.72%				
Hours Reserved													
Number of hours reserved	in the month	41	43	26	18	36	61	54	33				
Number of hours	in the month	744	672	744	720	744	720	744	744				
% of hours reserved	in the month	5.51%	6.40%	3.49%	2.50%	4.84%	8.47%	7.26%	4.44%				
% of hours reserved	year-to-date	5.51%	5.93%	5.09%	4.44%	4.53%	5.18%	5.48%	5.35%				
Days to Correction *													
Avg. number of days to correction	in the month	2.6	1.9	2.1	1.3	2.0	2.2	3.3	1.8				
Avg. number of days to correction	year-to-date	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.3				
Days Without Corrections													
Days without corrections	in the month	19	18	24	20	21	15	13	20				
Days without corrections	year-to-date	19	37	61	81	102	117	130	150				
2005		<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
Hour Corrections													
Number of hours with corrections	in the month	28	385	34	277	120	219	105	127	38	50	20	18
Number of hours	in the month	744	672	744	720	744	720	744	744	720	744	720	744
% of hours with corrections	in the month	3.76%	57.29%	4.57%	38.47%	16.13%	30.42%	14.11%	17.07%	5.28%	6.72%	2.78%	2.42%
% of hours with corrections	year-to-date	3.76%	29.17%	20.69%	25.14%	23.29%	24.47%	22.96%	22.21%	20.34%	18.96%	17.50%	16.22%
Interval Corrections													
Number of intervals corrected	in the month	37	2,177	266	3,182	1,170	2,145	421	625	281	386	167	43
Number of intervals	in the month	11,811	8,131	8,961	8,711	8,972	8,729	9,024	9,065	8,741	9,029	8,721	9,115
% of intervals corrected	in the month	0.31%	26.77%	2.97%	36.53%	13.04%	24.57%	4.67%	6.89%	3.21%	4.28%	1.91%	0.47%
% of intervals corrected	year-to-date	0.31%	11.10%	8.58%	15.05%	14.67%	16.23%	14.61%	13.65%	12.54%	11.72%	10.87%	10.00%
Hours Reserved													
Number of hours reserved	in the month	32	573	159	342	251	337	137	188	67	144	49	35
Number of hours	in the month	744	672	744	720	744	720	744	744	720	744	720	744
% of hours reserved	in the month	4.30%	85.27%	21.37%	47.50%	33.74%	46.81%	18.41%	25.27%	9.31%	19.35%	6.81%	4.70%
% of hours reserved	year-to-date	4.30%	42.73%	35.37%	38.40%	37.44%	39.00%	35.99%	34.62%	31.84%	30.56%	28.43%	26.42%
Days to Correction *													
Avg. number of days to correction	in the month	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.8
Avg. number of days to correction	year-to-date	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Days Without Corrections													
Days without corrections	in the month	12	4	16	3	4	4	6	6	17	17	22	19
Days without corrections	year-to-date	12	16	32	35	39	43	49	55	72	89	111	130

* Calendar days from reservation date. Data available from August 2005.

Percentage of Real-Time Corrections

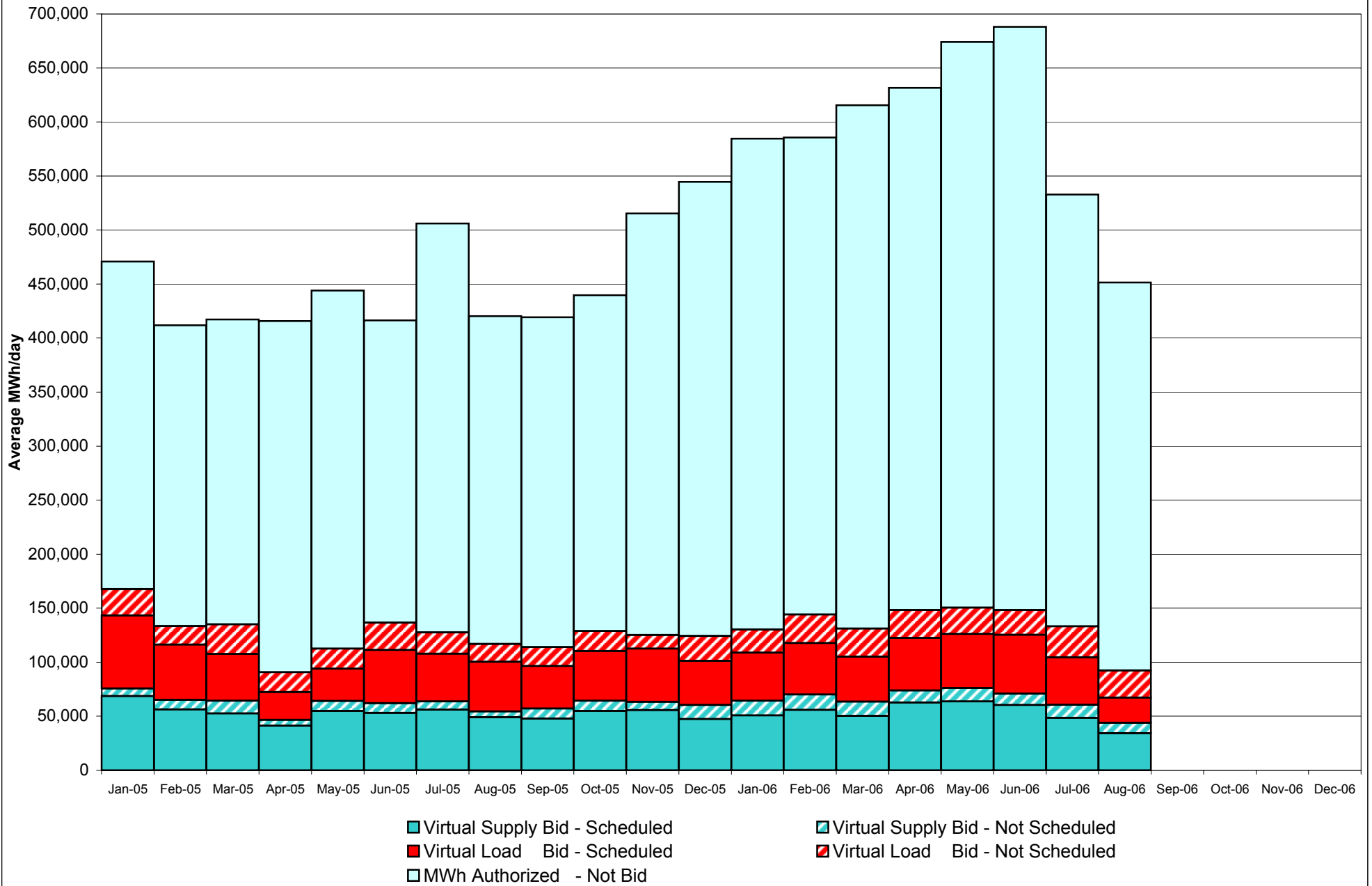


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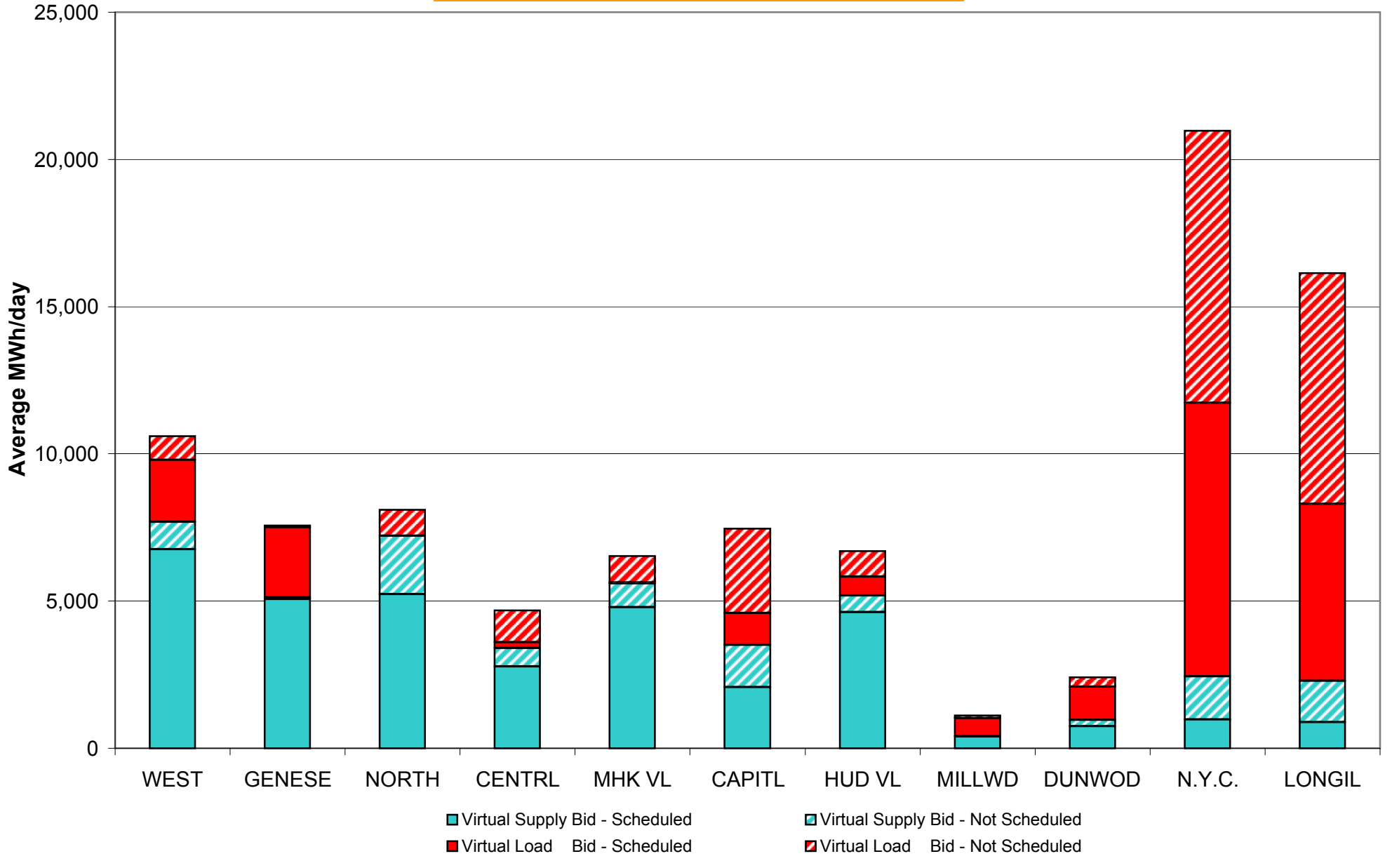


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**NYISO Virtual Trading
Average MWh per day**



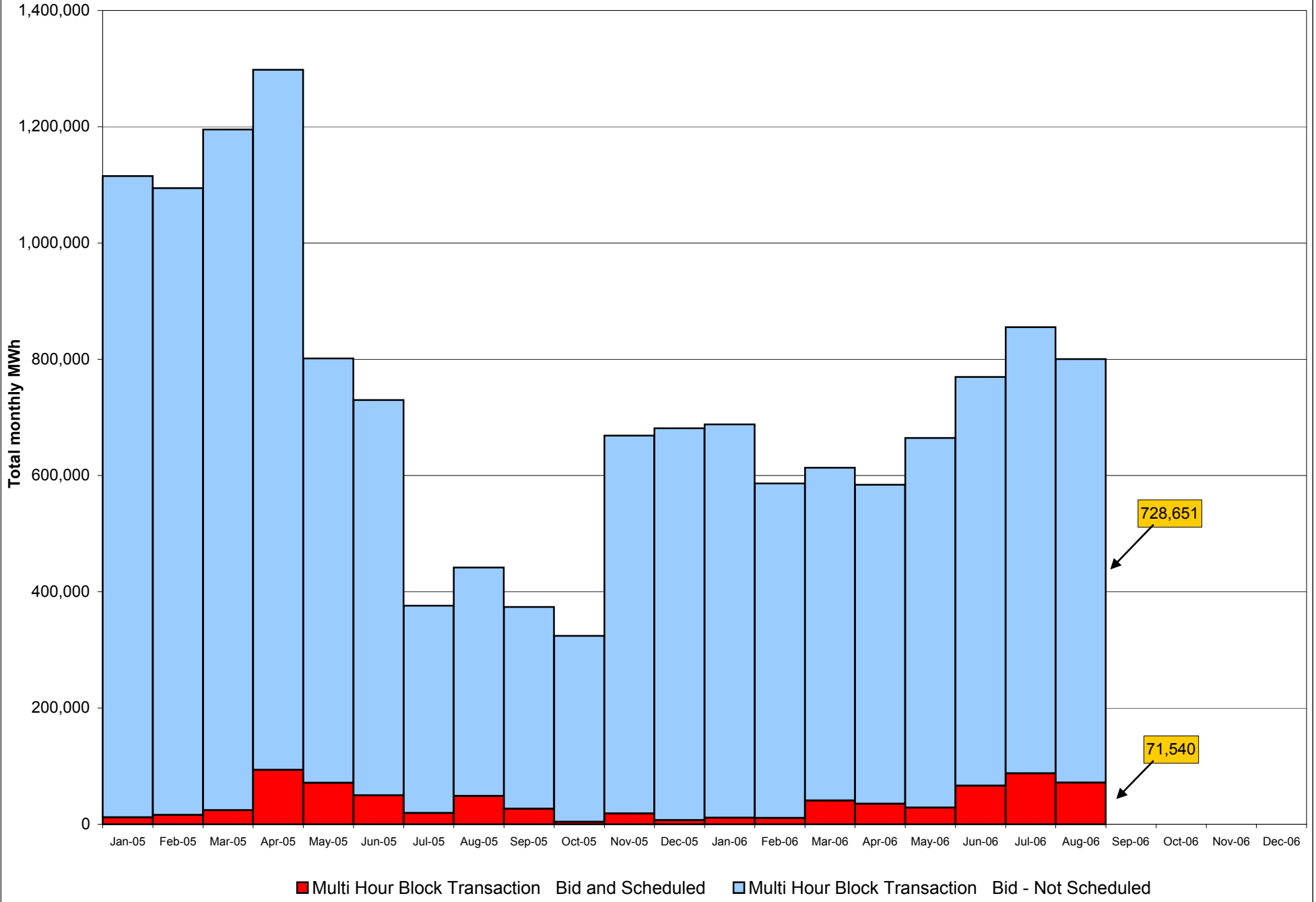
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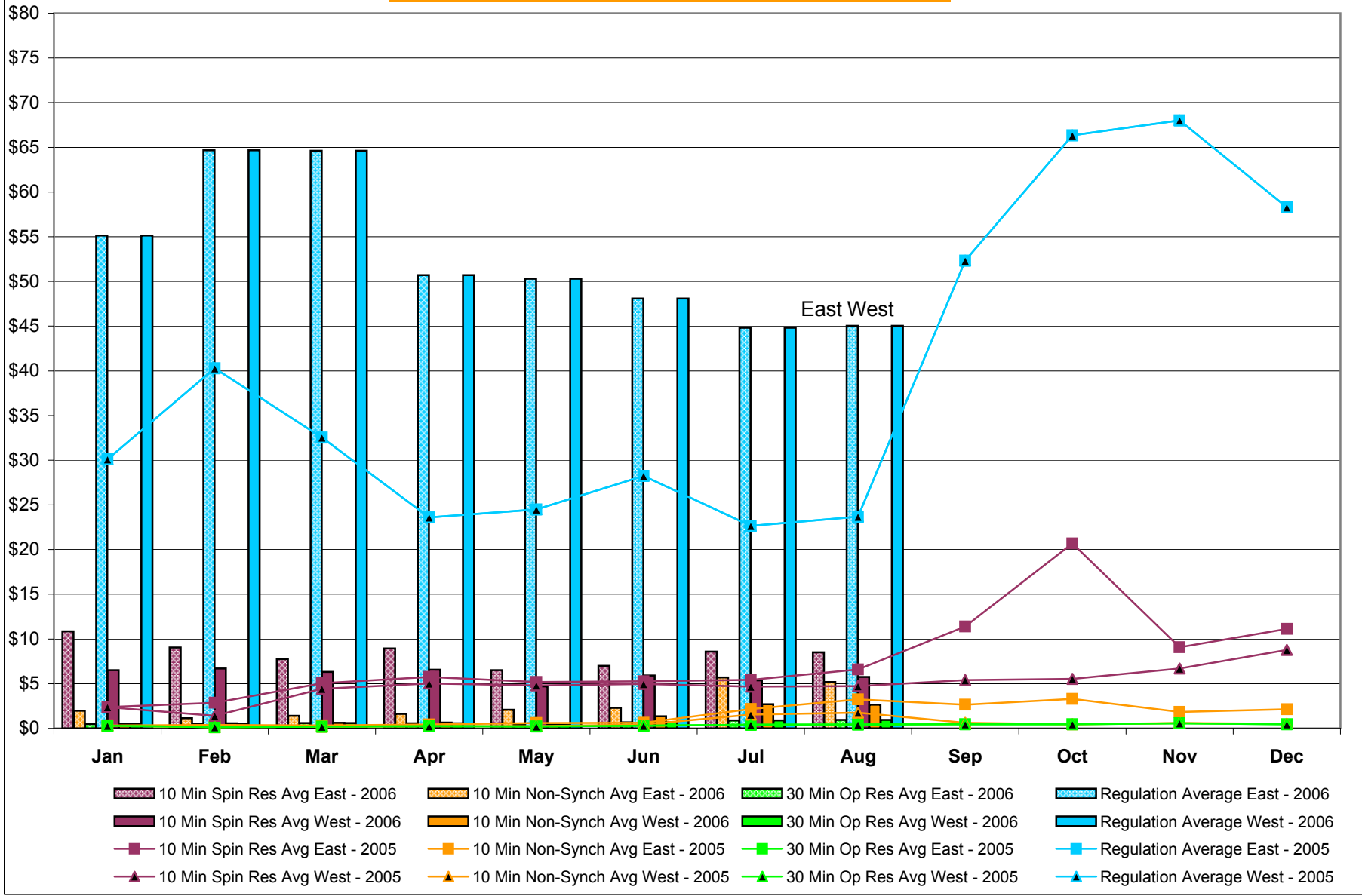
Virtual Load and Supply Zonal Statistics (Average MWh/day) - 2006

		Virtual Load Bid		Virtual Supply Bid				Virtual Load Bid		Virtual Supply Bid				Virtual Load Bid		Virtual Supply Bid				
Zone	Date	Scheduled	Not Scheduled	Scheduled	Not Scheduled	Zone	Date	Scheduled	Not Scheduled	Scheduled	Not Scheduled	Zone	Date	Scheduled	Not Scheduled	Scheduled	Not Scheduled			
WEST	Jan-06	5,890	2,304	11,610	3,141	MHK VL	Jan-06	46	902	5,884	1,636	DUNWOD	Jan-06	745	644	3,267	26			
	Feb-06	5,103	3,356	10,907	3,042		Feb-06	17	930	6,935	891		Feb-06	1,714	399	2,441	42			
	Mar-06	3,237	1,807	13,710	2,979		Mar-06	42	932	4,940	937		Mar-06	1,097	47	2,163	27			
	Apr-06	3,206	1,676	16,016	2,317		Apr-06	3	841	8,714	579		Apr-06	1,144	722	3,403	60			
	May-06	3,602	1,641	13,210	1,806		May-06	40	1,021	8,610	759		May-06	1,056	546	3,949	670			
	Jun-06	2,538	2,185	11,018	1,685		Jun-06	407	892	7,818	989		Jun-06	3,095	748	2,761	45			
	Jul-06	1,496	1,960	8,348	1,405		Jul-06	226	932	6,813	1,039		Jul-06	2,819	1,314	1,137	538			
	Aug-06	2,097	820	6,754	935		Aug-06	35	892	4,793	802		Aug-06	1,118	333	742	223			
	Sep-06						Sep-06						Sep-06							
	Oct-06						Oct-06						Oct-06							
	Nov-06						Nov-06						Nov-06							
	Dec-06						Dec-06						Dec-06							
GENESE	Jan-06	1,831	708	6,806	73	CAPITL	Jan-06	3,624	1,646	1,192	48	N.Y.C.	Jan-06	19,500	4,668	1,330	3,334			
	Feb-06	2,434	208	6,652	55		Feb-06	5,155	2,682	1,584	65		Feb-06	16,986	7,228	2,463	2,793			
	Mar-06	1,856	838	6,734	53		Mar-06	2,850	3,171	643	59		Mar-06	12,401	7,131	4,092	2,202			
	Apr-06	3,478	92	6,693	205		Apr-06	2,915	3,767	1,584	847		Apr-06	19,173	6,820	1,189	1,699			
	May-06	4,049	18	8,510	24		May-06	3,690	3,159	877	2,082		May-06	19,528	6,539	402	1,064			
	Jun-06	3,158	44	6,400	118		Jun-06	2,750	2,967	2,076	1,950		Jun-06	20,192	5,844	437	598			
	Jul-06	2,441	155	5,610	163		Jul-06	1,883	3,011	2,044	1,583		Jul-06	20,370	9,037	729	1,946			
	Aug-06	2,371	75	5,058	69		Aug-06	1,076	2,869	2,078	1,432		Aug-06	9,289	9,252	972	1,463			
	Sep-06						Sep-06						Sep-06							
	Oct-06						Oct-06						Oct-06							
	Nov-06						Nov-06						Nov-06							
	Dec-06						Dec-06						Dec-06							
NORTH	Jan-06	262	22	5,961	1,658	HUD VL	Jan-06	2,086	2,026	8,595	1,717	LONGIL	Jan-06	8,207	6,064	1,091	1,891			
	Feb-06	139	101	6,749	2,570		Feb-06	3,722	1,834	8,989	1,964		Feb-06	9,345	8,197	1,088	2,511			
	Mar-06	264	21	7,069	2,838		Mar-06	8,898	1,851	5,128	1,716		Mar-06	8,449	10,059	991	2,357			
	Apr-06	96	695	8,243	1,926		Apr-06	9,888	1,640	10,242	1,034		Apr-06	7,291	8,424	930	1,750			
	May-06	9	921	7,895	1,596		May-06	8,934	1,330	12,005	1,311		May-06	8,188	7,792	1,125	1,939			
	Jun-06	204	910	9,925	1,660		Jun-06	7,728	964	10,828	872		Jun-06	11,324	7,000	1,573	1,663			
	Jul-06	14	896	8,332	1,340		Jul-06	1,881	1,058	8,272	1,389		Jul-06	8,917	8,823	1,657	1,693			
	Aug-06	8	888	5,238	1,971		Aug-06	632	871	4,617	572		Aug-06	6,003	7,838	887	1,407			
	Sep-06						Sep-06						Sep-06							
	Oct-06						Oct-06						Oct-06							
	Nov-06						Nov-06						Nov-06							
	Dec-06						Dec-06						Dec-06							
CENTRL	Jan-06	713	28	3,870	103	MILLWD	Jan-06	1,531	2,596	1,065	11	NYISO	Jan-06	44,436	21,609	50,671	13,639			
	Feb-06	395	27	7,081	165		Feb-06	2,540	1,560	1,067	24		Feb-06	47,550	26,523	55,956	14,122			
	Mar-06	581	28	4,683	31		Mar-06	1,799	135	189	7		Mar-06	41,475	26,020	50,342	13,205			
	Apr-06	673	882	4,838	522		Apr-06	943	97	904	28		Apr-06	48,811	25,655	62,755	10,967			
	May-06	674	1,101	4,694	945		May-06	453	210	2,346	169		May-06	50,222	24,279	63,624	12,364			
	Jun-06	578	1,098	6,115	900		Jun-06	2,543	95	1,352	118		Jun-06	54,518	22,746	60,303	10,597			
	Jul-06	1,032	1,377	4,672	687		Jul-06	2,935	61	804	335		Jul-06	44,013	28,624	48,419	12,117			
	Aug-06	189	1,083	2,770	638		Aug-06	607	91	393	22		Aug-06	23,425	25,012	34,301	9,533			
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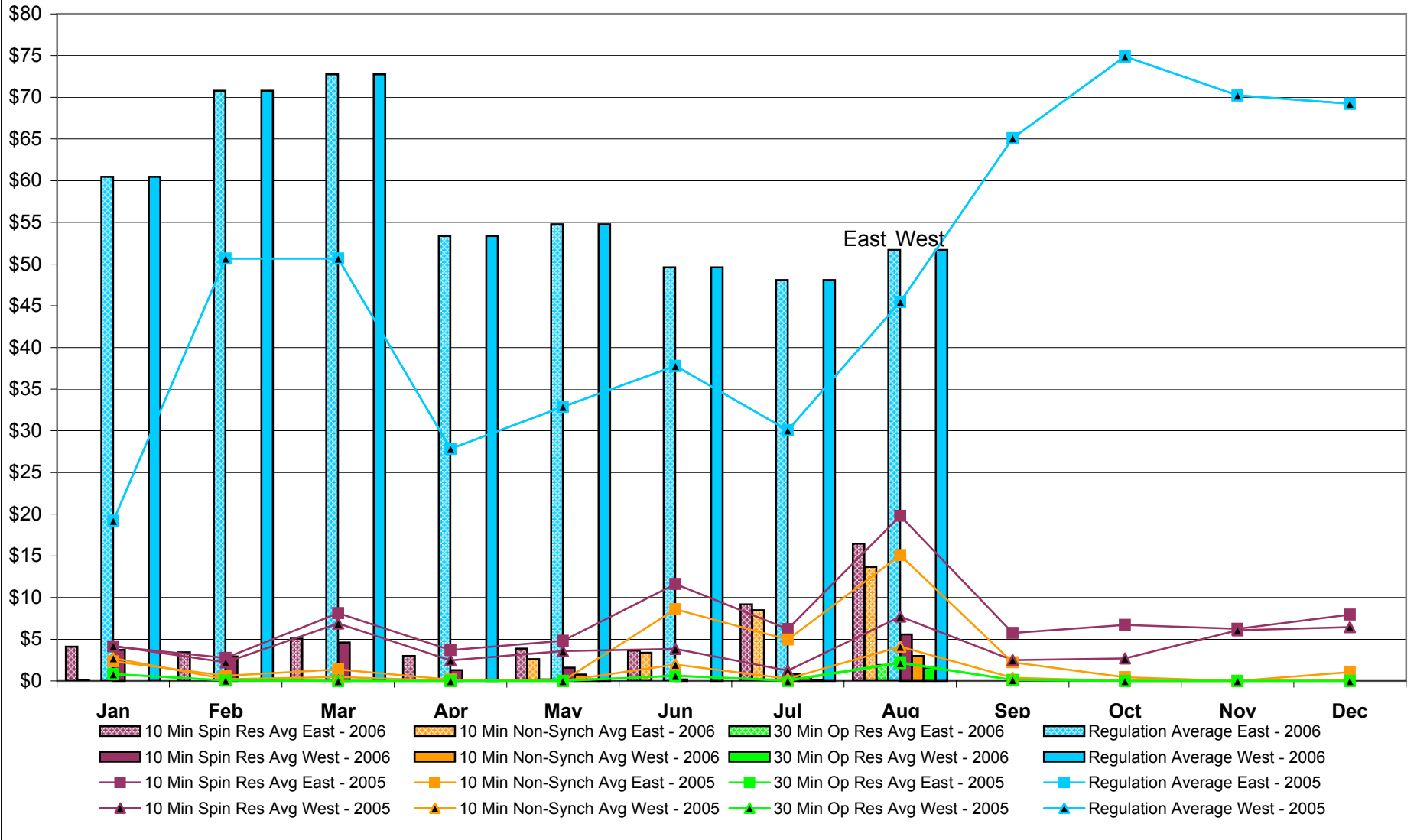
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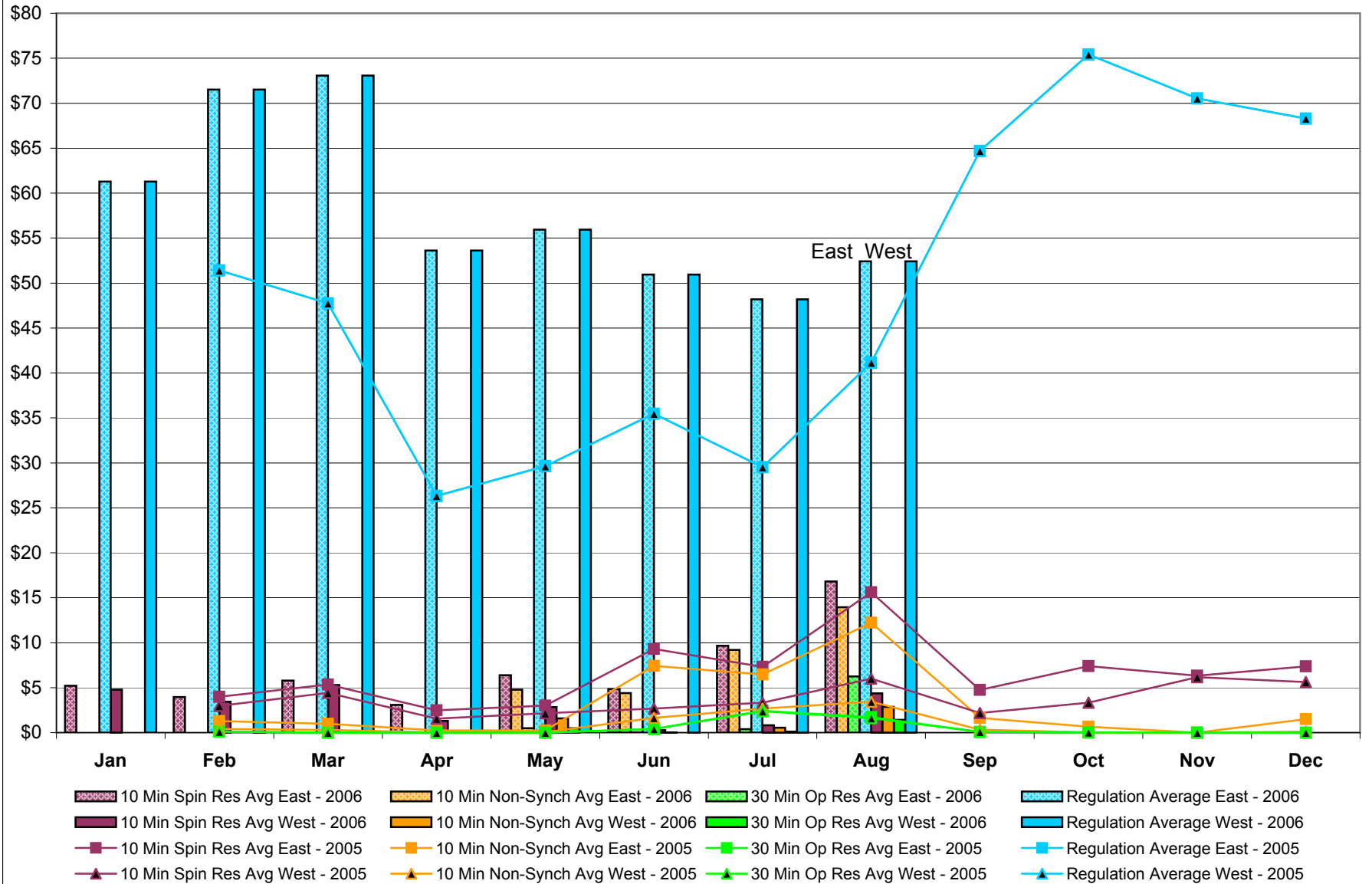


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NYISO Monthly Average Ancillary Service Prices Real Time Market* 2005 - 2006



* The Real Time Ancillary Market began in February 2005

NYISO Markets Ancillary Services Statistics - Unweighted Price (\$/MWH)

2006	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
Day Ahead Market												
10 Min Spin East	10.86	9.06	7.76	8.94	6.52	6.98	8.60	8.50				
10 Min Spin West	6.50	6.70	6.32	6.56	4.71	5.92	5.37	5.76				
10 Min Non Synch East	1.97	1.15	1.39	1.63	2.07	2.31	5.71	5.19				
10 Min Non Synch West	0.50	0.56	0.62	0.66	0.40	1.34	2.69	2.64				
30 Min East	0.48	0.52	0.59	0.58	0.38	0.66	0.89	0.95				
30 Min West	0.48	0.52	0.59	0.58	0.38	0.66	0.89	0.95				
Regulation East	55.13	64.65	64.62	50.71	50.30	48.10	44.83	45.04				
Regulation West	55.13	64.65	64.62	50.71	50.30	48.10	44.83	45.04				
RTC* Market												
10 Min Spin East	4.10	3.44	5.07	3.00	3.86	3.65	9.19	16.44				
10 Min Spin West	3.71	2.93	4.59	1.28	1.60	0.18	0.85	5.56				
10 Min Non Synch East	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.01	2.60	3.36	8.48	13.68				
10 Min Non Synch West	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.77	0.00	0.32	3.01				
30 Min East	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.00	0.11	1.90				
30 Min West	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.00	0.11	1.57				
Regulation East	60.46	70.79	72.76	53.37	54.76	49.60	48.08	51.68				
Regulation West	60.46	70.79	72.76	53.37	54.76	49.60	48.08	51.68				
Real Time Market**												
10 Min Spin East	5.20	3.96	5.78	3.07	6.38	4.84	9.66	16.81				
10 Min Spin West	4.78	3.43	5.30	1.32	2.82	0.28	0.81	4.37				
10 Min Non Synch East	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	4.79	4.40	9.20	13.94				
10 Min Non Synch West	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.58	0.02	0.54	2.86				
30 Min East	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.49	0.02	0.37	6.24				
30 Min West	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.49	0.01	0.12	1.41				
Regulation East	61.28	71.52	73.06	53.62	55.93	50.95	48.17	52.42				
Regulation West	61.28	71.52	73.06	53.62	55.93	50.95	48.17	52.42				
2005	<u>January</u>	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
Day Ahead Market												
10 Min Spin East	2.38	2.87	5.06	5.76	5.19	5.26	5.44	6.59	11.38	20.70	9.08	11.12
10 Min Spin West	2.37	1.39	4.43	5.03	4.80	4.96	4.68	4.73	5.41	5.54	6.68	8.77
10 Min Non Synch East	0.31	0.37	0.31	0.44	0.60	0.61	2.16	3.25	2.65	3.31	1.82	2.14
10 Min Non Synch West	0.31	0.13	0.20	0.24	0.23	0.43	1.54	1.75	0.63	0.47	0.59	0.52
30 Min East	0.31	0.13	0.19	0.24	0.22	0.29	0.41	0.44	0.47	0.46	0.57	0.47
30 Min West	0.31	0.13	0.19	0.24	0.22	0.29	0.41	0.44	0.47	0.46	0.57	0.47
Regulation East	30.10	40.28	32.53	23.61	24.49	28.23	22.66	23.67	52.33	66.33	68.02	58.28
Regulation West	30.10	40.28	32.53	23.61	24.49	28.23	22.66	23.67	52.33	66.33	68.02	58.28
RTC* Market												
10 Min Spin East	4.15	2.75	8.13	3.71	4.80	11.61	6.23	19.80	5.75	6.72	6.25	7.94
10 Min Spin West	4.20	2.23	6.90	2.46	3.58	3.84	1.24	7.72	2.50	2.69	6.06	6.45
10 Min Non Synch East	2.35	0.62	1.38	0.14	0.00	8.58	4.96	15.08	2.22	0.44	0.01	1.07
10 Min Non Synch West	2.72	0.21	0.47	0.03	0.00	1.96	0.25	4.09	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.06
30 Min East	0.83	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.62	0.08	2.22	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
30 Min West	0.83	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.61	0.00	2.15	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
Regulation East	19.23	50.66	50.65	27.85	32.87	37.80	30.07	45.47	65.10	74.90	70.23	69.23
Regulation West	19.23	50.66	50.65	27.85	32.87	37.80	30.07	45.47	65.10	74.90	70.23	69.23
Real Time Market**												
10 Min Spin East	-	3.99	5.34	2.47	3.00	9.30	7.30	15.60	4.75	7.40	6.32	7.36
10 Min Spin West	-	2.97	4.42	1.56	2.16	2.69	3.33	5.99	2.19	3.34	6.16	5.62
10 Min Non Synch East	-	1.27	0.98	0.25	0.24	7.43	6.46	12.22	1.63	0.65	0.00	1.49
10 Min Non Synch West	-	0.41	0.29	0.02	0.07	1.63	2.68	3.44	0.33	0.01	0.00	0.12
30 Min East	-	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	2.43	1.71	0.09	0.01	0.00	0.00
30 Min West	-	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	2.36	1.61	0.09	0.01	0.00	0.00
Regulation East	-	51.41	47.74	26.33	29.62	35.47	29.52	41.14	64.70	75.41	70.52	68.30
Regulation West	-	51.41	47.74	26.33	29.62	35.47	29.52	41.13	64.70	75.41	70.52	68.30

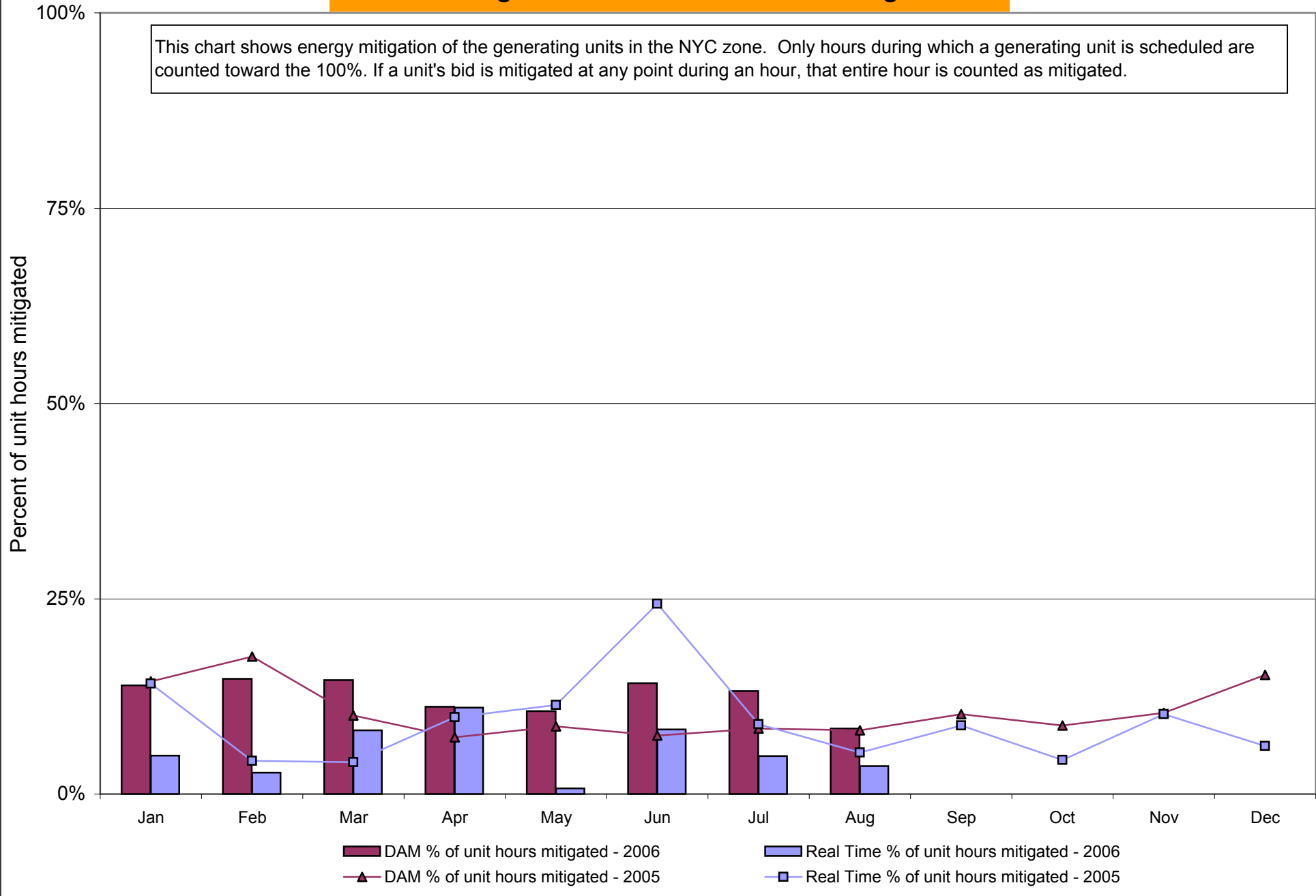
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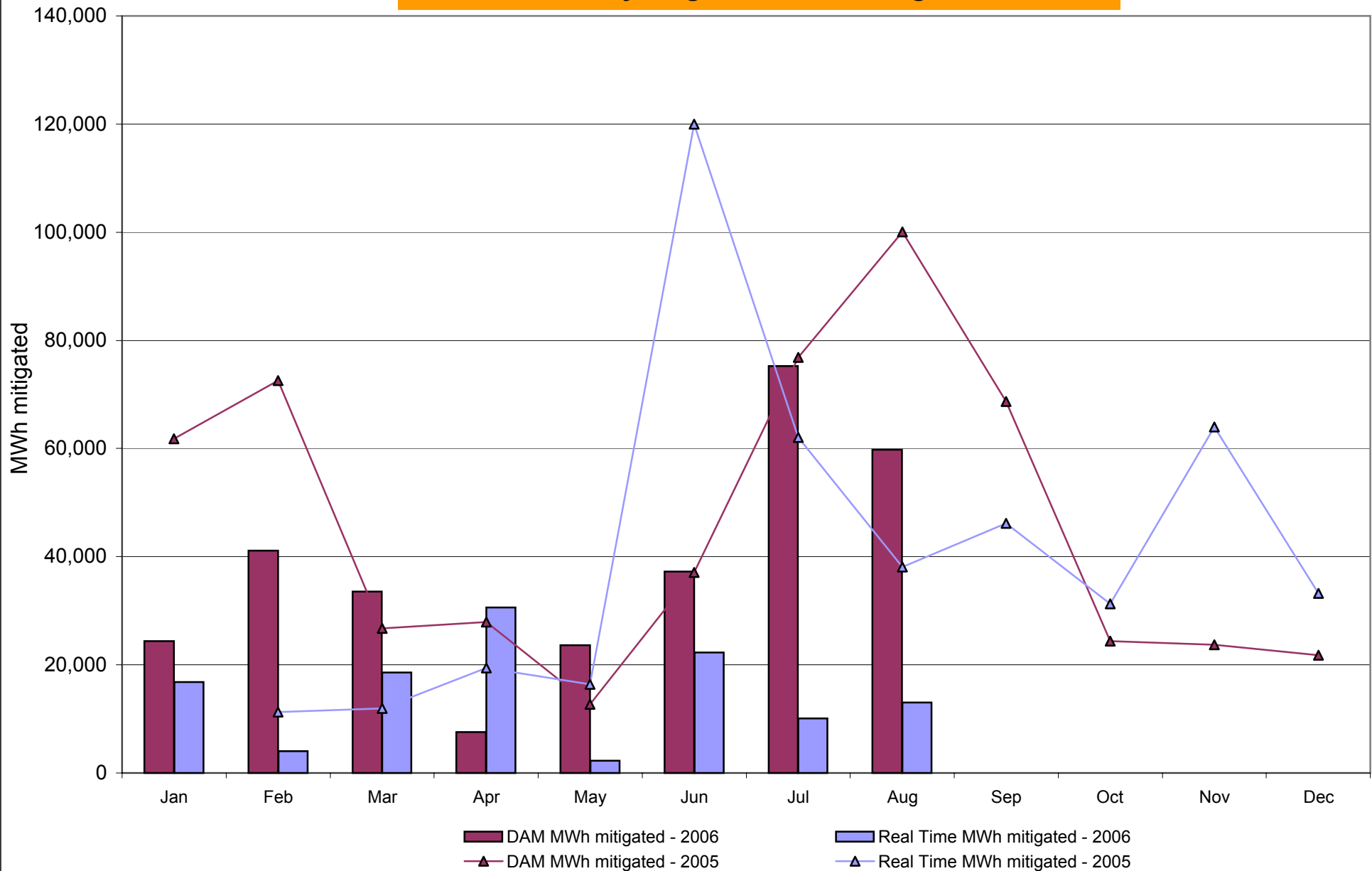
NYISO In City Energy Mitigation (NYC Zone) 2005-2006

Percentage of committed unit-hours mitigated

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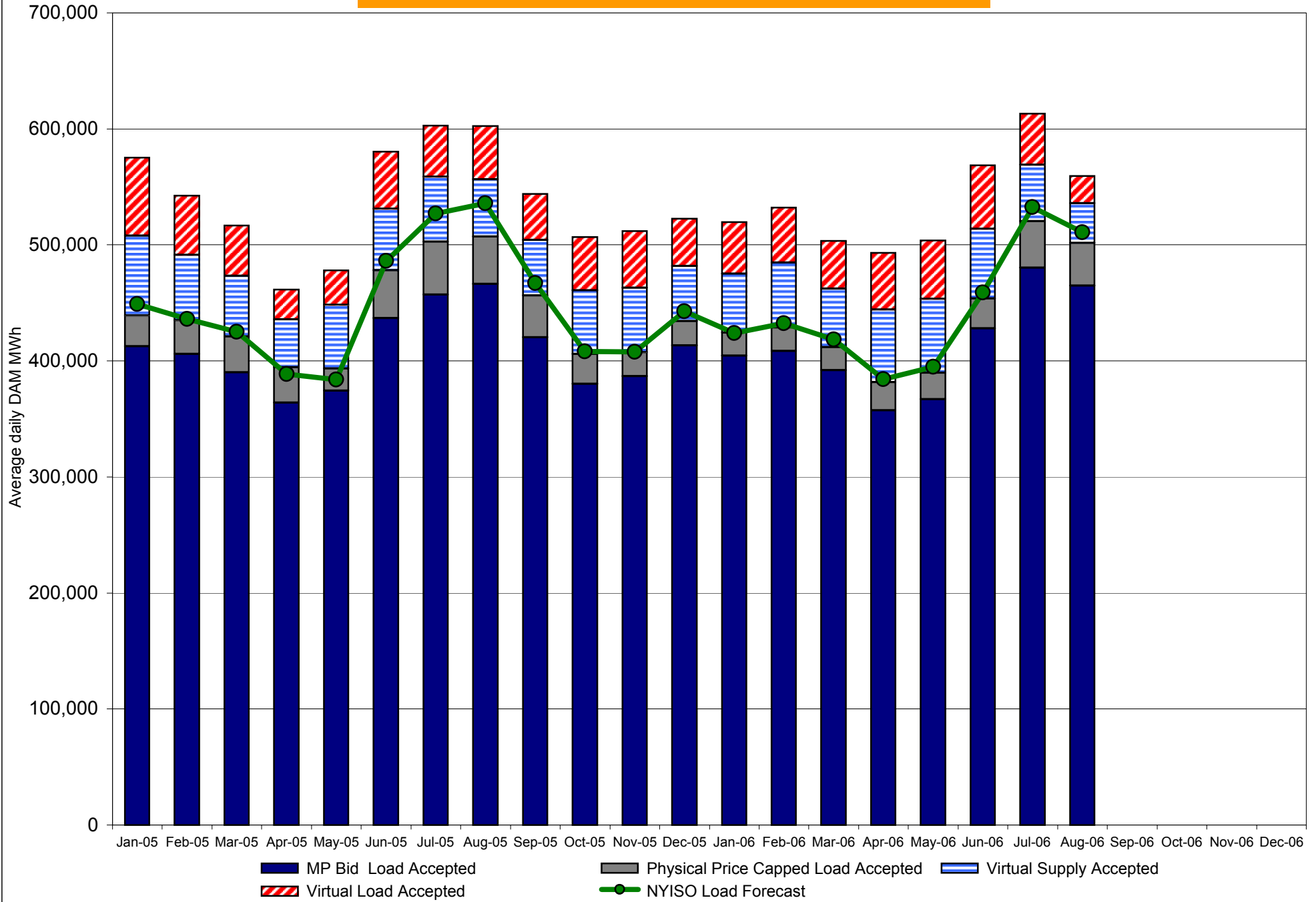


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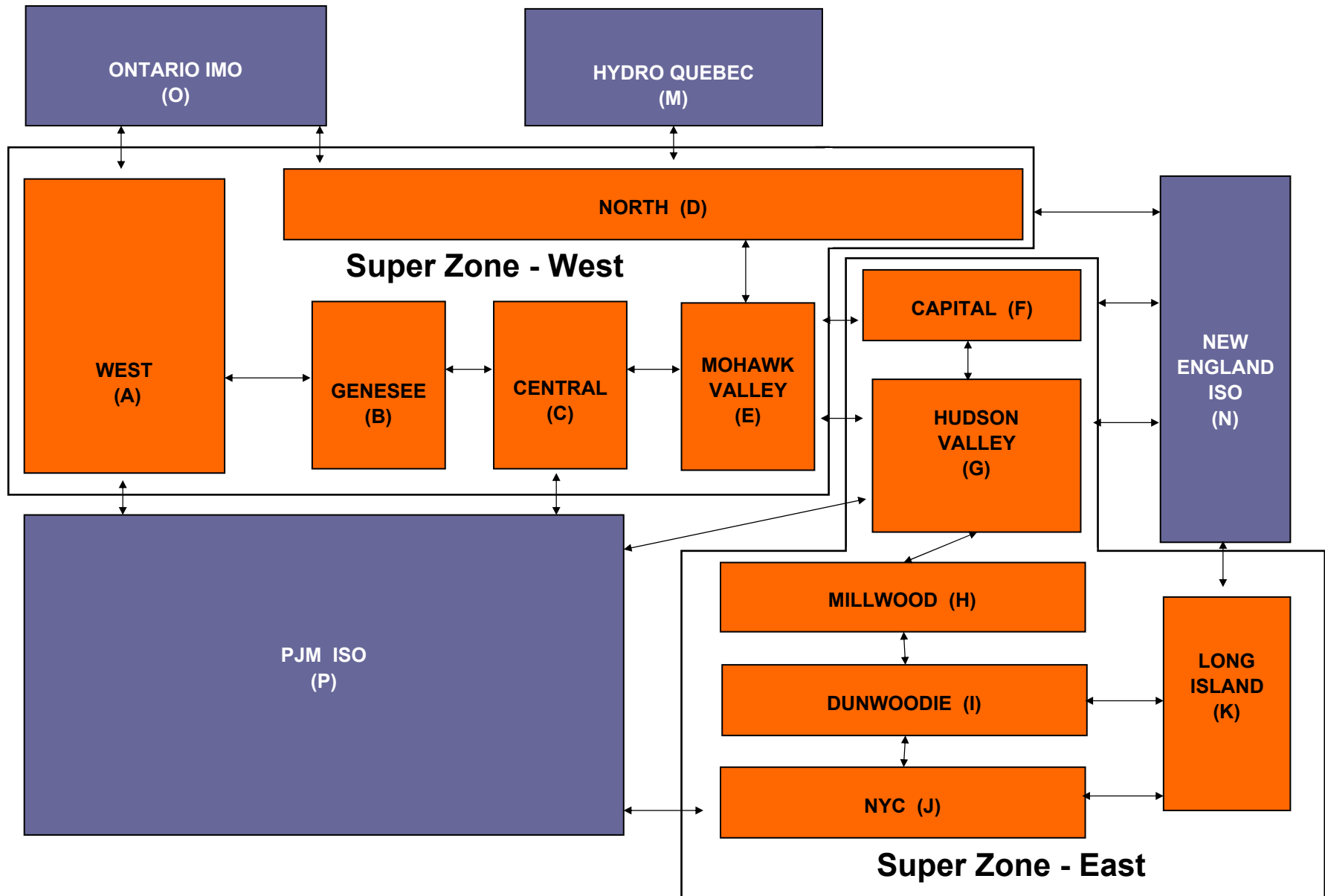


RT mitigation data available with SMD2 deployment in February 2005.

NYISO Average Daily DAM Load Bid Summary



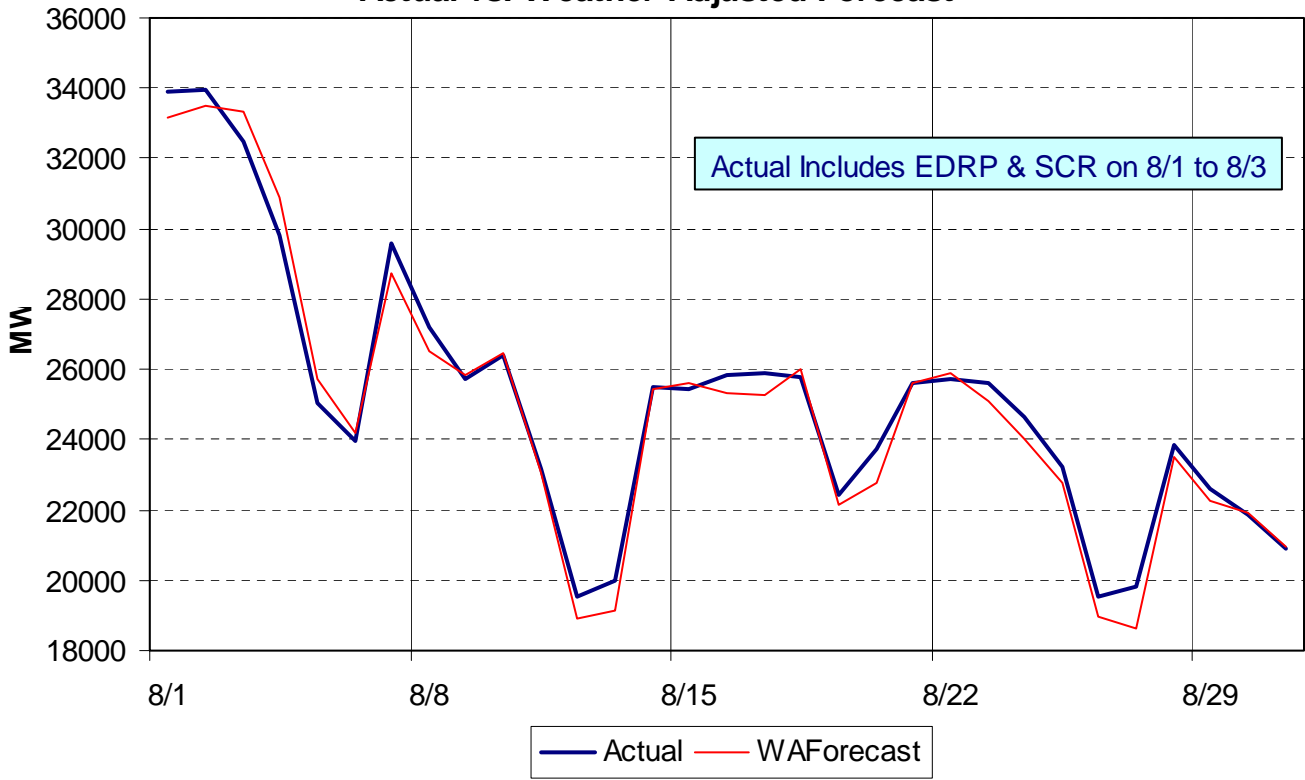
NYISO LBMP ZONES



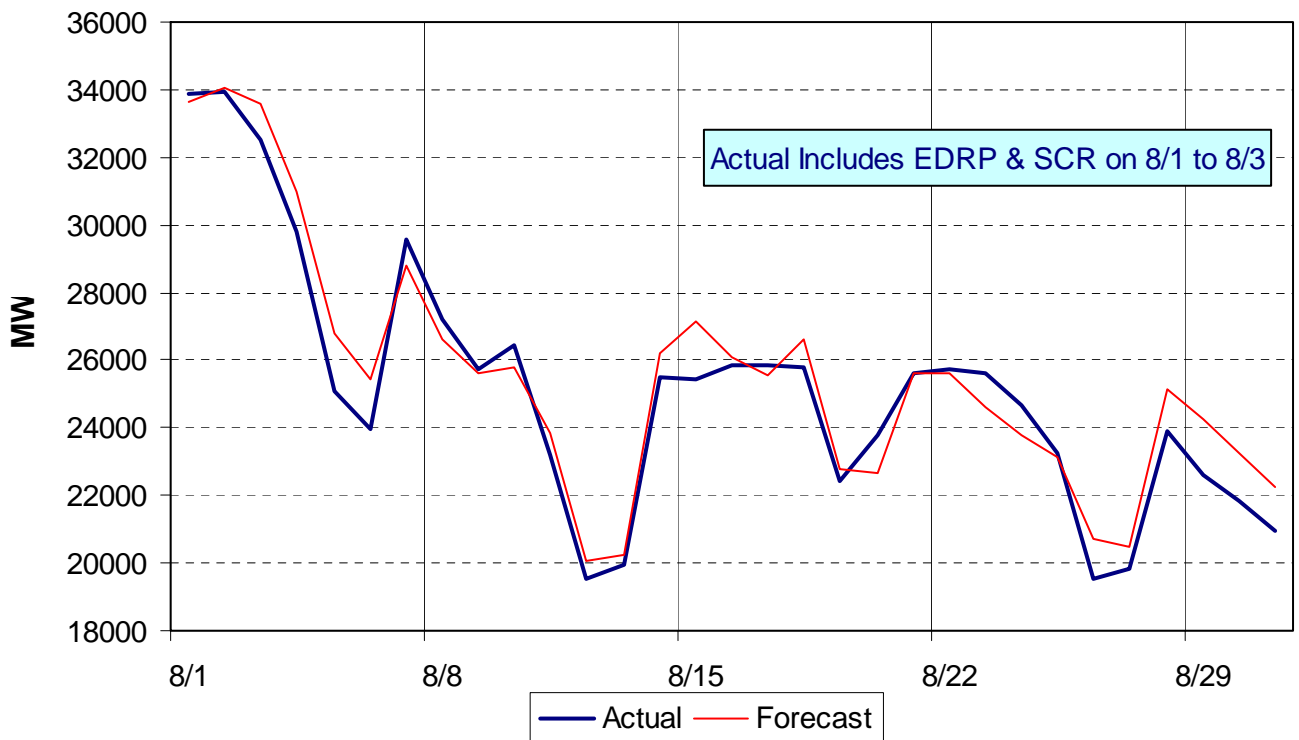
Billing Codes for Chart 4-C

Chart 4-C Category Name	Billing Code	Billing Category Name
Bid Production Cost Guarantee Balancing	81203	Balancing NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - Internal Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee Balancing	81204	Balancing NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - External Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee Balancing	81205	Balancing NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee Expenditure due to Curtailed Imports
Bid Production Cost Guarantee Balancing	81208	Balancing NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - Internal Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee Balancing	81209	Balancing NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - External Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee Balancing	81213	Balancing NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee Expenditure due to Curtailed Imports
Bid Production Cost Guarantee DAM	81201	DAM NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - Internal Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee DAM	81202	DAM NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - External Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee DAM	81206	DAM NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - Internal Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee DAM	81207	DAM NYISO Bid Production Cost Guarantee - External Units
Bid Production Cost Guarantee DAM Virtual	81501	DAM Virtual Bid Production Cost Guarantee
DAM Contract Balancing	81315	DAM Contract Balancing
DAM Contract Balancing	81317	DAM Contract Balancing
Local Reliability Balancing	81002	Balancing Local Reliability Bid Production Cost Guarantee
Local Reliability DAM	81001	DAM Local Reliability Bid Production Cost Guarantee
NYISO Cost of Operations	80901	NYISO Cost Of Operations
NYISO Cost of Operations	80902	NYISO Cost Of Operations
NYISO Cost of Operations	83501	NYISO Cost Of Operations
NYISO Cost of Operations	83502	NYISO Cost Of Operations
Residuals Balancing	81302	Balancing Market Energy Residual
Residuals Balancing	81304	Balancing Market Loss Residual
Residuals Balancing	81305	Balancing Market Congestion Balancing
Residuals Balancing	81306	Emergency Energy Purchases
Residuals Balancing	81307	Emergency Energy Sales
Residuals Balancing	81309	Balancing Market Energy Residual
Residuals Balancing	81311	Balancing Market Loss Residual
Residuals Balancing	81312	Balancing Market Congestion Balancing
Residuals Balancing	81313	Emergency Energy Purchases
Residuals Balancing	81314	Emergency Energy Sales
Residuals DAM	81301	Day Ahead Market Energy Residual
Residuals DAM	81303	Day Ahead Market Loss Residual
Residuals DAM	81308	Day Ahead Market Energy Residual
Residuals DAM	81310	Day Ahead Market Loss Residual

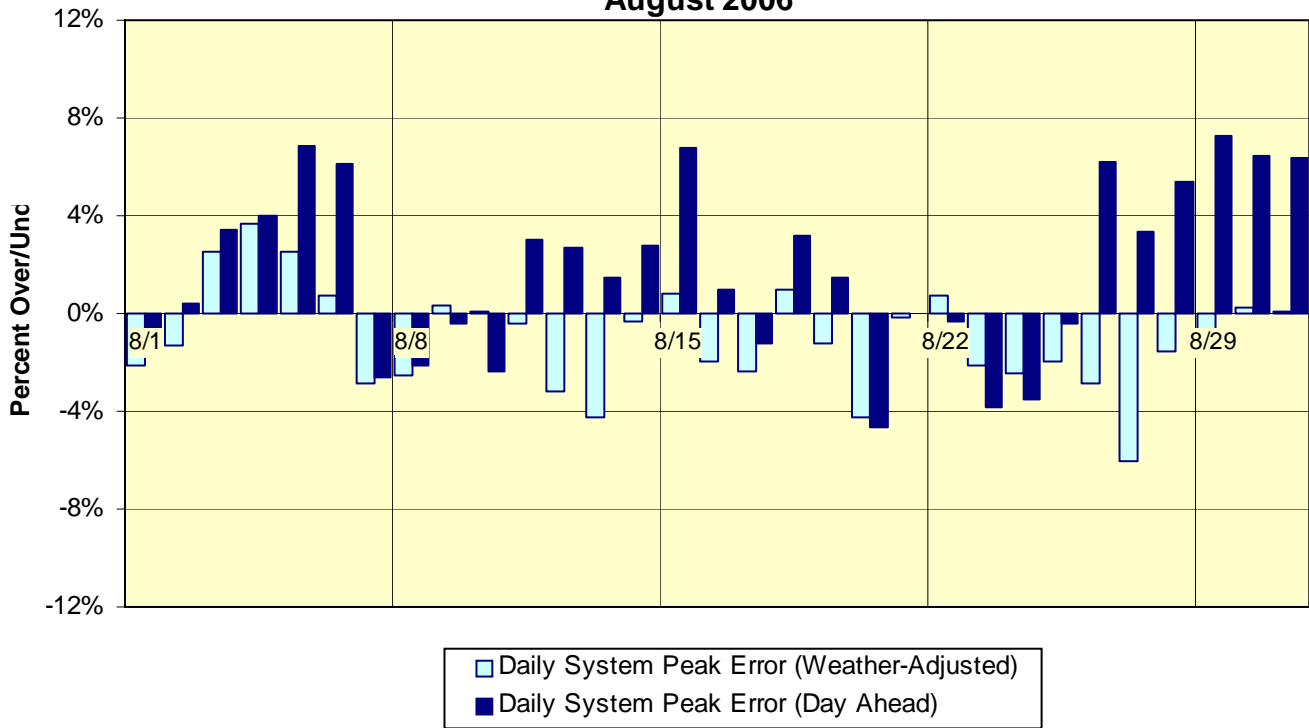
NYISO Daily Peak Load - August 2006 Actual vs. Weather-Adjusted Forecast



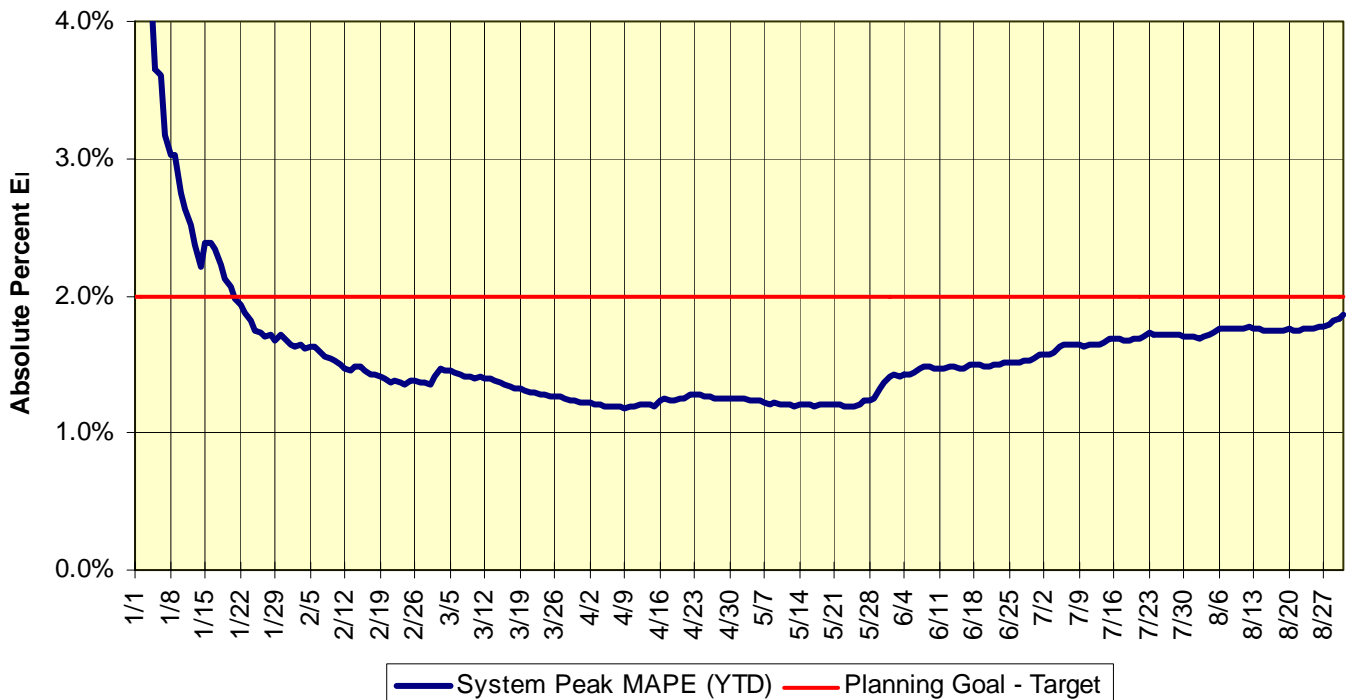
NYISO Daily Peak Load - August 2006 Actual vs. Forecast



Day-Ahead Forecast Daily Forecast Errors of System Peak August 2006

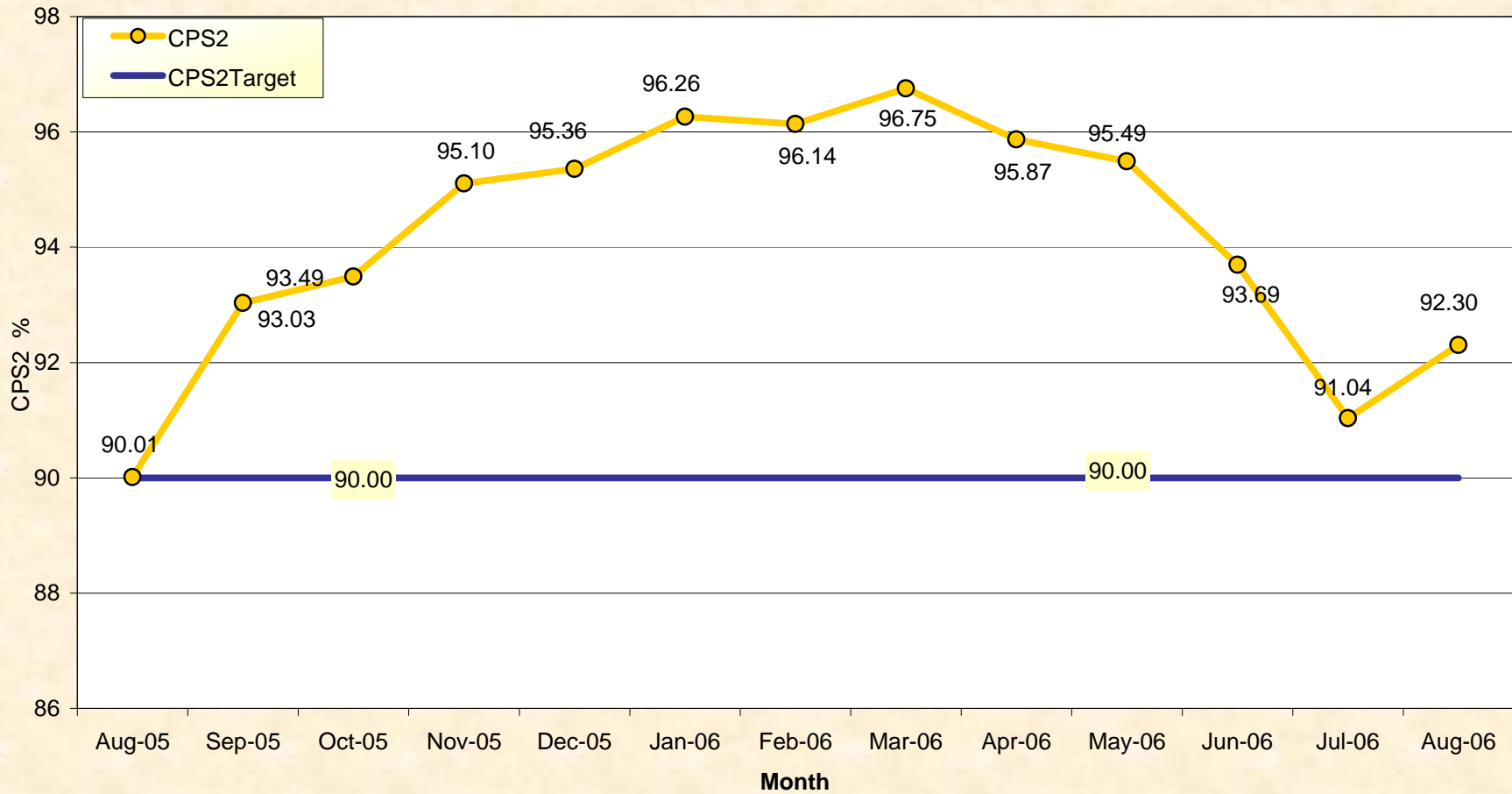


Day-Ahead Forecast Cumulative Performance - Daily System Peak 2006 Year-to-Date



NERC Control Performance Standard

NYISO Compliance
Year 2005/2006



CPS2 for August = 92.30% Compliance Threshold = 90%
CPS2 measures excessive unscheduled power flow resulting from large Area Control Error (ACE)

DETAIL RESULTS

<u>Cost Category</u>	<u>ANNUAL AMOUNTS</u>				<u>YTD AMOUNTS AS OF 7/31/06</u>		
	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Revised Budget</u>	<u>Year-End Projection</u>	<u>Variance</u>	<u>Revised Budget</u>	<u>Actuals</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Capital	\$ 22.4	\$ 21.0	\$ 23.0	\$ 2.0	\$ 10.0	\$ 4.6	\$ (5.4)
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 50.3	\$ 49.3	\$ 46.5	\$ (2.8)	\$ 28.8	\$ 26.8	\$ (2.0)
Professional Fees (including Legal)	\$ 26.6	\$ 29.2	\$ 32.0	\$ 2.8	\$ 17.0	\$ 14.7	\$ (2.3)
Building Services	\$ 4.4	\$ 4.4	\$ 4.6	\$ 0.2	\$ 2.5	\$ 2.5	\$ -
Computer Services	\$ 10.5	\$ 10.5	\$ 11.6	\$ 1.1	\$ 6.1	\$ 6.3	\$ 0.2
Insurance	\$ 4.6	\$ 4.6	\$ 3.6	\$ (1.0)	\$ 2.7	\$ 2.2	\$ (0.5)
Telecommunications	\$ 5.1	\$ 5.1	\$ 4.8	\$ (0.3)	\$ 3.0	\$ 2.7	\$ (0.3)
Other Expenses (BOD, Travel/Trng, NPCC Fees)	\$ 6.1	\$ 6.0	\$ 5.7	\$ (0.3)	\$ 3.6	\$ 3.0	\$ (0.6)
Current Year Needs (excluding FERC Fees)	\$ 130.0	\$ 130.1	\$ 131.8	\$ 1.7	\$ 73.7	\$ 62.8	\$ (10.9)
Debt Service from Prior Year Financings	\$ 31.5	\$ 31.2	\$ 31.0	\$ (0.2)	\$ 18.4	\$ 18.2	\$ (0.2)
Cash Budget (excluding FERC Fees)	\$ 161.5	\$ 161.3	\$ 162.8	\$ 1.5	\$ 92.1	\$ 81.0	\$ (11.1)
Less: Miscellaneous Revenues	\$ (2.5)	\$ (2.5)	\$ (4.8)	\$ (2.3)	\$ (1.7)	\$ (2.6)	\$ (0.9)
Less: Proceeds from 2006 Budget Debt	\$ (28.0)	\$ (15.5)	\$ (15.5)	\$ -	\$ (5.0)	\$ (5.0)	\$ -
Less: Proceeds from 2005 budget underrun and 2004/05 load overcollections	\$ -	\$ (12.5)	\$ (12.5)	\$ -	\$ (7.3)	\$ (7.3)	\$ -
Less: Proceeds from Renovations Debt	\$ (9.0)	\$ (8.5)	\$ (8.5)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Add: Interest on 2006 Budget Debt	\$ 0.8	\$ 0.5	\$ 0.3	\$ (0.2)	\$ 0.1	\$ 0.1	\$ -
Add: Interest on Renovations Debt	\$ 0.4	\$ 0.4	\$ 0.1	\$ (0.3)	\$ 0.1	\$ -	\$ (0.1)
Net Budget Needs (excluding FERC Fees)	\$ 123.2	\$ 123.2	\$ 121.9	\$ (1.3)	\$ 78.3	\$ 66.2	\$ (12.1)
FERC Fees	\$ 9.9	\$ 9.9	\$ 7.8	\$ (2.1)	\$ 5.8	\$ 4.5	\$ (1.3)
Rate Schedule #1 Revenue Requirement	\$ 133.1	\$ 133.1	\$ 129.7	\$ (3.4)	\$ 84.1	\$ 70.7	\$ (13.4)

Description	Status and Milestone Deliverables
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Energy Marketplace Product Enhancements	
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A767	MIS Enhancements: Comprehensive Bid Management System	<p>Status: This project is in the requirements and technical design phase. Detailed requirements definition for first two (2) functional areas (Load Bidding and Virtual Bidding) is nearly complete. Technical design of the core infrastructure (security framework) and initial bidding capabilities is underway. The first in a series of technical conferences has been held with Market Participants as part of project communication plan. The first deliverable was deployed successfully on August 8, 2006, incorporating enhanced security capabilities for the MIS Administrator functions.</p> <p>Deliverables: This project will upgrade the web-based application structure to replace overlapping applications by allowing common components to support current application functionality and future application functional growth. One of the deliverables will be the implementation of a more flexible and reliable application infrastructure for the market applications. This project is part of a multi-year effort that will lead to a replacement of the Market Information System (MIS) and related bidding and scheduling applications. This project will continue into 2008.</p>
A871	Enhanced Price Validation	<p>Status: This project has formally launched and is in the detailed requirements phase. The first iteration of Phase 1 has completed on schedule. An iterative requirements, development, and testing approach is being employed to facilitate management of deliverables and efficiency of project tracking. The first phase will deliver the core data management tools on top of which the enhanced functionality will be built.</p> <p>Deliverables: The NYISO has investigated all known causes of pricing errors, and has taken a systematic approach to determine features and functions that can significantly enhance the price validation process. Product enhancements are proposed to implement proactive price monitoring, improved price reservations, and enhanced price corrections. The project will entail a multi-phase, multi-year implementation of tools to enhance the price monitoring, reservation, and correction processes for the NYISO markets. This project will continue into 2007.</p>
A769	Enhanced Scheduling of Combined Cycle Units	<p>Status: NYISO staff has been working closely with owners of combined cycle plants to determine realistic solutions to solve known operational problems. Team is also monitoring developments in other markets (e.g. PJM) where attempts to provide solutions for combined cycle plants have not produced desired results. Certain incremental improvements already implemented in the NYISO have improved bidding flexibility and management of these units. General agreement has been reached on the part of NYISO staff and MPs that a comprehensive modeling solution is neither required, nor practical at this time.</p> <p>Deliverables: While the NYISO remains convinced that a comprehensive solution to the combined-cycle unit commitment and dispatch problem is too significant a challenge to undertake at this time, it has improved efficiencies for combined cycle unit owners within the current commitment and dispatch model and is committed to completing its evaluation of system architecture improvements discussed above. The NYISO has also worked with Market Participants to eliminate persistent under-generation charges during start-up, shutdown, and transition periods. In addition, the NYISO also intends to continue working with its Market Participants to design any other incremental improvements that may be made to the existing commitment and dispatch software.</p>

Description		Status and Milestone Deliverables
A706	Intra-Hour Transaction Scheduling (ITS)	<p>Status: This project is in the concept development phase. Concept and design work will continue in 2006; development progress will be dictated by various factors including, regulatory process, technical feasibility, and resource constraints. Progress has been significantly slowed by limitations on the part of ISO-NE to support further development.</p> <p>Deliverables: In 2005, the NYISO conducted a pilot project to assess the ability to evaluate and schedule intra-hour transactions and to identify any operational issues with scheduling. Additional work in 2006 will be based on the outcome of the pilot program; however, it is not expected that any significant software will be completed in 2006.</p>
TBD	Wind Forecasting	<p>Status: This project is in the concept development phase. Concept and design will continue in 2006; development progress will be dictated by various factors including; regulatory process, technical feasibility, and resources. Preliminary requirements documentation has been developed and reviewed internally.</p> <p>Deliverables: Design and implementation of the required forecasting systems that would be necessary to efficiently and reliably manage the introduction of significant amounts of intermittent energy sources in New York.</p>
A848	Real-Time BPCG Mitigation	<p>Status: This project is in the Quality Assurance and testing phases. Software deployments in August will permit the correct calculation of BPCG in settlements going back to February 2005. Software to automate these functions on a daily, going-forward basis (originally scheduled to be deployed in October), has encountered problems in design that will require re-work and re-test. Current schedules, dependent on successful testing, are targeting a January deployment. Software to correct SRE / OOM mitigation during unconstrained periods in New York City will deploy on schedule in October.</p> <p>Deliverables: Correction of certain mitigation errors as identified by the NYISO in a 2005 FERC filing. This project represents the final deliverable in a multi-phased project to correct implementation errors related to mitigation of Supplemental Resource Evaluation (SRE) and Out of Merit (OOM) functions, as well as the mitigation of Real-time Bid Production Cost Guarantee (BPCG) payments.</p>
Auxiliary Market Product Enhancements		
A543	ICAP Market Automation – Phase I	<p>Status: Software to automate the ICAP auction processes was deployed into production in late March and activated in April to conduct the Summer strip auction. No significant problems were encountered and the preliminary assessment is that the implementation was a success. Certain follow-up enhancements have been identified and are being scheduled.</p> <p>Deliverable: An automated application to run the ICAP market, also implementing a security model for single sign-on. Allow Market Participants to place bids and offers via the web or upload templates, execute the monthly and strip auctions, perform certification, run the spot auction and post the results and bills.</p>

Description		Status and Milestone Deliverables
TBD	ICAP Auction Automation – Phase II	<p>Status: This project is in a preliminary planning phase and may formally be initiated late in 2006, following the successful deployment of phase 1 and subsequent post-deployment review of ICAP market operations. Resource constraints and priority considerations may cause this phase to be deferred into 2007.</p> <p>Deliverables: Following the implementation of the first phase of the ICAP Auction Automation software project, a certain subset of enhancements are planned to complete the full suite of planned features.</p>
TBD	Demand Response for Ancillary Services	<p>Status: This project is starting the requirements phase. Initial planning and requirements development is underway; development is expected to initiate sometime later this year, with implementation in 2007. A draft functional requirements document has been produced and is being circulated internally for review.</p> <p>Deliverables: As directed by the FERC, execution of software changes that will permit the integration of demand side resources (“DSRs”) into the NYISO real-time ancillary services and energy markets.</p>
TCC Marketplace Product Enhancement		
A541	TCC Auction Automation – Phase I	<p>Status: Software to automate the awards processes for the TCC auctions was deployed to production in late June following a successful market trial in May. No significant problems were encountered and the preliminary assessment is that the implementation was a success.</p> <p>Deliverables: This project will take a phased approach to fully automate the TCC auction and data validation processes. The Awards processing is the planned first phase deliverable. Following phases will address the database and Bidding functions required to fully automate the auction processes.</p>
TBD	TCC Auction Automation – Phase II & III	<p>Status: This project is in a preliminary planning phase and will be formally initiated later in 2006. The NYISO engaged Nexant to facilitate a detailed requirements and scope development process that would help define the deliverables for phase 2 and 3. This work has also included consideration of other future market enhancement needs in the requirements definition, and potential inclusion for future phases. The draft report from that exercise will be utilized to formulate the recommended TCC project budget plan for 2007.</p> <p>Deliverables: Following the implementation of the first phase of the TCC Auction Automation software project, following phases will deliver the Database and Bidding functionality required to fully automate the TCC markets.</p>
Operations and Reliability Product Enhancements		
A770	Outage Schedule Reporting	<p>Status: This project is in a preliminary planning phase and is tentatively planned to be formally initiated in 2006. Addition of new quality and process control projects may delay the launch of this project. Resource constraints and priority considerations may cause this phase to be deferred into 2007.</p> <p>Deliverables: As part of the SMD2 project, the Outage Scheduling software was moved entirely to the Ranger system for both Scheduling and Operations to provide consistency. However, the processes of creating the Outage Schedule reports remains on a secondary database. The creation of the required reports will be ported to the RANGER system.</p>

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A843	Integration of OOM and SRE Applications	<p>Status: This project is in a preliminary planning phase and is tentatively planned to be formally initiated in 2006. Addition of new quality and process control projects may delay the launch of this project. Resource constraints and priority considerations may cause this phase to be deferred into 2007.</p> <p>Deliverables: Replacement of the Out of Merit (OOM) and Supplemental Resource Evaluation (SRE) applications used by the control room floor. These applications are currently built upon an unsupported platform (Oracle Forms) and can be design to be more efficient and error prone if they are consolidated into a single suite of application functions.</p>
A862	Controllable Tie Line Additions: Dennison-Cedars Line	<p>Status: This project is an application of the Generic Controllable Tie Line logic deployed for the Cross Sound Cable in 2005. ABB Ranger and MIS model maintenance tasks required for deployment have been defined. Operational protocols are being reviewed for implementation.</p> <p>Deliverables: The Dennison-Cedars Line is a controllable tie line between Zone D in NY and HQT. The project, when implemented, will support both import and export transactions independent of the existing NY/HQT interconnection.</p>
A862	Controllable Tie Line Additions: 1385 Line	<p>Status: This project is an application of the Generic Controllable Tie Line logic deployed in 2005. ABB Ranger and MIS model maintenance tasks required for NYISO deployment have been defined. Final implementation is dependent upon the availability ISO-NE resources.</p> <p>Deliverables: The 1385 Line is a controllable tie line between Long Island and New England. The project, when implemented, will support both import and export transactions independent of the existing NY/NE interconnections.</p>
A862	Controllable Tie Line Additions: Project Neptune Line	<p>Status: This project is in the concept development stage. Implementation is planned for Q2 2007 to support the commissioning schedule of the Neptune Line.</p> <p>Deliverables: The Neptune Line is an HVDC line between Long Island and New Jersey. The project, when implemented, will provide an additional external proxy bus on Long Island that is scheduled and priced independent of other external proxies. As a merchant transmission facility, the Neptune Line may require special bidding protocols similar to those that apply to the Cross Sound Cable. Actual requirements beyond the Generic Controllable Tie lines logic are being defined through the concept development effort.</p>

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Financial Service Product Enhancements	
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A845	BAS Replacement / Billing Engine	<p>Status: This project is in the development and testing phase. An iterative development approach has been employed where groups of the billing rules are being ported to the new engine in phases. The first five (5) sets of billing rules have passed the testing milestone, with the sixth group currently in User Acceptance Testing (UAT). The project schedule has slipped due to a longer than expected development cycle for the system framework and infrastructure build-out, as well as planned scope expansion resulting from the Real-time BPCG Mitigation project. Due to limitations on forth quarter deployments due to Sarbanes-Oxley guidelines, the earliest possible completion date of this phase will be in first quarter of 2007. Data center migration plans that are part of the new facility project may introduce additional delays.</p> <p>Deliverables: Implementation of a rules-based design as a replacement to the settlements engine in the Billing and Accounting System (BAS). Project will leverage technology investment made as part of the Billing Simulator and will lead to a higher performing calculation engine for billing, as well as a more flexible architecture for managing future changes to the settlements processes. This project is part of a multi-year effort to replace the entire billing system including, the invoicing components, web-based reconciliation, and integration of certain credit functions. This project is scheduled to continue into 2008.</p>
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A836	Automation of Voltage Support Service (VSS) Payments	<p>Status: Software to automate the calculation of the Voltage Support Service was successfully deployed to production on May 9, 2006. This project is completed.</p> <p>Deliverables: Automation of a manual settlements' process. This effort is part of a larger effort to reduce and / or eliminate the need to perform manual billing adjustments on customer invoices. Opportunities will be explored through the year to determine additional automation features that can be implemented, and those projects will be individually presented as they are launched.</p>
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Business Intelligence Product Enhancements	
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A849	DSS Pricing and Operational Data Mart	<p>Status: This project has completed the requirements and design phases and has entered the development phase. Project activities are slightly off schedule due to moderate scope expansion (from original concept budget and schedule) in order to meet requirements presented by Billing and Price Correction Task Force. Internal technical deployments will be feasible during 2006, but Market Participant deliveries of the functionality (originally scheduled for 3rd or 4th quarter of 2006) will not be made until early 2007. Sarbanes-Oxley limitations on 4th quarter software deployments are partly driving decisions to defer implementation until 2007.</p> <p>Deliverables: During recent years, the NYISO has made a significant investment in data warehousing technology through the implementation of the Decision Support System (DSS) to support the NYISO settlements processes. This project will expand the DSS customer base by delivering pricing data that will support the price validation processes and provide greater transparency to the NYISO markets.</p>
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<p>TBD</p> <p>Enhanced Portal Dashboards</p>	<p>Status: This project is in a preliminary planning phase and is tentatively planned to be formally initiated in 2006. Addition of new quality and process control projects may delay the launch of this project. Resource constraints and priority considerations may cause this phase to be deferred into 2007.</p> <p>Deliverables: Enhancements made to the NYISO Portal platform to support the implementation of the new data elements available through the Decision Support System (DSS), as well as improved reporting functionality to augment a wide variety of data supplied through this mechanism. Initial focus will be applied to the pricing and operational data capabilities.</p>
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Other NYISO Key Projects	
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<p>A775</p> <p>Consolidate NYISO Offices</p>	<p>Status: Personnel relocation activities have completed that enabled the NYISO to vacate the Washington Avenue facility and fully occupy the 4th floor of the new Head Quarters facility. Demolition activities are underway on the 2nd and 3rd floors, and construction has started. Detailed planning for the data center migration is underway. The schedule for implementation of the new Data Center, as well as migration activities of existing Data Center and Alternate Control Center functions, will be a significant gating factor for many 2007 NYISO projects.</p> <p>Deliverables: This project seeks to secure ~150,000 square feet of office space to include administrative offices, alternate control center and back-up IT/disaster recovery functionality. During 2006, this facility would replace the current NYISO locations at Washington Avenue, Wolf Road, and Western Turnpike.</p>
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NYISO REGULATORY FILINGS – August 2006

- Aug. 7, 2006 NYISO joint filing of ISO/RTO comments regarding FERC's 5/19/06 Notice of Proposed Rulemaking regarding preventing undue discrimination and preference in transmission service (RM05-25-000)
- Aug. 7, 2006 NYISO filing of notice to withdraw 7/31/06 request for rehearing (EL06-72-001)
- Aug. 8, 2006 NYISO filing of comments regarding FERC's proposal to revise its regulations governing the approval of market-based rates for public utilities (RM04-7-000)
- Aug. 11, 2006 NYISO filing of motion to intervene regarding the FERC NOPR concerning regulations for filing application for permits to site within interstate electric transmission corridors (RM06-12-000)
- Aug. 14, 2006 NYISO compliance filing of revised tariff sheets regarding treatment of the initiation (ER06-783-002)
- Aug. 21, 2006 NYISO compliance filing to revise section 8.4 of the Services Tariff regarding documentation to be provided by Market Participants to ensure that their market transactions do not trigger NYISO responsibility to collect or remit New York State taxes (ER05-1507-002)
- Aug. 21, 2006 NYISO filing of request for rehearing and expedited action of commission order no. 681 (RM06-8-000)
- Aug. 21, 2006 NYISO joint ISO/RTO Council filing of motion for clarification of the commission's 7/20/06 order related to governance (RR06-1-000)
- Aug. 28, 2006 NYISO filing of a compliance report describing changes to the ICAP Manual to improve the transparency of the external ICAP imports rights allocation procedures (EL06-72-001)

This list is current as of 8:19 A.M. August 29, 2006.

FERC ORDERS – AUGUST 2006

- Aug. 10, 2006 FERC letter order accepting NYISO's reinstatement of sanction determinants for ICAP deficiencies and incorporation of NAESB electric business practice standards (ER06-1174-000)
- Aug. 18, 2006 FERC letter order accepting NYISO's quarterly report regarding combined cycle modeling (ER01-3155-016, EL01-45-024, ER01-1385-025, ER04-230-024)
- Aug. 21, 2006 FERC letter order accepting tariff revisions to show previously approved effective date of fifteen minute scheduling (ER04-230-025)

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