

# Experience with 15-Minute Scheduling

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# Background

- 15-minute intra-hourly scheduling at Chateauguay Interface activated on July 27, 2011
- Update on 15-min scheduling experience at HQ requested by MPs
- Intra-hour ramp initially limited to 25 MW
  - Increased to 50 MW on November 2, 2011
  - Increased to 100 MW on December 1, 2011
  - Expect to increase to 150 MW on February 9, 2012

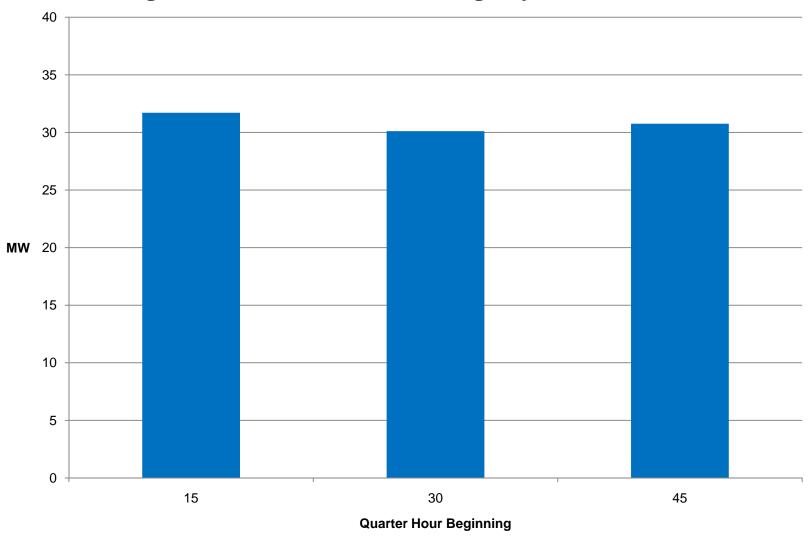


# Analysis

- Period Reviewed: July 27, 2011-January 21, 2012
- Intra-hour schedule adjustments only (:15, :30, :45); top-of-hour adjustments excluded

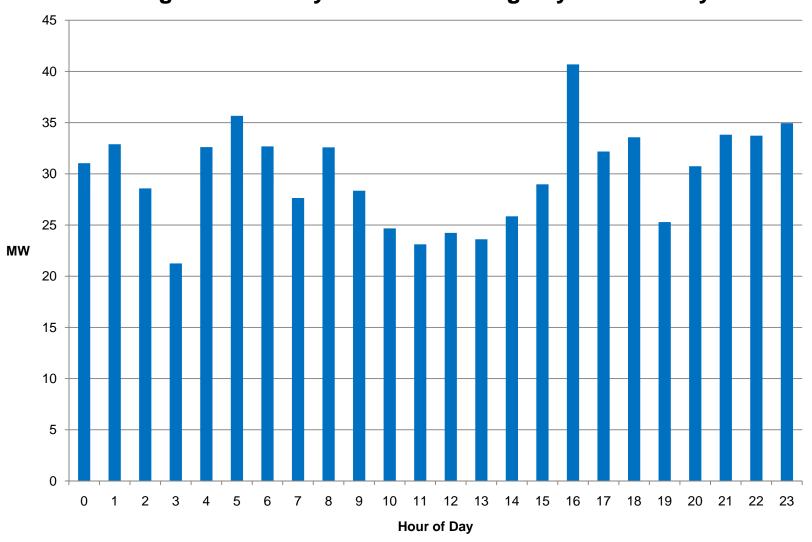


#### **Average Intra-hour Schedule Change by Intra-hour Block**



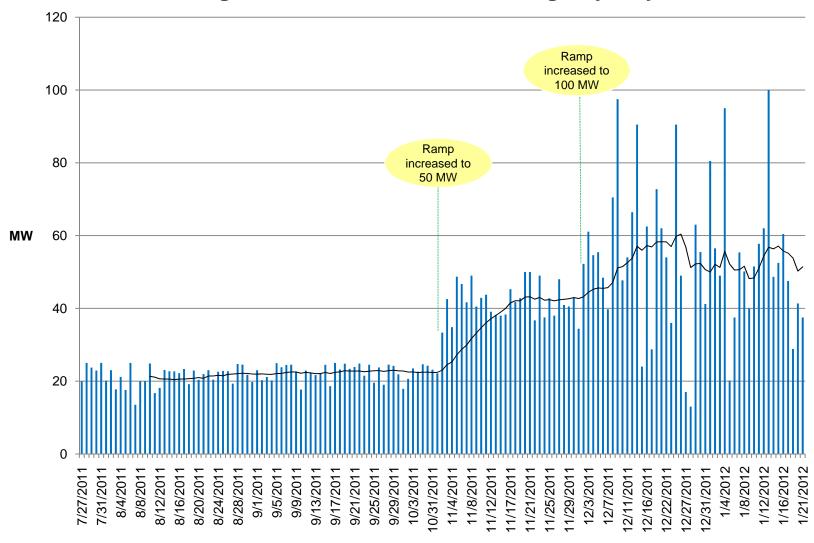


#### **Average Intra-hourly Schedule Change by Hour of Day**



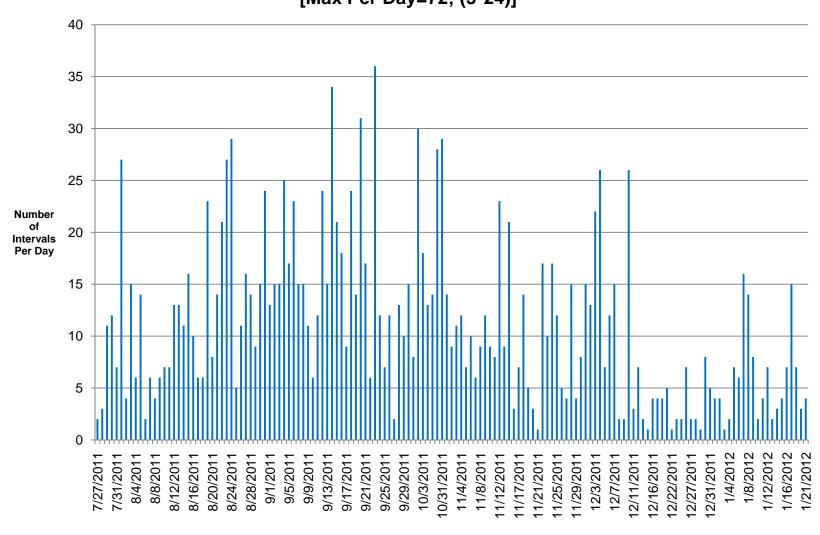


#### **Average Intra-hour Schedule Change by Day**



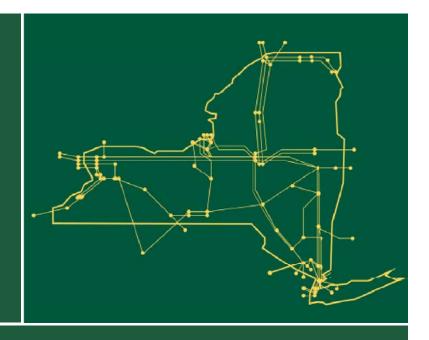


## Number of Intra-Hour Schedule Changes Per Day [Max Per Day=72; (3\*24)]





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