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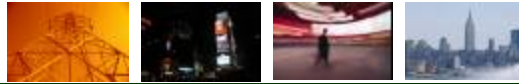


# Internal HVDC Controllable Line Scheduling

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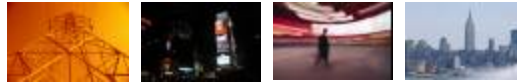
# Conceptual Description

- **Propose to incorporate the scheduling of an internal HVDC controllable facility as described in the Concept of Operations Document and summarized in the following table.**
- **In this proposal, the applicable revenue streams for a facility would be from:**
  - ✓ *Price differentials between the LBMP at the source and sink in the day-ahead and real-time markets and;*
  - ✓ *Capacity payments available to suppliers from the unforced deliverability rights (UDRs) that a facility would provide.*



# Design Characteristics

| Internal HVDC Controllable Line Scheduling   |  |
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| NYISO Actions                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ NYISO will optimize and determine the schedule of the facility day-ahead and real-time.</li> <li>▪ All available capacity is subject to optimization in the scheduling tool in day-ahead and real-time.</li> <li>▪ The facility would be under ISO operational control.</li> </ul>  |
| Merchant Transmission Operator (MTO) Actions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Provides it's fixed and variable operating cost, if any, for energizing the line and losses.</li> <li>▪ Has an obligation to inform the NYISO of outages or deratings impacting the controllable line.</li> <li>▪ Responsible for ramping of the controllable line to its schedule (possibly hourly, ¼ hourly, every dispatch interval or on request for reliability purposes).</li> </ul>  |
| Rights Holder Actions                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Requires no scheduling action by the rights holder and value may be realized with no daily interaction.</li> <li>▪ Purchased rights viewed as strictly a financial instrument or as a financial hedge against congestion costs.</li> </ul>  |
| Energy Market and Settlements                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Payments to the MTO are based on day-ahead and real-time price differences and flows across the facility.</li> <li>▪ Deviations from day-ahead and real-time schedules will be settled at real-time prices and the MTO is financially responsible for non-performance.</li> <li>▪ Settlement with the rights holders is managed by the MTO which provides the MTO the flexibility to structure the terms of its rights contracts as desired.</li> <li>▪ Depending on the scheduling frequency, a production cost guarantee could be necessary to ensure that the MTO is not harmed by real-time prices that are inconsistent with the schedule established for the facility by the ISO.</li> <li>▪ Virtual supply and demand bids using the existing zonal capability open to all market participants would be maintained.</li> </ul> |
| Capacity Market                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A facility would be assigned unforced deliverability rights.</li> <li>▪ In-city requirements are determined as if this facility did not exist.</li> <li>▪ Availability of the line and the ICAP generation associated with the UDRs will need to be tracked.</li> </ul>   |
| TCC Auction                                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No TCCs would be sold in the NYISO TCC auction for the facility itself.</li> <li>▪ The MTO may be eligible for awards of expansion TCCs.</li> <li>▪ Purchase of TCCs to and from the injection and withdrawal points of a facility would be permitted.</li> </ul>   |
| Credit Requirements                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ It is likely that a MTO will be subject to credit requirements by the ISO and the necessary requirements will need to be determined.</li> </ul>   |



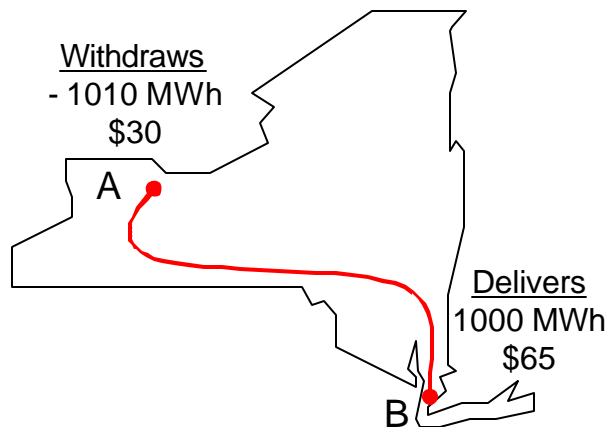
# Example 1: No Deviation In Schedule

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Assume:

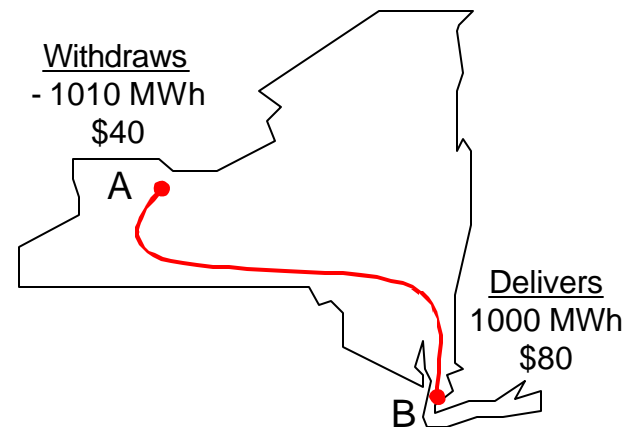
- Single line with a delivery capacity at point B of 1,000 MW.
- ~ 1% losses between injections at A and withdrawals at B.
- Variable cost of operating the line is \$2/MWh (incremental conversion losses and O&M costs) and reflects the hurdle rate used by the NYISO in optimizing use of the line.

## Day-Ahead

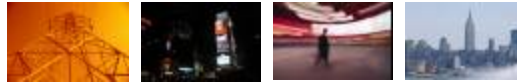


Day Ahead Revenue = \$34,700

## Real-Time



No Deviation from DAM Schedule:  
Real-Time Revenue = \$0

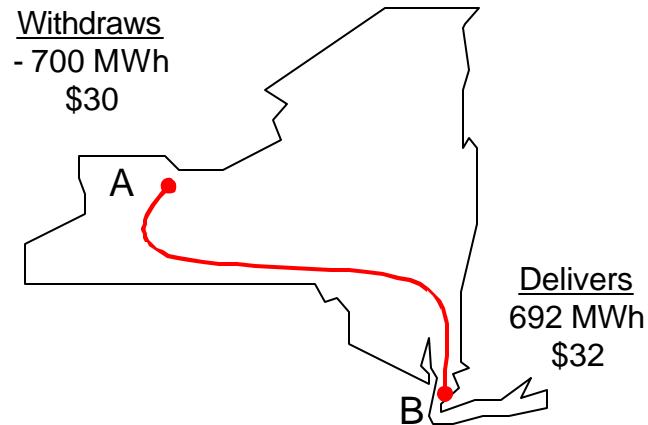


# Example 2: RT Schedule Increase

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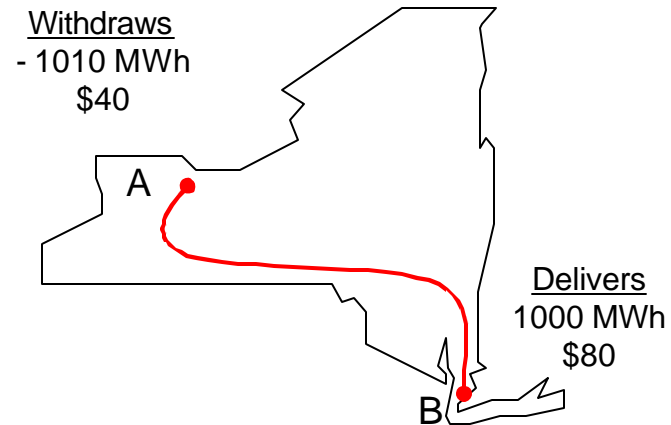
Here, because of the low margin only 700 MWh of injections and 692 MWh of withdrawals are scheduled in the day-ahead market and in real-time, the higher prices cause the line to be fully scheduled.

## Day-Ahead



Day Ahead Revenue = \$1,144

## Real-Time



RT Schedule Increases:  
Purchases Additional 310 MWh @ \$40  
Sells Additional 308 MWh @ \$80  
Real-Time Revenue = \$12,240