

Example NYC Default Reference Price Calculation

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- ◆ The example shown is intended to illustrate how the default reference price for NYC ICAP supply-side mitigation will be calculated.
- ◆ The example uses the most current information available to the NYISO.
- ◆ Market Participants should not rely on the information presented and should consider this as an example only; the actual default reference price will be calculated monthly after certification by the ICAP system.

Parameter	Label	ICAP	UCAP	Remarks
EFORD	A	---	6.9%	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of demand curve ¹
NYC reference price (\$/kW-mo), 100% LCR	B	\$13.36	\$14.35	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of demand curve ¹
NYC load forecast (MW)	C	11964	---	LCR study ²
80% * C	D	9571	8911	---
Demand curve zero crossing point (MW)	E	---	10515	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of demand curve ¹
Generator UCAP (MW), May 2008	F	---	9353	Generator DMNC values as of May 2008, adjusted for EFORD
SCRs (MW)	G	---	450	Footnote 3
Available UCAP MW (F+G)	H	---	9803	---
Default reference price, \$/kW-mo (E-H)/(E-D)	I	---	\$6.37	---
Sensitivity (\$/kW-mo)/100 MW	J	---	-\$0.89	Per ICAP/UCAP translation of demand curve ¹

Footnotes:

1. Available at
http://www.nyiso.com/public/webdocs/products/icap/auctions/Summer-2008/documents/DemandCurveSummer2008_FINAL_posting.pdf
2. Available at
https://www.nyiso.com/secure/webdocs/committees/oc/meeting_materials/2008-02-28/LocationalMinimumICAPRequirementsStudy.pdf
3. Estimate based on registered levels of 316 MW (April 2007), 446 MW (May 2007) and 357 MW (April 2008).



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