

Enhanced Fast-Start Pricing: Tariff Clarification Proposal for DAM

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Background



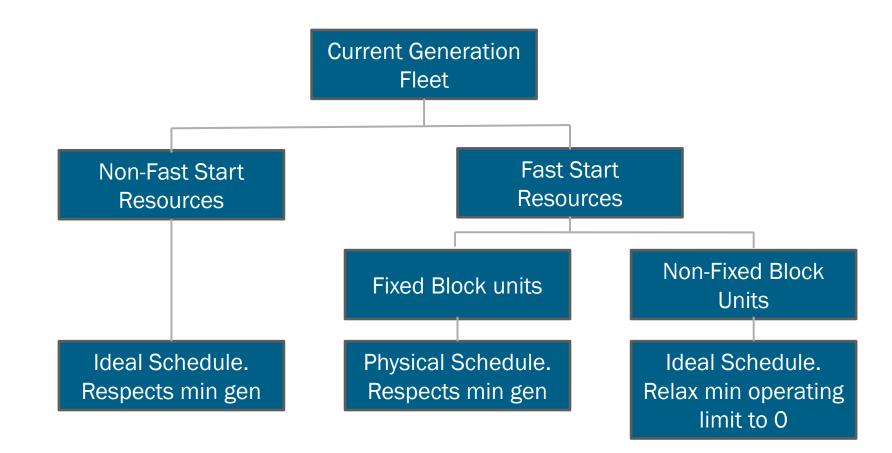
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Background

- In 2017 FERC issued an order for Fast Start Resources that would more accurately reflect the marginal cost of serving load in periods where Fast Start Resources are needed.
 - On April 18, 2019, FERC issued an Order concerning fast-start pricing in the NYISO's energy markets. FERC required the NYISO to:
 - 1. Modify pricing logic to allow fast-start resources' commitment costs (*i.e.*, start-up costs and no-load costs) to be reflected in prices; and
 - 2. Allow the relaxation of all dispatchable fast-start resources' economic minimum operating limits (or upper operating limits in case of pumping) by up to 100 percent for the purpose of setting prices.
- The NYISO implemented the enhanced fast start pricing on Dec. 15, 2020.







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- The Enhanced Fast-Start Pricing Project extended the units eligible for price setting that may include minimum generation and startup costs to all fast-start units, in addition to Fixed Block Units (GTs), therefore it may include units that can provide spinning reserve.
- Today, Non-Fixed Block Fast Start units receive ideal schedules in the DAM. There may be instances where these units receive schedules below their minimum generation level.



Proposed Clarifications

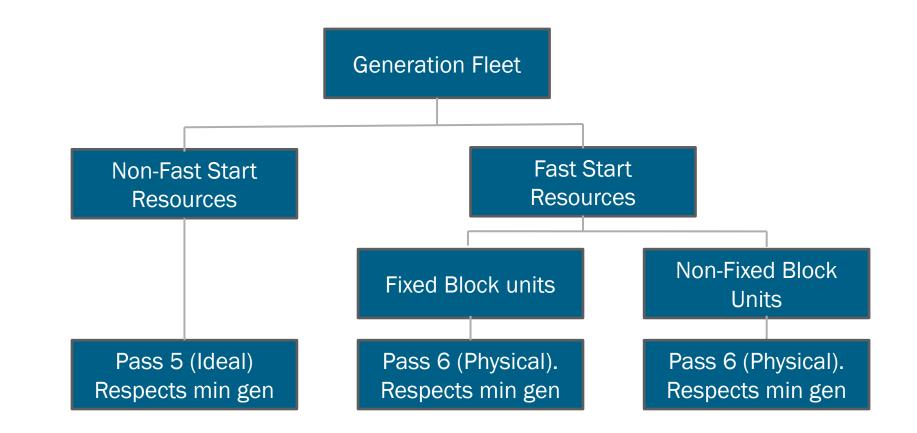


Draft Tariff Revisions: Summary

• MST 17.1.3

• Minor edits proposed to allow Fast Start Resources that are not Fixed Block Units to receive their physical schedule for the DAM. (Refer to attached Tariff draft)







Next Steps



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Next Steps

- Present to the MC at the end of January.
- Bundle the changes to the tariff with other changes the NYISO is considering and file at FERC following MC vote and NYISO BOD approval.
- Deploy changes after FERC accepts the proposed Tariff revisions.



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