

# California ISO Reference Material

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## General ISO and Market Knowledge

For those who would like to learn more about the ISO market in general, the below modules provide a high-level overview of the ISO itself, the Day-Ahead Market, and the Real-Time Market.

Module	Title
 CBT	Welcome to the ISO (45 minutes) <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/welcome-to-the-iso/WelcomeToTheISO.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/welcome-to-the-iso/WelcomeToTheISO.html</a>
 CBT	Day-Ahead Overview (25 minutes) <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/day-ahead-overview/Day-AheadOverview.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/day-ahead-overview/Day-AheadOverview.html</a>
 CBT	Real-Time Overview: (25 minutes) <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/real-time-overview/Real-TimeOverview.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/real-time-overview/Real-TimeOverview.html</a>
 Website	Department of Market Monitoring Annual and Quarterly Reports provide information on market activity and pricing along with analysis of trends. <a href="https://www.caiso.com/market/Pages/MarketMonitoring/AnnualQuarterlyReports/Default.aspx">https://www.caiso.com/market/Pages/MarketMonitoring/AnnualQuarterlyReports/Default.aspx</a>
 Website	Market Performance Reports provide granular reports on a daily/monthly basis on selected metrics such as energy prices, wind and solar forecast data compared to actuals, etc. <a href="http://www.caiso.com/Pages/documentsbygroup.aspx?GroupID=BA9489A9-1B4A-4D56-8AB2-DBE56269893D">http://www.caiso.com/Pages/documentsbygroup.aspx?GroupID=BA9489A9-1B4A-4D56-8AB2-DBE56269893D</a>





## Bidding in the ISO Markets




These modules provide information on the nuances of bidding in the ISO markets and how market prices are constructed.


Module	Title
 <b>CBT</b>	Economic Bids and Self-Schedules (45 minutes) <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/economic-bids-and-self-schedules/EconomicBidsandSelfSchedules.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/economic-bids-and-self-schedules/EconomicBidsandSelfSchedules.html</a>
 <b>CBT</b>	Market Pricing (35 minutes) <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/market-pricing/MarketPricing.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/market-pricing/MarketPricing.html</a>

## EDAM/DAME Reference Material

Here is a collection of links to additional information about the Extended Day-Ahead Market (EDAM) and the Day-Ahead Market Enhancements (DAME) initiative.

Module	Title
 <b>Website</b>	Extended Day-Ahead Market – Webpages  EDAM Overview: <a href="https://www.westerneim.com/Pages/ExtendedDayAheadMarket.aspx">https://www.westerneim.com/Pages/ExtendedDayAheadMarket.aspx</a>  Join EDAM: <a href="https://www.westerneim.com/Pages/ExtendedDayAheadMarketImplementation.aspx">https://www.westerneim.com/Pages/ExtendedDayAheadMarketImplementation.aspx</a>
 <b>Website</b>	Extended Day-Ahead Market – Policy Initiative Page <a href="https://stakeholdercenter.caiso.com/StakeholderInitiatives/Extended-day-ahead-market">https://stakeholdercenter.caiso.com/StakeholderInitiatives/Extended-day-ahead-market</a>
 <b>Website</b>	Day-Ahead Market Enhancements – Policy Initiatives Page <a href="https://stakeholdercenter.caiso.com/StakeholderInitiatives/Day-ahead-market-enhancements">https://stakeholdercenter.caiso.com/StakeholderInitiatives/Day-ahead-market-enhancements</a>
 <b>Website</b>	Greenhouse Gas Coordination Working Group <a href="https://stakeholdercenter.caiso.com/StakeholderInitiatives/Greenhouse-gas-coordination-working-group">https://stakeholdercenter.caiso.com/StakeholderInitiatives/Greenhouse-gas-coordination-working-group</a>

Energy Emergency Alert (EEA) Modules	
These modules provide insight into the ISO's Energy Emergency Alert (EEA) process.	
Module	Title
 <b>CBT</b>	Emergency Response and Abnormal Operations (15 minute) <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/emergency-response-and-abnormal-operations/EmergencyResponseAndAbnormalOperations.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/emergency-response-and-abnormal-operations/EmergencyResponseAndAbnormalOperations.html</a>
 <b>Video</b>	This Summer Readiness training video from 2023 outlines the EEA process (1 hour) <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x9-oR-OJ9bk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x9-oR-OJ9bk</a>
 <b>Video</b>	This short video (10 min) reviews the EEA transition the ISO made in 2022 <a href="https://www.caiso.com/CBT/CAISOSummerPreparedness2022/CAISO-Summer-Preparedness-2022.html">https://www.caiso.com/CBT/CAISOSummerPreparedness2022/CAISO-Summer-Preparedness-2022.html</a>

Library of Computer-Based Training Modules	
We have identified some key modules in the sections listed above. The full suite of learning modules is available in the CBT library in the ISO's Learning Center, organized into specific learning tracks. Here is a link to the complete CBT library.	
Module	Title
 <b>CBT</b>	ISO CBT Library <a href="https://www.caiso.com/participate/Pages/LearningCenter/ComputerBasedTraining.aspx">https://www.caiso.com/participate/Pages/LearningCenter/ComputerBasedTraining.aspx</a>