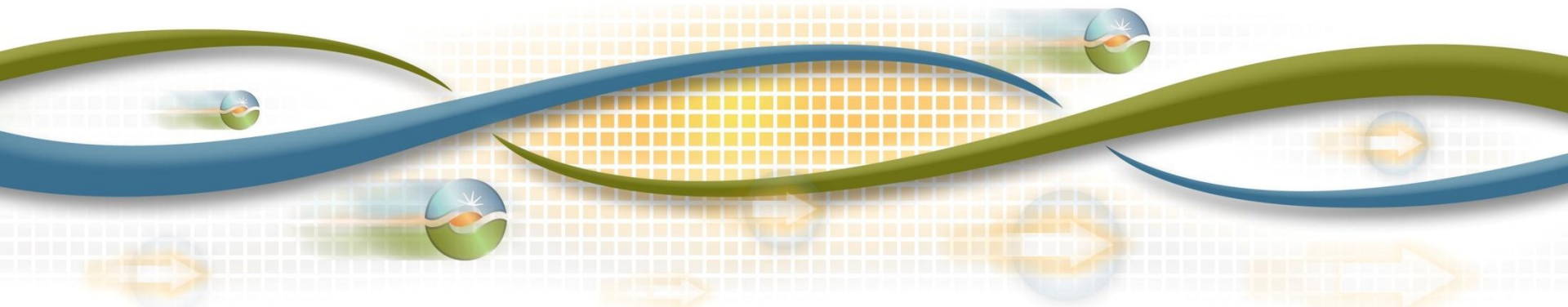




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# Energy Imbalance Market Technical Workshop

**Flexible Ramp Capacity Constraints**  
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# Overview

- Flexible ramp sufficiency test
- Flexible ramp capacity constraints
  - ◆ When flexible ramp sufficiency test fails
  - ◆ When flexible ramp sufficiency test passes

# Changes from Last Workshop

- Added a requirement credit in the flexible ramp sufficiency test for any net outgoing EIM transfer before the start of the hour
  - ◆ Outgoing EIM transfer can be reduced to meet flexible ramp capacity requirements
- Used available net import capability to reduce requirements in the flexible ramp capacity constraints instead of available intertie capacity
  - ◆ To allow loop flow through EIM Entity BAAs that fail the flexible ramp sufficiency test

# Flexible Ramp Sufficiency Test

- Performed for each EIM Entity BAA
  - ◆ After  $T-75'$ ,  $T-55'$ , and  $T-40'$  for the Trading Hour starting at  $T$
- Data used:
  - ◆ Initial schedules at  $T-7.5'$
  - ◆ EIM resources energy bids and ramp rates
  - ◆ 15' Flexible ramp requirements
    - reduced by any prorated EIM diversity benefit
    - reduced by any net outgoing EIM transfer at  $T-7.5'$
    - reductions limited by the available net import capability

# Flexible Ramp Sufficiency Test

- Cumulative test for meeting flexible ramp requirements for each 15' interval of the hour
  - ◆ 15' ramp from  $T-7.5'$  to  $T+7.5'$  (1<sup>st</sup> 15' interval)
  - ◆ 30' ramp from  $T-7.5'$  to  $T+22.5'$  (2<sup>nd</sup> 15' interval)
  - ◆ 45' ramp from  $T-7.5'$  to  $T+37.5'$  (3<sup>rd</sup> 15' interval)
  - ◆ 60' ramp from  $T-7.5'$  to  $T+52.5'$  (4<sup>th</sup> 15' interval)
- Test passes if all four cumulative tests pass
- Test fails if any of the four cumulative tests fail

# Flexible Ramp Capacity Constraints

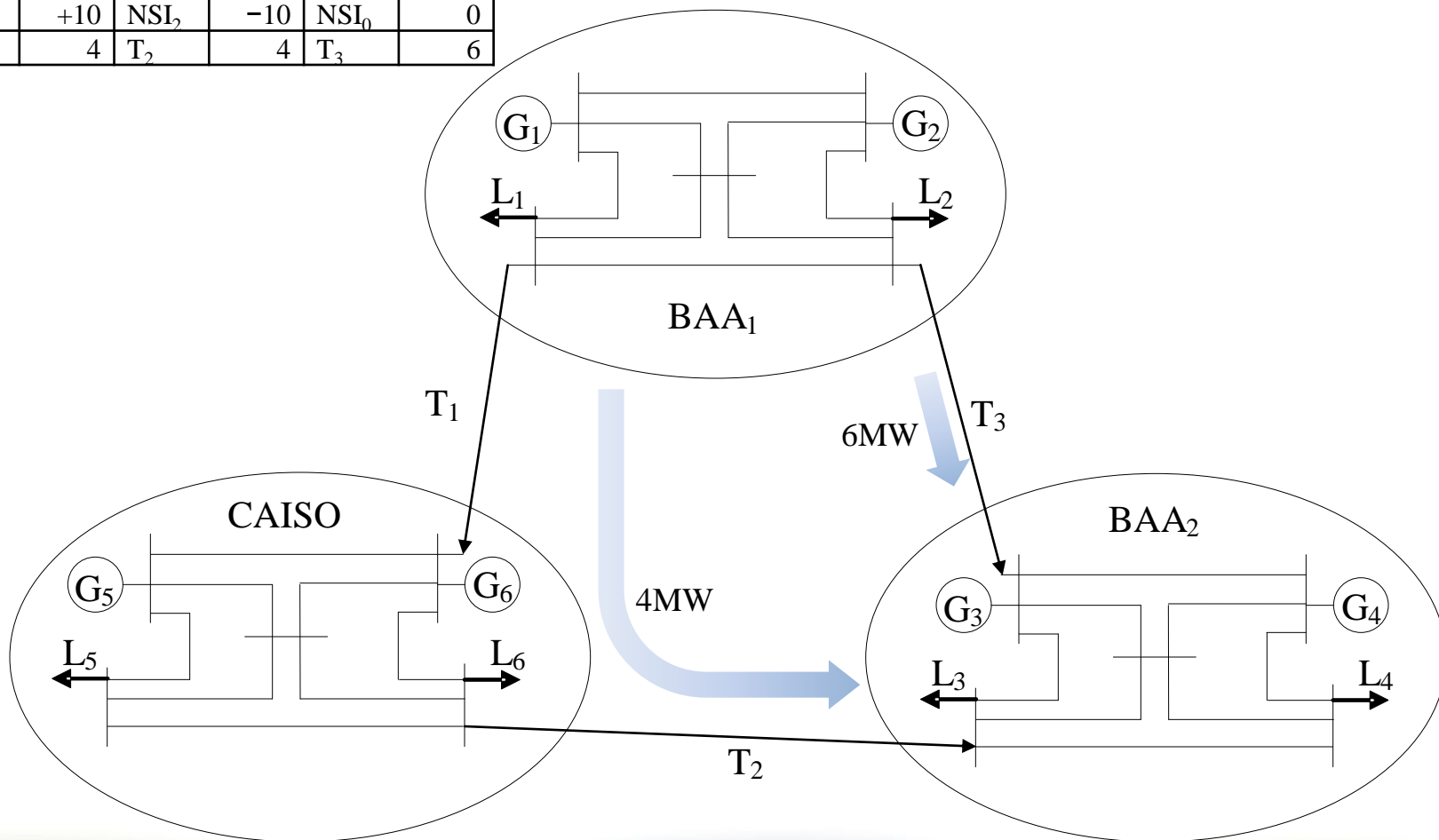
- EIM Entity BAA that fails the test
  - ◆ Excluded from group constraints
  - ◆ Net import interchange is capped at last 15-min schedule before the hour (at  $T-7.5'$ )
- EIM Entity BAAs that pass the test
  - ◆ Bottom-up hierarchical constraints for all BAA combinations
  - ◆ BAA group requirement is reduced by the **available net import capability** into the BAA group

# Example Assumptions

- CAISO BAA and two EIM Entity BAAs
- All interties rated at 10MW
- Two generators and two loads in each BAA
- Zero base schedules; no transmission losses
- Real-Time Unit Commitment run at  $T-37.5'$
- Only upward flexible ramp capacity
- Flexible ramp capacity requirement determined solely by demand forecast change

# Example

15' Schedules at $T-7.5'$					
BAA <sub>1</sub>		BAA <sub>2</sub>		CAISO	
G <sub>1</sub>	60	G <sub>3</sub>	10	G <sub>5</sub>	100
G <sub>2</sub>	50	G <sub>4</sub>	80	G <sub>6</sub>	100
L <sub>1</sub>	40	L <sub>3</sub>	30	L <sub>5</sub>	100
L <sub>2</sub>	60	L <sub>4</sub>	70	L <sub>6</sub>	100
NSL <sub>1</sub>	+10	NSL <sub>2</sub>	-10	NSL <sub>0</sub>	0
T <sub>1</sub>	4	T <sub>2</sub>	4	T <sub>3</sub>	6





# Available Flexible Ramp Capacity

BAA	Resource	Initial Schedule	UEL	Ramp Rate	15' FRC	30' FRC	45' FRC	60' FRC
BAA <sub>1</sub>	G <sub>1</sub>	60	100	1	15	30	40	40
	G <sub>2</sub>	50	100	1	15	30	45	50
	<i>Total</i>	110	200		30	60	85	90
BAA <sub>2</sub>	G <sub>3</sub>	10	100	1	15	30	45	60
	G <sub>4</sub>	80	100	1	15	20	20	20
	<i>Total</i>	90	200		30	50	65	80

# Case 1: Flexible Ramp Sufficiency Test Pass

BAA		T-7.5'	T+7.5'	T+22.5'	T+37.5'	T+52.5'
CAISO	Total CAISO load	200	220	210	200	190
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		20	10	0	0
BAA <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>1</sub> + L <sub>2</sub>	100	120	140	160	180
	EIM diversity benefit		0	0	0	-5
	Flexible ramp requirement credit		-10	-10	-10	-10
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		10	30	50	65
	Cumulative flexible ramp capacity		30	60	85	90
	Flexible ramp sufficiency test outcome			✓	✓	✓
BAA <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>3</sub> + L <sub>4</sub>	100	120	140	160	180
	EIM diversity benefit		0	0	0	-5
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		20	40	60	75
	Cumulative flexible ramp capacity		30	50	65	80
	Flexible ramp sufficiency test outcome			✓	✓	✓
EIM	Total EIM load	400	460	490	520	550
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		60	90	120	150
	Sum of BAA flexible ramp requirement		60	90	120	160

# Case 1: Flexible Ramp Capacity Constraints

## ■ For $T+7.5'$

- ◆  $FRC_0 \geq \max(0, FRR_0 - 20) = 0$
- ◆  $FRC_1 \geq \max(0, FRR_1 - 30) = 0$
- ◆  $FRC_2 \geq \max(0, FRR_2 - 10) = 10$
- ◆  $FRC_0 + FRC_1 \geq \max(0, FRR_{0,1} - 30) = 10$
- ◆  $FRC_0 + FRC_2 \geq \max(0, FRR_{0,2} - 10) = 30$
- ◆  $FRC_1 + FRC_2 \geq \max(0, FRR_{1,2} - 20) = 20$
- ◆  $FRC_0 + FRC_1 + FRC_2 \geq FRR_{0,1,2} = 60$

# Case 2: Flexible Ramp Sufficiency Test Fail

BAA		T-7.5'	T+7.5'	T+22.5'	T+37.5'	T+52.5'
CAISO	Total CAISO load	200	220	210	200	190
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		20	10	0	0
BAA <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>1</sub> + L <sub>2</sub>	100	120	140	160	180
	EIM diversity benefit		0	0	0	-5
	Flexible ramp requirement credit		-10	-10	-10	-10
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		10	30	50	65
	Cumulative flexible ramp capacity		30	60	85	90
	Flexible ramp sufficiency test outcome			✓	✓	✓
BAA <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>3</sub> + L <sub>4</sub>	100	120	150	170	180
	EIM diversity benefit		0	0	0	-5
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		20	50	70	75
	Cumulative flexible ramp capacity		30	50	65	80
	Flexible ramp sufficiency test outcome			✓	✓	✗
EIM	Total EIM load	400	460	500	530	550
	Cumulative flexible ramp requirement		60	100	130	150
	Sum of BAA flexible ramp requirement		60	100	130	160

# Case 2: Flexible Ramp Capacity Constraints

## ■ For $T+7.5'$

- ◆  $FRC_0 \geq \max(0, FRR_0 - 20) = 0$
- ◆  $FRC_1 \geq \max(0, FRR_1 - 30) = 0$
- ◆  $FRC_2 \geq FRR_2 = 20$
- ◆  $FRC_0 + FRC_1 \geq FRR_{0,1} = 40$
- ◆  $NSI_2 \geq -10$