



# PJM, TVA, LG&E/KU JRCA Updates

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Interconnection Analysis  
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- Existing Joint Reliability Coordination Agreement (JRCA) between PJM and TVA
- JRCA Updates:
  - Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) being added as new parties
  - JRCA updates will be presented and reviewed at the upcoming PJM Operating Committee on March 9
  - JRCA updates to Article Eight specifically (involving Coordinated System Planning activities) being reviewed here at today's Planning Committee

*(Note: Sections renumbered due to combination of old Articles 5 & 6 into new Article 5)*

- Article Eight – Coordinated Regional Transmission Expansion Planning
- Existing sections 9.2.8 and 9.2.9 deleted and being covered under sections 8.4.2 and 8.4.3 (coordination of interconnection requests and long-term firm transmission service requests)
- Section 8.4.2 – Analysis of Interconnection Requests – added details and criteria presently used to determine which requests are sent by the Direct Connect System to the other parties for determination of affected system impacts
- Section 8.4.3 – Analysis of Long-Term Firm Transmission Service Requests– added details and criteria presently used to determine which requests are sent by the Direct Connect System to the other parties for determination of affected system impacts
- Section 8.4.4 – Analysis for the Integration of Balancing Authority Areas - new section
  - Notify non-integrating Party(s) at least 6 months prior to expected effective integration date in order for non-integrating Party(s) to evaluate potential impacts on the non-integrating Party’s system
  - Parties will coordinate and negotiate in good faith to reach an agreement on any required system upgrades on the non-integrating Party’s system and the cost allocation of those upgrades
    - No cost allocation methodology was determined
    - Cost allocation subject to FERC acceptance based on Parties’ jurisdiction
  - If Parties cannot mutually agree, can seek Dispute Resolution per Article 11 of JRCA
- All other changes are clean-up clarifications

- March 9 – PJM Operating Committee - JRCA updates will be presented and reviewed
- March 20 – PJM Members Committee Webinar - JRCA updates will be presented and reviewed
- March 31 – target date to file revised JRCA

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