



# HSIM Update

Risk Management Committee  
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## BACKGROUND

### **Historical Simulation Initial Margin (HSIM) Model effective on Aug. 3, 2022.**

Six FTR monthly auctions and four long-term auctions have occurred since go live.

### **FTR Off-Peak Class Hours**

- Class type change became effective on Sept. 1, 2022, introducing DailyOffPeak (7x8) and WkndOnPeak (2x16).
- Starting with March auction (Feb. 10, 2023), HSIM day-ahead price history for these new class types is calculated from actual settled day-ahead prices for the respective hours replacing history generated from ratio to off-peak.

### **HSIM Back Testing**

- PJM performs regular back testing to assess the performance of HSIM model and robustness of PJM total FTR Credit Requirement.
- PJM has performed four back tests since go live.

# HSIM Back Testing Results

## MEMBER LEVEL

HSIM IM at T0 vs. Gain & Loss (Settled + MTA\_T2 - MTA\_T0)

Back Test Month:	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>BOPP (Monthly) Market Change:</b> MTA_T0 and MTA_T2 Calculation Dates	<b>AUCTION</b>			
	SEPT. → NOV.	OCT. → DEC.	NOV. → JAN.	DEC. → FEB.
	Aug. 25 → Oct. 25	Sept. 21 → Nov. 22	Oct. 25 → Dec. 22	Nov. 22 → Jan. 25
<b>Long-Term Market Change:</b> MTA_T0 and MTA_T2 Calculation Dates	2023/26 Long-Term Auction Round 2 → Round 4 Aug. 10 → Dec. 12	2023/26 Long-Term Auction Round 2 → Round 4 Aug.10 → Dec. 12	2023/26 Long-Term Auction Round 3 → Round 4* Oct. 12 → Dec. 12	2023/26 Long-Term Auction Round 3 → Round 4* Oct. 12 → Dec. 12
<b>Total Shortfall (\$M)</b>	<b>\$74</b>	<b>\$34</b>	<b>\$1</b>	<b>\$22</b>
Generation Owners	\$4	\$7	\$0	\$2
Electric Distributors	\$19	\$27	\$1	\$1
Transmission Owners				\$5
Others	\$51		\$0	\$14
<b>Total # of Members Participating</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>170</b>
<b>Total # of Members With Shortfall</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>
< 1 (\$ Million)	6	3	4	8
1-5 (\$ Million)	3	3	0	2
5-10 (\$ Million)	1	0	0	0
10 - 20 (\$ Million)	1	0	0	1
> 20 (\$ Million)	1	1	0	0
<b>Failure Rate</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>6%</b>

- Model back test compares Initial Margin value in the test month (T0) to portfolio losses within two auction periods.
  - Records a failure if loss between the two auction periods exceeded Initial Margin calculated in the test month (T0)
  - Analysis of results shows higher failure rates are mainly driven by price movements not previously captured in the price history.
  - Model cumulatively incorporates new price movements.
- \*Using Round 4 Long-Term Auction as Round 5 still pending at time of this report

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## MEMBER LEVEL

## HSIM Total Requirement vs. Settled + MTA\_T2

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	Aug. 10 → Dec. 12	Aug. 10 → Dec. 12	Oct. 12 → Dec. 12	Oct. 12 → Dec. 12
<b>Total Shortfall (\$M)</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1</b>	<b>\$1</b>	<b>\$17</b>
Generation Owners	\$0	\$1	\$0	\$2
Electric Distributors	\$0	\$0	\$1	\$1
Transmission Owners	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Others	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$14
<b>Total # of Members Participating</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>170</b>
<b>Total # of Members With Shortfall</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>
< 1 (\$ Million)	2	2	2	5
1–5 (\$ Million)				1
5–10 (\$ Million)				
10–20 (\$ Million)				1
> 20 (\$ Million)				
<b>Failure Rate</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>4%</b>

- Total requirements back test incorporates other FTR collateral components; MTA, ARR credits and \$0.10/MWh minimum, calculated in back test month.
- Compares total collateral held in T0 to the portfolio value two auction periods later
- Records a fail if total collateral requirement in T0 **is not** enough to cover a negative portfolio value at T2
- Results show a lower failure rate compared to the Initial-Margin-only test as it considers other components.

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HSIM Model working as expected based on these early back tests.

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PJM will continue to back test after each auction and determine need for future calibration, enhancements and improvements to the model.

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# Appendix

1. **Back Test month:** Back test assumes a member default occurs on the first day of this month.
2. **BOPP:** Balance of planning period
3. **Margin Period of Risk (MPOR)** is two auction periods; assumed time it takes to liquidate a defaulted portfolio
4. **MTA\_T0:** Is the Mark to Auction value of a portfolio at the time Initial Margin is calculated
5. **MTA\_T2:** Is the Mark to Auction value of a portfolio two periods later; assumed to be the liquidation value of open positions
6. **T0:** Time Zero; the HSIM calculation month for the back test assessment
7. **Failure rate:** Percentage of members whose portfolio value declines between the two auction periods exceeded the Initial Margin value in T0
8. **Shortfall:** The aggregate dollar amount of loss not covered by the Initial Margin
9. **Settled:** Refers to the value of transactions that have settled in the two months MPOR between T0 and T2



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