

### Applying EIM Greenhouse Gas Regulation Model to EDAM

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#### Overview

- Description of EIM GHG Regulation model
- Relevant California GHG Regulations
- Limitations
- Potential enhancements
- Application to EDAM
- Specific elements related to EDAM



#### California Greenhouse Gas Regulation

- California Air Resources Board (CARB) implements several regulations for GHG emissions
  - Cap-and-Trade Regulation
    - Declining cap on statewide GHG emissions
  - Mandatory Reporting Regulation
    - Annual reporting and verification of GHG emissions



# CARB's GHG Regulation needed to be addressed in EIM design

- Before EIM, generating resources in CISO BAA and import resources on CISO interties included GHG compliance costs in their energy bids
  - Still applicable in EIM, but must conform to the GHG Regulation Area (CA state boundary)
    - Current implementation aligns the CA GHG Regulation Area to the BAAs in CA (CISO, BANC, LDWP, and TID), which is not entirely accurate
- Imbalance energy from EIM resources outside CA
  - ◆ If it serves load outside CA, it is not subject to GHG regulation
  - ◆ If it is imported into CA, it is subject to GHG regulation



### GHG Regulation model in EIM





### Market optimization model changes for GHG Regulation in EIM

- Allow a GHG bid from EIM Participating Resources outside CA
- Introduce a new decision variable for each EIM Participating Resource outside CA: GHG attribution
- Add the GHG bid cost of the GHG attribution to the objective function
- Cap the GHG attribution by the dispatch and the difference between the Upper Economic Limit and the Base Schedule
- Fully allocate the CA import transfer to the GHG attributions of EIM Participating Resources outside CA



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### GHG Regulation Settlement in EIM

- Marginal GHG compliance cost is the shadow price of the CA import transfer allocation constraint
  - Zero if the net CA transfer is an export
- It becomes the 4<sup>th</sup> LMP component for locations outside CA
- GHG compliance revenue from net imbalance energy settlement due to the GHG price difference across the CA boundary
  - Paid to EIM Participating Resources outside CA for their GHG attribution
- Market Operator is revenue neutral



#### Secondary dispatch

- Primary dispatch is the counterfactual solution to EIM where BAA resources are dispatched to serve load only in their BAA
  - Base schedules are assumed to be the primal dispatch
- Secondary dispatch (emissions leakage), is the portion of EIM dispatch that backfills GHG attributions that are imported into CA
- The emission intensity of secondary dispatch may be higher than the emission intensity of GHG attributions
- EIM GHG Regulation model may not account for the full atmospheric effect of secondary dispatch



# Limiting and accounting for the atmospheric effects of secondary dispatch

- If all EIM dispatch is above base schedule, there is no secondary dispatch from the market perspective
- However, economic displacement may result in EIM dispatch below base schedule resulting in some secondary dispatch
- Capping the GHG attribution to the energy bid volume above Base Schedule reduces secondary dispatch
- CARB captures the atmospheric effect of EIM secondary dispatch:
  - ◆ EIM outstanding emission = CA EIM imports × unspecified emission factor ∑(EIM GHG attribution × respective resource-specific emission factor)
  - Assigned to UDCs pro-rata on retail load by reducing their freely allocated allowances



#### GHG Regulation model enhancements

- Current model aligns GHG Regulation Area with BAA boundaries
  - Issue: some resources belong to CISO or LDWP, but are located outside CA and should not be subject by default to GHG Regulation
  - Solution: separate the definition of GHG Regulation Area from BAAs; use GHG transfers into the GHG Regulation Area instead of BAA transfers
- Current model supports a single GHG Regulation Area
  - Issue: not scalable for GHG Regulation development in the West
  - Solution: expand the model for multiple non-overlapping GHG Regulation Areas, GHG bids, GHG attributions, and marginal GHG prices



## EDAM changes for applying the EIM GHG Regulation model

- Virtual supply schedules outside GHG Regulation Areas may contribute to net import transfers into GHG Regulation Areas, but they do not have GHG attributions
  - Solution: use physical GHG transfers where only GHG attributions contribute
- Settlement: day-ahead GHG attribution settlement followed by real-time GHG attribution deviation settlement
- GHG compliance: only real-time GHG attributions are reported



### EDAM counterfactual to limit secondary dispatch

#### There is no Base Schedule in EDAM

- Solution: use the RUC D+1 solution without RCU/RCD transfers from the previous day
  - Caveats: 2-day-ahead forecast; non-financially binding bids



