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## SCENARIO ASSESSMENT REPORT

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## 1 **1.0 Background & Purpose**

2 The purpose of this report is to summarize scenario assessments performed during WestConnect's

3 2018-19 Regional Transmission Planning Process ("Planning Process"). The Planning Subcommittee

4 ("PS") developed this report to document the assumptions, study methods, and findings from the

5 scenario assessments.

6 The <u>2018-19 WestConnect Regional Planning Study Plan</u> ("Study Plan") was approved by the PMC on

7 March 14, 2018. The Study Plan identifies the scope and schedule of activities to be conducted during

8 the planning cycle. In addition to describing the Base Case planning assessments used to identify

9 regional transmission needs, the Study Plan also describes information-only scenario studies that look

- 10 at alternate but plausible futures. Scenarios represent futures or system conditions with resource, load,
- 11 and public policy assumptions that are different in one or more ways than what is assumed in the Base
- 12 Cases.
- 13 Members or stakeholders propose scenarios for consideration in the WestConnect planning process
- 14 through an open submittal window, as outlined in the WestConnect Business Practice Manual.
- 15 WestConnect held the open window from December 1, 2017 through January 5, 2018. Several proposed
- 16 scenarios were received and subsequently reviewed by the PS during public meetings on January 19,
- 17 2018 and on February 13, 2018. During the meetings, the PS discussed the proposed scenarios, member
- 18 feedback, and the number of scenarios that would be appropriate to study. These conversations led to
- 19 the inclusion of two scenarios in the final Study Plan: a Load Stress scenario and a CAISO Export Stress
- 20 scenario. Both scenarios are reliability assessments. The purpose of the Load Stress scenario is to test
- 21 the robustness of the Base Transmission Plan against significant unforeseen load growth. The intent of
- 22 the CAISO Export scenario is to evaluate the reliability of the WestConnect regional system during
- 23 conditions in which physical power flows from the CAISO to WestConnect during CAISO overgeneration
- 24 conditions.

## 25 **2.0** Study Scope

26 The PS finalized the study scopes and developed the models required to complete the two scenario

assessments. The table below summarizes each scenario and the core questions that the studies weredesigned to investigate.

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#### Table 1: Scenario Case Descriptions & Core Questions

Scenario	Description of Case	Core Questions to Investigate
Load Stress	The WestConnect-approved 2028 Heavy Summer Base Case conforming loads were scaled for each TOLSO based on feedback received during the scenario development process and the generation- load gap was filled with existing generator capacity not already dispatched in the Base Case. In one area,	How robust is the Base Transmission Plan when peak load is higher than expected?

Scenario	Description of Case	Core Questions to Investigate
	renewable capacity was added and dispatched to meet the load increase.	
CAISO Export	Using the WestConnect-approved 2028 Production Cost Model ("PCM"), a power flow snapshot was developed based on system conditions identified for Hour 15 on June 18 <sup>th</sup> . This hour was selected by the PS during the January 15, 2019, meeting as a system condition representative of high CAISO export to WestConnect. The CAISO export to WestConnect was approximately 6,280 MW during that hour. <sup>1</sup>	During high export conditions from the CAISO to WestConnect, how reliable is the WestConnect regional transmission system?

- 1 The PS decided to perform both steady-state and transient stability contingency analysis on the
- 2 scenarios. These assessments were performed using reliability standards adopted by the North
- 3 American Electric Reliability Corporation <u>TPL-001-4 Table 1</u> (P0 and P1) and <u>TPL-001-WECC-CRT-3.1</u>
- 4 (Transmission System Planning Performance WECC Regional Criterion), and supplemented with any
- 5 more stringent Transmission Owner with Load Serving Obligations ("TOLSO") planning criteria based
- 6 on TOLSO member feedback.
- 7 Contingency definitions for the steady-state contingency analysis were limited to N-1 contingencies for
- 8 elements 230kV and above, generator step-up ("GSU") transformers for generation with at least 200 MW
- 9 capacity, and member-requested N-2 contingencies. All bulk electric system (BES) branches and buses
- 10 in the WECC model were monitored with violation reports filtered to exclude branch flows that
- 11 increased less than 1% and voltage decline less than 0.5%.
- The following contingencies were evaluated in the transient stability simulations for both scenario BaseCases:



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The CAISO Export to WestConnect interface was defined using all monitored "seam" branches between the CAISO and WestConnect Load Areas in the PCM. The flow on unmonitored and non-BES "seam" branches was not included in the interface definition.



- 7 The dynamic data needed to support the transient stability simulations was sourced from the
- 8 WestConnect 2028 Heavy Summer Base Case.
- 9 System performance issues impacting or between more than one TOLSO Member system were identified
- 10 for further review by the PS. Local issues were reported and provided to members for informational
- 11 purposes. The local issues were not the focus of this assessment.

#### 12 **3.0 Load Stress Scenario**

#### 13 **3.1 Assumptions, Modeling and Study Techniques**

14 The Load Stress Study was designed to tests the robustness of the Base Transmission Plan against 15 increases in system load. The Load Stress Base Case was developed by scaling load conditions modeled 16 in the 2028 Heavy Summer Base Case to higher load levels as specified by TOLSOs during the case 17 development phase. The generation-load gap created by the load increase was filled with existing 18 generator capacity not already dispatched in the Base Case, with one expectation. In the PNM area 19 renewable capacity was added and dispatched to meet the load increase. The transmission topology did 20 not change from the Base Case and reflected the 2018-19 Base Transmission Plan additions. Detailed 21 load, import, and generator dispatch assumptions are provided in the table below.

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	2028 Heavy Summer Base Case	2028 Load Stress Scenario	Change
Load (MW) <sup>2</sup>	65,274	69,348	Increased 6.24%
Import/Export (MW)	Export: 2,438	Export: 1,853	Decreased 24.0%
Generation Dispatch (MW)	Thermal: 53,179 Hydro: 6,902	Thermal: 55,596 Hydro: 7,022	Increased 5.15%

Table 2: High Load Stress Scenario Assumptions for WestConnect Region

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  Represents the system coincident peak for a heavy summer conditions between the hours of 1500 to 1700 MDT during the months of June – August.

	2028 Heavy Summer Base Case	2028 Load Stress Scenario	Change
	Wind/Solar: 5,637	Wind/Solar: 6,350	
	Other: 1,994	Other: 2,233	
	Total: 67,712	Total: 71,200	
Transmission	2018-19 Base Trai	nsmission Plan	No change

After case development was completed, the reliability assessment described in Section 2.0 was
 performed.

#### 4 3.2 Study Results

Results from the assessment are provided in Appendix A. The results include 15 voltage issues on multiowner systems. The multi-owner issues that were identified were geographically isolated issues. None
of the multi-owner issues indicate deficiencies in the Base Transmission Plan. There were single-owner

#### 8 system issues, all of which the PS determined to be local issues and not regional in nature.

#### 9 **3.3 Summary of Findings**

10 The Load Stress scenario did not materially impact regional-level flows. Average branch loading

11 increased by roughly 1% when compared to the 2028 Heavy Summer Case. Contingency analysis

12 identified few multi-owner voltage issues. These multi-owner issues are informational, radial in nature,

13 and do not indicate deficiencies in the Base Transmission Plan. Therefore, the study results indicate that

14 the Base Transmission Plan is sufficiently robust under higher than expected load conditions.

### 15 **4.0 CAISO Export Stress Scenario**

#### 16 4.1 Assumptions, Modeling and Study Techniques

17 The CAISO Export Stress scenario tests the reliability of the WestConnect regional system under a 18 condition in which power flows from the CAISO region into WestConnect. Today and historically, net 19 flow is almost always from WestConnect into the CAISO. This is especially true on the major interfaces 20 between California and Arizona, including Path 46 (West of River) and Path 49 (East of River), which 21 flow in the east-to-west direction. As the CAISO adds more solar onto its system, certain conditions 22 cause the CAISO system to have more generation than it needs, particularly in light-load conditions in 23 the spring and fall. This creates the opportunity for economic (transactional) exports out of the CAISO 24 into WestConnect, as well as physical exports of power (i.e., actual power flow, which are different than 25 energy transactions).

26 The CAISO Export Stress scenario was based on conditions observed in the WestConnect 2028 Base Case 27 economic model. The modeling results were filtered for hours in which there were power flows from the

June 19, 2019

- 1 CAISO into WestConnect. In total, the export condition was observed in 13% of the hours in the study
- 2 2028 year. The PS focused on a review of hours in which both (1) exports from the CAISO to
- 3 WestConnect are high, and (2) flows west-to-east across Path 49 and Path 46 are high. The following
- 4 table identifies the condition selected by the PS for study: Hour 15 of June 18<sup>th</sup>. During this condition,
- 5 flows from the CAISO to WestConnect are 6,284 MW and flows on Path 46 and Path 49 are in the west-
- 6 to-east direction at 4,231 MW and 5,463 MW, respectively.<sup>3</sup>
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Table 3: June 18th Hour 15 Flows from the CAISO to WestConnect

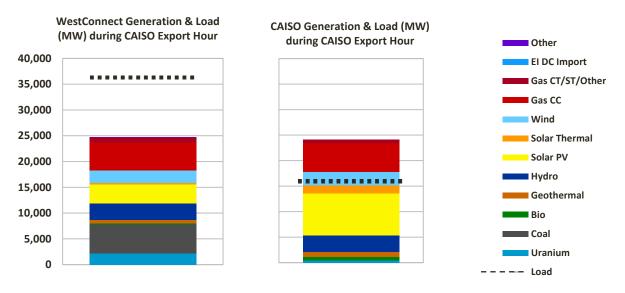
		Flow (MW)				
Date	Hour	P46 [E->W]	P49 [E->W]	CAISO Export to WC (Approx.)		
6/18/2028	15	-4,231	-5,463	6,284		

8 The simulated WestConnect and the CAISO load levels and generation dispatch are summarized in the

9 figures below. The gap between the load and the top of the generation stack represents imports into the

10 given region. When the stack is above the load level, this represents exports.

#### 11 Figure 1: WestConnect & the CAISO Load & Generation During Selected CAISO Export on June 18th Hour 15



- 12 The transmission topology did not change from the Base Case assessments and reflects the 2018-19
- 13 Base Transmission Plan additions. The seed case was the approved WestConnect 2028 Heavy Summer
- 14 Base Case. The load, imports, and generator dispatch assumptions are provided below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Not that the interface between the CAISO and WestConnect was defined as all monitored seam branches between the CAISO and WestConnect Load Areas. This means that branches between WestConnect loads in California and the CAISO were included in the interface. Non-bulk system branches and unmonitored branches were not included in the seam.

Table 4: CAISO Export Scenario Assumptions for WestConnect Region

	2028 Heavy Summer Base Case	2028 CAISO Export Scenario	Delta
Load (MW)	65,2744	35,8725	Decreased 54.96%
Import/Export (MW)	Export: 2,438	Import: 7,273	Switch from net export to net import (354.67% change)
Generation Dispatch (MW)	Thermal: 53,179 Hydro: 6,902 Wind/Solar: 5,637 Other: 1,994 Total: 67,712	Thermal: 18,621 Hydro: 3,187 Wind/Solar: 6,120 Other: 671 Total: 28,599	Decreased 42.24%
Transmission	2018-19 Base Transmis	ssion Plan	No change

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After initial case development was completed, the reliability assessment described in Section 2.0 was
 performed.

#### 5 4.2 Study Results

Results from the assessment are provided in Appendix B. The results include 6 branch overloads and 9
 voltage issues on multi-owner transmission. The thermal branch overloads were located in the Colorado
 and Wyoming area. Single-system issues were reviewed and the PS determined that these single-system

9 issues were not regional in nature.

#### 10 4.3 Summary of Findings

11 The case development was successful in that a CAISO export condition was identified in the

12 WestConnect 2028 Economic Base Case, and this condition was replicated in reliability models in terms

13 of load, generation dispatch, and system flows. Reliability analysis of the condition identified several

14 multi-owner voltage issues that can be easily addressed through system adjustments. The analysis also

15 identified a few thermal overloads in the Colorado area, but these issues are remote from the CAISO-

16 WestConnect interface(s) and are caused by flows occurring in entirely new directions than what is

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Represents the system coincident peak for a heavy summer conditions between the hours of 1500 to 1700 MDT during the months of June – August.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Note that this load forecast is based on 1-in-2 load forecasts contained in the production cost model. The 2028 Heavy Summer Base case is based on 1-in-10 load forecasts. This discrepancy accounts for a portion of the load differential between the two cases.

- 1 observed historically. At a high-level, the scenario does not significantly stress the regional transmission
- 2 system beyond levels identified in the Base Cases and the regional system is robust during CAISO export
- 3 conditions.

### **5.0** Appendix A: Load Stress Reliability Assessment Results

Issues are related to facility loadings or voltage. Transmission elements are typically rated in Amps, transformers in MVA, and voltage in per unit (pu).

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#### Disturbance(s) Affected Element [Multiple if Base Value under Case affected Owner/ Affected Comment (Worst) Limit Issue PF elements were Operator Element Disturbance the same] MONTANOT -PNM: PNM has plans to uprate this line Line PNM CLAREMNT Overload segment in the 10-year planning horizon. 115kV Line #1 Load PNM's P1 ( Stress PRAGER -Line PNM: PNM has plans to uprate this line PNM MONTANOT Overload segment in the 10-year planning horizon. 115kV Line #1 CACTUS - OCO Line APS: APS has conceptual projects identified to APS N 230kV Line address this overload Overload Load APS's P1 ( #1 Stress OCO C - OCO N APS: APS has conceptual projects identified to Line APS 230kV Line #1 Overload address this overload MESQUIT1 Load 500/230kV Transformer SRP's P1 ( SRP Stress Transformer Overload #1 MESQUIT1 500/230kV Transformer Load SRP's P1 ( mitigated by SRP SRP: Stress Transformer Overload #1 MESQUIT2 500/230kV Transformer Load SRP's P1 ( SRP Stress Transformer Overload #2

Table 5: Load Stress Reliability Assessment Contingency Analysis

	Disturbance(s) [Multiple if affected elements were the same]			Affected Elemen			
Base Case PF		Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	Comment
Load Stress	SRP's P1 (	SRP	MESQUIT2 500/230kV Transformer #2			Transformer Overload	SRP: mitigated by
Load Stress	SRP's P1 (	SRP	PAPAGOBT - KYR-EAST 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	SRP: SRP's latest TPL assessment says that we will upgrade the line, but since this is far into the future the mitigation has not been fully vetted. If we upgrade everything (conductor, line drops, crossbay) the new ratings go up to continuous and compared emergency.
Load Stress	NVE's P1 (	NVE	MEAD N - ARDEN 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	NVE: The rating is limited by <b>WALC</b> , which is to be replaced by WALC in 2019; after that rating will be <b>WALC</b> (conductor) that would mitigate this overload
Load Stress	NVE's P1 (	NVE	MEAD N - ARDEN 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	NVE: same as above
Load Stress	NVE's P1 (	NVE	TOLSON 230/138kV Transformer #1			Transformer Overload	NVE: Magnolia 230/138 XF #2 (in-service 2020), will mitigate; also can be mitigated by
Load Stress	LADWP's P1 (	LADWP	VELASCO - HAY N 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	LADWP: Mitigated by
Load Stress	LADWP's P1 (	LADWP	TOLHOL11 - HOLYWD_E 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	LADWP: Mitigated by
Load Stress	CSU's P1 (	CSU	KELKER N - RD_NIXON 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	
Load Stress	AEPCO's P1 (	AEPCO	KARTCHNR 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	

	Disturbance(s)			Affected Elemen			
Base Case PF	[Multiple if affected elements were the same]	Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	Comment
Load	WAPA's P1	APS	GAVILNPK 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	
Stress	(	WAPA	GAVLINWA 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	
		LADWP	SYLMAR S 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
		LADWP	WLMNTNLD 138kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
Load Stress	LADWP's P1	LADWP	SYLMAR1 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
		LADWP	SYL PF BUS 1 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
		LADWP	SYL PF BUS 2 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
Load	Multiple LADWP	LADWP	ROSAMOND 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
Stress	P1's ()	LADWP	SO_PPA_21SU B 230kV Bus			Low Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
Load	EPE's P1 (	EPE	CHAPARAL - ORO_GRAN 115kV Line #1			Line Overload	EPE: An expected line rating uprate for this line by Summer of 2020 will eliminate this issue. TSGT: If TSGT saw a sudden increase in loads forecasted for this area, TSGT would plan for these issues. This issue does not appear in TSGT's 10-year TPL study.
Stress		EPE	ALA_5 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	AMRAD 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.

	Disturbance(s)			Affected Elemen			
Base Case PF	[Multiple if affected elements were the same]	Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	Comment
		EPE	AMRAD 345kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	HOLLOMAN 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	LARGO 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	MAR 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	WHITE_SA 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		TSGT	ALAMOGPG 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		TSGT	BLAZER_T 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		TSGT	C_CANYON 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.

	Disturbance(s)			Affected Element			
Base Case PF	[Multiple if affected elements were the same]	Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	Comment
		ΡΝΜ	ALAMOGCP 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM, & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		ΡΝΜ	GAVILAN 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		PNM	RUIDOSO 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		PNM	TULAROSA 115kV Bus			Low Voltage	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	AMRAD 345kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	AMRAD_B 345kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	ALA_5 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.

	Disturbance(s)			Affected Elemer			
Base Case PF	[Multiple if affected elements were the same]	Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	Comment
		EPE	HOLLOMAN 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	MAR 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		EPE	WHITE_SA 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		TSGT	BLAZER_T 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		TSGT	C_CANYON 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		TSGT	JARILLA1 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		PNM	ALAMOGCP 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.

	Disturbance(s)			Affected Elemen			
Base Case PF	[Multiple if affected elements were the same]	Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	lssue	Comment
		PNM	GAVILAN 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		PNM	RUIDOSO 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.
		ΡΝΜ	TULAROSA 115kV Bus			High % V Decrease	EPE, PNM & TSGT: This result is consistent with the Base Case. As load increases more voltage support is needed.

## **6.0** Appendix B: CAISO Export Reliability Assessment Results

Issues are related to facility loadings or voltage. Transmission elements are typically rated in Amps, transformers in MVA, and voltage in per-unit (pu).

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#### Table 6: CAISO Export Reliability Assessment Contingency Analysis

Base Case	Disturbance(s) [Multiple if affected elements were the same]			Affected Elemen	Comment		
PF		Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	
	WAPA's P1 (	WAPA	ROGSWAPA - PINPK 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	
	WAPA's P1 (	WAPA	ROGSWAPA - PINPK 230kV Line #2			Line Overload	
	PSCO's P1 (	BEPC SAWN	DAVEJOHN - SAWMILLCK 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo: Results are due to loss of <b>second</b> in power flow model, which does not accurately reflect governor action of other generation units.
CAISO Export			SAWMILLCK - LAR.RIVR 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	BEPC: The noted overload on the LRS-Sawmill Crk-DJ 230 kV line for the n-1 outage of <b>Sector</b> is due to the additional wind that PacifiCorp has added around DJ. The overload would be mitigated pre-contingent via the WECC Unscheduled Flow Mitigation plan.
	BEPC's P1 (	BEPC	DAVEJOHN - SAWMILLCK 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	BEPC: The noted overload on the LRS-Sawmill Crk-DJ 230 kV line for the n-1 outage of <b>Sector</b> is due to the additional wind that PacifiCorp has added around DJ. The overload would be mitigated pre-contingent via the WECC Unscheduled Flow Mitigation plan.

Base Case	Disturbance(s) [Multiple if affected elements were the same]			Affected Elemen	Comment		
PF		Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	
	BEPC's P1 (	BEPC	DAVEJOHN - SAWMILLCK 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	BEPC: The noted overload on the LRS-Sawmill Crk-DJ 230 kV line for the n-1 outage of side is due to the additional wind that PacifiCorp has added around DJ. The overload would be mitigated pre-contingent via the WECC Unscheduled Flow Mitigation plan.
			SAWMILLCK - LAR.RIVR 230kV Line #1			Line Overload	BEPC: The noted overload on the LRS-Sawmill Crk-DJ 230 kV line for the n-1 outage of side to the additional wind that PacifiCorp has added around DJ. The overload would be mitigated pre-contingent via the WECC Unscheduled Flow Mitigation plan.
CAISO Export	WAPA's P1 (	DG&T	RANGELY - CALAMRDG 138kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo & TSGT: CAISO Export round trip resulted in unprecedented west-east flows through Colorado. The WECC TOT1A path limit is not defined in this direction due to the unrealistic nature of these flows. Additional local studies may be needed should the flows in the scenario occur in Base Case studies.
		('s P1 ) TSGT	MEEKER - W.RV.CTY 138kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo & TSGT: CAISO Export round trip resulted in unprecedented west-east flows through Colorado. The WECC TOT1A path limit is not defined in this direction due to the unrealistic nature of these flows. Additional local studies may be needed should the flows in the scenario occur in Base Case studies.
			W.RV.CTY - CALAMRDG 138kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo & TSGT: CAISO Export round trip resulted in unprecedented west-east flows through Colorado. The WECC TOT1A path limit is not defined in this direction due to the unrealistic nature of these flows. Additional local studies may be needed should the flows in the scenario occur in Base Case studies.
		LADWP	INT PF BUS 2 345kV Bus			High Voltage	

Base Case	Disturbance(s) [Multiple if affected elements were the same]			Affected Eleme	Comment		
PF		Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	
	PSCO's P1 (	PSCO	HOPKINS - BASALT 115kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo: CAISO Export round trip resulted in unprecedented west-east flows through Colorado. Additional local studies may be needed should the flows in the scenario occur in Base Case studies.
	PSCO's P1 (	PSCO	HOPKINS - BASALT 115kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo: CAISO Export round trip resulted in unprecedented west-east flows through Colorado. Additional local studies may be needed should the scenario become plausible.
CAISO	WAPA's P1 (	PSCO	PONCHA - SMELTER 115kV Line #1			Line Overload	PSCo: CAISO Export round trip resulted in unprecedented west-east flows through Colorado. Additional local studies may be needed should the flows in the scenario occur in Base Case studies.
Export	WAPA's P1 (	WAPA	SANJN PS - WATRFLW 345kV PST #1			PST Overload	WACM: Overloads on Phase Shifting Transformers. Change angles on transformers at and at and a.
	WAPA's P1 (	WAPA	SANJN PS - WATRFLW 345kV PST #2			PST Overload	WACM: Overloads on Phase Shifting Transformers. Change angles on transformers at <b>and at the second</b> .
	SRP's P1 (	SRP	PERKINS 500kV Bus			High Voltage	SRP: The line reactor at <b>sector</b> is off in the base case. This reactor is normally in-service. Modeling the line reactor as in-service mitigates the high voltage concern.

Base Case PF	Disturbance(s) [Multiple if affected elements were the same]			Affected Elemer	Comment		
		Owner/ Operator	Affected Element	Value under (Worst) Disturbance	Limit	Issue	
			INTERMT 345kV Bus			High Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
	IPA's P1 (	IPA	INTERMTX 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
			INTERMTY 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
		LADWP	INT PF BUS 1 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
			INT PF BUS 2 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
			INT PF BUS 3 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
CAISO			INT PF BUS 4 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
Export			SOL2SUB 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
			SOL1SUB 345kV Bus			High Voltage	
	LADWP's P1 (	LADWP	MARKETPL 500kV Bus			High Voltage	
			MKTPSVC 500kV Bus			High Voltage	LADWP: Mitigated by
			COPPMTN3 500kV Bus			High Voltage	
	LADWP'S P1 (	LADWP	INT PF BUS 2 345kV Bus			High Voltage	LADWP: This element is a <b>credible contingency</b> . This is not a
			SOL1SUB 345kV Bus			High Voltage	LADWP: This element is a <b>second</b> . This is not a credible contingency.