

ERCOT Monthly Operational Overview (July 2025)

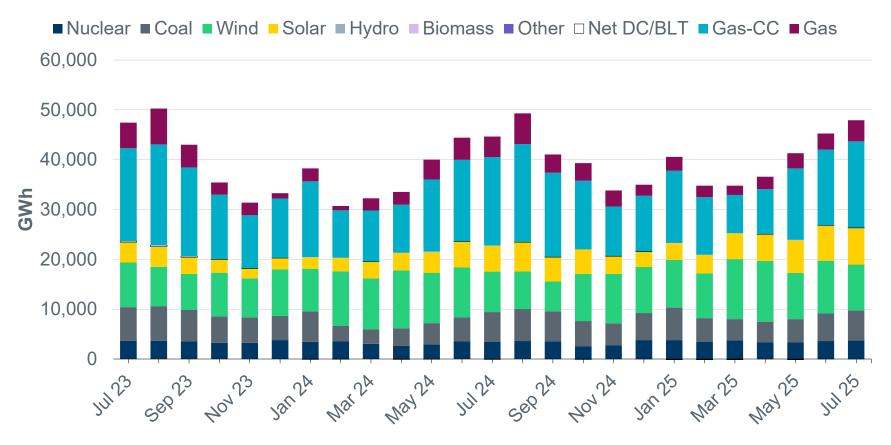
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Highlights, Records and Notifications

- ERCOT's maximum peak demand for the month of July was 81,707 MW* on 7/30/25; this is 662 MW more than the July 2024 demand of 81,045 MW set on 7/1/24.
- ERCOT issued 0 notifications in July 2025



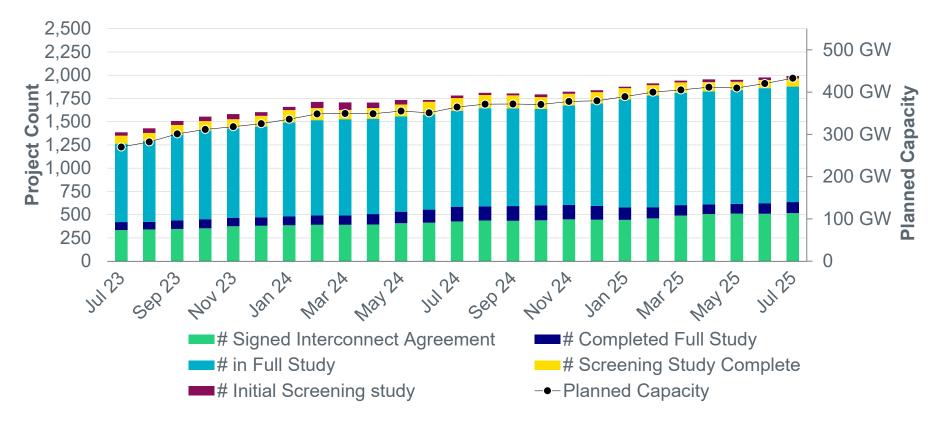
Monthly energy generation increased by 7.4% year-over-year to 47,848 GWh in July 2025, compared to 44,556 GWh in July 2024





Generation Interconnection activity by project phase

(Excludes capacity associated with projects designated as Inactive per Planning Guide Section 5.2.5)

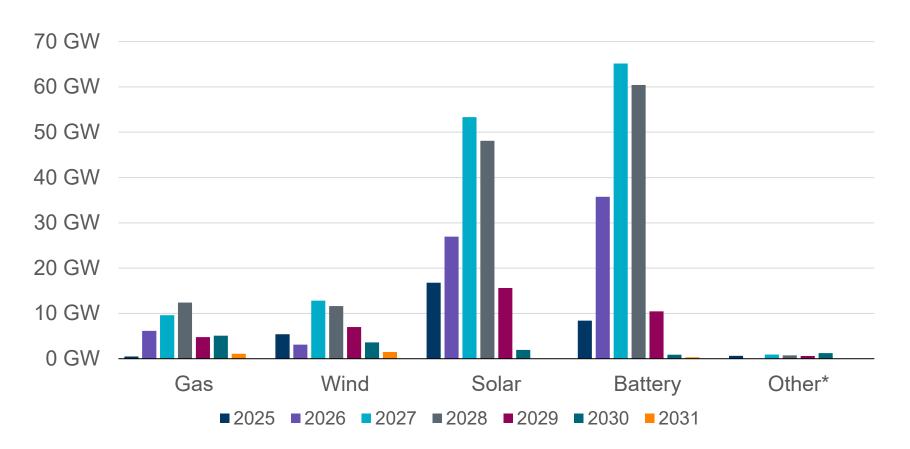


- There are an additional 52 "Small Generator" projects totaling 484 MW that are going through the simplified interconnection process.
- A break-out by fuel type can be found in the monthly Generator Interconnection Status (GIS) reports available on the ERCOT Resource Adequacy Page: http://www.ercot.com/gridinfo/resource



Interconnection Queue Capacity by Fuel Type

Queue totals: Solar 163 GW (37.6%), Wind 45 GW (10.4%), Gas 40 GW (9.1%), Battery 181 GW (41.9%), Other 4 GW (0.9%) (Excludes capacity associated with projects designated as Inactive per Planning Guide Section 5.2.5)



A break-out by zone can be found in the monthly Generator Interconnection Status (GIS) reports available on the ERCOT Resource Adequacy Page: http://www.ercot.com/gridinfo/resource



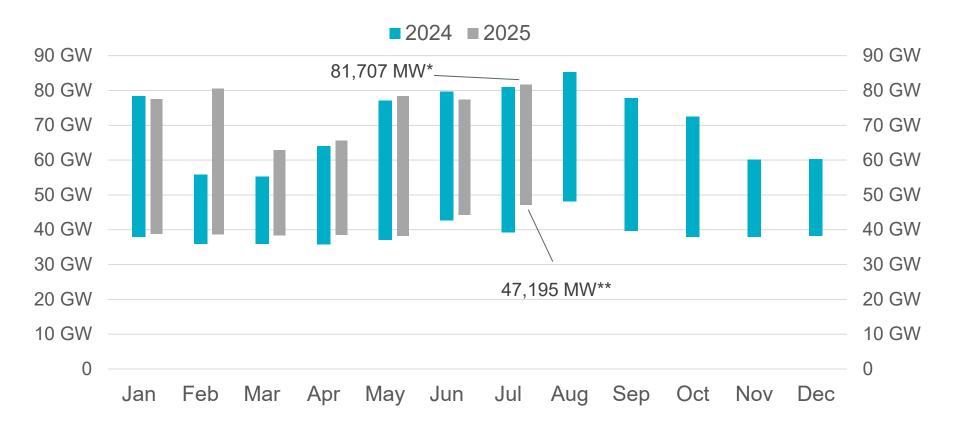
^{*} Other includes petroleum coke (pet coke), hydroelectric, fuel oil, Nuclear, geothermal energy, other miscellaneous fuels reported by developers, and fuel cells that use fuels other than natural gas.

Planning Summary

- ERCOT is tracking 2,066 active generation interconnection requests totaling 432,804 MW as of July 31. This includes 162,703 MW of solar, 45,048 MW of wind, 181,394 MW of battery, and 39,558 MW of gas projects; 126 projects were categorized as inactive, up from 122 inactive projects in June 2025.
- ERCOT is currently reviewing proposed transmission improvements with a total estimated cost of \$13.781 billion as of July 31, 2025.
- Transmission Projects endorsed in 2025 total \$2.389 billion as of July 31, 2025.
- All projects (in engineering, routing, licensing and construction) total approximately \$16.866 billion as of February 1, 2025.
- Transmission Projects energized in 2025 total approximately \$1.354 billion as of June 1, 2025.
- Transmission Projects planned to energize during the remainder of 2025 total approximately \$2.970 billion as of June 1, 2025.



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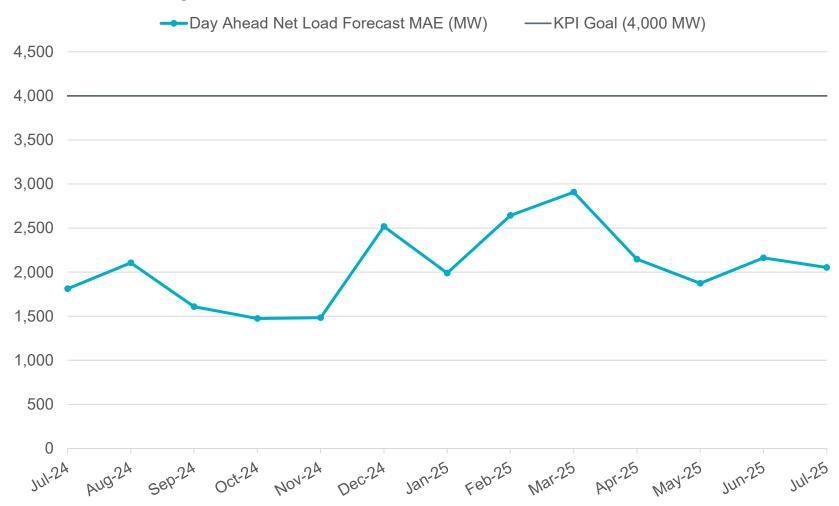
^{*}Based on the maximum net system hourly value from the July 2025 Demand and Energy report.

^{**}Based on the minimum net system 15-minute interval value from the July 2025 Demand and Energy report. Data for latest two months are based on preliminary settlements.



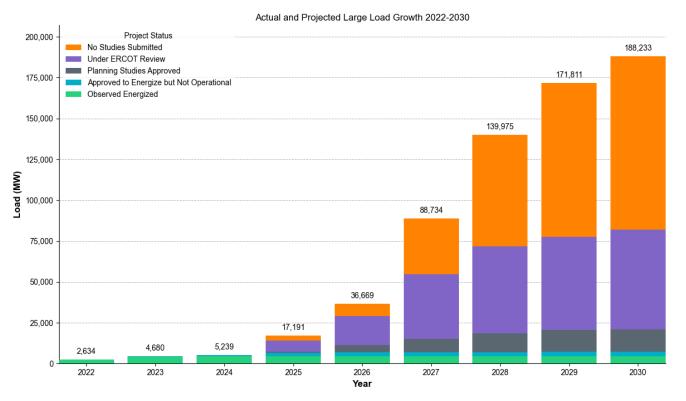
Net Load Forecast Performance

Day Ahead Net Load Forecast - Mean Absolute Forecast Error





Current Large Load Interconnection Queue



| | _ | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Project Status | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | 2027 | 2028 | 2029 | 2030 |
| No Studies Submitted | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,047 | 7,640 | 33,862 | 68,038 | 94,288 | 106,247 |
| Under ERCOT Review | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6,772 | 17,644 | 39,740 | 53,199 | 57,035 | 60,858 |
| Planning Studies Approved | 0 | 0 | 0 | 674 | 4,535 | 8,282 | 11,888 | 13,338 | 13,978 |
| Approved to Energize but Not Operational | 0 | 569 | 623 | 2,082 | 2,234 | 2,234 | 2,234 | 2,534 | 2,534 |
| Observed Energized | 2,634 | 4,111 | 4,616 | 4,616 | 4,616 | 4,616 | 4,616 | 4,616 | 4,616 |
| Total (MW) | 2,634 | 4,680 | 5,239 | 17,191 | 36,669 | 88,734 | 139,975 | 171,811 | 188,233 |

Observed Energized – Projects that have received Approval to Energize from ERCOT Operations and are fully operational. Represented by all time non-simultaneous peak load consumption.

Approved to Energize but Not Operational – Projects that have received Approval to Energize from ERCOT Operations but are not observed to be operational.

Planning Studies Approved –
Projects that have received
ERCOT approval of required
interconnection studies. Any MWs
that were not approved are
reclassified as No Studies
Submitted

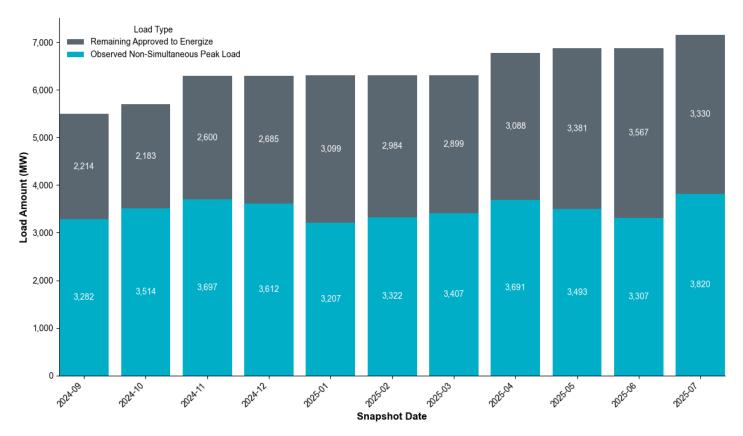
Under ERCOT Review – Projects that have studies under review by ERCOT.

No Studies Submitted – Projects that are tracked by ERCOT but that have not yet provided sufficient information for ERCOT to begin review. Additionally, MWs that were not approved by ERCOT after review of planning studies are included in this category until a path to interconnect these MWs is identified, or the customer cancels the interconnection request.



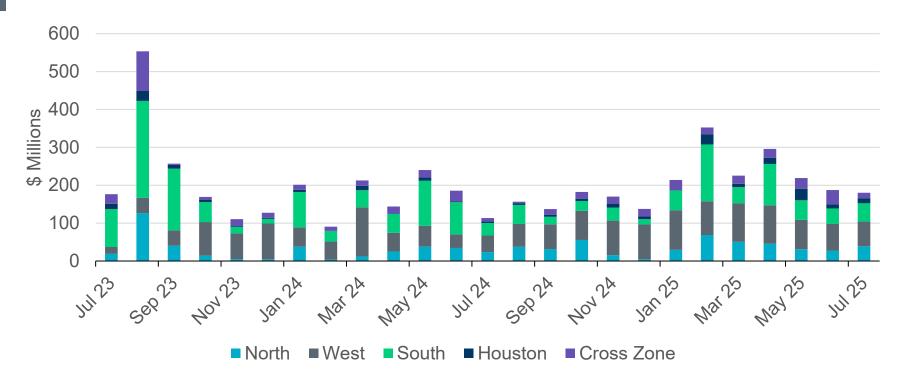
Loads Approved to Energize – Observations

- Of the 7150 MW that have received Approval to Energize, ERCOT has observed a non-simultaneous monthly peak consumption of 3820 MW in July 2025 which is a slight increase since June 2025.
 - This is calculated as the sum of the maximum value for each individual load per month
 - This value represents how much approved load ERCOT believes is now operational





Real-Time Congestion Rent by Zone



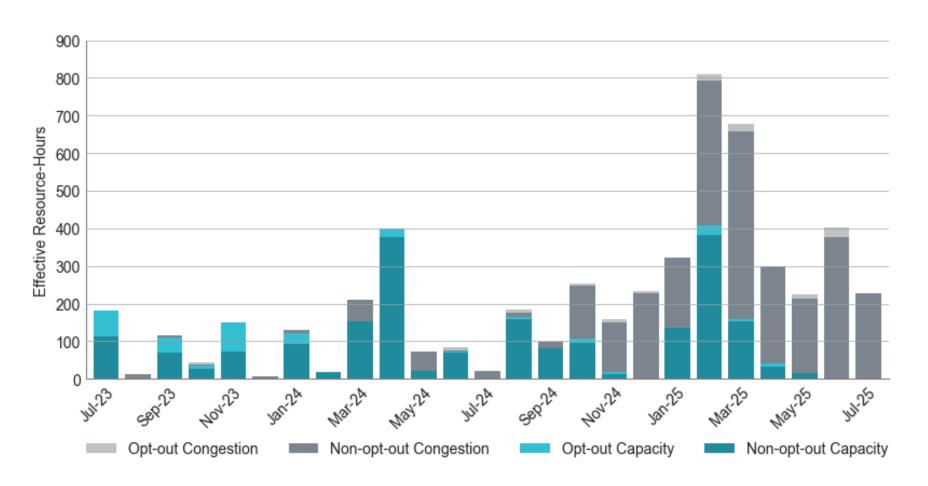
- Total Real-Time congestion rent decreased slightly in July compared to June, with the highest congestion rent in the West and South Zones.
 - Congestion rent in the West Zone was primarily driven by a constraint representing the loss of the 345 kV double circuit lines from Bakersfield to Cedar Canyon which would overload the 138 kV line from Hargrove to Twin Buttes.
 - Congestion rent in the South Zone was primarily driven by a constraint representing the loss of the 345kV double circuit from San Miguel and Lobo which would overload the 138kV line from Las Cruces to Laredo VFT North.

Notes:

- 1) Congestion rent is determined using the shadow prices and MW flows for individual constraints in SCED as well as the length in time of SCED intervals.
- 2) The "Cross Zone" category consists of cases in which the substations on either end of the constraint are in different zones.



RUC Activity Decreased in July Compared to June, Nominally for Managing Congestion



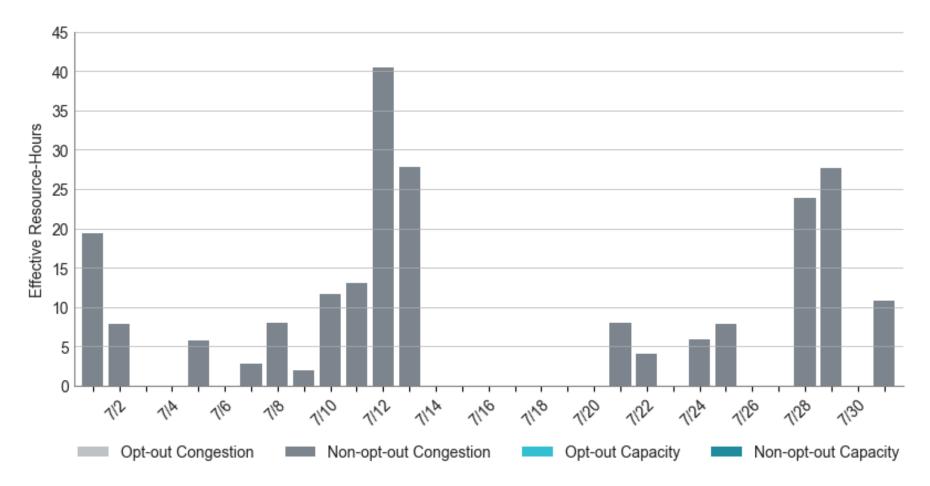
Notes:

1) "Effective Resource-Hours" excludes any period during a Reliability Unit Commitment hour when the RUC-committed Resource was starting up, shutting down, off-line, or otherwise not available for dispatch by SCED.



RUC Instruction Reasons in July 2025

 ~88% of RUC Effective Resource-hours were nominally committed to manage transmission constraints in South Texas



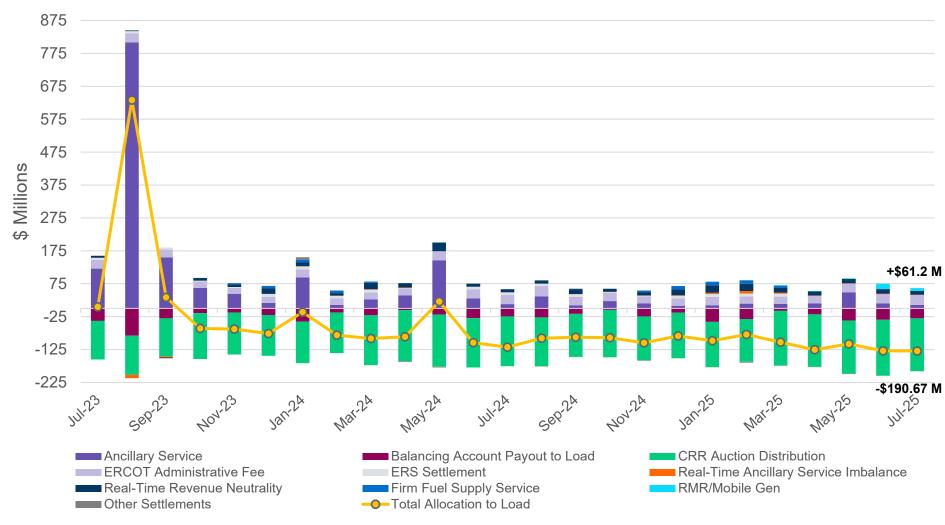


Fifteen Resources were Committed in July, Nominally for Managing Congestion

| Resource # | Effective | For Cor | ngestion | For Capacity | | | |
|------------|----------------|---------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--|--|
| | Resource-hours | Opt-Out | Non-Opt-Out | Opt-Out | Non-Opt-Out | | |
| 1 | 13.6 | 0.0 | 13.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 2 | 10.3 | 0.0 | 10.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 3 | 11.0 | 0.0 | 11.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 4 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 5 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 6 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 7 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 8 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 9 | 17.8 | 0.0 | 17.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 10 | 33.8 | 0.0 | 33.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 11 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 12 | 48.7 | 0.0 | 48.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 13 | 7.8 | 0.0 | 7.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 14 | 19.1 | 0.0 | 19.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| 15 | 7.8 | 0.0 | 7.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| Total | 226.9 | 0.0 | 226.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |



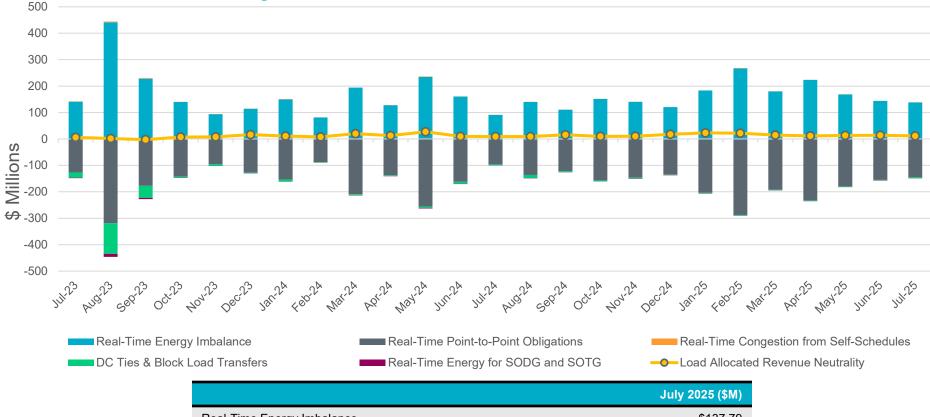
Net Allocation to Load in July 2025 was (\$129.47) Million



This information is available in tabular form in the Settlement Stability Report presented quarterly to the Wholesale Market Subcommittee



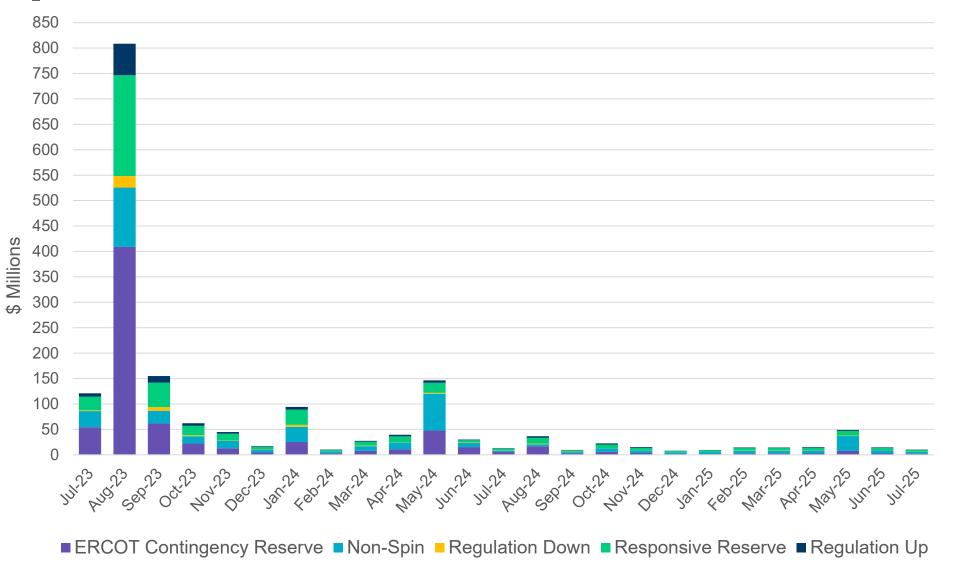
Real-Time Revenue Neutrality Allocated to Load was \$11.59 M for July 2025



| | July 2025 (\$M) |
|--|-----------------|
| Real-Time Energy Imbalance | \$137.79 |
| Real-Time Point-to-Point Obligation | (\$145.26) |
| Real-Time Congestion from Self-Schedules | \$0.2 |
| DC Tie & Block Load Transfer | (\$3.35) |
| Real-Time Energy for SODG and SOTG | (\$0.97) |
| Load Allocated Revenue Neutrality | \$11.59 |

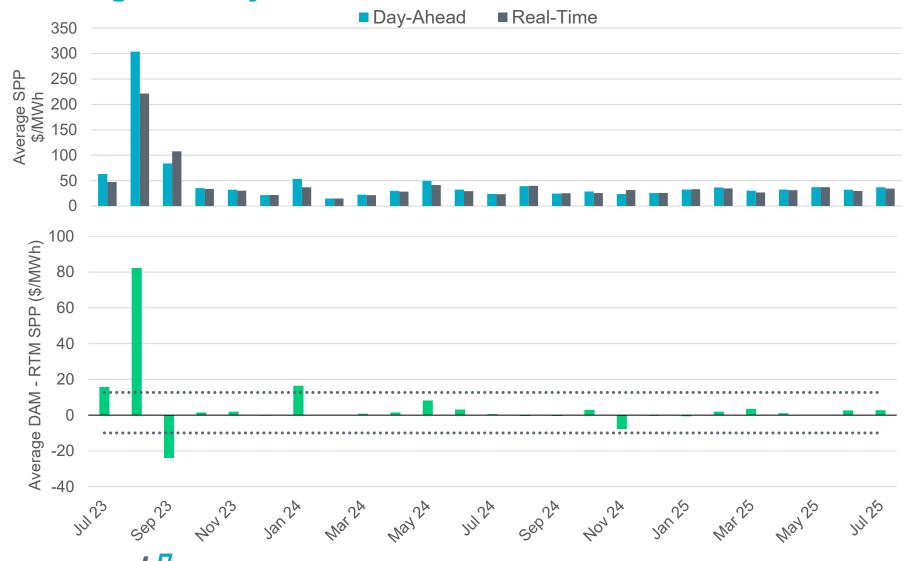


Ancillary Services for July 2025 totaled \$10.49M

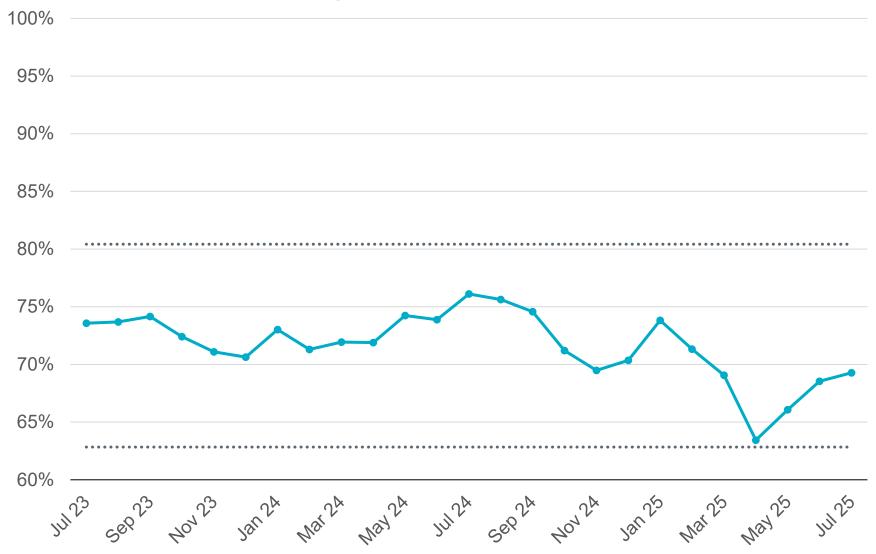




Real-Time prices were aligned with Day-Ahead prices, on average, in July

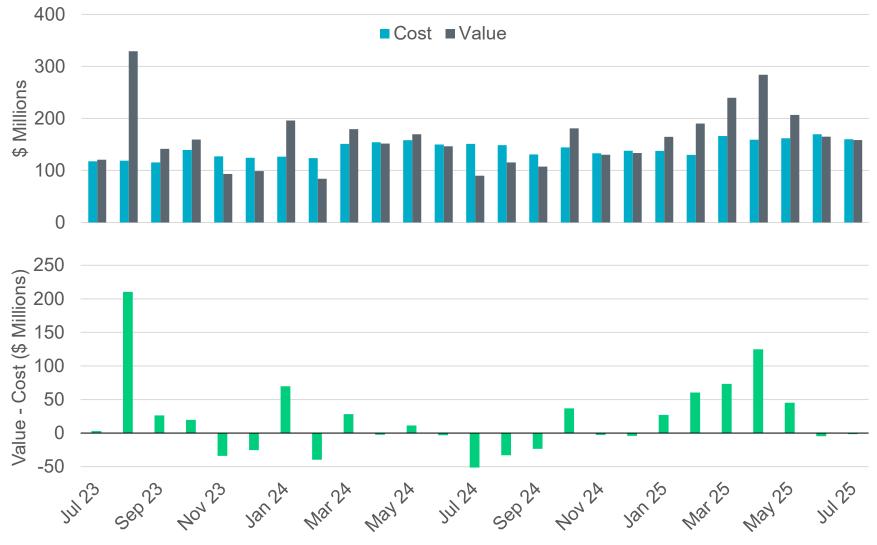


Percentage of Real-Time Load Transacted in the Day-Ahead Market increased in July compared to June



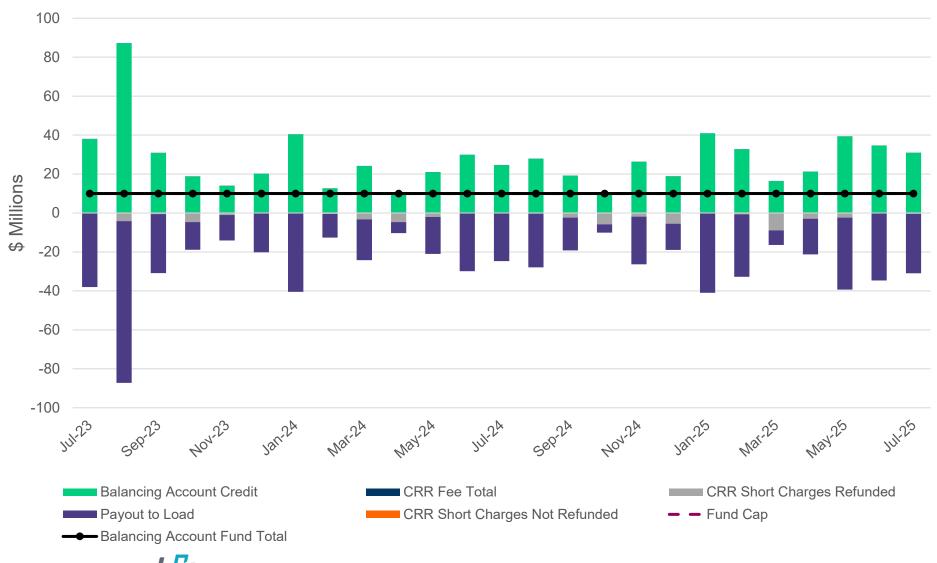


Congestion Revenue Right (CRR) cost aligned with value, on average, in July





The CRR Balancing Account was fully-funded and excess amounts were allocated to Load



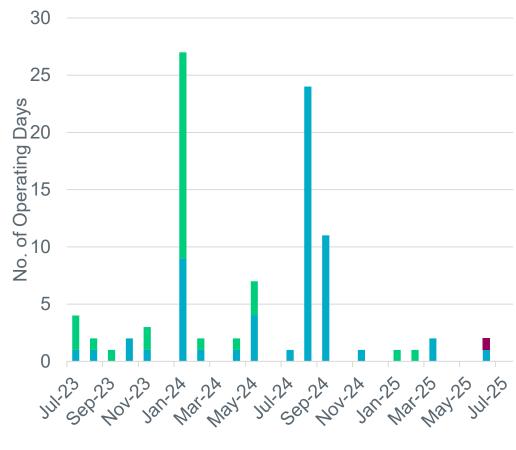


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Price Issues and the Impact of Nodal Protocol Revision Request (NPRR) 1024 on Price Corrections

This graph looks at the recent history of price issues in the RTM or DAM and breaks the impacted Operating Days into three categories:

- Days that met the criteria for "significance" under NPRR1024 and were corrected;
- Days that were not corrected because they did not meet the criteria for "significance" under NPRR1024; and
- Days that are currently undergoing analysis to determine if criteria for "significance" under NPRR1024 is met.



- Currently Undergoing Analysis
- Did Not Meet Criteria
- Met Criteria



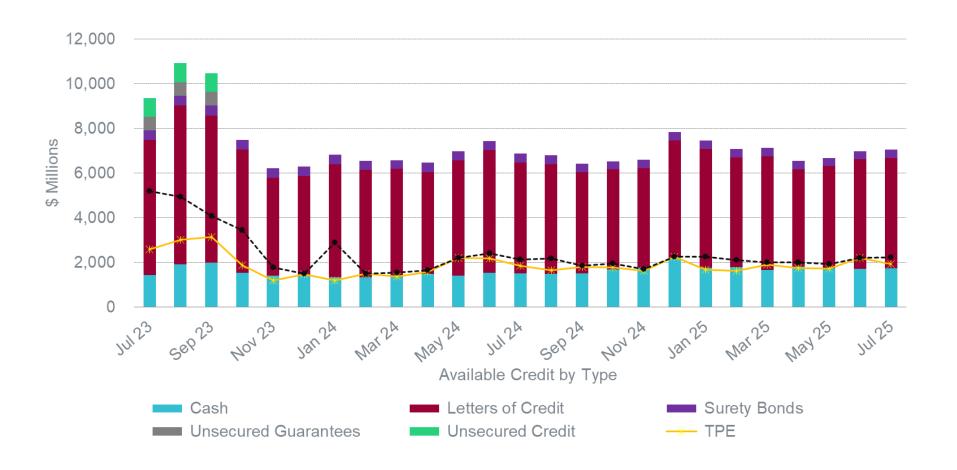
Details for Price Corrections Review

It was found that the Day-Ahead Market run for Operating Day June 27, 2025, used an incorrect transmission limit for Generic Transmission Constraint (GTC) SAMSW. This was due to a software defect in a tool that is used to calculate GTC limits. Analysis is currently being performed to see if the impact to Counter-Parties meets criteria for seeking ERCOT Board of Directors approval for price correction. See Market Notice M-C072525-01.

There were no price impact events during the month of July 2025.



Available Credit by Type Compared to Total Potential Exposure (TPE)





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*Numbers are as of month end except for Max TPE

Retail Transaction Volumes – Summary – July 2025

| | Year-T | o-Date | Transactions Received | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|--|
| Transaction Type | July 2025 | July 2024 | July 2025 | July 2024 | |
| Switches | 852,231 | 762,243 | 121,440 | 114,296 | |
| Acquisitions | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Move - Ins | 1,725,834 | 1,878,530 | 282,238 | 269,449 | |
| Move - Outs | 852,413 | 838,179 | 138,887 | 132,223 | |
| Continuous Service Agreements (CSA) | 339,724 | 244,479 | 45,336 | 30,725 | |
| Mass Transitions | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Total | 3,770,202 | 3,723,431 | 587,901 | 546,693 | |

