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# I'm excited to be here!

Coal has ALWAYS been an  
important part of my life!

# Duke Energy Roxboro Steam Electric Plant at Lake Hyco



Shoveled coal for my granddad's  
workshop furnace!



# And Christmas of 1968!



# Todd Anderson - Meteorologist

Meteorology – Greek for the word  
“meteoron” : of the atmosphere

Or perhaps “meteoros” : in the sky

The study of the atmosphere with a  
focus on weather and forecasting.

# Meteorology is NOT this!





This  
is what  
I do!

# Attended NC State University



# A Face for Radio!



# First PAID Job in Weather



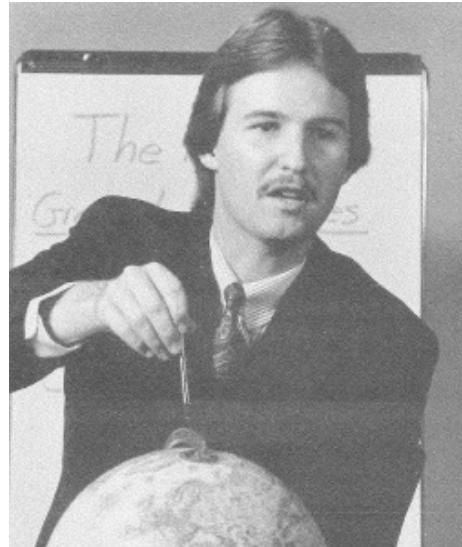
# How I got my start in this business: Was it fate or an act of God?



It was all about that cool logo!



1987  
I've been  
traded!



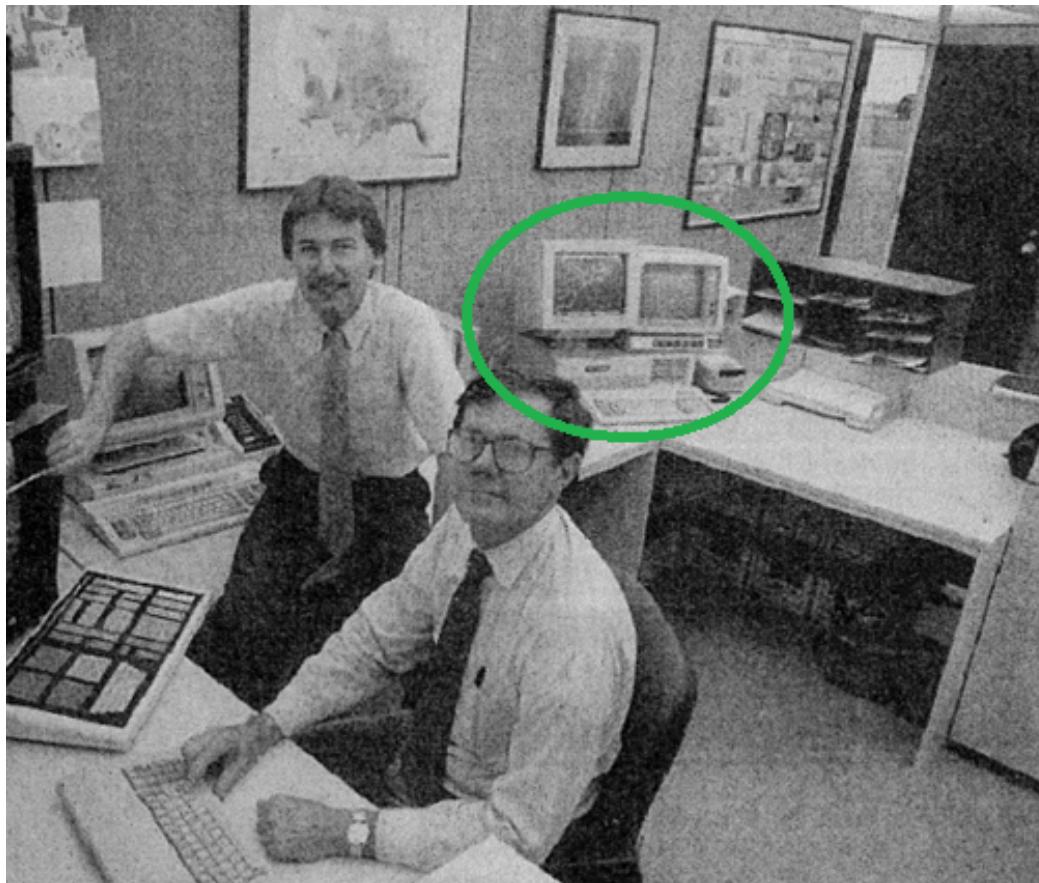
Todd is sent  
north to  
Virginia Power



CP&L receives  
an old bucket  
truck and two  
future linemen

# The Corporate Weather Center

## Then - Circa 1988



# Weather Center - Now



# Thunderstorms



# Lightning



# Hurricane Damage



# Ice Storms

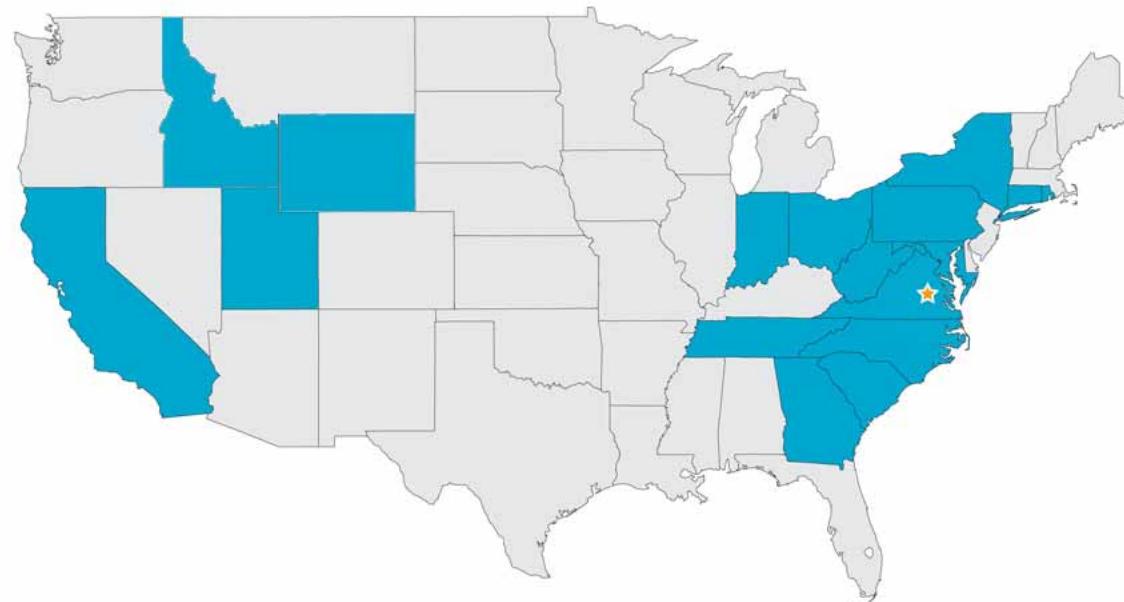


# Snow Storms



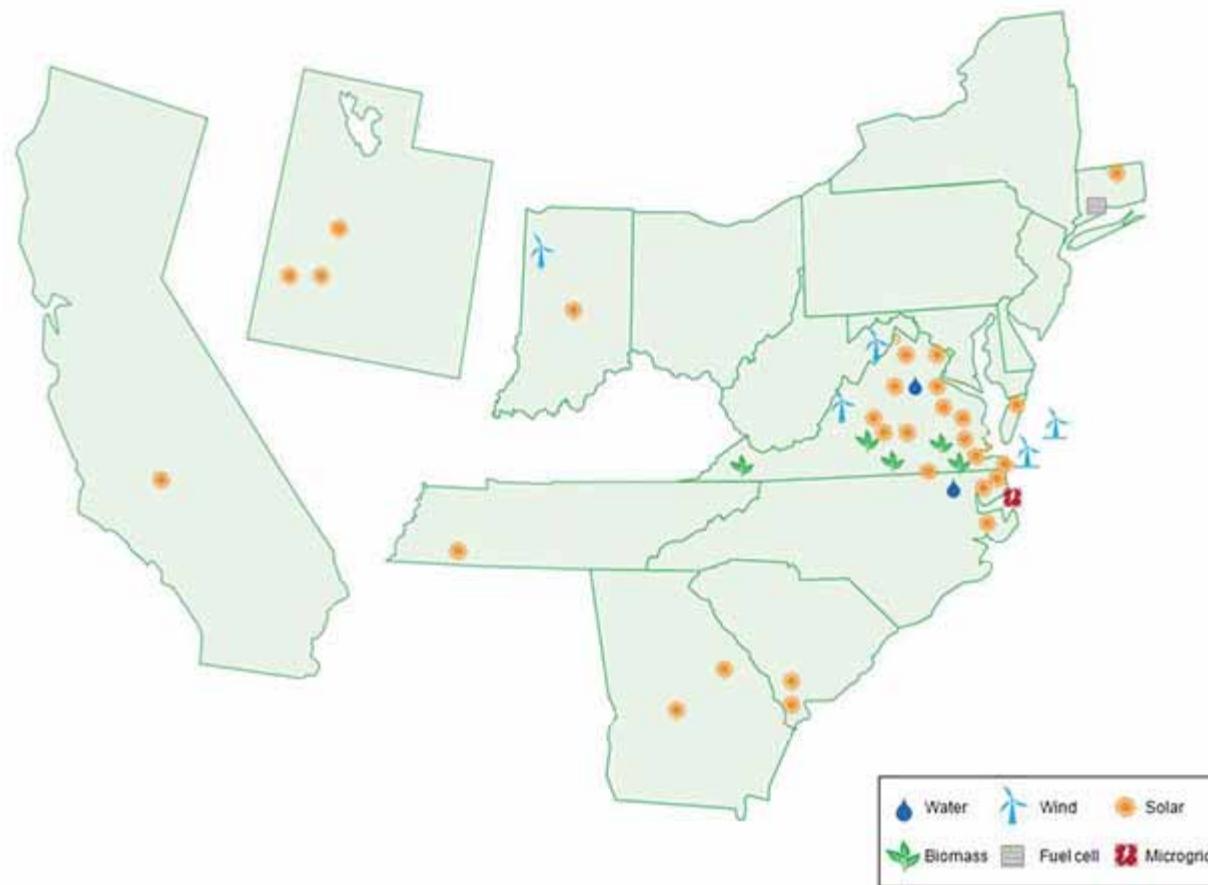
# Geographical Footprint

Gas and electric distribution, gas pipeline,  
renewable energies, merchant generation



★ Richmond, VA Corporate Headquarters

# Renewable Generation



# But I wear a lot of hats!



# Environmental Monitoring



# Nuclear Emergency Response



# Transportation, anti-icing and deicing of coal



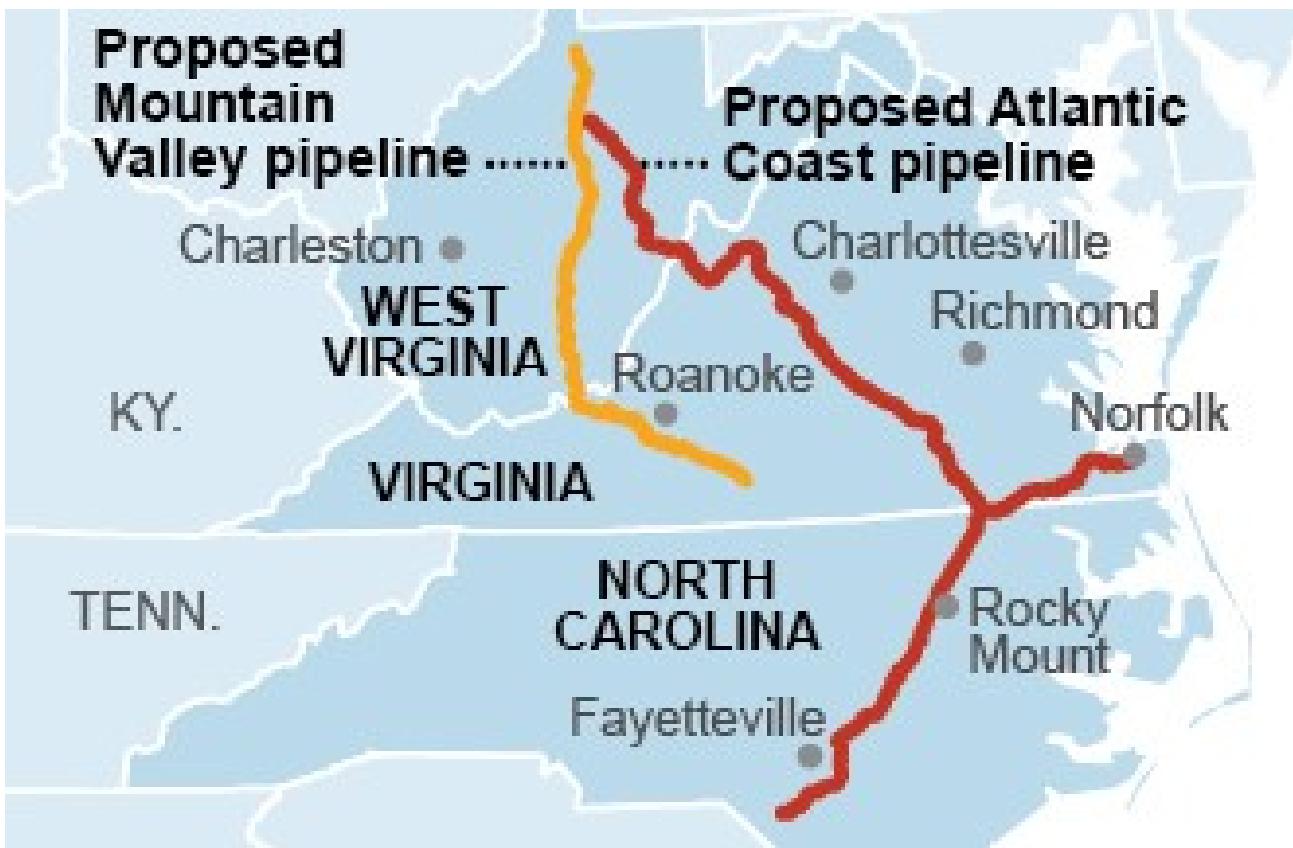
# Precipitation Forecasts for Biomass Operations



# Salt Water Contamination



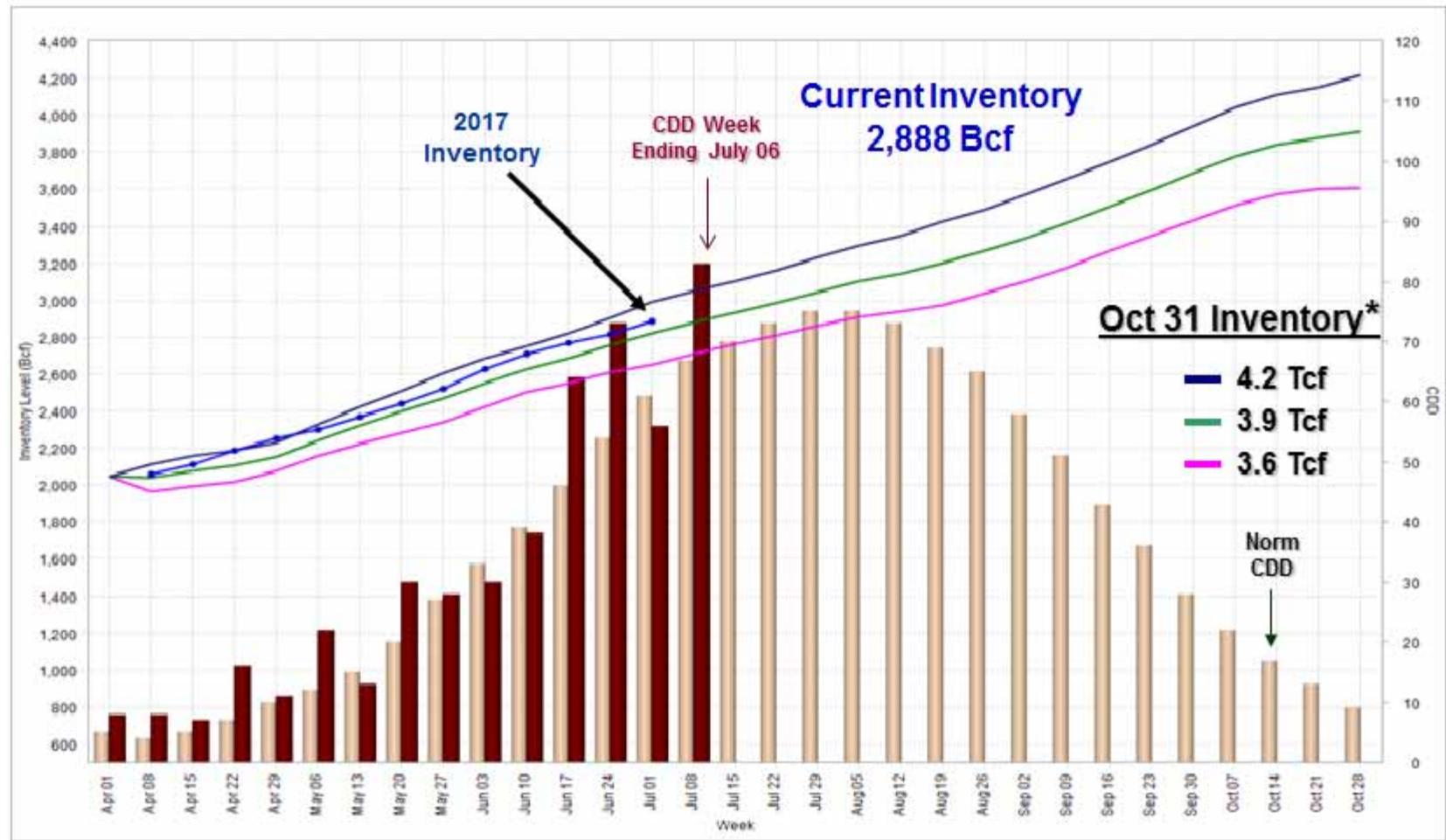
# Construction for New Infrastructures



# Construction of New Facilities



# Natural Gas Supply vs. Weather

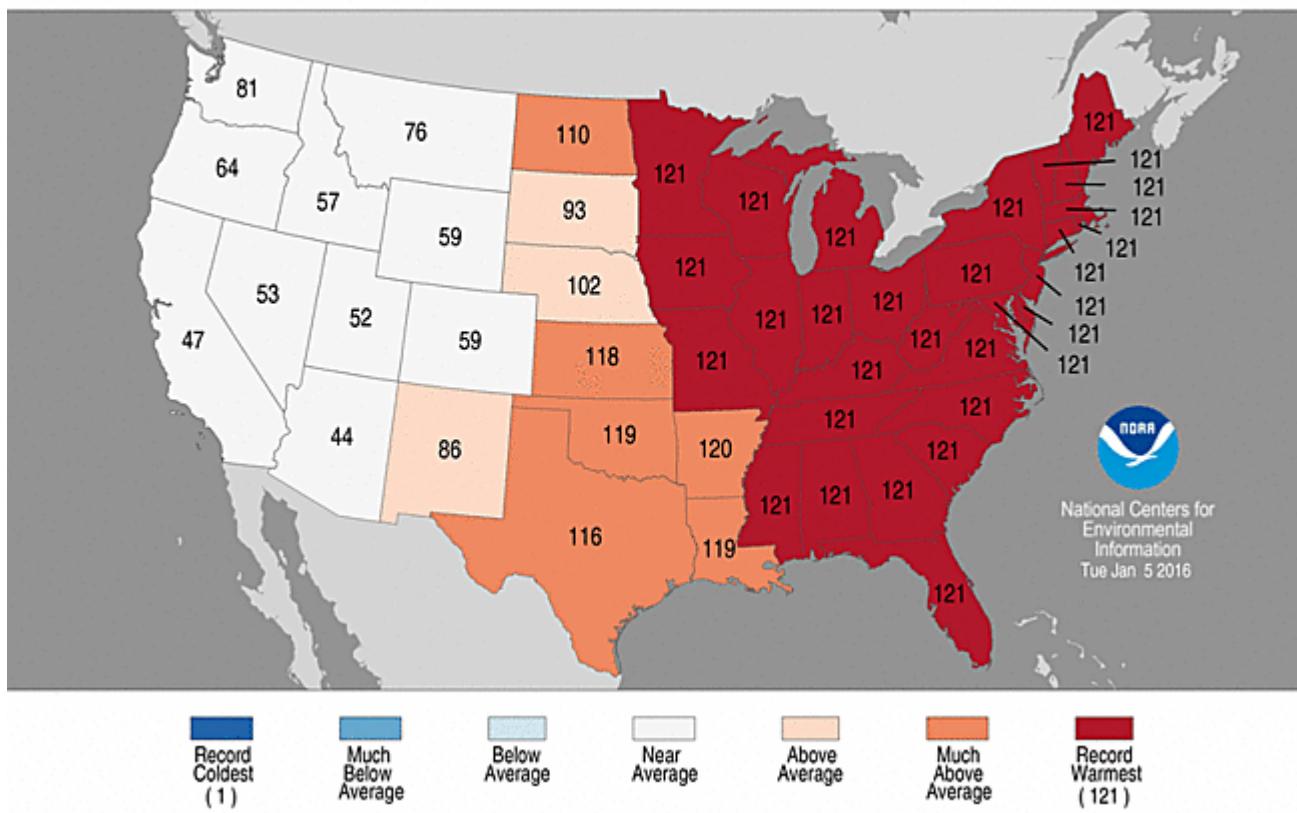


# Rate Case Hearings

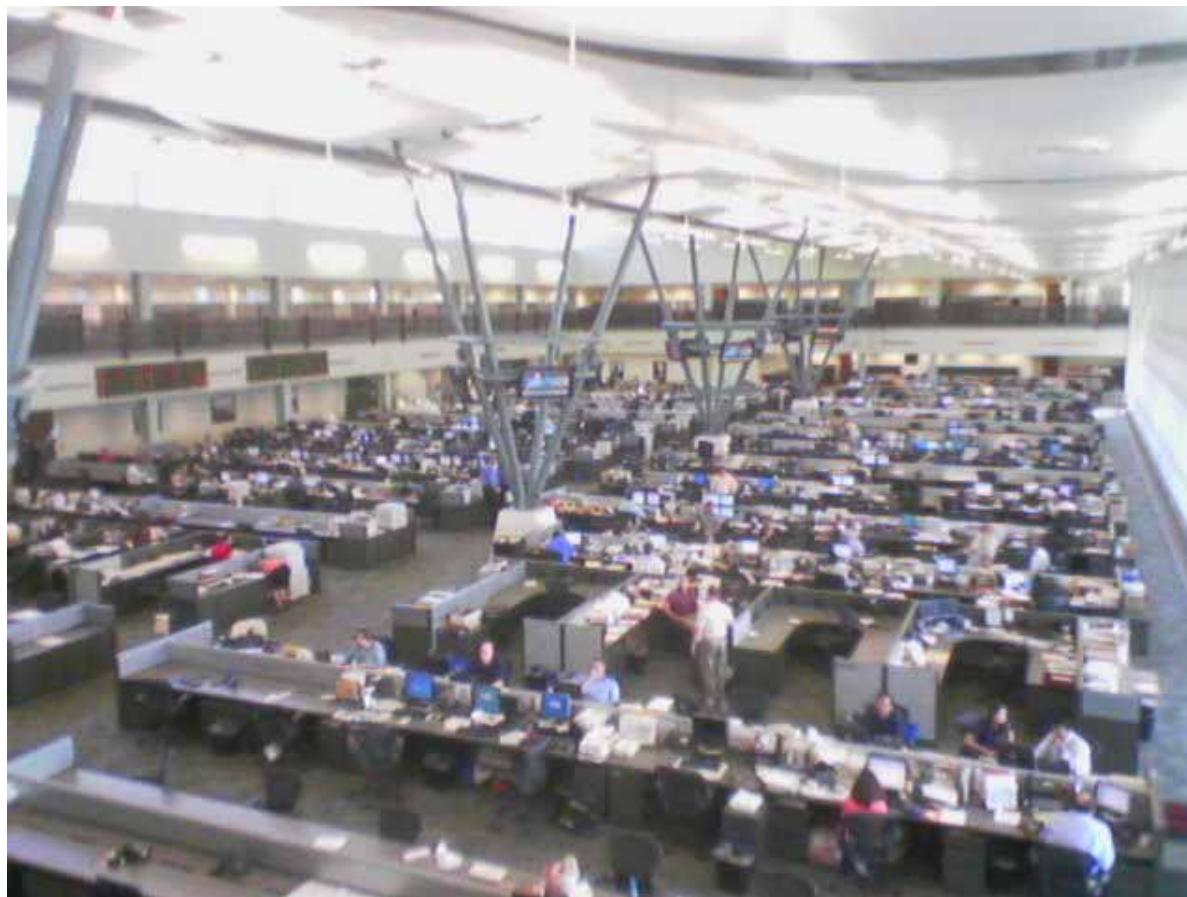
## Statewide Average Temperature Ranks

December 2015

Period: 1895–2015



# Energy Trading



# Wind Energy



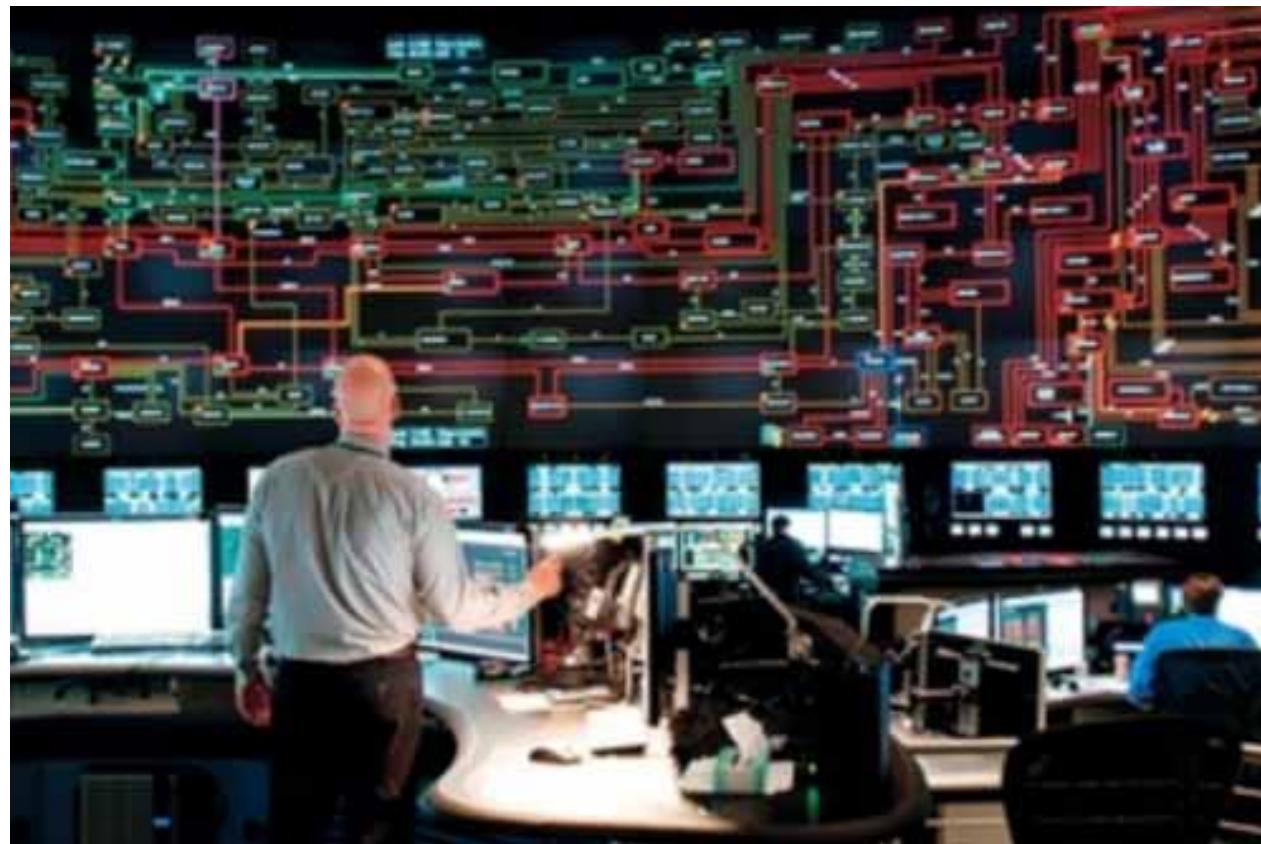
# Offshore Wind Studies



# Solar Energy



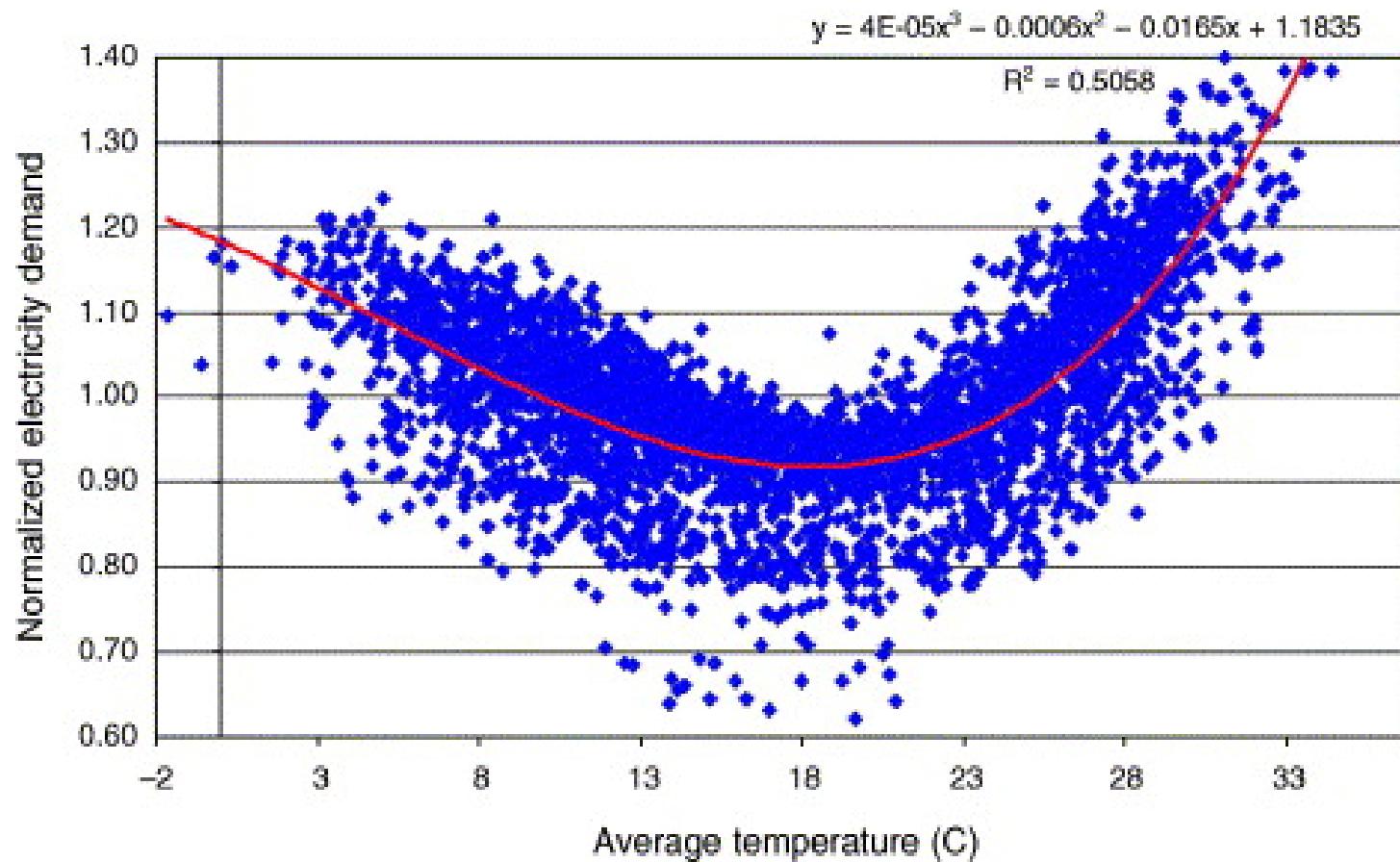
# Energy Control Center



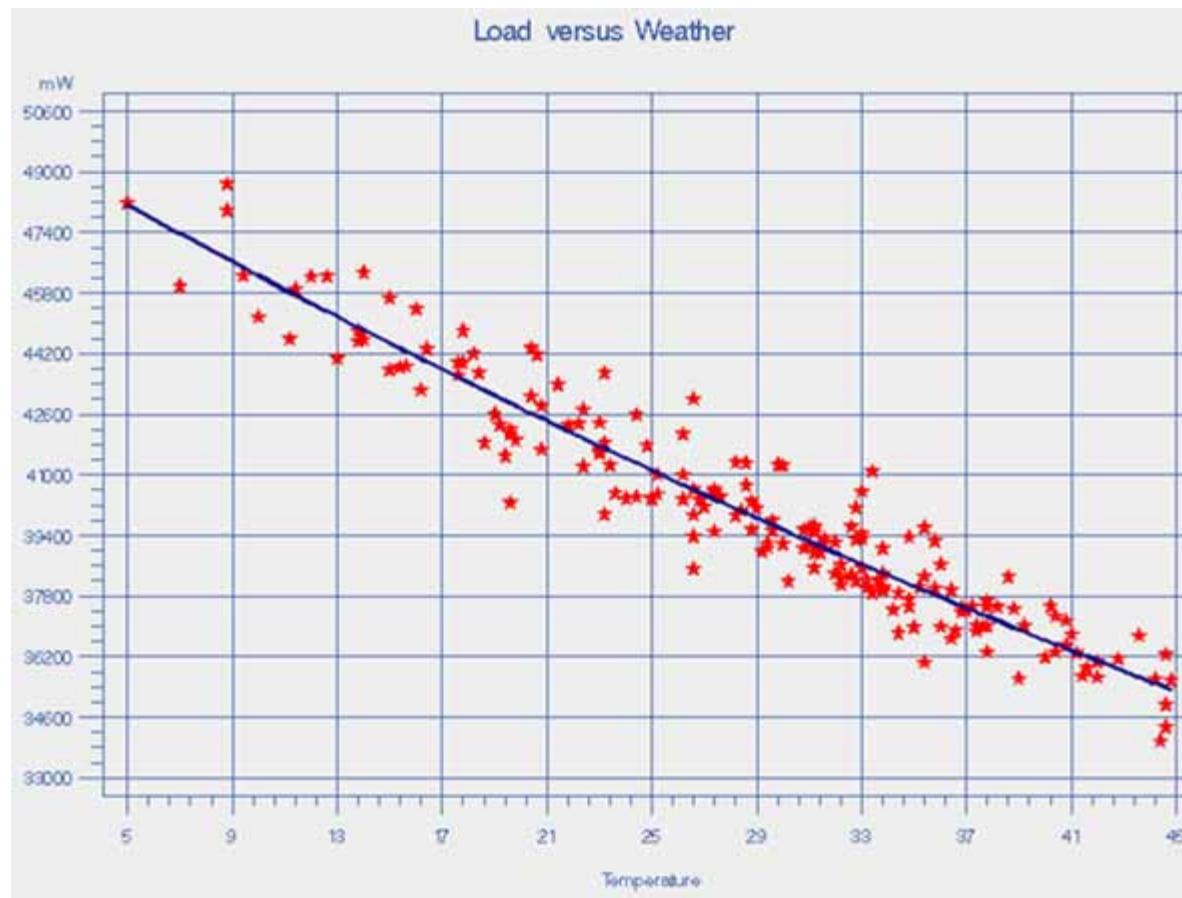
# Load Forecasting



# Energy Use is a Function of Weather

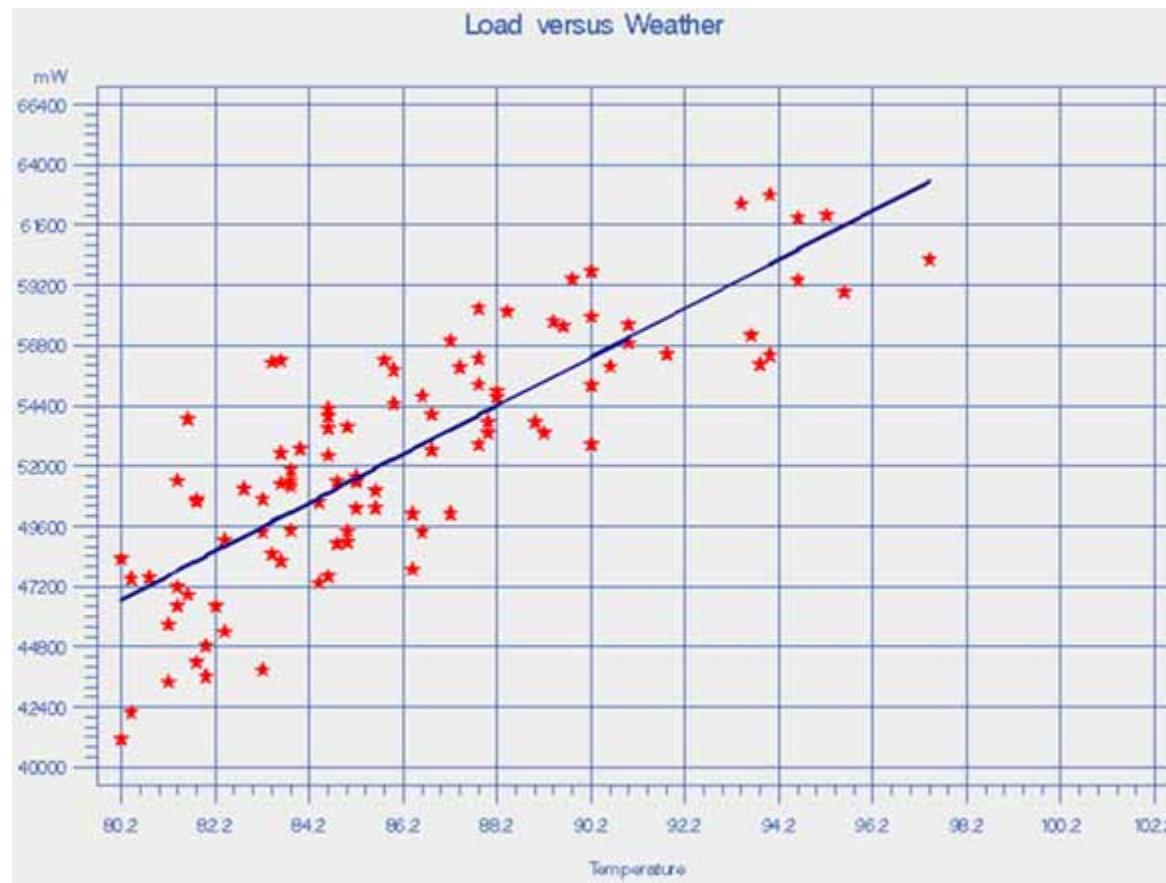


# Cold Mornings



# Hot Afternoons

## Scatter due to humidity and storms

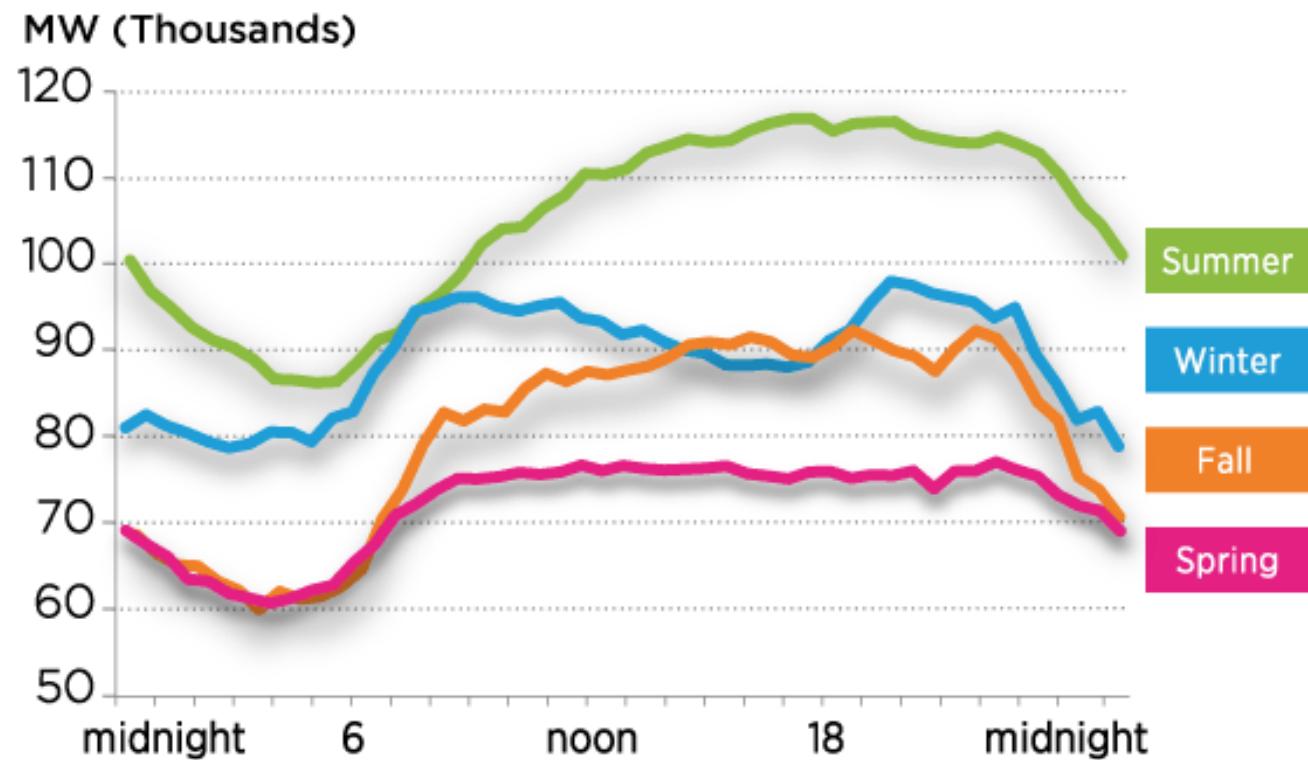


# Load Forecast Variables

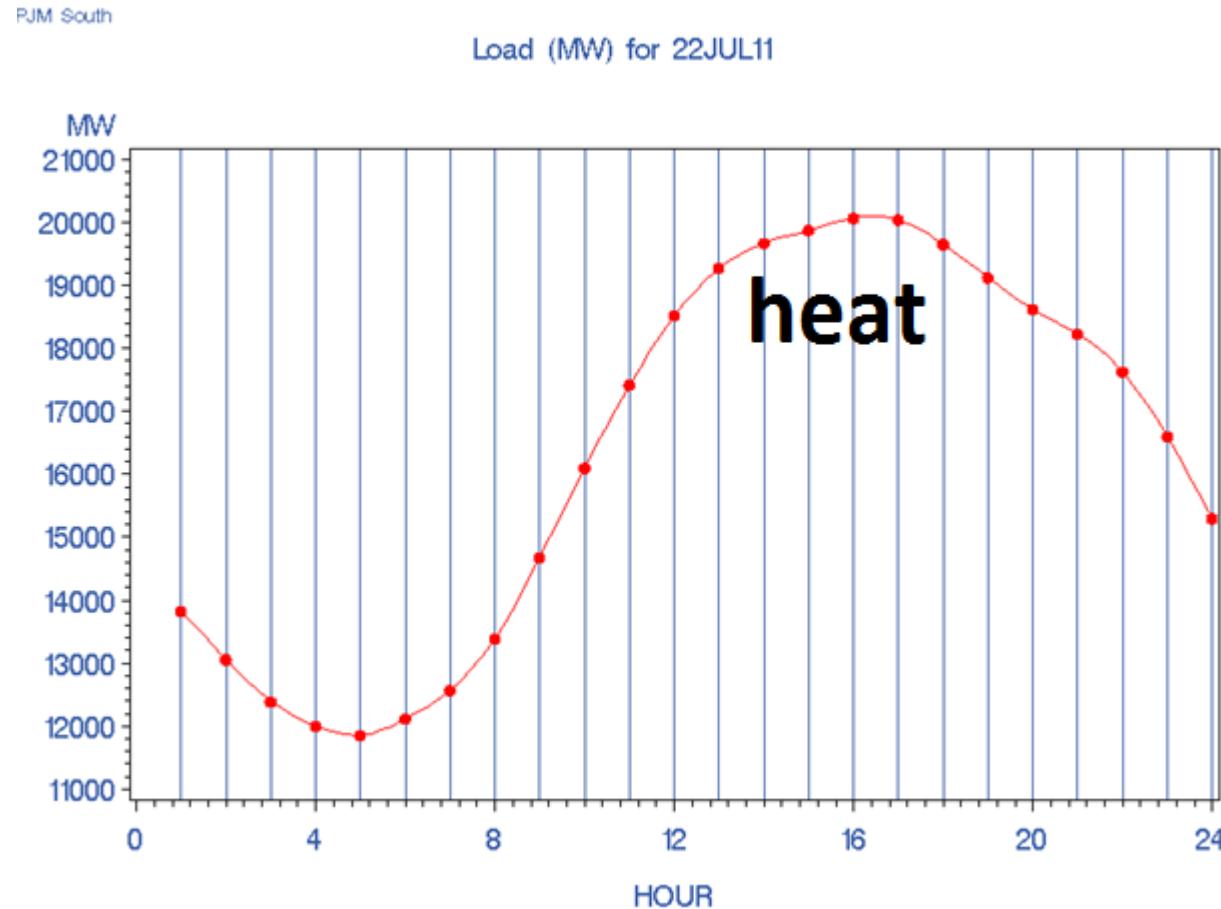
- Time of Day
- Day of Week
- Day of Year
- Holidays
- Sunrise / sunset
- Historic Usage
- Customers
- Temperature
- Dew Point
- Cloud Cover
- Sunshine
- Wind Speed
- Precipitation

# PJM Load Shapes per Season

source: PJM Learning Center



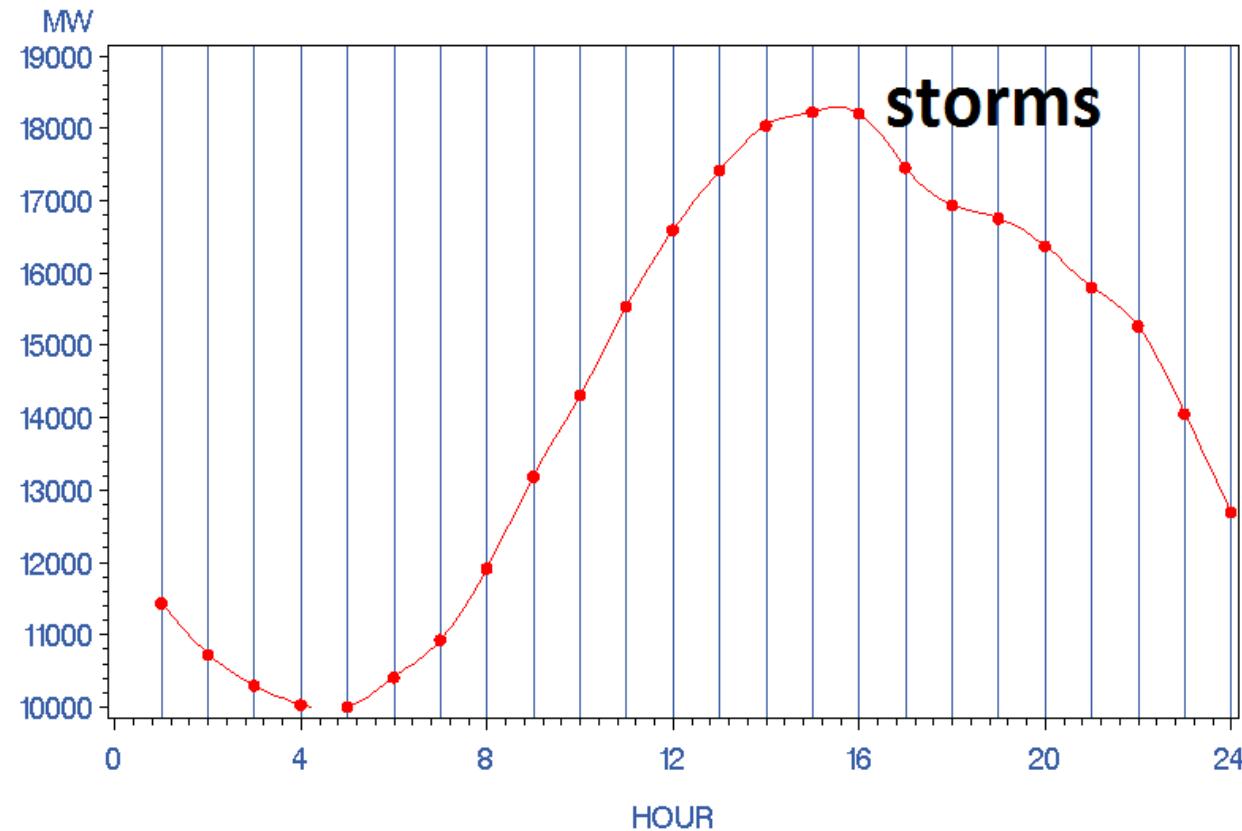
# Summer Load Curve for Dominion



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PJM South

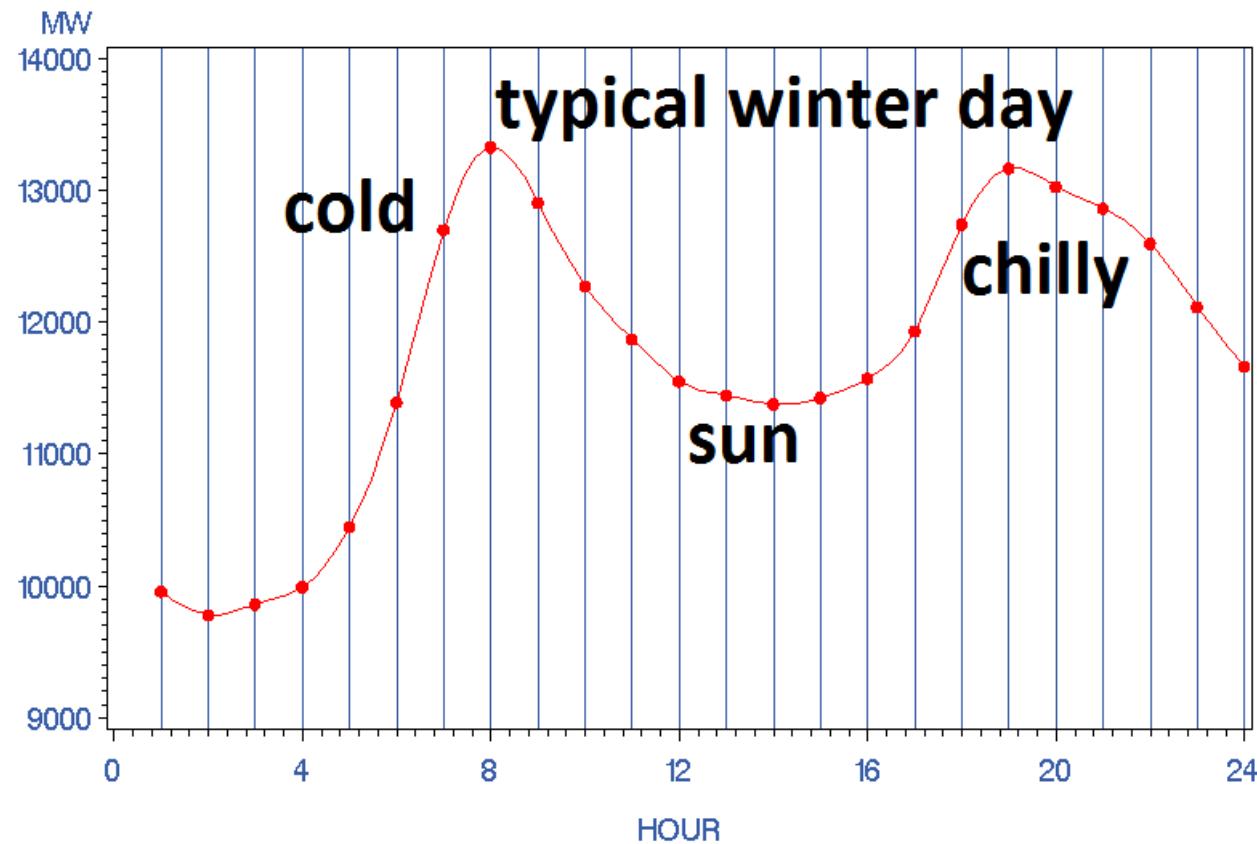
Load (MW) for 18JUL16



# Winter Load Curve for Dominion

PJM South

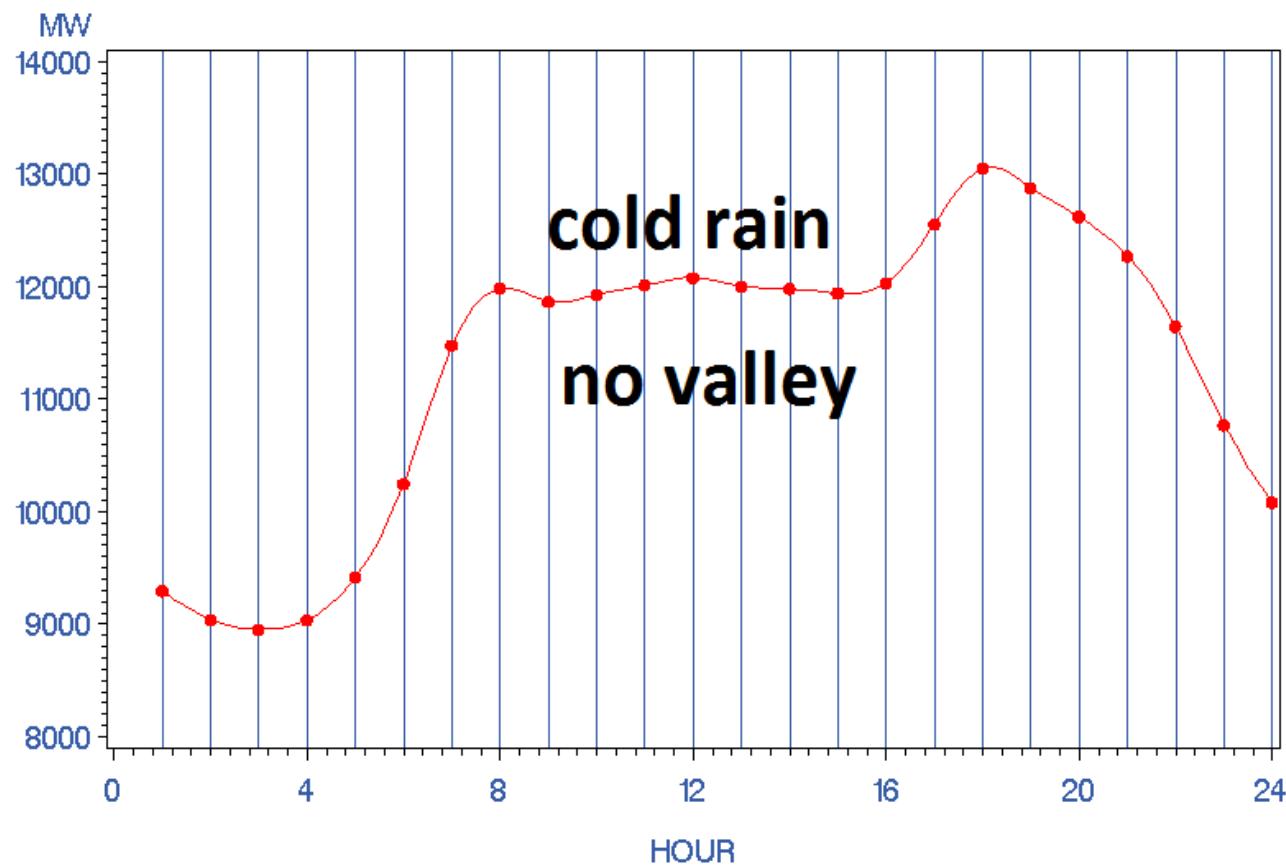
Load (MW) for 27JAN17



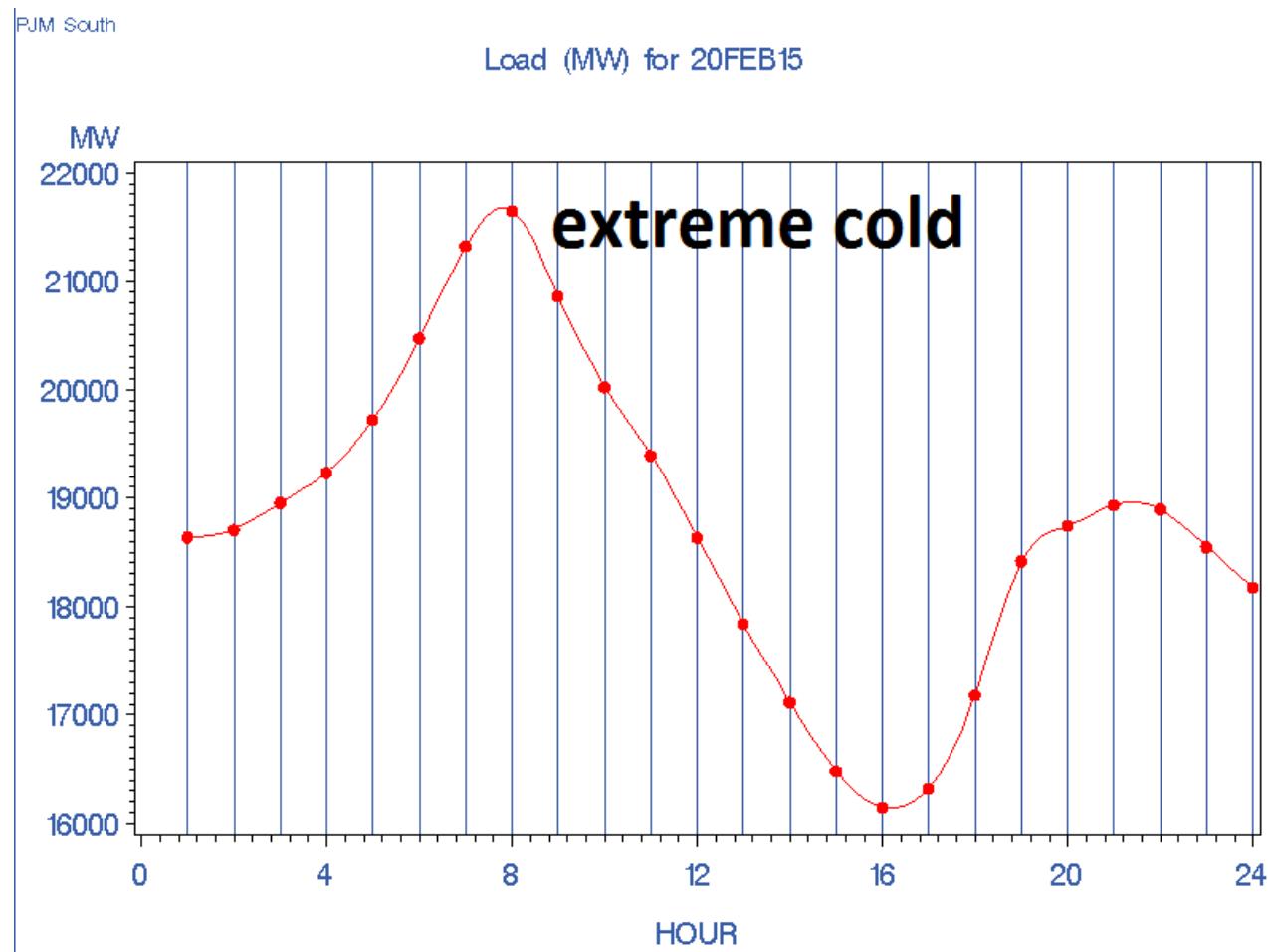
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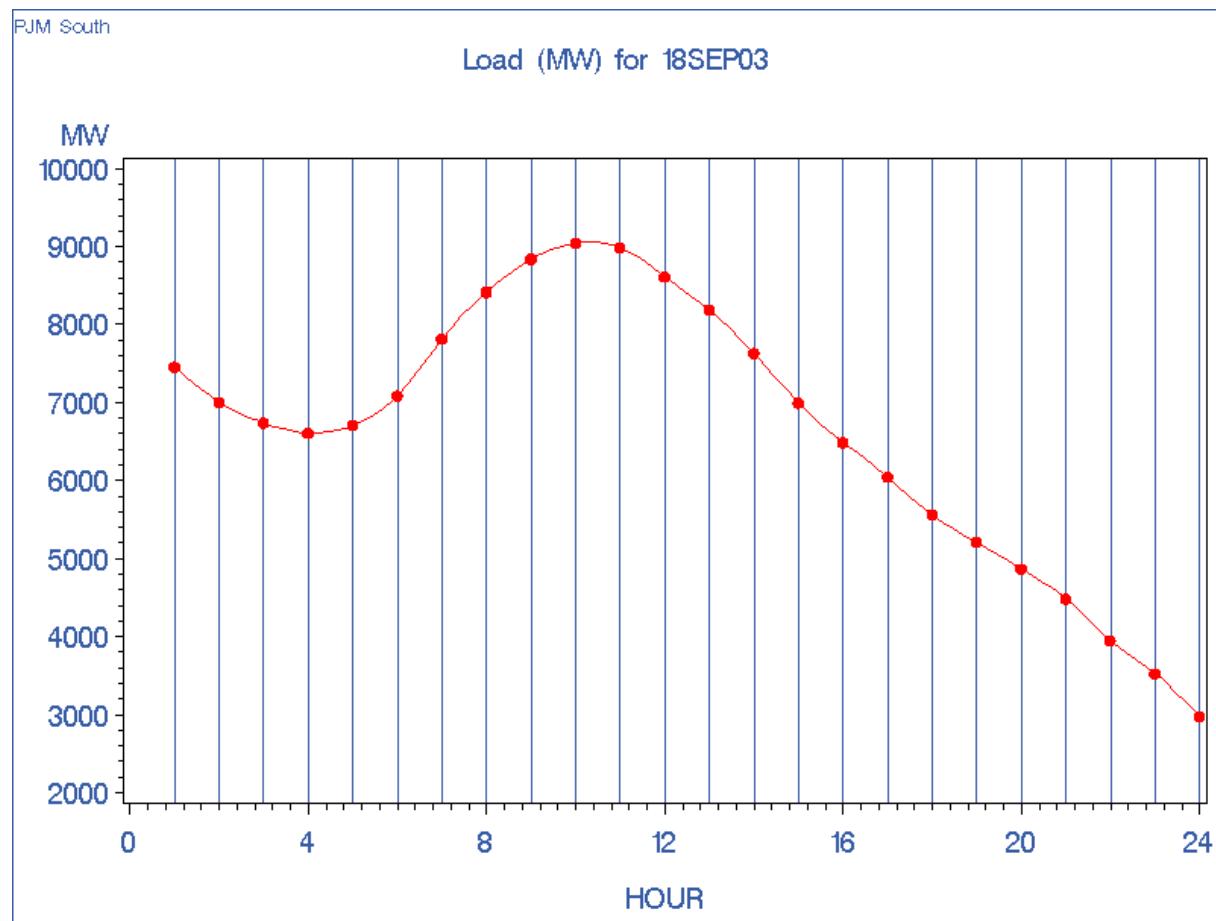
Load (MW) for 06DEC16



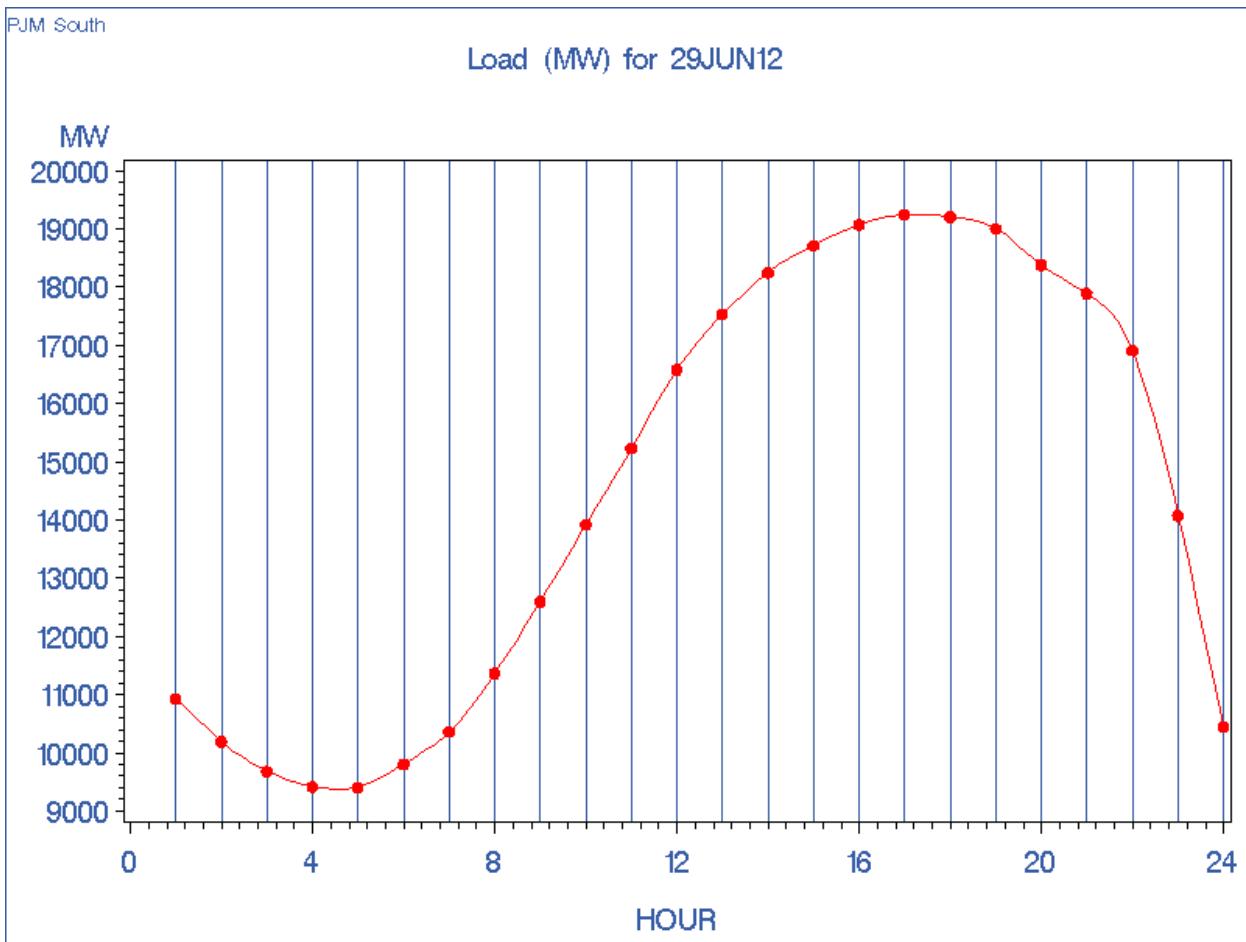
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# Hurricane Isabel

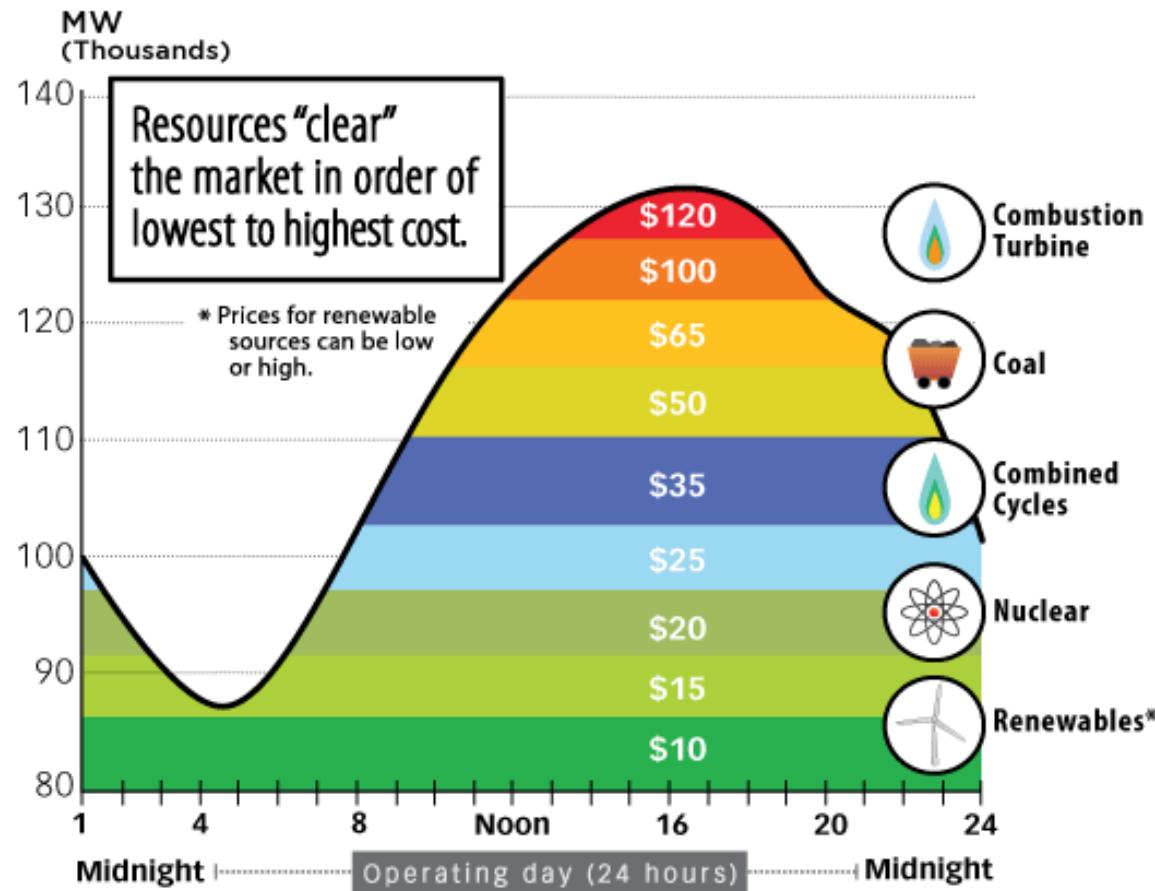


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# Economic Dispatch

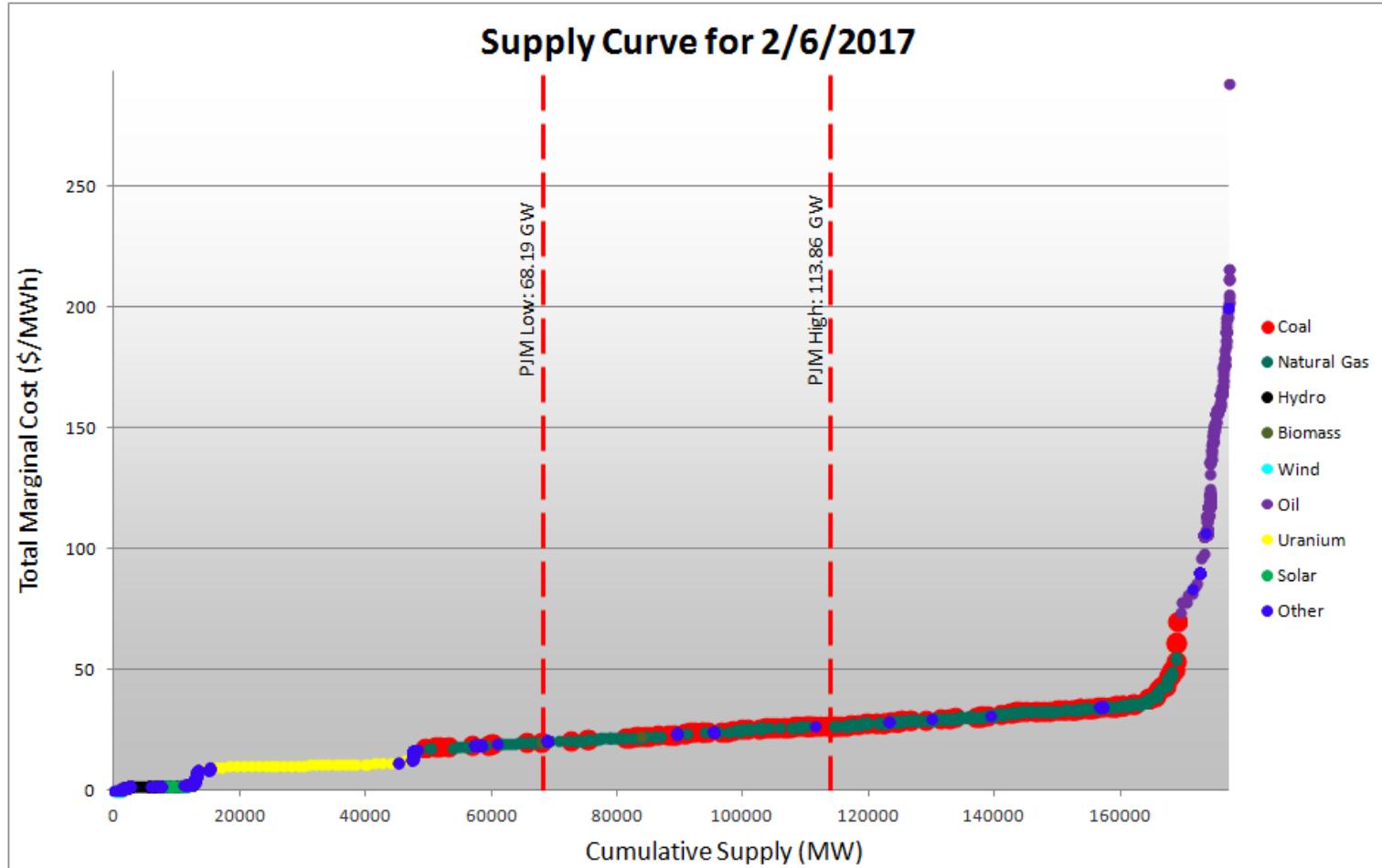
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# PJM ISO Supply Curve

Price Date: February 6, 2017

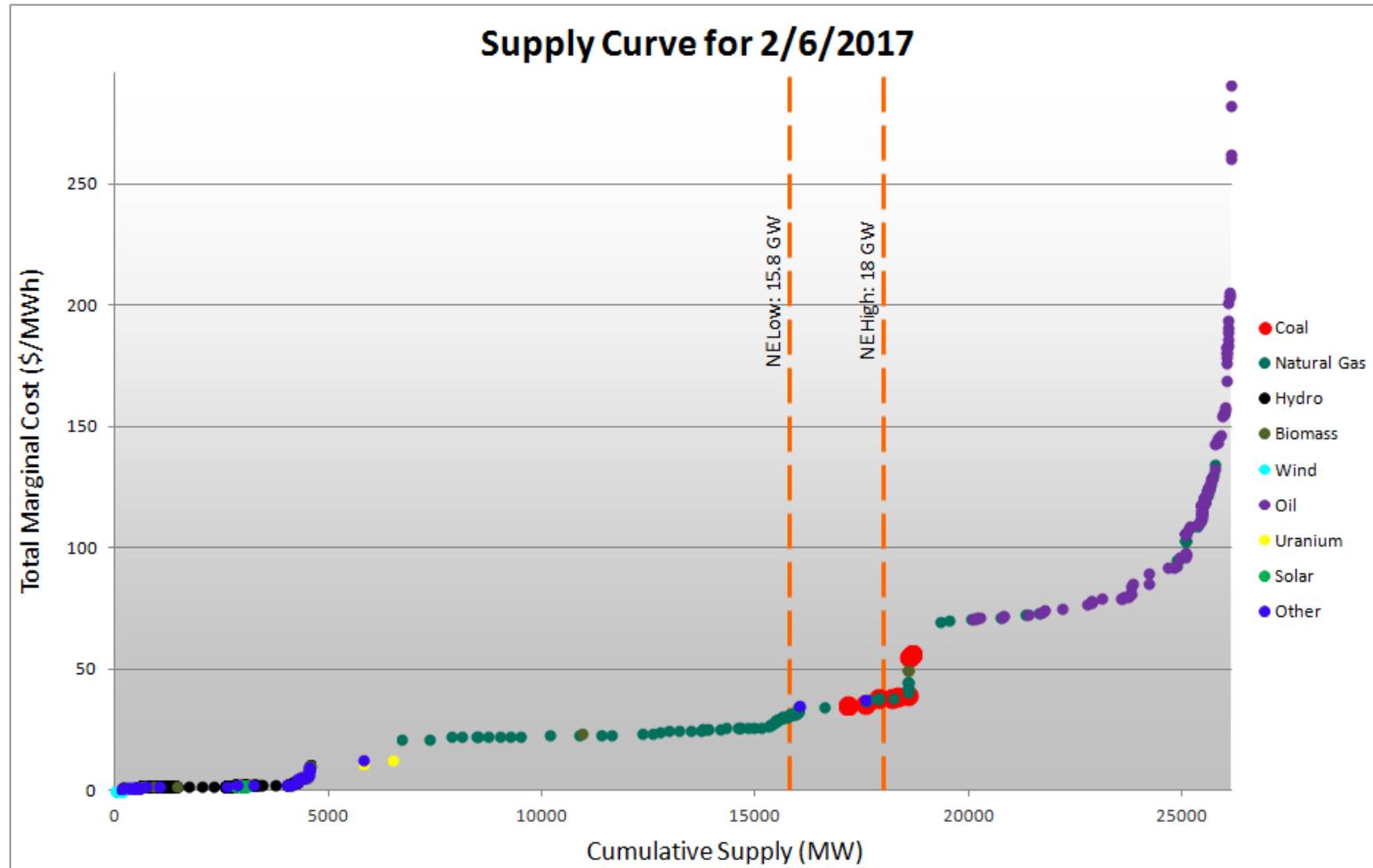
Load Date\*: February 7 – February 13, 2017



# New England ISO Supply Curve

Price Date: February 6, 2017

Load Date\*: February 8 – February 13, 2017



# The Beauty of Weather



















# Thanks!

