



California ISO

# Preparing for Summer 2021 and Beyond

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# CAISO Summer 2021 Preparedness

- CAISO Market Enhancements
  - Priorities for Imports/Exports/Wheel-throughs
  - Scarcity Pricing
  - EIM Sufficiency Test
- Battery Storage Minimum State of Charge Requirements
- Planned Outage and Substitution Capacity
- Intertie Coordination
- Flex Alert and Baseline Review
- April 15 Readiness Roundtable and Table-Top Exercises

# Longer-term RA Enhancements

- Increases to CPUC planning reserve margin, revised counting and showing rules
- Significant expansion of Integrated Resource Planning
- Interconnection queue reform and infrastructure readiness
- Much more robust inter-regional transmission coordination/subscription
- Analytical and planning coordination between California and other sub-regional RA planning efforts, e.g. NWPP
- Significant sense of urgency given pace of resource retirements and changes to transmission system utilization