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### **Analysis of Peak Shift**

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## **Background**

- CEC utility/system peak demand based on outputs from sector forecasting models serving as inputs into HELM peak forecasting model
- Underlying assumption is that utility peak in forecast period will occur in similar period as in history
- If load modifiers affect shape of load curve, then the underlying methodology is not capturing potential changes to peak demand



## What are the Consequences?

- The IEPR load forecast is used by CPUC and CAISO as inputs for their respective needs supporting procurement and transmission planning
- Not addressing issues related to shift in peak injects bias which then carries over into analyses using IEPR forecast
- This bias implies a higher impact from BTM PV which then translates to a lower utility peak
- Addressing these issues will require changes to how CEC forecasts peak demand



### Other Issues

- Yes, BTM PV production but other load modifiers exist:
  - Electric vehicle charging profiles
  - Energy storage
  - TOU pricing
  - Hourly AAEE impacts



# Modeling Shift in Peak Hour Data and Approach

- Load data comes from ISO EMS
- Hourly AAEE savings and EV forecast derived from CED 2015 Revised
- EV forecast translated to average hourly load impacts
- PV data from CPUC NEM interconnection data (current through 12/31/2015)



# Modeling Shift in Peak Hour Data and Approach...Continued

- Hourly EMS data and estimated PV production combined to recreate consumption for each day of 2015
- 2015 consumption scaled based on growth from CED 2015 Revised
- Re-estimate "metered load" by subtracting PV and AAEE impacts from the adopted forecast
- Observe metered load for shift in peak over the 10 year forecast horizon



# **Findings**

- Simplified projections including PV and AAEE effects, see shifts up to 4 hours as soon as 2017
- CAISO staff currently observing peak shifts in local areas
- Better idea of magnitude and timing but constant baseline shape is a limiting factor
- In addition to peak, off-peak loads and ramp may be of concern

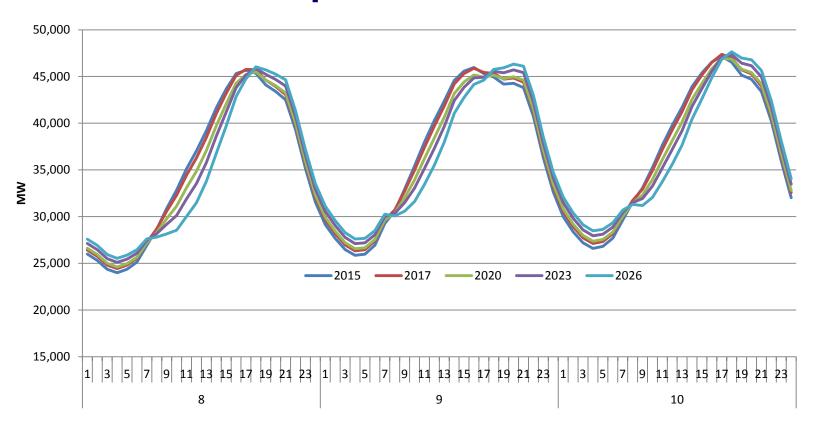


# CAISO September - 8, 9,10

		HR	2017	2020	2023	2026
8-Sep	16	45128.42	44283.95	43816.3	42873.42	
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	18	45718.98	45496.21	45851.1	46035.44	
	19	44621.14	44632.96	45229.91	45716.07	
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CAISO 9-Sep	16	45878.36	45157.28	44861.82	44143.37	
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	18	45330.27	45147.03	45541.62	45765.83	
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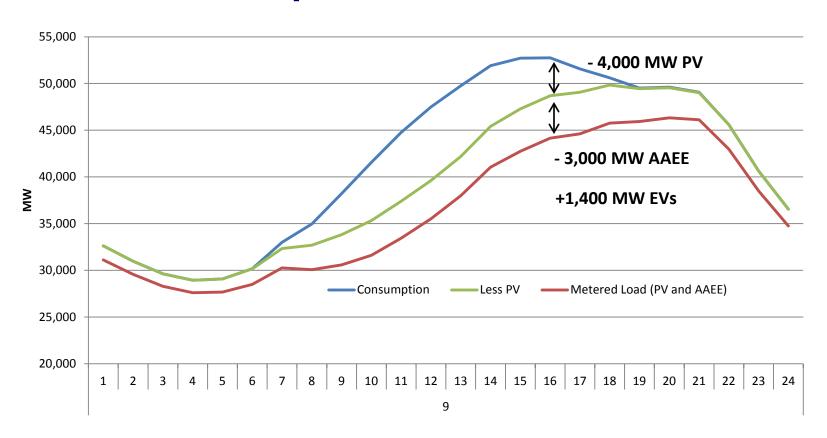


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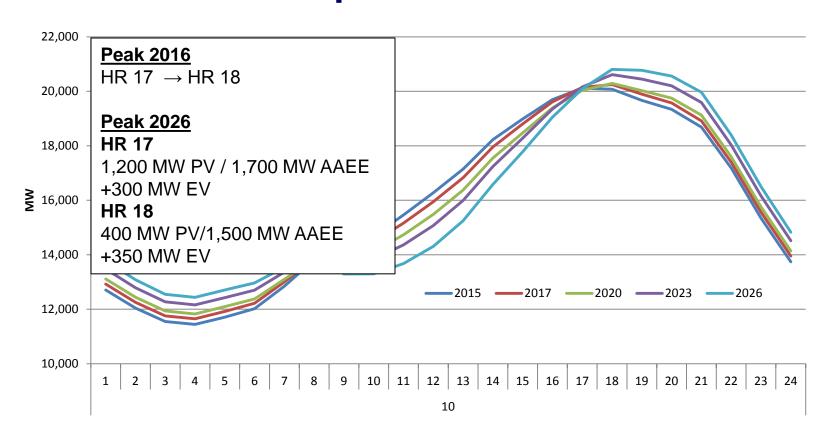


### CAISO – PV, AAEE, and EVs September 9, 2026



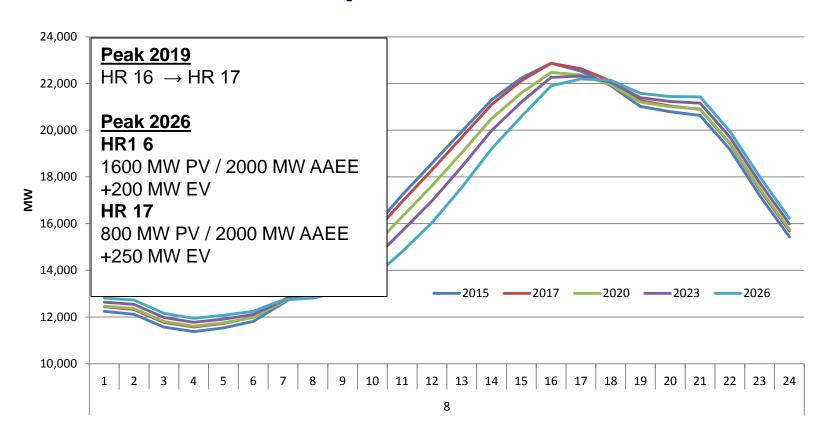


### PG&E September 10



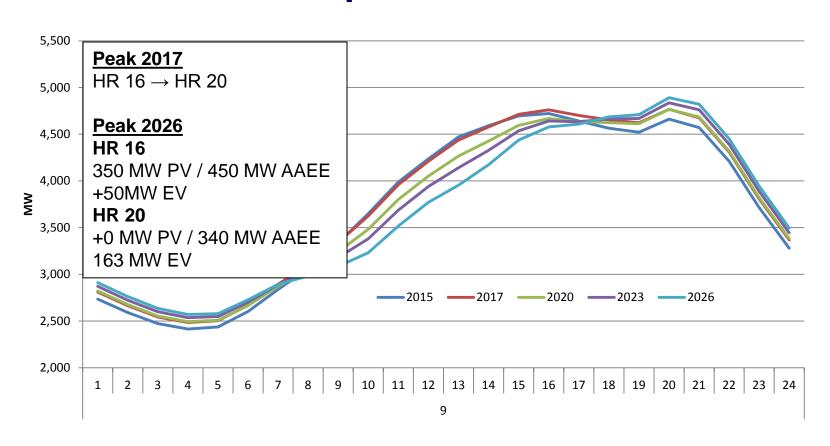


### SCE September 8





### SDG&E September 9



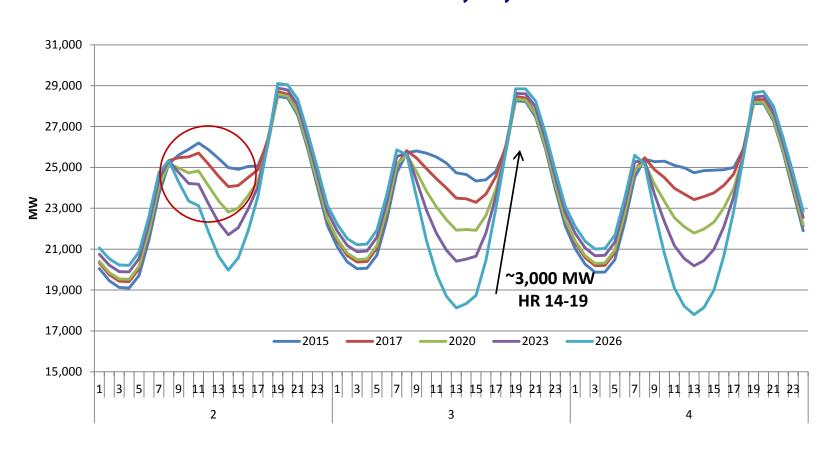


# CAISO Off-Peak March 2-4

- Observing shoulder months revealed significant "belly" due to lower loads but continued BTM PV production and AAEE savings
- Solar production variability due to weather



### CAISO Off-Peak March – 2, 3, 4





### **Conclusions**

- Other future load modifiers to incorporate
  - EVs, storage, TOU
- Weather variation for hourly forecasts
  - Normalized based on history plus climate change impacts?
  - PV Production variation?



### **Conclusions**

- We've assumed baseline consumption shapes do not change
- Full analysis requires projections of underlying baseline loads i.e., hourly forecasting