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## SB100 Draft Results

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- Scope of SB 100 analytical work for the 2021 Joint Agency Report
- Changes since the Inputs and Assumptions Workshop
- Scenario Framework
- Draft Results



### Resource Planning Modeling and Analytics

Inputs	Portfolio	Portfolio Poliability		
May include, but not limited to: Existing System	Development		Dessures	Local Poliability
Demand Forecasts or Scenarios		Operability/ Full Dispatch: Production Cost	Adequacy: Probabilistic Production Cost	Power Flow Modeling
Resource Costs	Capacity Expansion	Modeling	Modeling	
Reliability Metrics	Modeling	•		
Policy Goals		Portfolio		
Resource Potential		Impacts May include, but not limited to:		
Land Use Screens		Rate Impacts	Workforce Impacts	Land Use Impacts
	Current SB TOU Report	Air Pollutants/ Air Qua	lity Impacts	



### SB 100 Modeling Results are Directional

All portfolios presented today are directional in nature and do not represent a "State Plan" to reach SB 100.

- The SB 100 report will provide insight to State Agencies for further analytical work and implementation considerations to achieve SB 100 and other relevant state policies.
- The SB 100 modeling does not include all zero-carbon resources that could be zero-carbon eligible under SB 100. Future analyses may include additional resources.

**Core Scenarios** reflect the Joint Agency interpretation of SB 100.

**Study Scenarios** are outside the Joint Agency interpretation of SB 100 and provide information to further support California energy planning.



## California RESOLVE Model

- All modeling was conducted by E3.
- California RESOLVE model:
  - Co-optimizes NPV of investment and operational costs
  - Adapted from 2019 CPUC IRP model to include all of CA





## Changes to Modeling Since I&A Workshop

- Candidate Resources
  - Made "all resources" the default for candidate resources
  - Increased out-of-state wind potential to  $12\;\text{GW}$
  - Increased offshore wind potential to  $10\;\text{GW}$
  - Removed Natural Gas w/ CCS due to insufficient cost data
- Added additional study scenarios



### Core Assumptions: Resources

Demand Side Resources (Fixed Input)	Supply Side Resources (Selected by Model)
<ul><li>Shed Demand Response</li><li>2 GW Shed DR</li></ul>	Shed Demand Response
Customer Solar • 39 GW in 2045	Customer Solar
Energy Efficiency	Renewable Energy Resources
	Conventional Resources
	Incremental and new transmission



Implied LCOE of Average Technologies (2016\$/MWh)



Most costs were derived from the NREL 2019 Annual Technology Baseline. Hydrogen fuel cell costs were derived from the Department of Energy.



### **Core Assumptions: Demand Scenarios**

### PATHWAYS provides RESOLVE:

- Annual loads by category (GWh/yr)
- Some load shape information for load modifiers



Mahone, Amber, Zachary Subin, Jenya Kahn-Lang, Douglas Allen, Vivian Li, Gerrit De Moor, Nancy Ryan, Snuller Price. 2018. <u>Deep Decarbonization in a High</u> Renewables Future: Updated Results from the California PATHWAYS Model. California Energy Commission. Publication Number: CEC-500-2018-012



### **Core Assumptions: Demand Scenarios**





### 2045 Zero Carbon Load Coverage







Scenario Classifications	Scenario Descriptions
60% RPS (Counterfactual)	60% RPS through 2045
SB 100 Core Scenario	Core Load Coverage; High Electrification Demand; All candidate resources available
SB 100 Core, Demand Sensitivities	Change: Demand Scenarios
SB 100 Core, Resource Sensitivities	Change: Candidate Resource Availability
Study: Expanded Load Coverage	Core Load Coverage plus storage and T&D losses; High Electrification Demand; All candidate resources available
Study: Expanded Load Coverage, Demand Sensitivities	Change: Demand Scenarios
Study: Expanded Load Coverage, Resource Sensitivities	Change: Candidate Resource Availability
Study: Zero Carbon Firm Resources	Add generic zero carbon firm resources to candidate resources
Study: Accelerated Timelines	Accelerate 100% target to earlier years
Study: No Combustion	No combustion candidate resources; retire combustion resources





### **Results: Capacity Additions**



As of 2019, there is 80 GW of in-state capacity in California.

Demand: High Electrification; Resource Options: All



### **Results: Annual Generation**



#### Demand: High Electrification; Resource Options: All



### **Results: System Resource Adequacy**





### **Demand Sensitivities**



#### Load Coverage: Core; Resource Options: All; Year: 2045



### **Demand Sensitivities**



Load Coverage: Core; Resource Options: All



### High Flexibility Scenario



#### **High Flexibility Scenario**

Adjusted hourly load profile for:

- EV managed charging profile
- Building end-use flexibility Resource Adequacy Reduction: 6 GW

Notable Change in Resource Build:

- 2.7 GW avoided battery storage
- 3.3 GW increase in economic gas retirements







### **Resource Sensitivities**





### **Resource Build Rates**

All build rates shown in "GW/year"

#### Average Build Rate to 2030

**High Electrification Demand** 

Wind

Solar

1.1

Battery

1.0

Batterv



#### Average Build Rate to 2045

#### High Electrification Demand



#### **Reference** Demand



Load Coverage: Core; Resource Options: All



### **Total Resource Cost**



#### 2045 Scenario Costs

Scenario	Total Resource Cost (\$B)	Average Cost (¢/kWh)
60% RPS	\$62	14.8
SB 100 Core	\$66	16.0
Study	\$70	17.1
High Flex	\$65	15.7

Incremental Scenario Costs

Baseline Costs

Total resource cost (TRC) includes existing system costs (baseline costs), capital investments and operation costs.

Demand: High Electrification; Resource Options: All



### Zero Carbon Generation & GHG Emissions

#### **Reference Demand**



#### **High Electrification Demand**





Load Coverage: Core; Resource Options: All; Year: 2045



### Gas Generation & Capacity

#### **Reference Demand**



#### **High Electrification Demand**



Load Coverage: Core; Resource Options: All; Year: 2045



## Additional Study Scenario

- Zero Carbon Firm Resources
- No Combustion Scenario
- Accelerated Timeline Scenarios



### Study: Zero Carbon Firm Resources

- Modeling limitations and lack of established cost data precluded a range of zero carbon firm resources from being included as candidate resources.
- Zero carbon firm candidate resources:
  - Geothermal
  - Hydrogen Fuel Cells
  - Biomass
  - Generic zero carbon firm dispatchable
  - Generic zero carbon firm baseload

Candidate Resource	Capital Cost	Variable Cost	2045 LCOE (\$/MWh)
Hydrogen Fuel Cell	High	High	\$126
Biomass	High	High	\$124
Geothermal	High	Low	\$72
Generic Dispatchable	Medium	Medium	\$60
Generic Baseload	High	Very Low	\$60



### Study: Zero Carbon Firm Resources



Load Coverage: Core; Demand: High Electrification; Year: 2045



### Study: Zero Carbon Firm Resources







Load Coverage: Core; Demand: High Electrification; Year: 2045

### Study: Zero Carbon Firm Resource

- Quantity of Zero Carbon Firm Resource selection is sensitive to the cost point.
  - Geothermal appears to be the marginal resource in Core Scenarios at an LCOE of ~\$70/MWh.
  - Reduction in cost of zero carbon firm resources to ~\$60/MWh significantly increases resource selection.
- Zero Carbon Firm Resource selection reduces gas capacity economic retention.



- All combustion resources retired by 2045
- No combustion candidate resources









**Demand: High Electrification** 







#### 2045 System Resource Adequacy Contributions



Demand: High Electrification; Year: 2045





#### **2045 Scenario Costs**

Scenario	Total Resource Cost (\$B)	Average Cost (¢/kWh)
No Combustion	\$74	18.1
SB 100 Core	\$66	16.0

Incremental Scenario Costs

Baseline Costs

#### **Demand: High Electrification**







#### Demand: High Electrification; Year: 2045



- SB 100 100% Core target accelerated to:
  - 2040
  - 2035
  - 2030















### Study: Resource Build Rates





- SB 100 is achievable with existing technologies.
  - Cost reductions and innovation in zero carbon technologies, as well as demand flexibility and energy storage development can further reduce implementation costs.
- Portfolio diversity is generally valued by the model.
- Sustained record setting resource build rates will be required to meet SB 100.
- Natural gas capacity is largely retained, but fleet-wide utilization decreases by 50% compared to a 60% RPS future.
  - Cost reductions and innovation in zero carbon firm resources and storage resources may reduce economic gas fleet retention.

# Thank You



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