

Development of an Optimized Strategic Plan for Pasadena Water and Power

Technical Advisory Panel Meeting #1

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Agenda

- + Kickoff – David (10 min)
- + Introductions – All (10 min)
- + Study Scope Overview – Nick (25 min)
- + Questions & Comments – All (15 min)

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Context for the Need for an Optimized Strategic Plan

- + In January 2023, Pasadena City Council passed Resolution 9977, setting ambitious goals for the city amidst a climate emergency
- + Goal to source all electricity from carbon-free sources by 2030 far exceeds requirements of California state policy
 - Establishes City of Pasadena as a leader on climate change in a state with already aggressive policy goals
 - Requires a head-on confrontation with a series of technical challenges well-established in literature regarding the transition to a carbon-free electricity system

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASADENA, CALIFORNIA DECLARING A CLIMATE EMERGENCY AND SETTING A GOAL TO SOURCE 100% OF PASADENA'S ELECTRICITY FROM CARBON FREE SOURCES BY 2030

Section 3. The City Council hereby sets a policy goal to source 100% of Pasadena's electricity from carbon free sources by the end of 2030.

Section 4. The City Council hereby directs the City Manager to utilize the 2023 IRP process to plan multiple approaches to transition to the goal described in Section 3 and to optimize affordability, rate equity, stability, and reliability of electricity while achieving this goal.

Development of a Proposed Scope of Work for the Optimized Plan

- + City Council's approval of IRP was accompanied by a directive to develop an Optimized Strategic Plan:

"City Manager's Office to engage 3rd party consultant with expertise in green energy to advise in development of optimized plan. Optimized plan development to be completed within six months and presented to the Municipal Services Committee."

- + E3 began working with PWP and the City Manager's Office to develop a proposed scope in January 2024
- + Proposed scope of work represents a cohesive and comprehensive framework built on rigorous technical analysis to inform an optimized plan

Recommended studies to support Optimized Strategic Plan as discussed with Municipal Services Committee, February 26, 2024



Recommended Studies

Pasadena Water and Power

- Distributed Energy Resources and Demand Response
- Study options for Glenarm conversion or replacement
- Transmission and Distribution System
- Low-income and Disadvantaged Communities Support Community Solar Program
- New and Emerging Technology Evaluation
- Market Potential Study

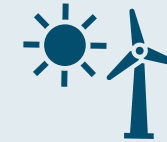
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Deep Decarbonization Planning Studies: Common Trends

- + E3's work with utilities and regulators to develop long-term electric system resource plans that achieve ambitious clean energy targets support four common findings:
 1. Technologies available today can enable significant progress towards ambitious state and utility clean energy objectives
 2. A technology-neutral approach to planning and procurement will enable utilities to meet reliability and clean energy goals most affordably
 3. Decarbonization of the “last 10%” poses the greatest challenge, and may lead to significant increases in costs
 4. Some form of firm capacity is needed for reliability even under a deeply decarbonized grid
- + These findings are supported by a growing body of literature, including recent studies by the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL), Princeton University, the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI), and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

Blueprint for a Low Carbon Grid



Scalable Low-Cost Clean Energy Resources

Today: wind, solar, efficiency

Future: nuclear small modular reactors (SMR), carbon capture & sequestration (CCS)



Balancing Resources

Today: batteries, pumped storage, hydro, demand response

Future: advanced flexible loads, other storage technologies



Firm Resources

Today: nuclear, natural gas, geothermal, biogas

Future: hydrogen, long-duration storage, nuclear SMR, CCS

Questions/Issues/Challenges Specific to Pasadena

Issue	Implications/Questions
Glenarm's importance for local reliability	Due to import limits and potential contingencies, maintaining sufficient generating capacity within the PWP system is necessary to ensure reliability across all hours
Limited interconnection to CAISO	Timing of planned upgrade at Goodrich receiving station has significant potential impacts on sequencing of other elements of plan
Aging T&D infrastructure	Replacement of undergrounded subtransmission lines staged prior to transformer upgrades at Goodrich
Limited land availability	Opportunities to add new generation resources within load pocket are limited
Lack of advanced metering infrastructure	Installation of smart meters necessary for implementation of any advanced demand response/load flexibility solutions

Defining an “Optimized Strategic Plan”

The Optimized Strategic Plan is...

...a roadmap that defines the key actions and future decision points that will best position PWP to achieve the city’s goal to source all electricity from carbon-free sources by 2031 while maintaining reliability and limiting cost impacts to customers

The Optimized Strategic Plan will...

...consider how new generation resources, investments in T&D infrastructure, and customer programs can facilitate transition to Pasadena’s carbon-free goal

What to Expect from an Optimized Strategic Plan



Infrastructure Needs

- New generation resources (types, general locations, timing)
- Existing generation resource retirements
- Transmission & distribution upgrades (including dependencies)



Customer Participation

- Projected future customer energy demands
- Distributed energy resources & virtual power plants (including solar, storage, demand response, flexible loads, vehicle charging)



Clean Energy Metrics

- Share of annual energy needs sourced from renewable energy
- Share of annual energy needs sourced from carbon-free energy
- Share of hourly energy needs sourced from carbon-free energy
- Reduction in carbon emissions relative to baseline (1990)



Cost Metrics

- Total incremental cost relative to Reference Case (state policy)
- Average system rate
- Relative customer bill impacts

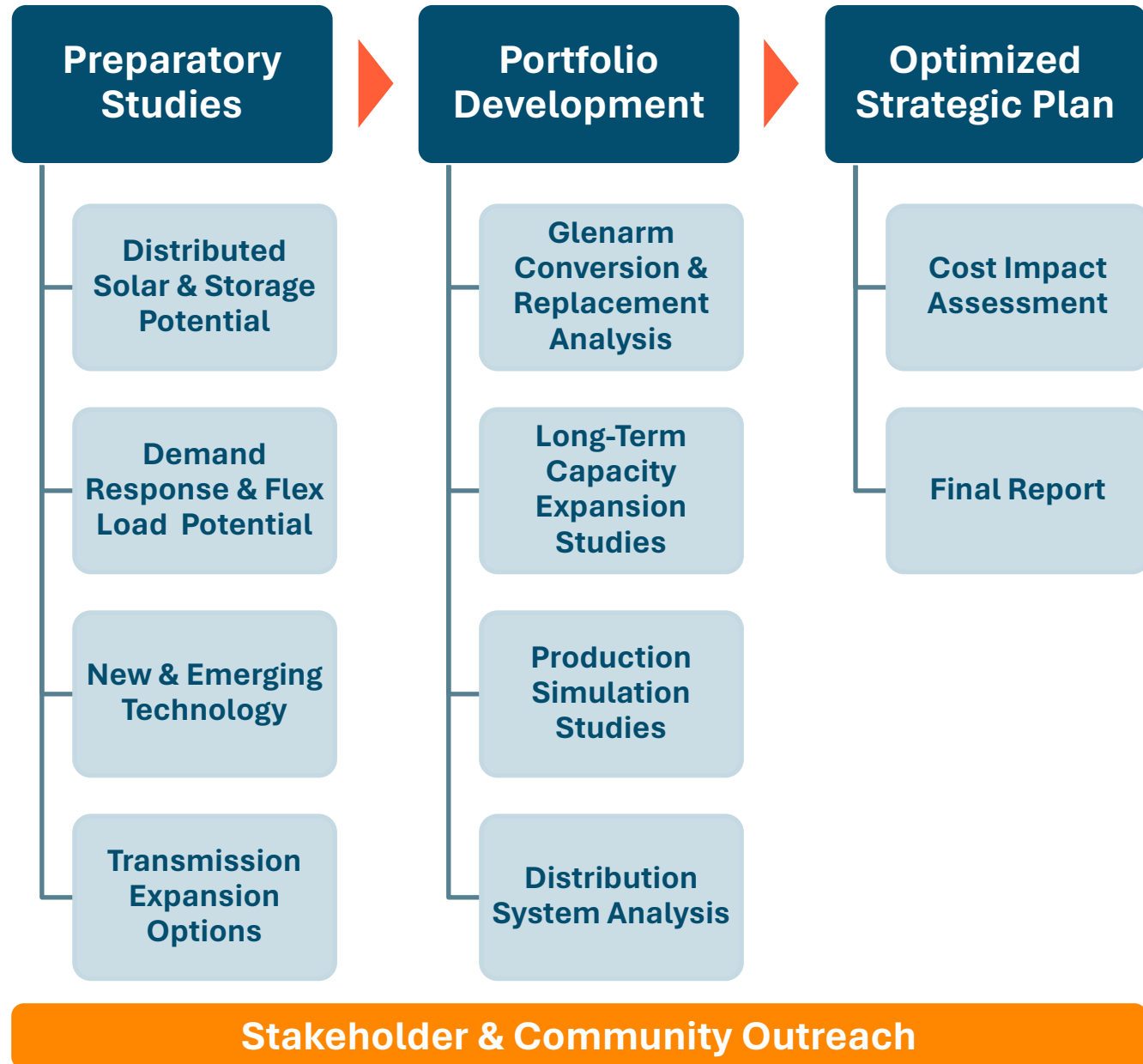


Reliability

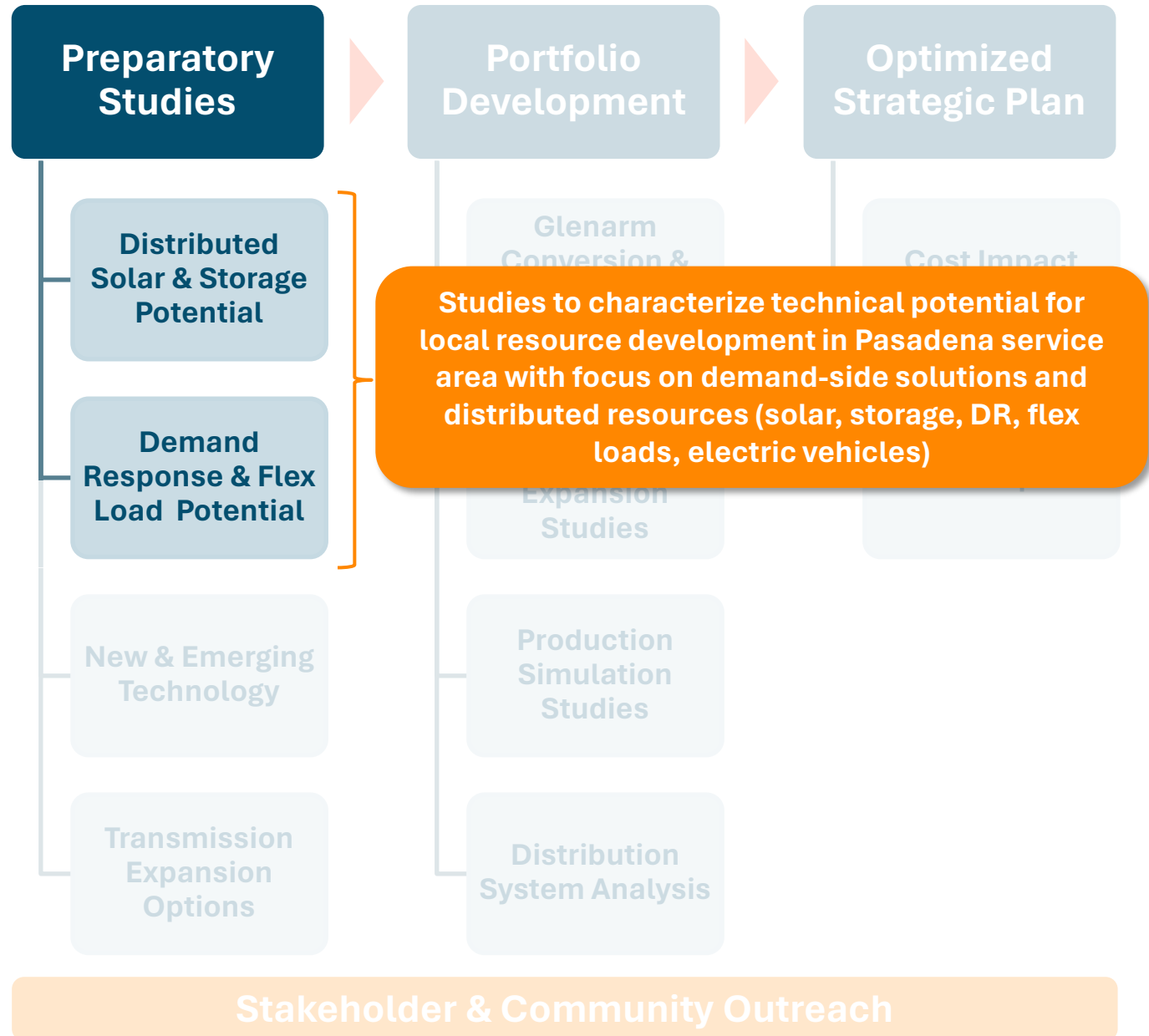
- Validation of key local reliability results
- Consistency with state regulatory requirements for resource adequacy

Overview of Study Plan

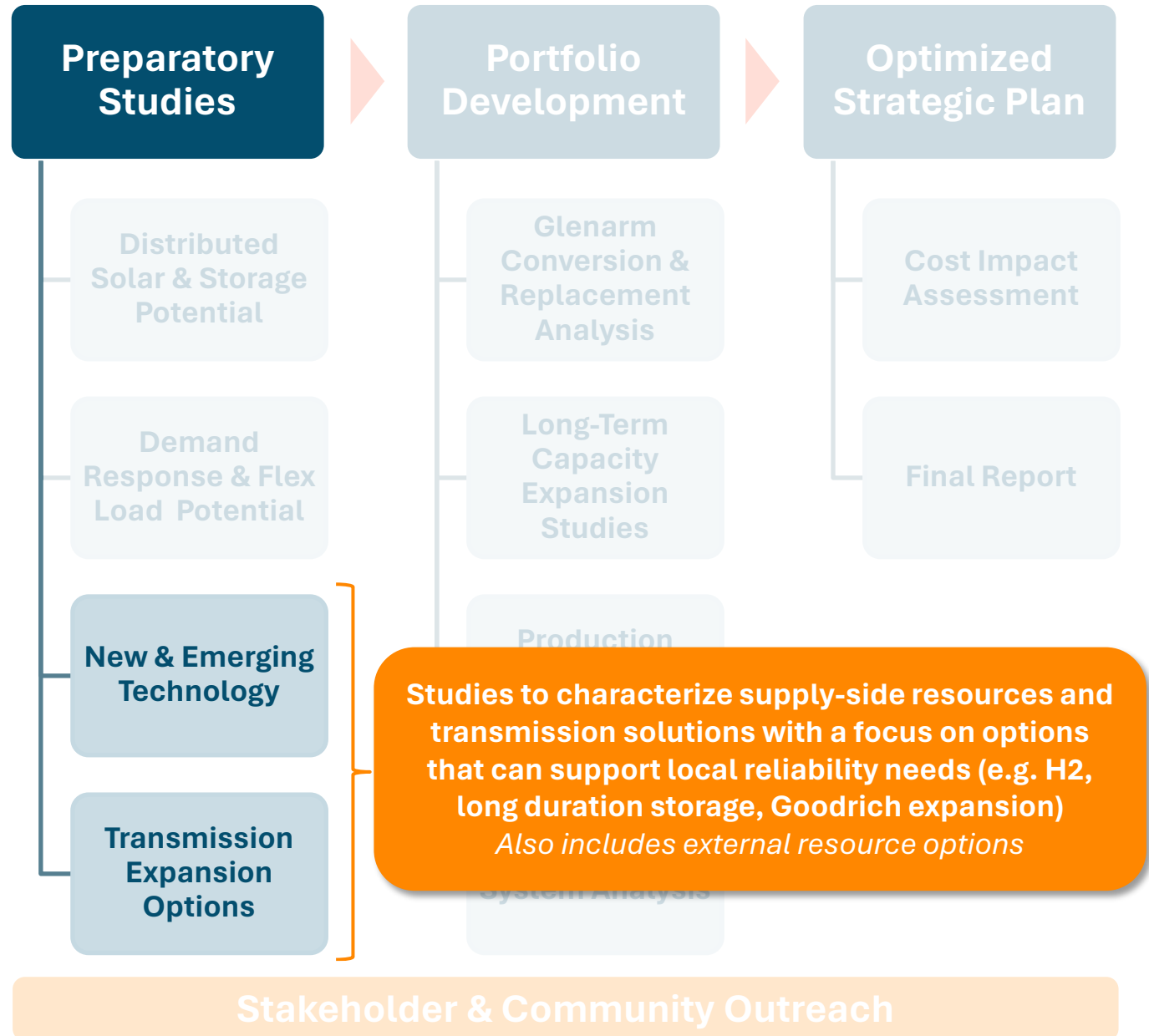
Where relevant and useful, the study plan will leverage findings and information from previous planning efforts (Integrated Resource Plan, Power Delivery Master Plan)



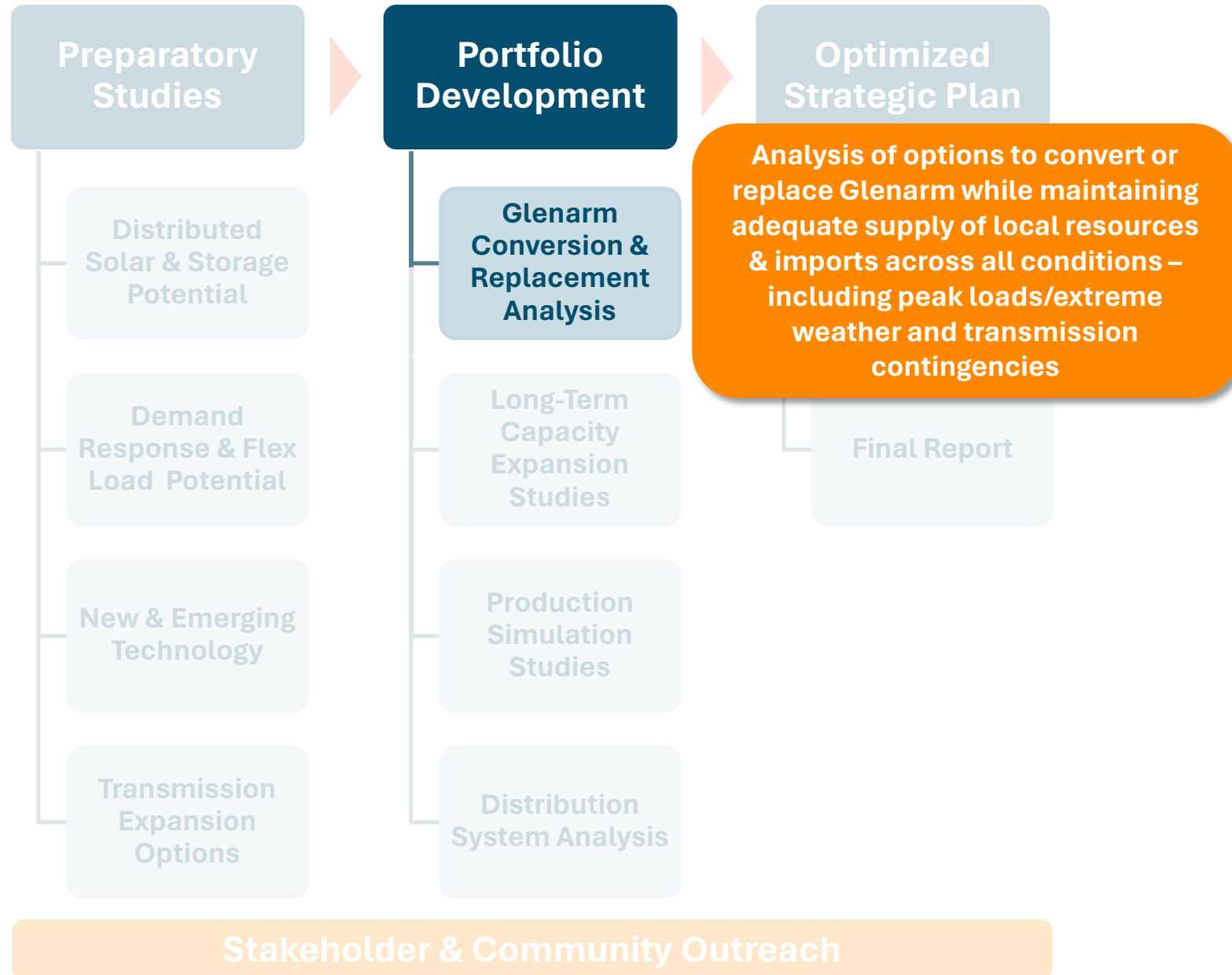
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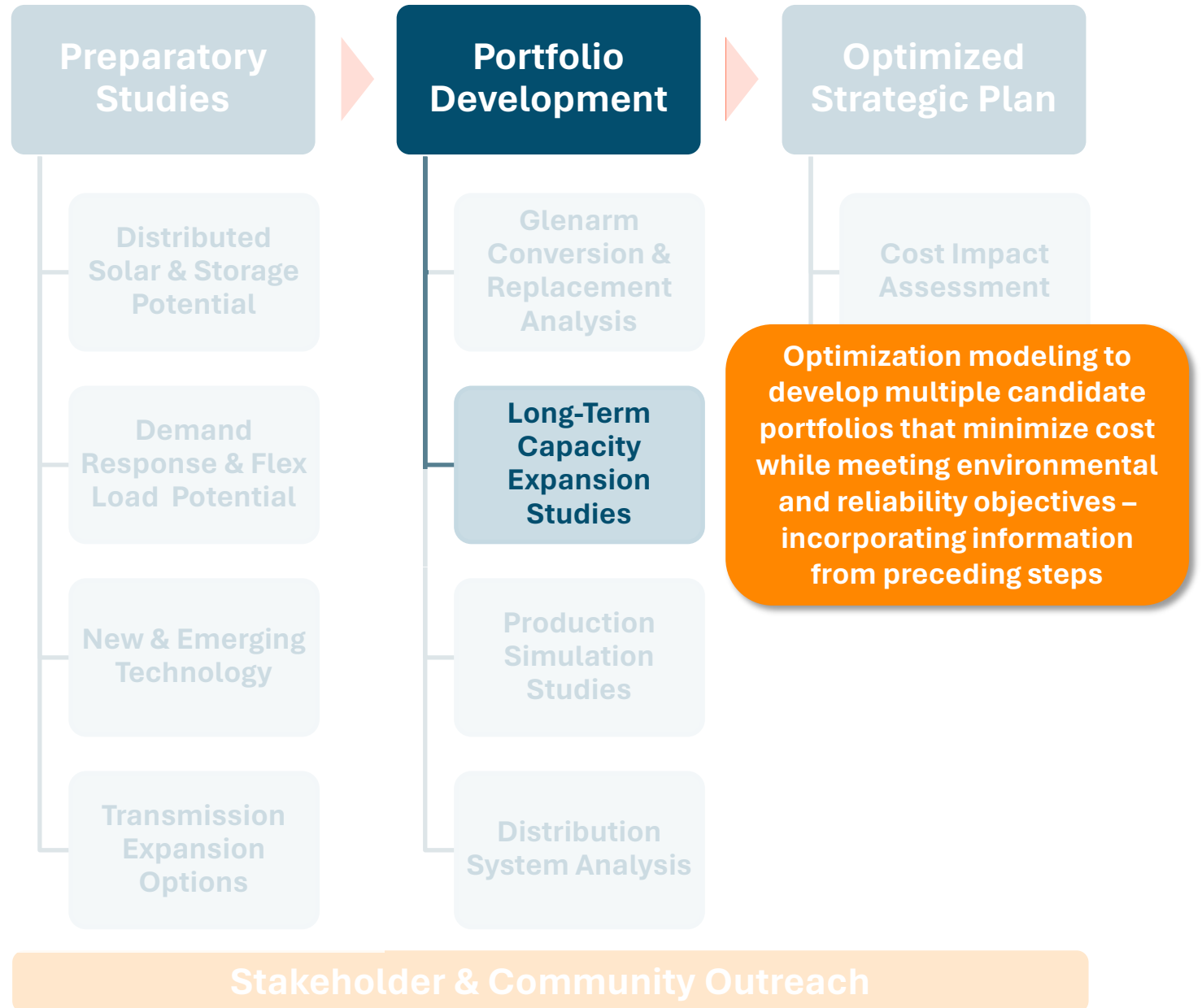
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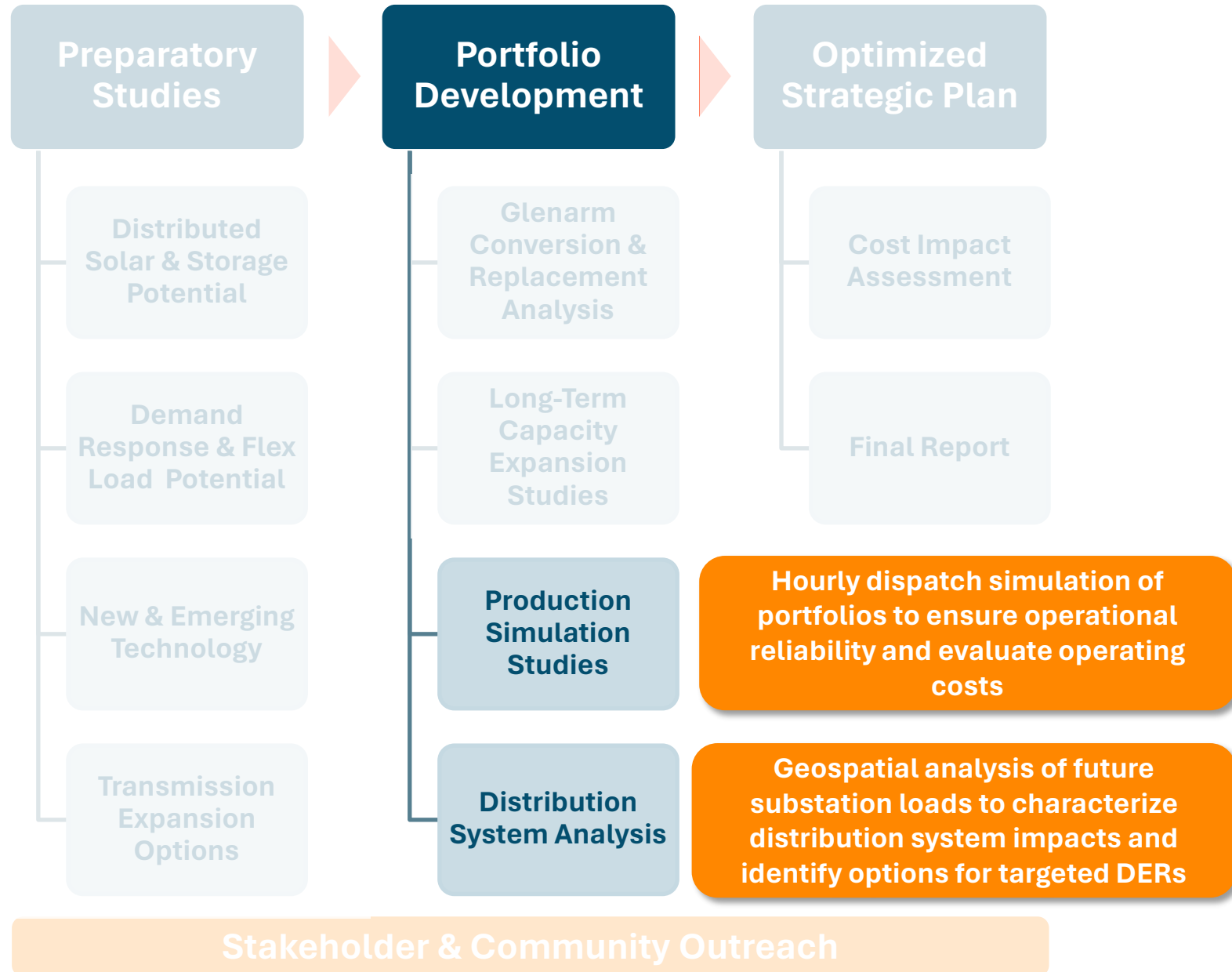
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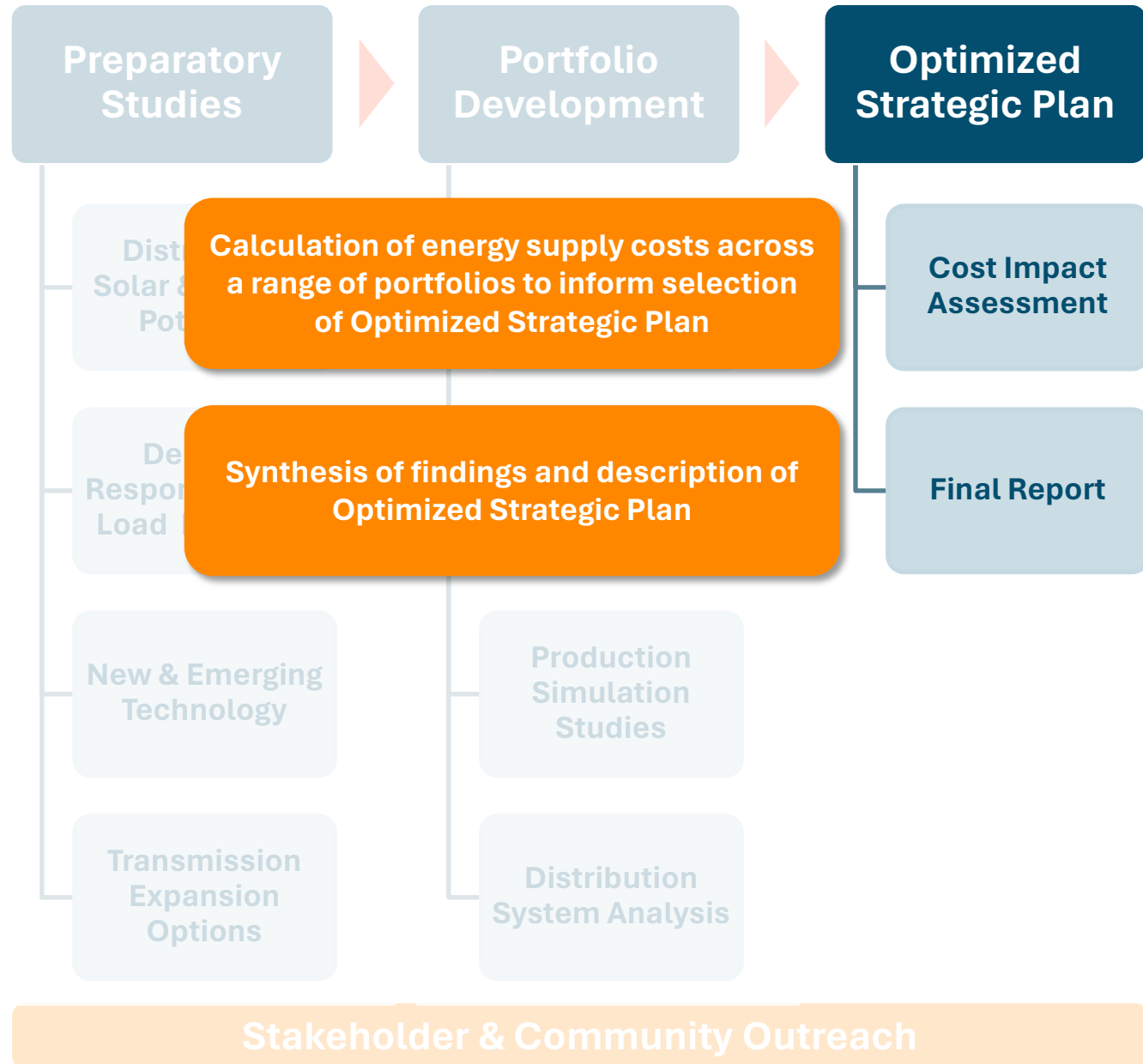
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Technical Advisory Panel Meeting #1 - Follow up

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Topics Covered

+ Follow-up questions from previous meeting

+ Local solar + storage study

- Objectives
- Technical potential methodology
- Adoption Methodology

+ DR and flexible load study

+ Emerging technology study

- Objectives
- Data sources
- Technologies considered

Follow-Up Questions: Study Overview

- 1. Fixing the Goodrich bottleneck that limits importation of electricity is a large infrastructure investment. On the other hand, DERs are comparatively more expensive than imported solar/storage, but provide resilience and reliability in the case there is an issue with Goodrich. Will this tradeoff be assessed in the studies and scenarios to be modeled?**
- 2. Are there strategies PWP has considered and chosen not to pursue related to greening the energy supply? What are those and why not?**

Follow-Up Questions: Distributed Solar + Storage Study

3. Your slides note the limited land available for DER. According to Project Sunroof¹ there is approximately 389 MW DC capacity in Pasadena on rooftops alone. What tools will you use to measure the available land for solar and storage?
4. The Project Sunroof methodology says explicitly that the estimate does **not** take into account of grid constraints: Will the OSP include simulations of the Pasadena grid under different PV adoption scenarios to have a more reliable estimate of solar potential? Such a simulation system will also be useful for determining the type and cost of grid investments that will be most impactful/efficient towards achieving the 2030 goal. It will also provide guidelines for, not just planning and deployment, but also for the efficient operation of the updated/new DER infrastructure once it is put in place.
5. Will you include parking lots, commercial rooftop, and PUSD properties in the analysis of available space for DER?
6. Will publicly-owned solar and storage on private residences (e.g. via PPA) be included as an option during the solar study?
7. Will the OSP consider the use of microgrids with neighborhood storage as a way to optimize supply and storage and also decrease demand?

Follow-Up Questions: Distributed Solar + Storage Study, cont'd

8. Is there a “safe” low hanging fruit goal for increasing rooftop solar (through a marketing campaign by the City, streamlining permitting and removing restrictions) that could be sought this year to begin increasing adoption in advance of the completion of the optimized plan?
9. Regarding question 8, what would be the cost of such a marketing campaign? Could the information be made available for outside organizations to spread for PWP? What permitting streamlining could be done? What restrictions would need to be removed?
10. In the IRP there was disagreement about how to estimate the cost of residential and community rooftop solar. The assumption was made that increases in the residential rooftop solar, beyond the historical increase, would be paid by PWP and passed on to ratepayers. How do you plan to do this?
11. What is/are PWP's current subsidy(ies) for non-utility-owned rooftop solar? If known and as applicable, please break out direct monetary and non-monetary subsidies (cash rebates, tax incentives, permitting exceptions) and indirect monetary subsidies (customer-avoided cost).
12. What is the current state of rebates/subsidies for residential rooftop solar? Commercial rooftop solar?

Follow-Up Questions: Distributed Solar + Storage Study, cont'd

- 13.** Has or would PWP consider lease/electric power sharing with property owners as a way to incentivize solar installation? (If a property owner allows PWP to install solar on a rooftop, that property owner gets a discount on electric costs, for example and PWP gets the power generated.)
- 14.** Regarding question 13, does PWP have experience with such? Does PWP have experience with or will the OSP provide cost estimates for the maintenance costs of such facilities on private property? What would the insurance model look like, and what would the cost for such (ex., City self-insured? A third-party private carrier policy for all such facilities? Requiring AI certificates for the homeowners/property-owners CGL insurance policies?)

Follow-Up Questions: New and Emerging Tech Study

- 15.** Slide 6, under Blueprint for a Low Carbon Grid, includes Carbon Capture & Sequestration (CCS) as well as biogas, which are carbon neutral resources (as opposed to carbon free). Please verify that these will not be included in the Optimized Strategic Plan “that will best position PWP to achieve the city’s goal to source all electricity from carbon-free sources by 2031.”
- 16.** Is linked neighborhood geothermal an available resource in Pasadena?

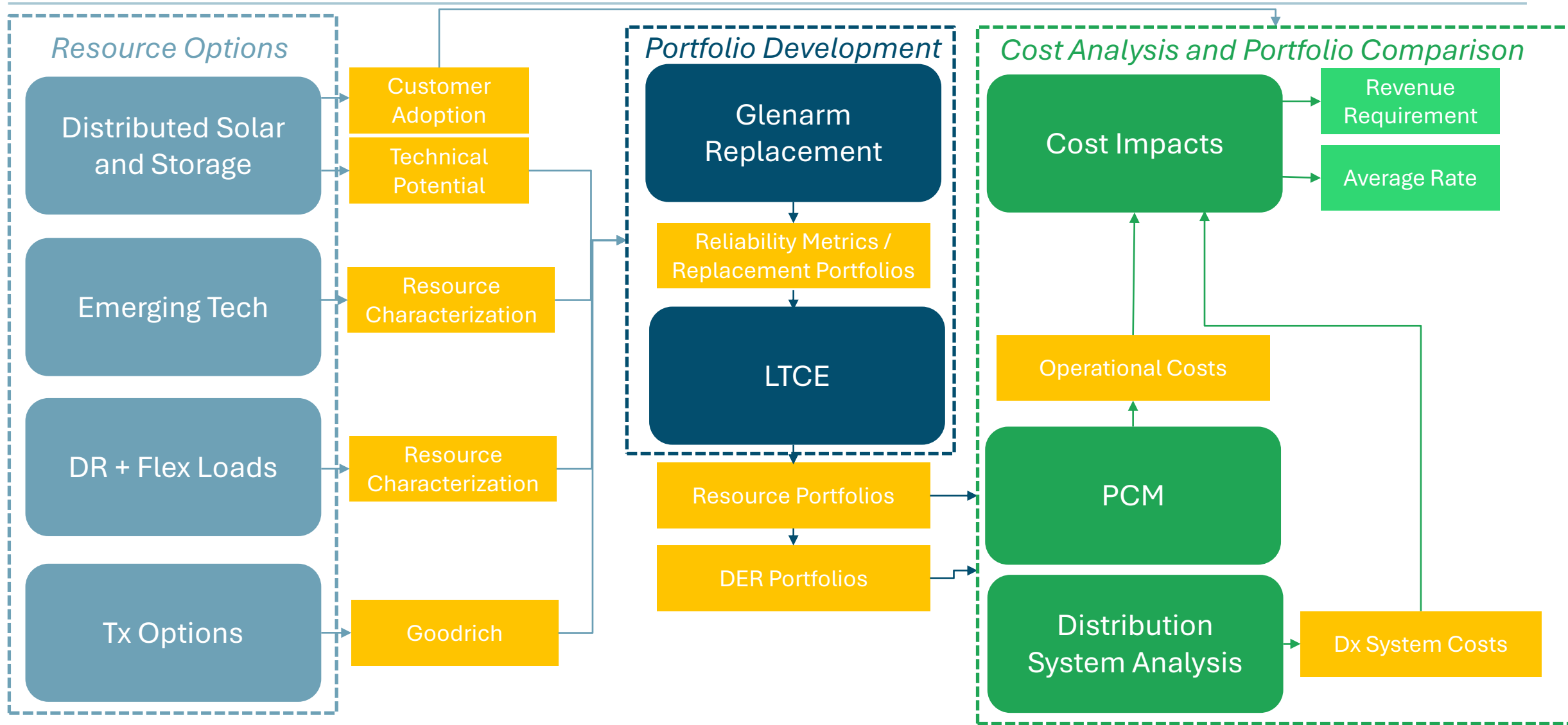
Follow-Up Questions: Demand Response and Flexible Load Study

- 17.** For the Demand Response/flex load study, there are different ways of reducing demand, from voluntary requests, to TOU rates, to VPP and grid optimization, to mandatory management by PWP. Will each of these be considered in the study? Do all of these use the same kind of AMI?
- 18.** What experience has PWP had with the performance of such programs? Also, will we look to the study for examples of the performance of such programs elsewhere?

Follow-Up Questions: Glenarm Replacement Studies

- 19.** How will you discount the value of the Glenarm Plant for risks arising from plant shut downs, equipment defects, and maintenance costs? The General Electric GT-5 combined cycle turbine (which was installed in 2017) was shut down in November 2023 and remains in Texas for repair of a serious defect probably throughout the summer. The cost of the repairs has been increasing the longer the part stays in Texas. GE has been the subject of lawsuits over defective gas turbines although we don't know if the Pasadena GT-5 is related.
- 20.** Regarding question 19, how will you apply similar discounts for other resources (e.g., rooftop solar, battery storage, and neighborhood geothermal)?
- 21.** Regarding question 1 and Goodrich, how much is the currently anticipated large infrastructure investment? What is the anticipated reliability figure for Goodrich with the investment (e.g., 98%? 99%? 99.9999%)? Do we have similar reliability figures for generation or storage resources?
- 22.** What are the regulatory/ISO restrictions we need to consider? Are there workarounds?
- 23.** What is actually planned for the entire Glenarm site?

Detailed Illustration of Study Dependencies



Solar + Storage Study



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Scope of Local Solar & Storage Study

+ Questions addressed in Local Solar Storage Study:

1. What is technical potential for solar and storage within PWP service territory (rooftop, parking canopy, ground mount)?
2. What are cost and performance characteristics of potential solar and storage resources?
3. What levels of customer solar and storage adoption could occur under various rate designs and incentive structures?

+ Questions not addressed in Local Solar Storage Study:

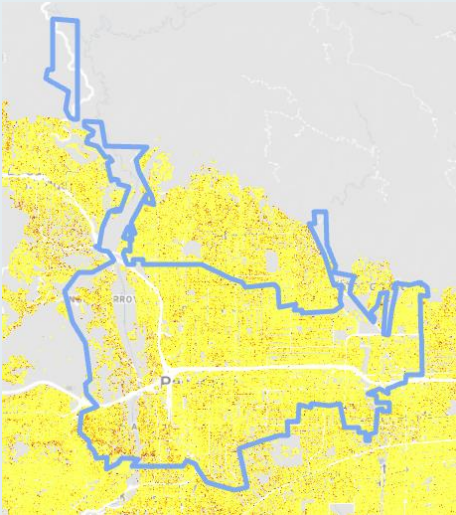
1. What is the value provided by solar and storage resources adopted by PWP customers?
2. What is total resource cost resulting from with different levels of customer solar adoption?
3. What bill impacts to non-participating customers will result from different levels of customer solar adoption?

Addressing these questions requires a complete view of the supply- and demand-side solutions that enable PWP to achieve its goals and will be part of the *Cost Impacts* study

Local Solar & Storage Technical Potential Methodology

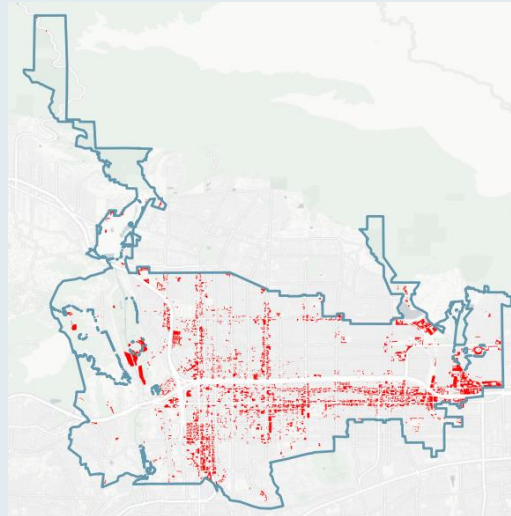
Rooftop Solar & Storage

Merge [Google Sunroof](#) database with PWP customer data and apply various screens to determine technical potential by segment.



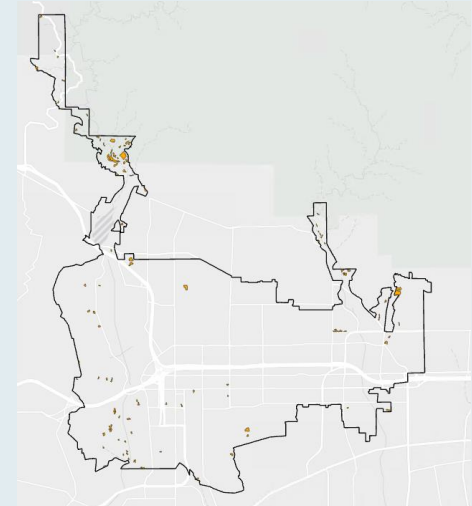
Parking Canopy Solar

Filter parking lots identified in [OpenStreet](#) maps for land use restrictions and building safety code.



Ground Mount Solar

GIS-based screening of land use to exclude buildings, parks, roads, other impervious surfaces, and sloped terrain



Local Solar + Storage Adoption Methodology

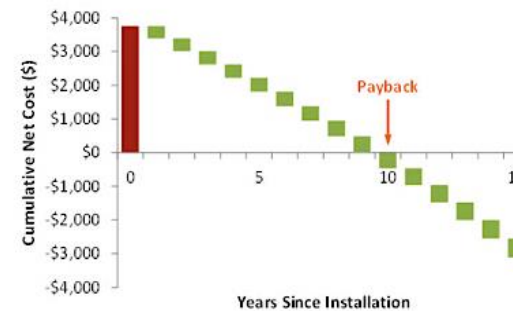
+ The local solar + storage adoption analysis will use a bass diffusion model framework

- Bass diffusion is an empirical market share model to determine the long-run market equilibrium of customer adoption.
- The relationship between economic attractiveness and **maximum market** share is based on **payback periods** or **benefit-cost** ratios.
- Logistic curves can be calibrated based on historical adoption rate and cost-effectiveness.

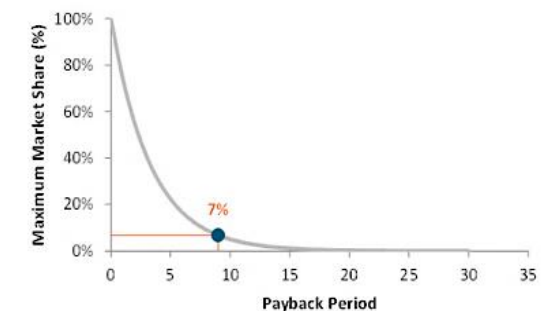
+ Adoption will be modeled reflecting payback periods under several tariffs including:

- Net energy metering
- Net billing
- Buy-all / Sell-all
- LCOE

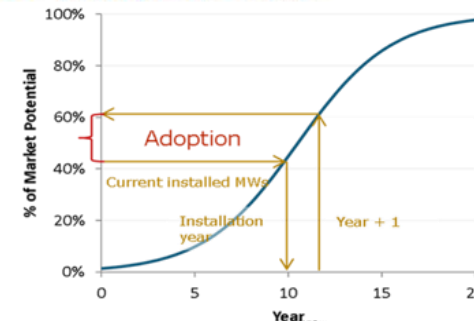
1. Determine payback period



2. Determine max market share



3. Fit logistic curve



4. Apply to technical potential

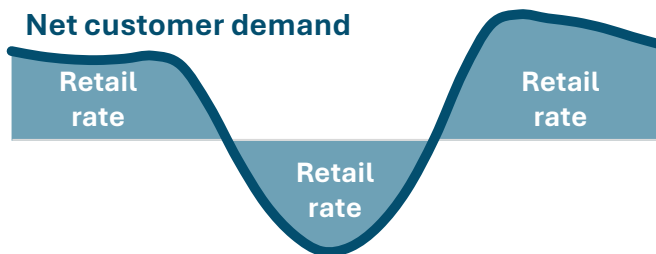
Technical potential	MW
\times Market penetration at t	%
$=$ Installed capacity at t	MW

Options to Consider for Customer Solar & Storage Compensation

Option 1: Net Energy Metering

All generation (both self-consumption & exports) credited at customer retail rate (current design)

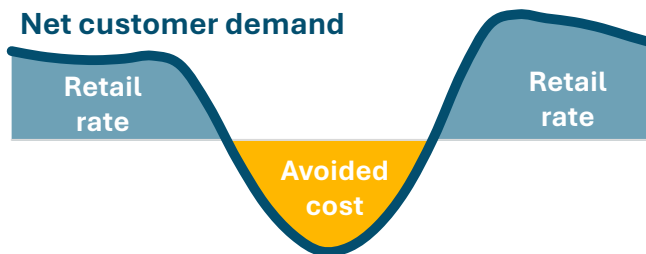
Time-dependent signal: no
Requires AMI: no



Option 2: Net Billing

Generation consumed by customer credited at full retail rate; generation exported to grid credited at utility avoided cost

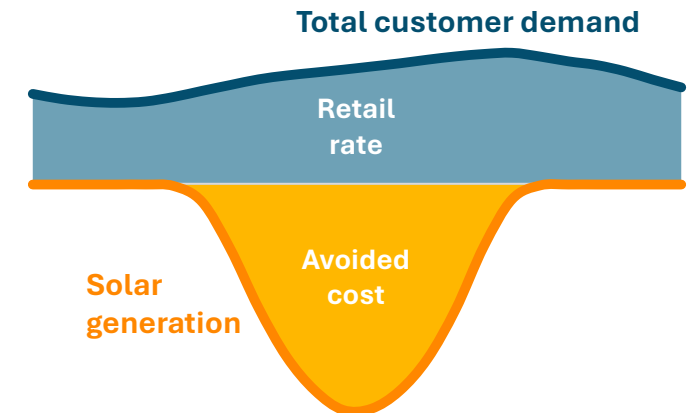
Time-dependent value: yes
Requires AMI: yes



Option 3: Buy-All/Sell-All

All generation (both self-consumption & exports) credited at utility avoided cost

Time-dependent value: yes
Requires AMI: yes



Consideration of broader changes to rate design (e.g. TOU rates) is beyond the scope of this study

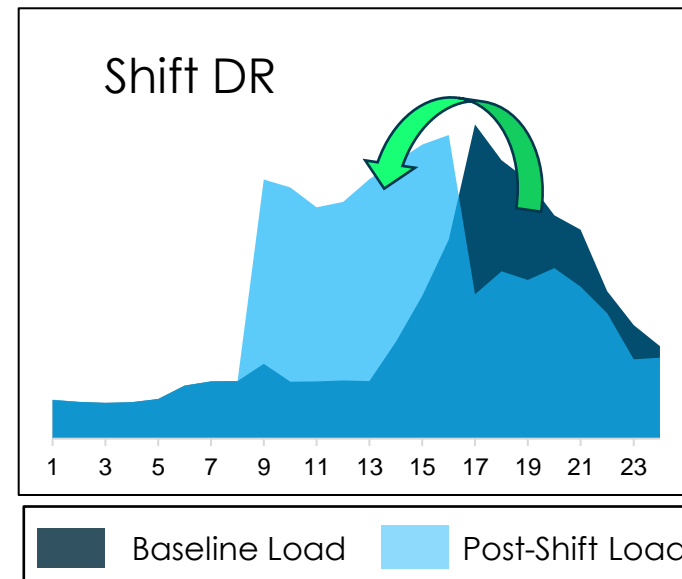
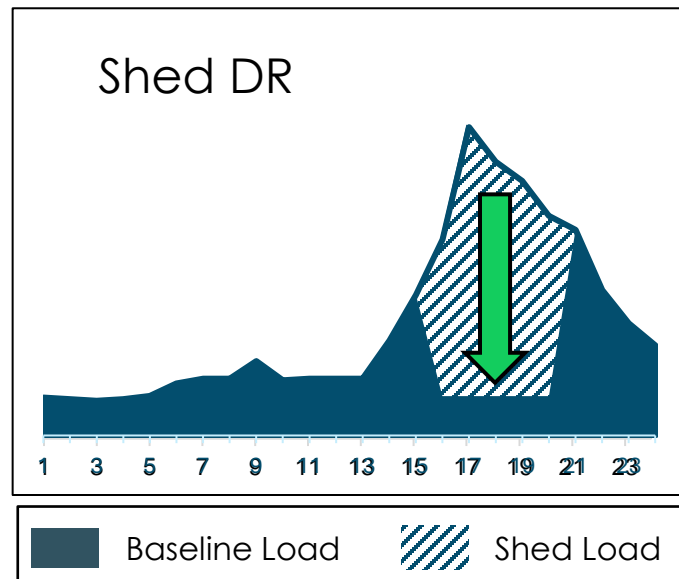
DR and Flexible Loads Study



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LBNL Potential Study Overview

- + LBNL produces supply curves for the achievable potential for shed and shift demand response curves characterizing the resource availability at a given cost.
 - **Shed (“conventional”)** – Loads that can be curtailed to provide capacity reductions
 - **Shift** – Loads that can be shifted between hours
- + LBNL also characterized the shape DR resource in the latest phase of study.
 - **Shape (“load-modifying”)** - Reshaping customer load profiles for significant portions of the year through price responsiveness or behavioral campaigns.



Objective, Outputs, Methodology, and Uses

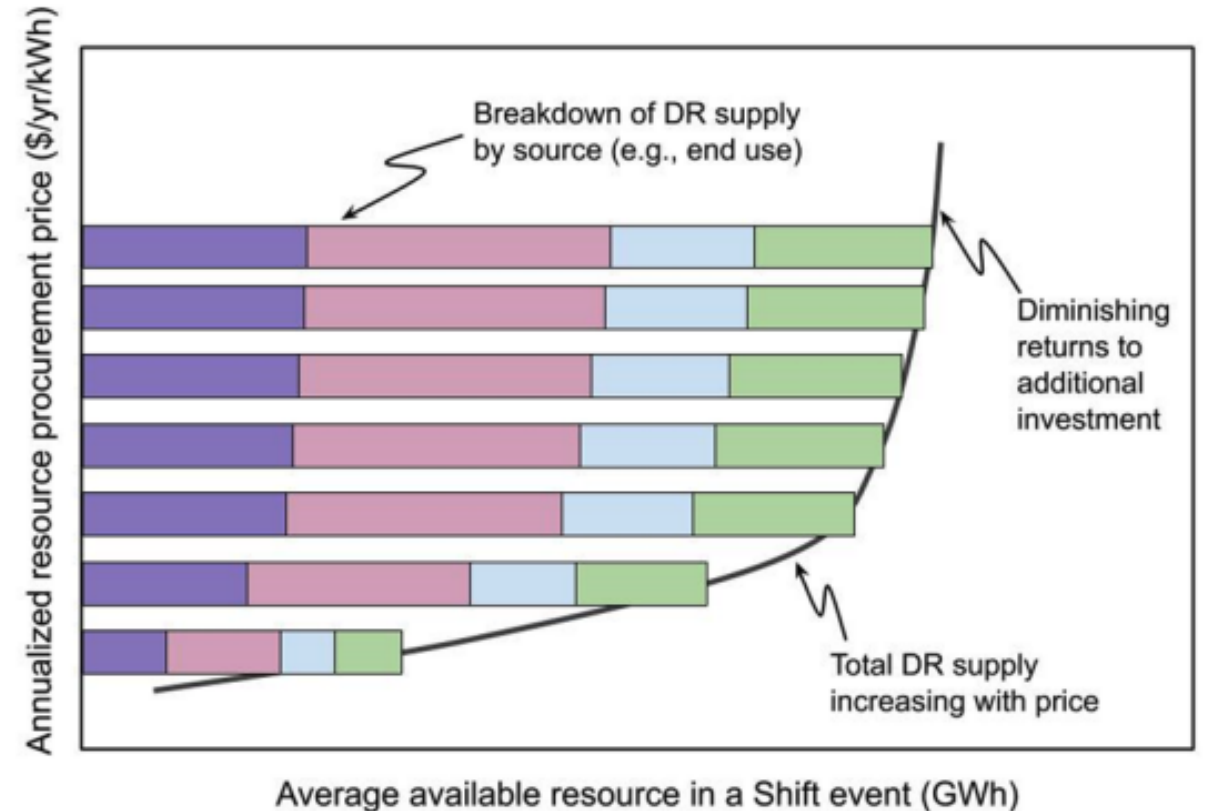
+ **Objective:** Assess cost and potential for demand response in PWP's service territory.

+ **Outputs:**

- Shift and shed DR supply curves.
- Options for managed vs unmanaged load shapes

+ **Methodology:**

- Scale Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory's CA Demand Response Potential Study results from an SCE SubLap to PWP's service territory.
 - Leverage data from PWP on customer segmentation and end-use load studies for calibration.
 - Apply constraints to supply curve factoring in PWP's AMI deployment schedule and capacity to expand load flexibility programs.
- Develop managed and unmanaged charging load profiles recommending alternative load scenarios for use in PWP using E3's RESHAPE-EV model.



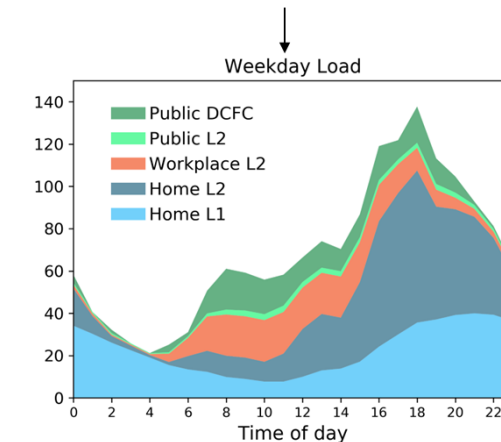
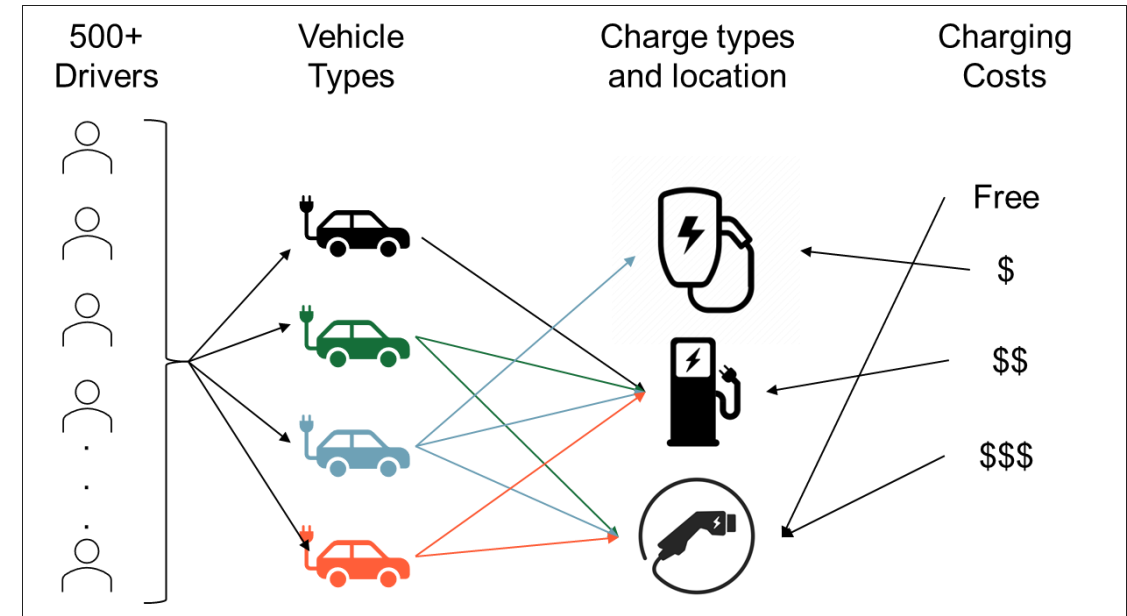
EV charging load shape modeling

E3's RESHAPE-EV model

E3's RESHAPE-EV model generates diversified EV charging load shapes considering the driving pattern of thousands of drivers and characteristics of the driver population including charger access, vehicle types, and cost to charge vehicles in various locations.

E3's **RESHAPE-EV model** can be leveraged to model custom scenarios of EV charging load shapes:

- + Base or **unmanaged** charging load shapes are created based on drivers' travel needs and access to different charger types
- + **Managed** charging load shapes are then developed by optimizing load in response to price signals, such as time-of-use rates, wholesale market prices, or utilities' avoided costs
- + Managed charging can be **passive**, in response to time varying rates, or **active** with participation in demand response programs.



New & Emerging Technologies Study



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New & Emerging Technologies Study Purpose

+ Primary purpose: identify a broad menu of supply-side resource options to consider in development of PWP's Optimized Strategic Plan

- Includes both resources commercially available today and “emerging” technologies not yet developed at scale

+ Questions addressed in New & Emerging Technologies Study:

- What supply-side generation technologies may contribute to PWP's efforts to eliminate carbon from its power supply?
- What are the risks and challenges associated with developing these resources over the next decade?
- What reasonable range of cost and performance assumptions should be used to characterize resource options in further studies?

1. Identify Broad Set of New & Emerging Resource Options Consistent with Resolution 9977

- Renewable resources
- Energy storage (short, medium, long duration)
- Clean fuels (hydrogen, renewable natural gas)
- *(Demand-side resources, including solar, storage, DR, and flexible loads considered in other studies)*

2. Conduct Initial Assessment of Technology Suitability for PWP's Goals

- Commercial readiness & expected development timelines
- Land use intensity & technical potential limits, ability to develop locally
- Other development risks

3. Identify/Select Subset of Technologies for Further Study in OSP

4. Collect Cost, Performance, Potential Data Necessary to Represent Resources in Long-Term Capacity Expansion & Operational Models

- Capital & operating/maintenance costs
- Operational characteristics (e.g. hourly profiles, storage duration, round trip efficiency)

Proposed list of technologies to consider

Renewable	Short to Mid-Duration Storage (< 24 hrs)	Long Duration Storage (> 24 hrs)	Clean Fuels
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Utility-scale solar PV• Land-based wind (in- and out-of-state)• Floating offshore wind• Geothermal (conventional)• Geothermal (enhanced)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Li battery storage• Flow battery• Flywheel storage• Pumped storage• Novel Pumped Hydro• Gravity-Based• Adiabatic Compressed Air Energy Storage (A-CAES)• Liquid Air (LAES)• Liquid CO2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sensible Heat• Latent Heat• Thermochemical heat• Aqueous Electrolyte Flow Batteries• Metal Anode Battery• Hybrid Flow Battery	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Renewable Natural Gas• Hydrogen Combustion• Hydrogen Fuel Cell

Notes:

By design and within the constraints of Resolution 9977, all gas-fueled and nuclear emerging technologies are excluded

Demand-side resources (local solar, storage, demand response, and load flexibility) considered separately in Local Solar & Storage and DR & Flexible Loads Studies

+ Question 4: Any particular technology to add or remove from this list?

Main data sources

+ Main data sources for characterizing emerging technologies:

- DOE's 2023 and 2024 Commercialization reports
- DOE's Technology Readiness Levels
- DOE's Commercial Adoption Readiness Assessment Tool
- CPUC IRP's Zero-Carbon Technology Assessment

+ Main data sources for cost, potential and performance:

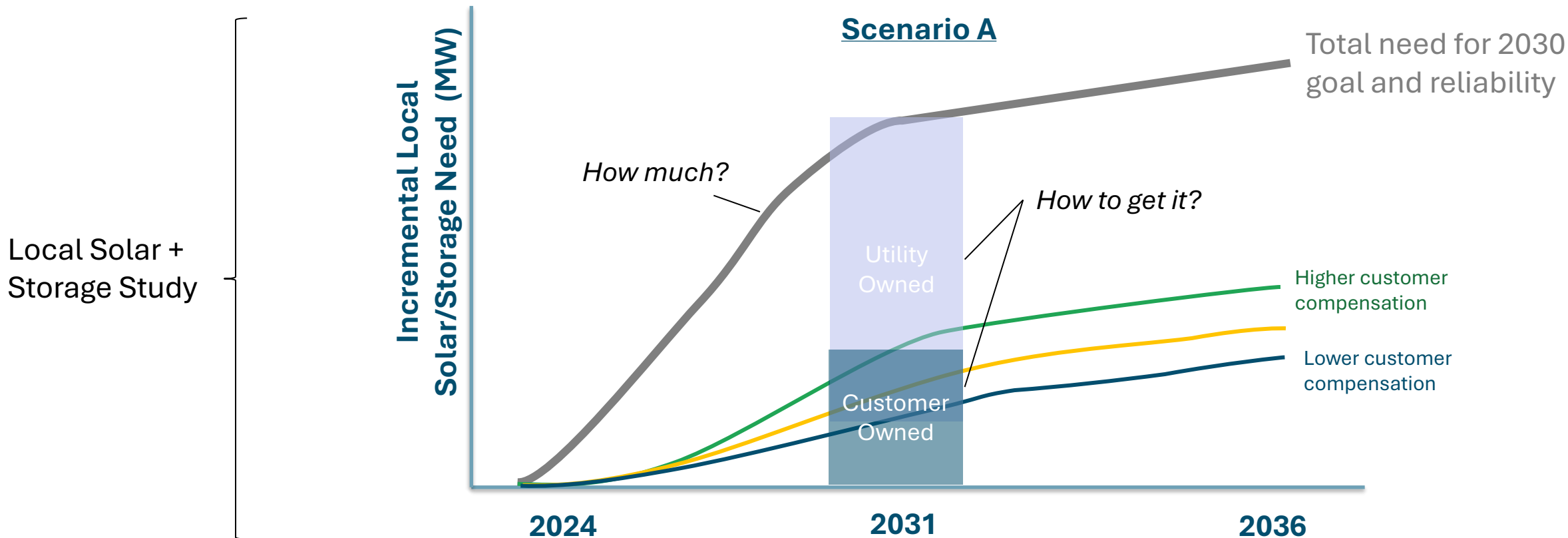
- CPUC IRP Resource cost estimates
- CEC/CPUC land-use screened renewable energy potential data
- 2023 NREL Annual Technology Baseline (ATB) and upcoming 2024 NREL ATB
- Lazard Cost data
- CEC Long Duration Storage Reports
- Prior E3 work

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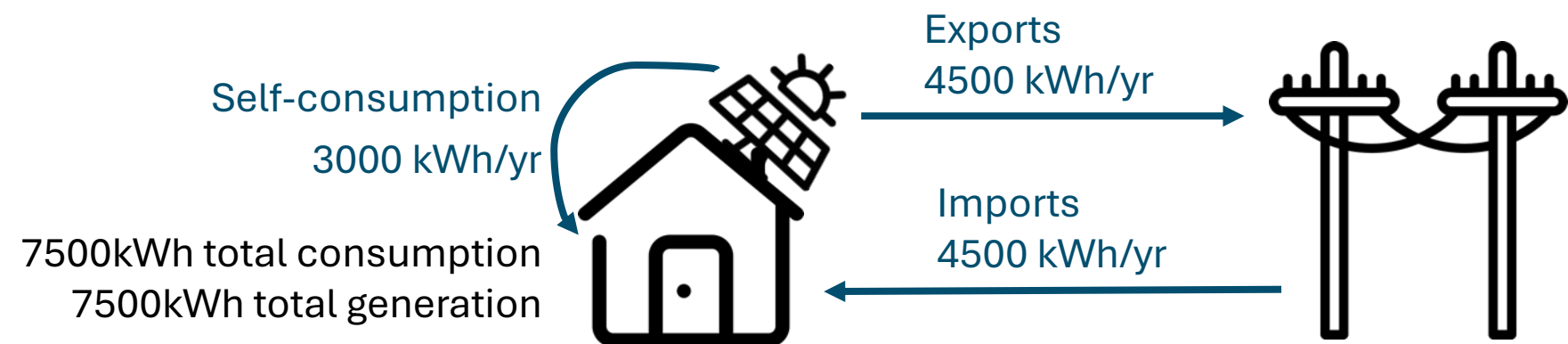
How much solar and how to get it?



Cost Study

Customer Adoption Scenario	Total Resource Cost	Revenue Requirement	Rate Impact
Higher Compensation			
Lower Compensation			

Rooftop Solar Can Be Compensated by the Utility in Many Different Ways



Tariff	Self-consumption	Exports	Bill Savings	Cost Shift
Net Energy Metering (NEM)	All generation (both self-consumption and exports) credited at the customer's import rate		+++	+++
Net Billing (NEB)	Self-consumption credited at the import rate	Exports credited at a reduced export rate	++	++
Buy-All, Sell-All (BA, SA)	All generation (both self-consumption and exports) credited at a reduced export rate		+	+

Note: “Net Metering / NEM” is often used erroneously/ colloquially to describe all tariffs for crediting exports from customer-generators

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Agenda

This meeting:

- + Review of study plan and “synthesis” stage
- + Technical studies methodology deep dives:
 - Local Solar + Storage
 - Emerging Technology
 - Demand Response and Flexible Loads

Potential topics for next meeting (tentative/draft):

- + *Draft analysis results*
 - *Local Solar + Storage*
 - *Emerging Technology*
 - *Demand Response and Flexible Loads*
- + **Overview of Glenarm conversion/replacement scope**
- + **Discussion of core study scenarios**

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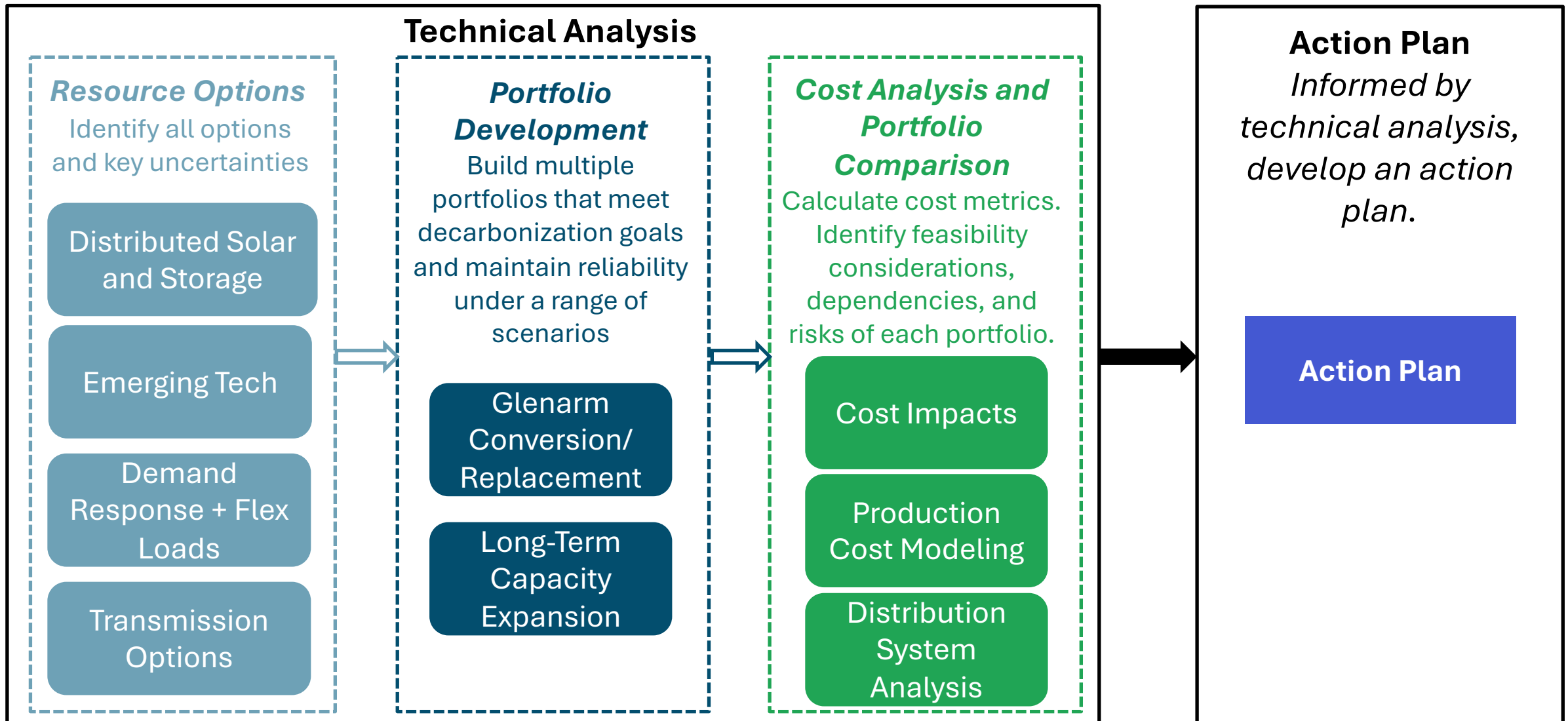
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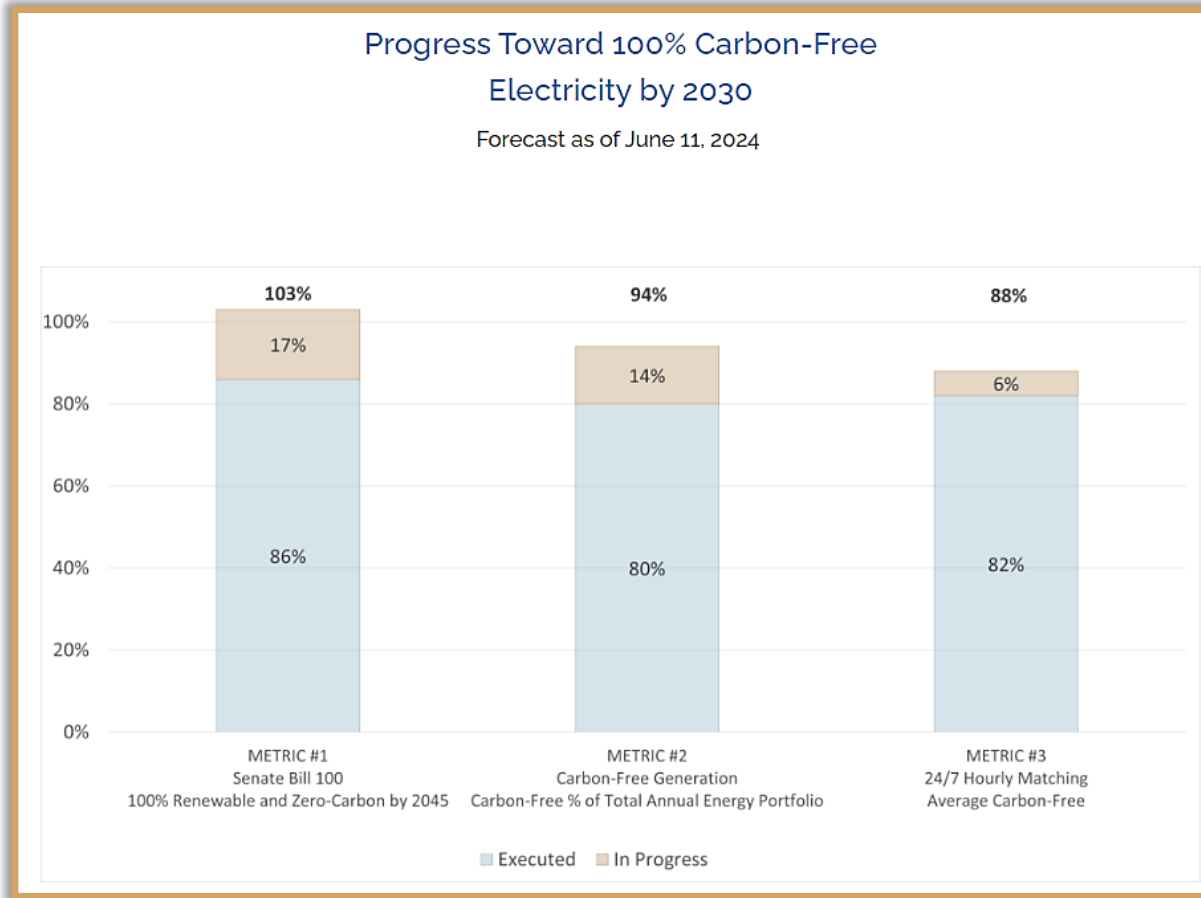
Optimized Strategic Plan Study Workflow





Progress to Carbon-Free Electricity

Pasadena Water and Power

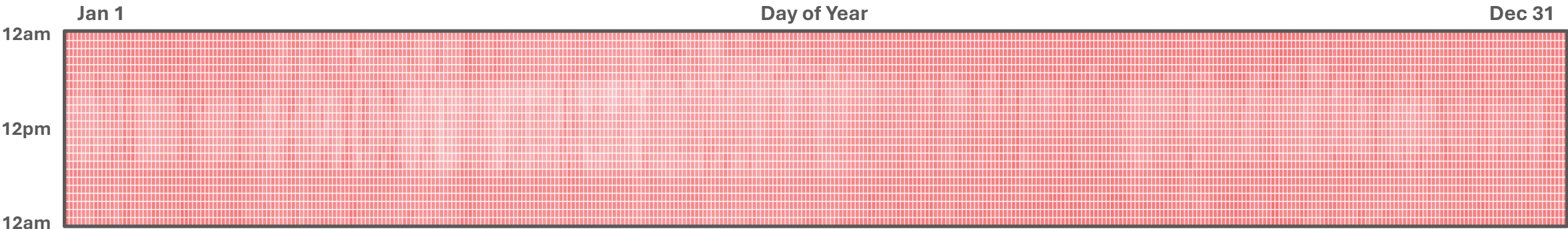


Decarbonization Progress Highlights

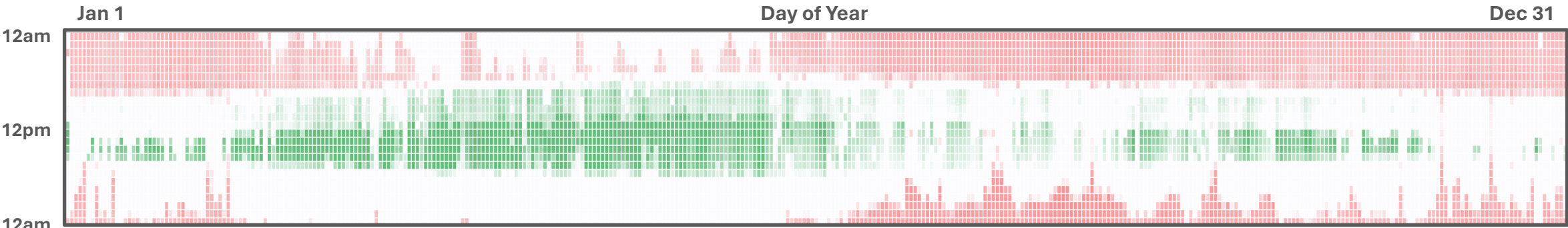
- **Metric 1**
 - > PWP's progress to achieving State compliance goals
- **Metric 2**
 - > The percentage of PWP's energy portfolio that is comprised of carbon-free resources
- **Metric 3**
 - > The percentage of every hour that is served by carbon-free resources

Balance of Carbon-Free Energy Resources based on Currently Executed Contracts

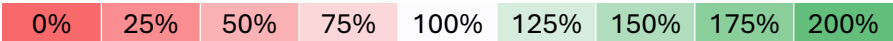
2025 Carbon-Free Electricity Supply 24/7 Hourly Matching (“Metric 3”): 25%



2030 Carbon-Free Electricity Supply (Executed Contracts Only) 24/7 Hourly Matching (“Metric 3”): 83%

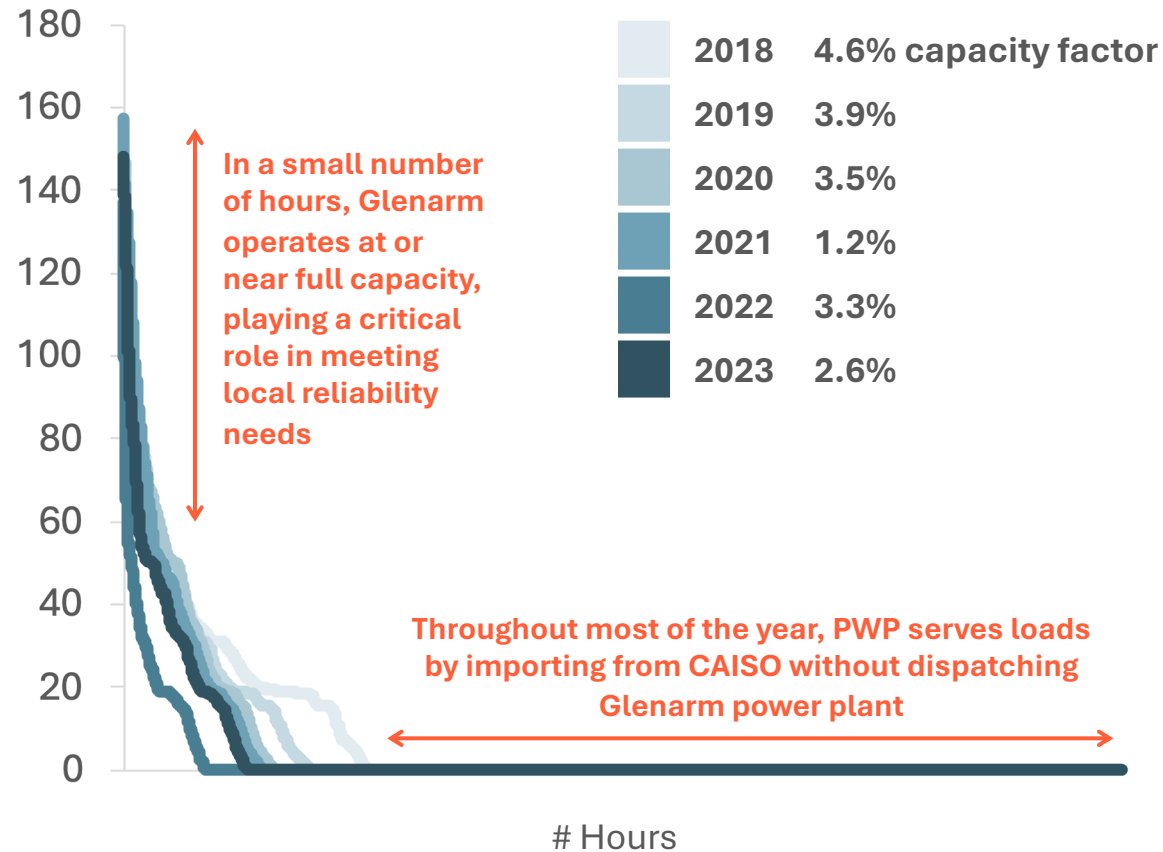


Hourly Carbon-Free Electricity vs. Hourly Load



A Historical Perspective on the Role of Glenarm

Glenarm Hourly Generation (Duration Curves)
(MW)



+ Historical operational patterns of Glenarm Power Plant consistent with a resource whose primary purpose is supporting reliability:

- Low capacity factor, frequently not operated
- Dispatched up to full capacity in a select number of hours per year

+ Conditions that currently require operations of Glenarm:

- Peak demand conditions (above import capability)
- Transmission/distribution contingencies
- High wholesale electricity prices in California Independent System Operator (CAISO)
- CAISO resource deficiencies

A long-term reliability solution will require local resources that can operate reliably under very specific circumstances

Local Solar + Storage



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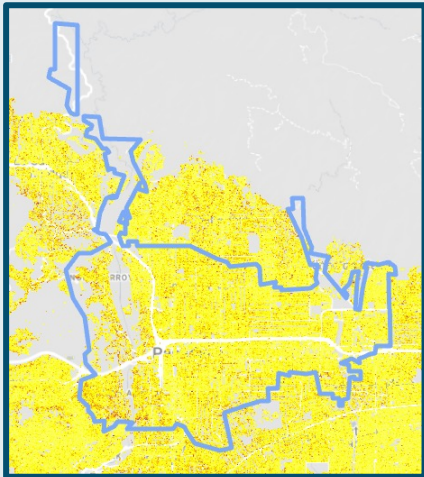
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Local Solar & Storage Technical Potential Methodology

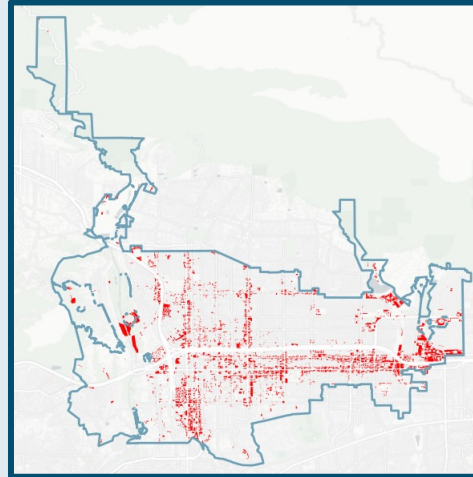
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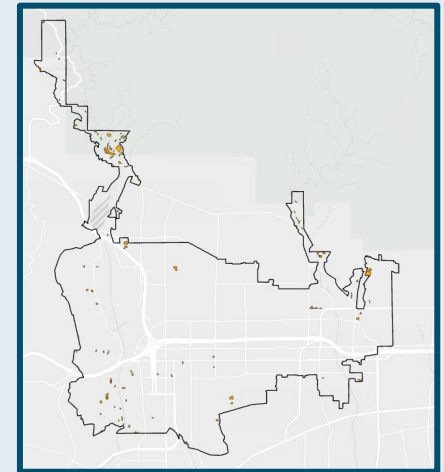
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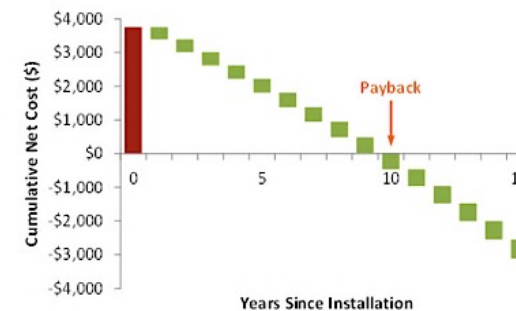
+ The local solar + storage adoption analysis will use a bass diffusion model framework

- Bass diffusion is an empirical market share model to determine the long-run market equilibrium of customer adoption.
- The relationship between economic attractiveness and **maximum market** share is based on **payback periods** or **benefit-cost** ratios.
- Logistic curves can be calibrated based on historical adoption rate and cost-effectiveness.

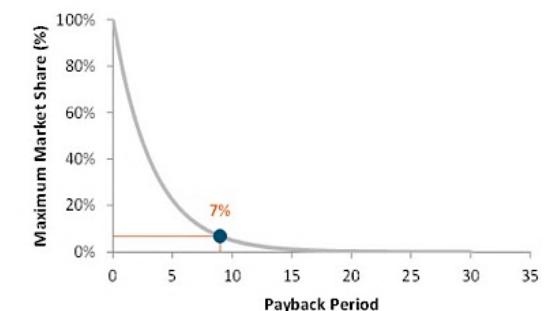
+ Adoption will be modeled reflecting payback periods under several tariffs. For example,

- Net Energy Metering (NEM)
- Net billing
- Buy-all / Sell-all

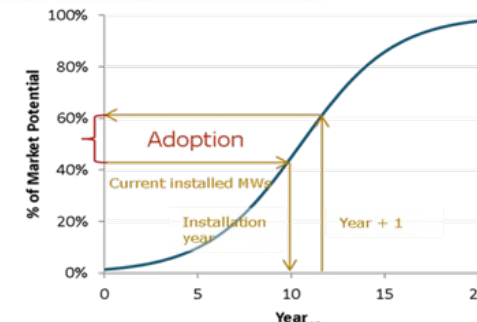
1. Determine payback period



2. Determine max market share



3. Fit logistic curve



4. Apply to technical potential

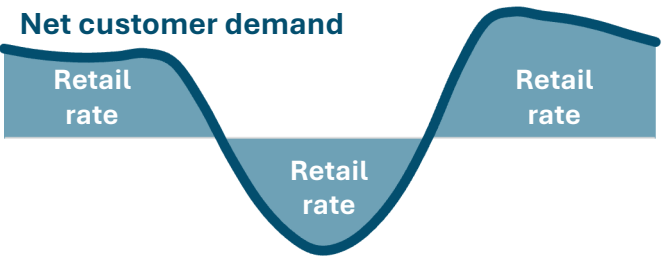
Technical potential	MW
\times Market penetration at t	%
$=$ Installed capacity at t	MW

Designs for Customer Solar & Storage Compensation for OSP Analysis

Design 1: Net Energy Metering

All generation (both self-consumption & exports) credited at customer retail rate (current design)

Time-dependent signal: no
Requires AMI: no

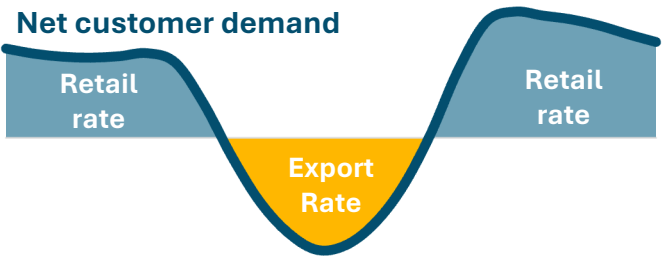


Does not incentivize pairing storage adoption with solar

Design 2: Net Billing

Generation consumed by customer credited at full retail rate; generation exported to grid credited at an export rate

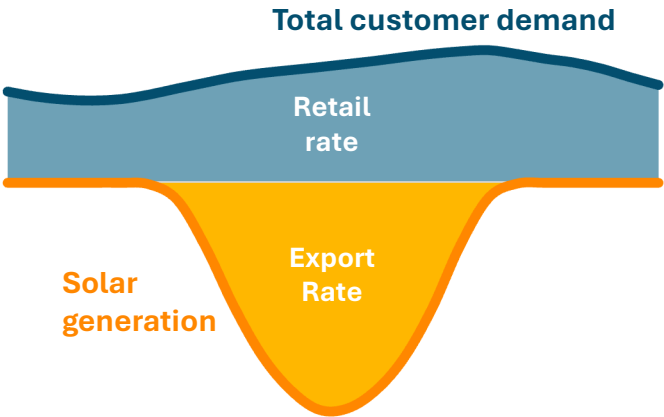
Time-dependent value: yes
Requires AMI: yes



Design 3: Buy-All/Sell-All

All generation (both self-consumption & exports) credited at an export rate

Time-dependent value: yes
Requires AMI: yes



Designs considered in OSP do not reflect full spectrum of options but are meant to capture a range of potential options

Demand Response and Flexible Loads



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Objective, Motivation, Research Questions

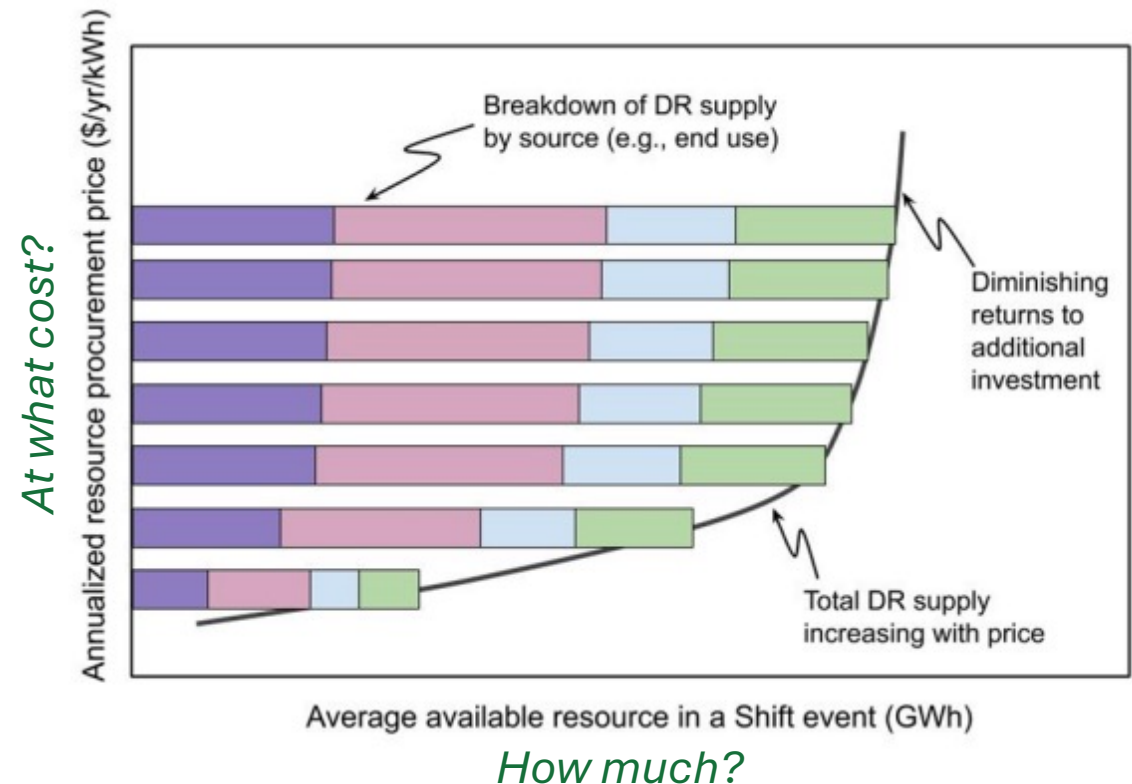
- + **Objective:** Assess cost and potential for demand response in PWP's service territory.
- + **Motivation:** Given constraints on PWP to leverage utility-scale resources due to limited import capability and in-zone resource availability, demand response is one of the zero-carbon demand-side resources that can contribute to meeting PWP's capacity needs for maintaining reliability.

Questions answered in this study:

1. How much demand response potential is available from PWP customers?
2. What are the costs of demand response?
3. How can PWP leverage managed electric vehicle (EV) charging to reduce grid impacts of electrification?

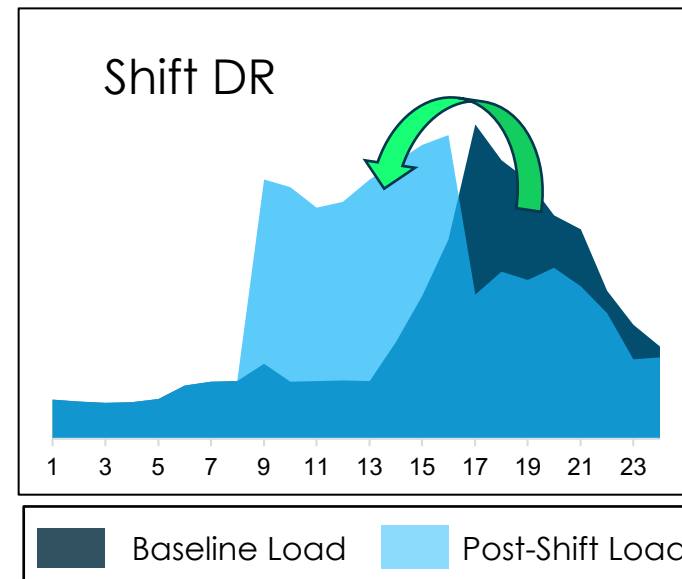
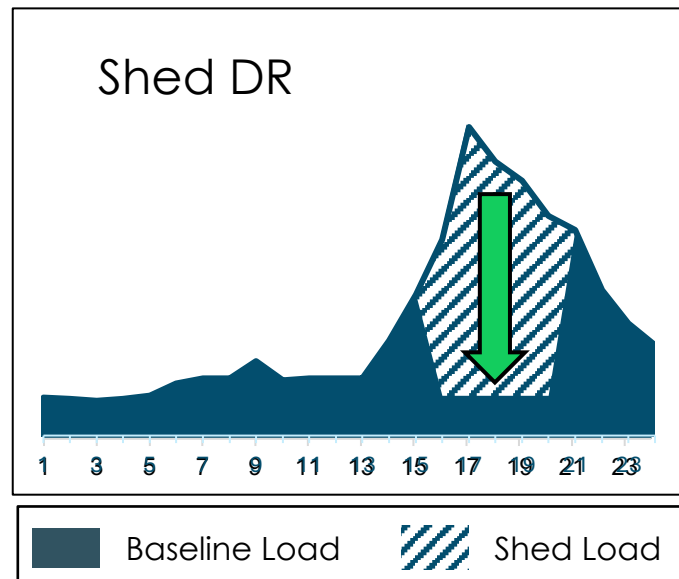
Questions not answered in this study:

1. How should PWP design programs and tariffs to procure demand response?



LBNL Potential Study Overview

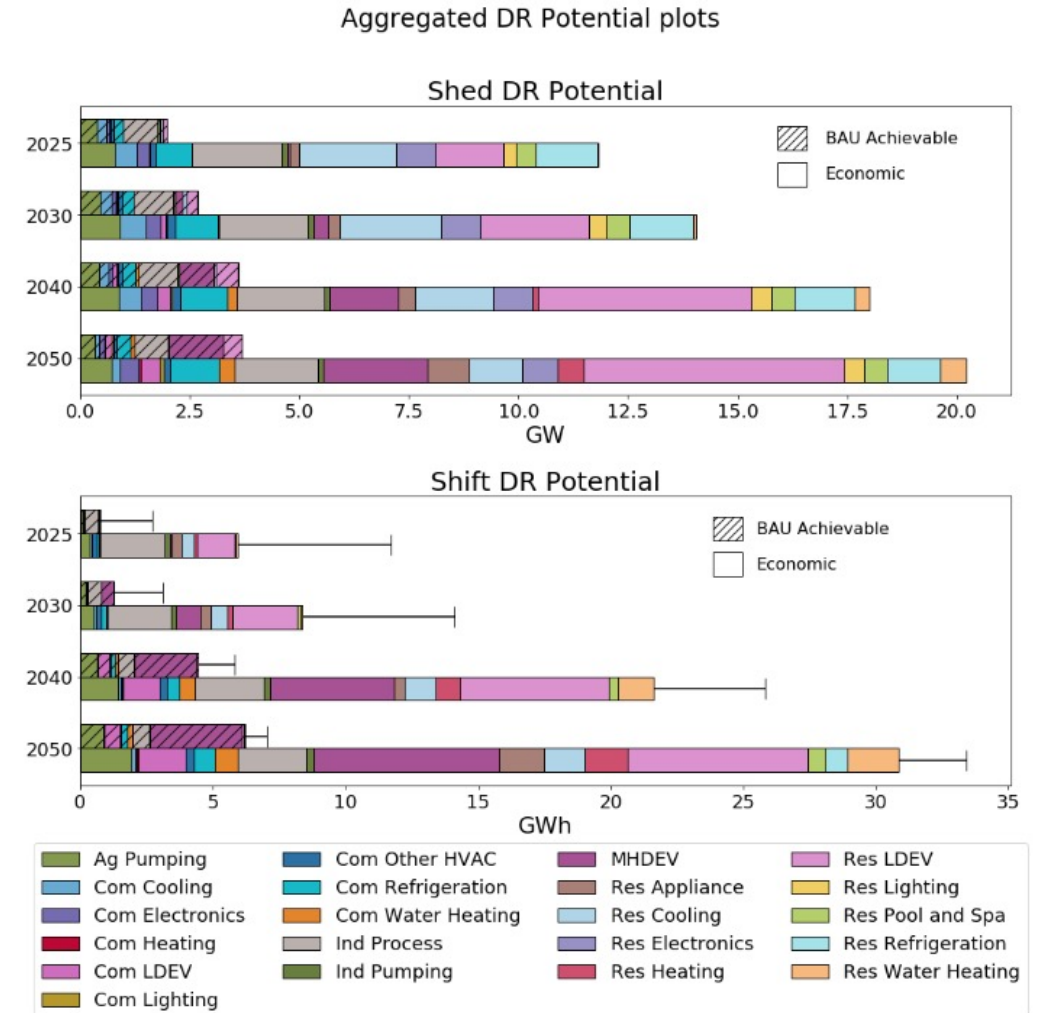
- + **LBNL produces supply curves for the achievable potential for shed and shift demand response curves characterizing the resource availability at a given cost.**
 - **Shed (“conventional”)** – Loads that can be curtailed to provide capacity reductions
 - **Shift** – Loads that can be shifted between hours
- + **LBNL also characterized the shape DR resource in the latest phase of study.**
 - **Shape (“load-modifying”)** - Reshaping customer load profiles for significant portions of the year through price responsiveness or behavioral campaigns.



Key findings LBNL's DR Potential Study Phase 4

Based on the Investor Owned Utilities' customer base and flexibility needs

- + **Driven by electrification and shifting periods of system need:**
 - Light-Duty Vehicles (LDVs), Medium and Heavy-Duty Vehicles (MHDVs), and residential water heating are emerging as end uses with large potential.
 - Space cooling DR potential is declining in the long-term (2040+).
 - Refrigeration, industrial process loads, and agricultural pumping are consistent sources of DR.
- + **Dynamic price signals can capture a large portion (40-50%) of the technical potential for demand response.**
- + **DR enabling technologies will be crucial for capturing the DR resource.**



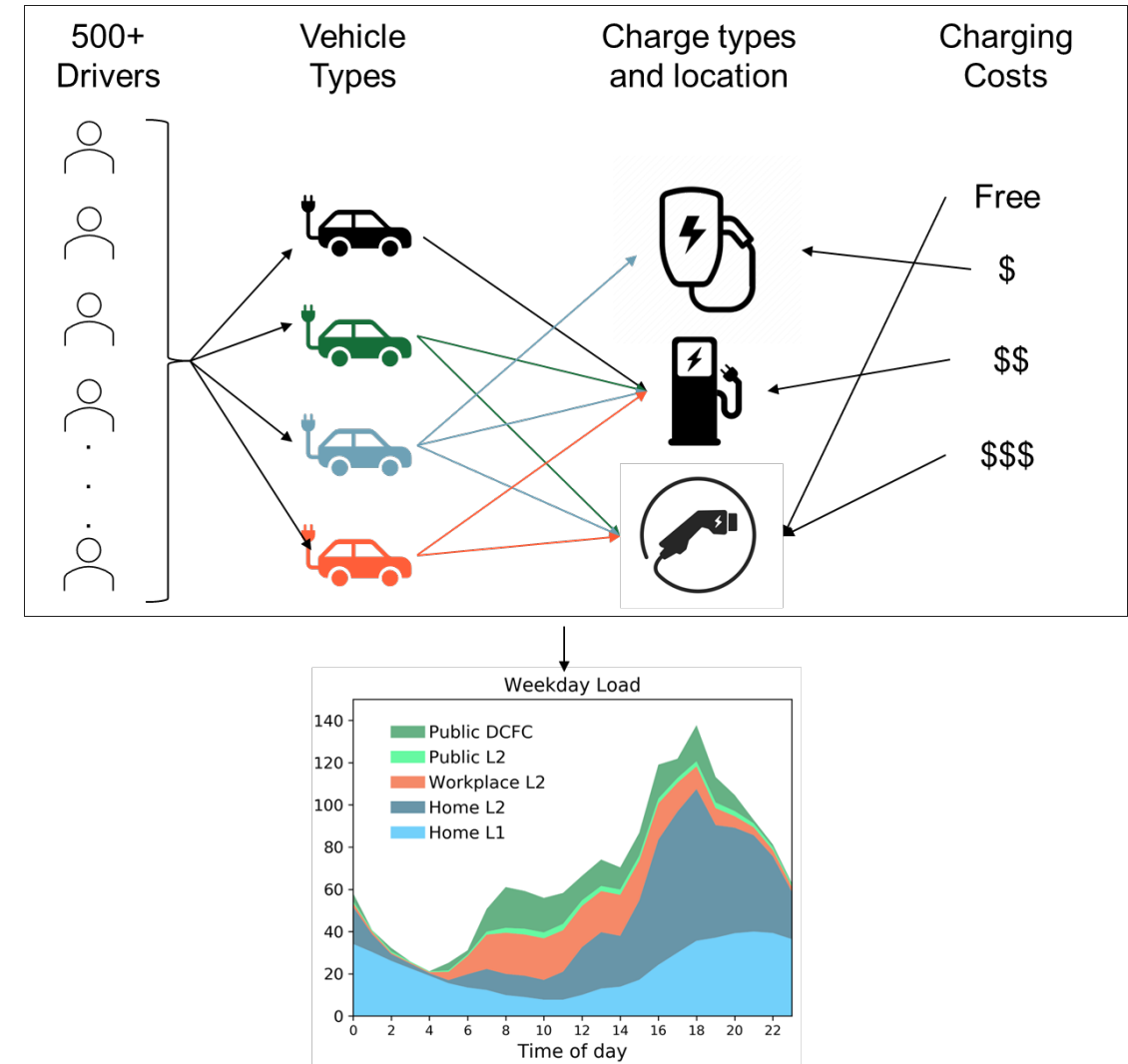
EV charging load shape modeling

E3's RESHAPE-EV model

E3's RESHAPE-EV model generates diversified EV charging load shapes considering the driving pattern of thousands of drivers and characteristics of the driver population including charger access, vehicle types, and cost to charge vehicles in various locations.

E3's **RESHAPE-EV model** can be leveraged to model custom scenarios of EV charging load shapes:

- + Base or **unmanaged** charging load shapes are created based on drivers' travel needs and access to different charger types
- + **Managed** charging load shapes are then developed by optimizing load in response to price signals, such as time-of-use rates, wholesale market prices, or utilities' avoided costs
- + Managed charging can be **passive**, in response to time varying rates, or **active** with participation in demand response programs.



New & Emerging Technologies Study



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New & Emerging Technologies Study Purpose

+ Primary purpose: identify a broad menu of supply-side resource options to consider in development of PWP's Optimized Strategic Plan

- Includes both resources commercially available today and “emerging” technologies not yet developed at scale

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- Land use intensity & potential siting/location constraints
- Other development risks

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- Capital & operating/maintenance costs
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Main data sources

+ Main data sources for characterizing emerging technologies:

- DOE's 2023 and 2024 Commercialization reports
- DOE's Technology Readiness Levels
- DOE's Commercial Adoption Readiness Assessment Tool
- CPUC IRP's Zero-Carbon Technology Assessment

+ Main data sources for cost, potential and performance:

- CPUC IRP Resource cost estimates
- CEC/CPUC land-use screened renewable energy potential data
- 2023 NREL Annual Technology Baseline (ATB) and upcoming 2024 NREL ATB
- Lazard Cost data
- CEC Long Duration Storage Reports
- Prior E3 work

Development of an Optimized Strategic Plan for Pasadena Water and Power

Technical Advisory Panel Meeting #4

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Agenda

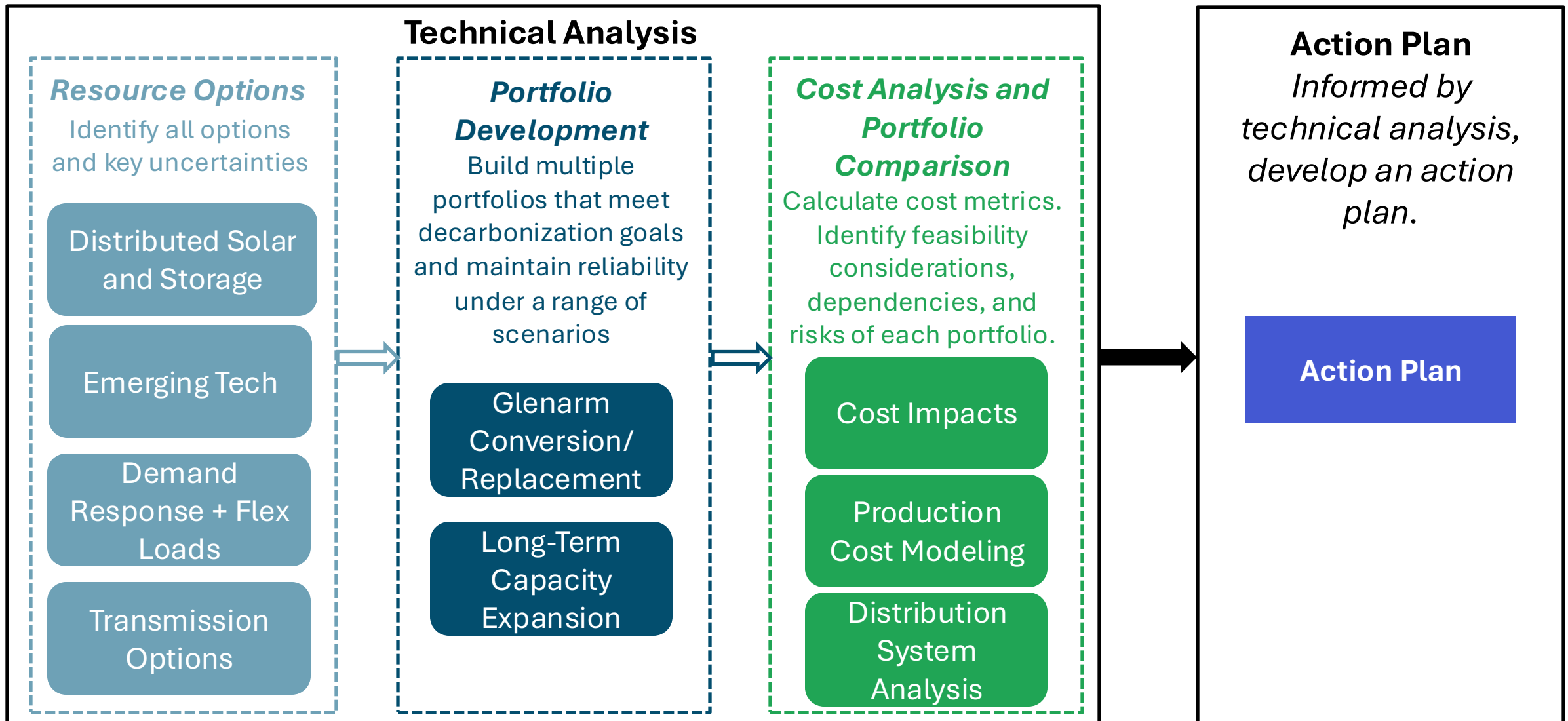
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- + Optimized Strategic Plan progress update**
- + Key highlights from Preparatory Studies (ongoing)**
 - Local Solar and Storage Technical Potential
 - New & Emerging Technologies
- + Portfolio design proposal and discussion**
- + Next steps**

Upcoming meetings:

- + Follow-up results from preparatory studies**
- + Additional assumptions developed for OSP portfolio development studies**
- + Overview of scopes for Glenarm Conversion & Replacement and Long-Term Capacity Expansion studies**

Optimized Strategic Plan Study Workflow



Status Updates: Optimized Strategic Plan Supporting Studies

Local Solar & Storage

- Draft geospatial analysis of technical potential complete (ground mount, parking canopy, rooftop)
- Adoption modeling beginning soon

Demand Response & Flexible Loads

- Downscaling methodology to adapt LBNL DR supply curves developed
- Awaiting data inputs from LBNL

New & Emerging Technologies

- Review of emerging technology characteristics and risk factors complete
- Currently developing cost and performance assumptions for portfolio modeling

Transmission Options

Glenarm Conversion & Replacement

- Compiling inputs and assumptions, reviewing proposed scope of analysis with PWP

Long-Term Capacity Expansion

- Reviewing data provided by PWP, compiling additional inputs and assumptions needed for modeling

Production Simulation

Distribution System Impacts

Cost Impacts

Active Workstreams

On Deck

Not yet started

Progress Updates: Local Solar & Storage Study



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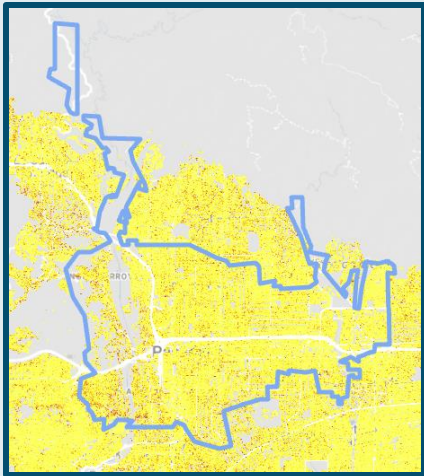
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Local Solar & Storage Technical Potential Methodology

Technical Potential: The total amount of solar capacity available for development based on physical constraints such as available land or developable roof area. Does not consider economic viability or consumer willingness to adopt.

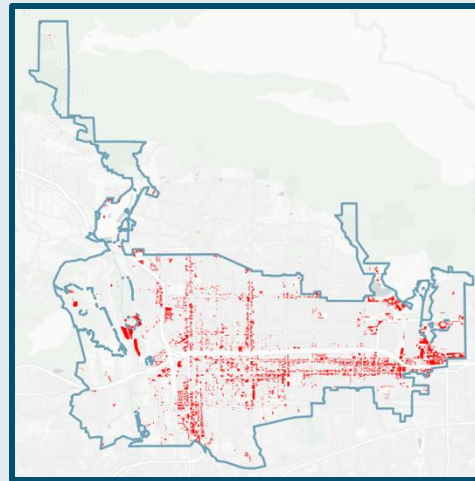
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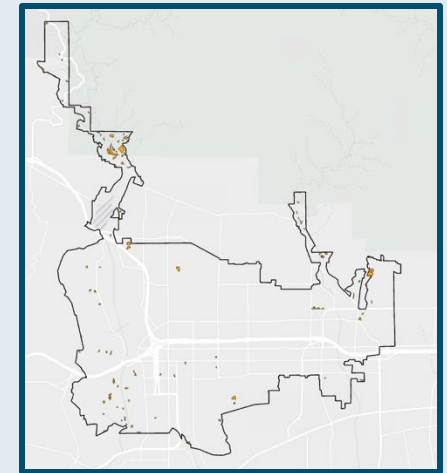
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Additional Context for Rooftop Solar Technical Potential

Definition

Installed Capacity (MW)			
Total Roof Area			
Not Technically Feasible	Theoretical Maximum Physical Technical Potential Capacity available assuming all viable roof areas is developed regardless of cost, grid capacity, or customer interest		
Not Technically Feasible	Capacity in excess of on-site load	Load-Limited Technical Potential Maximum theoretical technical potential capped at building energy usage	
Not Technically Feasible	Capacity in excess of on-site load	Not adopted due to economics or other market barriers	Naturally Occurring Customer Adoption

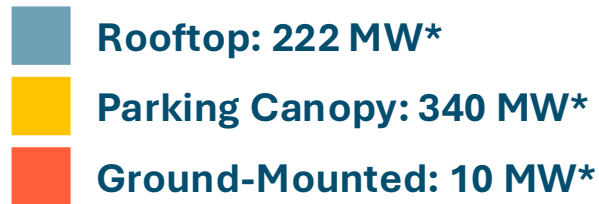
Focus for today's discussion

Work in progress

Solar Technical Potential within Pasadena Water and Power

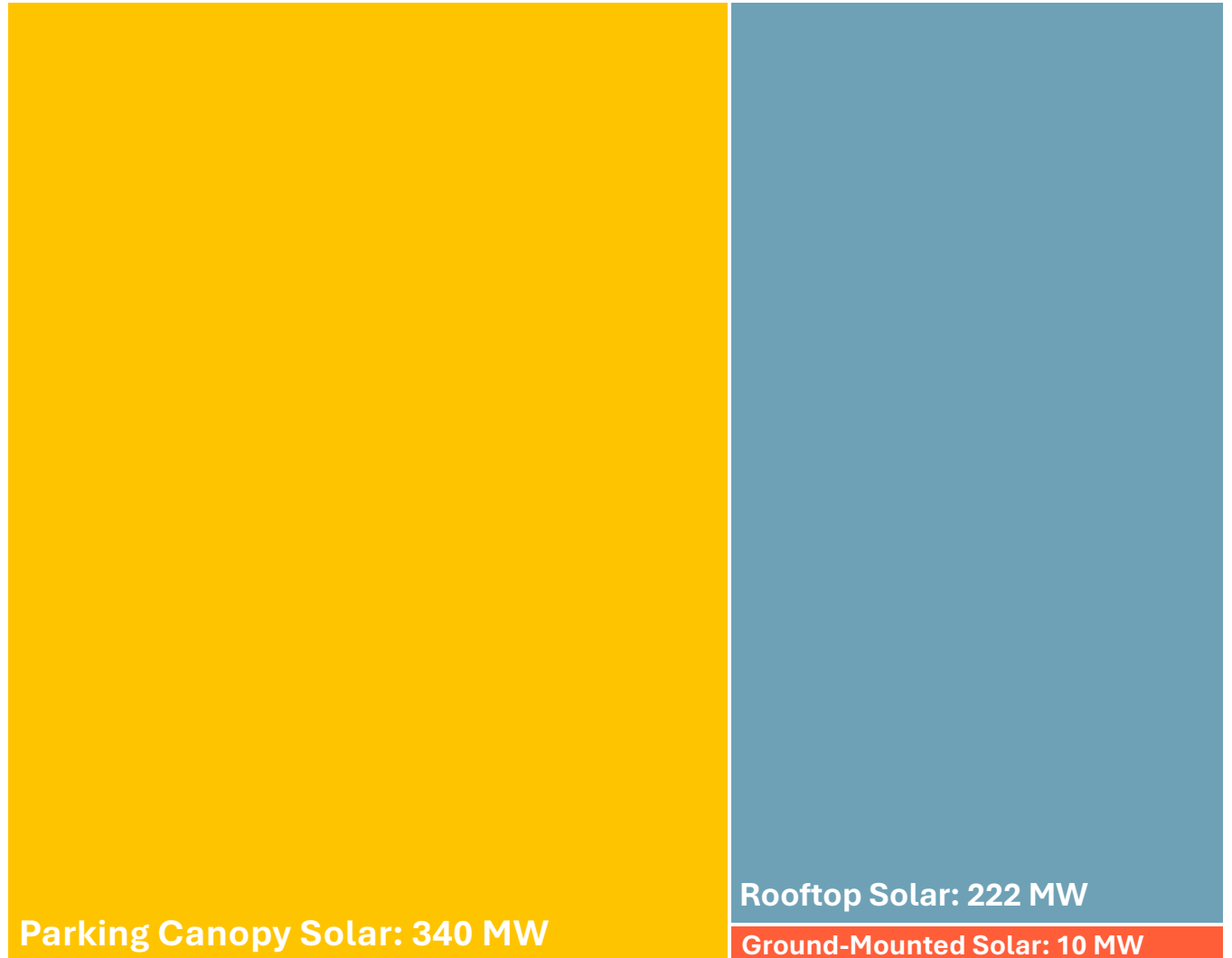
Rooftop, Parking Canopy, and Ground-Mounted Solar

+ Despite land constraints, technical potential for local solar within Pasadena footprint is significant:



+ Key insight: the amount of local solar included in the OSP will be primarily determined by the needs of the grid and economics rather than by constraints on available space

**These values represent the maximum capacity available for development in a given region and do not consider the economic or market viability, historical landmark status, or other physical conditions that may make installation cost prohibitive.*



Rooftop Solar Technical Potential Screens

Total roof area in Pasadena: 1.5 GW

+ Aspects facing north excluded **968 MW**

**+ Setback factor applied to perimeter of each aspect
(3 ft for residential, 6 ft for commercial)** **586 MW**

**+ Aspects with contiguous area $< 13 \text{ m}^2$ or
maximum pitch $> 60^\circ$ excluded** **555 MW**

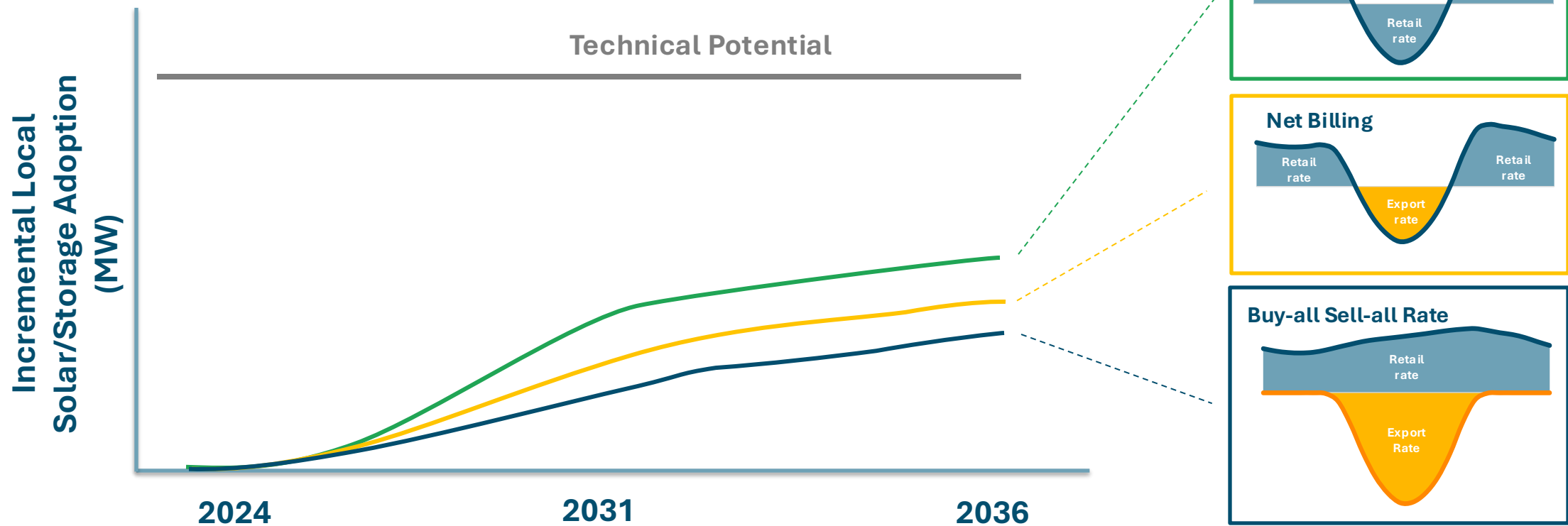
+ Aspects with capacity factor $< 75\%$ of unshaded potential excluded **413 MW**

Total physical technical potential in Pasadena: 413 MW

+ Systems sized to 100% of annual load **222 MW of load-limited technical potential**

Solar and Storage Study Next Steps

- + Finalize storage technical potential
- + Solar and Storage adoption modeling based on 3 rate scenarios (function of payback period, tech potential, logistic adoption curve)



Non-Economic Factors Influencing Solar Adoption

Literature on the impact of marketing on solar adoption is mostly qualitative in nature and based on case studies of specific programs or campaigns conducted by varying entities.

- + Branding, reliability, and customer testimonials build trust and credibility. ^{1,2,3,4,5}
- + Community engagement, partnerships, and word of mouth increase adoption. ^{8,9,15,16}
- + Neighbor adoption and non-residential installations can increase residential adoption. ^{6, 7, 8, 9,10}
- + Consumer motivations and predispositions are key factors that drive interest in solar adoption. ^{11,12}
- + Educational content reduces barriers to solar adoption. ^{8,9}
- + Different forms of advertising have varying impacts based on audience and customer tolerance for frequency of messaging. ^{13,14}
- + Streamlining permitting reduces bottlenecks to adoption.

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Proposed List of Technologies to Include in OSP Portfolio Development

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Key Highlights from Long Duration Energy Storage (LDES) Technology Review

- + **There are a significant number of long-duration storage technologies currently in R&D stages of development**
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 - Inflation Reduction Act has acted as an additional catalyst spurring interest in this sector
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 - Requirements for 8-hour storage in CPUC Mid-Term Reliability decision largely satisfied by procurement of lithium-ion storage
 - Multiple utilities currently pursuing pilots of LDES technologies at a small scale (~5-10 MW)
 - DOE Pathways to Commercial Liftoff establishes an optimistic roadmap to commercialize LDES technologies by 2030
 - CPUC's PD for AB 1373 (as of 7/19/2024) issued LDES need for 1 GW 12+ hr, and 1 GW multi-day storage after 2031
- + **Rapidly evolving technology landscape means that care should be taken not to be overly prescriptive in selecting LDES in resource planning**

Key Risks & Uncertainties

Commercial readiness: most emerging long-duration storage technologies have not been demonstrated at grid scale; multiple utilities are working on small pilots; lack of commercial readiness results in both *development* and *operational* risks

Land use: longer duration storage technologies are typically less energy dense and require larger footprints

Cost: lack of technological maturity translates to greater uncertainty around cost; early movers likely to pay higher costs to develop first-of-a-kind projects

Key Highlights from Hydrogen Technology Review

- + Interest in hydrogen as an energy carrier – especially in California – has grown considerably in the past several years**
 - Generous incentives for green hydrogen (produced via electrolysis fueled by renewable energy) established by Inflation Reduction Act
 - Alliance for Renewable Clean Hydrogen Energy Systems (ARCHES) currently has over \$12 billion in funding – including \$1.2 billion in federal funding from DOE – to catalyze development of hydrogen production, transport, and storage infrastructure
- + In the electricity sector, hydrogen is a “clean firm” resource option that provides a long-duration storage service while displacing natural gas from peaking power plants**
 - Current generation technologies allow for blending up to 50% by volume, but most turbine manufacturers are planning for 100% capability by 2030
 - Many utilities (including LADWP and GWP) have developed plans that include full conversion to hydrogen fuels by mid 2030s
- + Scale and timing of fuel needs in electric sector will require development of infrastructure to transport and store hydrogen**
 - While trucking & on-site storage may be suitable for pilot projects to demonstrate capabilities, dedicated pipelines are likely required for combustion of hydrogen in peaking power plants
 - Implication: the viability of relying on hydrogen at scale will also require the presence of a broader network for hydrogen distribution within the LA Basin

Key Risks & Uncertainties

Commercial readiness: 100% hydrogen combustion turbines are yet to be demonstrated; multiple utilities include hydrogen in their plans in mid to late 2030s

Fuel supply: Hydrogen fuel supply for power generation may largely depends on hydrogen expansion for other sectors of the economy such as transportation

Cost: Hydrogen storage and transport costs are uncertain and largely depend on the scale and site; hydrogen production costs are expected to go down in 2030s when demand for hydrogen scales and IRA incentives are still available

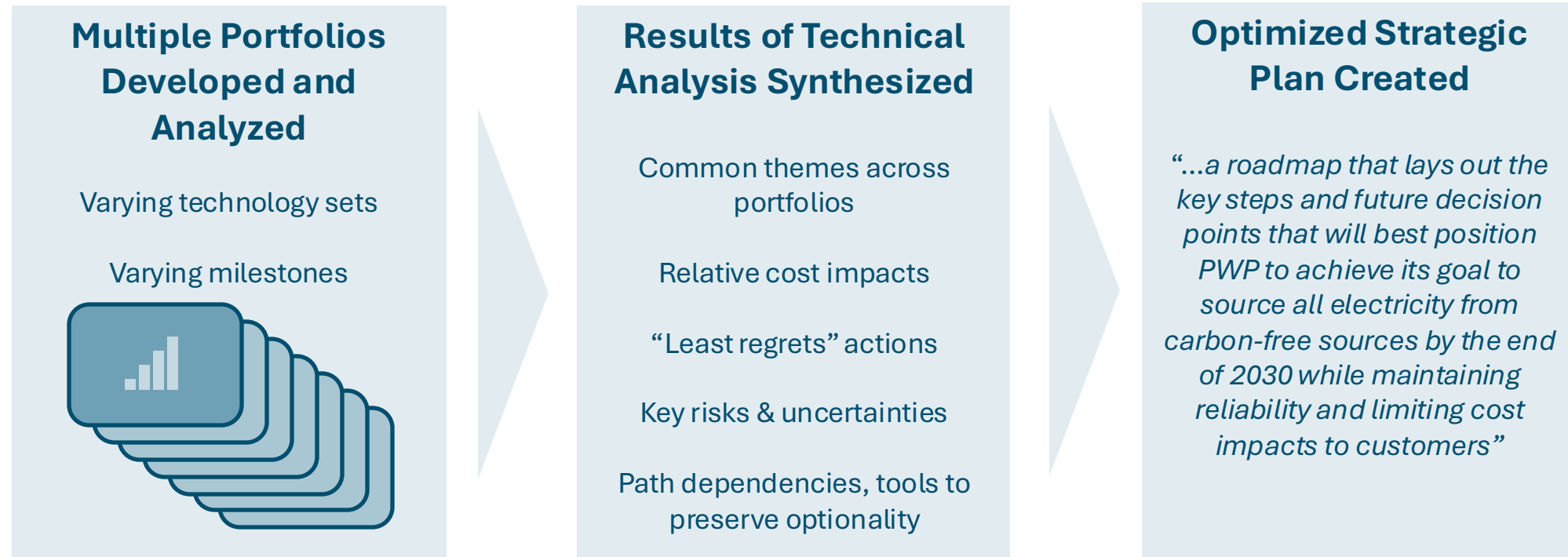
Initial Scoping of Portfolio Development



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Role of Portfolio Analysis in Development of the Optimized Strategic Plan

- + OSP supporting studies focus on development and analysis of “portfolios”: unique combinations of resources to meet PWP future needs
- + Goal of developing and analyzing multiple portfolios is not to select a single one as the Optimized Strategic Plan, but to synthesize learnings across all cases to inform creation of an OSP



Initial Learnings and Implications from Preparatory Studies

Local Solar & Storage Study

- Potential for ground-mounted solar within Pasadena city limits is severely limited by constraints on land availability
- Technical potential for rooftop and parking canopy solar is significant, comparable in magnitude to levels of local solar studied in 2023 IRP
- High technical potential for rooftop/parking canopy solar means that **levels of solar and storage will be based on grid needs and economics**, not limited by availability of space

New & Emerging Technologies Study

- Wind, solar, and battery storage are today widely available as carbon-free resource options despite upward cost pressures in the wake of COVID-19
- Emerging longer-duration storage technologies are unlikely to reach commercial maturity before early 2030s
- Deploying hydrogen for peaking capacity is technically feasible but will require technological advancements and significant new infrastructure development

Demand Response & Flexible Loads Study

- New sources of load flexibility, enabled by Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI), can allow customers to shift consumption from peak/net peak periods to periods of higher resource availability (typically solar hours)
- Managed charging of electric vehicles can limit the need for incremental generation and distribution capacity, while increasing the utilization factor of the grid



































































Transmission Options Study

- Significant investments in PWP's subtransmission system are necessary to replace aging infrastructure in the near term
- Replacement of transformers at Goodrich will allow for increased import capability but is unlikely to occur before mid 2030s
- Opportunities to expand import capability beyond current plans still being explored

Strawman Portfolio Proposal Informed by Initial Learnings from Preparatory Studies

		A	B	C	D
Technology Sets		State Policy	Glenarm Limited Use	Carbon-Free Owned & Contracted Resources	24x7 Carbon Free
1	Mature Technologies Only	1A	1B	1C	1D
2	Mature Technologies + Hydrogen			2C	2D
3	Mature Technologies + Long Duration Storage			3C	3D
		Portfolio compliant with SB100 requirements — Metric 1 = 100%	Local resources added to reduce frequency of Glenarm operations	Glenarm converted/replaced — Metric 2 = 100%	Glenarm converted/replaced — Unspecified purchases eliminated — Metric 3 = 100%
<div> <div></div> <div>Increasing stringency of clean energy requirements</div> <div></div> </div>					

Summary of Portfolio Assumptions

New Resource Options										
Portfolio	Available by 2030					By 2035	Glenarm Transition		Unspecified Purchases	
1A								Retained		Offset by unspecified sales
1B								Retained (limited use)*		Offset by unspecified sales
1C								Replaced by 2030		Offset by unspecified sales
1D								Replaced by 2030		Eliminated by 2030
2C								Converted to H ₂ by 2031		Offset by unspecified sales
2D								Converted to H ₂ by 2031		Eliminated by 2030
3C						 		Replaced by 2035*		Offset by unspecified sales
3D						 		Replaced by 2035*		Eliminated by 2035

* In portfolios where Glenarm operations continue beyond 2030, renewable natural gas considered as an option

Detailed Portfolio Assumptions & Inheritance Tree

Portfolio	Key Assumptions
1A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All statutory clean energy requirements (e.g. SB100) met or exceeded • CAISO resource adequacy requirements satisfied
— 1B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements of Portfolio 1A • Additional local solar, storage, and DSM resources added to reduce frequency of Glenarm operations • <i>(Optional) Renewable natural gas purchased to support limited operations of Glenarm</i>
— 1C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements/assumptions of Portfolio 1A • Additional local solar, storage, and DSM resources added fully replace Glenarm capabilities by end of 2030
— 1D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements of Portfolio 1C • Additional renewables & storage resources added to eliminate reliance on unspecified market purchases
— 2C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements/assumptions of Portfolio 1A • Glenarm Power Plant is converted to operate using hydrogen fuel by end of 2030
— 2D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements/assumptions of Portfolio 2C • Additional renewables & storage resources added to eliminate reliance on unspecified market purchases
— 3C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements/assumptions of Portfolio 1A • Glenarm Power Plant is replaced by a combination of local solar, battery storage, DSM, and emerging LDES technologies • Timing of Glenarm replacement portfolio coincides with upgrades to transformers at Goodrich • <i>(Optional) Renewable natural gas used as a bridge fuel to allow limited operations at Glenarm until replacement is possible</i>
— 3D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements/assumptions of Portfolio 3C • Additional renewables & storage resources added to eliminate reliance on unspecified market purchases

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Agenda

+ Optimized Strategic Plan progress update

+ Portfolio development scope

- Glenarm Conversion and Replacement Scope and Methodology
- Long-Term Capacity Expansion Modeling Scope and Methodology

+ Next steps

Primary objective for today: Build shared understanding of tools and modeling approaches used in Portfolio Development phase to allow deeper technical conversations in future meetings

Status Updates: Optimized Strategic Plan Supporting Studies

Local Solar & Storage

- Draft geospatial analysis of technical potential complete (ground mount, parking canopy, rooftop)
- Customer adoption modeling under multiple rate structures currently in progress

Demand Response & Flexible Loads

- Electric vehicle charging profiles (managed vs. unmanaged) developed
- Downscaling Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL) Demand Response (DR) supply curves

New & Emerging Technologies

- Review of emerging technology characteristics and risk factors complete
- Cost and performance assumptions for portfolio modeling currently under review by PWP

Glenarm Conversion & Replacement

- Preliminary modeling underway

Long-Term Capacity Expansion

- Reviewing data provided by PWP, compiling additional inputs and assumptions needed for modeling

Transmission Options

Production Simulation

Distribution System Impacts

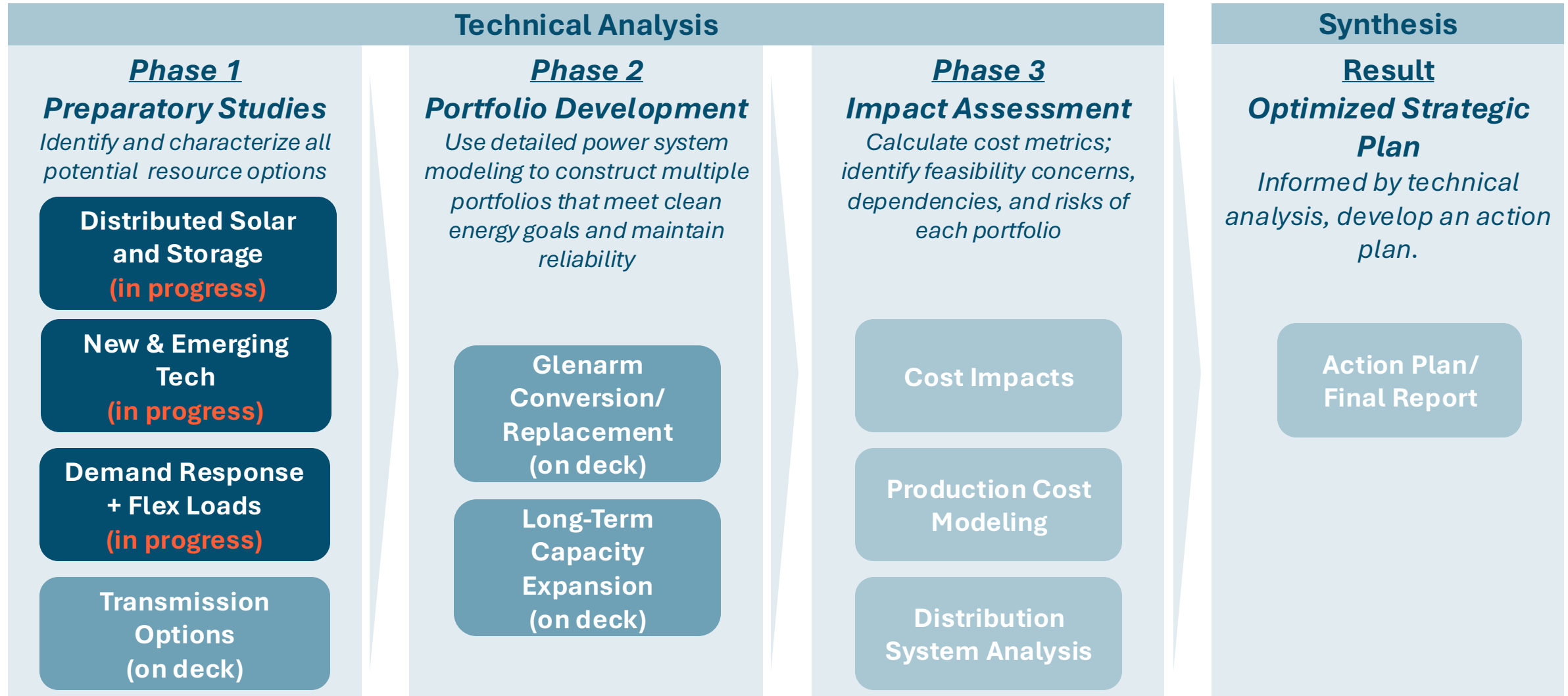
Cost Impacts

Active Workstreams

On Deck

































































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Optimized Strategic Plan: Study Workflow



Summary of Portfolio Assumptions

Presented to MSC & EAC, September 10, 2024

Technology		New Resource Options							
Set	Portfolio	Available by 2030				By 2035	Glenarm Transition		Unspecified Purchases
Mature Tech Only	State Policy							 Retained	 Offs
	Accelerated DERs							 Retained (limited use)*	
	Carbon-Free Owned/Contracted							 Replaced by end of 2030	
	Carbon-Free 24x7							 Replaced by end of 2030	
Mature Tech + H ₂	Carbon-Free Owned/Contracted							Converted to H ₂ by end of 2030	
	Carbon-Free 24x7							Converted to H ₂ by end of 2030	
Mature Tech + LDES	Carbon-Free Owned/Contracted						 	 Replaced by 2035*	
	Carbon-Free 24x7						 	 Replaced by 2035*	

Legend:  Solar PV  Wind  Geothermal  Flexible Loads  Battery  Transmission Expansion  Long Duration Storage

Portfolios Developed Through a Two-Step Process

1 Identify resources needed to ensure local reliability

Glenarm Conversion and Replacement

- 1A. Evaluate infrastructure investments and options for converting Glenarm to **hydrogen gas**.
- 1B. Identify multiple portfolios of **local resources** that that could replace Glenarm while providing a similar levels of reliability.

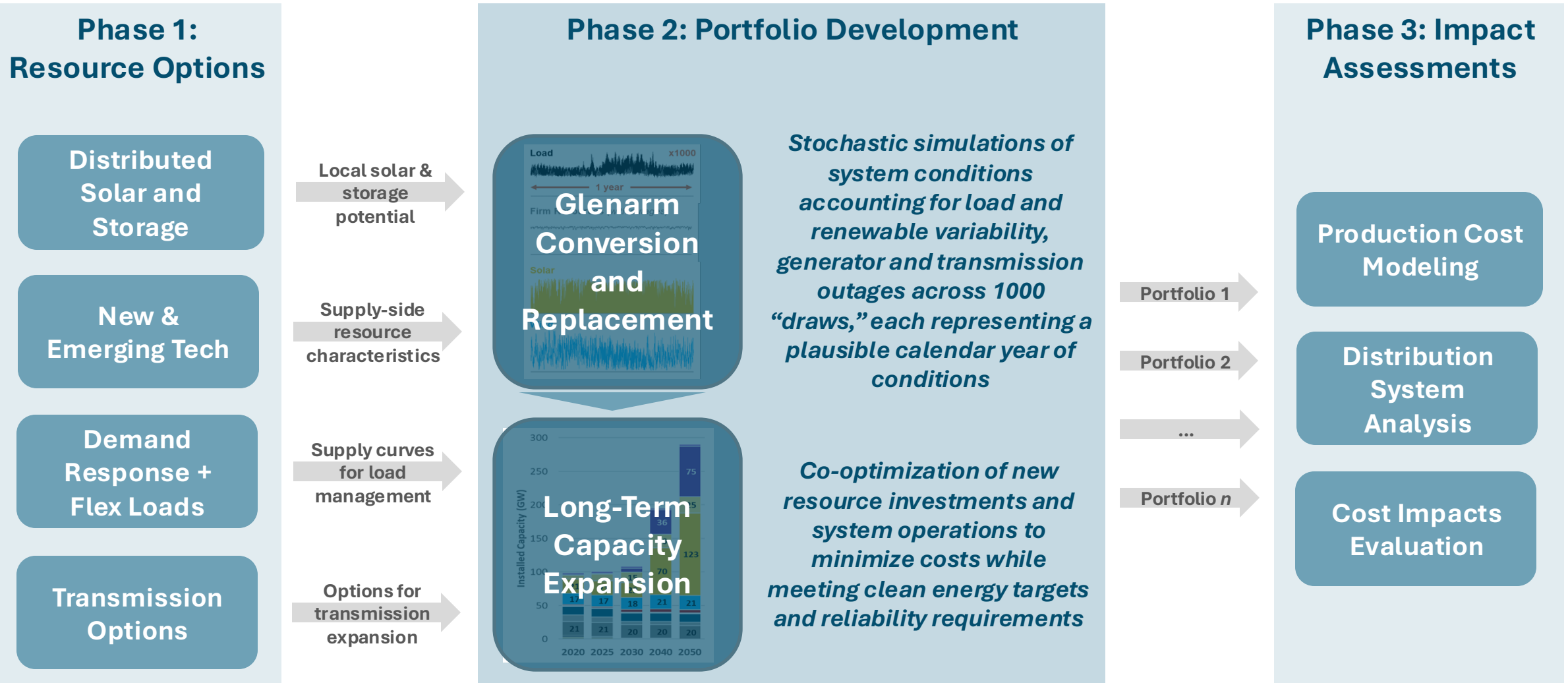
2 Identify additional resources needed to meet PWP system needs, the goals of Res. 9977, and resource adequacy requirements.

Long-Term Capacity Expansion

- 2. Identify resources needed in addition to those found in step 1.

Each portfolio will be optimized for least cost independently. Portfolio costs will be compared in the Cost Impacts study.

Technical Analysis Plan for Portfolio Development



Glenarm Conversion and Replacement Scope and Methodology



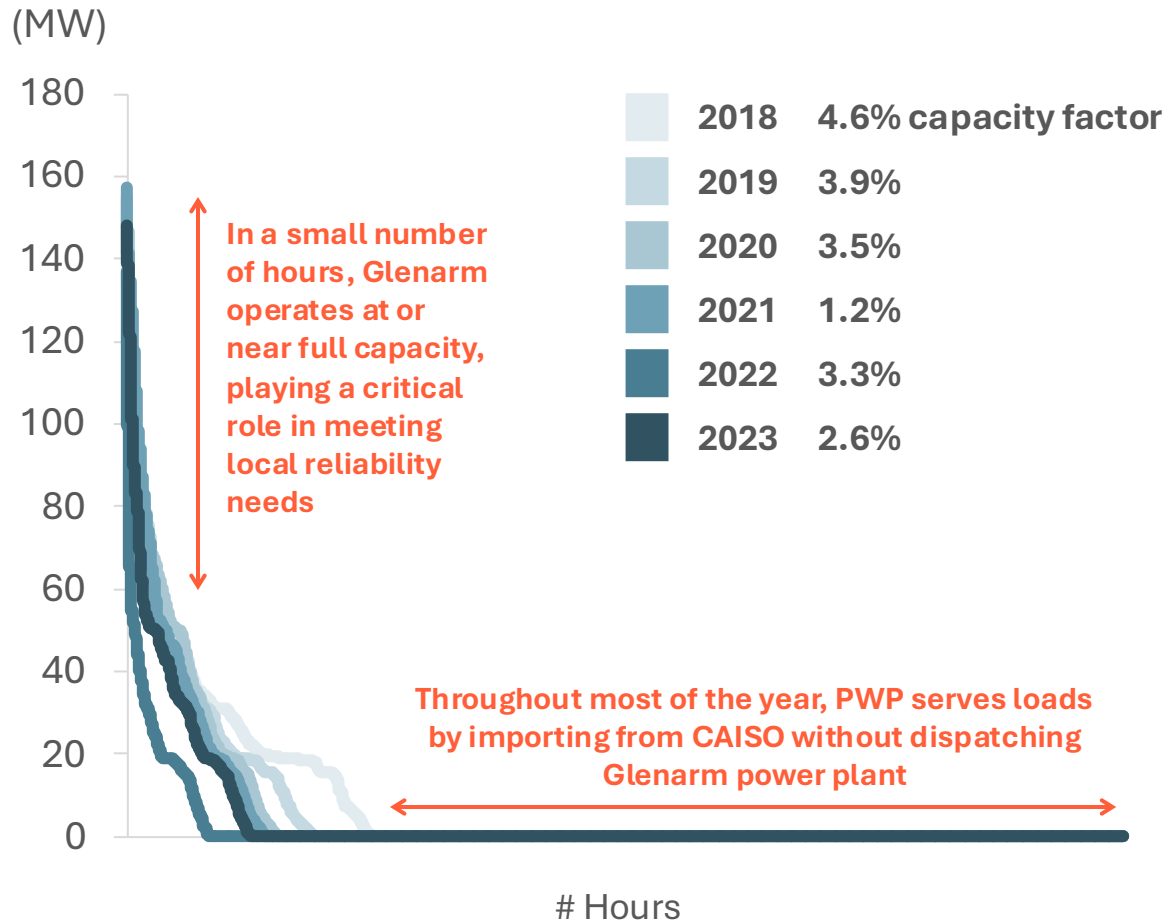
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Scope of Glenarm Conversion & Replacement Study

- + **ena's Glenarm Power Plant is a 200 MW peaking facility comprising five units fueled by natural gas**
- + **While operations of Glenarm are limited (<5% annual capacity factor), the power plant plays a crucial role in maintaining local reliability**
- + **PWP's goals of carbon-free supply requires a long-term transition plan for Glenarm that either:**
 1. Results in continued operations in a limited fashion using a carbon-free fuel
 2. Provides for the replacement of Glenarm with a portfolio of local resources resulting in comparable levels of local reliability
- + **This study is not a master plan for the Glenarm site. Rather, it focuses on a potential resource portfolios to convert or replace the power supply provided by Glenarm.**

Step	Approach
Options for Hydrogen Conversion	Assess infrastructure investments needed to convert Glenarm to H2, including pilot project and milestones
Development of Replacement Portfolios	Use loss-of-load-probability modeling to identify alternative generation portfolios that yield similar levels of reliability within PWP system
Review of Regulatory Considerations	Review requirements associated with PWP's participation in CAISO market

A Historical Perspective on the Role of Glenarm



+ Historical operational patterns of Glenarm Power Plant consistent with a resource whose primary purpose is supporting reliability:

- Low capacity factor, frequently not operated
- Dispatched up to full capacity in a select number of hours per year

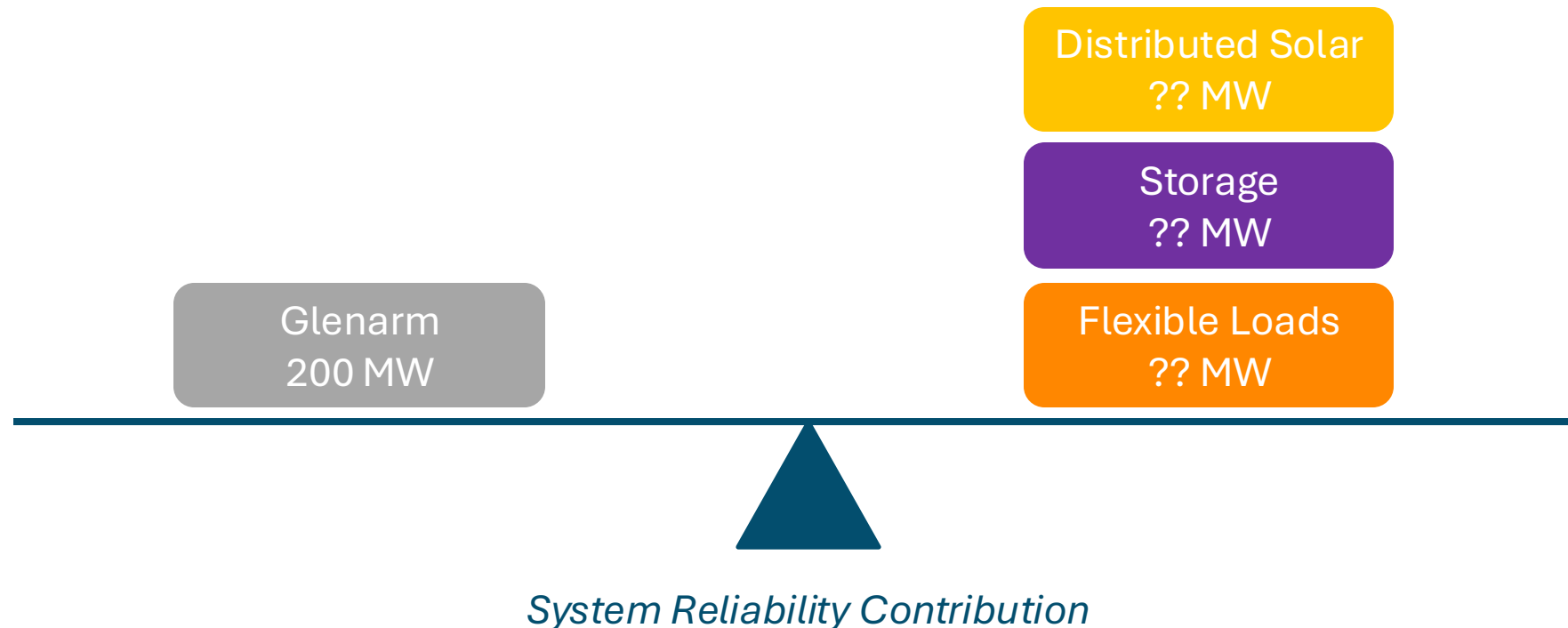
+ Conditions that currently require operations of Glenarm:

- Peak demand conditions (above import capability)
- Transmission/distribution contingencies
- High wholesale electricity prices in California Independent System Operator (CAISO)
- CAISO resource deficiencies

A long-term reliability solution will require local resources that can operate reliably under very specific circumstances

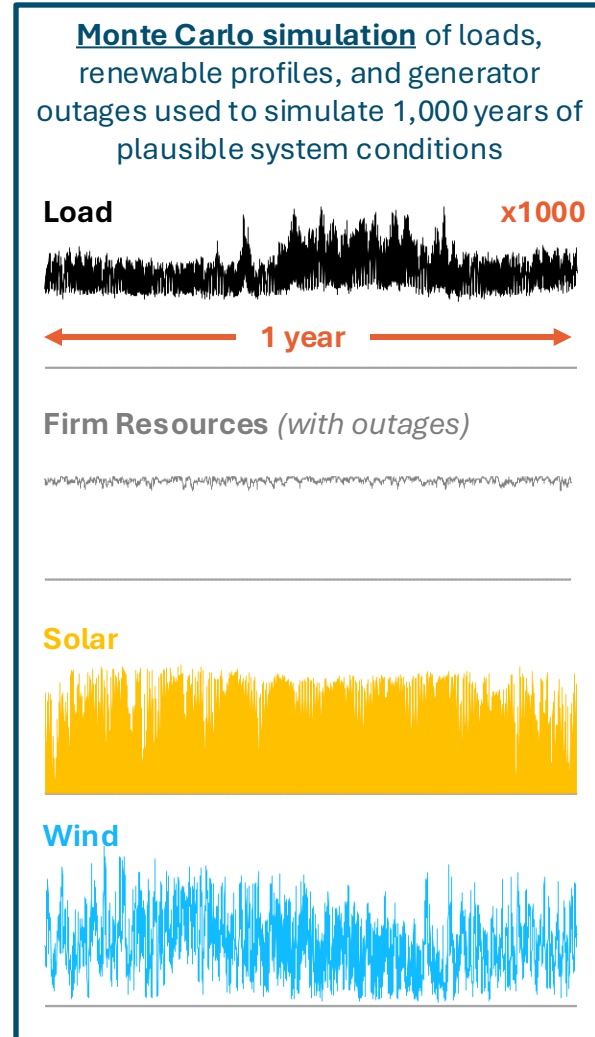
Goal of Glenarm Replacement Study

The goal of the Glenarm Replacement analysis is to identify combinations of local resources that can contribute an equivalent amount to system reliability as Glenarm currently does.

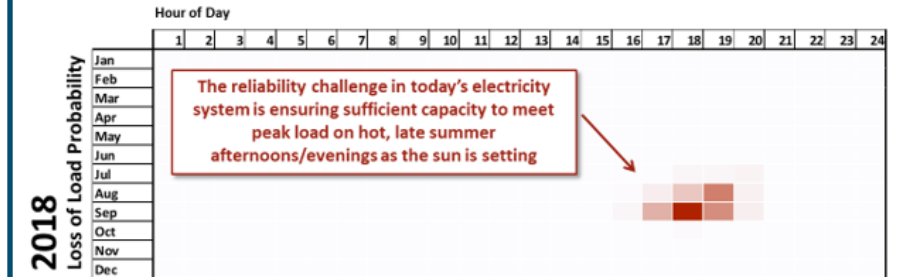


E3's RECAP: Loss of Load Probability Modeling

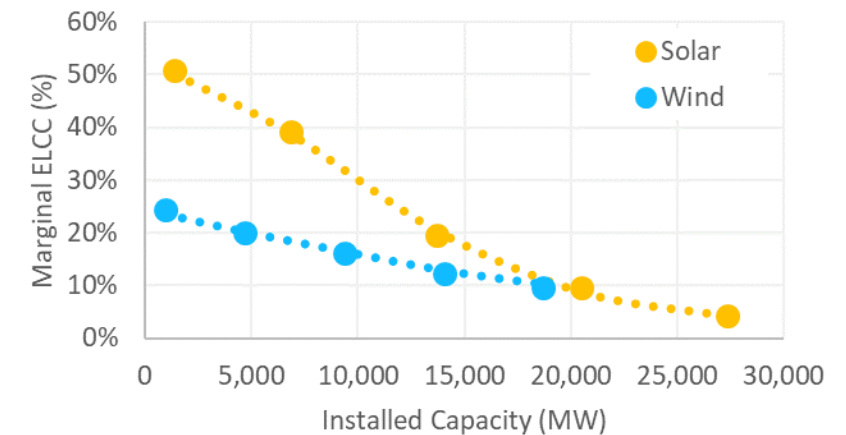
- + E3's Re Planning (RECAP) model is a probabilistic method to consider system reliability across a wide range of load and weather conditions
- + Monte Carlo simulations consider system operations across a range of conditions
 - Broad range of loads & renewables
 - Randomly simulated plant outages
 - Dispatch of use-limited resources
- + Primary results are probability-weighted statistics of loss of load frequency, duration, and magnitude – but can also be used to derive Planning Reserve Margin (PRM) requirements and ELCCs of different resources



System reliability measured relative to “one day in ten year” standard; periods of high loss of load probability identified



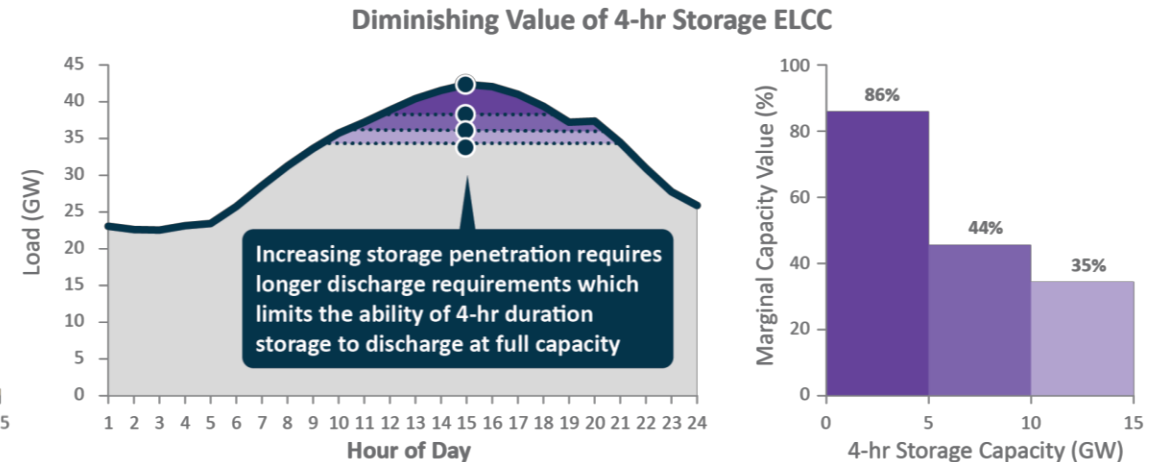
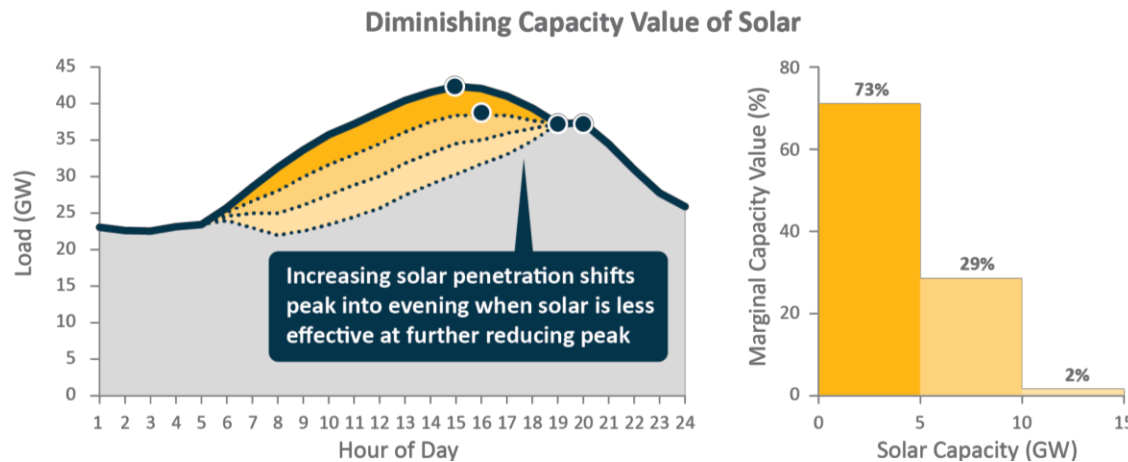
Effective load carrying capability (ELCC) for a wide range of types of resources evaluated



Example RECAP result from [Long-Run Resource Adequacy under Deep Decarbonization Pathways for California](#) (Calpine, 2019)

Why do we need hourly simulations and probabilistic models to construct replacement portfolios?

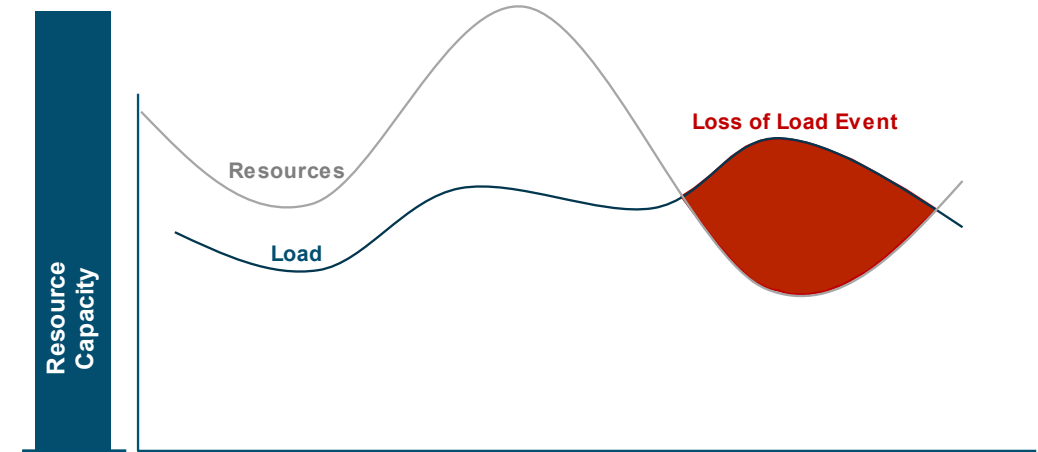
- + Distributed solar and storage, which will play large roles in Glenarm replacement portfolios, have limitations as variable and energy limited resources that need to be captured in determining their ability to contribute to system reliability.
- + These limitations include:
 - **Resource availability:** RECAP accounts for the probability that periods of low solar output will coincide with high load.
 - **Saturation effects:** At increasing penetrations, variable and energy-limited resources experience declining marginal capacity value.
 - **Variable resources:** reliability risks shift towards “net peak” when resource availability is lower
 - **Energy-limited resources:** reliability risk extends across greater number of hours, requiring additional duration



Evaluating Reliability with Different Metrics

- + **System reliability can be measured in different ways, such as the resource adequacy of a power system, but generally based on characteristics of loss-of-load events that the system may encounter, in terms of:**

- Frequency
- Duration
- Magnitude



- + Target reliability metrics are not standard across the industry and are often not rigorously justified

- For example, “1-day-in-10-year” Loss-of-Load Expectation (LOLE) is often used but this metric does not capture the duration or magnitude of individual events

- + PWP** n't d, e,
two commonly-us "d s" -of-load events

- LOLE: Loss-of-Load Expectation (days/year) - Average number of days with loss of load
- EUE: Expected Unserved Energy (MWh/year) - Average quantity of unserved energy

Standard Reliability Metric Definitions

+ Reliability metrics measure outages in terms of frequency, magnitude, and duration.

- No single metric captures all three dimensions of loss-of-load events.

+ Target reliability metrics are not standard across the industry

- LOLE has historically been the most commonly used in setting standards, though increasing interest in alternative metrics (particularly EUE)

Reliability Metric	Units	Definition
Loss-of-Load Expectation (LOLE)	days/year	Average number of days with loss of load (at least once during the day) due to system demand exceeding available generation capacity
Expected Unserved Energy (EUE)	MWh/year	Average quantity of unserved energy (MWh) over a year due to system demand exceeding available generation capacity
Loss-of-Load Probability (LOLP)	%	Probability of system demand exceeding available generation capacity over a given time period (e.g., season, year)
Loss-of-Load Hours (LOLH)	hours/year	Average number of hours per year where system demand exceeded available generation capacity
Loss-of-Load Events (LOLEV)	events/year	Average number of events (of any duration or magnitude) during which system demand exceeded available generation capacity

Representation of PWP Existing System in RECAP

+ Representation of PWP system in RECAP generally includes three components:

1. PWP retail energy demand

- Capturing hourly demand patterns throughout the year across a range of different weather conditions

2. Import capability from CAISO

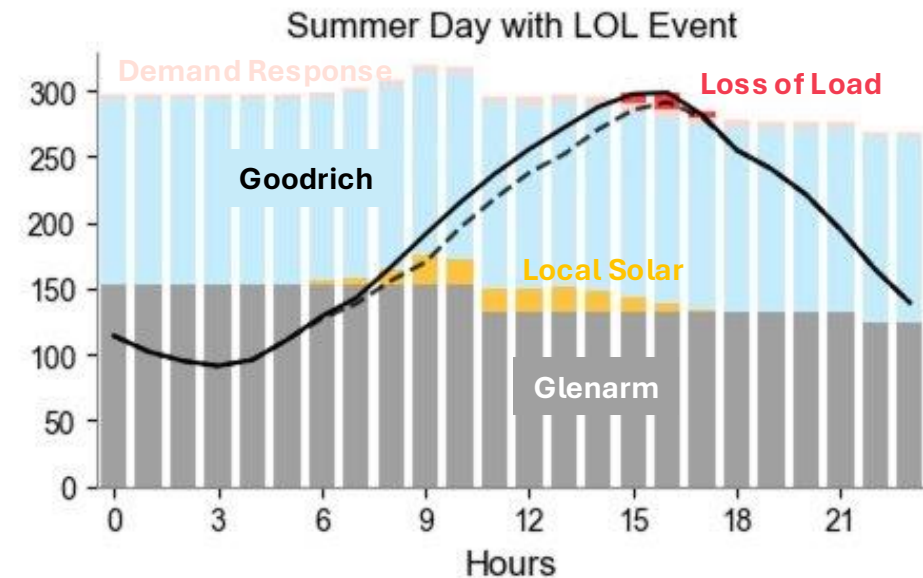
- 280 MW under normal operating conditions
- Reduced to 140 MW in the event of a transformer outage/maintenance at TM Goodrich

3. Glenarm availability

- Five units totaling 198 MW of capacity
- Each unit susceptible to independent forced outages based on probabilities provided by PWP

+ Simulations repeated across hundreds of “draws,” each sample of load and outages

In any hour that PWP retail energy demand exceeds import capability from CAISO plus availability of Glenarm, a “reliability event” occurs



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Representing a Wide Range of Solar Production Profiles

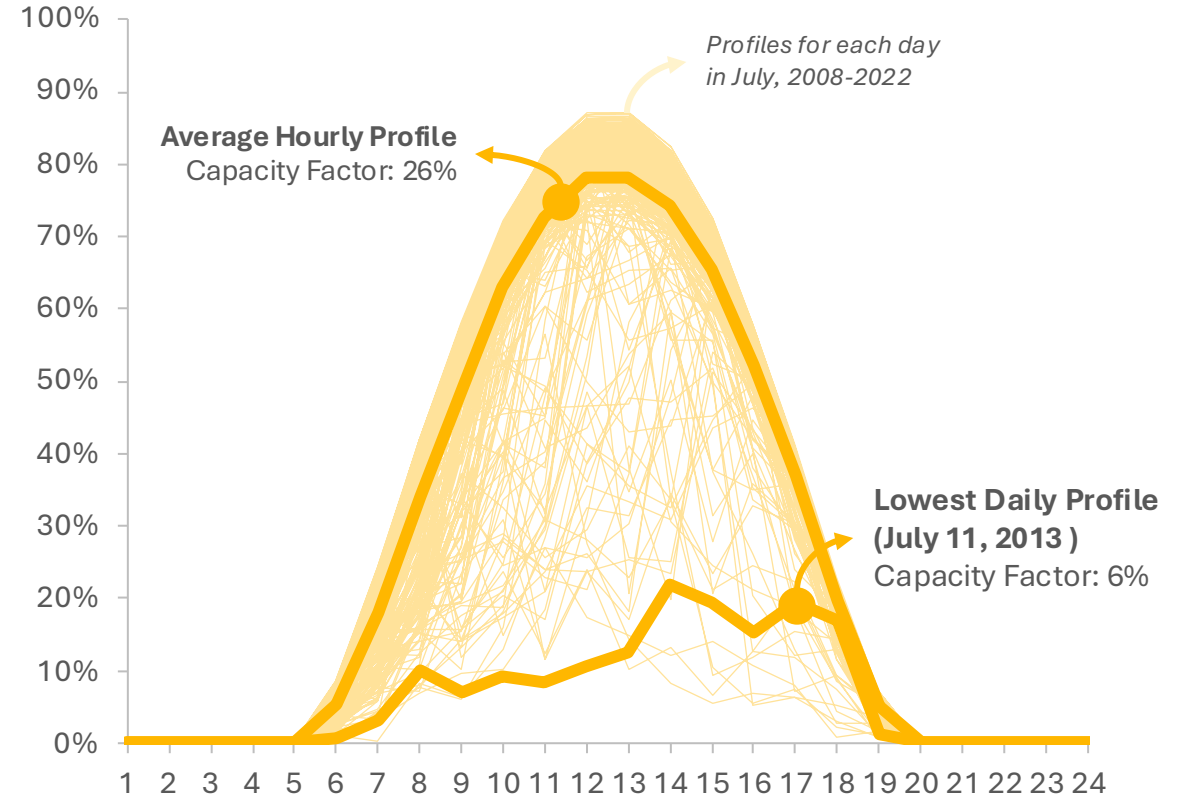
+ To capture a wide range of different potential weather conditions and corresponding solar production patterns, simulated profiles are **REL's System Advisor Model** and **National Solar Radiation Database**

- Historical period covered: 2006-2022
- Chronological resolution: hourly
- Spatial resolution: 4km

+ Incorporation of multiple weather years of solar profiles into LOLP modeling ensures low probability tail events – with potential impacts to reliability – are captured with representative probabilities

- Example: overcast days with low solar production

Pasadena Distributed Solar PV Hourly Profile, July
(% of maximum capacity)

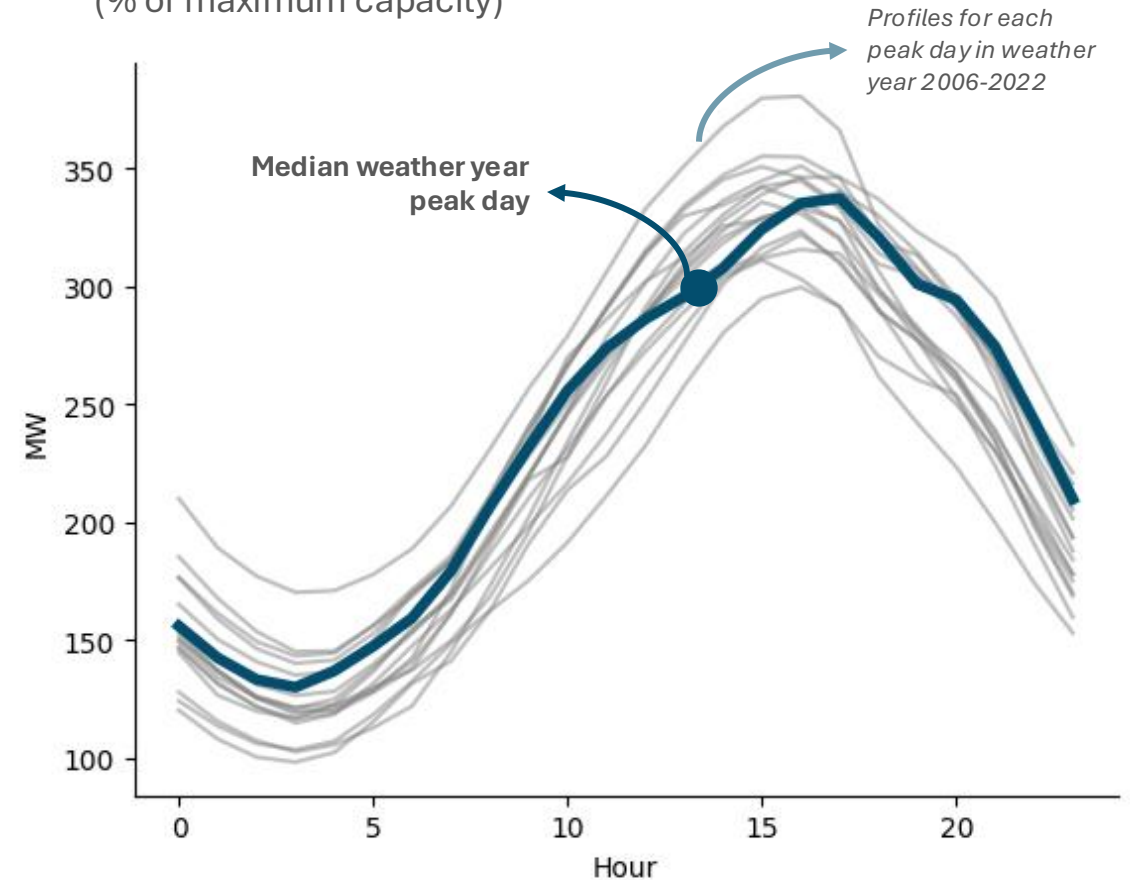


Based on profiles simulated at multiple locations and with multiple configurations throughout Pasadena using NREL's System Advisor model for the period 2006-2022

Representing a Wide Range of Load Conditions

- + To capture uncertainties in demands, E3 models multiple years of base load profiles that reflect a broad range of weather conditions that Pasadena may experience.
- + E3 detrends historical load profiles for growth in BTM PV and energy efficiency to isolate the impacts of weather variability on load.
 - Existing and incremental BTM PV is modeled as a resource.
 - Future energy efficiency is accounted for in scaling up load profiles to a future year forecast.
- + Loads are scaled up to future years (e.g. 2030) to PWP's median energy and peak demand forecast.
 - E3 models transportation electrification load growth using and end-use specific load shape.

Pasadena peak day in 2024 across weather year conditions
(% of maximum capacity)



Process for Developing Alternative “Replacement” Portfolios

1

Evaluate local reliability of current PWP system (2024)

Calculate reliability metrics (EUE and LOLE) to establish reliability baseline

Include simulations of hourly load and outages at Glenarm and Goodrich

2

Remove Glenarm and rerun LOLP simulations in 2030

Frequency and magnitude of unserved energy events increases, particularly during peak periods and outages at Goodrich

3

Add portfolios of new resources to restore original level of reliability

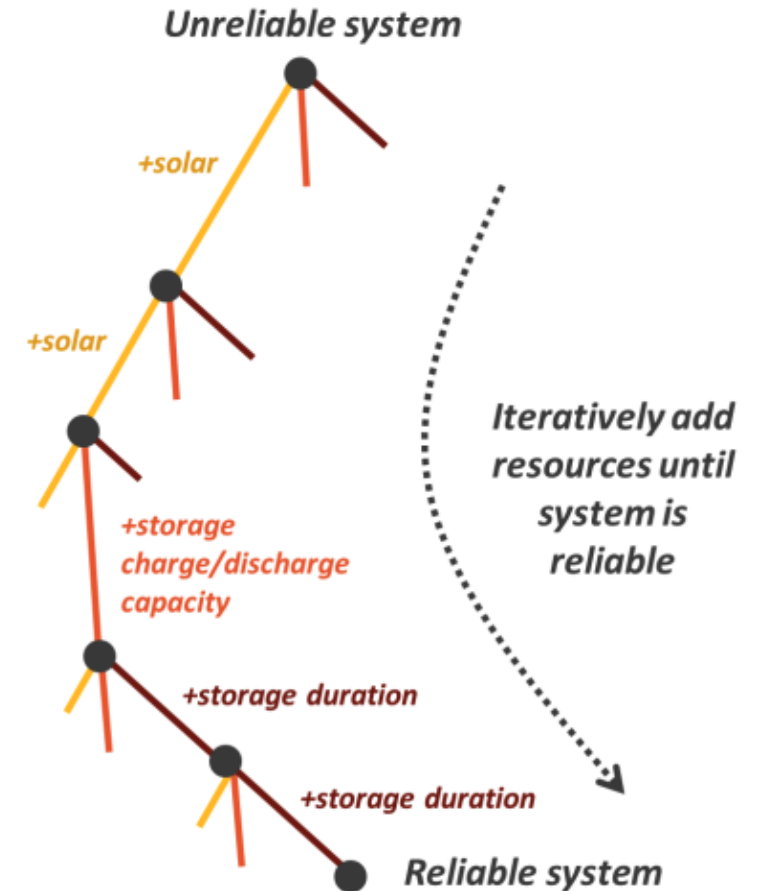
Add solar, storage, and flexible load resources until reliability is restored

Maintain same sampling of load and outage conditions as Step 1

Approach for Identifying a Replacement Portfolio

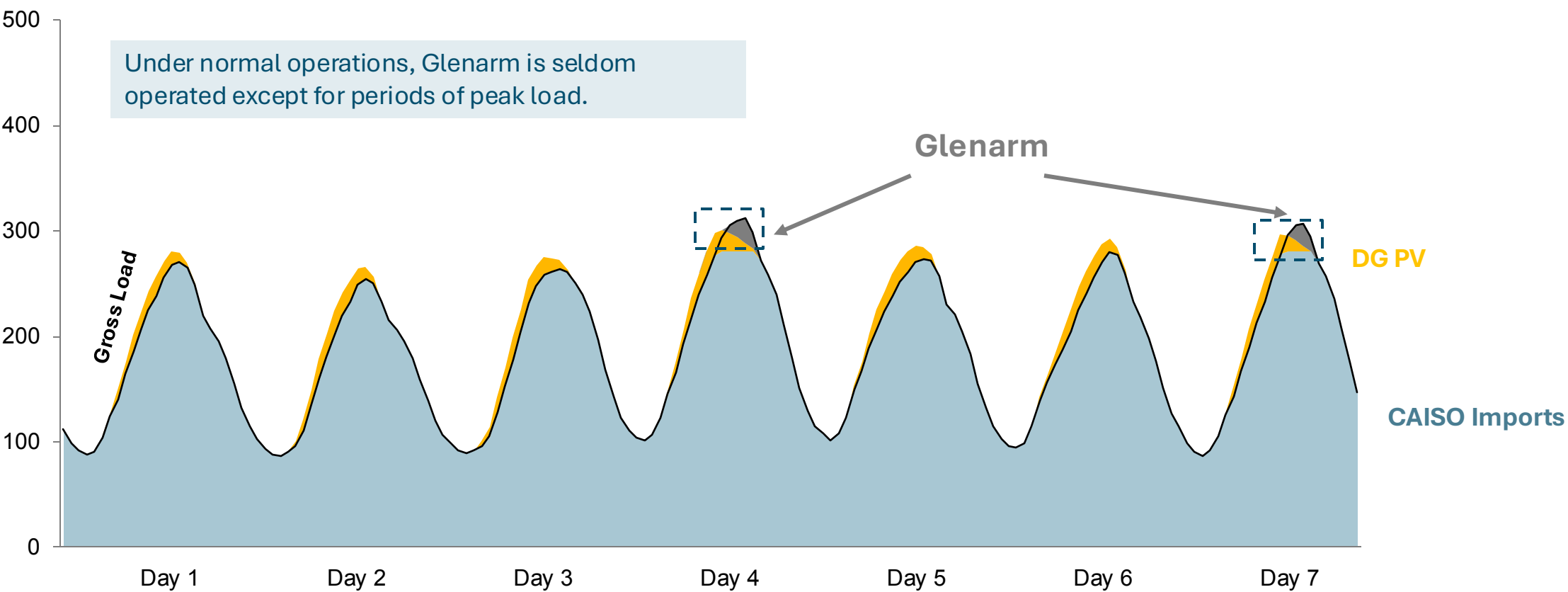
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portfolios by iteratively identifies and adds least-cost resources until target reliability is reached
- + **This tool will aim to add resources cost-effectively to a base portfolio to achieve the maximized reliability benefit**
 1. Smart search starts with a local portfolio that is insufficiently reliable relative to the target reliability;
 2. It then evaluates the incremental improvement to reliability that results from adding small, equal-cost increments of candidate resources;
 3. The resource that improves reliability the most is added to the portfolio, and the process is then repeated with the same set of resources until the portfolio is sufficiently reliable
- + **We will run smart search with various combinations or resources that can be selected to bring reliability back to its baseline level.**

Illustrative Smart Search Process



System Load-Resource Balance, 2031

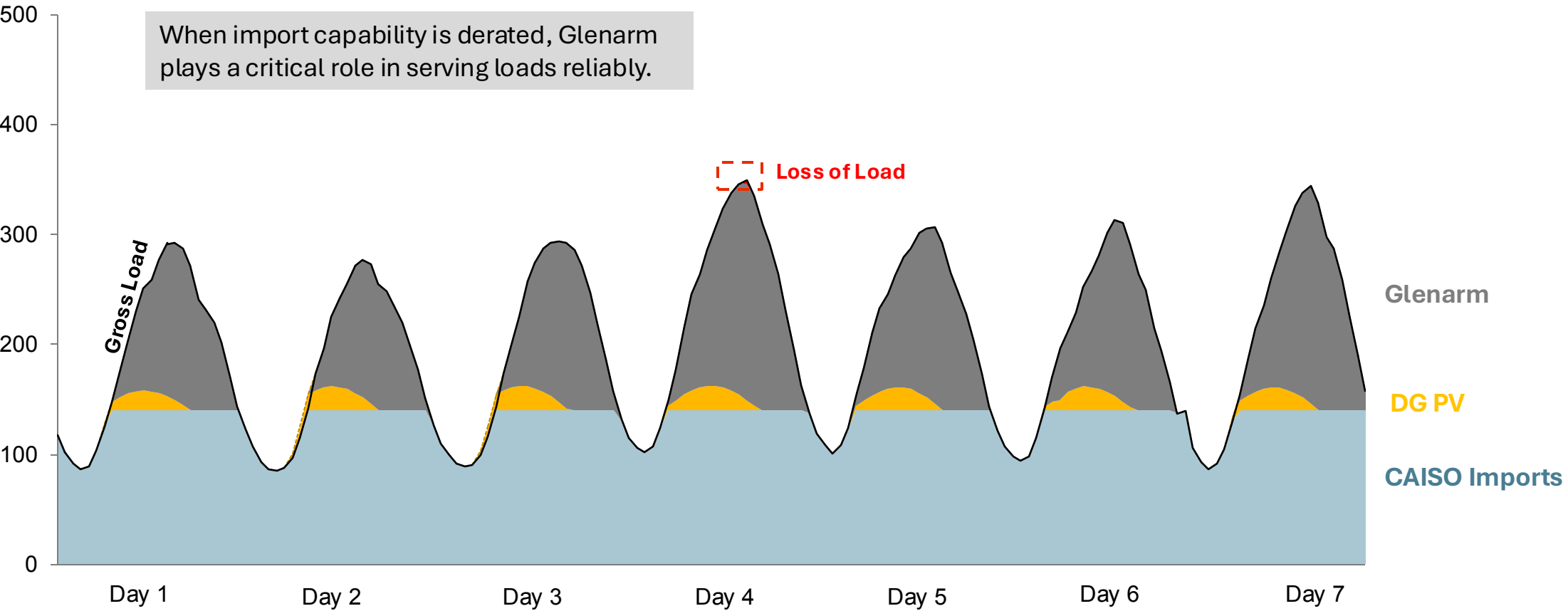
System Dispatch during high load week
Base system with Full Import Capability (280 MW)
(MW)



System Load-Resource Balance with TMG outage, 2031

System Dispatch during high load week

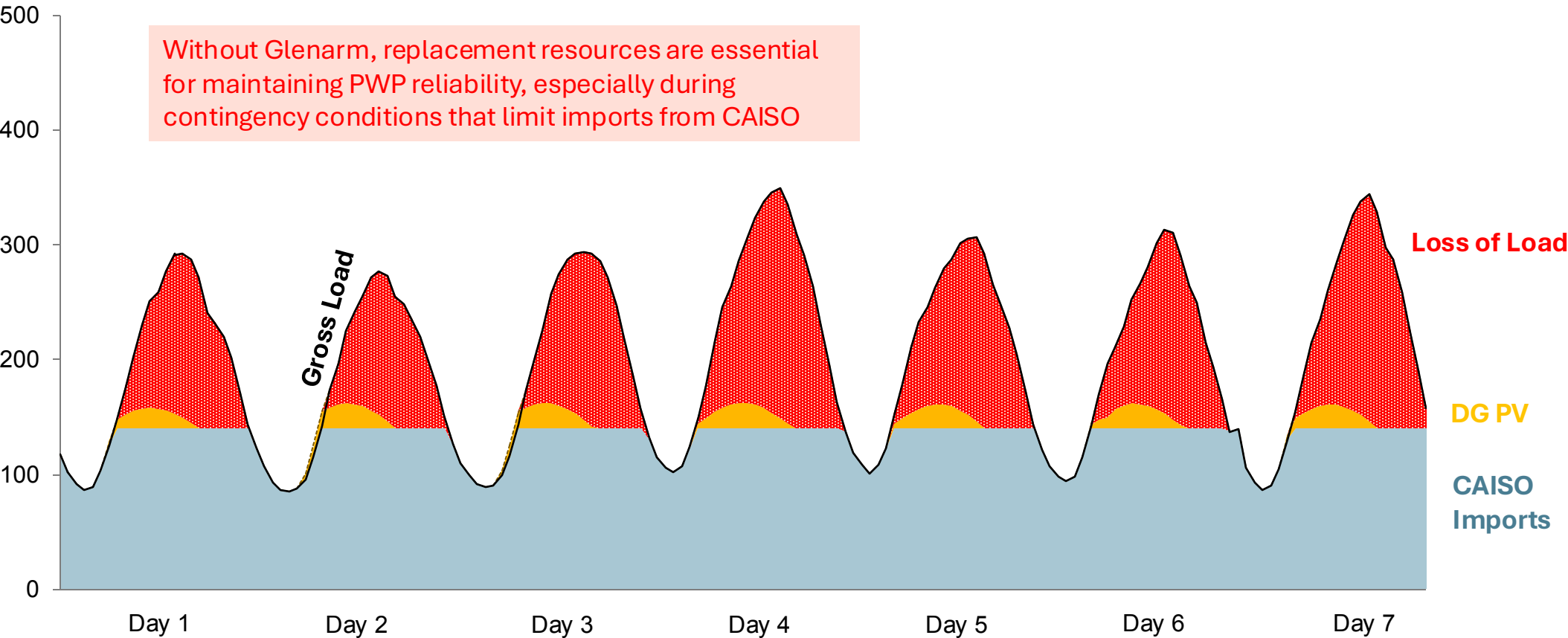
Base system with Derated Import Capability (140 MW)
(MW)



System Load-Resource Balance with Glenarm Retired, 2031

System Dispatch during high load week

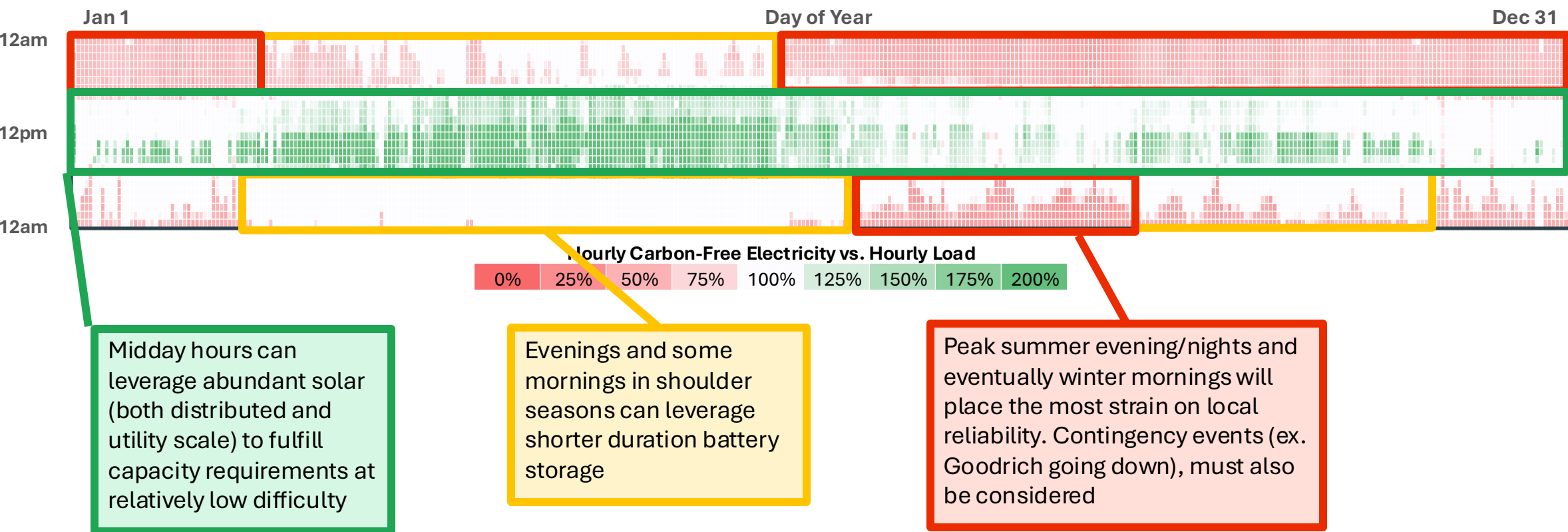
System without Glenarm with Derated Import Capability (140 MW)
(MW)



Beyond Goodrich Contingency, Technical Challenge for Reliability Will Likely Center Around Non-Solar Hours

Abundant solar generation during the day helps meet gross system peak, but significant levels of energy storage and load shifting will be needed to deliver that energy to other times of the day and year, and provide system capacity in all hours

2030 Carbon-Free Electricity Supply, as a proxy for Difficulty of Supplying Carbon-Free Capacity



Next Steps: Combinations of Replacement Resources to Explore

+ Replacement portfolios are under development for:

- **Multiple technology sets** (corresponding to the portfolios)
- **Multiple years** (to account for changes in load and eventual expansion of transmission limits)

+ Each replacement portfolio serves as the basis for a local resource reliability constraint in Long-Term Capacity Expansion study

Resource Options	Mature Technologies Only		Mature Technologies + LDES	
	2030	2035	2030	2035
Distributed Solar	✓	✓	**	✓
Battery Storage (4hr)	✓	✓	**	✓
Mid Duration Storage (10hr)	*	*	**	✓
Long Duration Storage (100hr)	*	*	**	✓
Flexible Loads	✓	✓	**	✓
Demand Response	✓	✓	**	✓
Transmission Expansion	*	✓	**	✓

* Technology options not included in specified replacement analysis

** In the “Mature Technologies + LDES” portfolios, Glenarm is retained for emergency conditions through 2035

Long-Term Capacity Expansion (LTCE) Scope and Methodology



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Development of Optimized Portfolios using Long-Term Capacity Expansion Modeling

- + Long-term planning of optimized portfolios is a complex, multifaceted process that considers a horizon of 15 to 20 + years, for example
- + Long-term capacity expansion models use optimization to construct optimized portfolios that:
 - Minimize an objective function (such as cost)
 - Meet reliability, policy, and any other applicable constraints (such as reliability, and/or carbon-free energy, among others)
 - Implicitly evaluate tradeoffs among a wide range of resource options to find appropriate balance

Objective













Minimize costs

Constraints

Achieve carbon-free energy

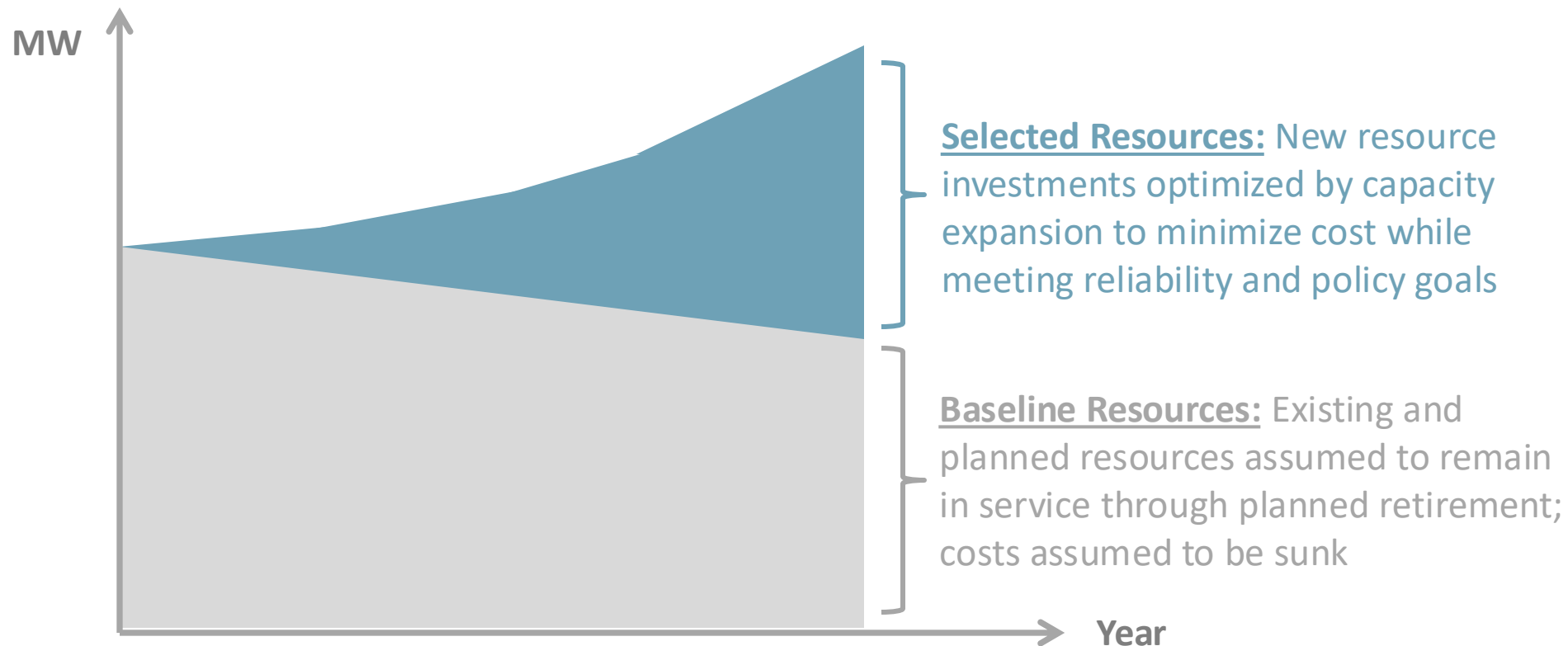
Ensure reliability

Resource options
(with unique characteristics)

Candidate Resource Options	
	Distributed Solar PV
	Utility-Scale Solar PV
	Wind (California)
	Wind (Out of State)
	Geothermal
	Battery Storage (4hr)
	Mid Duration Storage (10hr)
	Long Duration Storage (100hr)
	Demand Response
	Load Flexibility
	Green Hydrogen
	Transmission

Capacity Expansion Optimizes Incremental Investments

- + Fixed costs of new investments included in objective function
- + Embedded costs of existing infrastructure are treated as sunk costs



Portfolios will vary in what resources can be selected based on technology set.

Long-term Capacity Expansion (LTCE) Model: PLEXOS

+ What is PLEXOS?

- + A system simulation tool based on optimization
- + Allows us to represent complex energy systems to explore questions and inform decision making

+ Why do we use PLEXOS?

- + Detailed unit-level representations of resources and their interactions with other resources and load
- + Can represent the evolution of policy and new technologies
- + Flexible tool that can help solve many real-world problems

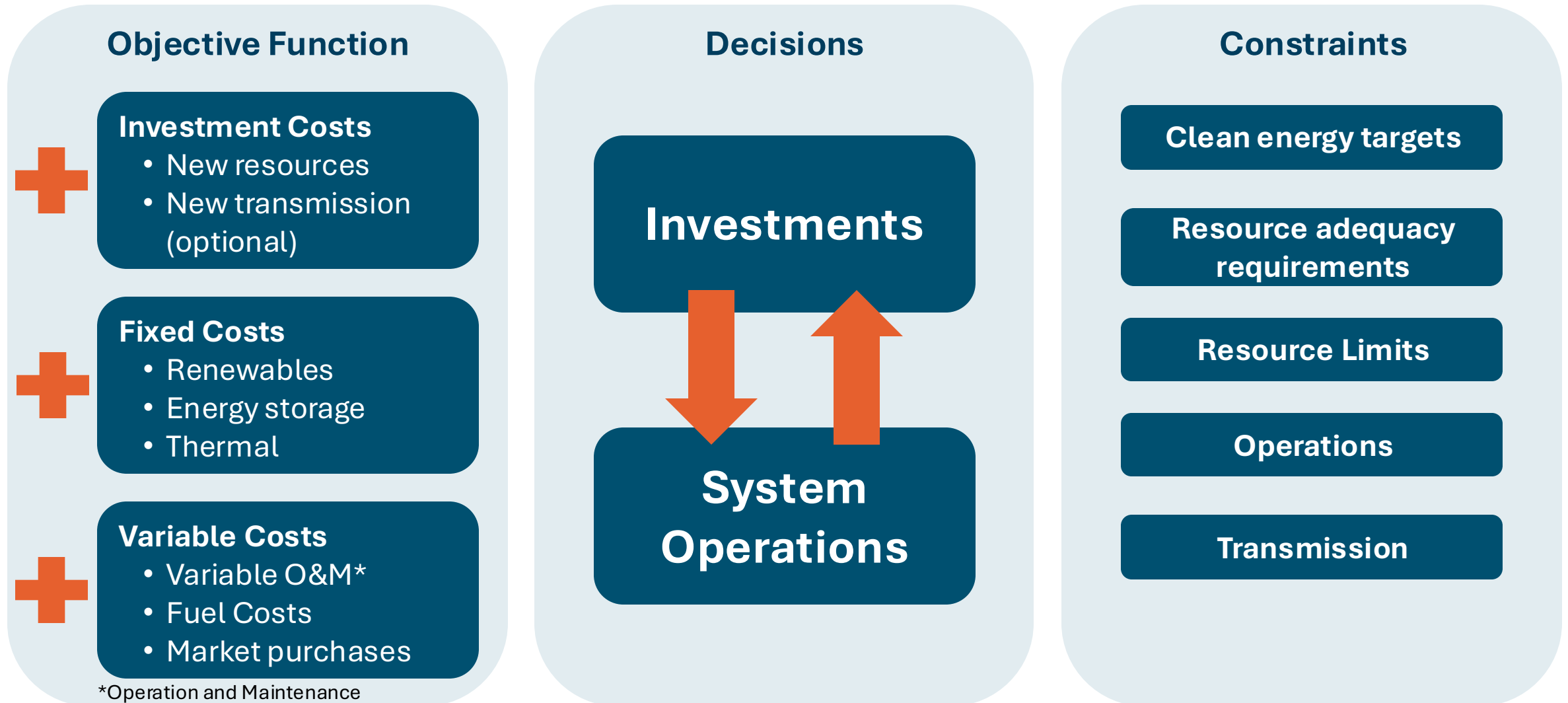
+ What questions can PLEXOS help us answer?

- + Optimal resource portfolio mix
- + Future system operations
- + And more!

The logo for PLEXOS, featuring the word "PLEXOS" in a dark blue, sans-serif font. A light blue, curved line sweeps across the "X" from the top left to the bottom right.

E3 will use PLEXOS, an industry standard LTCE model, which has functionality similar to EnCompass (used in 2023 IRP)

Capacity Expansion Formulation



Key inputs and assumptions required for LTCE



Load Forecast

PWP baseload
EV adoption forecast
Energy efficiency



Baseline Resources

Glenarm and existing DER portfolio
Owned & contracted renewable, storage, and thermal resources
Renewable profiles, thermal operating parameters, storage round-trip efficiency



Candidate Resources

Capacity expansion resource options and availability, including DR resources
Resource costs, fuel costs, and renewable profiles



Portfolio Constraints

CAISO Resource Adequacy (RA) requirement (applying forward-looking marginal ELCC)
Requirements for local resources (from Glenarm Replacement/Conversion Study)
Clean energy policy targets



Market Interactions

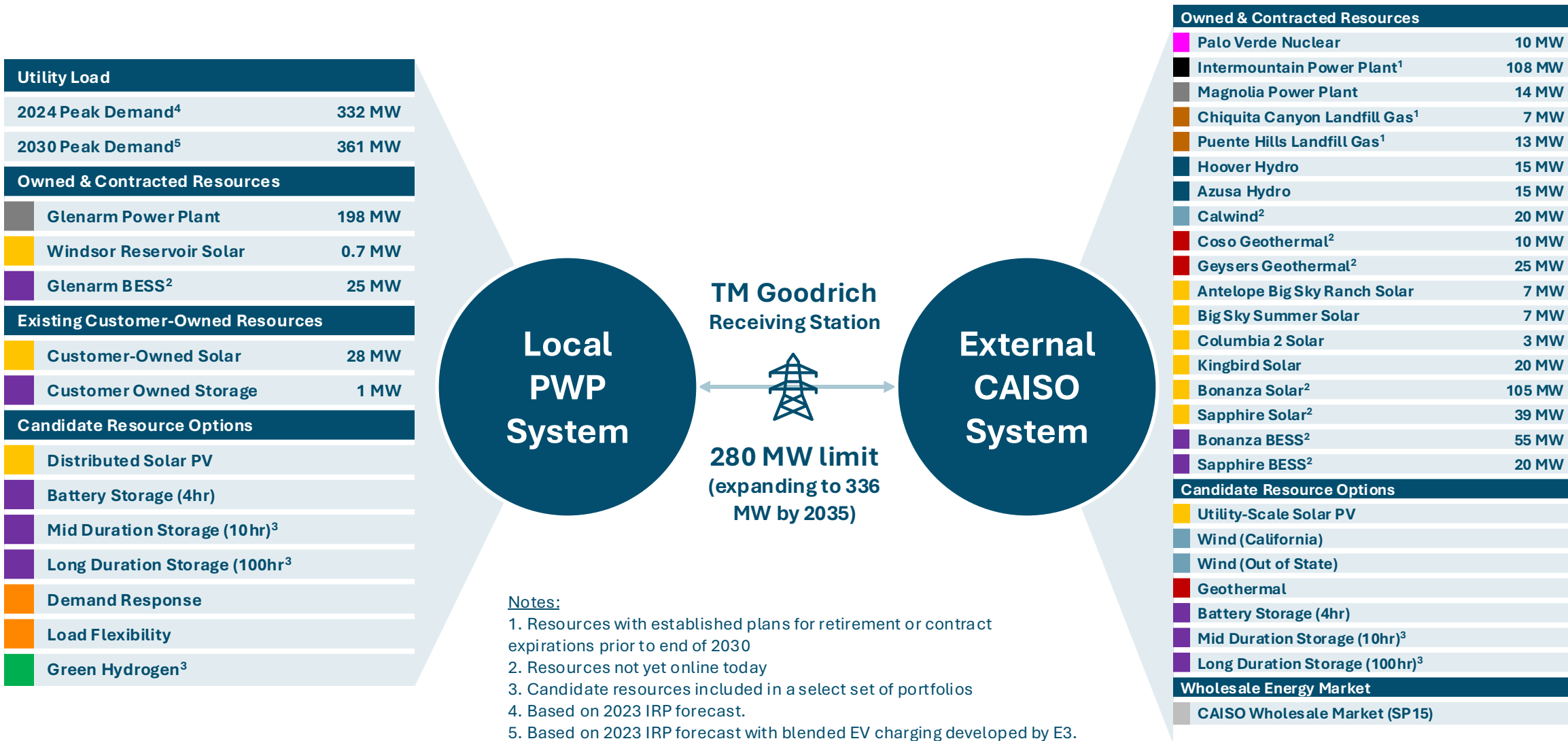
CAISO wholesale market price forecast
Restrictions on gross/net imports



Simulation Settings

Modeling horizon
Day sampling settings
PWP weighted average cost of capital (WACC)

Topology for Capacity Expansion Model



LTCE Outputs and next steps after portfolio development

- + Outputs of the portfolio development phase will be multiple cost-optimized resource portfolios reflecting different pathways to achieving Res. 9977. Key outputs for each portfolio include:**
 - Total Installed Capacity (includes existing, planned, and new generation and battery storage)
 - Total Generation (annual generation from all resources)
 - Annualized Build Cost (total fixed costs (capital and fixed O&M) of candidate resources)
 - Operational Costs (variable O&M, fuel costs)
 - Market Purchases (market net purchases and cost/revenue)

- + In the Cost Impacts phase of analysis, we will further analyze the compare the cost of each portfolio.**

- + In the Action Plan, we will synthesize findings across portfolios, identifying common themes, no-regrets actions, and next steps.**

Development of an Optimized Strategic Plan for Pasadena Water and Power

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Agenda

- + **Optimized Strategic Plan progress update**
- + **Demand Response and Flexible Load Study Results**
- + **Update on Transmission Options**
- + **Glenarm Conversion and Replacement – Resource Adequacy Consideration**

- + *Appendix: Resource Cost Assumptions (requested by TAP)*

Status Updates: Optimized Strategic Plan Supporting Studies

Local Solar & Storage

- Geospatial analysis of technical potential complete (ground mount, parking canopy, rooftop)
- Adoption modeling in progress

Demand Response & Flexible Loads

- Downscaling LBNL DR supply curves complete
- EV charging load shaping complete, under review by PWP

New & Emerging Technologies

- Review of emerging technology characteristics and risk factors complete
- Developed cost and performance assumptions for portfolio modeling

Glenarm Conversion & Replacement

- Preliminary modeling underway

Long-Term Capacity Expansion

- Reviewing data provided by PWP, compiling additional inputs and assumptions needed for modeling

Transmission Options

- Discussing options. Identifying key decision points and considerations

Production Simulation

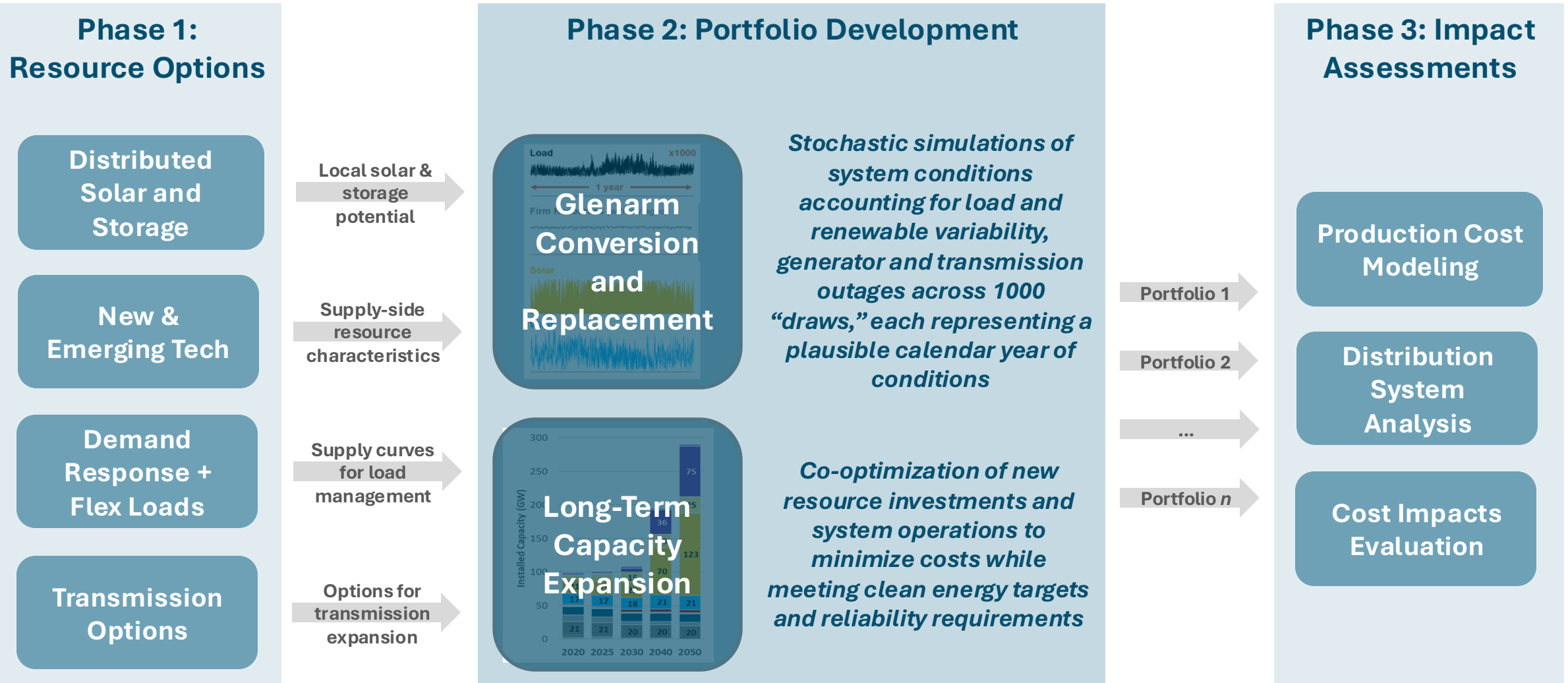
Distribution System Impacts

Cost Impacts

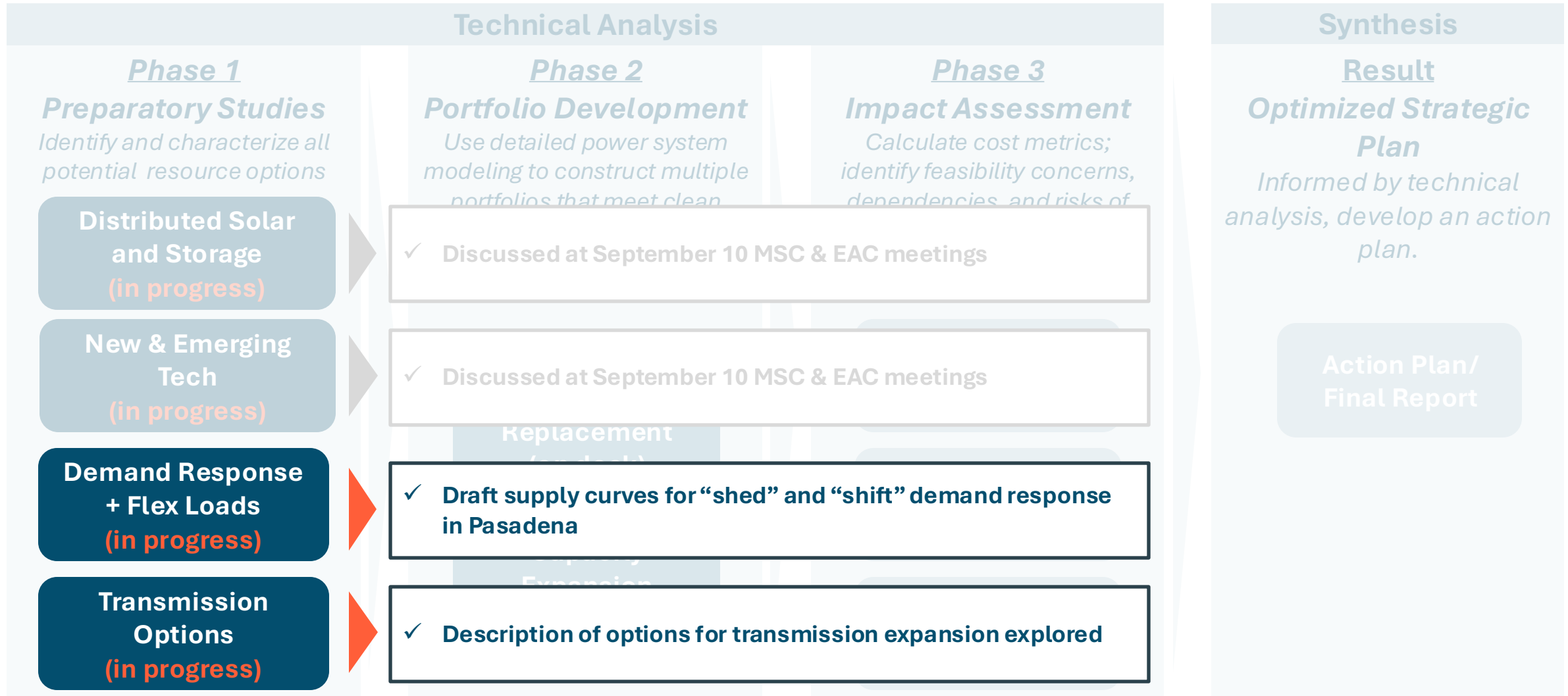
Active Workstreams

Not yet started

Technical Analysis Plan for Portfolio Development



Updates from Preparatory Studies



Two Phase of Portfolio Development

1 Identify resources needed to ensure local reliability

Glenarm Conversion and Replacement

- 1A. Evaluate infrastructure investments and options for converting Glenarm to H2.
- 1B. Identify multiple portfolios of local resources that that could replace Glenarm while providing a similar levels of reliability.

2 Identify additional resources needed to meet PWP long-term system needs, the goals of Res. 9977, and resource adequacy requirements.

Long-Term Capacity Expansion

- 2. Identify resources needed in addition to those found in step 1.

Each portfolio will be optimized for least cost independently. The cost of each portfolios will be compared in the Cost Impacts study.

Demand Response & Flexible Loads



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Scope of DR and Flexible Loads Study

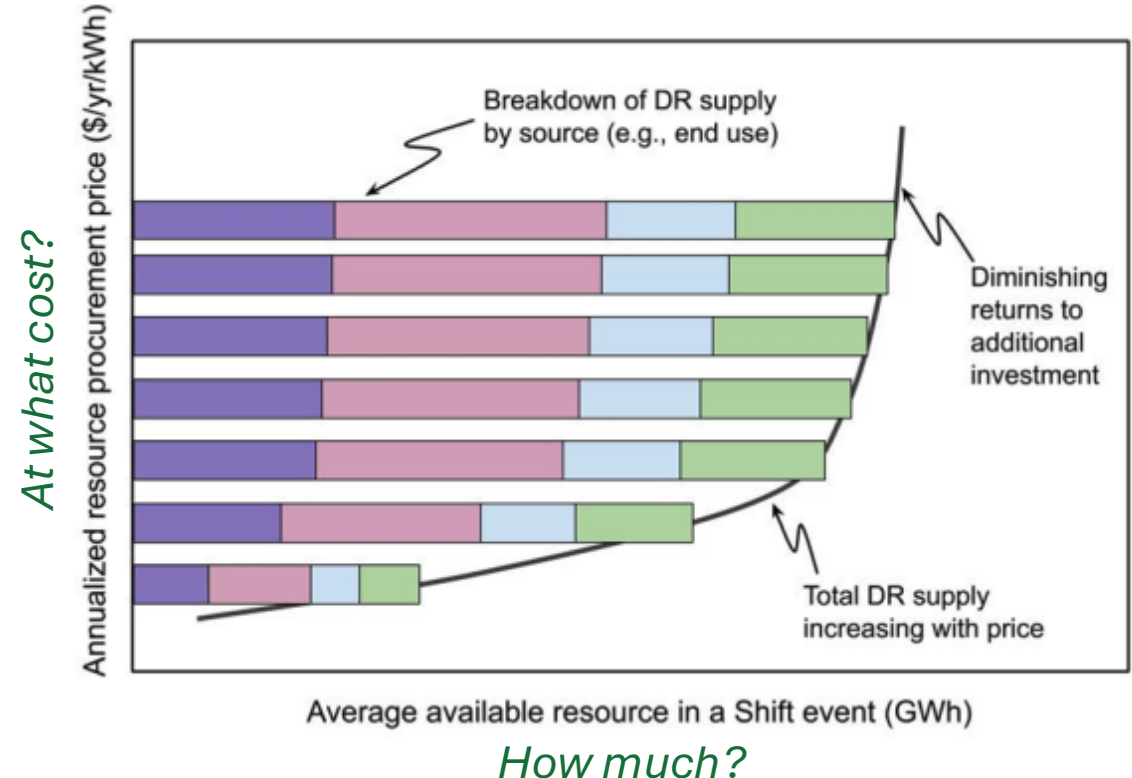
- + **Objective:** Assess cost and potential for demand response in PWP's service territory.
- + **Motivation:** Given constraints on PWP to leverage utility-scale resources due to limited import capability and in-zone resource availability, demand response is one of the zero-carbon demand-side resources that can contribute to meeting PWP's capacity needs for maintaining reliability.

Questions answered in this study:

1. How much demand response potential is available from PWP customers?
2. What are the costs of demand response?
3. How can PWP leverage managed electric vehicle (EV) charging to reduce grid impacts of electrification?

Questions not answered in this study:

1. How should PWP design programs and tariffs to procure demand response?



Framing the Opportunity: Demand Response & Flexible Loads in California

- + **2023 CPUC IRP¹ assumes 1,842 MW of Shed Demand Response in CAISO with an additional 582 MW of interruptible pumping load (from CA Department of Water Resources):**
 - 2,424 MW in total, which is ~5% of CAISO's peak load of 50 GW
- + **California's Energy Commission has set a statewide target of 7,000 MW of load-shiftability by 2030²**
 - This represents ~15% of California's peak load
- + **Advanced Metering Infrastructure plays a critical role in achieving this target, both through advanced rate design, and being able to measure and incentivize load shifting**
- + **The resources are some of the building blocks of VPPs, along with distributed solar and storage**

CEC 2030 Load-Shift Goals

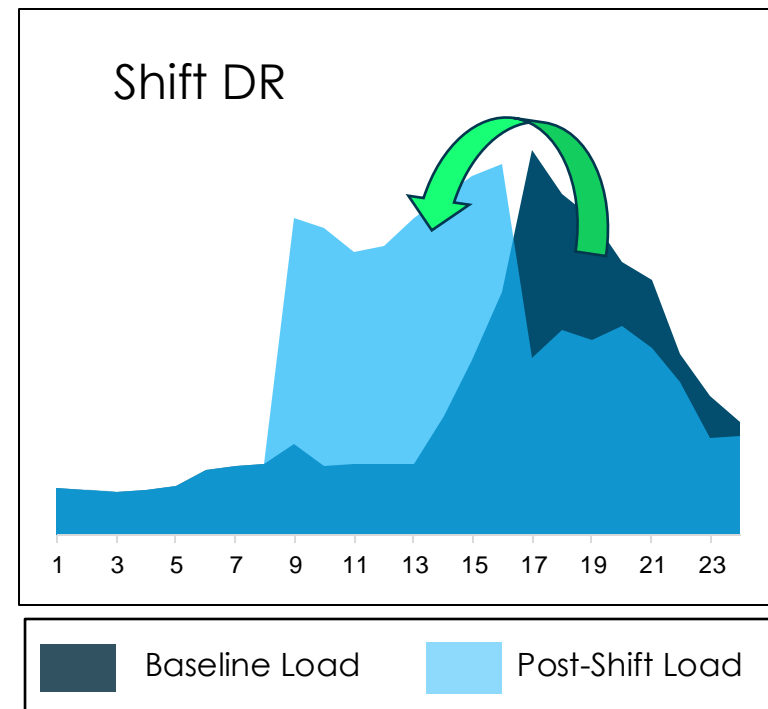
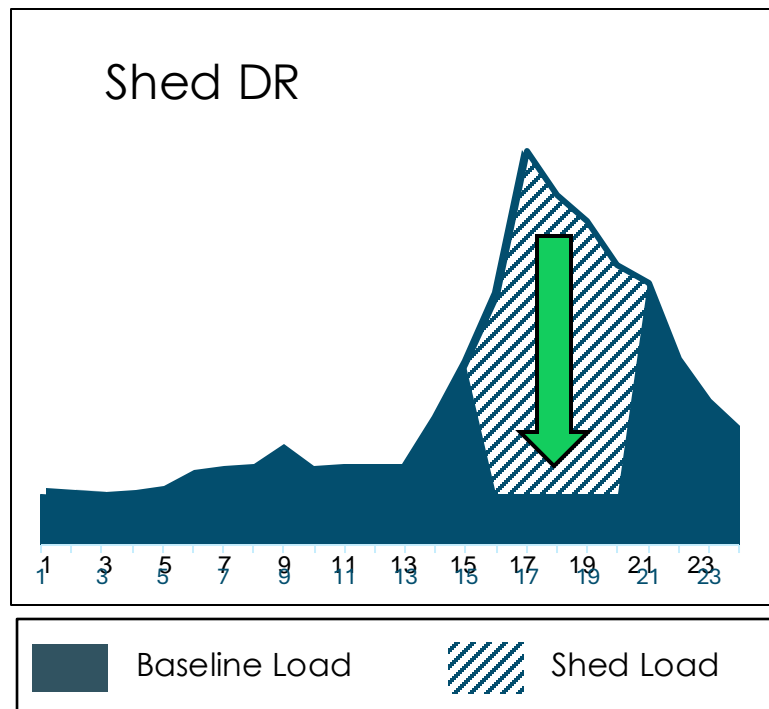
Table ES-2: Proposed Statewide Load-Shift Goal by Intervention

Category	Intervention	2022 Estimate	2030 Goal
Load-Modifying (LM)	TOU Rates	620–1,000 MW	3,000 MW
	Dynamic Pricing	30 MW	
	LM Programs	7 MW	
Resource Planning and Procurement	Economic Supply-side DR	670–825 MW	4,000 MW
	Reliability Supply-Side DR	740 MW	
	POU DR Programs (Non-ISO)	210 MW	
Incremental and Emergency (I&E)	I&E Programs	800 MW	
	Emergency Back-Up Generators*	375 MW*	
Total (nearest 100)		3,100–3,600 MW	7,000 MW

*Includes backup generators with significant local emissions, which are part of the current emergency framework but not included in the 2022 load flexibility total. Only zero- and low-emission behind-the-meter generation consistent with AB 205 (Committee on Budget, Chapter 61, Statutes of 2022) is included in the load-shift goal.
Source: CEC staff, CPUC staff

Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL) Potential Study Overview

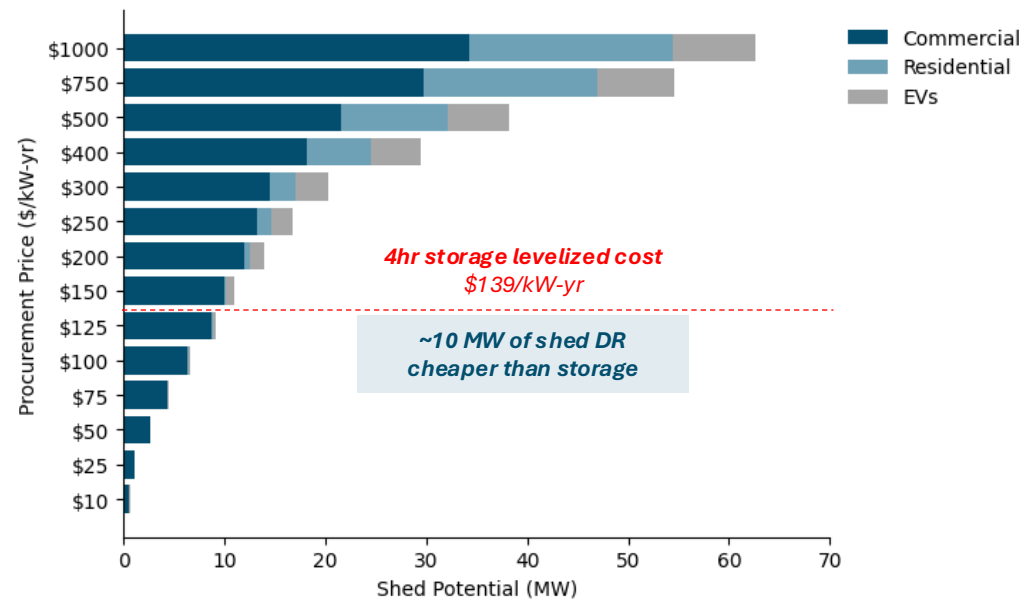
- + LBNL produces supply curves for the achievable potential for shed and shift demand response curves characterizing the resource availability at a given cost.
 - **Shed (“conventional”)** – Loads that can be curtailed to provide capacity reductions
 - **Shift** – Loads that can be shifted between hours



Downscaled Supply Curves of DR Potential for Pasadena

2030: Pasadena Shed DR Potential by Customer Grouping

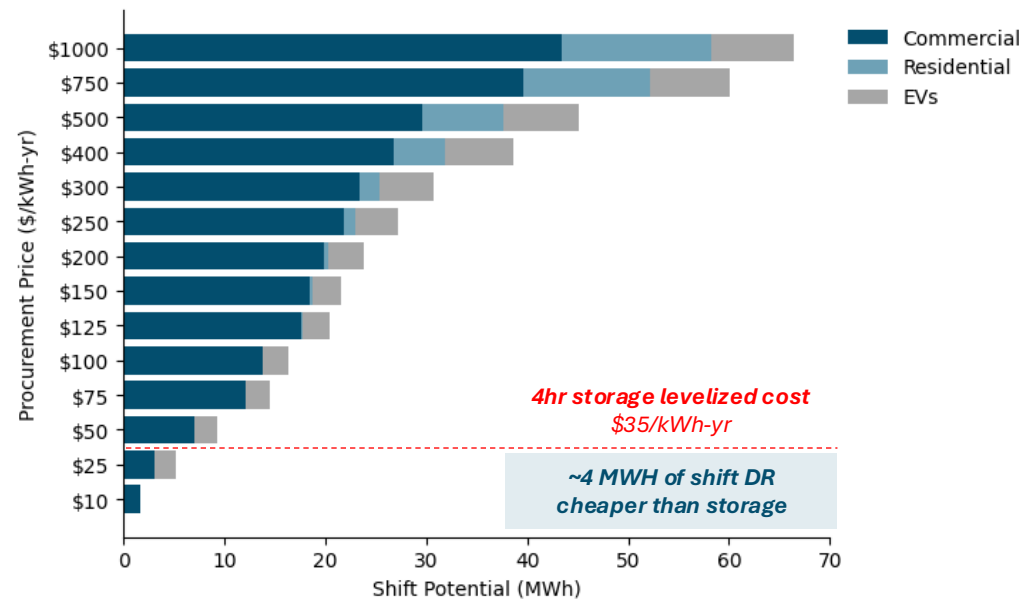
Procurement Price (\$)



Shed potential in units of MW to show the amount of load that can be reduced.

2030: Pasadena Shift DR Potential by Customer Grouping

Procurement Price (\$)



Shift potential in units of MWh to show the amount of energy can be shifted

Commercial load makes up the majority of PWP’s load, creating the largest opportunity to shift and shed load. Electric vehicles are expected to emerge as a large source of shift DR.

Considerations for Enabling this Resource

- + Advanced Metering Infrastructure is necessary to enable TOU rates, and measure/incentivize demand response – AMI is currently expected roll out in PWP in 2028**
- + LBNL's supply curve is working from a reasonably mature and developed demand response market in CA's investor-owned utilities which may be optimistic for PWP.**
 - PWP will be starting from scratch and may need some time to build up base of participants, technologies, and dependable DER service providers.
 - Point-of-sale recruitment is seen as much more effective than trying to enroll customers after device installation – may be challenging to leverage devices installed before AMI metering.
- + Establishing good customer relationships will be critical for ramping up DR programs, and PWP can start building those before the AMI project through behavioral demand response and customer engagement.**
 - Customer-focused nature also presents an opportunity to build strong relationships and let more people participate in the clean energy transition
- + Important to target end uses and customers that have load present during hours with high loss of load probability**
 - Majority of PWP's load (~70%) is from commercial customers – programs should look to tap into this sector

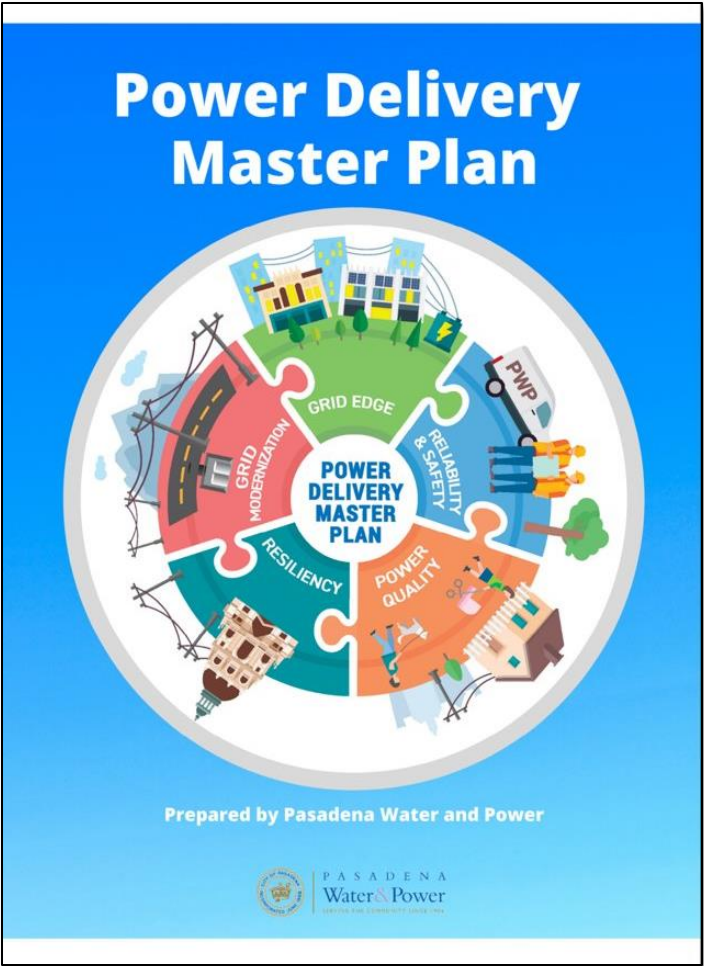
Transmission Options



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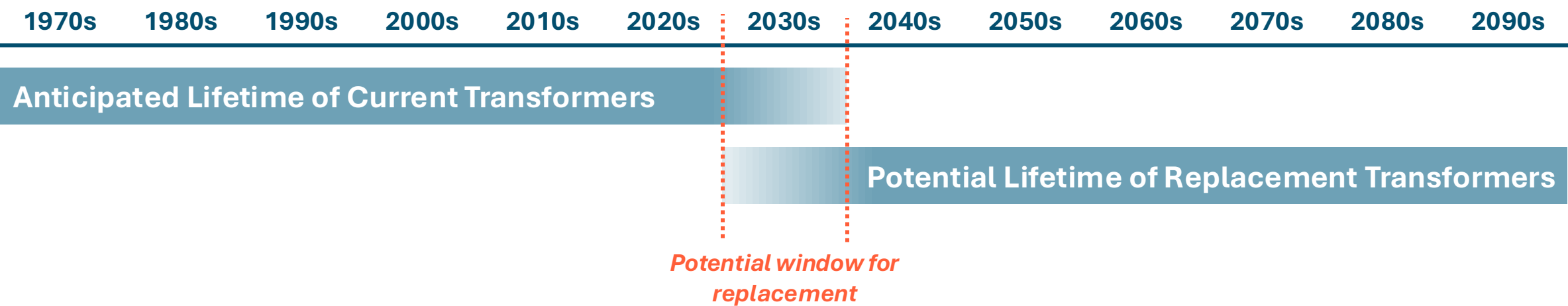
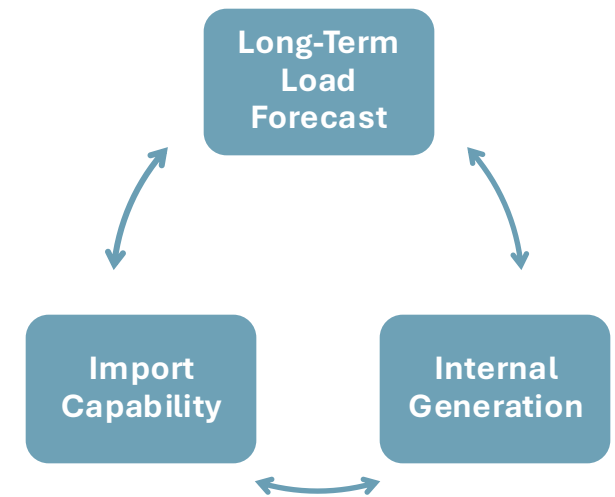
The Power Delivery Master Plan (2022) Identified Three Priorities to Address Constraints on Pasadena's Import Limitations

PDMP Priority	Current Status
Replace and upgrade internal 35kV subtransmission lines	Replacement projects currently in progress (planning phase)
Evaluate potential to install phase shifting transformer at interconnection with LADWP	Discussed with CAISO; option not pursued further due to CAISO concerns of PWP operating interconnection to another balancing authority without CAISO control
Upgrade transformers at TM Goodrich to enable increased import limit of 336 MW (contractual limit of interconnection agreement with SCE)	Recent events have raised question of whether expansion to 336 MW is the right long-term solution for PWP or whether higher levels of expansion should be considered



Right-Sizing Import Capability for Long-Term Needs Depends on Load Growth and the Role of Internal Generation

- + Replacement of TM Goodrich transformers presents an opportunity for PWP to redesign the power system for long-term needs
- + Equipment lifetimes for transformers and other key electrical equipment are 50-70 years, meaning that these decisions will set the foundation for what Pasadena’s electrical system looks like through the remainder of this century
- + Multiple key uncertainties and decisions have direct implications for right-sizing of transformers:
 - What are long-term expectations for load growth, accounting for potential for transportation and building electrification associated with state’s ambitious decarbonization goals?
 - What are Pasadena’s long-term plans to build or maintain internal generation resources within the system?
 - How would increased import limits impact Pasadena’s subtransmission system?
 - What are the costs associated with various replacement options (and the corresponding infrastructure needs)?



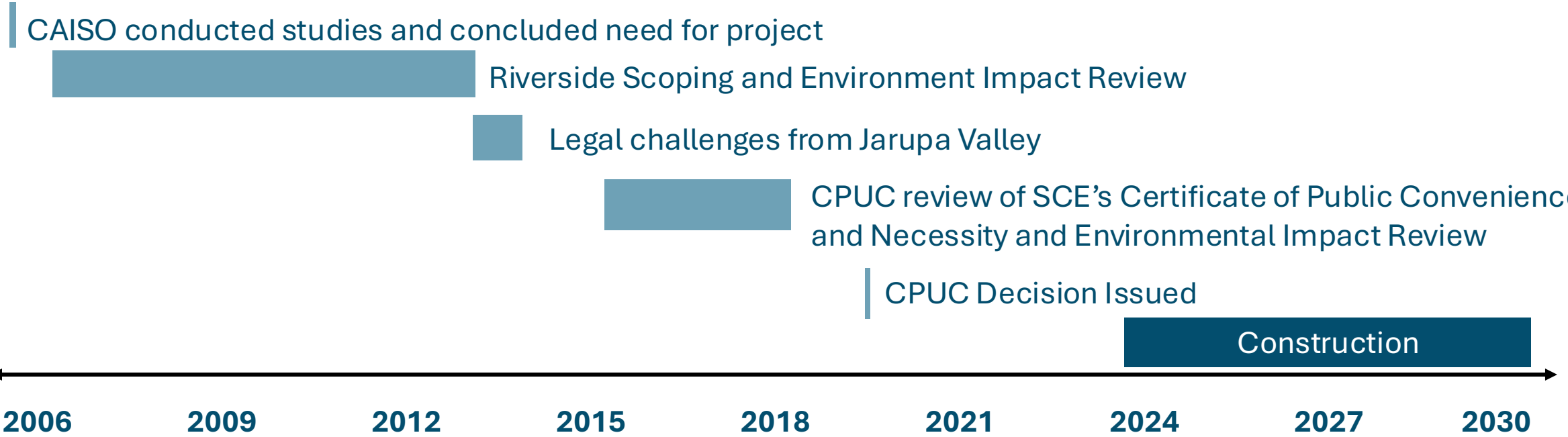
Roadmap for TM Goodrich Expansion

Stage	Estimated Timeframe	Necessary for Upgrade to 336 MW (Option 1)	Necessary for Upgrade above 336 MW (Option 2)
Upgrades to Internal Subtransmission System Identified in PDMP <i>Replace and upgrade existing 35 kV subtransmission lines to enable greater cross-town power flow and improve reliability</i>	3-4 years	Yes (in progress)	Yes (in progress)
Right-Sizing Study for TM Goodrich <i>Determine ideal sizing of interconnection considering long-term load growth and plans for internal generation</i>	1 year	No	Yes
Technical & Engineering Studies (TM Goodrich Station) <i>Develop detailed project plans for selected expansion option</i>	1-2 years	Yes	Yes
Technical & Engineering Studies (Internal System) <i>Evaluate whether additional internal improvements are necessary at higher import levels</i>	1-2 years	No	Yes
Renegotiation of Interconnection Agreement with SCE* <i>Renegotiate agreement to allow maximum interchange above 336 MW</i>	Uncertain	No	Yes
Competitive Procurement Processes <i>Conduct request for proposals, evaluate responses, select vendor, negotiate contracts</i>	1-2 years	Yes	Yes
Equipment Procurement Lead Time <i>Place orders transformers and other necessary specialized equipment</i>	3-5 years	Yes	Yes
Additional Upgrades to Internal Subtransmission System <i>Reconfigure PWP subtransmission system to higher voltage level consistent with higher TMG rating</i>	Uncertain	No	Maybe (depending on rating)
Upgrades to CAISO/SCE Transmission System* <i>Study upgrades necessary to SCE system, obtain permits & CPCNs, complete project</i>	Uncertain	No	Maybe (depending on rating)
Project Construction <i>Complete construction outside of summer peak seasons and Rose Bowl event moratorium</i>	2-4 years	Yes	Yes

Stages are organized roughly chronologically, but not all stages must occur sequentially; stages marked with asterisks (*) reflect stages involving or led by other parties (SCE & CAISO)

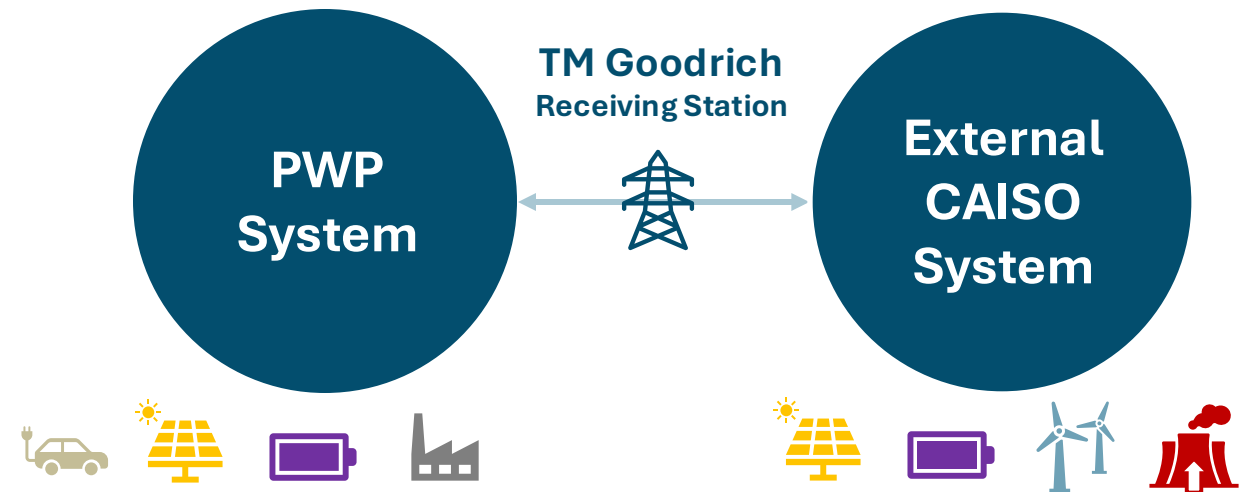
Riverside Transmission Reliability Project (RTRP) as a Case Study for Second CAISO Interconnection

- + Riverside Public Utilities is connected to CAISO via a single point of interconnection at the Vista Substation which has a capacity lower than RPU’s peak load.
- + Project involves a new substation and several miles of transmission lines operated by SCE/CAISO and new switchyard and subtransmission lines operated by RPU.
 - Transmission lines had to be undergrounded.



How Transmission Options Tie into the Optimized Strategic Plan

- + In the near term (by 2030), relieving the import constraint at TM Goodrich poses a significant challenge – so portfolios developed in OSP will reflect the continued need for internal generation to maintain reliability
- + At the same time that it pursues the ambitious goal of carbon-free by 2030, Pasadena faces a pivotal decision of how to expand TM Goodrich, a decision that will have long-term implications on its power system
- + Key results from OSP portfolio analysis can help inform future efforts to examine right-sizing of intertie
 - Long-term demand forecasts
 - Insights on the potential long-term role of different internal generating resources
- + OSP can explore a sensitivity on long-term transmission expansion to provide insight to Pasadena.



Appendix: Resource Costs



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Summary of Techno-Economic Modeling Assumptions Recommended for OSP

Year	Characteristic	Solar PV	Wind	Geothermal	Lithium Ion Battery (4 hour)	MDES Archetype (10 hour)*	LDDES Archetype (100 hour)*
2030	Capital Cost (\$/kW)	\$1,275 \$1,180-\$1,370	\$1,570 \$1,430-\$1,720	\$9,120 \$8055-\$10,070	\$1,420 \$1,055-\$1,790	-	-
	Levelized Cost of Energy (\$/kW-yr)	\$30 \$20-\$40	\$35 \$25-\$45	\$95 \$77-\$120	-	-	-
	Levelized Fixed Cost (\$/kW-yr)	-	-	-	\$140 \$100-\$185	-	-
	Delivered Fuel Cost (\$/MMBtu)	-	-	-	-	-	-
2035	Capital Cost (\$/kW)	\$1,206 \$965-\$1,210	\$1,445 \$1260-\$1630	\$8,605 \$7,050-\$9,820	\$1,310 \$933-\$1,690	\$4,000 \$3,140-\$4,640	\$2,780 \$2,120-\$3,440
	Levelized Cost of Energy (\$/kW-yr)	\$20 \$10-\$35	\$30 \$20-\$40	\$90 \$70-\$115	-	-	-
	Levelized Fixed Cost (\$/kW-yr)	-	-	-	\$130 \$90-\$180	\$310 \$225-\$400	\$245 \$177-\$335
	Delivered Fuel Cost (\$/MMBtu)	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Numbers are rounded to nearest tenth.

Utility-Scale Solar PV: OSP Modeling Assumptions

+ **Present-day cost assumptions reflect range observed across a range of data sources (with adjustments for California labor & materials costs):**

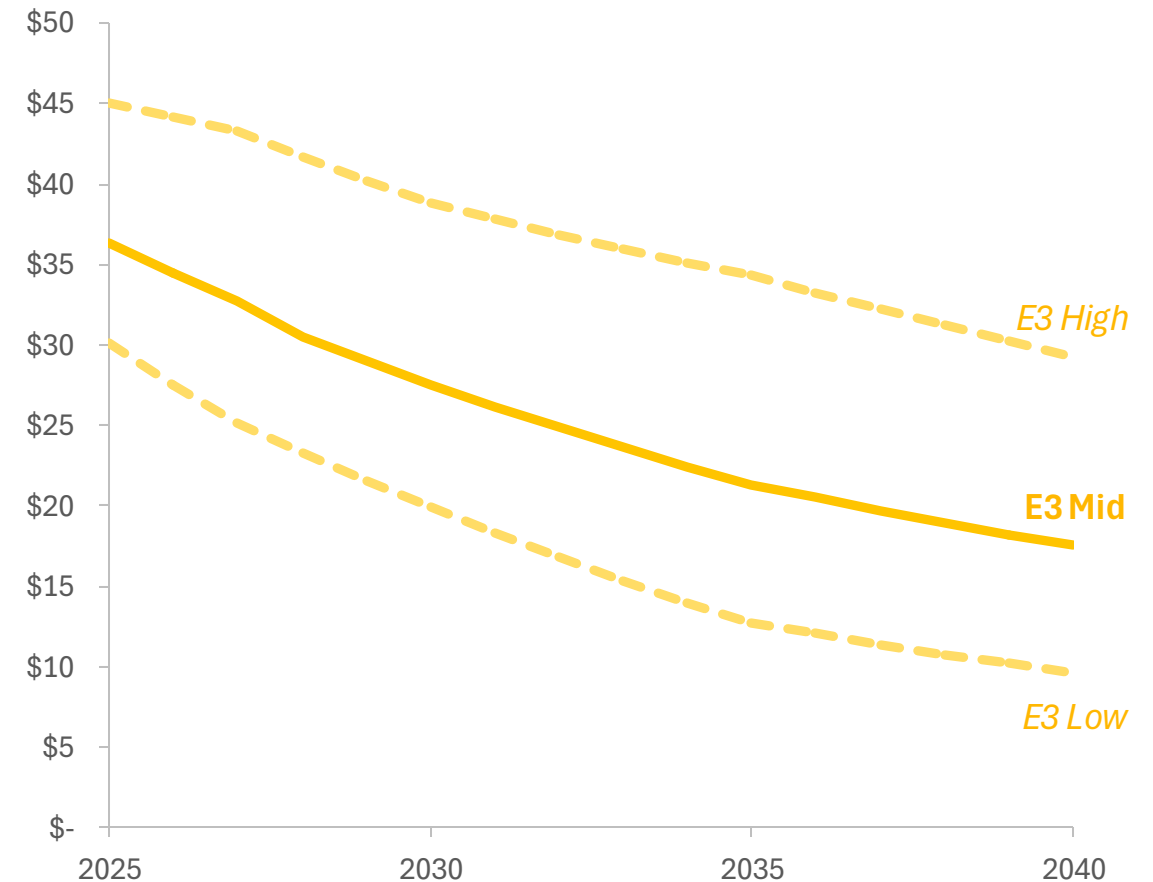
- [2024 Annual Technologies Baseline](#) (NREL)
- [2023 Annual Energy Outlook](#) (EIA)
- [2024 Levelized Cost of Energy +](#) (Lazard)
- [Solar Market Insight Report Q2 2024](#) (SEIA)
- [Generation Technology Options – 2024](#) (EPRI)

+ **Future cost reduction trajectories derived from NREL ATB assuming exponential cost reductions between present day and 2050**

+ **Levelized cost of energy calculated for informational purposes based on standard performance and financing assumptions:**

- *Capacity factor of 31%-36% for high and low cost trajectories*
- IRA production tax credit available throughout horizon
- Costs of debt and equity tied to current market indices

Levelized Cost of Energy, Utility-Scale Solar PV (2024 \$/MWh)



Land-Based Wind: OSP Modeling Assumptions

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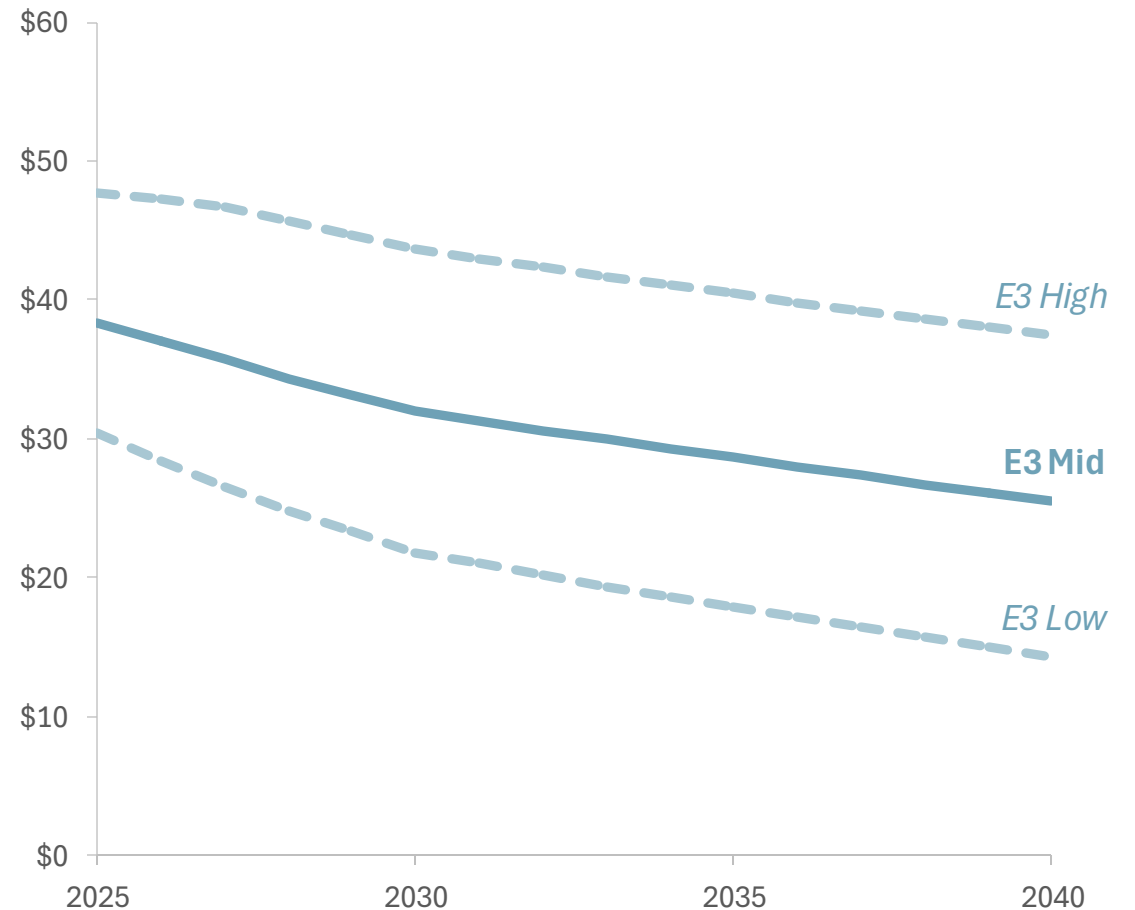
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- [Land-Based Wind Market Report](#) (DOE)
- [Generation Technology Options – 2024](#) (EPRI)

+ The High trajectory is derived from NREL ATB assuming exponential cost reductions between present day and 2050; the Low trajectory assumes the CAPEX holds flat in nominal terms throughout 2050

+ Levelized cost of energy calculated for informational purposes based on standard performance and financing assumptions:

- Capacity factor of 33% - 38% for high and low cost trajectories
- 30 years useful life
- IRA production tax credit available throughout horizon
- Costs of debt and equity tied to current market indices

Levelized Cost of Energy, Land-Based Wind (2024 \$/MWh)



Conventional Geothermal: OSP Modeling Assumptions

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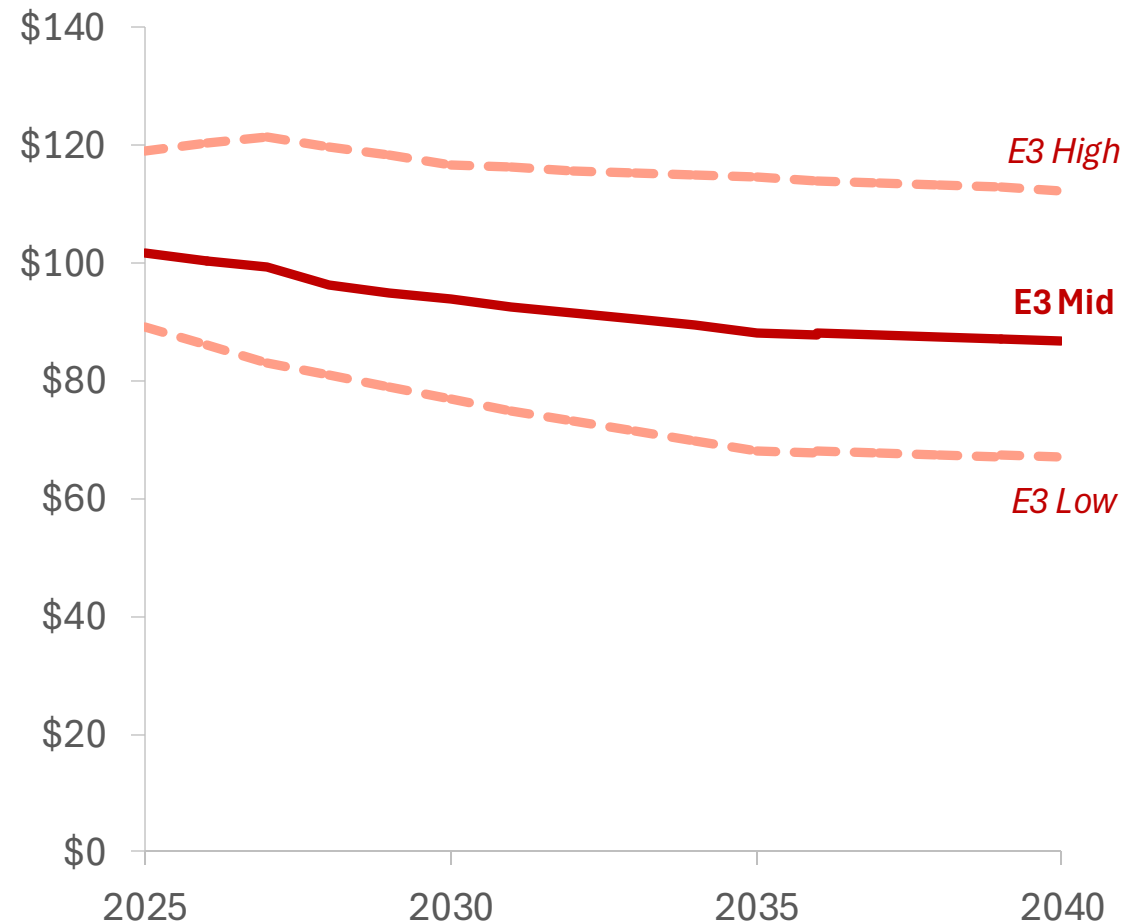
- [2024 Annual Technologies Baseline](#) (NREL)

+ Future cost reduction trajectories, derived from 2024 NREL ATB, assume 13% in Mid, 30% in Low and 0.5% in High case between present day and 2035

+ Levelized cost of energy calculated for informational purposes based on standard performance and financing assumptions:

- 80% capacity factor (for E3 Mid) of hydro binary type with a 30-year useful life
- IRA production tax credit available throughout horizon
- Costs of debt and equity tied to current market indices

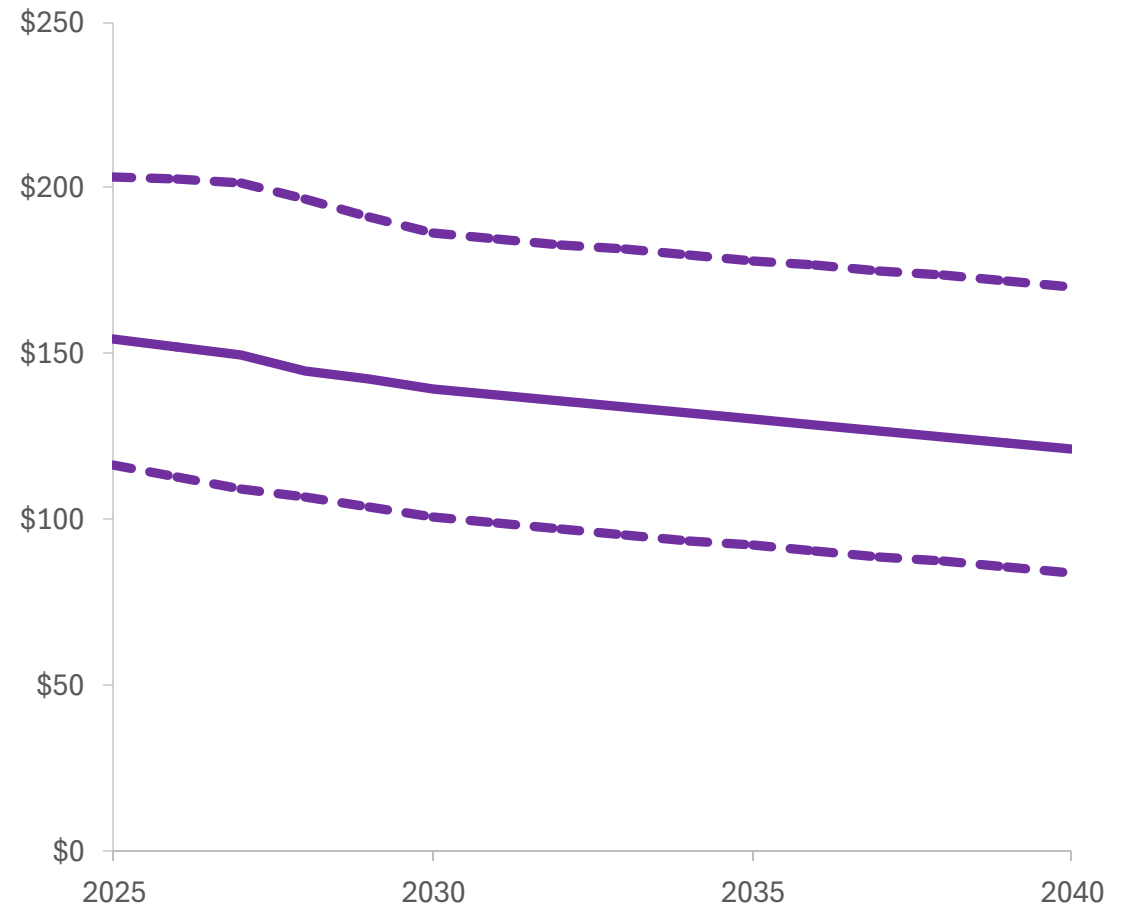
Levelized Cost of Energy, Conventional Geothermal (2024 \$/MWh)



Cost assumptions for Lithium-Ion Batteries (Four Hour Duration)

- + **E3 benchmarked recent year li-ion CAPEX**
 - [2024 Annual Technologies Baseline](#) (NREL)
 - [2023 Annual Energy Outlook](#) (EIA)
 - [2024 Levelized Cost of Energy +](#) (Lazard)
 - [Generation Technology Options – 2024](#) (EPRI)
 - [Energy Storage Cost and Performance Database](#) (PNNL)
- + **Cost reduction trajectory for E3 High case is derived from NREL ATB assuming exponential cost reductions between present day and 2050**
- + **The E3 Low trajectory assumes the capital cost remains flat in nominal terms through 2050**
- + **The Mid trajectory is the average of Low and High**
- + **National average costs are adjusted for higher California labor & materials costs**

Levelized Fixed Cost, 4hr Li-Ion Battery Storage (2024 \$/kW-yr)



Energy Storage Archetypes Considered in Development of OSP

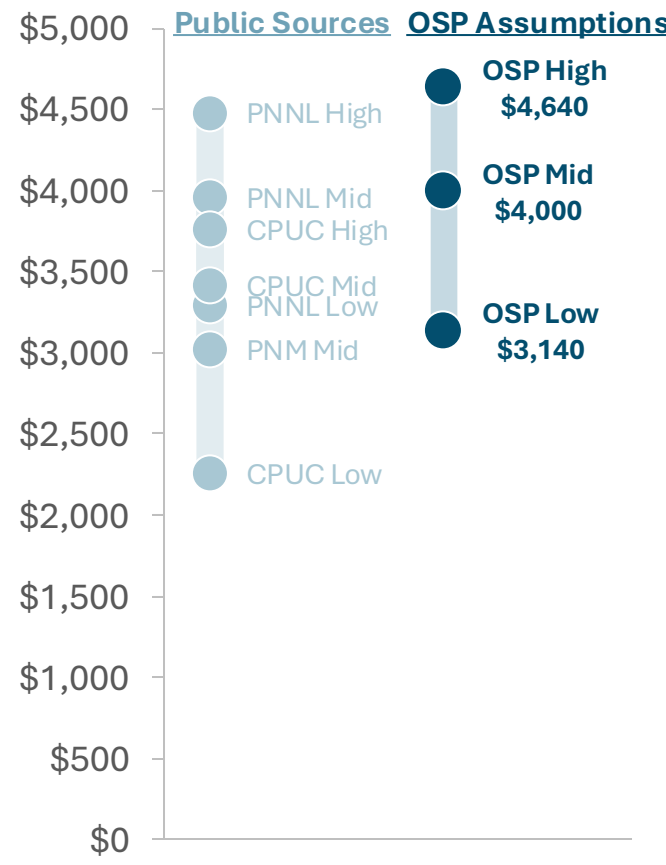
- +** The rapidly evolving technology landscape presents a challenge to representing storage technologies in resource planning:
 - Significant uncertainty in which technologies will mature and at what pace
 - High levels of cost uncertainty
- +** For the development of the OSP, three options for energy storage are considered:
 - Short-duration lithium-ion batteries (4 hr)
 - A generic medium-duration storage resource with 10 hours of duration
 - A generic multi-day duration energy storage resource with 100 hours of duration
- +** Use of MDES and LDES archetypes allows exploration of the role of different storage technologies without predetermining a preferred technology prior to a market test

Characteristic	Lithium Ion Battery	MDES Archetype	LDES Archetype
Duration (hrs)	4	10	100
Round-Trip Efficiency (%)	85%	70%	45%
Min Charging State (%)	10%	10%	10%
Lifetime (years)	20	20	20
2035 Total Capital Cost (2024 \$/kW)	\$1,310 (\$933 – \$1,690)	\$4,000 (\$3,140 – \$4,640)	\$2,780 (\$2,120–\$3,440)
2035 Levelized Fixed Cost (2024 \$/kW-yr)	\$130 (\$92 – \$178)	\$310 (\$225 – \$400)	\$245 (\$180 – \$330)
Portfolio Suitability	Include as option across all portfolios	Include as option in select portfolios	Include as option in select portfolios

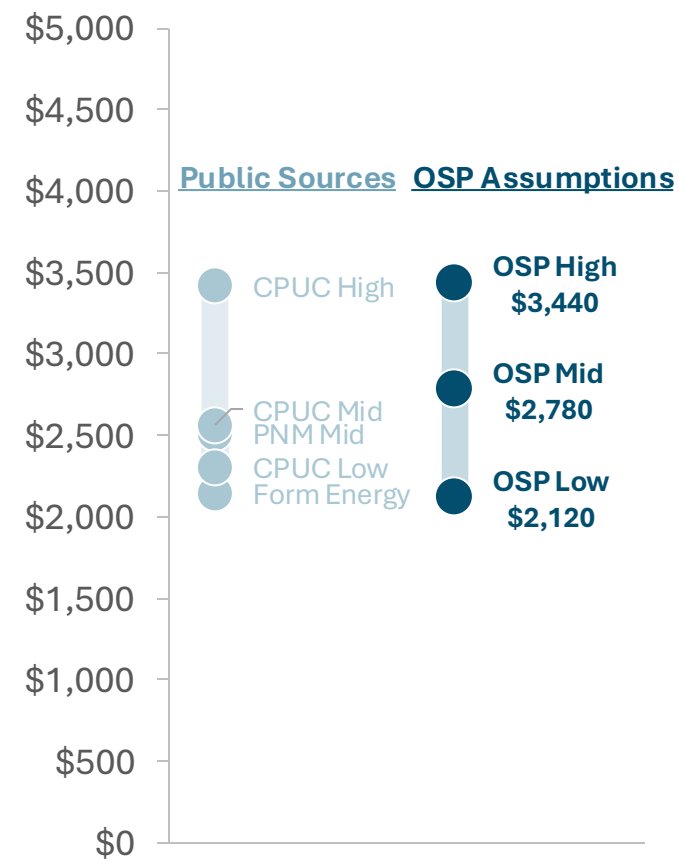
Development of Cost Assumptions, Mid- and Long-Duration Storage Archetypes

- + Because of a lack of technological maturity, cost data for longer-duration storage resources is inherently sparse and uncertain
- + Public data sources span wide ranges and inherently capture varying degrees of technological optimism
- + Cost assumptions developed for OSP represent a plausible range of market outcomes by 2035:
 - **High:** limited technological improvements from today; low likelihood that technology will be competitive with alternatives
 - **Mid:** evolutionary technological improvements that enable market readiness
 - **Low:** technology breakthrough that allows competition with existing mature technologies

Capital Costs Assumptions for 10-Hour Storage Resources Installed 2030-2040 (2024 \$/kW)



Capital Costs Assumptions for 100-Hour Storage Resources Installed 2030-2040 (2024 \$/kW)



Development of an Optimized Strategic Plan for Pasadena Water and Power

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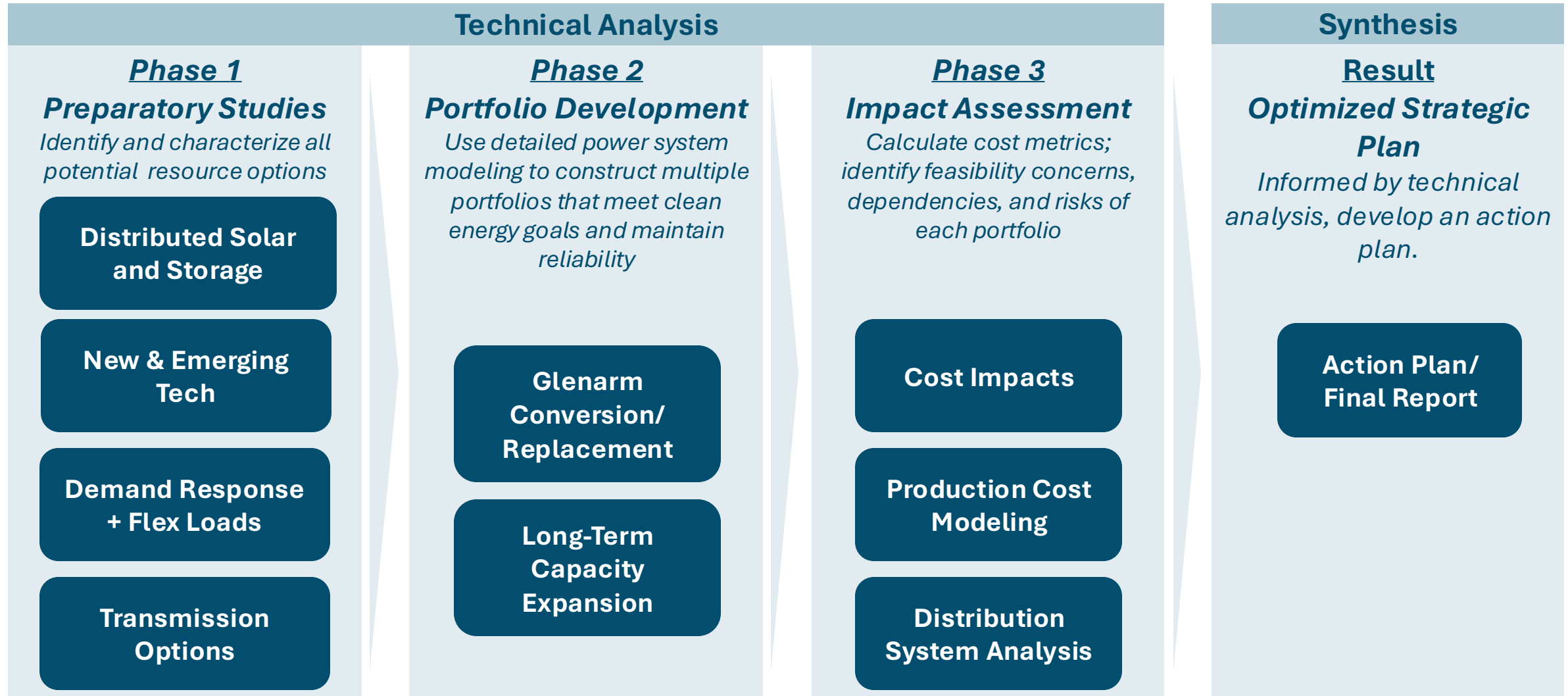
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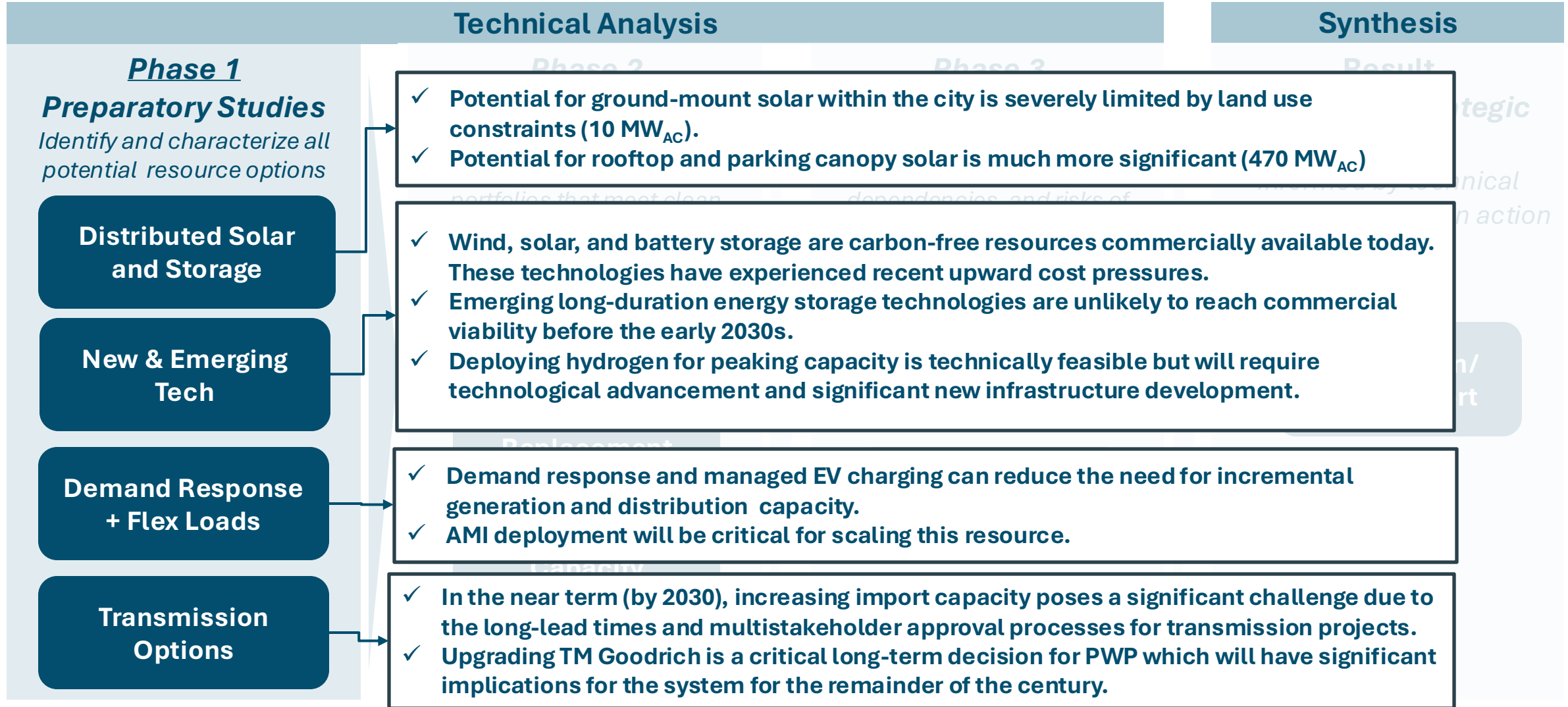
Agenda

- + Summary of key findings from preparatory studies**
- + Brief update on DR and Flexible Load Study**
- + Glenarm Conversion and Replacement**
 - Replacement portfolio analysis
 - Conversion pathways

Optimized Strategic Plan: Study Workflow



Highlights from Preparatory Studies



Demand Response & Flexible Loads



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Demand Response and Flexible Loads Study Recap

Previously...

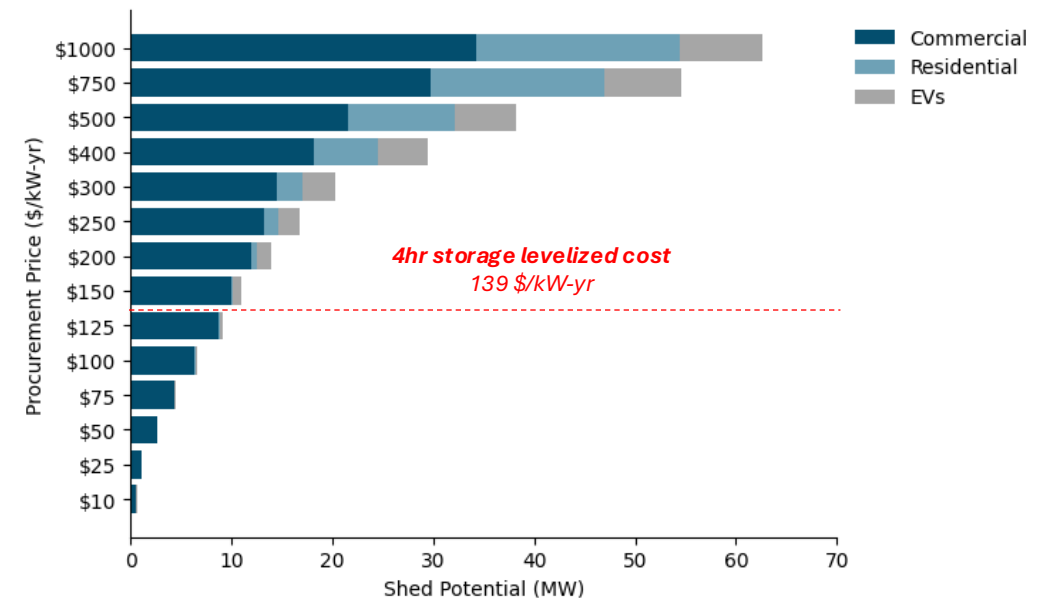
- + Presented shift and shed demand response supply curves.
- + TAP provided feedback that PWP should model high DR and load flexibility scenarios.

Today...

- + Deep dive on managed EV charging and impact on PWP's load forecast.
- + Range of load flexibility sensitivities modeled in the Portfolio Development phase of the OSP.

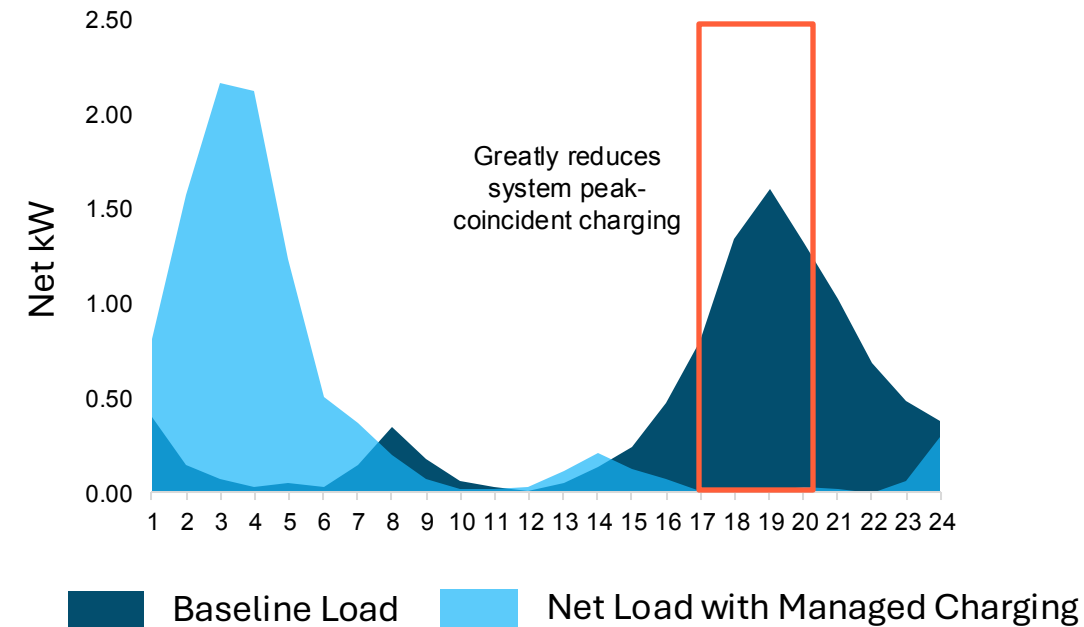
2030: Pasadena Shed DR Potential by Customer Grouping

Procurement Price (\$)



Managed electric vehicle charging overview

- + In addition to Demand Response and BTM Solar/Storage, managed EV Charging is another key demand side resource.
- + Two key goals for managed EV charging include:
 - Supporting the grid and reducing electric system costs for accommodating electrification.
 - Lowering the costs of EV ownership and operation.
- + A range of technologies are needed to enable and scale managed charging.
 - Advanced Metering Infrastructure is foundational.
- + The managed charging resource can be procured through several pathways including:
 - Retail rates
 - Demand response programs
 - Customer education programs
 - Virtual Power Plants / 3rd party aggregated demand management providers



- + Retail rates are the most readily available pathway for enabling managed charging and a large portion of the resource can be accessed via this pathway.

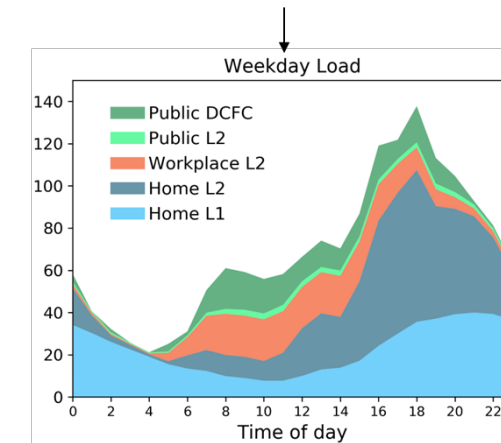
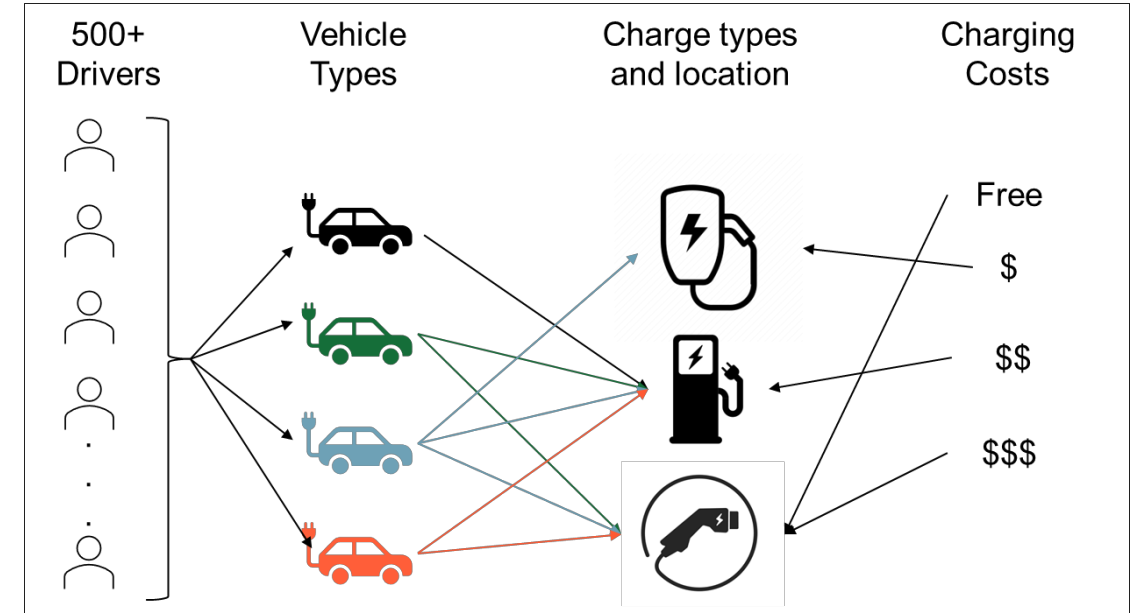
EV charging load shape modeling

E3's RESHAPE-EV model

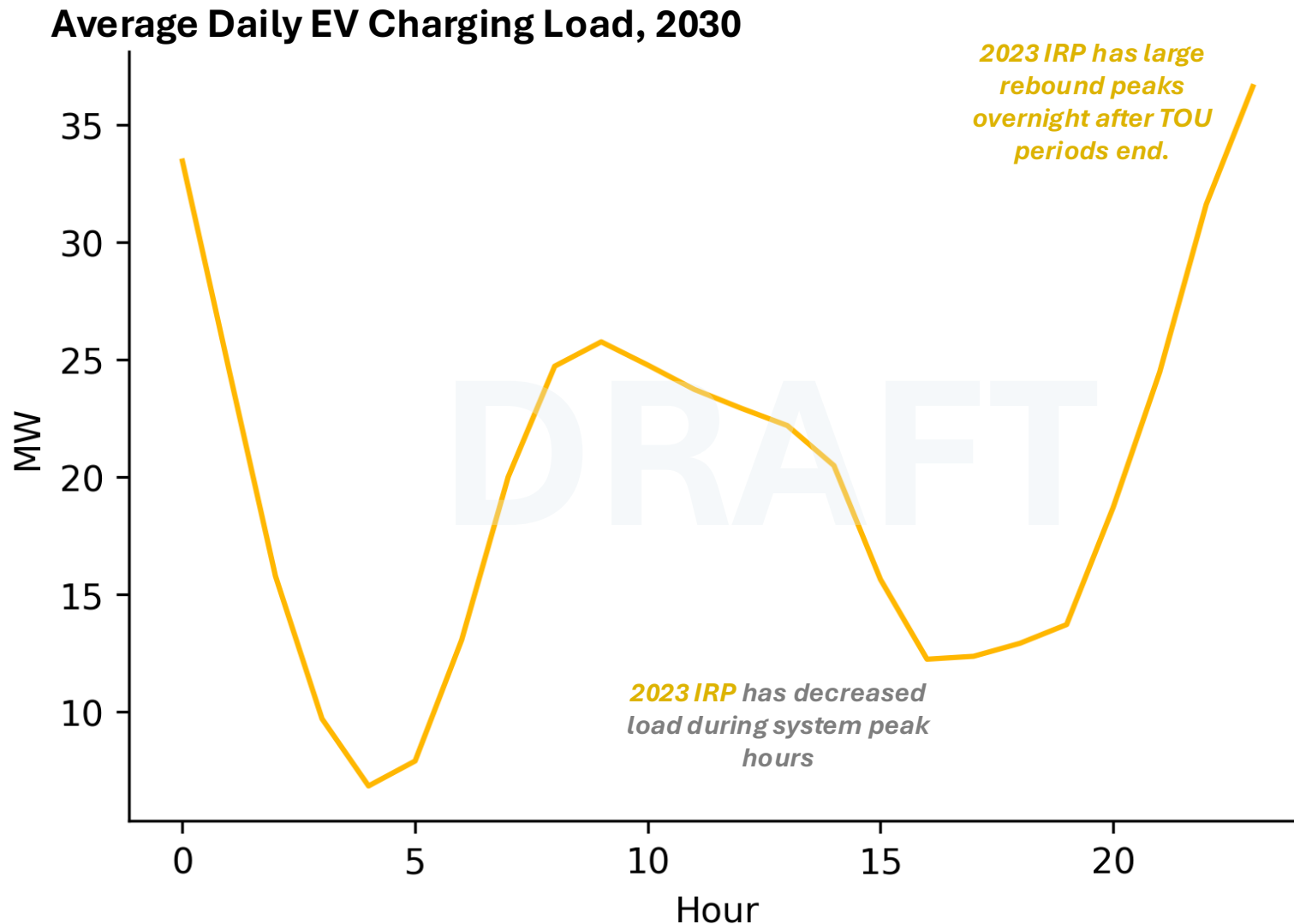
E3's RESHAPE-EV model generates diversified EV charging load shapes considering the driving pattern of thousands of drivers and characteristics of the driver population including charger access, vehicle types, and cost to charge vehicles in various locations.

E3's **RESHAPE-EV model** can be leveraged to model custom scenarios of EV charging load shapes:

- + Base or **unmanaged** charging load shapes are created based on drivers' travel needs and access to different charger types.
- + **Managed** charging load shapes are then developed by optimizing load in response to price signals, such as time-of-use rates, wholesale market prices, or utilities' avoided costs.
- + Managed charging can be **passive**, in response to time varying rates, or **active** with participation in demand response programs.



Transportation electrification load shapes



- + **2023 IRP** is derived from the California Energy Commission's 2022 Integrated Energy Policy Report Update (IEPR). IEPR load shapes generally assume **75-85%** of customers are price responsive.

Managed charging uptake with opt-in time-of-use

Opt-in TOU participation rates are low. Managed charging behavior amongst customer enrolled in TOU rates is high.

% of residential customers enrolled in a TOU rate

1.7% ([Utility Dive, 2019](#))

3% ([Brattle, 2019](#))

5% ([American Public Power Association, 2019](#))

Average = **3%**

% of customers managing charging on a TOU rate

50% ([Uplight, 2024](#))

68% ([National Bureau of Economic Research, 2024](#))

72% ([Enel X Way, 2020](#))

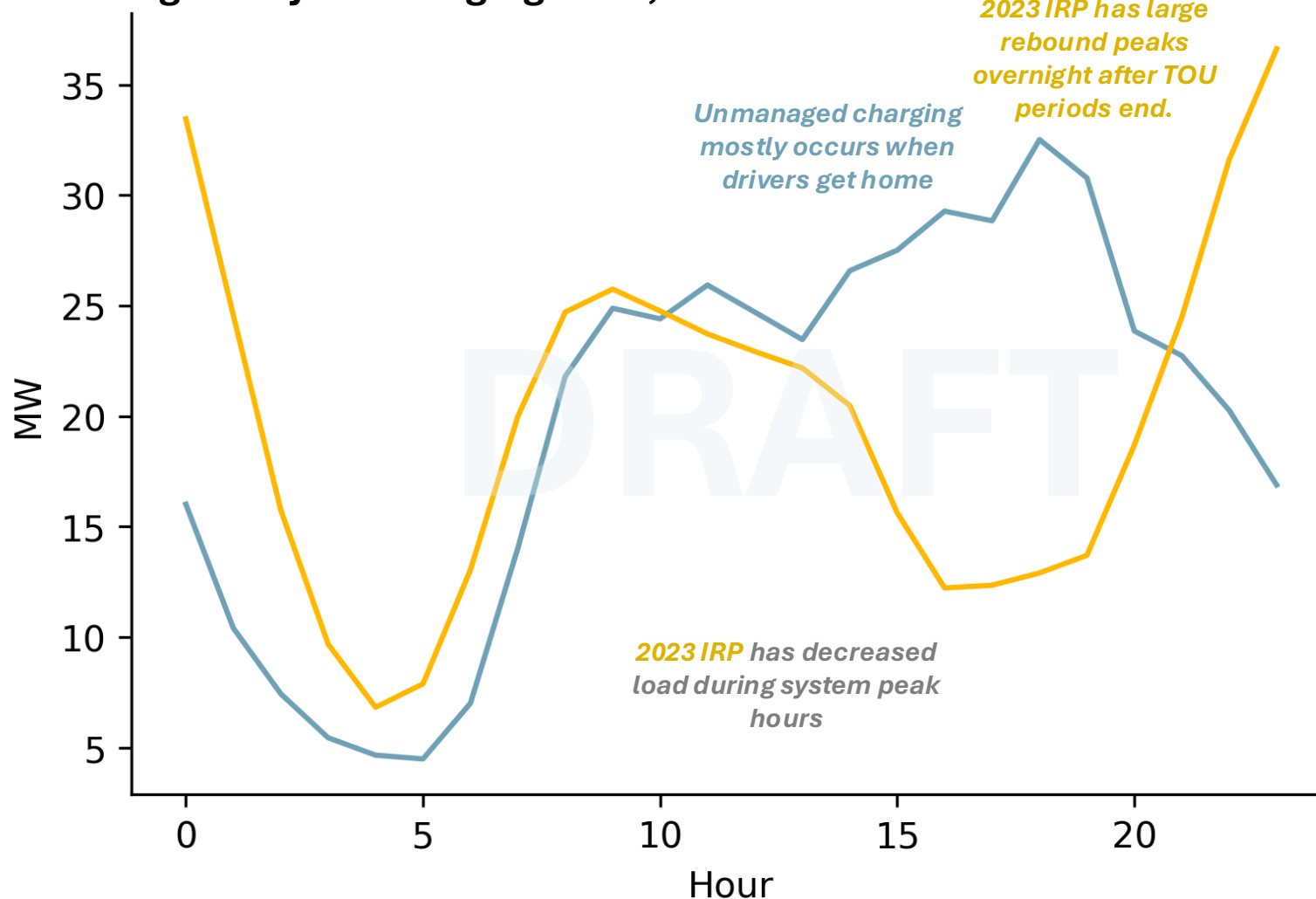
80% (E3 assumption used in various projects)

Average = **68%**

*Percentage of all residential customers managing their charging = 3% * 68% = **2%***

Transportation electrification load shapes

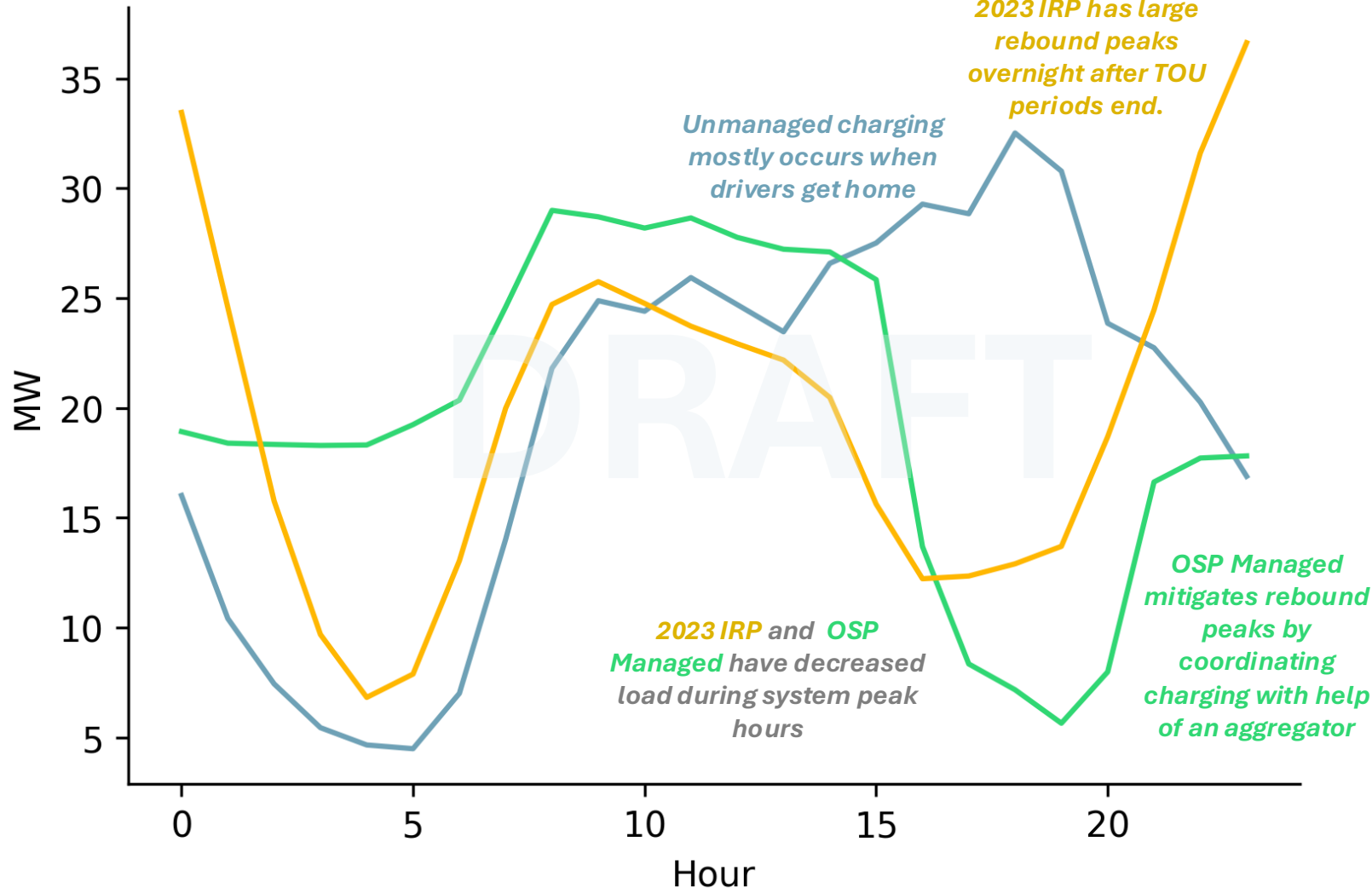
Average Daily EV Charging Load, 2030



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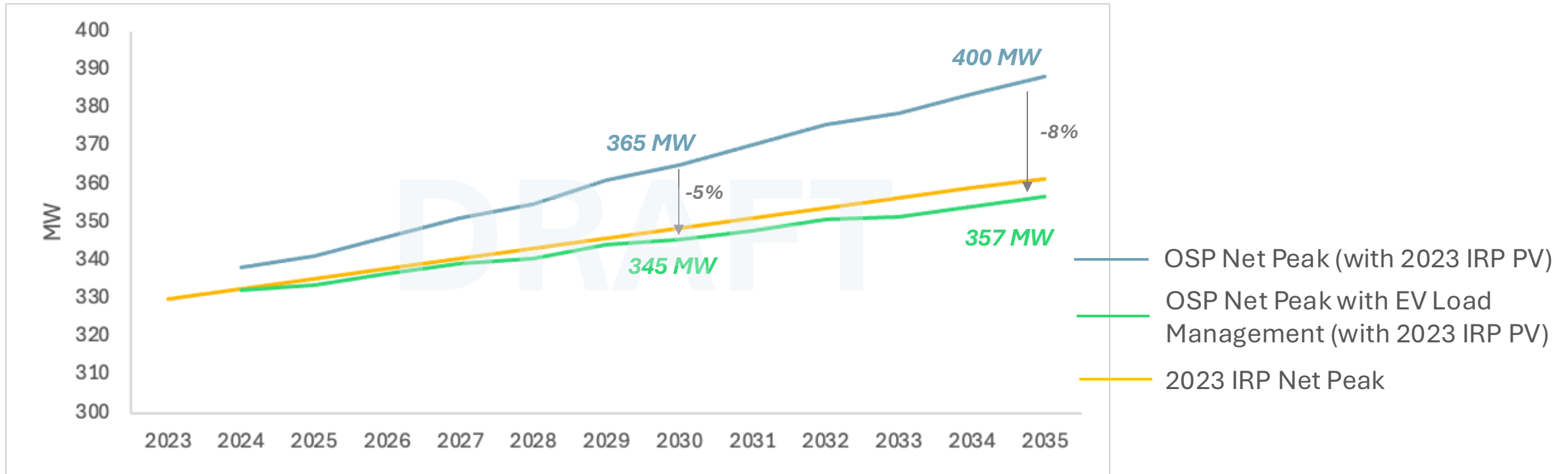
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Transportation electrification load impacts with charging management



- + With highly managed EV charging, where **100%** of drivers respond to time-of-use rates and a **VGI aggregator** coordinates charging, peak load growth from electrification could be significantly mitigated.
 - The 2023 IRP forecast relied upon IEPR which assumed **75-85%** of drives of responsive to time-of-use rates.
- + Without managed charging, system peak load could be much higher than the scenario with managed charging.
- + Additional uncertainties in load growth not modeled include **new large customers** (e.g. data centers).

Demand Response and Load Flexibility Sensitivities in the OSP, 2031

Unmanaged

Load forecast: OSP Forecast

Demand response:

Shed: 0 MW

Shift: 0 MW

Managed EV + DR

Load forecast: OSP Managed
(~20 MW)

Demand response:

Shed: 11 MW

Shift: 4 MW

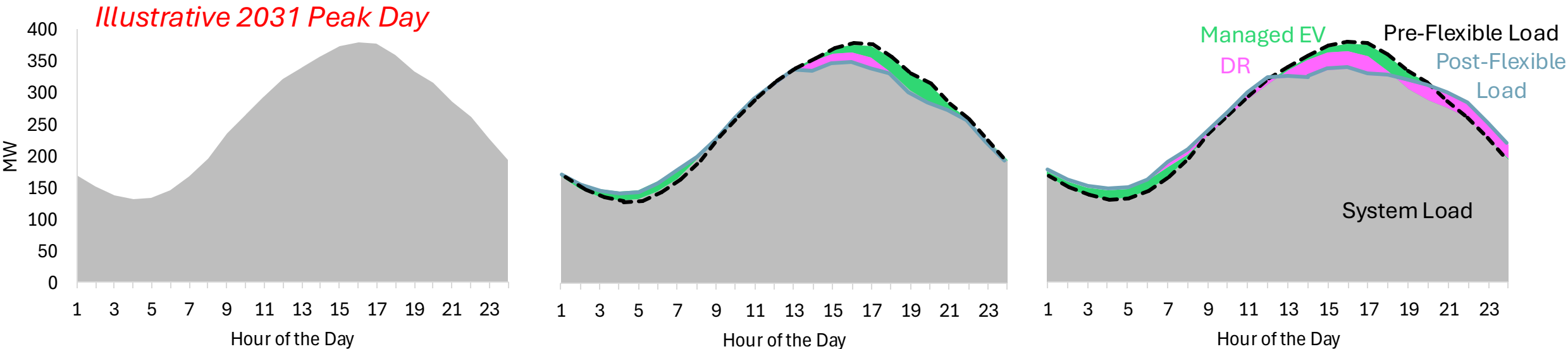
Managed EV + High DR

Load forecast: OSP Managed
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Demand response:

Shed: 38 MW

Shift: 11 MW



Update on Glenarm Conversion & Replacement Analyses



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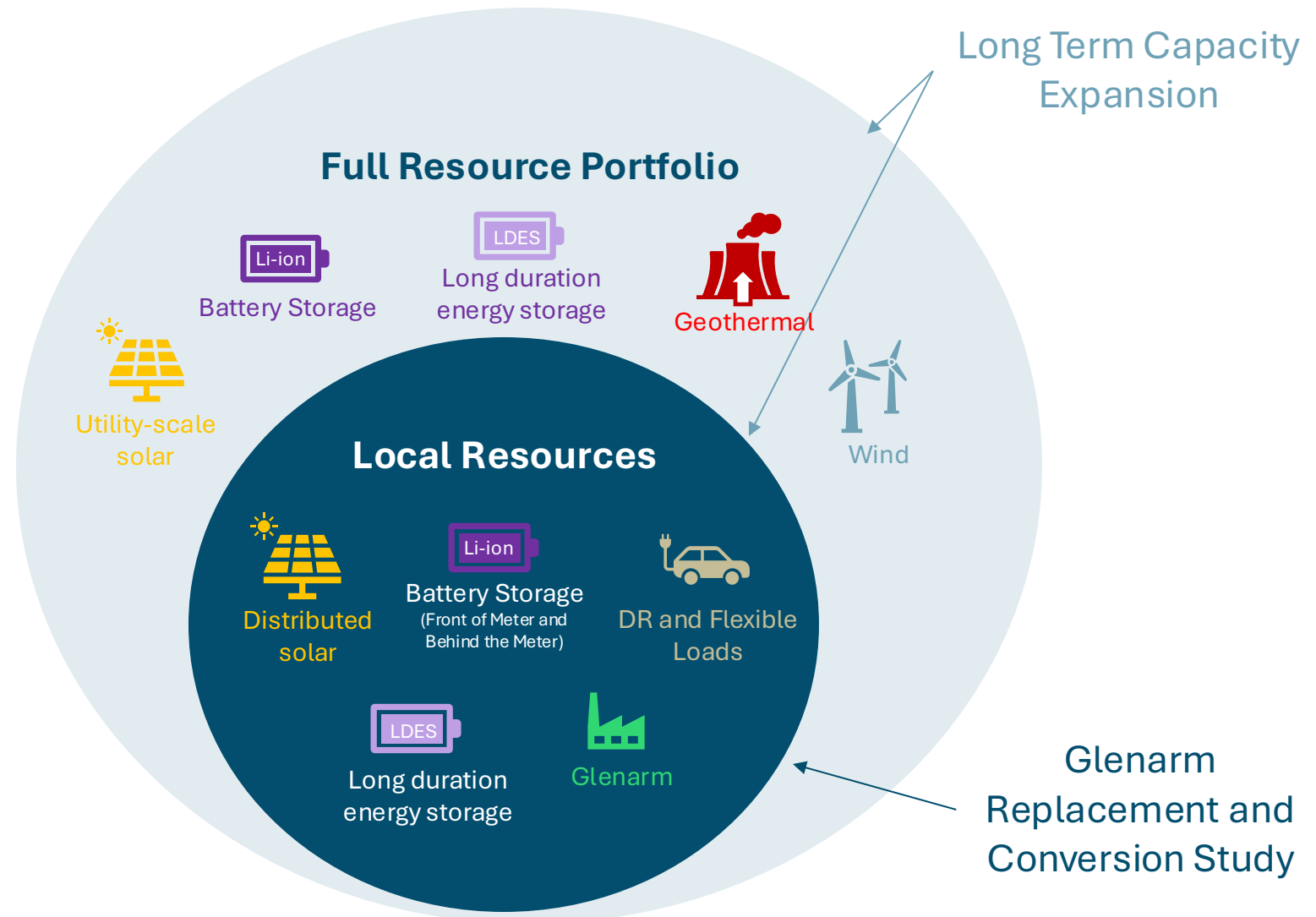
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Scope of Glenarm Conversion & Replacement Study

- + Pasadena's Glenarm Power Plant is a 200 MW peaking facility comprising five units fueled by natural gas**
- + While operations of Glenarm are limited (<5% annual capacity factor), the power plant plays a crucial role in maintaining local reliability**
- + Achieving PWP's goals of carbon-free supply requires a long-term transition plan for Glenarm that either:**
 - 1.** Results in continued operations in a limited fashion using a carbon-free fuel
 - 2.** Provides for the replacement of Glenarm with a portfolio of local resources that results in comparable levels of local reliability

Step	Approach
Development of Replacement Portfolios	Use loss-of-load-probability modeling to identify alternative generation portfolios that yield similar levels of reliability within PWP system
Review of Regulatory Considerations	Review requirements associated with PWP's participation in CAISO market
Options for Hydrogen Conversion	Assess infrastructure investments needed to convert Glenarm to H2, including pilot project and milestones

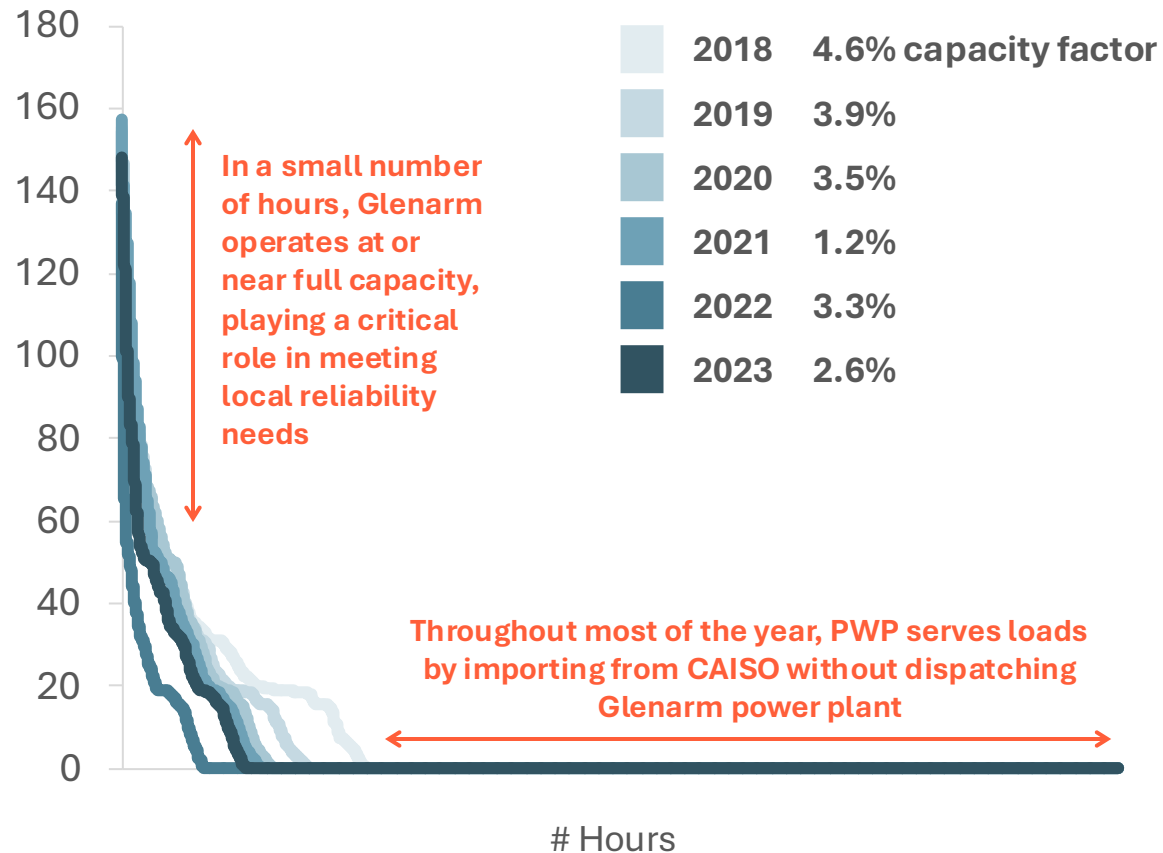
Local System Reliability Analysis



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A Historical Perspective on the Role of Glenarm

Glenarm Hourly Generation (Duration Curves)
(MW)



+ Historical operational patterns of Glenarm Power Plant consistent with a resource whose primary purpose is supporting reliability:

- Low capacity factor, frequently not operated
- Dispatched up to full capacity in a select number of hours per year

+ Conditions that currently require operations of Glenarm:

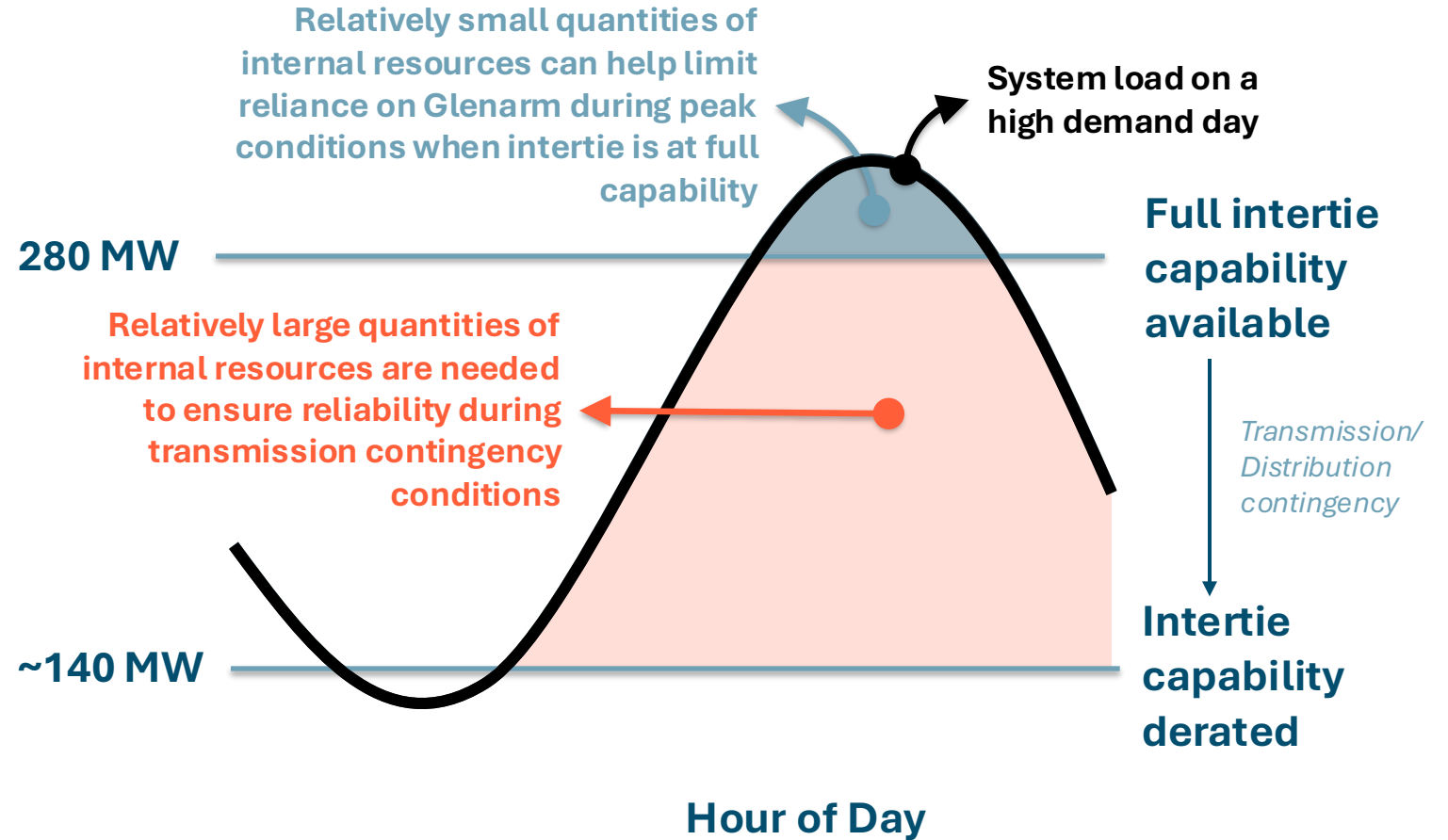
- Peak demand conditions (above import capability)
- Transmission/distribution contingencies
- High wholesale electricity prices in California Independent System Operator (CAISO)
- CAISO resource deficiencies

A long-term reliability solution will require local resources that can operate reliably under very specific circumstances

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Storage

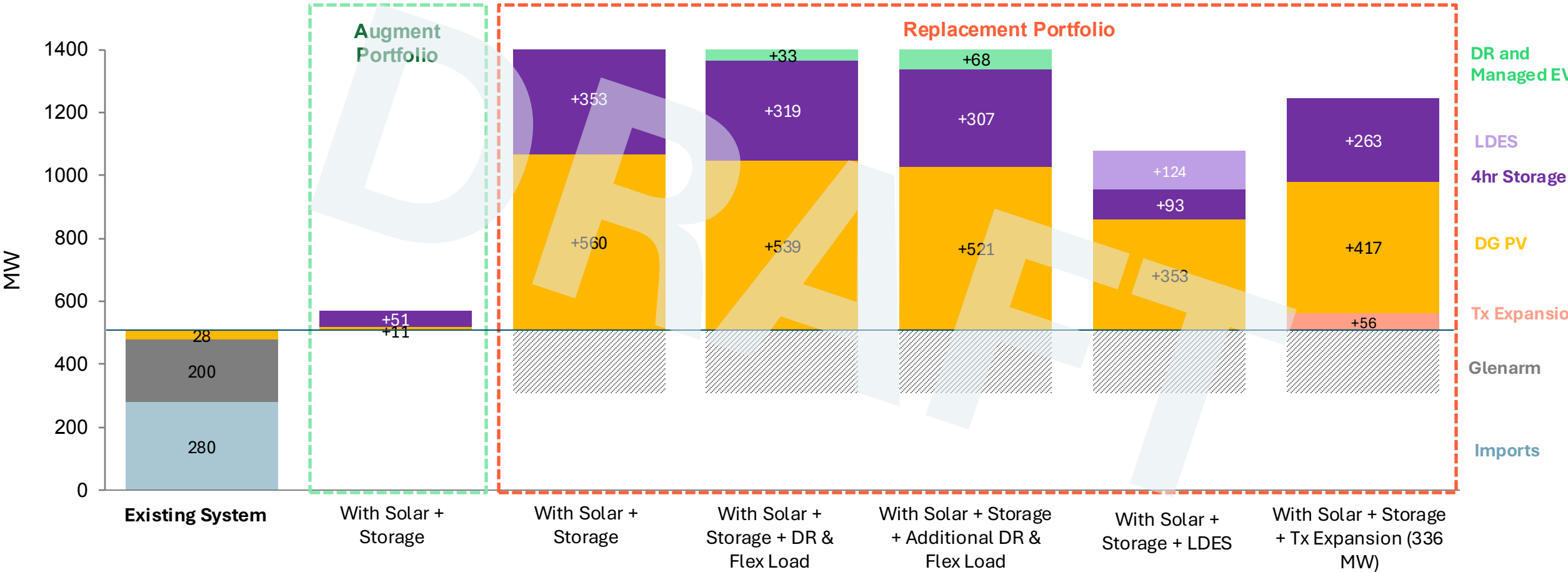
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Glenarm Supplement and Replacement Portfolios, Incremental Nameplate MW

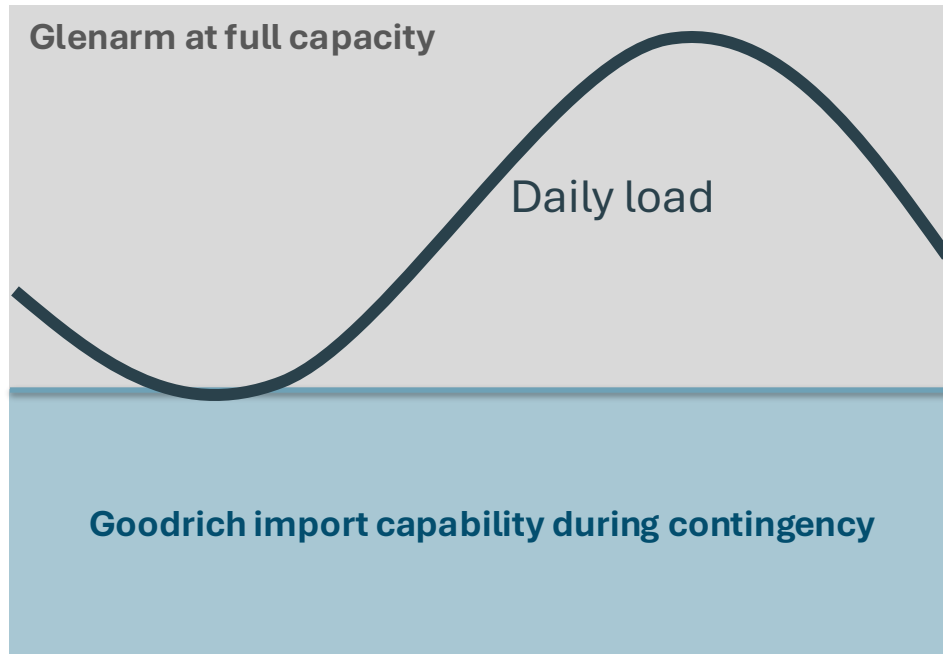


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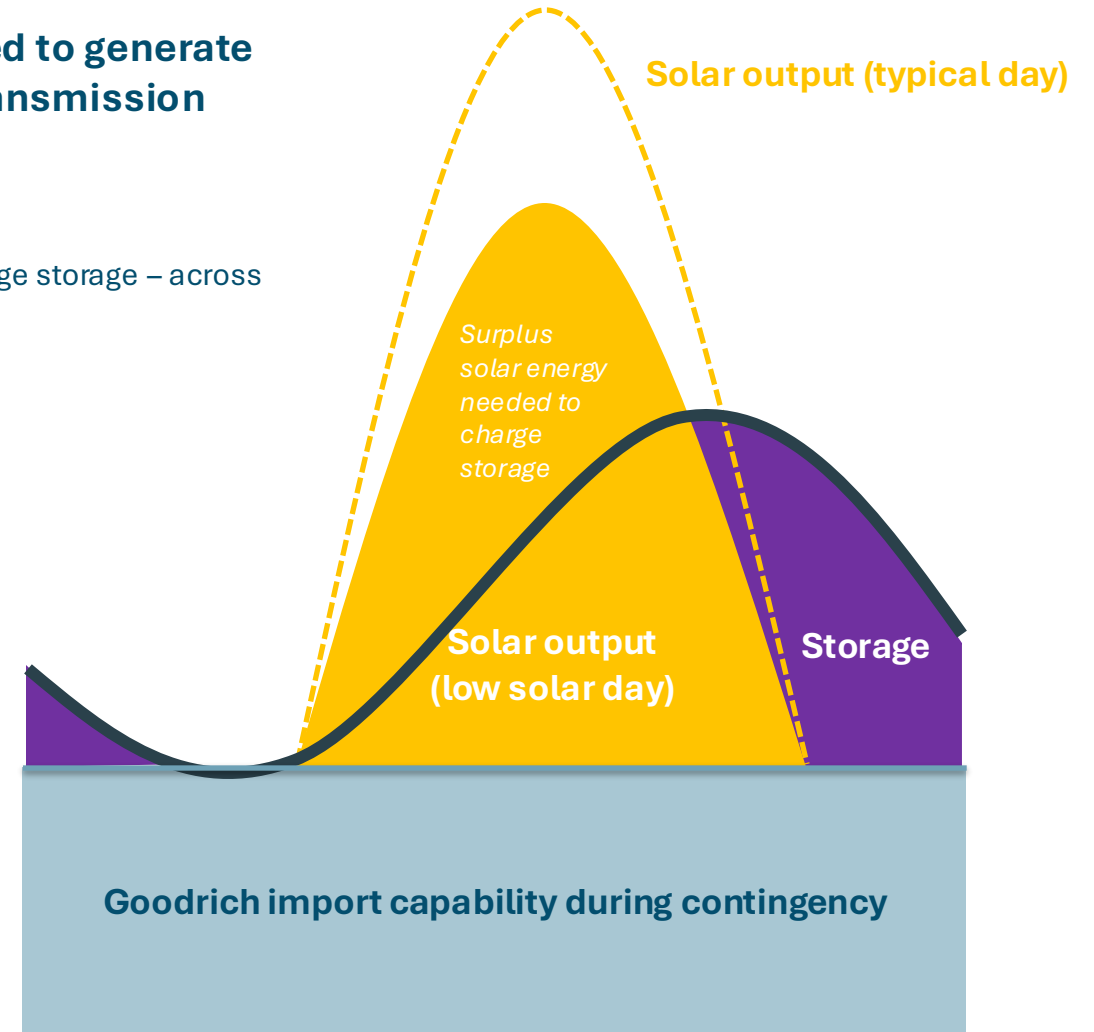
Visualizing Resource Needs for Internal Reliability

+ Large sizing of solar in replacement portfolios driven by need to generate energy within Pasadena across sustained periods during transmission contingency conditions

- Limited imports are insufficient to recharge internal storage resources
- Solar must be sized to serve daytime load (above import capability) and recharge storage – across a wide range of weather conditions



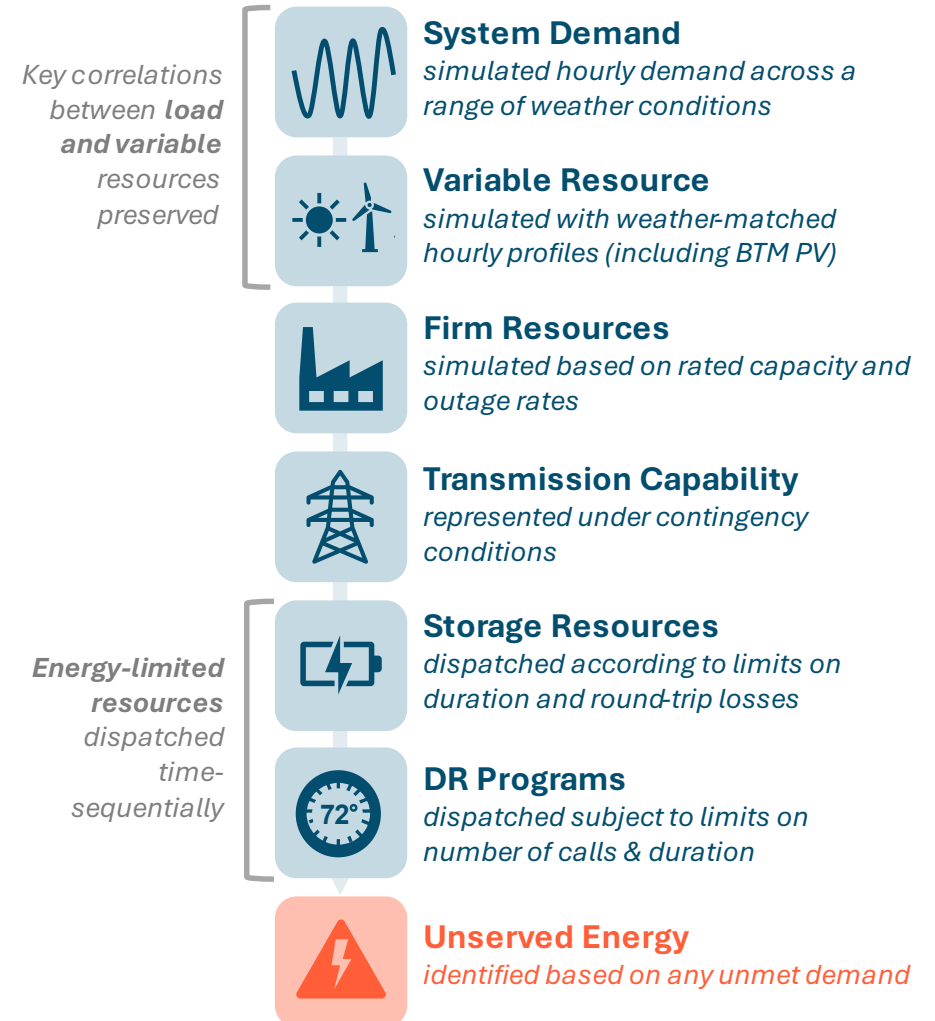
System with Glenarm in Service



System with Replacement Portfolio

RECAP: E3's Renewable Energy Capacity Planning model

- + **RECAP is a loss-of-load-probability model that uses a time-sequential simulation approach to assess the availability of supply to meet system needs on an hour-to-hour basis**
 - Simulation approach designed to focus on challenges resulting from increasing penetrations of variable & energy-limited resources
- + **Each simulation analyzes conditions across hundreds or thousands of possible years using a Monte Carlo approach to capture year-to-year variations in:**
 - Underlying weather, load, wind & solar profiles
 - Power plant outage patterns
 - Energy-limited resource dispatch
- + **Primary results include an array of indicators of system resource adequacy, including statistics of loss of load frequency, duration, and magnitude**



Process for Developing Alternative “Replacement” Portfolios

Evaluate local reliability of current PWP system (2024)

Calculate reliability metrics to establish reliability baseline

Include simulations of hourly load & outages at Glenarm consistent with historical levels

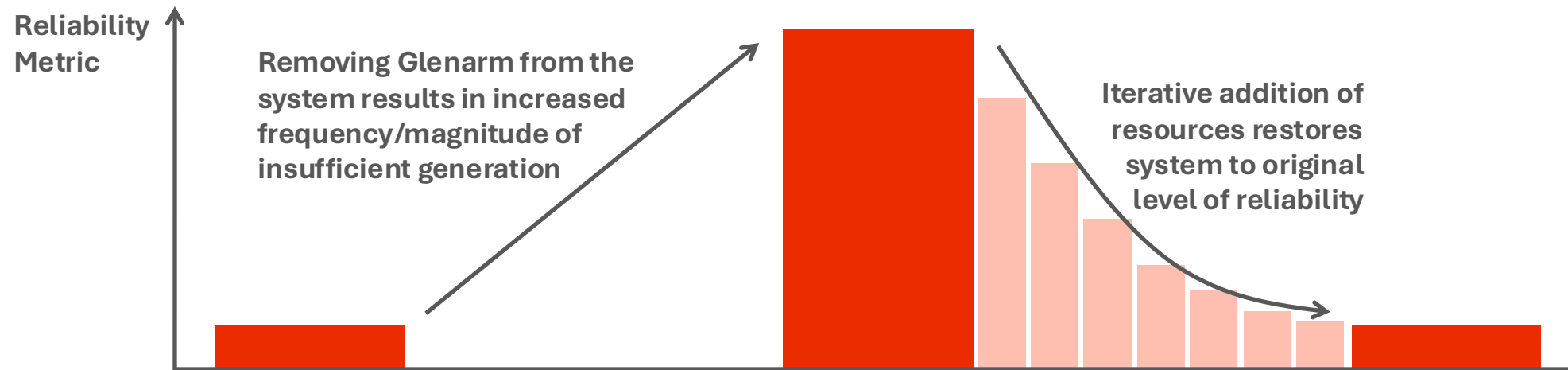
Remove Glenarm and rerun LOLP simulations in 2031

Frequency and magnitude of unserved energy events increases, particularly during peak periods and outages at Goodrich

Add portfolios of new resources to restore original level of reliability

Add solar, storage, flexible load resources, as well as EV load management until reliability is restored

Maintain same sampling of load and outage conditions as Step 1



Snapshot Simulated Weeks during TMG Outage

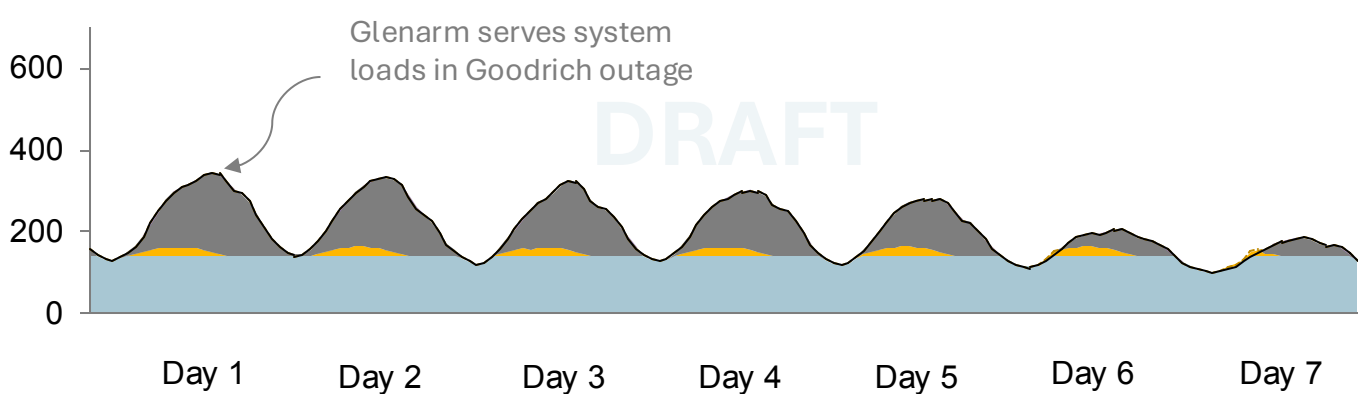
The 2024 PWP system is simulated with reduced intertie capacity across 500 years of conditions. Across this sample:

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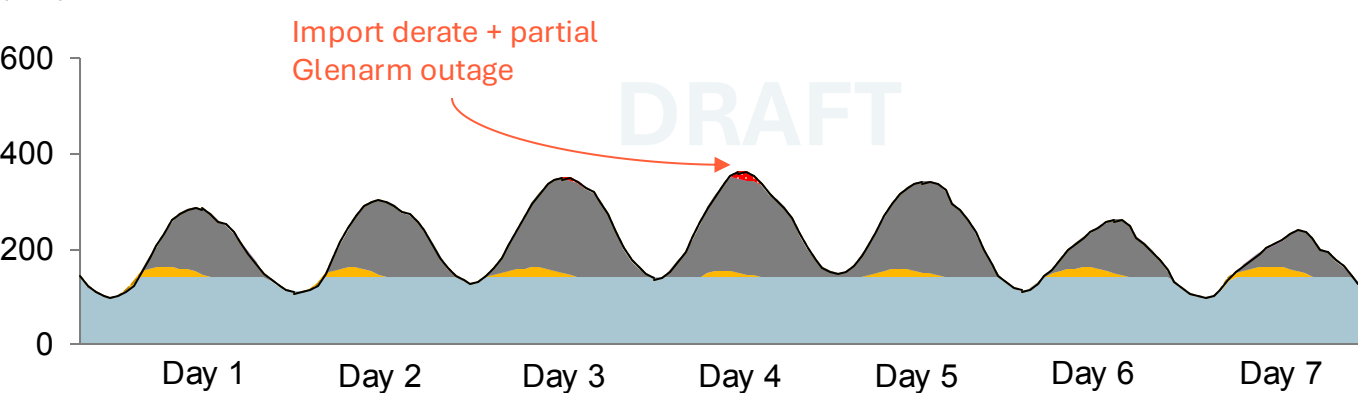
441 Total amount of load shed (MWh) across reliability events that occur during Goodrich outages

Reliability events are most likely to occur on the days of highest peak demand when at least one unit at Glenarm experiences an outage

2024 Example week
(MW)



2024 Example “stress week”
(MW)



Loss of Load Glenarm CAISO Imports DG PV 4hr Storage Gross Load

Additional Internal Resource Needs to Maintain Reliability with Glenarm

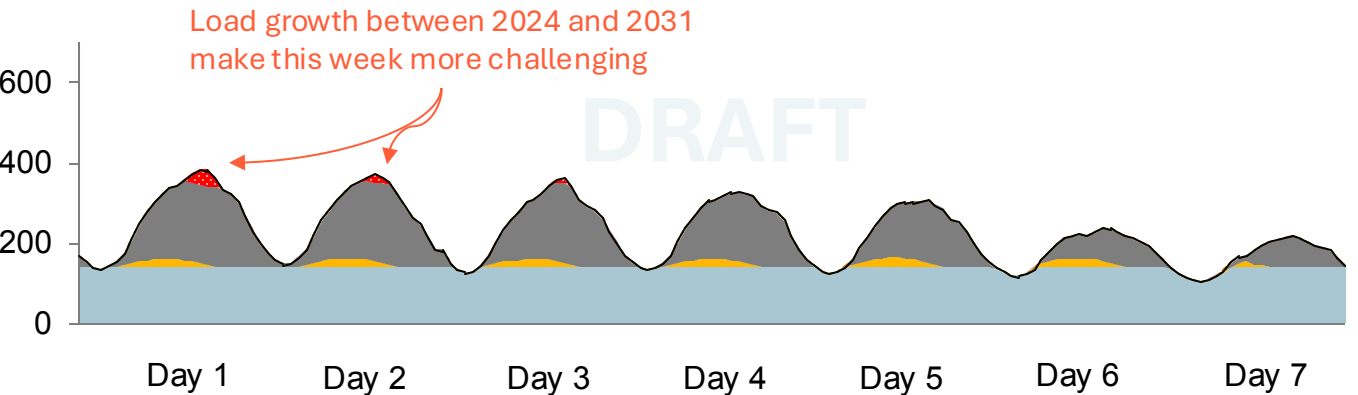
The 2031 PWP system is simulated across the same 500 years of conditions *with Glenarm present*.
Across this sample:

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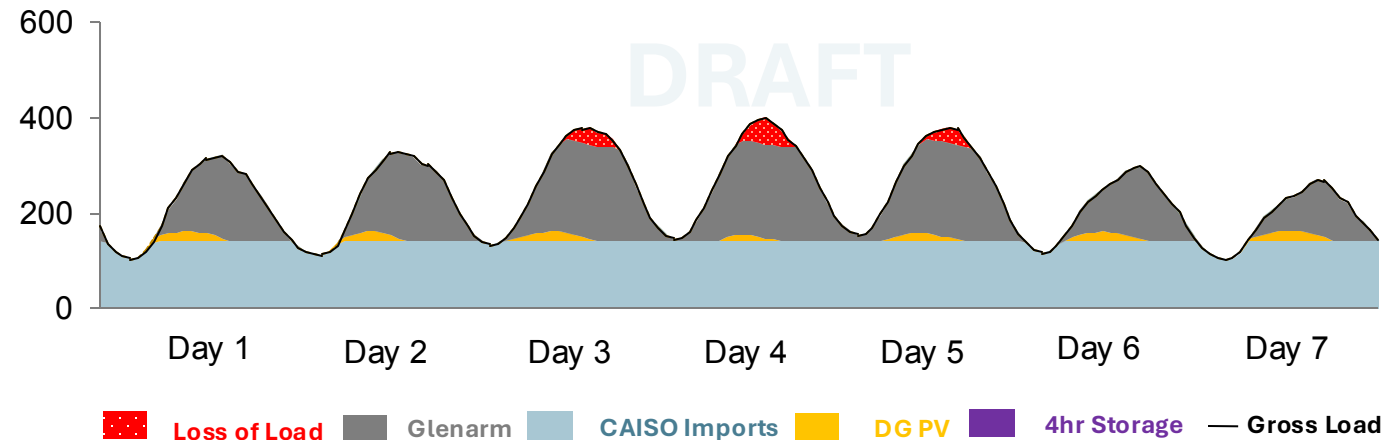
Number of days per year on which a reduction in import availability at Goodrich would put the system at risk of loss of load without internal generation resources (a 3x relative to the 2024 baseline)
- 1,777

Total amount of load shed (MWh) across reliability events that occur during Goodrich outages (4x to 2024 baseline)
- With forecasted load growth, additional internal resource are need to meet loads on summer days even when Glenarm is in service

2031 Example week with Glenarm
(MW)



2031 Example “stress week” with Glenarm
(MW)



Same Snapshot Weeks show Large Needs during TMG Outage

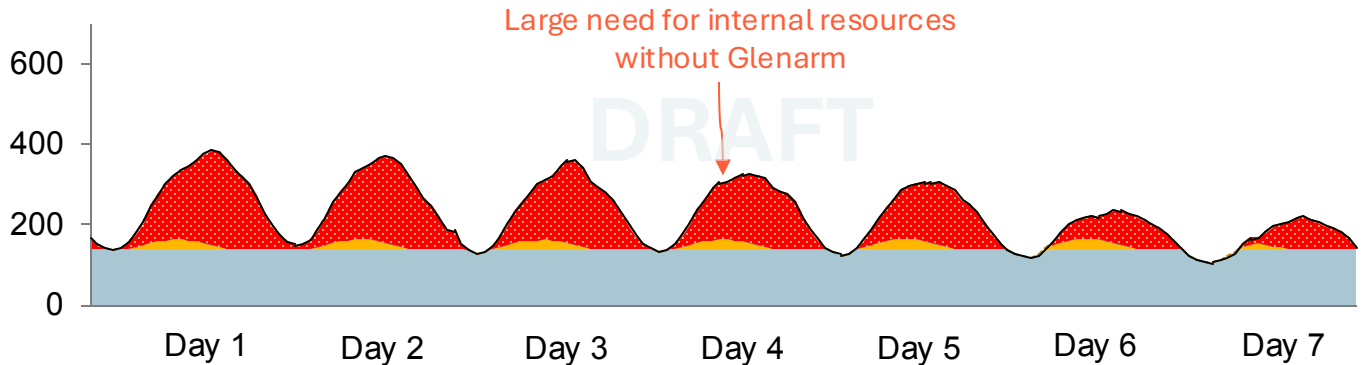
The 2031 PWP system is simulated across the same 500 years of conditions *without Glenarm present*.
Across this sample:

365 Number of days per year on which a reduction in import availability at Goodrich would put the system at risk of loss of load without internal generation resources (a 68x increase relative to the 2024 baseline)

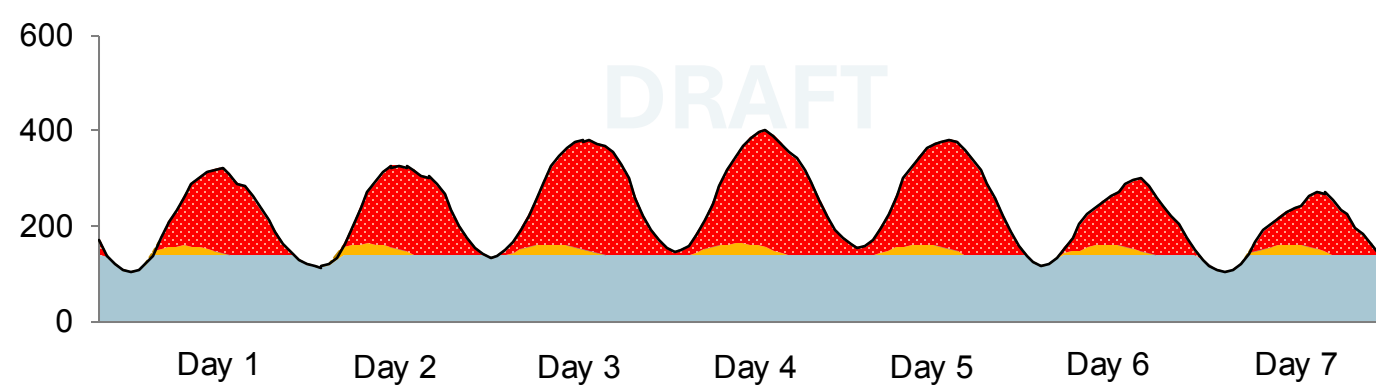
228,712 Total amount of load shed (MWh) across reliability events that occur during Goodrich outages (a 519x increase relative to the 2024 baseline)

Without internal resources, PWP would be unable to meet loads on most days in the event of an outage at Goodrich

2031 Example week without Glenarm
(MW)



2031 Example “stress week” without Glenarm
(MW)



Loss of Load Glenarm CAISO Imports DG PV 4hr Storage — Gross Load

Adding Distributed Solar & 4-hr Storage to Restore Reliability

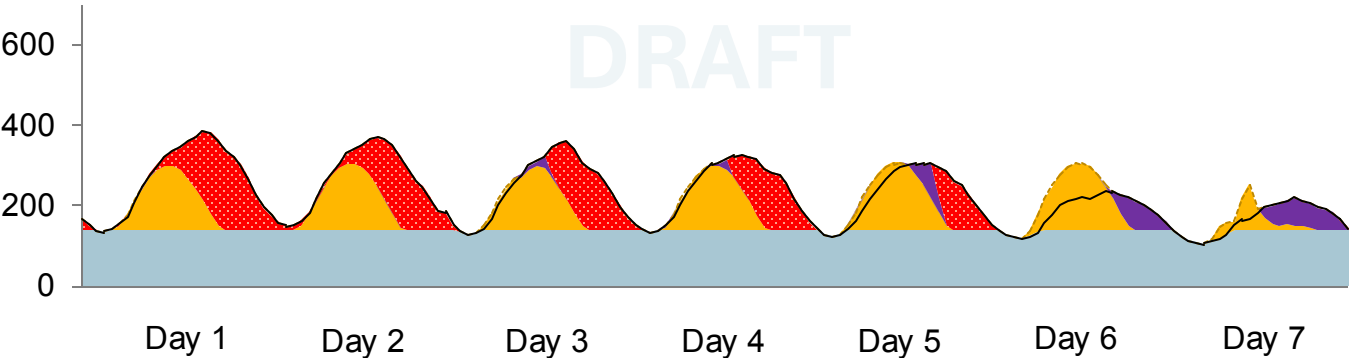
Adding 170 MW local solar & 160 MW local storage to the system without Glenarm improves reliability – but significant risks remain:

66 Number of days per year on which a reduction in import availability at Goodrich would put the system at risk of loss of load (still 11 times higher than the 2024 baseline)

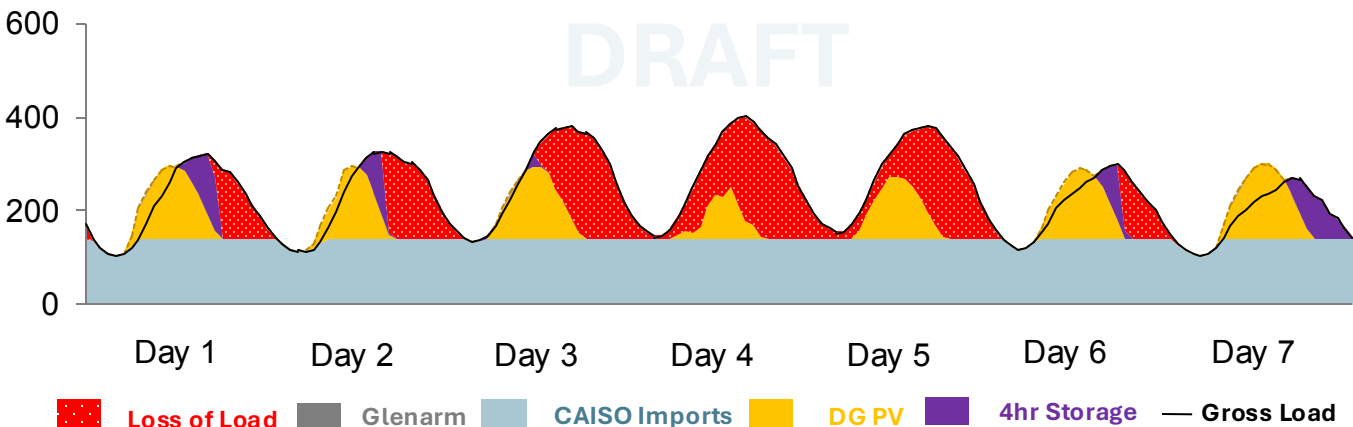
31,970 Total amount of load shed (MWh) across reliability events that occur during Goodrich outages (a 72x increase relative to the 2024 baseline)

System remains at risk of experiencing loss of load if imports are limited during (a) nighttime hours on high load days and (b) across multi-day periods of low solar output

2031 Example week
(MW)



2031 Example “stress week”
(MW)



Adding Distributed Solar & 4-hr Storage to Restore Reliability

Adding 560 MW local solar & 350 MW local storage to the system without Glenarm reduces the magnitude of loss of load risk to 2024 levels:

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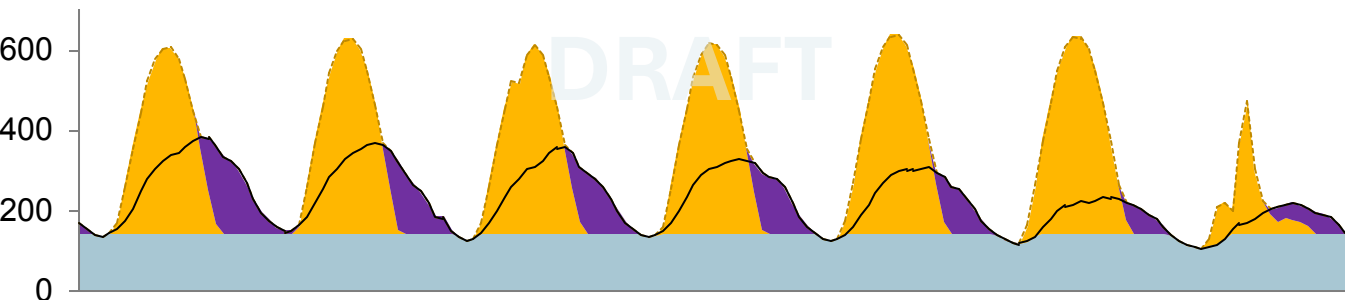
Number of days per year on which a reduction in import availability at Goodrich would put the system at risk of loss of load (less frequent than 2024 baseline)

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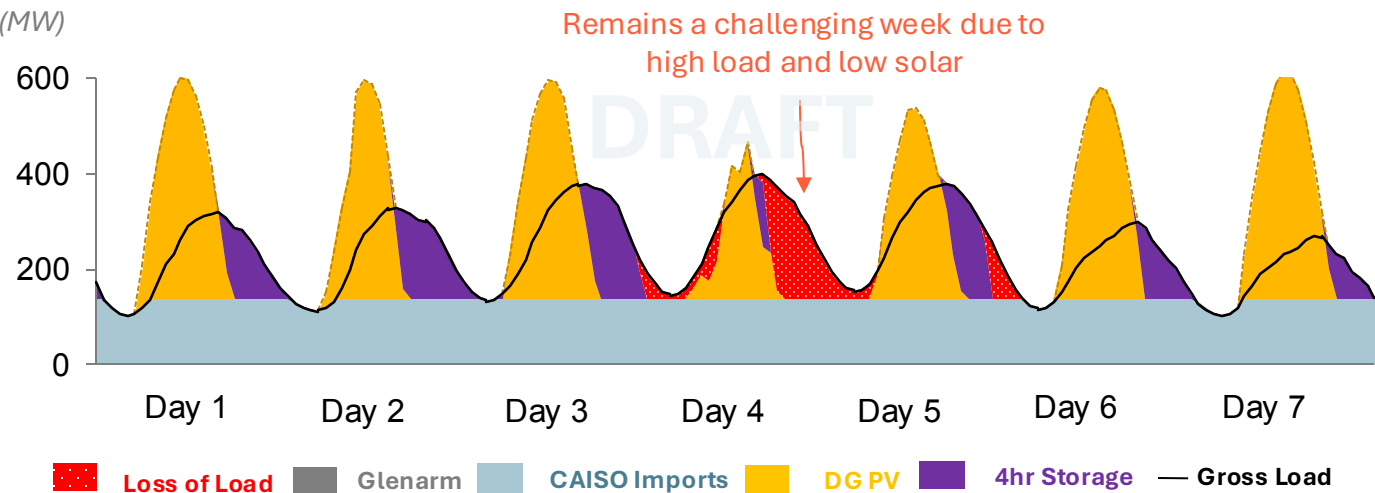
Total amount of load shed (MWh) across reliability events that occur during Goodrich outages (equal to 2024 baseline)

Risks on hot, sunny days are limited; multi-day periods of low solar output pose greatest risk as storage resources are unable to recharge from surplus resources

2031 Example week
(MW)

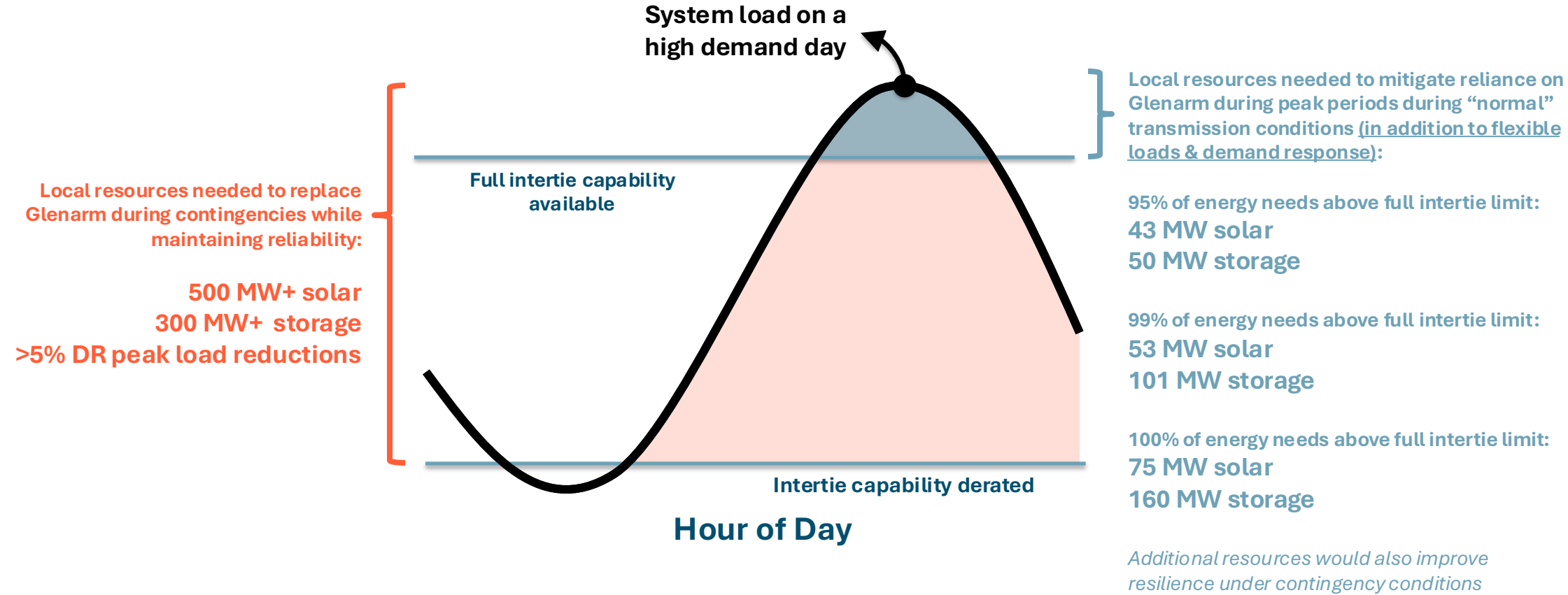


2031 Example “stress week”
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Visualizing Reliability Needs for Internal Generation

+ While large quantities of internal renewables and storage are needed to replace *all* reliability services currently provided by Glenarm, smaller quantities can reduce utilization of Glenarm during peak periods

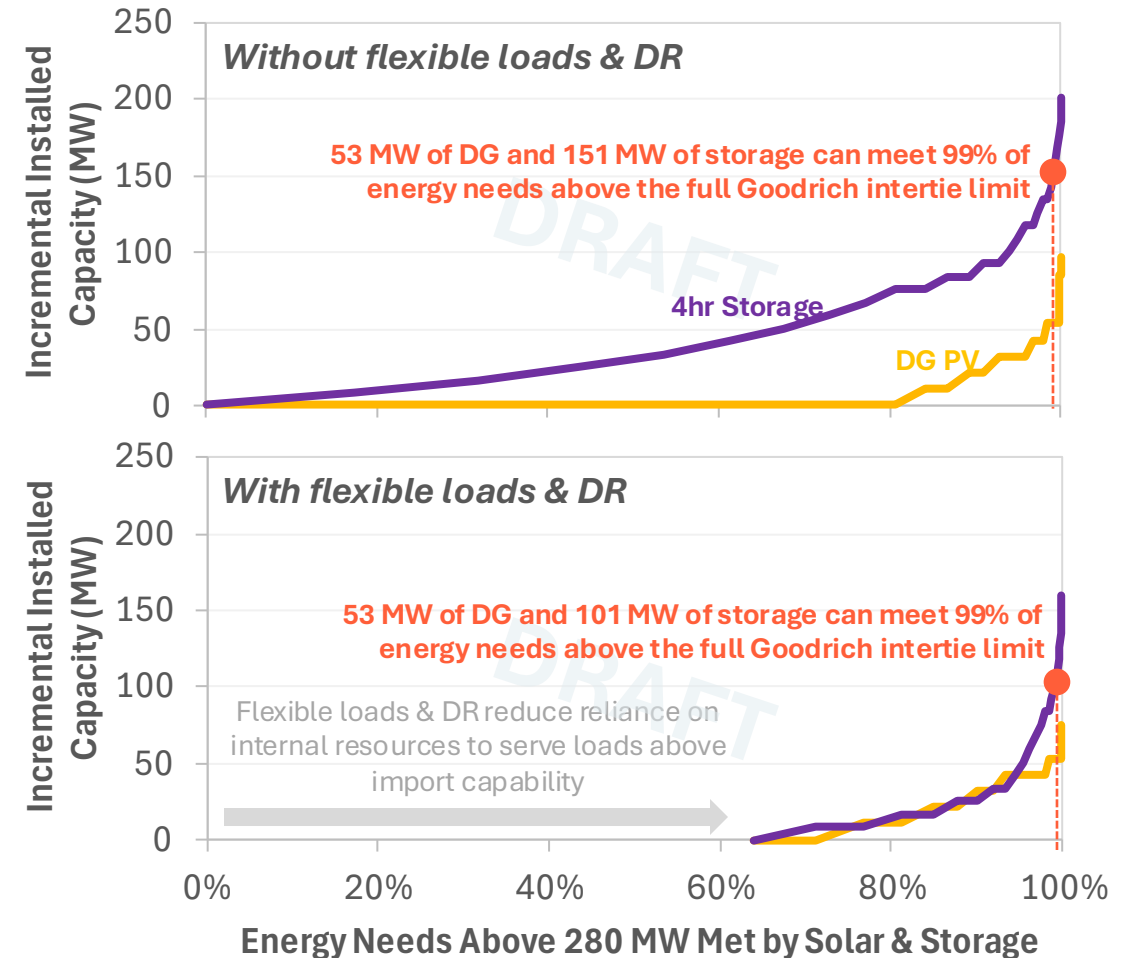


Adding Internal Resources to Mitigate Reliance on Glenarm During Peak Periods

- + Additional internal resources can limit need to rely on Glenarm, reducing its capacity factor and frequency of operations.
- + “Mitigate” portfolios assume retention of Glenarm as a backstop resource predominantly for transmission contingencies – but would not allow for its retirement
 - Glenarm’s role is reduced to ensuring reliability during the most extreme conditions (extreme loads or transmission contingencies)

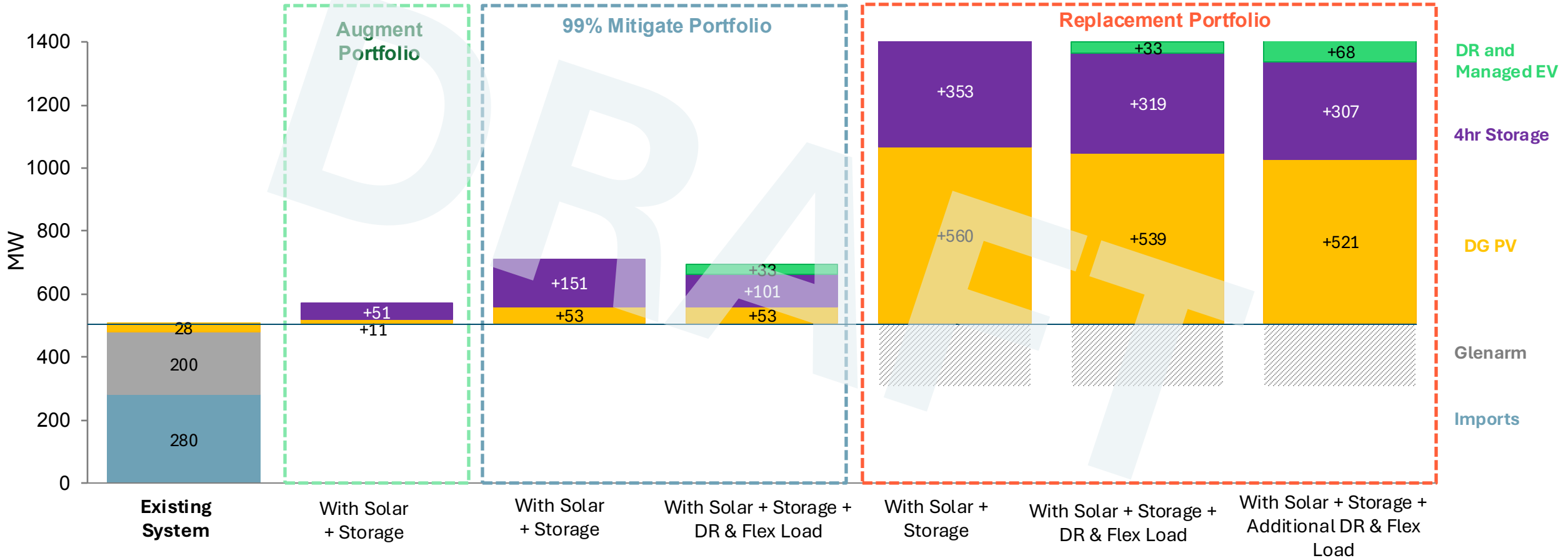
Modeling Framework to Develop “Mitigate” Portfolios:

- Use same Monte Carlo modeling tools used in replacement analysis, capturing a range of weather and peak load conditions
- Assume normal operating conditions (i.e. intertie at 280 MW)
- Add solar, storage, and load flexibility to meet remaining energy needs above 280 MW



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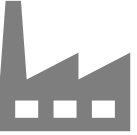


Glenarm Conversion Pathways



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Fuel Options for Glenarm

PWP faces three fuel supply options for Glenarm with different emissions impacts, infrastructure needs, costs, and uncertainties.

	Emissions reductions	Fuel Price Premium	Infrastructure Needs	Uncertainty / Risk
 Fossil Gas	Emissions reductions driven only by decreased operation.			
 Renewable Natural Gas	Up to 100% carbon neutral depending upon production pathway	Larger Premium	No infrastructure upgrades	Moderate
 Hydrogen	Up to 100% carbon-free (with full conversion)	Premium (with tax credits)	Infrastructure upgrades at Glenarm + Infrastructure development outside of PWP control	High

RNG may be an effective short-term substitute for natural gas while longer-term options for replacement or conversion remain uncertain.

Key Questions for Glenarm Hydrogen Conversion

Conversion Pathways

What are the options for **combusting hydrogen** at Glenarm? What are the options for **producing and delivering hydrogen fuel** to Glenarm?

What conversion pathway(s) are most **viable** for Glenarm? What are the **interim steps** to conversion?

Infrastructure Requirements

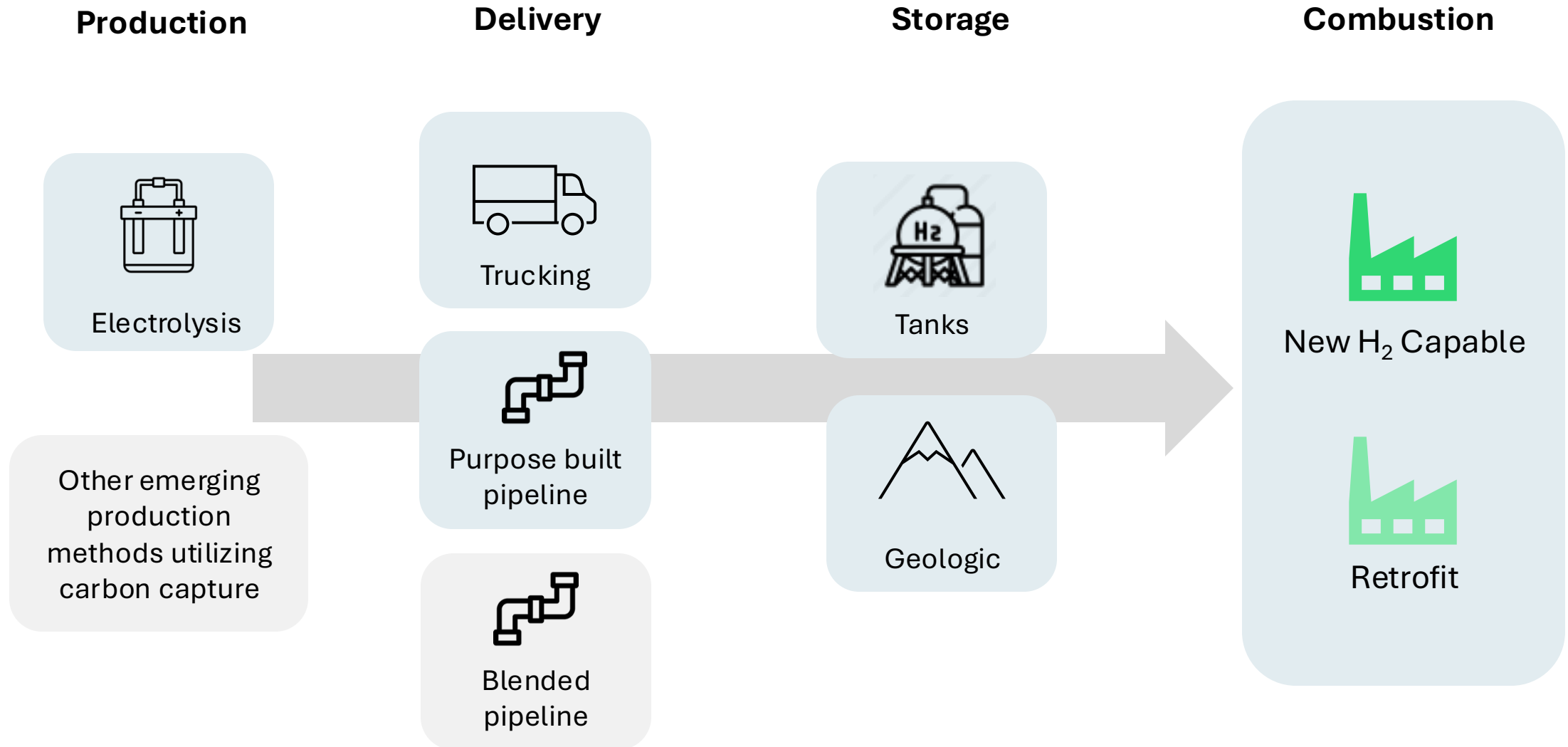
What are the required **infrastructure investments** would **PWP** need to enable hydrogen conversion?

What are the required **infrastructure investments** and **technology developments outside of Pasadena's control** that would be needed to enable conversion?

Costs

For the Cost Impacts study in the OSP, what are the **costs** associated with the most viable conversion pathway(s)?

Green Hydrogen and Production Pathways



Evaluating Options to Supply Hydrogen at Glenarm

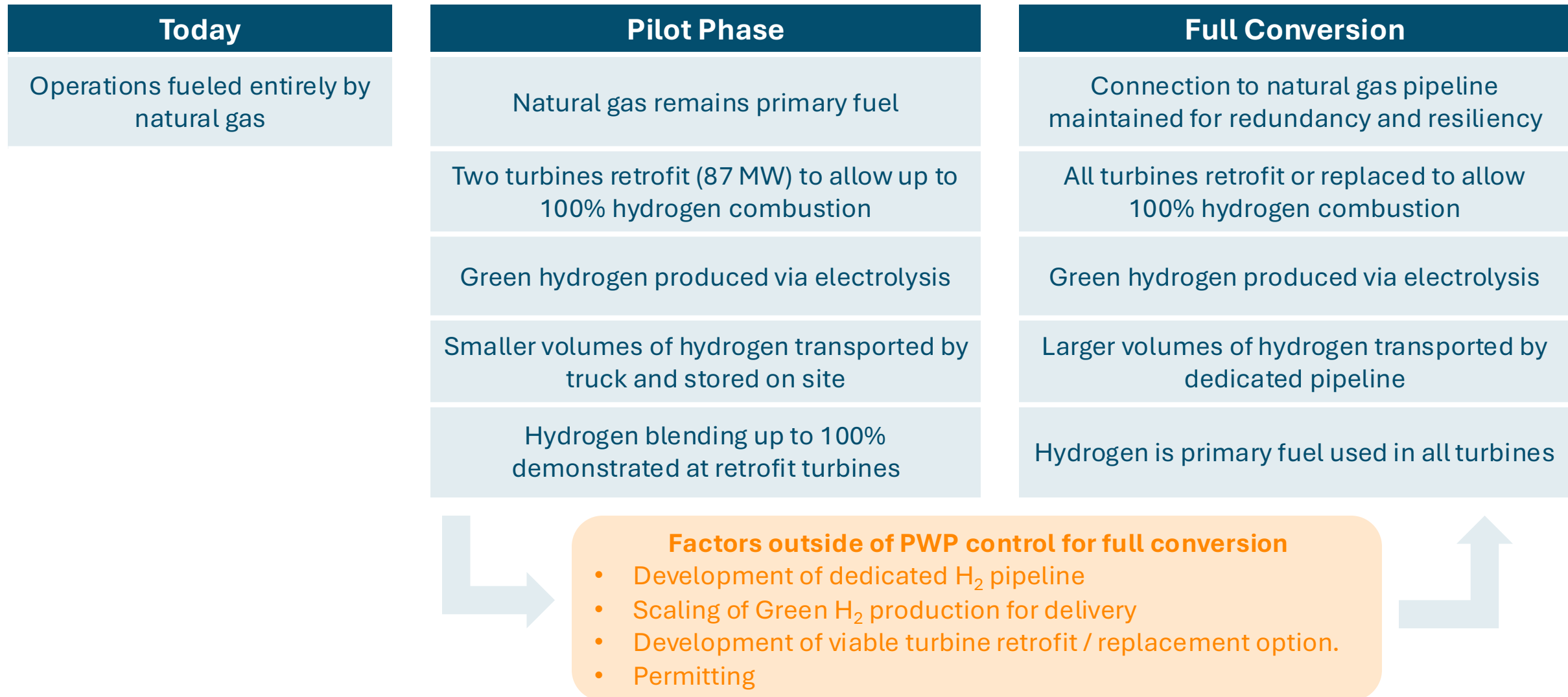
On-site storage of trucked in hydrogen or on-site production of hydrogen at Glenarm are not viable options for 100% conversion due to scale of plant fuel needs

Land use requirements for on-site hydrogen storage or production are prohibitive.

 Delivering hydrogen to Glenarm would require...  H_2 To produce hydrogen on-site...

To store fuel supply for...	1 day	3 days	To generate enough fuel within a summer week for..	1 day	3 days	
Tons of H2 Fuel	375	1,125	MW of electrolyzers	125	375	50-100% of existing system peak load.
Acres for storage	25	75	Acres for electrolyzers	<1	<1	
Truck trips to fill storage tank	375	1,125	MW of solar for electrolysis	300	900	Ground-mount PV potential in Pasadena is ~10 MW.
			Acres for solar for electrolysis	1,650	5,000	
			Acres for storage	25	75	

General Roadmap for Hydrogen Conversion

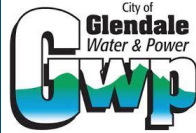


Neighboring Utilities Planning for a Transition to Hydrogen Fuel in 2030s



Los Angeles Department of Water & Power

- + Implementing H₂ conversion at Intermountain Power Plant in Delta, Utah (in partnership with BWP and GWP)
- + Currently pursuing Scattergood modernization project with plans to operate with 30% blending by 2029 and 100% hydrogen by 2035
 - One of two California power plants identified explicitly in ARCHES plan for conversion to hydrogen
- + Strategic Long-Term Resource Plan provides schedule for long-term conversion of remaining peak power plants to hydrogen by 2035



Glendale Water & Power

- + 2024 IRP identifies green hydrogen as “most probable” option for clean firm resource while acknowledging infrastructure challenges
- + Current Preferred Plan includes ~165 MW of hydrogen CTs beginning in 2035-'36
 - From which 35 MW is the share of GWP from hydrogen-repowered Intermountain power plant



Southern California Gas Company

- + The Angeles Link project is proposed to explore development of a dedicated hydrogen pipeline system of 200 to 750 miles to transport clean renewable hydrogen from production sites to various users in central and southern California
- + In December 2022, the CPUC approved SoCalGas to commence Phase 1 feasibility studies and the creation of a memorandum account to record cost

Neighboring electric utilities' plans rely on hydrogen to support local reliability needs, but with a slower transition (mid 2030s) than goals set by Resolution 9977 (2030); the timing of a viable transition to hydrogen at scale will depend upon how quickly supporting infrastructure (including pipelines and storage) in the region can be developed

Angeles Link: Proposed Hydrogen Pipeline

+ In 2022, the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) authorized SoCalGas to start Phase 1 (2022-2024) of the Angeles Link project which included stakeholder engagement activities and feasibility studies.

- PWP and Southern California Public Power Authority have been engaging with SoCalGas on project development.

+ The Phase 1 routing/configuration identified several potential routes considering:

- Utilization of existing right-of-ways
- Areas of hydrogen production and offtake.
- Land use limitations, environmental considerations, disadvantaged communities

+ Phase 2 (est. 2025-2026) will identify a preferred route and conduct refined design, engineering, and environmental studies.

+ Phase 3 (est. 2025-2029) will involve final refinements to the design, permitting, and regulatory applications.

Figure 1 Conceptual Pipeline Corridors Under Evaluation



Insights & Initial Learnings from Glenarm Replacement and Conversion Study.

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- 2. Replacing Glenarm with a combination of internal renewables, storage, and demand-side resources requires new internal generation resources at a significant scale that approaches technical potential.**
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 - Demand-side resources, emerging longer-duration storage technologies and incremental transmission upgrades can reduce scale of resource needs. None offer a “silver bullet” solution to the challenge of replacing firm generation.
 - A larger transmission upgrade, potentially constructed in the 2030s, could reduce the challenge of replacing Glenarm.
 - Consistent with broader literature and experience in the industry showing that meeting reliability needs without “firm” resources (short-term resources that can be dispatched on demand for as long as needed) is prohibitively challenging.
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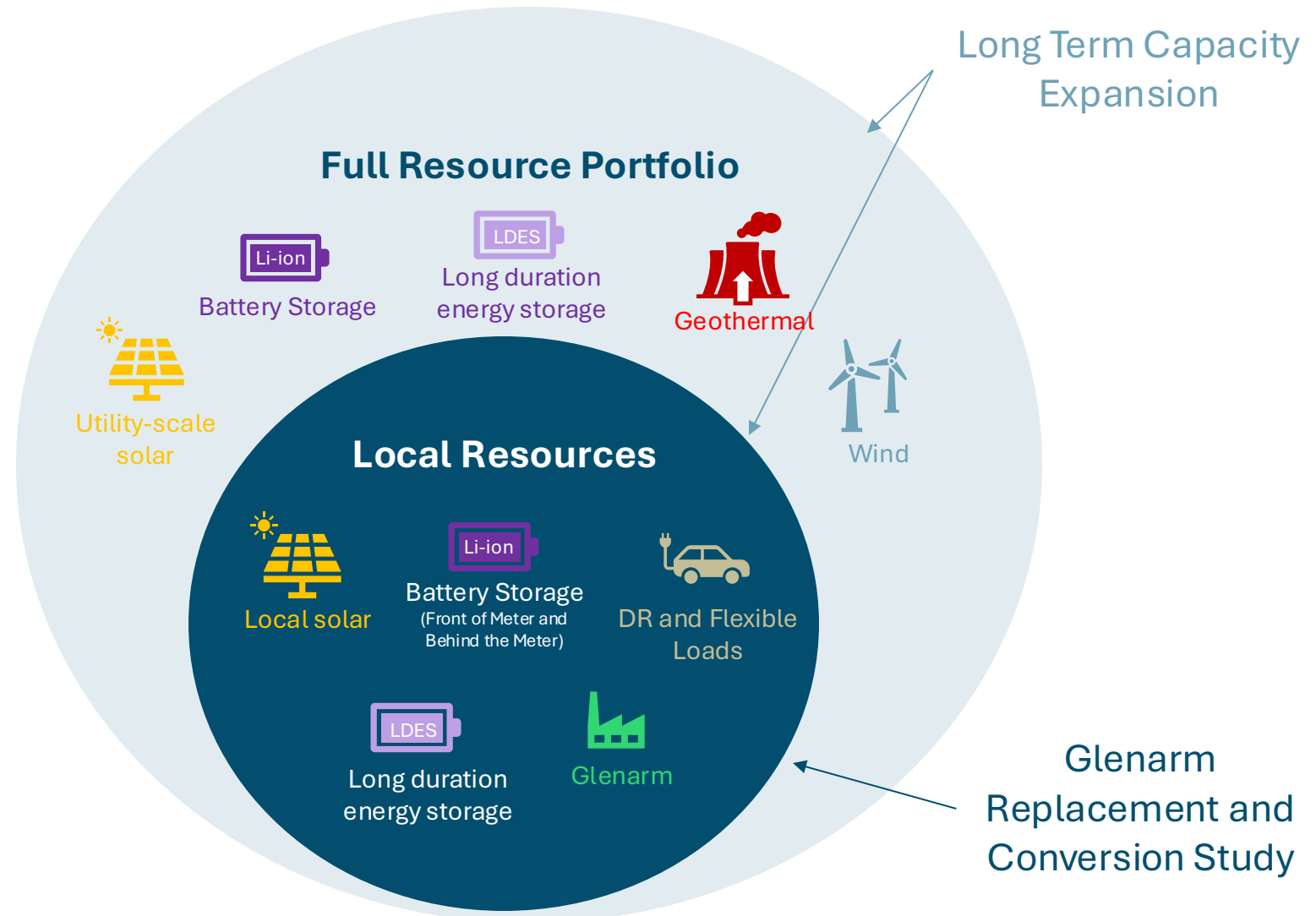
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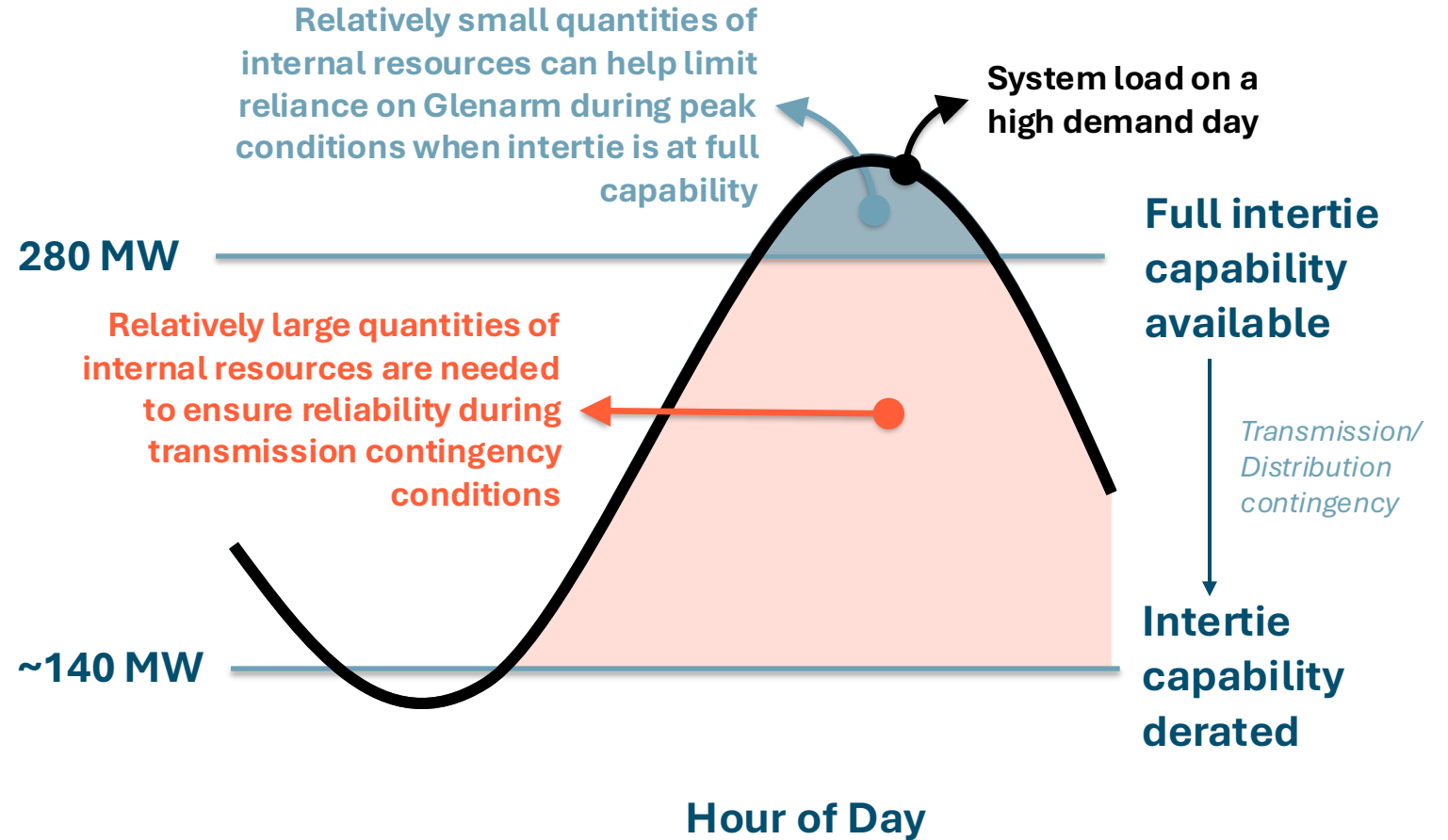


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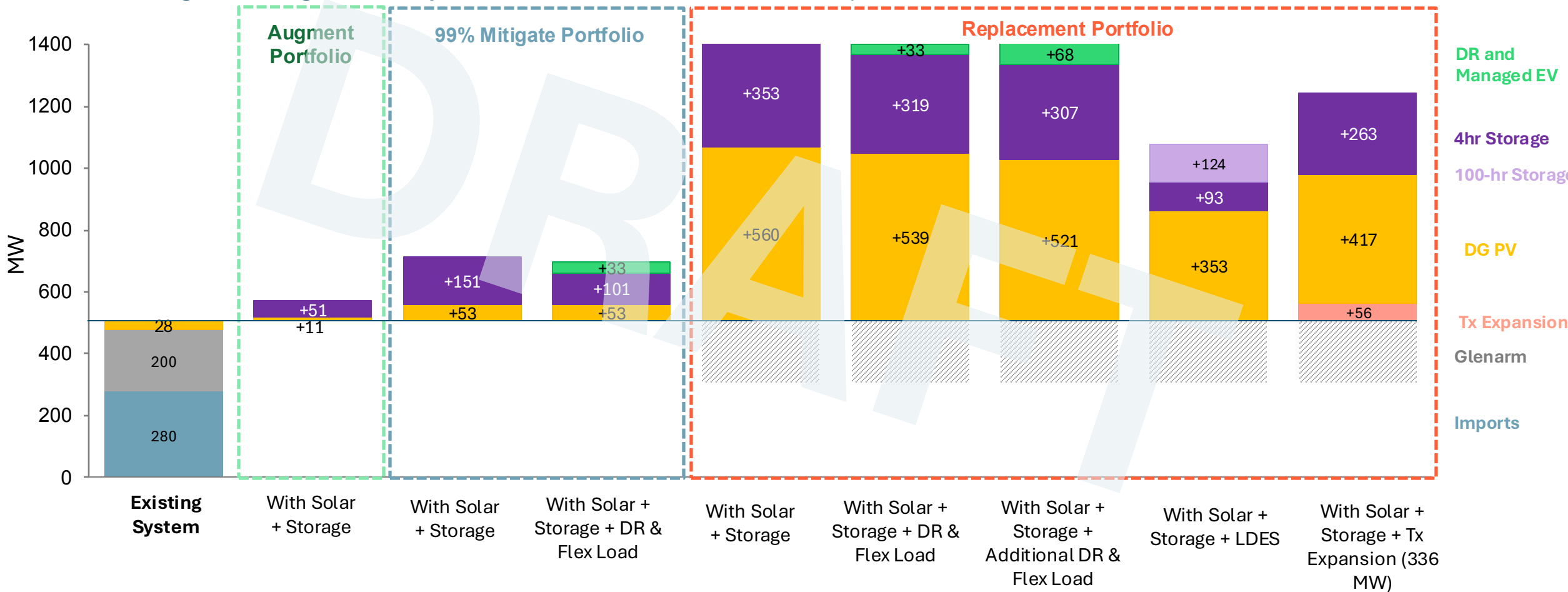
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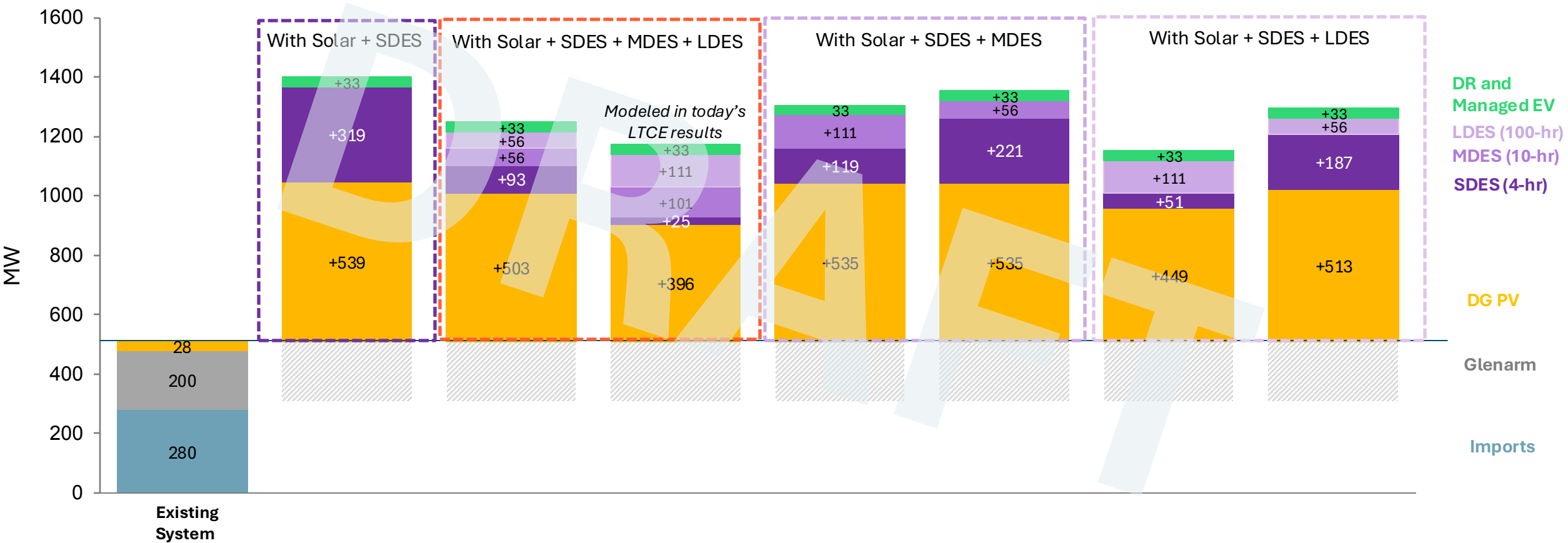
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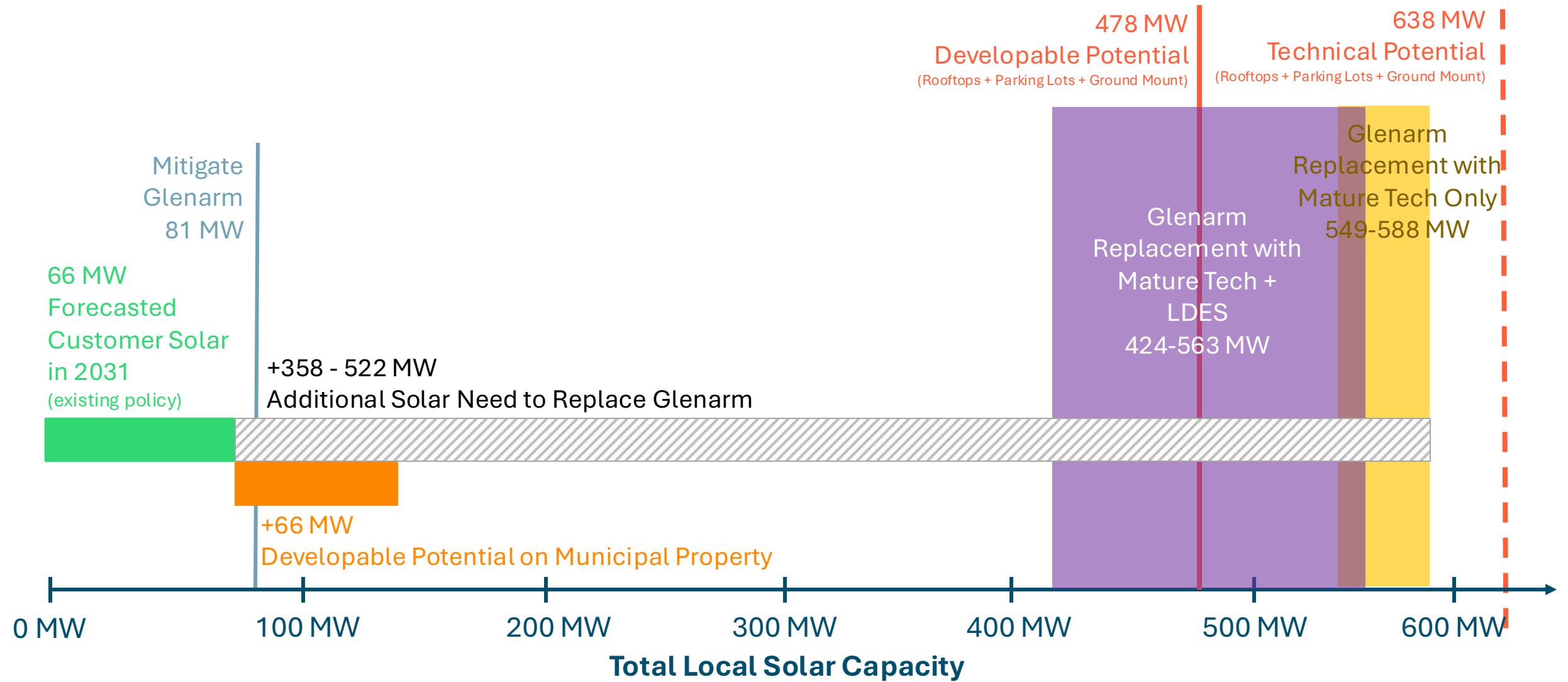
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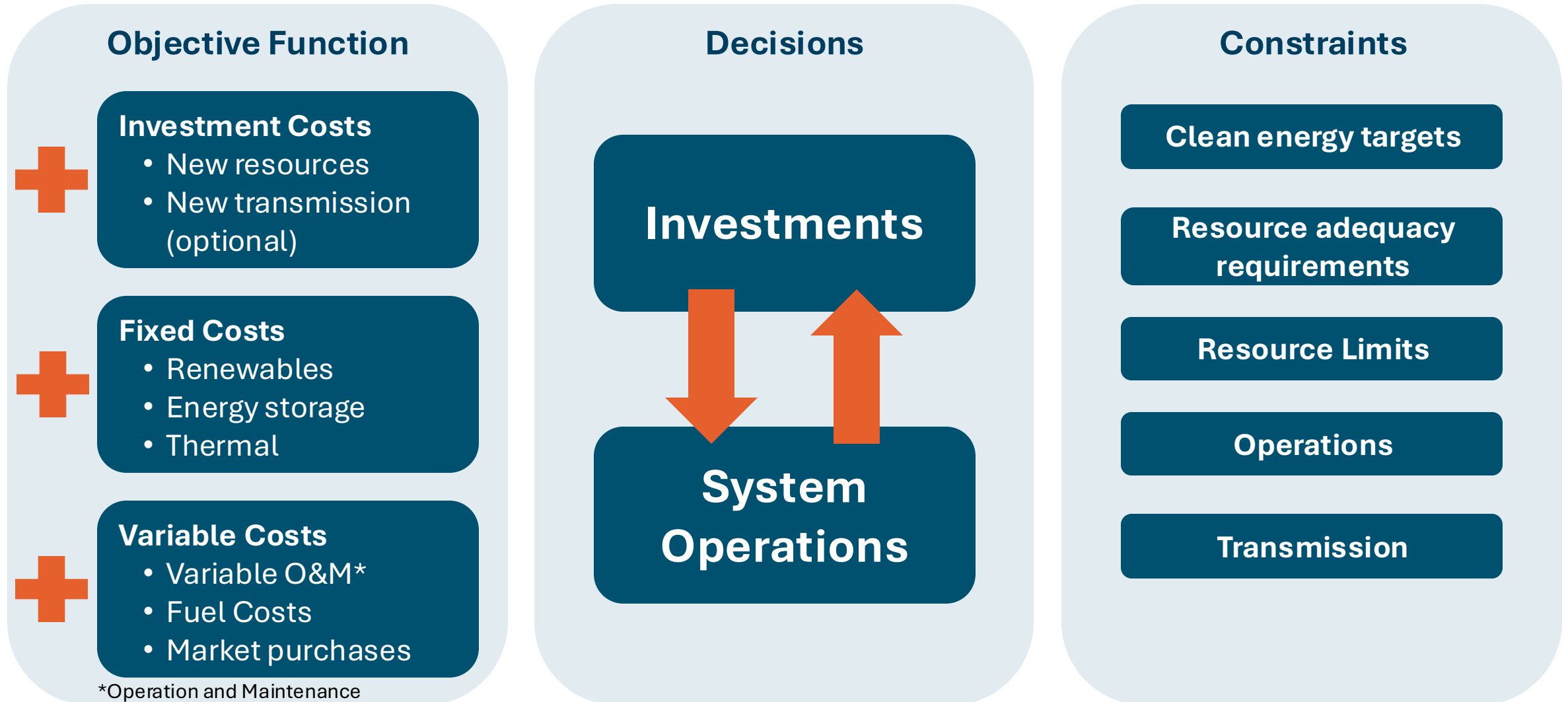


LTCE Modeling Background



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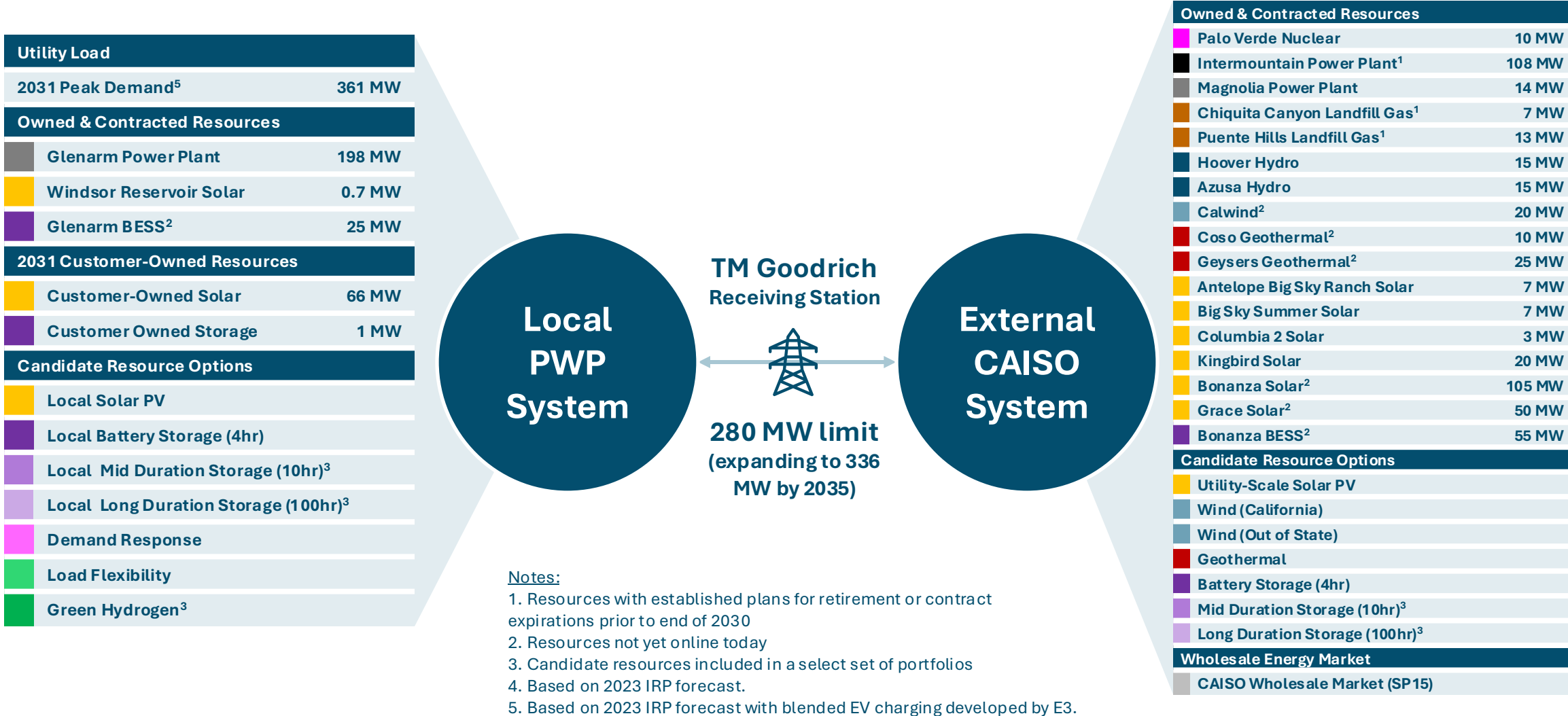
Long-Term Capacity Expansion Modeling Overview



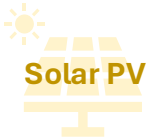
















Common Assumptions Across Cases Modeled in LTCE

Load Forecast	Customer Resources	Existing Portfolio	Transmission	Resource Potential
2031 peak demand: 360 MW <i>(reflects managed EV charging)</i>	Adoption of customer resources by 2031 based on current NEM structure: Solar: 65 MW Storage: 1 MW	All resources currently owned or under contract to PWP included across portfolios <i>(retirement dates vary across cases)</i>	280 MW import limit at TM Goodrich, expanding to 336 MW by 2035	External resource options informed by CPUC IRP planning assumptions; internal resource options informed by preparatory studies
Resource Costs	Commodity Pricing	Clean Energy	Local Reliability	Resource Adequacy
Informed by the OSP New and Emerging Tech Study	Natural gas, carbon allowance, and CAISO wholesale electricity prices based on E3 fundamentals-based forecast	All portfolios include <u>at least</u> enough carbon-free energy to meet PWP's annual energy needs by 2031	All portfolios include a minimum requirement for local resources informed by LOLP modeling	All portfolios must meet future RA requirements based on "marginal ELCC" accreditation framework

Topology for Capacity Expansion Model



Three Core Case Studies to Achieve Resolution 9977 Goals

Case Studies	New Resources Considered to Meet Resolution 9977 Goals						Additional variations explored to provide PWP and City Council with robust analyses to inform the Optimized Strategic Plan:
Mature Technologies Only	 Solar PV	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage		+ “Accelerated Local Resources” : What are the comparative impacts of portfolios that accelerate the deployment of local resources while maintaining Glenarm Power Plant as a backup for reliability?
Mature Technologies + Green Hydrogen	 Solar PV	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage	 Green Hydrogen (H ₂) Conversion at Glenarm	+ Timing : How does each strategy change if transition to carbon-free occurs less rapidly? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunity to synchronize transition with transmission expansion • More plausible timelines for technology readiness for emerging technologies
Mature Technologies + Long-Duration Storage	 Solar PV	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage	 Long-Duration Energy Storage	+ Markets : How does short-term market transaction flexibility impact these case studies? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> + Renewable Natural Gas: What are the cost impacts of utilizing RNG to reduce carbon emissions from Glenarm?
Common methods & assumptions across all three case studies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural gas combustion at Glenarm ceases by end of 2030 (either converted to H₂ or replaced) • No reliance on wholesale market purchases (“24x7 carbon free electricity”) • Quantities of each resource optimized in each case study to meet reliability needs and carbon-free objectives 							

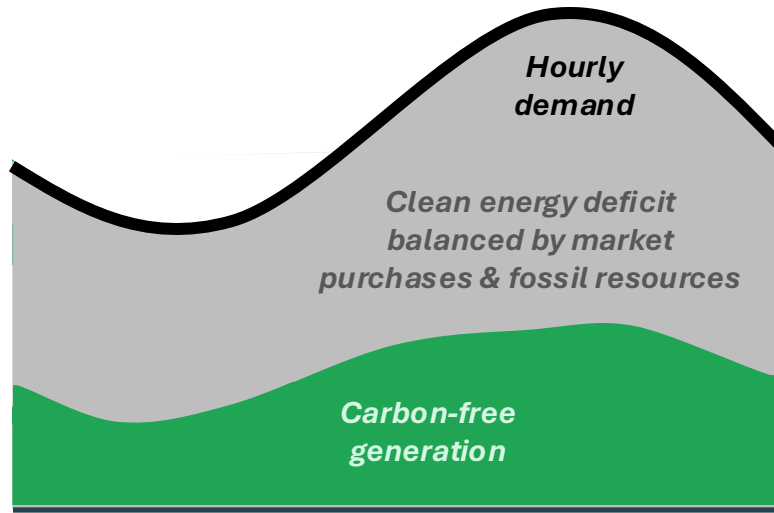
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Different Procurement Strategies Will Lead to Large Differences in PWP's Position in the CAISO Market

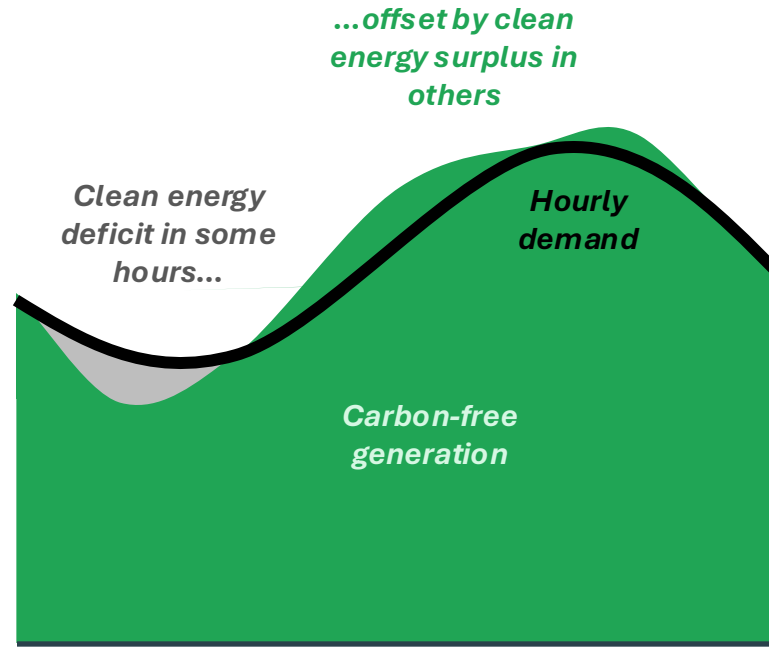
Current Portfolio (2025)

Utility has a **short market position**, relying on market purchases (and fossil resources) to serve a portion of load in all hours



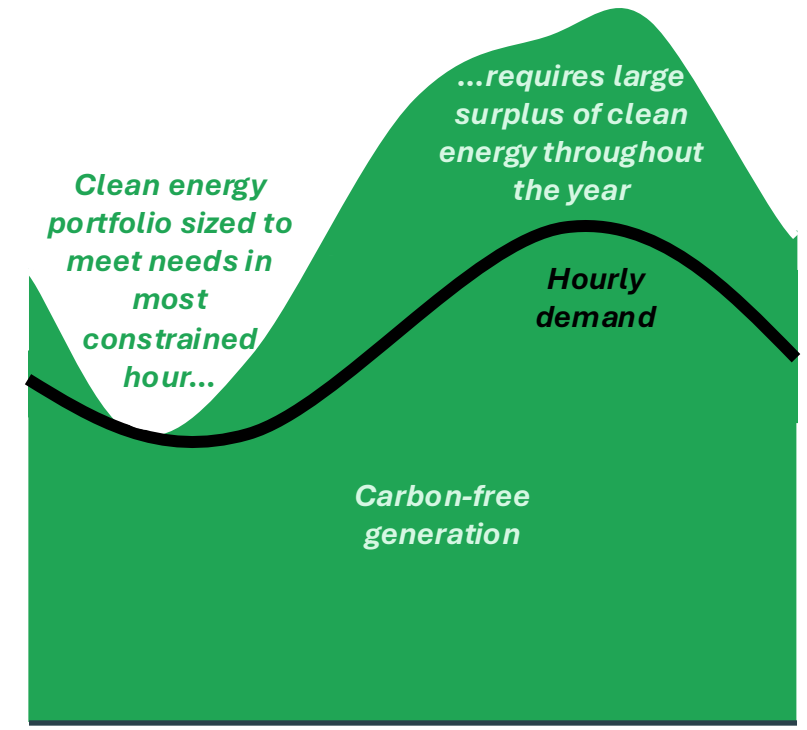
"100% Annual Matching"

Utility maintains a **balanced market position**, offsetting market purchases with sales of surplus clean energy



"100% Hourly Matching"

Utility takes a **long market position**, resulting in significant off-system sales and/or curtailment so carbon-free resources can meet load in most constrained periods



Figures are illustrative – not a modeling result

Relative Incremental Cost Metric

Cost metrics presented today:

+ Incremental costs include the following components:

- Fixed Operations and Maintenance for existing utility-owned generation
- Operating costs (fuel, operations and maintenance) for new and existing resources
- Procurement costs for new resources
- Market purchases and sales
- Transmission Access Charge

+ Costs are presented relative to the lowest cost case (100% Annual Matching)

+ Costs reflect annual costs in 2031 to serve loads; additional on-going costs are associated with the portfolio in each case study

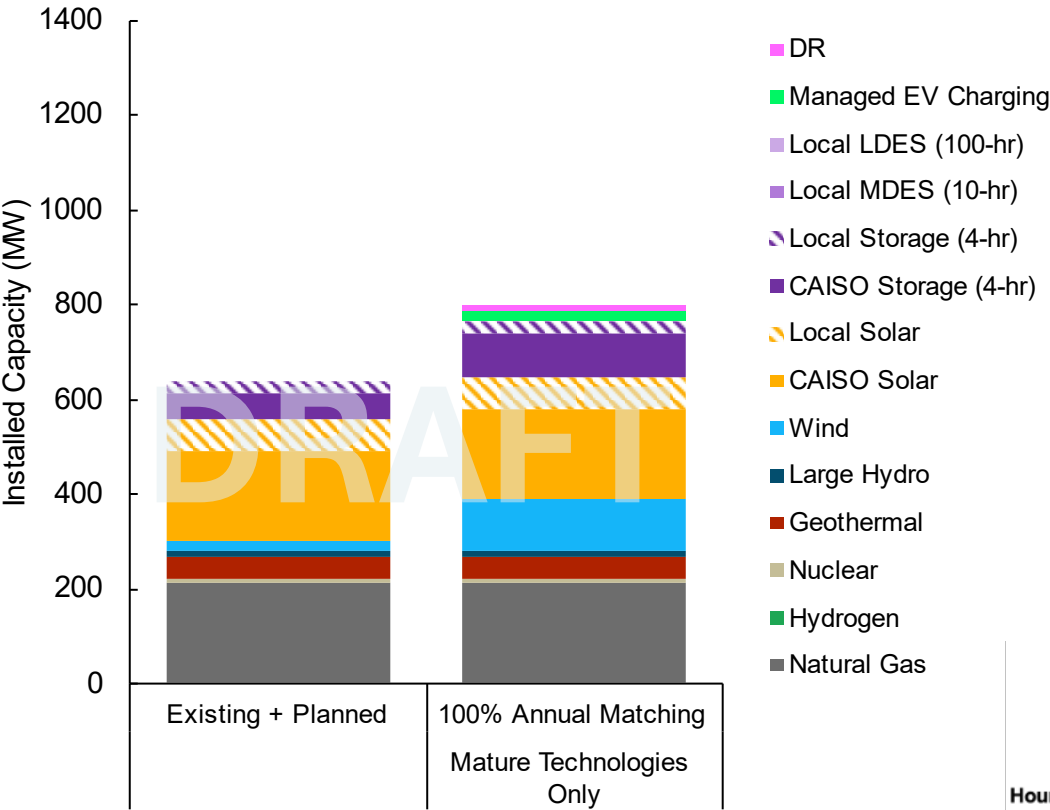
+ *Next steps: Calculate total system cost including existing or embedded costs and develop average system cost metrics*

LTCE Modeling Results: Mature Technologies Only



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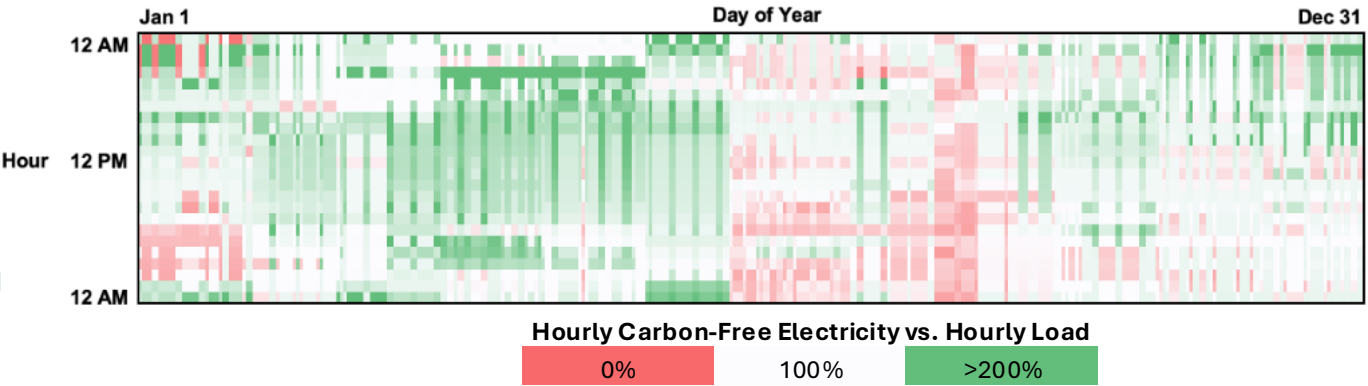
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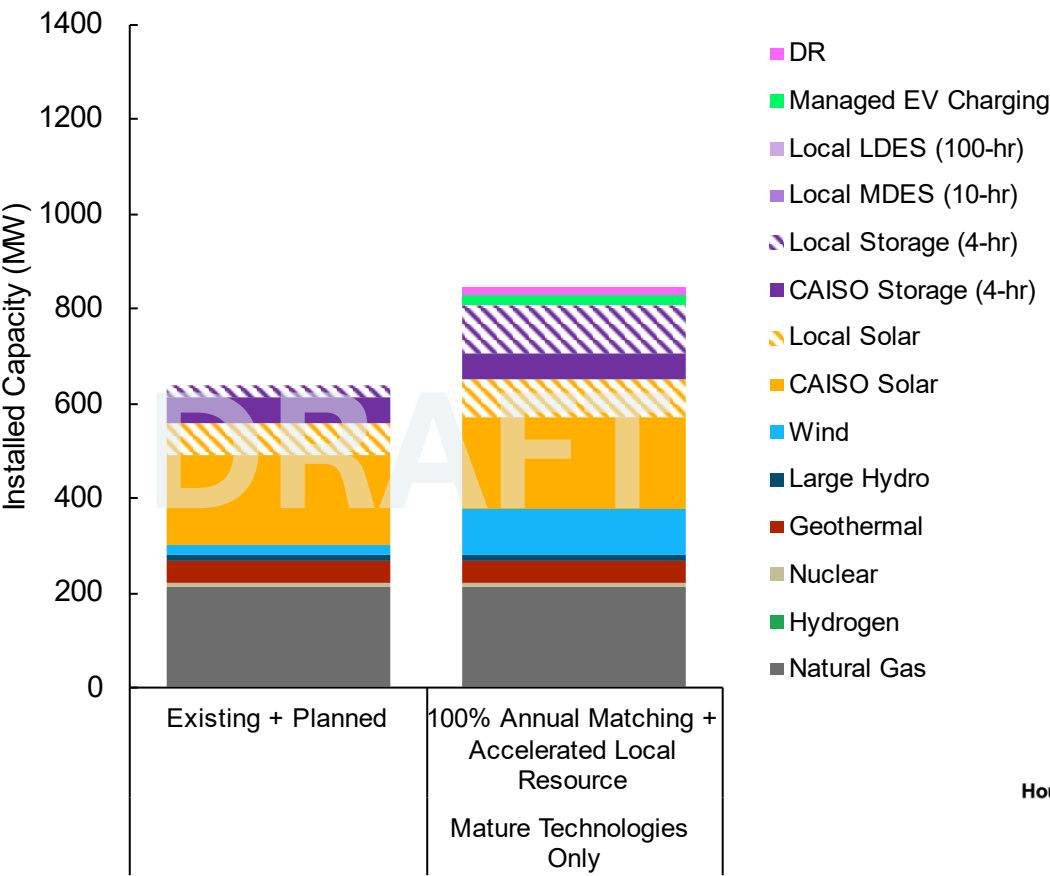
- + Modest incremental additions of renewables and storage allow PWP to meet 100% of annual energy needs with carbon-free sources
- + Glenarm retained and operated infrequently for local reliability
- + “Annual matching”: sales of surplus carbon-free resources offset market purchases and limited Glenarm operations (mostly summer)

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 96%	Metric 3: 90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$0 million per year		



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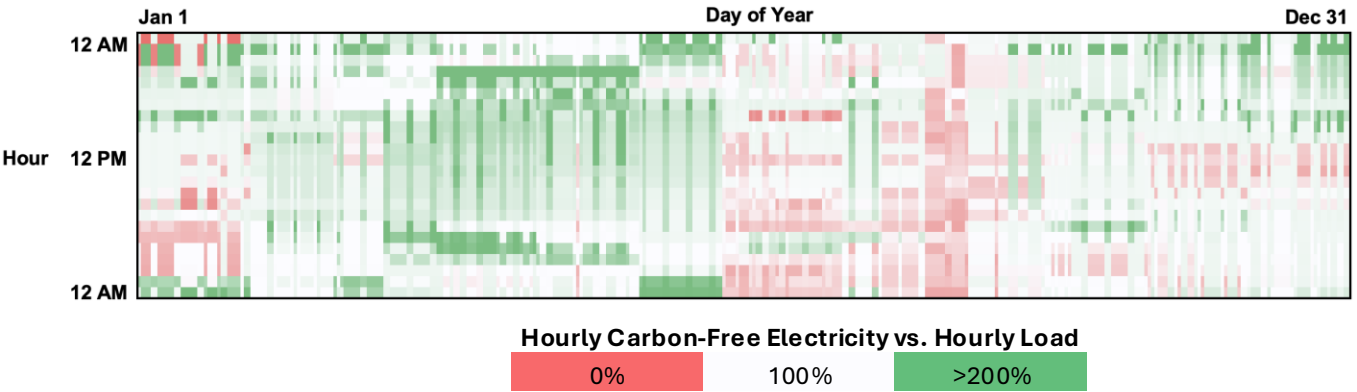
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only (Accelerated Local Resources)



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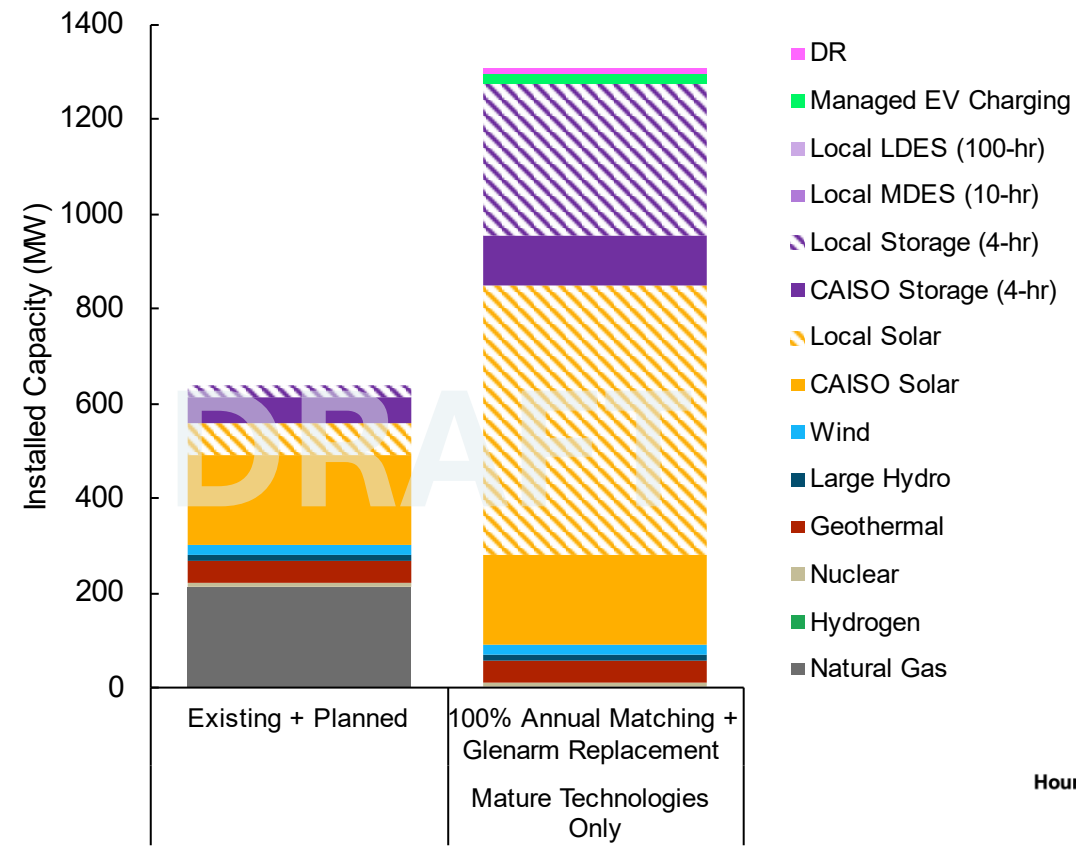
- + Increased focus on local solar & storage development further reduces frequency of Glenarm's use to meet local reliability needs and reduces imports from CAISO at limited incremental cost
- + Increased internal resource development reduces level of external resources developed

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 97%	Metric 3: 90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$3 million per year		



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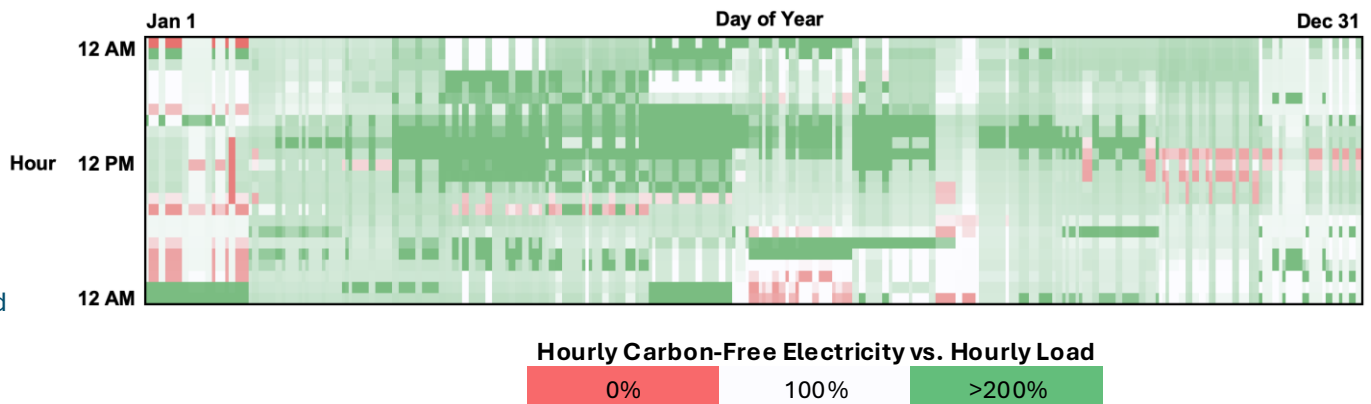
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only (Glenarm Replacement)



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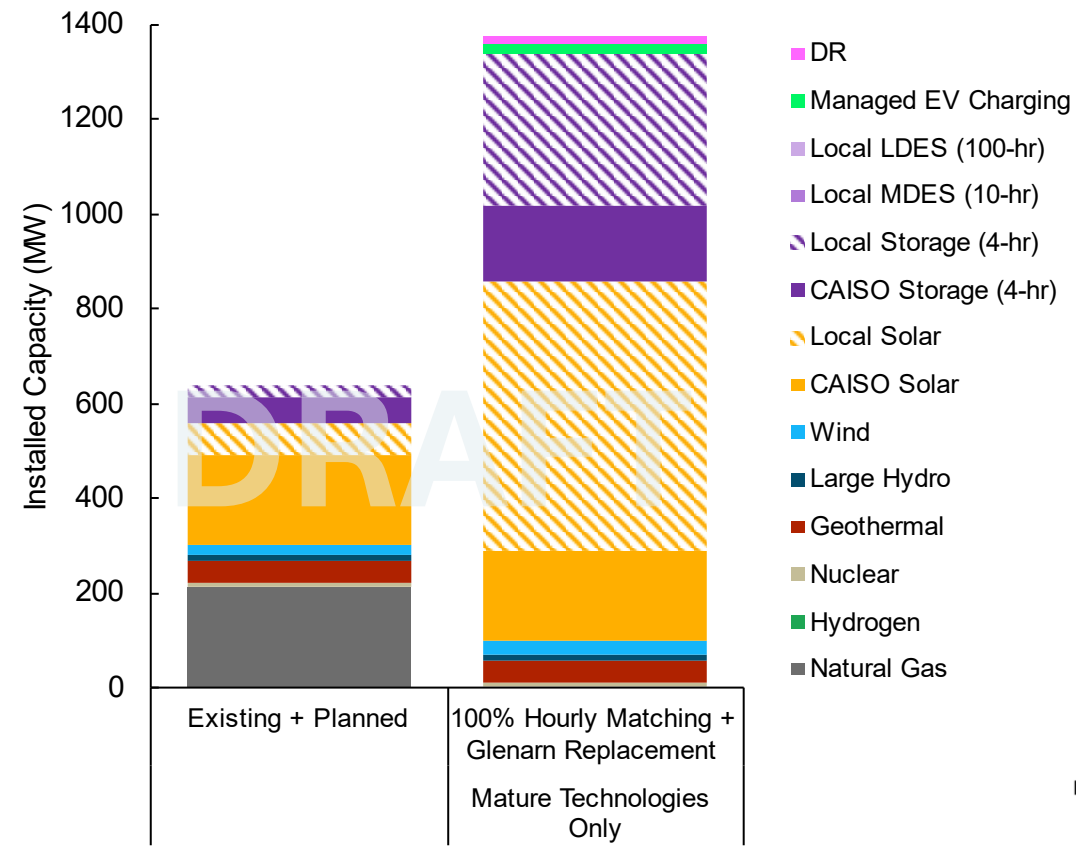
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- + Even with the scale of local resource development, there are still some periods where this portfolio relies on the market to meet PWP needs

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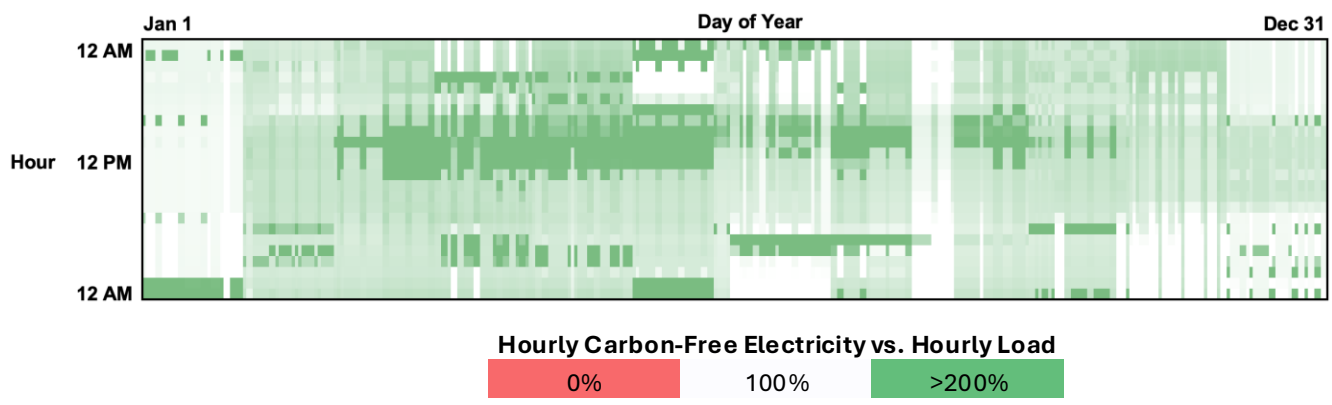
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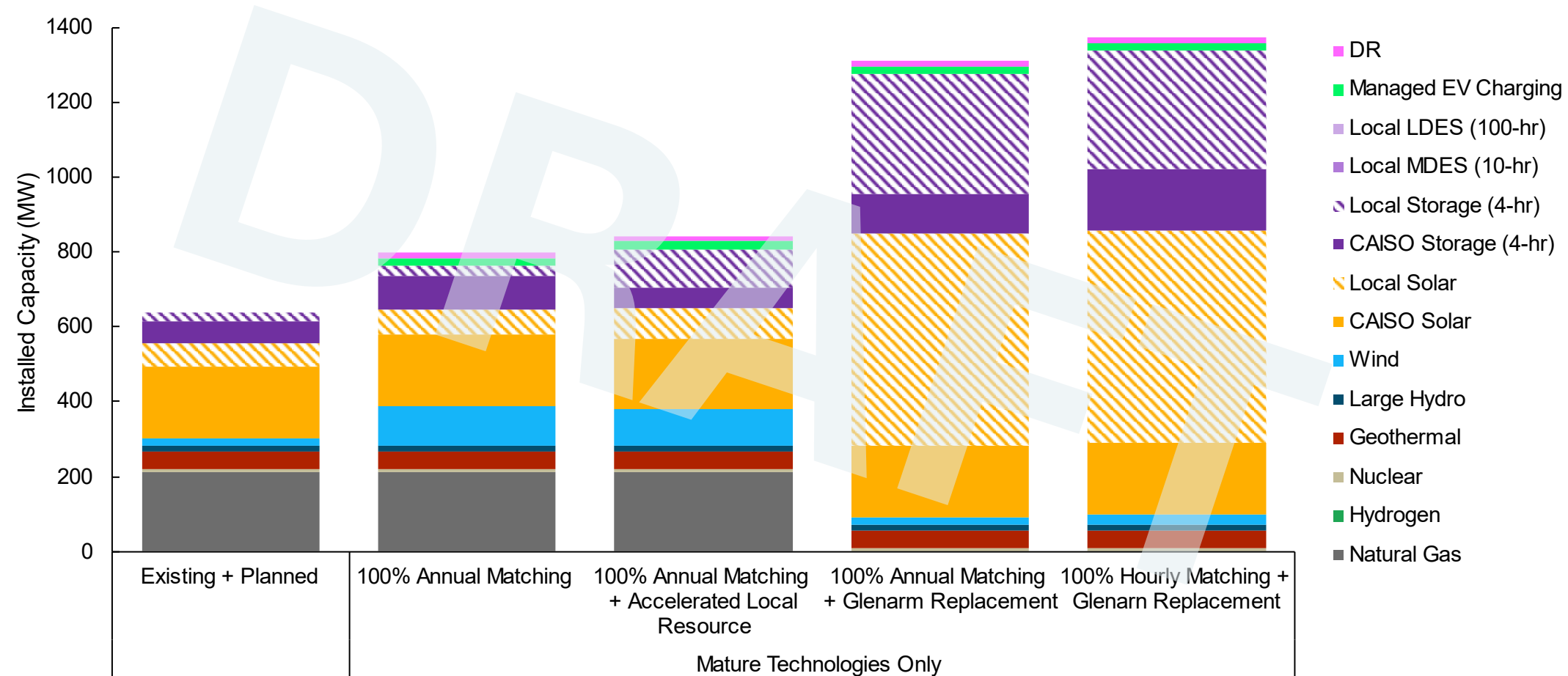
+ Achieving 100% hourly matching requires (1) significant local resource additions to replace Glenarm, (2) additional external resources to eliminate reliance on market, and (3) self-scheduling of energy storage resources to meet PWP needs (rather than maximizing value)

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 100%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$112 million per year		

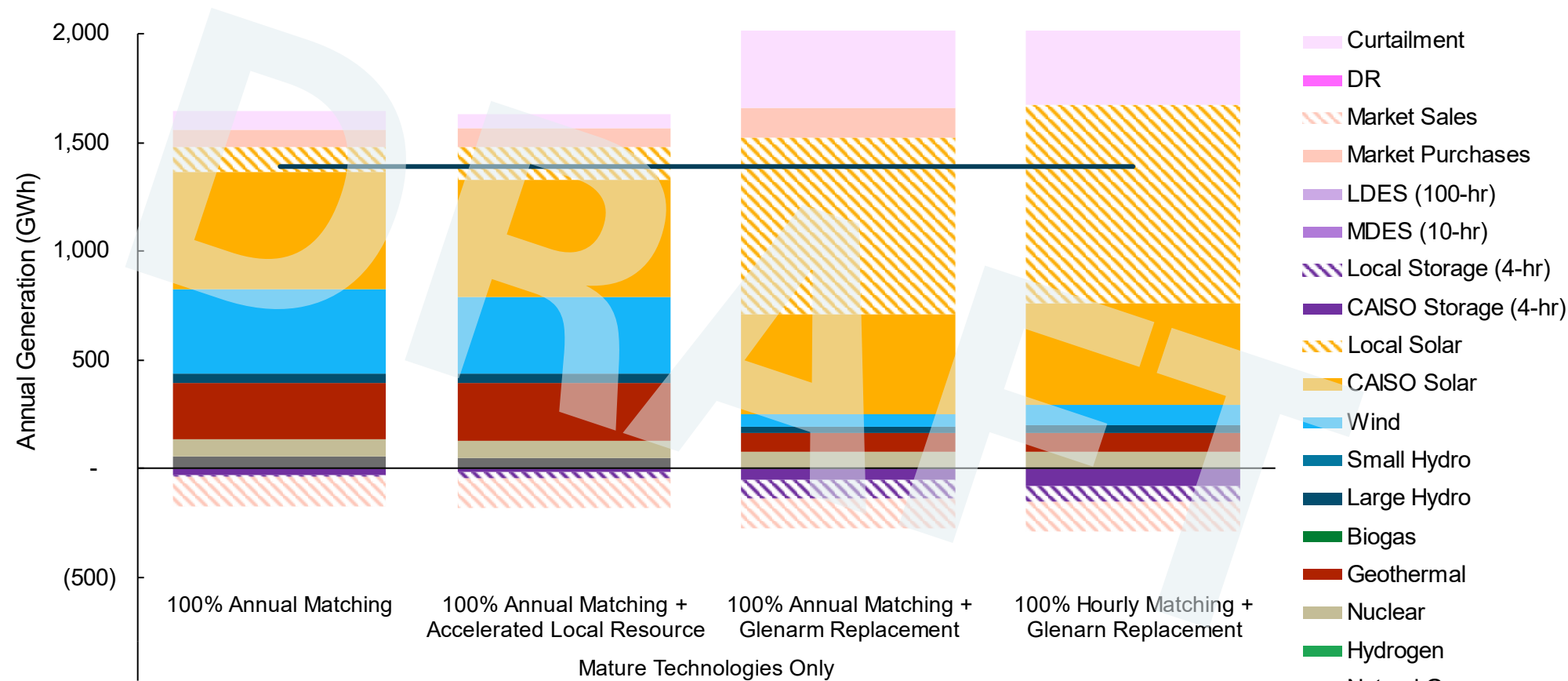


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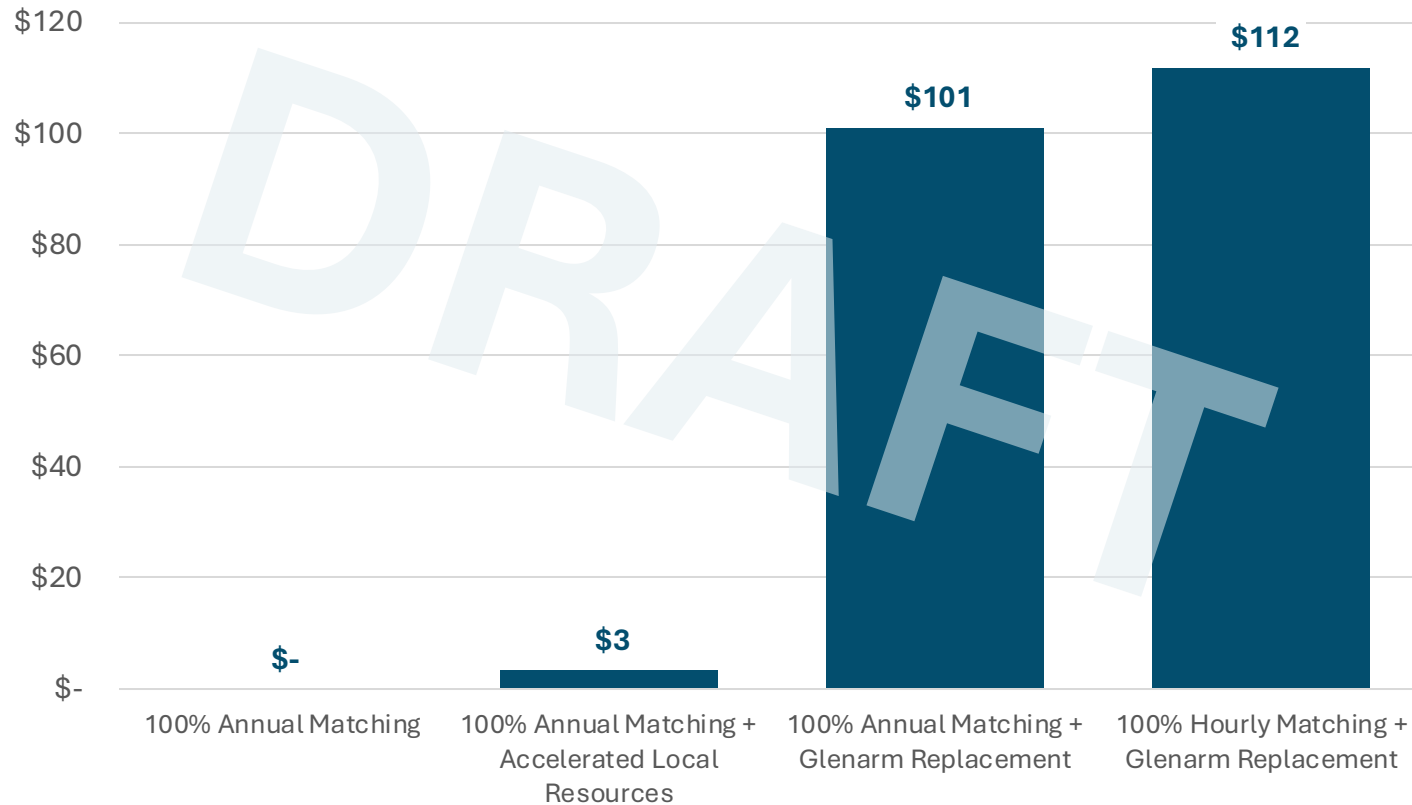


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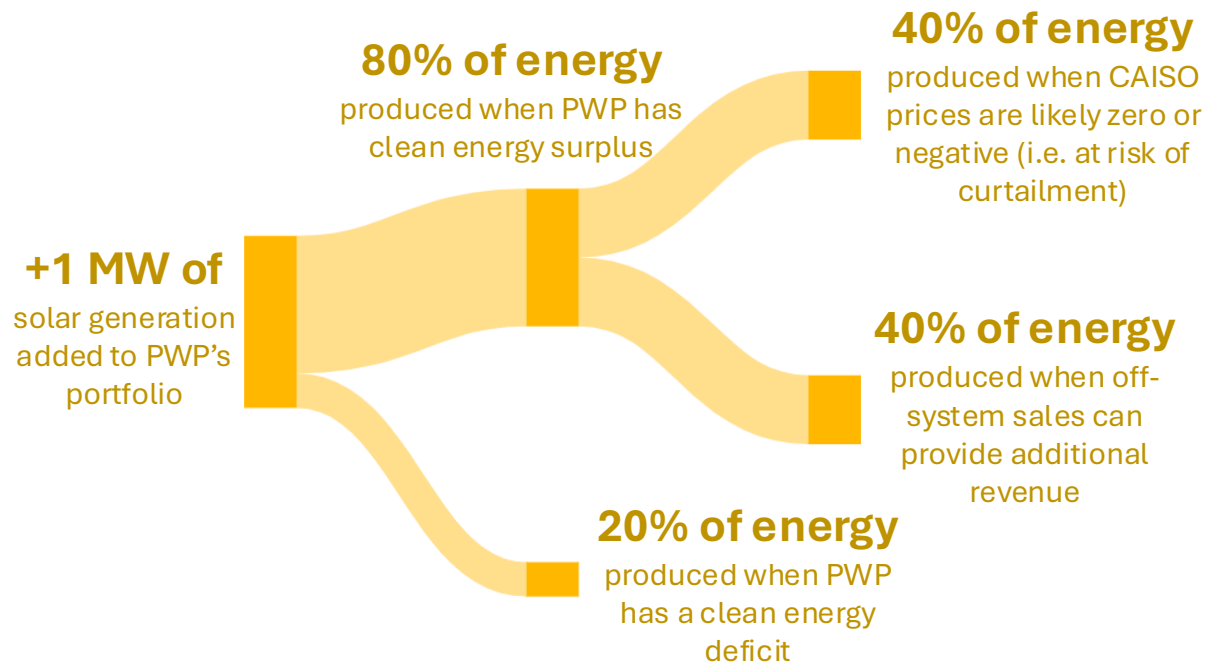
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Outstanding Cost Categories to Incorporate:

- + **Existing resource fixed costs/PPA costs**
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Resource Diversity is an Important Consideration to Manage Market & Curtailment Risks



- + With high levels of procurement of one resource types, there is significant risks for high levels of curtailment of generation that cannot be sold to the market.
- + When PWP's has an excess of solar generation, the utility may not be able to sell it to the CAISO market which is highly saturated with solar.

Based on results from 100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only, 2031

Forecasted Carbon Metrics, 2031, Mature Technologies Only

Metric 1: Share of PWP’s **annual retail sales** that is carbon-free

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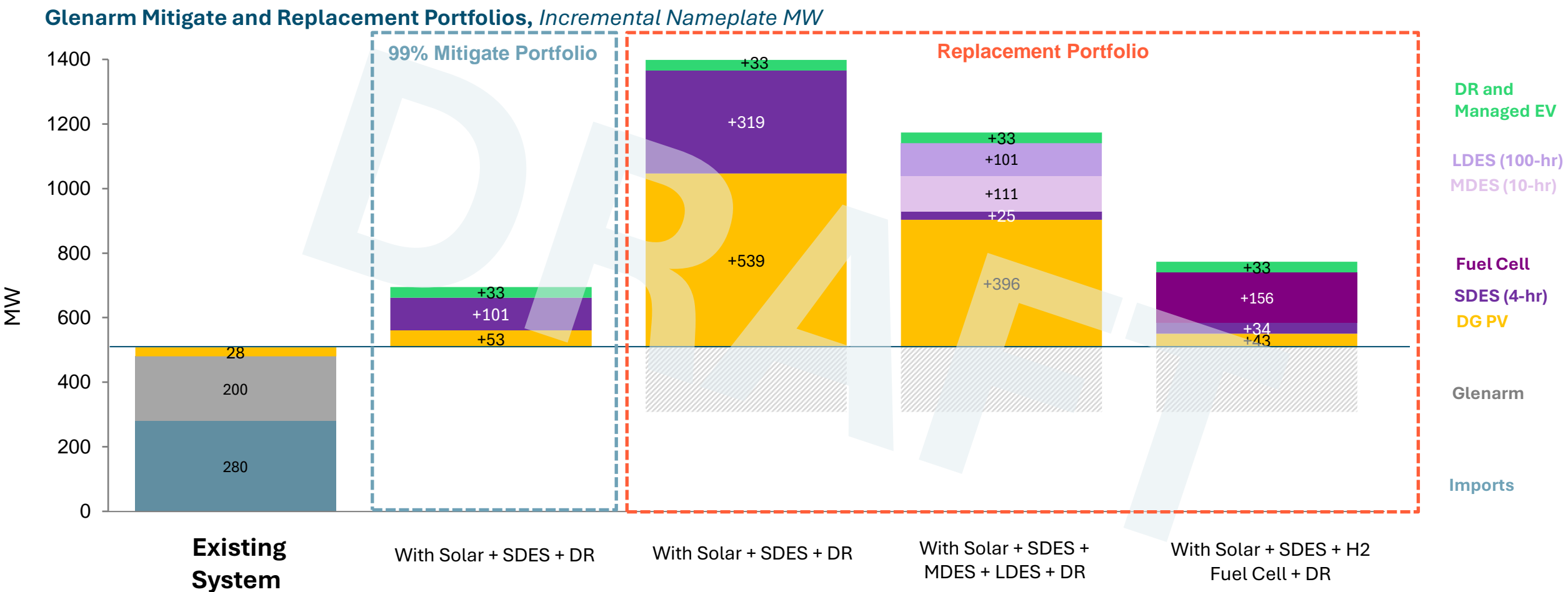
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- + Next steps**

Hydrogen Fuel Cell Analysis



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Glenarm Replacement Portfolio with Fuel Cells

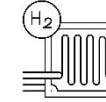


These values represent the minimum quantities of resources needed to ensure local reliability. Additional local resources will be included in portfolios to the extent that (a) the rate of naturally occurring customer adoption exceeds this level or (b) additional resources are found to be economic in LTCE. E3’s modeling indicates that naturally occurring adoption could result in an additional ~35 MW of customer-owned resources by 2031.

Hydrogen consumption for combustion vs fuel cells



Hydrogen Combustion



Hydrogen Fuel Cell

Nameplate Capacity	200 MW	156 MW
Efficiency (%)	32%	55%
Fuel consumption for 1 hour	16 tons	7 tons
1 Day of Operations		
Run time	8 hours	24 hours
Generation	1.6 GWh	3.7 GWh
Fuel consumption	125 tons	175 tons
Annual Operations		
Capacity Factor	3%	90%
Generation	55 GWh	1,230 GWh
Fuel Consumption	4,155 tons	56,940 tons

**At scale, hydrogen fuel cells would consume more fuel than combusting hydrogen in a low-capacity factor generator.
Supplying hydrogen for fuel cells would require a dedicated pipeline.**

LTCE Modeling Results: Mature Technologies Only

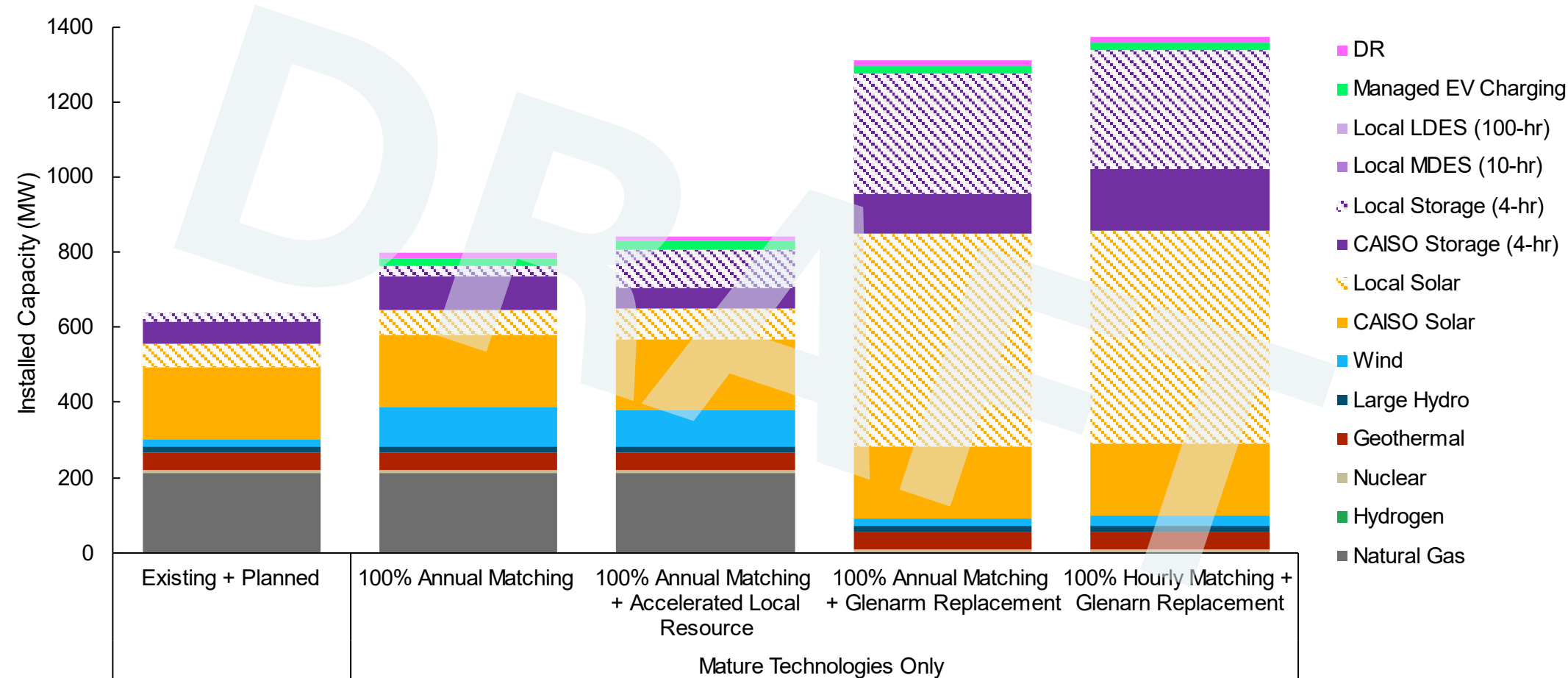


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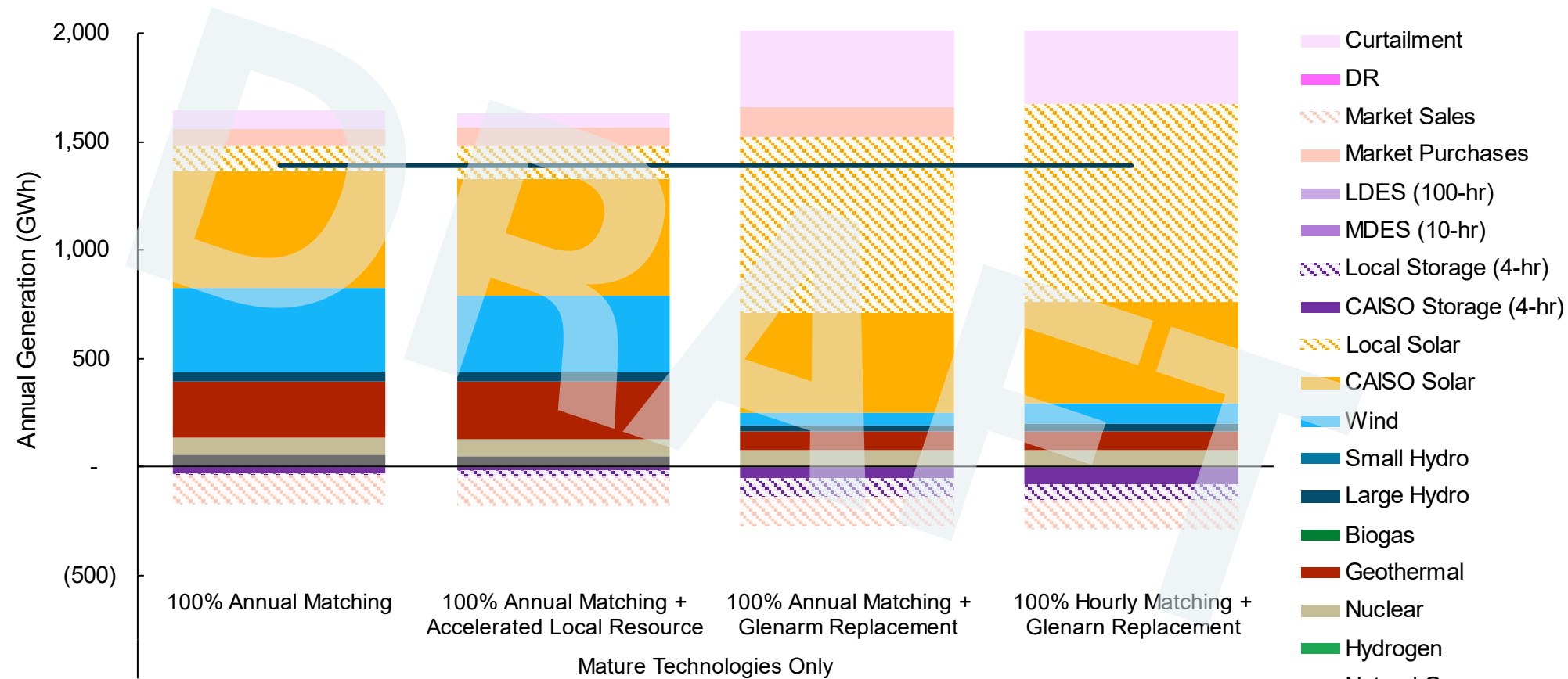
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Mature Technologies Only: Initial Learnings and Portfolio Highlights

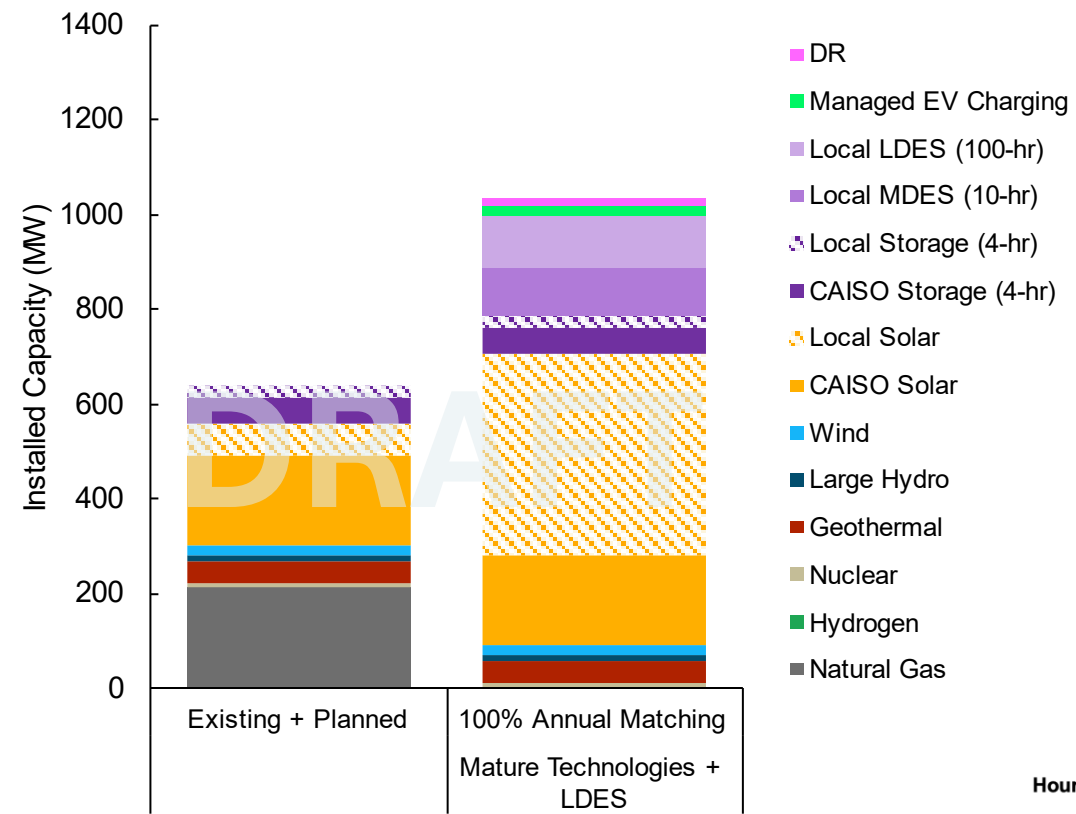
- 1. Modest additions of renewable resources and storage by 2031 allow PWP to meet all system needs and serve >100% of annual energy needs with carbon-free generation.**
- 2. Accelerating the development of local resources reduces the need to procure external resources and reduces the operations of Glenarm**
- 3. Local solar and storage at significant scale is needed to replace Glenarm while maintaining local reliability, resulting in very high incremental costs**
- 4. To achieve 100% hourly matching, additional external resources are needed to eliminate reliance on the market and energy storage resources must be self-scheduled to meet PWP's need for clean energy on an hourly basis (rather than maximizing the value of storage resources).**

LTCE Modeling Results: Long Duration Storage & Hydrogen



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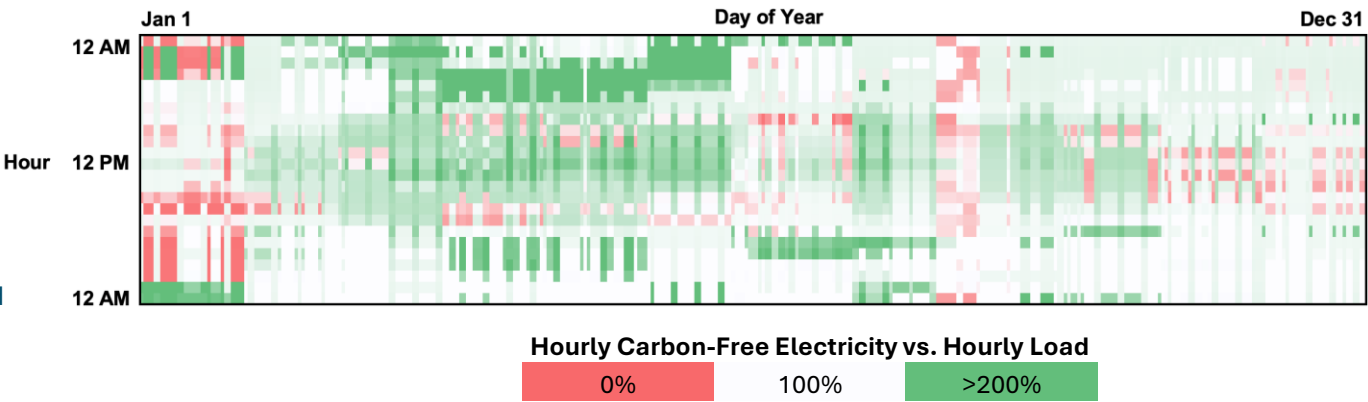
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies + LDES



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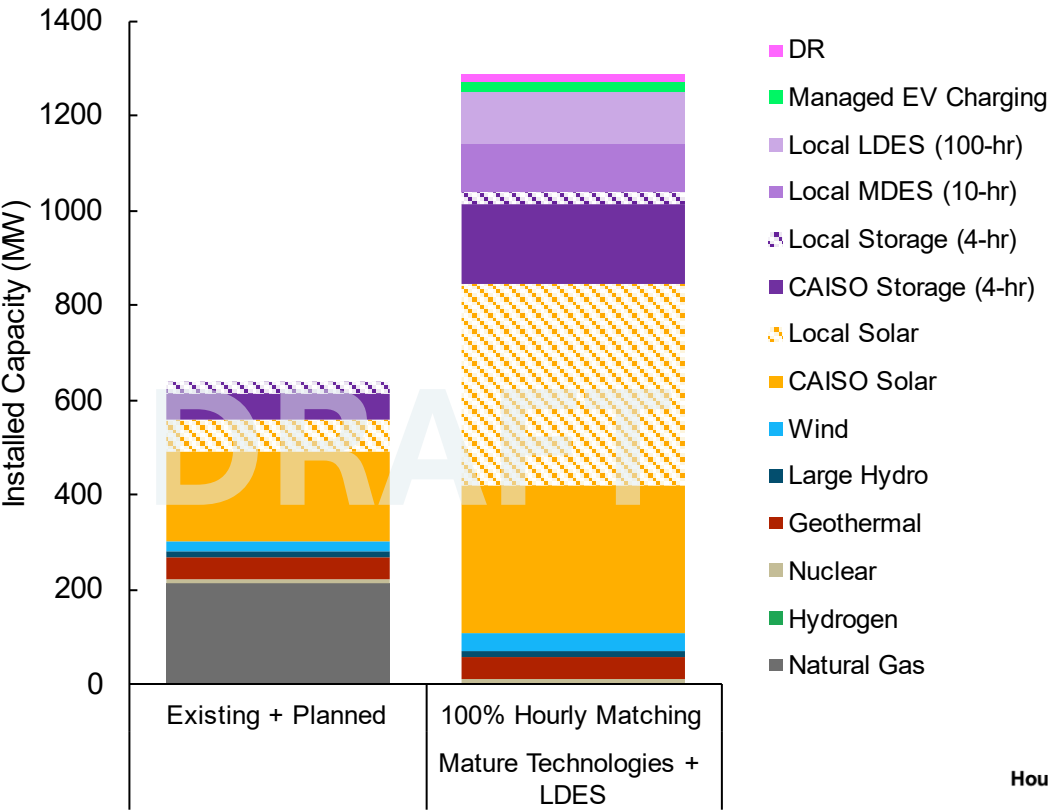
- + Local solar and storage at significant scale needed to replace Glenarm even with long-duration and medium-duration storage technologies available.
- + Even with scale of local resource development, there are still some periods where this portfolio relies on the market to meet PWP needs

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$92 million per year		



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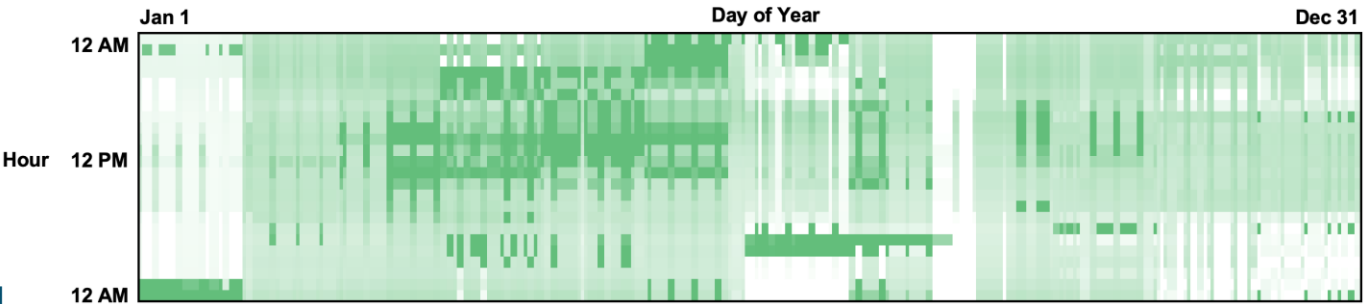
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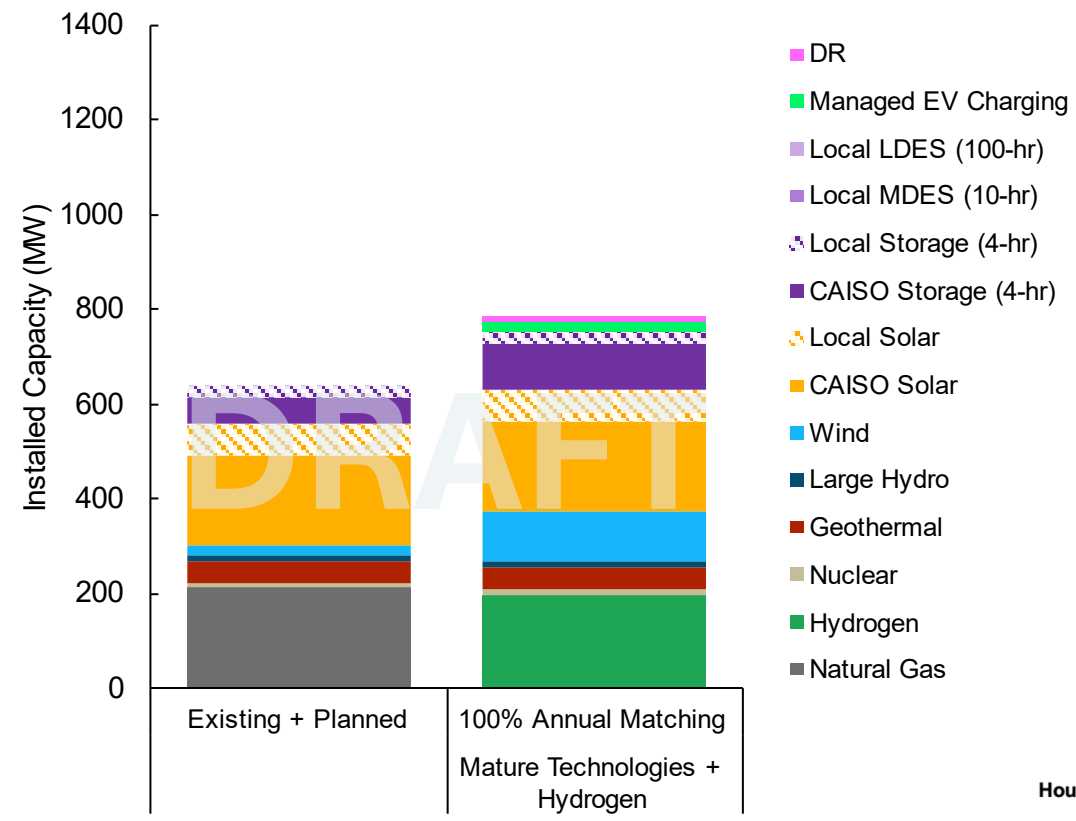
- + Achieving 100% hourly matching requires significant local and external resources to match clean generation with load.
- + Higher incremental cost relative to mature technologies only case indicates that utilizing emerging LDES in 2031 may not be cost-effective.

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 100%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$126 million per year		



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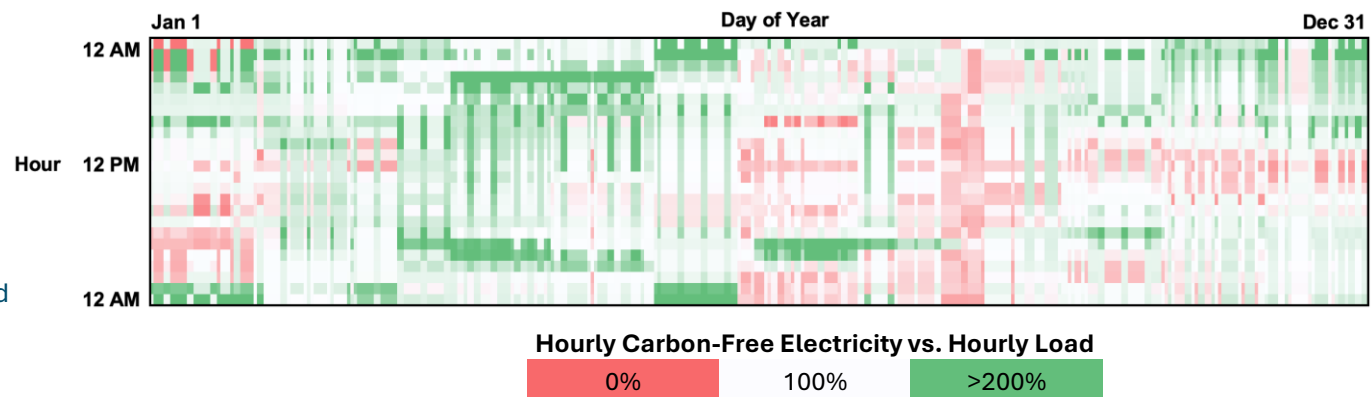
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies + Hydrogen Conversion



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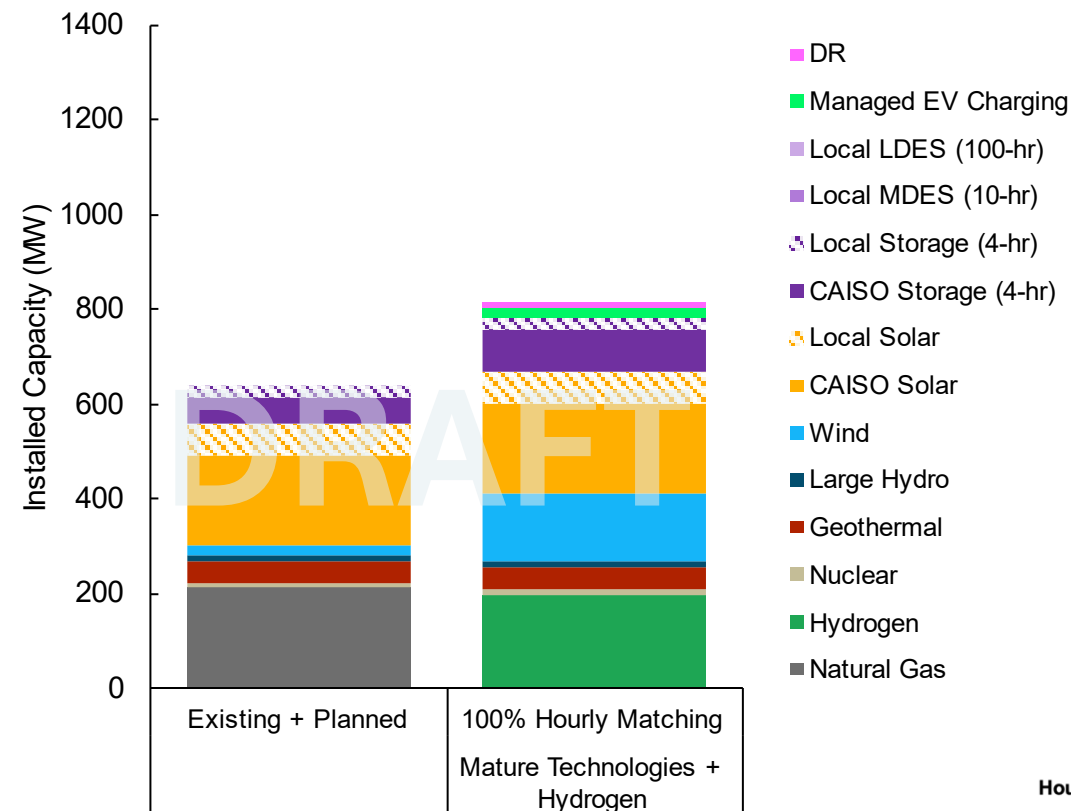
- + With Glenarm retained, a modest incremental additions of renewables and storage allow PWP to meet 100% of annual energy needs with carbon-free sources.
- + Higher incremental costs are driven primarily by the retrofit costs for Glenarm hydrogen conversion.

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$17 million per year		



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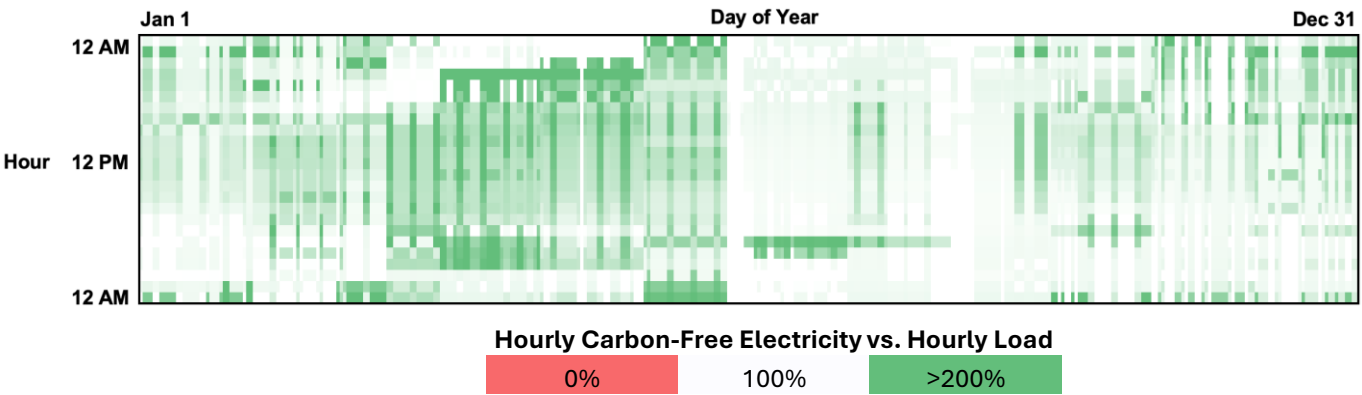
100% Hourly Matching, Mature Technologies + Hydrogen Conversion



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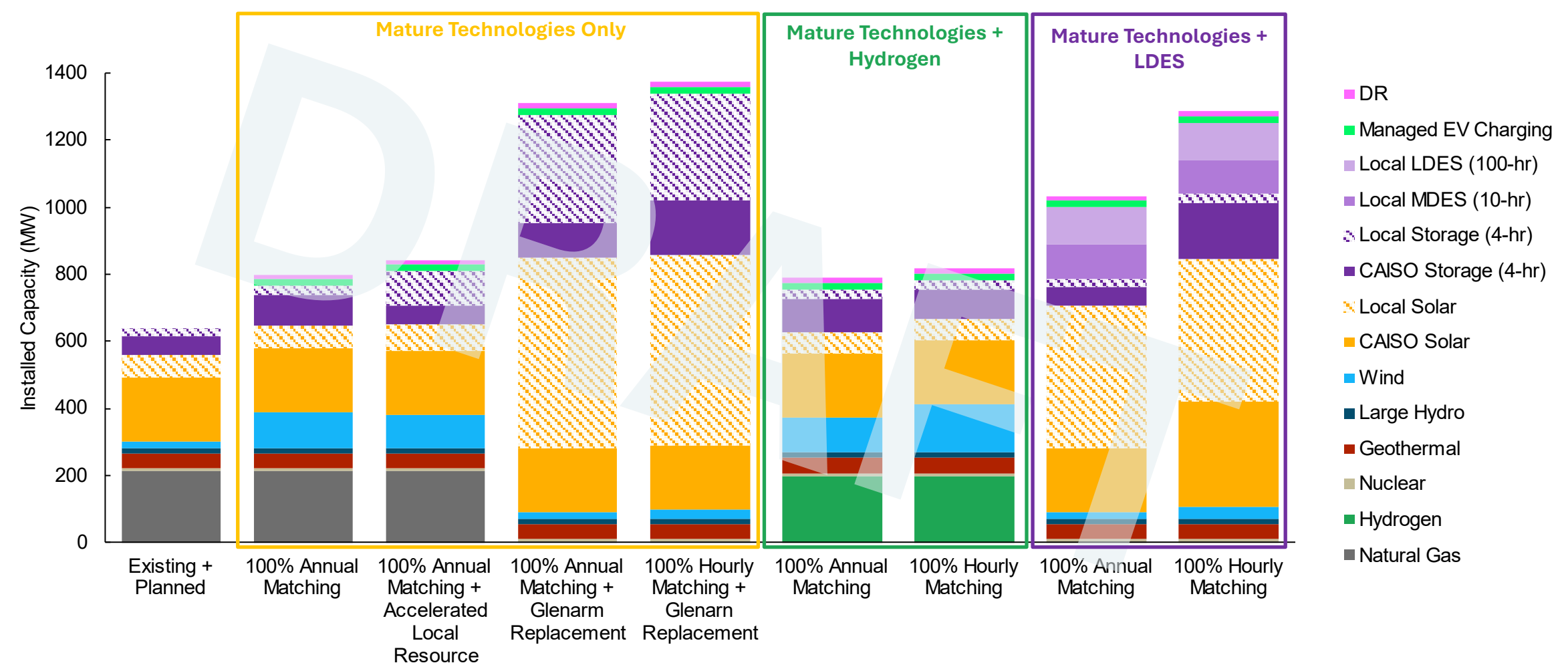
- + Conversion of Glenarm to hydrogen eliminates direct fossil fuel consumption while supporting local reliability needs
- + Lower incremental cost (vs. Mature Technologies Only) indicates potential benefits of emerging technologies – but significant uncertainty remains

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 100%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$28 million per year		

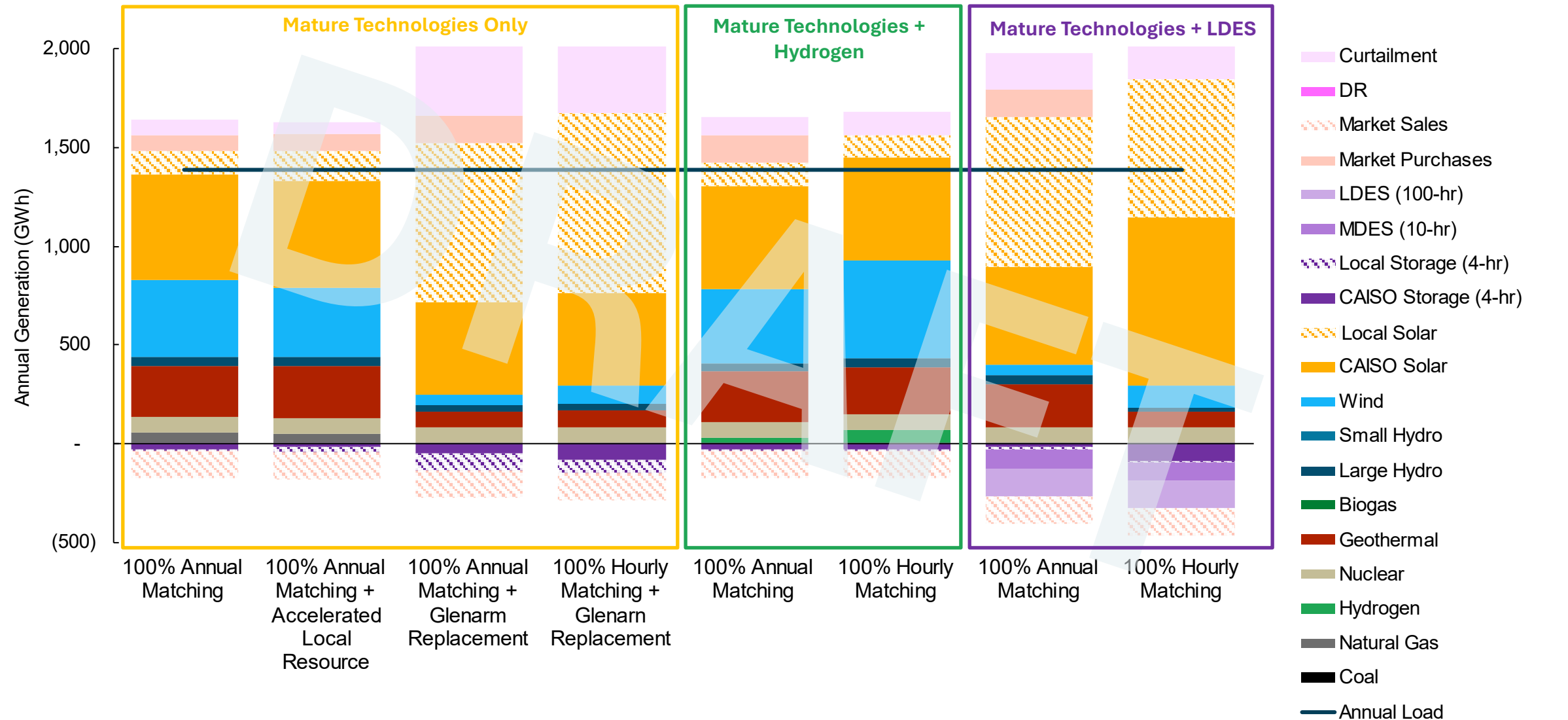


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Annual Generation (GWh) in 2031



Forecasted Carbon Metrics, 2031

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Metric 2: Share of PWP’s total annual generation¹ that is carbon-free

Metric 3: Share of PWP’s hourly energy needs¹ that is carbon-free

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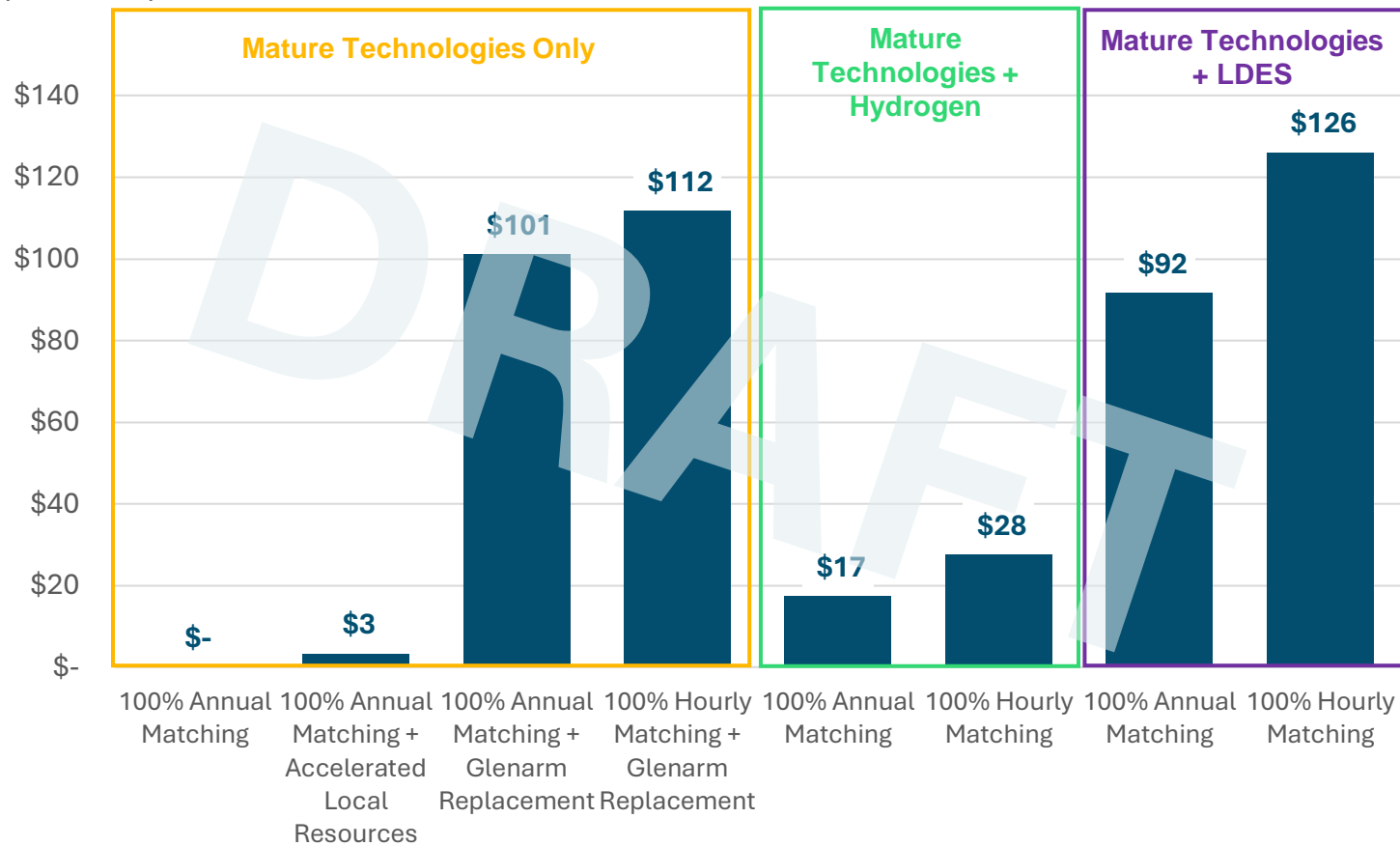
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3. Analysis of metric 3 is under refinement and subject to changed. Values presented for OSP portfolios here represent a lower bound.

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2031 Relative Incremental Total System Cost
(\$ million)



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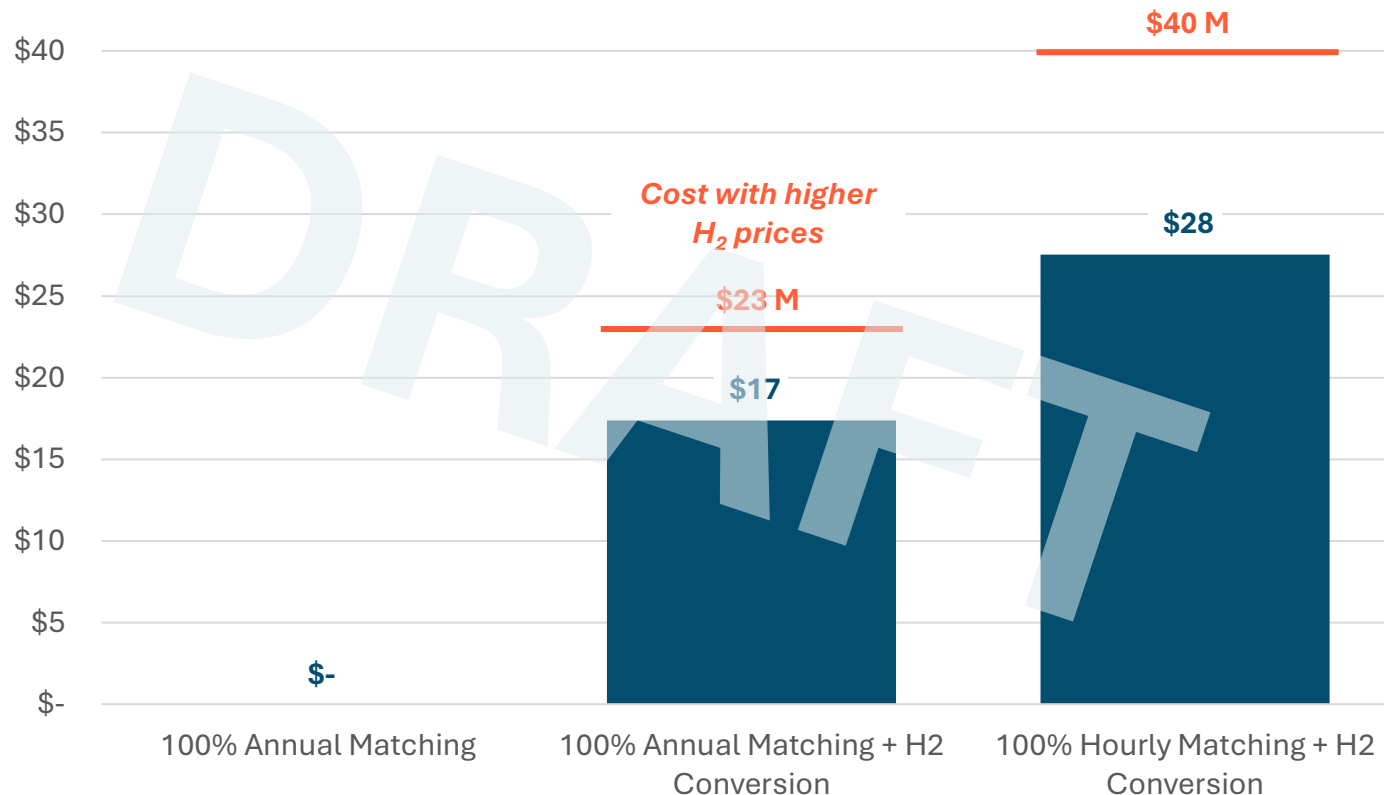
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Outstanding Cost Categories to Incorporate:

- + Existing resource fixed costs/PPA costs
- + Other revenue requirement components (e.g. dx costs)

Green Hydrogen Cost Sensitivity

2031 Relative Incremental Total System Cost
(\$ million)



+ With higher hydrogen costs (\$31/MMBtu nominal vs \$12) in 2031, incremental total system costs could be between \$5-13 M/year higher

- High marginal fuel prices have lower impact on total costs due to low capacity factors at Glenarm

+ To achieve hourly matching, Glenarm would likely operate more exposing PWP to greater risk if hydrogen fuel prices are higher.

Annual generation from Glenarm:

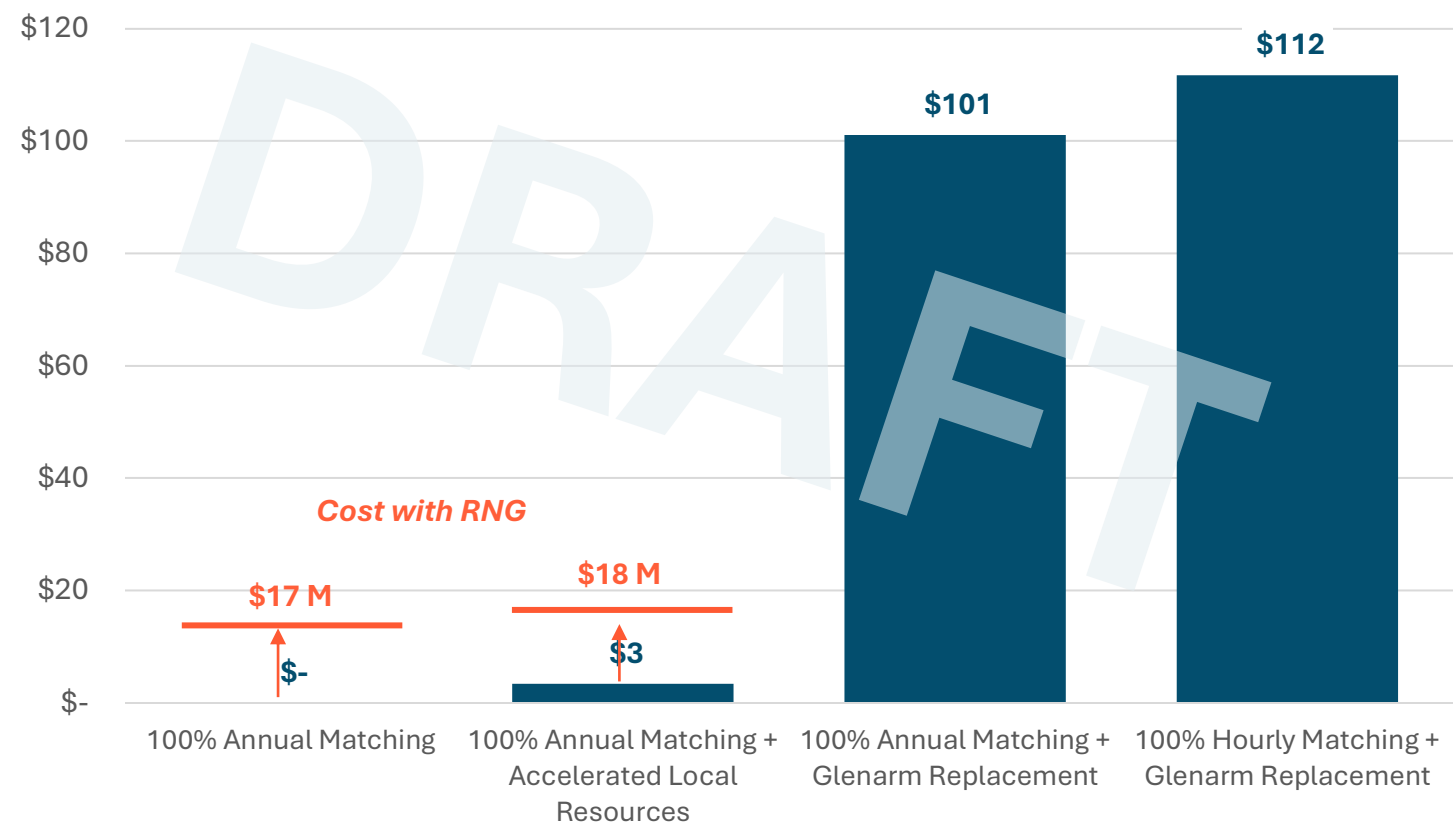
$$200 \text{ MW} \times 2\% \text{ CF} \times 8760 \text{ hr/yr} = 31 \text{ GWh/year}$$

Additional cost with high H₂ prices:

$$31 \text{ GWh/year} \times 9 \text{ MMBtu/MWh} \times (\$31/\text{MMBtu} - \$12/\text{MMBtu}) = \$6\text{M}$$

Cost Sensitivity: Impact of Renewable Natural Gas Procurement

2031 Relative Incremental Total System Cost (\$ million)



- + The incremental total system cost of procuring renewable natural gas for Glenarm is small (\$15-20 M/year) compared to the costs of replacing Glenarm with a portfolio of local resources.
- + Adding local resources to reduce Glenarm’s operations lowers the incremental fuel costs PWP would incur if purchasing RNG for Glenarm.

Annual generation from Glenarm:
 $200 \text{ MW} \times 3\% \text{ CF} \times 8760 \text{ hr/yr} = 56 \text{ GWh/year}$

Approximate incremental cost for RNG in 2031:
 $56 \text{ GWh/year} \times 9 \text{ MMBtu/MWh} \times (\$44/\text{MMBtu RNG} - \$10/\text{MMBtu Fossil Gas}) = \17M/yr

Forecasted Carbon Metrics, 2031, with Renewable Natural Gas

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Metric 3 ³	88%	90% (94%)	90% (94%)	90%	100%

Values in parenthesis show results if RNG is substituted for natural gas and is counted toward the three clean energy metrics

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Recap and Next Steps



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Initial Observations and Takeaways from LTCE Modeling

1. **Current forecasts indicate that PWP has procured carbon-free resources (including existing projects and projects under development) sufficient to match 100% of forecasted retail sales annually (Metric 1).**
 - Range of cases studied illustrate commonly-observed principle that closing the gap between 90-100% for Metrics 2 & 3 becomes increasingly challenging, and cases that achieve “100% hourly matching” exhibit hockey-stick increases in cost
2. **Replacing Glenarm with mature technologies by 2031 while maintaining reliability would require additions of local solar and storage at a level far beyond what is plausibly achievable, resulting in high incremental costs and presenting significant implementation challenges**
 - Despite increasingly infrequent operations, Glenarm currently provides significant reliability value as a firm resource that can (a) operate during extreme events and transmission contingencies and (b) contribute to CAISO local & system resource adequacy needs
 - Scale of solar resources included in replacement portfolios for Glenarm would require utilization of almost all viable parking lots and rooftops across the city, exceeding the naturally occurring adoption of customer solar by an order of magnitude
3. **Development of additional local carbon-free resources provides multiple benefits at limited incremental net cost even if Glenarm is needed for reliability:**
 - Reduced utilization of Glenarm, a benefit magnified if plant is operating using a high marginal cost fuel (e.g. RNG or hydrogen)
 - Improved local system reliability and resilience during extreme events
 - Additional opportunities for community engagement
4. **Emerging technologies may present alternative options to eliminate natural gas use at Glenarm in the long run but require significant technological advances and present additional costs and risks.**
5. **Consideration of PWP’s position in the CAISO wholesale market will be important to manage cost and risk**
 - Additional renewable procurement will lead to “oversupply” in some periods (e.g. solar in spring), resulting in increasing risk of curtailment or sales at negative prices
 - Maintaining a small amount of flexibility to purchase from the market (while meeting 100% of *annual* needs with carbon-free energy) allows PWP to maximize the value of its resources and reduce costs relative to an “hourly matching” strategy that eliminates all reliance on the market

Next Steps

- + Refinement of cases presented today
- + Additional portfolio sensitivity analyses (e.g. transmission expansion)
- + Technology cost sensitivities
- + Cost impacts analyses

Appendix



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Portfolio Development Process

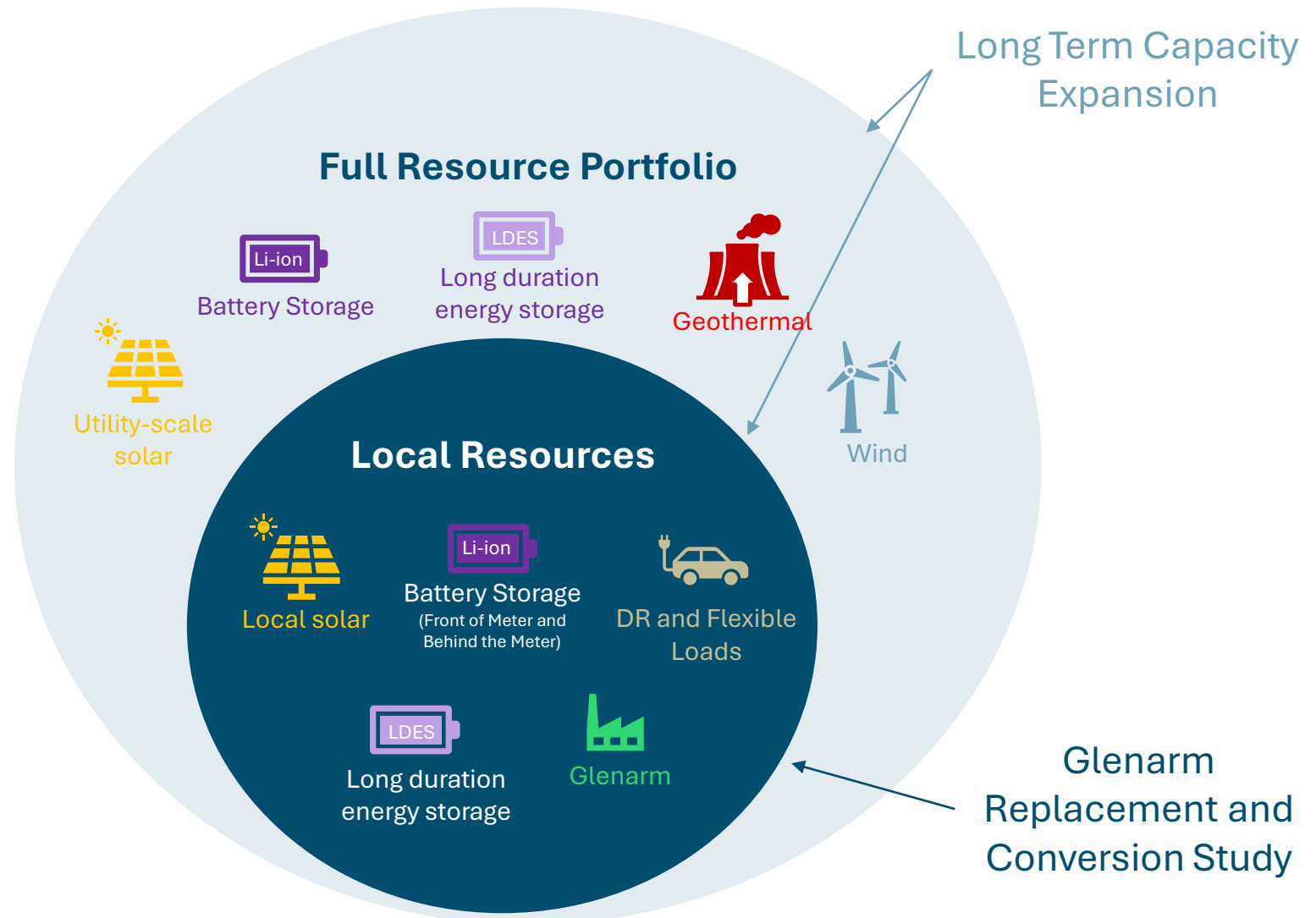
Portfolio development process comprises two phases of analysis:

1. Glenarm Replacement and Conversion Study: Identify a range of internal resource solutions to meet local reliability needs of PWP system given limitations of transmission system

- Focus on a single specific challenge on the path to Resolution 9977 goals
- Not yet considering relative cost of different options

2. Long-Term Capacity Expansion: Create complete resource portfolios that consider objectives of clean energy, reliability, affordability, and equity

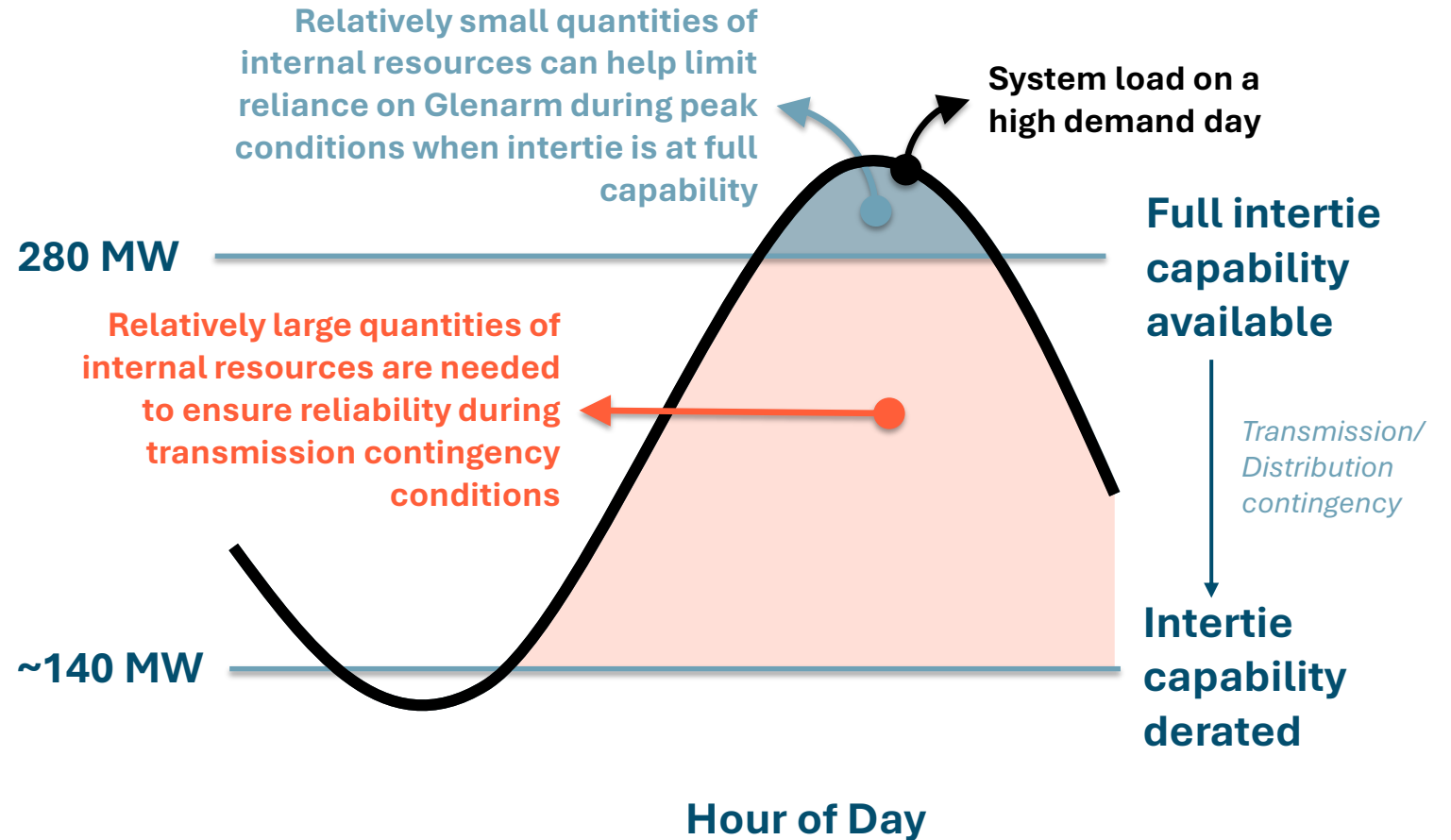
- Focus on holistic view of resource portfolio to support Resolution 9977 goals



Visualizing Reliability Needs for Internal Generation

Maintaining reliability in Pasadena's service territory requires internal resources that can meet needs under a range of extreme conditions:

1. During peak demand conditions (above import capability)
2. During transmission or distribution contingencies that reduce intertie capability



Three Frames for Internal Reliability Analysis

Augment Glenarm

What internal resources are needed to meet growing loads while **maintaining reliability if Glenarm remains in service?**

Mitigate Glenarm

*What additional internal resources can **mitigate the need to operate Glenarm** under "normal" operating conditions (i.e. when import capability is available up to full 280 MW)?*

Replace Glenarm

What are the total resource needs to **maintain reliability even in the event of transmission contingency?**

Internal resources considered

Solar

Storage

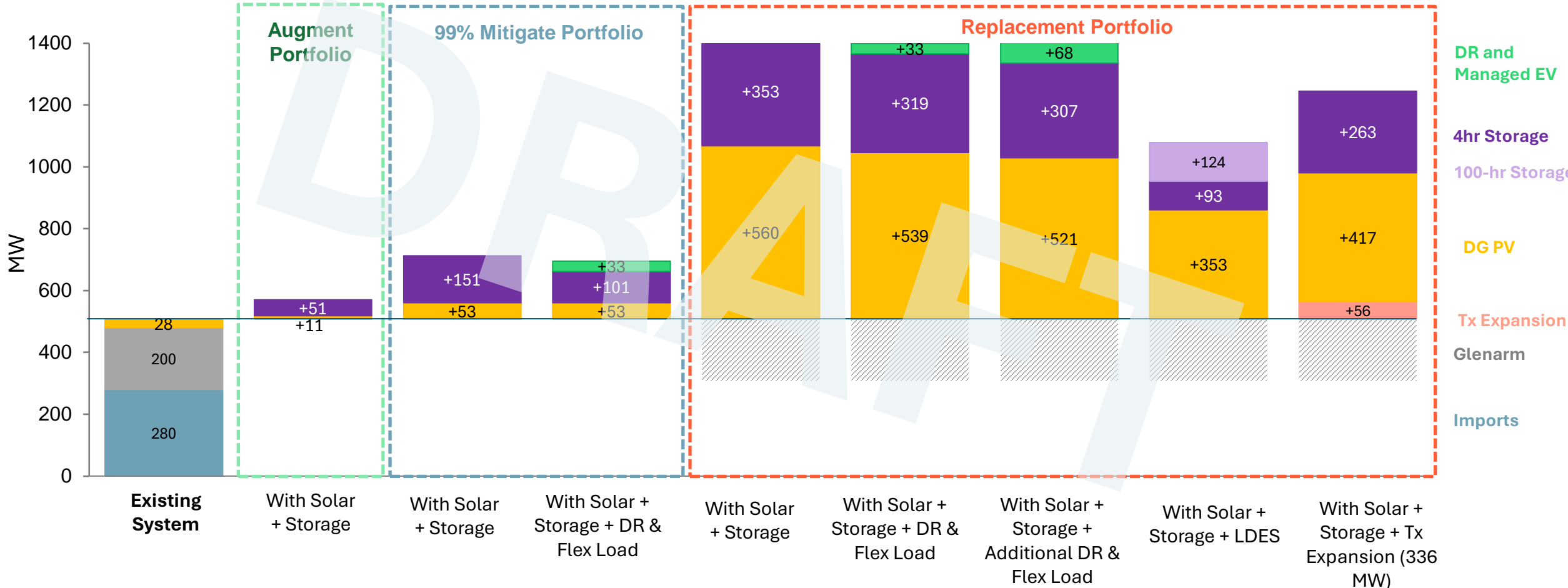
Increased Load
Flexibility & Managed
Charging

Long Duration Storage

Sensitivities also explore
increased import capability

Reminder of Glenarm Replacement Analysis Presented at Last TAP Meeting

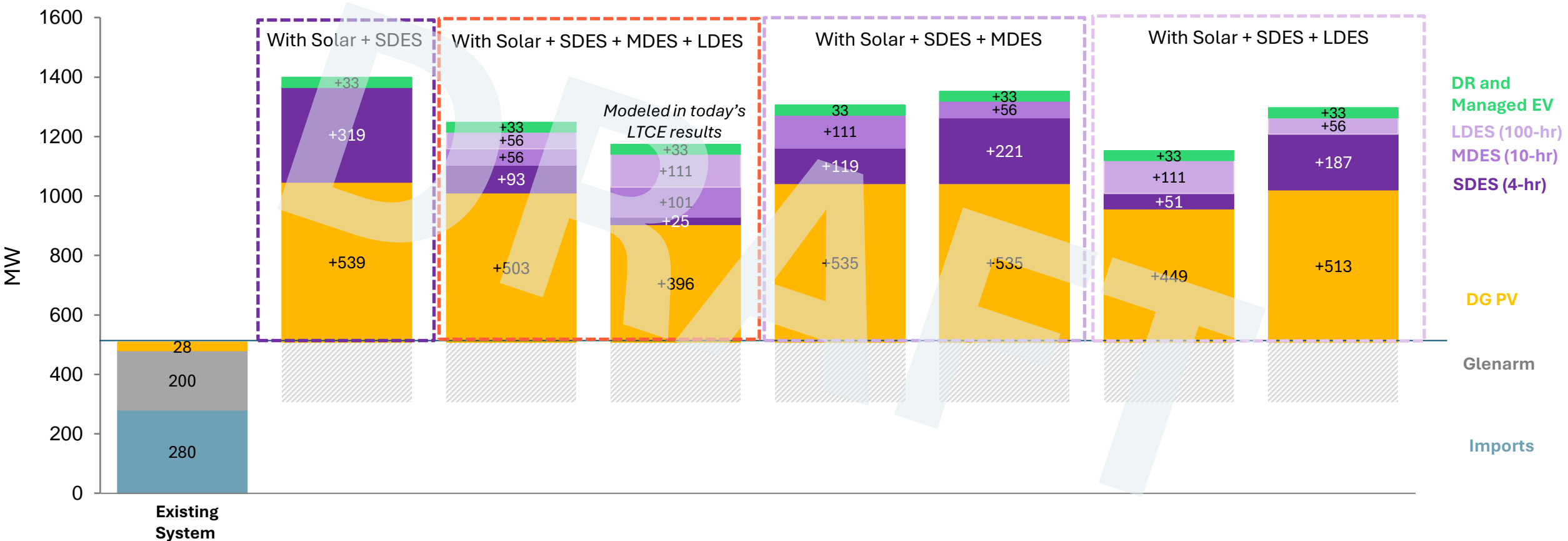
Glenarm Augment, Mitigate, and Replacement Portfolios, Incremental Nameplate MW



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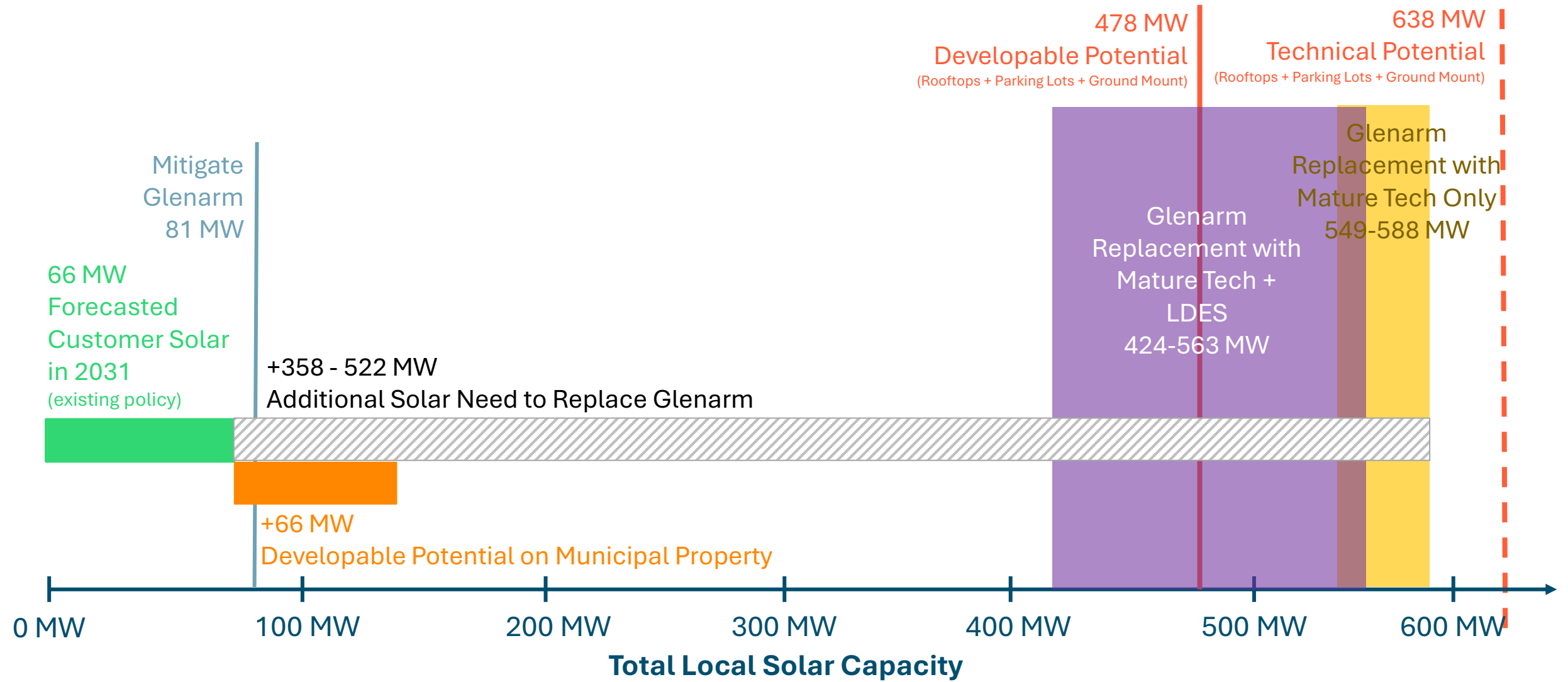
Glenarm Replacement Portfolio Summary with MDES and LDES

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Scale of Local Solar Need and Resource Potential



Evaluating Options to Supply Hydrogen at Glenarm

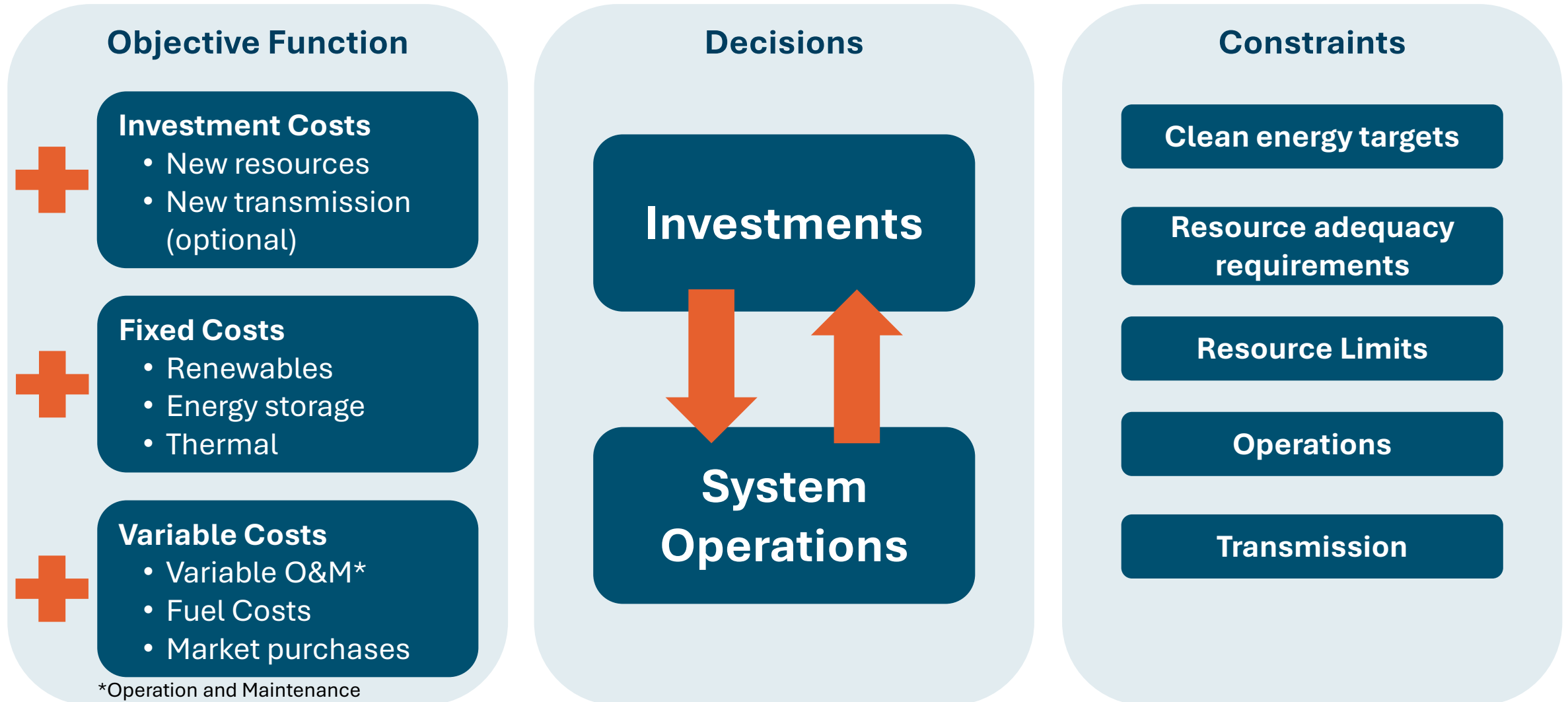
On-site storage of trucked in hydrogen or on-site production of hydrogen at Glenarm are not viable options for 100% conversion due to scale of plant fuel needs

Land use requirements for on-site hydrogen storage or production are prohibitive.

 Delivering hydrogen to Glenarm would require...   To produce hydrogen on-site...

To store fuel supply for...	1 day	3 days	To generate enough fuel within a summer week for..	1 day	3 days	
Tons of H2 Fuel	375	1,125	MW of electrolyzers	125	375	} 50-100% of existing system peak load.
Acres for storage	25	75	Acres for electrolyzers	<1	<1	
Truck trips to fill storage tank	375	1,125	MW of solar for electrolysis	300	900	} Ground-mount PV potential in Pasadena is ~10 MW.
			Acres for solar for electrolysis	1,650	5,000	
			Acres for storage	25	75	

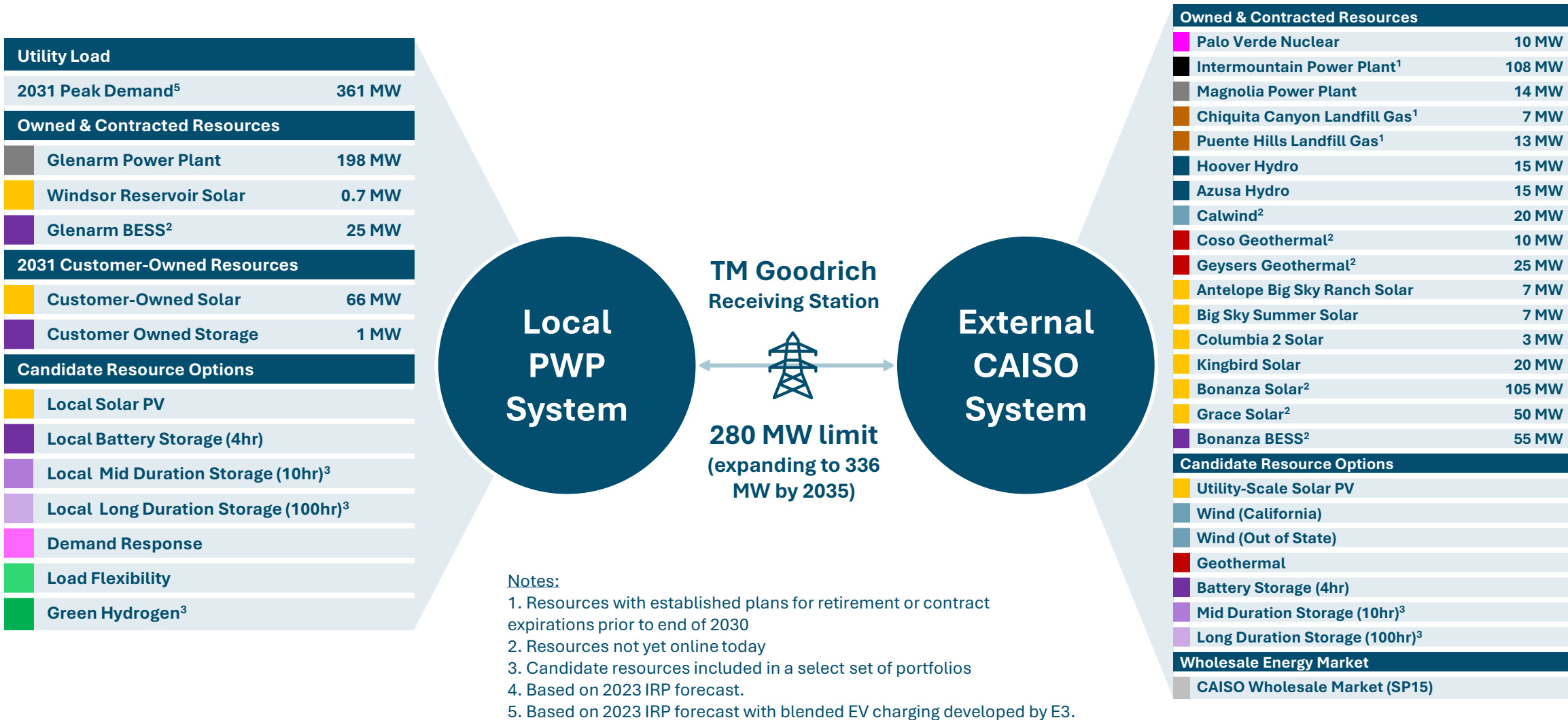
Long-Term Capacity Expansion Modeling Overview



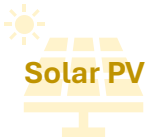







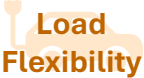
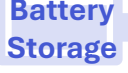




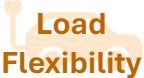
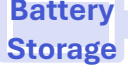
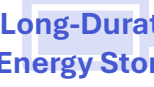
Common Assumptions Across Cases Modeled in LTCE

Load Forecast	Customer Resources	Existing Portfolio	Transmission	Resource Potential
2031 peak demand: 360 MW <i>(reflects managed EV charging)</i>	Adoption of customer resources by 2031 based on current NEM structure: Solar: 65 MW Storage: 1 MW	All resources currently owned or under contract to PWP included across portfolios <i>(retirement dates vary across cases)</i>	280 MW import limit at TM Goodrich, expanding to 336 MW by 2035	External resource options informed by CPUC IRP planning assumptions; internal resource options informed by preparatory studies
Resource Costs	Commodity Pricing	Clean Energy	Local Reliability	Resource Adequacy
Informed by the OSP New and Emerging Tech Study	Natural gas, carbon allowance, and CAISO wholesale electricity prices based on E3 fundamentals-based forecast	All portfolios include <u>at least</u> enough carbon-free energy to meet PWP's annual energy needs by 2031	All portfolios include a minimum requirement for local resources informed by LOLP modeling	All portfolios must meet future RA requirements based on "marginal ELCC" accreditation framework

Topology for Capacity Expansion Model



Three Core Case Studies to Achieve Resolution 9977 Goals

Case Studies	New Resources Considered to Meet Resolution 9977 Goals						<u>Additional variations explored to provide PWP and City Council with robust analyses to inform the Optimized Strategic Plan:</u>
Mature Technologies Only	 Solar PV	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage		
Mature Technologies + Green Hydrogen	 Solar PV	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage	 Green Hydrogen (H ₂) Conversion at Glenarm	
Mature Technologies + Long-Duration Storage	 Solar PV	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage	 Long-Duration Energy Storage	

Common methods & assumptions across all three case studies:

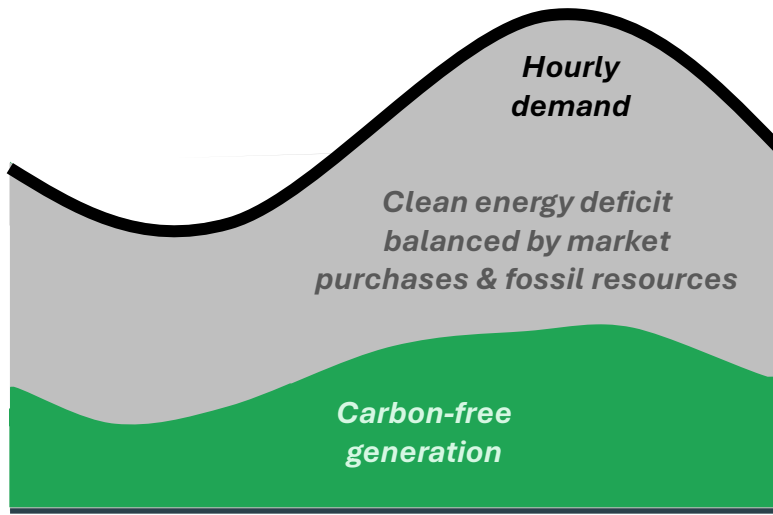
- Natural gas combustion at Glenarm ceases by end of 2030 (either converted to H₂ or replaced)
- No reliance on wholesale market purchases (“24x7 carbon free electricity”)
- Quantities of each resource optimized in each case study to meet reliability needs and carbon-free objectives

- + **“Accelerated Local Resources”:** What are the comparative impacts of portfolios that accelerate the deployment of local resources while maintaining Glenarm Power Plant as a backup for reliability?
- + **Timing:** How does each strategy change if transition to carbon-free occurs less rapidly?
 - Opportunity to synchronize transition with transmission expansion
 - More plausible timelines for technology readiness for emerging technologies
- + **Markets:** How does short-term market transaction flexibility impact these case studies?
- + **Renewable Natural Gas:** What are the cost impacts of utilizing RNG to reduce carbon emissions from Glenarm?

Different Procurement Strategies Will Lead to Large Differences in PWP's Position in the CAISO Market

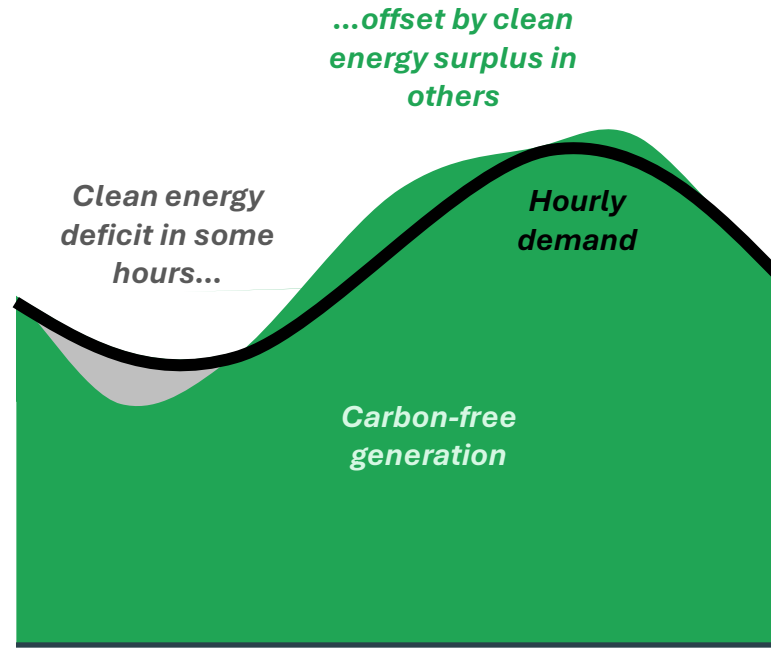
Current Portfolio (2025)

Utility has a **short market position**, relying on market purchases (and fossil resources) to serve a portion of load in all hours



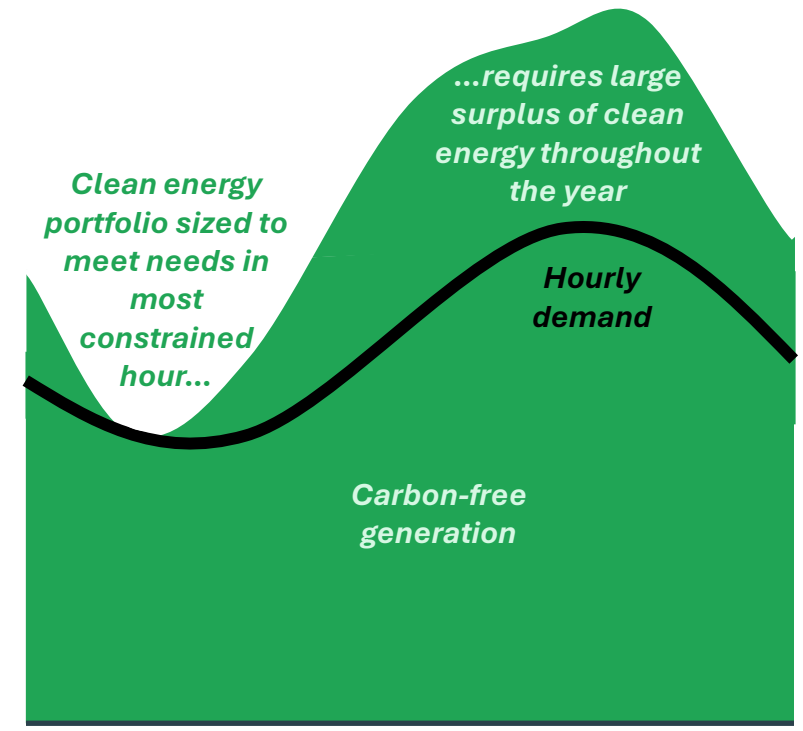
"100% Annual Matching"

Utility maintains a **balanced market position**, offsetting market purchases with sales of surplus clean energy



"100% Hourly Matching"

Utility takes a **long market position**, resulting in significant off-system sales and/or curtailment so carbon-free resources can meet load in most constrained periods



Figures are illustrative – not a modeling result

Relative Incremental Cost Metric

Cost metrics presented today:

+ Incremental costs include the following components:

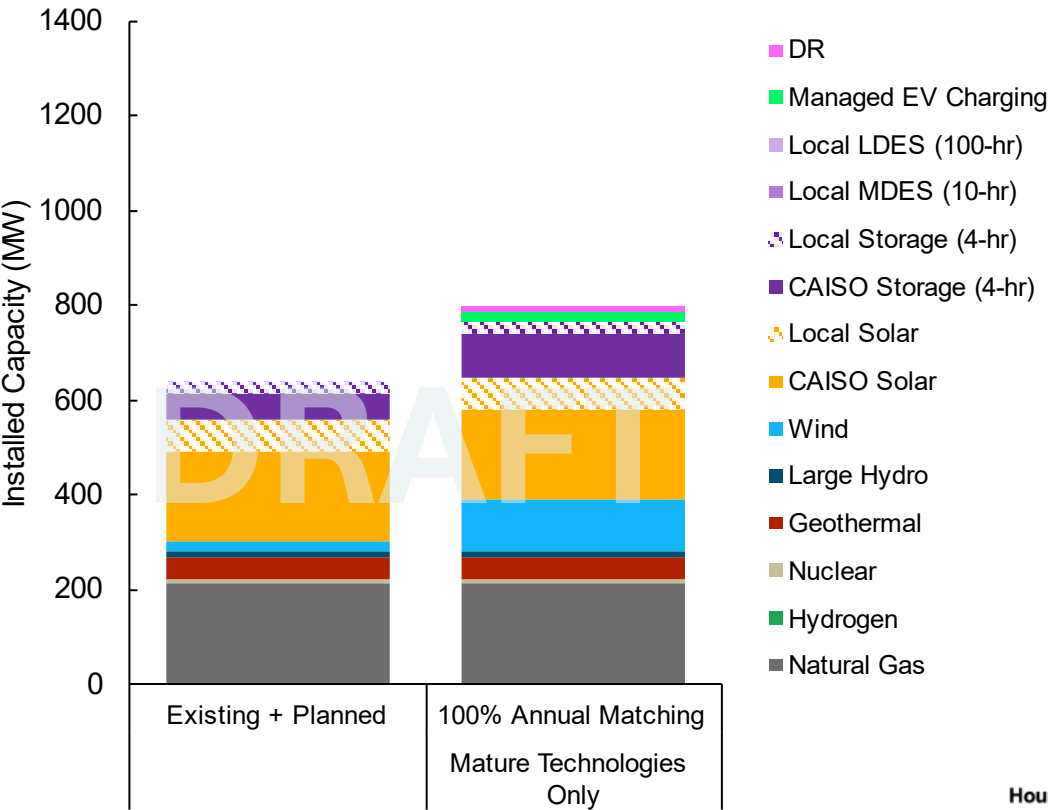
- Fixed Operations and Maintenance for existing utility-owned generation
- Operating costs (fuel, operations and maintenance) for new and existing resources
- Procurement costs for new resources
- Market purchases and sales
- Transmission Access Charge

+ Costs are presented relative to the lowest cost case (100% Annual Matching)

+ Costs reflect annual costs in 2031 to serve loads; additional on-going costs are associated with the portfolio in each case study

+ *Next steps: Calculate total system cost including existing or embedded costs and develop average system cost metrics*

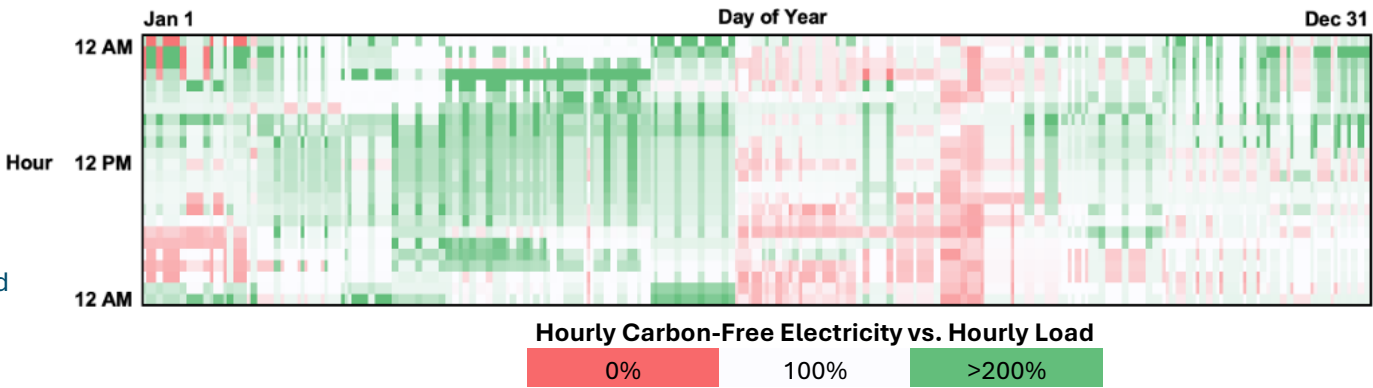
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only



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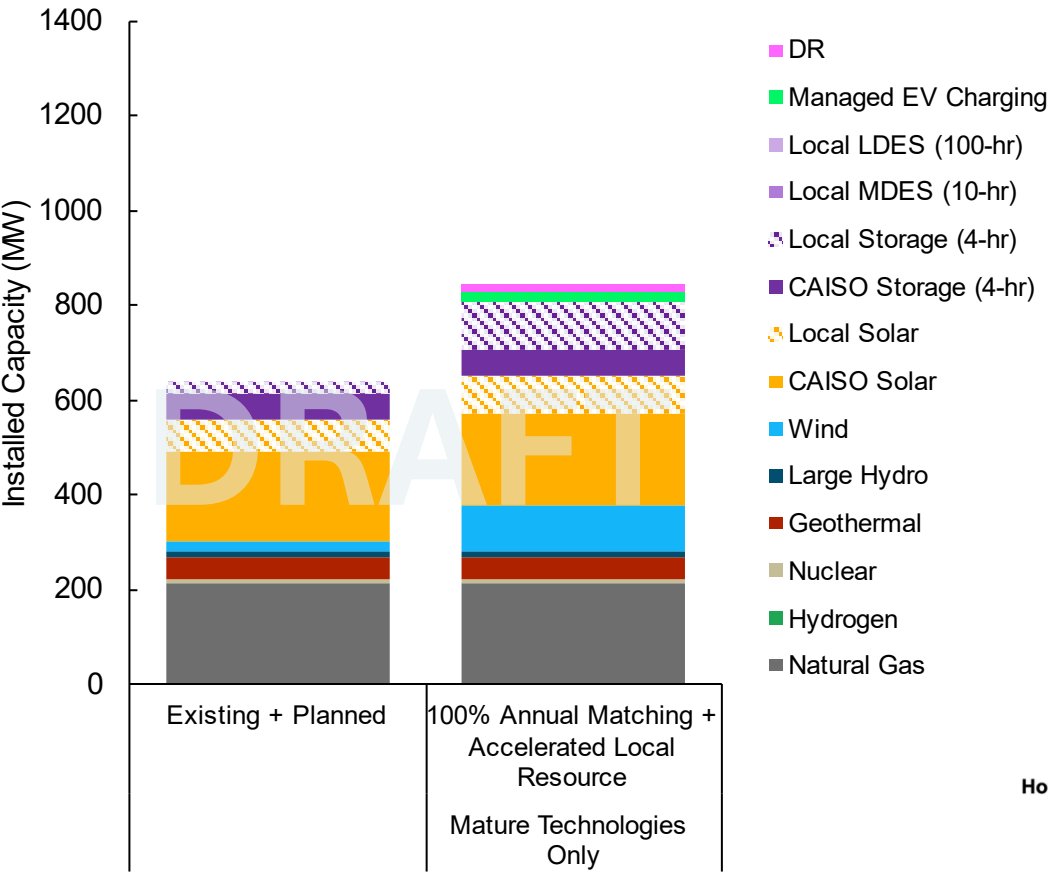
- + Modest incremental additions of renewables and storage allow PWP to meet 100% of annual energy needs with carbon-free sources
- + Glenarm retained and operated infrequently for local reliability
- + “Annual matching”: sales of surplus carbon-free resources offset market purchases and limited Glenarm operations (mostly summer)

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1:	Metric 2:	Metric 3:
	100%+	96%	90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$0 million per year		



* Metric 3 calculated based on limited deterministic set of conditions represented in long-term capacity expansion modeling. Real world results would necessarily vary and likely be lower due to a broader set of potential conditions.

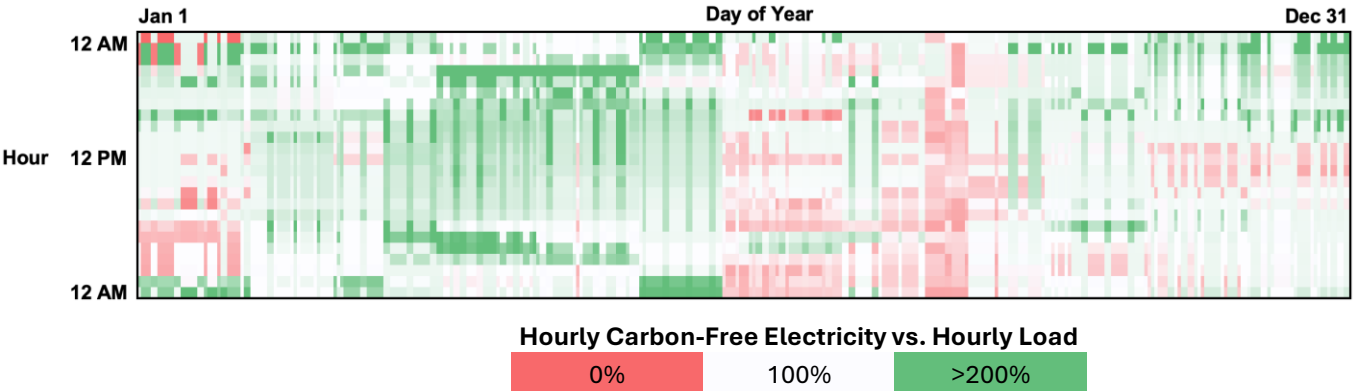
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only (Accelerated Local Resources)



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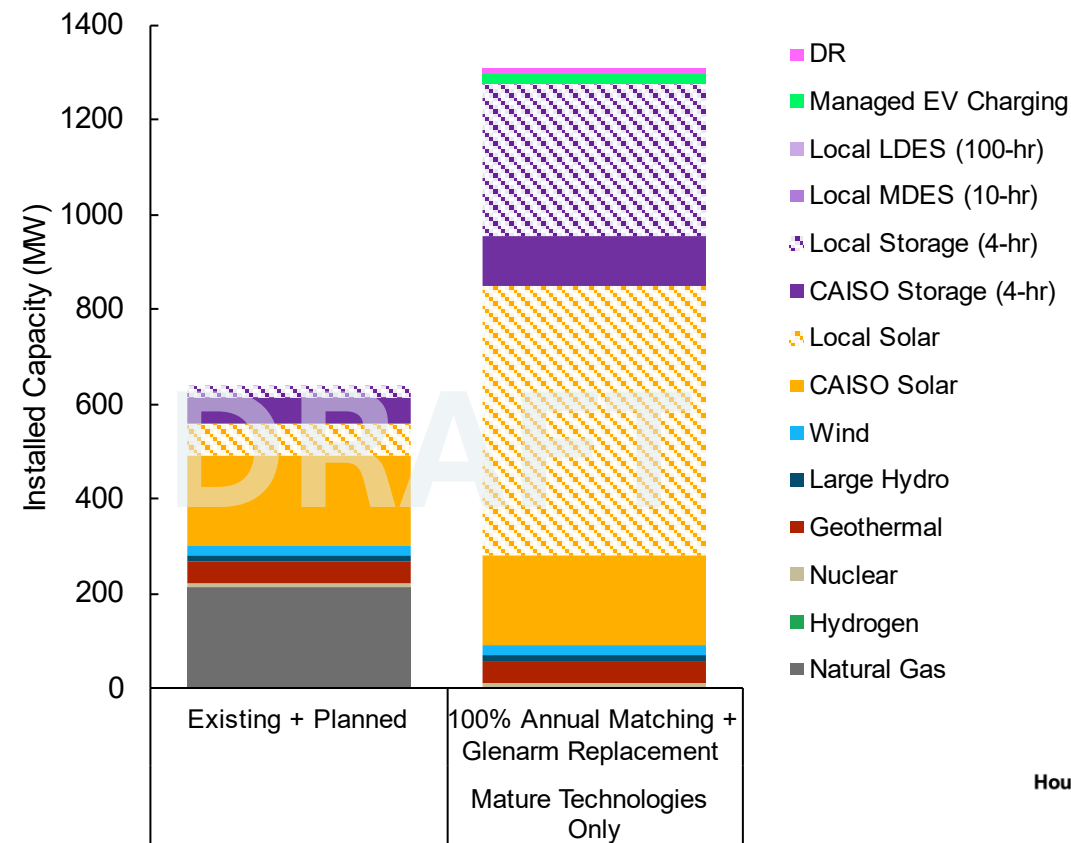
- + Increased focus on local solar & storage development further reduces frequency of Glenarm's use to meet local reliability needs and reduces imports from CAISO at limited incremental cost
- + Increased internal resource development reduces level of external resources developed

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 97%	Metric 3: 90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$3 million per year		



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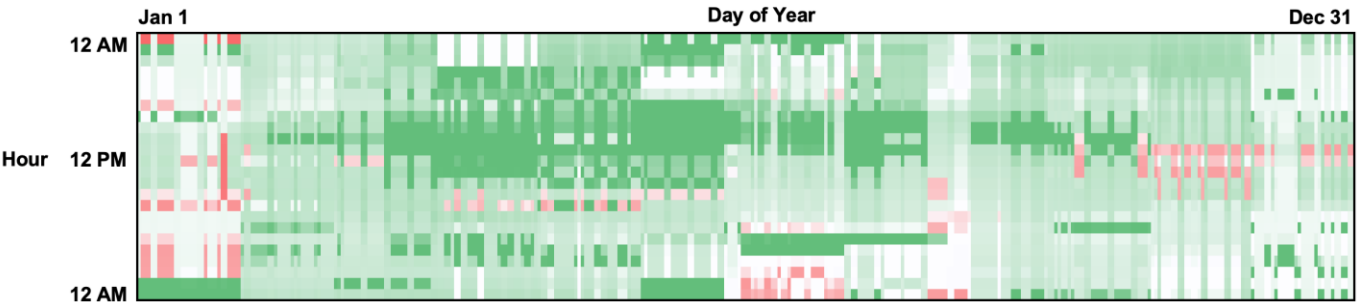
100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only (Glenarm Replacement)



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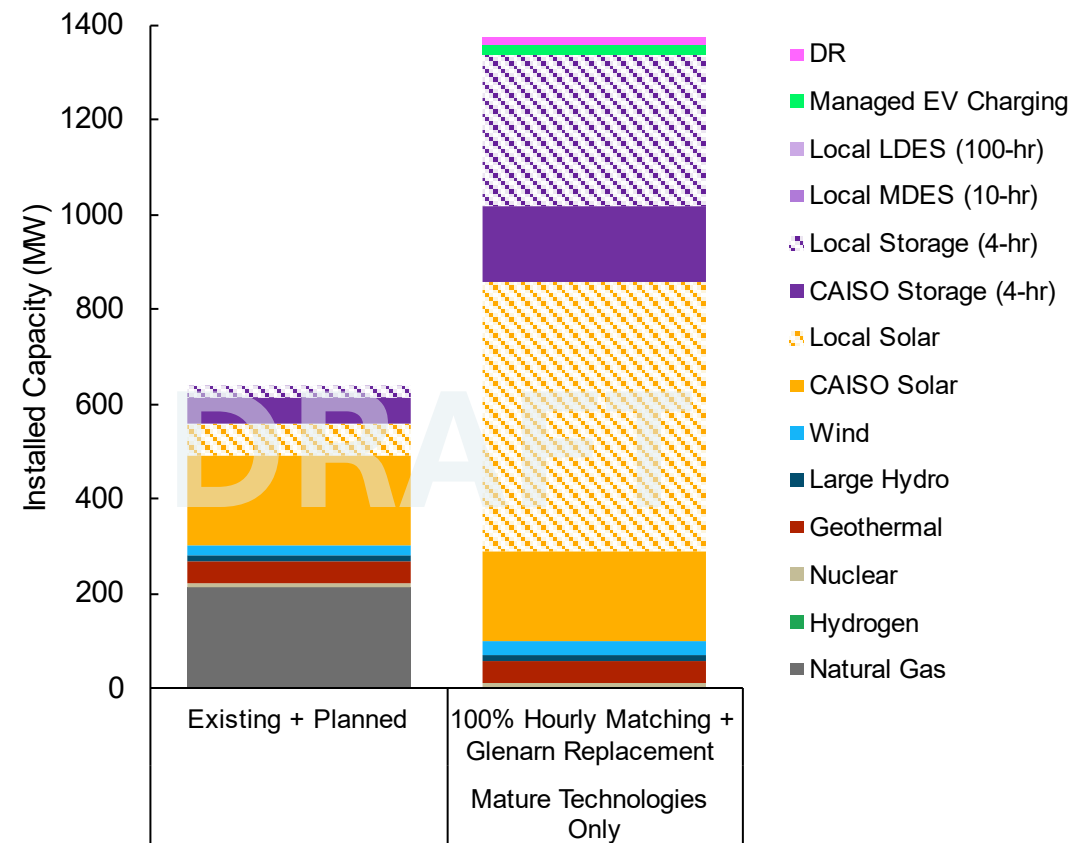
- + Local solar and storage at significant scale needed to replace Glenarm while maintaining local reliability, resulting in very high incremental costs
- + Even with the scale of local resource development, there are still some periods where this portfolio relies on the market to meet PWP needs

Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 90%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$101 million per year		



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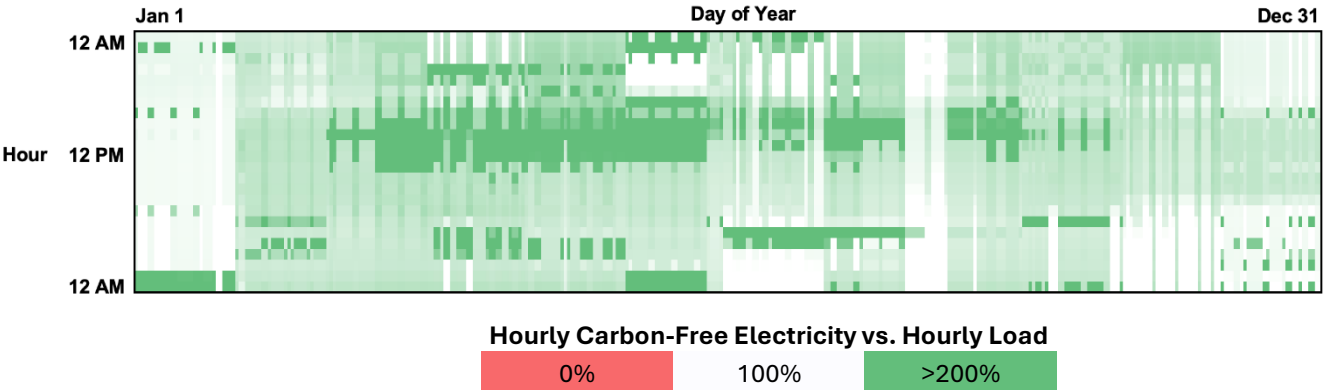
100% Hourly Matching, Mature Technologies Only (Glenarm Replacement)



Initial Learnings & Portfolio Highlights:

+ Achieving 100% hourly matching requires (1) significant local resource additions to replace Glenarm, (2) additional external resources to eliminate reliance on market, and (3) self-scheduling of energy storage resources to meet PWP needs (rather than maximizing value)

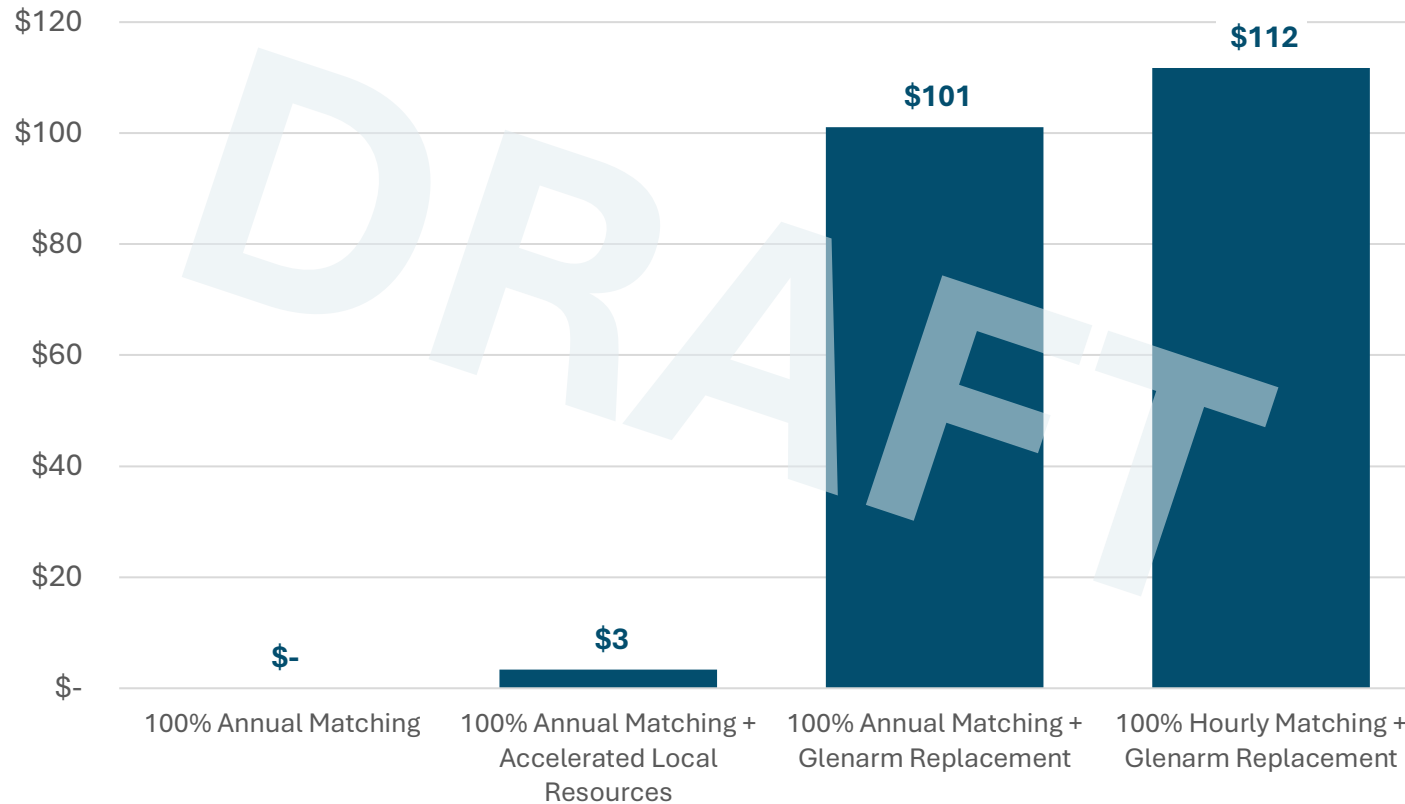
Forecasted Clean Energy Metrics:	Metric 1: 100%+	Metric 2: 100%	Metric 3: 100%*
2031 Incremental Cost:	+\$112 million per year		



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Relative Total System Costs in 2031, Mature Technologies Only

2031 Relative Incremental Total System Cost
(\$ million)



Note: PWP's current revenue requirement is approximately \$200M. Absent robust public data, costs for developing local parking canopy solar were assumed to be comparable to commercial rooftop solar. If parking canopy solar were closer to the cost of residential rooftop solar, the cost for the 100% Annual Matching + Glenarm Replacement case would be \$38M higher.

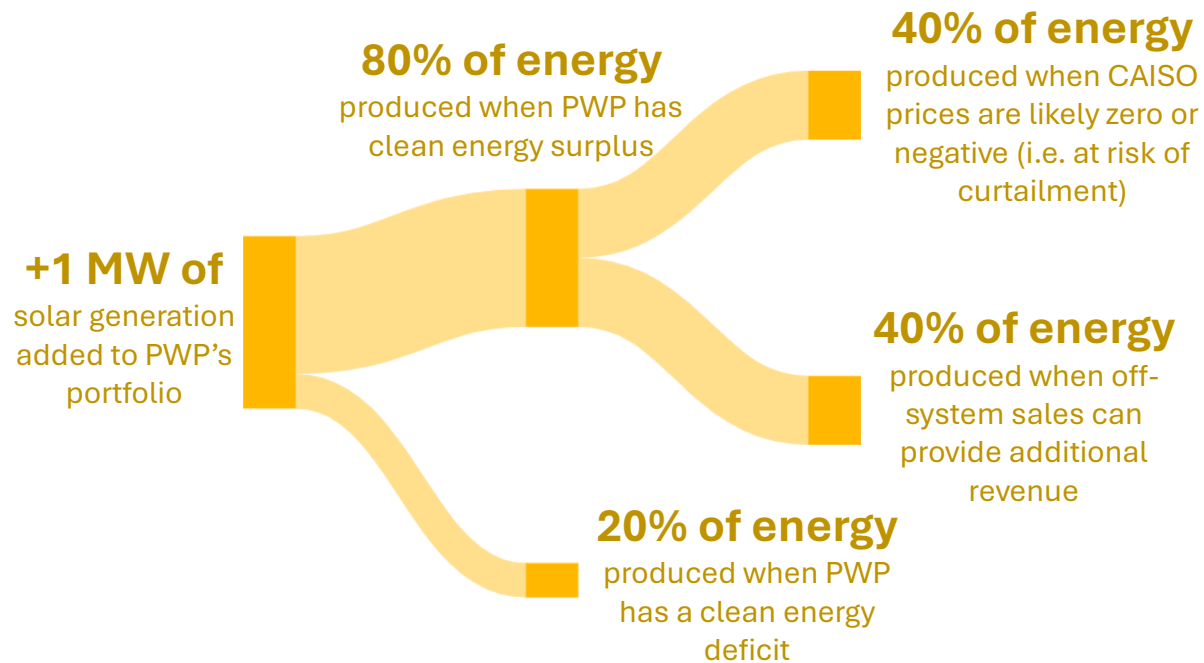
Drivers of Cost Differences Among Cases:

- + **Procurement costs for new renewables and storage resources**
 - NOTE: Costs associated with naturally occurring customer adoption of solar & storage are not included in system cost metrics.
- + **Fuel and O&M costs for PWP-owned resources**
- + **Differences in market purchase costs**

Outstanding Cost Categories to Incorporate:

- + **Existing resource fixed costs/PPA costs**
- + **Other revenue requirement components (e.g. dx costs)**

Resource Diversity is an Important Consideration to Manage Market & Curtailment Risks



- + With high levels of procurement of one resource types, there is significant risks for high levels of curtailment of generation that cannot be sold to the market.
- + When PWP's has an excess of solar generation, the utility may not be able to sell it to the CAISO market which is highly saturated with solar.

Based on results from 100% Annual Matching, Mature Technologies Only, 2031

Forecasted Carbon Metrics, 2031, Mature Technologies Only

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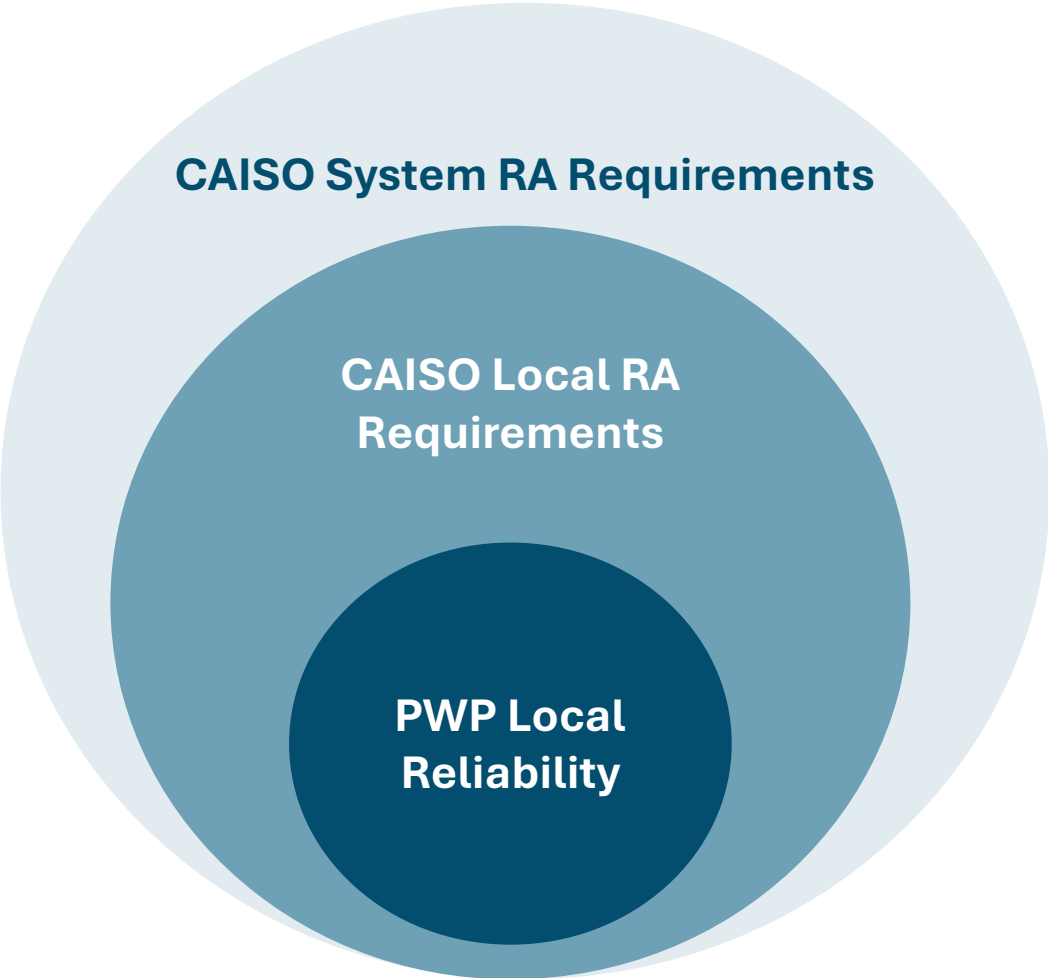
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Multiple Layers of Reliability Requirements



Potential solutions contribute differently to meeting PWP’s reliability needs and obligations

	PWP Local Reliability	CAISO Local RA	CAISO System RA
Internal Resources	✓	✓	✓
Transmission Upgrades	✓	✗	✗
External Resources (in LCR Zones in SCE TAC)	✗	✓	✓
External Resources (outside LCR Zones)	✗	✗	✓

Marginal ELCCs for the OSP

Variable and energy limited resources have ELCCs that generally decline over time as more are added to the portfolio leading to saturation effects.

Resource	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2035	2040	2045
Utility-Scale Solar	12%	13%	13%	12%	12%	11%	11%	8%	6%	12%
Short Duration Storage	64%	60%	56%	53%	50%	47%	44%	36%	28%	15%
Mid Duration Storage	66%	62%	59%	58%	56%	56%	56%	59%	56%	30%
Long Duration Storage	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%
In-State Wind	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%
Out-of-State Wind	23%	23%	23%	22%	22%	21%	21%	20%	19%	19%
Geothermal	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%
Gas or Hydrogen CT	83%	83%	83%	83%	83%	83%	83%	83%	83%	83%

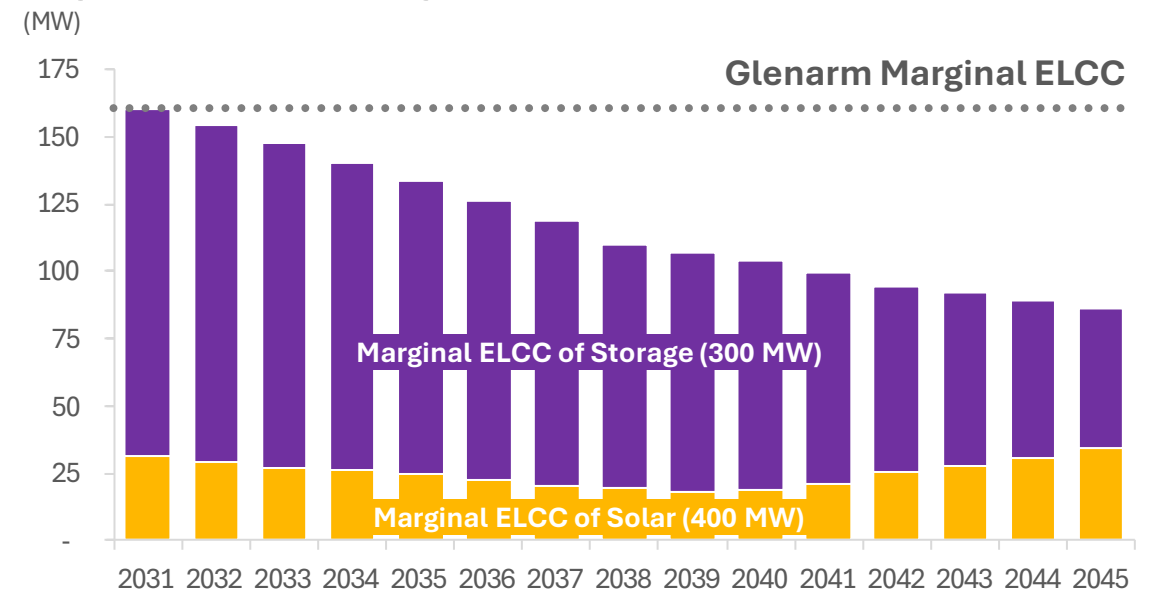
Firm resources like geothermal and gas CTs generally have higher ELCCs that do not decline over time.

Marginal ELCC assumptions used in PWP OSP derived from modeling results in CPUC Integrated Resource Planning proceeding

Long-Term Resource Adequacy Risks Associated with Solar & Storage Replacement

- + As penetration of variable & storage resources increases across CAISO, marginal ELCCs decline (particularly for energy storage)
- + As a result, capacity accredited to solar & storage replacement portfolio that initially has the same accreditation as Glenarm may decline significantly below that value over time.
- + Long-term declines in capacity accreditation of solar & storage replacement portfolio means that increasing quantities of additional resources may be needed to meet CAISO RA obligations

Marginal ELCC of Solar & Storage Replacement Resources Over Time



Illustrative portfolio of solar and storage

Pasadena's Carbon Metrics

Metric 1: Share of PWP's **annual retail sales** that is carbon free

$$\frac{\text{Forecasted Annual Carbon – Free Generation}}{\text{Forecasted Annual Load}}$$

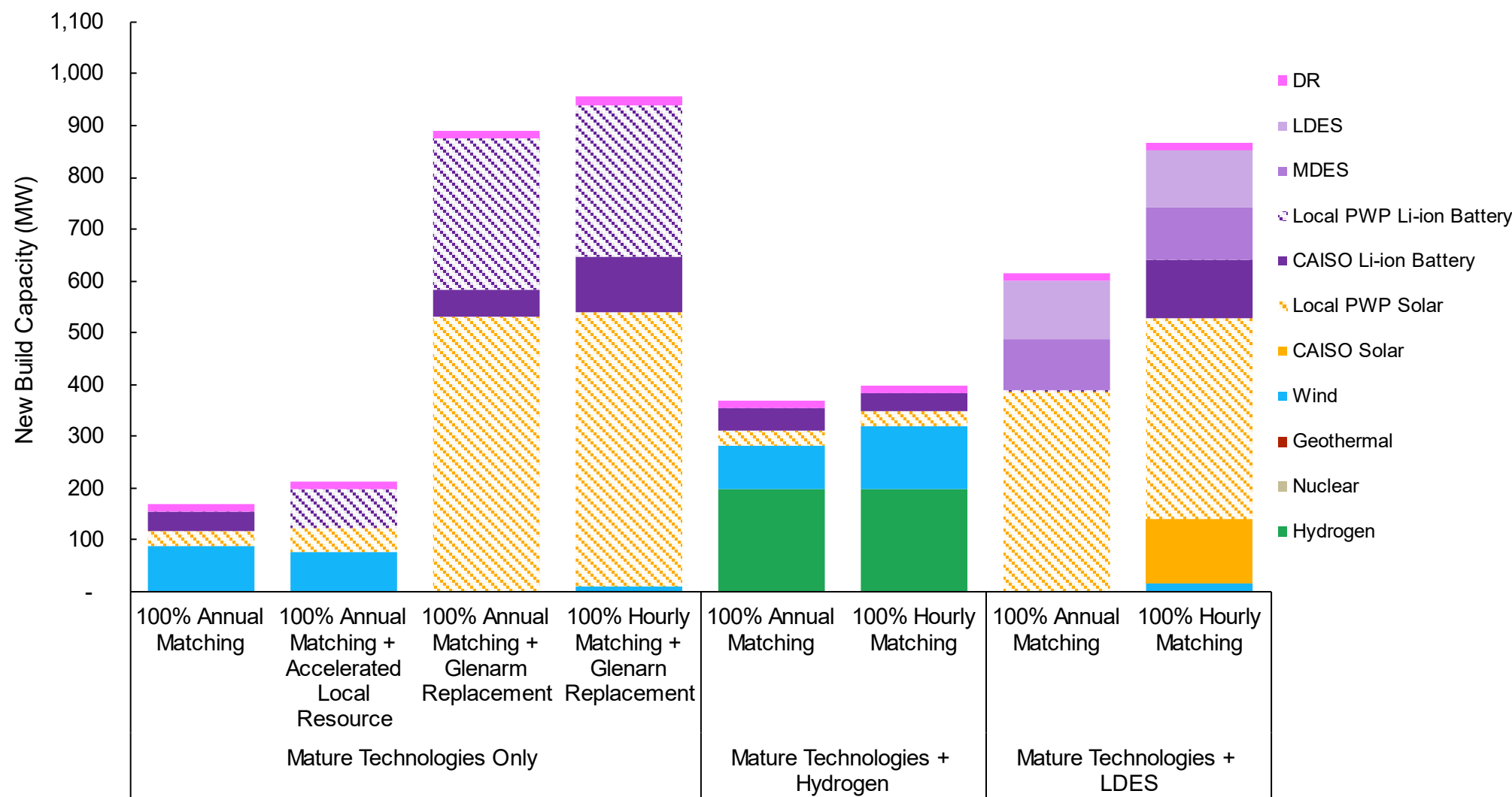
Metric 2: Share of PWP's total **annual generation**¹ that is carbon free

$$\frac{\text{Forecasted Total Carbon – Free Generation}}{\text{Forecasted Total of All Generation}}$$

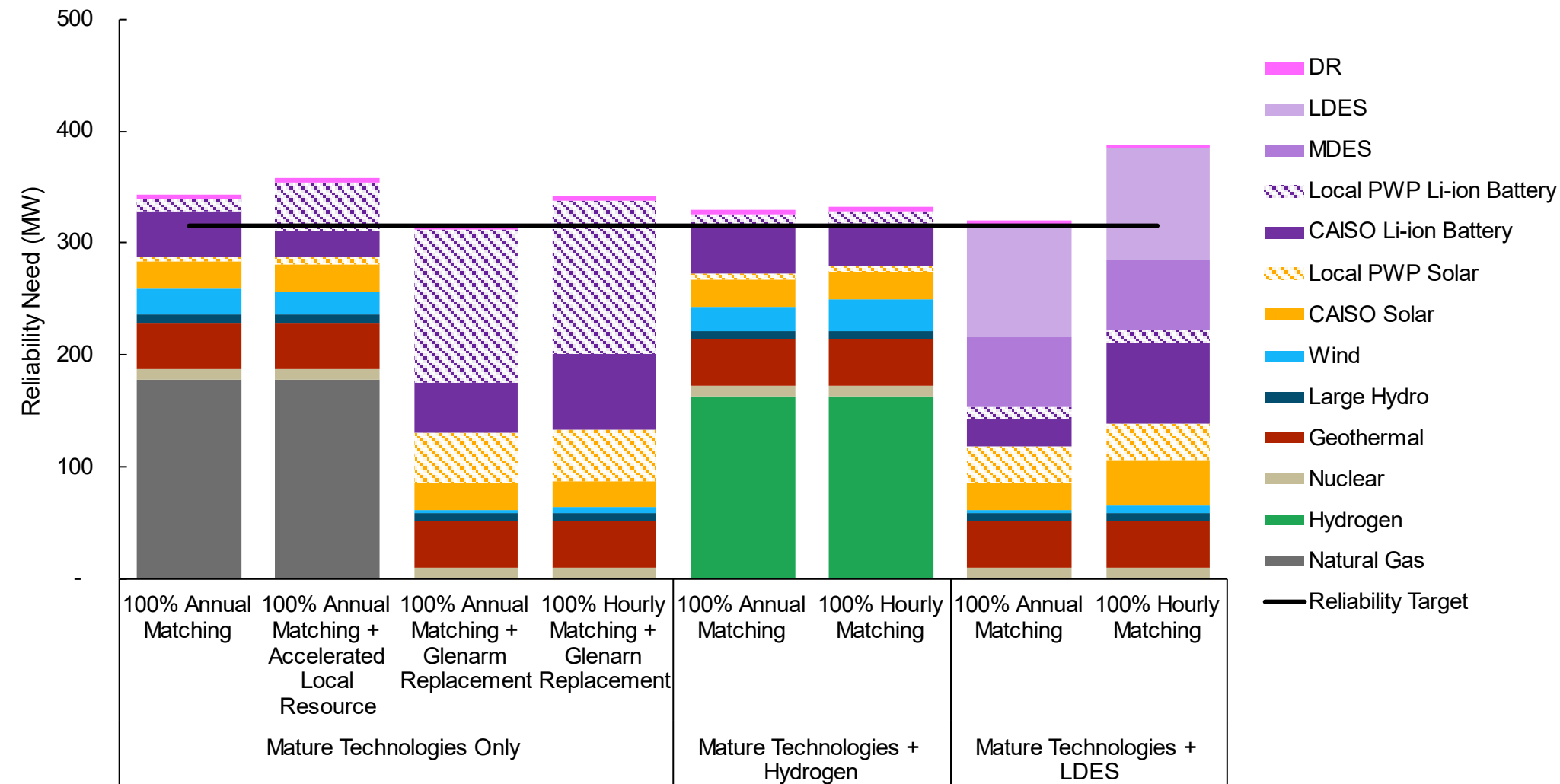
Metric 3: Share of PWP's **hourly energy needs**¹ that is carbon free

$$\frac{\text{Forecasted Carbon – Free Generation Capped at Hourly Load Forecast}}{\text{Forecasted Annual Load}}$$

Cumulative Capacity Additions (MW) 2025-2031



CAISO System Resource Adequacy (MW) in 2031



Insights & Initial Learnings from Glenarm Replacement and Conversion Study.

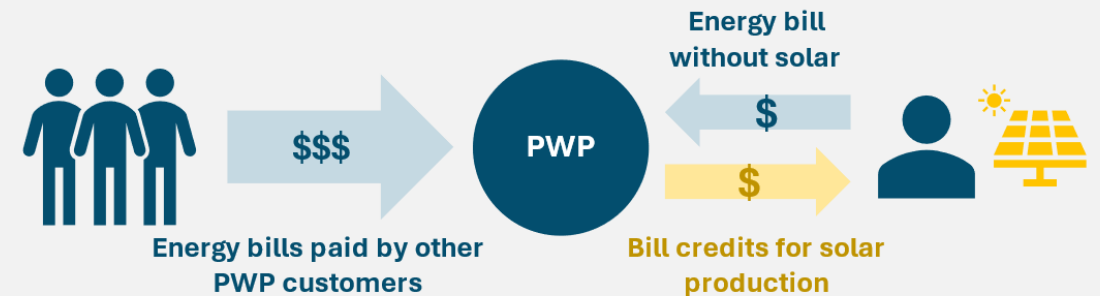
- 1. If Glenarm remains in service, the need for additional resources to meet growing loads is relatively modest and is largely consistent with resources already procured by PWP and naturally occurring customer adoption of solar.**
- 2. Replacing Glenarm with a combination of internal renewables, storage, and demand-side resources requires new internal generation resources at a significant scale that approaches technical potential.**
 - Sizing of replacement portfolio largely driven by need to maintain reliability during (a) transmission contingency conditions even when (b) solar output is limited (short-term cloudy days)
 - Demand-side resources, emerging longer-duration storage technologies and incremental transmission upgrades can reduce scale of resource needs. None offer a “silver bullet” solution to the challenge of replacing firm generation.
 - A larger transmission upgrade, potentially constructed in the 2030s, could reduce the challenge of replacing Glenarm.
 - Consistent with broader literature and experience in the industry showing that meeting reliability needs without “firm” resources (short-term resources that can be dispatched on demand for as long as needed) is prohibitively challenging.
- 3. While the scale of resources needed to replace Glenarm entirely is significant, smaller quantities of new internal resources can reduce the reliance on Glenarm except for the most extreme conditions.**
- 4. Full hydrogen conversion of Glenarm requires significant infrastructure developments that are beyond PWP’s control and are unlikely to be built before 2030.**
 - RNG may be an effective short-term substitute for natural gas while longer-term options for replacement or conversion remain uncertain.

Treatment of Local Solar & Storage Costs in Total System Cost

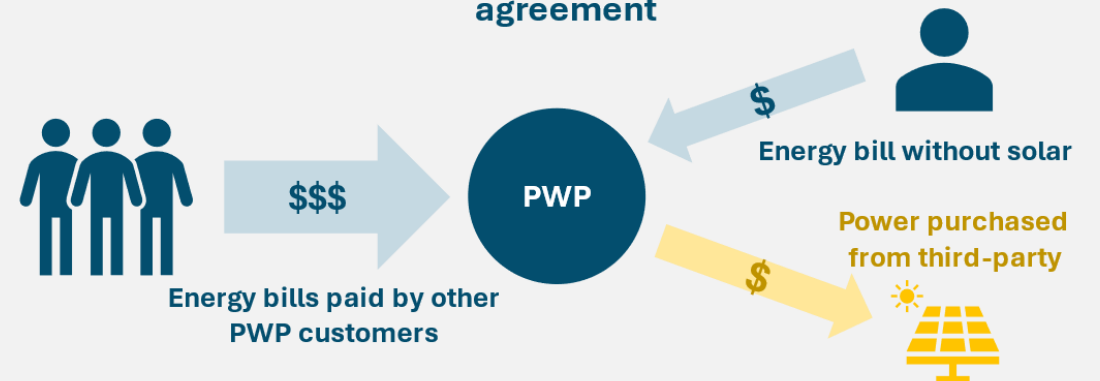
- + Installation costs for solar and storage systems naturally adopted by customers in response to current rate design are not included in Total System Cost metric
- + For additional local resources *beyond* this level of naturally occurring adoption, costs for solar and storage are included in Total System Cost
- + There are multiple mechanisms that PWP could utilize to procure or develop additional local resources
 - Bill credits (as with current Net Energy Metering)
 - Direct incentives to customers
 - Feed-in tariffs
 - Power purchase agreements with third party developers
 - Utility ownership
- + All mechanisms require some financial incentive – in some cases explicit, in others implicit – to the counterparty making the investment that impacts costs borne by other utility customers
- + Including costs for solar and storage at a level that would allow the owner to recover the costs of the investment over its lifetime represents a *lower bound* of the potential size of the the financial incentive and corresponding impact to PWP customers

Whether implicit or explicit, remuneration provided to solar owner impacts costs to serve other PWP customers

Example: Implicit compensation through bill credits



Example: Explicit compensation through power purchase agreement



Development of an Optimized Strategic Plan for Pasadena Water and Power

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Agenda

- + Increasing Metric 3
- + Additional case studies
- + Distribution study methodology
- + Next steps

Defining “Optimized Strategic Plan”

The Optimized Strategic Plan is...

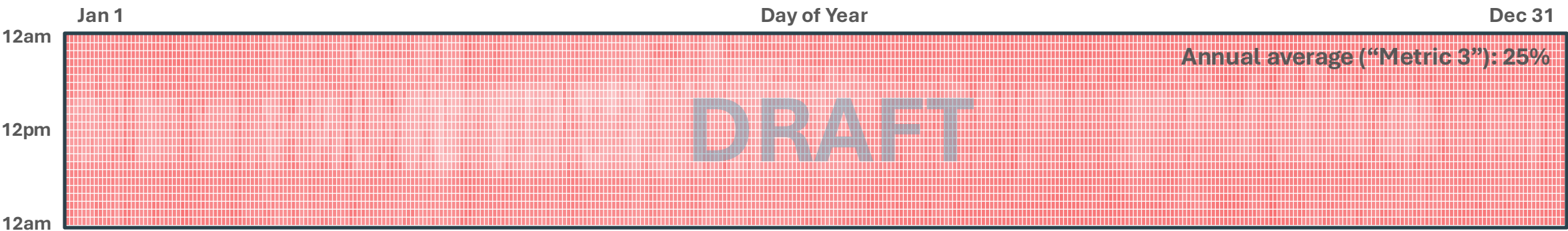
...a roadmap that lays out the key steps and future decision points that will best position PWP to achieve its goal to source all electricity from carbon-free sources by the end of 2030 while maintaining reliability and limiting cost impacts to customers

The Optimized Strategic Plan will...

...consider how new generation resources, investments in transmission and distribution infrastructure, and customer programs can facilitate transition to Pasadena’s carbon-free goal

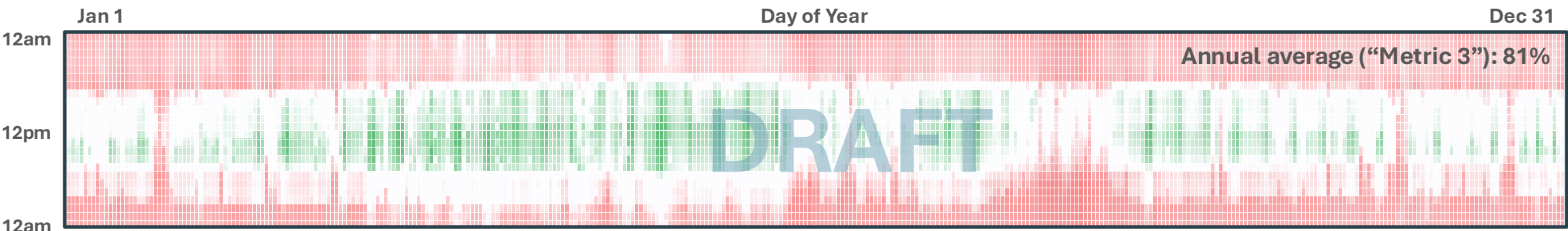
Balance of Carbon-Free Energy Resources based on Currently Executed Contracts

2025 Carbon-Free Electricity Supply

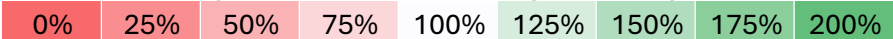


2031 Carbon-Free Electricity Supply (Executed Contracts Only)

Additions: Coso Geothermal (10 MW), Geysers Geothermal (25 MW), Bonanza Solar/BESS (105 MW/55MW), Glenarm BESS (25 MW), Calwind (20 MW)













Hourly Carbon-Free Electricity vs. Hourly Load

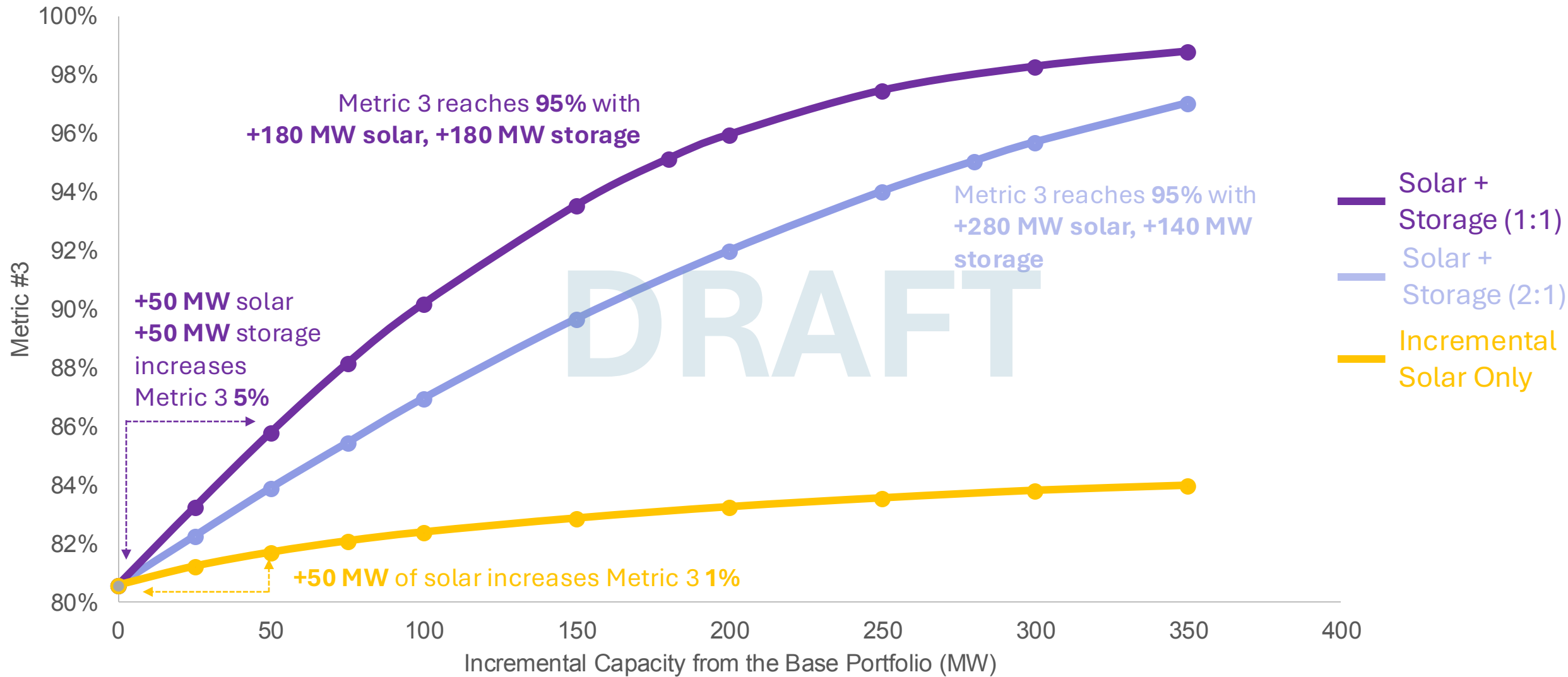


Resource Options Available to Close the Gap on Metric 3

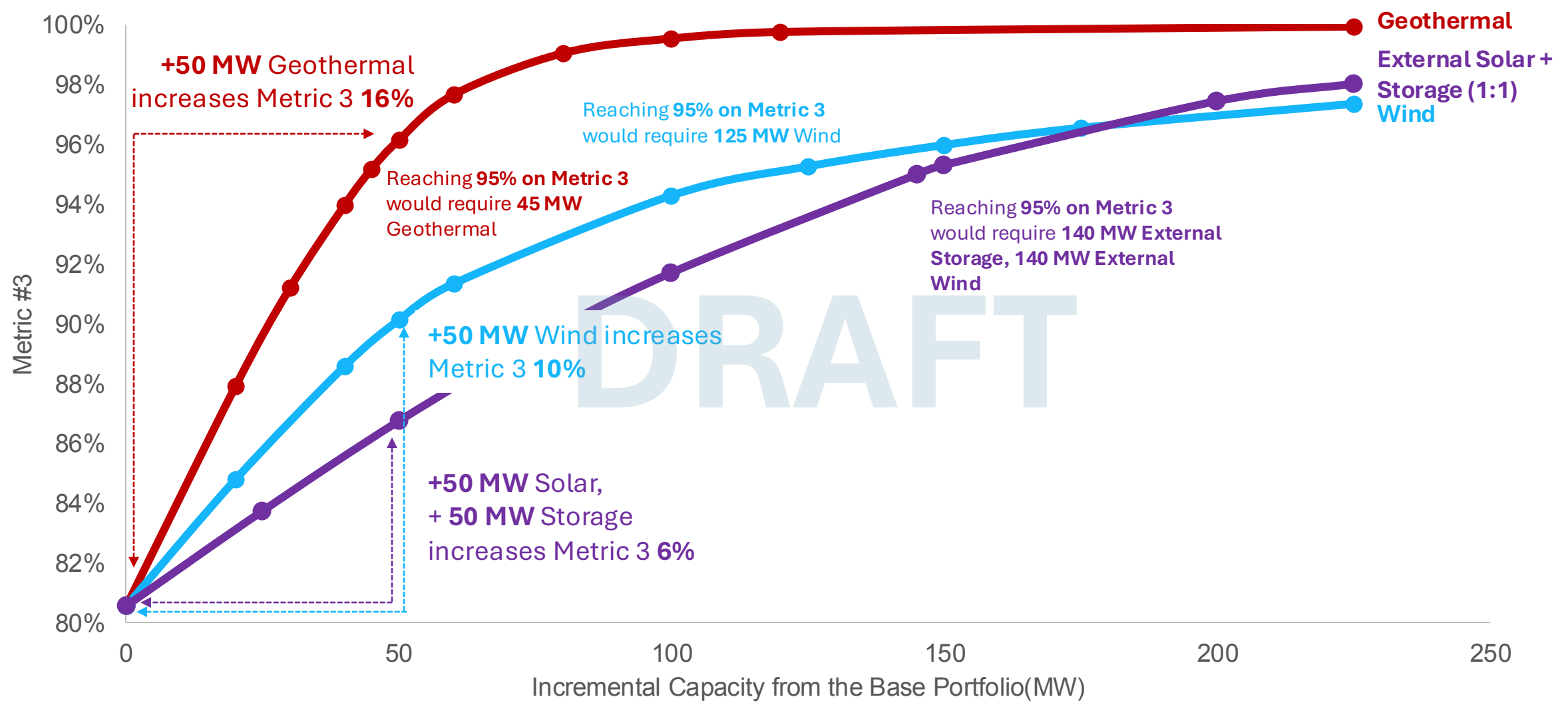
Multiple options for carbon-free generation and storage resources exist to increase Metric 3 and each have their own considerations or limitations.

	Local	External
 Solar	✓	✓
 Wind		✓
 Geothermal		✓
 Battery Storage (4-hr)	✓	✓
 Demand Response	✓	
 Managed EV Charging	✓	
 Mid Duration Storage (10-hr)	✓	✓
 Long Duration Storage (100-hr)	✓	✓
 H ₂ -Fired Gas Turbine	✓	✓
 H ₂ Fuel Cell	✓	

Closing the Gap: Internal Renewable Resource Options



Closing the Gap: External Renewable Resource Options



Analysis Summary

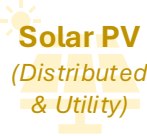




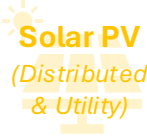

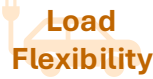


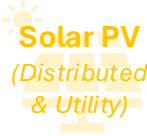


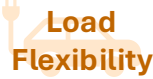


- 1. Additions of both local and external carbon-free resources to PWP's portfolio can increase Metric 3.**
- 2. No single resource type is required for PWP to increase Metric 3 toward 100%, but PWP cannot approach 100% on Metric 3 by adding variable generation (solar and wind) alone.**
- 3. Adding increasing amounts of one resource type to PWP's portfolio has a diminishing impact on increasing in Metric 3.**
 - Clean firm resources such as geothermal can increase Metric 3 significantly with relatively smaller incremental capacity additions but also exhibit diminishing increases with further capacity additions.
- 4. A diverse portfolio of resources can increase Metric 3 with lower total capacity additions.**

Additional Case Studies



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Three Core Case Studies to Achieve Resolution 9977 Goals

Case Studies	New Resource Options to Meet 2030 Goals						Additional variations explored to provide PWP and City Council with robust analyses to inform the Optimized Strategic Plan:
Mature Technologies Only	 Solar PV (Distributed & Utility)	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage		+ “Accelerated Distributed Energy Resources (DER)” : What are the comparative impacts of portfolios that accelerate the deployment of DER while maintaining Glenarm Power Plant as a backup for reliability?
Mature Technologies + Green Hydrogen	 Solar PV (Distributed & Utility)	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage	 Green Hydrogen (H ₂) Conversion at Glenarm	+ Timing : How does each strategy change if transition to carbon-free occurs less rapidly? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Opportunity to synchronize transition with transmission expansion• More plausible timelines for technology readiness for emerging technologies
Mature Technologies + Long-Duration Storage	 Solar PV (Distributed & Utility)	 Land-Based Wind	 Geothermal	 Load Flexibility	 Battery Storage	 Long-Duration Energy Storage	+ Markets : How does short-term market transaction flexibility impact these case studies, if PWP's owned and contracted generation is carbon-free?
Common methods & assumptions across all three case studies: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Natural gas combustion at Glenarm ceases by end of 2030 (either converted to H₂ or replaced)• No reliance on wholesale market purchases (“24x7 carbon free electricity”)• Quantities of each resource optimized in each case study to meet reliability needs and carbon-free objectives							

Using Long Term Capacity Expansion to Develop Portfolios

Mathematical optimization problem:

Minimize NPV Investment Costs + Operating Costs

Subject to constraints:

- + Minimum requirements for local resources
- + Resource adequacy requirements
- + Carbon-free energy targets
- + Plant-specific operational limitations
 - Thermal: Maximum power, ramp rate
 - Storage: Maximum power, state of charge
 - Renewables: hourly availability

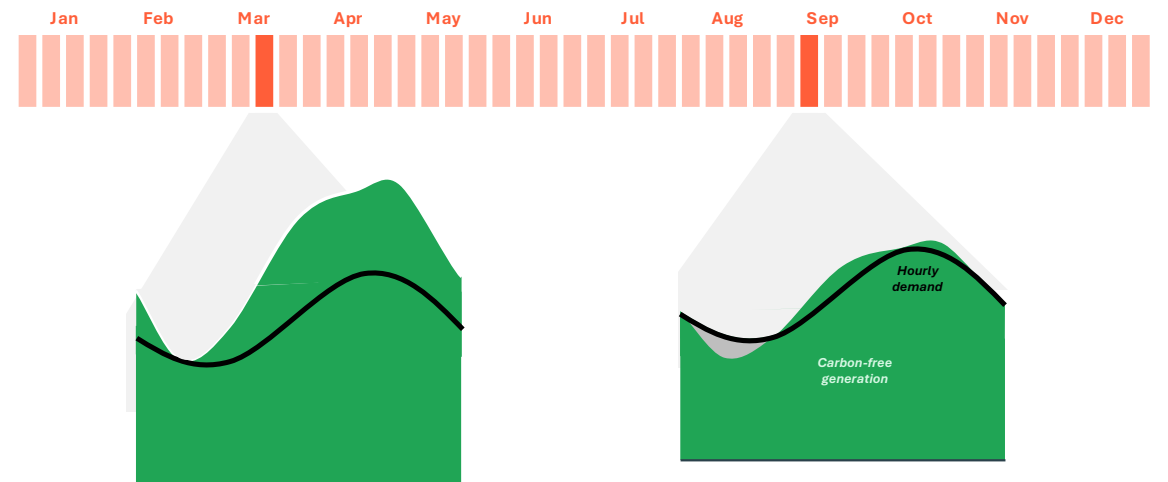
Investment decisions:

New investments selected in each year across 25-year horizon

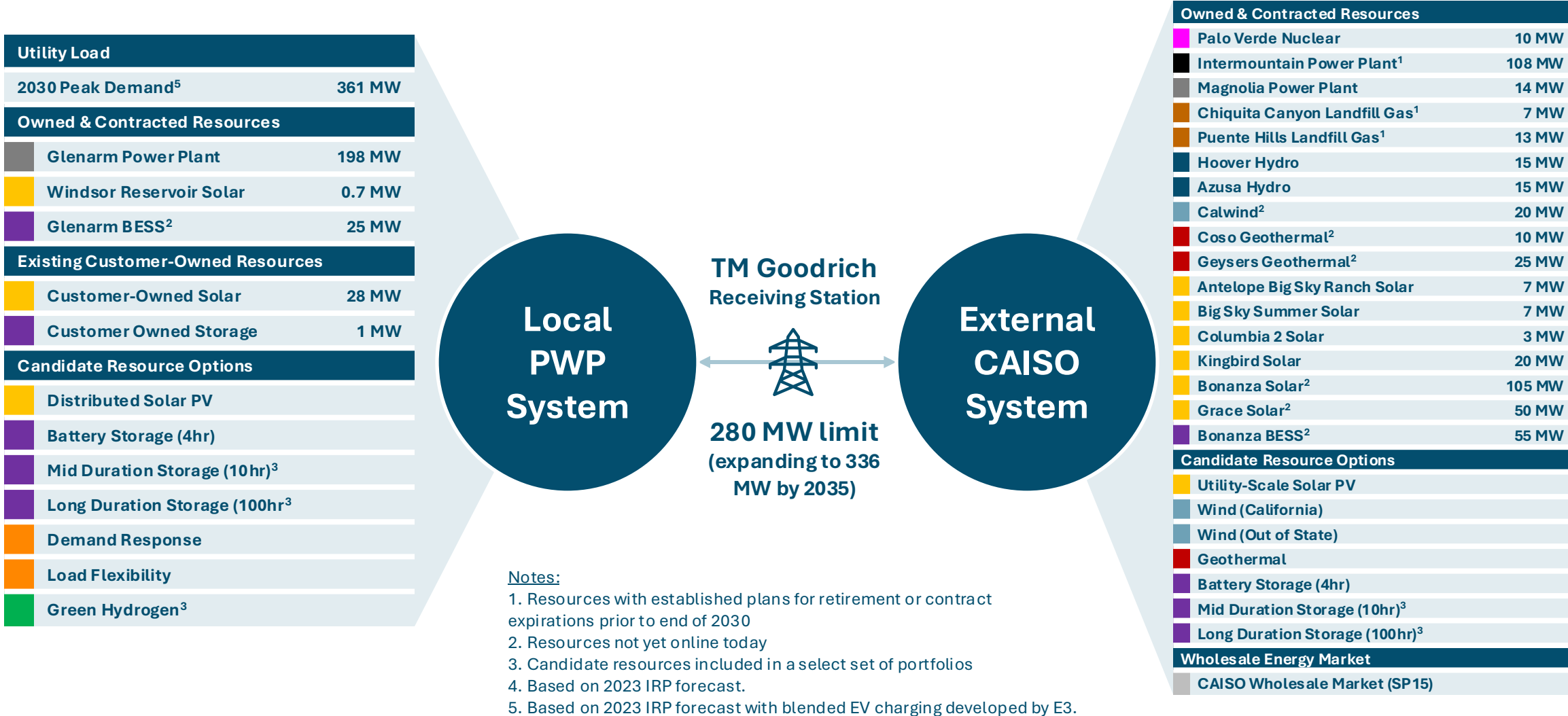


Operational decisions:

Hourly operations simulated across 48 representative days for each year



Topology for Capacity Expansion Model



Case Studies Previously Presented

Technology Set	Portfolio Name	Glenarm	Total Minimum Local Resource Portfolio (2031)	Market Purchases (2031)
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	100% Annual Matching (Accelerated Local Resources)	Retained	81 MW local solar 101 MW 4-hr storage	No net market purchases
	100% Annual Matching (Glenarm Replacement)	Replaced	567 MW local solar 319 MW 4-hr storage	No net market purchases
	100% Hourly Matching (Glenarm Replacement)	Replaced	567 MW local solar 319 MW 4-hr storage	No market purchases
+ Hydrogen Conversion	100% Annual Matching (with Hydrogen)	H ₂ Conversion	66 MW local solar 26 MW 4-hr storage	No net market purchases
	100% Hourly Matching (with Hydrogen)	H ₂ Conversion	66 MW local solar 26 MW 4-hr storage	No market purchases
+ Long Duration Energy Storage	100% Annual Matching (with LDES)	Replaced	424 MW local solar, 26 MW 4-hr storage, 101 MW MDES, 111 MW LDES	No net market purchases
	100% Hourly Matching (with LDES)	Replaced	424 MW local solar, 26 MW 4-hr storage, 101 MW MDES, 111 MW LDES	No market purchases

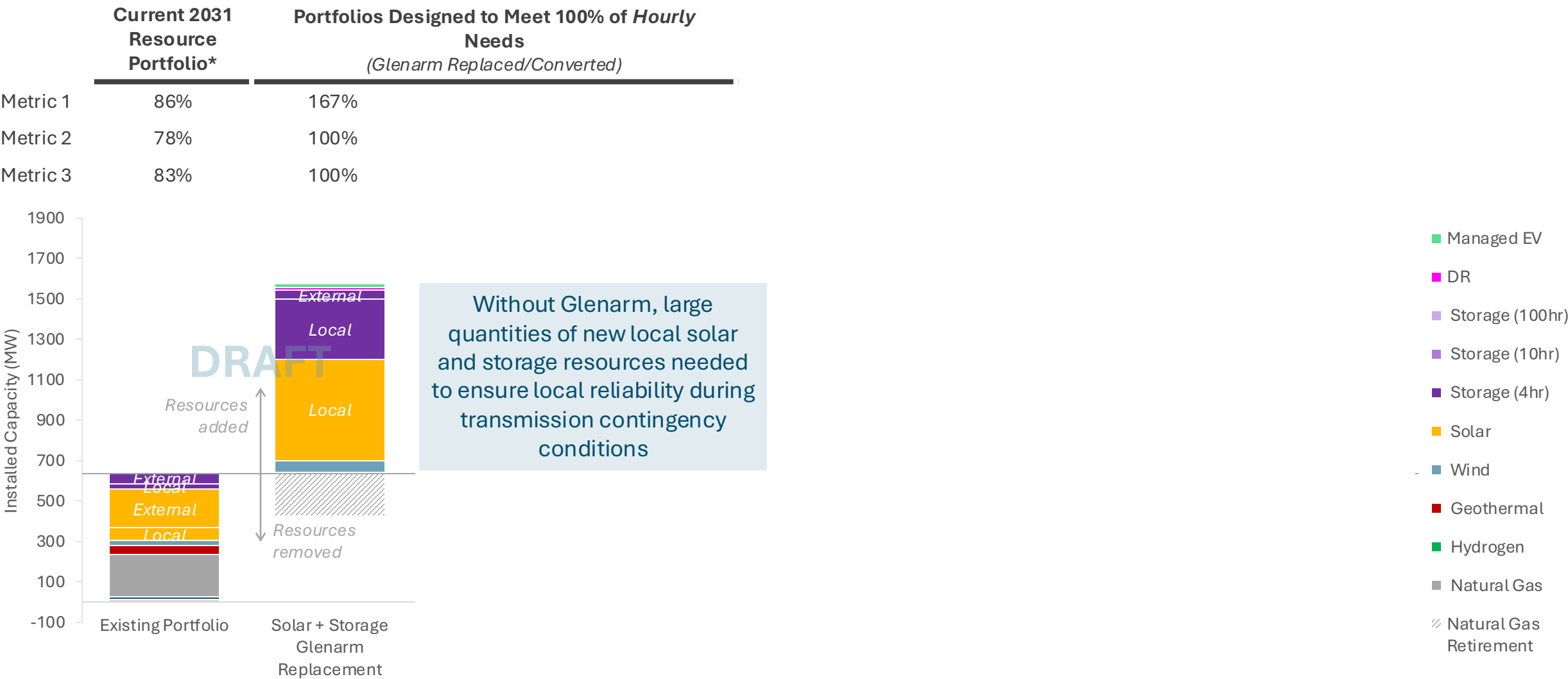
New Case Studies, Case-Specific Modeling Assumptions

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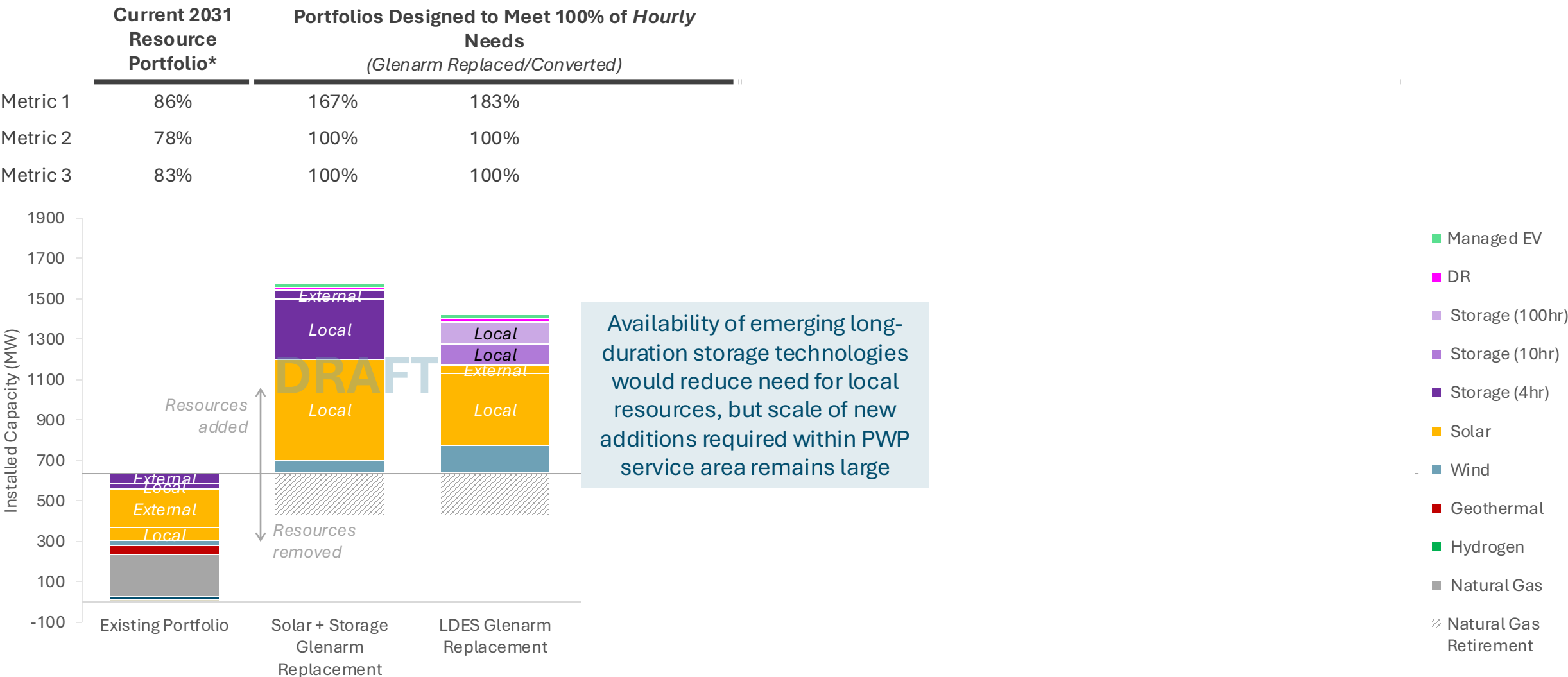


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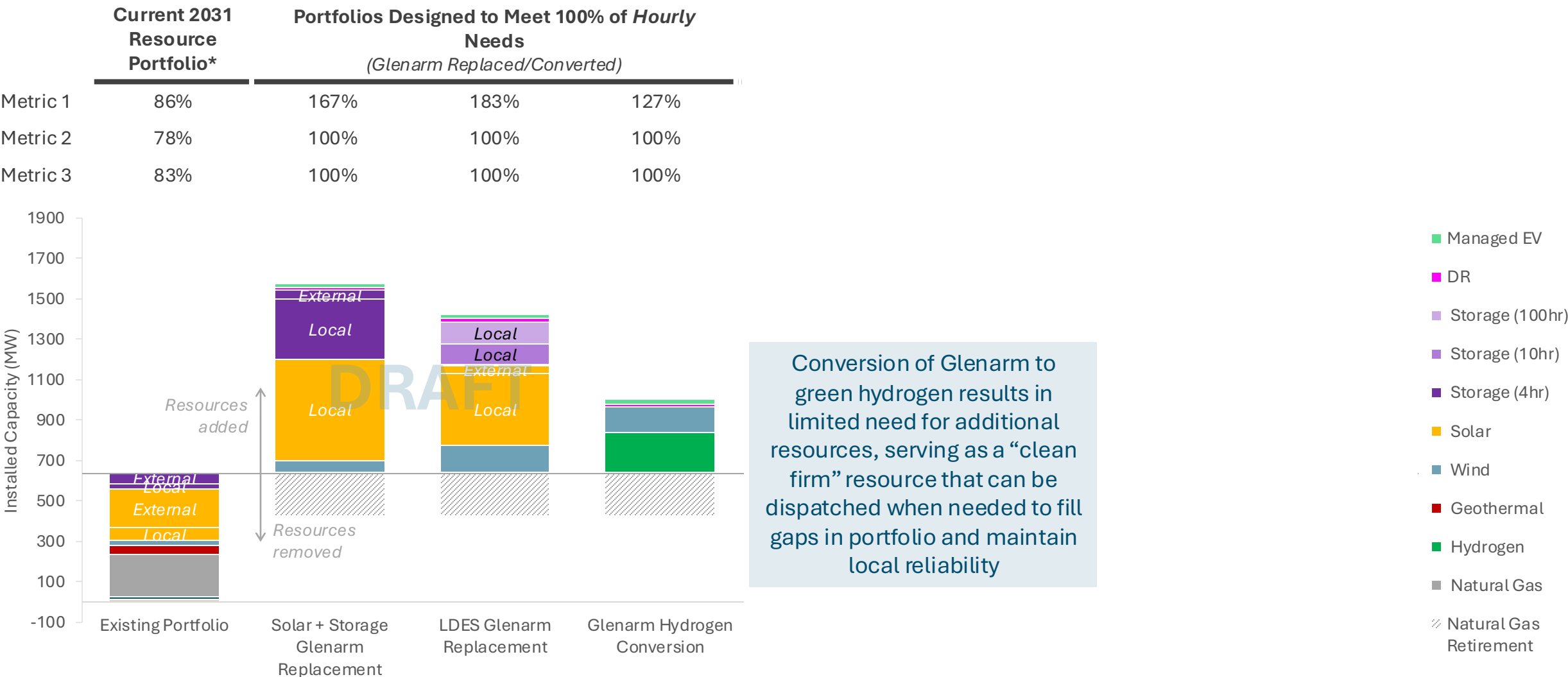
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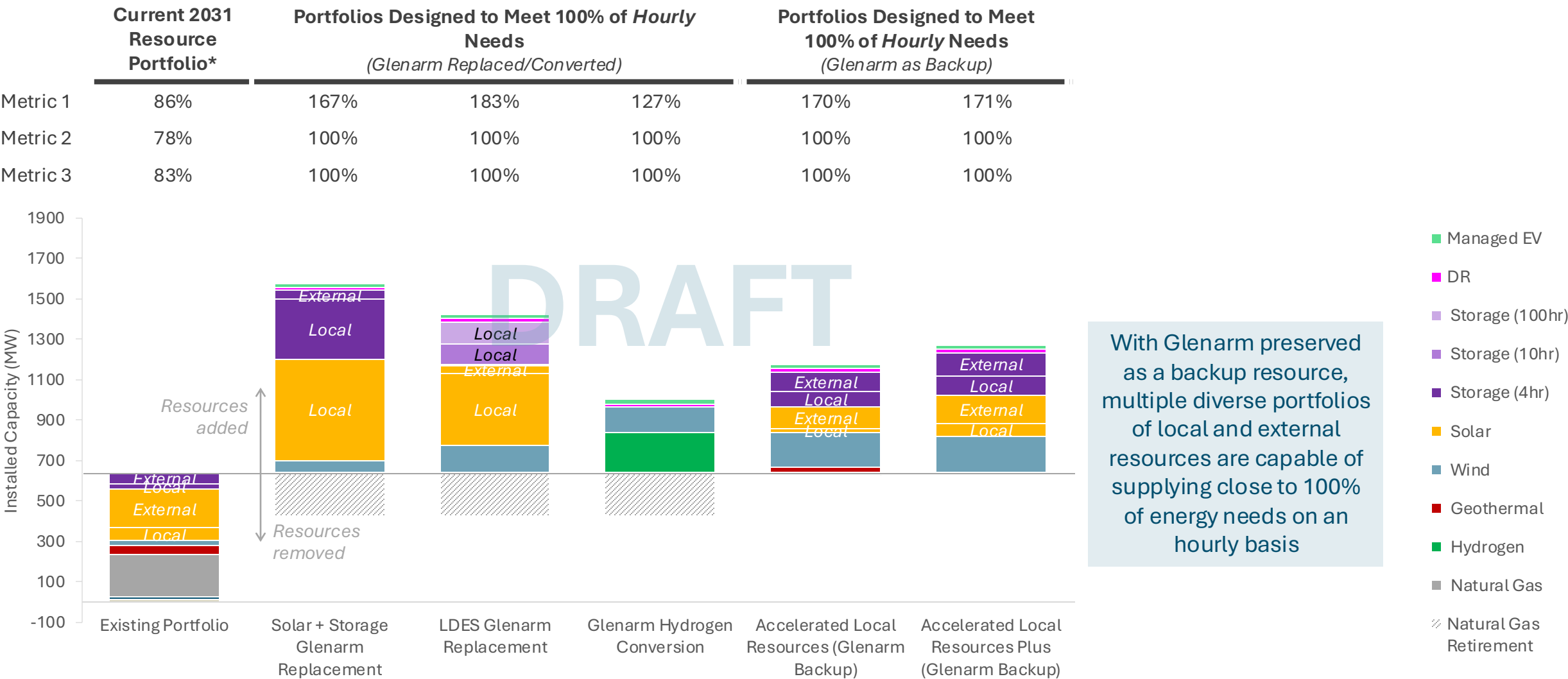
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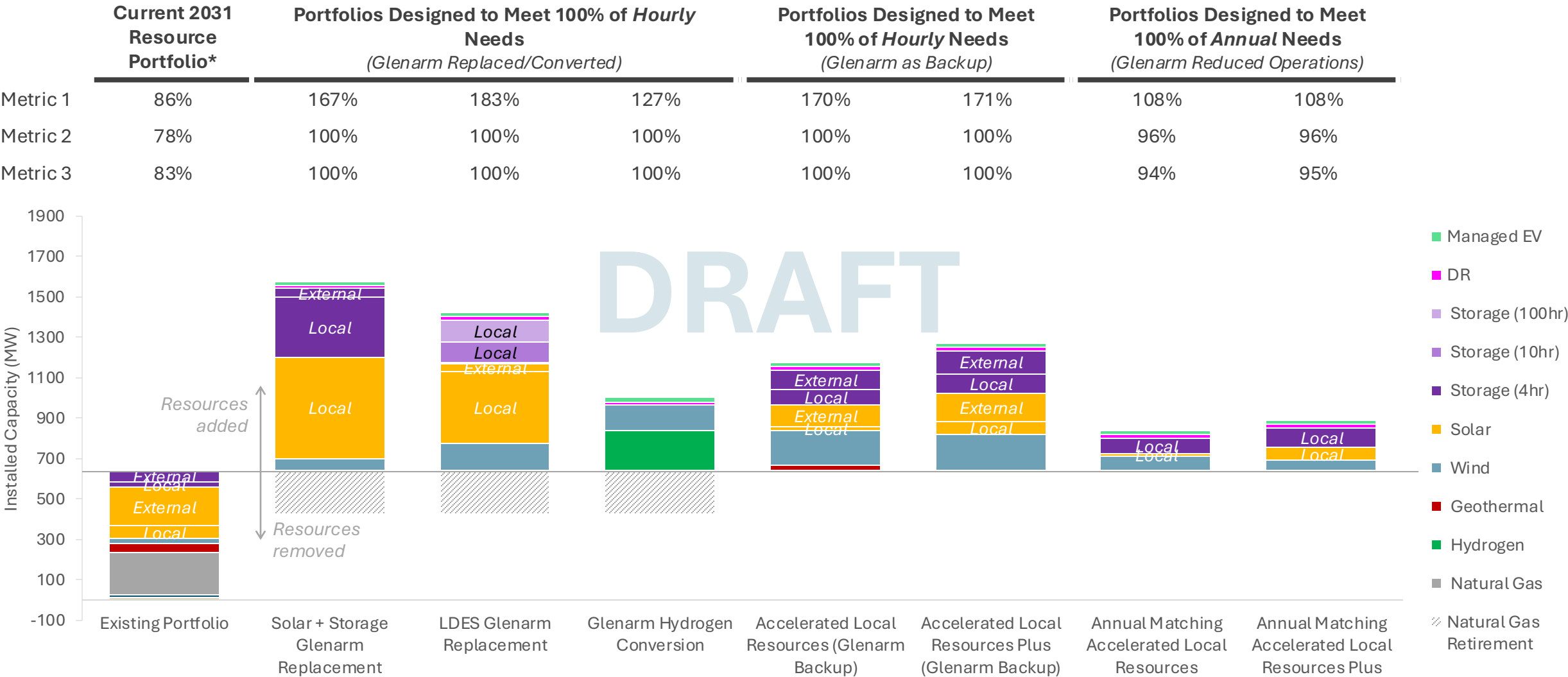
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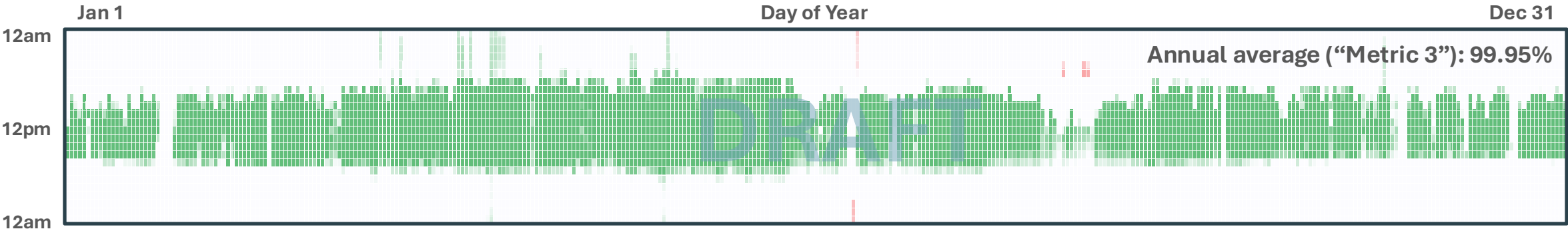
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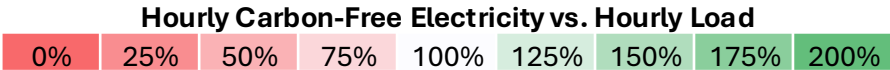
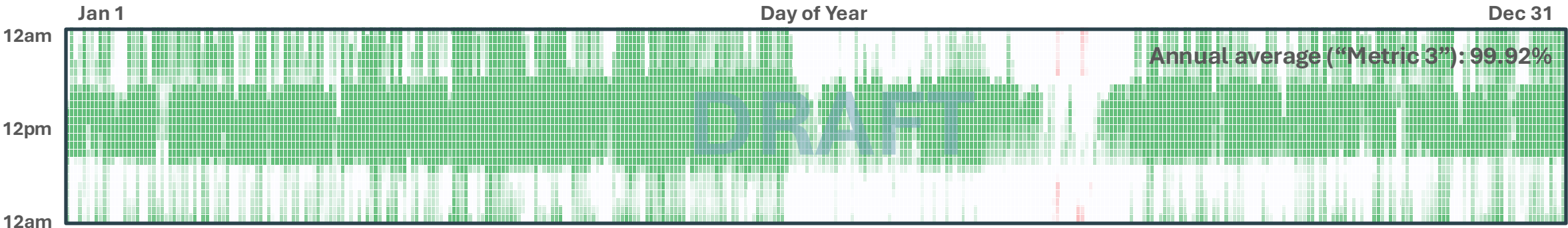
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2031 Balance of Carbon-Free Energy Resources

Glenarm Replacement Solar + Storage Only



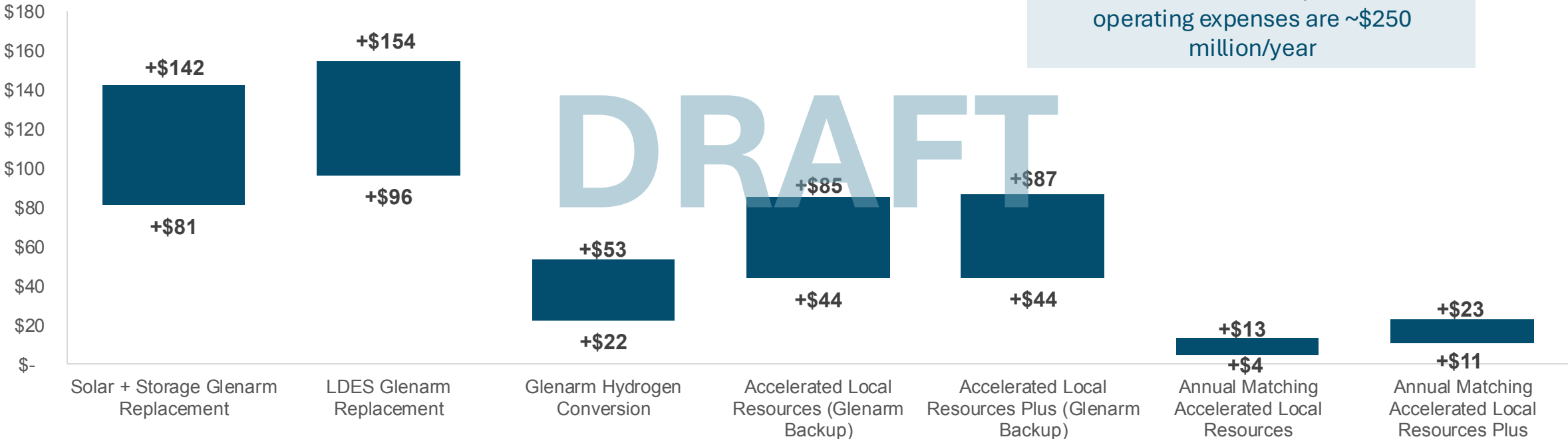
Accelerated Local Resources + Glenarm Backup



Portfolio Cost Comparison

	Portfolios Designed to Meet 100% of <i>Hourly</i> Needs <i>(Glenarm Replaced/Converted)</i>			Portfolios Designed to Meet 100% of <i>Hourly</i> Needs <i>(Glenarm as Backup)</i>		Portfolios Designed to Meet 100% of <i>Annual</i> Needs <i>(Glenarm Reduced Operations)</i>	
Metric 1	167%	183%	127%	170%	171%	108%	108%
Metric 2	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	96%	96%
Metric 3	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	94%	95%

2031 Relative Incremental Total System Cost
(\$ million per year)



Summary of Portfolio Analyses

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	Solar-Storage Replacement	LDES Replacement	Hydrogen Conversion	Accel Local Resources	Accel Local Resources Plus	Accel Local Resources	Accel Local Resources Plus
New Resource Needs by 2031							
New Renewables (MW)	563	531	129	326	380	87	114
New Storage (MW)	339	215	-	173	214	76	100
New DR & Load Flex (MW)	35	37	35	35	36	35	35
Clean Energy Metrics by 2031							
Metric 1 (%)	167%	183%	127%	170%	171%	108%	108%
Metric 2 (%)	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	96%	96%
Metric 3 (%)	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	94%	95%
Relative Costs in 2031							
Incremental Cost (\$M/yr)	+\$81-142	+\$96-154	+\$22-53	+\$44-85	+\$44-87	+\$4-13	+\$11-23
Other Considerations							
	Higher risk <div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div> Lower risk						
Siting & Land Availability							
Technology Readiness							
Upstream Infrastructure Need							
Wholesale Market Exposure							
Resource Adequacy Risk							
Local Resilience							

Analysis Findings: Opportunities and Challenges

Opportunities:

- 1. A wide range of new resource options can contribute to meeting Pasadena's clean energy goals under Resolution 9977**
 - Local solar and storage, demand-side flexibility, external renewables and storage, and additional emerging technologies may all play a role
 - Analysis does not indicate a specific “need threshold” for any single type of resource to meet Pasadena's goals
 - There are multiple viable portfolios of resources that can meet any prescribed clean energy target, and the least-cost option among them will depend upon a range of market factors that are uncertain today
- 2. By relieving the local reliability constraint, maintaining Glenarm as a backup resource unlocks additional opportunities to diversify Pasadena's supply of carbon-free energy with external renewables and storage resources, reducing costs to integrate additional resources**
 - Wind, geothermal, and utility-scale solar & storage are all selected as least-cost resources in multiple cases with Glenarm in the portfolio
 - Retaining Glenarm in the near-term creates an opportunity to leverage emerging technologies that may not be commercially viable by 2031.

Challenges:

- 1. The OSP case studies illustrate three contrasting visions for how Pasadena could fully decarbonize its power supply on an hourly basis, but each one faces at least one significant technical barrier to implementation**
 - **Land constraints** and **local siting challenges** pose challenges in portfolios that replace Glenarm
 - **Lack of technology readiness** is likely to limit the feasibility of portfolios including long-duration storage or hydrogen by 2031
- 2. How the city chooses to meet local reliability needs within the city even under stress conditions has significant ramifications on the portfolio composition and cost**
 - Portfolios that seek to replace Glenarm with carbon-free resources result in large needs for new local resource capacity, where options for diversity are limited
 - All portfolios that maintain Glenarm in some form as a firm resource in the load pocket exhibit lower costs than portfolios in which it is retired

Distribution study methodology



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Distribution Study Process Overview



Distribution System Study Scenarios

Net Energy Metering

Managed light-duty EV charging

Demand Response

Solar (66 MW)

NEM forecast for customer solar

Storage (26 MW)

NEM forecast for customer storage (1 MW) +
Utility-scale storage (25 MW)

Accelerated Local Resources

Managed light-duty EV charging

Demand Response

Solar (130 MW)

Accelerated adoption of customer solar

Storage (127 MW)

Accelerated adoption of customer storage (51
MW) + Utility-scale storage (75 MW)

Glenarm Replacement

Managed light-duty EV charging

Demand Response

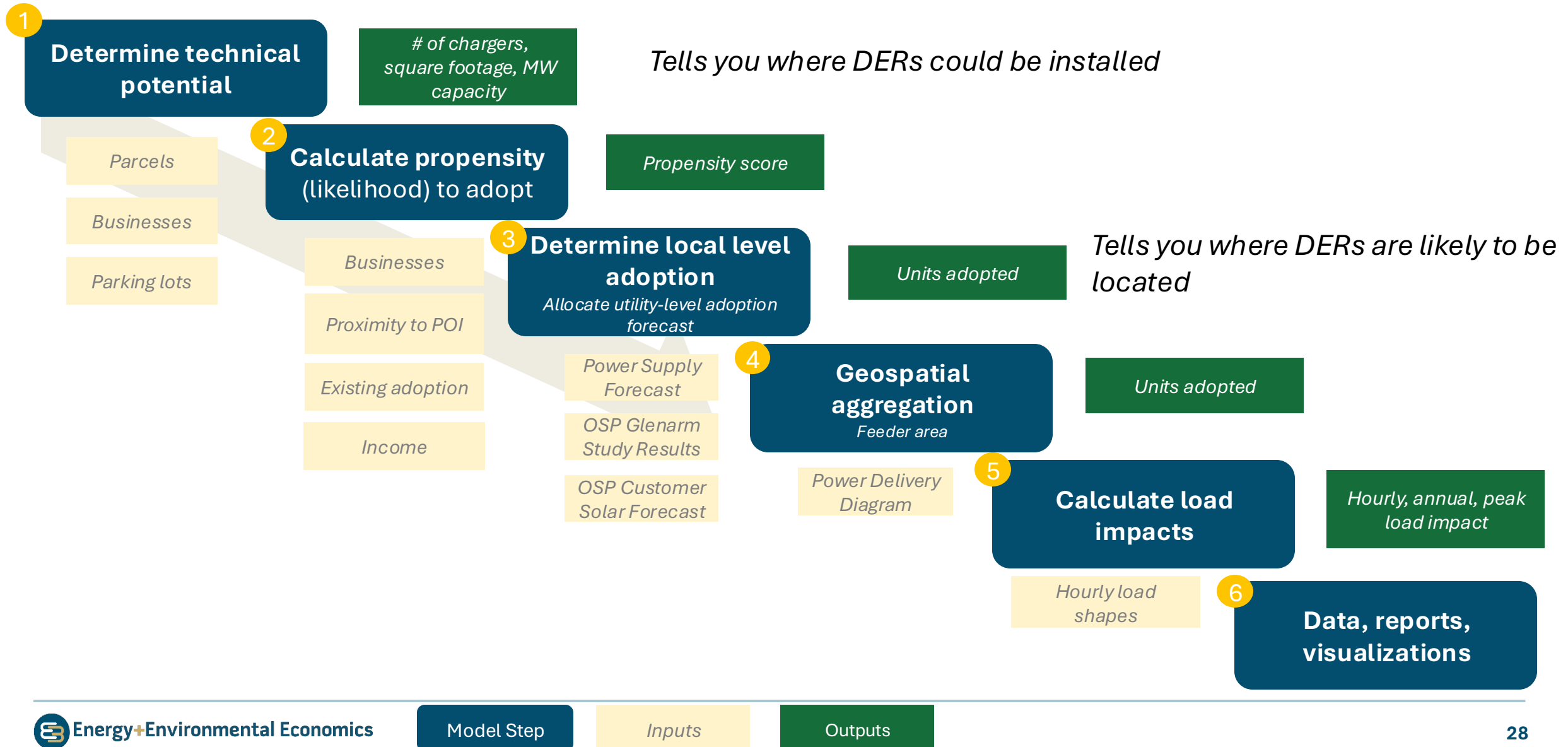
Solar (567 MW)

All technical solar potential (rooftop +
parking + ground mount)

Storage (319 MW)

Customer storage (119 MW) + Utility-scale
storage (200 MW)

Forecasting Anywhere Overview



Next Steps

- + Collect and incorporate feedback from MSC and TAP on portfolio development phase**
- + Cost impacts phase**
 - Cost impacts study
 - Transition to electric rate study
 - Distribution system analysis
- + Synthesis and plan development**

Appendix



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Power supply cost break down, 2031

\$ Million/Year	100% Annual Matching	Solar + Storage Glenarm Replacement	LDES Glenarm Replacement	Glenarm Hydrogen Conversion	Accelerated Local Resources (Glenarm Backup)	Accelerated Local Resources Plus (Glenarm Backup)	Annual Matching Accelerated Local Resources	Annual Matching Accelerated Local Resources Plus
Existing Utility-Owned Generation Fixed O&M	\$12 - \$12	\$0 - \$0	\$0 - \$0	\$0 - \$0	\$11 - \$11	\$11 - \$11	\$12 - \$12	\$12 - \$12
Generic New Resources	\$18 - \$23	\$165 - \$230	\$174 - \$237	\$59 - \$84	\$103 - \$150	\$104 - \$151	\$30 - \$43	\$37 - \$54
Generic New Solar	\$0 - \$0	\$103 - \$129	\$73 - \$92	\$0 - \$0	\$13 - \$21	\$25 - \$37	\$3 - \$4	\$13 - \$16
Local	\$0 - \$0	\$103 - \$129	\$69 - \$86	\$0 - \$0	\$3 - \$4	\$13 - \$16	\$3 - \$4	\$13 - \$16
External	\$0 - \$0	\$0 - \$0	\$3 - \$6	\$0 - \$0	\$9 - \$17	\$12 - \$21	\$0 - \$0	\$0 - \$0
Generic Storage	\$0 - \$0	\$45 - \$82	\$62 - \$98	\$0 - \$0	\$23 - \$42	\$29 - \$52	\$10 - \$18	\$13 - \$24
Local	\$0 - \$0	\$39 - \$71	\$61 - \$97	\$0 - \$0	\$10 - \$18	\$13 - \$24	\$10 - \$18	\$13 - \$24
External	\$0 - \$0	\$6 - \$11	\$ - \$1	\$0 - \$0	\$13 - \$23	\$15 - \$28	\$0 - \$0	\$0 - \$0
Generic New Other	\$18 - \$22	\$16 - \$20	\$40 - \$48	\$59 - \$84	\$68 - \$87	\$50 - \$63	\$16 - \$21	\$11 - \$14
Operating Costs (Fuel, CO₂, O&M)	\$10 - \$10	\$1 - \$1	\$1 - \$1	\$11 - \$11	\$1 - \$1	\$1 - \$1	\$8 - \$8	\$8 - \$8
Market Purchases (Revenues)	(\$4) - (\$4)	(\$32) - (\$32)	(\$35) - (\$35)	(\$12) - (\$12)	(\$37) - (\$37)	(\$36) - (\$36)	(\$10) - (\$10)	(\$9) - (\$9)
Transmission Access Charge (TAC)	\$27 - \$27	\$10 - \$10	\$19 - \$19	\$27 - \$27	\$28 - \$28	\$27 - \$27	\$27 - \$27	\$25 - \$25

Note: The table above shows only components of the power supply cost that differ between case studies.

Metric 3 Calculation

Calculate the net carbon-free generation in each hour:

$$\text{Net Carbon-Free Generation}_H = \text{Carbon-Free Generation}_H + \text{Storage Discharge}_H - \text{Storage Charge}_H,$$

Cap net carbon-free generation at load in each hour, sum each hour of the year, divide by annual load:

$$\frac{\text{Sum}(\text{Minimum}[\text{Net Carbon-Free Generation}_H, \text{Load}_H] \text{ for } H \text{ in } 1 \dots 8760)}{\text{Annual Load}}$$