# Temporal Opportunity Cost for Energy Storage Resources (ESR) Real Time Cost Offer

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- Example
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**Temporal Opportunity Cost Concept - DISCHARGE** 

#### **Opportunity Cost**

- 1. The value of stored energy is the revenue earned at discharge
- A rational operator and market will discharge at highest available prices
- The marginal discharge will be the lowest of those high prices
- 4. The opportunity cost of stored energy is the marginal discharge

#### **Replacement Cost**

- Rather than missing an opportunity to discharge, an ESR may be able to replace energy
- 2. A rational operator and market will charge at lowest available prices
- 3. The marginal charge will be the lowest of those available prices
- The replacement cost of a charge is the marginal charge cost

The **TOC** of stored energy is the **minimum** of the opportunity and replacement costs.



## **Cost Calculation Proposal**

- PJM provides a temporal opportunity cost calculator (TOCC) that yields the optimal schedule for each ESR
  - Optimal schedule maximizes unit margin subject to unit capabilities, state of charge (owner provided), and forecast Real Time LMP
  - Cleared Day Ahead LMP used as forecast Real Time LMP
- Replacement and Opportunity costs are calculated using the optimal schedule
- TOC is set to minimum of calculated opportunity and replacement costs
- Recalculated every hour for each ESR
  - However this proposal doesn't preclude ESR using another method for calculating its cost offer as long as approved and consistently used
- This proposed calculator is meant for cost offers only. Resource owners would continue to be responsible for DA/RT optimization and maintaining state of charge.



## **TOCC** for Optimal RT Schedule

- Unit dispatch not system dispatch
- Use static LMP for all hours of the day in calculator
  - Simpler optimization problem
  - Practical implementation
- Parameters include efficiency, start time, and other limits
- Consistently derived LMPs
  - Day Ahead LMP or forecast Real Time LMP, but not mix of both
- Should include next day Day Ahead solution when available



## Sample Assumptions

- ESR has a 4 MWh capacity
- ESR can charge or discharge 1 MWh per hour
- Operating schedule determined by TOCC using known DA LMPs
- Economic cost calculated for hour assuming ESR directed to deviate from TOCC schedule
- Sample shows State of Charge (SOC) for TOCC schedule



## Sample TOCC: 24 Hour Optimal Schedule

	DA	DA					DA	DA			
HE	LMP	LMP/Eff.	Beg. SOC	Op. Plan	End SOC	HE	LMP	LMP/Eff.	Beg. SOC	Op. Plan	End SOC
1	\$44	\$55		Charge		13	\$76	\$95		Charge	
2	\$48	\$60		Charge		14	\$72	\$90		Charge	
3	\$52	\$65		Charge		15	\$64	\$80		Charge	
4	\$56	\$70		Charge		16	\$64	\$80		Charge	
5	\$68	\$85				17	\$80	\$100			
6	\$72	\$90				18	\$96	\$120		Gen	
7	\$94	\$118				19	\$112	\$140		Gen	
8	\$104	\$130		Gen		20	\$116	\$145		Gen	
9	\$108	\$135		Gen		21	\$108	\$135		Gen	
10	\$100	\$125		Gen		22	\$92	\$115			
11	\$112	\$140		Gen		23	\$84	\$105			
12	\$96	\$120				24	\$72	\$90			



## Sample TOCC: Discharge/Blocked Charge 1

	DA	DA	TOCC S	<u>chedule</u>	Increment	Value Test	Replacement	Opportunity	
HE	LMP	LMP/Eff.	Plan	HE SOC	Plan	HE SOC	Cost	Cost	тос
0									
1	\$44	\$55	Charge		Charge	X	<u>\$8</u> 5	\$100	\$85
2	\$48	\$60	Charge		Charge		Most		Choose
3	\$52	\$65	Charge		Charge		economic available		replacement or foregone
4	\$56	\$70	Charge		Charge		charge		generation cost
5	\$68	\$85			Charge?		replacement		to minimize TOC
6	\$72	\$90							100
7	\$94	\$118							
8	\$104	\$130	Gen		Gen			Forego	
9	\$108	\$135	Gen		Gen			lowest valu generation	
10	\$100	\$125	Gen		Gen?	II		from TOCC	
11	\$112	\$140	Gen		Gen			schedule	
12	\$96	\$120							

Potential opportunity cost: LMP from hours where TOCC optimal schedule has unit generating

Potential replacement cost: LMP from hours where TOCC optimal schedule has unit idle



<sup>\*</sup> DA LMP/Eff. = cost to charge = DA LMP/Efficiency where efficiency assumed @80% for illustration. Example: Hour 5 DA LMP of \$68/80% efficiency = \$85 cost to charge

Sample TOCC: Discharge/Blocked Charge 2

	DA	DA	TOCC Se	chedule	Increment	Value Test	Replacement	Opportunity	
HE	LMP	LMP/Eff.	Plan	HE SOC	Plan	HE SOC	Cost	Cost	TOC
4	\$56	\$70	Charge		Charge				
5	\$68	\$85			Gen	X	\$90	\$100	\$90
6	\$72	\$90 <			Charge?		Most	Forego	Choose replacement
7	\$94	\$118					economic available	lowest value generation	or foregone
8	\$104	\$130	Gen		Gen		charge	from TOCC	generation cost to
9	\$108	\$135	Gen		Gen		replacement	schedule	minimize TOC
10	\$100	\$125	Gen		Gen?				
11	\$112	\$140	Gen		Gen				
12	\$96	\$120							

Potential opportunity cost: LMP from hours where TOCC optimal schedule has unit generating

Potential replacement cost: LMP from hours where TOCC optimal schedule has unit idle

Example: Hour 5 DA LMP of \$68/80% efficiency = \$85 cost to charge



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## **Appendix**



#### Temporal Opportunity Benefit Concept - CHARGE

#### **Opportunity Credit**

- A forced charge or blocked discharge creates or retains stored energy
- A rational operator and market will discharge stored energy at highest available prices
- 3. The marginal discharge will be the lowest of those high prices
- The opportunity credit for stored energy is the marginal discharge

#### **Avoided Replacement Credit**

- Rather than adding an opportunity to discharge, an ESR may be able to avoid charging
- 2. A rational operator and market will charge at lowest available prices
- 3. The marginal charge will be the lowest of those available prices
- 4. The avoided replacement credit of a charge is the marginal charge cost

The temporal opportunity benefit is the max of the opportunity and replacement costs.



## Sample TOCC: Charge/Blocked Discharge

	DA	DA	<b>TOCC Schedule</b>		<b>Increment</b>	<b>Increment Value Test</b>		Credit Gen	Net	Net	Buy
HE	LMP	LMP/Eff.	Plan	HE SOC	Plan	HE SOC	Replacement	Opportunity	Replacement	Opportunity	Price
7											
8	\$104	\$130	Gen		<del>Gen</del>		\$95	\$96	\$9	\$8	\$96
9	\$108	\$135	Gen		Gen		Most			oided replace	
10	\$100	\$125	Gen		Gen		expensive planned		or generat minimize n	ity to	
11	\$112	\$140	Gen		Gen		charge avoided				
12	\$96	\$120			Gen?	Ш	from TOCC				
13	\$76	\$95	< Charge		Charge?	Ш	schedule	Most			
14	\$72	\$90	Charge		Charge			valuable			
15	\$64	\$80	Charge		Charge			generation opportunity			
16	\$64	\$80	Charge		Charge			available			
17	\$80	\$100						from TOCC schedule			
18	\$96	<del>\$120</del>	Gen		Gen						
19	\$112	\$140	Gen		Gen						
20	\$116	\$145	Gen		Gen						
21	\$108	\$135	Gen		Gen						
22	\$92	\$115									

Potential generation opportunity credit: LMP from hours where TOCC optimal schedule has unit idle Potential avoided replacement credit: LMP from hours where TOCC optimal schedule has unit charging



## **OPC** Analogues to **TOCC**

#### **Operationally Limited Opportunity Cost**

- Unit has emission limits
- 2. A run today may limit run later
- 3. Opportunity Cost Calculator (OPC) generates a cost-based adder that "optimizes" potential run hours
  - Uses forecasted commodity spreads
- 4. Evaluated daily

#### **Limited Energy Opportunity Cost**

- 1. Unit has charge limitations
- 2. A run this interval may limit a run later
- 3. Temporal Opportunity Cost Calculator (TOCC) generates a cost-based price that "optimizes" potential run hours
  - Uses forecasted temporal spreads
- 4. Evaluated hourly

