

Reliability Metrics Working Group Response

Simultaneous EEAs

This metric could provide interesting information. A concern, however, is, if this is more indicative of how extensive or expansive a certain weather creates an abnormally high load event. If we are already capturing EEA-2 and EEA-3 events, what additional information do we gain by capturing a weighted sum of simultaneous events?

There is a need to pilot the data collection. However, monitoring and beginning to gain greater understanding about all EEA metrics would be advisable. But the assumed weighting somehow implies an EEA1 is one third as severe as an EEA3. The trial collection of the simultaneous nature of stressing events may help to refine the proposal to arrive at a more useful metric.

RMWG Consensus: Dismissed