A satellite photograph of the Hawaiian Islands, showing the main islands and surrounding waters. The islands are green and brown, indicating vegetation and terrain, set against the deep blue of the ocean.

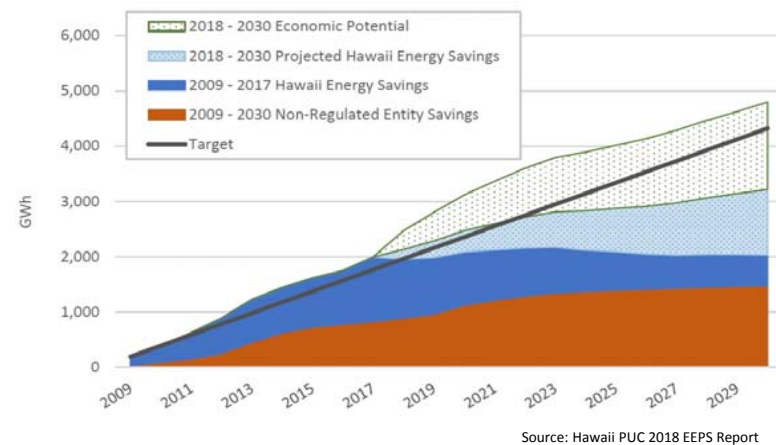
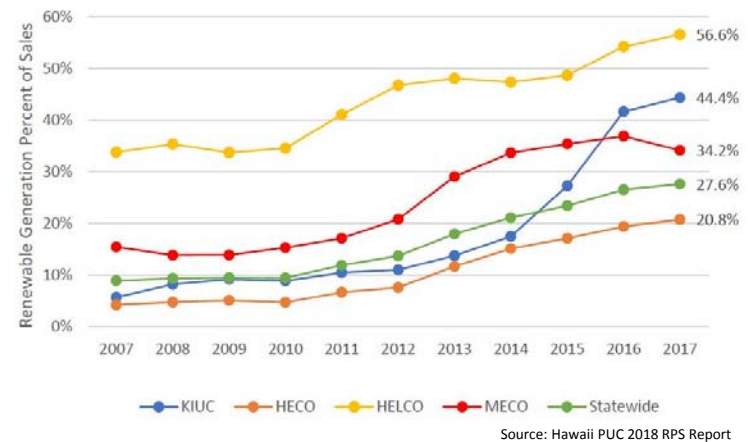
Interconnection of Distributed Energy Resources in Hawaii

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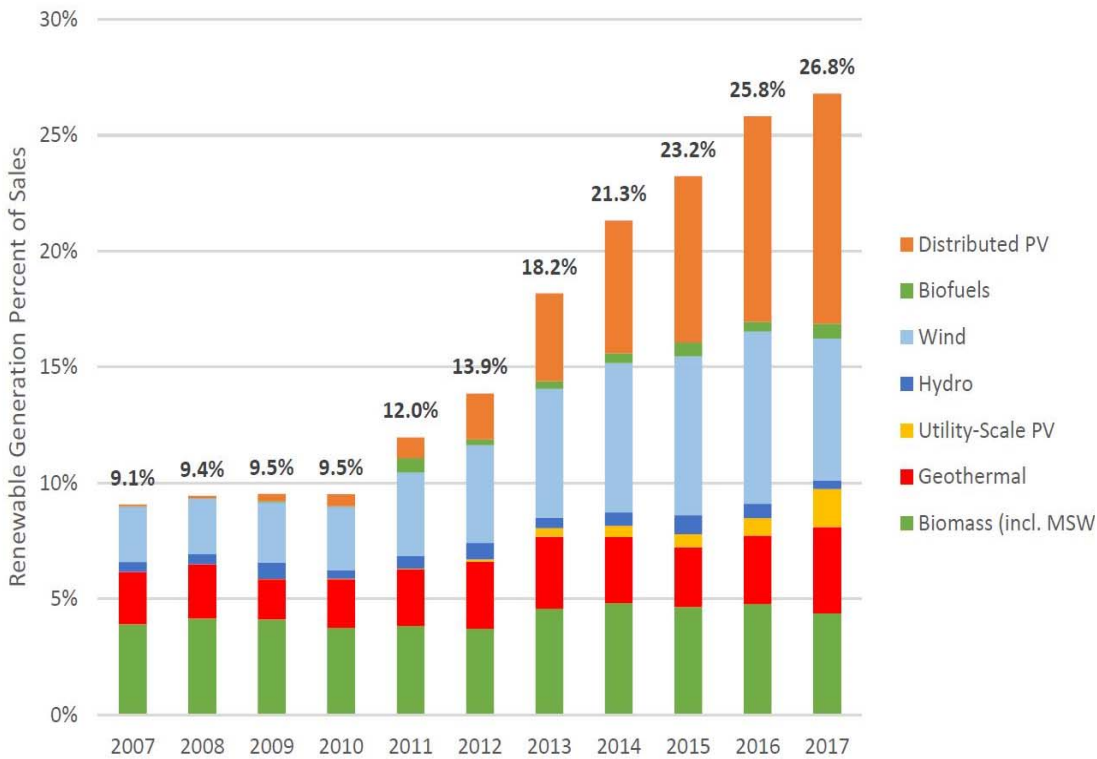


Hawaii's Clean Energy Policies

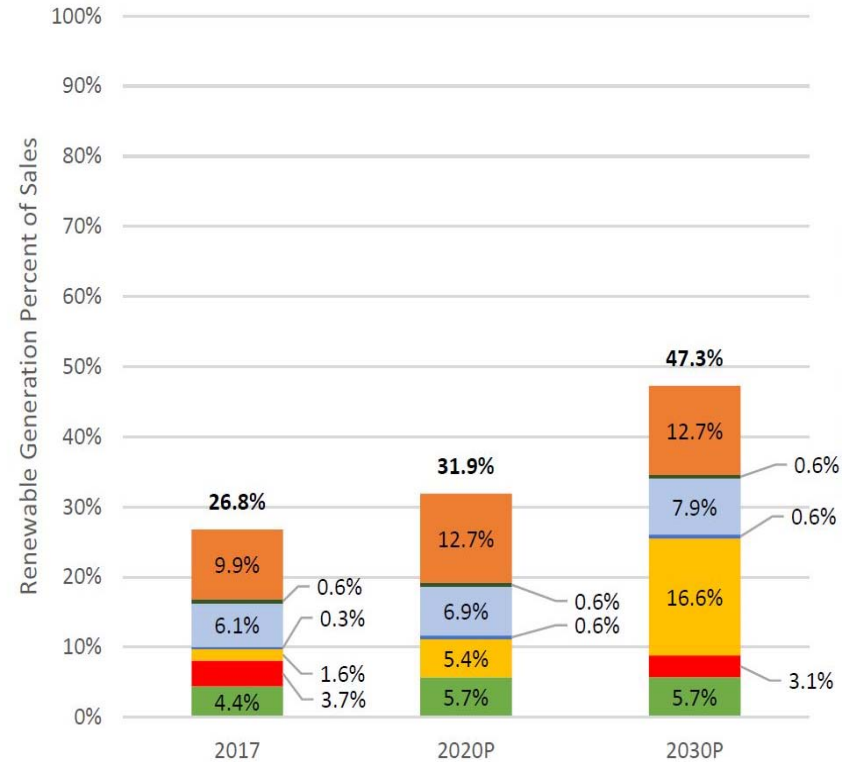
- Hawaii has some of the most aggressive clean energy policies in the country
 - 100% Renewable Portfolio Standard by 2045
 - 4,300 GWh Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard by 2030
- Each of the islands is rapidly advancing towards these overarching policy objectives
- Success will represent a dramatic transformation of the electricity sector in Hawaii



HECO Companies Historical Renewable Growth and Projected Future Achievement



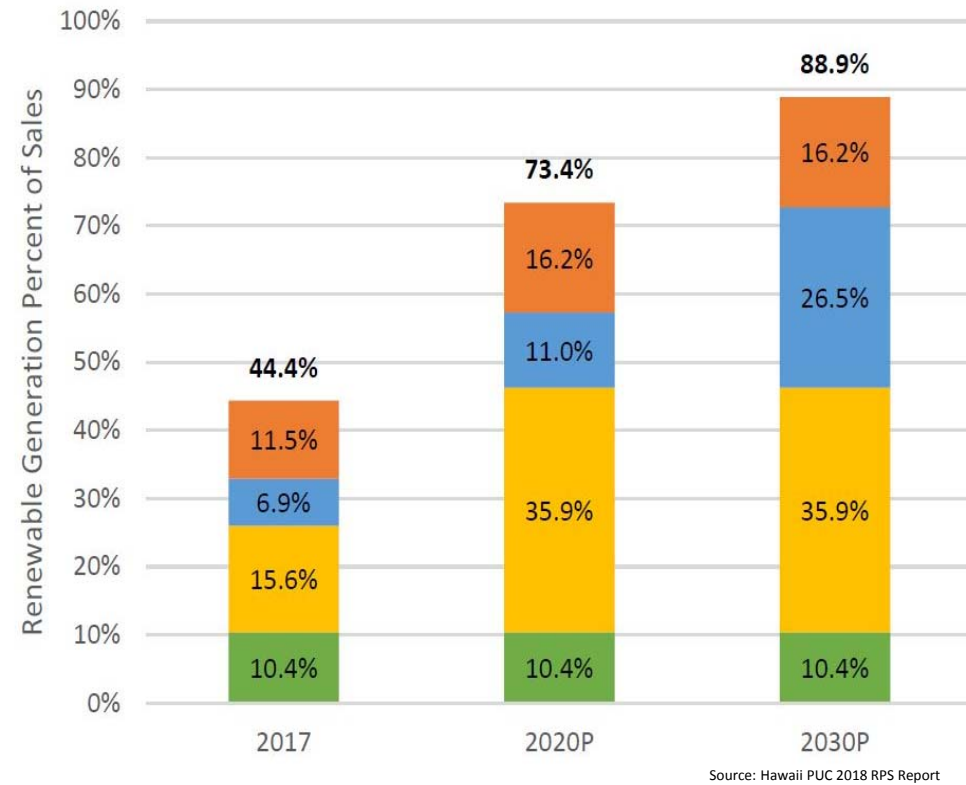
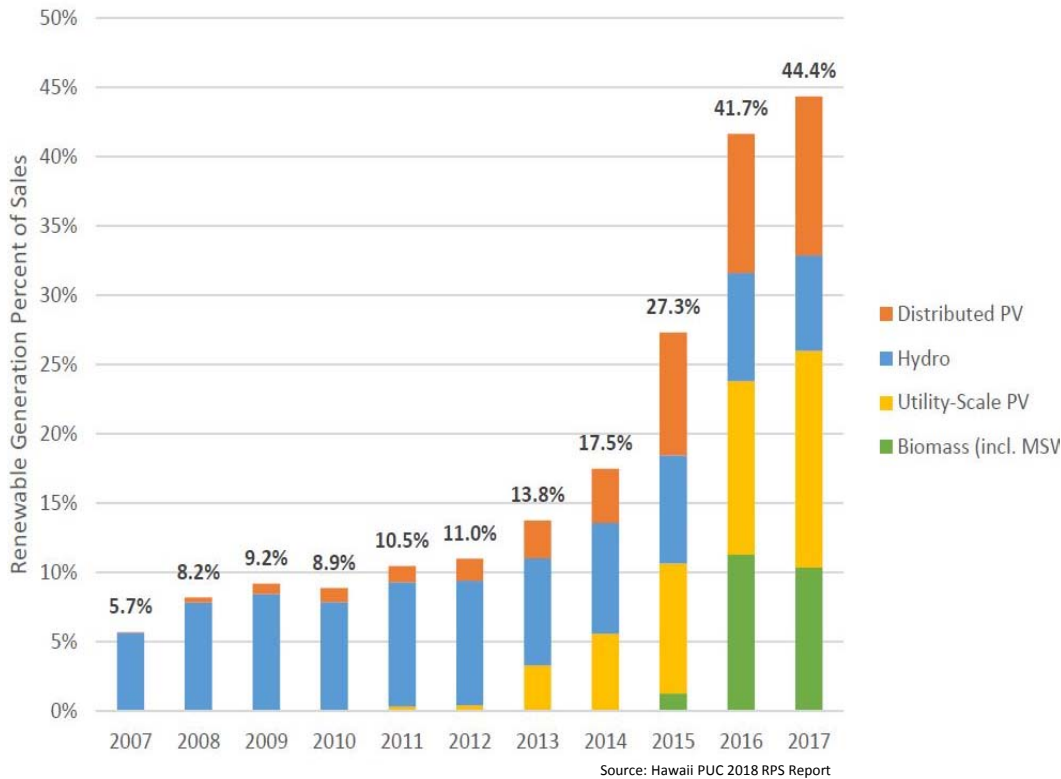
Source: Hawaii PUC 2018 RPS Report



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Kauai Island Coop Historical Renewable Growth and Projected Future Achievement



Recent Projects Suggest High Levels of RE May Be Possible Sooner

- PUC approved 6 new solar + storage projects for Hawaiian Electric Cos.
 - Totaling nearly 250 MW of generation and 1 GWh of storage
 - Across Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii islands
- KIUC recently announced it has passed 50% renewable generation with it's latest solar + storage project
 - Anticipate achieving more than 70% renewable by as early as 2020



JANUARY 4, 2019 SOLAR-PLUS-STORAGE

Hawaiian Electric Announces 'Mind-Blowing' Solar-Plus-Storage Contracts

by Emma Foehringer Merchant

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Demand Side Resources Critical for Cost-effective Renewable Achievement

- Demand side of the equation is a critical part of achieving broader policy objectives, especially as we progress closer towards 100% renewable
 - Includes energy efficiency, distributed storage, flexible/controllable demand, electric vehicles, etc.
- Increasingly, Hawaii will rely on “supply” from demand-side resources, which limits the usefulness of the distinction going forward

December 2016 PSIP Projections	2017-2021	2022-2045
New DG-PV	326 MW	2,086 MW
New Customer Self Supply (CSS) Energy Storage	89 MW-hr.	1,057 MW-hr.
New Demand Response Capacity	115 MW	442 MW
New Demand Response Energy Storage	104 MW-hr.	1,608 MW-hr.

- In addition to about 3,000 MW of new utility-scale renewable generation, HECO’s plans by 2045 include more than:
 - 2,400 MW of distributed solar PV
 - 550 MW and 2.8 GWh of distributed energy storage

Source: Hawaiian Electric Grid Modernization Strategy



Distributed Energy Integration Challenges

	Examples of Technical Integration Challenges	
	Steady State Operations	Contingency Events
System-level	<p>Over-generation and increasing variability in generation resulting in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curtailment of other renewable generation • Frequency regulation and ramping challenges for central generation 	<p>Behavior of aggregate DER fleet may exacerbate grid instability during emergencies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need grid-supportive frequency and voltage trip and ride through settings
Circuit-level	<p>Over-generation resulting in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approaching or exceeding distribution system equipment capacity limitations 	<p>Behavior of DER systems during circuit-level contingencies may result in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unintentional islanding • Temporary load rejection overvoltage



DER Policy Dockets in Hawaii

Distributed Energy Resources (2014-0192)

- Interconnection requirements for DER, including advanced inverter functions
- New tariff options (e.g., Smart Export) for customers to deliver energy and other services to the grid, alongside dynamic rate designs (e.g., time-of-use)

Demand Response Portfolio (2015-0412)

- Market-based procurement of grid services from DER, including aggregated loads, distributed generation, and storage
- Enables customers to provide ancillary services (e.g., frequency response, regulation) more cost-effectively than conventional solutions

Grid Modernization (2018-0141)

- Advanced grid technologies and software systems to enable DER integration and utilization
- Includes operational dispatch of customer loads, distribution system sensing, communications, automation, control, and metering infrastructure

Integrated Grid Planning (2018-0165)

- Integrated planning process across generation, transmission, and distribution
- Competitive sourcing mechanisms for grid infrastructure and services, including non-wires solutions



DER Tariffs and Interconnection Standards

DER Program Options

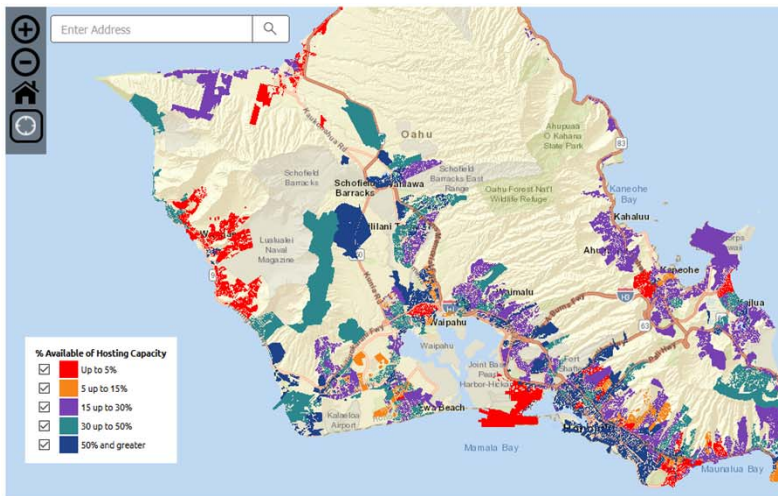
- Self-Supply (non-export)
- CGS+ (utility control when needed)
- Smart Export (time-varying export prices)

Rule 14H (DER Interconnection)

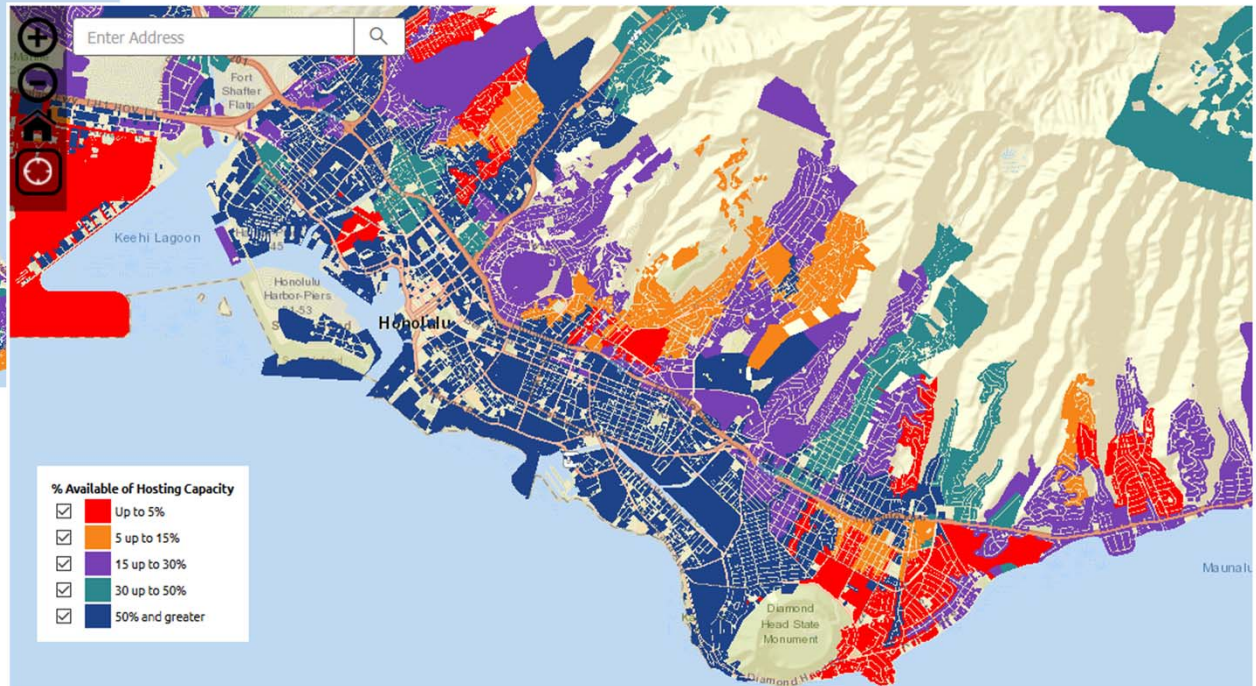
- Frequency and Voltage Ride Through
- Volt-var and Volt-Watt
- Frequency-Watt



Hosting Capacity Analysis



Source: HECO Companies



Interconnection Queue

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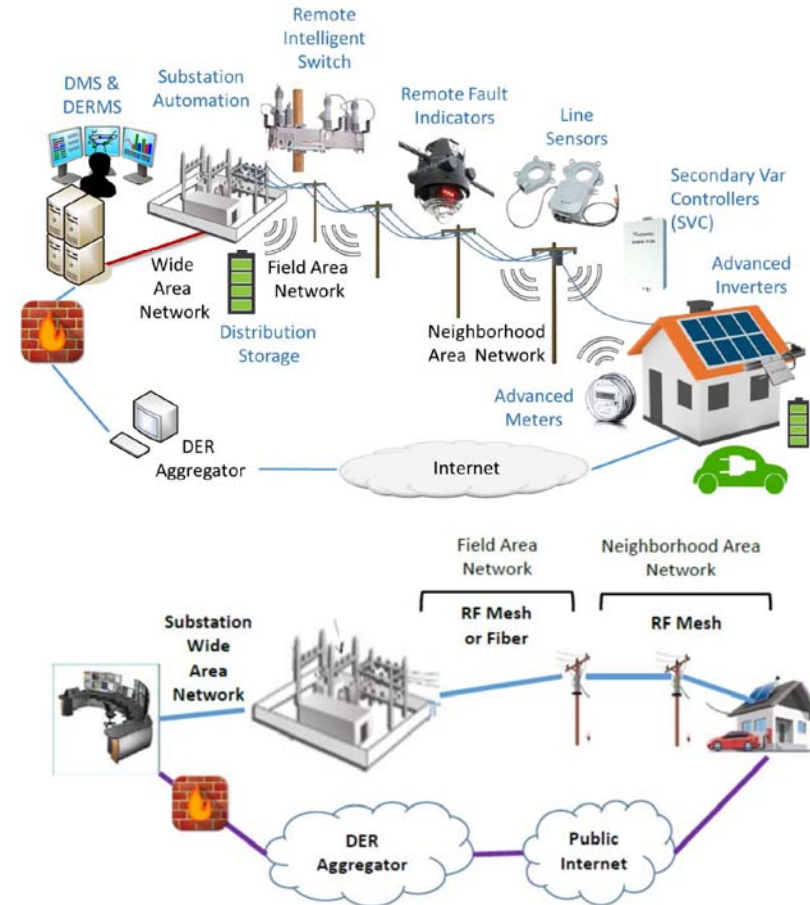
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Grid Modernization Essential to Integrating Additional Renewables

- PUC Approved HECO Companies Phase 1 Grid Modernization Project in March 2019
- \$86 M investment in advanced grid technologies to enable DER integration and utilization
- Includes distribution system sensing, communications, automation, control, and metering infrastructure



Source: HECO Grid Modernization Strategy



Mahalo!

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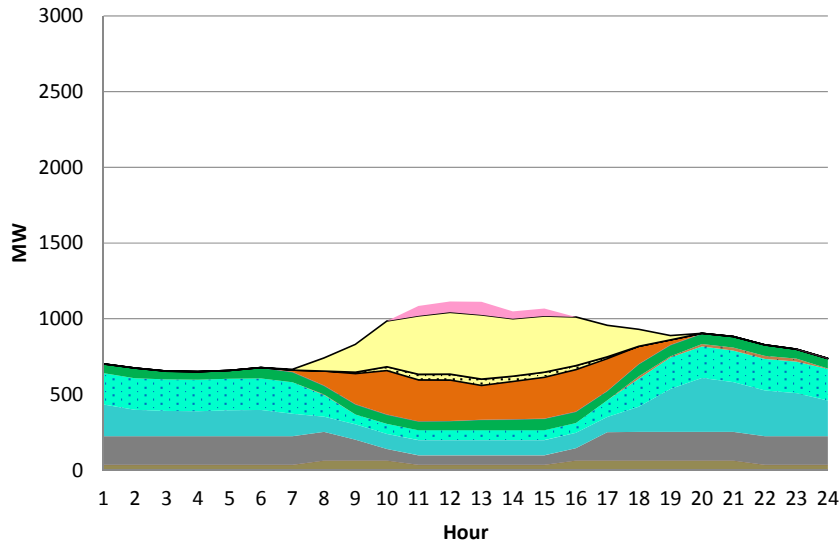
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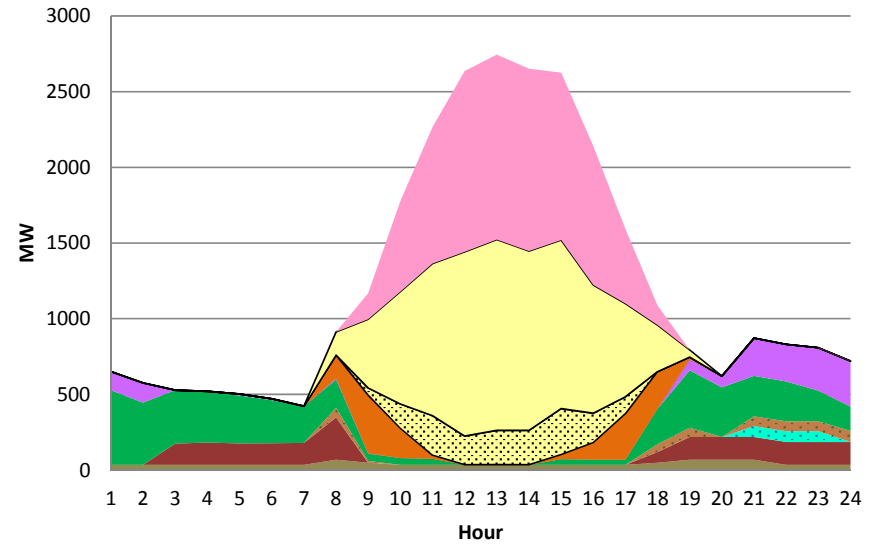
Daily Load Profiles in 2020 and 2045

Energy Profile for 6/14/2020



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