

# Interactions Between Co-Sited Curtailment and W-DER

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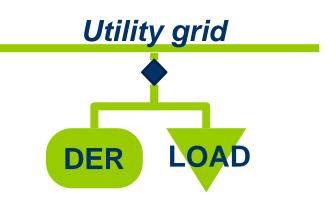
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- For W-DER behind a customer meter:
  - "W-DER Load Offsets" means end-use load that is fed from the W-DER and not from the grid.
  - "Curtailment" means a direct reduction in end-use load, by turning it off or down, etc.
- W-DER output and curtailment will both impact power flow through the POI and the meter there. They interact by virtue of sharing a single meter.

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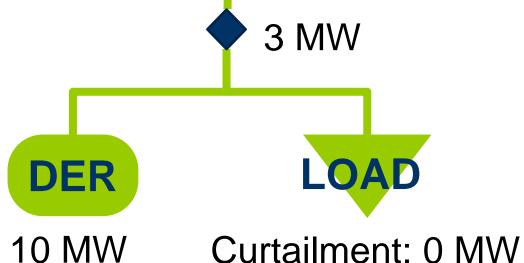




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#### At left:

- Gross load is 7 MW
- Load offset is 7 MW
- Curtailment is 0 MW

Actual: 7 MW



### Load Offset vs. Curtailment

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# **Utility grid**



Normal load: 7MW

Curtailment: 6 MW

Actual: 1 MW

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10 MW



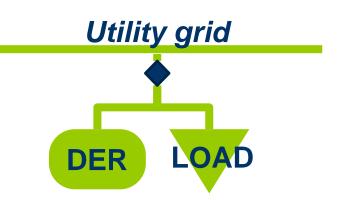
- 1. Separate W-DER market resource and curtailment (DR) market resource:
  - DR resource is measured via "gross load", comparing the gross load baseline to gross load actual. Gross load is reconstituted using the W-DER submeter and the POI meter.
  - W-DER resource is based solely on the output at the POI meter.
- 2. Integrated market resource:
  - Resource schedules, offers, and is settled on total of <delta vs. baseline> +
    <net injections>



### **Examples of Interaction**

- When load physically curtails, POI output will increase.
  - If separate: would dispatched Economic Demand Response be creating double value?
- When W-DER injects, it will necessarily be offsetting load
  - If the load wasn't otherwise going to be offset, probably should represent the load offset vs. the baseline in SCED whenever the injection is scheduled.
- In cases of higher load than W-DER capability, an injection is not possible without a curtailment.

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 PJM looking at options for an integrated approach for offering and scheduling W-DER that are behind a customer meter and co-sited with physical curtailments that wish to provide Demand Response.