

PEMC MARKET ASSESSMENT HIGHLIGHTS

- The average demand and the reserve schedule, recorded at 2,564 MW during the week of 04 - 10 Mar 2024, was higher than the previous week at 2,460 MW.
- The average effective supply during the week was 2,897 MW, higher than the 2,860 MW of the previous week. Ramping limitations were considered in the calculation of the effective supply.
 - The capacity on outage averaged at 418 MW, higher than last week's 77 MW. In terms of capacity on outage by plant type, about 75% of the 418 MW involved Coal Plants, while in terms of outage by category, about 52% were Planned Outages.
- As a result, an average supply margin of 333 MW was observed during the week, which is lower by about 16.591% relative to the previous week. The thinnest supply margin based on MMS solution was 28.5 MW on 06 March 2024 20:15h. The average supply margin was 284.86 MW at peak intervals and 371.06 MW at off-peak intervals.
- Correspondingly, average GWAP was recorded at PHP 6,211/MWh from PHP 3,249/MWh last week. The coupling of energy and reserve is evident in the co-optimized solution of the MMS, resulting in the presence of opportunity costs in both energy and reserve prices.
 - The secondary price cap was imposed during 34 intervals out of the 2,016 intervals of the week (about 2% of the time).
- The top 5 participant groups accounted for about 75% of the offered capacity. The Herfindahl-Hirschman Index (HHI) by participant group indicated moderately concentrated market based on the offered and registered capacities.
- The top 5 pivotal plants during the week were –
 - GN POWER KAUSWAGAN CFTPP (about 67.11% of the time)
 - THERMA SOUTH CFTPP (about 28.92% of the time)
 - MALITA CFTPP (about 25.60% of the time)
 - FDC MISAMIS CFTPP (about 12.10% of the time)
 - SARANGANI CFTPP (about 6.99% of the time)
- Based on the MMS Solution, the congested equipment during the week were –
 - Pitogo_Transformer 2(about 1.2% of the time)
 - Kidapawan_Transformer 2(about 1.1% of the time)
- OPA_ANALYSIS
 - The capacity offered by coal plants was lower than the previous week due to an increase in capacity on outage. There was an observed sudden decrease in offered capacity in the morning of March 05 and evening of March 06 due to an increase in capacity on forced outage.
 - The capacity offered by the geothermal plants was comparable to the previous week as there were no observed outages. There was a minimal sudden decrease in offered capacity on March 05 and 09 due to a decrease in the offer of Mt.Apo unit 1. Additionally, throughout the entire week, it was noted that prices were offered at Php 0/MWh and below, except for March 07 when 13MW was offered with a price range of Php 25,000/MWh to Php 30,000/MWh.
 - The capacity offered by hydro plants was lower than the previous week due to an increase in capacity on outage. However, there was an observed sudden decrease in offered capacity, around 300MW
 - Solar plants recorded their lowest nomination on March 06 and their highest nomination on March 04.

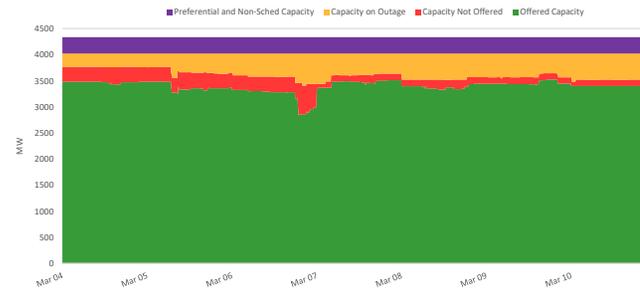
IEMOP MARKET SYSTEMS ADVISORY

- No IT-related issue was advised in IEMOP's market systems from 04 - 10 Mar 2024.

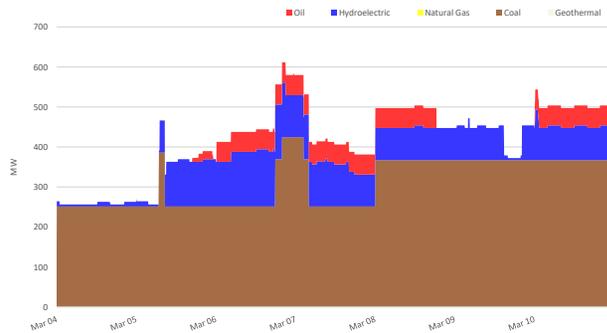
SUMMARY (PRICE, SUPPLY, DEMAND AND RESERVE SCHEDULE)

Particulars		04 - 10 Mar 2024	Previous Week (26 Feb - 03 Mar 2024)	Percent Change
GWAP (PHP/MWh)	max	31,734.937	24,736.985	28.289%
	min	-1.012	-10,046.357	99.990%
	ave	6,210.635	3,249.014	91.154%
Effective Supply (MW)	max	3,290.380	3,311.000	-0.623%
	min	2,359.475	2,377.587	-0.762%
	ave	2,896.598	2,859.613	1.293%
System Demand (MW)	max	2,435.960	2,283.690	6.668%
	min	1,486.790	1,394.420	6.624%
	ave	1,977.318	1,865.062	6.019%
Demand + Reserve Schedule (MW)	max	3,116.770	2,962.870	5.194%
	min	1,863.890	1,890.660	-1.416%
	ave	2,563.506	2,460.263	4.196%
Supply Margin (MW)	max	517.916	688.046	-24.727%
	min	28.500	265.462	-89.264%
	ave	333.092	399.350	-16.591%

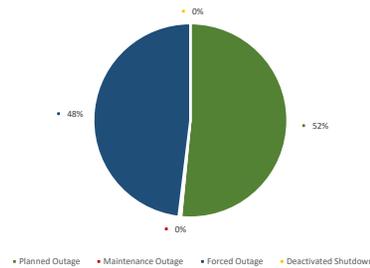
CAPACITY PROFILE



CAPACITY ON OUTAGE BY PLANT TYPE



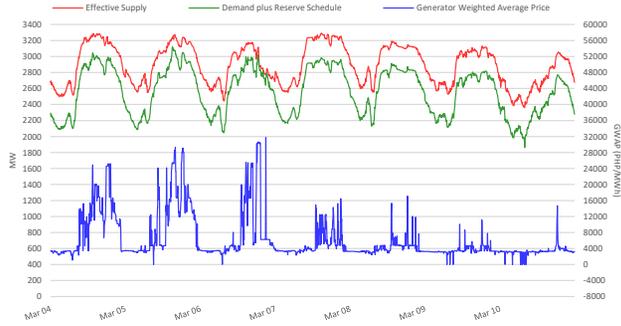
CAPACITY ON OUTAGE BY OUTAGE CATEGORY



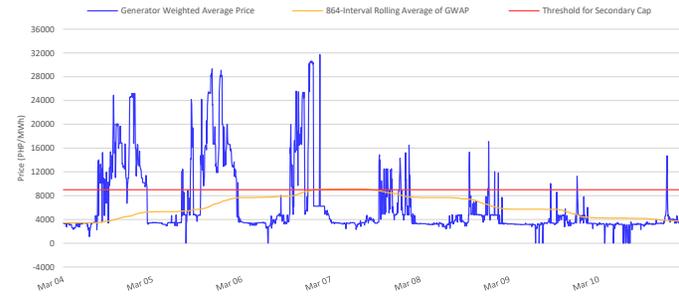
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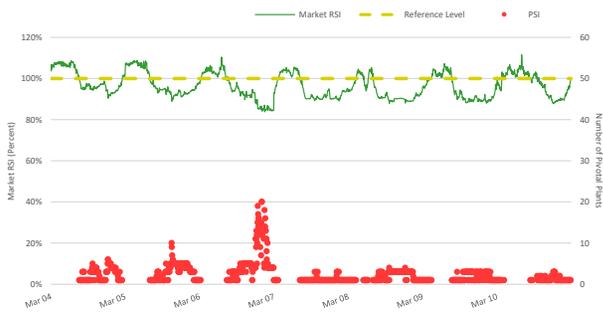
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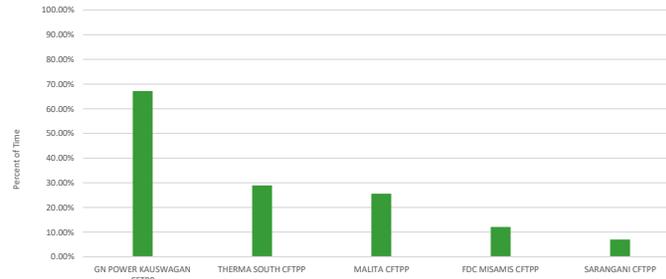
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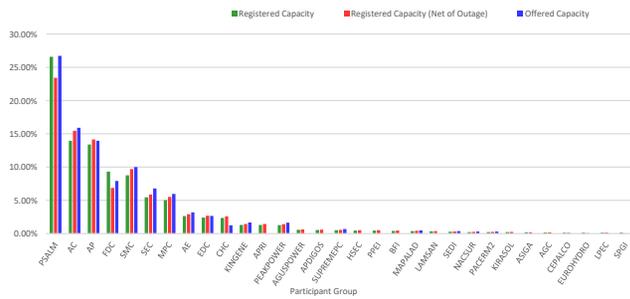
MARKET RSI VS PIVOTAL PLANTS



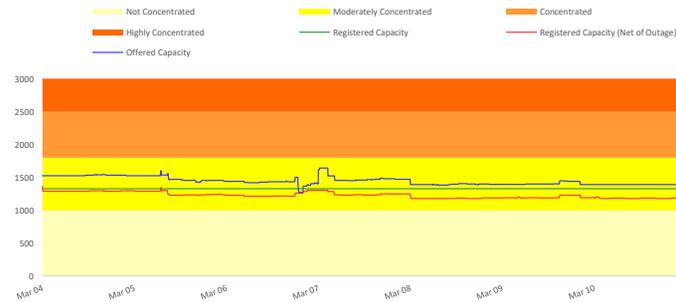
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MARKET SHARE

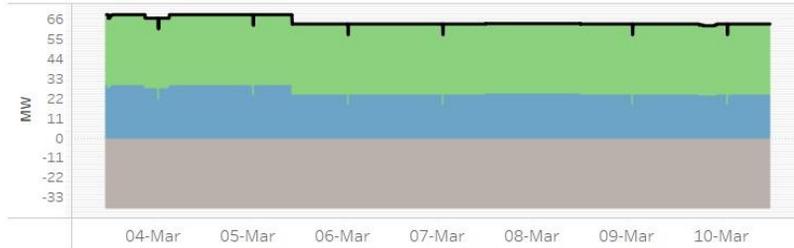


HERFINDAHL-HIRSCHMAN INDEX

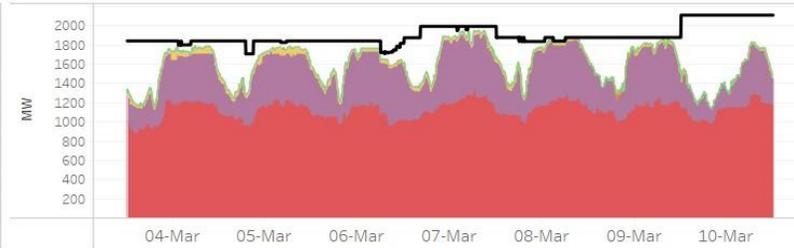


OFFER PATTERN ANALYSIS

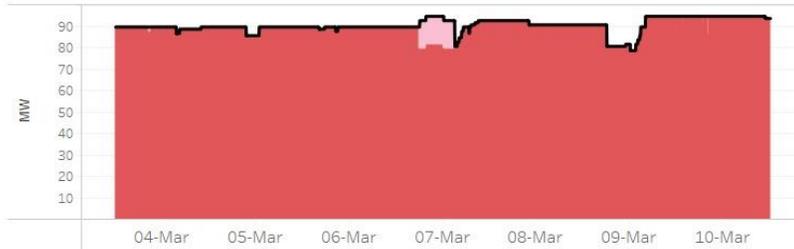
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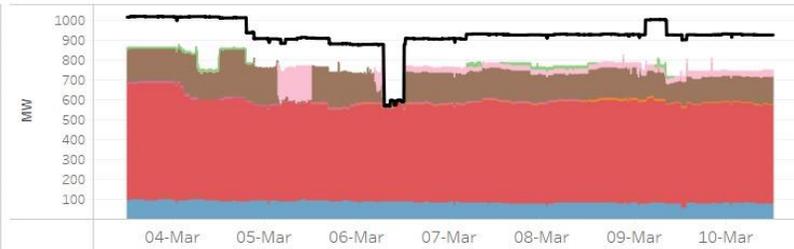
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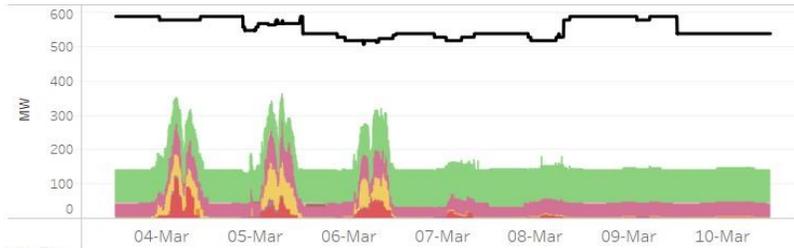
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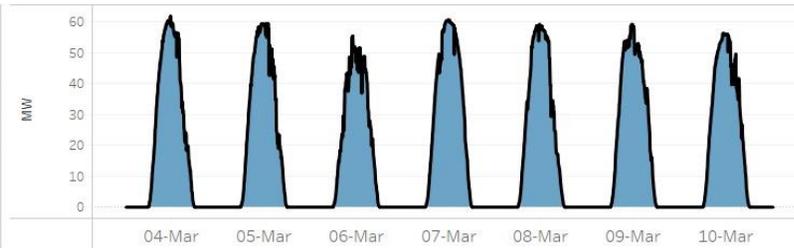
HYDRO



OIL-BASED



SOLAR



Notes:
 1. In Php (X, Y], it includes offer price greater than Php X but less than or equal to Php Y.
 2. Reflected capacity includes offered capacity of all scheduled generators, nominated loading level of nonscheduled generators and projected output of preferential dispatch generators adjusted based on submitted ramp rate limitations.

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

EFFECTIVE SUPPLY - The effective supply is equal to the offered capacity of all scheduled generator resources, nominated loading level of non-scheduled generating units and projected output of preferential dispatch generating units, adjusted for any security limit provided by the System Operator and other constraints considered during MMS simulation such as generator offered ramp rates. Scheduled output of plants on testing and commissioning through the imposition of security limit by SO and scheduled output of Malaya plant when it is called to run as Must Run Unit (MRU) are likewise accounted for in the effective supply.

MARKET RESIDUAL SUPPLY INDEX (Market RSI) - The RSI is a dynamic continuous index measured as ratio of the available generation without a generator to the total generation required to supply the demand. The RSI is measured for each generator. The greater the RSI of a generator, the less will be its potential ability to exercise market power and manipulate prices, as there will be sufficient capacity from the other generators. In contrary, the lower the RSI, the greater the market power of a generator (and its potential benefit of exercising market power), as the market is strongly dependent on its availability to be able to fully supply the demand. In particular, a RSI greater than 100% for a generator means that the remaining generators can cover the demand, and in principle that generator cannot manipulate market price. On the other hand, a RSI less than 100% means that the generator is pivotal in supplying the demand.

The RSI for the whole market (Market RSI) is measured as the lowest RSI among all the generators in the market. A Market RSI less than 100% indicates the presence of pivotal generator/s.

MARKET SHARE - The fraction of the total capacity or energy that a company or related group owns or controls in the market.

MAJOR PARTICIPANT GROUP - The grouping of generators by ownership or control.

PIVOTAL SUPPLIER INDEX (PSI) - The pivotal supplier index is a binary variable (1 for pivotal and 0 for not pivotal) for each generator. The index identifies whether a generator is pivotal in supplying the demand. The PSI is calculated as the percentage of time that a generator is pivotal in a period (i.e. monthly).

HERFINDAHL-HIRSCHMAN INDEX (HHI) - is a commonly accepted measure of market concentration that takes into account the relative size and distribution of participants in the market. The HHI is a number between 0 and 10,000, which is calculated as the sum of squares of the participant's market share. The HHI approaches zero when the market has very large number of participants with each having a relatively small market share. In contrary, the HHI increases as the number of participants in the market decreases, and the disparity in the market shares among the participants increases. The following are the widely used HHI screening numbers: (1) less than 1,000 - not concentrated; (2) 1,000 to 1,800 - moderately concentrated; (3) greater than 1,800 - concentrated; and (4) greater than 2,500 - highly concentrated.

REGISTERED CAPACITY - The capacity registered by a generator with WESM.

REGISTERED CAPACITY (NET OF OUTAGE) - The capacity registered by a generator with WESM less capacity on outage.

OFFERED CAPACITY - The offer to supply electricity submitted by a generator.

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