

# Reliability, Reliability, Reliability!!!

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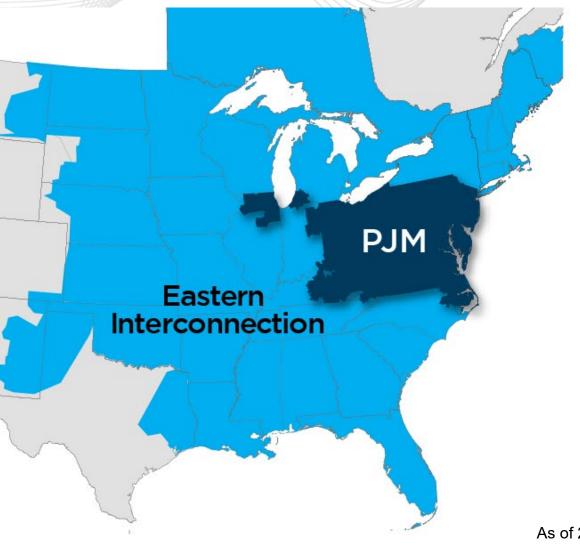
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#### PJM as Part of the Eastern Interconnection

Key Statistics	
Member companies	1,110+
Millions of people served	65+
Peak load in megawatts	165,563
Megawatts of generating capacity	183,254
Miles of transmission lines	88,115
Gigawatt hours of annual energy	795
Generation sources	1,419
Square miles of territory	368,906
States served	13 + DC

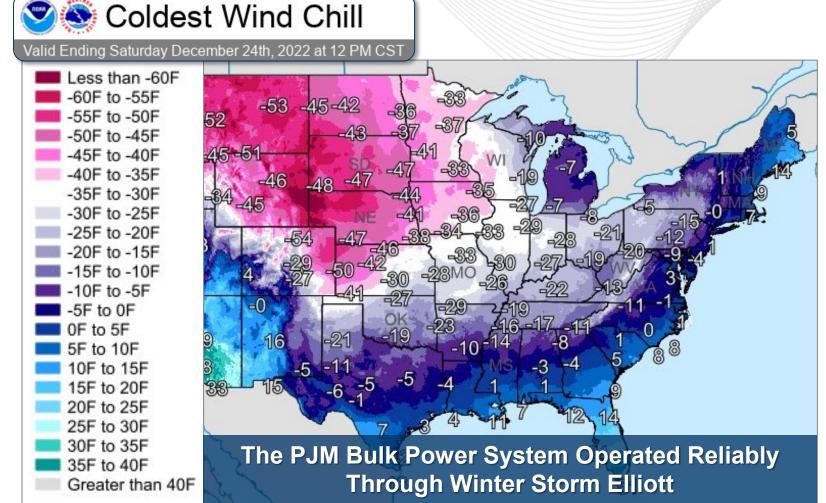
21% of U.S. GDP produced in PJM



As of 2/2023



#### Winter Storm Elliott





Source: NOAA

Temperatures across the RTO plummeted beginning on Dec. 23 and lasted into the morning of Dec. 25 with record lows in some areas as well as record drops in some regions.

Source: NOAA and the National Weather Service; Graphic created on Dec. 21, 2022.



### Reliability During the Energy Transition

- 1. Near-Term Reliability: Ensuring Generator Performance
  We have enough resources and essential reliability services today, but they need to perform (Winter Storm Elliott).
- 2. Mid-Term Reliability: Having Enough Resources
  Resource retirements and load growth could potentially outpace new entry (at the current pace of new entry, resource adequacy risks could emerge by 2028–2030) (PJM Paper: Resource Retirements, Replacements and Risks).
- 3. Long-Term Reliability: Having Enough Resources and Essential Reliability Services

Thermal generators provide essential reliability services, and an adequate supply will be needed until a substitute is deployed at scale (PJM Paper: Energy Transition in PJM 1.0).

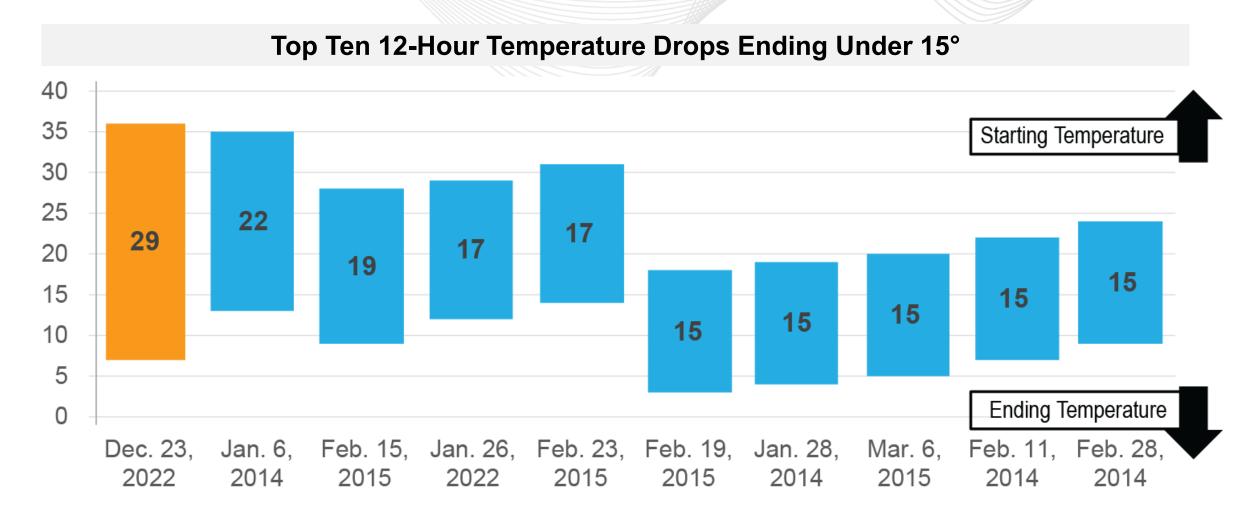


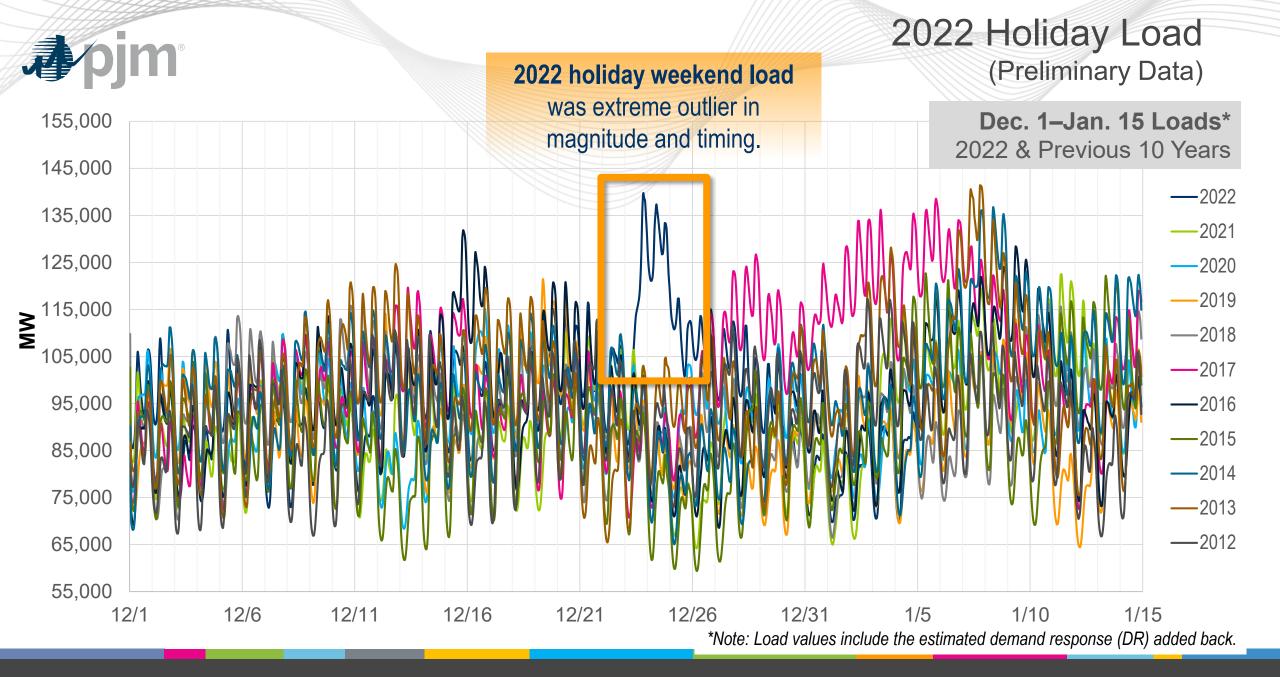
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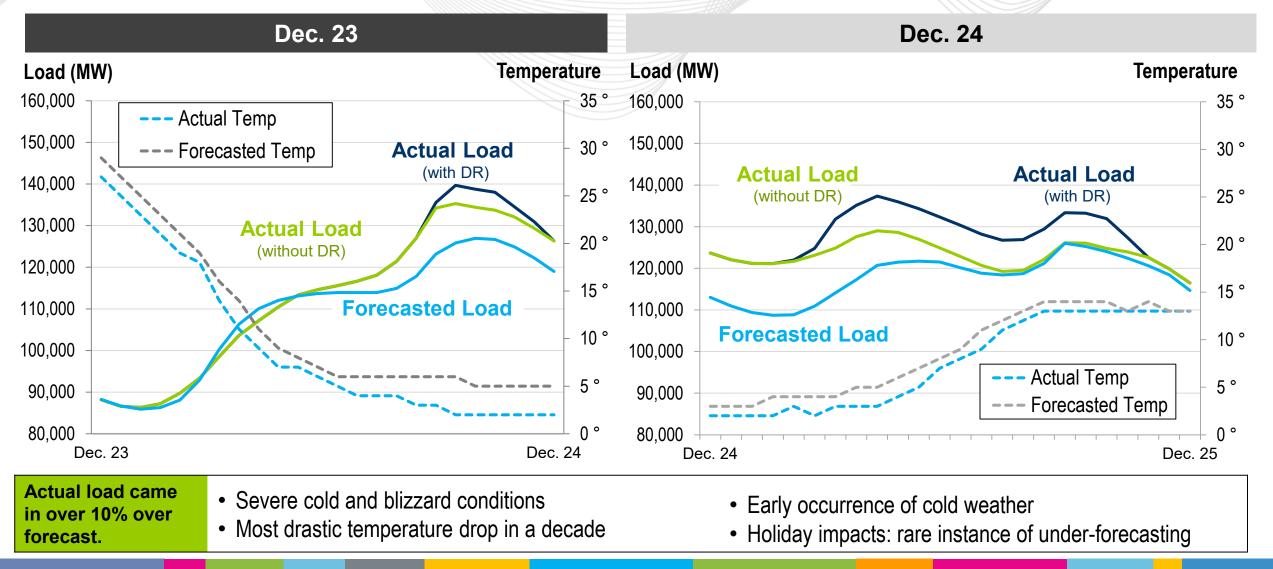
### Most Drastic Temperature Drop in a Decade







# Actual Load Came in Higher Than Forecast (Preliminary Data)



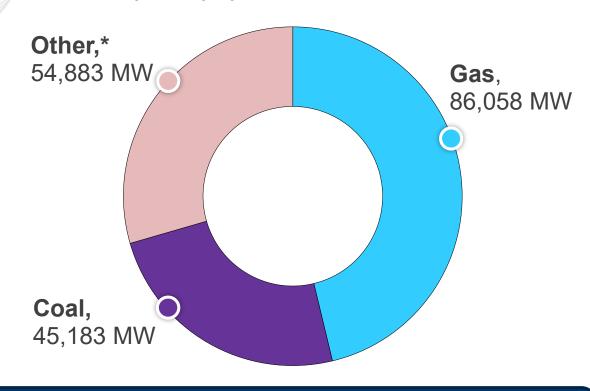


### TOTAL FORCED OUTAGES -**DEC. 24, 2022** Natural Gas, Coal, 32,473 MW 7,562 MW 45,952 MW (23.2% Total PJM Capacity) Other,\* 5,917 MW

#### \*Other = nuclear, oil, wind, solar, etc.

# Generator Performance (Preliminary Data)

GENERATOR UCAP
2022/2023 DELIVERY YEAR



PJM's Total Fleet Capacity – **186 GW**