

SIUG Meeting Summary

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Web Services Availability

Under MRTU, User Interfaces (UIs) and web services will be available through both the ECN and the Internet, except for the Market Notification Service (MNS) which will be available only through the Internet. There is an outstanding DNS issue with providing MNS over the ECN for which the CAISO has a solution for its internal systems, but not for external users. Legacy applications are available only through the Internet.

Responses to Participants' Questions

- Availability of MRTU systems should be comparable through either ECN or the Internet.
- The CAISO will need to get back to Participants with a schedule for making MRTU systems available on ECN in the Integrated Market Simulation (IMS) Update 2 (U2) environment. The CAISO will send a communication when services are available over ECN in the U2 environment and how they will be provided.
- There will be different URLs for web services over the ECN and the Internet. Payloads will be routed differently internal to the CAISO, but will end up in the same place.
- Systems will provide the same market information, such as prices, over ECN and the Internet. ECN vs. the Internet is a choice of interfaces only; the data will be the same.
- If prices are updated, the CAISO will update them on both CMRI and OASIS during the period when data is maintained on CMRI (90 days). After that, any price changes will be published only on OASIS.

Open Questions and Follow Up Items for Future SIUG Discussion

- What is the schedule for providing AS prices by AS Region?
- What is the status of DA ETC usage reports?
- What is the schedule for providing updated XCDs for SIBR changes?
- What is the schedule for updating the SIBR Technical Interface Specifications?

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