

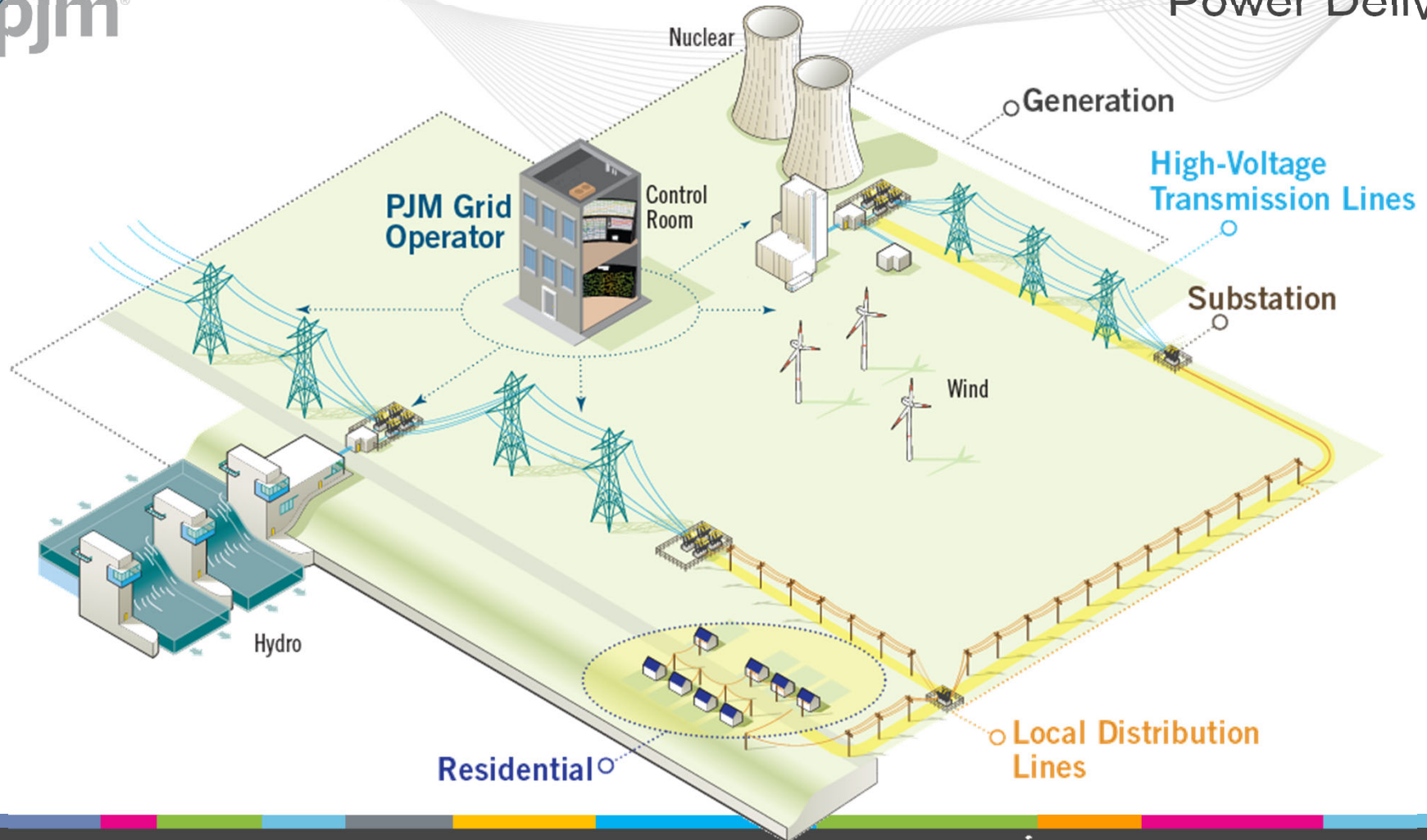


# PJM Interconnection

## *An Overview*

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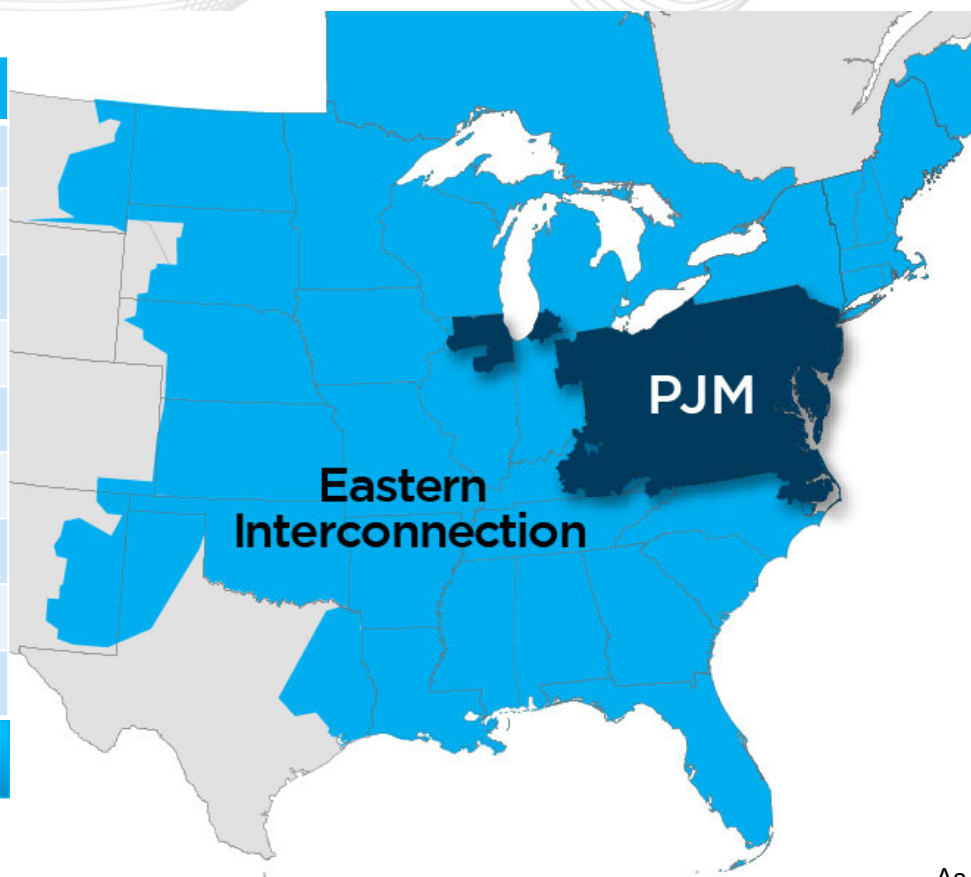


## PJM as Part of the Eastern Interconnection

### 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
2020 gigawatt hours of annual energy	795
Generation sources	1,419
Square miles of territory	368,906
States served	13 + DC

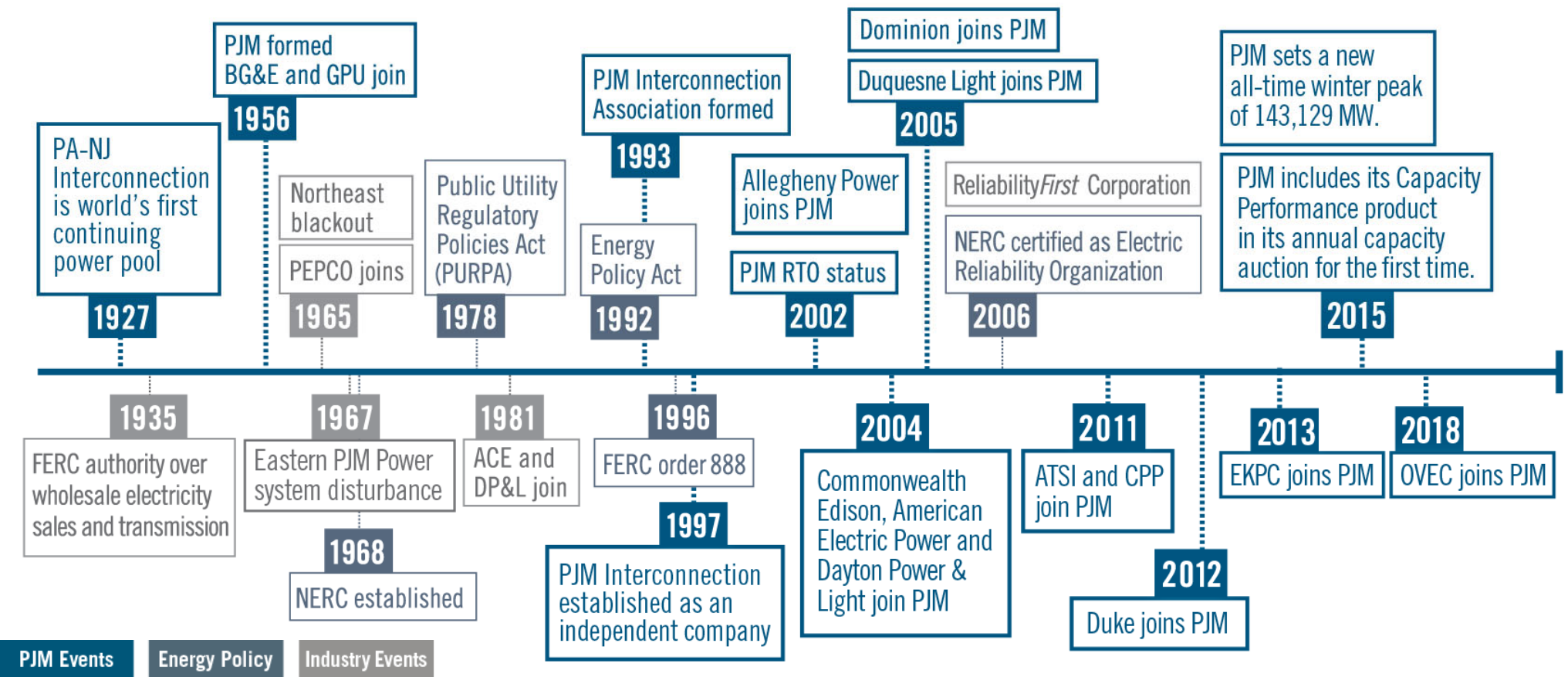
**21% of U.S. GDP produced in PJM**



As of 2/2023



# The History of PJM





## How Is PJM Different from Other Utility Companies?

### PJM Does:

- Direct operation of the transmission system
- Remain profit-neutral
- Maintain independence from PJM members
- Coordinate maintenance of grid facilities

### PJM Does *NOT*:

- Own any transmission or generation assets
- Function as a publicly traded company with shareholders and concerns around “earnings”
- Perform maintenance on generators or transmission systems (e.g., repair power lines)
- Serve or direct any end-use customers (retail)

PJM  
Open Access  
Transmission  
Tariff (OATT)

Reliability  
Assurance  
Agreement

Transmission  
Owner (TO)  
Agreement

PJM  
Operating  
Agreement

# RELIABILITY

## Markets

- Energy
- Capacity
- Ancillary services

## Operations

- Grid operations
- Supply/demand balance
- Transmission monitoring

## Regional Planning

- 15-year outlook





# PJM's Role as a Regional Transmission Organization

## PLANNING



Planning for the future like...



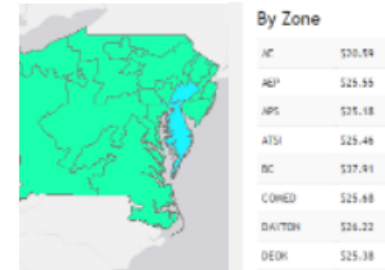
## OPERATIONS



Matches supply with demand like...

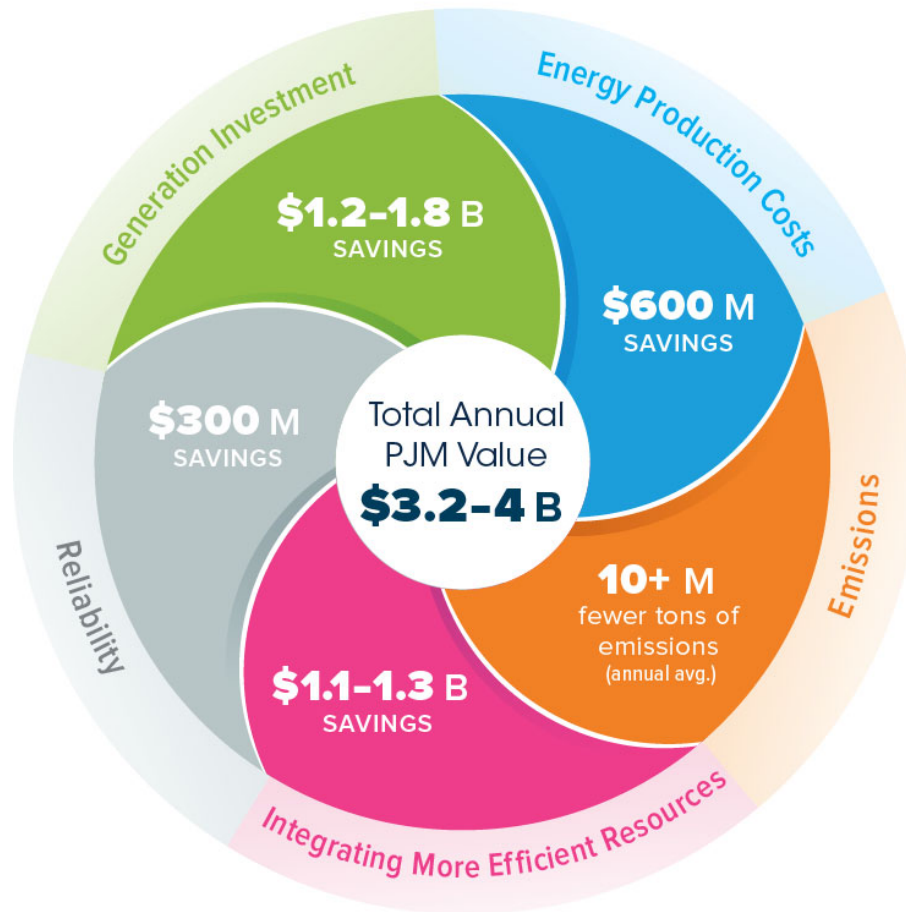


## MARKETS



Energy Market Pricing like...





— All numbers are estimates. —



## 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 (4R)).

## 3. Long-Term Reliability: Having Enough Resources and Essential Reliability Services

Thermal Generators Provide Essential Reliability Services & an Adequate Supply will be Need Until a Substitute is Deployed at Scale (PJM Paper: Energy Transition in PJM 1.0).



## **Adequate Supply**

Resources to reliably power the system and meet customer demand



## **Accurate Forecasting**

Projection of future customer demand and system needs



## **Robust Transmission**

Reliable delivery of power across the grid and to customers via local distribution companies



## **Reliable Operations**

Monitoring and dispatch of the system by trained operators