

Large Load Forecasting



Objective

Advance methods for forecasting large loads at the utility, regional and national scales, building on an understanding of existing practices and an assessment of uncertainty challenges.

Session Topics

Review Existing Practices

- Summary of research and presentations to date
- May 15

Focus on Emerging Themes

- ESIG workshop @Nashville (hybrid meeting)
- Update on existing practices
- Emerging themes, exp. uncertainty in large load forecasts
- June 26

Identify Solutions

- First draft list of “best practices”
- National forecast idea
- Continuing discussion on emerging themes
- Coordination with other teams
- August 14

Review Draft Report

- “Best practices”
- Other report elements
- October 2

In-Person Workshop

- ESIG Fall Workshop @ Philadelphia
- Presentations by team leaders
- Full review of team work product
- October 30

Final Team Review

- Full report draft review session
- December 11

Who's Involved

Consortium of industry leaders, grid operators, utilities, researchers, regulators, large load operators and developers, including data centers, H2, fleet electrification

Timeline

