

Inputs	Scripts	Description	Outputs	Feeds into
Transmission Lines and Capacities. <i>OBS: no data for this now! Need to update for region, e.g. using IPM data</i>	TransmissionLineFuncs	Imports data	Transmission line source, sink, capacity	CE Model
Reserve Types + requirements from WWSIS (Western Wind and Solar Integration Study) + Michael's Storage Paper	RIPSMaster (DefineReserve...)	Sets parameters used to compute reserves, which are determined in CE + UC models	Parameters for computing reserves	CE pre-process (for use in UCED) <i>OBS: Don't have operational reserves in CE model since there are no unit commitment constraints. Will use this for CE model.</i>
Fuel Prices from EIA AEO + EPA IPM	RIPSMaster	Imports Fuel Prices	Fuel Prices	CE + UCED
Generator Fleet from EIA 860, Needs, eGrid, PHORUM and AEO + IPM	SetupGeneratorFleet	Sets up generator fleet. Starts with NEEDs fleet, then adds emission rates (eGrid), cooling techs + sources (EIA 860), lat/long (eGrid), Var O&M + Fix O&M (AEO + IPM), unit commitment parameters (PHORUM), fuel prices, a random operational cost added (to expedite solution of optimization) + eligibility to provide regulated reserves. Script also combines plants of certain types (for computational efficiency)	Generator Fleet	CE + UCED
CO ₂ cap	InterpolateCO2Cap	Sets CO ₂ cap based on input limits	CO ₂ cap	CE
Hourly Zonal Demand	ForecastDemandWithRegion	Computes hourly demand by zone given Francisco coeff + future met data from UW	Hourly Demand	Selectweeks... (Demand-FuncCE)

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New plant types for construction (see SI of storage paper for sources)	ImportNewTechs	Tech data compiled already in Excel from variety of sources. Script imports data, then modifies plant costs per particular cooling type with IECM data. Also filters particular plant types given inputs	Plant Types able to be built in CE	CE
Hourly Capacity Factors (CFs) of renewables from NREL (Wind data set + Solar Integration data set, both from NREL) <i>OBS: should update solar to NSRDB with PVLib - Michael has downloaded NSRDB data + code for PVLib is in Solar MOE folder</i>	GetRenewableCFs	Get hourly CFs for wind + solar by zone by: 1. 'ID-ing' best wind sites 2. Getting hourly CFs for these sites 3. Replacing wind/solar in zone with best wind/solar sites until capacity zero'd out	Hourly wind + solar CFs + metadata for plants to which those CFs correspond	GetNetDemand → (<i>script combines all plants + CFs into single hourly max gen profile for all wind + solar, which is input to CE + UCED</i>)
Hourly Capacity Factors (CFs) of new wind + solar that CE can build	GetRenewableCFs	Relies on GetRenewableCFs scripts to determine CFs for any incrementl (5 GW now) amount of capacity to existing wind + solar capacity. All wind + solar added by CE have that same avg CF profile.	Hourly CFs for all new wind + solar plants	CE

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Curtailments of existing (already in fleet) thermal plant duw to ambient conditions + regulation based on UW data, Aviva coefficients + regulation limit	RIPSMaster (importHourlyThermalCur..)	For each grid cell from UW: 1. Import meteo + water data 2. For each gen in cell: (a) set coefficients (Aviva) (b) calculate curtailment from: i. ambient conditions (Aviva regression) ii. regulations (based on mixing eqn in word doc)	Hourly time series of curtailments os each plant	GetHourlyCapacsForCE

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Hourly Zonal Demand (takes in demand computed with Francisco data)	DemandFuncsCE	<p>Selects periods to include in CE model. Those inputs are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The day with peak net demand 2. The day with peak thermal curtailment 3. The day with peak demand and thermal curtailment (these three items are the "special days") 4. Factoring out those days, representative days per season. These days are selected on the basis of minimizing the RMSE between their load duration curve (LDC) and the season's LDC. <p><i>You should explore other types of "special days". Also, analyze correlation between demand and curtailments.</i></p>	Demand (+ renewable generation) for days to be included in CE	CE
Weights to scale costs on representative days to full season	DemandFuncsCE	Scalars equal to [demand on representative days] \div [demand for entire season]	Seasonal weights	CE

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Max generation by each hydro plant using PNNL data	GetHydroMaxGen	Imports monthly gen by each hydro plant from PNNL, then translates that monthly gen into max gen on each set of representative + special days for CE model. This translation is done by dividing demand on the set of days by that month's demand. The script also assigns max gen to plants NOT in the PNNL data using average capacity factor of plants in the PNNL data <i>OBS: You should revisit this once you figure out how many days you can run the CE model for. If it is a lot of days, this approach is good. If only a few , it may not be a good idea to just scale by demand.</i>	Max gen by each hydro plant	CE
Curtailments of thermal plants that can be built by the CE model + regulation based on UW data, Aviva coefficients + regulation limit	ModifyNewTechCapacity	Similar procedure as for existing plants. Note, though, that the CE model chooses how many of each type to build in EACH CELL.	Hourly time series of curtailments for each tech type in each cell	GetHourlyCapacsForCE
Mapping of cells to zones	AssignCellsToIPMZones	Uses shapely + shape files of IPM regions to map UW cells to IPM zones	Cells zone maps	CE

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RBM data for UW	ModifyGeneratorCapac... (processRBMDData...)	<p>This script processes RBM data from UW + saves water temp (T) data for each cell in a separate csv file. The script</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gets a list of all cells with water temperature data from the .spat file 2. For each cell: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Gets the total number of river segments in the cell + the number of days with data (b) Maps segment numbers to cell from .spat file (c) open the .temp file + reads out data for each segment in the cell (d) saves that raw data (e) Get an average temperature for each cell, which is what we use in other script, by averaging T over all segments in the cell, then saves this. <p><i>OBS: You can use this procedure with future data from Yifan</i></p>	Average water temperature per segment	Scripts on curtailment