Appendix

Additional Data

Table A.1: Total variable costs for high and low sulfur oil and diesel, based on the GPA fuel cost forecast and heatrates and variable O&M costs from Shaalan.

	Total Variable Costs [\$/MWh]		
Year	HSFO	LSFO	Diesel
2015	\$ 130.00	\$ 151.00	\$ 344.75
2016	\$ 136.30	\$ 159.41	\$ 360.93
2017	\$ 142.21	\$ 166.30	\$ 376.09
2018	\$ 148.11	\$ 173.19	\$ 391.25
2019	\$ 154.02	\$ 180.08	\$ 406.41
2020	\$ 159.92	\$ 186.97	\$ 421.57
2021	\$ 165.83	\$ 193.86	\$ 436.73
2022	\$ 171.74	\$ 200.76	\$ 451.89
2023	\$ 177.64	\$ 207.65	\$ 467.05
2024	\$ 183.55	\$ 214.54	\$ 482.21
2025	\$ 189.46	\$ 221.43	\$ 497.37
2026	\$ 195.36	\$ 228.32	\$ 512.53
2027	\$ 201.27	\$ 235.21	\$ 527.69
2028	\$ 207.17	\$ 242.10	\$ 542.85
2029	\$ 213.08	\$ 248.99	\$ 558.01
2030	\$ 218.99	\$ 255.88	\$ 573.17
2031	\$ 224.50	\$ 261.25	\$ 587.30
2032	\$ 230.80	\$ 269.67	\$ 603.49
2033	\$ 236.71	\$ 276.56	\$ 618.65
2034	\$ 242.61	\$ 283.45	\$ 633.81
2035	\$ 248.52	\$ 290.34	\$ 648.97

Table A.2: Load scaling factors used in model, as taken from and extrapolated from the GPA 2013 IRP

	Sales Forecast [MWh]		Peak Demand Forecast [MW]	
Year	Baseline	EPA Delay	Baseline	EPA Delay
2012	1.550	1.590	264.0	280.0
2013	1.575	1.720	263.5	300.0
2014	1.580	1.740	266.0	320.0
2015	1.590	1.780	270.0	310.0
2016	1.600	1.950	272.0	322.5
2017	1.610	2.200	272.0	329.0
2018	1.610	2.200	271.0	320.0
2019	1.610	1.995	270.0	305.0
2020	1.620	1.970	271.0	300.0
2021	1.630	1.970	272.0	300.0
2022	1.640	1.950	272.5	299.0
2023	1.650	1.950	273.0	301.5
2024	1.660	1.970	273.5	303.0
2025	1.670	1.990	274.0	304.5
2026	1.680	2.027	274.5	306.0
2027	1.690	2.064	275.0	307.5
2028	1.700	2.101	275.5	309.0
2029	1.710	2.138	276.0	310.5
2030	1.720	2.175	276.5	312.0
2031	1.730	2.212	277.0	313.5
2032	1.740	2.249	277.5	315.0
2033	1.750	2.286	278.0	316.5
2034	1.760	2.323	278.5	318.0
2035	1.770	2.360	279.0	319.5

Table A.3: Declining costs of PV as taken from the NW Power and Conservation Council, and converted to 2015 dollars

Year	Cost [2012\$/MW]	Cost [2015\$/MW]
2012	\$ 4,270,000.00	\$ 5,230,933.61
2013	\$ 3,943,000.00	\$ 4,830,344.55
2014	\$ 3,718,000.00	\$ 4,554,709.87
2015	\$ 3,546,000.00	\$ 4,344,002.48
2016	\$ 3,391,000.00	\$ 4,154,120.81
2017	\$ 3,249,000.00	\$ 3,980,164.71
2018	\$ 3,119,000.00	\$ 3,820,909.12
2019	\$ 2,999,000.00	\$ 3,673,903.96
2020	\$ 2,888,000.00	\$ 3,537,924.18
2021	\$ 2,786,000.00	\$ 3,412,969.80
2022	\$ 2,693,000.00	\$ 3,299,040.80
2023	\$ 2,607,000.00	\$ 3,193,687.10
2024	\$ 2,550,000.00	\$ 3,123,859.65
2025	\$ 2,535,000.00	\$ 3,105,484.01
2026	\$ 2,520,000.00	\$ 3,087,108.36
2027	\$ 2,505,000.00	\$ 3,068,732.72
2028	\$ 2,490,000.00	\$ 3,050,357.07
2029	\$ 2,475,000.00	\$ 3,031,981.43
2030	\$ 2,460,000.00	\$ 3,013,605.78
2031	\$ 2,445,000.00	\$ 2,995,230.14
2032	\$ 2,431,000.00	\$ 2,978,079.53
2033	\$ 2,416,000.00	\$ 2,959,703.89
2034	\$ 2,401,000.00	\$ 2,941,328.24
2035	\$ 2,387,000.00	\$ 2,924,177.64

Model Code

Model file: Project1.mod

```
set YEARS = year_o .. year_f;
set SITES;
set RENEWABLES within SITES;
# Transmission costs [$]
param TransCost {s in SITES};
# Capital costs [$/MW]
param CapitalCost {s in SITES, y in YEARS};
# Fixed O&M [$/MW-yr]
param FixedOMCost {s in SITES};
# Variable O&M cost [$/MWh]
param VarOMCost {s in SITES};
# RPS goal as a % of annual sales
param RPS_Goal {y in YEARS};
# Hourly Load [MWh]
param Load {t in TIME};
# Avaiability of resource [MW/km^2]
param ResourceAvailability {s in SITES, t in TIME};
# Amount of resource developed prior to study [MW]
param InitialDevelopedResource {s in SITES};
# Max Capacity of each renewable site [MW]
param MaxCapacity {r in RENEWABLES};
# Slope of increasing variable costs due to forecasted fuel cost increases
param m {s in SITES};
# Intercept of increasing variable costs due to forecasted fuel cost increases
param b {s in SITES};
# Spending limit for capital investment in a given year Y
param AnnualBudget;
# Annual Discount Rate
param DiscountRate;
# Amount of resource installed in the given time period [MW]
var Installed {s in SITES, t in TIME} >= 0;
# Amount of each resource that is actually dispatched [MWh]
var Dispatch {s in SITES, t in TIME} >= 0;
# Cumulative installed capacity up until the given timestep [MW]
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var CumulativeInstalled {s in SITES, t in TIME} =
       sum{u in time o .. t} Installed[s,u]
       + InitialDevelopedResource[s];
# Checking the capacity factor of resources, not vital to code function, for
troubleshooting
var CapacityFactor {s in SITES, t in TIME} =
       if CumulativeInstalled[s,t] = 0
       then 0
       else Dispatch[s,t] / (CumulativeInstalled[s,t] * 168); # 168 is for hr/week
# Determines whether a transmission line installation cost needs to included for the
given site s
# Only activates if generation has been constructed, implemented to bypass a binary
build variable which was inhibiting code functionality
var TransInstallCost {s in SITES, t in TIME} =
            if t = time_o or sum{u in time_o .. t-1} # If at first time step OR from
the beginning of study period until now-1 timestep
                  Installed[s,u] <= 0.01 # Check for installations, 0.01 error</pre>
factor to ignore small variations of capacity at small orders of magnitude
            then if Installed[s,t] > 0.01 # Error factor for marginally positive
amounts
                         then TransCost[s]
                         else 0 # If nothing was installed in this time step, and
nothing was built before, no need for transmission yet
            else 0; # If something has already been built, then transmission should
already exist
# Minimize total costs, including capital and operating costs [$]
minimize TotalCosts:
       sum{s in SITES, t in TIME}
       (TransInstallCost[s,t]
       + CapitalCost[s,(2015+floor((t-1)/52))] * Installed[s,t] # Calculate the
applicable year for capital costs to take affect based on time t, needed for PV
       + FixedOMCost[s] * CumulativeInstalled[s,t]
       + (m[s]*(2015+t/52) + b[s]) * Dispatch[s,t]) # Calculate applicable variable
costs due to fuel escalation for time t
       / (1 + DiscountRate / 52)^t; # Discount the cost for that year back into
2015$
# -----CONSTRAINTS------
# Must have developed enough renewbles in each year to meet the RPS target for that
subject to Meeting_RPS_Goal {y in YEARS}:
       sum{r in RENEWABLES, t in ((y-2015)*52+1)..((y-2014)*52)} Dispatch[r,t] #
Must only look at applicable values of t for given year y
       >= RPS Goal[y] / 100 * sum{s in SITES, t in ((y-2015)*52+1)..((y-2014)*52)}
Dispatch[s,t];
# Cannot dispatch more than has been developed
subject to DispatchLimit {s in SITES, t in TIME}:
       Dispatch[s,t] <= CumulativeInstalled[s,t]*168; # 168 hr/week</pre>
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# Cannot dispatch what is not available
subject to AvailabilityLimit {r in RENEWABLES, t in TIME}:
        Dispatch[r,t] <= ResourceAvailability[r,t] * CumulativeInstalled[r,t]; # If</pre>
forced dispatch required, set constraint to = rather than <=
# Must meet load at each time step t
subject to Meeting_Load {t in TIME}:
             sum{s in SITES}Dispatch[s,t] = Load[t];
# Cannot install more than there is physical room for
subject to CapacityConstraint {r in RENEWABLES, t in TIME}: CumulativeInstalled[r,t]
<= MaxCapacity[r];</pre>
# Cannot exceed an annual budget for capital investments + transmission (costs beyond
typical operation/maintenenace)
subject to BudgetLimit {y in YEARS}:
             sum{s in SITES, t in ((y-2015)*52+1)..((y-2014)*52)} # Only look at
applicable t values for year y
             (TransInstallCost[s,t] + CapitalCost[s,y] * Installed[s,t]) <=</pre>
AnnualBudget;
Data file: Project1.dat
set SITES := Diesel_1 Oil_1 L450-R3 L177-4-R2 L7163 W3-Cotal W3-Pulantat W2-Navy;
set RENEWABLES := L450-R3 L177-4-R2 L7163 W3-Cotal W3-Pulantat W2-Navy;
# -----PARAMETERS------
           TransCost FixedOMCost InitialDevelopedResource :=
param:
L450-R3
                         31771
                                        0.109
             224198.62
L177-4-R2
                          31771
             727130.67
                                        0
L7163
                          31771
W3-Cotal
           122504
                          57245
                                        0
W3-Pulantat 122504
                          57245
          122504
W2-Navy
                          57245
0il_1
             0
                          15175
                                        446
Diesel 1
             0
                          9657
                                        287.2
# Capital costs for each year, allows for declining prices of solar PV to be captured
param CapitalCost (tr):
      Diesel_10il_1
                   L450-R3 L177-4-R2
                                       L7163
                                              W3-CotalW3-Pulantat
                                                                  W2-Navy :=
2015
      469035 1655419 4344002.478
                                4344002.478
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      469035 1655419 4154120.813
2016
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2017
      469035 1655419 3980164.707
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      469035 1655419 3820909.117
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2018
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2019
      469035 1655419 3673903.957
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2020
                                 3537924.184
2021
      469035 1655419 3412969.798
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2022
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2023
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2024
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             1655419 3123859.65
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      469035 1655419 3105484.005
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                                              3105484.005
2025
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2026
      469035 1655419 3087108.36
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2027
                                 3068732.715
      469035 1655419 3050357.07
469035 1655419 3031981.425
2028
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                                              3031981.425
                                 3031981.425
                                                            5696450 5696450 5696450
2029
      469035 1655419 3013605.78
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469035 1655419 2995230.135
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2034
       469035 1655419 2941328.243
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                                                  2941328.243
       469035 1655419 2924177.641
2035
                                    2924177.641
                                                  2924177.641
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# RPS goal as a % of annual sales
param RPS_Goal :=
2015 5
2016 5
2017 5
2018 5
2019 5
2020 8
2021 8
2022 8
2023 8
2024 8
2025 10
2026 10
2027 10
2028 10
2029 10
2030 15
2031 15
2032 15
2033 15
2034 15
2035 25
# Max Capacity of each renewable site [MW]
param MaxCapacity :=
L450-R3
                     168.75
L177-4-R2
              160.8
L7163
              62.4
W3-Cotal
              20
W3-Pulantat 10
W2-Navy
                     20
;
# Slope and intercept of linear trendline for extrapolating variable costs for each
# as a function of the year. Allows for fuel escalation to be captured.
param: m b :=
                     0 0
L450-R3
L177-4-R2
              0 0
L7163
              0 0
W3-Cotal
              0 0
W3-Pulantat 0 0
W2-Navy
0il 1
       5.9083 -11775
Diesel_1 15.165 -30213
;
```

```
# Annual budget allowed for capital projects, currently ~1/2 of GPA fiscal budget in
2012
param AnnualBudget := 200000000;
# Discount rate for bringing costs back to 2015$ values
param DiscountRate := 0.07;
# Hourly Load [MWh]
# Coming from excel file read in run script
# Avaiability of resource [MW/km^2]
# Coming from excel file read in run script
           -----DECISION VARIABLES-----
# No data required
# No data required
# No data required
# -----CONSTRAINTS------
# No data required
Run Script: Project1.run
# Reset AMPL
reset;
reset:
reset;
# Load model and data files
model Project1.mod
data Project1.dat
# Read in excel data for load and resource avaiability for each renewable site
# Excel is after preprocessing by Python code, aggregating time steps from hourly to
weekly
table Energy IN "ODBC" "ENERGY_168hr_21yr_6sites_loadgrowth_rand.xlsx":
      TIME <- [t ~ TIME],
          Load,
           ResourceAvailability["L450-R3",t] ~ L450 R3,
           ResourceAvailability["L177-4-R2",t] ~ L177_4_R2,
           ResourceAvailability["L7163",t] ~ L7163,
           ResourceAvailability["W3-Cotal",t] ~ W3_Cotal,
           ResourceAvailability["W3-Pulantat",t] ~ W3_Pulantat,
           ResourceAvailability["W2-Navy",t] ~ W2_Navy;
read table Energy;
# Set solver options
option solver SNOPT;
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# Solve model
solve;

# Display results, write to file
#display Installed;
display Installed > results.txt;
#display Dispatch;
display Dispatch > results.txt;
display TotalCosts;
display TotalCosts > results.txt;
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