REPORT DESCRIPTION

TITLE: Variable Generation Forecast Summary

CONFIDENTIALITY: Public

PURPOSE: Publish Ontario regional energy forecast reports by fuel type for the next 48 hours, for all variable generation facilities subject to centralized forecasting.

The following information is included in this report:
- Forecast Timestamp – Time forecast created
- Fuel Type – Solar or Wind
- Zone – electrical zone name;
- Forecast Date and Hour Ending
- Energy Forecast MW – Amount of energy expected for the hour

Forecasts will only be published for zones that have more than two market participants operating variable generators.

Energy Forecast MW will be blank for zones with no forecast available.

FREQUENCY: Published approximately 5 minutes prior to every hour.

GRANULARITY Hourly for the next 48 hours

NOTES:
- Published report is always the most current available forecast.
- Forecast energy published may differ from data used in scheduling and dispatch operations.
- Report products will not be displayed if the number of market participants in that category is less than 3.