Peak Demand Management

Every month your business is charged a fee – a capacity charge – based on how much electricity you consumed during a defined period in the previous year when electricity demand on the grid was at its highest.

Peak demand management involves curtailing your energy consumption during periods of peak system load, thereby lowering your capacity charges, which in turn will reduce your overall power costs.



- New England
- PJM
- ERCOT
- NYISO



Peak Demand Management Program Parameters

Each market has different times and measurements for peak demand charges.

	PJM	ERCOT	NYISO	ISONE
#PDM DAYS	5	4 1 per summer month	1	1
Season Duration	Summer	Summer	Summer (2 Months)	Year Round
Season Timing	June 1 - Sept. 30	June 1 - Sept. 30	July 1 - August 31 weekdays only	June 1 - May 31
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Learn the basics:

Watch the Peak demand management 101 video



