

	Actual (in megawatts)					Projections			
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>ERCOT</b> demand	68,416	66,548	67,245	66,454	69,877	68,063	68,548	69,409	70,795
capacity	69,595	73,219	74,396	73,950	76,798	78,466	85,050	100,361	104,077
% margin*	1.7	9.1	9.6	10.1	9.0	15.3	24.1	44.6	46.9
<b>SPP</b> demand	54,991	53,177	47,647	46,076	48,894	50,552	51,184	51,989	52,359
capacity	62,044	72,802	71,897	65,302	63,426	63,350	64,492	65,413	65,180
% margin	11.4	27.0	33.8	29.4	22.9	25.3	26.0	25.8	24.5
<b>WECC</b> demand	117,755	130,465	132,875	127,092	131,072	129,700	129,654	180,404	131,550
capacity	147,147	147,527	167,171	162,119	164,417	165,881	164,622	166,053	168,562
% margin	20.0	11.6	20.5	21.6	20.3	27.9	27.0	27.3	28.1
<b>SERC</b> demand	161,995	158,041	121,810	123,866	127,742	127,354	128,843	130,385	131,505
capacity	201,103	198,140	165,171	159,822	159,279	160,896	163,583	163,696	164,961
% margin	19.4	20.2	26.3	22.5	19.8	26.2	26.8	25.4	25.3
<b>U.S.</b> demand	759,642	768,943	759,310	723,411	741,056	742,098	748,392	755,468	767,450
capacity	892,426	927,060	944,515	917,167	916,439	926,583	950,097	978,756	1,007,249
% margin	14.9	17.1	19.6	21.1	19.1	19.9	21.2	22.8	24.3

\*Capacity Margin is the amount of unused available capability of an electric power system at **summer peak** load as a percentage of capacity resources. Source: Federal Energy Information Administration, March 2017.