



Joint and Common Market

# **FREEZE DATE PROJECT UPDATE**

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# Introduction

*Purpose:* Provide a brief update on the status of the project, estimated timeline, and next steps

*Key Takeaways:*

- Since the August JCM meeting, the CMPWG market entities have focused on creating an additional scenario for data analysis
- The vendor has delivered a change order
- The FFL methodology discussions have not picked back up yet

# FFE Progress Since August

- Significant progress in producing an additional data set has been made since the last meeting
  - This set will be used to further vet a new methodology
  - Through this process, the analysis tool has been updated and will be useful during the testing phase
- The new data contains a refreshed set of flowgates, focusing on modeling and other parameters from October 2021
  - This will be a reference as the remaining open items are finalized

# Next Steps

## Firm Flow Entitlements (FFE)

- Determine final changes
- Finalize Tariff revisions
- Update timeline
- Communicate with stakeholders
- Finalize detailed specifications for vendor

# Potential Revised FFE Timeline

Task	Description	Anticipated Date	Status
1	Finalize Whitepaper for FFE	Complete	✓
2	Engage OATI for cost and time estimates	Complete	✓
3	Communication and feedback with stakeholders	Ongoing	★
4	Finalize CMP Language	Q2 2022	★
5	Restart FFL discussions	TBD	★
6	FERC Prefiling Meetings (met in April 2021 and will need additional meeting to provide updates since first meeting)	Partially complete / Q2 2022	★
7	FERC Filing	Q2 2022	★
8	Start Development and Testing	Q3 2022	★
9	Implementation	TBD	★

Note: FFL design and implementation details are unknown and cannot be estimated at this time

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