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Distributed Energy Resources: Not just rooftop solar anymore. The emergence of batteries mean DER has real value to wholesale markets.



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How do DER Participate in Wholesale markets now?

- ✓ Not often!
- ✓ Through demand response
- ✓ Nobody uses the CAISO DER Product

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SOME EXAMPLES

Hybrid DER in wholesale markets

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SunRun in ISO-NE

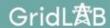
- 20 MW of residential hybrid (solar+storage) participating through a passive DR program
- Retail TOU arbitrage
- To be installed 2020-2021

SunRun Oakland – EBCE

- 0.5 MW of residential solar+storage
- Using CAISO Proxy Demand Response
- Retail TOU arbitrage

STEM

- Battery only not hybrid
- Commercial demand charge arbitrage
- CAISO Proxy Demand Response
- Active now in multiple markets



BARRIERS TO HYBRID PARTICIPATION

DEMAND RESPONSE NOT THE RIGHT MARKET CONSTRUCT!

- When can we get a FERC ruling on DER aggregation?
 - Fight over 841 is not a good sign
- What are realistic telemetry requirements for DER?
 - In CA, a WDAT is a huge barrier
- What are the real barriers at the T&D interface?



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THANK YOU

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