Bonneville Power Administration: Follow-up regarding distributed generation quantities modeled in AURORA

During the August 8, 2018 BP-20 rates workshop, a question was asked about quantities of distributed solar generation Bonneville used in AURORA® to calculate the market prices for the preliminary BP-20 Initial Proposal estimate. Bonneville used behind-the-meter solar energy generation (residential and commercial) estimates provided in publicly available IRPs with vintages ranging from 2015 to 2017. Total forecasted nameplate capacity (MW-AC) values are as follows:

		AZ, NM,
CY	CA	NV
2019	8,647	1,505
2020	9,633	1,614
2021	10,687	1,707

Please contact Eric Graessley (ewgraessley@bpa.gov) if you have more specific questions regarding sources of information or how the capacity values were derived.