Biomass Renewable Qualifying Facilities

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Overview of PG&E's Biomass Portfolio

- PG&E is far and away the largest purchaser of biomass in California
 - >630 MW under contract
 - ~570 MW of Operational Biomass Capacity generate ~3,000 GWh annually
- Since 2006, PG&E RPS contracting has increased expected biomass deliveries by 45%
 - PG&E has added 10 biomass facilities, totaling 190 MW or 1,350 GWh
 - At the same time, fuel supplies have decreased
- Majority of PG&E biomass portfolio are Standard Offer QFs
 - 19 QF biomass PPA account for ~60% of the current biomass portfolio
 - Two agreements are pending CPUC Approval (DG Fairhaven, Mt. Lassen)
 - PG&E has offered facilities an executable, fixed price amendment that provides an extension of the IEP fixed price
- 3 RPS Agreements are pending CPUC Approval (Kiara Biomass, Global Ampersand Chowchilla and El Nido)



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Summary of Fixed Price and Open Book Options

Attribute	Legacy QF PPA	Amended PPA
Price		Based on either extension of fixed price (Component 2) or Open Book assessment (Component 3)
		Fixed energy price contingent upon performance
		Annual payments in any scenario not to exceed a maximum all-in price of \$100.43/MWh for IEP fixed price extension or negotiated for open book pricing
Performance		Seller must deliver 95% of historical annual generation (CQ) to receive the Fixed Energy Price (FEP)
	Pro-rated firm capacity payments	 Deliveries ≥95% of the CQ- Seller receives 100% of the FEP Deliveries >90% of the CQ and <95% of the CQ- Seller receives 80% of the FEP
	Must demonstrate 80% of Firm Capacity June, July and August every other year to avoid de-	 Deliveries <90% of the CQ, Seller receives the lesser of the 80% of Fixed Energy Price or SRAC
	ration	● PG&E will pay for generation >110% of CQ at the lesser of 80% of the Fixed Price or SRAC
		No change to capacity payments
Credit		Seller can elect to be paid the current QF SRAC price; PG&E will true up to the revised pricing and make a payment adjustment after demonstration of performance on an annual basis <i>OR</i> Seller can post security in accordance RPS protocol amounts
Scheduling		Binding Day Ahead Schedule-Seller responsible for CAISO charges and penalties outside a tolerance band
Outage Notification/Standard Capacity Product Liability	Outage notification is to protect Seller's capacity payment (~ 1 week for all but major overhauls); PG&E bears all liability for SCP 2 charges	Notification per RPS form PPA and CAISO planned outage requirements;
Economic curtailment	None	Seller designated an economic curtailment price
Subsidies	incentives etc.	On an annual basis, Seller must provide 80% of any benefit realized from any subsidies or grants to PG&E Seller to provide attestation of subsidies received

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