

Southern California Edison - DAC GT & CSGT RFO Frequently Asked Questions

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| Under Contract Length, why does one Offer require a 10-year delivery term (as opposed to 20)? | SCE has a preference for a 10-year offer and uses this as a basis of comparison against all offer terms. SCE encourages competitive offers of different permutations and term lengths. |
| For DAC-CSGT: Would you please discuss the 5 MW procurement cap? If the largest project is 4MW+, the program could be fulfilled with a single contract. | The program cap for DAC-CSGT is 14.69 MW therefore the program could not be fulfilled by a single project. If the largest project is 4 MW and above. |
| Would you please discuss the 10 year offer term? Was that required in the CPUC decision? | SCE has a preference for a 10-year offer, which is not a CPUC directive; SCE uses the 10 year offer as a basis of comparison against all offer terms. SCE encourages competitive offers of different permutations and term lengths. |
| How do you anticipate the 20-year RAM contract price cap will be adjusted for projects of shorter tenor? | SCE does not utilize a mechanism to adjust the price cap with respect to terms. Specifically, the price cap is 200% for CS-GT and 200% for DAC-GT of the maximum executed contract price in the most recent Renewable Auction Mechanism or the previous Green Tariff whichever is higher, which in essence can be a shorter term. |
| On the RFO schedule, if there are two RFOs per year, is the intention [that] RFOs are offered until the program cap is exhausted? | The plan is to offer two solicitations per year until the program cap is met. |
| The bid documents state that Green E - Certification is required to bid on this project. I would like clarification on this, after speaking with Judy Chen from Green E this morning she indicated that a Project Attestation Form would be required of the developer after the project is built and that the Utility would be selling the energy at that point. contrary to previous ECR programs which is different that this DAC RFO. Please clarify exactly at what point in the bidding process or the award process does the bidder need or the project need to be Green E certified. | These should all be new build projects. As such, Green-E certification would need to occur after contract execution please reference the DAC-GT & CSGT Standard Contract. |
| Can a project with a GIA larger than 4.39 MW bid in at 4.39 MW? <i>(Note for CSGT RFO)</i> | Yes, the CSGT Project must be a solar in-front-of-the-meter generating facility that qualifies as an ERR with a nameplate rated generating capacity of 4.39 MW or less. However, SCE recommends that that the developer reviews the DAC-GT & CSGT Standard Contract on Transmission & Interconnection-related provisions. |
| Are size limits in MW DC or AC? | SCE recommends referencing the DAC-GT & CSGT Standard Contract on specificities between DC and AC limits. |
| For the both DAC-GT & CSGT RFO, can multiple projects qualify as one bid as long as they're lower than 20 MW? | Yes; please indicate the mutual exclusivity/inclusivity of offer(s) in the offer workbook. |
| Please clarify what "top 5 percent DAC" means in section 5.06 | Top 5% DAC corresponds to the locations CalEnviroScreen 3.0 Percentile ranking. To determine this value, please refer to the CalEnviroScreen 3.0 website by clicking the link in the RFO Instructions, or by navigating to: https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen/maps-data |
| How many RFOs will there be? Will they be twice a year until capacity is exhausted? | Yes, SCE will launch two solicitations a year until the overall program cap is met. |
| When will SCE decide to seek an increase to the program caps? | The program caps are established by the CPUC as part of Resolution E-4999. At this time SCE will launch RFOs twice a year until our established caps (56.5MW for DAC-GT and 14.63 MW for CSGT) are met. |

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| What does it mean to be Green-e® certified? How far along the certification process must a project be to be considered certified? | For more information on Green-e® certification and certification requirements, please visit www.green-e.org/about . The project should be Green-e® certified throughout the Delivery Period; please reference the DAC-GT & CSGT Standard Contract for more information and specified reporting requirements. |
| Can you please confirm if energy storage systems paired with solar PV systems are eligible for these RFOs? | Energy Storage paired systems with solar PV systems are not eligible for this RFO. Please refer to the RFO Instructions for eligibility criteria. |
| Is Time-of-Delivery a factor to be considered during the selection process? | No, however SCE has provided Information on Time of Delivery Factors as a reference. |