

# Northeast Utilities Transmission Reliability Margin Implementation Document (TRMID))

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### Introduction

Northeast Utilities Transmission Reliability Margin Implementation Document (“TRMID”).

### Calculation of Transmission Reliability Margin (TRM) on Non-PTF

TRM is the amount of transmission transfer capability set aside to provide reasonable assurance that the interconnected transmission network will be secure. TRM accounts for the inherent uncertainty in system conditions and the need for operating flexibility to ensure reliable system operation as system conditions change. It is used only for external interfaces under the New England market design. NU does not have any external interfaces, and therefore TRM for NU’s Non-PTF is zero.