

Ampere Labs

WEM Quarterly Market Review

Q2 2026

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Introduction

What is this report and where did all the data come from?

- This report presents an independent review of Wholesale Electricity Market (WEM) outcomes from a neutral perspective (*).
- The material in this report is intended to complement the data and insights published by AEMO and other WEM stakeholders.
- Please note that there is no proprietary data used in this report and all the information is derived from the following publicly available data sources:

Data Source	Link
AEMO WA market data	http://data.wa.aemo.com.au/
WEM market fees	https://aemo.com.au/-/media/files/about_aemo/energy_market_budget_and_fees/2023/wa-budget-and-fees-2023-24.pdf?la=en
LGC spot prices (Demand Manager)	https://www.demandmanager.com.au/certificate-prices/
Perth daily temperatures (Bureau of Meteorology)	http://www.bom.gov.au/climate/dwo/IDCJDW6111.latest.shtml

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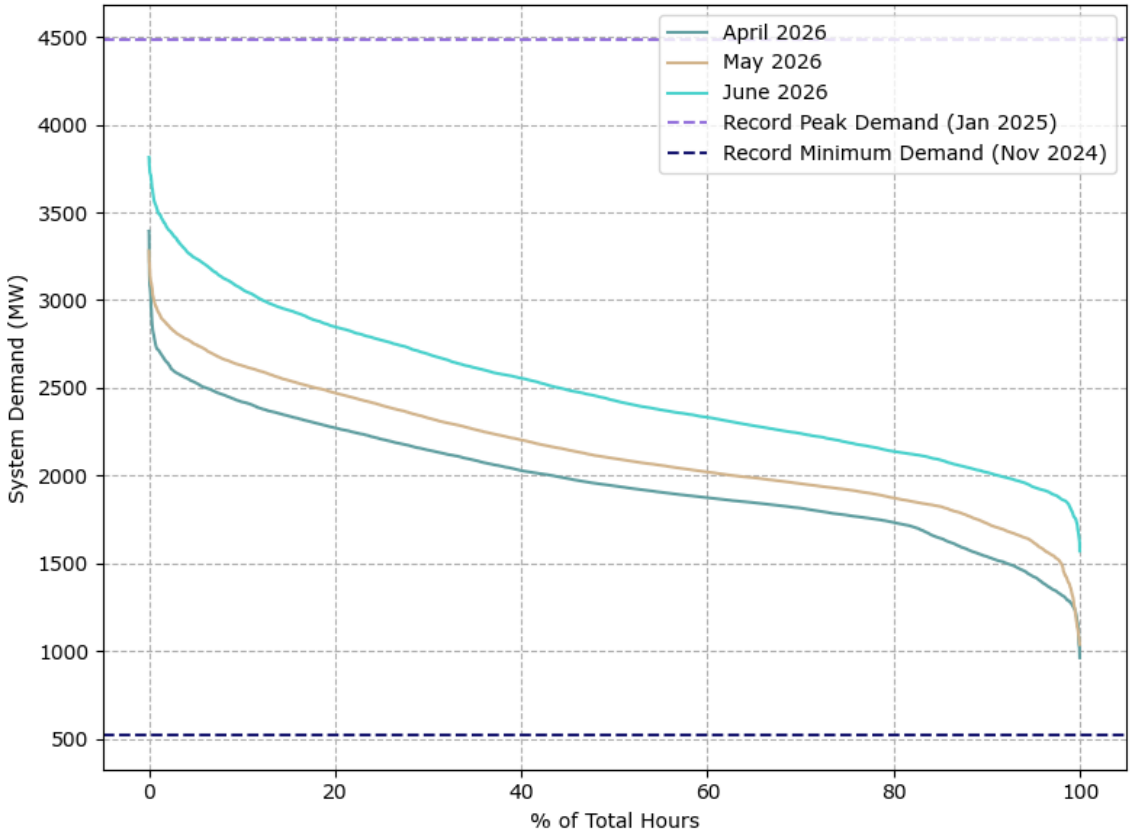
Aggregate system level outcomes

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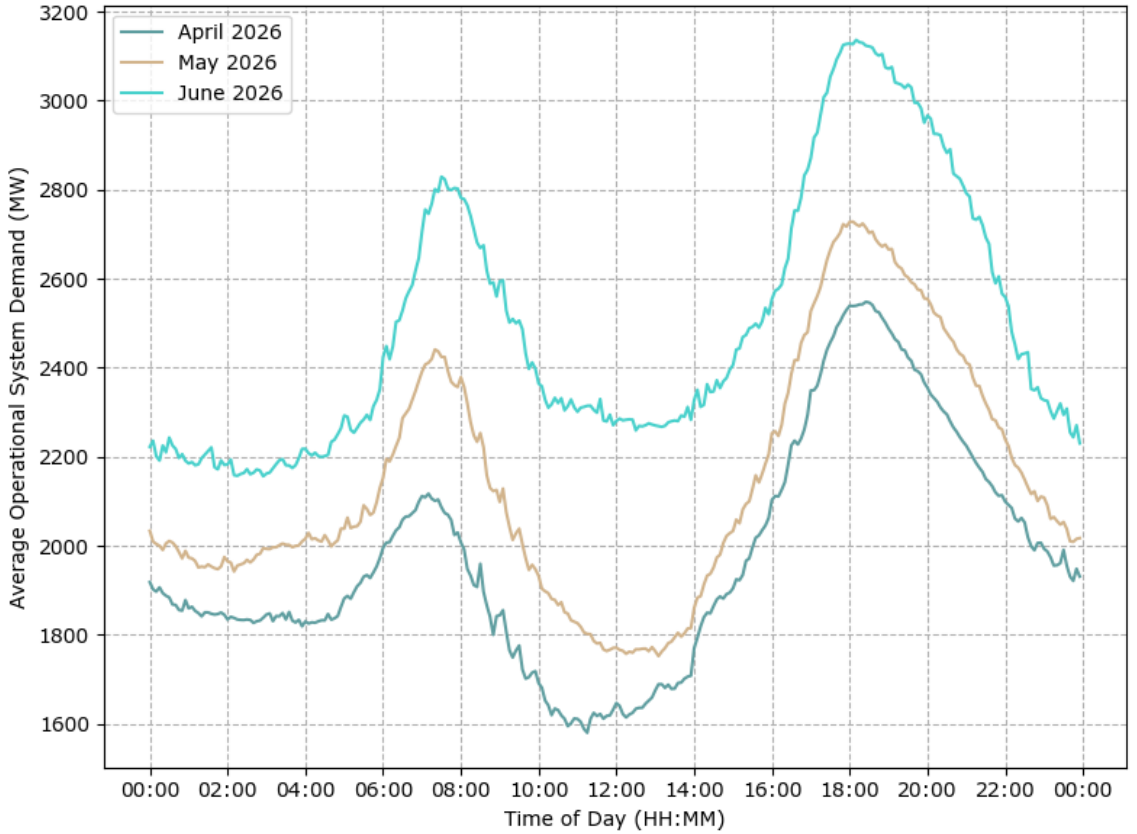
System Operational Demand

System operational demand duration curves and time-of-day averages

Demand Duration Curves



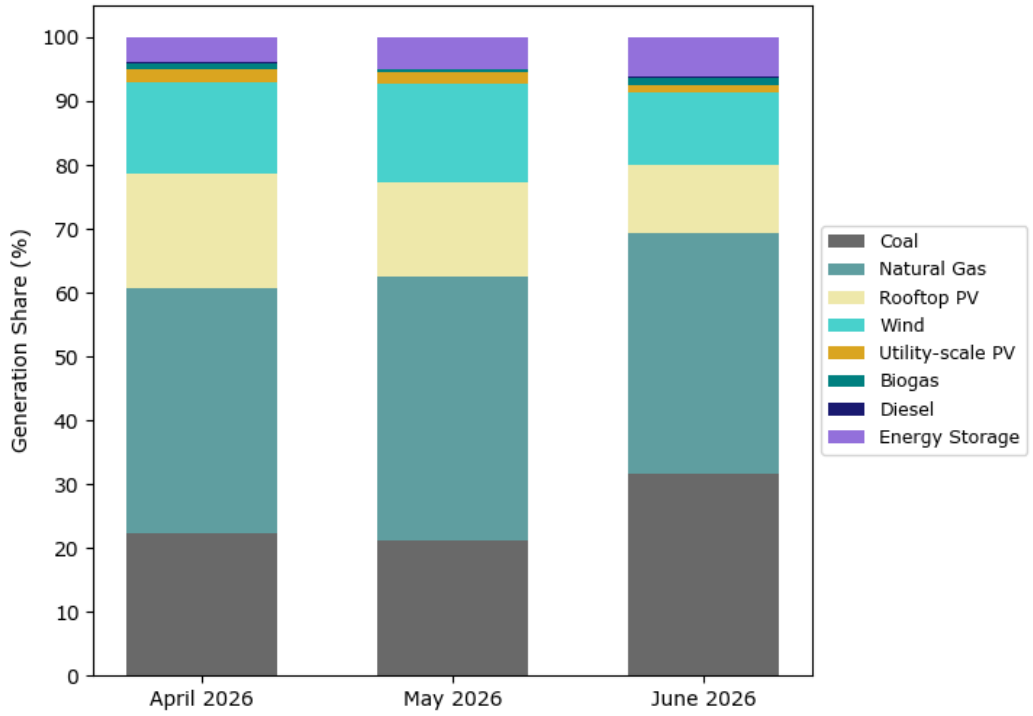
Average Time-of-Day Demand



Generation Mix

Categorised by fuel / technology type

Q2 2026 Generation Mix



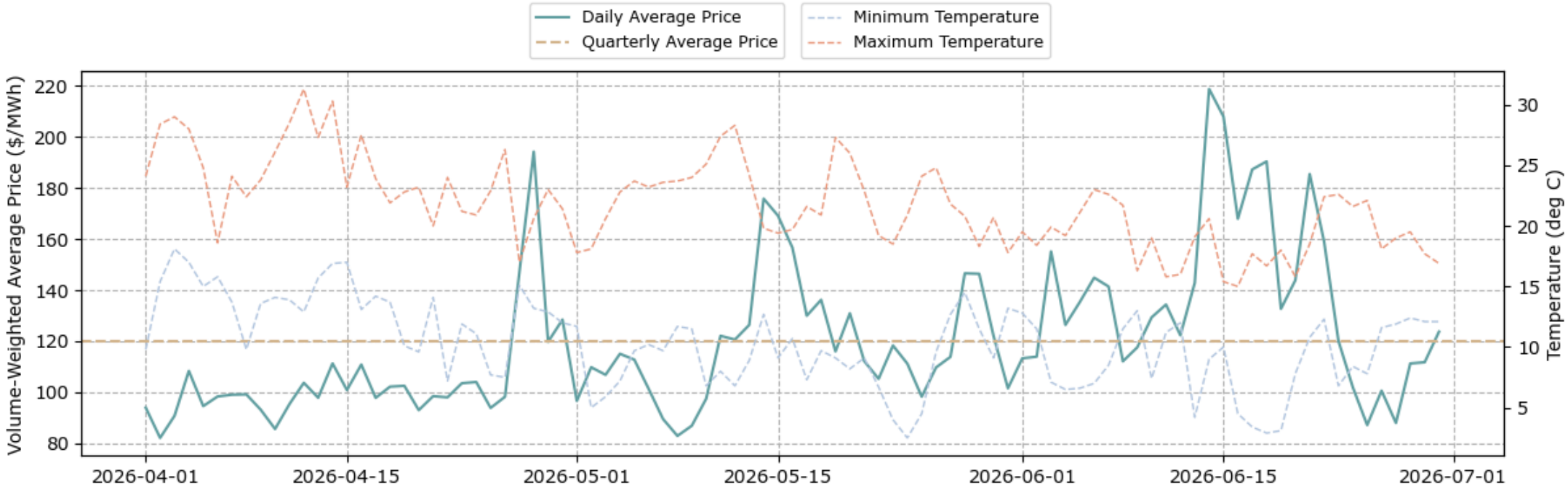
Generation Mix Breakdown

Category	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Coal	386 GWh (22.3%)	395 GWh (21.2%)	634 GWh (31.7%)
Natural Gas	663 GWh (38.3%)	769 GWh (41.3%)	756 GWh (37.7%)
Rooftop PV	312 GWh (18.1%)	277 GWh (14.9%)	212 GWh (10.6%)
Wind	247 GWh (14.3%)	289 GWh (15.5%)	228 GWh (11.4%)
Utility PV	37 GWh (2.2%)	31 GWh (1.7%)	21 GWh (1.1%)
Biogas	16 GWh (0.9%)	10 GWh (0.5%)	26 GWh (1.3%)
Diesel	0 GWh (0%)	1 GWh (0%)	1 GWh (0%)
Storage (*)	69 GWh (4%)	92 GWh (4.9%)	124 GWh (6.2%)
TOTAL	**1,730 GWh**	**1,864 GWh**	**2,002 GWh**

(*) Energy storage is only counted when discharging.

Energy Prices

Daily volume-weighted energy prices and daily min/max Perth temperatures (*)

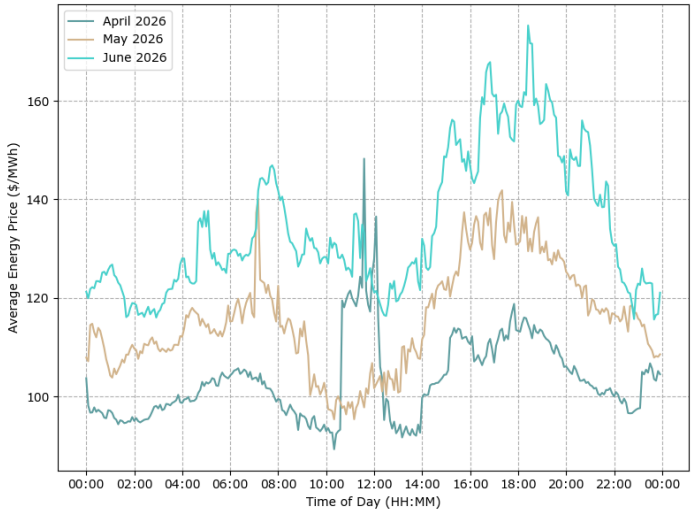


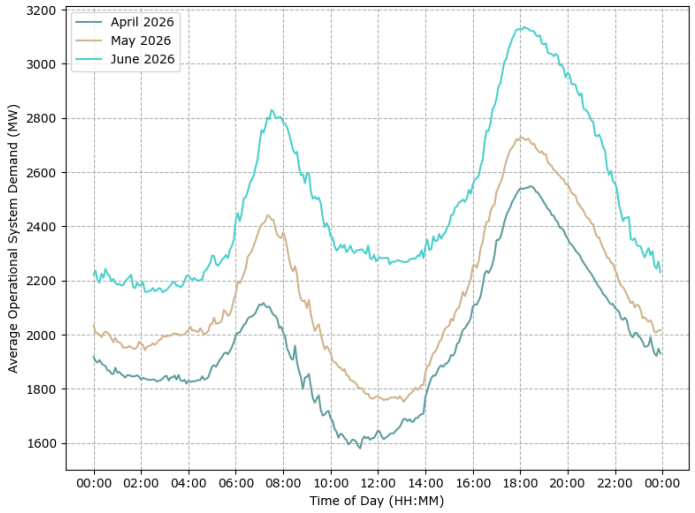
(*) Daily temperatures are based on BOM observations at the Perth Metro site.

Average time-of-day clearing prices and quantities (1)

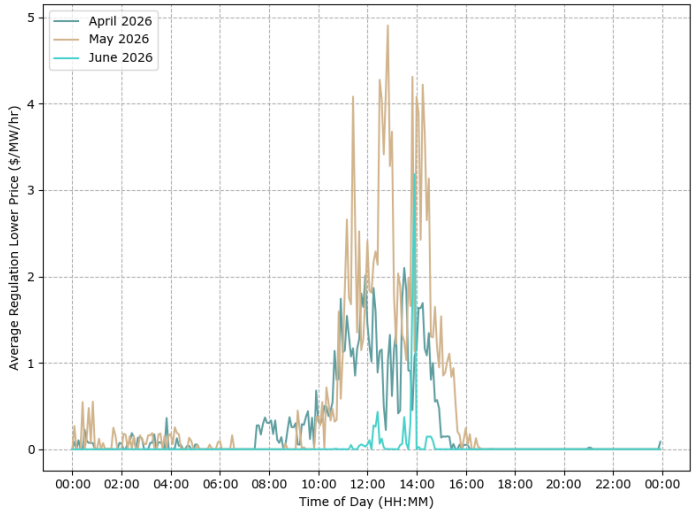
Energy, Regulation Lower and Regulation Raise ESS

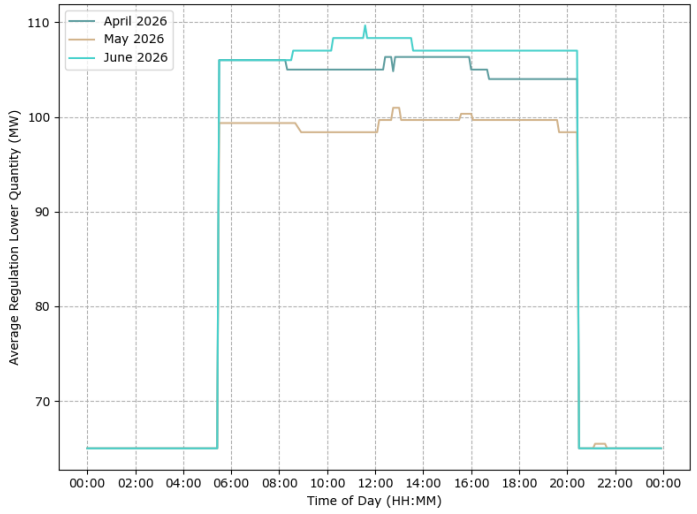
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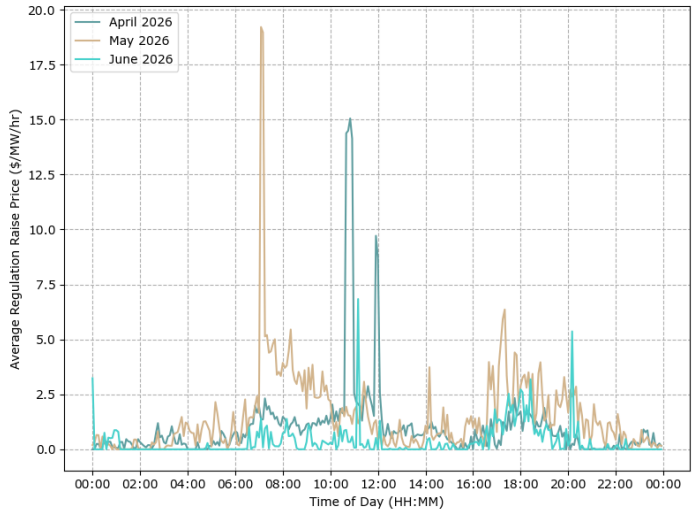


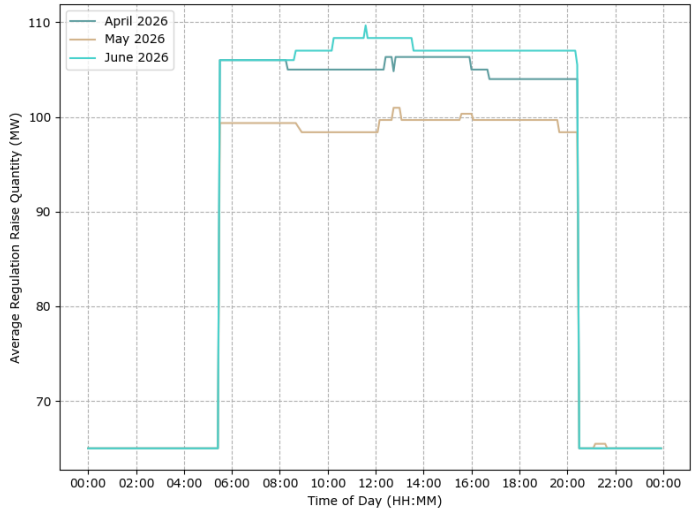
Regulation Lower (*)





Regulation Raise (*)



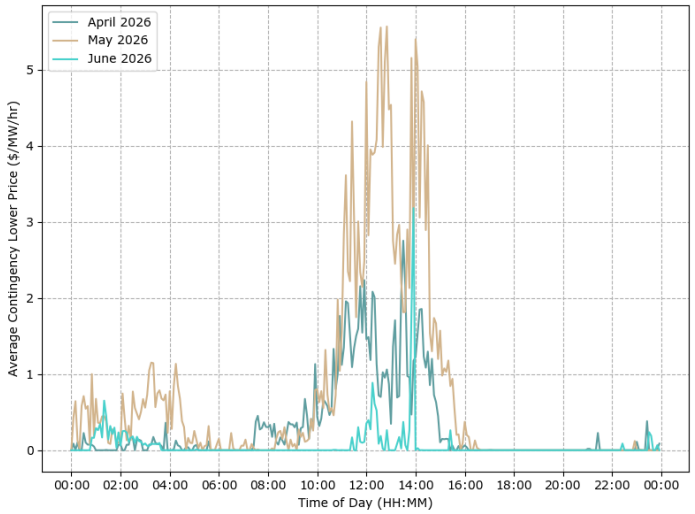


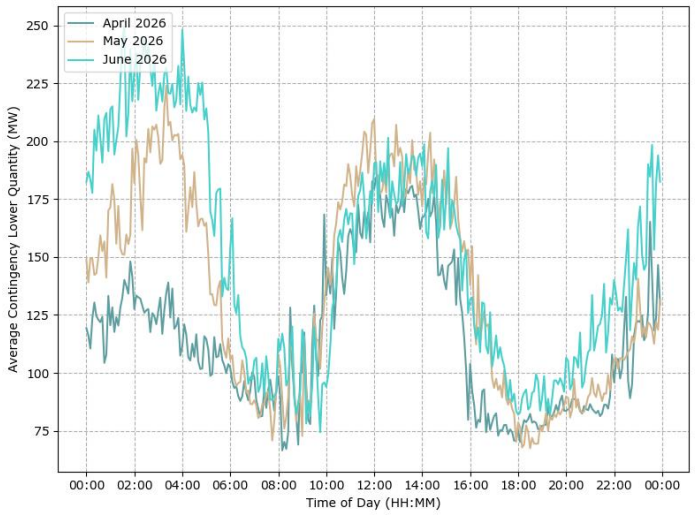
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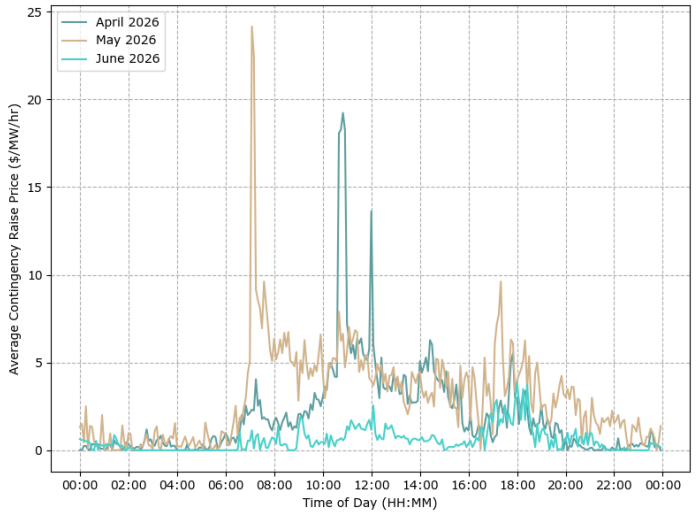
Contingency Lower, Contingency Raise and RoCoF Control ESS

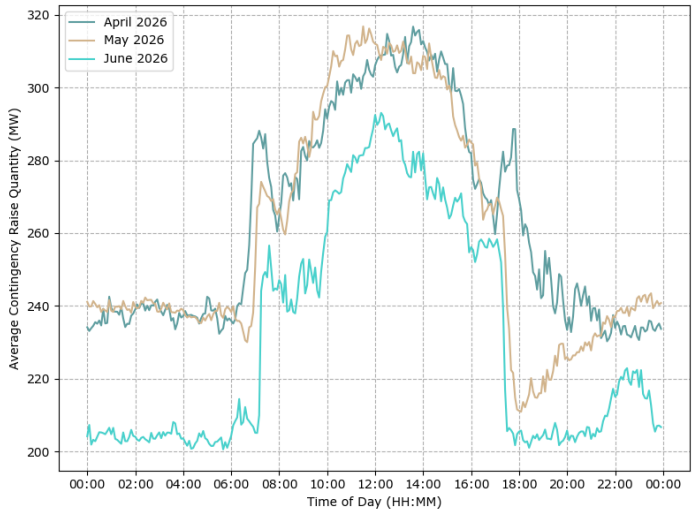
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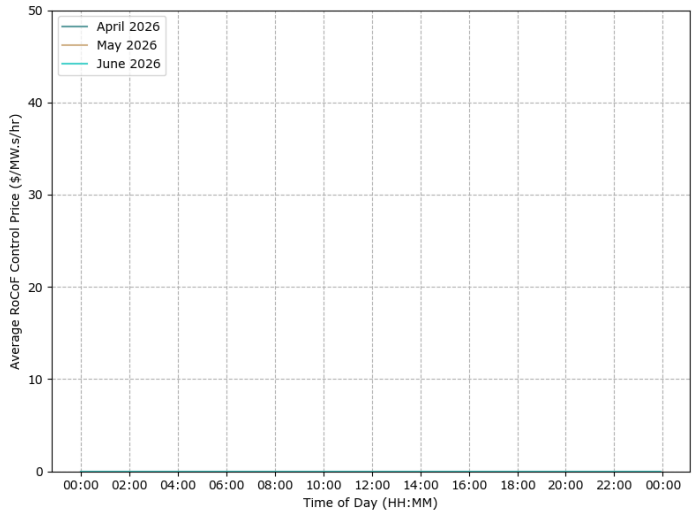


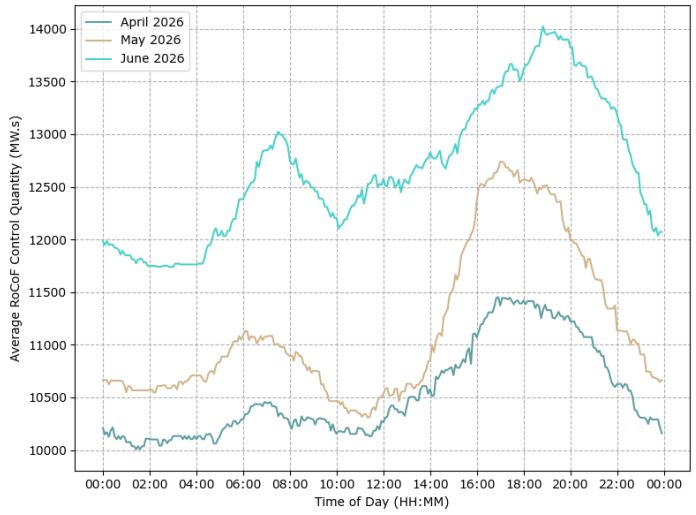
Contingency Raise (*)





RoCoF Control (*)





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Facilities

Selected facility level outcomes

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Facility-Level Metrics

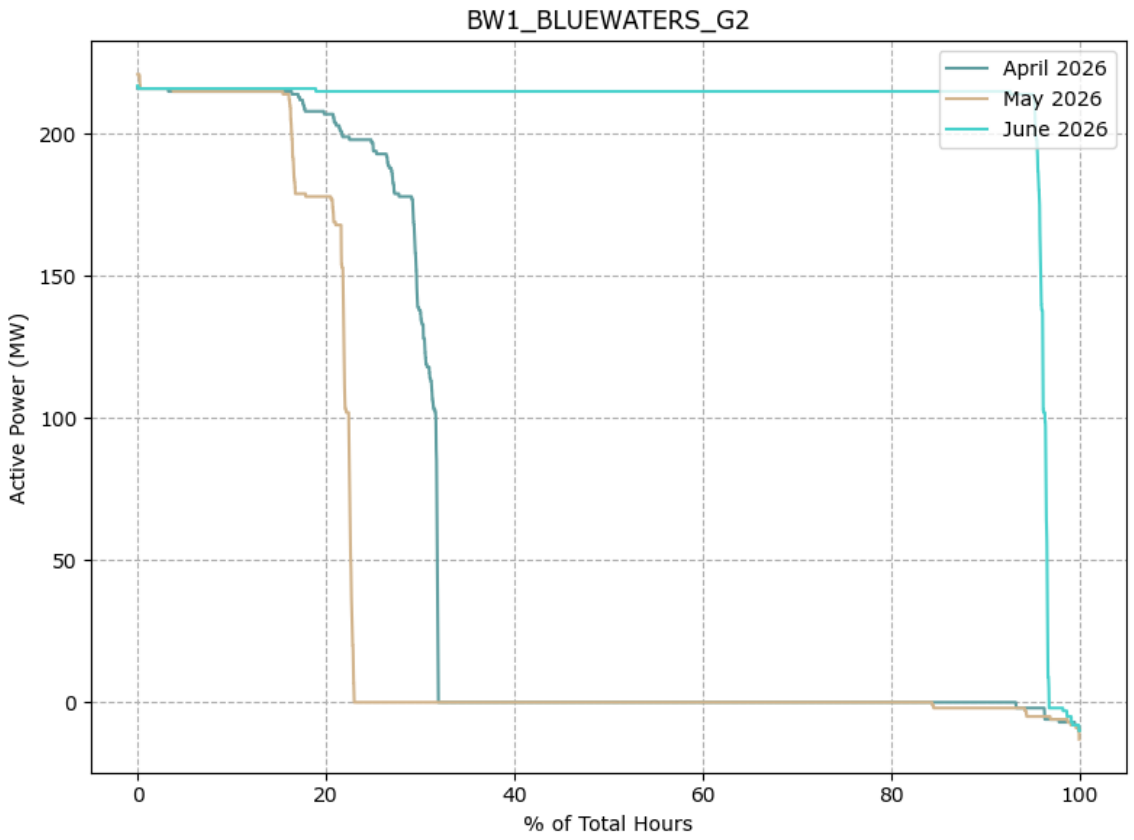
Definitions for the facility-level metrics reported in this section

Facility Metric	Description
Monthly Generation Duration Curve	Curve showing the proportion of time in a month that a facility is operating above a specific output.
Average Time of Day Output	Curve showing the mean output from a facility over a month at a 5-min resolution (with no adjustments for a facility being offline).
Facility Merchant Spot Revenue	The implied monthly revenue that a facility would have received from all energy and ESS markets if it were a merchant facility. Where a facility receives Large Generation Certificate (LGC), this revenue is estimated based on publicly available LGC spot prices published on Demand Manager.
Facility Capacity Factor	Daily average capacity factors based on the daily energy generated and the registered facility size. Note that for energy storage facilities, the net energy throughput is used.
Average Energy Capture Price	Daily average volume weighted energy price that the facility receives based on the following calculation: $$Average\ Energy\ Capture\ Price = \frac{\sum Energy\ Revenue}{\sum \lvert Energy\ Generated\ or\ Consumed \rvert}$$

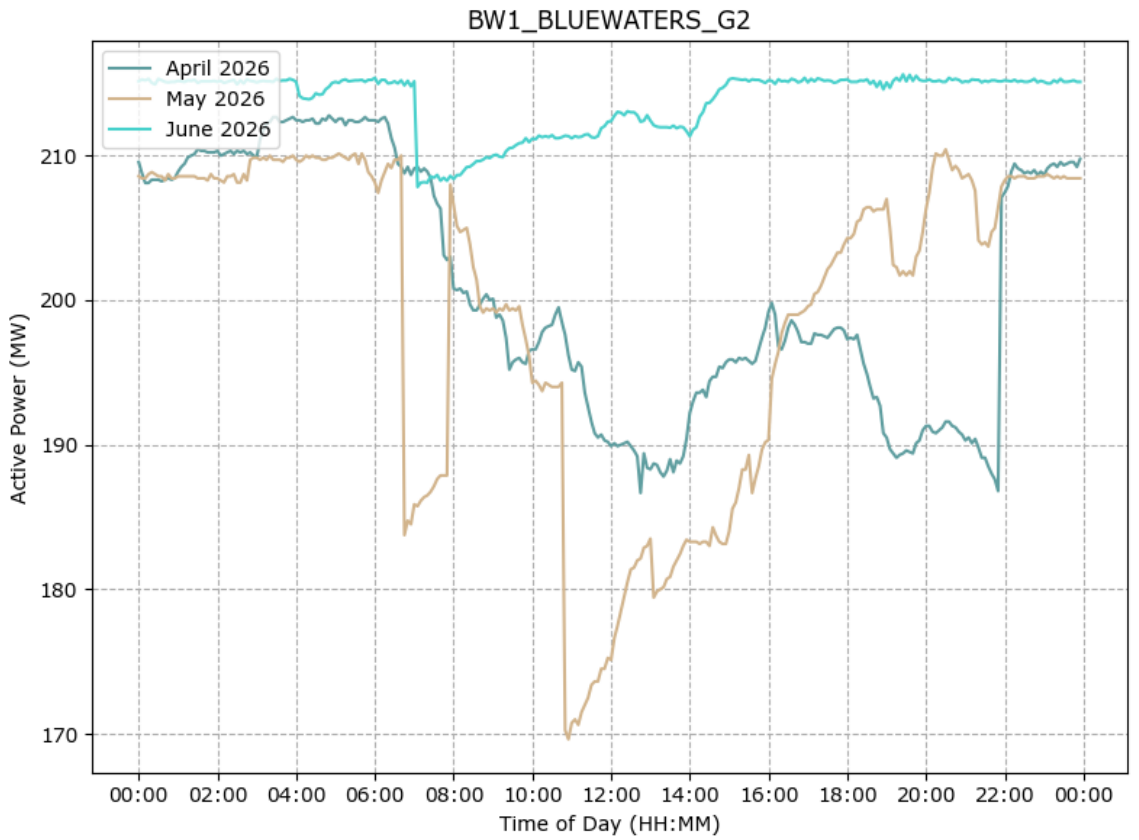
Bluewaters Power Station BW1-G2

Coal-fired Scheduled Facility, 217 MW, Summit Southern Cross Power

Generation Duration Curves



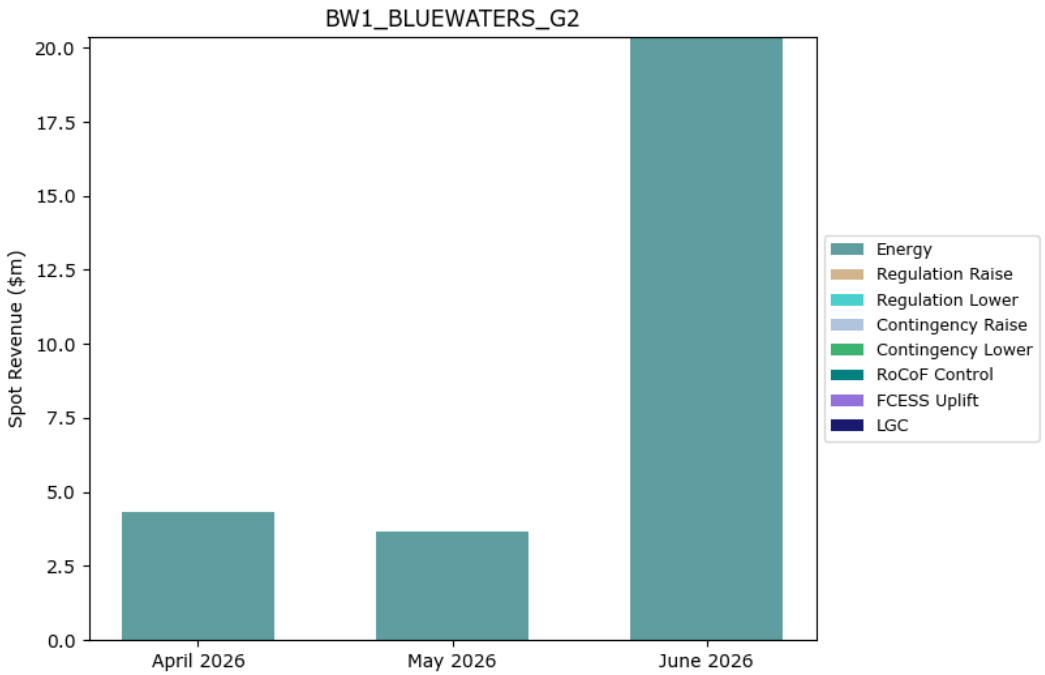
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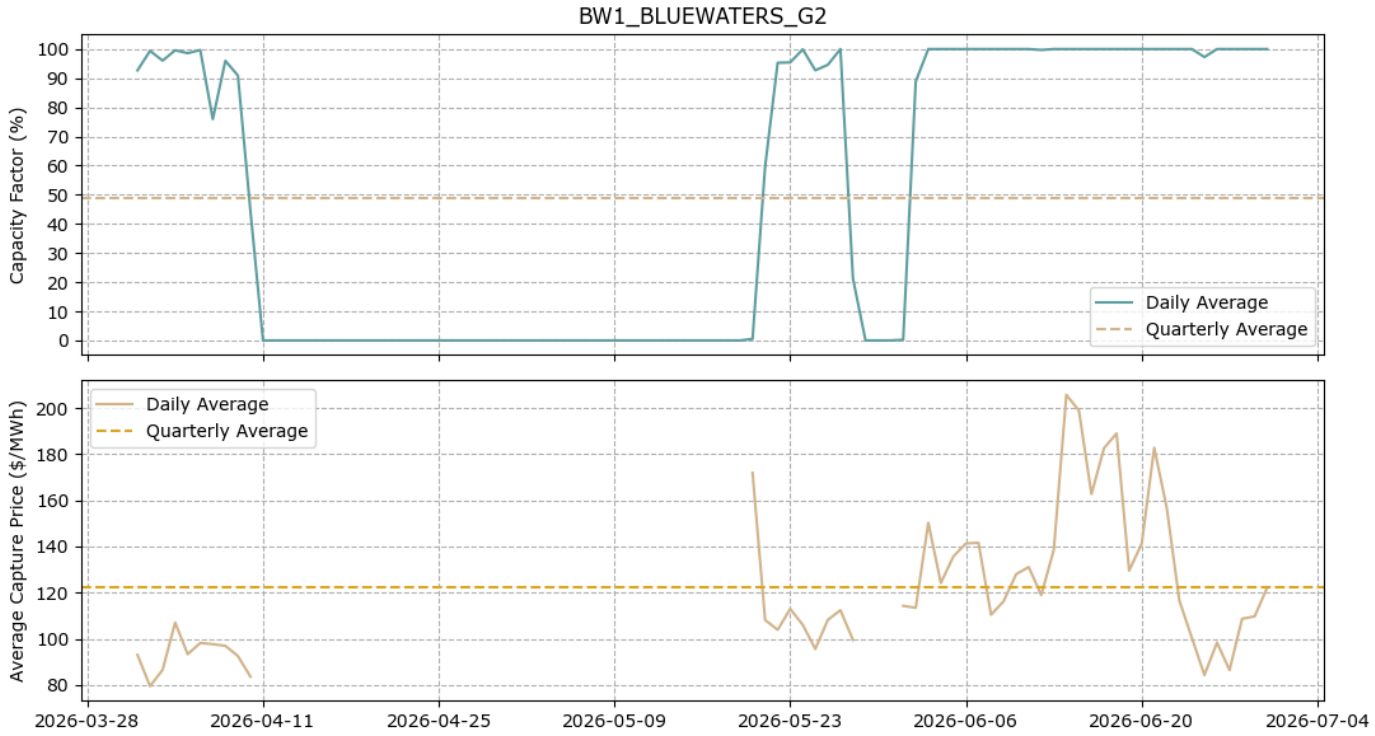
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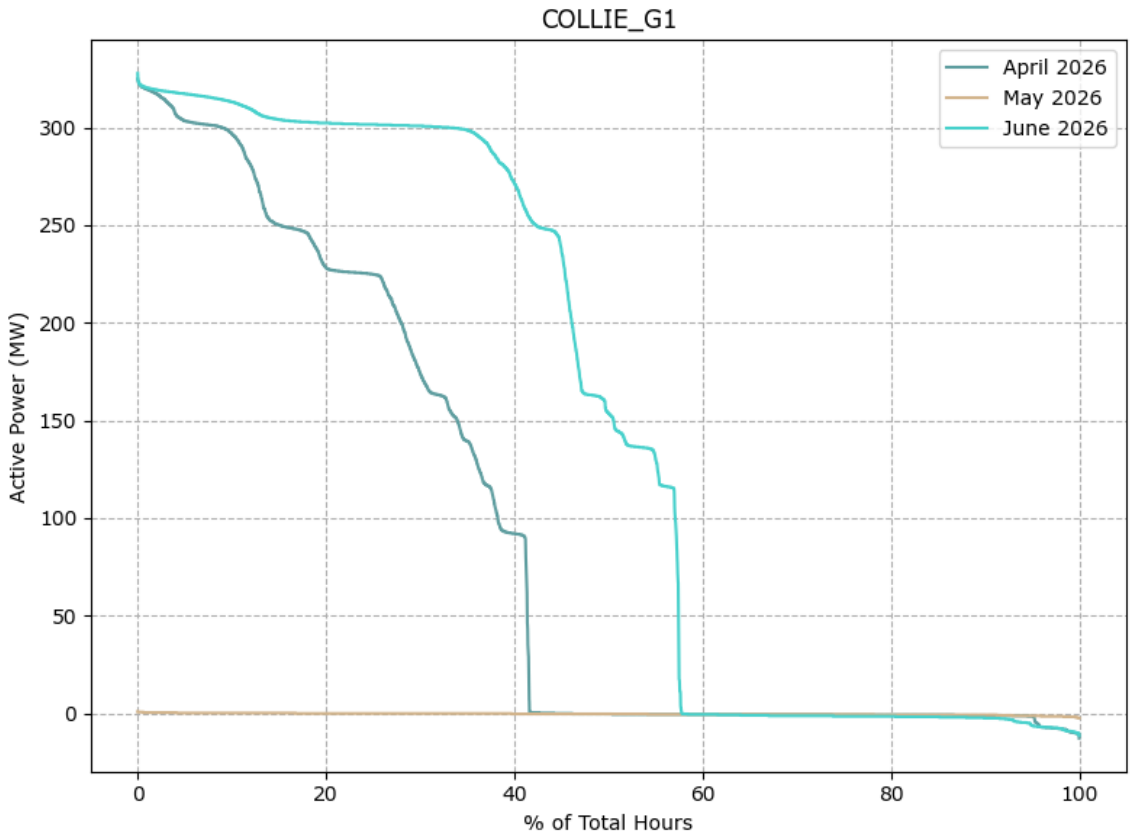


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	46.56	34.36	150.32
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	4.33	3.66	20.37
$ / MWh	**$93.10**	**$106.38**	**$135.49**

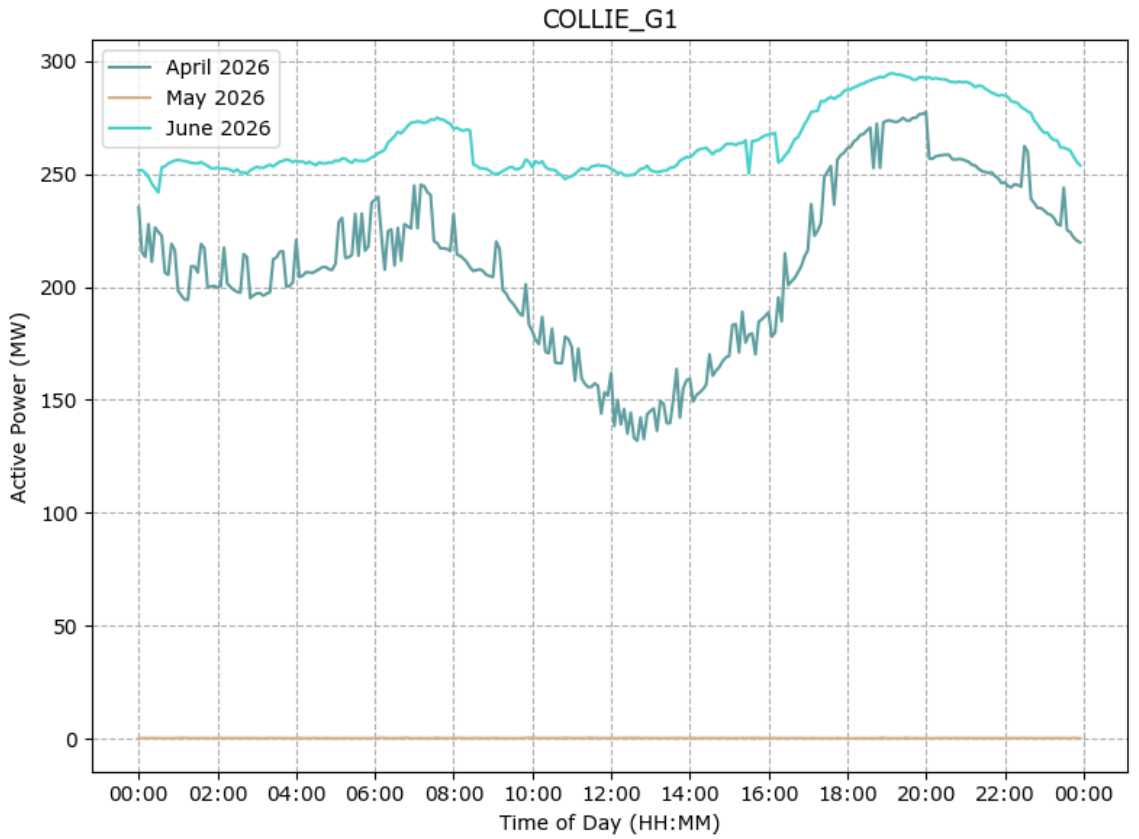
Collie Power Station G1

Coal-fired Scheduled Facility, 318.3 MW, Synergy

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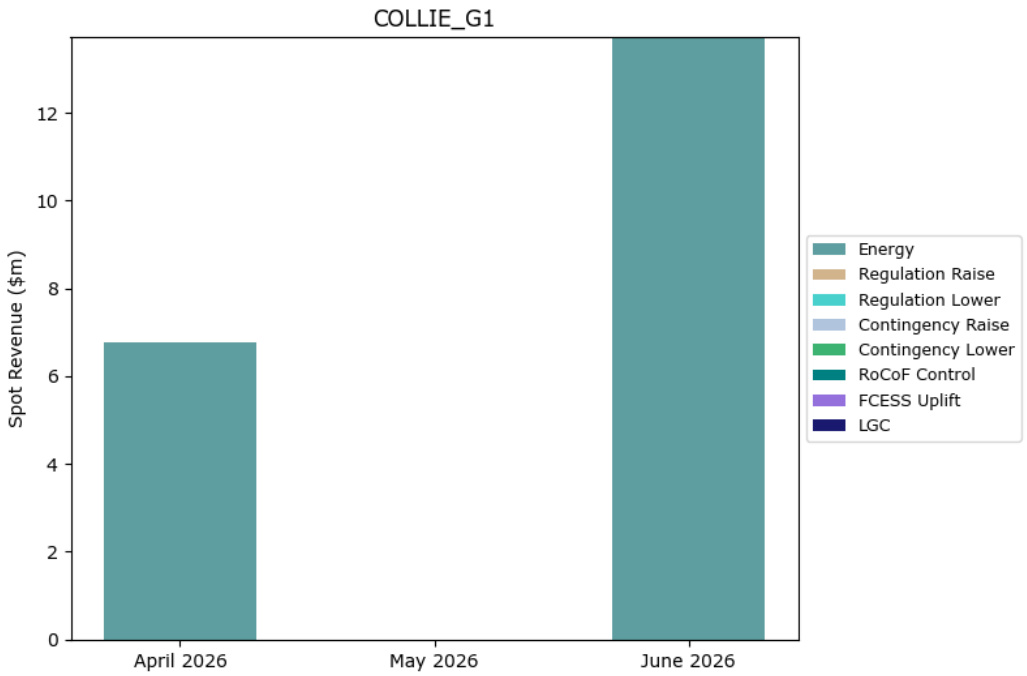
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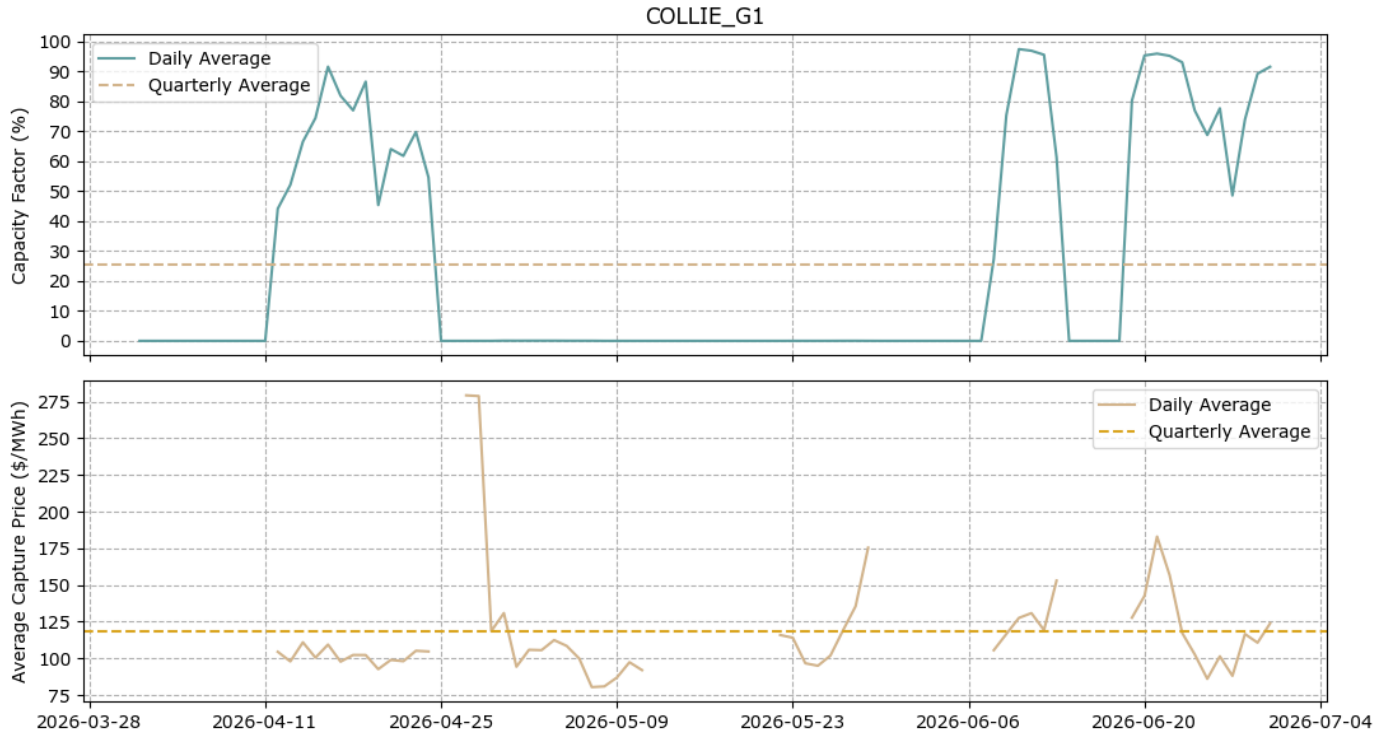
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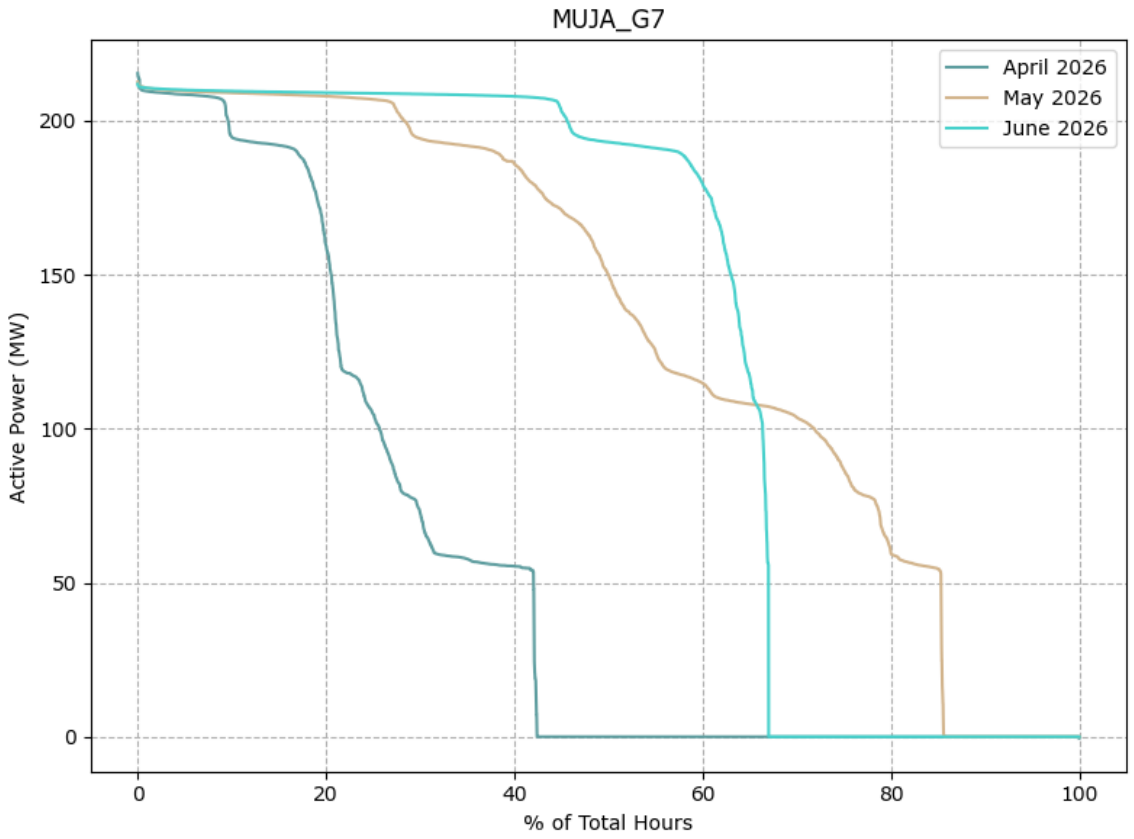


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	66.68	0.00	110.44
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	6.78	0.00	13.73
$ / MWh	**$101.73**	**$0.00**	**$124.31**

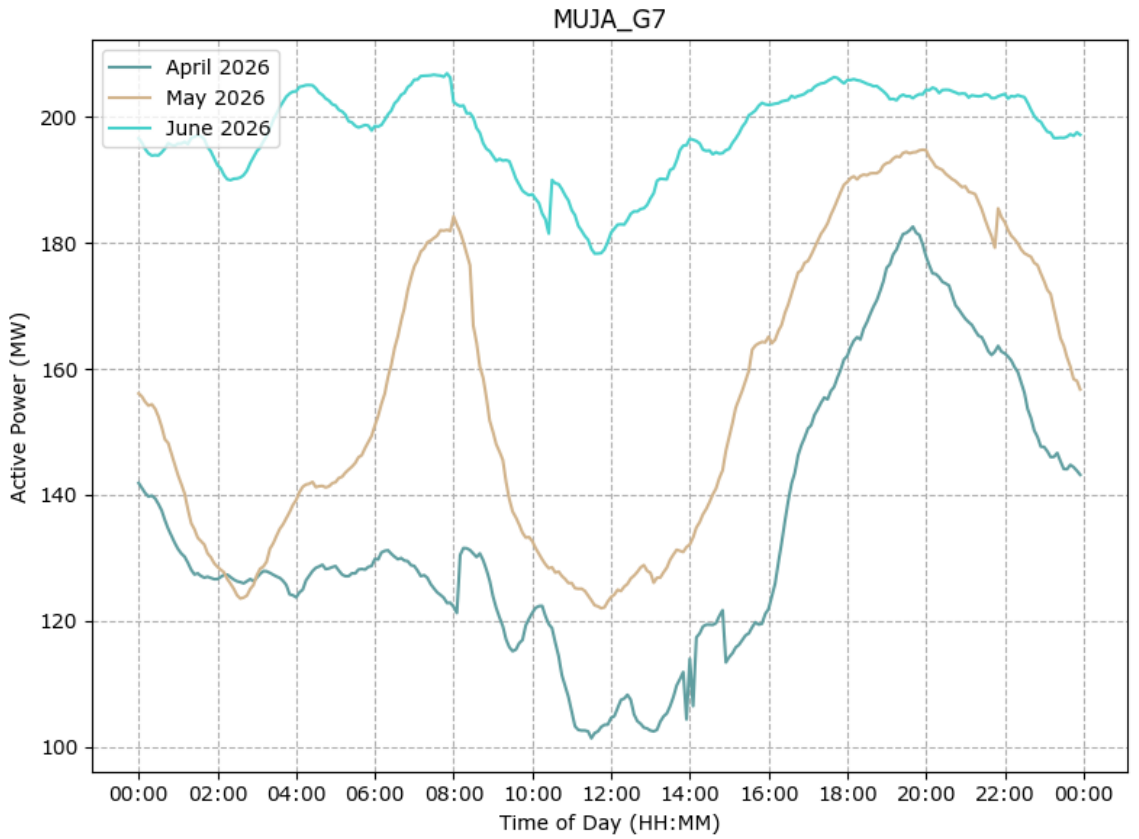
Muja Power Station G7

Coal-fired Scheduled Facility, 212.6 MW, Synergy

Generation Duration Curves



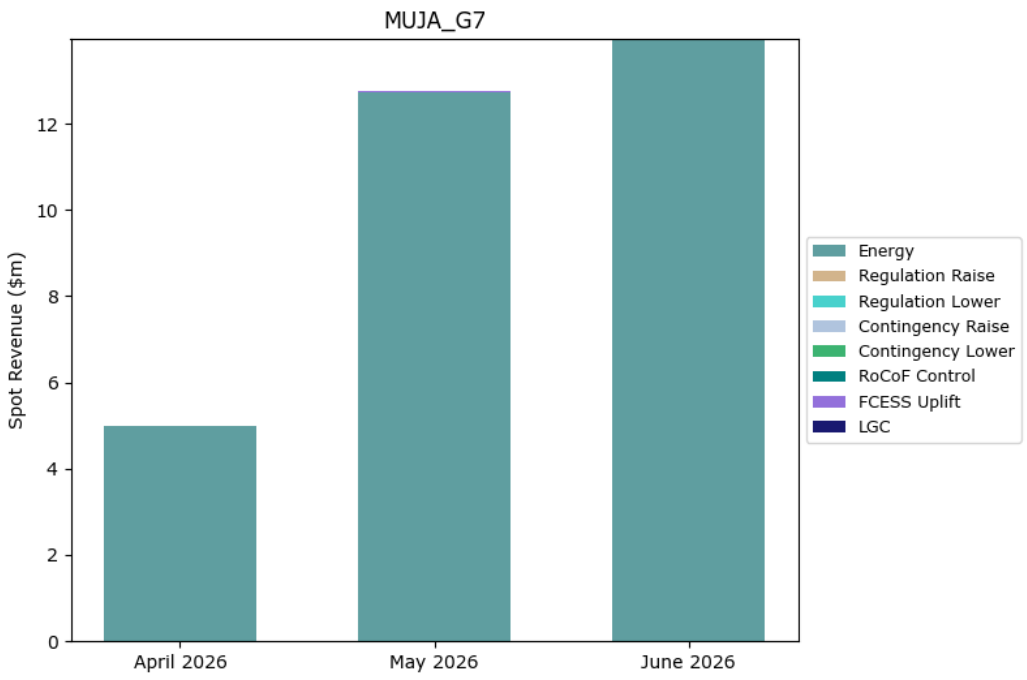
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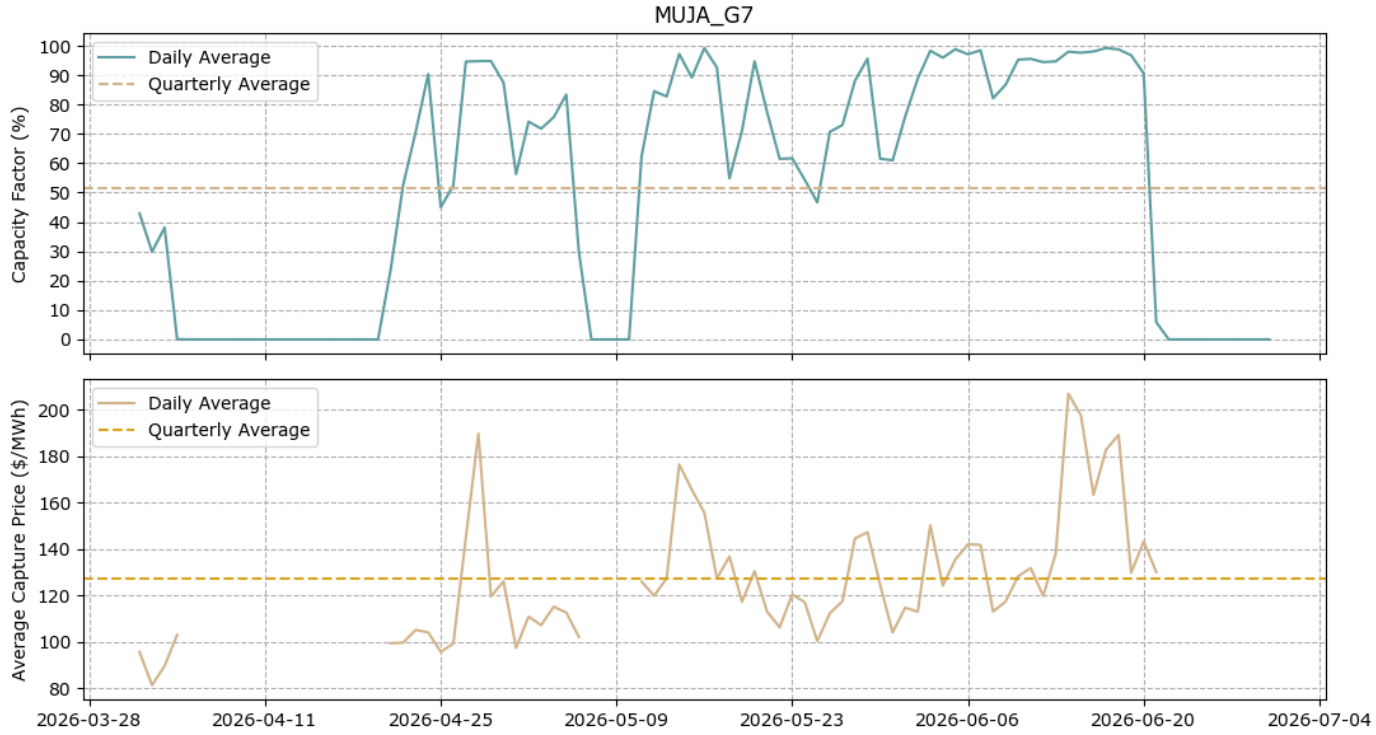
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Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



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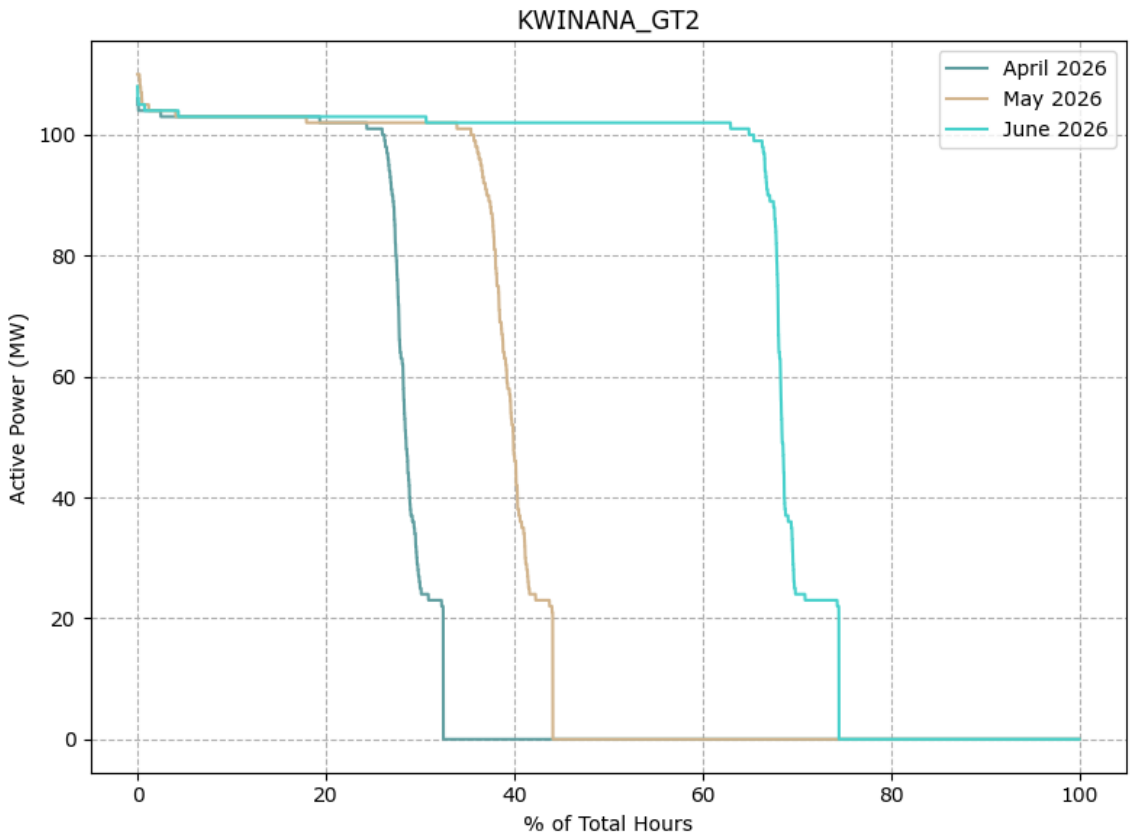


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	41.69	100.61	96.30
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	4.99	12.76	13.97
$ / MWh	**$119.79**	**$126.84**	**$145.09**

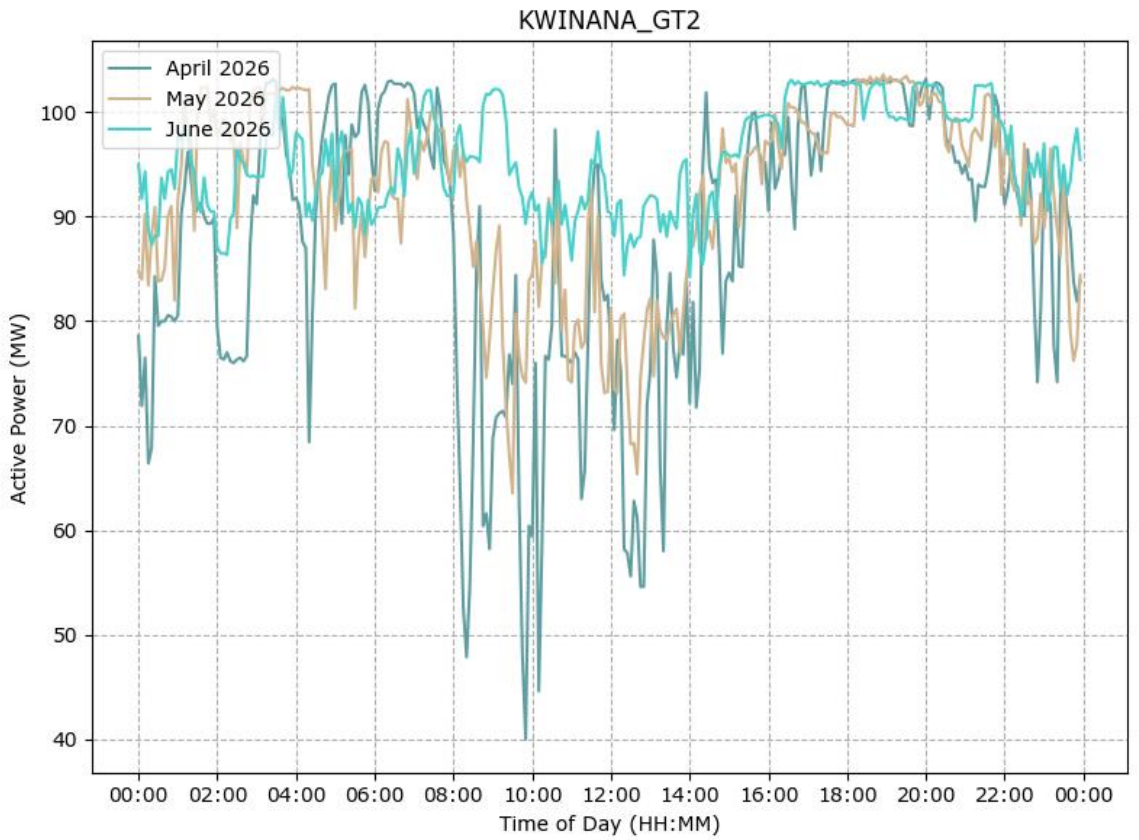
Kwinana Power Station GT2

Gas-fired Scheduled Facility, 103.94 MW, Synergy

Generation Duration Curves



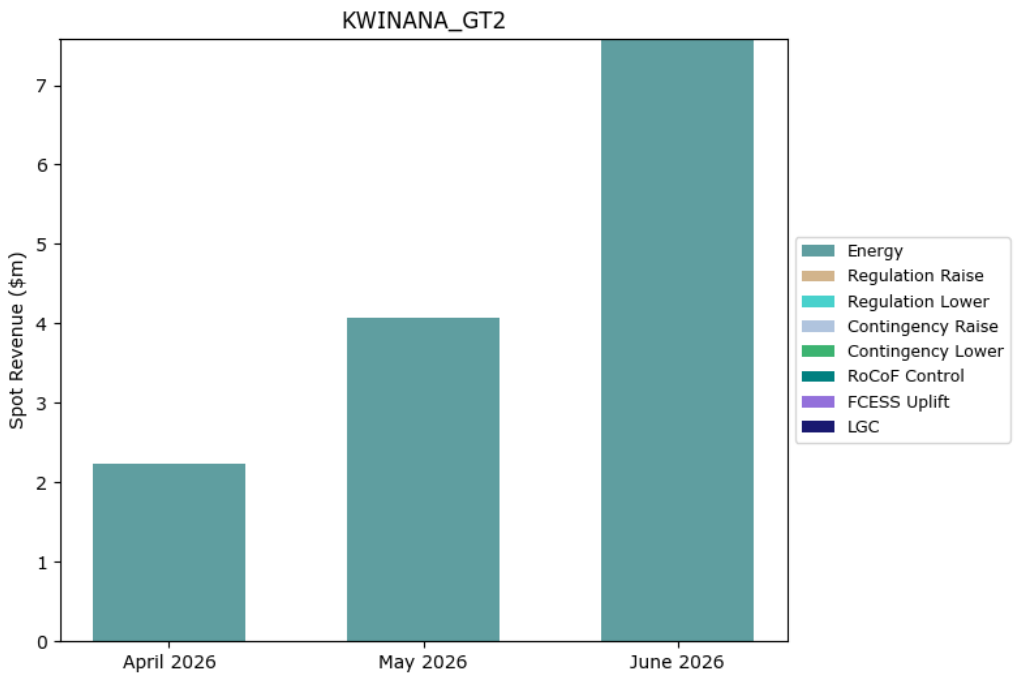
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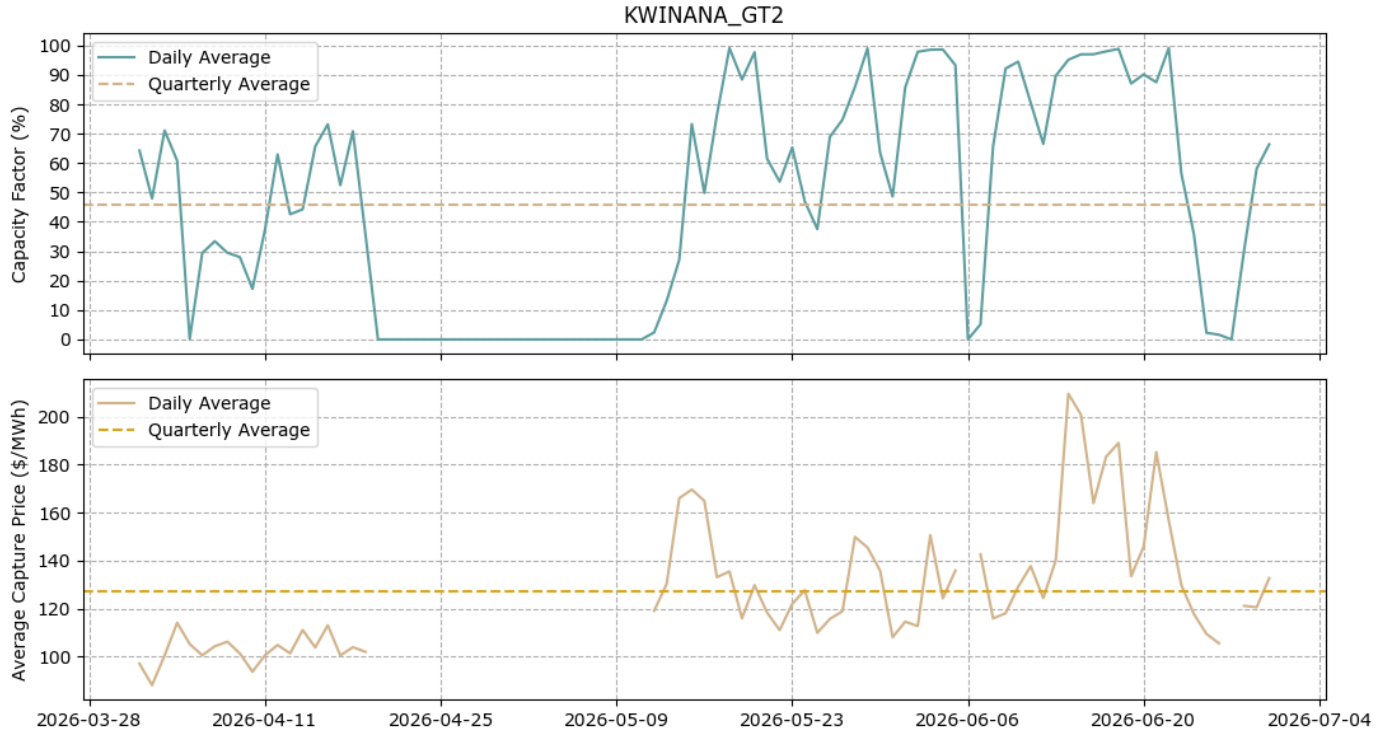
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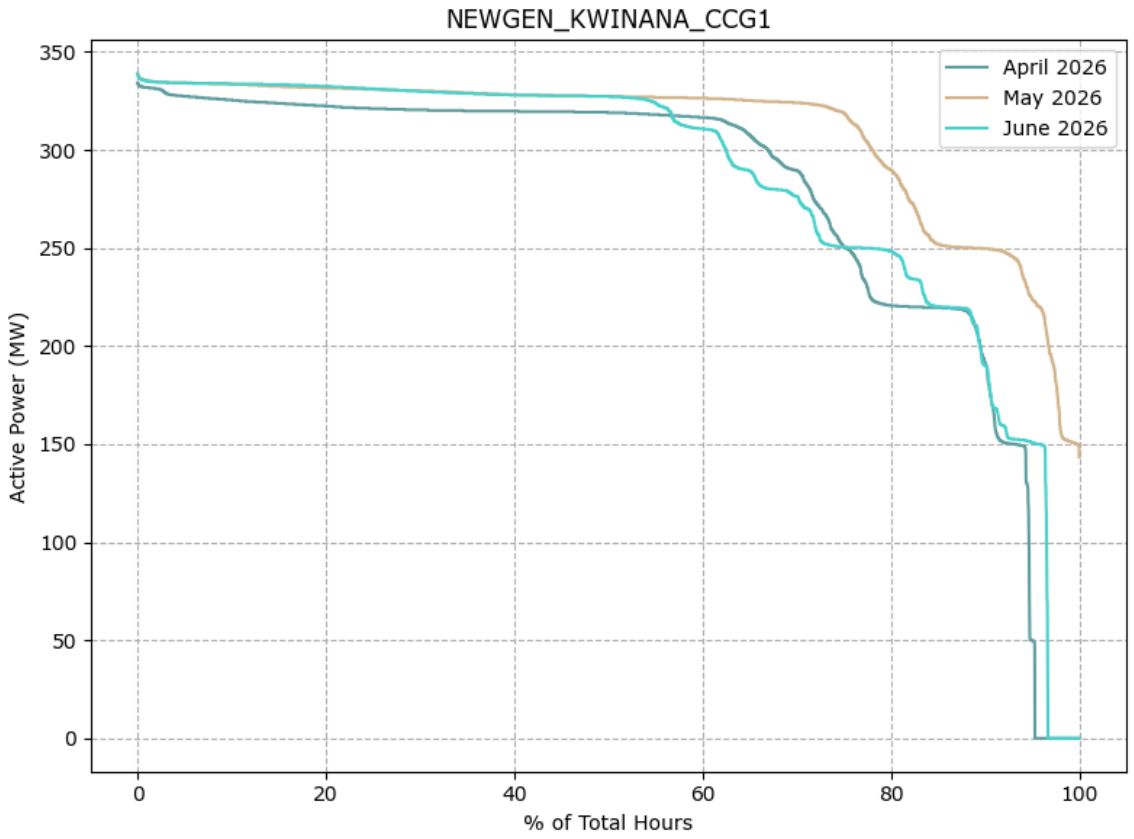


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	21.63	30.76	51.62
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	2.24	4.07	7.58
$ / MWh	**$103.50**	**$132.28**	**$146.93**

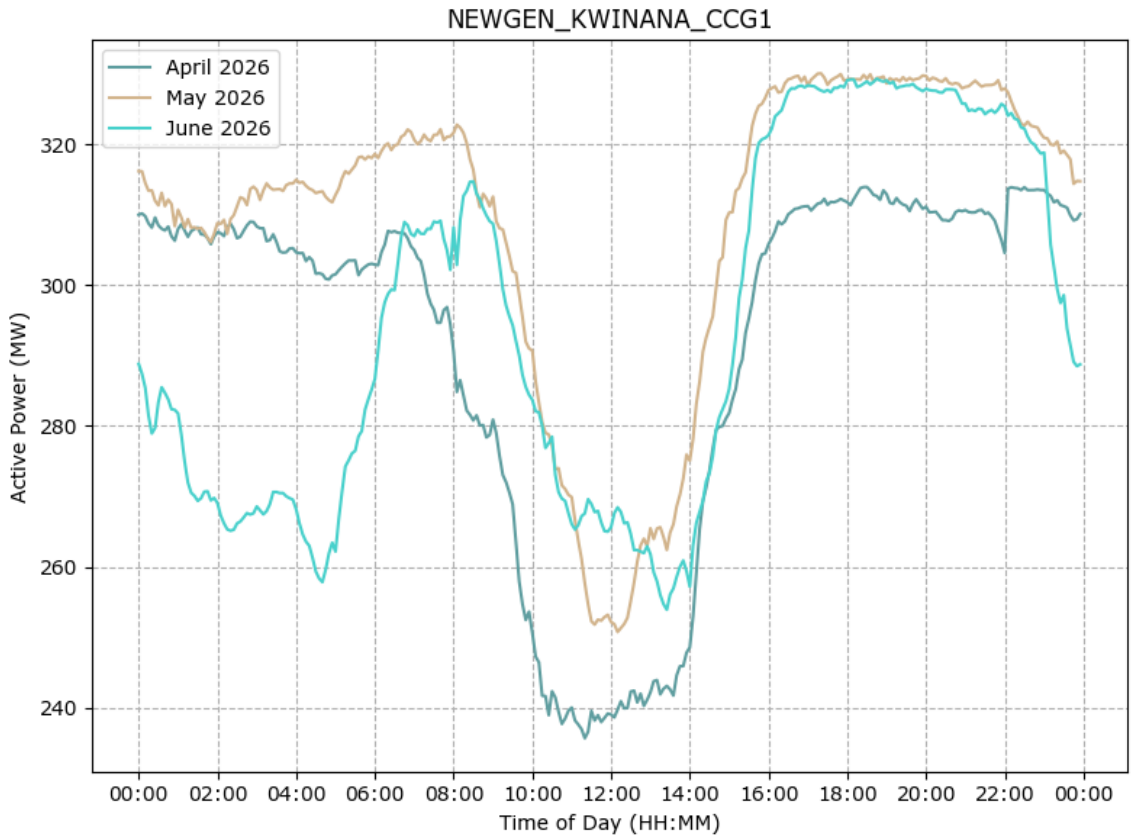
Newgen Kwinana Power Station

Gas-fired Scheduled Facility, 334.8 MW, Summit Southern Cross Power

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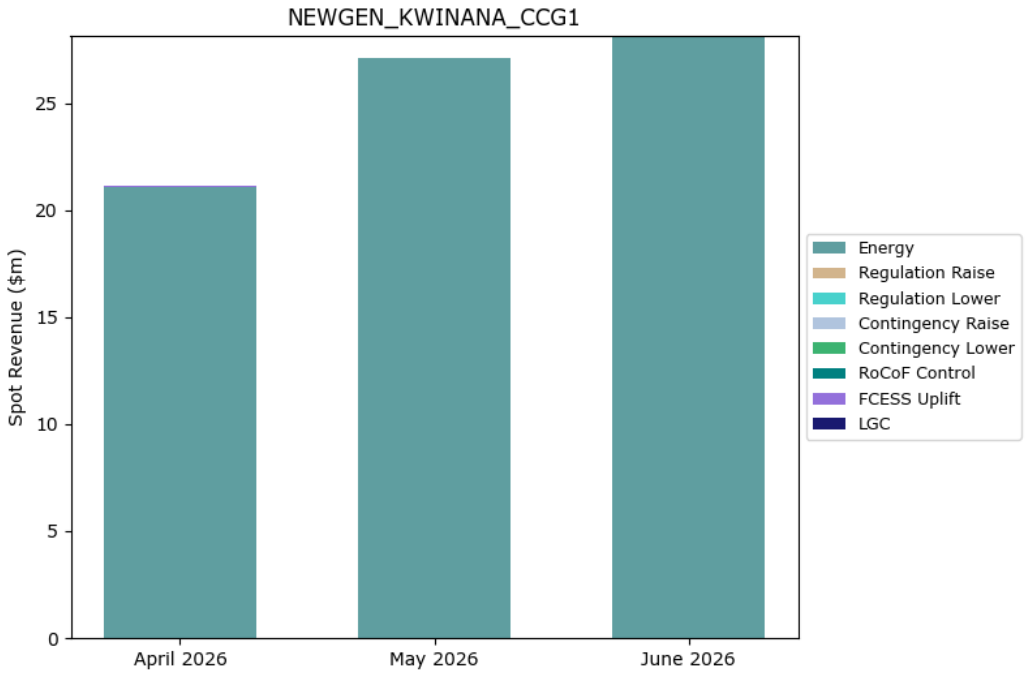
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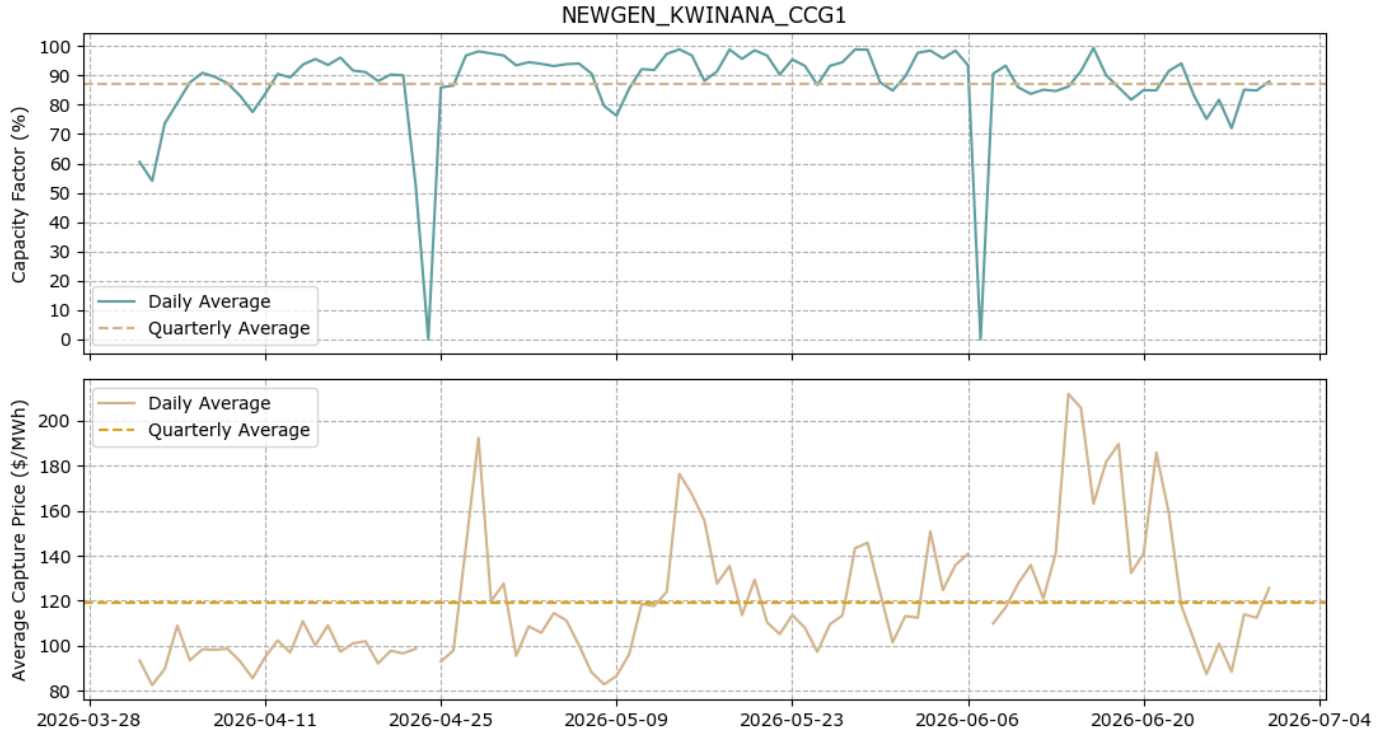
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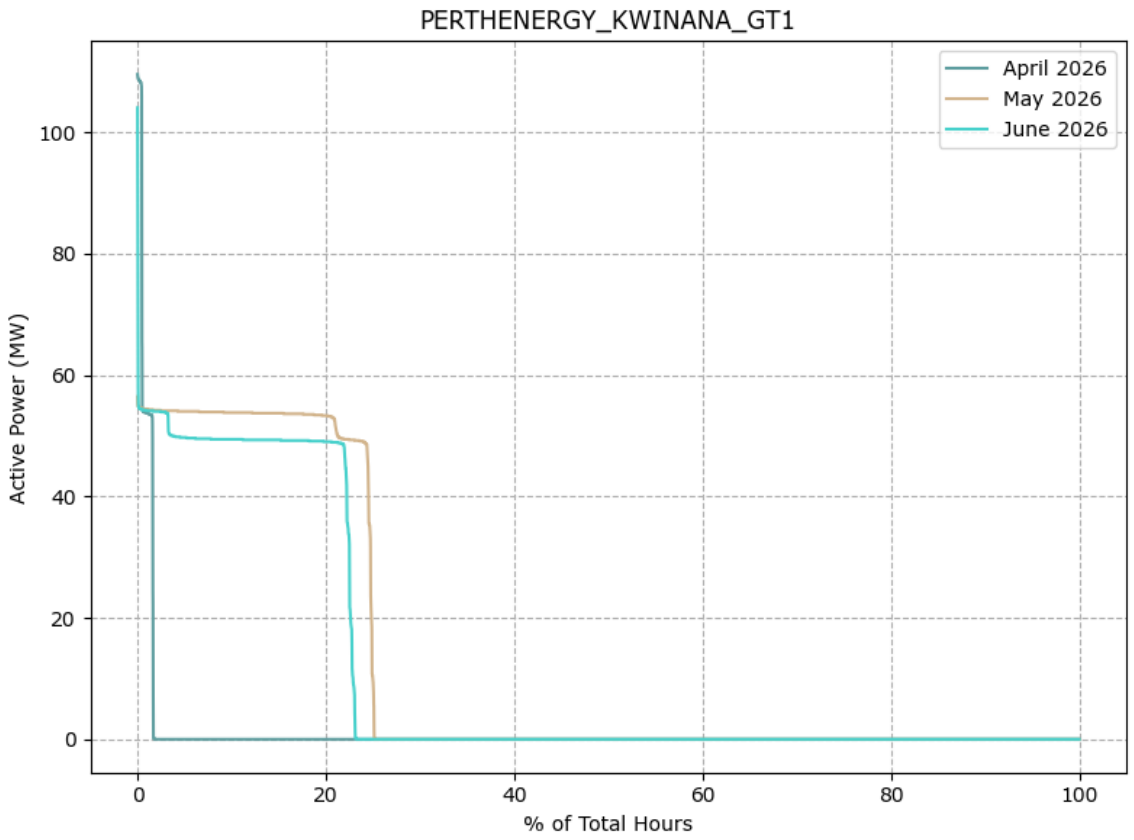


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	200.32	230.28	205.53
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	21.14	27.13	28.15
$ / MWh	**$105.51**	**$117.82**	**$136.95**

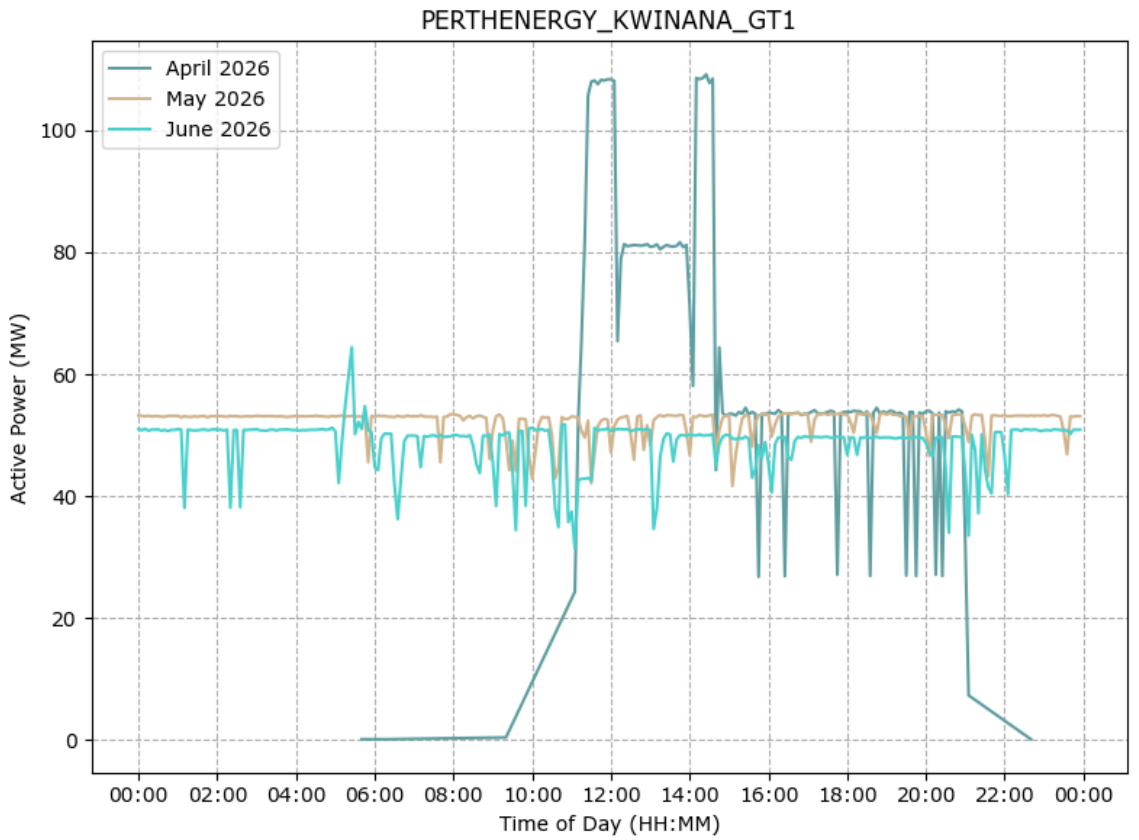
Kwinana Swift Power Station

Gas-fired Scheduled Facility, 109 MW, AGL (Perth Energy)

Generation Duration Curves



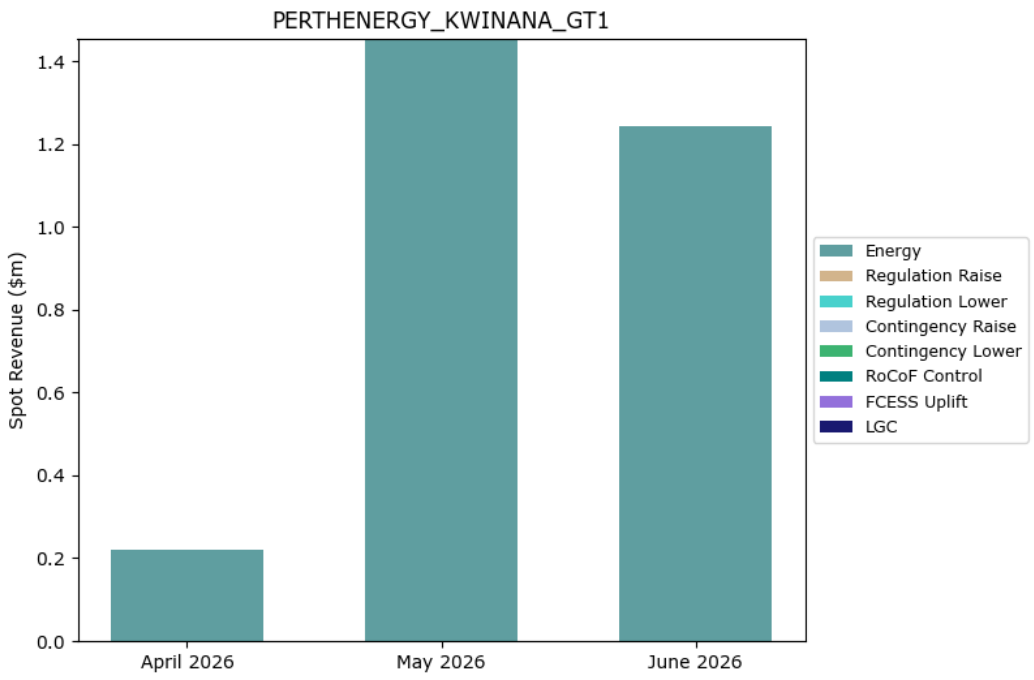
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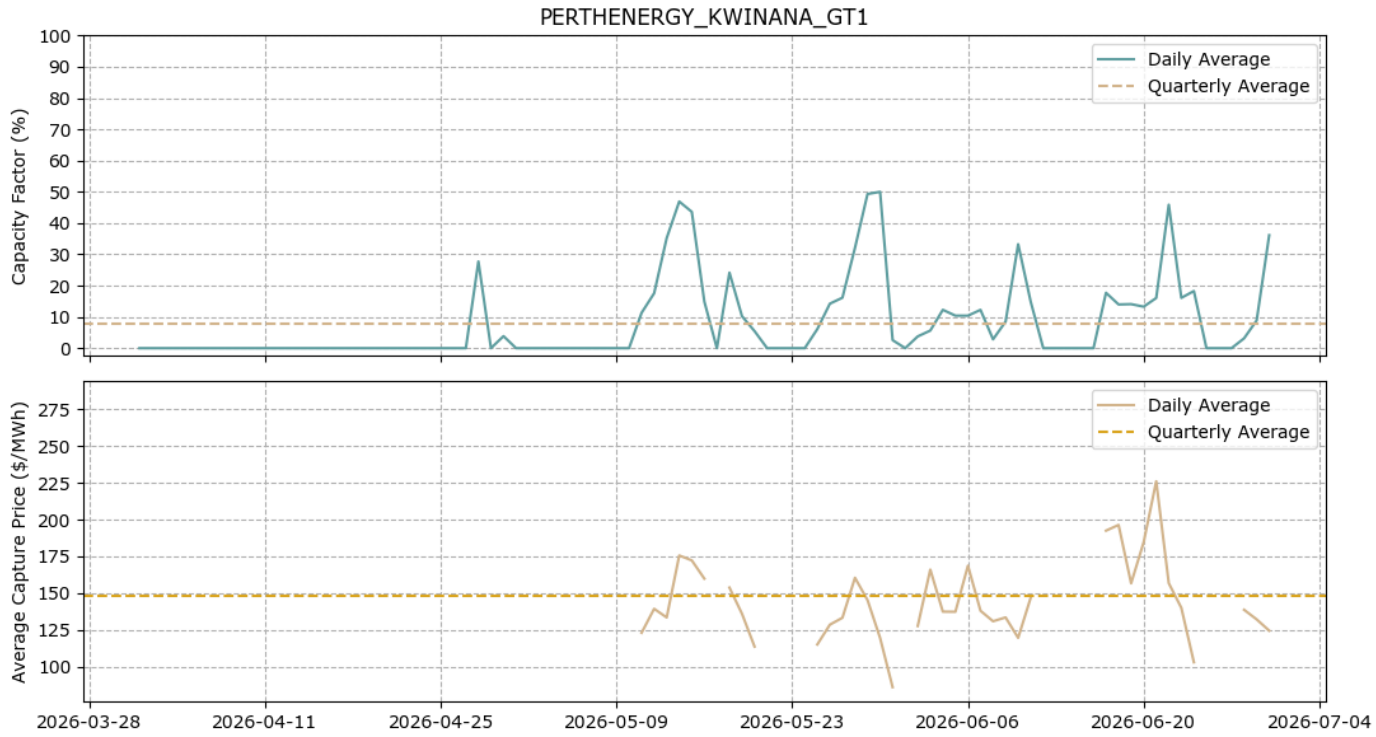
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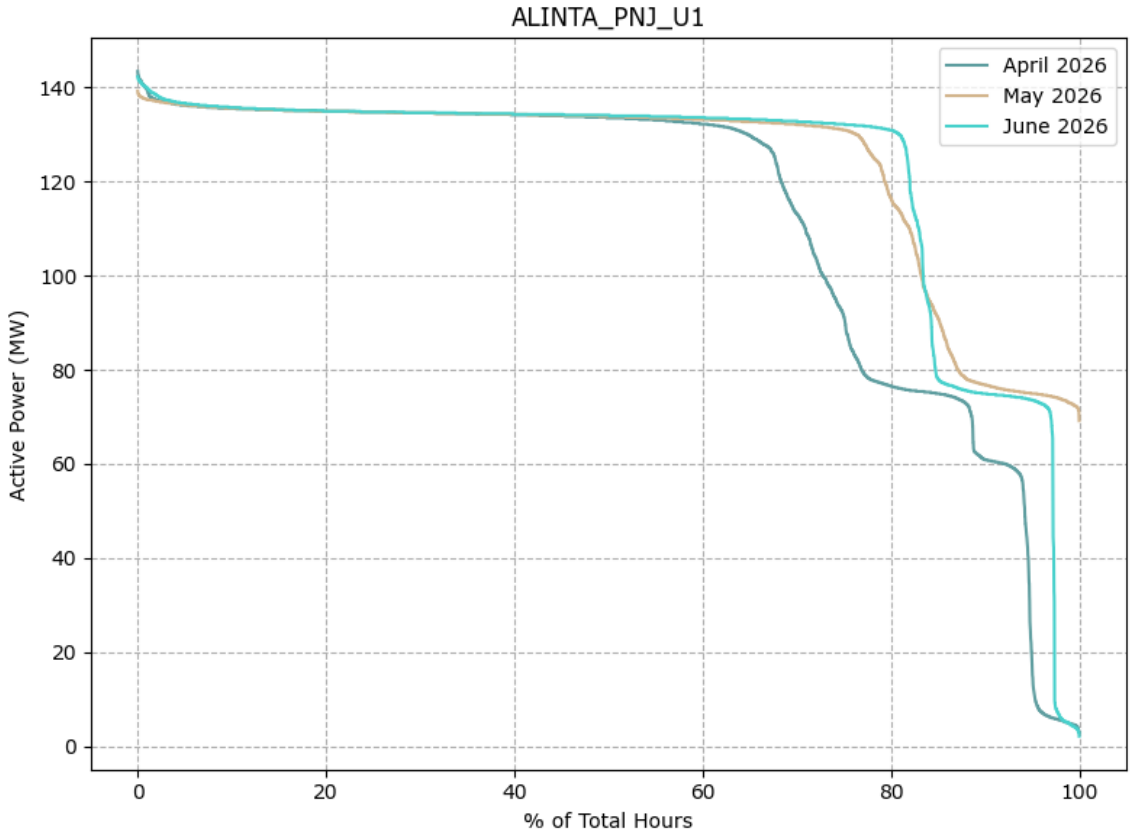


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	0.83	9.93	8.31
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	0.22	1.45	1.24
$ / MWh	**$267.29**	**$146.35**	**$149.55**

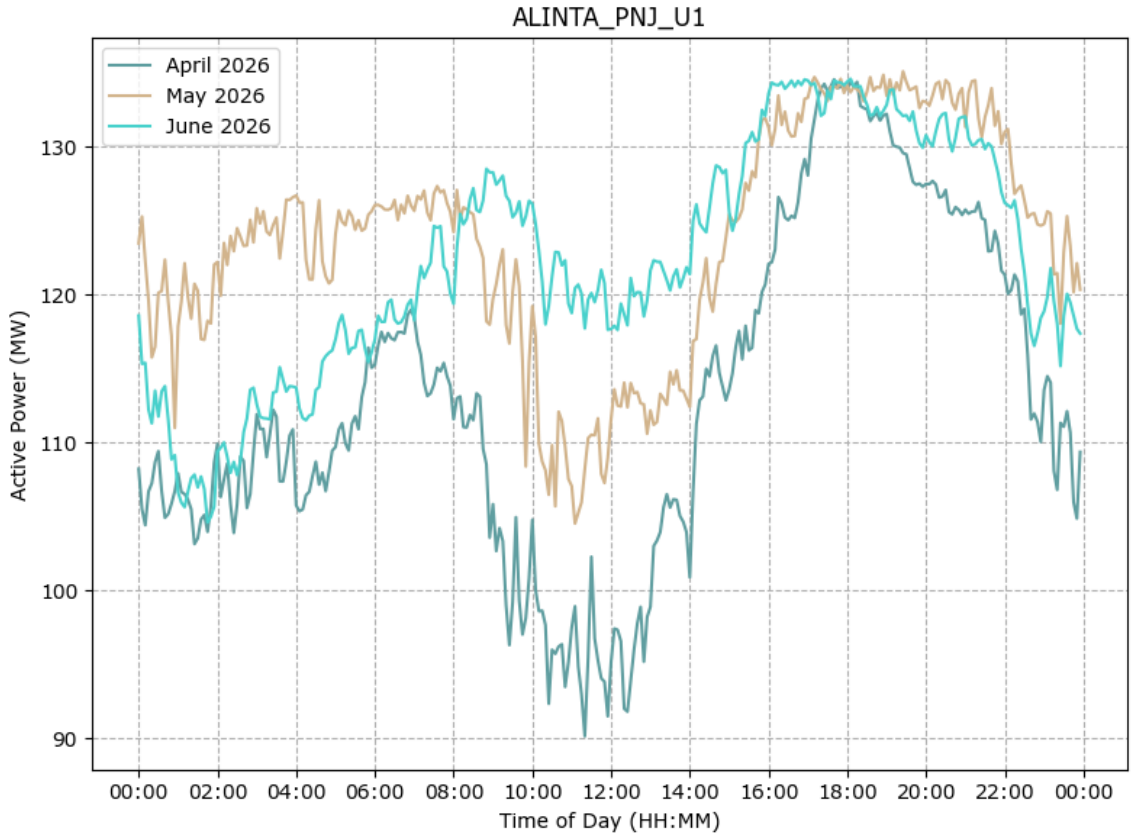
Pinjarra Power Station U1

Gas-fired Scheduled Facility, 143 MW, Alinta Energy

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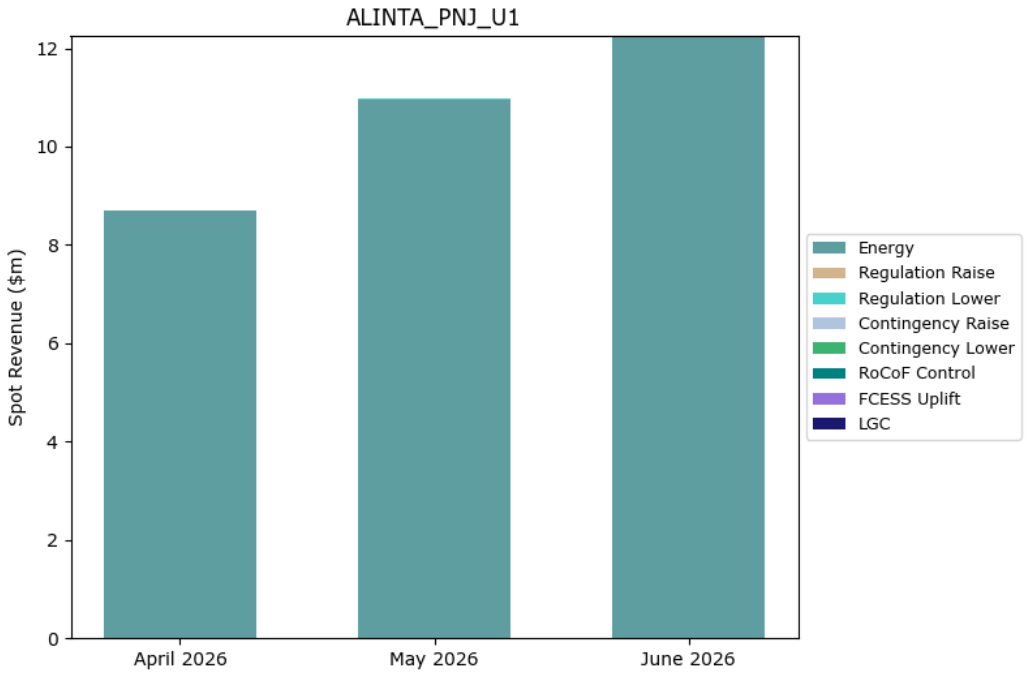
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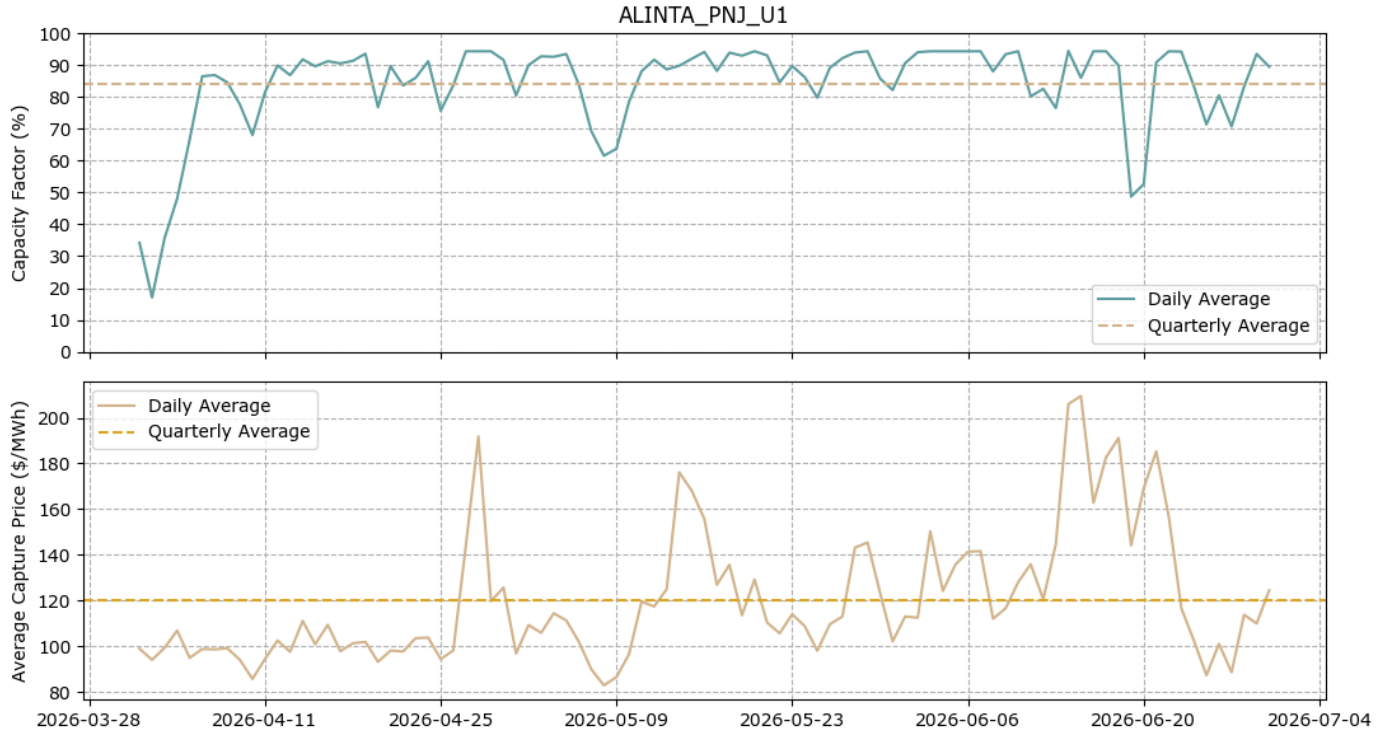
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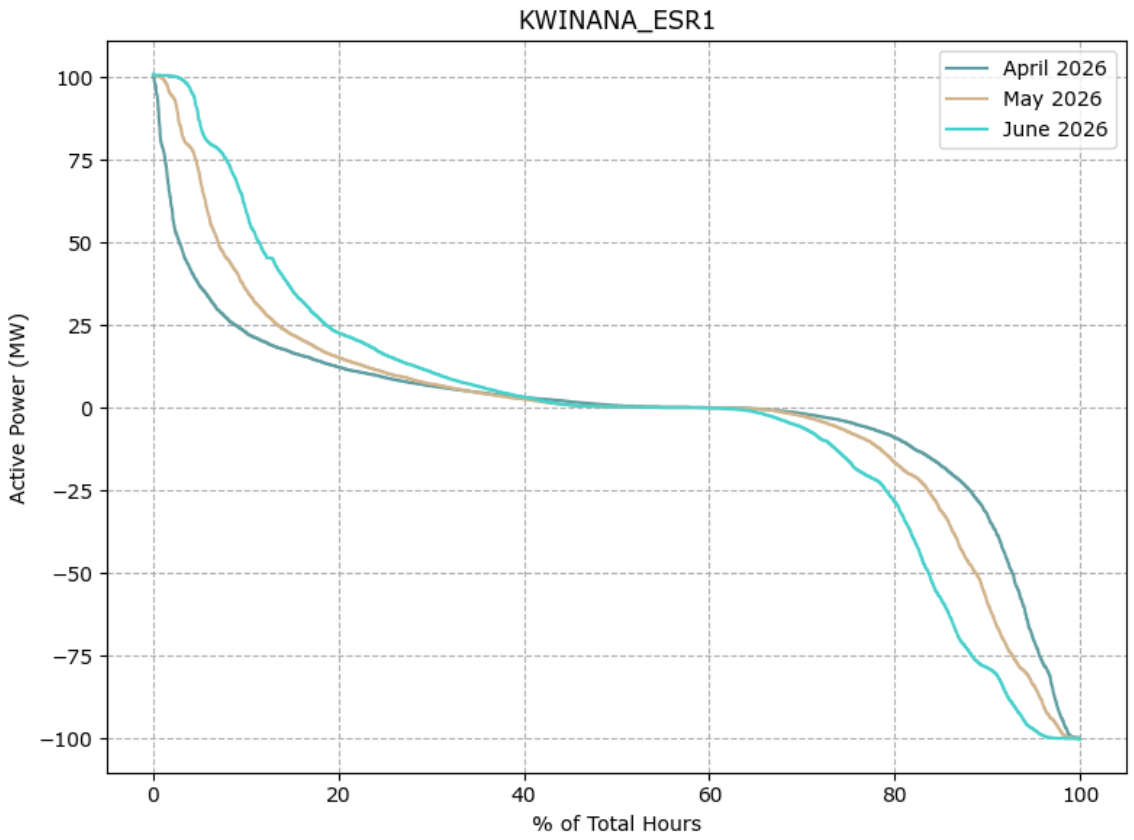


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	81.49	92.41	88.72
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	8.70	10.98	12.25
$ / MWh	**$106.73**	**$118.85**	**$138.12**

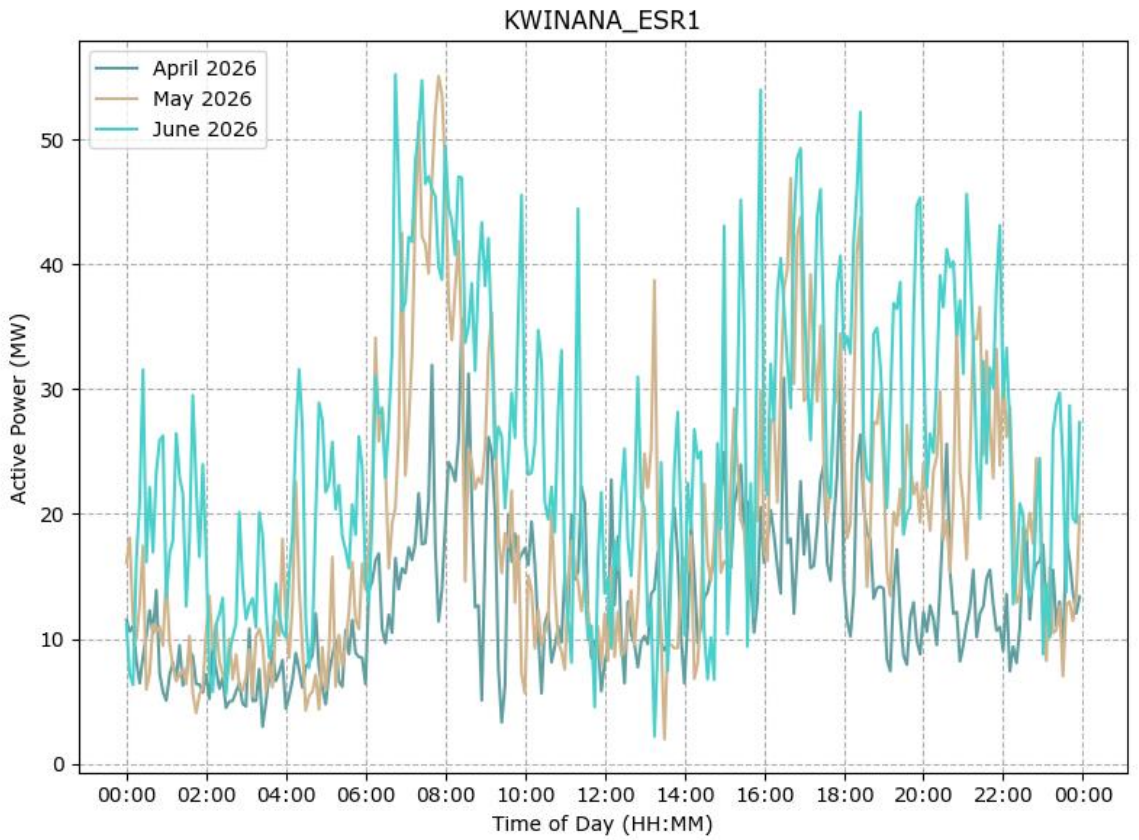
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Energy Storage Scheduled Facility, 100 MW, Synergy

Generation Duration Curves



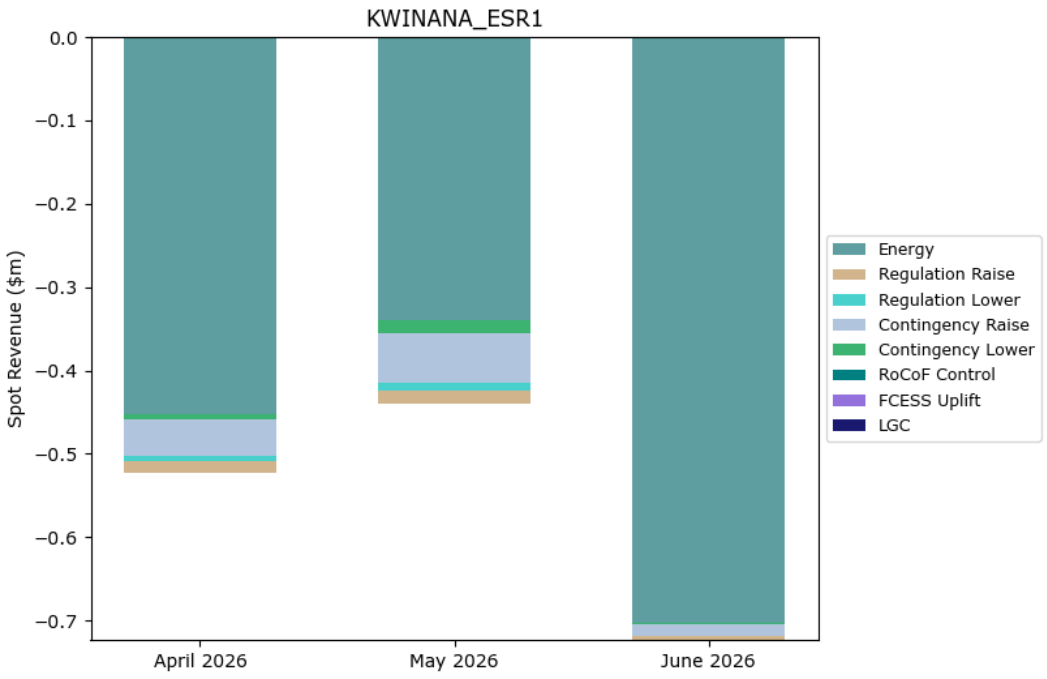
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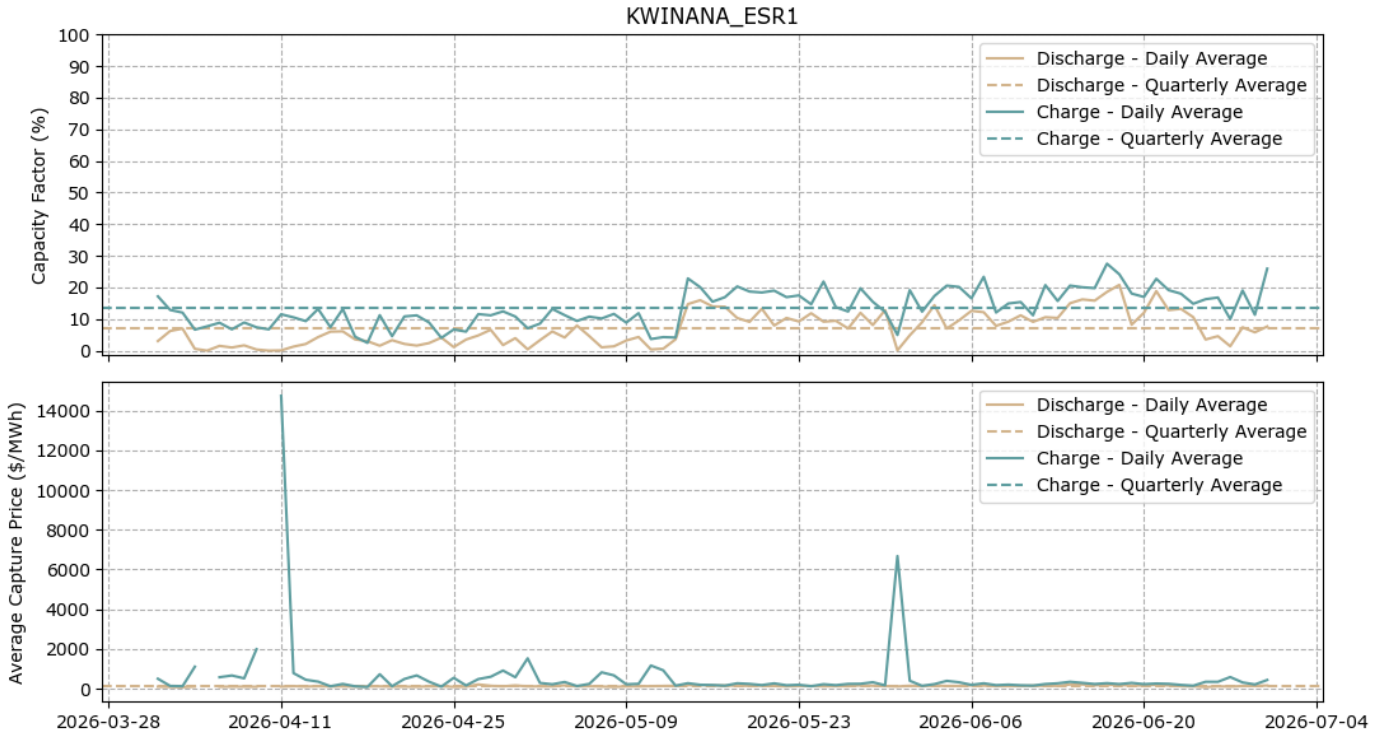
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Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



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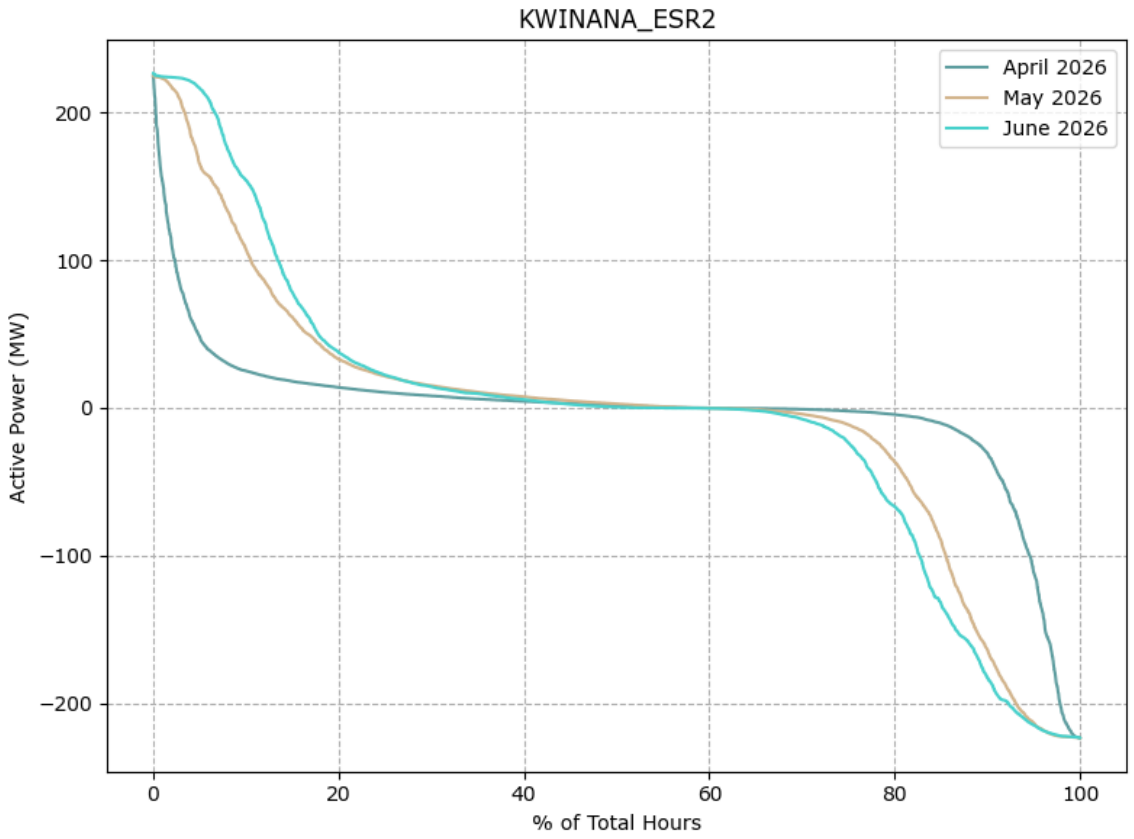


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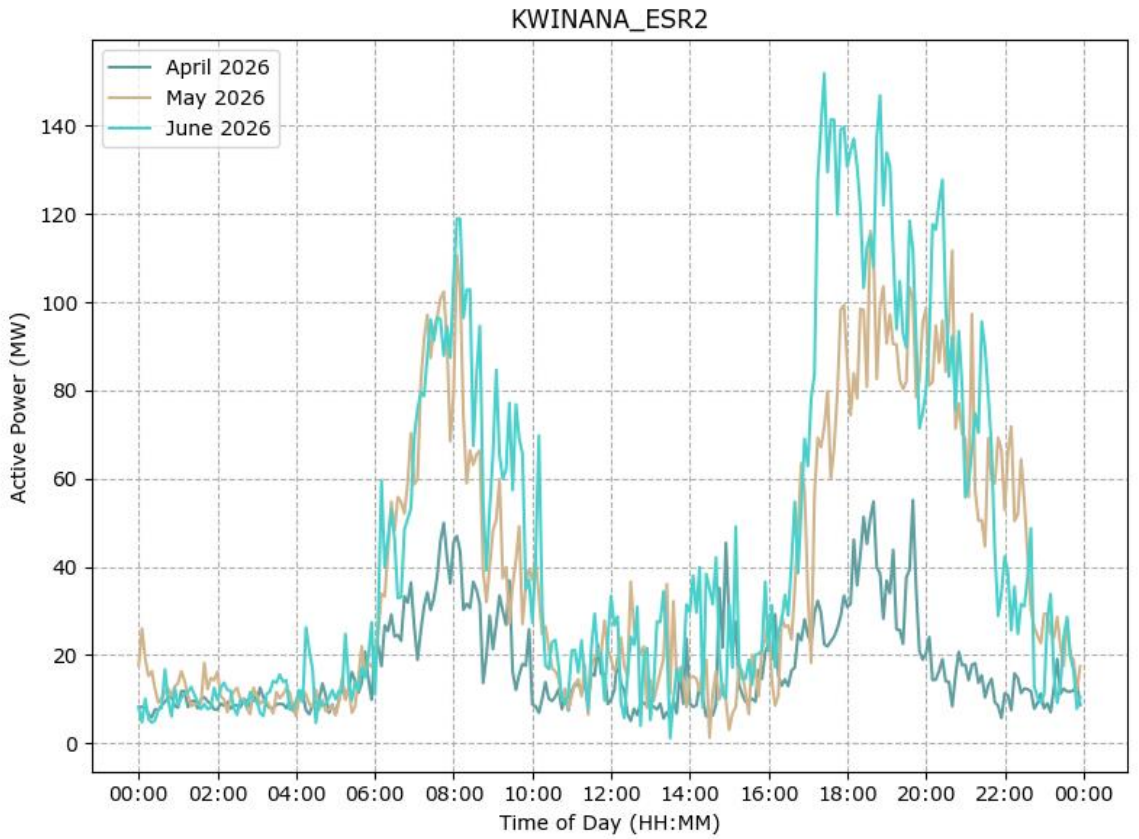
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Energy Storage Scheduled Facility, 225 MW, Synergy

Generation Duration Curves



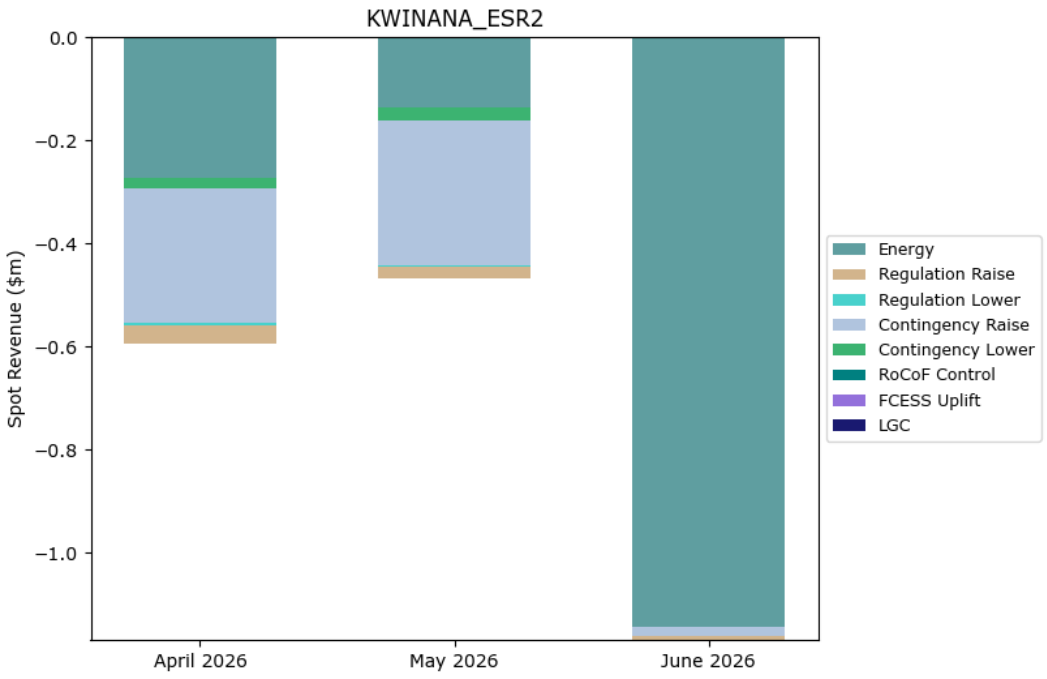
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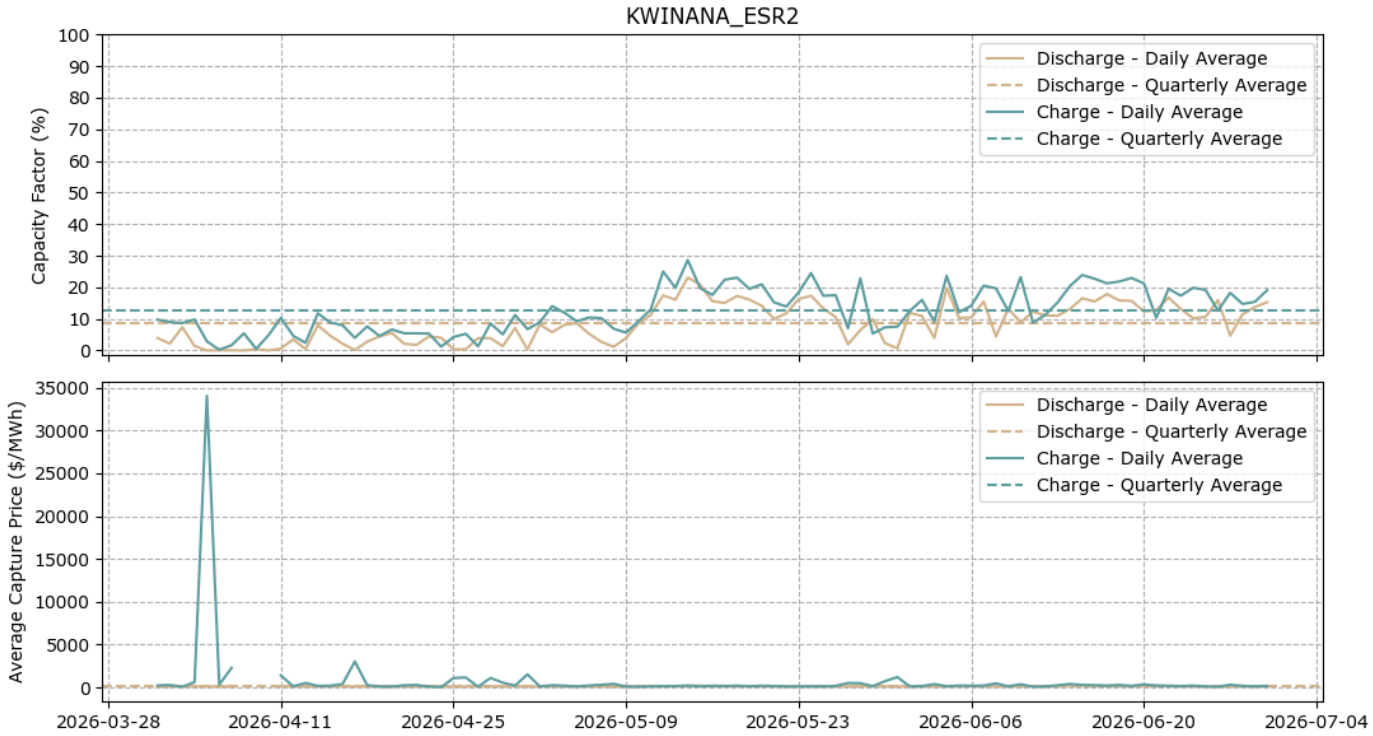
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Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



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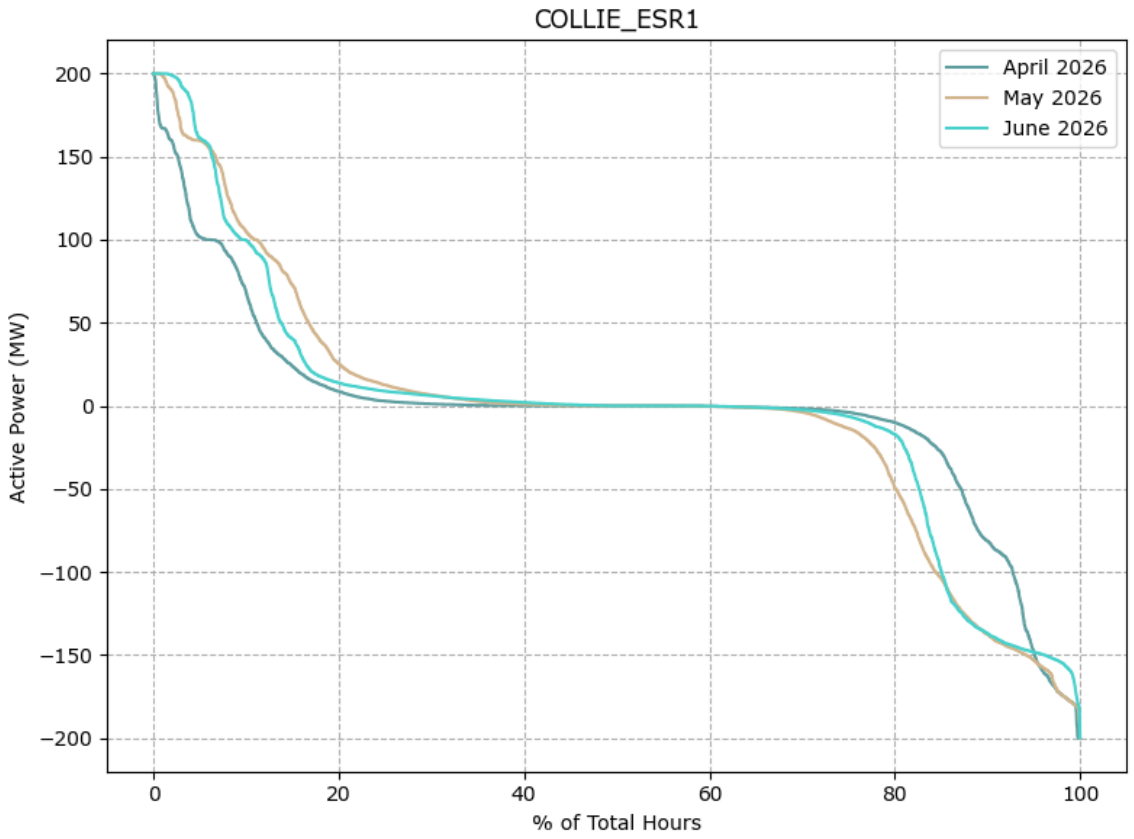


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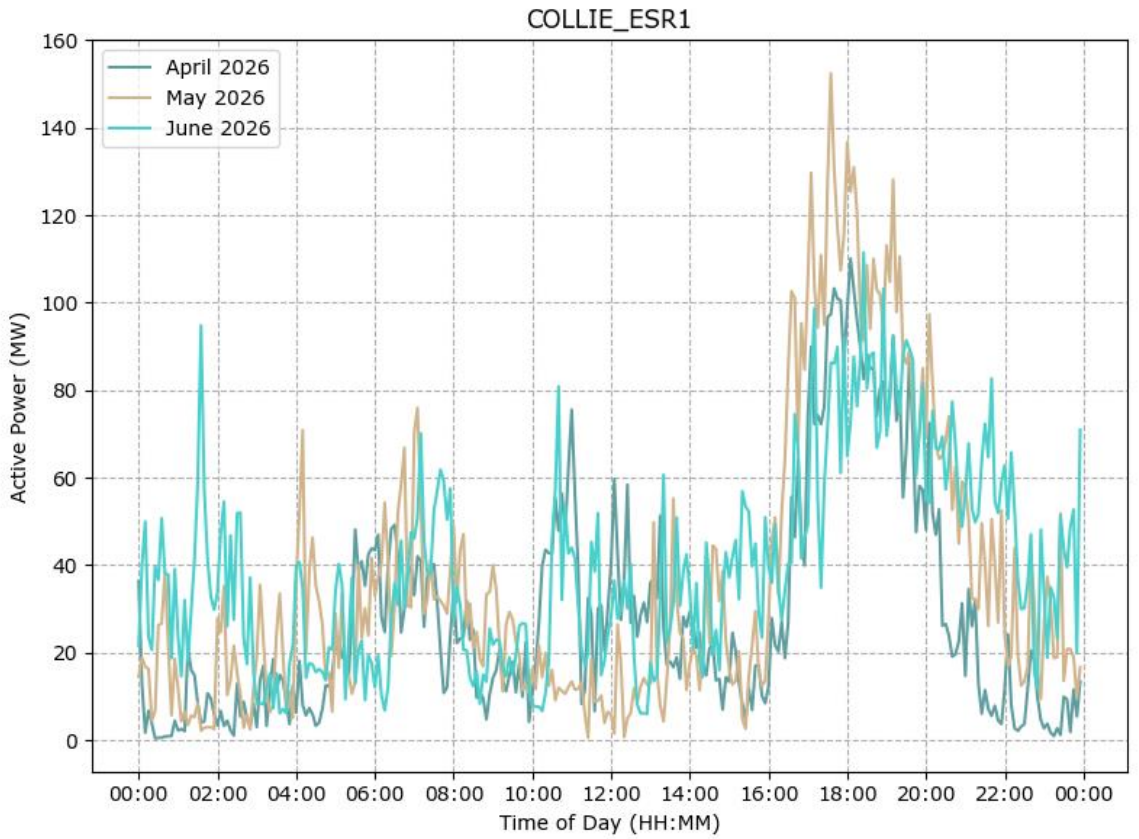
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Energy Storage Scheduled Facility, 200 MW, Neoen

Generation Duration Curves



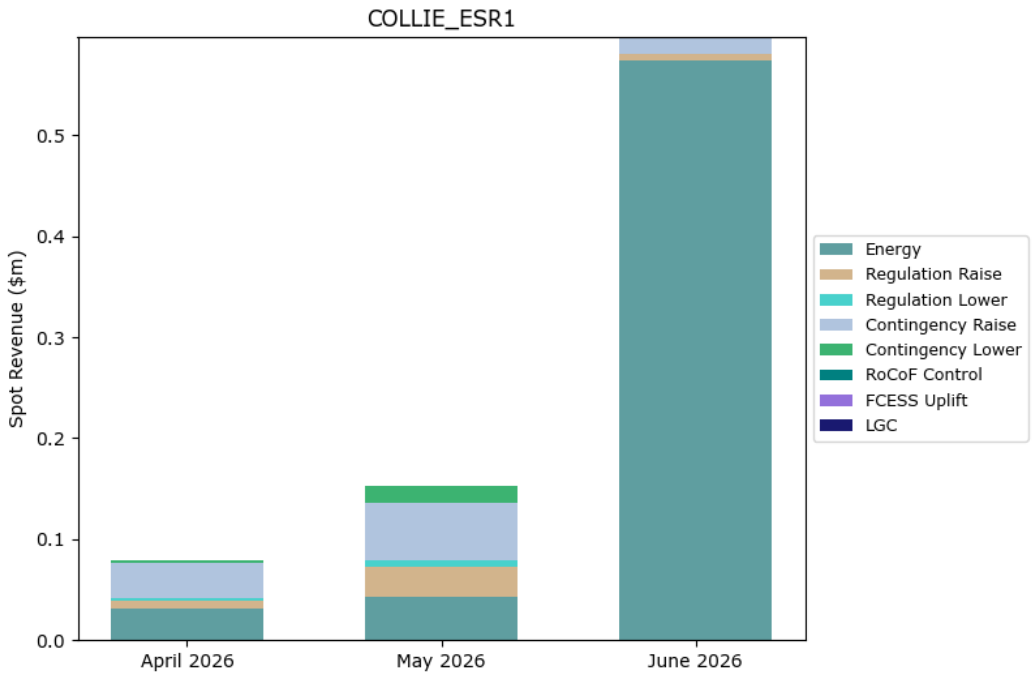
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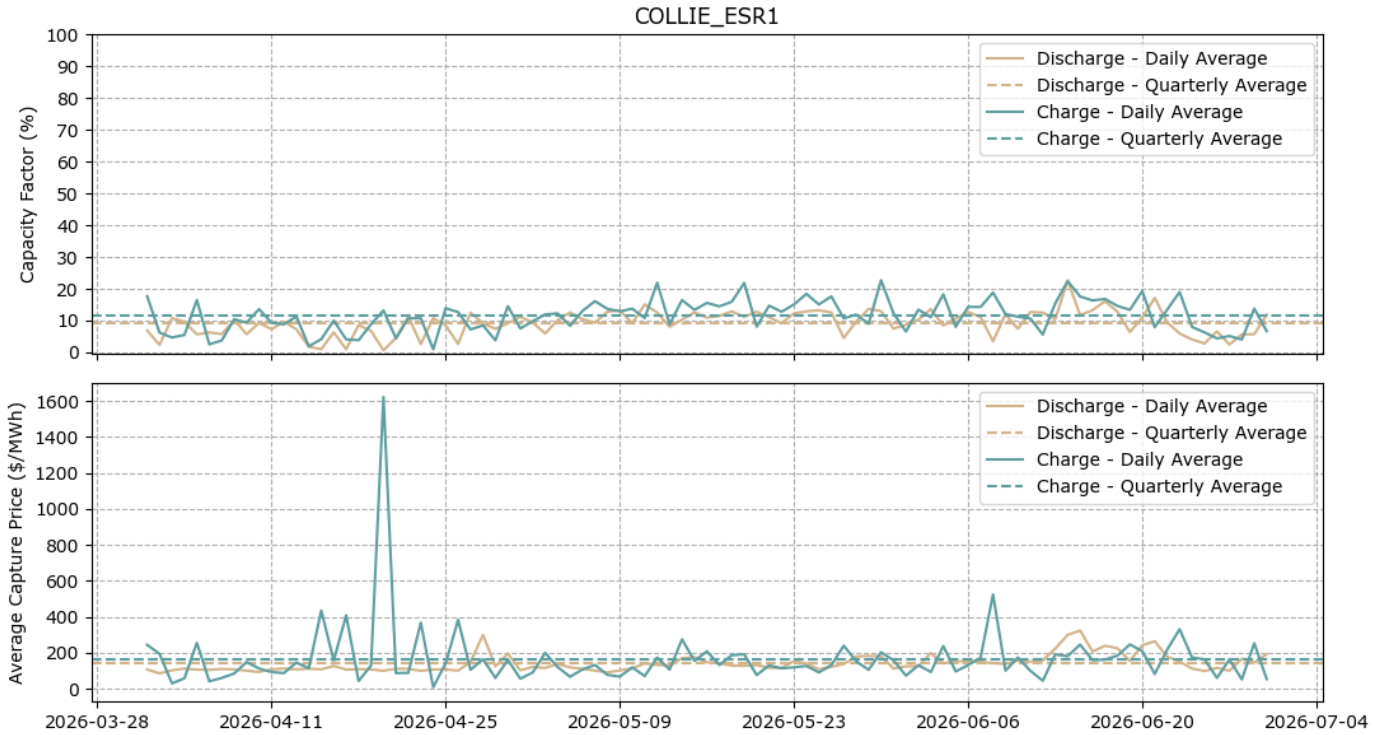
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Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



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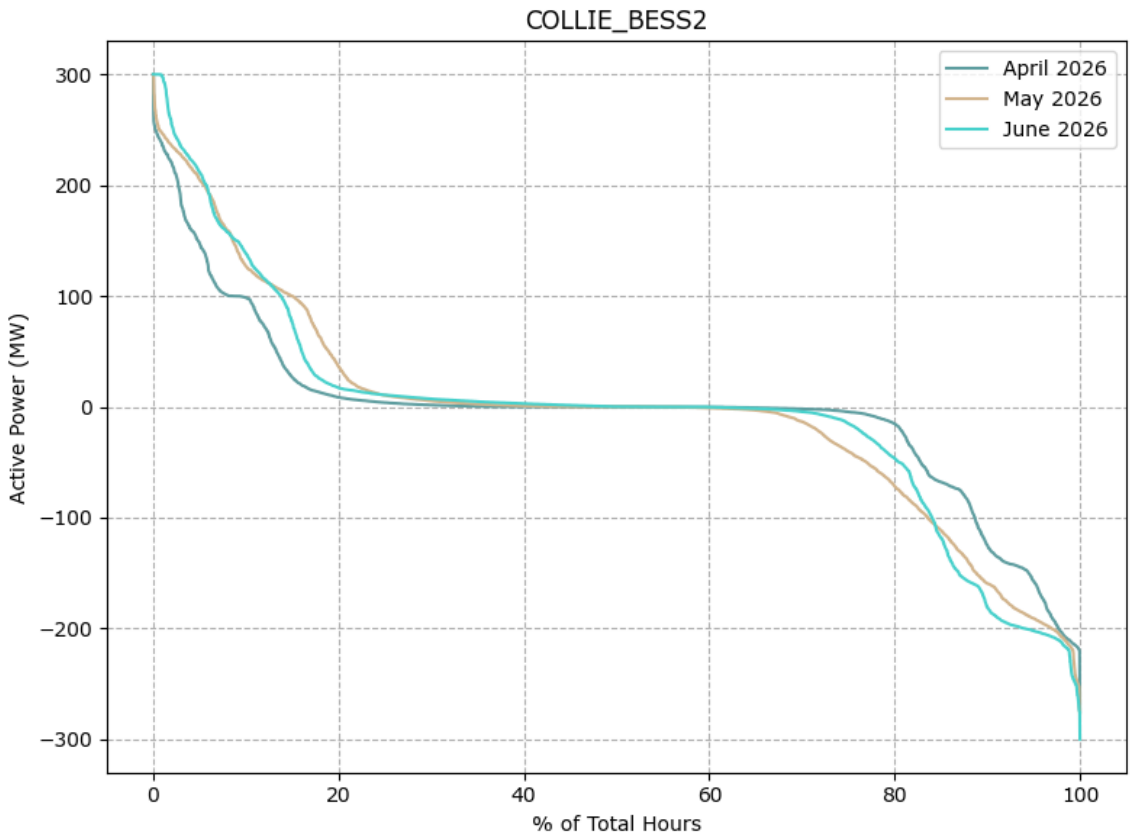


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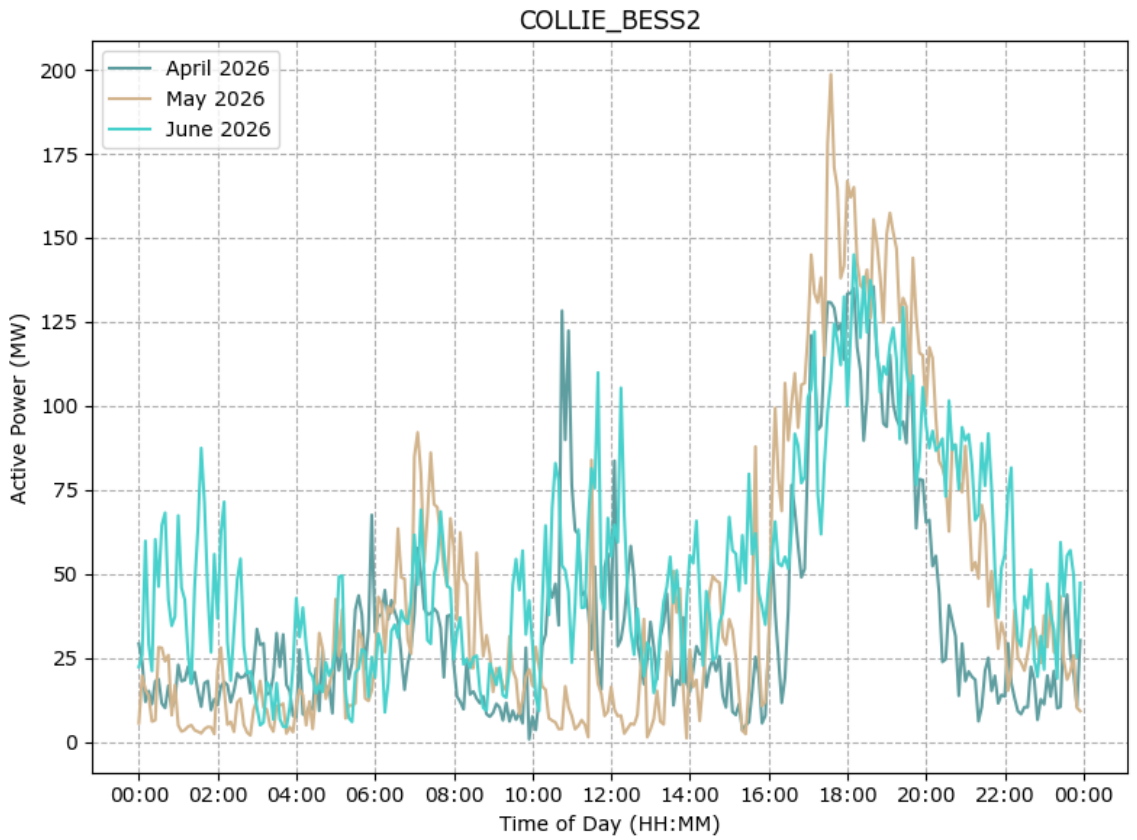
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Energy Storage Scheduled Facility, 341 MW, Neoen

Generation Duration Curves



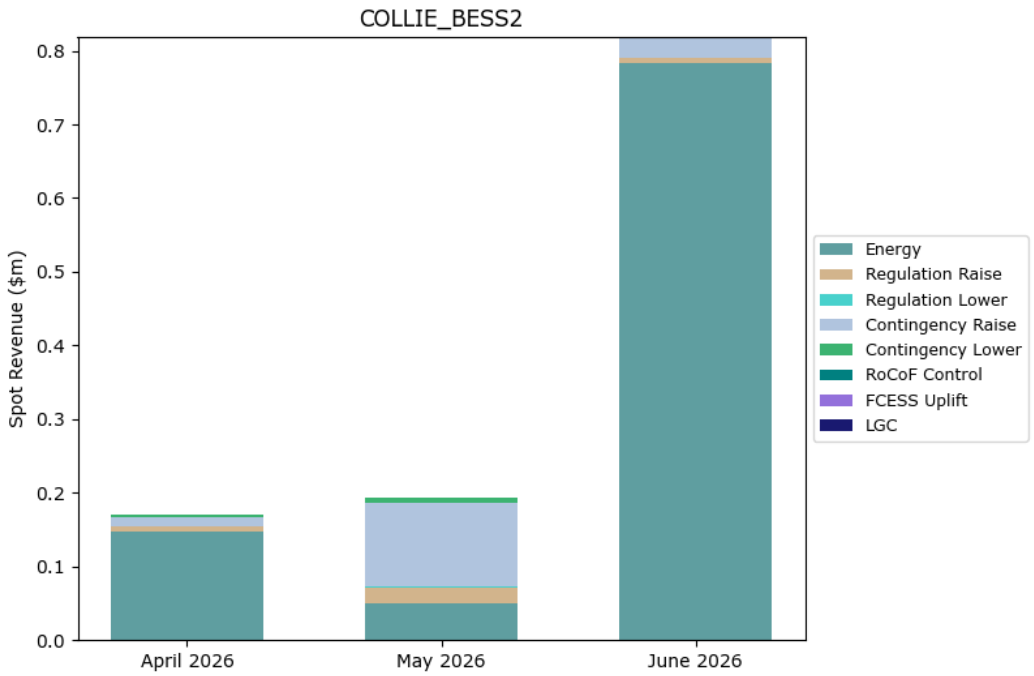
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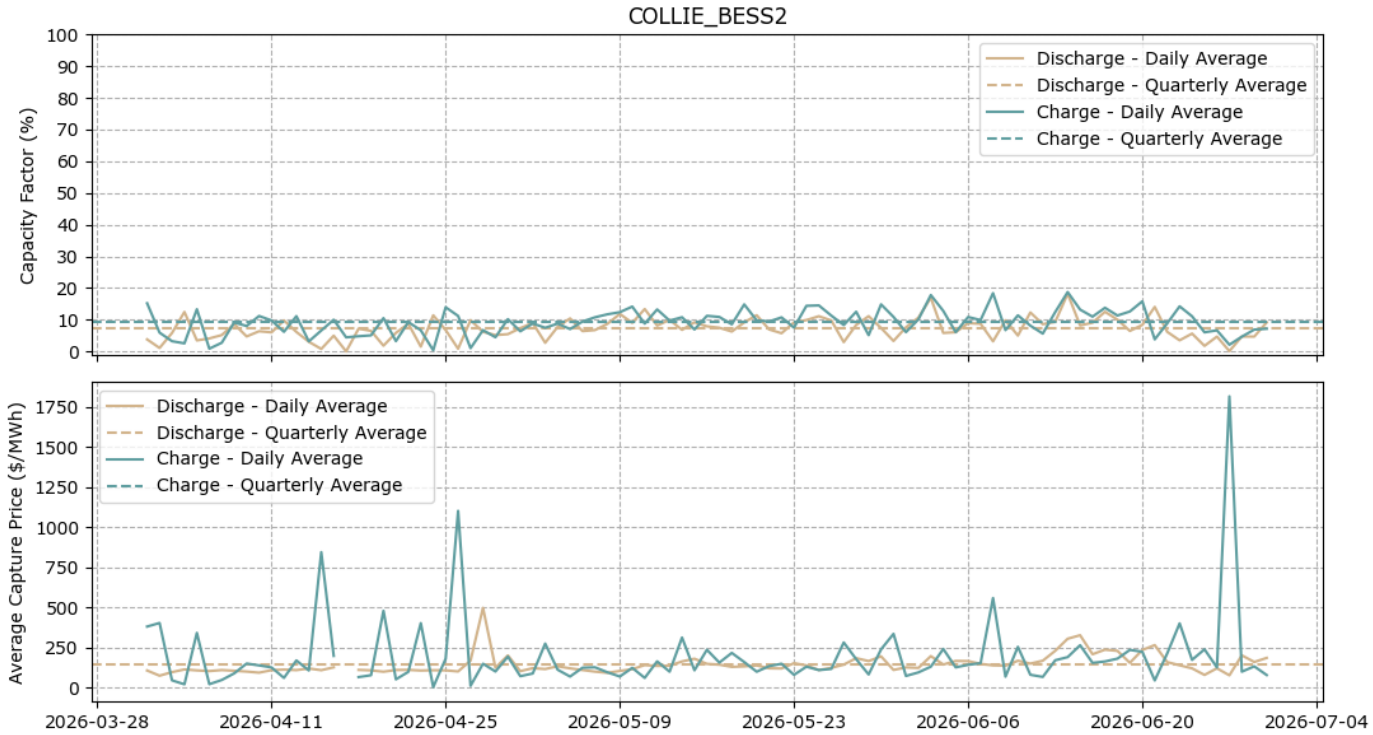
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Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



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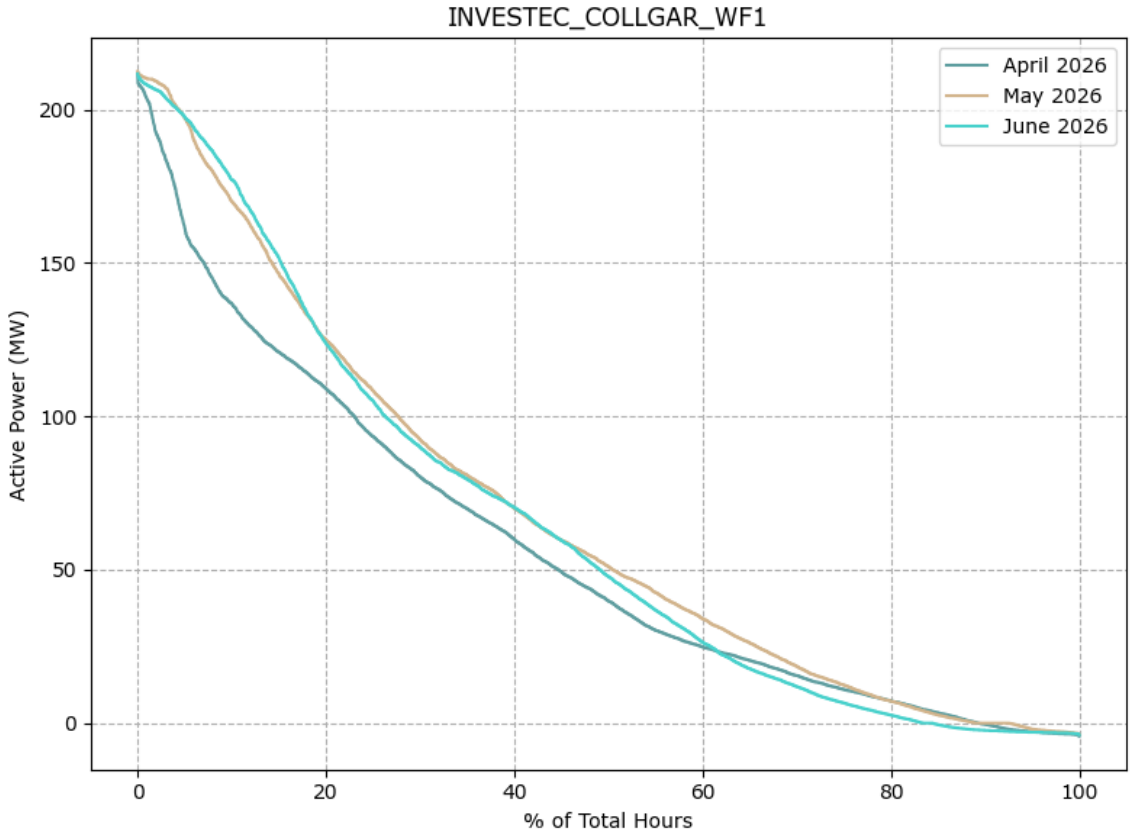


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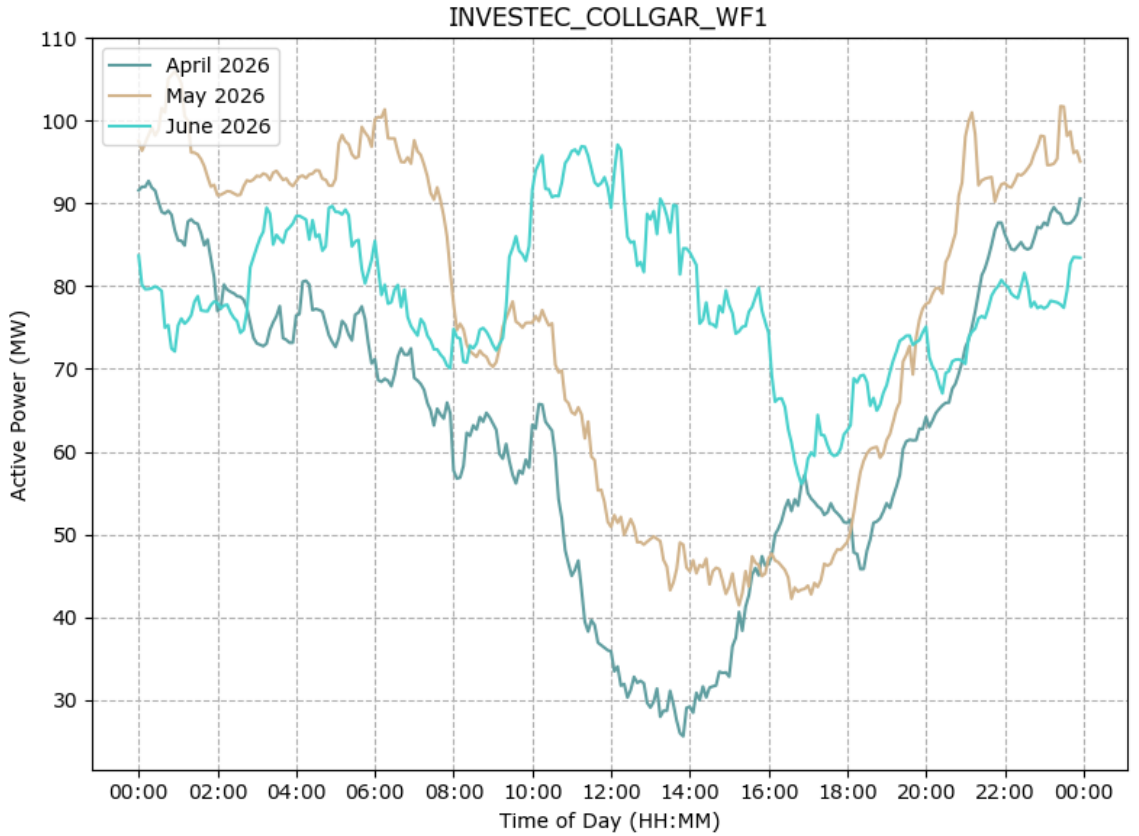
Collgar Wind Farm

Wind Semi-Scheduled Facility, 218.5 MW, Collgar Renewables

Generation Duration Curves



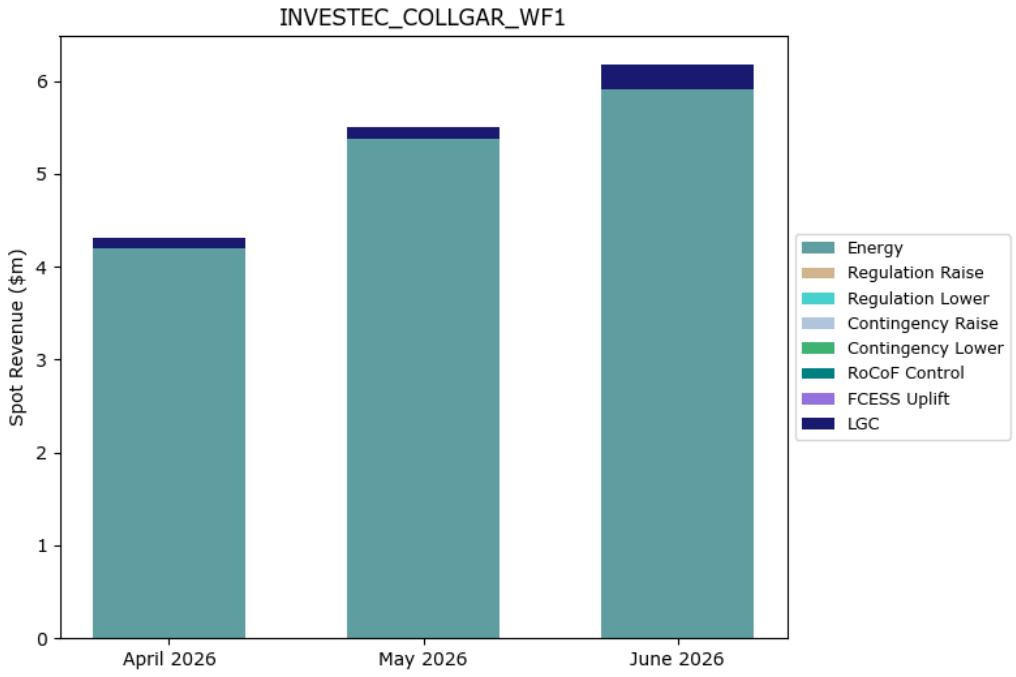
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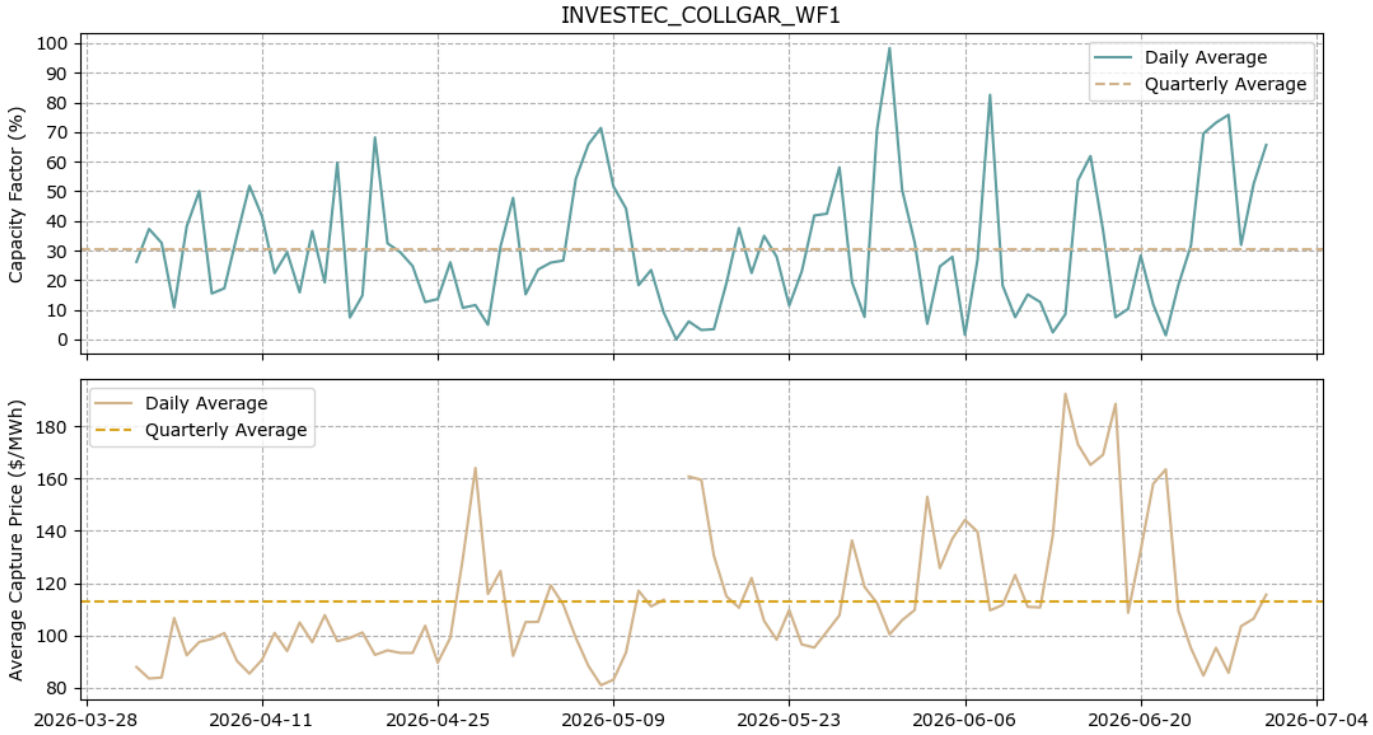
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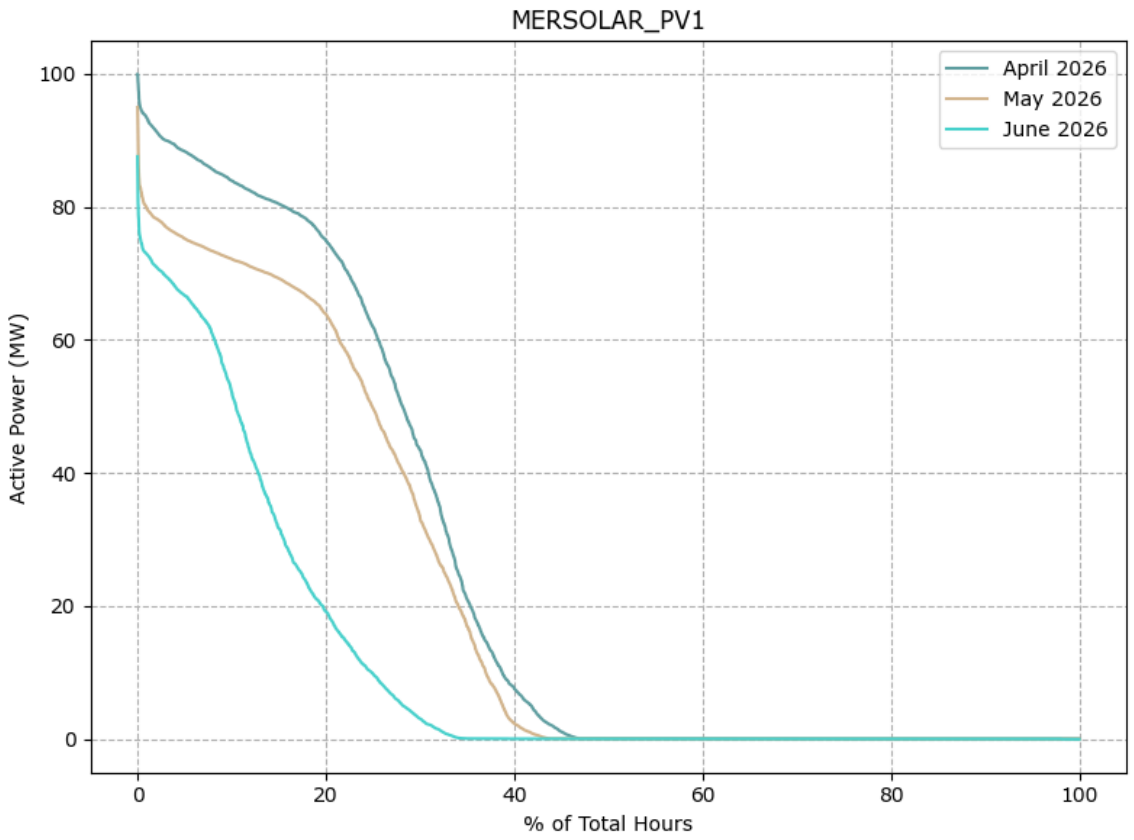


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	43.38	52.69	49.63
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	4.31	5.50	6.18
$ / MWh	**$99.47**	**$104.33**	**$124.48**

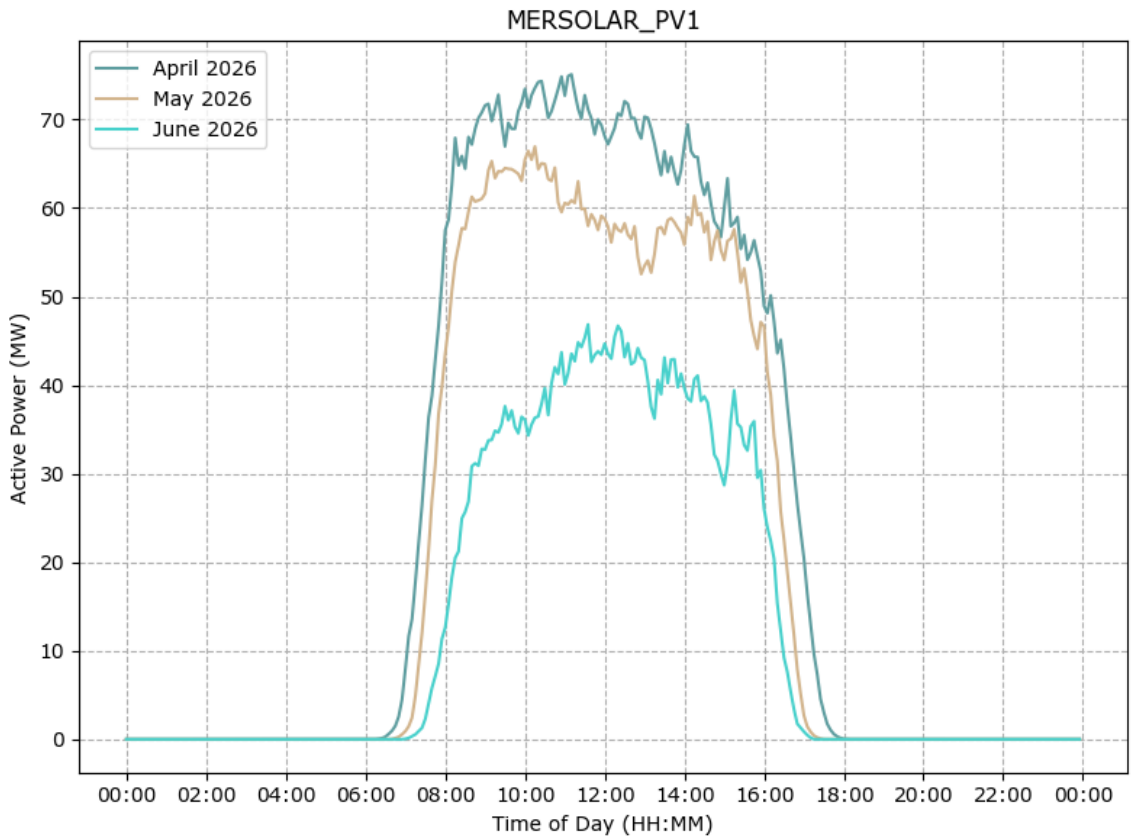
Merredin Solar Farm

Solar PV Semi-Scheduled Facility, 100 MW, SUN Energy

Generation Duration Curves



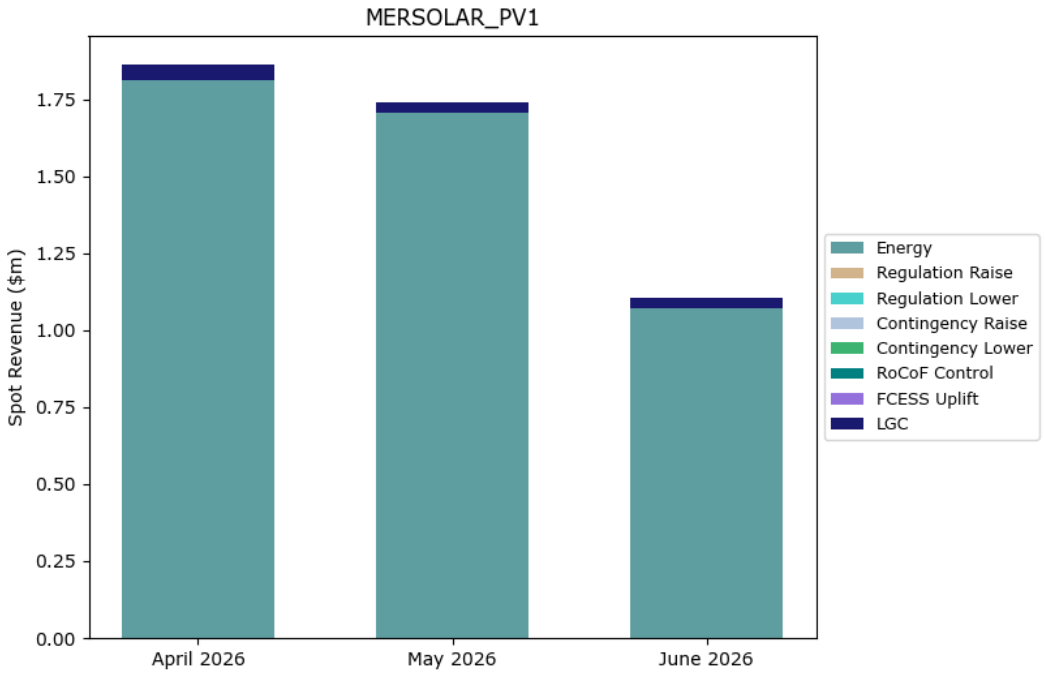
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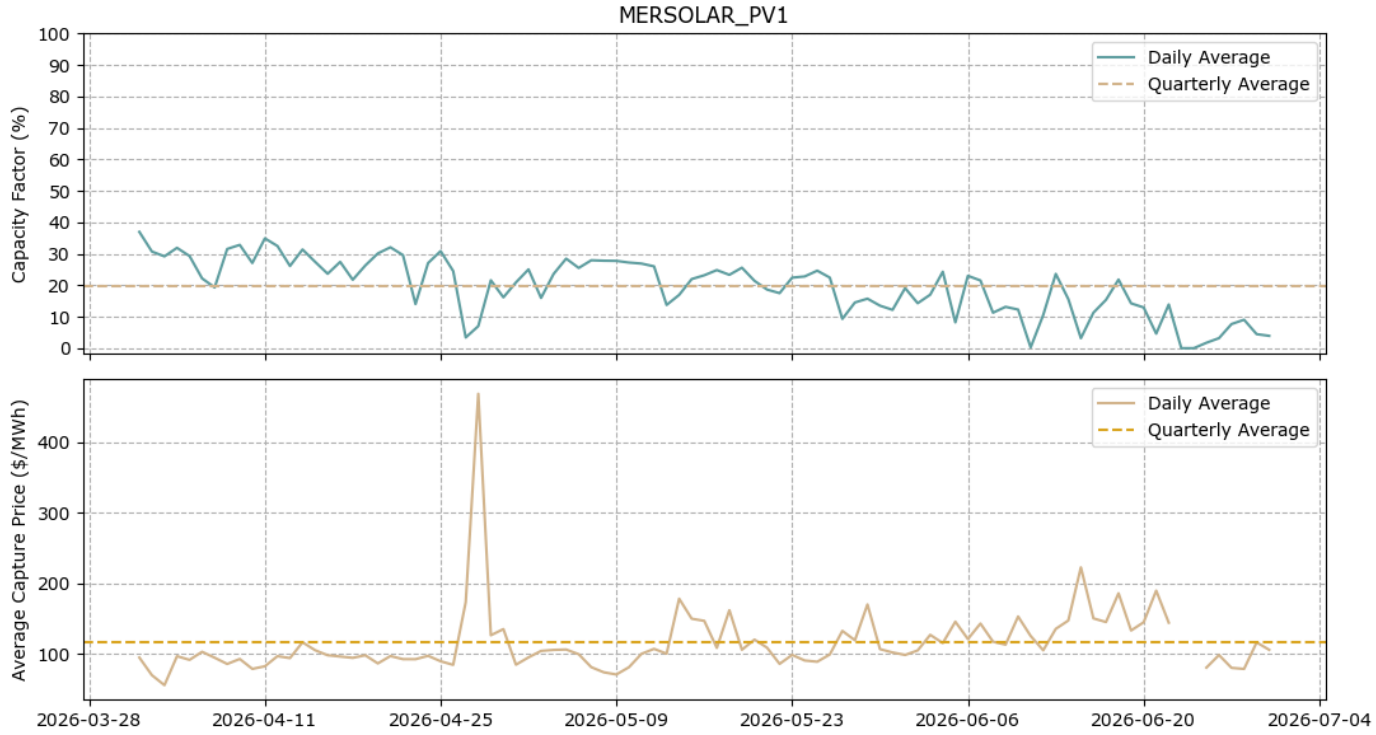
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Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



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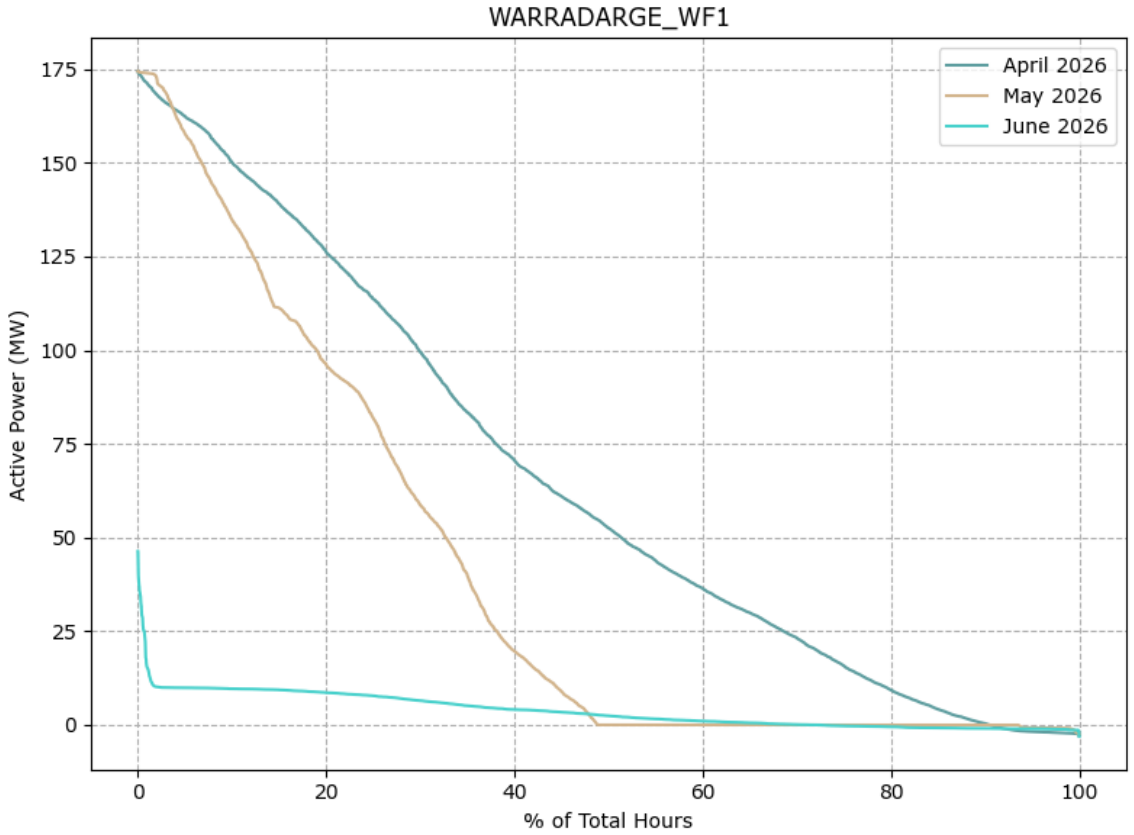


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Energy Generated (GWh)	18.68	16.02	8.19
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	1.86	1.74	1.11
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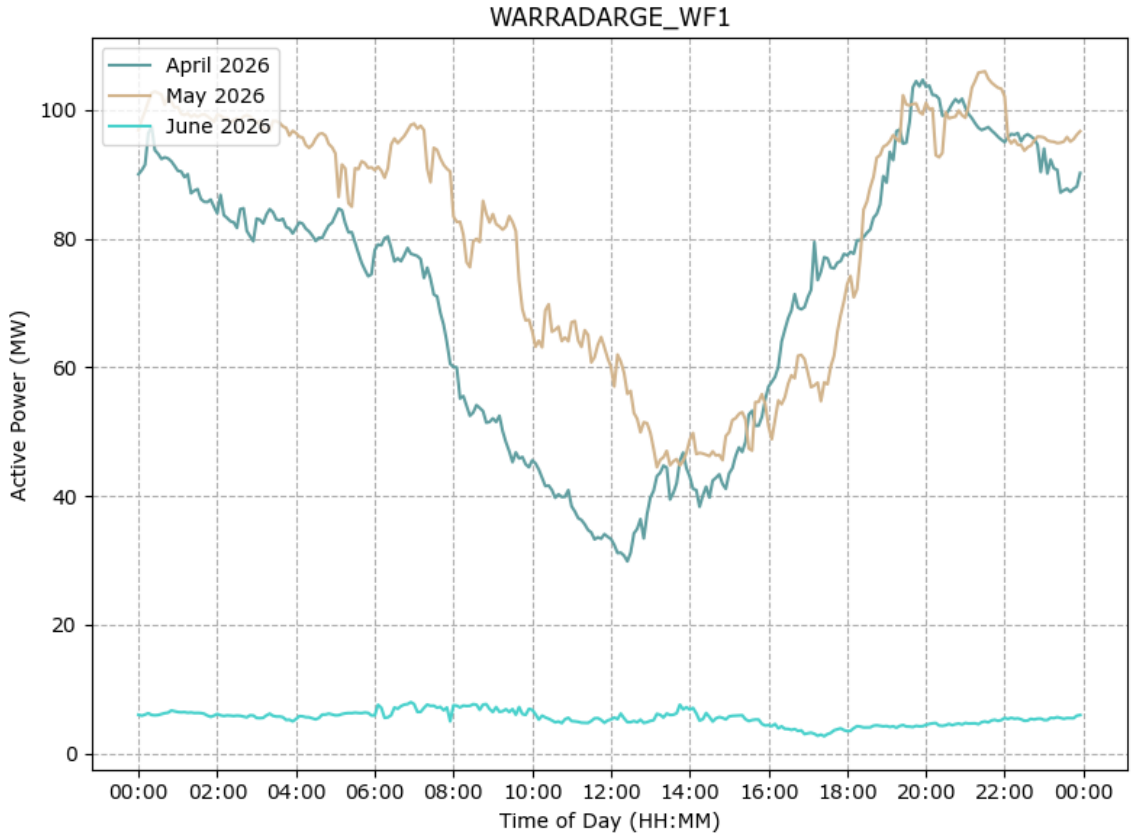
Warradarge Wind Farm

Wind Semi-Scheduled Facility, 180 MW, Bright Energy Investments

Generation Duration Curves



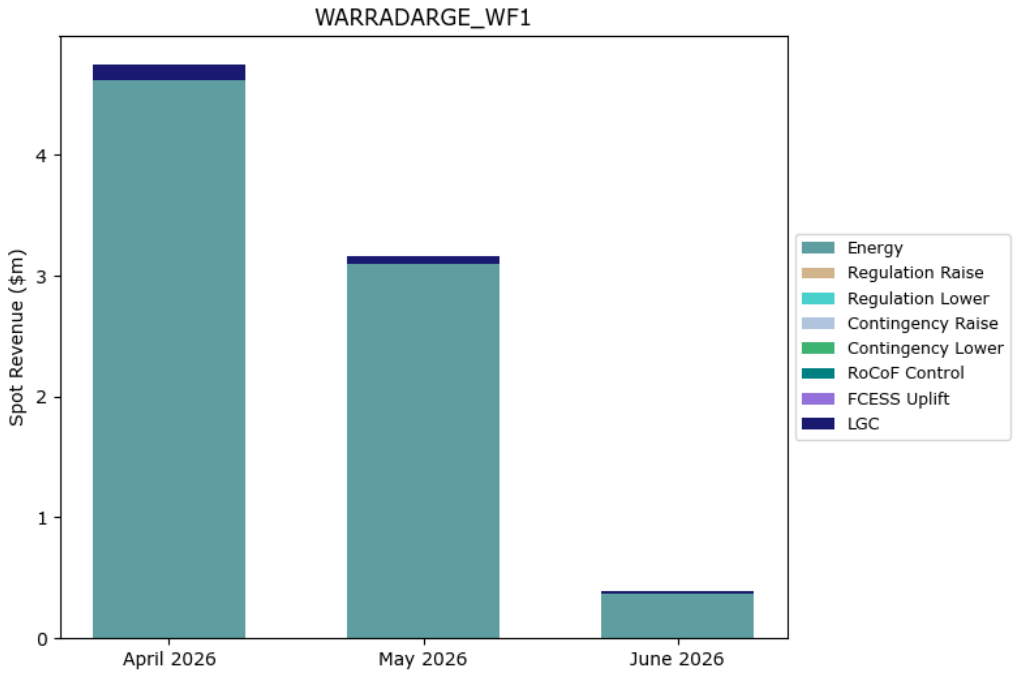
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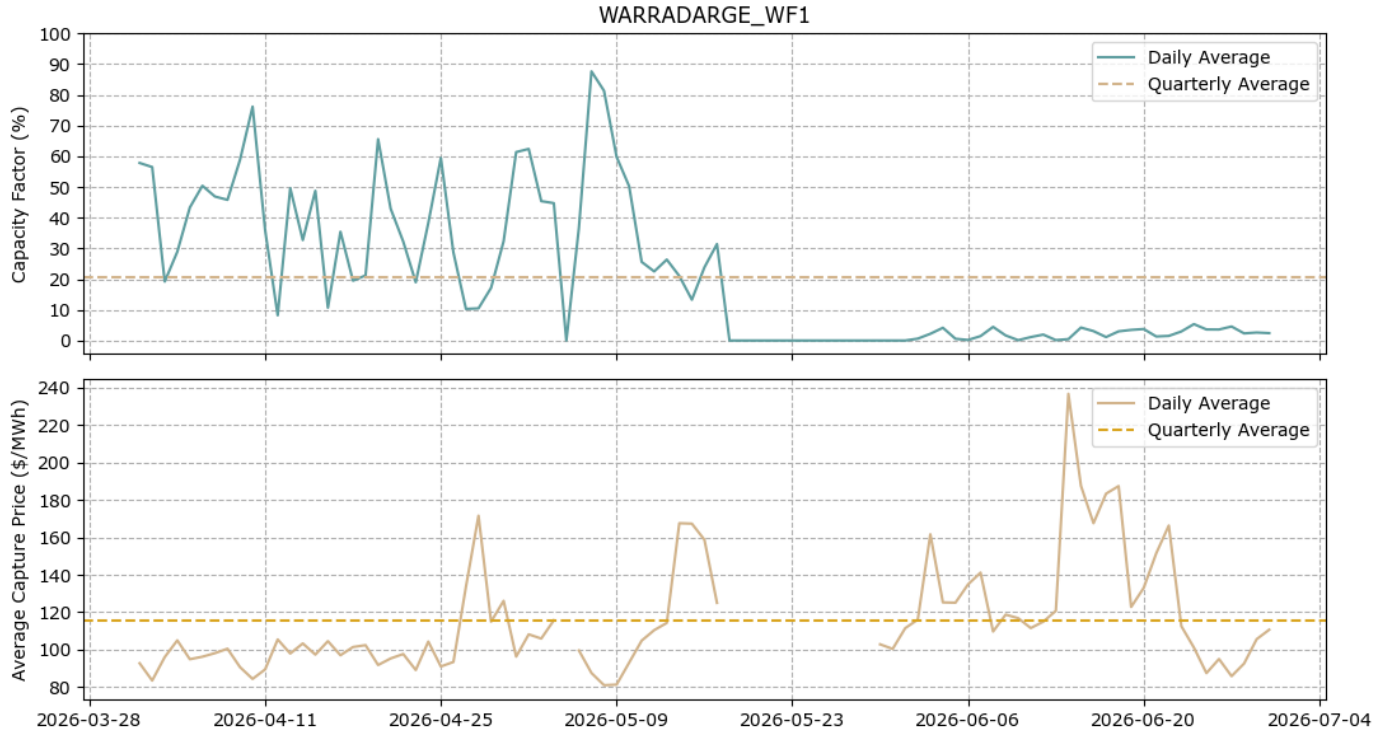
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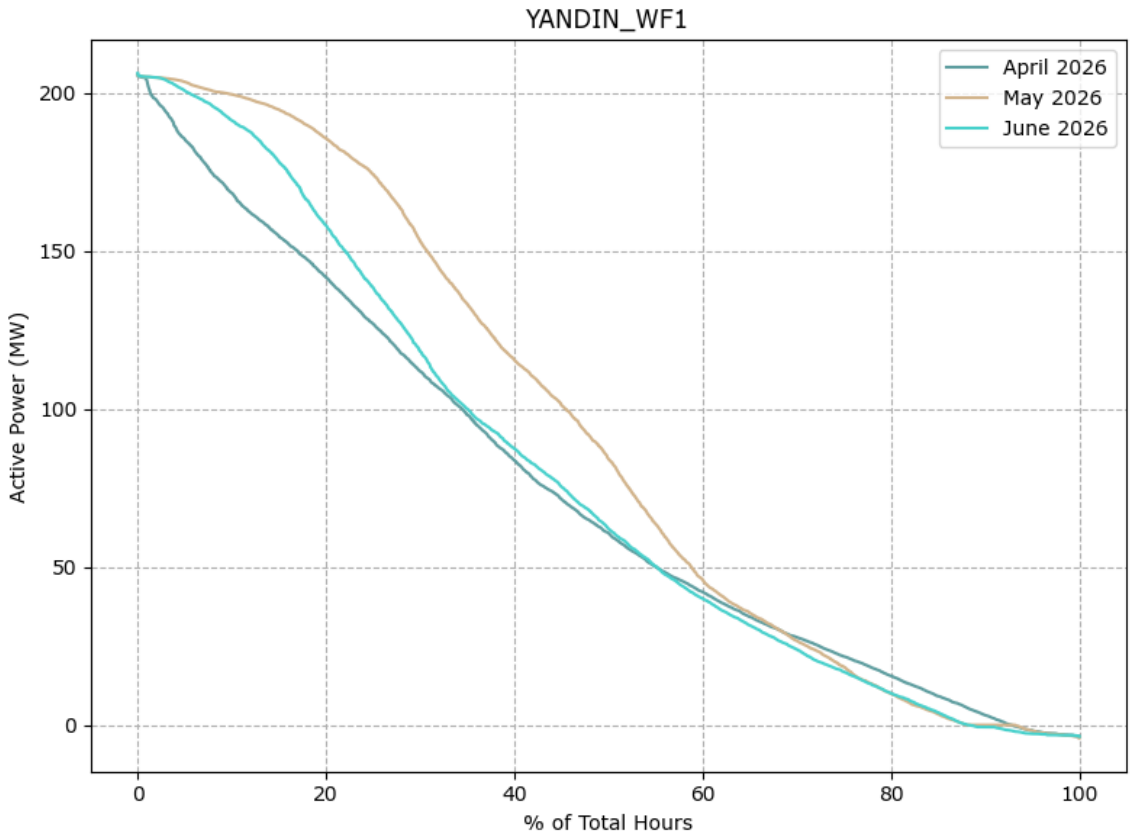


	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	47.62	29.97	2.93
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	4.75	3.16	0.38
$ / MWh	**$99.73**	**$105.56**	**$131.11**

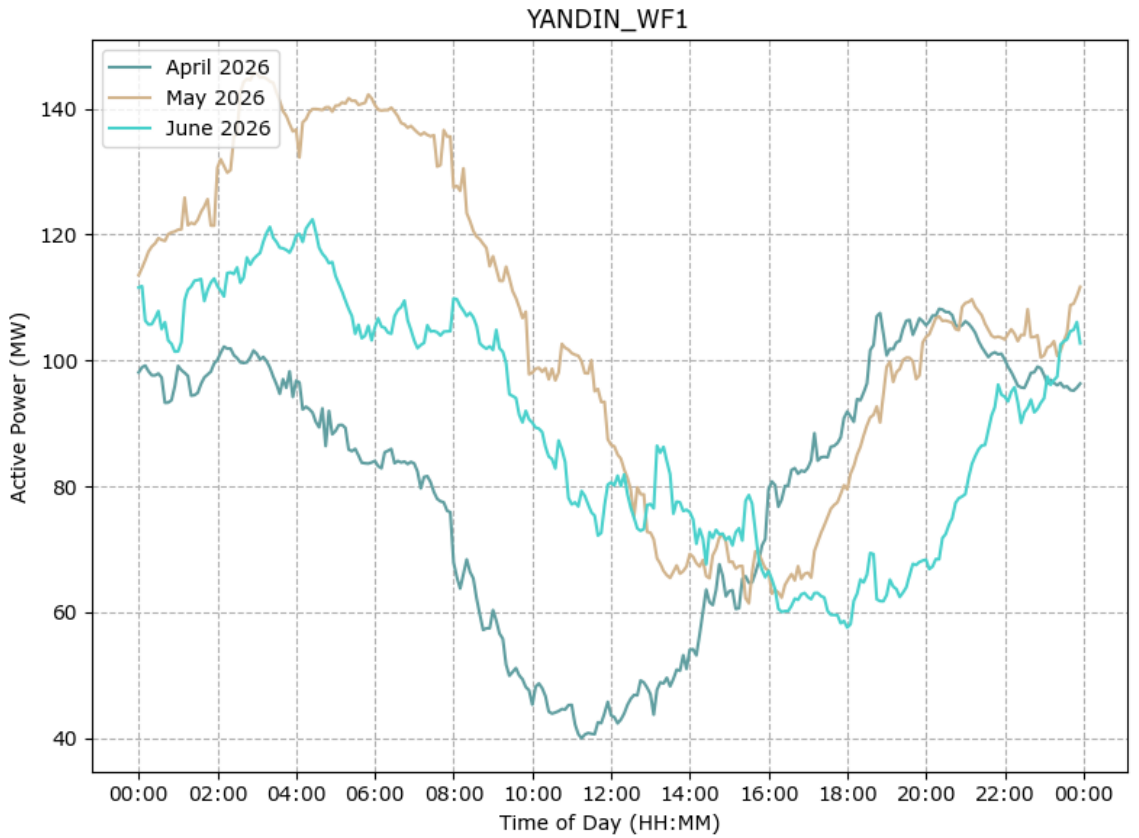
Yandin Wind Farm

Wind Semi-Scheduled Facility, 214.2 MW, Alinta Energy

Generation Duration Curves



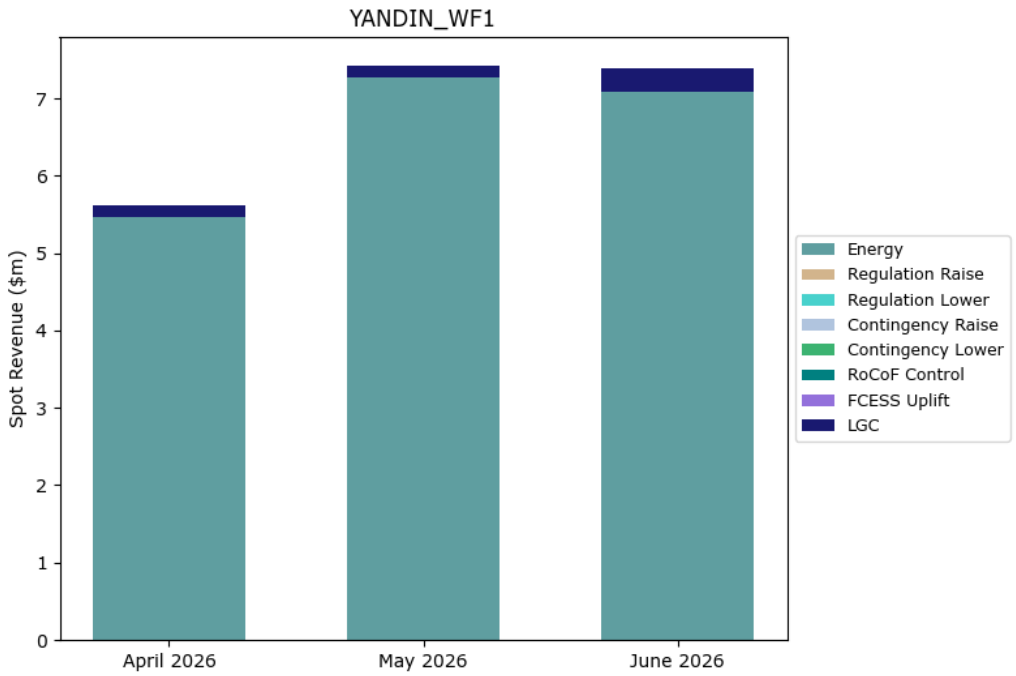
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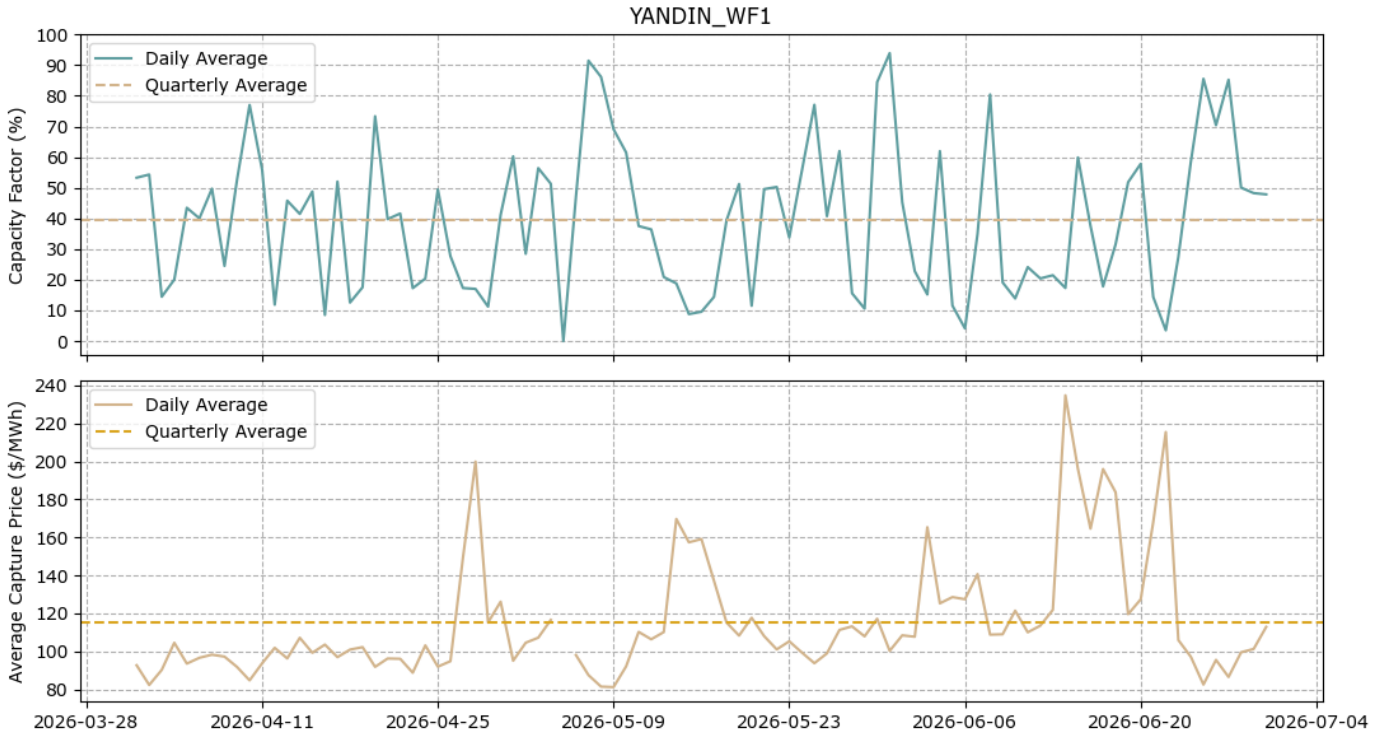
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Wind Semi-Scheduled Facility, 214.2 MW, Alinta Energy

Facility Merchant Spot Revenue



Daily Capacity Factor and Average Energy Capture Price



	Apr 2026	May 2026	Jun 2026
Energy Generated (GWh)	55.54	70.62	58.64
Total Spot Revenue ($m)	5.62	7.42	7.39
$ / MWh	**$101.16**	**$105.13**	**$126.08**



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