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Please provide the estimated wind integration costs in the energy balancing account (EBA) period and supporting documentation for the calculations.

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The 2014 Wind Integration Study (2014 WIS) prepared for the 2015 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) estimated calendar year 2014 wind integration costs to be \$3.10 per megawatt-hour (\$/MWh) in 2016 dollars (2016\$). The Company does not separately identify wind integration costs in its actual net power costs (NPC). Please refer to EBA AFR Attachment 8 RMP, which shows the results of the 2014 WIS. Please also refer to the website link below for the 2015 IRP wind integration study:

http://www.pacificorp.com/content/dam/pacificorp/doc/Energy_Sources/Integrated_Resource_Plan/2015IRP/2015IRPStudy/PacifiCorp_2015IRP-Vol2-ApdxH_WindIntegration.pdf