



COURSE TITLE	Advanced WESM Training on Pricing
COURSE REQUIREMENT	This course serves as a higher-level training for all qualified participants. To enroll, the Basic WESM training shall have been completed.
DURATION	1 day (comprised of pre-lecture introductions and lecture proper; there may be post-lecture exams/exercises)

I. COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course will equip the participants with the essential knowledge on the operations of WESM, in greater detail. This is aimed at providing a deeper understanding of the background, concepts and scope of the price determination in the WESM by employing in-depth discussions and/or sample simulations using real market data and case studies, if applicable.

II. COURSE OUTLINE

#	TOPIC/S	DESCRIPTION	APPROX. LENGTH
I	Market Dispatch Optimization Model (MDOM)		3 hours
I-1	-Optimization	Overview of optimization, background and process by which energy is priced in the WESM, the MDOM objective function and its constraints; Details of the CVCs and its priority order including automatic pricing re-run process; Details of the formulae for locational marginal prices, system marginal price, cost of loss, and transmission congestion cost; Pricing and scheduling in a co-optimized energy and reserve market	
I-2	-Economic Gain		
I-3	-Constraint Violation Coefficients (CVCs)		
I-4	-Locational Marginal Pricing (LMP)		
I-5	-Energy and Reserve Co-optimization		
II	Post Market Run Calculations		3.5 hours
II-1	-Pricing Error Notice	Background on pricing error notice and market re-run; Overview, sample calculations and system interface for Price Substitution Methodology, Secondary Price Cap and Administered Price Determination Methodology; Hierarchy of pricing mechanisms	
II-2	-Price Substitution Methodology		
II-3	-Secondary Price Cap		
II-4	-Administered Price		
II-5	-Hierarchy of Prices		