

**CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY
RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S DATA REQUEST NO. 7
DOCKET No. 2008-255**

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EX-07-28

- Q.** Petitioners state that “it is unlikely that the entire solution will be available to be placed in-service by the 2012 need date” (Volume I, Page 100, Line 6). Please provide Petitioners analysis of the overall project schedule including likely in-service dates for each component?
- A.** Petitioners state that “it is unlikely that the entire solution will be available to be placed in-service by the 2012 need date” because this reflects the petitioners ‘Best Case’ scenario or, explained in terms of probability, there is a low probability of being able to achieve this in-service date. Irrespective, we are and we will continue to plan to accomplish this goal and our detailed scheduling and planning efforts are based upon accomplishing this ‘Best Case’ outcome.

At the summary level, Petitioners’ view on the probability (confidence) of completing the scope of the MPRP by specific dates is depicted in Figure 8, Page 21 of the September 26th, 2008 Probabilistic Estimate of Project Costs.

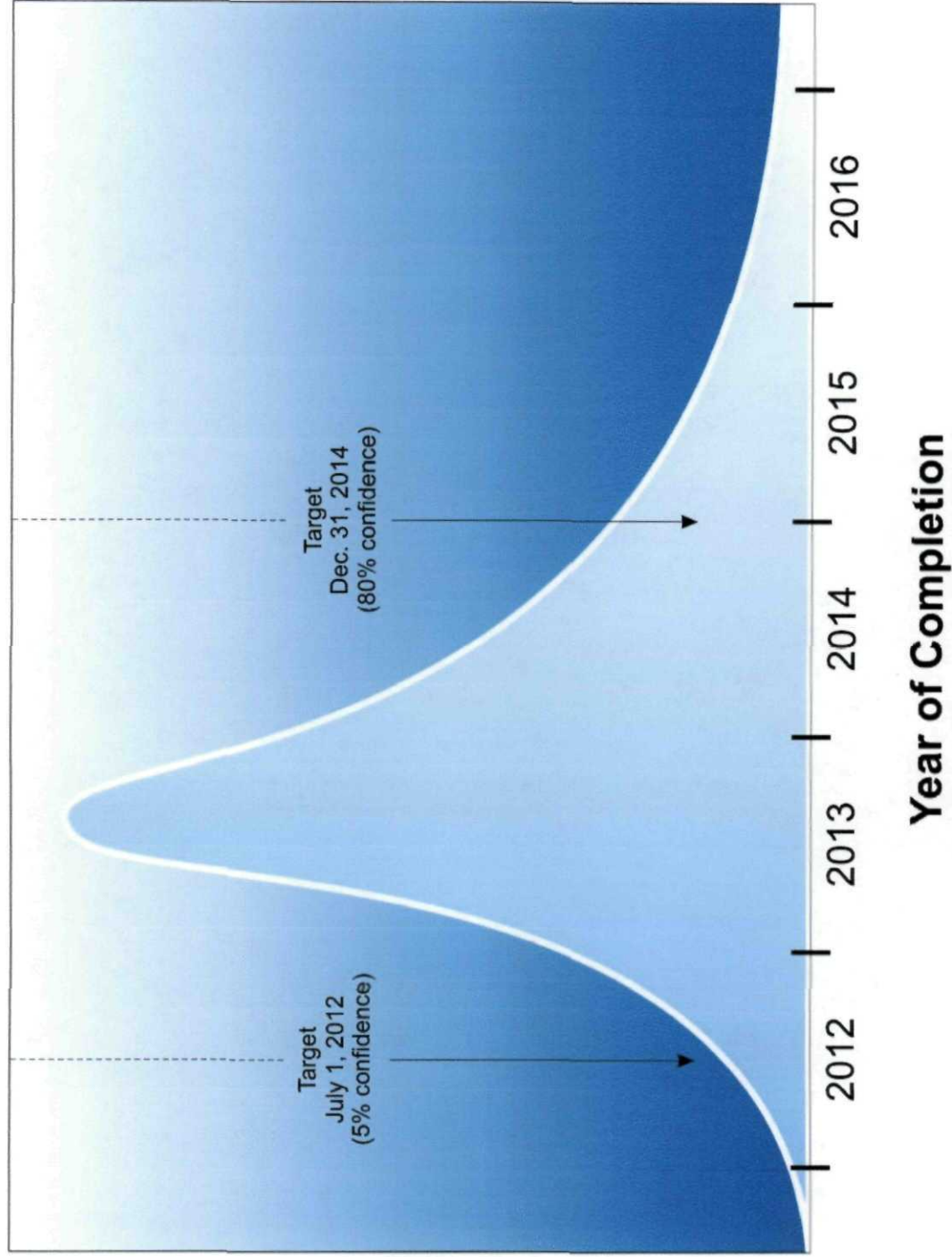
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(1) MPRP – Probability of Program Phase 2 Completion

MPRP - Probability of Program Phase 3 Completion



Probability



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