Instructions for Using Profile Equations

The methodology for calculating class hourly profile kW values was developed by running regression models on class historical demand data as a function of hourly temperature values. The models produced temperature breakpoint ranges, along with equations and its associated coefficients and constants that will be applied in the calculation of the class profile kW. Regarding breakpoint ranges, the Load Profile Process detects changes in inflection points in the hourly data (based on confidence band, coefficient of correlation, t-statistic), prompting a breakpoint at certain data points where necessary. The write up below provides an explanation of how the regression models are used in the profile calculations along with some examples. The profile values are calculated at the sales level. Profile values at generations level = Sales Level Profile Value*loss factor.

The profile equations are generated using a 4 season, 2 day-type model. The following defined seasons correspond to the following stated time periods:

Winter: December 1st to February 29th

Spring: March 1st to May 31st Summer: June 1st to August 31st

Fall: September 1st to November 30th

The equations in general form:

Let $m_1 \dots m_n = \text{coefficients}$ associated with temperature ranges 1 through n.

C =Regression constant.

X = Temperature value for given hour (ending).

Y =Calculated profile value at sales level.

 $L_1 \dots L_n$ = upper limit for each temperature range

$$Y = m_1(X) + C$$

$$Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(X - L_1) + C$$

$$Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(L_2 - L_1) + (m_3)(X - L_2) + C$$
If temp falls in 1st range.

If temp falls in 3rd range.

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 $Y = m_1(L_1) + \dots + (m_{n-1})(L_{n-1} - L_{n-2}) + (m_n)(X - L_{n-1}) + C$ If temp falls in nth range.

Ex 1: GS1, SPRING WEEKDAY HOUR 14, TEMP=50 DEGREES F:

HIGH_1 HIGH_2 HIGH_3 HIGH_4 COEFF_1 COEFF_2 COEFF_3 COEFF_4 **CONSTANT** 50.4741 64.5280 77.3043 99999 -0.0204 -0.0028 0.0055 0.0297 2.5810

Temp is **50** degrees FAHR which is in range 1 (0-50.4741). Use equation:

$$Y = m_1(X) + C$$

Y = Profile Value for range 1

 $m_1 = \text{COEFF}_1 = -0.0204$

 $X = \mathbf{TEMP} = \mathbf{50}$

C = CONSTANT = 2.581

 $Y = m_1(X) + C$ = -0.02037 (**50**) + 2.581 =**1.5625**

Ex 2: GS1, SPRING WEEKDAY HOUR 14, TEMP=60 DEGREES F:

COEFF_1 COEFF_3 HIGH 1 HIGH_2 HIGH_3 HIGH_4 COEFF 2 COEFF 4 **CONSTANT** 50.4741 64.5280 77.3043 99999 -0.0204 -0.0028 0.0055 0.0297 2.5810

Temp is **60** degrees FAHR which is in range 2 (50.4741-64.5280). Use equation:

$$Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(X - L_1) + C$$

Y =Profile Value for range 2

 $m_1 = \text{COEFF}_1 = -0.0204$

 $m_2 = \text{COEFF}_2 = -0.0028$

X = TEMP = 60

C = CONSTANT = 2.581

 $L_1 = HIGH_1 = 50.4741$

$$Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(X - L_1) + C$$

= -0.0204(50.4741) + -0.0028(**60**-50.4741) + 2.5810
=**1.5343**

Ex 3: GS1, SPRING WEEKDAY HOUR 14, TEMP=70 DEGREES F:

HIGH_1 HIGH_2 HIGH_3 HIGH_4 COEFF_1 COEFF 2 COEFF_3 COEFF 4 **CONSTANT** 50.4741 64.5280 77.3043 99999 -0.0204 -0.0028 0.0055 0.0297 2.5810

Temp is **70** degrees FAHR which is in range 3 (64.5280-77.3043). Use equation:

$$Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(L_2 - L_1) + (m_3)(X - L_2) + C$$

Y = Profile Value for range 3

 $m_1 = \text{COEFF_1} = -0.0204$

 $m_2 = \text{COEFF}_2 = -0.0028$

 $m_3 = \text{COEFF}_3 = 0.0055$

 $X = \mathbf{TEMP} = \mathbf{70}$

C = CONSTANT = 2.581

 $L_1 = HIGH_1 = 50.4741$

 $L_2 = HIGH_2 = 64.528$

 $Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(L_2 - L_1) + (m_3)(X - L_2) + C$ = -0.0204(50.4741) + -0.0028(64.528-50.4741) + 0.0055(**70**-64.528) + 2.581 =**1.5419**

Ex 4: GS1, SPRING WEEKDAY HOUR 14, TEMP=80 DEGREES F:

HIGH_1 HIGH_2 HIGH_3 HIGH_4 COEFF_1 COEFF_2 COEFF_3 COEFF_4 **CONSTANT** 50.4741 64.5280 77.3043 99999 -0.0204-0.0028 0.0055 0.0297 2.5810

Temp is **80** degrees FAHR which is in range 4 (77.3043-99999). Use equation:

$$Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(L_2 - L_1) + (m_3)(L_3 - L_2) + (m_4)(X - L_3) + C$$

Y = Profile Value for range 4

 $m_1 = \mathbf{COEFF}_1 = -0.0204$

 $m_2 = \text{COEFF}_2 = -0.0028$

 $m_3 = \mathbf{COEFF}_3 = 0.0055$

 $m_4 = \mathbf{COEFF_4} = 0.0297$

 $X = \mathbf{TEMP} = \mathbf{80}$

C = CONSTANT = 2.581

 $L_1 = HIGH_1 = 50.4741$

 $L_2 = \mathbf{HIGH} \mathbf{_2} = 64.528$

 $L_3 = HIGH_3 = 77.3043$

 $Y = m_1(L_1) + (m_2)(L_2 - L_1) + (m_3)(L_3 - L_2) + (m_4)(X - L_3) + C \\ = -0.0204(50.474) + -0.0028(64.528-50.4741) + 0.0055(77.3043-64.528) + 0.0297(\textbf{80}-77.3043) + 2.581 \\ = \textbf{1.6622}$