

1 **B-14 Holyrood Assessment**

2 Q. As a measure of determining how the results shown in the DAFOR data flow
3 through to the customer, provide historical data showing annual impacts on
4 service for each of the three units over the last 15 years.

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7 A. Historical DAFOR (Derate Adjusted Forced Outage Rate) for each of the
8 units cannot be directly linked to annual impacts on service to the customer.

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10 DAFOR is one measure of the reliability and forced outage rates for a unit.
11 However, the effect on service to the customer also depends on when the
12 outages occur, what the system load is at the time, and the availability of
13 other units at the same time, among other things.

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15 DAFOR can be used, however, in conjunction with other information about
16 the generation system, to give probabilistic predictions of overall future
17 customer service.

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19 It may be stated that, all other things being held constant, an increasing
20 DAFOR will lead to a higher probability of reduced service to customers.