



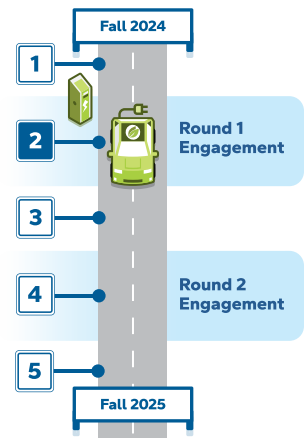
Evaluation metrics

ABOUT THE 2025 INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN

The Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) is a repeatable process used to understand and prepare for the energy future in Manitoba. Our 2025 IRP will result in a road map that will include a recommended development plan.

A new step in our IRP development process

Manitoba Hydro is enhancing our evaluation metrics for 2025 IRP. The evaluation metrics will help compare and assess trade-offs between potential development plans and will help shape a development plan that addresses evolving customer needs and priorities. We establish the evaluation metrics in Step 2: [Key Inputs and Scenarios](#) of our [IRP development process](#), so we can make sure the modelling and analysis is designed to output the necessary information to complete the evaluation.



EVALUATION METRICS

Four themes have been established for the 2025 IRP: reliability, costs, environmental, and socio-economic. The evaluation metrics in these themes will help assess potential trade-offs between potential development plans.

Some explanation of these themes:



- **Reliability:** Reliability means ensuring energy is available when needed by focusing on adequate supply, resource diversity, and technology maturity.



- **Costs:** Costs means understanding the impacts on net system costs and direct-to-customer costs throughout the energy transition as a result of a potential development plan.



- **Environmental:** Environmental means addressing how potential development plans differ by greenhouse gas (GHG) emission levels and other environmental considerations, such as effects on air, land, water and people.



- **Socio-economic:** Considering socio-economic impacts means assessing economic opportunity and economic reconciliation to ensure potential opportunities for all Manitobans as a result of the potential development plan.

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