### FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC

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Form 556 Certification of Qualifying Facility (QF) Status for a Small Power Production or Cogeneration Facility

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1c City		1d State/prov	ince		
Lake Oswego		OR			
1e Postal code 97035	1f Country (if not United States)		1g Telephone number 5032458800		
1h Has the instant facil	ity ever previously been certified as a Q	F? Yes 🗌 N	No 🔀		
1i If yes, provide the do	ocket number of the last known QF filing	g pertaining to th	nis facility: QF		
1j Under which certifica	ation process is the applicant making th	nis filing?			
Notice of self-certi	fication $\Box_{fe}^{A}$	pplication for Co e; see "Filing Fee	ommission certification (requires filing e" section on page 3)		
QF status. A notice notice of self-certifi	certification is a notice by the applicant of self-certification does not establish a cation to verify compliance. See the "W or more information.	proceeding, and			
1k What type(s) of QF s	tatus is the applicant seeking for its fac	ty? (check all that apply)			
Qualifying small p	ower production facility status 🔃 Q	ualifying cogene	eration facility status		
, ,	and expected effective date(s) of this fil	_			
	$\boxtimes$ Original certification; facility expected to be installed by $8/31/12$ and to begin operation on $10/1/12$				
	viously certified facility to be effective of		·		
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	and/or other administrative change(s)				
<ul> <li>Change in ownership</li> <li>Change(s) affecting plant equipment, fuel use, power production capacity and/or cogeneration thermal output</li> </ul>					
Supplement or correction to a previous filing submitted on					
	lement or correction in the Miscellanec		ng on page 19)		
1m If any of the following three statements is true, check the box(es) that describe your situation and complete the form to the extent possible, explaining any special circumstances in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.					
The instant facility complies with the Commission's QF requirements by virtue of a waiver of certain regulation previously granted by the Commission in an order dated (specify any other relevant waiver orders in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19)			virtue of a waiver of certain regulations		
	The instant facility would comply with the Commission's QF requirements if a petition for waiver submitted concurrently with this application is granted				
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	2a Name of contact person Todd Gregory	,		<b>2b</b> Telephone number 503.245.8800	er .	
		the contact percents rela	tionship to the ap	1		
		: Which of the following describes the contact person's relationship to the applicant? (check one)    Applicant (self)   Employee, owner or partner of applicant authorized to represent the applicant				
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for	2d Company or organization name (if applicant is an individual, check here and skip to line 2e)					
2	Black Cap Solar, LLC		- 157			
Contact Information	2e Street address (if same as Applicant, check here and skip to line 3a)				7995	
O	2f City		2g State/prov	ince		
	2h Postal code	2i Country (if not Unite	d States)			
uc	3a Facilityname Black Cap Solar					
ati	3b Street address (if a street address	does not exist for the fa	cility, check here a	nd skip to line 3c)		
0.	95886 Stock Drive	•	•	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	] T	
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Facility Identification and Location	3c Geographic coordinates: If you in then you must specify the latitude the following formula to convert degrees + (minutes/60) + (secon- provided a street address for you	le and longitude coordir to decimal degrees fron ds/3600). See the "Geo	nates of the facility n degrees, minutes graphic Coordinat	in degrees (to three dec and seconds: decimal es" section on page 4 fo	cimal places). Use degrees = r help. If you	
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<del>}</del>	Lake					
	Identify the electric utilities that are c	ontemplated to transact	with the facility.			
ties	4a Identify utility interconnecting w	ith the facility				
===	PacifiCorp		(C K 7)			
υ gu	4b Identify utilities providing wheeling service or check here if none   ✓					
Transacting Utilities	4c Identify utilities purchasing the useful electric power output or check here if none PacifiCorp				A. S.	
ran	4d Identify utilities providing supple		power, maintena	nce power, and/or inter	ruptible power	
	service or check here if none					

	Direct ownership as of effective date or operation date: Identify all direct owner percent equity interest. For each identified owner, also (1) indicate whether the defined in section 3(22) of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 796(22)), or a holdin 1262(8) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 (42 U.S.C. 16451(8)), utilities or holding companies, provide the percentage of equity interest in the direct owners hold at least 10 percent equity interest in the facility, then provid two direct owners with the largest equity interest in the facility.	at owner is an ele ng company, as d and (2) for owne facility held by th	ectric utili efined in rs which a nat owner	ty, as section ire electri r. If no
	Full legal names of direct owners	Electric ( hold comp	ling	If Yes, % equitinteres
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	6a Describe the primary energy input: (check one main category and, if applicable, one subcategory)								
		Bioma:	ss (specify)	⊠ Re	enewable resou	urces (specify)	Geother	rmal	
		□ l	Landfill gas		☐ Hydro pow	ver - river	Fossil fu	ıel (speci	fy)
		r	Manure digester gas		☐ Hydro pow	ver-tidal	□ Cc	oal (not v	waste)
		r	Municipal solid waste		☐ Hydro pow	ver - wave	☐ Fu	uel oil/di	esel
		s	Sewage digester gas		⊠ Solar - pho	otovoltaic	□ Na	atural ga	s (not waste)
			Wood		☐ Solar - the	rmal		ther foss	
			Other biomass (describe or	1 page 19)	□ Wind	_	·		on page 19)
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(specify type below in line		(describe o	ewable resource on page 19)			on page 19)
	6b	If you spec	cified "waste" as the primar	y energy inp	ut in line 6a, ind	dicate the type o	of waste fuel us	ed: (che	ck one)
		☐ Wast	te fuel listed in 18 C.F.R. § 29	92,202(b) (sp	ecify one of the	e following)			
			Anthracite culm produced	d prior to July	y <b>23,</b> 1985				
			Anthracite refuse that has ash content of 45 percent		heat content of	f 6,000 Btu or less	s per pound ar	nd has ar	າ average
			Bituminous coal refuse th average ash content of 25			ent of 9,500 Btu	per pound or l	ess and	has an
Input			Top or bottom subbitumi determined to be waste b (BLM) or that is located or the applicant shows that	by the United In non-Federa	l States Departr il or non-Indian	ment of the Inter In lands outside of	rior's Bureau of f BLM's jurisdict	f Land Ma ction, pro	anagement ovided that
Energy Input			Coal refuse produced on BLM or that is located on applicant shows that the	non-Federal	or non-Indian I	lands outside of	BLM's jurisdicti	tion, prov	
للّا		Lignite produced in association with the production of montan wax and lignite that becomes exposed as a result of such a mining operation							
			Gaseous fuels (except nat	ural gas and	synthetic gas fi	rom coal) (descri	ibe on page 19	<del>)</del> )	
			Waste natural gas from ga C.F.R. § 2.400 for waste na compliance with 18 C.F.R.	atural gas; inc					
			Materials that a governme	ent agency h	as certified for	disposal by com	bustion (descri	ibe on p	age 19)
			Heat from exothermic rea	ctions (descr	ibe on page 19	))	Residual heat (d	describe	on page 19)
			Used rubber tires [	☐ Plastic ma	aterials	☐ Refinery off	f-gas [	☐ Petrc	oleum coke
		facilit	er waste energy input that h ty industry (describe in the of commercial value and ex	: Miscellaneo	us section starti	ting on page 19; i	include a discu		
	6с	energy inp	e average energy input, cal puts, and provide the relate ). For any oil or natural gas	ed percentage	e of the total av	verage annual en	nergy input to t		
-			Fuel		nual average er out for specified		Percentage of annual energy		
		;	Natural gas			0 Btu/h		0 %	
		•	Oil-based fuels		·	● Btu/h		0 %	
		į	Coal			● Btu/h		0 %	

Indicate the maximum gross and maximum net electric power production capacity of the facility at the point(s) of delivery by completing the worksheet below. Respond to all items. If any of the parasitic loads and/or losses identified in lines 7b through 7e are negligible, enter zero for those lines.

7a The maximum gross power production capacity at the terminals of the individual generator(s) under the most favorable anticipated design conditions	2,000	kW
7b Parasitic station power used at the facility to run equipment which is necessary and integral to the power production process (boiler feed pumps, fans/blowers, office or maintenance buildings directly related to the operation of the power generating facility, etc.). If this facility includes non-power production processes (for instance, power consumed by a cogeneration facility's thermal host), do not include any power consumed by the non-power production activities in your		
reported parasitic station power.	0 1	κW
7c Electrical losses in interconnection transformers	20 H	kW
7d Electrical losses in AC/DC conversion equipment, if any	0 }	kW
<b>7e</b> Other interconnection losses in power lines or facilities (other than transformers and AC/DC conversion equipment) between the terminals of the generator(s) and the point of interconnection		
with the utility	10 F	kW
<b>7f</b> Total deductions from gross power production capacity = 7b + 7c + 7d + 7e	30.0 }	κW
<b>7g</b> Maximum net power production capacity = <b>7</b> a - <b>7</b> f	1,970.0 k	κW

7h Description of facility and primary components: Describe the facility and its operation. Identify all boilers, heat recovery steam generators, prime movers (any mechanical equipment driving an electric generator), electrical generators, photovoltaic solar equipment, fuel cell equipment and/or other primary power generation equipment used in the facility. Descriptions of components should include (as applicable) specifications of the nominal capacities for mechanical output, electrical output, or steam generation of the identified equipment. For each piece of equipment identified, clearly indicate how many pieces of that type of equipment are included in the plant, and which components are normally operating or normally in standby mode. Provide a description of how the components operate as a system. Applicants for cogeneration facilities do not need to describe operations of systems that are clearly depicted on and easily understandable from a cogeneration facility's attached mass and heat balance diagram; however, such applicants should provide any necessary description needed to understand the sequential operation of the facility depicted in their mass and heat balance diagram. If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

The Black Cap Solar facility consist of (4,488) 285 W and (4,444) 290 W Yingli photovoltaic modules for a total of 2,567.84 kWDC. The modules are connected to (4) AE Solaron - 500 kW PV Inverters, total 2,000 kWAC. These inverters convert the DC current of the photovoltaic modules into AC current during daylight hours. (2) 1,000 kVA transformers step up voltage from the inverter output level of 480 V to 12 kV.



### Information Required for Small Power Production Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying small power production facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on this page. Otherwise, skip page 10.

Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a), the power production capacity of any small power production facility, together with the power production capacity of any other small power production facilities that use the same energy resource, are owned by the same person(s) or its affiliates, and are located at the same site, may not exceed 80 megawatts. To demonstrate compliance with this size limitation, or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from this size limitation under the Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Production Incentives Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101-575, 104 Stat. 2834 (1990) as amended by Pub. L. 102-46, 105 Stat. 249 (1991)), respond to lines 8a through 8e below (as applicable). 8a Identify any facilities with electrical generating equipment located within 1 mile of the electrical generating equipment of the instant facility, and for which any of the entities identified in lines 5a or 5b, or their affiliates, holds at least a 5 percent equity interest. Certification of Compliance Check here if no such facilities exist. 🔀 Root docket # Maximum net power Facility location with Size Limitations (city or county, state) (if any) Common owner(s) production capacity QF\_\_ -\_\_\_\_ 1) kW QF\_\_ -2) kW QF \_ -\_\_\_\_ 3) kW Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed 8b The Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Production Incentives Act of 1990 (Incentives Act) provides exemption from the size limitations in 18 C.F.R. § 292,204(a) for certain facilities that were certified prior to 1995. Are you seeking exemption from the size limitations in 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a) by virtue of the Incentives Act? No (skip lines 8c through 8e) Yes (continue at line 8c below) 8c Was the original notice of self-certification or application for Commission certification of the facility filed on or before December 31, 1994? Yes No 8d Did construction of the facility commence on or before December 31, 1999? Yes No 8e If you answered No in line 8d, indicate whether reasonable diligence was exercised toward the completion of the facility, taking into account all factors relevant to construction? Yes No If you answered Yes, provide a brief narrative explanation in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 of the construction timeline (in particular, describe why construction started so long after the facility was certified) and the diligence exercised toward completion of the facility. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b), qualifying small power production facilities may use fossil fuels, in minimal Certification of Compliance with Fuel Use Requirements amounts, for only the following purposes: ignition; start-up; testing; flame stabilization; control use; alleviation or prevention of unanticipated equipment outages; and alleviation or prevention of emergencies, directly affecting the public health, safety, or welfare, which would result from electric power outages. The amount of fossil fuels used for these purposes may not exceed 25 percent of the total energy input of the facility during the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy or any calendar year thereafter. 9a Certification of compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292,204(b) with respect to uses of fossil fuel: Applicant certifies that the facility will use fossil fuels exclusively for the purposes listed above. 9b Certification of compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b) with respect to amount of fossil fuel used annually: Applicant certifies that the amount of fossil fuel used at the facility will not, in aggregate, exceed 25 percent of the total energy input of the facility during the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy or any calendar year thereafter.

### Information Required for Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying cogeneration facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on pages 11 through 13. Otherwise, skip pages 11 through 13.

	energy (such as heat or suse of energy. Pursuant cycle cogeneration facilithermal application or p	92.202(c), a cogeneration facility produces electric energy and forms of useful thermal steam) used for industrial, commercial, heating, or cooling purposes, through the sequential to 18 C.F.R. § 292.202(s), "sequential use" of energy means the following: (1) for a toppingity, the use of reject heat from a power production process in sufficient amounts in a process to conform to the requirements of the operating standard contained in 18 C.F.R. § obttoming-cycle cogeneration facility, the use of at least some reject heat from a thermal or power production.
	10a What type(s) of cog	peneration technology does the facility represent? (check all that apply)
	Topping-cycle	e cogeneration
	other requirements balance diagram do meet certain requir	te the sequential operation of the cogeneration process, and to support compliance with such as the operating and efficiency standards, include with your filing a mass and heat epicting average annual operating conditions. This diagram must include certain items and rements, as described below. You must check next to the description of each requirement at you have complied with these requirements.
	Check to certify compliance with	
	indicated requirement	Requirement
ration n		Diagram must show orientation within system piping and/or ducts of all prime movers, heat recovery steam generators, boilers, electric generators, and condensers (as applicable), as well as any other primary equipment relevant to the cogeneration process.
gene natio		Any average annual values required to be reported in lines 10b, 12a, 13a, 13b, 13d, 13f, 14a, 15b, 15d and/or 15f must be computed over the anticipated hours of operation.
General Cogeneration Information		Diagram must specify all fuel inputs by fuel type and average annual rate in Btu/h. Fuel for supplementary firing should be specified separately and clearly labeled. All specifications of fuel inputs should use lower heating values.
iene		Diagram must specify average gross electric output in kW or MW for each generator.
G		Diagram must specify average mechanical output (that is, any mechanical energy taken off of the shaft of the prime movers for purposes not directly related to electric power generation) in horsepower, if any. Typically, a cogeneration facility has no mechanical output.
		At each point for which working fluid flow conditions are required to be specified (see below), such flow condition data must include mass flow rate (in lb/h or kg/s), temperature (in °F, R, °C or K), absolute pressure (in psia or kPa) and enthalpy (in Btu/lb or kJ/kg). Exception: For systems where the working fluid is <i>liquid only</i> (no vapor at any point in the cycle) and where the type of liquid and specific heat of that liquid are clearly indicated on the diagram or in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19, only mass flow rate and temperature (not pressure and enthalpy) need be specified. For reference, specific heat at standard conditions for pure liquid water is approximately 1.002 Btu/(lb*R) or 4.195 kJ/(kg*K).
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at input to and output from each steam turbine or other expansion turbine or back-pressure turbine.
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at delivery to and return from each thermal application.
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at make-up water inputs.

	EPAct 2005 cogeneration facilities: The Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct 2005) established a new section 210(n) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), 16 USC 824a-3(n), with additional requirements for any qualifying cogeneration facility that (1) is seeking to sell electric energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA and (2) was either not a cogeneration facility on August 8, 2005, or had not filed a self-certification or application for Commission certification of QF status on or before February 1, 2006. These requirements were implemented by the Commission in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d). Complete the lines below, carefully following the instructions, to demonstrate whether these additional requirements apply to your cogeneration facility and, if so, whether your facility complies with such requirements.	
	11a Was your facility operating as a qualifying cogeneration facility on or before August 8, 2005? Yes No	
	11b Was the initial filing seeking certification of your facility (whether a notice of self-certification or an application for Commission certification) filed on or before February 1, 2006? Yes No	
e s	If the answer to either line 11a or 11b is Yes, then continue at line 11c below. Otherwise, if the answers to both lines 11a and 11b are No, skip to line 11e below.	
ntal Us acilitie	11c With respect to the design and operation of the facility, have any changes been implemented on or after February 2, 2006 that affect general plant operation, affect use of thermal output, and/or increase net power production capacity from the plant's capacity on February 1, 2006?	
ner n Fa	Yes (continue at line 11d below)	
Fundar Ieratio	No. Your facility is not subject to the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) at this time. However, it may be subject to to these requirements in the future if changes are made to the facility. At such time, the applicant would need to recertify the facility to determine eligibility. Skip lines 11d through 11j.	
s for l oger	<b>11d</b> Does the applicant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility a "new" cogeneration facility that would be subject to the 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) cogeneration requirements?	
ements from C	Yes. Provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a description of any relevant changes made to the facility (including the purpose of the changes) and a discussion of why the facility should not be considered a "new" cogeneration facility in light of these changes. Skip lines 11e through 11j.	
EPAct 2005 Requirements for Fundamental Use of Energy Output from Cogeneration Facilities	No. Applicant stipulates to the fact that it is a "new" cogeneration facility (for purposes of determining the applicability of the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)) by virtue of modifications to the facility that were initiated on or after February 2, 2006. Continue below at line 11e.	
05 F y O	11e Will electric energy from the facility be sold pursuant to section 210 of PURPA?	
t 20 nerg	Yes. The facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility. You must demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292,205(d)(2) by continuing at line 11f below.	7,442
EPAc of Ei	No. Applicant certifies that energy will <i>not</i> be sold pursuant to section 210 of PURPA. Applicant also certifies its understanding that it must recertify its facility in order to determine compliance with the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) <i>before</i> selling energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA in the future. Skip lines 11f through 11j.	
	11f Is the net power production capacity of your cogeneration facility, as indicated in line 7g above, less than or equal to 5,000 kW?	
	Yes, the net power production capacity is less than or equal to 5,000 kW. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(4) provides a rebuttable presumption that cogeneration facilities of 5,000 kW and smaller capacity comply with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Applicant certifies its understanding that, should the power production capacity of the facility increase above 5,000 kW, then the facility must be recertified to (among other things) demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Skip lines 11g through 11j.	
,	No, the net power production capacity is greater than 5,000 kW. Demonstrate compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by continuing on the next page at line 11g.	

Lines 11g through 11k below guide the applicant through the process of demonstrating compliance with the requirements for "fundamental use" of the facility's energy output. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Only respond to the lines on this page if the instructions on the previous page direct you to do so. Otherwise, skip this page.

18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) requires that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility. If you were directed on the previous page to respond to the items on this page, then your facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility that is subject to this "fundamental use" requirement.

The Commission's regulations provide a two-pronged approach to demonstrating compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output. First, the Commission has established in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3) a "fundamental use test" that can be used to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Under the fundamental use test, a facility is considered to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) if at least 50 percent of the facility's total annual energy output (including electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output) is used for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes.

Second, an applicant for a facility that does not pass the fundamental use test may provide a narrative explanation of and support for its contention that the facility nonetheless meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility.

Complete lines 11g through 11j below to determine compliance with the fundamental use test in 18 C.F.R. § 292,205(d)(3). Complete lines 11g through 11j even if you do not intend to rely upon the fundamental use test to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292,205(d)(2).

11g Amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output (net of internal	
generation plant losses and parasitic loads) expected to be used annually for industrial,	ą.
commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to an electric utility	MWh
11h Total amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy expected to be	
sold to an electric utility	MWh
11i Percentage of total annual energy output expected to be used for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to a utility	•
= 100* 11g /(11g + 11h)	0 %

11j Is the response in line 11i greater than or equal to 50 percent?

Yes. Your facility complies with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by virtue of passing the fundamental use test provided in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Applicant certifies its understanding that, if it is to rely upon passing the fundamental use test as a basis for complying with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2), then the facility must comply with the fundamental use test both in the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years.

No. Your facility does not pass the fundamental use test. Instead, you must provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a narrative explanation of and support for why your facility meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a QF to its host facility. Applicants providing a narrative explanation of why their facility should be found to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) in spite of non-compliance with the fundamental use test may want to review paragraphs 47 through 61 of Order No. 671 (accessible from the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF), which provide discussion of the facts and circumstances that may support their explanation. Applicant should also note that the percentage reported above will establish the standard that that facility must comply with, both for the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years. See Order No. 671 at paragraph 51. As such, the applicant should make sure that it reports appropriate values on lines 11g and 11h above to serve as the

relevant annual standard, taking into account expected variations in production conditions.



## Usefulness of Topping-Cycle Thermal Output

### Information Required for Topping-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents topping-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 14 and 15. Otherwise, skip pages 14 and 15.

The thermal energy output of a topping-cycle cogeneration facility is the net energy made available to an industrial or commercial process or used in a heating or cooling application. Pursuant to sections 292,202(c), (d) and (h) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. §§ 292.202(c), (d) and (h)), the thermal energy output of a qualifying toppingcycle cogeneration facility must be useful. In connection with this requirement, describe the thermal output of the topping-cycle cogeneration facility by responding to lines 12a and 12b below. 12a Identify and describe each thermal host, and specify the annual average rate of thermal output made available to each host for each use. For hosts with multiple uses of thermal output, provide the data for each use in separate rows. Average annual rate of thermal output attributable to use (net of Name of entity (thermal host) Thermal host's relationship to facility; heat contained in process taking thermal output Thermal host's use of thermal output return or make-up water) Select thermal host's relationship to facility 1) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 2) Select thermal host's use ●f thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 3) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 4) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 5) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 6) Select thermal host's use of thermal output 8tu/h Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed 12b Demonstration of usefulness of thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief description of each use of the thermal output identified above. In some cases, this brief description is sufficient to demonstrate usefulness, However, if your facility's use of thermal output is not common, and/or if the usefulness of such thermal output is not reasonably clear, then you must provide additional details as necessary to demonstrate usefulness. Your application may be rejected and/or additional information may be required if an insufficient showing of usefulness is made. (Exception: If you have previously received a Commission certification approving a specific use of thermal output related to the instant facility, then you need only provide a brief description of that use and a reference by date and docket number to the order certifying your facility with the indicated use. Such exemption may not be used if any change creates a material deviation from the previously authorized use.) If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

☐ No (does not comply with efficiency standard)

equal to 42.5%:

Yes (complies with efficiency standard)

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Applicants for facilities representing topping-cycle technology must demonstrate comcycle operating standard and, if applicable, efficiency standard. Section 292.205(a)(1) regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(1)) establishes the operating standard for topping-cycle useful thermal energy output must be no less than 5 percent of the total energy of (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(2)) establishes the efficiency standard for topping-cycle cogene installation commenced on or after March 13, 1980: the useful power output of the fathermal energy output must (A) be no less than 42.5 percent of the total energy input facility; and (B) if the useful thermal energy output is less than 15 percent of the total energy input of no less than 45 percent of the total energy input of natural gas and oil to the facility compliance with the topping-cycle operating and/or efficiency standards, or to demonexempt from the efficiency standard based on the date that installation commenced, it is also below.	of the Commission's cycle cogeneration facilities: utput. Section 292.205(a)(2) ration facilities for which cility plus one-half the useful of natural gas and oil to the energy output of the facility, y. To demonstrate instrate that your facility is
If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents <i>both</i> topping-cycle and bottom technology, then respond to lines 13a through 13l below considering only the energy attributable to the topping-cycle portion of your facility. Your mass and heat balance which mass and energy flow values and system components are for which portion (toleogeneration system.	inputs and outputs diagram must make clear
13a Indicate the annual average rate of useful thermal energy output made available	
to the host(s), net of any heat contained in condensate return or make-up water	Btu/h
13b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	kW
13c Multiply line 13b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
13d Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off	3,
of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production	
(this value is usually zero)	hp
13e Multiply line 13d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
13f Indicate the annual average rate of energy input from natural gas and oil	Btu/h
<b>13g</b> Topping-cycle operating value = 100 * 13a / (13a + 13c + 13e)	0 %
13h Topping-cycle efficiency value = 100 * (0.5*13a + 13c + 13e) / 13f	0 70
Topping cycle circlettey values 100 (6.5 154 1.55 1.55), 15.	0 %
13i Compliance with operating standard: Is the operating value shown in line 13g greaters.	eater than or equal to 5%?
Yes (complies with operating standard) No (does not comply w	
13j Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13, 1	980?
Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.20 compliance with the efficiency requirement by responding to line 13k or 13l, a	5(a)(2). Demonstrate as applicable, below.
No. Your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard. Skip lines 13k and 13l	
13k Compliance with efficiency standard (for low operating value): If the operating value than 15%, then indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 13h greater	alue shown in line 13g is less than or equal to 45%:
Yes (complies with efficiency standard) No (does not comply with	ith efficiency standard)
131 Compliance with efficiency standard (for high operating value): If the operating value greater than or equal to 15%, then indicate belowwhether the efficiency value shown	alue shown in line 13g is in line 13h is greater than or

## Information Required for Bottoming-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 16 and 17. Otherwise, skip pages 16 and 17.

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in by each process in
gy input to host been or purposes ng power capacity? be on p. 19)
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No 🗌
needed
process if your then you ed and/or ou have the instant et number naterial ection

# Bottoming-Cycle Operating and Efficiency Value Calculation

than or equal to 45%:

Yes (complies with efficiency standard)

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Applicants for facilities representing bottoming-cycle technology and for which instal March 13, 1990 must demonstrate compliance with the bottoming-cycle efficiency stathe Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(b)) establishes the efficiency standar cogeneration facilities: the useful power output of the facility must be no less than 45 of natural gas and oil for supplementary firing. To demonstrate compliance with the standard (if applicable), or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from this standard installation of the facility began, respond to lines 15a through 15h below.	andards. Section 292.205(b) of ird for bottoming-cycle i percent of the energy input pottoming-cycle efficiency
If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents both topping-cycle and botton technology, then respond to lines 15a through 15h below considering only the energy attributable to the bottoming-cycle portion of your facility. Your mass and heat balan which mass and energy flow values and system components are for which portion of (topping or bottoming).	y inputs and outputs ce diagram must make clear
15a Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13,  Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirement of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205  with the efficiency requirement by responding to lines 15b through 15h below  No. Your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard. Skip the rest of page	5(b). Demonstrate compliance v.
15b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	kW
15c Multiply line 15b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
<b>15d</b> Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production (this value is usually zero)	hp
15e Multiply line 15d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
<b>15f</b> Indicate the annual average rate of supplementary energy input from natural gas or oil	Btu/h
15g Bottoming-cycle efficiency value = 100 * (15c + 15e) / 15f	

15h Compliance with efficiency standard: Indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 15g is greater

No (does not comply with efficiency standard)

## Certificate of Completeness, Accuracy and Authority

Applicant must certify compliance with and understanding of filing requirements by checking next to each item below and signing at the bottom of this section. Forms with incomplete Certificates of Completeness, Accuracy and Authority will be rejected by the Secretary of the Commission.

Signer identified below certifies the following: (check all items and applicable subitems)

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Use this space to provide any information for which there was not sufficient space in the previous sections of the form to provide. For each such item of information *clearly identify the line number that the information belongs to.* You may also use this space to provide any additional information you believe is relevant to the certification of your facility.

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