Figure 8.12a  Electric Noncoincident Peak Load and Capacity Margin: Summer Peak Period

U.S.¹ Summer Peak Load,² All Interconnections, 1986-2011

Summer Capacity Margin, 1996-2011

Notes: • Values for 2011 are forecast. • The summer peak period is June through September.
Source: Table 8.12a.

1 United States excluding Alaska and Hawaii.
2 See “Noncoincident Peak Load” in Glossary.
3 See “North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC)” in Glossary.

U.S.¹ Summer Peak Load² by NERC³ Regional Assessment Area, 2011