



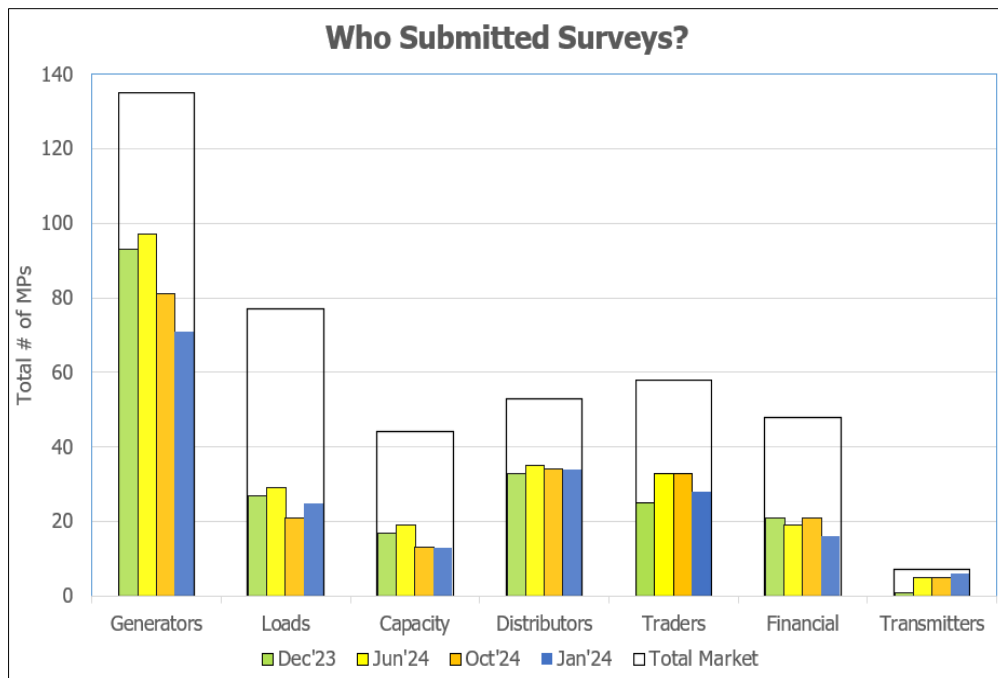
MARCH 12, 2025

Market Renewal Program: January 2025 External Readiness Assessment Survey Results Summary

Maria Go

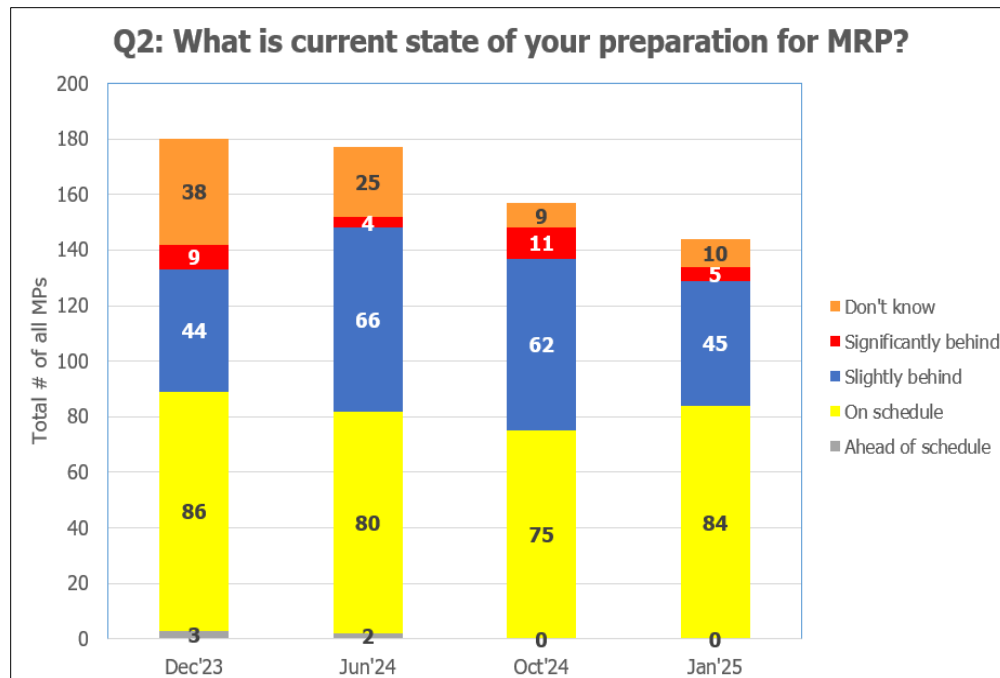
Manager – MRP External Readiness

Survey Submission Rates



- 144 out of 388 Market Participants responded to this survey, down 8% from the response rate of the previous survey
- Organizations that are registered as more than one participation type are counted in more than one of the segments shown
- To date, 69% of impacted participants completed one or more MRP surveys

Observations on Participant Readiness Status



- **Positive** trend on the number of MPs reporting that they are “on schedule” or “slightly behind” in their preparations
- **Downward** trend on the number of MPs reporting that they are “significantly behind” or “don’t know” what the current state is
- Half of those who reported to be “on schedule” have maintained that status in several surveys

Feedback from Participants on their Readiness Status

- 90% of participants who responded to *Question 2: What is the current state of your preparation for MRP* noted that they are on track with their readiness efforts.
- Those who are experiencing some difficulties provided the following reasons:
 - not having completed their End-to-End test scenarios successfully,
 - 11 participants reported that they have not started their end-to-end testing yet,
 - some vendors were late in requesting access to the IESO systems that are in scope for testing,
 - ongoing discussions with the IESO on market control entities, reference level consultations, and contracts
 - minor testing problems with Dispatch Services and EMI/MIM