

**NB Electricity Market 18-month Load Forecast, by week****Eff. Date:** 01-Apr-06

Week Beg. Sundays	Load Forecast(MW)
02-Apr-06	2408
09-Apr-06	2323
16-Apr-06	2238
23-Apr-06	2153
30-Apr-06	2113
07-May-06	2066
14-May-06	2020
21-May-06	1973
28-May-06	1927
04-Jun-06	1879
11-Jun-06	1851
18-Jun-06	1823
25-Jun-06	1794
02-Jul-06	1766
09-Jul-06	1761
16-Jul-06	1757
23-Jul-06	1752
30-Jul-06	1748
06-Aug-06	1743
13-Aug-06	1711
20-Aug-06	1679
27-Aug-06	1649
03-Sep-06	1536
10-Sep-06	1686
17-Sep-06	1723
24-Sep-06	1873
01-Oct-06	1954
08-Oct-06	2033
15-Oct-06	2114
22-Oct-06	2194
29-Oct-06	2274
05-Nov-06	2331
12-Nov-06	2388
19-Nov-06	2443
26-Nov-06	2500
03-Dec-06	2558
10-Dec-06	2656
17-Dec-06	2755
24-Dec-06	2855
31-Dec-06	2898
07-Jan-07	2956
14-Jan-07	2990
21-Jan-07	3024
28-Jan-07	3056
04-Feb-07	3105

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11-Feb-07	3157
18-Feb-07	3209
25-Feb-07	2965
04-Mar-07	2722
11-Mar-07	2642
18-Mar-07	2563
25-Mar-07	2483
01-Apr-07	2456
08-Apr-07	2370
15-Apr-07	2283
22-Apr-07	2196
29-Apr-07	2156
06-May-07	2108
13-May-07	2061
20-May-07	2012
27-May-07	1966
03-Jun-07	1918
10-Jun-07	1889
17-Jun-07	1860
24-Jun-07	1830
01-Jul-07	1802
08-Jul-07	1796
15-Jul-07	1792
22-Jul-07	1787
29-Jul-07	1783
05-Aug-07	1778
12-Aug-07	1746
19-Aug-07	1713
26-Aug-07	1681
02-Sep-07	1567
09-Sep-07	1719
16-Sep-07	1757
23-Sep-07	1910
30-Sep-07	1992

The following includes the details of the ambient conditions on which the forecast is based.

The load forecast is based on an End-use Model (sum of forecasted loads by use e.g. water heating, space heating, lighting etc.) for residential loads and an Econometric Model for general service and industrial loads, correlating forecasted economic growth and historical loads. Each of these models is weather adjusted using a 30-year historical average.