

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT - PART V - BALANCING ACCOUNTS
PURCHASED GAS ACCOUNT (PGA)

Sheet 1

The PGA is a balancing account. Effective April 1, 2008, the purpose of this account is to balance the recorded cost of gas for the Single Gas Portfolio to provide procurement service for both SoCalGas and SDG&E customers with the corresponding revenue from the sale of that gas. The Single Gas Portfolio, as adopted in Decision (D.) 07-12-019, is comprised of all gas purchases to serve the combined needs of SoCalGas and SDG&E.

The Utility shall maintain the PGA by making entries at the end of each month as follows:

1. A debit entry equal to the recorded gas cost in the Single Gas Portfolio Account during the month, which includes all gas and transmission access rights purchased for SoCalGas and SDG&E's procurement customers. Costs associated with the Utility System Operator providing transportation imbalance services under Schedule No. G-IMB to the Utility Gas Procurement Department will be included concurrent with the Utility Gas Procurement Department being relieved of its responsibility for minimum flow requirements. Gas purchases are net of costs allocated to company use fuel and unaccounted for gas. The Single Gas Portfolio also includes interstate and PG&E pipeline capacity costs, carrying cost of storage inventory and financial transactions, net of proceeds from secondary market transactions such as core parking, loaning, and transmission access rights activities.
2. Credit entries equal to the procurement revenue, which includes recovery of transmission access rights, from the sale of gas delivered to SoCalGas and SDG&E customers, including revenues associated with noncore standby and buyback services under Schedule No. G-IMB during the month, excluding the allowance for F&U.
3. A credit entry for supplier refunds received that are associated with interstate capacity costs previously recovered through core procurement rates pursuant to D.04-09-022.
4. An entry equal to amortization of the forecasted PGA balance, excluding the allowance for F&U.
5. A credit entry equal to the brokerage fee charged to core customers less the allowance for F&U.
6. A debit entry equal to 1/12 of the annual core brokerage fee revenue requirement.
7. A credit entry equal to the El Paso settlement proceeds received pursuant to the Master Settlement Agreement approved by the FERC and CPUC (D.03-10-087). The first payment received will be reduced by the estimated net present value of refunds due to core subscription and core aggregation transportation (CAT) customers.

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- 8. A credit entry equal to the settlement proceeds associated with the Sempra Settlement (Pipeline Cases) and the Price Indexing Cases Settlement pursuant to D.10-01-024. The settlement proceeds received shall be reduced by the amount allocable to core subscription, CAT customers and SDG&E's noncore procurement customers
- 9. A credit entry equal to the FERC settlement proceeds associated with the 2000-2001 energy crisis. The settlement proceeds received shall be reduced by the amount allocable to core subscription, CAT customers and SDG&E's noncore procurement customers.
- 10. An entry equal to the interest on the average of the balance in the account during the month, calculated in the manner described in Preliminary Statement, Part I, J.

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