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Protection System Misoper	ations Rate				
Submittal Date	Reviewed August 20, 2013, Submitted February 27, 2009				
Proposal Type Is this a proposed new metric, a revision to an existing metric, or a proposal for a type of analysis?	New □	Revision ⊠ October 19, 2022	Metric Analysis □		
Definition	The metric is the ratio of protection system misoperations to total protection system operations.				
New: Rating Criteria Was "Metric or Analysis description and "How will this metric or analysis demonstrate or indicate BPS reliability?"	<ul> <li>Red (actionable): The misoperations rate for NERC shows a statistically significant increase compared to the past four years for multiple consecutive years.</li> <li>Yellow (monitor): The NERC misoperations rate shows a statistically significant increase or the misoperations rate for more than one RE shows a statistically significant increase compared to the past four years for one year.</li> <li>White (stable): There is no statistically significant difference in the NERC misoperations rate compared to the past four years (there may be a numerical change in the NERC misoperations rate), and no more than one RE shows a statistically significant increase compared to previous 4 years.</li> <li>Green (good/improving): There is a statistically significant decreasing trend in the NERC misoperations rate and no more than one RE shows a statistically significant increase compared to previous 4 years, or the misoperations rate is zero.</li> </ul>				
Purpose	The purpose of the Protection System Misoperations metric is to calculate a misoperations rate to determine the relative performance of protection system operations and allow NERC to identify concerning or improving trends. The misoperations rate provides a consistent way to trend misoperations and to normalize for weather and other factors that can influence the count.				



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	The ratio of protection system misoperations to total protection system operations.				
Formula or Type of Statistical Analysis	$ extit{Misoperation Rate} = rac{ extit{Protection System Misoperations Count}}{ extit{Total Protection System Operations Count} *}$				
	*This count includes instances where a relay failed to operate to prevent potential divide by 0 scenarios. Change in misoperation rate is statistically tested by the large sample test for population proportion.				
Time Horizon	Quarterly and annual				
Metric Start Time or Baseline	Historical time frame				
Data Collection Interval and Roll Up	Misoperations and the total number of operations are currently reported to MIDAS in compliance with the Section 1600 Data Request.				
Ease of Collection	Leverages data already collected under Section 1600 Data Request				
Aggregation	Results could be presented by voltage level on a Regional Entity and/or Interconnection basis				
Links to NERC Standard	None				
Data Source	Misoperations Information Data Analysis System (MIDAS)				
Data to be Submitted By	Registered GOs, TOs and DPs				



PAS and NERC Staff Use							
Need for Validation or Pilot	Yes, need to validate completeness and consistency of historical data across each region.						
SMART Rating	Total Score	Specific/Simple	Measurable	Attainable	Relevant	Tangible/Timely	
PAS SMART rating of proposed metric, metric revision, or new metric analysis method	14	3	3	3	3	2	
Publications and Documentation	State of Reliability Report						



## ADDENDUM - Rating Criteria Chart

Annual increases/decreases are statistically significant compared to prior four years	NERC Decreasing	NERC Stable	NERC Increasing (current year only)	NERC Increasing (2 or more consecutive years)
0 or 1 RE Increasing				
2 or more RE Increasing				



Actionable Monitor Stable Improving