



**GAS PRELIMINARY STATEMENT PART AE
CORE PIPELINE DEMAND CHARGE ACCOUNT**

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AE. CORE PIPELINE DEMAND CHARGE ACCOUNT (CPDCA)

- 1. **PURPOSE:** The purpose of the CPDCA is to record the costs associated with backbone transmission, interstate capacity, and Canadian capacity for service to core customers taking procurement service from PG&E.

Descriptions of the terms and definitions used in this section are found in Preliminary Statement, Part C or in Rule 1.

- 2. **APPLICABILITY:** The CPDCA balance applies to all core rate schedules and contracts subject to the jurisdiction of the CPUC, except for those schedules and contracts specifically excluded by the CPUC.
- 3. **REVISION DATE:** The revision date applicable to the CPDCA rate shall coincide with the revision date of the monthly core procurement rate, or at other times, as ordered by the CPUC.
- 4. **FORECAST PERIOD:** The forecast test period will be as specified in the current Cost Allocation Proceeding.
- 5. **CPDCA RATES:** CPDCA Rates are included in the effective rates set forth in each rate schedule (see Preliminary Statement, Part B), as applicable.

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