

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
Wildfire Mitigation Plans Discovery 2023
Data Response

PG&E Data Request No.:	MGRA_004-Q002		
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SUBJECT: WDRM DATA:

Attachment 2023-03-27_PGE_2023_WMP_R1_Appendix C_Atch01\Section_6.gdb contains potentially useful risk information in an aggregated format. I believe that this is "6.4.1.1 Geospatial Maps of Top-Risk Areas within HFRA" However there are certain features that prevent its effective use:

- The risk data is not provided in numeric format, but in a percentile bin. This binning seems not to be accurate, since virtually all circuits fall under the "Lowest Risk" categories, making it impossible to differentiate circuit risk.
- There is considerably more visible distribution line in the "PrimaryDistributionLine" GIS data than is evident in the Section 6 file.
- "Hot pixels" appear in the data of higher risk, isolated from the rest of the distribution system.

Please the provide additional information and data to support the use of this file:

QUESTION 002

Explain why the vast majority of the polygons show low risk (<25%), and why high risk polygons (>70%) are very rare.

ANSWER 002

PG&E objects to this question as vague. Subject to and without waiving this objection, PG&E responds as follows: High risk polygons are rarer than low risk polygons as the highest wildfire risk is concentrated. This distribution of risk can be seen in Figure 6.2.2-11.

**FIGURE PG&E-6.2.2-11:
SYSTEM HARDENING COMPOSITE RISK**

