

Appendix A: Generator Static Fields



Appendix A will provide definitions for the static data fields for an RTC generator registration. The tables below are organized by their respective tabs in the M-RETS generator registration interface.

Required fields are indicated with an asterisk *

General Tab

<i>General Information</i>	
Facility Name*	Name of the facility.
<i>Location</i>	
Country*	Country where facility is located.
State or Province*	State or Province where facility is located.
County or Municipality*	County or Municipality where facility is located.
Facility Photo*	A photo of the facility.
<i>Reporting and Issuance</i>	
Reporting Entity*	Organization that reports generation data for the Generator; either self reporting or an IRE.
Issuance Account*	Active Account that all issued certificates will be deposited to.

Owner Tab

<i>General Ownership Information</i>	
Single Owner Facility?*	Yes: The facility has one owner. No: The facility is owned by multiple organizations. Input the additional owners.
<i>Ownership Type and Registration Rights</i>	
Ownership Types*	The organization type that owns the generator (e.g: Independent Power Producer, Irrigation District).
Assignment of Registration Rights	Yes: Facility is a single owner facility or the Schedule A is signed by both the owner and the responsible party. No: Not applicable.
<i>Owner Contact Information</i>	
Owner Contact Information*	Company contact information for the organization that holds the legal title to the generator.

Operator Tab

<i>Facility Operator Information</i>	
Operator Contact Information*	The contact info of the organization that operates the facility.
<i>Engineering Information</i>	
Engineering Information*	The contact and license information of the engineer that completed the engineering review.

Engineering Tab

<i>Class</i>	
<i>Injection Site*:</i> Not Pipeline Connected	Description: Enter a description of the non pipeline connected status of the generator.
<i>Injection Site*:</i> Interstate Pipeline Transportation System	Injection Site Name: The name of the injection site. Injection Site Latitude. Injection Site Longitude.
<i>Injection Site*:</i> Local Gas Distribution System or Utility	Injection Site Name: The name of the injection site. Injection Site Latitude. Injection Site Longitude.
<i>Metering Information</i>	
<i>Is this a revenue quality meter?*</i>	Yes: The facility utilizes a revenue quality meter.
	No: The facility does not utilize a revenue quality meter.
<i>Engineering</i>	
<i>Commenced Operation Date*</i>	The month and year a Generating Unit first began commercial operation or for non-commercial facilities, the date approved by the licensing or permitting agency.
<i>Maximum Plant Capacity per Hour*</i>	The highest amount of energy that a plant can generate in one hour under optimal conditions.
<i>Maximum Plant Capacity per Month*</i>	The highest amount of energy that a plant can generate in one month under optimal conditions.
<i>Has this system been registered at any time to create and/or sell RINS or LCFS Credits?*</i>	Yes: If yes, include the program that the facility is registered in or pending registration for. A reporting entity must be used if "Yes" is selected. No: No information is required to be input.

Fuels Tab

<i>Class</i>	
<i>Thermal Resource*</i>	The type of fuel or other naturally occurring thermal energy source produced by the associated Generating Unit. (e.g., a biogas generator produces biogas as a Resource Type while a renewable natural gas generator produces renewable natural gas).
<i>Feedstock*</i>	The resource that is used to create the thermal resource.
<i>Label</i>	An optional label that is applied to the feedstock.
<i>Program Eligibility</i>	Datapoint available on the generator registration and applied to all issued certificates that allows certificates to be used in compliance or voluntary programs. If certificates are to be used for a compliance program, the program may require supporting documentation to validate the eligibility.

Carbon Pathway Tab

Class	
Generator Fuel*	The thermal resource of the generator.
Tool*	The lifecycle assessment model that was used to calculate the carbon intensity.
Name	The name assigned to the CI that is being entered.
Verification Date*	The start date the CI verification is applicable.
End Date*	The last date the CI verification is applicable.
Carbon Pathway Endpoint*:	The scope of the LCA being completed as defined below (Full, Partial, Injection , see below):
Full Lifecycle Carbon Intensity	Represents the GHG emissions associated with all the steps of producing, transporting, and consuming a fuel.
Partial Lifecycle Carbon Intensity	Represents the GHG emissions associated with all the steps of producing a fuel up to the Injection Point or interconnection into the distribution system or interstate transportation system.
Injection Point Carbon Intensity	Represents GHG emissions associated with the injection of a fuel at the point of interconnection into the distribution system or interstate transportation system.
Carbon Intensity*	The carbon intensity expressed in (gCO₂e/MJ) and/or (gCO₂e/Dth).
Public Document*	Document available to all parties that receive or transact on the RTCs.
Private Document*	This document will be available to current and future generator owners in the M-RETS System, any compliance (e.g. state government regulatory bodies such as an air regulator or Public Utilities Commission) and/or Voluntary Program Administrators (e.g. Green-e renewable thermal), with a Program Administrator login, and the M-RETS System Administrators.

Documents Tab

All documents supporting the generator registration should be uploaded here, including but not limited to:

- Schedule A
- Engineering Review*
- Air Permits
- Licenses