EU Gas Regulatory Change - Phase 3 Update



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EU Phase 3 Project Driver

- EU Network Code on Interoperability and Data Exchange Rules
 - ➤ This obliges **Transmission System Operators** to implement harmonised operational and technical arrangements in order to remove perceived barriers to cross-border gas flows and thus facilitate EU market integration. Implementation is required by 01 May 2016.

(taken from the Joint Office EU Network Codes website)

EU Gas Change Landscape

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EU Phase	EU Network Code	UNC Modifications	Scope	Date
1	NA (Transparency Code 715/2009)	•NA	Publication of additional data on capacity and balancing on ENTSOG transparency platform	Oct 2013 /2014
2	Congestion Management Procedures (CMP)	•UNC Mod 0449: Introduction of Interconnection Points and new processes and transparency requirements to facilitate compliance with the EU Congestion Management Procedures	Introduction of new ways to release additional capacity (surrender, LTUIOLI, and over-subscription)	Nov 2015
2	Capacity Allocation Mechanisms (CAM)	 •UNC Mod 500: Capacity Allocation Mechanisms with Congestion Management Procedures •UNC Mod 501: Treatment of Existing Entry Capacity Rights at the Bacton ASEP 	 Selling IP Capacity on a common platform (PRISMA) Splitting Bacton ASEP 	Nov 2015
2	Network Code on Gas Balancing of Transmission Networks	 •UNC Mod 493: Daily Nominations at IPs •UNC Mod 489: Align the UNC with the EU Code •UNC Mod 461: Changing the UNC Gas Day to Align with the Gas Day in EU Network Codes 	 Change to GB Gas Day Introduction of Operational Balancing Agreements (OBAs) Change of allocation regime at IPs 	Oct 2015
2/3	Network Code on Interoperability and Data Exchange Rules	•UNC Mod 0519: Harmonisation of Reference Conditions at Interconnection Points •UNC Mod 0510V: Reform of Gas Allocation Regime at GB Interconnection Points	 Reference Conditions (Units) B2B Data Exchange method for IP Shipper nomination data to Gemini 	May 2016
<u>4</u> ,	Tariff Structure Incremental	•UNC Mods (TBC)	Harmonisation of tariff structure	2017



EU Gas Change Phase 3 Scope

EU Phase

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Network Code on Interoperability and Data Exchange Rules

- UNC Mod 0519: Harmonisation of Reference Conditions at Interconnection Points
- UNC Mod 0510V: Reform of Gas Allocation Regime at GB Interconnection Points

Date

May 2016

The following changes are being implemented:

Reference Conditions (Units)

A new Data Exchange method for the sending of IP Shipper nomination data to Gemini

Extra transparency data published to the ENTSOG Transparency Platform

Disapplication of scheduling charges at Interconnection Points

EU Phase 3 Project Milestones and Status

- System Testing (ST): 23rd November to 29th January Complete
- System Integration Testing (SIT): 1st January to 4th February Complete. There was really positive engagement with the adjacent TSOs for SIT and UAT.
- User Acceptance Testing: 1st February to 11th March Complete
- User Trials: 14th March to 8th April Complete
- Gemini Code Deployment: 10th April Complete
- Go Live: 1st May

On track

EU	Analysis			Design		CUT	System Testing		UAT		Code Deploym	Go Live
Phase 3 Project								SIT		User Trials	IDR	PIS
	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15	Jan-16	Feb-16	Mar-16	Apr-1	May-16

What do we need from you?



- Please think about how the changes from this project will impact your specific internal processes and procedures
- Please tell us if you require specific information which is not already being provided
- Please help us to help you by telling us who in your organisation should be receiving our communications
 OR
- Please ensure that our communications to you are cascaded to the relevant people
- Please contact us via our email address Box.GasOps.BusinessC@nationalgrid.com



Where to go for further information



Visit **Xoserve** for information on Gemini changes at:

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Further information is available on the industry pages of the National Grid website.



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