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Agenda

Item	Start	Finish	Time	Item	Presenter
1	10:00	10:05	5	Welcome	Sotiris Georgiopoulos (Chair of ON Steering Group, UKPN)
Flexibility Services (WS1A)					
2	10:05	10:15	10	Flexibility Services overview	Avi Aithal (Head of ON, ENA)
3	10:15	10:35	20	Procurement Processes (WS1A P2)	Steve Miller (Product co-lead, NG-ESO)
4	10:35	10:50	15	Standard Agreement (WS1A P4)	Andy Rice (Product lead, NG-ESO)
5	10:50	11:10	20	Carbon Reporting (WS1A P7)	Sam Do (Product lead, UKPN)
6	11:10	11:20	10	Break	
Whole Electricity System Planning & T-D Data Exchange (WS1B)					
7	11:20	11:30	10	Whole Electricity Systems overview	Ian Povey (Chair of Whole Electricity System Workstream, ENWL)
8	11:30	11:50	20	DER Visibility and Data sharing (WS1B P6)	Odilia Bertetti (Product Lead, UKPN)
9	11:50	12:10	20	Operational Data Sharing (WS1B P7)	Malcolm Grisdale (Product team member, NPg)
Wider Open Networks programme					
10	12:10	12:15	5	Wider programme updates	Avi Aithal (Head of ON, ENA)
11	12:15	12:20	5	Latest & upcoming ENA events	Emily Jones (Head of Stakeholder Engagement, ENA)
12	12:20	12:25	5	AOB	Sotiris Georgiopoulos (Chair of ON Steering Group, UKPN)

Flexibility Services overview (WS1A)

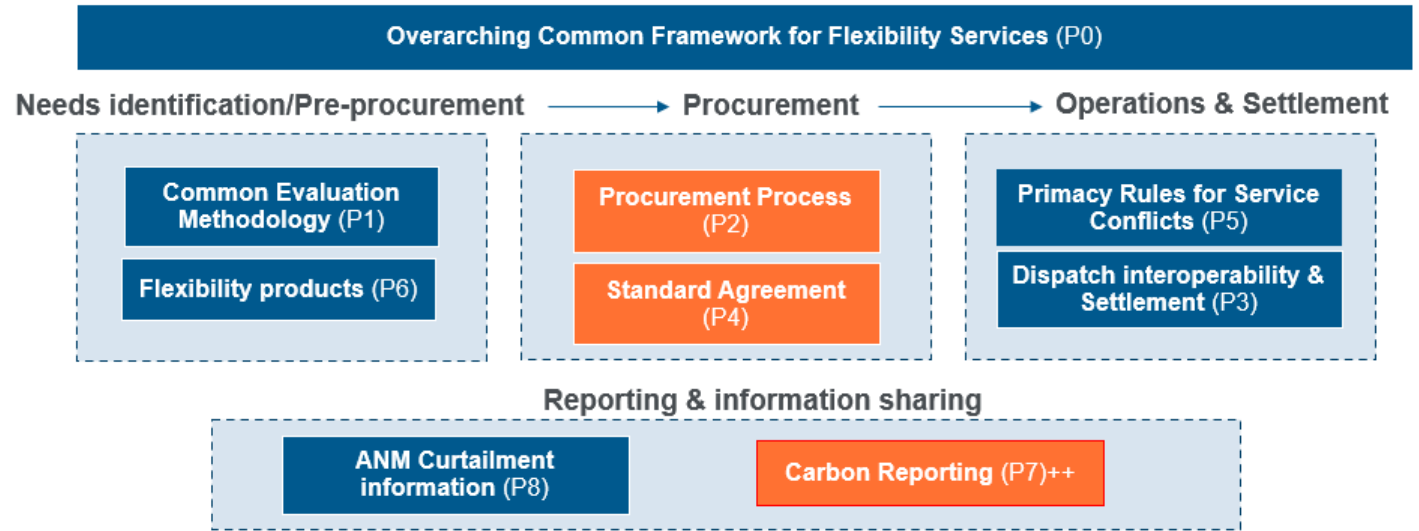
Avi Aithal (Head of ON, ENA)

Flexibility Services overview (WS1A)

- Supporting delivery of actions from Smart Systems & Flexibility Plan,
- Facilitating the development of local flexibility markets through more standardisation (across DNOs and with the ESO), simplification, and transparency in decision-making.

Recent Area

- UK-wide flex figures were published in July 2022, showing 3.7GW of flexibility tendered at a 31% increase from 2021.
- Open Networks response to the recently closed flexibility consultation will be published at the end of November 2022.
- Improving transparency and alignment in DNO processes by publishing
 - [a draft common framework for flexibility,](#)
 - [a common methodology for carbon reporting,](#)
 - [a common methodology for providing curtailment estimates,](#)
 - [recommendations for further alignment of the Standard Agreement](#)
 - [recommendations for alignment of pre-qualification processes.](#)



Products in orange will be discussed in more detail at this session.

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Procurement Processes (WS1A P2)

Steve Miller (Product co-lead, NG-ESO)

ON WS1A P2 Procurement Processes

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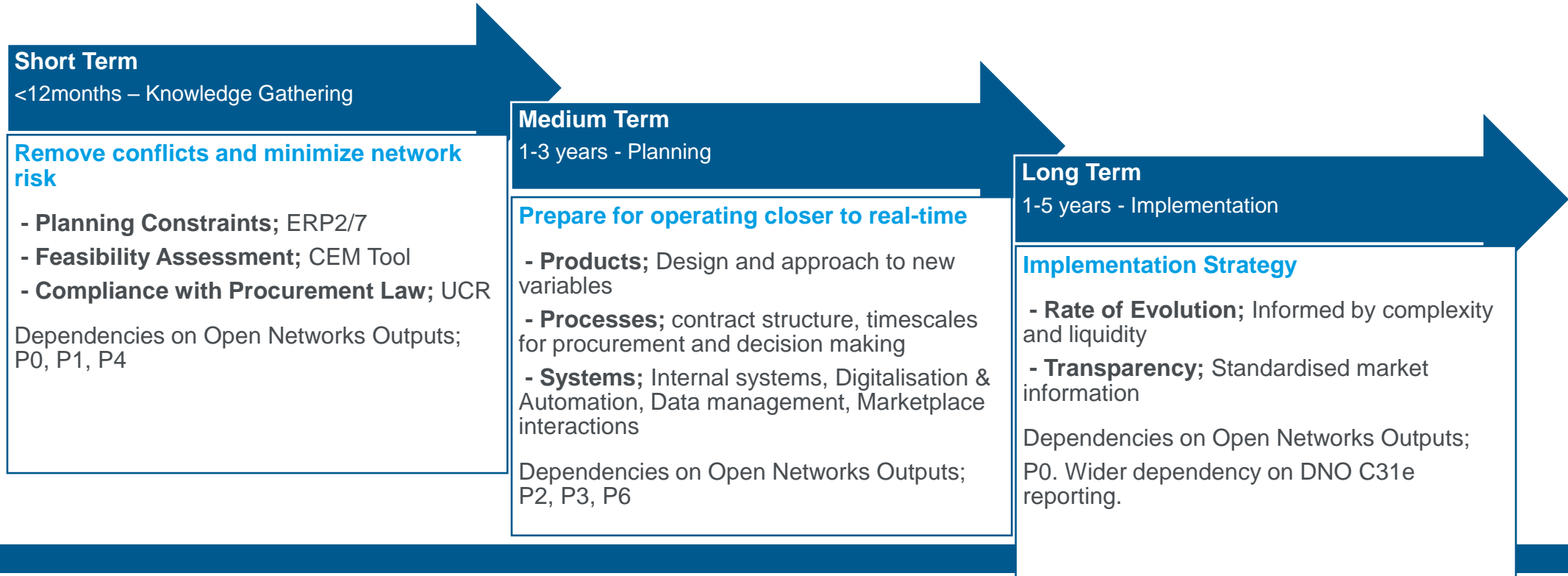
- **Previously delivered alignment across DNOs on activities related to the procurement of flexibility services, including how and when tenders are assessed by DNOs.**
 - In 2021 the focus was on potential further alignment of procurement timescales between DNOs and ESO.
 - Conclusion was to see alignment across other process areas (pre-qual , tech spec...) and real-time procurement.

2022 Aims

- Recommendations for the standardisation of Pre-qualification Processes.
- Outline short, medium and long term steps for DNO Evolution towards real-time procurement.

P2 Deliverable 1 – Steps to Real-time Procurement

- Paper published February 2022 [on the ENA website](#).
- Current DNO procurement processes and future development plans were reviewed and steps across the short, medium and long term were identified.
- The P2 will undertake further work in Q4 this year to produce a timeline for these steps, consultation feedback will directly contribute.



P2 Deliverable 2 – Alignment of Pre-qualification Processes

- Paper published July 2022 [on the ENA website.](#)
- Current DNO and ESO pre-qualification criteria was collated and assessed.
- Pre-qualification falls into two broad categories – Technical & Commercial.
- Volume of questions asked significantly varied between organisations, recommendations focus on alignment and consolidation.
- The P2 will undertake further work in Q4 this year to produce a delivery timeline for these recommendations, consultation feedback will directly contribute.

Standardised templates for both technical and commercial qualification criteria should be agreed in collaboration with ESO, DNOs and wider market platforms.

Prioritising the template for the alignment of technical qualification criteria for Asset/DER registration will give the greatest benefit to the market.

The 'quick win, low effort' aspects identified for the alignment of commercial qualification criteria should also be prioritised.

The standardised templates should be designed to be suitable for manual submission, online upload or API submission and therefore 'Market Place agnostic'.

Next Steps

Develop Detailed Implementation Plans Q3/4 2022

1) Steps to Real time Procurement Nov 2022

- Collate and review stakeholder feedback from; Open Networks Consultation, Challenge Group and Dissemination Group .
- Agree implementation actions/targets/milestones/signposting
- Agree implementation plan

2) Alignment of pre-qualification processes Dec 2022

- Collate and review stakeholder feedback from; Open Networks Consultation, Challenge Group and Dissemination Group .
- Agree implementation actions/targets/milestones/signposting
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Open Q&A

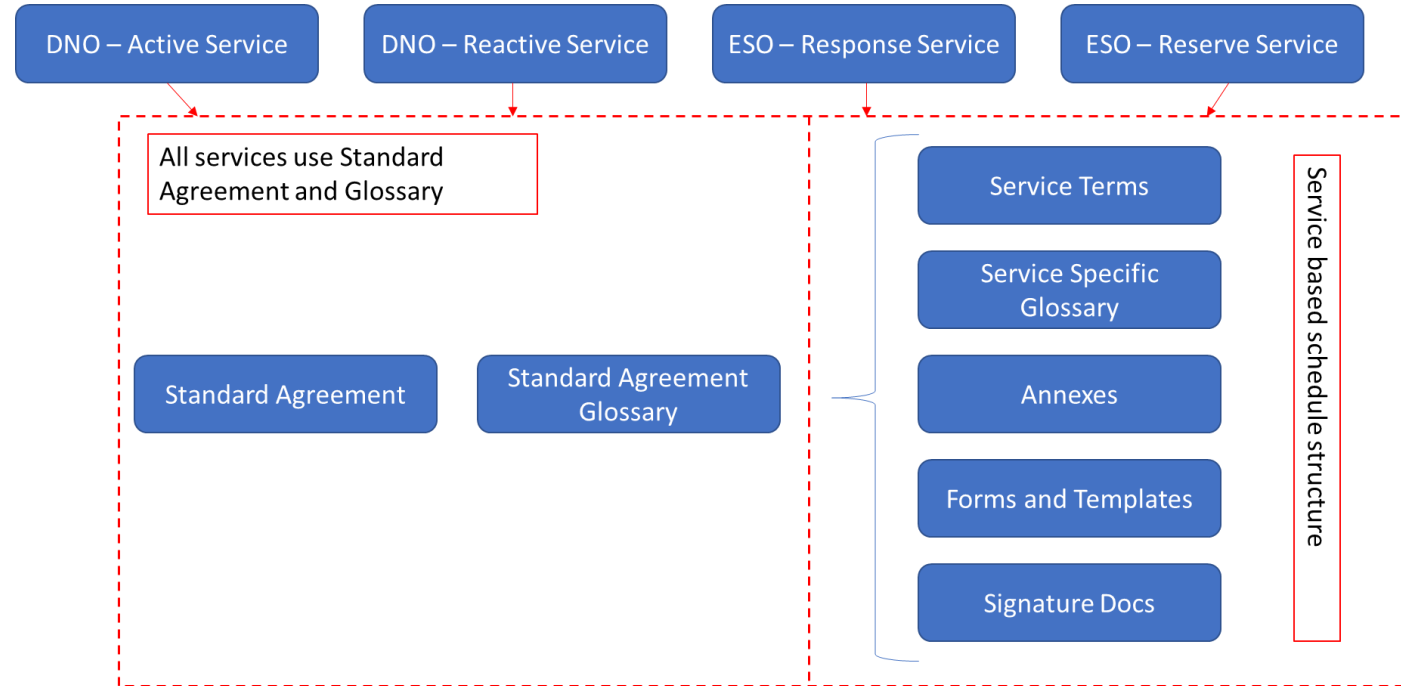
Standard Agreement (WS1A P4)

Andy Rice (Product lead, NG-ESO)

Proposed Schedule Structure

During 2022 the P4 workstream have been working to align the schedules that support version 2 of the Standard Agreement. The following proposed schedule structure are service based, initially this structure will be used for the DNO Active service, DNO Reactive service, ESO Response service and the ESO Reserve service.

The initial schedule structure content, particularly within the Service Terms, will reflect the current different approach of using ITT's and Framework Agreements.



Proposed schedule structure benefits

The initial approach to the service schedules will have the following benefits

- **Flexibility** - The initial schedule structure will allow for the current differences across the organisations in regard to product design, procurement and contract award.
- **Forward Looking**
 - Will allow organisations to easily move to a Framework approach and day ahead / intraday procurement.
 - The service based structure set the foundations for closer alignment in future P4 workload when the output of P2 and P6 (procurement process and service design alignment) are realised.
 - The proposed structure will give a recognised format for new services to be easily added
- **Consistency**
 - The schedules will follow the same structure and naming conventions giving a familiar look and feel to Service providers. This is also demonstrated as initially the DNO services will be broadly based on the re-alignment of the Schedules used under version 1.2 of the Standard Agreement and the ESO's current frequency contractual documents. (evolution of this on slide 4 & 5)
 - Where possible it will be the intention to use the same wording for clauses across the services saving service providers time and costs.

Initial content mapping

Service Terms – DNO Active Services

Glossary – DNO Active Services

Annexes

Forms & Templates

Signatures

New Name	V1.2 element	ESO Element	Title sections (V1.2/ESO)	Notes	
Service Terms	Schedule 1 - Service Description	Service Terms	Permitted Extensions & Periods, Service Parameter Tables, Service Failure Reporting, Service Window Tables, Service Requirements. Invoicing Process (if different to Clause 11) Charges and Calculation tables, Reduction, Withholding and recovery of payment detail (if required)		
	Schedule 2 - Flexibility Service Charges				
Service Specific Glossary					
Annex's	Schedule 4 - Communications		Representatives, Process and systems for Communication, Acceptance of Instructions, Reporting and Escalations Process	DNO Communications Annex	
	Schedule 5 - Performance Monitoring		Performance reporting/management process, Testing and Monitoring Process, Service meter detail, Monitoring of DER Development Projects, Auditing	DNO Performance Monitoring Annex	
	Schedule 6 - System/Technical Requirements		Flexible power/API set-up etc.	DNO System/Technical Requirements	
	Schedule 7 - Special Requirements		'Special' Requirements (SSEN use for Company H&S documentation, SPENs Modern Slavery additions)	DNO Special Requirements Annex	
		Participation Guidance Doc			
		Tender Rules*	Q for AB - should this shift to Service Terms?		
		Testing Analysis Tool			
		Testing Analysis User guide			
Forms & Templates	Schedule 3 - Sites & DER			Site/DER Detail	
	Unavailability/Remedy Template/Form		Currently in Schedule 4 (communications)		
	Performance Report template		Currently in Schedule 5 (Performance Monitoring)		
		Provider Data Template			
		Tender Data Template			
Signatures*		Form A			
		Form B			
		Form C			
		DNO Signature Page		New/Better name required!	
		Post Contract Award Notice			

Appendix – High level schedule content

Service Terms

DNO – Active /Reactive services	ESO – Response / Reserve services
Service Failure	Introduction
Service Windows	Changes to Service Terms
Service Requirements / Specific Acknowledgements	Defined Terms
Validation of Service Windows	Procurement Document references
Discretionary Flexibility Services	Service Availability
Invoicing	Service Delivery
Charges	Availability Payments
Calculation of Charges	Payment Procedure
Payment Terms	Grid Code and Distribution Code
Reduction of Charges	Maintenance of Eligible Assets
Withholding and Recovery of Payments	Third party Claims
	Provision of Other Services
	Communications
	Termination of Response Contracts
	Monitoring and Metering Data
	ABSVD
	Force Majeure
	Liability, Indemnity, and Insurance
	Records and Audit
	Assignments
	Transfer of Response Contracts
	Confidentiality
	Intellectual Property Rights
	Data Protection
	Modern Slavery, Anti Bribery and Living Wage Notices
	Dispute Resolution
	Governing Law and Jurisdiction
	Severance
	Third Party Rights
	No Agency or Partnership
	Waiver
	Entire Agreement
	EMR
	Capability Data Tables
	Availability Payments
	Payments Provisions

Annexes

DNO – Active /Reactive services	ESO – Response / Reserve services
Communications	Participation Guidance
- Senior Representatives	Tender Rules
- Processes & Systems for Communication	Testing Guidance
- Acceptance of Instructions	Testing user guide
-Reporting Processes & Requirements	Testing Analysis Tool
-Escalation Process	Stacking Documentation
-Form of Unavailability Notification/ Remedy Notification	Frequency Measurement Specification
	Auction Platform User guide
Performance Monitoring	Auction Algorithm Description
-Submission of Performance Report	Data Concentrator Documentation
-Testing & Monitoring	ASDP Documentation
-Service Meter	
- Monitoring of DER Development Projects	
- Auditing	
-Non-delivery and under-delivery	
Schedule 6 Despatch Systems/ Technical Requirements	
- Technical Glossary	
-DNO Flexibility Management System Details	
Special Requirements	

Forms and Templates

DNO – Active /Reactive services	ESO – Response / Reserve services
Sites and DER	Manual Unavailability Template
Unavailability / Remedy Template	Auction- Provider Template
Performance Report Template	Auction – Tender Template

Signature Docs

DNO – Active /Reactive services	ESO – Response / Reserve services
Post contract Award notice	Manual Form A
Contract Signature Page	Manual Form B
	Manual Form C

Proposed schedule structure recommendation

Following the work that the P4 Product working group has conducted this year and industry feedback from the Challenge Group the working group is now consulting with industry on the proposal to move to service-based schedules as shown in previous slides. The P4 product working group recognises that this is only the first step in the alignment of the schedules that sit alongside the Standard Agreements, however it is a key steppingstone that lays the foundations for future work as the industry moves forward.

Open Q&A

Carbon Reporting (WS1A P7)

Sam Do (Product lead, UKPN)

Introduction to Carbon Reporting (WS1A P7)

1. **The Smart Systems and Flexibility Plan** – Networks and system operators to have consistent methodologies for carbon reporting by 2023. P7 formed to deliver this objective.
2. **Policy intent** – Increase transparency and consistency of carbon impact to inform future possible interventions to make consistent with net zero.
3. **P7 scope** – Consistent methodology for April 2023 C31E report submission and recommendations for future work
4. **Approach**
 - Representatives from DSOs, ESO, BEIS, input from Ofgem
 - Deliverables include an agreed scope, review of other approaches, and proposed methodology
 - Industry consultation and methodology update

Carbon impacts of flexibility services

Stage in flexibility life-cycle >	Investment decision	Procurement	Pre-dispatch	Dispatch	Post-dispatch	Decommission
Counterfactual emissions	Emissions from network solution	Alternative DERs contracted	Alternative DERs contracted	Alternative DERs dispatched	Alternative DERs dispatched	Network solution or alternative DER end-of-life emissions
Attribution to DSO flexibility service (first order effects)	Emissions from flexibility services	Embedded emissions from contracted DERs Indirect	Standby emissions – e.g. part loaded DER if required on hot-standby Direct	Dispatch emissions - e.g. fuel combustion, reduced electricity consumption. Direct		End-of-life emissions from contracted DER Indirect
Consequential	Emissions from higher network losses due to higher grid utilisation	Change in wider market e.g. wholesale, balancing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> BESS pre-charging. Change in wider market e.g. wholesale, balancing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ramp-up/down emissions. Change in wider market e.g. wholesale, balancing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy efficiency rebound effect. DSR payback. 	Change in wider market e.g. wholesale, balancing. Consequential

Out of P7 scope ↑

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Summary of proposed methodology

- Calculation formula varies by generation, demand, and storage
- Quantifies direct and consequential carbon impacts of flexibility services
- Uses industry standard conversion factors (mostly)
- Consistent presentation in the Distribution Flexibility Services Procurement Report
- Recommendations for future work



Calculation methodology

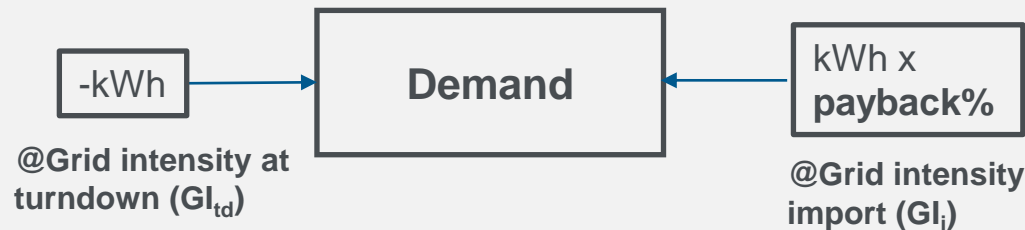


For **generation export**, the carbon impact is:

- combustion of the fuel (direct) = + kWh/η_g x EF
 - displacing grid generation at export (consequential) = - kWh x GI
- For bioenergy, report on both inclusive and exclusive of CO₂ released during combustion.

For **storage export**, the carbon impact is:

- carbon intensity of the input energy (consequential) = + kWh/η_s x GI_i (if from grid), (kWh/η_s)/η_g x EF (if from generator)
- displacing grid generation at export (consequential) = - kWh x GI_e



For **demand reduction**, the carbon impact is:

- reduced grid imports during the turn-down (direct) = - kWh x GI_{td}
- increase in grid imports during “payback” or load shift (consequential) = + kWh x payback% x GI_i

*kWh is the dispatched energy, η is efficiency, GI includes losses

Open Q&A

Break



Whole Electricity System overview (WS1B)

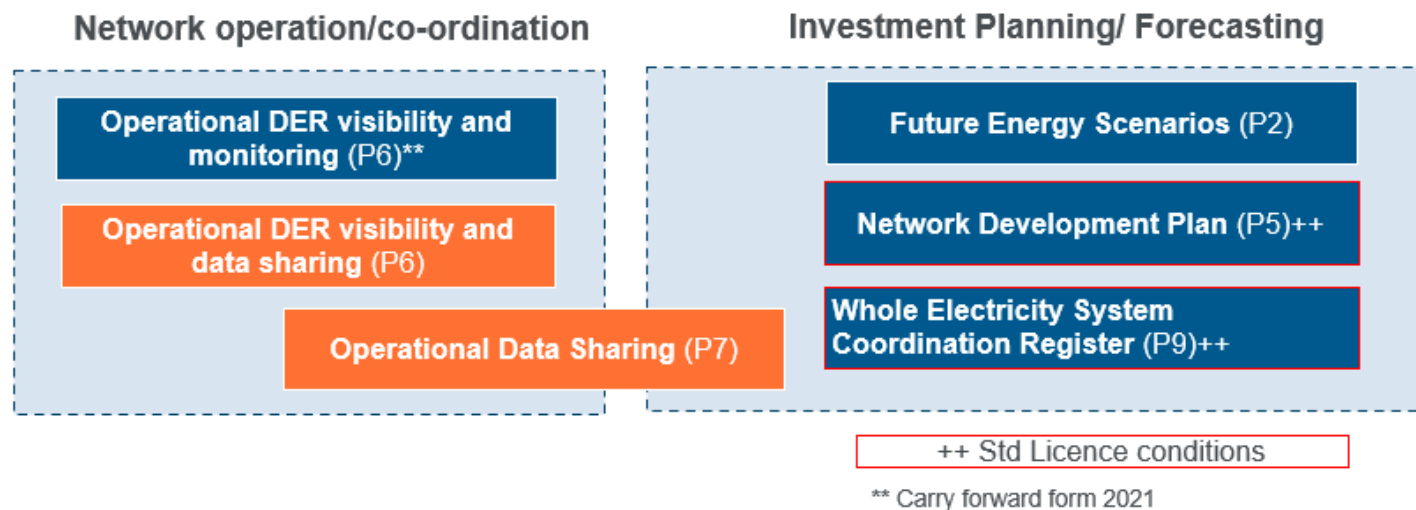
Ian Povey (Chair of Whole Electricity System Workstream, ENWL)

Whole Electricity System overview

- Optimise existing planning and forecasting processes across the Transmission-Distribution boundary, through streamlining of Future Energy Scenarios (FES) and Distribution Future Energy Scenarios (DFES) by identifying synergies and reviewing key assumptions in their building blocks.
- Develop and implement approaches to improve the quality and the consistency of data sharing in operational and planning timescales between DNOs, TOs, ESO, and non-network market participants.

Recent Area

- Continuing to improve visibility of current DNO operational data sharing as set out in the [2021 implementation plan](#). [RAG statuses](#) of progress against this have been published and a gap analysis is being carried out to identify further data sets of potential use to stakeholders.
- Harmonising DER monitoring and control requirements across DNOs by recommending additional data exchange points to be shared between DER customers and DNOs.



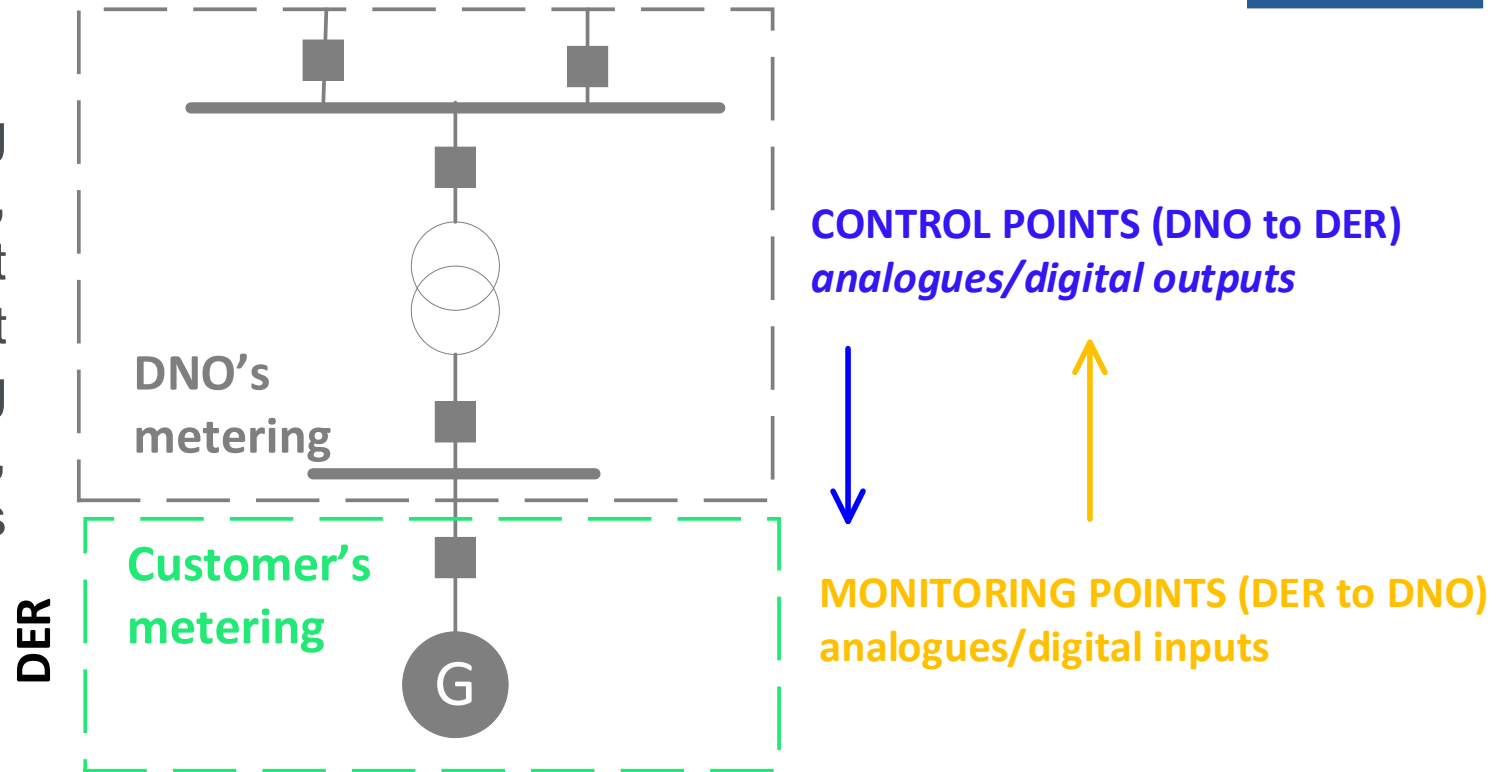
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DER Visibility and monitoring (WS1B P6)

Odilia Bertetti (Product Lead, UKPN)

Context and scope

Currently, developers connecting DER across different regions of GB, are required to exchange different monitoring and control data sets at the connection interface depending on the DNO area the site falls into, or whether the customer is connecting to an IDNO.



WS1B P6 has been tasked with harmonising the DER monitoring and control requirements at the connection interface for DER connections across different DNOs.

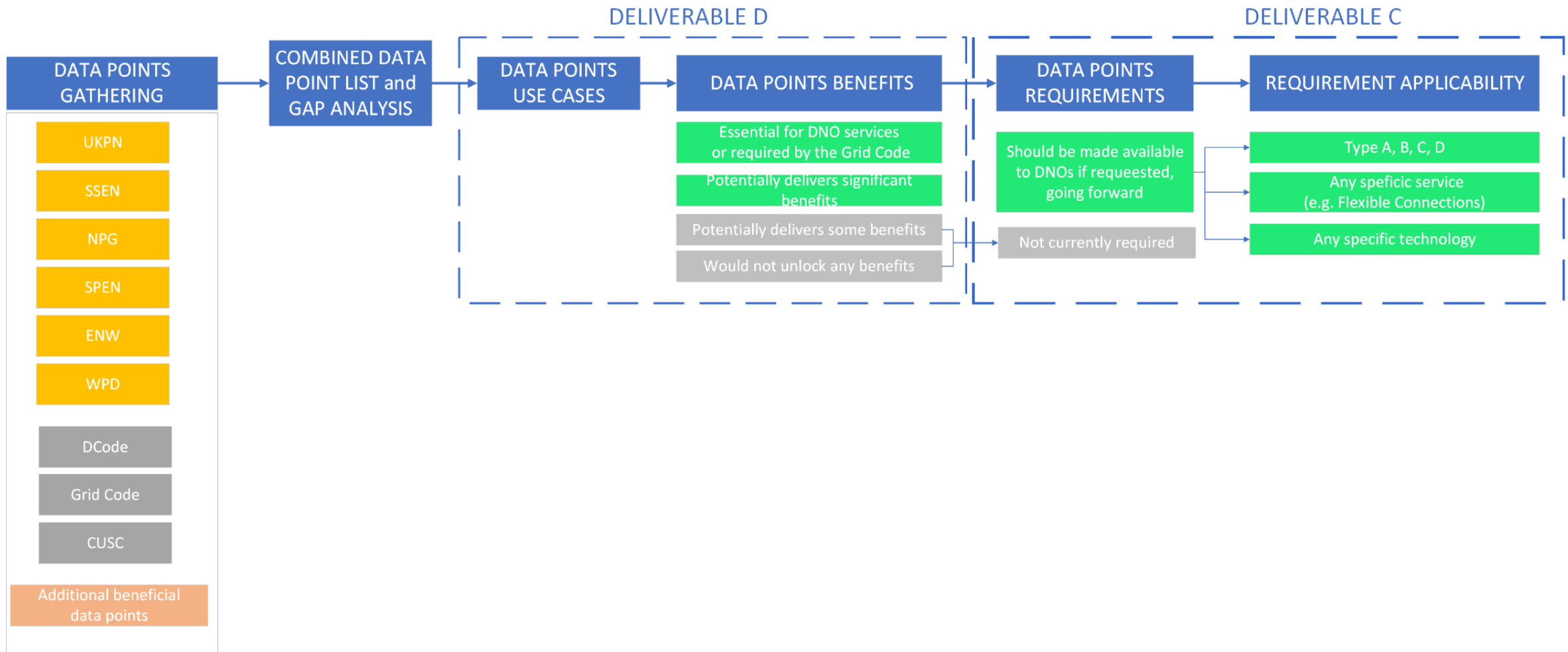
Data/DER in scope

- This refers to operational metering **data from customer's equipment** at the DER substation and exposed to the DNOs rather than data collected by the DNOs through their own equipment.
- The data in scope of ON22 WS1B P6 are **both metering points** (from DER to DNO) and **control points** (from DNO to DER).
- This refers data to be exchanged real time via SCADA rather than post event data.
- **DER Type:** Generation and Flexible Demand.
- **DER POC Voltage Level:** DERs that have a PoC voltage between 132kV kV bar at Grid Supply Points (GSP) and HV side of secondary substation
- **DER capacity:** anything connected from HV to EHV, the minimum capacity is driven by DNO specific practices (200 kW-500kW depending on the DNO)
- **DER Connection Date:** Applicable to DER connecting to the distribution network going forward

WS1B P6 - Deliverables in scope

Ref	Deliverable	Description
Deliverable C	Standardisation of DER operational monitoring and control requirements	Produce a list of operational data points to be made available if requested going forward, which may be differentiated based on capacity (type A-D), service provided and technology type, if applicable.
Deliverable D	Use Cases for the collection of DER operational Data Points	Justify the business needs for each of the DER operational data points through the definition of use cases which will provide clarity on how each of the collected data point will be used by DNOs and/or ESO.

Approach taken to standardise DNO-DER data exchange



EREC G99

Monitoring	Applies to
Measured Customer Active Power	Type C/D
Measured Customer Reactive Power	Type C/D
Measured Customer Voltage	Type C/D
Measured Customer Current	Type C/D
Measured Customer Frequency	Type C/D
Power Quality	Type C/D
Frequency Sensitive Mode data	Type C/D
Export Blocking Signal	Type A, B
Generation CB Trip	N/A
Active Power Limit	Type B, C, D

DNO specific requirements

Beside the data points mandated by industry codes, DNOs may agree the submission of additional interface data requirements with DER customers as part of their connection agreement to meet the relevant commercial and technical obligations required by the connection

Additional data points considered

	Operational Metering points
1	Electricity Storage State of Charge
2	Service contracted and Volume
3	Service being armed and Volume
4	Service being delivered and Volume

Monitoring and Control Data Exchange DNOs Gap Analysis

DNO's Gap Analysis - 1

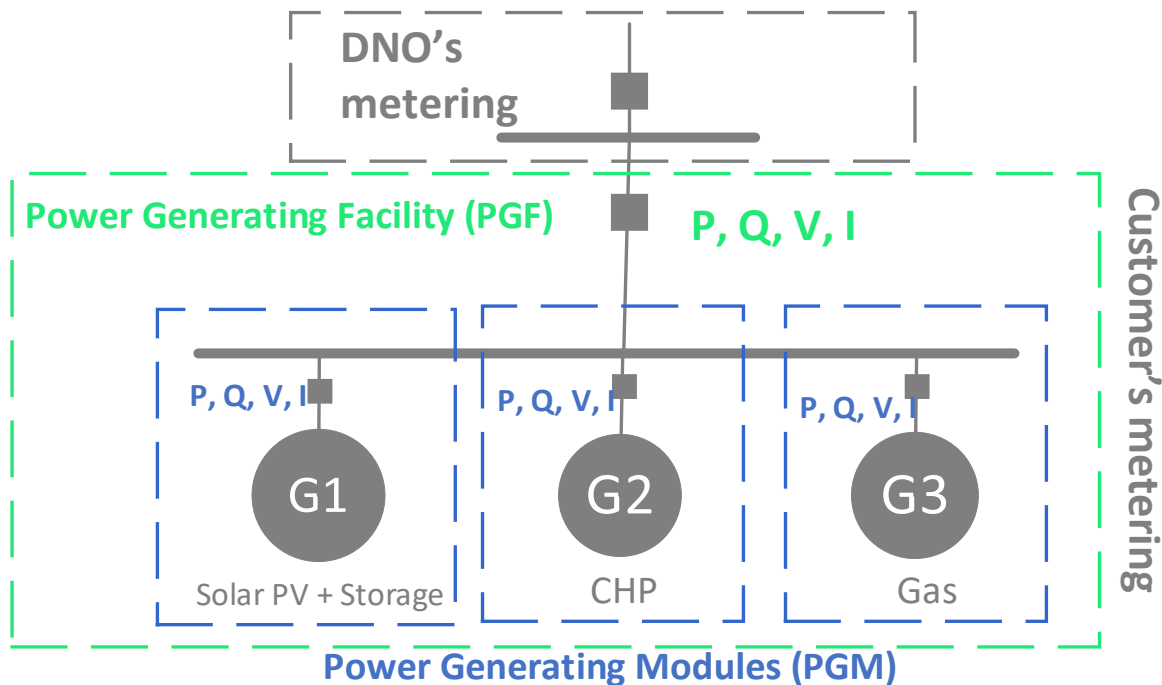
	ID	Data Point	Currently Collected						G99
			UKPN	SSEN	WPD	NPG	ENW	SPEN	
OPERATIONAL METERING POINTS									
Customer metering (net metering at the DER PoC)	M1	Measured Customer Active Power	Yes	Only Type C and D	No	Only Flex Connections	No	Type B, C, D	TYPE C/D
	M2	Measured Customer Reactive Power	Yes	Only Type C and D	No	Only Flex Connections	No	Type B, C, D	
	M3	Measured Customer Voltage	Yes	Only Type C and D	No	Only Flex Connections	No	No	
	M4	Measured Customer Current	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	
	M5	Measured Customer Frequency	No	Only Type C and D	No	No	No	No	
	M6	Power Quality	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Customer metering (metering from individual units)	M7	Power Park modules metering (MW, MVar, Amps, Volts)	No	No	Yes ¹	No	No	Yes	No
	M8	Generation and demand metering (MW, MVar, Amps, Volts)	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M9	Alternator MW and MVar	No	Only Type B. CCGT technology	No		No	No	No
	M10	Unit/Station Transformer MW and MVar	No	Only Type B. CCGT technology	No	No	No	No	No
	M11	Generator Transformer Tap Position Indication	No	Only Type B. CCGT technology	No	No	No	No	No
customer's CB status	M12	Customer generation/G99 CB	Yes	Only Type C and D	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	M13	Customer CB status for flexible demand/generation	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No
	M14	Customer Islanded Open & Close	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No
	M15	Network Status Data	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No
DER availability	M16	DER in service (0/1)	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M17	Installed Capacity in Service	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M18	Number of Connected generators	No	Only Wind/Tidal type C/D	No	No	No	No	No
	M19	Potential Power Available/ Real Available Capacity	No	Anything nonsynchronous (Large PS) type C/D	No	No	Yes	No	No
	M20	Reactive Available Capacity	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No
	M21	State of Charge	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

DNO's Gap Analysis - 2

Weather Data	M22	Wind Speed	No	Only Wind/Tidal type B/C/D	No	No	No	No	No
	M23	Wind Direction	No	Only Wind/Tidal type B/C/D	No	No	No	No	No
	M24	Irradiance	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Control readbacks	M25	Active Power Upper Limit readback	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No
	M26	Active Power Lower Limit readback	Yes	?	No	No	?	No	No
	M27	Reactive Power Upper Limit Readback	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M28	Reactive Power Lower Limit Readback	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M29	Target Voltage readback	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M30	Flexibility service request acknowledged	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No
	M31	contractual setpoint/Export Blocking Signal readback	Yes	Only Type B, C, D	Yes	No?	Yes	No?	No
Mode of operation	M32	Open breaker control readback	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	No
	M33	Watchdog signal received	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
Service Provision	M34	DER mode of operation/ frequency sensitive mode	Yes	Only Wind/Tidal Type D	No	No	No	No	Type C/D
	M35	Service(s) contracted and volume	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M36	Service(s) being armed and volume	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	M37	Service(s) actively delivered and volume							
CONTROL POINTS									
Analogues Control Points	C1	Active Power Upper limit	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Type C/D
	C2	Active Power Lower Limit	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Type C/D
	C3	Reactive Power Upper Limit	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
	C4	Reactive Power Lower Limit	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	?	No	No
	C5	Voltage Target	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
Digital Control Points	C6	Default safe value setpoint/Export Blocking Signal	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	?	No
	C7	DER Breakers Trip	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	C8	Flexible demand/generation CB Trip	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	C9	Curtailment instruction request e.g., ANM Flex Connections	No	No	No	No	ANM Flex Connection only	No	No
	C10	Flexibility service request	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	C11	P, Q, V Service Enable	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	C12	Watchdog signal received from the DER	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No
	C13	Limit Breach	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No

Monitoring and Control Data Exchange - Use Cases

Customer metering from individual flexible units/PGM



Data

- Metering from each Power Park module (P, Q, V, I)
- Separate metering for flexible generation and demand units (P, Q, V, I)

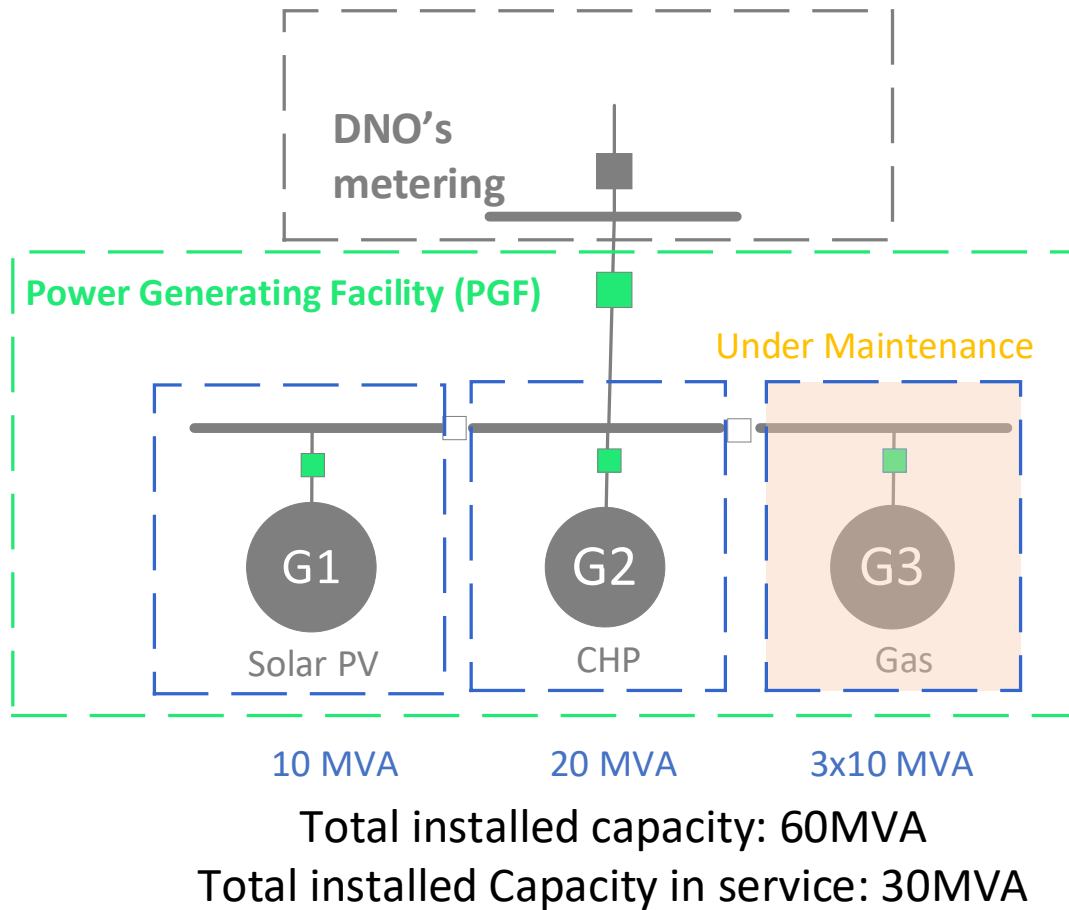
Use Cases

- Flexible Connections – managing site with multiple generators at different LIFO positions.
- Power Park modules providing different services for Service delivery/settlements.
- More accurate DNOs/ESO Operational Forecasting.
- Network Operation - visibility of pickup load/ swing after losing any unit.

Relevance of the data points

Could potentially deliver significant benefits.

DER Availability



Data

-Installed Capacity in Service [MW]

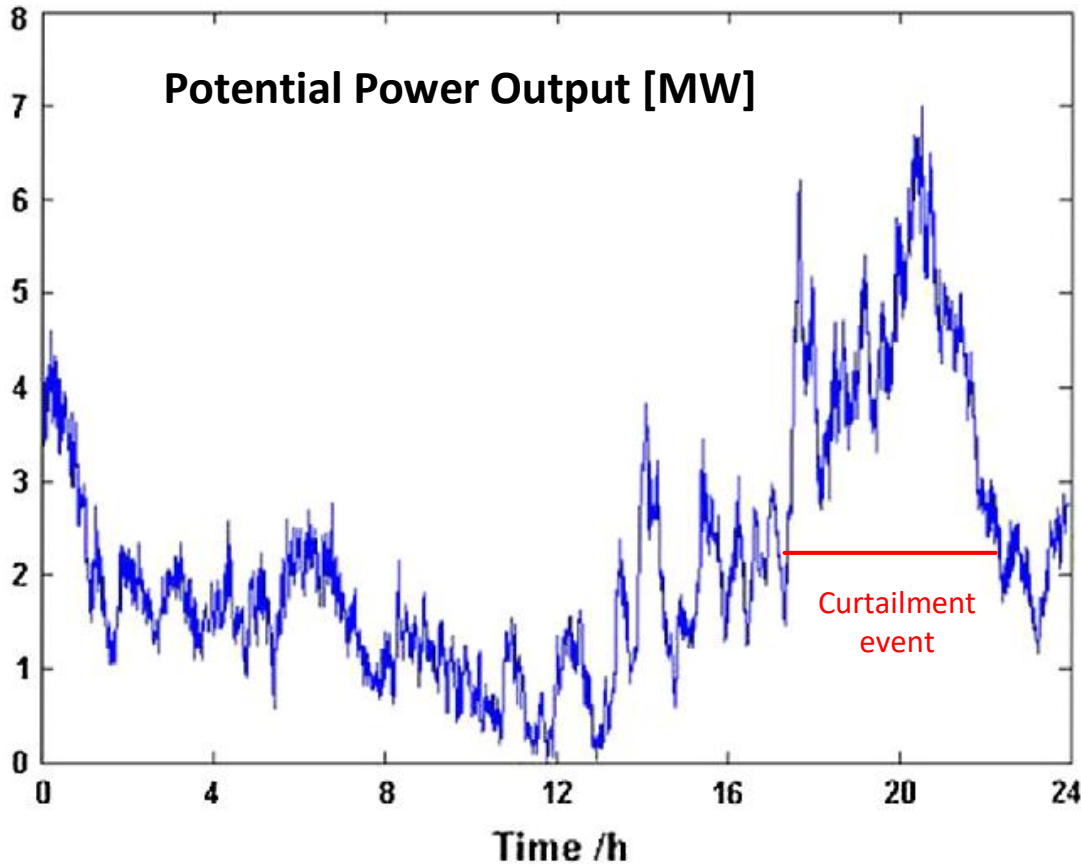
Use Case:

- Better modelling of the (real time) capacity that can be offered/controlled for different DNO/ ESO services.
- Better accuracy of DNOs/ESO operational forecasting
- Avoiding service conflicts.
- Flexible Connections - Optimise curtailment thresholds.

Relevance of the data points

Could potentially deliver considerable benefits

Potential Power Available



Data

Potential Power Available

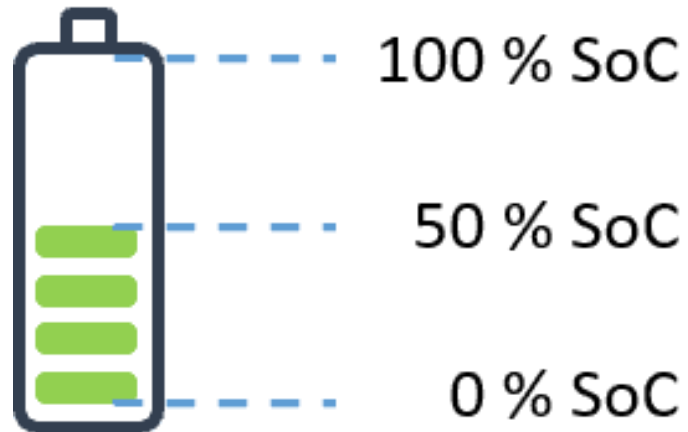
Use Case:

- Visibility of post-curtailment DER output.
- Real time network operation: visibility potential sudden MW volume increase seen on the network.
- Flexible connections - optimise curtailment thresholds.
- ESO ancillary and balancing service – visibility of sudden potential MW volume for system balancing.
- More accurate DNOs/ESO Operational Forecasting.

Relevance of the data points

Could potentially deliver considerable benefits

Electricity Storage State of Charge



Data

Electricity Storage State of Charge

Use Case:

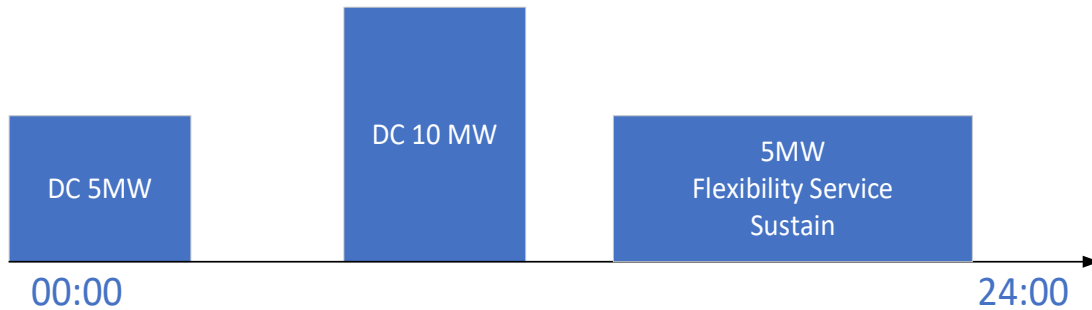
- Operational Forecasting – allow to better model storage operational behaviour. E.g. is SoC 0%, the storage site is not going to be exporting even if the electricity prices are forecasted to be high.
- DNO/ESO services – visibility of duration service can be provided for.

Relevance of the data points

Could potentially deliver considerable benefits

Services Provision

24h ahead view of Services Contracted



Data

- Service contracted and Volume
- Service being armed and Volume
- Service being delivered and volume

Use Case:

- Operational Forecasting – better modelling of generation output providing services to the ESO/DNO.
- Conflict Service Avoidance .
- Visibility of the volume that can be offered for post fault products (Dynamic/ Restore).

Relevance of the data points

Could potentially deliver considerable benefits

Recommendation on Data Points to be requested going forward to DERs

Inputs points (DER → DNO)

Category	Data Point	New/existing in G99
Customer metering (Net metering at the DER PoC)	Measured Customer Active Power	Existing requirement
	Measured Customer Reactive Power	Existing requirement
	Measured Customer Current	Existing requirement
	Measured Customer Voltage	Existing requirement
	Measured Customer Frequency	Existing requirement
	Power Quality	Existing requirement
Customer metering (Metering from individual units)	Metering from each Power Park module (P, Q, V, I)	New requirement
		New requirement
	Separate metering for flexible generation and demand units (P, Q, V, I)	
Customer's CB status	Customer generation/G99 CB	New requirement
	Customer CB status for each power generating modules?	New requirement
	Customer Islanded Open & Close	New requirement
	Network Status Data	New requirement
DER availability	Installed Capacity in Service	New requirement
	Potential Power Available	New requirement
	State of charge	New requirement
Readbacks	Active Power Upper Limit readback	New requirement
	Active Power Lower Limit readback	New requirement
	Reactive Power Upper Limit Readback	New requirement
	Reactive Power Lower Limit Readback	New requirement
	Target Voltage readback	New requirement
	Flexibility service request acknowledged	New requirement
	Contractual setpoint/Export Blocking Signal readback	New requirement
	Open breaker control readback	New requirement
Watchdog signal received	New requirement	
Service Provision (real time)	Service(s) contracted and volume	New requirement
	Service(s) being armed and volume	New requirement
	Service(s) actively delivered and volume	New requirement

Open Q&A

Operational Data Sharing (WS1B P7)

Malcolm Grisdale (Product team rep, NPg)

What was the aim

Review all the different data being shared in the industry between parties

2021 Scope

- Identify data and agree changes that DNO/DSO provide to the market / customers

2022 Scope:

- Identify data being shared between
 - ESO to DNO/DSO
 - DNO/DSO to ESO
 - ESO to the market / customers
- Continued improvement to the data identified in 2021 scope and ensure rollout

What has been achieved

- Overall view of all current data sharing and coordination of industry working groups dealing with data
- Agreed set of data to be published by DNOs for the market/customers
 - Mechanisms not standardised to allow DNOs to publish quickly
- Roadmap for future data sharing proposals

What has been achieved

Initial data sharing provided as “DNO’s to publish the data they have available”

- Ensures data is provided but minimal investment/resource requirement removes delays
- Industry feedback will then shape how this changes



What has been achieved

- RAG status and report updated with current status of data sharing for each DNO.

Data Set	Market Data Requirements	DMO	Current Status	GAP	Data Usage/Playbook Classification	Consolidating data to be provided (interval of data points as minimum)	Refresh Rate of data not included in each update of service (interval of additional rows of data as a pointer)	Data - Period of historic Data available	Difficulty to implement	Timeline to completion	Status	Data on status progress	Notes
Boundary Flow Data	GSP - HV	ENL	Collected on a circuit by circuit basis but not routinely aggregated as a boundary flow	Aggregate relevant signal into publishable data product. Publish to externally available location	Public	Data is aggregated to half hourly averages	Daily extract from real-time system	Early accessible data from the start of EDI	Easy	End of 2021	Completed	Data will be live by 19/02/2022. Link to be shared once available. This will be updated prior to public release	Will be available for download from within the following area of ENL's website https://www.ema.co.uk/gsp-connected/network-information/
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Boundary Flow Data	GSP - Voltage	ENL	Collected on a circuit by circuit basis but not routinely aggregated as a boundary flow	Aggregate relevant signal into publishable data product. Publish to externally available location	Public	Data is aggregated to half hourly averages	Daily extract from real-time system	Early accessible data from the start of EDI	Easy	End of 2021	Completed	Data will be live by 19/02/2022. Link to be shared once available. This will be updated prior to public release	Will be available for download from within the following area of ENL's website https://www.ema.co.uk/gsp-connected/network-information/
Boundary Flow Data	Expansion of dataset to include Grid and Primary	ENL	Collected on a circuit by circuit basis but not routinely aggregated as a publishable data product	Process to GSP makes this data viable where there is a customer with appropriate measurement. Share with single significant customer to be excluded so individual customer data will not be shared	Public	Data is aggregated to half hourly averages	Daily extract from real-time system	Early accessible data from the start of EDI	Medium	Q2 2022	Not Started		Will be available for download from within the following area of ENL's website https://www.ema.co.uk/gsp-connected/network-information/
Boundary Flow Data	Embedded Generation cumulative HV flow	ENL	Collected on a site by site basis and data held on enable aggregation but not aggregated as a publishable data product	Only includes embedded generation with telemetered data	Public	Data is aggregated to half hourly averages	Daily extract from real-time system	Early accessible data from the start of EDI	Easy	End of 2021	Completed	Data will be live by 19/02/2022. Link to be shared once available. This will be updated prior to public release	Will be available for download from within the following area of ENL's website https://www.ema.co.uk/gsp-connected/network-information/
Boundary Flow Data	Embedded generation split by ECR type data	ENL	Collected on a site by site basis and data held on enable aggregation but not aggregated as a publishable data product	Currently split by generation type but not aligned with ECR	Public	N/A	N/A	Early accessible data from the start of EDI	Medium	Q2 2022	Not Started		Will be available for download from within the following area of ENL's website https://www.ema.co.uk/gsp-connected/network-information/
Boundary Flow Data	GSP Flaring	National Grid ESO	Shared to internal DNO use only	Requires agreement from ESO and TSO phase ECA contractual line, valid March 2020 onwards. System live as TSO line live but with a limiting factor for GSP. Values can be dynamic so need process to manage non static data since ESO system agreement to provide to DNOs and methods to do so	Public	N/A	Yearly data update	N/A	Medium		Not Started		ET's Appendix B published on NEMO's website from the range (continuous) MA of all TSO non-DC customers and is refreshed annually around the end of November. As the DNOs are intending to publish the flow data as the GSPs as a start and progress deeper into their network, use of expansion of existing DNO data and use of the range of the GSP for downstream publication the validation of the GSP. ET's Appendix B can be used as a starting point. As the ESO has no visibility beyond the GSP, it is up to the DNOs to ensure consistency and granularity when publishing the data beyond the GSP. PE recommends use cases for better data taken from GSPs directly, but to open the DNOs to further the recommendations.
Boundary Flow Data	GSP - HV	NPG	Internally available in PI data store	Requires code to extracting data from PI RT and placement into a suitable format (eg csv) ready for collection from dedicated area of corporate website. Probably achievable in short term using desktop software tools	Public Shared dependent on contractual security	Raw data is collected as 15 min or 30 min snapshots (dependent on site and/or communication capacity)	Proposed data set made available weekly on weekly occurrence. Data can be requested daily from PowerOn system	Analogous data from the PI historian is available for a considerable period (5 years)	Medium	Q4 2022	Not Started		Conservative date and medium classification due to requirement for programming expertise
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Engagement

Working with other industry groups to align processes and data

Seeking feedback from varying sources

- Dissemination event (today)
- Survey of DNO customer base (completed end of 2021)
- ENA Survey in 2022 Q4

4. Network Capacity Rating and Configuration; what benefit would near real time data provide?

[More Details](#)

Insights

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Responses

Latest Responses

"Able to better manage operational sites and plan appropriately eg. schedul...

"This should allow developers to choose the best type of generation / storage...

"Don't believe that this level of detail would offer much benefit from a planni...

6 respondents (19%) answered **capacity** for this question.



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Wider programme updates

Avi Aithal (Head of ON, ENA)

Wider programme updates

Recent activities

Evolution of Open Networks

Review of the programme scope and governance for 2023 continues, factoring in stakeholder feedback and key industry developments.

Upcoming activities

Flexibility consultation response

ENA response to feedback received in the recent consultation will be published at the end of November 2022.

Implementation planning

Translating recommendations into short-medium term implementation plans for actioning across GB.

A full timeline of deliverables to date can be found [here](#).
We remain on track to deliver the 2022 programme in full.

Latest & upcoming ENA events

Emily Jones (Head of Stakeholder Engagement, ENA)

Latest & upcoming ENA events

Recent events:

- **Flexibility consultation webinar**
16th August, recording available on [ENA's YouTube channel](#).
- **Business Green flexibility panel session**
24th August
- **Community Energy Forum: Transitioning to a smarter, more flexible grid**
8th September

Upcoming events:

- **Energy Innovation Summit**
28th – 29th September, Glasgow
Registration details are available [online](#).

More information on upcoming events is available on the [ENA website](#).

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Sotiris Georgiopoulos
(Chair of ON Steering Group, UKPN)

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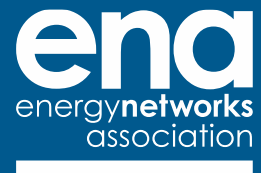
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