

Communication to Market Participants 18 MARCH 2016

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CWE ID ATC

Subject: Central West Europe intraday ATC Capacity Calculation process (CWE ID ATC CC) after Flow-Based Market Coupling (FBMC) for all CWE Borders: Go Live on 29th of March for Business day 30th of March

Dear Market Participants,

Following the feedback of the Central West Europe intraday ATC capacity calculation process (CWE ID ATC CC) after FBMC for all CWE borders by National Regulatory Authorities (NRAs) at the end of February, CWE TSOs are ready for harmonizing and centralizing the ID ATC after FBMC process, by introducing the ID ATC CMT 1.0 (Common Matching Tool) in operations, which will enable ID ATC after FBMC process on all CWE borders.

The Go Live will take place following the timeline described below:

- Start of CWE ID ATC CC after FBMC process for all CWE borders: 29th of March
- First trading day CWE ID ATC CC after FBMC process for all CWE border on 30th of March

More background information related to the CWE ID ATC CC process after FBMC for all CWE Borders can be found on the JAO website ("NRA approval package ID ATC CC after FBMC" & Context paper CWE ID V1.0_Final.docx"

<u>http://www.jao.eu/support/resourcecenter/overview?parameters=%7B%22IsCWEFBMC%</u>
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Finally, information on publication timings of ID ATCs on the various platforms are described in the annex.

Best regards,



ANNEX

In the following table, you can find the timings when the updated ID ATC would be provided to the market players.

ATC provision to the market players	BE <-> FR	BE <-> NL	DE <-> FR	DE <-> NL
00:00 -> 01:00	21:45-22:30	19:45-20:45	21:45-22:30	21:45-22:30
01:00 -> 05:00	21:45-22:30	21:45-22:30	21:45-22:30	21:45-22:30
05:00 -> 09:00	21:45-22:30	01:30-02:30	21:45-22:30	01:30-02:00
09:00 -> 13:00	05:30-07:30	05:30-06:30	05:30-07:30	05:30-06:00
13:00 -> 17:00	05:30-07:30	09:30-10:30	05:30-07:30	09:30-10:00
17:00 -> 21:00	05:30-07:30	13:30-14:30	05:30-07:30	13:30-14:00
21:00 -> 00:00	05:30-07:30	17:30-18:30	05:30-07:30	17:30-18:00

Each TSO can request a capacity increase on its own borders for each hourly market time period (MTP) of the following day. The maximum increases per border are:

- BE <-> FR and BE <-> NL: 200 MW.
- DE <-> FR and DE <-> NL: 100 MW.

The capacities will be delivered to the current allocation platforms. The allocation rules remain the same as before the Go Live of this process.

- BE <-> FR: Intraday Capacity Service (ICS).
- BE <-> NL: Eurolight platform.
- DE <-> FR: Intraday Capacity Service (ICS).
- DE <-> NL: Intraday Capacity Service (ICS).