Eurelectric's follow-up on the use of the Transparency Platform

EB SG – May 2022

Very little has changed regarding our requests on the Transparency Platform on Balancing data since last EBSG in October 2022

(1) Market participants need data to understand price formation on these new balancing markets.

- Allow to forecast prices since aFRR, mFRR, RR & energy market are in competition
- Understand unusual clearing price, e.g. very low (negative) prices on TERRE or very high (reaching the cap) prices on PICASSO

(2) Concerning our additional data request on TERRE: ENTSO-E refers in December 2022 to compliance with RR regulation.

- It is disappointing from a MP's perspective since data available are not sufficient to properly understand prices on TERRE.
- Could RR IF could be reopened/reviewed to take this into account ?

(3) On data missing and data access difficulties on the Transparency Platform, the answers received from ENTSO-E to our requests in December 2022 were promising. It was said by ENTSO-E that the work was in progress on a best effort basis.

- On our requests on data missing (although legally requested) and unclear data on TP (we checked again mid-May 2023) : no change
- On data access / downloading difficulties and SFTP / API limitations : no apparent improvement while it was said that new releases would resolve some limitations

Focus – Missing data on PICASSO

PICASSO : Details on data requested by aFFR IF

- CBMPs for aFRR standard product or Prices of Activated Balancing Energy : still no data on the Transparency platform, data available on the Transnet website
- Bids : ok
- Aggregated bids : no data for DE on the Transparency platform but data available in M+1 on Regelleistung
- Changes to Bid Availability : no data on the Transparency platform or on Transnet
- Netted and Exchanged Volumes : no data on the Transparency platform, data available on the Transnet website
- Balancing Border Capacity Limitations : data on the Transparency platform but with a very unpractical format (one tab per border)
- Activation of fall-back procedures : no publication seems to be intended on the Transparency platform or on the Transnet website

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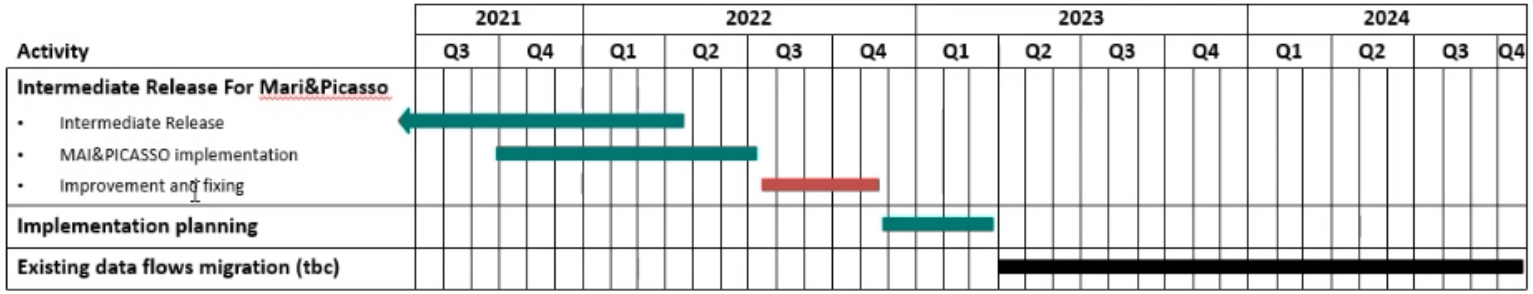
Market Participants need more transparency and details on the work in progress

(4) What are the future developments and improvements on the Transparency Plateform ? What is the timeline of evolutions ?

- Is it possible to have a more detailed planning than the one presented at the last ENTSOE Transparency User Group ? Especially for the T2 2023 to T4 2024 period ?



(5) On the ENTSO-E Transparency User Group : we welcome the relaunch of ETUG meetings (with a meeting in February 2023) but it needs to be more active.

- ETUG could provide more visibility on the TP evolutions in general and notably on Balancing data.
- No feedback given at this stage on the Transparency Platform survey from last December 2022 while we understood that there were interesting inputs from the respondents to the survey.

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