



EASE Feedback on IGDs for Grid Connection Network Codes

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Feedback on IGDs: CBA for Network Codes

- The CBA is a key element of GC NCs procedures. An effective CBA process is crucial for all involved stakeholders (TSO, DSO, generators). A consensus on its main principles (methodology, process organisation, data collecting and exchange) is required.
- However, several key issues are still under discussion, e.g.:
 - ✓ Potential disadvantage for stakeholders that may not have the competence to carry out or to check a CBA study (in frame of the derogation procedures)
 - ✓ Issues related to data opposability/accessibility: when and to what extent is the use of "typical" or "normative" data preferable over more detailed but confidential data?

Further concerns:

- ✓ A 1-month consultation on the quantitative CBA will be too short for involved stakeholders to adequately respond.
- ✓ The workshops so far did not suffice to adequately solve all open questions.
- ✓ The CBA IGD does not provide enough elements to understand whether its
 procedure is really feasible and non-discriminatory for all types of
 stakeholders (not only TSOs).





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- Therefore, EASE supports the creation of an ad-hoc expert group piloted by a neutral actor (ACER?) and involving main competences from the power sector (transmission, distribution grid operation and planning, generation facilities operation, supply-demand balance optimisation, security of supply management ...).
- Its primary objective should be to identify and address main "pending" questions on the CBA use under NC codes, and to provide consensual answers to them.





Thank you for your attention.

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