

Press Release

ENTSOG publishes Final TYNDP 2017

(Brussels, PR0130-17) **Today ENTSOG publishes the Final TYNDP 2017. This follows the contribution received by stakeholders through the public consultation that concluded on 3 February, along with the recommendations of the ACER Opinion published on 20 March.**

ENTSOG is committed to the continual improvement of the TYNDP and has taken the feedback received from both ACER and the stakeholders and incorporated elements that could be addressed in the final TYNDP 2017 publication. This is largely represented in a brand new feedback section within the main TYNDP report, but also includes additional or more complete annexes. All feedback will be taken into consideration for future editions of the TYNDP, with some input already fed into the relevant processes.

TYNDP Report

TYNDP 2017 looks at the next twenty years. It assesses the European supply adequacy and the resilience of the system. It identifies if and where investment gaps remain, and how submitted projects mitigate these gaps. The TYNDP will play a key role in the 3rd PCI selection process recently initiated by the European Commission.

TYNDP 2017 confirms that the current gas infrastructure is close to achieving the infrastructure-related aims of the internal gas market. Gas network is highly interconnected across most of Europe. In the specific areas where persistent long-term investment needs are identified, the necessary projects are included in the TYNDP 2017 and their commissioning timeline and potential benefits are presented in the report.

The European gas infrastructure shows high resilience and is well equipped to support Europe in achieving its energy and climate ambitions. It benefits from large storage capacities, high cross-border energy transmission and peak-demand management capabilities. Its integration with the electricity, heat and mobility infrastructure will support the energy transition and contribute to the decarbonisation of the European energy system.

Jan Ingwersen, ENTSOG General Manager, said, *“It is paramount that the European gas infrastructure is considered in the perspective of the completion of the Internal Energy Market as well as the contributions it can bring to the European climate and energy policy.”*

Learn more on ENTSOG TYNDP 2017 by reviewing the whole package, composed of the

Executive Summary, Main Report and Annexes, on the [ENTSOG website](#).

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Editorial notes

- > ENTSOG was founded on 1 December 2009 in line with Regulation (EC) 715/2009. The current number of Members, Associated Partners and Observers can be found [at this link](#).
- > In line with Articles 6, 7 and 8 of the Regulation (EC) 715/2009, ENTSOG has the task of formulating network codes in a number of areas and of adopting various communications: a non-binding community-wide Ten-Year Network Development Plan on biennial basis; Winter and Summer Supply Outlooks; common network operation tools; recommendations relating to the coordination of technical cooperation between community and third-country-TSOs; annual work programmes and annual reports.