

Press Release

ENTSOG publishes the Demand Assessment Reports of European gas Transmission System Operators

(Brussels, 25 October 2019, PR0191-19) **ENTSOG publishes the Demand Assessment Reports of European gas Transmission System Operators (TSOs) for the 2019 Incremental Capacity cycle.**

The [CAM NC amendment](#), which establishes the main steps to be followed for carrying out the incremental capacity process, was published in the Official Journal of the European Union on 17 March 2017.

The first step of this process, to be initiated at least in each odd-numbered year, requires TSOs' cooperation on assessing market demand for incremental capacity. Consequently, Demand Assessment Reports (DARs) were completed within eight weeks immediately after the yearly auctions on 1 July 2019. During this time, all network users had the option to send non-binding demand indications for incremental capacity at interconnection points to the TSOs. These demand indications were collected and evaluated by the TSOs, the results of which are described in the DARs.

In addition, these reports include the provisional timelines for the incremental capacity projects and specify if technical studies of incremental capacity projects will be initiated. If initiated, an assessment of the expected amount, direction and duration of demand for incremental capacity at the affected interconnection points will be undertaken.

As required by Article 26(3), the concerned TSOs have published their DARs on their websites within 16 weeks after the start of the yearly capacity auction. The completed DARs are also available on ENTSOG's website, [here](#).

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Editorial notes

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