

Electricity Market Code

Chapter 2

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This chapter of the Electricity Market Code is meant to give an overview of the relations and the necessary information exchange processes (schedules, meter readings) between the market players on the Austrian electricity market.

The players and the information flows between them are visualised below. The numbered arrows in the figure indicate the sequence and direction of the information flows; the data to be submitted at each step are specified in the table below the figure.

Data are transmitted in the following formats:

External schedules: ESS

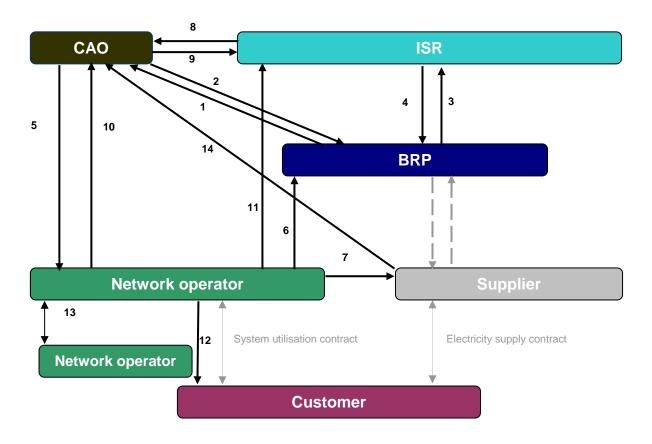
Internal schedules: ESS

Meter readings: MSCONS

The details and modalities of the information exchange between balance responsible parties (BRPs) and suppliers are a matter for bilateral agreement between these parties and are not addressed here.



Flow of information



Key: CAO: control area operator

ISR: imbalance settlement responsible

BRP: balance responsible party



#	When	Required information	Ву	То	More details in
1	a,b,c,d) Every day, by 14:30 on D-1 ¹ a) Intraday changes: with a lead time of 45 minutes before each full hour b,c,d) Deviations from the schedules that exceed the thresholds: immediately e) Annually	 a) External schedules: separate receipt and supply schedules b) Network-node power station schedules: separate schedules for production and consumption for pumping (also applies to autogenerators) c) Total net generation (gross generation minus own consumption) d) Total consumption of the balance group (BG) for pumping e) Power station maintenance schedules (annual schedules 	BRP	CAO	Chapter 3: Schedules
2	Every day, by 16:30 on D-1 Intraday changes: no later than 20 minutes after receipt by the CAO	with weekly information, to be updated when changes are made) Confirmation of external schedules (Time Series Confirmation Report)	CAO	BRP	Chapter 3: Schedules
3	a) Every day, by 14:30 on D-1 ² Intraday changes: with a lead time of 15 minutes before each quarter of an hour b) Cf. EMC chapter 8	 a) Internal schedules: separate receipt and supply schedules b) Schedules for grid losses, transmitted by the network operator in its role as BRP of the dedicated balance group for grid losses 	BRP	ISR	 Chapter 3: Schedules Chapter 8: Balance group for grid losses GTC ISR

¹ On days before weekends or public holidays, for the days up to and including the next working day ² Schedules may be submitted 30 days in advance at the earliest.



4	After clearing is concluded	Total imbalance caused by the BG	ISR	BRP	•	GTC ISR
5	a) Every day, by 15:00 on D-1 ¹ Intraday changes: immediately b) Annually	a) Network-node power station schedules: separate schedules for production and consumption for pumping b) Power station maintenance schedules	CAO	SO	•	Chapter 3: Schedules
6	a,b) Monthly, in accordance with the clearing interval c) Monthly, by the last working day of the month	 a) Monthly aggregate time series per supplier (except for local players): separate time series for actual production and actual consumption b) Monthly aggregate time series per balance group: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption c) Monthly aggregate time series of the second clearing for the month M-14, for each supplier and balance group: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption 	SO	BRP	•	Chapter 10: Information exchange between sys- tem operators and other market participants; 1st and 2nd clearing GTC ISR

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7	a,b) Monthly, in accordance with the clearing interval	a) Time series (15-minute intervals) for grid users with load meters	SO	Supplier	exchange between sys-
	c) In accordance with meter reading intervals (normally annually)	b) Monthly aggregate time series per supplier: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption			tem operators and other market participants; 1st and 2nd clearing
		c) Actual consumption of non-metered customers			and Ind steaming
		d) Monthly aggregate time series of the second clearing for the month M-14, for each supplier: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption			
	d) Monthly, by the last working day of the month	tual production and actual consumption			
_		Total of each BG's internal schedules (as time series in 15-	ISR	CAO	GTC ISR
8		minute intervals)			Chapter 3: Schedules
	After the result of the tender for balancing capacity	a) Tendered, offered and purchased amounts of balancing capacity	CAO	ISR	GTC ISR
9	b) The day after call-off c) Monthly	b) Each supplier's balancing capacity call-offs (also as internal schedules)			Chapter 3: Schedules
	c) Monuny	c) Clearing data for imbalance price calculation, e.g. standby capacity costs, costs of called-off bids, costs of compensation programmes			
10	Every day, by 14:30 on D-1 ²	Meter readings from power stations for which network-node schedules had to be submitted: separate values for production and consumption for pumping (meter readings relating to item 1b)	SO	CAO	Chapter 10: Information exchange between sys- tem operators and other market participants; 1st and 2nd clearing

¹ On days before weekends or public holidays, for the days up to and including the next working day ² After weekends and public holidays, up to and including the last working day



11	a,b,c,d) Monthly, in accordance with the clearing interval e) Monthly, by the last working day of the month	 a) Monthly aggregate time series per balance group: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption b) Total consumption of the balance group for pumping c) Monthly aggregate time series per supplier: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption d) Time series (readings of load meters in 15-minute intervals) for each grid's interconnection points e) Monthly aggregate time series of the second clearing for the month M-14, for each supplier and balance group: separate time series for actual production and actual consumption 	SO	ISR	 Chapter 10: Information exchange between system operators and other market participants; 1st and 2nd clearing GTC ISR Chapter 6: Meter readings, data formats and standard load profiles
12	In accordance with meter reading intervals (normally annually)	Actual consumption, for the purpose of billing the system charges in accordance with the Systemnutzungsentgeltever-ordnung (Electricity System Charges Ordinance)	SO	Con- sumer	 Chapter 10: Information exchange between system operators and other market participants; 1st and 2nd clearing Chapter 6: Meter readings, data formats and standardi load profiles
13	Monthly, by the 5th working day of M+1	Aggregate monthly time series (in 15-minute intervals) of each grid's interconnection points	so that is respon- sible for the data	partici- pating SOs	Chapter 10: Information exchange between sys- tem operators and other market participants; 1st and 2nd clearing



14	a,b) Weekly	Optional: bids for balancing energy or capacity:	Supplier	CAO •	Framework contracts be- tween supplier and CAO
	c) Weekly or daily by 16:00	a) primary control			
		b) secondary control			
		c) tertiary control			