

# Electricity Ten Year Statement

Half-year update to the 2017 ETYS

UK electricity transmission



# Introduction

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In November 2017, in our role as System Operator (SO), we published the 2017 Electricity Ten Year Statement (ETYS). As part of the annual ETYS programme, we review and/or revise the information set out in the ETYS in six-month intervals to ensure that you, our stakeholders, are provided with accurate and up-to-date information.

The 2017 ETYS provided you with information on the current capability as well as the future bulk transfer requirements of the GB National Electricity Transmission System (NETS). This information was used by the GB transmission owners to propose reinforcement options to meet future requirements. From this, the SO's recommendations on the preferred network reinforcement options to meet future required transfers of the GB NETS in an economic, efficient and coordinated manner were presented in the Network Options Assessment (NOA) 2017/18. The NOA 2017/18 was published in January 2018. To date, following the NOA 2017/18 recommendations, there is no new information to share in relation to the status of the NETS development.

In this year's half-year update to the 2017 ETYS, however, we will provide you with information relating to our 2018 ETYS production cycle and information related to other publications connected with the ETYS.



# Updates

## The 2018 ETYS, NOA 2018/19 and Network Development Roadmap

We will publish the 2018 ETYS by 30 November 2018. The 2018 ETYS will build on the 2018 Future Energy Scenarios (FES) to be published in July 2018. Information from both the FES and the ETYS will then be used to inform the recommendations on the preferred network reinforcement options presented in the NOA 2018/19 document, to be published in January 2019.

We will also be setting out our proposals for developing our network planning in the Network Development Roadmap at the beginning of May. This is one of the commitments in the ESO Forward Plan and aims to drive greater value to consumers through our approach to network development. It will include the developments we propose to the Electricity Ten Year Statement and Network Options Assessment. We encourage you to read this document and provide your views on the proposals.

## Stakeholder Feedback

Stakeholder feedback is one of the key things we consider when outlining the form of the ETYS. We continue to welcome your views on how the ETYS could evolve to better meet your needs and your expectations. A stakeholder consultation request is sent out to get your views on how we could improve the 2018 ETYS publication. The consultation period is now open and will be closed by 5pm on Friday 18 May 2018. You can help us shape our document by sharing your views via the consultation form <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/ETYS2018Form>.

## 2018 Publication Registration

To ensure that you are provided with timely notification relating to the publication of the FES, ETYS, NOA and other National Grid documents, the following link has been provided where you can register:

<https://nationalgrid.us5.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=d919930dfbffc8e4d3684958d&id=feac6ade96>

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