

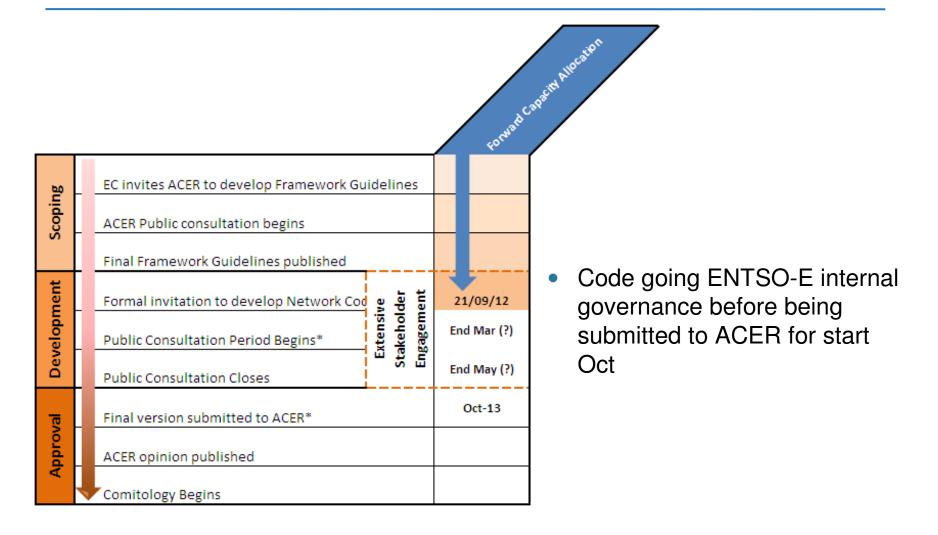
## **Forwards Capacity Allocation (FCA)**

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#### Introduction

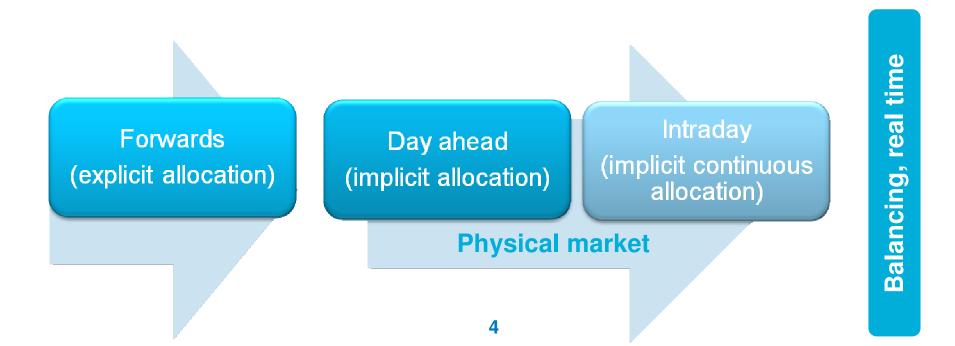
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#### **Forwards current status**



## **Target model**

- Create pan-European electricity market by removing barriers for cross border trading subject to network constraints
- Code high level, detail to come later



#### **Forwards market overview**

|  | Bidding<br>zone/border | Capacity<br>Calculation<br>Region | Other    | Pan<br>European |
|--|------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Single<br>allocation platform                          |                        |                                   |          | ~               |
| Harmonised [change<br>round order]<br>allocation rules |                        |                                   |          | ✓ **            |
| Firmness rules   |                        | <b>~</b>                          |          | *               |
| Capacity calculation                                   |                        | <b>~</b>                          |          |                 |
| Bidding zone review                                    | ~                      | <b>~</b>                          | <b>~</b> | <b>~</b>        |
| Choice of<br>PTR/FTR/CfD                               | ~                      | *                                 |          |                 |
| PTR/FTR payouts  | ✓                      |                                   |          | *               |

\* ACER position

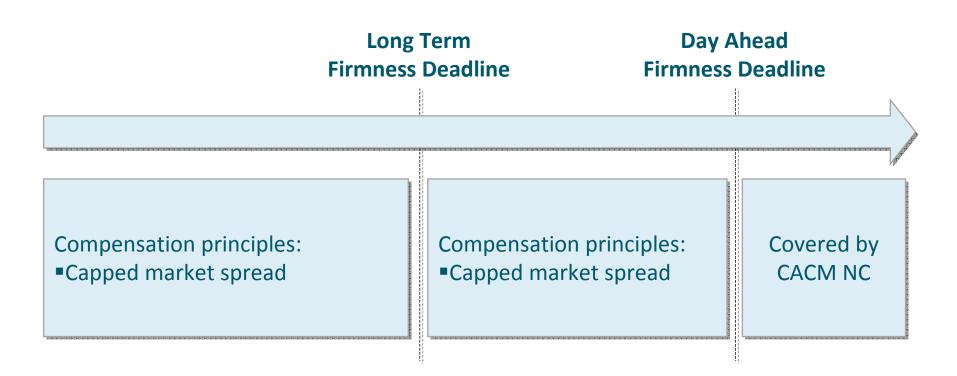
\* \*Pan-European allocation rules, but regional specificities allowed

#### **TSO/SO exemption text - agreed**

Currently code refers to System Operator. However this concept is going to be replaced by TSO and a common piece of text (below) will be inserted into all ENCs.

"In Member States where more than one transmission system operator exists, this Regulation shall apply to all transmission system operators within that Member State. Where a transmission system operator does not have a function relevant to one or some obligations under this Network Code, Member States may under the national regulatory regime provide that the responsibility to comply with one or some obligations under this Network Code is assigned to one or more different transmission system operators. In case of such assignment, the Network Code shall apply accordingly to the transmission system operator(s) to which responsibilities have been assigned."

#### Firmness Title 3 – Chapter 7, Art 73-78



- Carve out for outages of long duration (specifically mentions DC subsea cables)
- Long term firmness deadline is equivalent to nomination deadline for PTRs.

### **Next steps**

- Code been to ENTSO-E Market Committee approved to be submitted to ACER start October
- No more changes to code will be made prior to this.
- ACER will then have three months to decide if it is compliant with framework guidelines and whether it should be submitted to the EC

## How to get involved

- Get in touch with me.
- Joint European Standing Group (JESG)
- DECC/Ofgem workshop on FCA for stakeholders (16<sup>th</sup> October)
- DECC/Ofgem directly

## **Further Information**

#### Target model

- Overview doc: <u>https://www.entsoe.eu/major-projects/network-code-development/</u>
- Framework Guidelines for both CACM and Forward Capacity Allocation:
  http://www.acer.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/ACER HOME/Public Docs/Acts%20of%20the%20Agency/Framework%20Guideline/Framework Guidelines on Capacity Allocation and Congestion M

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- ENTSO-E's Network Code website: <u>https://www.entsoe.eu/major-projects/network-code-development/capacity-allocation-and-congestion-management/</u>
- Ofgem: <u>http://www.ofgem.gov.uk/Europe/EEM/Pages/EEM.aspx</u>
- ACER Recommendation: <u>http://www.acer.europa.eu/Official\_documents/Acts\_of\_the\_Agency/Recommendations/ACER%20Recommendation%2001-</u> <u>2013.pdf</u>
- (Annex): <u>https://www.entsoe.eu/fileadmin/user\_upload/\_library/resources/CACM/ACER\_\_Annex\_to\_Recommendation\_01-2013\_on\_the\_Network\_Code\_on\_CACM.pdf</u>
- Forwards
  - ENTSO-E's Network Code website: <a href="https://www.entsoe.eu/major-projects/network-code-development/forward-capacity-allocation/">https://www.entsoe.eu/major-projects/network-code-development/forward-capacity-allocation/</a>
  - ENTSO-E Consultation Portal: <u>https://www.entsoe.eu/consultations/</u>

## **Any questions?**



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