

Data Publication

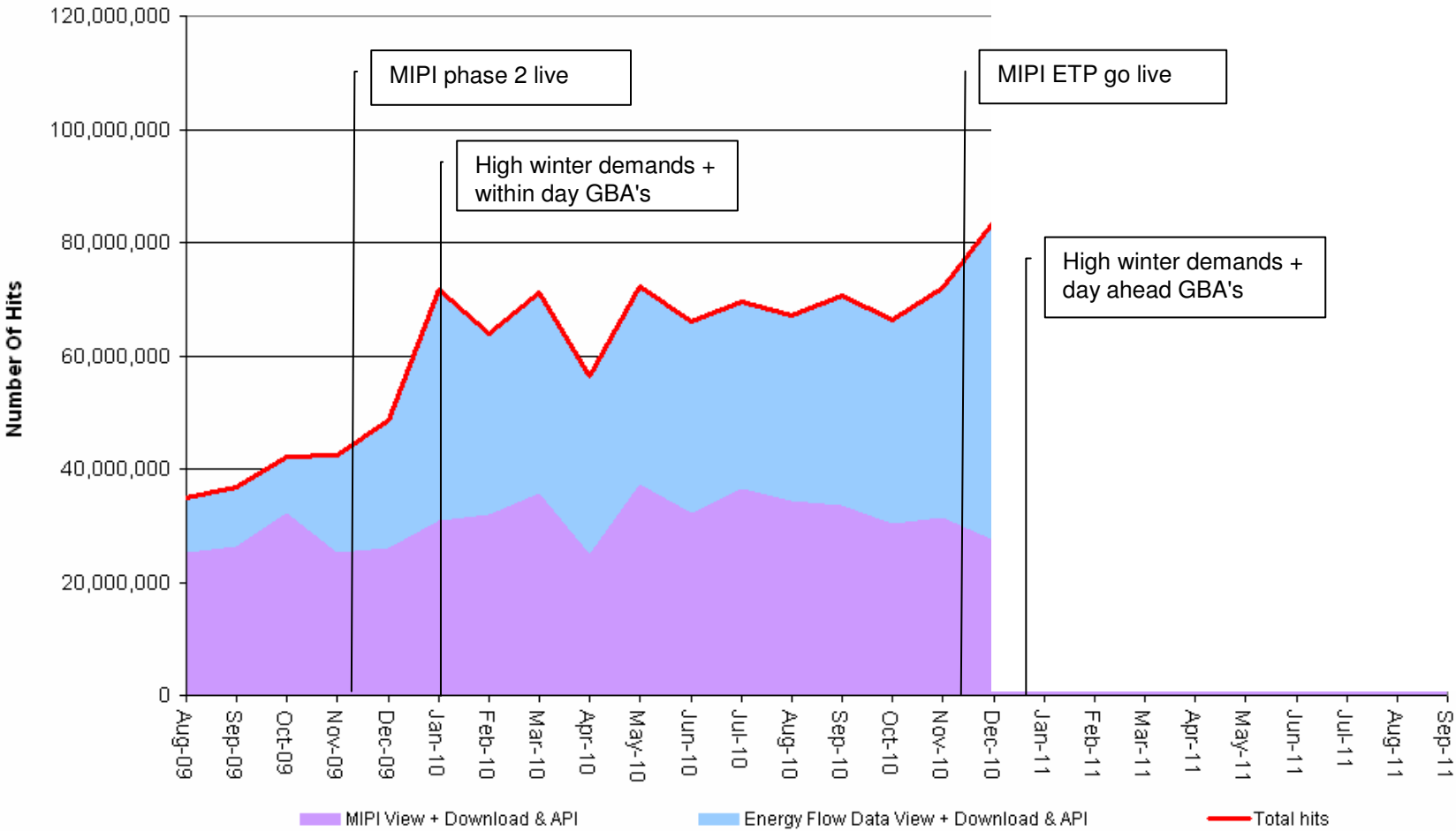


Data Publication Incentive

- Purpose: Incentivise prompt and reliable publication of key data on the National Grid website.
- System Availability
 - Target of 99.3% availability for 3 key screens
 - <http://marketinformation.natgrid.co.uk/gas/frmPrevalingView.aspx>
 - <http://marketinformation.natgrid.co.uk/gas/DataItemExplorer.aspx>
 - <http://marketinformation.natgrid.co.uk/gas/ReportExplorer.aspx>
- Timeliness
 - Publish 90.5% of the hourly updates for 4 key data items within 10 mins of the hour bar

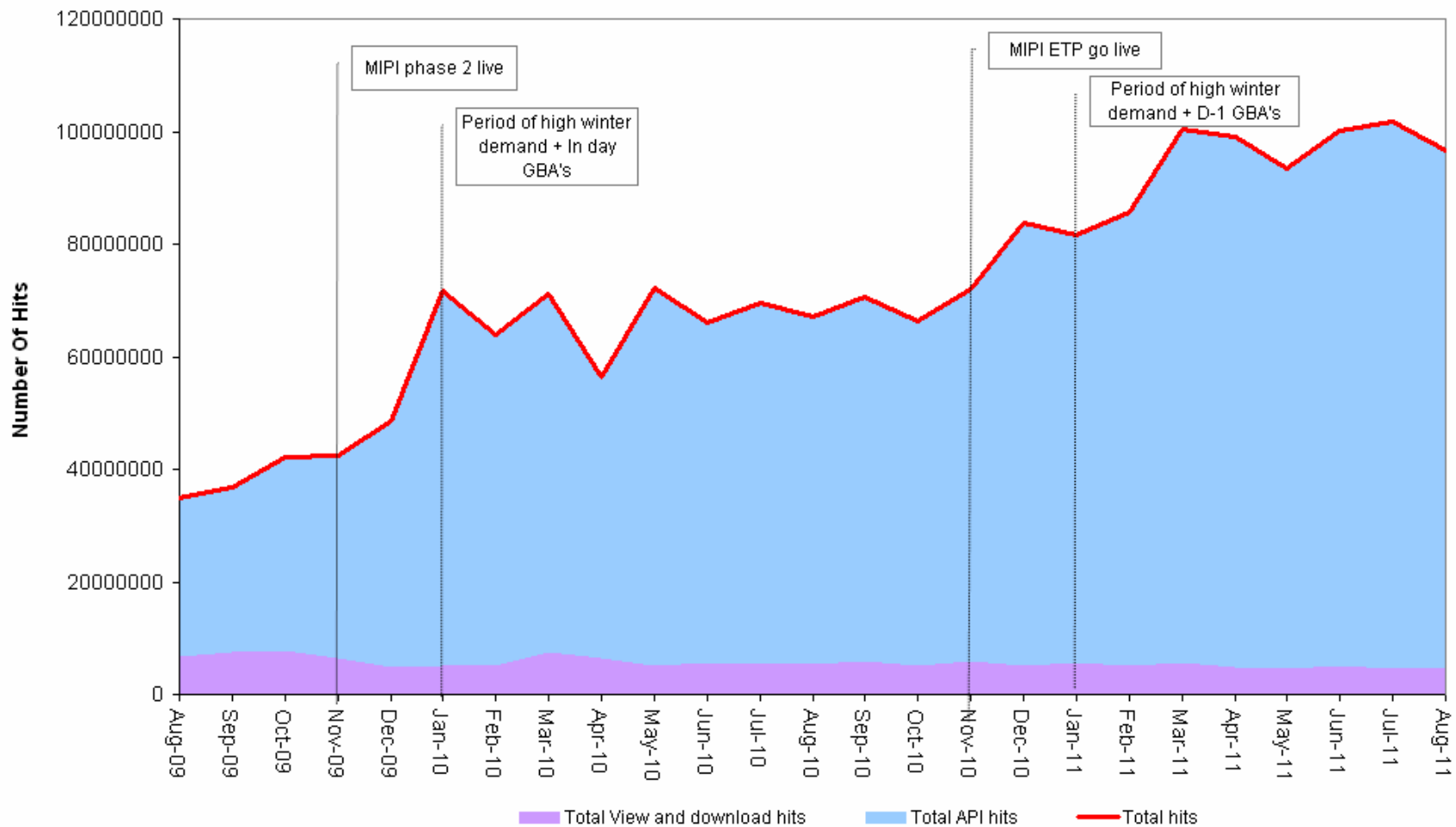
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Data Publication Performance

- 2011/12 Performance

Incentive Year	Incentive Target		Performance	
	Availability	Timeliness	Availability	Timeliness
Apr	99.3%	90.5%	99.6	93.0
May	99.3%	90.5%	98.9	89.5
Jun	99.3%	90.5%	98.4	88.5
Jul	99.3%	90.5%	98.5	92.1
Aug	99.3%	90.5%	97.8	91.4
Sep	99.3%	90.5%	96.3	84.9

- NG always looking to improve website performance
 - Energy Flow Data - Lowest frequency of publication = 12 mins
 - Data Item/Report Explorer - Lowest frequency of publication = hourly
 - Most information updated daily
- Extracting the data any more frequently will impact the service for all users