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### Meet the Team







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### Hannah Sharratt Stakeholder Engagement &

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Strategic Planning Manager



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Head of Business Connections



# G99 Example forms







99 applications as a

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- Last year we took away an ICE action to provide further support on the G98/G99 application process to our customers.
- This included a presentation outlining the process for G98/G99 (Type A) applications and explaining where to get the required info:

We will provide support to our customers to help with the G98/G99	We will publish example application forms for common scenario G98/G
application process.	reference guide to help customers complete application f

• Following this, we have prepared a example form for an 9.9kVA solar application to run through the required info. We would like feedback from this presentation on whether this meets your requirements on how best to display / provide info to yourselves.

### Types of generation at LV

➢Photovoltaic (PV)

➢ Battery Storage







### Combined Heat and Power (CHP)



### Summary of forms



### Summary of G98 and G99 Forms

	Single premises Up to and including 16 A per phase	Multiple premises Up to and including 16 A per phase	Less than 50kW	Integrated Micro- generation & storage (each up to & including 16 A per phase)	Greater than 50kW & less than 1MW Type A	1MW to less than 10MW Type B	10MW to less than 50MW Type C	Greater than or equal to 50MW or >110kV Type D
Applicable Standard	G98	G98	G99	G99	G99	G99	G	99
Application		Form A	Form A1-1	Form A1-2	SAF	SAF	SA	\F <sup>^</sup>
Notification	Form B	Form B	Form A3-1	Form A3-2	Form A3-1			
Evidence	If fully type tested but not registered with the ENA- <b>Form C</b>	If fully type tested but not registered with the ENA- <b>Form C</b>	If not type tested – Form A2-1 synchronous <50kW, Form A2-2 synchronous >50kW or Form A2-3 inverter connected gen	If not type tested – Form A2-1 synchronous <50kW, Form A2-2 synchronous >50kW or Form A2-3 inverter connected gen	If not type tested- Form A2-2 synchronous Form A2-3 inverter connected gen	PGMD <sup>**</sup> Form B2-1	PGN Form	ΛD <sup>™</sup> C2-1
Site Compliance and Commissioning Checks					Form A2-4 if the Interface Protection is not Type Tested or for other site compliance tests	Form B2-2 if the Interface Protection is not Type Tested or for other site compliance tests	Form if the Interfac not Type Teste site compl	e Protection is ed or for other iance tests
Installation						Form B3	Forr	n C3

\*Standard Application Form

\*\*Power Generating Module Document



- Having the generator on your initial application helps us model the generation effectively, hence giving you a more accurate study and quotation
- Wrong forms submitted please refer to slide 12 to make sure you utilise the correct form for each stage
- Not filling out the Manufacturer's Reference Number in the application form providing this really helps speed up the process as we can confirm compliance faster – please refer to slides 17 & 18 for guidance on providing this

### **Compliant** vs. **Awaiting assessment/Further information required**



ENA	Status	Comment	
Notified       Notified       Notified       Notified       Notified       Notified       Notified         Pollborne Davie       Image: Antified	Compliant	<ul> <li>Proof of compliance helps fast track your application as it has been ENA approved for G98/99 compliance (relevant evidence form will already be completed on the website)</li> <li>Reduces the amount of information to provide</li> </ul>	
	Awaiting assessment	<ul> <li>Although the equipment has been type tested (i.e. not green on the ENA database) you will need to provide further evidence in the form of:</li> <li>Generator operating parameters (generator owner</li> </ul>	
<complex-block><complex-block><complex-block></complex-block></complex-block></complex-block>	Further information required	<ul> <li>Complete evidence documents (A2-1, A2-2, A2-3 etc.) at your own expense with a suitable certified technician/engineer</li> <li>You will need to add extra time for these steps in advance of energisation</li> </ul>	

# Application





### **APPLICATION:** Guide to completing G99 Form A1-1

- Engineering Recommendation G99 Form A1-1 is submitted to the DNO during the application stage
- This is for single phase systems up to and including 17kW, and for three phase systems up to and including 50kW
- Completed by the applicant or installer
- Latest version available on the ENA website must be used
- Submitted to <u>connectionapplications@enwl.co.uk</u>

Page 1		Page 2	
Form A1-1 : Application for connection of Power Generating Module(s) with Total Aggregate Capacity <50 kW 3-phase or 17 kW single phase		Post Code	Details about the site where
For Power Generating Modules with an aggregate capacity < 50 kW 3-phase or 17 kW single-phase,		Contact person	the generator is to be
this simplimed application form can be used. For Power Generating modules with an aggregate capacity > 50 kW 3-phase, the connection application should be made using the Standard Application Form (generally available from the DNO website)		Telephone Number	approximated
If the Power Generating Module is Fully Type Tested and registered in the ENA Type Test		E-mail address	connected
Verification Report Register, this application form should include the Manufacturer's reference number (the Product ID).		Installation details:	
If part of the Power Generating Module is Type Tested and registered with the ENA Type Test Verification Report Register, this application form should include the Manufacturer's reference number (the Product ID) and Form A2-1 or A2-2 or A2-3 (as appropriate) should be submitted to the NON with		Address	Technical details of <u>existing</u>
this form.		Post Code	generation (see overleaf for
If the Power Generating Module is neither Fully Type Tested or Type Tested then and Form A2-1 or A2-2 or A2-3 should be submitted to the DNO with this form. Alternatively the Standard Application		MPAN(s)	generation (see overlear for
Form should be submitted instead of this form.		Details of Existing PGMs – where applicable:	guidance on the
99 West St, Imaginary Town, ZZ99 9AA abced@wxyz.com		Manufacturer Approximate Technology Manufacturer's PGM Registered Capacity // Type available 3. Single Phase Units Pow	Manufacture's Reference No.)
Generator Details:		phase Fact units PH1 PH2 PH3	or
Generator (name)	Generator owner's		
Address	contact details		Technical details of proposed
Post Code		Details of Proposed Additional Generating Unit(s):	additional generation (see
Contact person (if different from Generator)		Manufacturer Approximate Technology Manufacturer's Generating Unit Capacity (kw/	additional generation (see
Telephone number		installation available 3- Single Phase Units Pow phase units put put put put	overleaf for guidance on the
E-mail address			Manufacture's Reference No.
MPAN(s)			Manufacture 3 Reference NO.
Installer Details:	Installers details including	Balance of Multiple Single Phase Generating Units – where applicable	
Installer	mstaners detans merdanig	I confirm that design of the Generator's Installation has been carried out to limit output po	Signed declaration of
Accreditation / Qualification	accreditation	Sinnari - Date -	Signed deciaration of
Address		Use continuation sheet where required.	compliance with EREC G99
		Record Power Generating Module Registered Capacity kW at 230 AC, to one decimal place, under PH1 for single phase supplies and under the relevant phase for two and three phase supplies.	

Detail on a separate sheet if there are any proposals to limit export to a lower figure than the aggregal Registered Capacity of all the Power Generating Modules in the Power Generating Facility.

### **ENA Type Test Register**

- It is vitally important to get the Manufacturer's Reference Number entered on the application form correct as Electricity North West cannot check compliance without it
- Manufacturer's Reference Number is obtained from the ENA Type Test Register website
- <u>http://www.ena-eng.org/gen-ttr/</u>

Type Test Register				Contrast I many many many many		La Gu	est <del>v</del> User Guide Cont	tact Us energynetworks association
Find/Browse Devices	Introduction	Latest Devices	Search Results	Step 4 : The Syst	tem Referer	nce of		
Search Model or Reference Q	27 Devices Fo	ound		the micro genera on the	ator to be ei Form B	ntered		🛓 Download
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Ginlong)	SOLIS/01480/V1	11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong) (previously Ning	gbo Ginlong) Solis-mini-3000-	Inverter	PV	3 kW	One
	SOLIS/01464/V1	11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong) (previously Ning	gbo Ginlong) Solis-mini-3000-4G	Inverter	PV	3 kW	One
	SOLIS/01448/V1	11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong) (previously Ning	gbo Ginlong) Solis-1P3K-4G	Inverter	PV	3 kW	One
x Inverter	SOLIS/01440/V1	11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong) (previously Ning	gbo Ginlong) RHI-3K-48ES-NI	rter	PV	3 kW	One
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and	SOLIS/00807/V1/A1	3 Sep 2019	Solis (Ginlong) (previously Ning	gbo Ginlong) Solis-mini-3000-4G	Inverter	PV	3 kW	One
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### **ENA Type Test Register**



Type Test Register								💄 Guest	← User Guide	Contact Us
Find/Browse Devices	Introduction Latest De	vices Search R	esults							
Search Model or Reference	27 Devices Found									📩 Download
Manufacturer  * Solis (Ginlong) (previously Ningbo	System Reference 1: 1.7 Published	Li Li Manufacture	r )1 17	Model 👫 👫		Category 🖡	<b>17</b>		Registered Capacity	No. of Phases
Giniong)	SOLIS/01480/V1 11 Oct 2019	Solis Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-mini-3000-4	1G	Inverter	P\	/	3.KW	One
	SOLIS/01464/V1 11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-mini-3000-4	4G	Inverter	P\	/	3 kW	One
Device Category	SOLIS/01448/V1 11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-1P3K-4G		Inverter	PV	'	3 kW	One
× Inverter	SOLIS/01440/V1 11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) RHI-3K-48ES-NI		Inverter	PV	· /	3 kW	One
	SOLIS/01437/V1 11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-1P3K-4G		Inverter	PV	'	3 kW	One
Device Type	SOLIS/01433/V1 11 Oct 2019	Solis (Ginlong	<u>) (previously Ningbo Ginlo</u>	ng) RAI-3K-48ES-5G		Inverter	P\	·	3 kW	One
Select one or more	sous/ Details of Existi	ng PGMs - whe	ere applicable:						3 kW	One
	SOLIS/	Annaulmata	Tashaalaas	Manufacture	DOM D	la aleta est	Canadia		3 kW	One
Published between	SOLIS/ Manufacturer	Date of	Type	Ref No. where	FOMIN	registeret	Capacity It		3 kW	One
Month/Year	<u>SOLIS/</u>	Installation		available	3-	Single F	hase Units	Power	3 kW	One
and	SOLIS/				phase			Factor	3 kW	One
Month/Year	SOLIS/				units	PH1	на ынз		3 kW	One
	SOLIS/								3 kW	One
Registered capacity between	SOLIS/					+ +			3 kW	One
and	SOLIS/								3 kW	One
3.1	SOLIS/00800/V2 3 Sep 2019	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-1P3K-4G		Inverter	P\	/	3 kW	One
	SOLIS/00786/V1/A1 26 Aug 201	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) RHI-3K-48ES		Inverter	PV	/	3 kW	One
Q Search/Filter	SOLIS/00783/V1/A1 26 Aug 201	9 Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-mini-3000-4	4G	Inverter	P\	/	3 kW	One
	SOLIS/00771/V1/A1 26 Aug 201	Solis (Ginlong	g) (previously Ningbo Ginlo	ng) Solis-1P3K-4G		Inverter	P∖	/	3 kW	One

## **Post- Acceptance**





### **NOTIFICATION:** Guide to completing G99 Form A3-1

- Engineering Recommendation G99 Form A3-1 is submitted to the DNO during the notification stage for generation less than 50kW
- Completed by the applicant or installer *to be completed prior to site commissioning/witness test*
- Used as a chance to make sure all information is submitted and accounted for
- Latest version available on the ENA website must be used
- Submitted to <u>connectionapplications@enwl.co.uk</u>

Page 1			Page 2						
		Post Code							
Form A3-1 : Installation Document for Type A Power Generating Modules		Contact person							
Please complete and provide this document for every Power Generating Facility.		Telephone Number							
Part 1 should be completed for the Power Generating Facility.		E-mail address							
Part 2 should be completed for each of the Power Generating Modules being commissioned. Where the installation is phased the form should be completed on a per Generating Unit basis as		Installer signatu	re						
each part of the installation is completed in accordance with EREC G99 paragraph 15.3.3. For phased installations reference to PGM in this form should be read as reference to Generating		Installation det	ails						
Units.		Address							
Form A3-1 Part 1									Site of installation details
To ABC electricity distribution DNO		Post code							
99 West St, Imaginary Town, ZZ99 9AA abced@wxyz.com		Location within Generator's Installation							
Generator Details:		Location of Lockable Isolation	m						•
Generator (name)	-	Summary detai	Is of Power	Generating Mo	odules - where mu	Itiple Pow	er Generating	Modules will	
Address	-	exist within one	Generator's	Installation.	1				
Post Code					Manufacturers Ref No. (Product	Power G Register	enerating Mod red Capacity in	ule kW	
Contact person (if different from Generator)	Generator manufacturer				ID) or Reference to Form A2- 1/2/3 or combination of	3- Phase Units	Single Phase Units	Power Factor	
Telephone number	details	Manufacturer / Reference	Date of Installation	Technology Type	above as applicable		PH PH P 1 2 3	'Н 3	Technical details of propose
E-mail address									additional concration (coo
MPAN(s)									additional generation (see
Generator signature									overleaf for guidance on th
Installer Details:		Emerging tech	nology class	sification (if ap	plicable).				Manufacture's Reference N
Installer									
Accreditation / Qualification	Installer details	Commissioning	Checks.						
Address		Description					Confirma	ition	Commissioning checks
	]	Generator's Ins Regulations).	tallation sat	isfies the requir	ements of BS767	1 (IET Wiri	ng Yes / No*		

### **NOTIFICATION:** Guide to completing G99 Form A3-1

- Engineering Recommendation G99 Form A3-1 is submitted to the DNO during the notification stage for generation less than 50kW
- Completed by the applicant or installer *to be completed prior to site commissioning/witness test*
- Used as a chance to make sure all information is submitted and accounted for
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Page 3		Page 4						
Suitable lockable points of isolation have been provided between the PGMs and the rest of the Generator's Installation.	Yes / No*	Commissioning checks	*Circle as appropriate. If "No" is selected the Power Generating the commissioning tests and the Power Generating Module sh	Facility is deemed to have failed all not be put in service.	To be filled in if 'No' is			
Labels have been installed at all points of isolation in accordance with EREC G99.	Yes / No*		Additional comments / observations:		circled in the of the			
Interlocking that prevents PGMs being connected in parallel with the DNO's Distribution Network (without synchronising) is in place and operates correctly.	Yes / No*				previous questions			
Balance of Multiple Single Phase PGMs. Confirm that design of the Generator's Installation has been carried out to limit output power imbalance to below 16 A per phase, as required by EREC G99.	Yes / No*							
Form A3-1 Part 2		1						
Power Generating Module reference or name		1	Declaration - to be completed by Generator or Generator's Ap	pointed Technical Representative.				
Information to be enclosed.			I declare that for the Type A Power Generating Module within t	the scope of this EREC G99, and the	Declaration from the generator or			
Description	Confirmation	Information to be enclosed	Installation: 1. Compliance with the requirements of EREC G99 is achieved.		generators approved technical			
Schedule of protection settings (may be included in circuit diagram)	Yes / No*	and provided to the DNO	<ol> <li>The commissioning checks detailed in Form A2-4 have been</li> <li>The commissioning checks detailed in this Form A3-1 have been</li> </ol>	successfully completed*. een successfully completed.	representative			
As installed Standard Application Form data, unless already provided.	Yes / No*	and provided to the bito	*delete if not applicable ie if the Interface Protection and ride th	nrough capabilities are Type Tester	representative			
Final copy of circuit diagram	Yes / No*		Name:		Used to confirm that the generator			
Commissioning Checks.			Signature:		will operate within proposed			
The Interface Protection settings have been checked and comply with EREC G99.	Yes / No / N/A (Type Tested)*		Company Name:	Date:	operating parameters and all			
The PGM successfully synchronises with the DNO's Distribution Network without causing significant voltage disturbance	Yes / No*		Position:		relevant information has been			
The PGM successfully runs in parallel with the DNO's Distribution	Yes / No*	-	Declaration – to be completed by DNO Witnessing Represe witnessed by the DNO.	entative if applicable. Delete if not	provided to the DNO			
Network without httpping and without causing significant voltage disturbances.	V (N-4	-	I confirm that I have witnessed: 1. The commissioning checks detailed in Form A2-4 *; 2. The commissioning checks detailed in this Form A3-1 on b	ehalf of and that the results are an	To be completed by the DNO			
disturbance, when it is shut down.	Yes / No*		accurate record of the checks.	prough canabilities are Type Person	To be completed by the DNO			
Interface Protection operates and disconnects the DNO's Distribution Network quickly (within 1 s) when a suitably rated switch, located	Yes / No*	Commissioning checks	Name:	nough capabilities are Type rested	for the witness test stage			
The PGM remains disconnected for at least 20 s after switch is reclosed.	Yes / No*		Signature: Company Name:	Date:				
Loss of tripping and auxiliary supplies. Where applicable, loss of supplies to tripping and protection relays results in either PGM forced trip or an alarm to a 24 hour manned control centre.	Yes / No*	-						

Technical details

generation (see

slides 7 & 8 for

Manufacture's

Reference No.)

guidance on the

of proposed



Form A2-3: Compliance Verification Report for Type A Inverter Connected Power Generating Modules

This form should be used by the Manufacturer to demonstrate and declare compliance with the requirements of EREC G99. The form can be used in a variety of ways as detailed below:

#### 1. To obtain Fully Type Tested status

The Manufacturer can use this form to obtain Fully Type Tested status for a Power Generating Module by registering this completed form with the Energy Networks Association (ENA) Type Test Verification Report Register.

#### 2. To obtain Type Tested status for a product

This form can be used by the Manufacturer to obtain Type Tested status for a product which is used in a Power Generating Module by registering this form with the relevant parts completed with the Energy Networks Association (ENA) Type Test Verification Report Register. Where the Manufacturer is seeking to obtain Type Tested status for an Interface Protection device the appropriate section of Form A2-4 should be used.

#### 3. One-off Installation

This form can be used by the Manufacturer or Installer to confirm that the Power Generating Module has been tested to satisfy all or part of the requirements of this EREC G99. This form shall be submitted to the DNO as part of the application.

A combination of (2) and (3) can be used as required, together with Form A2-4 where compliance of the Interface Protection is to be demonstrated on site.

#### Note:

Within this Form A2-3 the term Power Park Module will be used but its meaning can be interpreted within Form A2-3 to mean Power Park Module, Generating Unit or Inverter as appropriate for the context. However, note that compliance shall be demonstrated at the Power Park Module level.

If the Power Generating Module is Fully Type Tested and registered with the Energy Networks Association (ENA) Type Test Verification Report Register, the Installation Document (Form A3-1 or A3-2) should include the Manufacturer's reference number (the Product ID), and this form does not need to be submitted.

Where the **Power Generating Module** is not registered with the ENA Type Test Verification Report Register or is not **Fully Type Tested** this form (all or in parts as applicable) needs to be completed and provided to the **DNO**, to confirm that the **Power Generating Module** has been tested to satisfy all or part of the requirem of this EREC G99.

PGM tech	nology	N		
Manufact	urer name	Na		
Address		Add	ress of Manufacturer	Manufacture's
Tel	Number of Manufacturer	Web site	Website of Manufacturer	details
E:mail Email of I			urer	
Registered Capacity			9.9kVA	

- If your generation/inverter is type test compliant on the ENA Database, this form will already be completed
- If it is awaiting assessment you may have to provide information in the generator/inverters operating performance (this can be provided by our generator manufacturer)
- If the generation/inverter is a one-off build you may have to complete the evidence documents (A2-1, A2-2, A2-3 etc.) at your own expense with a suitable certified technician/engineer
- You will need to add extra time for these steps in advance of energisation

# **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Testing conducted*



There are four options for Testing: (1) Fully Type Tested, (2) Partially Type Tested, (3) one-off installation, (4) tested on site at time of commissioning. The check box below indicates which tests in this Form have been completed for each of the options. With the exception of Fully Type Tested PGMs tests may be carried out at the time of commissioning (Form A4). Insert Document reference(s) for Manufacturers' Information

Tested option:	1. Fully Type Tested	2. Partially Type Tested	3. One-off Manufacturers'. Info.	4. Tested on Site at time of Commissioning
0. Fully Type Tested - all tests detailed below completed and evidence attached to this submission		N/A	N/A	N/A
1. Operating Range	N/A			
2. PQ – Harmonics				
3. PQ – Voltage Fluctuation and Flicker				
4. PQ – DC Injection (Power Park Modules only)				
5. Power Factor (PF)				
6. Frequency protection trip and ride through tests				
7. Voltage protection trip and ride through tests				
8. Protection – Loss of Mains Test, Vector Shift and RoCoE. Stability Test				
9. LFSM-O Test	-			
10. Protection – Reconnection Timer				
11. Fault Level Contribution				

There are four options for Testing: (1) Fully Type Tested, (2) Partially Type Tested, (3) one-off installation, (4) tested on site at time of commissioning. The check box below indicates which tests in this Form have been completed for each of the options. With the exception of Fully Type Tested PGMs tests may be carried out at the time of commissioning (Form A4). Insert Document reference(s) for Manufacturers' Information

1. Fully Type Tested 2. Partially Type Tested 3. One-off 4. Tested on Site at time of Tested option: Manufacturers'. Info. Commissioning 12. Self-monitoring Solid State Switch 13. Wiring functional tests if required by para 15.2.1 (attach relevant schedule of tests) 14. Logic Interface (input port) Manufacturer compliance declaration. - I certify that all products supplied by the company with the above Type Tested Manufacturer's reference number will be manufactured and tested to ensure that they perform as stated in this document, prior to shipment to site and that no site Modifications are required to ensure that the product meets all the requirements of EREC G99. Signed Sign-off from Manufacturer On behalf of Manufacturer Note that testing can be done by the Manufacturer of an individual component or by an external test house.

Where parts of the testing are carried out by persons or organisations, other than the Manufacturer then that person or organisation, shall keep copies of all test records and results supplied to them to verify that the testing has been carried out by people with sufficient technical competency to carry out the tests.

- This provides an overview of the tests required to prove compliance
- Some of the tests are completed on-site and some are provided by the manufacturer
- The manufacturer or someone with sufficient technical competence on behalf of the manufacturer will need to sign-off this sheet

# **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Operating Range*



A2-3 Compliance Verification Report –Tests for Type A Inverter Connected Power Generating Modules – test record

1. Operating Range: Five tests should be carried with the Power Generating Module operating at Registered Capacity and connected to a suitable test supply or grid simulation set. The power supplied by the primary source shall be kept stable within  $\pm$  5 % of the apparent power value set for the entire duration of each test sequence.

Frequency, voltage and Active Power measurements at the output terminals of the Power Generating Module shall be recorded every second. The tests will verify that the Power Generating Module can operate within the required ranges for the specified <u>period of time</u>.

The Interface Protection shall be disabled during the tests.

In case of a PV Power Park Module the PV primary source may be replaced by a DC source.

In case of a full converter Power Park Module (eg wind) the primary source and the prime mover Inverter/rectifier may be replaced by a DC source.

Test 1	
Voltage = 85% of nominal (195.5 V), Frequency = 47 Hz, Power Factor = 1, Period of test 20 s	Tested with the specified conditions, in the 20 seconds period, the inverters operate normally
Test 2	
Voltage = 85% of nominal (195.5 V), Frequency = 47.5 Hz, Power Factor = 1, Period of test 90 minutes	Tested with the specified conditions, in the 90 minutes period, the inverters operate normally
Test 3	
Voltage = 110% of nominal (253 V)., Frequency = 51.5 Hz, Power Factor = 1, Period of test 90 minutes	Tested with the specified conditions, in the 90 minutes period, the inverters operate normally
Test 4	
Voltage = 110% of nominal (253 V), Frequency = 52.0 Hz, Power Factor = 1, Period of test 15 minutes	Tested with the specified conditions, in the 15 minutes period, the inverters operate normally
Test 5 Rocot withstand	
Confirm that the Power Generating Module is, capable of staying connected to the Distribution Network and operate at rates of change of frequency up to 1 Hzs. as measured over a period of 500 ms. Note that this is not expected to be demonstrated on site	Tested with the specified conditions, the inverters operate normally

This test confirms compliance with 11.2.2

ENA Type Test compliance is provided on the understanding that:

- Tests are up-to-date and in accordance with the most recent amendment of G99.
- Confirmation is provided that the device operates correctly under each test conditions;
- Evidence is provided of operation (graphical or tabular).
  - 11.2.1 Under abnormal conditions automatic low-frequency loadshedding provides for load reduction down to 47 Hz. In exceptional circumstances, the frequency of the DNO's Distribution Network could rise above 50.5 Hz. Therefore all Power Generating Modules should be capable of continuing to operate in parallel with the Distribution Network in accordance with the following:

(d) 47 Hz - 47.5 Hz Operation for a period of at least 20 s is required each time the frequency is within this range.

(e) 47.5 Hz – 49.0 Hz Operation for a period of at least 90 minutes is required each time the frequency is within this range.

(f) 49.0 Hz – 51.0 Hz Continuous operation of the **Power Generating Module** is required.

(g) 51.0 Hz -51.5 Hz Operation for a period of at least 90 minutes is required each time the frequency is within this range.

(h) 51.5 Hz - 52 Hz Operation for a period of at least 15 minutes is required each time the frequency is within this range.

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#### 2. Power Quality - Harmonics

For Power Generating Modules of Registered Capacity of less than 75 A per phase (je, 50 kW) the test requirements are specified in Annex A.7.1.5. These tests should be carried out as specified in BS EN 61000-3-12 The results need to comply with the limits of Table 2 of BS EN 61000-3-12 for single phase equipment and Table 3 of BS EN 610000-3-12 for three phase equipment.

For Power Generating Modules of Registered Capacity of greater than 75 A per phase (ie 50 kW) the installation shall be designed in accordance with EREC G5.

Power Ger	limits the						
Power Generating Module rating per phase (rpp)			3 KVA		Harmonio Value (A phase (k)	c % = Measured ) x 23/rating per VA)	to remain within – from looking at the
Harmonic	At 45-55% o Registered	f Capacity	100% of Registered Ca	pacity	Limit in B	S EN 61000-3	highlighted results it is clea
Measured % Value MV in Amps		%	Measured Value MV in Amps	%	1 phase	3 <u>phase</u>	compliant
2	0.0723	0.5543	0.0187	0.1434	8%	8%	
3	0.1554	1.1914	0.1036	0.7943	21.6%	Not stated	
4	0.0832	0.6379	0.0623	0.4776	4%	4%	A 7 1 4 1 The
5	0.6321	<mark>4.8461</mark>	<mark>0.4735</mark>	3.6302	10.7%	10.7%	tests should be
6	0.0215	0.1648	0.0964	0.7391	2.67%	2.67%	specified in BS
7	0.1836	<mark>1.4076</mark>	0.2285	1.7518	7.2%	7.2%	EN 61000-3-12
8	0.0512	0.3925	0.0128	0.0981	2%	2%	undertaken
9	0.1703	<mark>1.3056</mark>	<mark>0.1564</mark>	<mark>1.1991</mark>	3.8%	Not stated	with a fixed source of
10	0.1145	<mark>0.8778</mark>	0.0426	0.3266	1.6%	1.6%	energy at two
11	0.0302	0.2315	0.0713	0.5466	3.1%	3.1%	firstly between
12	0.0157	<mark>0.1204</mark>	0.0232	<mark>0.1779</mark>	1.33%	1.33%	45 and 55% and at 100% of
13	0.0494	0.3787	0.0865	0.6632	2%	2%	Registered
THD <sup>17</sup>		<mark>5.52</mark>		<mark>4.48</mark>	23%	13%	Сарасну
PWHD <sup>18</sup>		7.23		6.37	23%	22%	
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• Ensure rating of device (per phase) is provided at the top of the table.

- ator needs Ensure tests limits are in accordance with nain within BS EN 61000-3-12 and harmonics #2 - #13 are provided.
  - It is a requirement that, for single and 3phase devices, all harmonic data is provided. If device is 3-phase, ensure harmonic data for each phase is included (only one phase of three shown in this example)
  - Ensure that THD and PWHD values are provided.

### EVIDENCE: A2-3 Form: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – Power Quality



#### 3. Power Quality – Voltage fluctuations and Flicker:

For Power Generating Modules of Registered Capacity of less than 75 A per phase (je 50 kW) these tests should be undertaken in accordance with Annex A.7.1.4.3. Results should be <u>normalised</u> to a standard source impedance, or if this results in figures above the limits set in BS EN 61000-3-11 to a suitable Maximum Impedance.

For Power Generating Modules of Registered Capacity of greater than 75 A per phase (ig 50 kW) the installation shall be designed in accordance with EREC P28.

	Starting	Starting			Stopping			Running		
	d max	dc	d(t)		d max	dc	d(t)	P st	Plţ	2 hours
Measured Values at test impedance	<mark>0.27%</mark>	<mark>0.17%</mark>	(	0	<mark>0.26%</mark>	<mark>0.18%</mark>	O	<mark>0.07</mark>		<mark>0.08</mark>
Normalised to standard impedance	<mark>0.27%</mark>	<mark>0.17%</mark>	(	0	<mark>0.26%</mark>	<mark>0.18%</mark>	O	<mark>0.07</mark>		<mark>0.08</mark>
Normalised to required maximum impedance	N/A	N/A	N	<mark>/A</mark>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A
Limits set under BS EN 61000-3- 11	4%	3.3%	3.	3%	4%	3.3%	3.3%	1.0		0.65
Test Impedance	R	<mark>0.24</mark>		Ω		XI		<mark>0.15</mark>		Ω
Standard	R	0.24 *		Ω		XI	0.15 *			Ω
Impedance		0.4 ^					0.25 ^			
Maximum Impedance	R	N/A		Ω		XI		N/A		Ω

Two phase units in a <u>three phase</u> system reference source resistance is  $0.4 \Omega$ Two phase units in a split phase system reference source resistance is  $0.24 \Omega$ Three phase units reference source resistance is  $0.24 \Omega$ Where the **Power Factor** of the output is under 0.98 then the XI to R ratio of the test impedance should be close to that of the Standard Impedance.

The duration of these tests need to comply with the <u>particular requirements</u> set out in the testing notes for the technology under test. Dates and location of the test need to be noted below

Test start date	Insert Date	Test end date	Insert Date
Test location		Insert Location	

A.7.1.4.3 The voltage fluctuations and flicker emissions from the **Power Park Module** shall be measured in accordance with BS EN 61000-3-11 and the technology specific Annex A.7.3. The required maximum supply impedance should be calculated and recorded in the relevant part of Compliance Verification Report in Form A2-3 (Annex A.2).

- Ensure test & standard impedance is filled in on the form.
- If testing single phase device, test impedance is  $0.4\Omega$
- If testing 3-phase device, test impedance is 0.24Ω
- If a different test impedance is used (*measured impedance*), it must be normalised to the standard impedance
  - E.g. for measured impedance of 0.5Ω and D<sub>max</sub> value = 0.6 (3 phase device):
    - $\circ$  D<sub>max</sub> Normalised value:  $\frac{Standard impedance}{Measured impedance} \times Measured value$
    - D<sub>max</sub> Normalised value =  $\frac{0.24}{0.5} \times 0.6 = 0.288$

\* Applies to three phase and split single phase Power Generating Modules

^ Applies to single phase Power Generating Module and Power Generating Modules using two phases on a <u>three phase</u> system

For voltage change and flicker measurements the following formula is to be used to convert the measured values to the <u>normalised</u> values where the **Power Factor** of the generation output is 0.98 or above.

Normalised value = Measured value x reference source resistance/measured source resistance at test point

Single phase units reference source resistance is 0.4  $\Omega$ 

# **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Power Quality* + *Power Factor*

A.7.1.4.4 The level of **DC** injection from the **Power Park Module** connected prime mover in to the **DNO**'s **Distribution Network** shall not exceed the levels specified in 9.4.6 when measured during operation at three levels, 10%, 55% and 100% of rating with a tolerance of ±5%.

The DC injection requirements can be satisfied by the installation of an isolation transformer on the AC side of an **Inverter**-connected **Power Park Module**. A declaration that an isolating transformer is fitted can be made in lieu of the tests noted above.

4. Power quality – DC injection: The tests should be carried out on a single Generating Unit. Tests are to be carried out at three defined power levels  $\pm$ 5%. At 230 V a 50 kW three phase Inverter has a current output of 217  $\underline{A}$  so DC limit is 543 mA. These tests should be undertaken in accordance with AnnexA.7.1.4.4.

Test power level	10%	10%			55%			100%		
	L1	L2	L3	L1	L2	L3	L1	L2	L3	
Recorded value in Amps	<mark>11.2</mark>	<mark>11.6</mark>	<mark>12.5</mark>	<mark>13.4</mark>	<mark>17.3</mark>	<mark>17.6</mark>	<mark>17.8</mark>	<mark>20.4</mark>	<mark>22.9</mark>	
as % of rated AC current	<mark>0.086</mark>	<mark>0.089</mark>	<mark>0.096</mark>	<mark>0.103</mark>	<mark>0.133</mark>	<mark>0.135</mark>	<mark>0.137</mark>	<mark>0.157</mark>	<mark>0.176</mark>	
Limit	0.25%			0.25%			0.25%			

- Perform at 3 Test power levels (10%, 55% & 100%)
- Correct calculation for "as % of rated AC current":

$$\circ \quad Base \ current = \frac{Registered \ Capacity \ (W)}{230}$$
  
$$\circ \quad \% \ DC \ injection = \frac{Recorded \ DC \ value \ (A)}{Base \ current \ (A)}$$

• Note: calculation is the same for 1 phase and 3 phase devices

5. Power Factor: The tests should be carried out on a single Power Generating Module. Tests are to be carried out at three voltage levels and at Registered Capacity. Voltage to be maintained within  $\pm 1.5\%$  of the stated level during the test. These tests should be undertaken in accordance with Annex A.7.1.4.2.

Voltage	0.94 pu	(216.2 V) 1	1 pu (230 V)		1.1 pu (253 V)	
Measured value		<mark>0.9983</mark>	<mark>0.9978</mark>		0.9988	
Power Factor Lim	it >0.95	>	»0.95	>0.9	95	

- Perform tests to the 3 voltages: (216.2V/0.94pu, 230V/1pu & 253V/1.1pu)
- Ensure power factor is > 0.95pu.
  - 11.1.5 When operating at Registered Capacity the Power Generating Module shall be capable of operating at a Power Factor within the range 0.95 lagging to 0.95 leading relative to the voltage waveform unless otherwise agreed with the DNO.



6. Protection – Frequency tests: These tests should be carried out in accordance with the Annex A.7.1.2.3.								
Function	Setting	etting			"No trip tests"			
	Frequency	Time delay	Frequency	Time	Frequency /time	Confirm no trip		
				delay				
U/F stage 1	47.5 Hz	20 s	47.52Hz	20.039s	47.7 Hz 30 s	Yes		
U/F stage 2	47 Hz	0.5 s	46.96Hz	<mark>0.537s</mark>	47.2 Hz 19.5 s	Yes		
					46.8 Hz 0.45 s	Yes		
O/F	52 Hz	0.5 s	52.03Hz	<mark>0.543s</mark>	51.8 Hz 120.0 s	Yes		
52.2 Hz 0.45 s								
Note. For frequency trip tests the frequency required to trip is the setting ± 0.1 Hz. In order to measure the time delay a larger deviation than the minimum required to operate the projection can be used. The "No trip tests"								

that the protection will not trip in error.

 Ensure trip/no-trip times are up-to-date and in accordance with most recent amendment of EREC G99.

# **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Protection - Voltage tests*



7. Protectio	n – Voltage	tests: These t	ests should be ca	arried out ir	n accordance with A	nnex A.7.1.2.2.	
Function	Setting		Trip test		"No trip tests"		
U/V	Voltage	Time delay	Voltage	Time delay	Voltage /time	Confirm no trip	
L1-N	0.8 pu	2.5 s	183.2V	2.544s	188 V	Yes	
L2-N	(184 V)		<mark>183.7V</mark>	2.538s	5.0 S	Yes	
L3-N	]		182.9V	2.536s	]	Yes	
					180 V 2.45 s	Yes	
O/ <u>V_stage</u> 1	Voltage	Time delay	Voltage	Time delay	Voltage /time	Confirm no trip	
L1-N	1.14 pu	1.0 s	262.5V	1.042s	258.2 V	Yes	
L2-N	(262.2 V)		262.9V	<mark>1.035s</mark>	5.0 s	Yes	
L3-N	1		263.0V	1.038s	1	Yes	
0/ <u>V_staqe</u> 2	Voltage	Time delay	Voltage	Time delay	Voltage /time	Confirm no trip	
L1-N	1.19 pu	0.5 s	274.6V	0.537s	269.7 V	Yes	
L2-N	(273.7 V)		273.9V	0.546s	0.95 s	Yes	
L3-N			274.1V	<mark>0.543s</mark>		Yes	
					277.7 V 0.45 s	Yes	
Note for Vol larger deviat	tage tests the tion than the	Voltage requi minimum requ	ired to trip is the ired to operate the	setting ±3.4	45 V. The time delay on. The No trip tests	can be measured at a need to be carried out	

at the setting ±4 V and for the relevant times as shown in the table above to ensure that the protection will not

trip in error.

 Ensure trip/no-trip times are up-to-date and in accordance with most recent amendment of EREC G99.

# **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Protection* – *Loss of Mains test*



8.Protection – L A.7.1.2.4.	oss of Ma	ains test: Thes	e tests shou	d be carried out in	accordance with BS	EN 62116. Annex		
The following sul	b set of te	sts should be i	recorded in t	he following table.				
Test Power and imbalance	33% -5% Q Test 22	66% -5% Q Test 12	100% -5% P Test 5	33% +5% Q Test 31	66% +5% Q Test 21	100% +5% P Test 10		
Trip time. Limit is 0.5s	0.33s	0.22s	0.21s	<mark>0.31s</mark>	<mark>0.34s</mark>	0.20s		
Loss of Mains F Annex A.7.1.2.6.	Protection	n, Vector Shift	t Stability te	st. This test should	be carried out in ac	cordance with		
	Start Ereque DCV	Change		Confirm no trip				
Positive Vector Shift	49.5 H z	+50 degrees	i	Yes				
Negative Vector Shift	50.5 H z	- 50 degrees	:	Yes				
Loss of Mains F A.7.1.2.6.	Protection	n, RoCoF. Stab	oility test: Th	nis test should be o	arried out in accorda	ance with Annex		
Ramp range	Test free	quency ramp:		Test Duration Confirm no t				
49.0 Hz to 51.0 Hz	+0.95 H	<b>ZS:</b> <sup>1</sup>		2.1 s		Yes		
51.0 Hz to 49.0 Hz	-0.95 Hz	<b>(S</b> <sup>-1</sup>		2.1 s		Yes		

#### Protection – Loss of Mains Test

- Non-PV Inverter: Complete with test power at 10, 55 & 100% for +/- 5% of Registered Capacity (first test) ensure trip time is within limit of 0.5s (unless additional shut down time is included, limit = 1s) in accordance with BS EN 50438.
- Multi-phase Micro-generators: Same as above but for all phases – ensure trip time is within limit of 0.5s (unless additional shut down time is included, limit = 1s).
- PV Inverter: Complete test power and imbalance (Test 22, 12, 5, 31, 21 & 10) ensure trip time is within limit of 0.5s in accordance with BS EN 62116.

## Protection – Frequency Change, Vector Shift Stability Test:

Confirm device does not trip under positive/negative vector shift.

### • Protection – Frequency change, RoCoF Stability Test:

 Confirm device does not trip in either the ramp up/ramp down test duration. ٠



9. Limited Freque specific threshold This test should	uency Sensitive Mode d frequency of 50.4 Hz be carried out in accor	e – Over frequency test and <u>Droop of</u> 10%. dance with Annex A.7.	st: The test should be ca 1.3.	arried out using the				
Active Power re injection tests are	Active Power response to rising frequency/lime plots are attached if frequency injection tests are undertaken in accordance with Annex A.7.2.4.							
Alternatively, tes	t results should be not	ed below:						
Test sequence at Registered Capacity >80%	Measured Active Power Output	Frequency	Primary Power Sour	ce Active Power Gradient				
Step a) 50.00Hz ±0.01Hz	9141W	50.00Hz	9237W	•				
Step b) 50.45Hz ±0.05Hz	9018W	50.45Hz		•				
Step c) 50.70Hz ±0.10Hz	7991W	50.70Hz		•				
Step d) 51.15Hz ±0.05Hz	6227W	51.15Hz		•				
Step e) 50.70Hz ±0.10Hz	8021W	50.70Hz		•				
<u>Step_f)</u> 50.45Hz ±0.05Hz	8994W	50.45Hz		•				
Step g) 50.00Hz ±0.01Hz	9158W	50.00Hz		54kW/min				
Test sequence at Registered Capacity 40% - 60%	Measured Active Power Output	Frequency	Primary Powe Source	r Active Power Gradient				
Step a) 50.00Hz ±0.01Hz	4725W	50.00Hz	4821W	-				
Step b) 50.45Hz ±0.05Hz	4470W	50.45Hz		-				
Step c) 50.70Hz ±0.10Hz	3514W	50.70Hz		-				
Step d) 51.15Hz ±0.05Hz	1757W	51.15Hz		-				
Step e) 50.70Hz ±0.10Hz	3496W	50.70Hz		-				
<u>Step_f</u> ) 50.45Hz ±0.05Hz	4508W	50.45Hz	9327W	0kW/min				
Step g) 50.00Hz ±0.01Hz	9204W	50.00Hz	9327W	54kW/min				

Ensure that measured active power output provides a droop less than 10% (tolerance band of 8.5% to 12.8%).

- 11.2.4.1 Each Power Generating Module shall be capable of reducing Active Power output in response to the frequency on the Total System when this rises above 50.4 Hz. The Power Generating Module shall be capable of operating stably during LFSM-O operation. If a Power Generating Module has been contracted to operate in Frequency Sensitive Mode the requirements of LFSM-O shall apply when the frequency exceeds 50.5 Hz.
  - (a) The rate of change of **Active Power** output shall be at a minimum a rate of 2% of output per 0.1 Hz deviation of system frequency above 50.4 Hz (i.e. a **Droop** of 10%) as shown in Figure 11.2. For the avoidance of doubt, this would not preclude a **Generator** from designing the **Power Generating Module** with a **Droop** of less than 10%, but in all cases the **Droop** should be 2% or greater.
  - (b) The **Power Generating Module** shall be capable of initiating a power frequency response with an initial delay that is as short as possible. If the initial delay exceeds 2 s the **Generator** shall justify the delay, providing technical evidence to the **DNO**, who will pass this evidence to the **NETSO**.
  - (c) For deviations in frequency up to 50.9 Hz at least half of the proportional reduction in **Active Power** output shall be achieved within 10 s of the time of the frequency increase above 50.4 Hz.
  - (d) For deviations in frequency beyond 50.9 Hz the measured rate of change of **Active Power** reduction shall exceed 0.5% s-1 of the initial output.
  - (e) The **LFMS-O** response shall be reduced when the frequency subsequently falls again and, when to a value less than 50.4 Hz, at least half the proportional increase in **Active Power** shall be achieved in 10 s. For a frequency excursion returning from beyond 50.9 Hz the measured rate of change of **Active Power** increase shall t exceed 0.5% s-1.
- If the reduction in Active Power is such that the Power Generation Module reaches its Minimum Stable Operating Level, it shall continue to operate stably at this level.

$$1^{st} Droop \% = \frac{\left(\frac{Step D freq - Step B freq}{50}\right)}{\left(\frac{Step B power - Step D power}{Step B power}\right)} \times 100$$

$$2^{nd} Droop \% = \frac{\left(\frac{Step D freq - Step F freq}{50}\right)}{\left(\frac{Step F power - Step D power}{Step F power}\right)} \times 100$$

$$2^{nd} Droop \% = \frac{\left(\frac{Step D freq - Step F freq}{50}\right)}{\left(\frac{Step F power - Step D power}{Step F power}\right)} \times 100$$

### **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Re-connection timer + Fault level contribution*

10. Protection – Re-connection timer.									
Test should prove that the reconnection sequence starts after a minimum delay of 20 s for restoration of voltage and frequency to within the stage 1 settings of Table 10.1.									
Time         delay         Measured delay         Checks on no reconnection when voltage or frequency is brought to just outside stage 1 limits of Table 10.1.									
30s	45.6s         At 1.16 gg (266.2 V)         At 0.78 gg (180.0 V)         At 47.4 Hz         At 52.1 Hz								
Confirmation that the Power Generating Module does not re- connect. Yes Yes Yes Yes									

- Provide both the time delay and measured delay settings – both should be greater than 20s.
- Provide confirmation that device does **not** reconnect at 266.2V, 180V, 47.4Hz & 52.1Hz.

11. Fault level contribution: These tests shall be carried out in accordance with EREC G99 Annex A.7.1.5.								
For Inverter output								
Time after fault Volts Amps								
20ms	53.2V	16.25A						
100ms	53.0V	0A						
250ms	52.8V	0A						
500ms	500ms 52.8V 0A							
Time to trip	0.055s	In seconds						

• Ensure correct fault level contribution is provided for the correct type of device.

### **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Self-Monitoring solid state switching + Wiring functional tests*



• Declare Yes **or** N/A – not both

13. Wiring functional tests: If required by para 15.2.1.	
Confirm that the relevant test schedule is attached (tests to be undertaken at time of commissioning)	N/ <u>A</u> (Not applicable, Refer to 15.2.1, inverter is using special connector for wiring)

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### **EVIDENCE:** <u>A2-3 Form</u>: 9.9kVA Solar Installation – *Logic interface + Additional comments*





- Confirmation of the presence of a logic interface must be provided.
  - 11.1.3 Power Generating Modules connected to the DNO's Distribution Network shall be equipped with a logic interface (input port) in order to cease Active Power output within 5 s following an instruction being received at the input port





# Is there any further guidance we could provide that would support you during the application process?

# 2021-22 ICE Workplan Update





### ICE 2021-22 Workplan Performance

We will continue to target high customer satisfaction (85% overall satisfaction)		On target
Target of 22 working days on average for <b>Time to Quote</b> timescales for DG LV quotations		21 days YTD
We will provide updates on activity to support the transition to <b>green energy</b> and the wider green economy	AA	On target Update provided in July workshop
We will provide support to our customers to help with the <b>G98/G99</b> application process.	AA	Initial presentation delivered in July's workshop Example of forms update delivered today
We will keep stakeholders informed on the transition of Distribution Network Operators (DNO) to carrying out enhanced <b>Distribution System Operation</b> (DSO) functionality	AAA	DSO Strategies updated and published following 2020 consultation (April 2021) - <u>Here</u> Draft ED2 DSO Transition Plan published (June 2021) - <u>Here</u> Update provided in todays session
We will provide stakeholders with the opportunity to receive detailed briefings on industry level changes to charges through Ofgem's <b>significant code review.</b>		Briefing provided in August

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### ICE 2021-22 Workplan Performance



We would love to hear your feedback, please get in touch with either Lottie or Hannah should you have anything to discuss after the session. Feel free to add any comments in today's chat or email us <u>ice@enwl.co.uk</u>

# Powering our Communities Fund Launch

Register for the online event via our website

10am on 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021

- The Powering our Communities fund supports community and local energy groups to develop and grow.
- This event will launch this year's fund and provide details of how to apply. It will also feature previous fund winners who will talk about how they have used their grant.
- This event is for community energy groups, community organisations, local authorities or anyone working with their community on energy issues, climate change and how to reach net-zero.

# **DSO Update**





### Headlines



### Draft ED2 DSO Transition Plan

We share the draft plans of our transition to distribution system operation, specifically across the ED2 price control period from 2023 to 2028.



### **DSO Strategy**

Describes the progress we have made since publishing our first strategy document in 2018 and the next steps on our DSO and net zero carbon journey



## Introduction to Active Network Management





- Active Network Management (ANM) connects separate components of a smart grid such as generators, storage devices, controllable demands etc., by implementing software to monitor and control the operation of these devices.
- Under this scheme, sites with flexible connections can be instructed, via automated controls, to limit their power input or output thus avoiding too much energy being put onto or being drawn from the network that could otherwise cause outages and system faults.
- Currently the ENWL ANM scheme is due to go live towards the beginning of 2023
- We are currently in the final stages of implementing a new network management system which facilitates ANM to be integrated.
- In order to ensure that the system works to its maximum potential from Day 1 we are currently working to develop and integrate a range of new flexible connections into business as usual – we will update you on these once they are further developed.

### The ANM system will offer the following benefits:

- Allows faster connections incorporating less network reinforcement
- Potentially cheaper connection costs using existing capacity of the network
- Increase the amount of time generators can remain on supply This may result in periods where generators are curtailed, however not completely disconnected
- Increase network utilisation (get more out of the same assets)
- Decrease the need for system reinforcement resulting in financial savings, as well as less embodied carbon
- Facilitating the utilisation of flexible services- offering financial opportunities for network users to provide services to the grid
- Facilitates a market to be established for users to trade energy Particularly good for community and local energy groups/partnerships
- Increased network security of supplies by increasing speed of automated switching, resulting in less network overloads and increase speeds of restoration following a fault

140%

120%

100%

80%

60%

40%

20%

0%

Tx loading %

Cont Short term



**Transformer Load & Spare Capacity** 

- A Transformer is rated to run continuously at 100%
- Cyclic ratings are used for short term loading (Typically 100%-130%)
- Emergency ratings for very short term situations. E.g. Faults

### With 2 transformers the substation total load can be shared



• 100% of the total substation load can be shared, so 50% loading on each transformer



- Neither transformer is overloaded during normal running both operating at 65% of firm rating
- The substation is in exceedance of its continuous operating rating, without ANM this would not normally be allowed resulting in reinforcement

### Typical primary substation – Network fault



- T2 Transformer faults, if fully loaded the 130% appears on T1
- This is within the cyclic rating of T1, however only for a short duration before permanent damage is experienced



- The ANM system will detect that the transformer is overloaded and will dispatch flexible services or trigger constraints.
- This example has shown how we can get 30% more capacity out of a standard double primary substation. This
  same logic is scaled up across the entire network of 13,000 km of overhead power lines and more than 44,000 km
  of underground electricity cables, and more than 35,000 substations



 If you are interested to know more about the Active Network Management system and user interactions, we are happy to discuss this in more detail <u>contact us</u> for more information.

# **Flexibility Services**







The UK is embracing a **zero carbon future**, and the way energy is generated, stored and consumed is changing rapidly

The uptake in **Low Carbon Technologies (LCTs)** such as electric vehicles and heat pumps has lead to more demand being placed on our network

As we move towards **Distribution System Operation (DSO)** and more local network management, Flexible Services can balance supply and demand– helping to decarbonise our electricity supply while ensuring that our network remains resilient and reliable



When the demand for electricity in an area is greater than the amount that we are capable of providing, we can utilise companies or individual customers known as Distributed Energy Resources (DERs) to alleviate constraints

This ensures a safe and reliable supply of energy

There are lots of things that can cause an increase in the demand for electricity, leading to network constraints







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The uptake of LCTs

These DERs can be generators, consumers, and electricity storage connected to our networks that can increase exports (generate more) or reduce imports (consume less) when instructed

In return for providing Flexible Services, DERs will receive payment



To participate in our tenders and receive payment in return for providing flexible services to our network, you need to:

- ✓ Have an asset in one of our requirement areas
- ✓ Be capable of adjusting how much electricity you consume or generate
- ✓ and provide a minimum of 50kW either individually or via an aggregator

### Flexibility requirements map





Our flexibility map displays the locations within our distribution area where we are currently seeking Flexible Services, or may have a requirement in the future.

The icons next to each location name relate to the response type that we are looking for:





Restore

Secure

### Get in touch

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Book here

your area

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# Accelerated Loss of Mains Change Program (ALoMCP)







G59 requires UK Generation owners to install loss of mains (LoM) protection at their generation sites. This is to ensure that, following a fault that isolates sections of the distribution system to which they are connected from the rest of the electricity system, distributed generation does not form an autonomous power island with the remaining local demand.

The two most commons forms of LoM protection are rate of change of frequency (RoCoF) relays and vector shift (VS) relays.

By September 2022 to comply with the latest requirements, it will be necessary to revise the LoM protection settings for all the existing embedded generation fleet (installed Pre-February 2018) to:

- Ensure that where rate of change of frequency (RoCoF) protection relays are used, as part of Loss of Mains protection, the applied setting should be 1Hz/s with a definite time delay of 500ms.
- Ensure that vector shift (VS) protection technique should be removed where it is in use as Loss of Mains protection.
- Remove LoM protection from all generation except synchronous and DFIG where a suitable RoCoF setting cannot be made without additional investment.

### Accelerated Loss of Mains – 1 year left

Our programme statistics							
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7/11	357	308	452MW	£932k			
application windows complete	accepted applications	confirmed changes to protection	generation capacity updated	ln payments made			

#### Percentage of generators on our network with updated protection



All changes must be made before September 2022 Applications can be made at: https://www.ena-eng.org/ALoMCP/

For help and assistance please contact:

ALoMCP@enwl.co.uk

Further information can be found at:

https://www.enwl.co.uk/get-connected/networkinformation/accelerated-loss-of-mains-change-programme/







# Any questions?



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 Please give us your honest feedback either email <u>ICE</u> or leave your feedback in the chat



 Presentation slides will be available via our <u>website</u> shortly.



Future events, including webinars are available <u>here</u>



Don't forget to get in touch with us at <u>ICE@enwl.co.uk</u>

