



R3 DP Lessons Learned I&C – External Elia

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- R3 DP is a success!
 - Elia received more than double the amount of offers than the foreseen volume;
 - Elia was able to contract 50 MW with a good mix of load and injection resources and providers;
 - This was at a considerable lower price than the R3 Prod price;
 - Biggest number of access points are on the DSO level (78%), however biggest part of the contracted power on the TSO level;
- Launching a new product with many involved stakeholders on a short time period has been a challenge, but thanks to:
 - **Extensive stakeholder input** from early design phase (Expert WG, TF Balancing,...);
 - **Flexibility in implementation** solution and contract drafting;
 - Putting in the **time & resources**;
 - **Intensive collaboration of all stakeholders**;



Thank you for your continued time & efforts!

- Timing was very tight for all stakeholders:
 - Lessons Learned: Rethink timing of different demand side products
 - See prequalification separate from timing tendering;
 - Possible solution: tendering timing more in line with R3 Production
 - Move R3 DP tendering forward in the year and align with R3 Prod?
- Administrative procedure put extra pressure on external parties and Elia :
 - Lessons Learned: Simplification administrative procedure
 - If possible, the contract DSO-BSP should be signed before final selection;
 - Rethink & simplify required documents in tendering procedure, while balancing the need to have necessary information;
 - Further improve available documentation to avoid too much questions;
 - Improvements prequalification procedure (see next slide)

Lessons learned: operational: Prequalification 2014

- 2013: Prequalification Elia // prekwalficatie DNB
- 2014: Prequalification DSO >> Prequalification Elia >> Synthesis

- Now: Tendering // prequalification, but timing BSP very tight
 - ➔ See tendering & prequalification seperately from one another?

- Uniformity of procedure:
 - Identical criteria for all DSO's in the prequalification, defined in the DSO-BSP contract (f.e. what is the exact interpretation of green, orange, red)