

Interconnection Belgium - Luxemburg

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1. Reminder of general context

Objectives:

- Security of supply of Luxembourg
- Improve market integration between BE and DE bidding zones

Grid situation:

- First phase starts with the commissioning of the phase shifter transformer (PST).
- Elia and CREOS will reuse existing infrastructures to create the new interconnection

Capacity allocation

- Day-ahead capacity allocation;
- Integration in CWE Flow-Based methodology

2. Project Status

Planning:

- The Joint SC BeDeLux decided that achieving the commercial go-live date of 31/03/16 is not feasible anymore and therefore the new interconnection will not be commercialised as of April 2016.
- The project will use the next weeks to discuss and agree a reliable planning involving all dependent stakeholders such as the CWE TSO project.

Current status of the BEDELUX project:

- Integration of BE-LU interconnection in the CWE FB allocation (systems, procedures, agreements, ..) with CWE partners is ongoing.