

Modification 0581S: Amending the Oxygen Content Limit Specified in the NEAs at Grain LNG

Workgroup Meeting

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Action 0602

- National Grid NTS to carry out an assessment to establish the farthest points where gas from Grain LNG with increased oxygen levels (low, medium and high flows) might reach
 - i.e. a 'heat map' to show how this propagates through the NTS network

Introduction

National Grid NTS performs a two-part process each year to gauge the long term (10 year) adequacy, utilisation and development needs of the NTS

Scenario Definition

Consultation with industry stakeholders via the Future Energy Scenarios (FES) process to help define scenarios of future flow into and out of the NTS

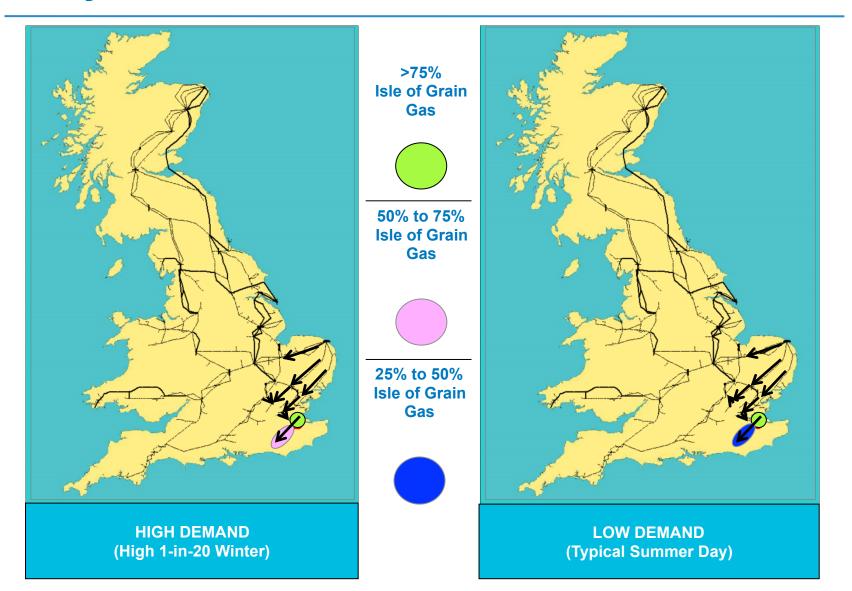
Flow Modelling

Modelling of potential flow patterns which may arise from these future scenarios and their impact on NTS network development, the results of which are summarised in the Gas Ten Year Statement (GTYS)

Analysis

- The results of the 2015/16 modelling cycle were examined in order to determine the likely future penetration of Grain gas into the NTS
- The degree of penetration depends on a number of factors, particularly the seasonal and geographic pattern of supplies and demands

Analysis



Conclusions

- Based on the latest available FES scenarios, we do not currently expect Grain LNG gas to either:
 - Penetrate beyond the south-east extremity of the NTS; or
 - Reach a UK storage facility connected to the NTS
- Other ASEPs are expected to meet demand requirements elsewhere on the NTS