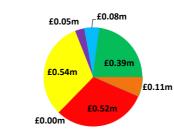
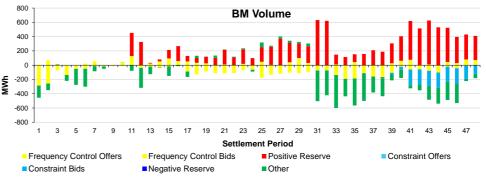


Daily Balancing Costs



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- Energy Imbalance
 Positive Reserve (Op Res + STOR)
 Negative Reserve (Footroom)
 Frequency Control (Response + Fast Reserve)
 Other Reserve (Ancillary Costs Only)
 Constraints (BM & Trades only)
- Other (Reactive + Black Start + BM & AS General)



Commentary

Trades were carried out on the interconnectors for positive reserve over the morning pick up and prior to the darkness peak. 140MW of STOR was utilised over the morning pick up. A small amount of additional response was held through the afternoon for frequency performance.

BM actions were required through the evening to manage constraints following transmission faults. All voltage requirements were met by the market.