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## Frequency Response (Step / Ramp test)



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## Grid Code Requirement

- Response Capability confirmed by site testing
- Ramps determine Primary, Secondary and \& High values

■ Step tests confirm robustness of control

- LFSM tests covered by (BC2/4)
- Load rejection tests (BC1/3) covers Islanding
- Assessment of compliance is achieving a minimum of $10 \%$ of $R C$ change in 10 seconds
- Currently assessed using $+/-0.5 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ramp over 10 s between $55 \%$ and $80 \%$ load as per CC.A.3.1


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## RfG Requirement Article 15

- Article 15 2. (d) gives FSM requirement
- (d)(iii) indicates the capability is assessed against a step change in frequency

■ Capability percentage is based on $\Delta^{P / P m a x}$ which could be greater than Registered Capacity (RC)

- Assessment is based on step instead of ramp injection
- Aim is minimal change to current approach to comply.
- Service delivery for Primary, Secondary and High Frequency response remain based on ramp tests


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## -0.5Hz Step \& Ramp test (CCGT \& Wind)




## nationalgrid +0.5 Hz Step \& Ramp test (CCGT \& Wind)




