

RFI: Summary of Responses

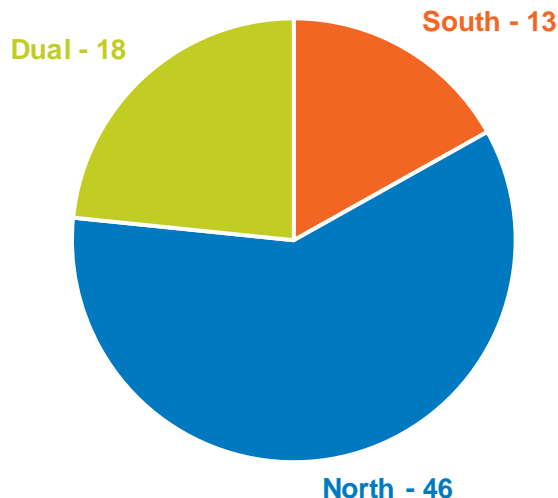
On 28 February, the RFI window closed for feedback on the **Constraint Management Pathfinder**. We would like to thank everyone who engaged in the RFI.

The majority of proposals are for assets located in Scotland, though some are for dual location services

21 Responses submitted

77 Solutions

10 Technology types



ESO's Reflection

- Significant interest from industry
- Promising financial signals in responses
- Concerns raised in several responses which we are working towards addressing
- Confirmation of the opportunity available to the ESO if the project is continued

Constraint Management Pathfinder

What are we doing now?

- Remain committed to Q2 2020 announcement on tender, but this is subject to the current climate and no significant delays
- Internal work:
 - Detailed studies on stability, voltage and thermal constraints to support business case
 - Working alongside Stability and Voltage Pathfinder to ensure products are cohesive
 - Aligning internal working with NOA Commercial Solutions
 - Closer collaboration with TOs and DNOs to greater understand the communication links possible

The RFI has allowed us to identify significant opportunity but now multiple hurdles need to be tackled to prove the benefit to the end consumer before a tender can be announced.