

Distribution of BSUoS across 2019



- Using IQR “rule of thumb” to identify outliers, parties could reasonably expect prices to go up to £6.90/MWh
 - 9% of Settlement Periods were above this £6.90/MWh
 - This means that £6.90/MWh could be viewed as the top of a “normal range”, but BSUoS prices above this would not be unexpected. £6.90/MWh should therefore not be considered an absolute upper limit on normal BSUoS prices
- 8% of Settlement Periods in 2019 were between £5/MWh and £6.90/MWh.
- **Applying a £5/MWh cap in 2019 would impact 17% of Settlement Periods**
- Therefore, a cap £5/MWh would materially affect “business as usual” BSUoS costs as well as “unexpected” costs

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