

# Capacity allocation and congestion management Code Overview



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CACM Code Update  
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# Introduction

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- CACM objectives
- European target model
- Network code structure
- Timetable for implementation
- Status update
- How to get involved
- NOTE – currently under development, therefore can still change

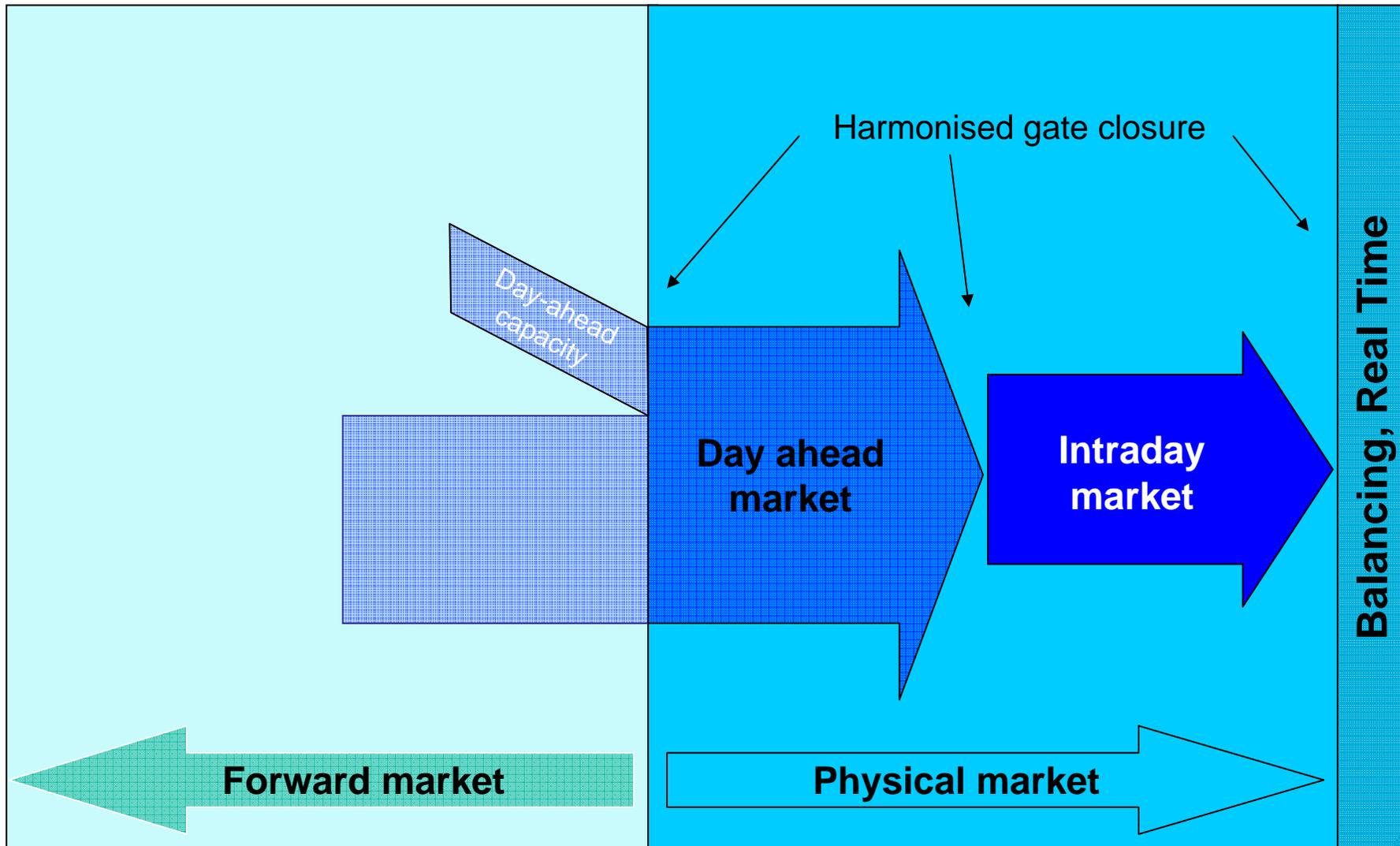
## CACM objectives

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- Remove barriers for cross border trading ensuring the cheapest generation is used to satisfy demand (subject to practical constraints)
- *“Integrate, coordinate and harmonise congestion management regimes to facilitate electricity trade within the EU”<sup>1</sup>. While:*
  - Maintaining Security of Supply
  - Delivering benefits to ALL customers
  - Facilitating the penetration of renewable generation
- Does NOT integrate the electricity balancing markets

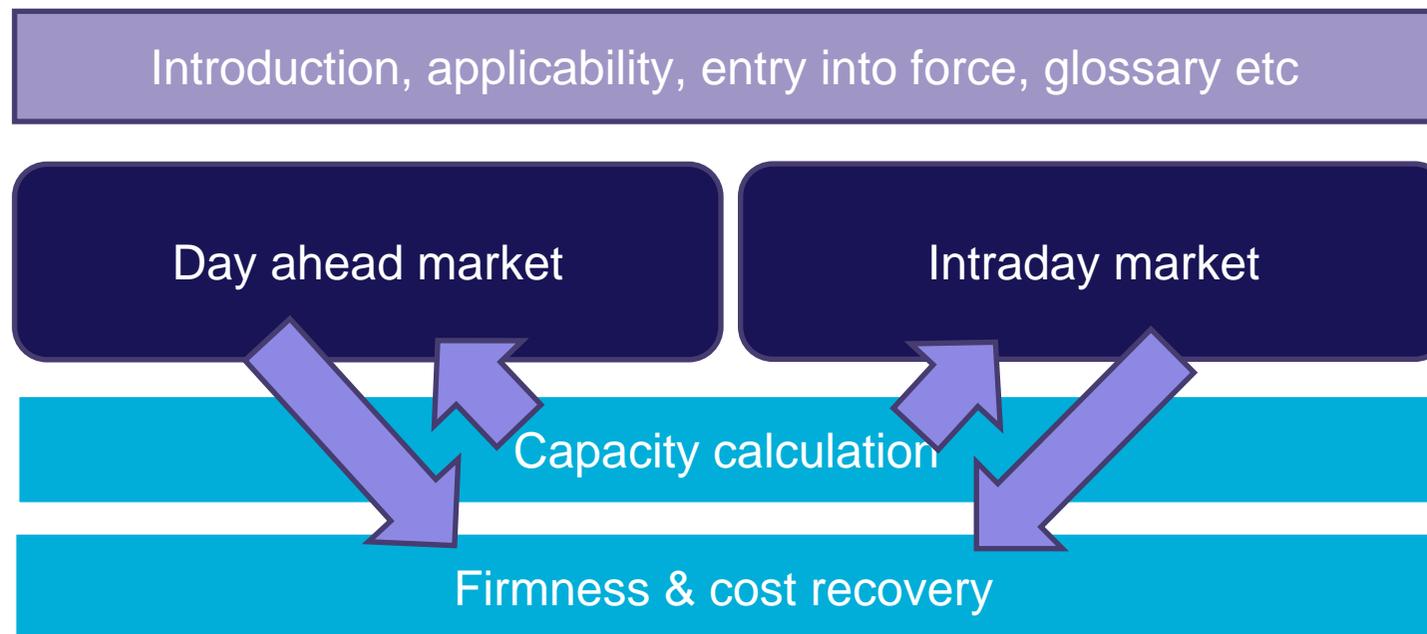
<sup>1</sup> Edited extracts from ACER’s CACM frame work guidelines

# European target model



# Network code structure

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## Day ahead market

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- Harmonised day ahead market closure times
- Each market has a price stack AND transfer capabilities between markets
- Shared order book function across Europe
- Entire Europe market solved using single price coupling algorithm
- Transfers between markets sold via implicit auctions
- Each market price based on last generator used to supply load
- Market results are firm

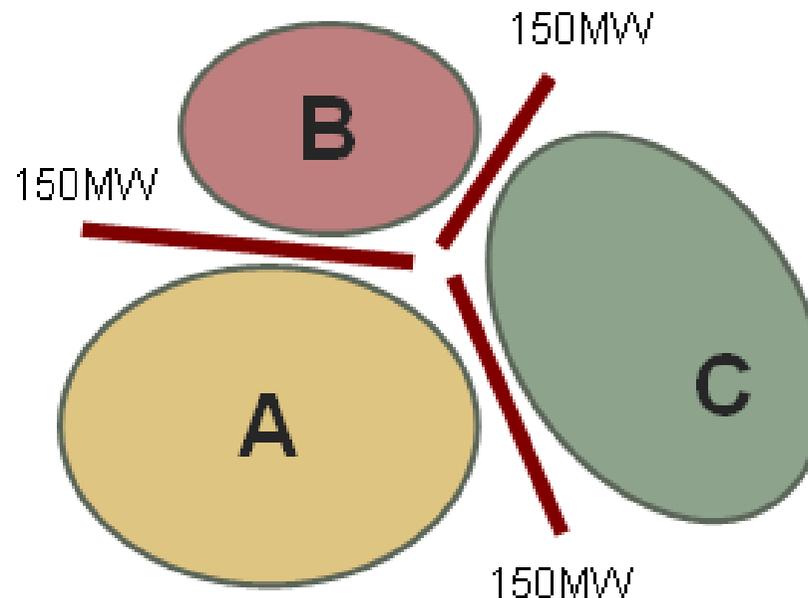
## Intraday market

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- Common intraday gate closure minimum time set
- Allows market participants to optimise position as close to real time as possible
- Pan European shared order book (SOB)
- Pan-European intraday platform supporting continuous implicit intraday capacity allocation
- Firm allocation of intraday capacity

## Capacity calculation

- Two options being considered –
  - Available Transfer Capability (ATC) –  
*fixed limit between each market eg  $\leq 150\text{MW}$*
  - Flow Based (FB) capability –  
*limit based on a function of the flows between all relevant markets*  
*Eg [Limit of flow from B to A is]  $\leq 150\text{MW} + k \cdot [\text{flow B to C}]$*



# Implementation timeline

Deliverable	2011				2012				2013			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
ACER delivers framework guidelines	█											
ENTSO-E writes network code				█	█							
ENSTO-E consults with stakeholders					✘							
ACER evaluation of network code								█				
Comitology process									█			

- STOP PRESS as of 16<sup>th</sup> September – European Commission has requested ENTSO-E start work on drafting the network code

## Current Status

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- Day Ahead – first draft under development
  - Consultation planned for March
  - Market coupling algorithm under investigation
  - Impact of losses being assessed
- Intraday – first draft under development
  - Consultation planned for March
- Capacity Calculation – Issues identified and sub groups set up to propose solutions
- Forwards – not started. No work group formed as yet
  - National Grid is participating in all three groups

# How to get involved...

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- Industry meetings
  - Joint European Standing Group (JESG)
- Industry consultations
  - Network code consultation (Spring)
- Internet resources
  - Our website  
<http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/electricity/codes/encdevt>
  - ENTSO-E website  
<https://www.entsoe.eu/resources/publications/former-associations/etso/congestion-management/>
  - EU regulations (inc 3<sup>rd</sup> package)  
[http://ec.europa.eu/energy/gas\\_electricity/legislation/legislation\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/energy/gas_electricity/legislation/legislation_en.htm)
  - ACER website  
[http://www.energy-regulator.eu/portal/page/portal/ACER\\_HOME](http://www.energy-regulator.eu/portal/page/portal/ACER_HOME)

# Any questions?

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