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EPEX SPOT power trading results of April 2018

Growth on Day-ahead markets carried by five market areas

Amsterdam / Bern / Brussels / Leipzig / London / Paris / Vienna, 02 May 2018. In April 2018, a total volume of 48.7 TWh was traded on EPEX SPOT's Day-Ahead and Intraday power markets (April 2017: 45.5 TWh).

Day-Ahead markets

In April 2018, power trading on the Day-Ahead markets on EPEX SPOT accounted for 41,356,768 MWh (April 2017: 39,775,771 MWh). This represents a year-on-year growth of 4% thanks to increased volumes on the German/Austrian, French, UK, Swiss and Dutch market.

Prices in Central Western Europe, connected within the Multiregional Coupling, converged 38% of the time (April 2017: 29%).

Intraday markets

On the EPEX SPOT Intraday markets, a total volume of 7,374,064 MWh was traded in April 2018 (April 2017: 5,747,189 MWh). This represents a year-on-year growth of 28%, backed by solid growth rates on all market areas. The German Intraday continuous segment reached a record high with 4,065,743 MWh traded in total.

In April, cross-border trades represented 18% of the total continuous intraday volume in Germany, France, Netherlands, Belgium, Austria and Switzerland. 15-minute contracts represented 12.4% of the volume traded on the German, Austrian and Swiss continuous Intraday markets.

More details on volumes and prices are available in the enclosed report on pages 4 and 5.

New members

In April, EPEX SPOT welcomed BayWa r.e. Clean Energy Sourcing GmbH and XENON CAPITAL MARKETS LIMITED as new members to the exchange.

The European Power Exchange EPEX SPOT SE and its affiliates operate physical short-term electricity markets in Central Western Europe and the United Kingdom. As part of EEX Group, a group of companies serving international commodity markets, EPEX SPOT is committed to the creation of a pan-European power market. In 2017, its 285 members traded 535 TWh – a third of the domestic consumption in the eight countries covered. 49% of its equity is held by HGRT, a holding of transmission system operators. For more information, please visit www.epexspot.com.

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EPEX SPOT – Monthly Figures Report for April 2018

Volumes

Power Spot Volumes	Monthly volume MWh	Monthly volume – previous year
Total	48,730,832	45,522,960
Day-Ahead	41,356,768	39,775,771
Day-Ahead DE/AT/LU	20,008,268	19,653,135
Day-Ahead FR	9,911,765	9,599,144
Day-Ahead UK total	4,044,325	3,800,283
- Day-Ahead auction	3,730,500	3,534,991
- Half-Hour 15:30 auction	313,825	265,292
Day-Ahead CH	2,169,254	2,036,651
Day-Ahead NL	3,230,540	2,384,131
Day-Ahead BE	1,992,616	2,302,427
Intraday	7,374,064	5,747,189
Intraday DE/AT total	4,823,210	3,953,604
- hourly continuous DE	3,533,743	2,953,091
- 30-min continuous DE	10,290	5,014
- 15-min continuous DE	521,670	375,866
- 15-min call auction DE	553,471	403,425
- hourly continuous AT	182,113	197,284
- 15-min continuous AT	21,923	18,924
Intraday FR total	443,367	299,164
- hourly continuous FR	435,480	293,418
- 30-min continuous FR	7,887	5,746
Intraday UK	1,633,036	1,146,553
Intraday CH total	193,482	154,227
- hourly continuous	184,552	148,815
- 30-min continuous	503	159
- 15-min continuous	8,427	5,253
Intraday NL	152,325	111,022
Intraday BE	98,292	74,600
OTC Registration	39,854	8,019

Prices and Indices

	Price – monthly average (Base / Peak*) Price/MWh
Day-Ahead DE/AT/LU – PHELIX	€32.06 / €36.45
Day-Ahead FR	€33.60 / €40.36
Day-Ahead UK	£51.09 / £54.32
Day-Ahead UK Half-Hour	£51.36 / £55.26
Day-Ahead CH – SWISSIX	€34.16 / €40.14
Day-Ahead NL	€39.74 / €45.53
Day-Ahead BE	€37.78 / €43.23
European Electricity Index – ELIX**	€25.41 / €31.44
Intraday DE/AT (hourly continuous)	€31.45 / €35.87
Intraday 30-minute continuous DE	€31.54 / €36.20
Intraday 15-minute continuous DE	€31.35 / €35.59
Intraday 15-minute call auction DE	€31.00 / €35.67
Intraday FR (hourly continuous)	€33.98 / €40.49
Intraday 30-minute continuous FR	€33.90 / €40.51
Intraday CH (hourly continuous)	€34.62 / €40.70
Intraday 30-minute continuous CH	€34.62 / €40.72
Intraday NL	€40.62 / €47.48
Intraday BE	€41.28 / €48.73

^{*} Peak excl. weekend

^{**} Calculated on the orders of DE/AT/LU, FR & CH under the assumption of unlimited transmission capacity between the markets