Decoupling and Fallback Solutions

Decoupling

Due to a technical problem in market coupling process, no market results can be provided till the critical deadline and Fallback solutions shall be applied.





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Decoupling in CZ-SK-HU MC could be announced in two cases:

1) it is not possible, for a specific day, to allocate the available transmission capacity via the normal daily implicit allocation, i.e.: a critical deadline in the time schedule is reached and no solution is found before the critical deadline to publish the market results. This type of decoupling is called "Decoupling known during daily session". **Critical deadline for announced decoupling is 12:35.**

2) it is not possible, for a specific day, to fix severe problems in TSO Management Function system and/or ATC calculation/provision process. In this case decoupling is announced early, i.e. far before PXs order book gate closure. This special type of decoupling is called "Early Decoupling". The default timing of "Early Decoupling" aims at keeping the normal PXs order book gate closure time unchanged (11h00).

Critical deadline for announced early decoupling is 10:30.



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Fallback on CZ-SK Border: Explicit Shadow Auction

Explicit Shadow Auction will be organized by ČEPS in DAMAS ENERGY System.

Market Participants can submit bids only after registration according to Shadow Auction Rules.

(Note: Valid access to DAMAS ENERGY already granted by ČEPS to Market Participant is sufficient for Shadow Auction registration.)

Main characteristics:

- On D-1 Shadow bids can be submitted for 30 consecutive days in advance (i.e. for D till D+29)
- Delay and error messages concerning the market coupling matching will be provided by market operators. Information about Shadow Auction application will be shared via DAMAS ENERGY system as well;
- If decoupling is not announced, bids are not evaluated, no results of explicit allocation of capacity are published for respective day;
- By the time of announcing decoupling and switch to fallback, the bids are evaluated.

More info - rules:

 <u>http://www.ceps.cz/ENG/Data/Dokumenty/Pages/SmlouvyPrS.aspx</u> <u>http://www.sepsas.sk/seps/Dokumenty/Aukcie/CEPS/2014/01/27/Pravidla_tienove_aukcie_SEPS_C</u> <u>EPS.doc</u>



Fallback on CZ-SK Border

Timing of fallback solution on CZ-SK border:

	Decoupling	Early decoupling
PX gate (re)open (after decoupling is announced)	12:35 – 12:45	10:30 - 10:40
PX gate closure	13:05	11:00
Expected publication of results	13:45	11:30
Nomination deadline	14:30	14:30



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