

Power Exchanges in the CSEE region: towards more regional and pan-European offers

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Prospect for a new regional Power Exchange in the CSEE region

A new regional Power Exchange for the Central & South Eastern European region to be established in 2019

- 5 February 2018 Pentalateral MoU signed by EMS, MAVIR, EPEX SPOT, HUPX and SEEPEX
- Main goals of the cooperation
 - Merge HUPX and SEEPEX spot power businesses in order to create a robust and strong spot Power Exchange in the CSEE region, with Day-Ahead and Market Coupling operations provided by EPEX SPOT
 - Enhance cooperation between TSOs and the NEMOs in the CWE/CEE common region and SEE region and contribute to the successful achievement of both political and economic common goals
 - Implement Market coupling (DA and ID) between Serbia and Hungary (and 4MMC)
- Shareholders structure: TSO cluster (EMS and MAVIR in initial stage) and EPEX SPOT
- Business and regulatory status to be:
 - Power spot focused
 - Customer driven
 - No monopoly status

Regional integration project

- Corporate/business integration of HUPX and SEEPEX
- Market Coupling Serbia Hungary (and 4MMC)



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One step further towards a pan-European offering with EPEX SPOT

EEX Group – One gateway to value the whole chain of power trading





FUTURES MARKET



CAPACITY MARKET



DAY-AHEAD MARKET



INTRADAY MARKET

Year/Month/Week before delivery

One/Several year(s) before delivery

One day before delivery

< 1 hour before delivery

Fluctuations are HEDGED

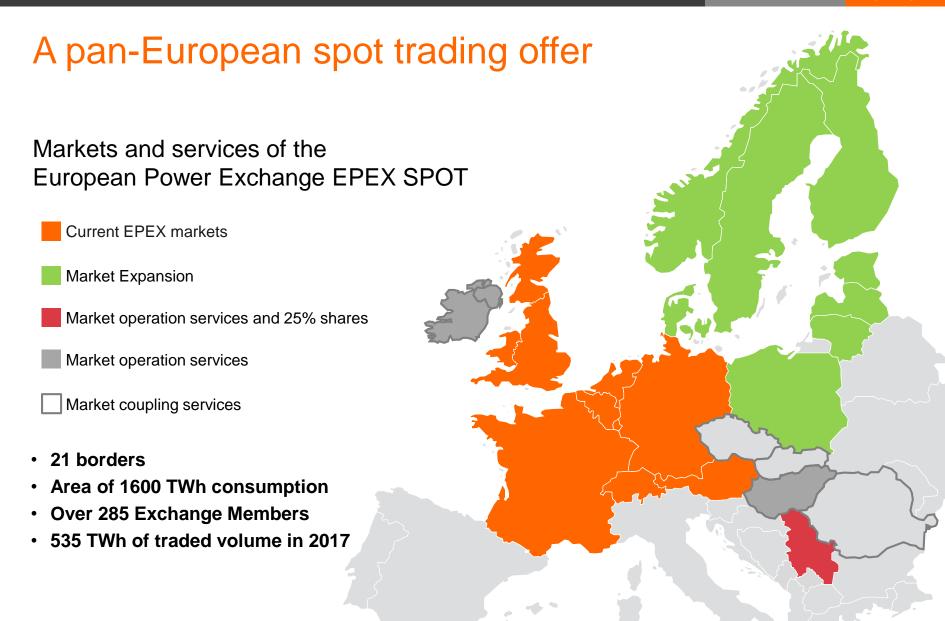
Value your CAPACITY

Value your PRODUCTION

Value your FLEXIBILITY

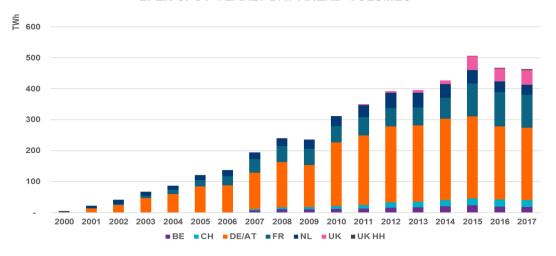


Integrated & Secure Clearing Solution

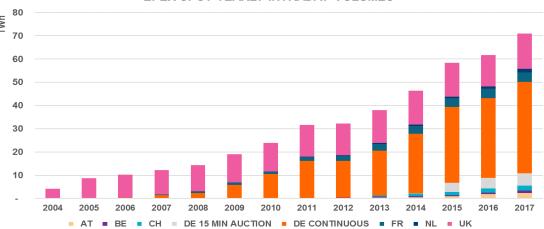


Successfully managing Europe's most liquid and demanding short-term markets

EPEX SPOT YEARLY DAY-AHEAD VOLUMES

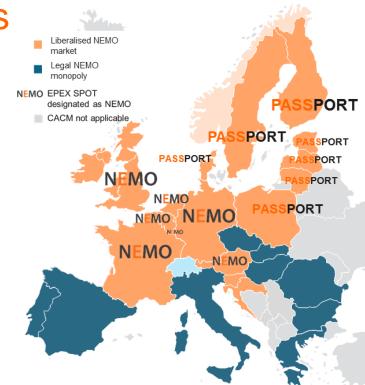


EPEX SPOT YEARLY INTRADAY VOLUMES



Bringing together different regions

- EPEX is a NEMO* in Poland and the Nordic region since 2016
- EPEX planning to open Nordic & Polish offer by Q1 2019, based on MNA** implementation
- Baltic markets to follow according to implementation of the Baltic MNA





Harmonised markets across European countries, increased transparency and lower entry barriers for new NEMOs under the umbrella of CACM ***

But EPEX SPOT is not just a NEMO – in nature a very innovative Power Exchange

- * NEMO: Nominated Electricity Market Operator EU CACM Regulation 2015/1222
- ** MNA: Multiple NEMOs Arrangements
- *** EU Guideline on Capacity Allocation and Congestion Management

Competition among Power Exchanges is much more than just duplicating existing infrastructures!

EPEX SPOT innovations





- Intraday opening auctions
- Open-API and Intraday market automation
- Flow-based market coupling facilitation

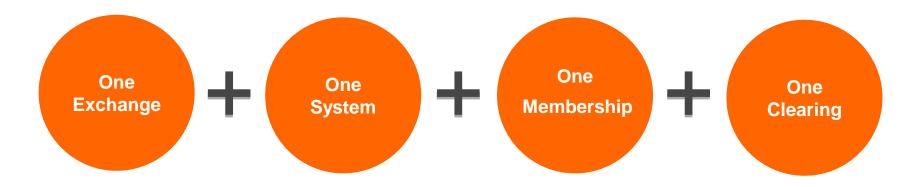
...and more to come

- New markets:



- Flexibility local markets
- New products: R&D developing next wave of smart blocks for the day-ahead auction
- New system features: State-of-the-art continuous trading system performance

Our innovative gateway

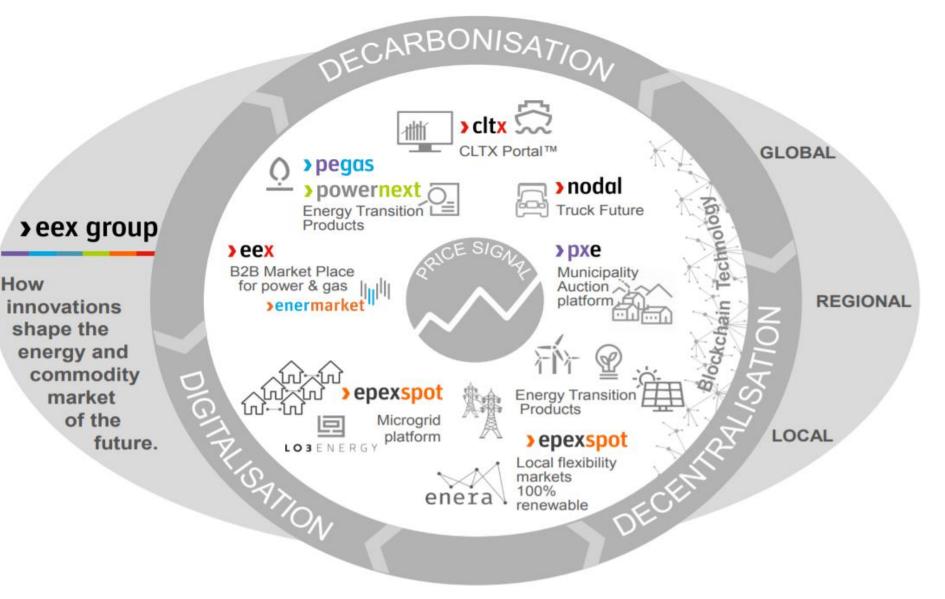


- More synergies for customers with access to the largest possible number of markets
- Profit driven company at the service of its customers
- ✓ A high-reliability organization with continuous efficiency improvements
- Experienced to accompany the markets in tomorrow's challenges and innovations

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Local Management of Flexibility Vision of the future power market

Vision to support the Energy Transition

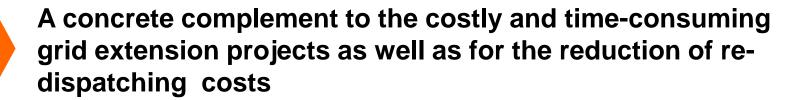


Local flexibility markets initiatives

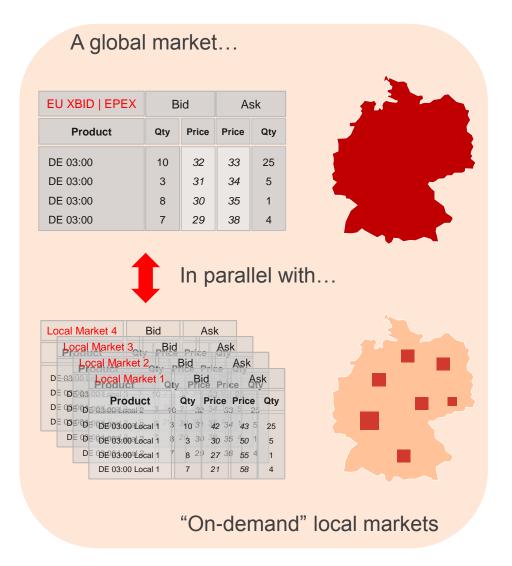
Congestions becoming more frequent and the energy called for re-dispatching increasing significantly

Develop, implement and run a new kind of market:

- Congestion-management market between system operators and flexibility providers
- Enhancing the current design of liquid bidding zones



Designed solution: Locational Order Books



Number of initiatives ongoing in several countries, actively involving EPEX SPOT:





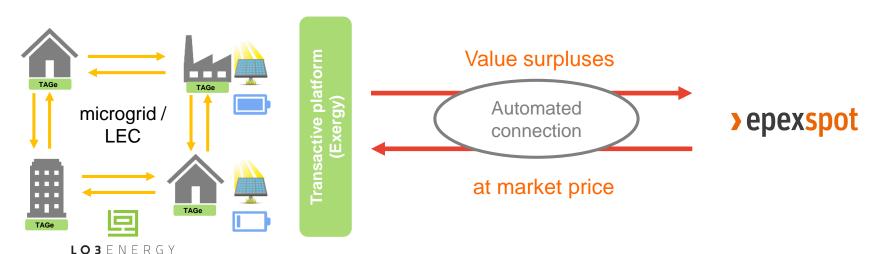


Valuing microgrids surpluses on the market

LO3 Energy is a US-based startup delivering solutions to tackle new energy challenges:

- The Brooklyn Microgrid launched in 2016: their proprietary TAGe smart meter allows blockchain-based P2P transactions (local prosumers and consumers)
- LO3 is working on microgrid projects worldwide including in Europe

LO3 Energy and EPEX SPOT signed a MoU in 2017 aiming at connecting the LO3 microgrids in Europe with the wholesale market



Thank you for your attention!

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