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Capacity Market Platform Development Roadmap

12th March 2026



Treatment of Capacity Contracts of Varying Duration in Constrained Auction Solution (CMC_07_24)

Why is it important? Reflect the preference of the Capacity Market design for shorter duration Awarded Capacity.



Expected outcomes? High priority give to Exempt Price Quantity Pairs with shorter duration offers based on price x duration. Primacy of one year offers retained.

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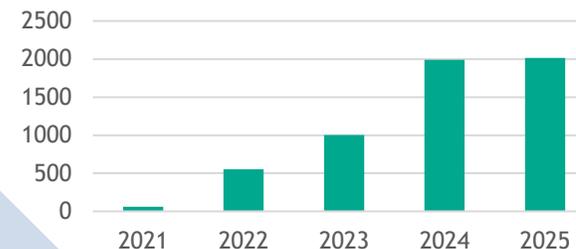
- UAT and Certification phase **complete**
- Updated legal text for 07_24 **approved and published** by RAs.
- **CMC_07_24** implemented



Online Secondary Trading (CMC_09_22)

Why is it important? Robust, secure, user-friendly channel required for submission of Secondary Trades to replace current email-based submissions.

Total number of Secondary Trades



Expect Outcomes - Significant increase in efficiency and user experience. Significant reduction in trading notice times to less than 2 hours. Increased features including open trades.

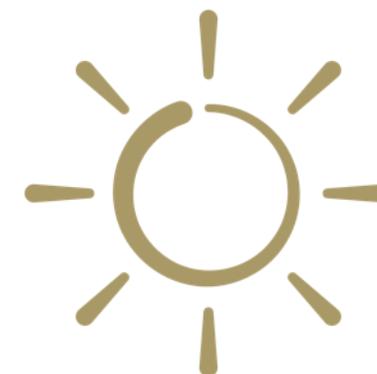
On track

- Factory Acceptance testing is complete
- System Acceptance Testing is complete
- User Acceptance Testing phase closing. Extended to implement Change Requests for better user experience, and amend template for sending data to settlements
- Go Live planned for end of April following industry training.



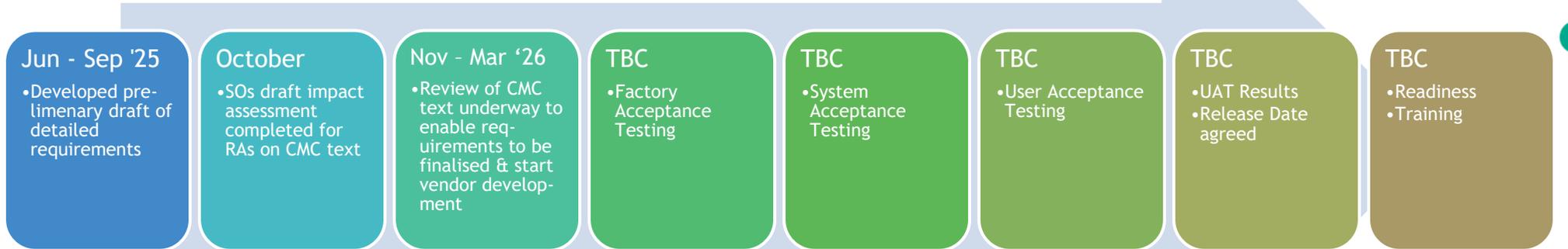
Online Secondary Trading - Readiness

Event	Date and Time
Secondary Trading User Guide Published	Tuesday 31/03/2026 17:00
Introduction & Training Session	Thursday 02/04/2026 10:30
Secondary Trading Session - Feedback	Thursday 09/04/2026 17:00
Introduction & Training Session (repeat)	Tuesday 14/04/2026 10:30
Secondary Trading Session (repeat) - Feedback	Thursday 16/04/2026 17:00
Secondary Trading Training - Feedback Session	Tuesday 21/04/2026 10:00
Go Live	Thursday 30/04/2026

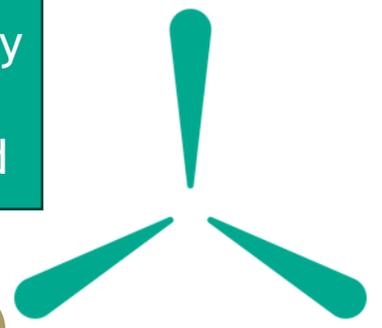


Secondary Trading above GDRC (CMC_11_21)

Why is it important? Allows Participants to secondary trade above their Gross De-Rated Capacity for up to 70 days of the year.



Online Secondary Trading Required



Expected Outcomes: Increased capacity available for secondary trading e.g. a 100 MW wind farm which has GDRC of 6 MW would be able to trade up to 100 MW for 70 days.

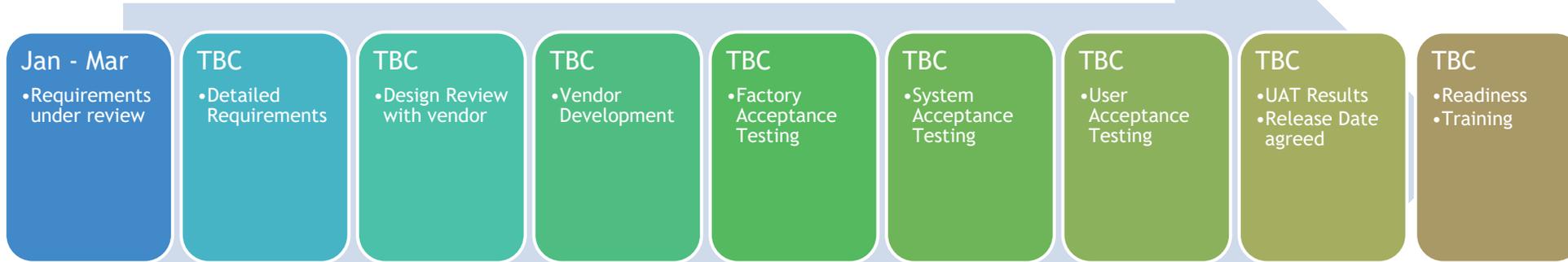
Timeline subject to final requirements

- SOs are engaging with RAs as part of the impact assessment of trading above gross de-rated capacity for Secondary Trading.



Post Auction Improvements

Why is it important? Tracking Awarded New Capacity is increasingly complex due extensions, tech class changes, ILCs, early delivery incentives. More robust, user-friendly system required to manage submissions.



Timeline subject to final requirements

- Target commencement of development works - Q4 2026

Expected Outcomes: Greater visibility of post auction obligations with more user-friendly submission process.



Thank you

Questions?

