



# Gas quality harmonization

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## GIE views on the amendment of the Interoperability Network Code

- Enforcing gas quality harmonization through the amendment of the Interoperability Network Code is not necessarily the most efficient way to remove gas quality barriers
- The potential amendment should be supported by a robust cost benefit analysis, prevent the implementation resulting in new gas quality barriers, unnecessary additional complexity or unnecessary additional costs
- Sustainability (biomethane and Power to Gas) shall be taken into account. A full implementation of the standard will be a major barrier for decarbonization of the gas for networks
- GIE notes the new CEN standard for H-gas quality as a basis for a future gas quality harmonization in Europe, facilitating the free trade of gas through the effective interoperability of networks



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