

We believe

in the power of collaboration.

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+2500
Users active on
the platform



38
TSOs



18
Markets connected



+600
Active Shipper
companies



+300 k
FCFS bookings



+1500
Network points on
the platform



+6.5 mio
Auctions at
IPs



4
SSOs



28
Employees

Why

Implicit Allocation?

Functioning of short term gas markets can be further improved

Need for flexibility

- Increasing share of non-controllable renewable electricity generation
- Combined with volatility in consumption and the role of gas as a balancing source is likely to increase pressure for further improving short-term capacity allocation processes

Changing contractual environment

- Many long term contracts running out between 2020 and 2030 with potential consequences on gas prices depending on the specific situation
- Short term capacity allocation processes may play a bigger role

Occasional high spreads

- Still some spreads occasionally higher than DA transport reg. tariffs (e.g. in cases of cold winter spells like Feb/Mar 2018)
- More structural higher spreads observed between a few hubs
- Transport capacity is in most of such cases not fully booked and/or without surcharge

Implicit Allocation as a support to short term markets

Further support for achieving and upholding the objectives of the Third Energy Package...

- ✓ Continuous support for the integration of the European internal gas market
- ✓ Additional support for improving liquidity within and between market areas
- ✓ Further improve the access to TSOs' gas transmission networks capacities

... but only with a solution in line with the subsequent goals and regulations

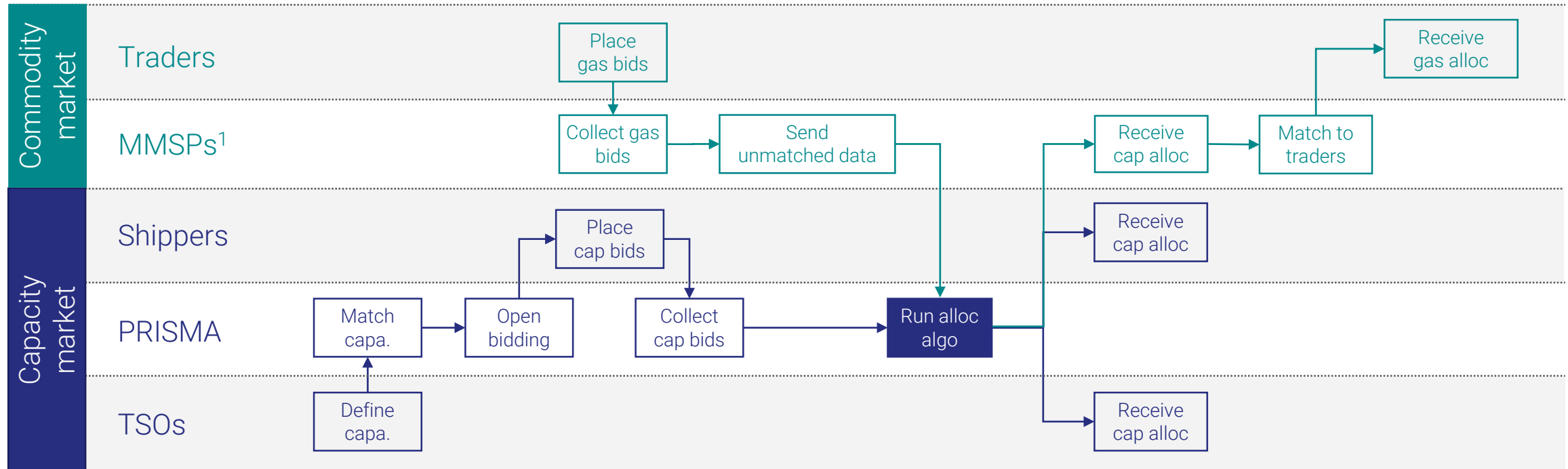
- ! In line with NC TAR and application of regulated tariffs as a base price
- ! Non discrimination and fair treatment of stakeholders
- ! Unbundling of activities (i.e. transport and commodity)

How

The Combined Explicit and Implicit
Allocation model

PRISMA's proposal: Combining the explicit and the implicit allocation of capacity

Proposal: Add the input from the commodity markets to the current capacity allocation process on PRISMA and combine the allocation of both the explicit and the implicit demands for capacity into one global algorithm, thereby ensuring that the capacity is allocated to the market (explicit or implicit) that is valuing it the most



1- Match Making Service Providers, i.e. Gas Exchanges, Broker Houses

The model fulfills all the key requirements



Clear goal of the model proposed by PRISMA

Aim **is** to further improve the market integration and provide support in critical situations

Aim **is not** to level the spread between hubs below the regulated tariff

A model proposing one common allocation based on auctions



Fair approach

Capacity allocated to market valuing it the most
Same clearing price for explicit and implicit market



Improved liquidity

Potentially increased number of matched trades
Increased social welfare



Increased flexibility

Additional short term booking method
Booking risk reduction



In line with current legal framework

In line with EU Network Codes (NC CAM & NC TAR)
In line with unbundling rules



Open Solution

Solution open to all interested parties (e.g. different gas exchanges)



Easy scale up

Cheap and easy implementation
Open solution ensuring possibilities to go global

Next steps?

Stakeholders involvement

Outcome

Illustrative example

Unmatched order in A
 Trader A - sell
 1,000 MWh/day @ 20 €/MWh



Explicit demand for capacity

Shipper - buy
 100 MWh/day @ 65 €/MWh

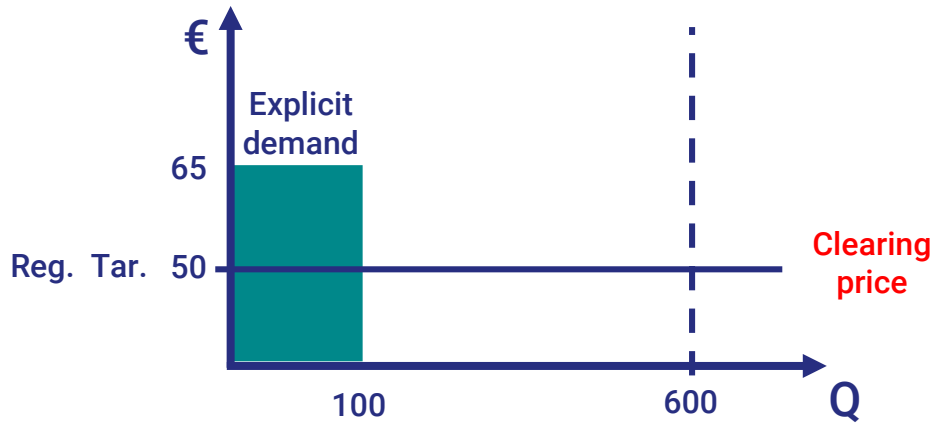
Available bundled capacity

TSOs - sell
 600 MWh/day @ 50 €/MWh



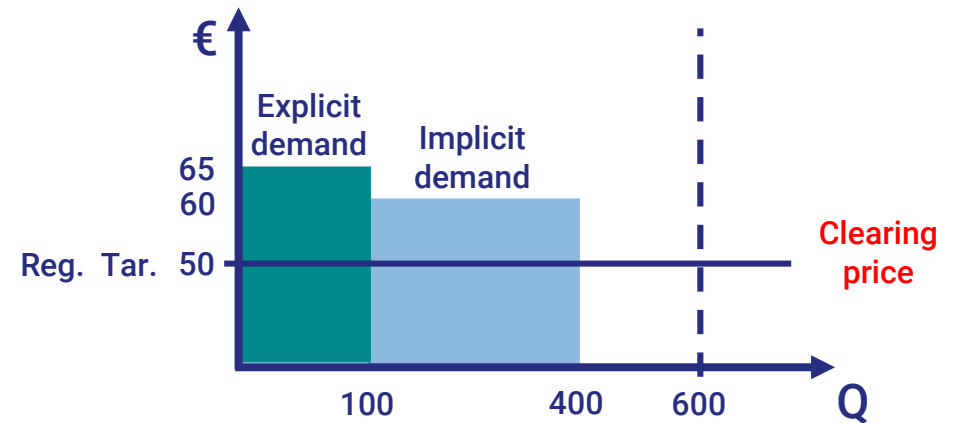
Unmatched order in B
 Trader B - buy
 300 MWh/day @ 80 €/MWh

Current capacity market organization



Shipper buys: 100 MWh/d @ 50 €/MWh/d
TSOs: 100 MWh/d @ 50 €/MWh/d
Trader A sells: 0 MWh @ 20 €/MWh
Trader B buys: 0 MWh @ 80 €/MWh

With Combined Explicit and Implicit Allocation



Shipper buys: 100 MWh/d @ 50 €/MWh/d
TSOs: 400 MWh/d @ 50 €/MWh/d
Trader A sells: 300 MWh @ 20 €/MWh
Trader B buys: 300 MWh @ 70 €/MWh

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THANK YOU

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