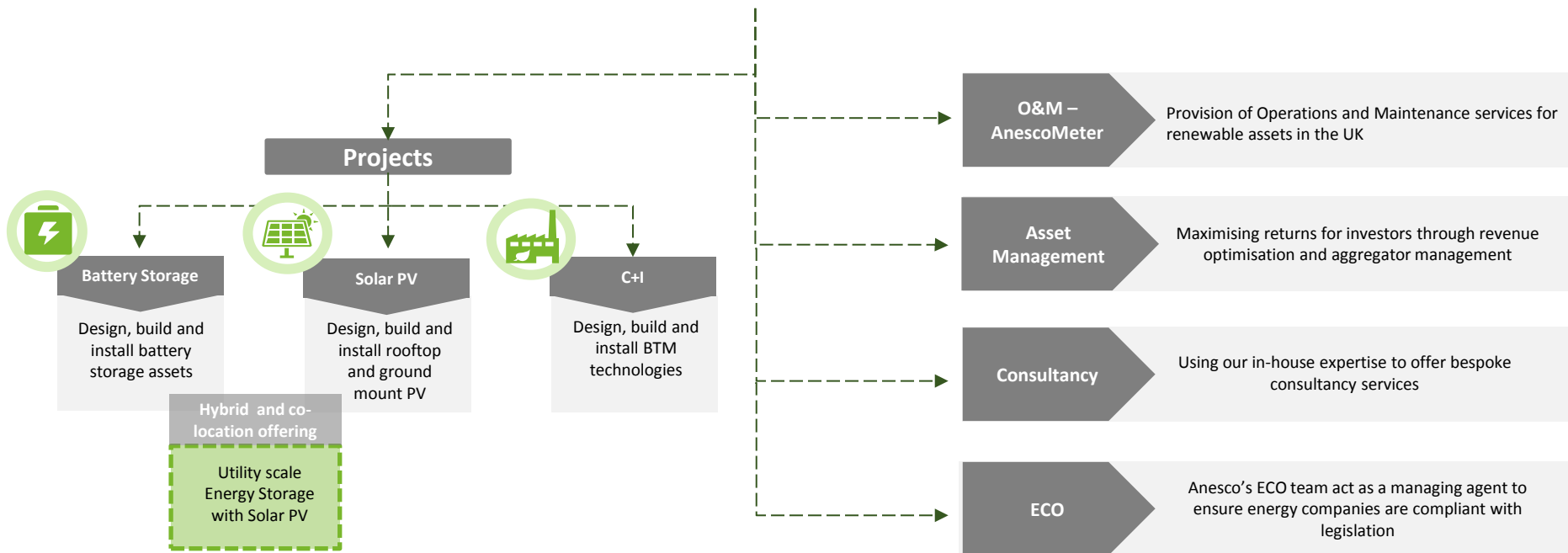




The role of storage in securing the grid

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Introduction



ITM – a history of firsts

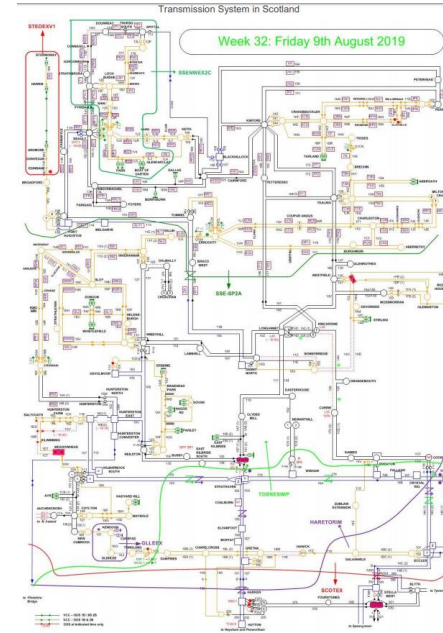
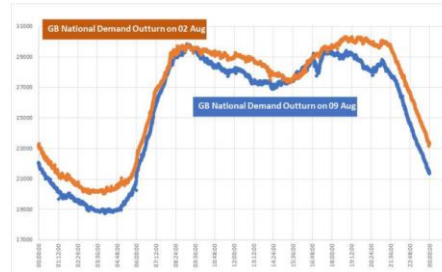
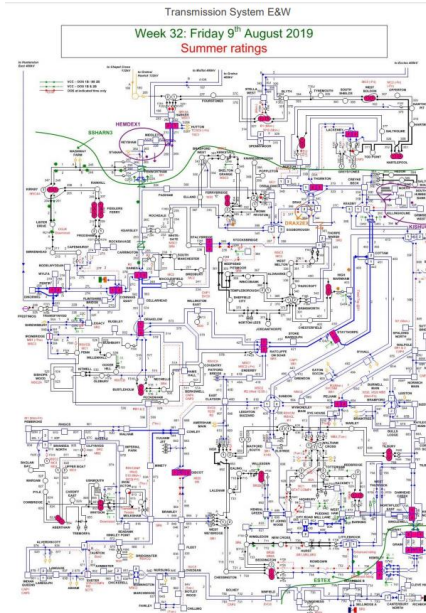


| Solar | Hybrid | Battery |
|--|--|--|
| Designed and built the UKs first subsidy free solar farm | First company to retain ROC accreditation for solar farms that supply storage batteries directly | First grid-scale battery built in 2014 |
| Full turn-key provider for over 500 MW of solar | First to install battery asset on existing solar PV site | Owner of 90 MW of operational sites |
| 101 ground mount projects across the UK | 20 sites co-located | First battery in the Balancing Mechanism |

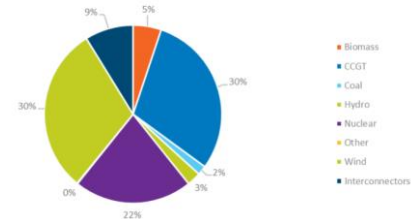
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Before the event

- What was the system doing?
- Constraints
- Generation
- Demand
- Weather



Transmission Connected Generation on 9th August at 16:30



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Before the event

- What were our batteries doing?
 - Dynamic Frequency Response
 - 15MW
 - Balancing Mechanism
 - 55MW
- 20MW Testing



Side note



What is Dynamic Frequency Response?

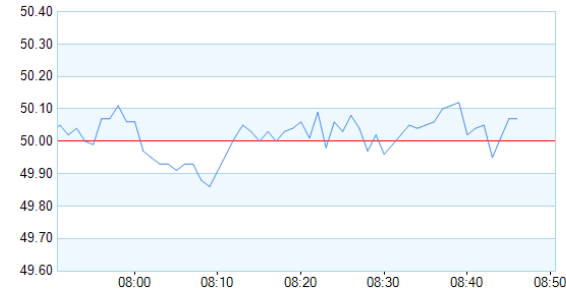
- Automatic
- Monthly tender
 - Pay as bid
- Weekly auction
 - Pay as clear
- Daily auction?

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Frequency Last 60 Mins

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Side note



What is the Balancing Mechanism?

- 'Flexibility market'
- Stack of 'bids' and 'offers'
- Distributed Resource Desk

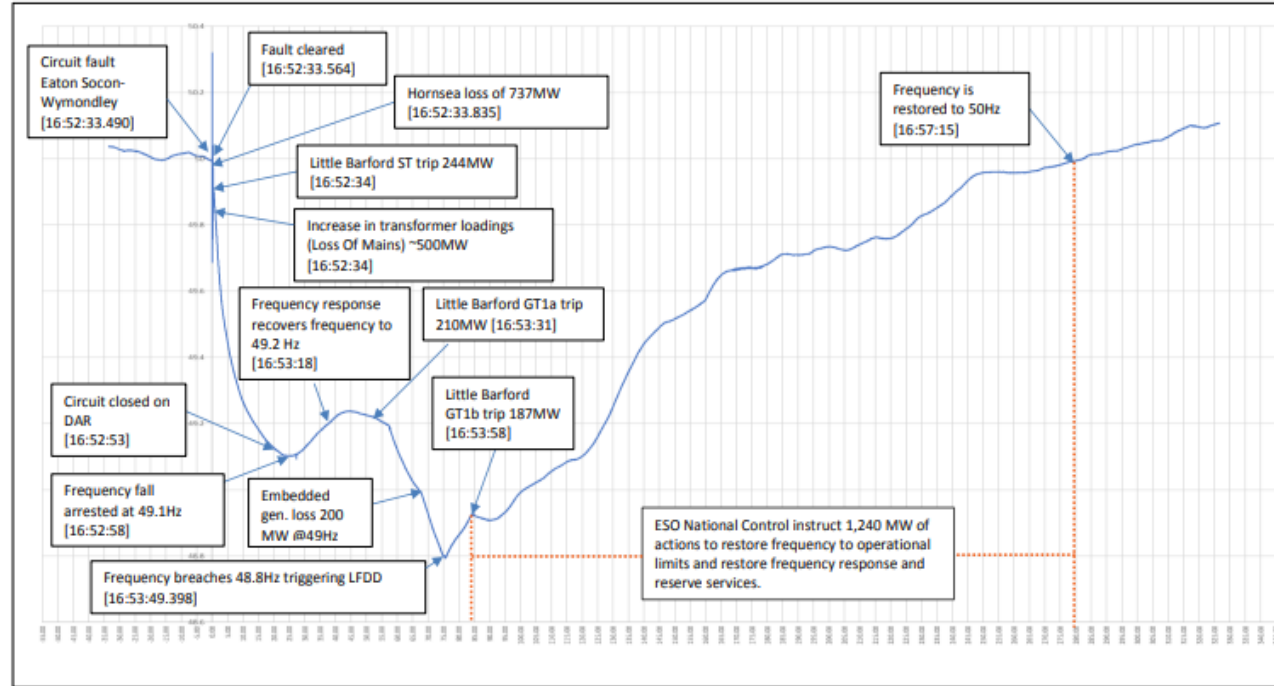


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During the frequency drop

- What was the system doing
 - Loss of 981MW
 - Loss of 500MW embedded

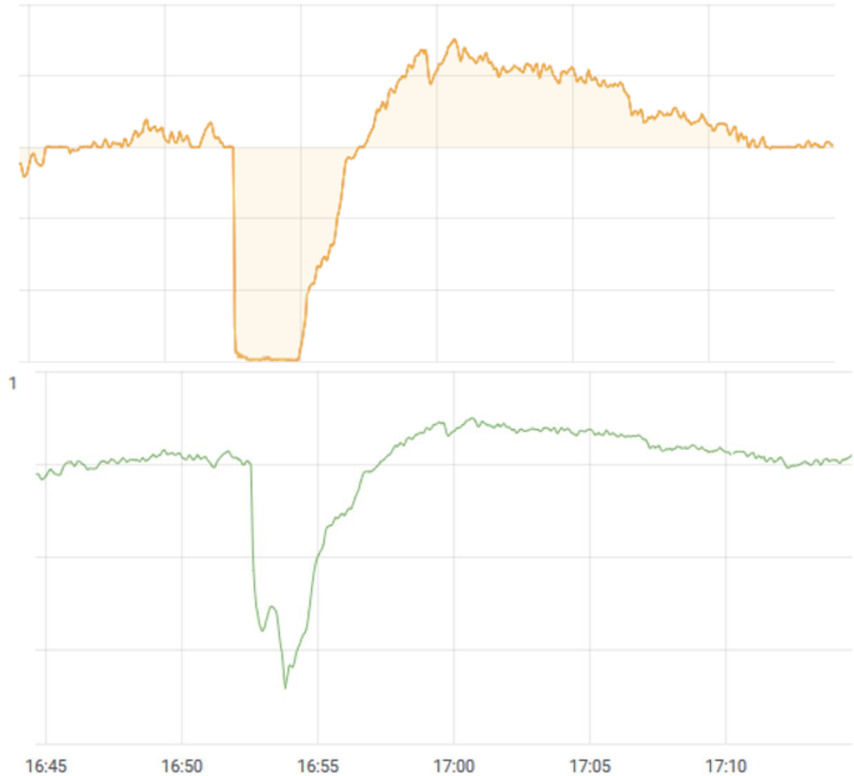


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During the frequency drop

- What were our batteries of interest doing
- Dynamic frequency Response
- Balancing Mechanism



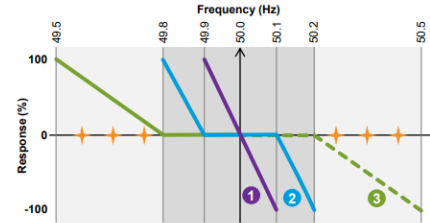
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So what?

- So what for Frequency Response?
- So what for the Balancing Mechanism?

New Frequency Response Services

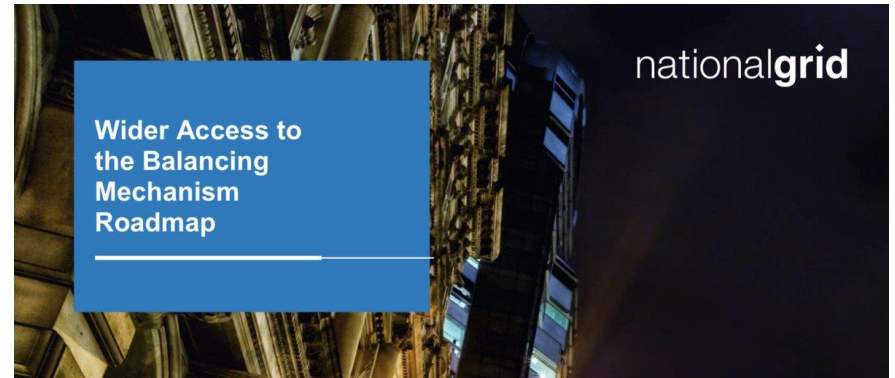


Services activated in Operational Limits are symmetrical:

- Dynamic Regulation
- Dynamic Balancing

Services activated in Statutory Limits are asymmetrical:

- Dynamic Containment
- Static Containment



So what for storage



So what for storage

