

ACER webinar: Improving EU scenario development to meet future energy needs

Thursday 11 September 2025 | 10:00 - 11:00 CEST

Online, MS Teams platform

AGENDA

Indicative time	Webinar items	
09:50 - 10:00	Webinar open for log-in	Starts promptly at 10:00
10:00 - 10:10	Introductory remarks Stefano Astorri, ACER	
10:10 - 10:35	Presentation of the consultancy study on EU scenario development Christopher Andrey, ARTELYS Paul Brière, ARTELYS	
10:35 - 10:55	Q&A	
10:55 - 11:00	Closing Remarks Fay Geitona, ACER	



Webinar objective

Scenario development plays a key role in long-term energy planning and adequacy assessments. Strengthening the quality and alignment of scenarios across different EU planning processes is key to supporting the EU's decarbonisation goals and guiding timely investments that help drive Europe's energy transition.

To support this, ACER commissioned a study in November 2024 to analyse key challenges in how scenarios are developed for the Ten-Year Network Development Plan (TYNDP) and the European Resource Adequacy Assessment (ERAA), as well as how national energy and climate plans (NECPs) are reflected in these scenarios. The study, which will be published in late August 2025, provides a set of recommendations to improve scenario-building practices by strengthening consistency, transparency and stakeholder engagement.

This webinar offers an opportunity for policymakers, regulators, system operators and other stakeholders involved in EU energy infrastructure and adequacy processes to:

- gain insights into the study's main findings;
- understand current gaps in scenario development; and
- explore practical recommendations to improve the quality and consistency of energy scenarios.