



Flow-based impact on balancing

- Flow-Based (FB) comes with a reduction of ATC.
 - → Lower ATC mean less exchange of balancing energy and higher local activation.
 - → Higher reserve need in each area.
 - → Higher balancing energy prices.
- Flow-Based (FB) improves the representation of the grid:
 - → Lower local activations due to congestions.
 - → Reduced reserves need for local congestions.

The Security of Supply for the Nordic area is ensured by dimensioning process.

- TSO's will take reduced ATC from Flow-based into reserve procurement considerations:
 - Increase local FRR procurement
 - TSO's can reserve ATC prior DA (e.g. mFRR CM)
- 2) Frequency products (FCR and aFRR) utilize FRM's*.
- 3) TSO can deviate from Flow-Based ATC if critical situation(accepting overloads).

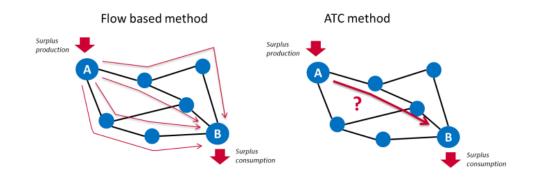


Figure 4 Difference in calculated power flows between bidding areas using the FB and CNTC methods

*Flow Reliability Margin



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