

Bidding mFRR capacity

Implementation Guide for Finnish national mFRR capacity market

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1. Introduction

Since 2016 Fingrid has been procuring mFRR capacity (up-regulation) on a weekly market to maintain enough mFRR balancing bids to cover the dimensioning fault in Finland. Due to changes in the Finnish electricity production palette, the demand for mFRR capacity is rising and due to this, Fingrid is also developing the national mFRR capacity market. The weekly market is transformed into an hourly market, where the hourly capacities for each day are procured through auctions on the previous day (pre-spot market). From the beginning of 2023, Fingrid also starts to procure capacity for down-regulation. The demand for down-regulation capacity is 150 MW in the beginning and is increased stepwise to cover the dimensioning fault in the down-direction.

This implementation guide contains information about the process for bidding of manual Frequency Restoration Reserves to Finnish national capacity market manually through the web user interface and by electrical messages. The document describes the business rules as well as provides detailed information about the messages exchanged between Fingrid and Balance Service Provider or their service provider (both referred later as BSP).

1.1 Abbreviations

BSP Balance Service Provider

mFRR Manual Frequency Restoration Reserve

GOT Gate Opening Time, after which bids can be submitted GCT Gate Closure Time, until which bids can be submitted

1.2 Change log

Version	Release	Date	Changed by	Comments
1.0	Initial version	3.10.2022	Antti Hyttinen	First released version

1.3 References

- [1] urn:iec62325.351:tc57wg16:451-7:reservebiddocument:7:1
- [2] urn:iec62325.351:tc57wg16:451-1:acknowledgementdocument:8:1
- [3] urn:iec62325.351:tc57wg16:451-7:reserveallocationresultdocument:6:4

2. General Rules

2.1 Trade process

The Gate opening time (GOT) for the Finnish national mFRR capacity market is D-31 days. The gate closure time for bids (GCT) is D-1 at 9:30 EET/EEST. The auction is cleared, and the results are published latest D-1 at 10:30 EET/EEST. The timeline below demonstrates the different operational phases of the capacity market.



Figure 1 Timeline of the operational phases of the national mFRR capacity market

For each hour, Fingrid places the bids in price order, with the principle of giving priority to the cheapest bid. In case the operational situation in the network requires, bids can also be selected in another order. If this is done, BSPs are informed of this by changing the status of the bids in question to "unavailable". A necessary number of the bids is used in the price order, separately for up and down regulation.

3. Manual bid submission

BSPs can enter bids manually into VaksiWeb under the menu:

- Balancing market → Balancing capacity market → Hourly markets → mFRR capacity bid input (English)
- Säätömarkkinat → Säätökapasiteettimarkkinat → Tuntimarkkinat → Tuntitarjousten syöttö (Finnish)

After choosing the correct party and correct date, new bids can be added by adding new rows.

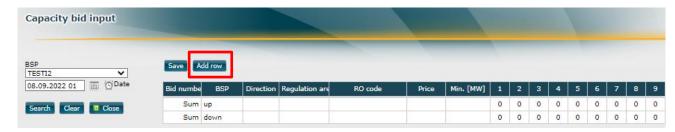


Figure 2 In the Web interface, new bids can be added by clicking on the "add row" button

3.1 Information required in the bid

Each bid must contain the following information:

- Direction (up/down)
- Regulation area (North/South)
- Price
 - o Price cannot be negative and must be at least 0,01 €

- Volume
 - \circ A bid can contain volume for 1-24 hours. Bid selection is done independently for each hour.
- Bid ID is created automatically by the system when a new row is added
- Further details -column is filled out automatically when adding a new row

The BSP can also specify the RO code for the bid, but this is not required.

Min. [MW] is used to inform the divisibility of the bid. For fully divisible bids, the field is left empty. For fully indivisible bids, Min. [MW] = volume of the bid. Min. [MW] must be lower or equal to the lowest volume within a single bid.



Figure 3 example bids submitted through Vaksi Web

3.2 Excel – input

Bids can also be copy-pasted to the user interface from e.g. Excel. Before pasting bids, the following steps should be taken:

- 1. correct subject party and date must be selected
- 2. A single bid row must be added in order to copy bids from excel

The amount of bid rows in Vaksi Web does not need to be the same as the number of rows copied from excel. The copied bids do not need to contain the following information:

- Bid number (this is automatically created by Vaksi)
- BSP (This is automatically created by Vaksi)
- Bid ID (This is automatically created by Vaksi)
- Further details

An excel template will be provided for market participants alongside this implementation guide. The template will be published at a later stage.

3.3 Bid submission through electronic messages

It is also possible to submit bids to the market using ECP/MADES network. The process uses the cim document schema ReserveBid_MarketDocument version 7.1 [1]

3.3.1 General rules

The time interval of a reserve bid document is always an entire CET/CEST day.

The regulation area (North/South) is defined using acquiring and connecting domain. It is mandatory to define the regulation area for the bid. BSP can also provide RO-code as a voluntary information.

A bid time series can include several periods if all periods are within the time interval of the bid document (an entire CET/CEST day). Periods are not allowed to overlap with each other.

3.3.2 Updating and deleting of bids

In general, a new received bid document will always completely replace a previously received document. Updating or deleting of any individual bid is done by sending a new bid document honoring these rules:

- A new document mRID
- Revision number always "1"
- Newer creation date & time for the document
- Same document interval (same CET/CEST day)
- Same domain on document-level (Finnish domain)
- Same auction mRID
- Same subject market participant

A BSP can also delete all bids for a given day by sending a new bid document that contains a single dummy Bid_TimeSeries that includes the element "status" and value A09 = cancelled. The bid document is not allowed to contain any other Bid_TimeSeries.

BSPs can see valid bids in Vaksi Web user interface. Bids can also be updated and deleted manually in the user interface.

Deleting bids in the user interface is done by pressing on the "bin" icon at the end of each row.

6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	Bid id	Further details	
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5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	7d52168408494ca18deadb6f16717b98	Domestic sale	ŵ
10	10	10	10							10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	5e26136bf69c4f728606a3148528d1a2	Domestic sale	Û
5	15	15	15	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5			
10	10	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10			

Figure 4 In the user interface bids are deleted by clicking on the garbage bin

4. Auction Results

Auction results can be viewed in the Vaksi user interface under the menu:

- Balancing market → Balancing capacity market → Hourly markets → mFRR capacity sale report (English)
- Säätömarkkinat → Säätökapasiteettimarkkinat → Tuntimarkkinat → Tuntikauppojen raportointi (Finnish)

After searching for the correct date, all bids with accepted volumes are presented:



Figure 5 View of how accepted volumes are presented in Vaksi Web



The green color implicates that the volume of the bid in this hour was fully accepted. Yellow color implicates that the accepted volume was smaller than the original bid volume. If bid is partially accepted (in some hours), also hours where no volume is accepted, are marked yellow.

By clicking on "show all bids", all submitted bids (accepted and not accepted) are shown. If no volume is accepted from a bid, the bid is not highlighted.

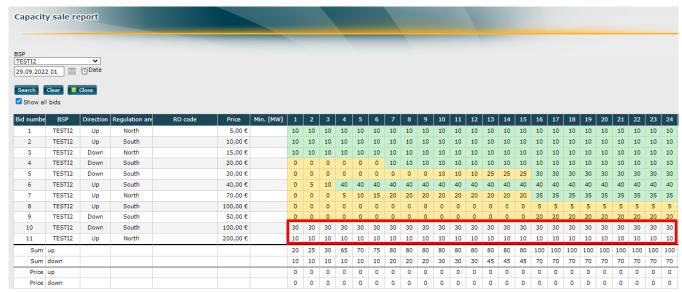


Figure 6 Bids that are not accepted are shown grey when "show all bids" is activated

If, due to constraints in the transmission network, some bids cannot be accepted, these bids are marked with the status "unusable, transfer limitation" (*Epäkäytettävä*, *siirtorajoitus*) and are presented with a grey color.

5. Message Implementation Guide

When the national mFRR capacity market is launched at 1.12.2022, it is not yet possible to submit bids through electronic messages. The following part of the document is valid when Fingrid informs market participants that electronic messages are implemented. This part of the document is still subject to changes.

The bidding process can be summarized in the following steps:

- 1. Bids are submitted by BSP using the CIM Reserve Bid Document [1]
- 2. Fingrid will always acknowledge a bid document using a CIM Acknowledgement Document [2]
- 3. Bid results are distributed to BSP using the CIM Reserve Allocation Result Document [3]

5.1 Reserve bid document

5.1.1 Business rules

- Recommended maximum number of bids within the bid document is 2 000.
- Bid can have volume for 1 to 24 hours.
- Bid price can have two decimals. Bid price is the same for all hours.
- Decimal separator must be a period. Bid quantity must be submitted at 1 MW granularity (no decimals). Bid volume shall be in integer
- A minimum volume for bid acceptance can be defined. The minimum volume is the same for all hours. Bid volume for each hour must be equal or higher than the minimum volume.
- Document identification and bid identification must be in UUID format.
- EIC code shall be used as sender identification code and subject party code.

	mFRR capacity up regulation	mFRR capacity down regulation
Minimum bid size (MW)	1	1
Maximum bid size (MW)	50	50

5.1.2 Mapping table

Reserve Bid					
Document Identification	Unique identification of the document in UUID-format				
Revision Number	Fixed 1				
Document Type	B40 Complete set of bids				
Process Type	A47 Manual frequency restoration reserve				
Sender Identification	EIC party code (X) of the BSP or their service provider XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX				
Sender Role	A46 Balancing Service Provider, if sender is BSPA39 Service Provider, if sender is BSPs Service provider				
Receiver Identification	10X1001A1001A264 (Fingrid) codingScheme = A01 (EIC)				
Receiver Role	A04 TSO				
Creation Date Time	Date and time for creation of the document YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MM:SSZ (ISO 8601 UTC format)				
Reserve Bid Time Interval	The beginning and ending date and time of the period covered by the document. Must always be an entire CET day YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ/YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ (ISO 8601 UTC format)				
Domain	10YFI-1U codingScheme = A01 (EIC)				
Subject Party	EIC party code (X) of the BSP XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX				
Subject Role	A46 Balancing Service Provider				
Bid Time Series					
Reserve Bid Identification	Unique identification of the Bid Time series in UUID-format				
Auction Identification	Fixed "MFRR_CAPACITY_MARKET" Note: the element should not be checked				
Business Type	B74 Offer				
Acquiring Area	EIC code for the national area 10YFI-1U "The area where the resource is contracted for use"				

	codingScheme = A01 (EIC)					
Connecting Area	EIC code for the area within Finland where the resource is located 10YFI-0 for North-Finland 10YFI-2K for South Finland codingScheme = A01 (EIC)					
Measure Unit Quantity	MAW					
Currency	EUR					
Measure Unit Price	MAW					
Divisible	A01 Yes A02 No					
Linked Bids Identification	Not used					
Exclusive Bids Identification	Not used					
Block Bid	Not used					
Registered Resource	Regulation object code, information is not mandatory codingScheme = NFI (kansallinen koodi)					
Direction	A01 Up A02 Down					
Market Agreement Type	Fixed 1					
Resting duration constraint	Not used					
Maximum duration constraint	Not used					
Period						
Time Interval	Period covered. The bid can contain several periods. Periods are not allowed to overlap. YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ/YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ (ISO 8601 UTC format) This shall be included in the Time Period Covered					
Resolution	PT60M or PT1H					
Point						
Pos	Position within the time interval. Sequential value beginning with 1					
Qty	Offered volume					
Price	The price of the product offered					
Minimum Quantity	The minimum quantity must be present if bid is marked as divisible (A01) and must not be present when the bid is market as indivisible (A02). Must be specified as the same value across all points across all periods of the bid.					

Reserve Allocation Result	
Document Identification	Unique identification of the document in UUID format
Document Version	Fixed 1
Document Type	A38 Reserve Allocation Result Document
Process Type	A47 Manual frequency restoration reserve
Sender Identification	10X1001A1001A264 (Fingrid) codingScheme = A01 (EIC)
Sender Role	A04 TSO
Receiver Identification	EIC party code (X) of sender of the bid document codingScheme = A01 (EIC)
Receiver Role	A46 Balance Service Provider, if receiver is BSPA39 Service Provider, if receiver is BSPs service provider
Creation Date Time	Date and time for creation of the document YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MM:SSZ (ISO 8601 UTC format)
Reserve Bid Time Interval	The beginning and ending date and time of the period covered by the document. Must always be an entire CET day. YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ/YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ (ISO 8601 UTC format)
Domain	10YFI-1 U codingScheme = A01 (EIC)
Bid Time Series	
Reserve Bid Identification	Unique identification of the time series in UUID format
Original bid time series	The identification of the time series that was used in the original bid document - the reference to the bid
Original tendering party	EIC party code (X) of the sender of the original tender
Auction Identification	Fixed "MFRR_CAPACITY_MARKET"
Business Type	B95 Procured Capacity
Acquiring Area	EIC code for the national area 10YFI-1U "The area where the resource is contracted for use" codingScheme = A01 (EIC)
Connecting Area	EIC code for the national area 10YFI-1U codingScheme = A01 (EIC)
Market Agreement type	A01 Daily
Measure Unit Quantity	MAW
Currency	EUR
Measure Unit Price	MAW
Registered Resource	RO-code of the original bid, if available
Direction	A01 Up A02 Down

Reason (within timeseries level)							
Code	 A73 - Tender in question has been accepted A72 - The original bid quantity has been divided to enable it to be accepted. B09 - Bid not accepted 						
Period							
Time Interval	Period covered. Always an entire CET day. YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ/YYYY-MM-DDTHH:MMZ (ISO 8601 UTC format)						
Resolution	PT60M						
Point							
Pos	Position within the time interval. Sequential value beginning with 1						
Qty	The accepted quantity for a point						
Price	Marginal price for the hour in question. If accepted volume for the hour is 0, this field is empty.						
Secondary quantity	Original volume of the bid						
Bid price	Original price of the bid						
Reason (within point-lev	el)						
Code	A73 - Tender unavailable This reason code is used if the TSO cannot accept the bid due to internal congestion						
Text	"Bid could not be accepted due to constraints in the transmission network"						



5.1.3 Validation of bid document

An acknowledgement document is generated either accepting the completely received document or rejecting it completely. Partly accept is never used.

Following error codes are applied:

- A01 successfully received document.
- A02 discarded document.

The table below contains the list of error messages that will be included in the Acknowledgement document in case validation of a bid document fails:

Description	Level of validation	Error message
Reserve Bid Document:		
Document Identification is mandatory	Message	-Message reference missing.
Document Identification must be in UUID format	Message	-Document Identification must be in correct format
Document type must be filled out correctly	Message	-DocumentType missingDocumentType must be B40
Process type must be filled out correctly	Message	-ProcessType not valid
Message must be received within a given time	Message	-Message was received after deadline. Gate closure for mFRR capacity bids is D-1 9:30 EET
Message can only include bids for next 31 days Message time interval must be one full day in CET time zone	Message	-Message contains data for more than next 31 daysDocument start and end interval must define an entire CET Day
Sender Identification must be connected to the Subject Party	Message	-SenderIdentification missing -Sender is not connected to the Subject Party.
Message must contain correct Receiver Identification	Message	-ReceiverIdentification missingReceiverIdentification is wrong
Message must contain correct subject party	Message	-Subject party missing -Subject party not found.
Time stamp of the document must be in correct format	Message	-createdDatetime format is incorrect -Decimals are not allowed in createdDatetime
Time interval of the document must be in correct format	Message	-ReserveBidTimeInterval not in correct format
Bid Times Series:		
Bid Identification is mandatory Bid Identification must be in UUID format	Bid	-ReserveBidIdentification missingReserveBidIdentification must be in correct format
Business type must be correct	Bid	-Business type missing -Message can only contain mFRR capacity bids
Acquiring domain must be 10YFI-1U	Bid	-Acquiring domain must be 10YFI-1U. -Connecting domain must be 10YFI-1U, 10YFI-0 3 or 10YFI-2K

Connecting domain must be either Finland or flow area in Finland		
Quantity Measure unit must be MAW	Bid	-Quantity unit must be MAW.
Currency must be EUR	Bid	-Currency must be EUR.
Price Measure unit must be MAW	Bid	-Price unit must be MAW
Divisibility must be specified	Bid	-Divisibility information is missing -Divisibility must be specified
Direction must be specified	Bid	-Direction must be A01
marketAgreement type must be specified correctly	Bid	-MarketAgreementType missingMarketAgreementType must be A01
Bid Times Series Interval:		
Time interval of the bid must be in correct format	Bid	-Period TimeInterval not in correct format
Bid interval must be included in document time interval Bid Periods are not allowed to overlap Resolution not specified correctly Point position within a period must begin with 1	Bid	-Period is not in header timeinterval -Periods are overlapping -Resolution must be PT60M or PT1H -Point position within a period must begin with 1
Quantity is required	Bid	-Quantity required, must be bigger than 1 MW
Quantity must be within accepted limits	Bid	-Minimum quantity 1 MW and maximum quantity 50 MW for mFRR capacity bids
Quantity must be defined as a whole number	Bid	-Quantity cannot contain any decimals
Quantity smaller than minimum quantity	Bid	-Quantity must be at least minimum quantity
Minimum Quantity must be present if bid is defined as divisible (A01) Minimum quantity must not be present if bid is defined as indivisible	Bid	-In divisible bids, minimum quantity must be present -In indivisible bids, minimum quantity must not be present
Price is required	Bid	-Price required
Prices cannot be negative	Bid	-Price is lower than the lower limit
Price can contain a maximum of two decimals	Bid	-Price contains too many decimals; position 1.

5.2 Example messages

Example messages to be added as soon as possible.