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IEC System for Certification to Standards Relating to Equipment for use in Renewable Energy Applications

IEC management structure





IECRE structure

Conformity Assessment Board (CAB)

Management of conformity assessment policies, activities and systems (IECEE, IECEx, IECQ, IECRE)



IECRE Deliverables

PV Solar sector certificates issued by end of 2022

Certificate Type	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Total
PV Quality Management (QC)			1	0	3	3	0	7
PV Commissioning Certificate								
(CC)				1	0	0	0	1
PV Design Certificate (DC)				1	0	0	0	1

Wind sector certificates issued by end of 2022

Certificate Type	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Total
WE Type Certificate (TC)	2	3	17	50	42	32	51	197
WE Provisional Type Certificate								
(TC)	0	0	2	8	14	4	19	47
WE Component Certificate (CC)	0	0	2	19	12	35	77	145
WE Provisional Component								
Certificate (CC)	0	0	0	4	3	5	10	22
WE Design Evaluation Conformity								
Statement (DECS)	0	0	0	33	49	77	133	292
WE Prototype Certificate (PTC)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
WE Project Design (PD)	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2

2023: IECRE issued the first "Feasibility Statement / Technology Qualification" for a tidal engery converter!

Marine sector test reports issued by end of 2022

The first Power performance test report in the Marine sector was issued in 2021.

Wind sector test reports issued by end of 2022

Test Reports	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Total
Acoustic Testing				2	1	3
Blade Test reports (BT)	3	12	50	50	144	259
Electrical Characteristics (EC)				3	9	12
Mechanical Loads Test reports (LT)	3	8	9	13	16	49
Power Performance Test reports						
(PP)	5	14	16	32	35	102
Anemometer reports		6000	10250	9500	8500	34250



Key thoughts - Bankability

- Revenue Mechanism
 - Contract for Difference (CfD) scheme in the UK
 - Feed in Tariff in Canada
 - Tax credits in US
 - Etc.
- Technology Qualification and Conformity Assessment
 - IEC TC 114 International Standards and Technical Specifications
 - IECRE Conformity Assessment System

While a reliable revenue machanism allows financial predictability, technology qualification and conformity assessment foster trust in new technology and allow compareability. Both factors will also play a strong role in regarding "insurability" of projects.

The successful implementation of the CfD in the UK is underlined by the below indicated examples and the amount of projects based in the UK.





Examples of ME Projects



United Kingdom







Europe – ME Projects (selected)

Revenue Mechanism == NONE YET

Raz Blanchard (Alderney Race)

TIGER Project





Le Raz Blanchard

France

- ≻ ~30 MW
- Multiple technologies
- > TIGER Project
- More information available
 [LINK]







TIGER Project

Site	Key partners	Location	Current status	Capacity to be installed	Technology to be installed	Timescale for deployment
Ramsey Sound	Cambrian Offshore SW	Pembrokeshire, UK	Recover turbine and install turbine	Up to 1MW	ТВС	2021-22
Yarmouth Harbour	QED Naval	Isle of Wight, UK	Site to be consented and turbines installed	up to 300kW	Community scale SubHub with 3x Tocardo T1 turbines	2021-22
Perpetuus Tidal Energy Centre	Orbital Marine Power, EMEC	Isle of Wight, UK	New site, originally fully consented in 2016, currently going through re-consenting	30MW	Orbital O2 TBC	Deployment outside scope of TIGER (2025)
Le Raz Blanchard	Normandie Hydroliennes	Normandy, FR	Site consent variation in progress, FEED	12MW	TBC likely SIMEC AR2000 series variant	Deployment outside of scope of TIGER (2024-25)
	Hydroquest	Normandy, FR	Site consent variation in progress, FEED	17 MW	Oceanquest next generation turbine	Deployment outside of scope of TIGER (2024-25)
Paimpol-Bréhat	EDF, SEENEOH, Hydroquest & EMEC	Brittany, FR	Deployed for testing and demonstration	1MW	Oceanquest 1 MW	Deployed (retrieval summer 2021)
EDF, SEENEOH, BDI & Minesto		Brittany, FR	Deployed for testing and demonstration	100kW	DG100	2022
	EDF, SEENEOH & BDI	Brittany, FR	Test site to be repurposed	Various	ТВС	ТВС
Morbihan Gulf	Morbihan Hydro Energies SAS	Brittany, FR	New site to be consented	500kW	Sabella turbines 2x D08 250kW	2022

TIGER is actively supporting design and or installation up to 31.9MW of tidal turbine capacity.





HydroWing





"UK Project Slides"

UN GERE September, 2023

Jonathan Colby President & Founder Streamwise Development, LLC



MeyGen

The Crown Estate awarded an agreement for lease to MeyGen PLC

- Stroma, Scotland
- > 398 MW consented
 - Phased build out
 - 6 MW (operational) + 28 MW (CfD) + 52 MW (under development) + 312 MW (planned)
- > 28 MW allocated to MeyGen PLC under CfD Auction Round (AR) 4
- > Developer agnostic (SIMEC Atlantis & Andritz Hydro to date)
- 50 GWh generated to date [LINK]









MeyGen – SIMEC Atlantis







MeyGen – Andritz Hydro

MK1 – 5+ YEARS OF OPERATION





EMEC

European Marine Energy Centre (EMEC)

- Orkney Islands, Scotland
- 4 test sites (2 tidal, 2 wave)
- Hydrogen generation & grid-connected infrastructure
- 7.2 MW allocated to Orbital Marine Power under CfD AR4 \geq
- More information available at https://www.emec.org.uk/ \geq



Streamwise







EMEC





Westray

Orbital Marine Power

- > Westray Firth, Orkney Islands, Scotland
- > 30 MW project
- Grid-connected infrastructure
- Adjacent to EMEC
- > 6 MW allocated in CfD AR 4 (Eday 1 and Eday 2)
- More information available [LINK]









Westray – Orbital Marine Power







Morlais Demonstration

Consent from Welsh Government and Natural Resources Wales was awarded in December 2021

- \succ Holyhead, Wales
- 240 MW Consented (8 x 30 MW berths) ➤ Phased build out \succ

 - 7 berths allocated to individual developers to date
- \succ 5.62 MW allocated to Magallanes Renovables under AR 4
- Utilizing the Rochedale Envelope \succ
- More information available [LINK] >







Morlais Demonstration Zone

Coloured areas showing restrictions on the types of turbine permitted and showing operational exclusion zones





Morlais Demonstration Zone – Streamwise Magallanes





Streamwise

Holyhead Deep

Minesto UK

- Holyhead, Wales
- 80 MW maximum
- 10 MW initial installation
- European Union (EU) + Welsh European Funding Office (WEFO) funding
- Adjacent to Morlais
- More information available [LINK]







Holyhead Deep – Minesto Rudder Elevator CISSIE W Turbine Gearbox Generator Wing Control system Tether (upper end)





PTEC

Perpetuus Tidal Energy Center (PTEC)

- Isle of Wight, England
- 30 MW maximum
- 20-year seabed lease from the Crown Estate
- Impacts of tidal stream power on energy system security: An Isle of Wight case study [LINK]











Global Industry TIDAL CURRENT ENERGY | Progress in recent years



- Approaching design
 convergence
- Approaching commercialisation, with deployment of full-scale devices and first arrays
- Progress demonstrated by operating hours accumulated and electricity generated
- Need for further technology investigation and demonstration for long periods of time













nt Power, East River NY, USA









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WAVE ENERGY | Successful deployments



- Several full-scale devices in the manufacturing phase or preparing for deployment
- Continuous evolution along the TRL scale and first farms are being designed
- A number of potential breakthroughs have been developed
- A wide variety of wave energy technologies
- Extensive testing programmes are still required











Wavepiston, PLOCAN test, DK and SP















Hybrid Systems

Wind-Wave-Hydrogen

- Floating Power Plant (DK)
- \succ 4 15 MW Wind Turbine
- ➤ 1-4 MW WEC
- > Hydrogen
- UK Innovation Fund (July 2023)



Concept: Wind and wave power is delivered directly to the client. Excess renewable power is converted into hydrogen, stored, and turned into electricity when there is no/reduced wind and wave resource.



Thank you!



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