# EDIG@S Version 5.1 Workshop

**Date:** 22 October 2014 from 10:00 to 16:00
**Venue:** The Hotel, 38 Boulevard de Waterloo, 1000 Brussels, Belgium (Park Ball Room)

## Event Programme

**10h00 – 10h05:** Introduction by Peter Meeuwis (GasTerra), chair of EASEE-gas ExCom

**10h05 – 10h35:** 'How EDIG@S satisfies the gas processes' by Sophies Jehaes (Fluxsys), EASEE-gas EDIG@S Working Group

**10h35 – 11h00:** 'From a network code or an European legislation to Business Requirements Specification (BRS)' by Monika Kaldonek (ENTSOG) and Jan Vitovsky (ENTSOG)

*11h00-11h30: Morning coffee break*

**11h30 – 12h00:** 'EDIG@S in action: nomination and matching" by Stanislaw Brzęczkowski (Gaz System), EDIG@S Working Group member

**12h00 – 12h15**: Q&A Session

*12h15 – 13h15: Lunch Break*

**13h15 – 13h45** 'Pilot phase realisation of REMIT project' - Ilse Guedens (Fluxys)

**13h45– 14h15** 'How EDIG@S satisfies REMIT and transparency processes' by Jarle Rønnevik (Statoil), EDIG@S Working Group

*14h15 – 14h45: Afternoon coffee break*

**14h45 – 15h15:** 'How EDIGAS satisfies the gas trading process' by Olivier Termont (Eni)

**15h15 – 15h45:** Q&A Session

**15h45:** Closing remarks by Peter Meeuwis (GasTerra), chair of EASEE-gas ExCom

**16h00:** End

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# Event Summary

EASEE-gas organized a Workshop in Brussels to tell more about the use of EDIG@S, as mentioned in the Network Code Interoperability, for not IT specialists. The meeting aimed at people that are more or less acting as an intermediate between operations and IT. The event was attended by 80 representatives of 45 companies active in the energy business.

For starters, in the morning a representative of the EASEE-gas Message, Workflow and Design Working Group (MWD-WG) started with the explanation of the process on how an EDIG@S-message is developed on the base of, for example, a Business Requirement Specification (BRS) of ENTSOG. Looking at the requirements, the working group takes the EDIG@S (information) building blocks to develop the necessary message. After consulting with the applicant, in this case ENTSOG but this can be everyone in the energy business, to be sure that all the necessary information blocks are incorporated, the structure of the message is approved after this check. After approval the EDIG@S file is translated into an XSD-file and this file is tested/processed by the members of MWD-WG. After successful testing all implementing documentation is written and the message and documentation is published on the EASEE-gas website (free for use).

The next presentations were done by representatives of ENTSOG. The first speaker explained how the process is on developing Common Network Operation Tools (CNOT) for data exchange. The WHY, HOW and WHAT was given as background information and also a timeline of the CNOT Development process. With this background information on the retina, the speaker went on telling about the scoping, the BRS development (based on Unified Modelling Language (UML)), Implementation Guidelines (IG) development and CNOT delivery. After this explanation of the process, the second speaker of ENTSOG zoomed in on the Nominations and Matching CNOT and the involvement of EASEE-gas during this process specially by delivering knowledge and expertise on UML and IG. The Nominations and Matching CNOT is based on three network codes (Balancing (BAL), Capacity Allocation Management (CAM) and Interoperability (INT)) and several topics, for example Single Sided and Double Sided Nominations, were highlighted.
Also the work done and work planned, by ENTSOG, for the CAM NC and CMP (Congestion Management Procedures) guidelines CNOT process was described.

A representative of MWD-WG zoomed in on the Message Implementation Guideline (MIG) of EASEE-gas on the base of the BRS Nomination and Matching Process. After explaining the definitions and the needed data exchange at connection points, a case study was presented regarding the Single Sided (SSN) and Double Sided Nomination (DSN).

Another topic nowadays is REMIT (Regulation on Energy Market Integrity and Transparency) and a representative of Fluxys, who participated to the REMIT Pilot Project, gave the Fluxys view on the REMIT process and timeline. Several schedules with different stakeholders and platforms were presented to show who should send REMIT information and where this information is coming from.

After the presentation of the REMIT project a representative of EASEE-gas MWD-WG gave a presentation on how EDIG@S can be used for data exchange necessary for REMIT and Transparency platform. A representative of ENI did the same for Trading.

Relying on the opinion of the participants the conclusion of the whole day is that there have been good presentations about:
- The process to develop an EDIG@S message on the basis of a Business Requirement Specification (BRS).
- The process to develop a BRS Network Codes on the basis of a Network Code (NC).
- Explanation of the Nomination and Matching CNOT on the basis of NC BAL, NC CAM and NC INT with specifically the SSN and DSN.
- Explanation of the MIG with a case study on SSN and DSN.
- Timeline of the REMIT Pilot Project and the way forward with REMIT.
- Explanation on how EDIG@S-messages can support the process of data exchange for REMIT.
- Explanation on how EDIG@S-messages can support the process of data exchange for Trading.

And participants have now a better overview of the activities of EASEE-gas and the cooperation between EASEE-gas, ACER and ENTSOG regarding the development of EDIG@S messages.

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