#### **Draft Web Service Delivery Timeline**

Draft delivery plan of the External Web Services into the EDS environment.

### June 30th 2007

Three Part Offer\* Incremental/Decremental Offers **Congestion Revenue Rights** Current Operating Plan Energy-Only Offer Output Schedule **Bid Set Acceptance** Bid Set Errors Get mBID System Status

\* Currently in the sandbox.

## August 30th 2007

Energy Bid PTP Obligation Self Schedule Real-Time System Load **Total Regulation** Load Ratio Share Load Distribution Factors Unit Availability Startup and Shutdown Instructions **CRR** Awards

### July 30th 2007

Forecasted Load Market Totals Market LMPs and SPPs **Binding Constraints** Active Contingencies in SCED Voltage Profiles Shift Factors **Proxy Curves Mitigated Curves** 

### September 30th 2007

Self Arranged Ancillary Services Ancillary Service Offers Ancillary Service Trades **Capacity Trade** DC Tie Schedule **Energy Trade** Get Award Set Market MCPCs Ancillary Service Schedule Obligations **Customer Load Profile PTP Obligation Awards** 

### October 30th 2007

#### Dynamic Ratings

**Competitive Constraints** Aggregated Ancillary Service Offer Curves Ancillary Service System Plan Pending Trade Energy Offer Awards Energy Only Offer Awards Energy Bid Awards Ancillary Service Awards **Outage Creation** 

### November 30th 2007

**Total Ancillary Service Offers Total DAM Energy** Derated CRRs Notices and Alerts **Outage Notifications** Alert Acknowledgement **Outage Query Outage Cancellation** 



#### What is the goal of the booklet?

This booklet has two goals. The first is to position the Web Service APIs in the context of total Nodal solution. The second is to outline an approach to allow Market Participants to check the External Interface Specification to ensure all the data they require will be available upon implementation of the specification.

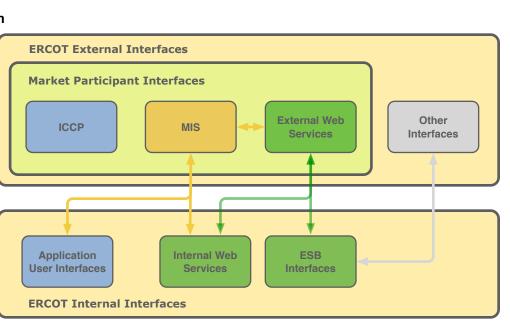
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#### Categories of communication

There are four categories of external communication in the Nodal solution.

Three of these communication methods, ICCP, MIS and External Web Services facilitate communication with the Market. The fourth covers data feeds used by Nodal, for example RPP, that are not directly associated with Market Participants.

In the diagram we have identified these four methods and shown, at a high level, how each communicates with the internal Nodal systems.



ICCP

Used by the EMS systems for telemetry and communication. The approach and specifications are described in the ERCOT Nodal ICCP Communication Handbook.

**External Web** Services

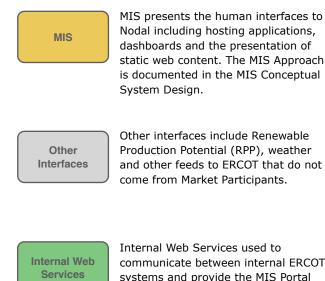
Provides machine to machine APIs to external Market Participants and the MIS Portal. The details are provided in the External Interface Specification.



Market facing Application User Interfaces, for example, the MMS or CRR. User Interfaces are described in the Projects documentation.

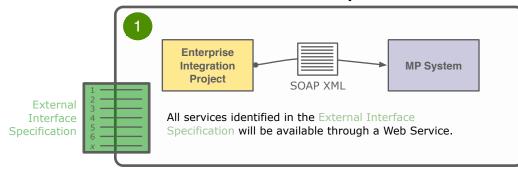


ERCOT's Enterprise Services Bus that supports the large majority of the interfaces between components internal to ERCOT.

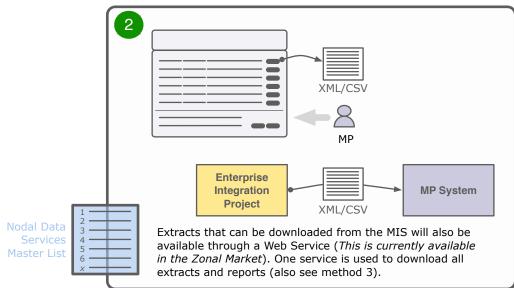


Internal Web Services used to communicate between internal ERCOT systems and provide the MIS Portal data feeds that are not required by the Market.

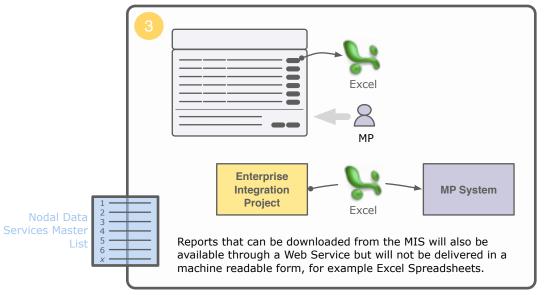
# Services Identified in the Specification



# **Extracts Available on the MIS**

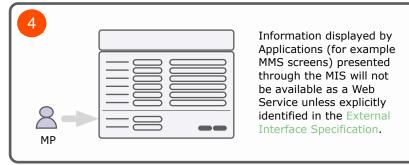


# **Reports Available on the MIS**

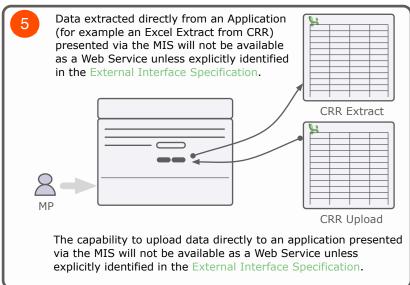


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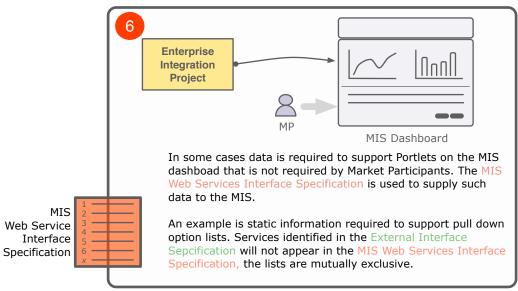
# Information Displayed in an Application UI



# Data Extracted/Uploaded Directly via a App. UI



# Additional Data Required by MIS Dashboards





Data is available through a Web Service and is in a form that can be processed programmatically.



Data is available through a Web Service but is not in form easily programmatically processed.

### How to verify you have all required data?

All data programatically available through Nodal will be delivered through a service described in the External Interface Specification. The notable exception to this is communication through ICCP.

One service in the External Interface Specification, the capability to download extracts/reports provides access to a range of data. Therefore to have an item of data programmatically available it must either be associated with delivery method 1 or 2

To determine if a specific item will be available through either of these methods you should review the External Interface Specification and the Nodal Data Services Master List. On the Nodal Data Services Master List only items marked as being delivered through method available.

Delivery methods **1** and **2** cover a subset of the total data available in Nodal. You should review the Nodal Data Services Master List to get a complete inventory of all data identified in the protocols and request an addition to the External Interface Specification if there are items you need programatically that are not currently being delivered in that form.

The **MIS Web Services Interface Specification** contains data items that support the MIS portal but are considered as not required by the Market. If you require any information on this list please request that the service be moved to the **External Interface Specification**. The **MIS Web Services Interface Specification** and the **External Interface Specifications** are mutually exclusive.



This list identifies to the Market each data item required by the protocols and the delivery method.

Nodal Data Services Master List



External Web Services available to the Market.

External Interface Specification



This list identifies the additional interfaces required to support the MIS Portlets. These interfaces will not be required by the Market.

MIS Web Service Interface Specification

Data is not available unless explicitly identified in the External Interface Specification.