

Demand Estimation Sub Committee

4.0 Seasonal Normal Review 2025 22 May 2024

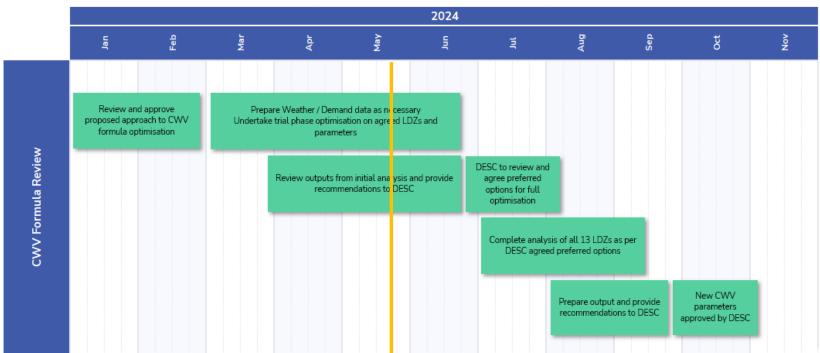
Objectives

- Check in with progress on
 - i) Composite Weather Variable (CWV) Optimisation

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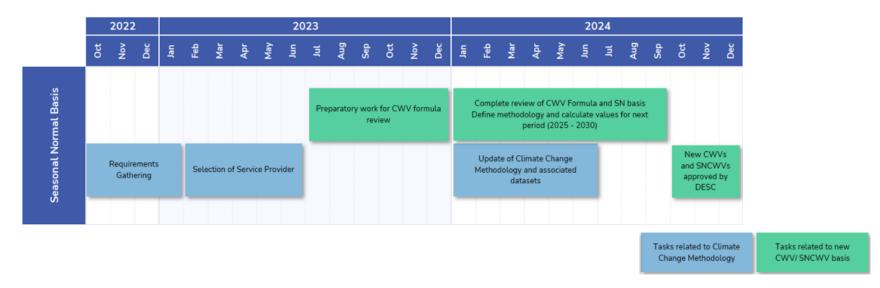
- ii) Climate Change Methodology (CCM) used as input for the Seasonal Normal Review
- Note: There are minimal updates to share this month due to team focus on EUC Demand Modelling. For more detail on Seasonal Normal Review background and overall timetable please refer to content from last DESC meeting on 24 April here

CWV Optimisation Update



- CWV Optimisation for the Trial LDZs is in progress (in line with timetable above) and we are on track to share the Trial LDZ results at the DESC meeting on 24 July
- The July meeting is an important checkpoint before we proceed with completing the full analysis which is due to be presented for DESC approval on 8 October

Climate Change Methodology Update



- The Met Office are on track to deliver the final draft report towards the end of May
- The CDSP and DESC TWG will then meet with the Met Office in early June to run through the report and answer any questions we may have
- Overall, remain on track to deliver the output by end of June in line with the Seasonal Normal Review timetable above

Next Steps

Seasonal Normal Review Update Timeline

Continue Trial
Optimisation phase
for selected LDZs

Q2 2024

DESC TWG to work with Met Office to produce refreshed CCM

Q2 2024

Met Office to deliver refreshed CCM

End June 2024

Present findings of Trial Optimisation phase to DESC

July 2024