

AUGE Monthly Industry Report

Date: 11th January 2021



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OVERVIEW

The purpose of this document is to keep stakeholders informed of activities and interactions carried out by the AUGE during the relevant month and to provide an update on progress with regard to delivery of the AUGE Service.

Key points:

- ▶ We have published the draft AUG Statement and Table, along with a consultation document. The consultation period closes on 22nd January. Please find a link to these documents here: <https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/augenex2122>
- ▶ We have completed identification and assessment of the potential innovations to the current rules and processes which we believe will result in a fairer and more equitable way of apportioning UIG.
- ▶ Both the draft AUG Statement and Table and the potential innovations will be presented at the AUG Sub-Committee meeting scheduled for 15th January: <https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/aug/150121>

The AUGE is open to engagement with all stakeholders. Any interaction will be logged and conducted in accordance with our principles of transparency and objectivity. Please contact us at auge@engage-consulting.co.uk.

SERVICE STATUS



CORE SERVICE

KEY INFORMATION	
Progress in Last Period	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ The draft AUG Statement and Table have been published and are subject to consultation as described in the overview section above.▶ A limited number of data refreshes have been requested and will be assessed for impact prior to publication of the final Statement.
Meetings Attended	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ None.

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Planned for Next Period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Create the slide deck for the AUG Sub-Committee meeting scheduled for 15th January and provide this to the Joint Office for publication. ▶ Present the draft AUG Statement and Table at the AUG Sub-Committee meeting scheduled for 15th January. ▶ Assess the limited data refresh information requested prior to publication of the final AUG Statement. ▶ Collate and assess industry responses to the draft AUG Statement consultation. ▶ Make any changes that we deem appropriate following our review of those responses and publish the final Statement.
Meetings Planned	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ AUG Sub-Committee meeting scheduled for 15th January to present the draft Statement. ▶ AUG Sub-Committee meeting on 12th February to present our feedback on the consultation responses received and associated changes to the Statement if applicable.
Key Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ COVID-19: We have assessed the potential impacts of COVID-19 on UIG, as well as the data used to assess the contributors to UIG. Further detail has been provided in the draft AUG Statement. This issue is therefore now closed.
Key Risks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ None.

OTHER POINTS TO NOTE

UNC Modifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Relevant UNC Modifications were taken account of as part of the AUG Statement and are identified within that document. Those under development or recently implemented will be considered for their potential impact on future years, as appropriate.
Industry Consultations	<p><i>Ofgem Consultation – “The Retail Energy Code – Proposals for version 1.1”</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Possibility that changes to the theft arrangements (TRAS, GTDIS) could affect detection levels during the 2021-2022 Gas Year.

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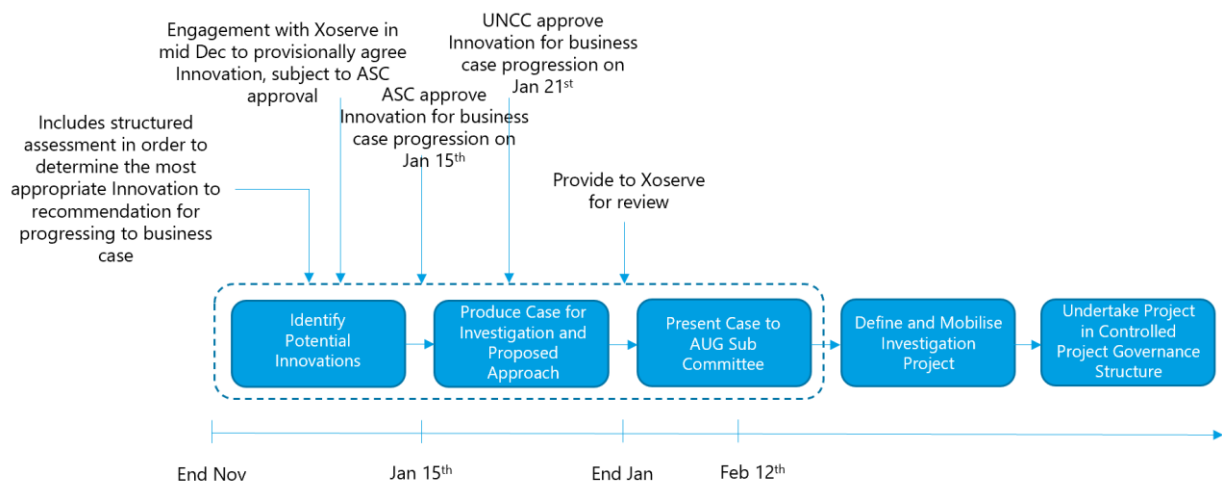


- ▶ We are reviewing the final Ofgem decision issued on 17th December and will integrate into our methodology if required.

INNOVATION SERVICE

KEY INFORMATION	
Progress in Last Period	▶ Completed identification and assessment of the potential innovations to the current rules and processes which we believe will result in a fairer and more equitable way of apportioning UIG.
Meetings Attended	▶ None.
Planned for Next Period	▶ Subject to discussion and approval, create the investigation business case, to be presented at the 12th February AUG Sub-Committee meeting.
Meetings Planned	▶ AUG Sub-Committee meeting scheduled for 15th January to present our innovation proposals.
Key Issues	▶ None.
Key Risks	▶ None.

Innovation work will progress in accordance with the timeline shown below.



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ADVISORY SERVICE

KEY INFORMATION	
Progress in Last Period	▶ N/A.
Meetings Attended	▶ None.
Planned for Next Period	▶ Advisory Service will be provided once a need for support is identified.
Meetings Planned	▶ None.
Key Issues	▶ None.
Key Risks	▶ None.