

Collaboration Plan: Engagement and Change Log Annex					
Date of Feedback	Source of Feedback	Feedback received from Stakeholders	SPEN Action: What did we do? Does this feedback support an existing action or create a new action for SPEN?	Status	"Who Did" (Business Area Responsible)
12/04/2024	Local Heat & Energy Efficiency Strategies Review with Scottish Government	Review of Local Heat & Energy Efficiency Strategies plans for all 22 Local Authorities in SPD licence area	All Local Heat & Energy Efficiency Strategies outputs included within SPEN Distribution Future Energy Scenarios calculations and analysis prior to the DFES workshops in December 2024	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
12/05/2024	SPEN Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Consultation England	Overview of Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Analysis and review of information for England stakeholders	Distribution Future Energy Scenarios analysis and publication updated following feedback from stakeholders	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
12/06/2024	SPEN Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Consultation Scotland	Overview of Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Analysis and review of information for Scotland stakeholders	Distribution Future Energy Scenarios analysis and publication updated following feedback from stakeholders	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
12/06/2024	SPEN Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Consultation Wales	Overview of Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Analysis and review of information for Wales stakeholders	Distribution Future Energy Scenarios analysis and publication updated following feedback from stakeholders	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
20/09/2024	NEWID (North East Wales Industrial Decarbonisation) Innovate UK project Planning Meeting	Overview of the decarbonisation plans for the 27 large industrial customers in Flintshire & Wrexham interviewed as part of the North East Wales Industrial Decarbonisation project	Industrial customers decarbonisation plans informed the basis of the SPEN Distribution Future Scenarios Workshops and publication	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
17/10/2024	National Grid Electricity Transmission T3 Planning Meeting	Overview of strategic plans from Liverpool City Region Combined Authority, Enterprise Cheshire & Warrington, Welsh Government, Net Zero North West and North East Wales Industrial Decarbonisation Clusters	Strategic plans incorporated into National Grid Electricity Transmission T3 Business Plan preparation and feedback informed the basis of the SPEN Distribution Future Energy Scenarios Workshops in December 2024	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
13/11/2024	Liverpool City Region Combined Authority Project Pipeline Review	Review of decarbonisation projects within Liverpool City Region Combined Authority funded project pipeline - included transport, heat, housing, economic growth and generation projects	All projects included within SPEN Distribution Future Energy Scenarios calculations and analysis prior to the DFES workshops in December 2024	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
14/01/2025	Transport for North Regional Partner Group	Transport for the North State of the Play Report Review	Outputs from the Transport for the North State of the Play Report informed the SPEN DFES publication	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
03/03/2025	NEWID (North East Wales Industrial Decarbonisation) Project Launch	North East Wales Industrial Decarbonisation Project and Report Publication Overview	Outputs from North East Wales Industrial Decarbonisation project informed National Grid Electricity Transmission T3 Plan and SPEN DFES publication	Complete	Strategic Optimisation Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	Enhance portal navigation and interactivity, and incorporate more maps and visualisation.	In line with our published 2025 Data Roadmap, we will publish additional feature pages and data visualisation.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	Improved and simplified registration to our Portal.	We have recently implemented a simplified registration process, with further enhancements to be undertaken in 2025.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	Provide notifications upon publication of datasets.	We are working with our Open Data Portal provider, Opendatasoft, to automate the notification of any dataset updates or new publications.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	Data accuracy and data quality issues identified, and we need clear and consistent description and labelling of data.	We have undertaken quality assessments on our published data tables which we are publishing for transparency. We are engaging with industry, via the ENA's DDSG, to develop a set of standard metadata definitions.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	Want to understand our upcoming plans.	We have published our 2025 Data Roadmap on our Open Data Portal, which outlines our plans and commitments across the year and provides opportunity for stakeholders to feedback on whether it aligns with their needs.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	We should provide clearer navigation to datasets.	Building on our initial stakeholder video, we are developing a series of "how to" guides which will support our stakeholders with navigating our Portal.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	We should publish more data and create more feature pages.	In line with our published 2025 Data Roadmap, we will publish additional datasets, feature pages and data visualisation.	Open	Open Data Team
16/12/2024 - 31/01/2025	Open Data Stakeholder Survey	Want to engage with us on how they use our data.	We have recently implemented our "data reuse" process to allow stakeholders to showcase how they use our data.	Open	Open Data Team

18/03/2025	DSO Stakeholder Event - South We lead a dedicated data workshop to 9 external attendees focusing on 'Data Sharing: Securely providing quality data'. We also held 1-1 engagements throughout the day at the data stand and received an additional 7 (DSO event specific) survey responses.	The main topics of feedback included: • Requests for additional datasets • Requests for enhanced visualisation tools • Additional guidance on how to navigate the Portal	The feedback gathered from these events will be addressed in line with our 2025 Data Roadmap.	Open	Open Data Team
25/03/2025	DSO Stakeholder Event - North We lead a dedicated data workshop to 13 external attendees focusing on 'Data Sharing: Securely providing quality data'. We also held 1-1 engagements throughout the day at the data stand and received an additional 3 (DSO event specific) survey responses.	The main topics of feedback included: • Requests for additional datasets • Requests for enhanced visualisation tools • Additional information on how others are using data on the Open Data Portal • Insight into upcoming datasets that will be published	The feedback gathered from these events will be addressed in line with our 2025 Data Roadmap.	Open	Open Data Team
Ongoing	Open Data Feedback Form	The key themes of the feedback received include: • Enhancements to existing datasets • Technical challenges with the use of the portal • Support on using the existing datasets would be beneficial	The feedback gathered forms the foundation of our plans to improve data accessibility and identify what additional supporting information we can make available - this is fed into the development of our annual Data roadmap.	Open	Open Data Team
Ongoing	Open Data Bilateral Requests - Open Data Mailbox	We have received and facilitated 186 bespoke data requests (request for publication of new datasets, or access to shared datasets) with an average turnaround time of 11 working days.	Trend analysis is completed on the most requested, and most utilised, datasets which feeds into the development of our annual Data roadmap.	Open	Open Data Team