

**Upcoming high-impact outages in the NEM (information as of 18/12/2017 1022 hrs):**

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NSW	Transgrid	06/01/2018 07:00	06/01/2018 11:00	Wagga - Darlington Point (63) 330 kV Line	<p>This is a high-impact outage only if the forecast temperature at Red Cliffs is greater than 30 °C</p> <p>This outage offloads the Buronga to Darlington Point X5 220 kV line and restricts power transfer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Between Victoria and New South Wales.</li> <li>• Between South Australia and Victoria on Murraylink</li> </ul> <p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage may require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Load shedding in the Victorian outer grid</li> <li>• Market intervention through issuing of directions.</li> </ul>	Day: 1 hrs Night: No recall	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
VIC	AusNet	14/01/2018 06:30	14/01/2018 11:00	Rowville - South Morang 500 kV Line	<p>This is a high impact outage only if the Forecast Operational Demand in Victoria region is greater than 7,000 MW</p> <p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cause a large reduction in generation in Victoria</li> <li>• Restrict power transfer across the Victoria - South Australia interconnector (Heywood interconnector).</li> </ul>	Day: 1.5 hrs Night: No recall	Not required	Invoked	Maintenance
NSW	Transgrid	07/03/2018 05:00	07/03/2018 18:00	Armidale - Dumaresq (8C) 330 kV Line	<p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Synchronous separation of the Queensland region from the rest of the NEM</li> </ul>	Day: 1 hrs Night: No recall	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
NSW	Transgrid	08/03/2018 05:00	08/03/2018 18:00	Armidale - Dumaresq (8C) 330 kV Line	<p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Synchronous separation of the Queensland region from the rest of the NEM</li> </ul>	Day: 1 hrs Night: No recall	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
NSW	Transgrid	23/04/2018 07:00	23/04/2018 17:00	Jindera - Wagga (62) 330 kV Line	<p>This is a high-impact outage only if the forecast temperature at Red Cliffs is greater than 30 °C</p> <p>This outage offloads the Buronga to Darlington Point X5 220 kV line and restricts power transfer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Between Victoria and New South Wales.</li> <li>• Between South Australia and Victoria on Murraylink</li> </ul> <p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage may require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Load shedding in the Victorian outer grid</li> <li>• Market intervention through issuing of directions.</li> </ul>	Day: 3 hrs Night: 2 hrs	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance

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NSW	Transgrid	24/04/2018 07:00	24/04/2018 17:00	Jindera - Wagga (62) 330 kV Line	<p>This is a high-impact outage only if the forecast temperature at Red Cliffs is greater than 30 °C</p> <p>This outage offloads the Buronga to Darlington Point X5 220 kV line and restricts power transfer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Between Victoria and New South Wales.</li> <li>• Between South Australia and Victoria on Murraylink</li> </ul> <p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage may require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Load shedding in the Victorian outer grid</li> <li>• Market intervention through issuing of directions.</li> </ul>	Day: 3 hrs Night: 2 hrs	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
NSW	Transgrid	26/04/2018 07:00	26/04/2018 17:00	Jindera - Wagga (62) 330 kV Line	<p>This is a high-impact outage only if the forecast temperature at Red Cliffs is greater than 30 °C</p> <p>This outage offloads the Buronga to Darlington Point X5 220 kV line and restricts power transfer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Between Victoria and New South Wales.</li> <li>• Between South Australia and Victoria on Murraylink</li> </ul> <p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage may require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Load shedding in the Victorian outer grid</li> <li>• Market intervention through issuing of directions.</li> </ul>	Day: 3 hrs Night: 2 hrs	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
NSW	Transgrid	27/04/2018 07:00	27/04/2018 17:00	Jindera - Wagga (62) 330 kV Line	<p>This is a high-impact outage only if the forecast temperature at Red Cliffs is greater than 30 °C</p> <p>This outage offloads the Buronga to Darlington Point X5 220 kV line and restricts power transfer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Between Victoria and New South Wales.</li> <li>• Between South Australia and Victoria on Murraylink</li> </ul> <p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage may require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Load shedding in the Victorian outer grid</li> <li>• Market intervention through issuing of directions.</li> </ul>	Day: 3 hrs Night: 2 hrs	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	08/05/2018 09:00	08/05/2018 15:00	Sheffield - Farrell No.1 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 1 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	09/05/2018 07:00	09/05/2018 16:00	Sheffield - Farrell No.2 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 2 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance

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VIC / SA	ElectraNet	17/06/2018 08:00	17/06/2018 17:00	Heywood - South East No.1 275 kV Line	<p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause synchronous separation of the South Australia region from the rest of the NEM.</p> <p>During this planned outage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Power transfer will be restricted across the Victoria - South Australia interconnector (Heywood interconnector).</li> <li>• Local regulation raise and lower FCAS will be sourced within South Australia.</li> <li>• When power transfer is from South Australia to Victoria, contingency lower FCAS will be sourced within SA.</li> </ul>	Day: 1.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	To be issued	Being assessed	Maintenance
VIC / SA	ElectraNet	18/06/2018 08:00	18/06/2018 17:00	Heywood - South East No.1 275 kV Line	<p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause synchronous separation of the South Australia region from the rest of the NEM.</p> <p>During this planned outage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Power transfer will be restricted across the Victoria - South Australia interconnector (Heywood interconnector).</li> <li>• Local regulation raise and lower FCAS will be sourced within South Australia.</li> <li>• When power transfer is from South Australia to Victoria, contingency lower FCAS will be sourced within SA.</li> </ul>	Day: 1.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	To be issued	Being assessed	Maintenance
<u>VIC / SA</u>	ElectraNet	19/06/2018 08:00	19/06/2018 17:00	Heywood - South East No.2 275 kV Line	<p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause synchronous separation of the South Australia region from the rest of the NEM.</p> <p>During this planned outage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Power transfer will be restricted across the Victoria - South Australia interconnector (Heywood interconnector).</li> <li>• Local regulation raise and lower FCAS will be sourced within South Australia.</li> <li>• When power transfer is from South Australia to Victoria, contingency lower FCAS will be sourced within SA.</li> </ul>	Day: 1.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	To be issued	Being assessed	Maintenance

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VIC / SA	ElectraNet	20/06/2018 08:00	20/06/2018 17:00	Heywood - South East No.2 275 kV Line	<p>A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause synchronous separation of the South Australia region from the rest of the NEM.</p> <p>During this planned outage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Power transfer will be restricted across the Victoria - South Australia interconnector (Heywood interconnector).</li> <li>• Local regulation raise and lower FCAS will be sourced within South Australia.</li> <li>• When power transfer is from South Australia to Victoria, contingency lower FCAS will be sourced within SA.</li> </ul>	Day: 1.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	To be issued	Being assessed	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	02/10/2018 08:00	02/10/2018 16:00	Gordon - Chapel St No.1 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 2.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Invoked	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	05/10/2018 08:00	05/10/2018 16:00	Gordon - Chapel St No.1 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 2.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Invoked	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	09/10/2018 07:00	09/10/2018 15:00	Gordon - Chapel St No.2 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 2.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Invoked	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	12/10/2018 07:00	12/10/2018 15:00	Gordon - Chapel St No.2 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 2.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Invoked	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	05/12/2018 07:00	05/12/2018 16:00	Sheffield - Farrell No.2 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 1.5 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance
TAS	TasNetworks	06/12/2018 07:00	06/12/2018 15:00	Sheffield - Farrell No.1 220 kV Line	A credible contingency event during this planned outage could cause a large reduction in generation in Tasmania.	Day: 1 hrs Night: Not applicable	Not required	Being assessed	Maintenance

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