Testing Operational Policy Controllability and Op Certs

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WFPS compliance

Great progress on compliance

Process review with Industry

- Feedback is important as it's a two-way process
- Understanding of IPP and TSOs perspective
- Iterative process

Upcoming challenges

- Op certs
- DS3 Code Modifications
- Network Code implementation

Operational Policy - Phase 1

Operational Policy published in 2012.

WFPS could move from cat(3) to cat(2) and export full MEC and become VPTG in SEM with Operational Readiness Certificate.

- If compliant with AAP and APC requirements.

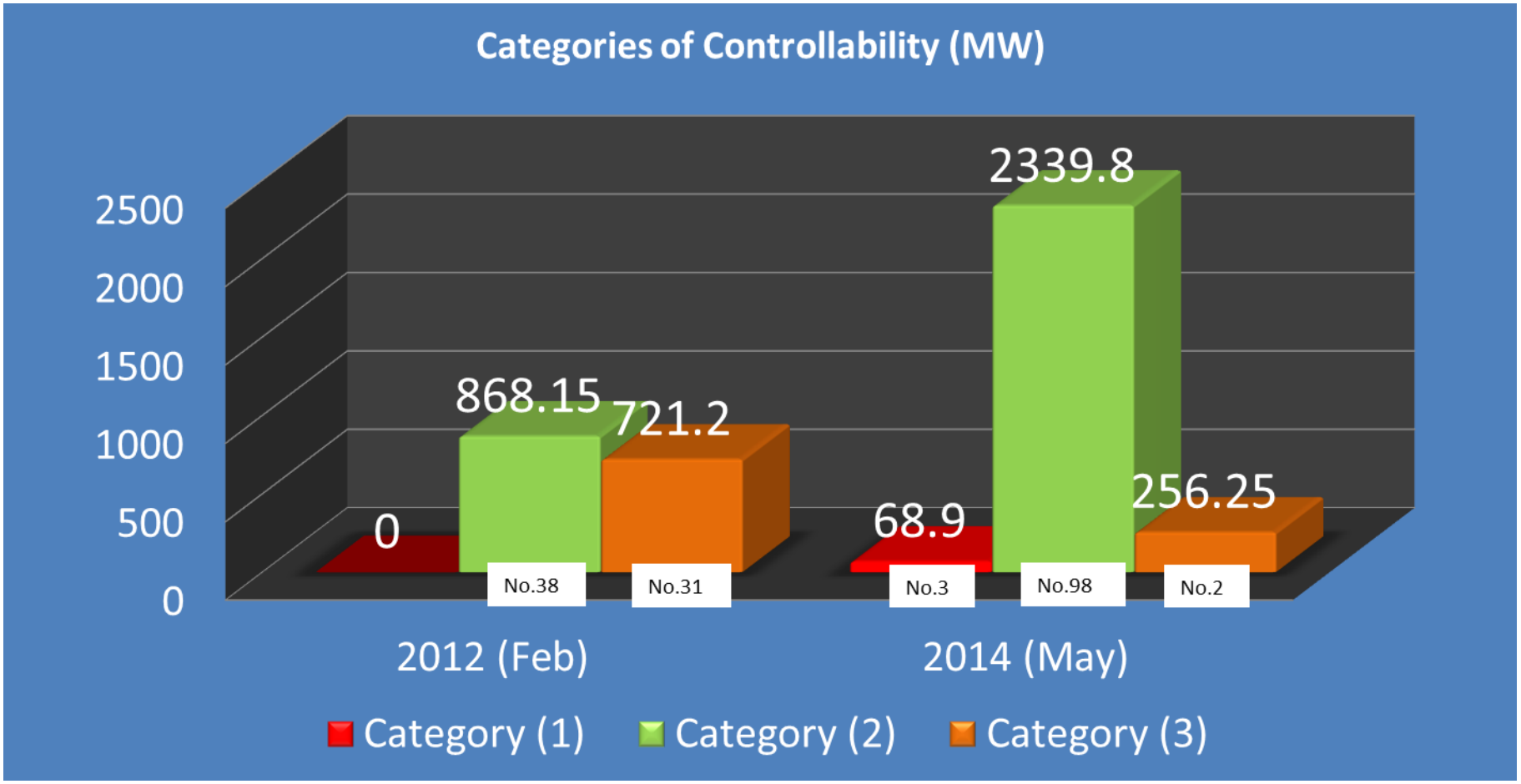
Performance Monitoring Process Applied – Non-compliance with AAP and/or APC resulted in movement from cat(2) to cat(1).

- Issues must be addressed within 2 weeks.

Pre wind Grid/Distribution Code WFPS exempted.

Derogation applications from requirements does not prevent movement to Cat(1).

Compliance Categories



Monthly Publication

Operational Policy – Phase 2

WFPS remains in Category (2) if operational certification is achieved

- 12 months from achievement of Phase 1 (existing connections).
- 12 months from energisation of the WFPS site, in the case of new connections.

For existing connections

- Controllability had to be achieved by 1st December 2012.
- Operational certification had to be achieved by 1st December 2013.
- EirGrid agreed to extend to 1st December 2014, to allow time for the backlog of testing required.

Notification list Process

Defined process with set timelines

- WFPS on system 9 months or more
- 10BD initial notice
- 2BD confirmation based on wind forecast
- 20BD to submit report.

Periodic Publication when top 10 changes (rev.8)

WFPS moved to bottom of the Notification List if

- WFPS is on the system 12 months or more and
- WFPS has been offered a test date by the TSO
- Testing process not complete

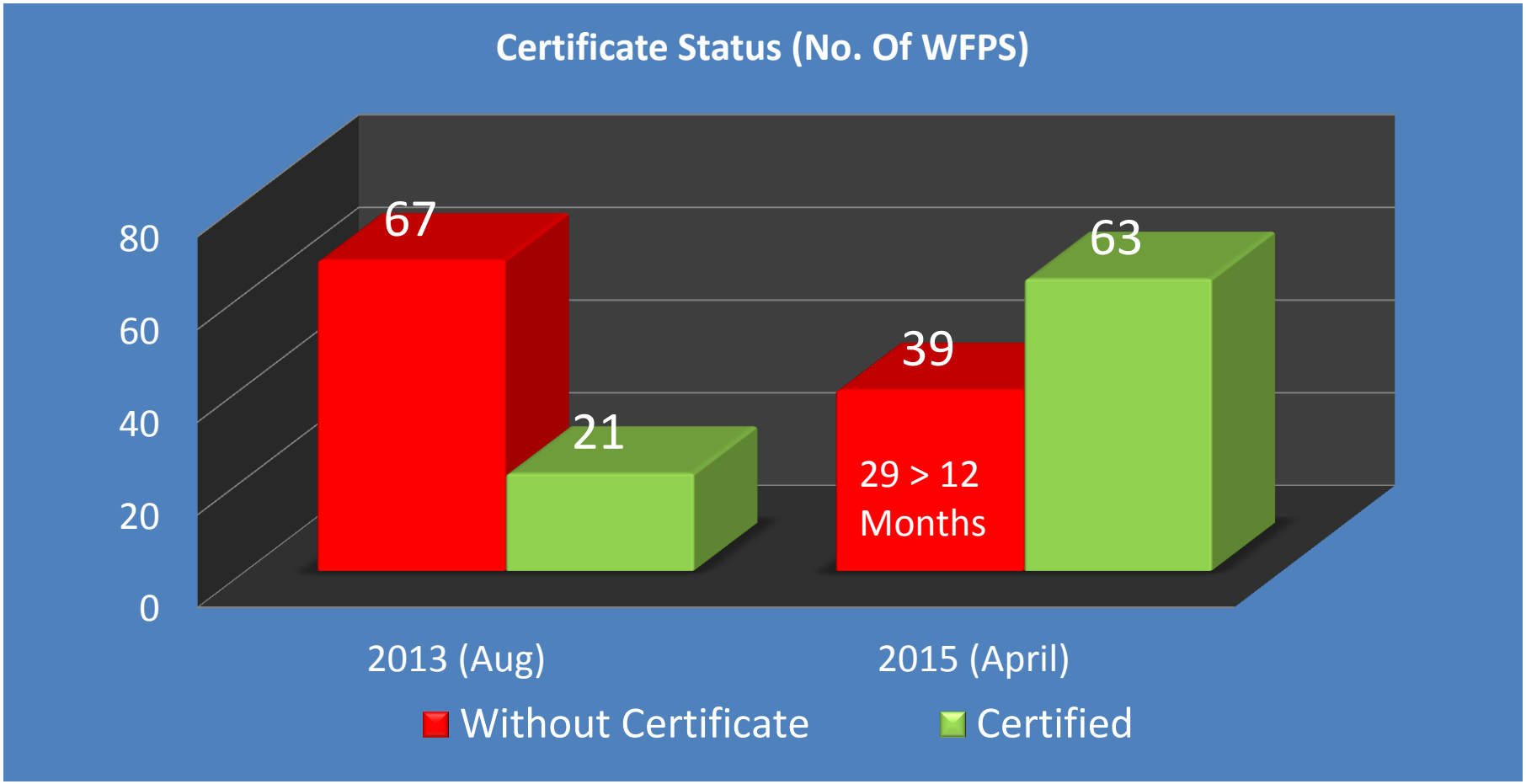
WFPS on bottom of the Notification List are moved to cat(1).

The WFPS remains in cat(1) until mitigation is complete with necessary (re)testing and compliance certificate is issued.

Testing scheduled by WFPS using calendar and/or notification list.

http://www.eirgrid.com/media/InformationNoteOnControllabilityUpdate5.pdf

Certificate Status




EIRGRID
semo
Single Electricity
Market Operator
SONI
System Operator for Northern Ireland