

Austria	Electricity	Natural Gas including (bio)methane	Hydrogen	Other Gas	Heating/Cooling	Space for comments	
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	01/03/2024	01/03/2024	01/03/2024	01/03/2024	[Please fill in date on which you filled in]		
General							
Does your member state have a disclosure obligation for origin of supplied/consumed energy?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If yes, To which economic operators does it apply?	suppliers	suppliers	suppliers	suppliers			Please specify (categories like: regulated suppliers, corporate consumers, all, ...)
- If yes, Under what rules it is governed?	Expansion Law; §5 71,72,73,78,79 Electricity Act, Electricity Disclosure	83, 84 Renewable Expansion Law; Gas Disclosure Secondary Law	83, 84 Renewable Expansion Law; Gas Disclosure Secondary Law	83, 84 Renewable Expansion Law; Gas Disclosure Secondary Law			Please name the relevant regulations and provide a reference (preferably a version in English)
When did the regulation(s) regarding disclosure initially come into force?	2004	2022	2022	2022			Please name the date in which the regulation(s) initially came into force. Date format: YYYY-MM-DD
When was the last revision of the disclosure regulation(s)	2021	2023	2023	2023			Please name the date of the last revision of the disclosure regulation(s)
who is the Competent Body in charge for the supervision of disclosure?	E-Control	E-Control	E-Control	E-Control			Please specify name
- Since when are they in charge of supervision of disclosure?	2004	2022	2022	2022			Please specify date
- Under which legal nomination (law/decree/decision) are they appointed as competent body?	§ 78 (5) Electricity Act	§ 129 b (1) Gas Act	§ 129 b (1) Gas Act	§ 129 b (1) Gas Act			Provide reference to legal nomination
Are GOs the only instrument for disclosing known origin in disclosure statements to final customers?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no, please specify the other instruments							Please specify
Which measures are in place for supervision of suppliers regarding their disclosure of the origin of the gas of their supply?		the Competent Body E-Control. Automated	the Competent Body E-Control. Automated	the Competent Body E-Control. Automated			Gas only, please describe
Do suppliers submit samples of their invoices to the disclosure supervisor?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No. Disclosure supervisor for electricity : the authority supervising the obligation on suppliers to inform their clients about their supplier mix and product mix according to Electricity Directive 2019/944, Annex I, Article 5 Disclosure of energy sources.
- If yes, how often?	once a year, beginning of April	once a year, beginning of April	once a year, beginning of April	once a year, beginning of April			Please specify frequency
Is there a public report on the result of the disclosure supervision?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If yes, where can it be found?	https://www.e-	https://www.e-	https://www.e-	https://www.e-			Please specify
If a supplier is active in multiple Member States: does the supplier mix in your country/region account for this?	The basis for disclosure is the electricity delivered to final customers in Austria in a year. Full disclosure obligation.	The basis for disclosure is the gas delivered to final customers in Austria in a year. Gos can only be used once in one country.	The basis for disclosure is the gas delivered to final customers in Austria in a year. Gos can only be used once in one country.	The basis for disclosure is the gas delivered to final customers in Austria in a year. Gos can only be used once in one country.			Yes/No
- If yes: how does this influence the supplier mix in your country/region?	only Gos can be used that are not used somewhere else. In practice no influence if suppliers are active in different countries. Every country can only use Gos for known origin.	only Gos can be used that are not used somewhere else. In practice no influence if suppliers are active in different countries. Every country can only use Gos for known origin.	only Gos can be used that are not used somewhere else. In practice no influence if suppliers are active in different countries. Every country can only use Gos for known origin.	only Gos can be used that are not used somewhere else. In practice no influence if suppliers are active in different countries. Every country can only use Gos for known origin.			Please specify

Implementation of Article 19 (8) of the Directive 2018/2001 and amended with 2023/2413							
Have you fully implemented the requirements of Art. 19 (8) of Directive 2018/2001(EU) amended with 2023/2413(EU)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If not, please specify which elements you have not implemented yet.	amendments of 2023/2413 not	amendments of 2023/2413 not	amendments of 2023/2413 not	amendments of 2023/2413 not			Please specify

Unit of energy represented by a GO							
Is the unit of a GO MWh?	Not sure, see comment	Not sure, see comment	Not sure, see comment	Not sure, see comment		Issuing of Gos is in kWh, only full MWh qualify for international trade. National disclosure obligation is in kWh.	Yes/No
Do you use smaller units than MWh for GOs?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
Is the standard size for smaller size GOs equal to 1 Wh?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no: please specify							please specify
Do you differentiate the different units in the disclosure statements? Please explain your methodology	No	No	No	No			Yes/No, please specify
- If no: please specify	disclosure basis is kWh	disclosure basis is kWh	disclosure basis is kWh	disclosure basis is kWh			please specify

Customer specific disclosure							
Can a supplier tailor a dedicated product to a specific consumer?	yes, by using a product mix	yes, by using a product mix	yes, by using a product mix	yes, by using a product mix			Yes/No.
Can a consumer cancel their own GOs?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No.
Can other parties than licensed suppliers cancel GOs?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No.
Please describe the principles in case any of the above three questions apply, meaning that <i>customer specific disclosure</i> is allowed.	only by using product mixes. A product can be dedicated to only one customer or a group of customers.	only by using product mixes. A product can be dedicated to only one customer or a group of customers.	only by using product mixes. A product can be dedicated to only one customer or a group of customers.	only by using product mixes. A product can be dedicated to only one customer or a group of customers.			Please describe
Please describe how the customer specific disclosure is executed in the registry?	Per supplier the supplier mix is calculated in the Registry. The supplier can integrate	Per supplier the supplier mix is calculated in the Registry. The supplier can integrate	Per supplier the supplier mix is calculated in the Registry. The supplier can integrate	Per supplier the supplier mix is calculated in the Registry. The supplier can integrate			Please describe the process; do customers have direct access to the registry, do you allow product mixes, etc?
- If yes: Is the Competent Body for disclosure responsible for supervising customer specific statements?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		only products	Yes/No
- If yes: are there any limitations for customer specific disclosure in place? Please specify	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		only via product mixes; same rules as for supplier mix	please specify, e.g.: only customers of a certain size receive customer specific disclosure options, etc.
When offered energy products include claims on the origin of the energy, are they always exclusively based on cancelled GOs?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No, please specify
- If no: please specify							please specify: when are deviations possible, what are claims based on otherwise.
When suppliers are offering two or more products, distinct in origin of energy: are they required to give product-related disclosure information to all their customers, including for the "default" product for those customers who do not choose a specific product?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No. Note that under Electricity Directive 2019/944, Annex I, Article 5, each electricity product must have a product mix. Default product: the product a customer gets if they don't make an explicit choice of supplier and product, in case it is different from other commercial products.
- If no, please specify	Currently, no legal requirement in place to display the default product mix. Most suppliers specify the default mix.	Currently, no legal requirement in place to display the default product mix. Most suppliers specify the default mix.	Currently, no legal requirement in place to display the default product mix. Most suppliers specify the default mix.	Currently, no legal requirement in place to display the default product mix. Most suppliers specify the default mix.			please specify

Calculations of Residual Mixes							
Gas only: Does your Member State calculate the residual mix for gases?		No	No	No		rather known origin (GO) or natural gas of unknown origin	Yes/No
- If yes, which method is used to determine this?							Please specify
- If yes, who calculates the Residual Mix in your Member State?							Name of organisation
- Weblink to the results of the national publication of the residual mix							weblink or explanation from when onwards this is expected

Besides GO, is there only the Residual Mix available for usage for disclosure?	Not applicable	Yes	Yes	Yes		electricity: full disclosure	Yes/No (No meaning there are other tracking mechanisms accepted)
- If no, please specify							Please specify
Are GOs issued for self-consumed energy?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No
- If yes: what are the rules on disclosure for such GOs?							Please specify

Recognition of GOs from other countries

Do you have criteria in place for accepting foreign GO for disclosure?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If yes: Since when are these criteria in place?	2013	2022	2022	2022			Please specify
- If yes: Are the criteria transparently published in your country?	Yes, legal basis	Yes, legal basis	Yes, legal basis	Yes, legal basis			Please specify and indicate where those are published. If electronically please provide a link.
Are the conditions for the recognition of GOs from other countries based on Art. 19 of Directive 2018/2001/EC and 2023/2413/EC or compatible national legislation?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
Do you recognise GOs from other countries that have not implemented a disclosure system?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No
Do you recognise GOs from other countries that have not implemented appropriate measures to effectively avoid double counting of GOs?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No
Do you accept imported GOs for disclosure from all EU member states and other members of the European Economic Area (EEA)?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no, please name the countries from which you do not accept imported GOs for disclosure	Gos from countries that have not implemented RED II (and RED III in future), are not connected to the AIB Hub and have no national disclosure system in place are denied	Gos from countries that have not implemented RED II (and RED III in future), are not connected to the AIB Hub and have no national disclosure system in place are denied	Gos from countries that have not implemented RED II (and RED III in future), are not connected to the AIB Hub and have no national disclosure system in place are denied	Gos from countries that have not implemented RED II (and RED III in future), are not connected to the AIB Hub and have no national disclosure system in place are denied			Please specify
- If yes, please specify the reasoning for accepting	they need to be connected to the AIB Hub and fulfill the	If they are connected to the AIB Hub and fulfill the	If they are connected to the AIB Hub and fulfill the	If they are connected to the AIB Hub and fulfill the			Please specify
Do you accept imported GOs from parties to the Energy Community Treaty?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No
- If yes, please name the countries from which you do import							Please specify
- If yes, please specify the reasoning for accepting							Please specify
Do you accept for disclosure imported GOs from other countries than EU and EEA?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No. This question is merely oriented towards countries from EU and EEA, but others are welcome to fill in
- If yes, since when?							Please specify
- If yes, please name the countries from which you accept imported GOs for disclosure							Please specify
- If yes, please specify the reasoning for accepting							Please specify
Does the Domain treat imported GO as national GO when it comes to disclosure?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no, please specify							Please specify
Does the customer get information on the country of origin of the GOs in the disclosure statement?	Yes (obligatory)	No, only on a voluntary basis by supplier	No, only on a voluntary basis by supplier	No, only on a voluntary basis by supplier			Yes, please specify where and how/No

Information on Environmental Parameters

Does the supplier mix include information on environmental impacts?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No. Note the legal requirement for such information for electricity: Electricity Directive 2019/944, Annex I, Article 5(b)
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Please indicate the data source for disclosing environmental information with the supplier mix?	average values by Austrian Federal Environment Agency	average values by Austrian Federal Environment Agency	average values by Austrian Federal Environment Agency	average values by Austrian Federal Environment Agency		in the annual disclosure report: https://www.e-	Please describe how it is done in the Domain
Is there information on the guarantee of origin issued in your domain about meeting sustainability criteria and emission savings?	Not yet	Not yet	Not yet	Not yet			
- If yes, in segments where compliance with sustainability and emission saving criteria is required (e.g. transport or heating), do you require that the supply (consumption) in this segment is confirmed by a GO?							
- If not, how is such consumption demonstrated and how is it reflected in the residual mix?							
How do you treat sustainability information in disclosure statements?	Under development	Under development	Under development	Under development			please describe

Information on Disclosure communication

Is the annual disclosure of the supplier mix displayed on the energy bill?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no, please specify where it is displayed.							Please describe
Is disclosure information of different suppliers centrally available (e.g. reports) ?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Pls. Provide short explanation plus reference to website/regulation.
If not, how is such consumption demonstrated and how is it reflected in the residual mix?							
Is there an official regulation on communication of aspects related to additionality or ecological quality aspects together with disclosure? Please describe.	No	No, under development	No, under development	No, under development			Pls. Provide short explanation plus reference to website/regulation.

Regulations on Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs)

In terms of disclosure, how do you treat energy that is bought in a competitive setting or in a long-term power purchase agreement?	integrate PPAs in it's supplier mix	integrate PPAs in it's supplier mix	integrate PPAs in it's supplier mix	integrate PPAs in it's supplier mix			Please describe
Who is responsible for disclosing/cancelling the GOs for competitive settings or long-term purchase agreements?	supplier	supplier	supplier	supplier			supplier/plant operator/customer? Please specify

Energy Storage

Can storage prolong the lifetime of a GO for more than 12 month after the production of the energy unit?	No	No	No	No			Please describe
Does your system facilitate "Storage Issuance" (= cancel GOs for the input into storage and issue GOs for the storage output, with new production period?)	No	No	No	No			Yes/No
- If yes, do you provide separate cancellation statistics for energy that goes into storage?							Please describe
- If yes, do GO issuance statistics have a separate category for energy released from storage?							Please describe

Other Reliable Tracking Systems (RTS)

Next to GOs, do you also allow other RTS as basis for Disclosure? (ex. Contract based tracking, Residual Mix, tradeable Proofs of Sustainability (PoS), etc)	No	No	No	No			Yes/No
- If yes, please describe							Please describe
- If yes, are they treated in a way that is legally separated from GOs?							Please describe
How do Proofs of Sustainability interact with the GO system?	not applicable yet	not applicable yet	not applicable yet	not applicable yet			Please describe
What measures prevent that a Proof of Sustainability is allocated to a different consumer than the GO that was issued for the same energy? (Double disclosure)	legal measures are under development	legal measures are under development	legal measures are under development	legal measures are under development			Please describe

Do you prohibit statistical data to be used for determining the energy sources of energy obtained from exchanges?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no, under what circumstances do you allow statistical data to be used for determining the energy source of energy from an exchange?							Please describe
Do you prohibit statistical data to be used for determining the energy sources of imported energy?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No
- If no, under what circumstances do you allow statistical data to be used for determining the energy source of imported energy?							Please describe

Data sources							
What is the data source for production data?	E-Control, Statistik Austria	E-Control, Statistik Austria	E-Control, Statistik Austria	E-Control, Statistik Austria			Please specify
- If possible, link to data source	https://www.e-control.at/statistik/e-control.at/statistik/e-control.at/statistik/g-	https://www.e-control.at/statistik/g-	https://www.e-control.at/statistik/g-	https://www.e-control.at/statistik/g-			Please specify the website for the data source and which party is in charge
When are the statistics based on production measurement data available for calendar year X?	one month delay, but only after second clearing final data	one month delay, but only after second clearing final data	one month delay, but only after second clearing final data	one month delay, but only after second clearing final data			Please specify
Is production data available with (sub)hourly granularity?	Yes	No	No	No			Yes/No
- If yes, which production categories?							Please specify
- If yes, what is the granularity of the data?	15 mins						10mins/15mins/20mins/...
- If yes, how long after the production period is the data available?							Please specify
What is the data source for consumption data?	E-Control, Statistik Austria	E-Control, Statistik Austria	E-Control, Statistik Austria	E-Control, Statistik Austria		consumption data per supplier needs a	Please specify
- If possible, link to data source	control.at/statistik/e-control.at/statistik/g-	control.at/statistik/g-	control.at/statistik/g-	control.at/statistik/g-			Please specify the link to the data source
When are the statistics based on consumption measurement consumption data available for the calendar year X?	3-6 Month delay	3-6 Month delay	3-6 Month delay	3-6 Month delay		independent auditor confirms per supplier the data (in the first 3 month of year X+1)	Please specify
Is hourly consumption data available?							Yes/No
- If yes, for which consumption categories?							Please specify
- If yes, what is the granularity of the data?							10mins/15mins/20mins/...
- If yes, how long after the consumption period is the data available?							Please specify
Who is in charge of collecting statistics for Proofs of Sustainability (PoS) issued in your Domain?	Austrian Federal Environmental Agency/E-Control	Austrian Federal Environmental Agency/E-Control	Austrian Federal Environmental Agency/E-Control	Austrian Federal Environmental Agency/E-Control			Please name the organisation in charge
When are the data for the PoS made available?	year (too late for Gos)	year (too late for Gos)	year (too late for Gos)	year (too late for Gos)			Please specify
Is it possible to issue a PoS and a GO for the same energy production?	law pending: should be avoided. GO+ Pos	law pending: should be avoided. GO+ Pos	law pending: should be avoided. GO+ Pos	law pending: should be avoided. GO+ Pos			Yes/No
- If no, how is this ensured that only one of the two instruments is provided to a producer?							Please specify
- If yes, can the PoS be allocated to a different consumer than the consumer for whom the GO is cancelled?							Please specify
- If only a PoS can be issued, how will you ensure that the new obligation for gas suppliers under RED III Article 19(8) is fulfilled?							
How does a GO interact with a PoS, please describe the process/cooperation	under development, law pending	under development, law pending	under development, law pending	under development, law pending			Please specify

Timeline of disclosure

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When is the residual mix communicated to suppliers?	not applicable, full disclosure	currently no RM	currently no RM	currently no RM			Indicate approximate timing every year
When do suppliers provide disclosure figures (product mixes) to the disclosure authority?	by a set deadline (by the authority) a few days after 31.3.X+1	by a set deadline (by the authority) a few days after 31.3.X+1	by a set deadline (by the authority) a few days after 31.3.X+1	by a set deadline (by the authority) a few days after 31.3.X+1			Indicate approximate timing every year
When does the disclosure authority validate and publish the disclosure figures: product mixes, supplier mixes, other disclosure mixes (if applicable)?	validation as soon as data is handed in by suppliers in the Registry; annual disclosure report is published in summer year X+1	validation as soon as data is handed in by suppliers in the Registry; annual disclosure report is published in summer year X+1	validation as soon as data is handed in by suppliers in the Registry; annual disclosure report is published in summer year X+1	validation as soon as data is handed in by suppliers in the Registry; annual disclosure report is published in summer year X+1			Indicate approximate timing every year
When do the suppliers inform their clients about the disclosure figures?	as soon as validated by the authority; spring Year X+1	as soon as validated by the authority; spring Year X+1	as soon as validated by the authority; spring Year X+1	as soon as validated by the authority; spring Year X+1			Indicate approximate timing every year. E.g., is it by the 1st September of year X+1 for disclosure figures of year X or another deadline?

GO usage per system boundary

Do you have rules in place that restrict the usage of GOs to a certain system boundary?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No (E.g. are there restrictions for where to use electricity GOs? Can hydrogen GOs be used for consumption from the natural gas grid? Can biomethane GOs be used for consumption from a hydrogen grid? Any specifics on vehicle transported gases? Restrictions on where heating and cooling GOs can be used? e.g. can heating and cooling GOs be exported? can they be used on another heating grid than where they were produced? etc)
- If yes, please specify		Conversion rules are implemented. Gos for Heating and cooling are cancelled for heating/cooling purposes (for statistical reasons; no further use; only nationally)	Conversion rules are implemented. Gos for Heating and cooling are cancelled for heating/cooling purposes (for statistical reasons; no further use; only nationally)	Conversion rules are implemented. Gos for Heating and cooling are cancelled for heating/cooling purposes (for statistical reasons; no further use; only nationally)			Please specify
For Gas GOs, what defines the Network Characteristics for which a certain Gas GO may be cancelled, in line with REDIII art. 19.8?							Please specify
Will you allow cancellation of methane GOs for consumption in a Hydrogen System?		conversion required	conversion required	conversion required			Please specify
Will you allow cancellation of Hydrogen GOs for consumption in a Natural Gas System?		conversion required	conversion required	conversion required			Please specify
Which GOs are allowed for consumption of vehicle transported gases?							Please specify
Which GO usage restrictions apply in relation with the Dissemination Level for which the GO is issued?							(see EECs Fact Sheet 20 for values of Dissemination Level on GOs - Expected to be also in CEN EN16325 annex E)
Does your member state publicly provide GO cancellation statistics per consumption category?	No	No	No	No			Yes/No (e.g. cancellation for final consumption / for energy carrier conversion / for input into energy storage / for transition into another certification scheme)
- If yes, into which consumption categories are statistics divided?							Please specify
Does your member state provide GO cancellation statistics for energy that changes dissemination level during its chain of custody?							Yes/No
Do you distinguish different types of GO cancellations: cancellations for final energy consumption vs. GO cancellation for input into energy carrier conversion, for storage, for transitioning into another certification mechanism or other?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes/No/Please specify

Which improvement suggestions do you have regarding this questionnaire?							<i>Please describe</i>
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