### **FaStGO – Facilitating Standards for Guarantees of Origin**

**Opportunities for improving the statistics** 

Reflections on feasibility for Issuing bodies

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## AIB – current work on improving statistics published

Strong support and involvement in FaStGO project

AIB highly welcomes feedback from stakeholders (OMC, FaStGO market survey, close contact with market participants through IBs)

In response AIB created a **new Task Force Statistics** to focus on improving statistics in 3 phases:

- Gathering (data flow from AIB Members to AIB Hub)
- 2) Processing (storing and structuring the data)
- 3) Publishing (new data interpretation needed)

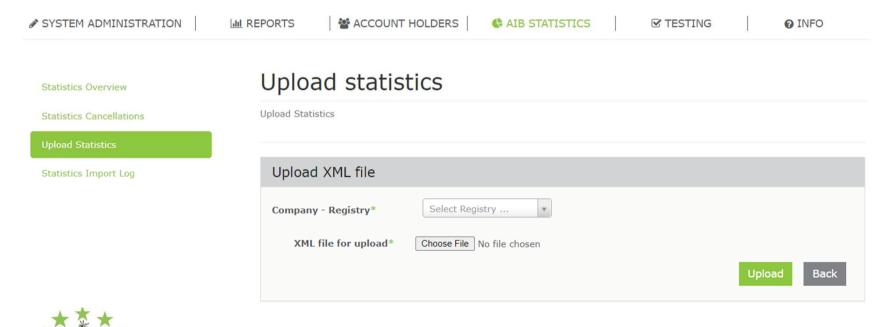




### Statistics data structure and gathering improved (1/2)

#### First outcomes – 2020 implementation of AIB Hub Statistics Module

- data structure and gathering improved substantially
- AIB Members now upload data using XML format





### Statistics data structure and gathering improved (2/2)

AIB Hub Statistics Module implementation will lead to substantial increase in data gathering efficiency

This can already be seen "from outside" – as of September statistics are now being **collected (and soon will be published)** <u>monthly</u>: <a href="https://www.aib-net.org/facts/market-information/statistics">https://www.aib-net.org/facts/market-information/statistics</a>

It is also a vital step for further progress – data input from AIB Members required a set and common structure so that it can be worked with effectively





# Further AIB plans/discussions...

Pros/cons of publishing raw data?

Even if such access means charging a fixed fee?

Automatic communication between AIB Members and Hub

Processing and publishing the data – the identified Opportunity 1 seems to be "spot on", AIB will discuss feasibility and consider swift implementation





## Introducing new data elements and categorisation

Seems to be inevitable due to current directions – new energy media, conversions, AIB Gas Scheme, etc...

Implications to AIB Members and Hub...

Could open new opportunities on usablility...





# Other opportunities – needs discussion and prioritisation

Not everything can be implemented (some suggestions too costly with marginal or individual improvements)...





#### Stakeholders' involvement?

Establish a dialogue with market parties (stakeholders) by establishing a group that meets 1-2/year in order to get a better understanding of what the outside world wants AIB to publish and in which way (a forum for discussion)...

#### -> poll question





#### **Conclusion**

- AIB statistics are appreciated
- Opportunities for improvement now clearly detected
- Difference between quick wins and long term aspirations
- Cooperation between AIB, members and stakeholders to be enhanced
- Biggest gaps:
  - Missing data from single market (UK, Poland) -> non AIB
  - Data for other energy carriers -> standardisation needed





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