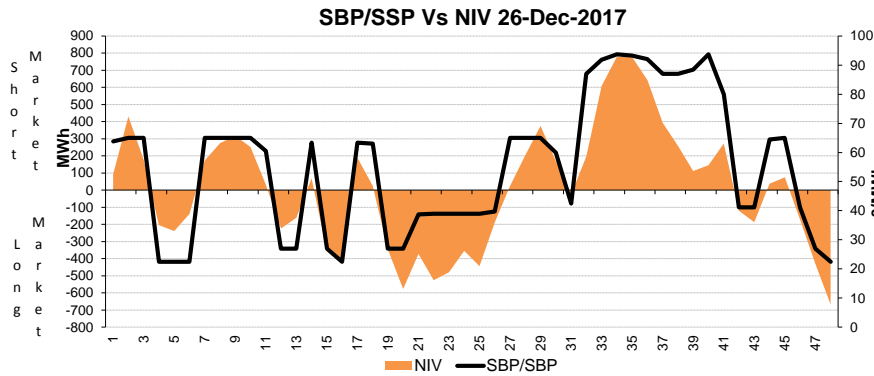
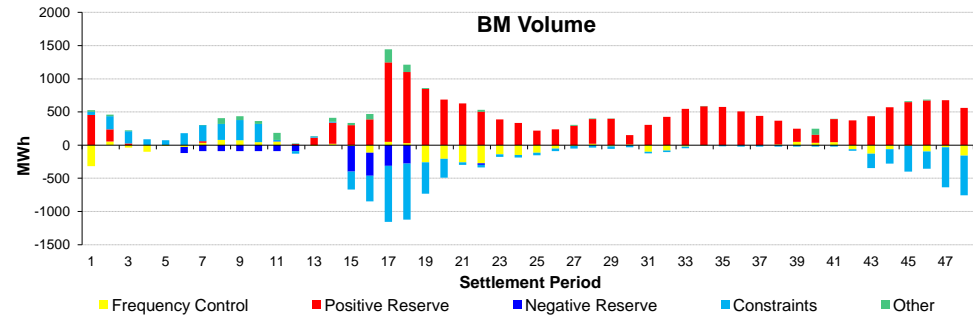
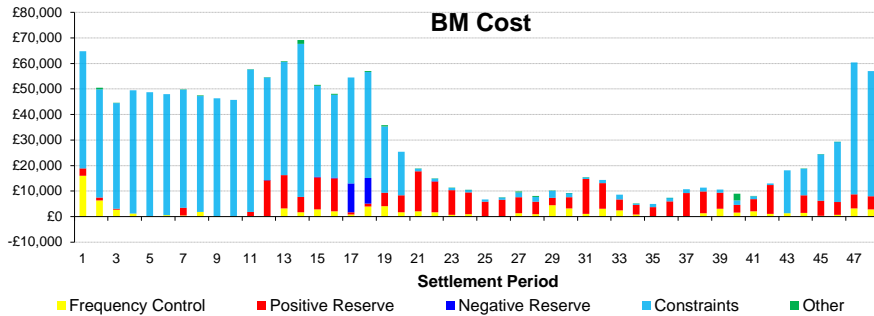
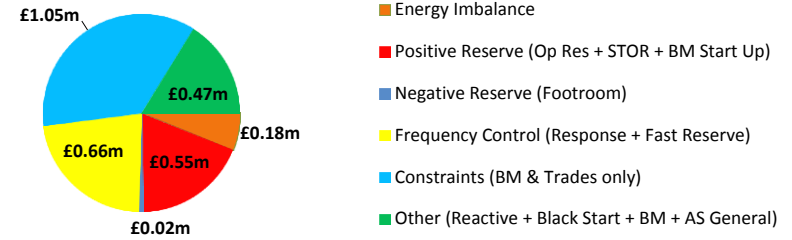
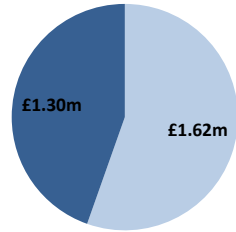


Daily Balancing Costs

BSUoS Charge Estimate: £2.49/MWh
Total Outturn: £2.92m

■ BM Cost (Indicative)
 ■ AS Cost (Estimate)



Commentary

This Boxing Day bank holiday was characterized by a mixed market, long in the morning and short between the afternoon and the darkness peak. Also 440MW STOR was utilised over the darkness peak in preference to more expensive BM generation. The western HVDC link was loaded up to 725MW North to South as the wind generation levels in Scotland increased. Thus avoiding power flow restrictions on the onshore network boundaries between Scotland and England. During the night trades on the interconnectors were taken for positive margin. Overnight trades and BM actions were undertaken to regulate the voltage levels in many part of the network in both England and Wales, and to manage RoCoF.