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ENERGY CRISIS IN THE ELECTRIC POWER SECTOR OF LATVIA

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INTRODUCTION: EVOLUTION of the ENERGY CRISIS



OBJECTIVE, KEY QUESTIONS AND DATA

The objective of this presentation is to specify the duration and phases of the energy crisis in the Latvia's electric power sector.

The study consecutively gives the answers on **the questions**:

- (i) where were the starting and ending point of the energy crisis in the Latvia's electricity market;
- (ii) what were the phases of the energy crisis and their duration;
- (iii) what was the distribution of electricity prices by the phases of the energy crisis;
- (iv) how the EU electricity markets were clustered by the impact of the energy crisis.

To identify the energy crisis in the electricity market, day-ahead electricity prices from the ENTSO-E Transparency Platform were used by bidding zones for the period 01.01.2021-01.09.2023.

METHODOLOGY AND SAMPLE



Figure 1. Identification of the energy crisis in the Latvia's

Descriptive statistics of electricity price over the phases of energy crisis in the Latvia's electric power sector in January 2021 – August 2023 (€/MWh).

Parameter	Pre-crisis	Energy crisis		Post-crisis		
			escalation	peak	recovery	
Duration	01.01.2021-	12.11.2021-	12.11.2021-	26.06.2022-	04.10.2022-	25.12.2022-
	11.11.2021	24.12.2022	25.06.2022	03.10.2022	24.12.2022	31.08.2023
Length, days	313	409	226	100	83	251
Mean	74.1	223.9	156.0	367.6	236.2	91.0
Std	27.7	107.9	47.1	78.9	79.0	23.1
Var%	39.0	48.2	30.4	21.5	33.4	25.1
First price	44.4	133.5	133.5	271.8	246.6	126.4
Last Price	125.3	141.8	265.6	283.1	141.8	111.9
Min	28.3	65.0	65.0	252.4	126.4	37.3
25%	49.9	145.6	124.1	307.3	179.7	75.1
50%	70.1	185.0	157.8	344.6	205.9	88.2
75%	92.4	300.3	182.0	396.4	287.2	106.2
Max	140.6	534.5	298.0	534.5	397.1	149.8

DIFFERENCES IN THE ENERGY CRISIS OF THE EU ELECTRICITY MARKETS

Table 3. Discovering the energy crisis in the electricity markets of EU member states								
Country (bidding zone)	Crisis start	Peak start	Maximum reached	Recovery start	Crisis end			
Austria (AT)	13/09/21 (140)	24/06/22 (293)	29/08/22 (639)	02/10/22 (263)	24/12/22 (145)			
Belgium (BE)	12/09/21 (140)	23/06/22 (278)	27/08/22 (594)	30/09/22 (269)	24/12/22 (153)			
Bulgaria (BG)	21/06/21 (167)	04/10/21 (314)	20/12/21 (588)	-	-			
		28/06/22 (315)	30/08/22 (569)	30/09/22 (302)	22/12/22 (177)			
Croatia (HR)	15/09/21 (147)	23/06/22 (302)	28/08/22 (668)	02/10/22 (283)	23/12/22 (157)			
Czech Rep. (CZ)	04/10/21 (148)	14/07/22 (310)	28/08/22 (668)	29/09/22 (291)	14/02/23 (149)			
Denmark (DK)	13/09/21 (140)	20/07/22 (309)	27/08/22 (606)	29/09/22 (266)	26/12/22 (143)			
Estonia (EE)	14/11/21 (124)	09/07/22 (249)	16/08/22 (486)	11/09/22 (214)	25/12/22 (126)			
Finland (FI)	23/11/21 (103)	09/07/22 (222)	25/08/22 (385)	20/12/22 (200)	25/12/22 (115)			
			12/12/22 (389)					
Germany (DELU)	13/09/21 (138)	25/06/22 (284)	28/08/22 (590)	30/09/22 (270)	23/12/22 (149)			
Greece (GR)	03/10/21 (163)	27/06/22 (308)	30/08/22 (583)	03/10/22 (298)	14/02/23 (167)			
Hungary (HU)	03/10/21 (155)	28/06/22 (319)	28/08/22 (671)	30/09/22 (307)	23/12/22 (157)			
Italy (UNP)	17/09/21 (165)	24/06/22 (339)	30/08/22 (701)	02/10/22 (331)	13/02/23 (167)			
Latvia (LV)	12/11/21 (133)	26/06//22 (278)	27/08/22 (535)	04/10/22 (247)	24/12/22 (142)			
Lithuania (LT)	12/11/21 (133)	26/06//22 (272)	27/08/22 (535)	04/10/22 (247)	24/12/22 (142)			
Netherlands (NL)	12/09/21 (134)	26/06/22 (275)	26/08/22 (588)	02/10/22 (247)	24/12/22 (150)			
Norway (NO1)	25/11/21 (128)	12/08/22 (275)	29/08/22 (560)	28/09/22 (260)	27/12/22 (122)			
Norway (NO2)	25/11/21 (128)	20/07/22 (297)	29/08/22 (602)	28/09/22 (260)	26/12/22 (128)			
Norway (NO3)	-	28/11/22 (174)	11/12/22 (306)	-	-			
Norway (NO4)	-	26/11/21 (110)	29/11/22 (157)					
	-	27/11/22 (96)	12/12/22 (173)	-	-			
Norway (NO5)	25/11/21 (128)	11/08/22 (266)	29/08/22 (560)	28/09/22 (260)	01/01/23 (118)			
Poland (PL)	09/11/21 (106)	20/06/22 (186)	21/08/22 (347)	05/09/22 (173)	Not finished			
Portugal (PT)	27/08/21 (114)	04/10/21 (201)	07/03/22 (416)	15/04/22 (181)	14/12/22 (119)			
Romania (RO)	07/10/21 (177)	01/07/22 (317)	28/08/22 (665)	30/09/22	22/12/22 (177)			
Slovakia (SK)	04/10/21 (158)	27/06/22 (306)	28/08/22 (662)	01/10/22 (295)	16/02/23 (152)			
Slovenia (SL)	29/09/21 (155)	24/06/22 (311)	28/08/22 (667)	01/10/22 (301)	23/12/22 (157)			
Spain (ES)	27/08/21 (114)	04/10/21 (201)	07/03/22 (417)	14/04/22 (187)	13/12/22 (118)			
Sweden (SE1)	-	20/11/22 (160)	02/12/22 (320)	-	-			
Sweden (SE2)	-	20/11/22 (160)	02/12/22 (320)	-	-			
Sweden (SE3)	23/11/21 (97)	15/08/22 (226)	13/12/22 (398)	20/12/22 (193)	25/12/22 (107)			
Sweden (SE4)	02/09/21 (108)	10/08/22 (278)	24/08/22 (407)					
		27/08/22 (258)	13/12/22 (398)	19/12/22 (232)	25/12/22 (107)			

CLUSTERING EU ELECTRICITY MARKETS BY THE EVOLUTION OF THE ENERGY CRISIS



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Figure 2. Dendrogram of the distribution of EU electricity markets according to the evolution of the energy crisis

^a Source: own calculations

NO3, SE1, SE2

22.11.2022

05.12.2022

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Thank you for your attention!

