



Distributed Energy Resource (DER) Register

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Do I need to list each individual solar panels?

No, but you will need to list them as individual panels if they are all from different manufacturers and have different capacity except if they are micro inverter panels

Do I need to list each micro inverter panels?

No, if they are the same make and model just advise the number of inverters and panels with the details

Do I have to fill in all the technical details?

No, if it is an Australian Standards approved inverter you can select from a drop down list

Upgrade or new– embedded generation - do I have to provide a NMI?

Yes NMI required, the NMI can be located on the electricity retailer bill

New build – embedded generation do I have to provide a NMI?

No NMI required

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Why is the commissioning date mandatory?

TasNetworks must provide AEMO (Australian Energy Market Operator) with as – built information 20 days after installation commissioning

How do I let TasNetworks know that I have decommissioned a DER device/installation?

When you provide us the NMI information, all the existing DER information for the site (as much information as we currently hold) will be pre-populated. You can chose to decommission the inverters and devices that no-longer belong to the site

Why do we need to provide this additional information?

TasNetworks has a regulatory requirement to provide this information to AEMO from 1 December 2019

What happens with this information?

This information is passed onto AEMO – which will give them visibility of National Distributed Energy Resources. You can find out more on the AEMO website: <https://www.aemo.com.au/Electricity/National-Electricity-Market-NEM/DER-program/DER-Register-Implementation>

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What if I am part way through an application?

If an application has not been submitted, you will need to complete another application. If your application is pending approval you will not be required to change anything

What information do I have to provide if my application was already approved?

No action required – the information will be passed to AEMO

What if the as-built information has changed details (other than the commission date)?

Please contact your TasNetworks Customer Connections Case Manager. Their details are available on the connections portal and in the connection documentation.

Why don't I have the option to fill in a paper based application?

The level of information now required in the application form is too detailed and complicated to be managed within a paper based document, the connection application process for DER has now been moved to online only



If you require assistance submitting your DER application or providing DER
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