

# Draft NATIONAL NATURAL GAS SYSTEM's DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2022-2031



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## ABBREVIATIONS

BMS: Border Metering Station  
CCTV: Closed Circuit Television  
CHP: Combined Heat and Power unit  
CNG: Compressed Natural Gas  
DESFA: TSO of the Greek Natural Gas System  
EIB: European Investment Bank  
HP: High Pressure  
IGB: Interconnector Greece Bulgaria  
IISNG: Integrated IT System for Natural Gas  
L/V: Linevalve  
LNG: Liquefied Natural Gas  
M/R: Metering/Regulating  
NNGS: National Natural Gas System  
NNGTS: National Natural Gas Transmission System  
NSRF or PA: National Strategic Reference Framework or Partnership Agreement 7-year E.U. program for the support of the Greek economy  
O&M Centers: Centers of Operation and Maintenance  
PLC: Programmable Logic Controller  
RAB: Regulated Asset Base  
RAE: Regulatory Authority of Energy  
RRF : E.U. Recovery and Resilience Facility  
SCADA: Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition  
TAP: Trans Adriatic Pipeline  
TSO: Transmission System Operator  
Nm<sup>3</sup>: Normal Cubic meter  
UGS : Underground Storage

## Executive Summary

According to the current provisions of the Network Code, DESFA as the TSO of the National Natural Gas System (NNGS) prepares on a yearly basis, and puts in public consultation to all relevant stakeholders, the Draft Development Plan for the next decade. Aim of this document is to inform the market participants on the infrastructure- new and planned-that DESFA is currently materializing.

The new proposed Development Plan 2022-2031 includes projects with a forecasted budget of € 830 million, from which an amount of €183 million corresponds to new projects, while the rest correspond to the ones already approved in the TYDP 2021-2030, as updated in terms of timeline and budget<sup>1</sup>.

From these, €161 million correspond to expansions to new areas, with mainly the project for the expansion of the network to Ioannina, and 14,5 million € to improvements, modernization, and maintenance of NNGS.

From the 14,5 million € of the last cluster of projects 5,5 million € refer to IT Projects aiming at the digitalization of DESFA and its IT transformation in five key areas :1) managing business, 2) managing assets, 3) managing data and continuity, 4) facilitating customer relationships & communication & 5) supporting enterprise intelligence.

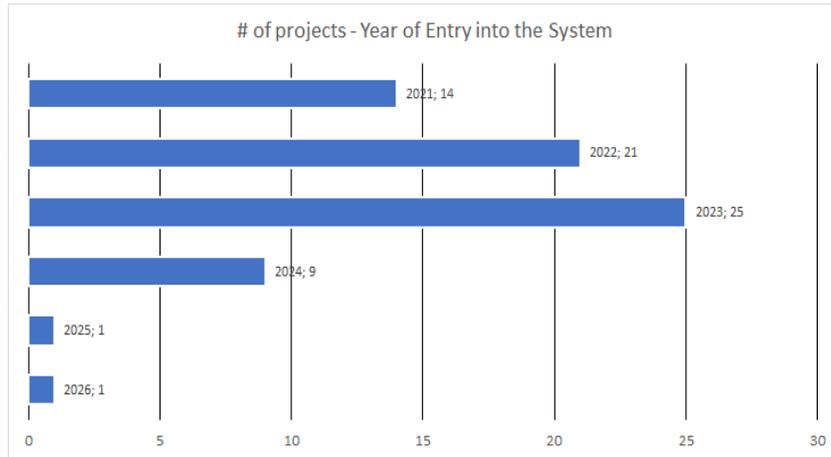
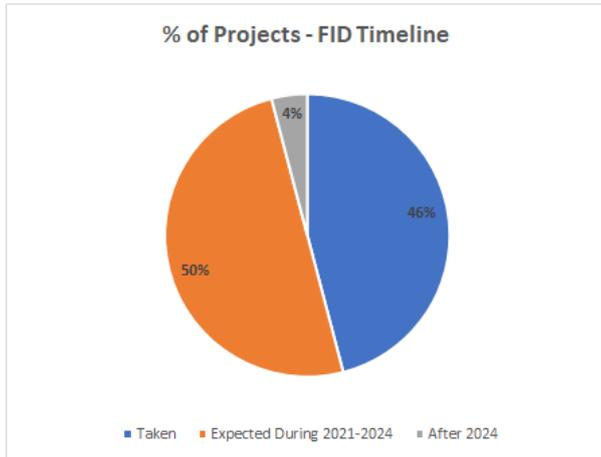
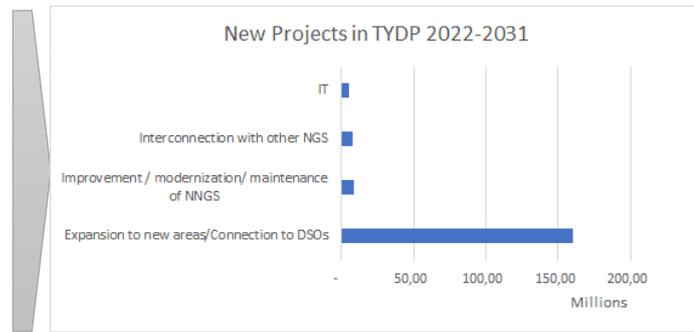
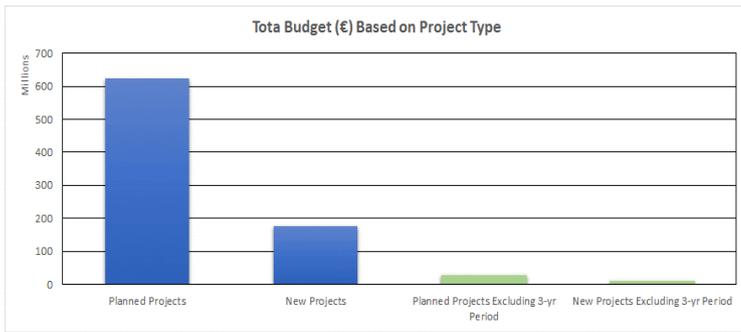
The present draft Development Plan does not yet include any major project related to the energy transition of the Greek energy sector and the decarbonization process, however, relevant work of DESFA is under development and will be further deployed in the immediate future, if necessary, revising the proposal of DESFA for the draft TYDP.

The following graphs include in summary the analysis of the total budget of this draft TYDP, in relation to:

1. The project types
2. The FID date
3. The expected commissioning year

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<sup>1</sup> As far as the updated budget is concerned, a total increase of appr. 100 million € is observed, compared to the already approved TYDP, reflecting the most recent trend in steel prices and the more detailed estimation of CAPEX as projects mature.



## Chapter I. Introduction

The Development Plan 2022-2031 is conducted in accordance with applicable legislation namely article 14 of L. 4001/2011 and applicable provisions of the NNGS Network code.

As per the provisions of the legislation, for the preparation of the Development Plan, the Development Study, as this will be published in DESFA's website, is taken into consideration as well as:

- a) data of the current and the estimated supply and demand of natural gas
- b) the fulfillment of obligations to provide public utility services and gas supply security, aiming at the continuity of supply and prevention of congestions and of refusal of access for new users, in a reliable and economically efficient manner
- c) the continuous improvement of the NNGS safety, reliability and efficiency, aiming at the prevention of incidents, failures and emergencies, in a reliable and economically efficient manner
- d) the supply of new areas with natural gas and the ensuring of new Users' potential access
- e) the protection of the environment, also by expanding the use of natural gas as an alternative, cleaner and more sustainable fuel, among others, in maritime and road transportation
- f) the European development plan and the regional investment programs in accordance with the provisions of part (b) of paragraph 3 of Article 8 and of paragraph 1 of Article 12 of Regulation 715/2009
- g) the viability of projects that are included in the Plan and their potential financing
- h) the ongoing developments regarding the system's readiness to accept H<sub>2</sub> and other renewable gases volumes, in compliance with EU Green Deal requirements.

The Development Plan includes projects whose construction is scheduled to begin within the timeframe of the Plan (i.e., for the period 2022-2031) as well as the Planned Projects whose construction has not been completed yet.

The TSO substantiates the feasibility of the inclusion of the new projects in the Development Plan and includes information about the construction method, the estimated budget, the time schedule of the implementation, the way of financing the relevant investments as well as the cost recovery method.

In the following paragraphs the projects of the Development Plan 2022-2031 are presented, including for each project all the necessary elements arising from the Network Code for the regulation of NNGS.

The Development Plan is structured as follows:

- I. Projects included in the three years Development Period (namely 2021-2024)
  - A. New Projects

1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)
2. Projects for the connection of Users
3. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGTS to new areas connected to distribution network
4. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new markets
5. Development Projects: Increase of capacity & security of supply of NNGS
6. Development Projects: Improvement / modernization/ maintenance of NNGS
7. Incremental Capacity Projects according to CAM NC

#### B. Planned Projects<sup>2</sup>

1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)
2. Projects for the connection of Users
3. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new areas connected to distribution network
4. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new markets
5. Development Projects: Increase of capacity & security of supply of NNGS
6. Development Projects: Improvement / modernization/ maintenance of NNGS

### II. Projects outside the three years Development Period

#### A. New Projects

1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)
2. Projects for the connection of Users
3. Development Projects

#### B. Planned Projects

1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)
2. Projects for the connection of Users
3. Development Projects

### III. Projects that are not included in the Development Plan 2022-2031

DESFA also provides justification any reasons for deviations or exclusion from the proposed draft Development Plan of any Planned Project.

It is mentioned at this point that according to Article 5A par. 8 of the Tariff Regulation (RAE Decision 1434/2020), the Development Projects that are defined as Projects of Major Importance are eligible for an increased return.

For each project a Table similar to the template below, summarizes the main elements of the project, as presented below:

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<sup>2</sup> Planned Projects are the projects already approved in any of the previous TYDPs but are not yet concluded or to the List of Small Projects

- the type of project (Planned or New Development or Connection)
- the type of investment (pipeline, compressor station, metering station, LNG and small-scale LNG facilities, CNG facilities, including all related plants, machineries, devices, equipment and systems for process monitoring/supervision/control/management and ancillary facilities such as consolidation/protection works, service roads, buildings, offices, IT systems, etc.)
- the expected benefit (according to the criteria of art. 92 par. 2 of NNGS Network Code)
- the current status:
  - under preliminary study, which includes preliminary market analysis, dimensioning and cost estimation that will allow the definition of the project for approval by RAE
  - under maturity, which includes basic design study, environmental authorization, that is all the actions from approval by RAE up to the Final Investment Decision (i.e. Resolution to Construct) according to the definition of the NNGS Administration Code
  - under construction, which includes the detailed design, procurement of materials and construction of the project as well as any tests following mechanical completion, that are all the actions from the Final Investment Decision (i.e. Resolution to Construct) and up to inclusion of the project in the system
- the project milestone dates:
  - the start date, which is the first inclusion of the project to the Development Plan or List of Small Projects
  - the date of Final Investment Decision, as this term described in the NNGS Network Code, i.e. *“the approval decision for the implementation of the project by the Operator without technical, commercial or financial conditions. The FID is taken after (a) the approval of the Development Plan or the publication of the Small Projects List, in which it is included, (b) the execution of Connection Agreement for the Connection Projects, (c) the financing decisions, at least in relation to own capital and grants and (d) the approval of Environmental Terms. Contracts for procurement of materials and construction of projects are executed by the Operator after the taking of the FID”* (art. 1 par. 78 of the Network Code).
  - the estimated Operation Date, as described in the NNGS Network Code, which is the starting date of operation (for testing if necessary) after the mechanical completion of the project
  - the scheduled day for Entry into System, which is the start of normal operation (or Commercial Operation Date). Entry of a project into the system is performed after the issuance of operation license, where relevant.
- the current budget of the project, as well as the part of which is considered maintenance capex. *Maintenance capex is considered to be any addition to or replacement of existing NNGS assets in order the latter to be maintained in their initial operational capability as long as possible.*
- for new projects their impact on the Average NNGS Tariff is calculated, as described and provided for in the Tariff Regulation
- the financing plan and the recovery method of the investment are presented for each project.
- whether a commitment with a User has been made for booking of Transmission Capacity for a certain period of time

- whether the project is part of the three-year Development Period provided for in the respective NNGS Network Code. This period includes projects which the final Investment Decision (i) has been taken, or (ii) is considered possible to be taken within three (3) years from the publication of the draft Development Plan in DESFA's website (i.e. up to October 2024). For projects not included in the 3-year Development Period, no planning is given.

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	
Type of investment	
Current Budget	
<i>of which Maintenance Capex</i>	
Expected benefit	
Start date	
Final Investment Decision	
Operation Date	
Entry in the system	
Current Status of Project	
Financing plan	
Recovery method	
Connection Agreement with User	
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS (for "New" projects only)	
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	
First approval from RAE (for Planned Projects)	

Following the project summary of each project, a short description of the scope of it and any other necessary relevant information is given.

## Chapter II. Projects included in the three years' Development Period

### A. New Projects

#### A1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)

This chapter presents projects (could be either Development or Connection projects) that aim to interconnect the NNGTS with other natural gas systems (UGS facilities, LNG or FSRU, high pressure pipelines etc.) promoted by others. Currently there are no such projects included in the draft TYDP 2022-2031.

#### A2. Projects for the connection of Users

This chapter presents projects that are a result of the acceptance by DESFA of an Application for Advanced Reservation Capacity Allocation submitted by a User according to the procedure described in Article 95B of Network Code. In this TYDP there is only one connection project that is included for the first time, however considering that it has already been included in the List of Small Projects it is analyzed in chapter B2 (ref. to project 10 "Connection of the Power Production Unit of to ELVAL/HALCOR in Thisvi").

#### A3. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new areas connected to distribution network

This chapter presents projects that aim to expand the transmission system to new areas and interconnect with the distribution network promoted by the relevant DSO in the area. Three (3) projects are proposed with a total budget of 160,5 million €.

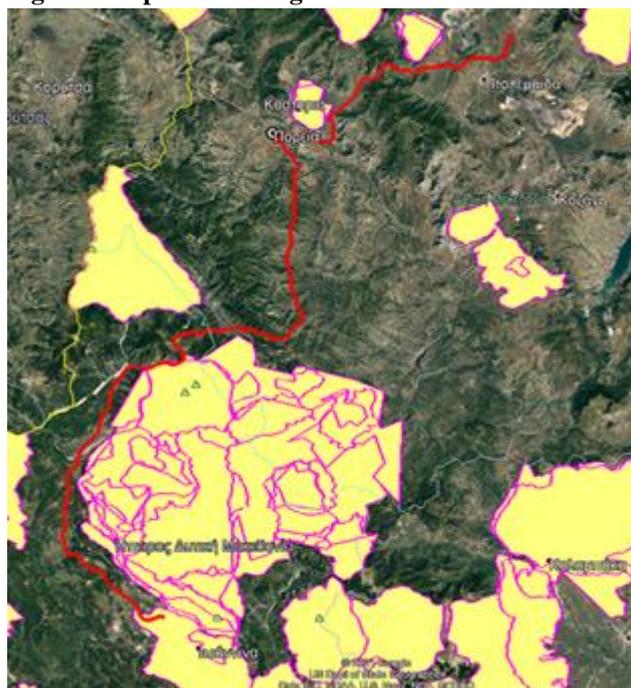
##### 1. Expansion of NNGTS to Ioannina

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	Pipeline & M/R Station
Current Budget	156 million €
Expected benefit	The supply of new areas with natural gas ensuring potential access to new Users'
Start date	October 2021

Final Investment Decision	July 2023
Operation Date	June 2026
Entry into the system	September 2026
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	4,92%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The project refers to the expansion of the future highpressure pipeline of West Macedonia to the city of Ioannina. The connection point will be the L/V Station at Komnina (end of 30" HPP pipeline of HPP to West Macedonia). The project is under preliminary investigation regarding routing, dimensioning, cost estimation etc. Considered scenarios include 16" HPP of approximate length 210-220km.

**Figure 1: Pipeline routing**



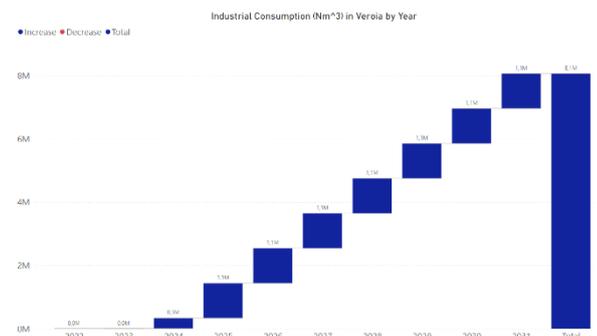
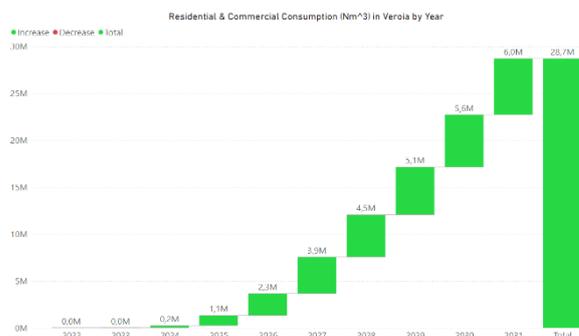
## 2. M/R Station to Veroia

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	M/R Station
Current Budget	2,5 million €
Expected benefit	the supply of new areas with natural gas and the ensuring of new Users' potential access
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	July 2022
Operation Date	October 2023
Entry into the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	-0,05%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The purpose of the project is the installation of a Metering/Regulating Station (along with the necessary building facilities and supporting equipment) at the extended area of Veroia for the supply with natural gas. The M/R station will be connected to the 10'' branch Arsenio-Veroia which is part of the 30'' HHP to West Macedonia (already planned project) upstream and downstream with the expected distribution network of DEDA.

The station will be implemented in two phases with an initial capacity of 8.000Nm<sup>3</sup> / h (1<sup>st</sup> phase) and a final capacity of 16.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

**Graph 1: Gas Consumption per category of use**



### 3. M/R Station to Naousa

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	2,08 million €
Expected benefit	the supply of new areas with natural gas and the ensuring of new Users' potential access
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	July 2022
Operation Date	December 2023
Entry in the system	February 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,06%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

This new M/R Station U-9130 concerns the installation of a Metering/Regulating Station at the Kopanos area of Naousa for the supply with natural gas.

The M/R station will be fed through LVS U-9120 of the 10" branch Arsenio-Veria, which is part of the 30" HHP to West Macedonia.

Two (2) gas metering and regulating streams shall be installed in a (1+1) configuration – one in operation and one stand-by – with each stream's capacity of 3,500 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h, as well as skid shelter, Control Room and RCC building Station and supporting equipment.

#### A4. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new markets

This chapter presents projects that aim to expand the transmission system to new markets related to regulated opportunities such as the expansion to new areas through virtual pipelines etc. Currently, there are no projects in this section.

#### A5. Development Projects: Increase of capacity & security of supply of NNGS

This chapter includes projects that aim to increase capacity and enhance the security of supply of NNGS. Currently, there are no projects in this section.

## A6. Development Projects: Improvement / modernization/ maintenance of NNGS

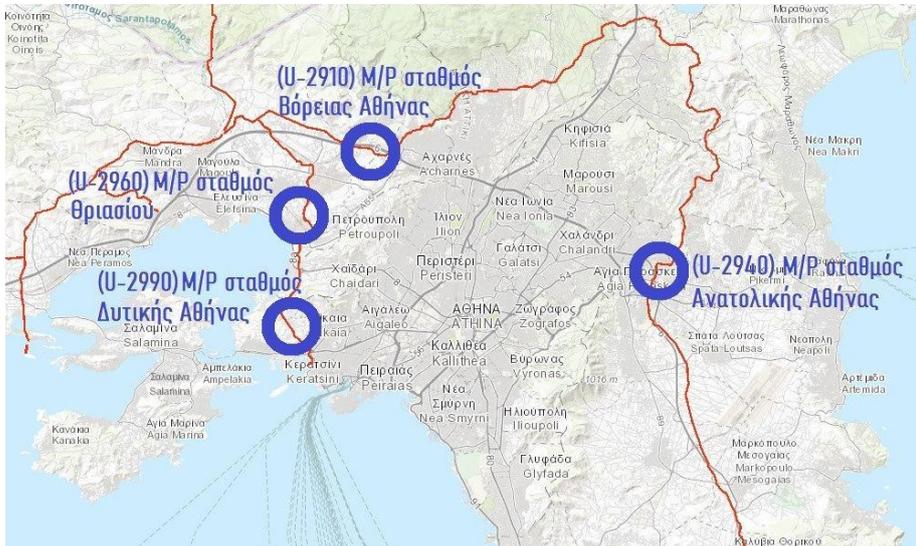
This chapter presents projects –mainly small capital ones- that aim to continuous improvement of the NNGS, its modernization and maintenance to ensure safety, reliability and efficiency. Nine (9) projects are proposed with a total budget of 14,5 million €.

### 1. Expansion and Upgrade of M/R Stations of Exit Point to Distribution Network 'Athens'

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	M/R equipment
Current Budget	3,0 million €
Expected benefit	Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	July 2022
Operation Date	December 2023
Entry into the system	March 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,09%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The Exit Point to Distribution Network 'ATHENS' is served by the Metering/Regulating Stations ('ATHENS NORTH', 'ATHENS EAST', 'ATHENS WEST') and 'THRIASSIO' as shown on the map below.

**Figure 2 : Overview of exit point to Athens**



The first three (3) Metering/Regulating Stations were designed to be installed in two phases. The first phase, which has been implemented, includes the installation of two (2) metering/regulating lines (one in operation and one in standby mode), while the second phase provides for the installation of additional metering/regulating lines in such a way that one line will be in standby mode.

Since the maximum capacity of the first phase in the Metering/Regulating Stations 'ATHENS NORTH' and 'ATHENS EAST' has already been used in peak loads during the last winter seasons and considering the expected increase in Natural Gas consumption in the domestic sector, in the coming years (appr. 40% between 2022 and 2031), due to the new connections that are planned to be made by the Distribution Network Operator, it is deemed necessary to upgrade the four Metering/Regulating Stations that serve the Exit Point to Distribution Network 'ATHENS', as follows:

1. Detailed engineering, procurement and construction of a third Metering/Regulating line at the M/R stations 'ATHENS NORTH' and 'ATHENS EAST' to the existing stub outs, including all the attached electrical and electronic equipment, with the aim of securing the supply of Natural Gas in the greater Athens area,
2. Installation of flow control valves at the four (4) Metering/Regulating Stations at the Exit Point to Distribution Network 'ATHENS' with the aim of optimizing the control of allocation of Natural Gas flow among them – especially in periods of high demand for Natural Gas – by the Control & Dispatching Center of DESFA.

The Project aims to improve the smooth operation of the NNGTS in servicing an Exit Point connected to the Distribution Network and at the same time servicing the expected increase in Natural Gas consumption in the domestic sector.

It is substantiated based on point c) of Network Code (transposing Article 69 par.2 cc of Law 4001/2011) and particularly on *“Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS, and the securing of its smooth operation, with the objective of preventing congestion, emergency situations, and denial of access or prohibited transmissions”*.

## 2. Keratsini branch rerouting (Mavri Ora stream)

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	Construction works for branch rerouting
Current Budget	0,425 million €
Expected benefit	Protection of the environment
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	December 2022
Entry into the system	December 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	The project will be reimbursed by the Region of Attica
Recovery method	
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0%
Inclusion in the 3 years' Development Period	Yes

The Scope of this Project is to perform all the necessary actions for rerouting part of Keratsini branch 24" at Aspropyrgos Attica to enable construction works for channel improvement of Mavri Ora stream. The Project is undertaken for compliance with a request raised by the Region of Attica due to necessary flood-defense works.

The Project aims to facilitate a public service requirement (construction works for channel improvement of Mavri Ora stream). It is substantiated based on point e) of Network Code (transposing Article 69 par.2 cc of Law 4001/2011) and particularly on *“Protection of the Environment”*.

## 3. Construction of a new Metering & Regulating Station in Markopoulo Site to replace the existing temporary M/R

Project Summary	
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Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	M/R Station
Current Budget	2,2 million €
Expected benefit	Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	July 2022
Operation Date	December 2023
Entry into the system	March 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,07%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The Exit Point "SPATA" is supplied by Metering / Regulating Station "MARKOPOULO", which is served by the temporary station TM2. Since the Metering / Regulating Station TM2 is a temporary and portable installation (compact), it does not support all the functions and redundancies provisioned for the Metering Regulating Stations of NNGTS. Therefore, it is deemed necessary to build a new fully operational Metering / Regulating Station based on the applicable specifications of the company. The new station can be installed on the SE side of the available plot considering the requirements of the legislation in force and any modifications required.

The Project aims to improve the smooth operation of the NNGTS in servicing an Exit Point connected to the Distribution Network. It is substantiated based on point c) of Network Code (transposing Article 69 par.2 cc of Law 4001/2011) and particularly on *"Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS, and the securing of its smooth operation, with the objective of preventing congestion, emergency situations, and denial of access or prohibited transmissions"*.

#### 4. Electronic Information System (EIS)- functionalities upgrade

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	IT System

Current Budget	0,35 million €
Expected benefit	Ensure high quality offered services
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	December 2022
Entry into the system	December 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,002%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

DESFA is required to update the existing commercial IT system (EIS) to be able to provide new services and products and to comply with regulatory changes triggered either by the market or internally by DESFA to improve the level of services already offered. Most notable examples for 2022 are:

- Introduction of Small-Scale LNG Truck Loading Services
- Interconnection with IGB and offering of new relevant capacity products at said Interconnection Point
- Balancing Regime overhaul with the introduction of Commercial Balancing
- Expansion of secondary market flexibility by redesigning the regime in force and integrating such transactions with PRISMA Platform (requires new interfaces between EIS and PRISMA).
- 7<sup>th</sup> Code revision

The project concerns the upgrade of DESFA EIS to ensure high quality of offered services through an integrated electronic environment, as provided for in the Network Code, as in force.

#### 5. Development of an Information System for DESFA to undertake the role of forecasting party for the NNGTS Balancing Zone

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	IT System
Current Budget	0,50 million €

Expected benefit	Necessary for the balancing forecasting /Enhance the role of Network Users in the NGTS balancing activity and enable them to manage their balancing portfolio more efficiently
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	October 2022
Entry into the system	October 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,01%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

According to Decision 70/2020 of the Regulatory Authority for Energy (Government Gazette B' 473/08.02.2021) DESFA is assigned the role of the Forecasting Party for the Balancing Zone of Greece, according to paragraph 5 of Article 39 of the COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) No 312/2014. This role foresees that DESFA is to calculate and publish daily forecasts of the Network User's inputs and outputs (entry & exit allocated quantities), particularly for Network Points where there is no hourly or daily measurement of the end customers' consumption (non-daily metered flows). To this end, DESFA must develop an information system that will collect all required data for a) DESFA's other IT systems (Commercial Electronic Information System & Asset Management Gas Demand Forecast system) and b) Distribution System Operators (DSOs), which will be used in conjunction with advanced predictive models to produce the required forecasts, which will be afterwards published to inform the Network Users. The project will enable DESFA to fully comply with the Regulator's mandate, which stems from the provision of EU legislation (BAL NC). Also, it will greatly enhance the role of Network Users in the NGTS balancing activity and enable them to manage their balancing portfolio more efficiently. This fact is also expected to decrease DESFA's overall balancing, also increasing the use of the trading platform, currently under development (although balancing activities are nevertheless profit neutral). Finally, there will be incentives tied with the forecasting accuracy which will enable DESFA to potentially gain value out of the project.

## 6. New electronic information system for natural gas

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	IT System

Current Budget	3,50 million €
Expected benefit	Ensure high quality offered services
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	December 2023
Entry into the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,11%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

DESFA is required to migrate to a new commercial IT system (EIS) to:

- i. secure the smooth operation and the business continuity of such an important system provided that the existing system is a transitional solution, built to satisfy the imminent need to implement the (mandatory) EU legislation provisions in 2016 (indicatively, CAM Capacity Auctions, Interconnection Agreement with Bulgarian TSO, renominations, etc.). Furthermore, it is fully custom developed and supported by a very small company. On top of structural issues, lack of expandability and low responsiveness increase the Operational Risks at the highest levels
- ii. be able to provide new services and products and to comply with regulatory changes triggered either by the market or internally by DESFA to improve the level of services already offered. Most notable examples for 2022 are:
  - a. Introduction of Small-Scale LNG Truck Loading Services and Small-Scale LNG Jetty
  - b. Balancing Regime overhaul with the introduction of Commercial Balancing
  - c. Expansion of secondary market flexibility by redesigning the regime in force and integrating such transactions with PRISMA Platform (requires new interfaces with PRISMA)

Although there is some overlap of the items mentioned in ii. above with the project "Electronic Information System - functionalities upgrade", the reason is that, as at least some aspects of these new services will start to be offered in 2022, where the new system will not be ready, some upgrades are required to the existing one to be able to support them. The upgrade project is meant as bridge solution, until the time of completion of the new system, which will cover all new and existing services.

## 7. Upgrade of the project management system upgrade

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	IT System
Current Budget	1,20 million €
Expected benefit	Ensure high quality offered services
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	December 2022
Entry into the system	December 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission & LNG Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,03%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

DESFA has a leading project management environment, which has been operating smoothly for the last 15 years. This environment, which was designed and implemented according to the global standard PMBOK 7.0 of PMI, allowed the successful implementation of DESFA's complex projects. The Project Management Integrated Information system plays a vital role in this environment.

Desfa requested for the Project Management Integrated Information system's operating system to change how it worked to be fully compatible with the central ERP system SAP4HANA. An advanced dynamic data exchange process was also developed.

As new needs derived by DESFA ambitious next decade's TYDP program, DESFA wants to

- Re-evaluate the state of the environment created.
- Consider complementary technological solutions offered by the international industry that could improve it, through a process of obtaining well-defined consulting services and searching for the relevant market.
- Implement any necessary steps concerning new complementary IT solutions. These solutions should be fully integrated with the current PM information systems, compatible with DESFA Projects Management Environment and able to provide further services for CAPEX Monitoring of all the categories of Projects (IT, Maintenance, Development, etc.)

The implementation of the final solution should, in any case, ensure

- that DESFA will continue to have a top project management environment,

- the smooth operation and the business continuity without the slightest interruption of its operation.

#### 8. Upgrade of Fire Fighting System & replacement of the pressure relief valves at BMS Sidirokastro

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	Equipment for NNGTS
Current Budget	0,8 million €
Expected benefit	Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	October 2021
Operation Date	November 2022
Entry into the system	December 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,02%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The project consists of the following :

1. Upgrade of the Fire Fighting system for the Diesel Tank room, the EDG room, the Fuel Gas room, the Gas Analyzer room, the Administration room and the Control room of BMS Sidirokastro.
2. The replacement of Pressure Relief Valves of the Filters, of the condensate vessel, of the Gas Heaters and of the Fuel Gas skids.

#### 9. Nitrogen Injection System

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	Equipment for the NGTS

Current Budget	2,53 million €
Expected benefit	Effective operation
Start date	October 2021
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	June 2023
Entry in the system	September 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS	0,08%
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The Nitrogen Injection System is required in order to support the Booster Compression Station in Nea Messimvria.

Due to the difference between the upper limit of the Wobbe Index between the gas transmitted in NNGTS and the one transmitted in the TAP pipeline, a Nitrogen Injection System shall be installed so as to treat the gas prior to its injection in the TAP pipeline.

The Nitrogen injection System is composed of the following equipment:

- Liquid Nitrogen Storage Tanks with PBU
- Liquid Nitrogen HP Pumps
- Nitrogen Ambient Air vaporizers
- Nitrogen Trim Heaters
- Nitrogen Injection Mixing Tee

## A7. Incremental Capacity Projects according to CAM NC

Following the launch of the Incremental Capacity Process on the 1st of July 2019, DESFA received non-binding demand indications for Nea Messimvria Interconnection Point (IP) and on the 21st of October 2019 a Demand Assessment Report (DAR) was published jointly with TAP and SRG, with the conclusion that there was sufficient indicative demand to initiate an Incremental Capacity Project. DESFA did not receive any demand indications for other IPs so a respective zero demand DAR was also published jointly with Bulgartansgaz.

In January 2020, DESFA, TAP and SRG in accordance with the provisions set out in article 27 (3) of CAM NC, jointly launched a public consultation on a draft Project Proposal for incremental capacity. The comments received during the public consultation have been considered to the extent possible in the final Project Proposal submitted for approval to the Greek, Italian and Albanian NRAs in March 2021. The Project Proposal was finally approved by the respective NRAs in May 2021. During the Registration Period (17/5 - 23/6/2021), no

interested parties submitted the required documentation to DESFA, so during the Binding Bidding Phase, DESFA will not receive any binding offers for incremental capacity.

It is mentioned that a new Incremental Capacity Process has already launched in July 2021, according to CAM NC.

## A8. Impact of the new Development projects in the Average Tariff for the Use of the system of NNGS

It is estimated that the inclusion in the RAB of the above projects increases the Average Tariff for the usage of NNGS by 5,12% considering no grants and according to DESFA's latest demand forecast study. Nevertheless, the benefits achieved from the above-mentioned projects would be important and decisive for the economy, the environment and the quality of life for the new regions concerned.

## B. Planned Projects

### B1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)

#### 1. Pipeline Nea Messimvria – Evzoni/ Gevgelija and Metering Station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Pipeline & M Station
Current Budget	67 million €
Expected benefit	Development SEE market, increase of usage of NNGS
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	April 2022
Operation Date	December 2024
Entry in the system	December 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	EIB loan <sup>3</sup> , DESFA's own equity or other loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services

<sup>3</sup> Application submitted for up to a maximum of 25million €.

Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

The project aims at the interconnection of natural gas transmission systems of Greece and North Macedonia which will enhance the diversification of supply sources for North Macedonia. The latter one is currently solely dependent on the supply of gas from its congested interconnection with Bulgaria.

DESFA and NER have signed a Memorandum of Understanding for the project in October 2016 as well as the cooperation agreement for the construction of the pipeline on both parts of the border.

Access to NNGS, and especially to the LNG terminal of Revithoussa and to natural gas through TAP pipeline, can benefit market competition thus leading to lower prices for the supply of natural gas in the neighboring country. Meanwhile the project enhances the regional development of natural gas market and the involvement of more market players thus enhancing the role of Greece as a hub. Furthermore, it will lead to the increased usage of the NGTS and will thus lead to a reduction of the tariffs for the usage of the transmission system in the long term.

The Greek Part of the project comprises of:

- Approx. 55 km pipeline of 30'' in with 80 barg design pressure and 66.4 barg maximum operating pressure starting from Nea Messimvria (downstream of the current compressor station) an ending to the Border Station U-7550 which belongs to the Administrative limits of the Community of Evzoni, eastern of river Axios.
- A Border Metering Station (BMS) in the interconnection area (estimated capacity 430.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h).
- A Scraper Station (Launcher) installed in the connection with NNGTS in Nea Messimvria
- A Launcher and a Receiver Scraper Station installed in the Border Station area

The basic design of the project has been completed and the environmental terms have been approved since February 2020. Currently, the basic design is under update to incorporate requirements for H2 compatibility. The project will be implemented after the completion of the market test.

Figure 3: Routing of the pipeline from Nea Messimvria to the border with North Macedonia



## 2. Interconnection of IGB Pipeline with the NNGS in Komotini

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Valve station
Current Budget	0,65 million €
Expected benefit	Interconnection with n.g. system
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry in the system	March 2022
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The Project is consisting of the following sub-project parts:

- (a) Modification of the existing 36'' pipe, which will interconnect (in the future) the NNGTS with the IGI pipeline system (stub-out section with a 36'' ball valve configuration)

- (b) The installation of a 28" Valve Station, including a 4" by-pass configuration at the point of the interconnection of the NNGTS with the IGB pipeline system.

### 3. Connection with the FSRU of Alexandroupolis

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating station
Current Budget	13 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	June 2018 <sup>4</sup>
Final Investment Decision	September 2021
Operation Date	October 2023
Entry in the system	October 2023
Current Status of Project	Under Maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee / Additional Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The Connection Project concerns the construction of a Metering / Regulating Station for the receipt, control of the flow and the invoicing of the transferred quantities of natural gas from the point of entry, downstream of the scraper station of the Connected System.

The new M/R Amphitrite Station will have a capacity of 865.000 Nm<sup>3</sup> /h, design pressure 110 barg, with arrangements of valves station of inlet and outlet E.S.D. (with bypass arrangement) and central by pass arrangement of the M / R station at 50% of the final capacity.

The connection with the NNGS will be made downstream of the Amphitrite M / R station by the HOT TAPPING method.

### 4. Metering and Regulating Station for connecting with Dioryga Gas FSRU

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station

<sup>4</sup> The Start date refers to the day of the Advanced Reservation of Capacity Application.

Current Budget	9,9 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	March 2021
Final Investment Decision	June 2022
Operation Date	October 2023
Entry in the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee/Additional Connection Fee
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The Connection Project includes a new Metering/Regulating (M/R) Station where the natural gas pipeline that Dioryga Gas plans to construct, will end up. This new M/R Station will be located near the existing M/R Stations for the supply of MOTOR OIL HELLAS (MOH) refinery and the Korinthos Power S.A. Power Plant, in the area of Agioi Theodoroi in Corinthia. This new M/R station will have a capacity of 490.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h. Upon the completion of the project, a new Entry Point "DIORYGA GAS" will be created, which will satisfy Dioryga Gas' request for a total natural gas delivery of 11,76 million Nm<sup>3</sup>/d. The M/R station's maximum output pressure will be equal to 66,4 barg.

## B2. Projects for the connection of Users

### 1. M station at SALFA A. Liossia

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering station
Current Budget	0,68 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry in the system	December 2021
Current Status of Project	Under construction

Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Yes
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

The project is developed according to the provisions of the Tariff Regulation as well as the relevant request and agreement with the "DEPA Commercial SA". The capacity of the station is estimated 5.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

## 2. M/R station AdG III

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating station
Current Budget	2 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	April 2011 <sup>5</sup>
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	March 2023
Entry in the system	April 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Yes
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The construction of the new ADG III (U-2840) Measuring / Regulating Station (U-2840) in the area of Distomo Viotia includes the dismantling of the existing ADG III station (TM1 / TM5), the installation of the building infrastructure (RCC and Station Building), the construction of the M/R Station with a capacity of 23.500 Nm<sup>3</sup> / h with auxiliary installations (gas actuation systems) metal housing for the protection of the Metering skids (Skid Shelter) and connections to the existing ESD L/V (Emergency Shut Down) to supply the industry.

<sup>5</sup> The Start date refers to the day of the signing of the Connection Agreement.

### 3. Connection of “DEPA Commercial SA” CNG Station with the NNGTS in Komotini

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering station
Current Budget	1,3 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	March 2018 <sup>6</sup>
Final Investment Decision	December 2022 <sup>7</sup>
Operation Date	September 2024
Entry in the system	December 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project refers to the installation of a Metering station for the supply of DEPA Commercial SA CNG station at Komotini.

Construction of the project will be awarded after the signing of Connection Agreement with the applicant User.

### 4. Connection of “DEPA Commercial SA” CNG Station with the NNGTS in Tripoli

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering station
Current Budget	2,35 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users

<sup>6</sup> The Start date refers to the day of submission of the application for Advanced Reservation of Capacity.

<sup>7</sup> Provided that connection agreement will be signed Dec-2022

Start date	March 2018 <sup>8</sup>
Final Investment Decision	December 2022 <sup>9</sup>
Operation Date	September 2024
Entry in the system	December 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project refers to the installation of a Metering station for the supply of DEPA Commercial SA CNG station to Tripoli.

Construction of the project will be awarded after the signing of Connection Agreement with the applicant User.

#### 5. Connection of Kavala Oil plant to the NNGTS

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Pipeline/Metering station
Current Budget	3,4 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	November 2018 <sup>10</sup>
Final Investment Decision	February 2023 <sup>11</sup>
Operation Date	August 2024
Entry in the system	November 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity

<sup>8</sup> The Start date refers to the day of submission of the application for Advanced Reservation of Capacity.

<sup>9</sup> Provided that agreement will be signed Dec-2022

<sup>10</sup> The Start date refers to the day of submission of the application for Advanced Reservation of Capacity.

<sup>11</sup> Provided that agreement will be signed Mar-2022

Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project will be implemented for natural gas supply of the KAVALA OIL plant. For this project a high pressure 6" pipeline, 2 km length approximately, including needed facilities (valve station, scraper station, hot tapping) and a Metering Station for the connection of KAVALA OIL plant with NNTGS will be constructed. The project also includes land purchase for the valve station and scraper station.

Construction of the project will be awarded after the signing of Connection Agreement with the applicant User.

#### 6. Metering station at Agios Nikolaos Viotia (AdG IV)

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering station
Current Budget	1,87 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	April 2018 <sup>12</sup>
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	March 2023
Entry in the system	April 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Yes
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The aim of this project is to install Metering Station in the greater area "Aluminium of Greece-ADG" industry, in order to supply with natural gas, the new installations of "New C.C.G.T. Agios Nikolaos II". Project includes construction of Metering skids, construction of auxiliary

<sup>12</sup> The Start date refers to the day of submission of the application for Advanced Reservation of Capacity.

installations (gas actuation systems), construction of steel shelter for the protection of Metering skids (Skid Shelter), extension of the existing communication building (R.C.C.), as well as construction of new inlet and outlet Emergency Shut Down valve stations. The capacity of the station is estimated at 128.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

### 7. Connection of ELVAL plant to the NNGTS in Inofyta

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Pipeline/Metering station
Current Budget	4,32 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	December 2015 <sup>13</sup>
Final Investment Decision	July 2021
Operation Date	October 2022
Entry in the system	December 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Yes
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project will be implemented for natural gas supply of the ELVAL SA plant in Inofyta, Viotia, for various thermal uses. A new pipeline (extending the NNGTS), two scraper stations (launcher/ receiver) and a M / R station will be constructed for the supply of ELVAL plant. The capacity of the station is estimated 23.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

### 8. Connection with TERNA Power Plant to the NNGTS

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned project <sup>14</sup>
Type of investment	Pipeline / Metering station

<sup>13</sup> The Start date refers to the day of submission of the application for Advanced Reservation of Capacity.

<sup>14</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List.

Current Budget	4,95 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	June 2020
Final Investment Decision	November 2021
Operation Date	March 2023
Entry in the system	June 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Signed
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The project comprises construction of a new 1,5km pipeline that will be connected to the branch of "Komotini-Alexandroupoli" with the method of hot-tapping and construction of one-line valve station, construction of one Metering station with two metering skid, 1 working + 1 stand by, with capacity of 107.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h, construction of central inlet and outlet Emergency Shut Down valve stations, and construction of one-line valve station as NNGTS exit point.

#### 9. Connection with ELPEDISON Power Plant to the NNTGS

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned project <sup>15</sup>
Type of investment	Pipeline/ Metering station
Current Budget	2,91 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	June 2020
Final Investment Decision	November 2021
Operation Date	September 2023
Entry in the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity

<sup>15</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List.

Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Signed
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The aim of this project is to install one Metering Station at the west area of Thessaloniki in order to supply with natural gas the new Power Plant of ELPEDISON. The project comprises construction of a new 0,3km pipeline that will be connected to the branch of 'Pentalofos - Diavata'' with the method of hot-tapping, construction of one-line valve station, construction of one Metering station with two metering skid, 1 working + 1 stand by, with capacity of 130.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h and construction of central inlet and outlet Emergency Shut Down valve stations inside DESFA's property.

#### 10. Connection of the Power Production Unit of ELVAL/HALCOR in Thisvi

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>16</sup>
Type of investment	Pipeline & M station
Current Budget	2,01 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	July 2020 <sup>17</sup>
Final Investment Decision	November 2022
Operation Date	May 2024
Entry into the system	June 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	Connection Fee
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The purpose of the project is the interconnection of the ELVAL/HALCOR CCGT with the NNGS in the wider area of Thisvi Industrial Area for the supply with natural gas of a new 651 MWe new power plant. The project will start with the modification of an existing 14" valve station. The valve station is supplied directly from the Thisvi branch of the main gas pipeline with a cross section of 20" and is connected to the central venting device (vent stack line) of the

<sup>16</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List.

<sup>17</sup> On 31/7/2020 ELVAL/HALCOR submitted to DESFA the Advanced Reservation Capacity Application.

Scraper Station Receiver. Subsequently, a 14" diameter pipeline will be constructed, with a design pressure of 80 barg, with a total estimated length of 400 m up to the new DESFA plot for the installation of the metering station. The new metering station will have a capacity of 100.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

### B3. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new areas connected to distribution network

#### 1. Installation of M/R Kavala

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	2,4 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas
Start date	October 2012
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	Phase 1: October 2021 Phase 2: October 2024
Entry in the system	Phase 1: December 2021 Phase 2: December 2024
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 525/2013 (TYDP 2013-2022)

The project refers to the installation of an M/R 80/19 station in the area of Kavala line valve. The aim of the project is to supply the city of Kavala and the nearby cities of Palaio and Eleftheroupoli.

For the acceleration of the availability of the connection to the network to satisfy the area needs for natural gas, will proceed installation in two phases.

The first phase of the project includes construction of Metering and Regulating skid with capacity of 17.800 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h and outlet pressure of 16 barg, (8.900 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h with 1 working + 1 stand by , with future provision for expansion to 2 working + 1 stand by, adding 8.900 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h capacity), construction of Emergency Shut Down inlet and outlet valves stations both with 4" by pass arrangement, construction of steel shelter for the protection of M/R skid (Skid

Shelter), a temporary M/R Control system as well as connection with the existing NNGTS pipeline, for gas supply of final consumers. The second phase will include the building construction and installation of M/R Control Building.

## 2. M/R Station in the region of Poria

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	2,2 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	November 2022
Entry in the system	January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

Poria M/R Station U-2330 will be fed with natural gas from TAP Gas Pipeline and will supply the cities of Kastoria, Argos Orestikon and Maniakoi.

The project will have a two (2) phase construction plan with 1st phase max capacity of 9.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (configuration 1+1 – one metering/regulating stream working and one stand-by) and 2st phase max capacity of 18.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (configuration 2+1 – two metering/regulating stream working and one stand-by).

## 3. CNG Station in the region of Poria

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	CNG Station
Current Budget	1 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas

Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	November 2022
Entry in the system	January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Non- Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

In connection to project "M/R Station at the prefecture of Poria", a CNG station is necessary in order to supply with compressed natural gas the city of Grevena. The gas will be transported to the CNG station through TAP pipeline.

#### 4. M/R Station in the region of Aspros

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	3 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	November 2022
Entry in the system	January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

ASPRO M/R Station will be fed with natural gas from West Macedonia Pipeline and it will supply the cities of Edessa, Skidra and Gianitsa.

The project will have a two (2) phase construction plan, with 1st phase max capacity of 15000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (configuration 1+1 – one metering/regulating stream in operation and one stand-by) and 2nd phase max capacity of 30000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (configuration 2+1 – two metering/regulating stream in operation and one stand-by).

Alternatively, there will be also provision for connection of station's inlet section to TAP, in order to supply natural gas to relevant cities for the 1st operational year.

#### 5. M/R Station in the region of Perdikas Eordeas

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	4,2 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	Phase 1: September 2022 Phase 2: November 2022
Entry in the system	Phase 1: November 2022 Phase 2: January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The M/R Station of Perdikas Eordeas will be fed with natural gas from West Macedonia Pipeline, and it will supply local cities gas distribution network.

The project will have a two (2) phase construction plan with 1st phase max capacity of 5000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (configuration 1+1 – one metering/regulating stream working and one stand-by) and 2nd phase max capacity of 10000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h (configuration 2+1 – two metering/regulating stream working and one stand-by).

In order to expedite the natural gas supply at DESFA's M Kardia station and satisfy local district heating, for the 1st operational year, a new design shall be applied with the additional use of a new temporary M/R station with maximum capacity 60.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h. This new design will be able to supply both the M Kardia station and the local Perdikas M/R with the required amounts of Natural Gas for the first year of operation by the TAP pipeline at the area of valve station GBV21.

## 6. Metering / Regulating Station Livadia U-2710

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	M/R Station
Current Budget	2,3 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	July 2018
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	Phase 1: December 2021 Phase 2: October 2024
Entry in the system	Phase 1: March 2022 Phase 2: December 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The aim of this project is to install one M/R City Gate Station in the greater area of Livadia, in order to supply the distribution networks (19 barg MP) of Livadia city with natural gas.

For the acceleration of the availability of the connection to the network to satisfy the area needs for natural gas, will proceed installation in two phases.

The first phase of the project includes the construction and installation of a Metering and Regulating skid with capacity of 11.500 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h and outlet pressure of 16 barg, (5.750 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h with 1 working + 1 stand by , with future provision for expansion to 2 working + 1 stand by, adding 5.750 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h capacity), construction of Emergency Shut Down inlet and outlet valves stations both with 4" by pass arrangement, construction of steel shelter for the protection of M/R skid (Skid Shelter), a temporary M/R Control system as well as connection with the NNGTS pipeline, for gas supply of final consumers. The second phase will include the construction and installation of the M/R Control Building

## 7. Megalopoli M/R city gate station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project

Type of investment	Metering & Regulating station
Current Budget	2,7 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	June 2020
Final Investment Decision of temporary M/R Station	Taken
Operation Date of temporary M/R Station	September 2021
Entry in the system of temporary M/R Station	November 2021
Current Status of temporary M/R Station	Under construction
Final Investment Decision of permanent M/R station	June 2022
Operation Date permanent M/R station	September 2023
Entry in the system permanent M/R station	December 2023
Current Status of permanent M/R station	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The investment consists of one Metering Regulating city gate station at the area of Megalopoli including building construction and installation (M/R Control Building), construction of Metering and Regulating skid with outlet pressure of 16 barg, construction of auxiliary installations (gas preheating system with central boilers, fuel gas system, gas actuation systems, odorization system), construction of steel shelter for the protection of M/R skid (Skid Shelter), as well as connection with the existing NNGTS pipeline (24") at Perivolia. The capacity of the station is estimated 11.500 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

The project also includes a temporary M/R station for the faster supply of the region with natural gas. The capacity of the temporary station is estimated 12.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

## 8. Drymos/Liti M/R city gate station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating station

Current Budget	2,8 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	July 2020
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	Phase 1: October 2022 Phase 2: December 2023
Entry in the system	Phase 1: December 2022 Phase 2: February 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

Drymos Metering / Regulating Station will be fed from the National Natural Gas Transmission System (NNGTS) through the existing main pipeline with Hot-Tapping Method. New M/R station's maximum capacity will be 18.000Nm<sup>3</sup>/h and it will be constructed in two phases: Phase 1: 9.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h, Phase 2: 18.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

In the first phase, two (2) gas metering and regulating streams shall be installed in a (1+1) configuration – one in operation and one stand-by – with each stream's capacity of 9.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h, an interconnecting pipeline of 100m estimated length, Hot-Tapping configuration with all relevant equipment and installations, as well as Control Room's and RCC's equipment that will be installed at M/R station's Cabinet.

Second phase includes the installation of an additional gas metering and regulating stream with the same capacity of 9.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h, in order to upgrade station's maximum capacity to 18.000Nm<sup>3</sup>/h with a configuration of (2+1) – two (2) main streams in operation and one (1) spare. Also, second phase includes buildings and skid shelter construction from temporary installations to permanent structures.

## 9. High Pressure pipeline to West Macedonia

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Pipeline & M station
Current Budget	147 million €
Expected benefit	the supply of new areas with natural gas and the ensuring of new Users'

	potential access/ decarbonization of Greek System
Start date	July 2020
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	August 2023
Entry into the system	September 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan, possible NSRF 2021-2017 grant <sup>18</sup>
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission System (w/o possible grants)
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The project is included to support the decarbonization policy introduced by the Hellenic Republic and it concerns the extension of the existing NGTS via a new pipeline branch up to the region of West Macedonia. According to the basic design study the Project consists of 156 km High Pressure pipeline, out of which:

- **94 Km/30" HPP** starting from the existing LVS at Trikala Imathias and ending north of Ptolemaida (Komnina new LVS)
- **28,2 Km/ 14" HPP** branch for connection to Kardia M Station
- **9,1 Km/10" HPP branch** for connection to Aspros M/R station
- **3,5 Km/10" HPP branch** for connection to Perdikas M/R station
- **21,3Km/ 10" HPP branch** for the supply of Veria/Naoussa district and

as well as provisions for future extensions.

The project also includes Kardia Metering Station to supply the district heating installations for the cities of Kozani, Ptolemaida and Amyntaio, as well as line valves to supply other consumption in the region. The capacity of the Metering Station is estimated at 50.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h.

The project's design has been aligned with the company's strategy for energy transition and more specifically it will be constructed to be compatible for H2 transportation up to 100%. Therefore, and in combination with the White Dragon project for hydrogen production in the area, it will initiate actions for hydrogen adaptation.

## 10. High Pressure Pipeline to Patras

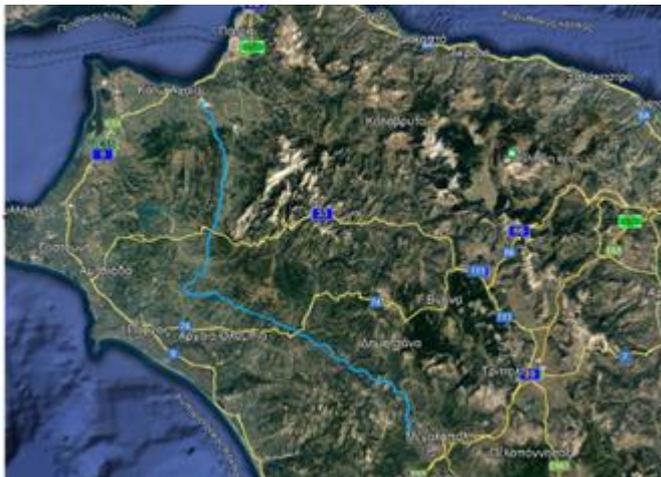
Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project

<sup>18</sup> DESFA has applied for granting equal to the 33,11% of the capex.

Type of investment	Pipeline & M/R Station
Current Budget	98 million €
Expected benefit	the supply of new areas with natural gas and the ensuring of new Users' potential access
Start date	July 2020
Final Investment Decision	May 2023
Operation Date	June 2025
Entry in the system	September 2025
Current Status of Project	Under preliminary study
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

In line with relative request of the Western Greece Region, the project concerns the connection of the city of Patra and the Industrial Area (VIPE) of Patras with the NNGS, with provision for future extensions to other cities of the Western Greece Region (e.g., Pyrgos, Agrinio).

**Figure 4: Pipeline Routing**



According to the preliminary routing, the project consists of a 16" high pressure pipeline, of approximately 120 km, starting from a suitable point on the HPP branch of Megalopolis. The project also includes all necessary infrastructure and a Metering/ Regulating station. DESFA will coordinate with the Distribution System Operator who will undertake the development of the distribution network in the region.

## 11. Korinthos M/R city gate station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	M/R Station
Current Budget	2,2 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	July 2020
Final Investment Decision	November 2021
Operation Date	September 2023
Entry in the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under preliminary study
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The investment consists of one Metering Regulating city gate station at the area of Korinthos including building construction and installation (M/R Control Building), construction of Metering and Regulating skid, construction of auxiliary installations, construction of steel shelter for the protection of M/R skid (Skid Shelter), as well as connection with the existing NNGTS pipeline. The capacity of the of the station has been estimated at 20.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h with a 1+1 configuration.

Construction of the project will be awarded following coordination with the Distribution System Operator who will undertake the development of the distribution network in the city of Korinthos.

## 12. Argos/Nafplio M/R city gate station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	M/R Station
Current Budget	2,3 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users

Start date	July 2020
Final Investment Decision	November 2021
Operation Date	September 2023
Entry in the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under preliminary study
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The investment consists of one Metering Regulating city gate station including building construction and installation (M/R Control Building), construction of Metering and Regulating skid, construction of auxiliary installations, construction of steel shelter for the protection of M/R skid (Skid Shelter), as well as connection with the existing NNGTS pipeline. The capacity of the of the station has been estimated at 20.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h with a 1+1 configuration. Construction of the project will be awarded following coordination with the Distribution System Operator who will undertake the development of the distribution network in the cities of Argos and Nafplio.

### 13. Tripoli M/R city gate station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	M/R Station
Current Budget	2,3 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	July 2020
Final Investment Decision	November 2021
Operation Date	Phase 1: July 2022 Phase 2: October 2024
Entry in the system	Phase 1: July 2022 Phase 2: December 2024
Current Status of Project	Under preliminary study
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services

Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The investment consists of one Metering Regulating city gate station at the area of Tripolis. The capacity of the station is estimated 20.000 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h. Construction of the project will be awarded following coordination with the Distribution System Operator who will undertake the development of the distribution network in the city of Tripolis.

For the acceleration of the availability of the connection to the network to satisfy the area needs for natural gas, will proceed installation in two phases.

The first phase of the projects includes construction of Metering and Regulating skid, construction of Emergency Shut Down inlet and outlet valves stations both with 4" by-pass arrangement, construction of steel shelter for the protection of M/R skid (Skid Shelter), a temporary M/R Control system as well as connection with the existing NNGTS pipeline. The second phase will include the building construction and installation of M/R Control Building.

## B4. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new markets

### 1. Truck Loading Pilot (first) Station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Small scale LNG facility
Current Budget	7,5 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas/markets/ decarbonization of the Greek energy system
Start date	April 2016
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry in the system	May 2022
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	Poseidon Med II Grants (for studies), PA 2014-2020 grants <sup>19</sup> , DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Additional LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

<sup>19</sup> Approved with 57,42% of eligible budget.

First approval from RAE

Decision 64/2017 (TYDP 2016-2025)

The construction of a pilot truck loading station (the characterization of the station as pilot refers to the fact that will be the first station) will give the possibility for the use of natural gas in off grid areas, where the transmission system is not developed yet (e.g., islands and west Greece), along with its use in shipping for the fueling of vessels (for vessels using LNG as marine fuel). The result will be an increased gas consumption and a more efficient use of Revithoussa Terminal.

The market has already expressed interest for the said application both for the supply of off-grid consumers and for bunkering purposes. The station will have one loading bay for 50 m3 trucks with a loading capacity of 100 m3/h. It will also include provision for a future second bay.

The project also includes:

- Measurement of LNG loaded via weighbridge
- Control of the truck loading station from the LNG Terminal Control Room and DESFA EIS and SAP system as required
- Traffic arrangements within DESFA property as well as on the access road to Revithoussa
- Expansion of the existing pier at Perama Megaridas port (3.1 miles from Revithoussa) for back up use.
- Upgrade of Almyra jetty (1.1 miles from Revithoussa) so as to be the permanent transfer port. As intermediate solution Kronos pier in Elefsina port (10 miles from Revithoussa) will be used.

## 2. New jetty for small-scale LNG in Revithoussa

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Small Scale LNG facility
Current Budget	22,5 million €
Expected benefit	Supply of new areas/markets/opening of a new gas market sector for Greece (bunkering)/ decarbonization of the Greek energy system
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	October 2022
Entry in the system	January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under Construction

Financing plan	Poseidon Med II Grants (for studies), NSRF 2014-2020 grants <sup>20</sup> , DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Additional LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The new jetty will be realized in the northeastern part of Revithoussa and will serve the loading of LNG to small scale ships (1.000 m<sup>3</sup> and up to 30.000 m<sup>3</sup> of LNG).

The smallest ships will primarily be used to supply vessels powered by LNG (cruisers, containerships, Ro-Pax), in the port of Piraeus primarily and possibly other ports in the vicinity of Revythoussa.

The larger ships will transport LNG to satellite LNG storages and distribution stations in other coastal locations in Greece, either to ports (such as Patras, as foreseen in the Poseidon Med II program), or off-grid installations where gas consumption will be regarded as feasible, including islands, through virtual pipeline schemes.

Following the completion of the feasibility studies, geological prospections, and analysis of the best available technologies on the internal markets, the project includes the construction of a new QUAYWALL (berth structure parallel to the shore), all the necessary cryogenic piping and equipment (marine arms, valves, instruments, controls, etc.).

The project will be an implementation of the ongoing studies under POSEIDON MED II<sup>21</sup>.

## B5. Development Projects: Increase of capacity & security of supply of NNGS

### 1. Compression Station in Kipi and Regulating Station in Komotini

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Compressor station, Regulating station
Current Budget	15 million €
Expected benefit	Technical adequacy of NNGS, increase of capacity of NNGS
Start date	July 2007 <sup>22</sup>

<sup>20</sup> DESFA has requested 50,66% of the eligible budget.

<sup>21</sup> POSEIDON MED II, under the auspices of the INEA (Innovation and Network Executive Agency), is part of the necessary steps towards adopting liquefied natural gas as a marine fuel in the Eastern Mediterranean, making Greece the focal point for supplying and distributing liquefied natural gas in Southeast Europe, implementing Directive 94/2014 / EU and Law 4439/2016 incorporating the above Directive into Greek law. In this action 26 partners from shipping and gas industry from three EU Member States are involved (Cyprus, Greece, Italy)

<sup>22</sup> Approval time of basic design

Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	November 2023
Entry in the system	January 2024
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of the Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 64/2017 (TYDP 2016-2025)

The project aims at increasing the pressure of the gas entering from the Entry Point Kipi and is required in order to serve the needs of the Greek market west of Komotini for import of gas from Turkey above the current technical capacity of the 4,3 mNm<sup>3</sup>/ day, and / or to ensure reverse physical flow to the Interconnection Point Sidirokastro above the existing capacity of 5,7 Nm<sup>3</sup>/d (in combination with Ambelia compressor station project), or/and to allow the flow of gas to the NNGS from a possible underground storage in the area of Kavala or a possible new LNG terminal in Alexandroupoli, according to the relevant simulation studies. It will also enhance the flexibility of operation of the whole NNGTS and ensure the capacity of transportation of gas in the direction North to South.

The project is included in the 4th PCI list that was issued by EC in 2019. The capacity of the compressor is preliminarily estimated at (1+1) x 2,5 MW ISO.

The Regulating Station in Komotini is necessary for safety reasons because the Maximum Allowable Operating Pressure (MAOP) of the pipeline west of Komotini is lower.

## 2. Compressor Station in Ambelia

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Compressor Station
Current Budget	73 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation in respect to prevent congestion
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	August 2023
Entry in the system	December 2023

Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	NSRF 2014-2020 grants <sup>23</sup> , DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

The project is necessary on the basis of the hydraulic simulation studies carried out by DESFA and increases the transported quantities of natural gas from north to south. The project accommodates the additional daily flow from the TAP pipeline through its interconnection with NNGTS in Nea Messimvria.

In order to ensure the hydraulic stability and efficiency of the system, irrelevant of the entry point in the northern section of the NNGTS the Users will select, it is necessary to increase the technical capacity of the said NNGS entry points with the installation of a compressor station at the southern part of Greece, which concentrates the larger part of the demand.

According to the Basic Design, the compressor station will include two compressor units plus one spare with size (2+1) x 10 MW. Furthermore, the station will be designed to provide also the possibility of compression in reverse flow.

### 3. Upgrade of Nea Messimvria compressor station

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Compressor station
Current Budget	18,2 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation in respect to prevent congestion
Start date	March 2018
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2022
Entry in the system	March 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	NSRF 2014-2020 grants <sup>24</sup> , DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services

<sup>23</sup> Approved with 50,84% of eligible budget.

<sup>24</sup> DESFA has requested 50,27% of eligible budget.

Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

The project is considered necessary since TAP pipeline is scheduled to be connected to NNGTS upstream as well as downstream the existing compressor station in Nea Messimvria. For the cases that TAP gas is injected upstream the existing compressor station, in order to ensure the hydraulic stability of the transmission system, in combination with Ambelia compressor station, it is necessary to install a 3rd compressor unit at Nea Messimvria with similar characteristics to the existing ones.

In general, the installation of the 3rd compressor unit at Nea Messimvria, in combination with the planned compressor station at Ampelia, increases the total entry capacity of the entry points in the northern section of the NNGTS.

#### 4. Booster Compressor for TAP in Nea Messimvria

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Compressor station
Current Budget	36,9 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation enabling transit flows
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	December 2021
Operation Date	September 2023
Entry in the system	December 2023
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project concerns the installation of a new Compressor Station in order to supply the Trans Adriatic Pipeline with delivery pressure significantly higher than the NNGS operating pressure. According to the provisions of the paragraph 4.7.4 of Joint Decision of Greek, Albanian and Italian Regulators for the exemption of TAP from articles 9, 32, 41(6), (8) and (10) of Directive 2009/73/EC (Decision of RAE 269/2013 Gov. Gaz. 1833/29.07.2013) at least one (1) Tie-In Point between NNGS and TAP pipeline should be realized, with a nominal capacity of 10 mil. Nm<sup>3</sup>/ day and bi-directional flow capability. The cost of construction of the above mentioned

investment, based on the exemption decision, will be covered by DESFA and will be recovered through the tariffs of the Users of the National Natural Gas System.

According to the regulatory framework the tie in point must be bidirectional. Flow from NNGTS to TAP due to the difference in the operating pressure (66,4 barg vs 93 barg respectively) requires the installation of a Compressor Station.

This investment enables the full bi-directional flow in the interconnection (2<sup>nd</sup> phase of the project).

The characteristics of the compressor station were preliminarily identified as follow: Installation of 2 units of 1,1 MW and 1 unit of 3,3 MW, with no spare capacity. This configuration can cover a widespread range of flows, from very low up to the 10 million Nm<sup>3</sup> per day.

The Compressors will be Electric Motor Driven Variable Speed.

In due time the final configuration and the respective cost will be specified during the basic design stage, taking into consideration the operational modes of the Station, the conditions of use and the future commitments that will have been made.

Construction of the project will take place after settlement with TAP AG of any technical issues with regard to reverse flow (e.g. gas quality specifications).

## B6. Development Projects: Improvement / modernization/ maintenance of NNGS

### 1. Upgrading Projects of NNGS -1st group

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project, Maintenance Project
Type of investment	Scada equipment of the NNGTS
Current Budget	2,142 million €
<i>of which maintenance capex</i>	<i>2,142 million €</i>
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation
Start date	May 2010
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	November 2021 (project 1, Table 1) December 2021 (project 2, Table 1)
Entry in the system	November 2021 (project 1, Table 1) December 2021 (project 2, Table 1)
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	NSRF 2014-2020 grants for the 1 <sup>st</sup> subproject, DESFA's own equity or loan

Recovery method	Inclusion of cost in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval	Ministerial Decision Δ1/A/1271

These projects upgrade the operation of the NNGS. Table below presents these projects in a more analytical way.

**Table 1 - Projects for the upgrade of the operation of NNGS**

No.	INVESTMENTS	COST (€)	FINAL INVESTMENT DECISION	OPERATION DATE	ENTRY IN THE SYSTEM
1	Upgrade of SCADA in dispatching centers	1.900.000	Taken	November 2021	November 2021
2	Design, supply, installation, system design of daily gas flow	242.000	Taken	December 2021	December 2021
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2.142.000 €</b>			

Each one of those investments in Table 1 is described in the next paragraphs.

### 1. Upgrade of SCADA in dispatching centers

The project includes the procurement, installation and operation of a new SCADA system in the main dispatching center in Elefsina as well as in the back up dispatching center in Nea Messimvria. The project also includes the architectural and electromechanical upgrade of the main dispatching center in Elefsina, in order to facilitate the capabilities of the new SCADA system.

The new SCADA system in the Control Centers will replace the current system, which began trading in 2006, and will provide DESFA with new tools for managing graphic images, database, system alarms, historical data, and so on. It is noted that the equipment of the existing SCADA Control Center system is not supported by the manufacturing company, which no longer holds a security reserve for it.

The investment will enhance the utilization of the system's capabilities (user friendliness, better display of parameters, ease of designing new graphic images, etc.), improve the management of NNGTS within the European and Greek regulatory framework and ensure the Telepresence and remote control of NNGTS and its extensions for the next decade.

This project is co-financed from NSRF 2014-2020 with 51,35%.

### 2. Design, supply and installation of a daily gas flow system design

The establishment of a system for forecasting-planning-control of daily gas flow will provide DESFA the ability to:

- ✓ estimate the volume of gas that will be transmitted,
- ✓ increase the level of accuracy in the prediction of the volume
- ✓ embody a regular review of the progress of the daily planning of gas and
- ✓ adjust the levels of unexpected consumption or shortages in supply.

The investment will:

- ✓ unburden DESFA from operating costs (overtime of field staff, unnecessary start-up/shut-down of LNG terminal, Compressor N. Messimvria, etc.)
- ✓ optimize the management of Users' reports and
- ✓ provide daily justified gas flow plans.

## 2. LNG Terminal Boil-off Gas Compressor Station

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	LNG facility compressor station
Current Budget	13,85 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation
Start date	April 2016
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	May 2023
Entry in the system	July 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	NSRF 2014-2020 grants <sup>25</sup> , DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 64/2017 (TYDP 2016-2025)

In order for DESFA to manage with the best possible way the produced boil-off gases (BOG) in the LNG Terminal of Revithoussa from the cryogenic facilities (2<sup>nd</sup> upgrade) as well as from the unloading/loading phase and mainly to avoid the combustion of the gases in the flair of the facility in the case of no send-out operation, DESFA will install a new compressor station for BOG so as to increase the pressure and inject them to the national natural gas system.

The new project consists of the following parts:

<sup>25</sup> It has been re-submitted with a percentage of 60,71% of eligible budget.

- Compressor station unit of total throughput of 10.000 kg/h and discharge pressure 26÷64 barg
- Knock Out Drum container in the sanction of compressors
- System for water cooling with cooler and re-circulation pumps
- Metal building for the accommodation of the compressor unit of 420 m<sup>2</sup> surface, including the electromechanical infrastructure
- Electrical facility for the power supply to compressors, coolers, pumps and building
- Installation of automation and control of new installations and interconnection with the central control room
- Pipeline networks for the transport of waste water and extension of the existing auxiliary networks of the station (compressed air, nitrogen, water etc.)
- Extension of the plant's fire protection facilities
- Decommissioning of the existing nitrogen facility and relocation to a new location

This project, apart from saving of LNG significantly for the users of the station is an important environmental benefit by eliminating the carbon dioxide emissions during the period of non-operation of the Terminal.

### 3. Upgrading Projects of NNGS -3rd group

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	Planned Project, Maintenance Project
Type of investment	Equipment for the NNGTS and LNG
Current Budget	1,1 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation in order to prevent emergency situations
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021 (project 1 table 2) April 2022 (project 2 table 2)
Entry in the system	December 2021 (project 1 table 2) April 2022 (project 2 table 2)
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

**Table 2 – Projects for the upgrade of NNGS operation**

No.	Investments	Estimated cost (€)	Final Investment Decision	Start of operation date & inclusion in the system
1	Upgrade of electrical circuit breakers for medium voltage and internal lighting in the control room of LNG facility	1.000.000	Taken	December 2021
2	Upgrade of Geographical Information System (GIS) system	100.000	Taken	April 2022
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1.100.000 €</b>		

The following paragraphs analyze the feasibility and the technical characteristics of the projects presented in above table.

#### 1. Upgrade of electrical circuit breakers for medium voltage and internal lighting in the control room of LNG facility

It concerns the supply and replacement of medium voltage (6 kV) electrical circuit breakers at the LNG facility (45 pcs.) aiming at the smooth operation of the automation in the distribution of electricity and supply of medium voltage loads (motors and pumps). The upgrade study is in progress.

#### 2. Upgrade of Geographical Information System (GIS) system

The project will further develop DESFA's geographic database in order to fully integrate DESFA's assets and their efficient performance through GIS-web applications to the end users.

#### 4. Upgrade of physical security of DESFA facilities - Physical Security Control Center

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Equipment of the NNGTS and LNG facility
Current Budget	1,2 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	Taken

Operation Date	April 2022
Entry in the system	April 2022
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

NNGS facilities are considered as European critical infrastructure. Possible shutdown or destruction would have a significant impact on the country and Europe-wide.

The aim of the project is to upgrade the physical security of all DESFA infrastructure due to the rapid development of the technological applications in the sector and the establishment of a Physical Security Control Center covering the requirements of the Directive 2008/114/EC concerning critical infrastructure security, which was incorporated into the Greek law with Presidential Decree 39/2011.

The aim is to prevent, mitigate and eliminate risk threats (examples include theft, sabotage, terrorism, accidents, and natural phenomena).

The project includes:

- Implementing a vulnerability study of all DESFA installations and developing an Infrastructure Safety Management Plan
- Compilation of Technical Specifications of Safety Systems and Physical Security Control Center
- Installation of security systems in DESFA (eg CCTV systems, tamper detectors, alarms, headlamps, access control etc.)
- Development and operation of a Physical Security Control Center for the management and coordination of the security systems of the Infrastructure.

## 5. Replacement of Metering and Supervision/ Control systems at NNGTS M and M/R stations of NNGTS

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project, Maintenance Project
Type of investment	Equipment for control/management of NNGS
Current Budget	4,5 million €
<i>of which maintenance capex</i>	<i>4,5 million €</i>
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation
Start date	Jun-17

Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	September 2023
Entry in the system	September 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

The project concerns the replacement of the Measurement Management and Supervision / Control Systems in twenty-four (24) existing Metering (M) and Metering / Regulating (M / R) Stations, to achieve:

- the compatibility with each other as well as with the already upgraded 15 M/R stations and the planned new stations as presented in the planned projects herein, through similar equipment and software as well as similar architecture, achieving on the one hand direct economies of scale, by maintaining a smaller number of required spare parts and consumables and on the other hand by the support services of these systems during their operational phase,

- the separation to the maximum extent of the Measurement Management System from the Supervision /Control System at NNGTS Stations, achieving (a) the stations' measurement data to be collected in the SCADA of the Control and Load Distribution Centers (KEKF) of DESFA directly - without intermediate processing - by the certified Multi-Stream Flow Computers which will be installed in the framework of this project at the NNGTS stations and (b) by extension the optimization of the services provided by DESFA under the requirements of European and national regulatory framework (e.g. publication of data, validation of measured quantities etc), and

- to ensure the operation of the Measurement Management and Supervision / Control Systems of the Stations for the next decade as the equipment and software at these Stations operate on average for a decade and is expected not to be supported by the manufacturers in the coming period.

The replacement of the Measurement Management and Supervision / Control Systems in the Stations of DESFA refers to the following elements:

- SCADA & Telecom
- programmable Logic Controller – PLC
- flow computer
- gas chromatograph, and
- equipment of local stations network.

## 6. New building for DESFA's headquarters

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Project for the control/management of the NNGS
Current Budget	16,85 million €
Expected benefit	Efficiency of NNGS
Start date	Jun-17
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	June 2023
Entry in the system	June 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services <sup>26</sup>
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 236/2019 (TYDP 2017-2026)

DESFA headquarters are now housed in a rented building. It is considered cost efficient for DESFA to acquire a privately-owned headquarters building, which will constitute a company's fixed asset, contribute to the saving of operating expenses and ensure improved health and safety of work, while it will in parallel promote and represent the vision and the values of the company.

The goal is to avoid burdening the NNGS users due to the savings that will be achieved, mainly by the rental cost. It is also estimated that there will be energy savings due to stricter energy specifications of the new building.

## 7. Technical Training Centre in Nea Messimvria

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Equipment of the NNGS
Current Budget	1,6 million €

<sup>26</sup> Under the provision that, with regulatory depreciation of 40 years, there will be a negative impact on the Average Tariff for the use of NNGS.

Expected benefit	Enhanced training for DESFA personnel/Efficiency of NNGS, effective operation/increase safety in the operations of the NNGTS
Start date	June 2017
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	February 2022
Entry in the system	April 2022
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project concerns the construction of a Training Center for the theoretical and practical practice of natural gas technicians. The development of such infrastructure will be the first in the Balkan region. It will be used primarily for the needs of the DESFA staff, but it creates an opportunity of additional services for the training of personnel of other TSOs and DSOs, contributing to the reduction of costs for the Greek network users.

In particular, the Training Center will consist of a central building, which will house the administration and operation areas for theoretical education, as well as a separate installation in which the necessary equipment for natural gas networks will be installed for practical training.

## 8. NNGS Modernization projects – 4th compilation

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	Planned Project, Maintenance Project
Type of investment	Equipment for the NNGTS
Current Budget	0,17 million €
<i>of which maintenance capex</i>	0,17 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	June 2019
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2022
Entry in the system	December 2022

Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The project refers to the upgrade of three (3) odorant units in Metering Stations and more specifically the procurement and installation of three (3) odorant units in Metering Stations in Alexandroupolis, Komotini and Petropigi with the aim of upgrading the odorant services of NNGTS. The budget is estimated at 170.000 €.

### 9. Upgrade of LNG and O&M Facilities for energy saving

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project, Maintenance Project
Type of investment	Equipment for NNGTS & LNG Facility
Current Budget	2 million €
<i>of which maintenance capex</i>	<i>2 million €</i>
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2022
Entry in the system	December 2022
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

#### 1. Upgrade of LNG Facilities

This project includes interventions in heating/cooling systems and external lighting in order to achieve energy savings. The budget is estimated at 100.000 €.

## 2. Upgrade of O&M Facilities

The aim of the project is the energy upgrading of the Building and Electrical / Mechanical Facilities of the Operation and Maintenance Centers in order to achieve energy savings in accordance with the Energy Performance Regulation of buildings "KENAK" (Government Gazette B 2367/12.07.2017). This upgrade includes interventions at buildings' shells, heating/cooling systems, lighting, installation of photovoltaic etc. The budget is estimated at 1.900.000 €.

### 10. Cathodic Corrosion Protection System Upgrading

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Equipment for NNGTS
Current Budget	2 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	July 2019
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	January 2023
Entry in the system	January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of the Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

A continuous monitoring of Cathodic Protection System (CPS) can be used as a pipeline integrity diagnostics tool complementary to In-Line Inspection (ILI), enriching also with valuable data the Pipeline Integrity Management System (PIMS).

The upgrading of the CPS, involves three main components:

#### 1. Equipment for remote monitoring and control of CPS:

- a) Remote monitoring and control of CPS Rectifiers and test posts
- b) Recording of corrosion rates and other CP data at special coupons (ER probes)

The project will also include the replacement of Transformers / Rectifiers with low-cost DC modules.

#### 2. Revision - Updating of proximity effects (electromagnetic interference) studies:

In order to propose the improvement or extension of the pipeline earthing system, including lightning protection of insulating joints, risk assessment of pipeline damage by lightning and a corrosion risk assessment.

### 3. Replacement of DC decoupling devices in the existing pipeline earthing system

#### 11. Hydraulic Simulation software of NNGTS upgrade in real time

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Project for control/management of the transmission system
Current Budget	0,412 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	December 2019
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	November 2021
Entry in the system	November 2021
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

Upgrade of the existing simulation software Pipeline Manager. The software package will be adapted to the NNGTS and will offer on-line and off-line simulation for NNGTS operation and management. Real time and historical data will be retrieved from the SCADA and load forecast systems. One configurator license to update or modify the model will be included.

The project is necessary to enable a new mode of operation of the NNGS, based on real time data collection and analysis, allowing the TSO to introduce predictive maintenance, training on the job of control room operators, automatic fault detection and other important innovative practices that will increase the reliability and the efficiency of the system.

The following features will be supported:

- Hydraulic profiles of pipeline
- Pipeline inventory / line pack management
- Over and under pressure detection at any point of pipeline
- Leak detection and location
- Gas composition tracking and early off-spec warning
- Scraper module (pig) tracking

- Predictive analysis forecasting near future pipeline conditions, running what-if and look-ahead scenarios, performing survival analysis of potential major disruptions or balancing crisis.

## 12. IT Transformation

<b>Project Summary</b>	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	IT System
Current Budget	7,7 Million €
of which Maintenance Capex	7,7 Million €
Expected benefit	Digitalize and automate DESFA's core processes Enhance data-driven insights and decision-making Enable seamless collaboration and communication across departments and 3rd Parties Achieve Asset Lifecycle Management excellence by shortening maintenance work cycles Leverage Innovation Technologies for Gas Transmission Network Monitoring, Inspection and Defects Detection Gain a holistic view of the organization's risks and compliance with the Regulatory Framework
Start date	Sep-2019
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	January 2023
Entry in the system	January 2023
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission and LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

With the strategic goal of digital transformation and in response to market challenges and requirements, DESFA has developed a five-year transformation roadmap for the transition to the new IT/OT Operating model. In this context, the "IT/OT Transformation Programme" constitutes the full implementation of the five-year roadmap, which includes the establishment of a Data Governance and Security Framework and the further development of existing and implementation of new IT services. This project consists of two main workstreams:

1. **Workstream 1:** Including actions aiming at further improving the IT Governance Model and achieving optimal level of Information Security. Amongst others, the stream includes the design of an Information Security Framework based on best practices and international standards, the implementation of security mechanisms / controls to achieve optimum level of security as well as the development of appropriate procedures for the optimal provision of IT services internally and externally. In addition, this stream includes Digital Transformation activities in Cloud environments and the implementation of periodic security risk assessments on IT services and critical transmission network infrastructure of the National Natural Gas System.
2. **Workstream 2:** Including actions related to further improving and replacing part of existing applications as well as introducing new technologies. Specifically, the upgrade of core applications to cover DESFA's financial services and procurement activities is included as well as the design and implementation of necessary applications to optimize the complaints and customer care management and the achievement of optimal asset lifecycle management of the National Natural Gas System.

The purpose of this project is to meet the objectives of the corporate strategy; DESFA intends to replace part of the existing IT services that support its core business operations and introduce new technologies aiming at a continuous process for: the modernization of the IT Landscape, the automation and digitalization of business processes, the optimization of the operational activities, the increase of reliability and compliance with the regulatory framework, the reduction of operational costs.

Main pillars of this project are the new ERP SAP system, the implementation of the disaster recovery center, the creation of a document management system, the upgrade of the human capital management system, the introduction of modeling tools, an upgrade of the Integrated Project Management System, that will allow a faster, more reliable and efficient operation of the company.

### 13. Upgrade of LNG Facilities

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project

Type of investment	Equipment for the LNG Facility
Current Budget	0,36 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	June 2020
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	October 2021
Entry in the system	October 2021
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of LNG Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
First approval from RAE	Decision 116/2021 (TYDP 2021-2030)

The project consists of an:

- 1) Upgrade of equipment of LNG Facilities: This project includes a) Engineering, supply and installation of new PLC control system for Marin – Gangway, b) Engineering, supply and installation new PLC & HMI control system for SCV A/B and c) Replacement of Dry Powder system in LNG tanks A/B (supply and installation).
- 2) Upgrade of air supply system of LNG Facilities: This project includes design & supply of equipment for upgrading the air supply system (plant & instrument Air).
- 3) Engineering supply and installation of condensate treatment system for Combined Heat & Power Plant: Including engineering, supply and installation of condensate treatment system for Combined Heat & Power Plant.

#### 14. LNG Maintenance Projects

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>27</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for the LNG Facility
Current Budget	0,822 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	May 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021

<sup>27</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver .19

Entry into the system	December 2021
Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of LNG Facility
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The project refers to a set of LNG Maintenance works or upgrades on the LNG Terminal of Revithoussa for maintaining or extending the useful life asset and its components, which is crucial for satisfying its obligations as the LNG Operator, in the most cost-effective, transparent and direct way.

In particular, the project includes the following subprojects:

- i. Fire-fighting vehicle
- ii. Study Interior Lighting Upgrade Control Room
- iii. Maintenance of Compressors BOG A.B.C
- iv. Maintenance of bridge cranes of Tanks A & B
- v. Upgrade existing ones & purchase of a new chromatograph at CHP Unit
- vi. Maintenance of GE 1&2 CHP (50,000h)
- vii. Replacing air conditioners with new type INVERTER-2nd Phase

### 15. Upgrade of Control and Dispatching Center in Patima

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>28</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for control/management of transmission system
Current Budget	0,716 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	May 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	September 2021
Entry into the system	February 2022
Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services

<sup>28</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.19

Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
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The project refers to Full SCADA replacement at Patima Dispatching Center. Existing data based, historical data, displays and reports will be migrated to have modern hardware, faster speed, higher capacity, better security, virtualization of New Application for Gas Measurement Data Management with additional functionalities for validation and editing of metering data and storage of all metering data in single data base.

In particular, the project includes the following subprojects:

- i. Architectural and Electromechanical upgrade of Control and Load Distribution Center in Patima- Procurement of long-term materials Study Interior Lighting Upgrade Control Room
- ii. Architectural and Electromechanical upgrade of Control and Load Distribution Center in Patima- Construction

## 16. Asset Management Division's Equipment

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>29</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for control/management of transmission system
Current Budget	0,069 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	May 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry into the system	December 2021
Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services and LNG Facility
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The project refers to a set of Maintenance works or upgrades on the pipeline. The project is important for maintaining or extending the useful life of the Pipeline equipment and its

<sup>29</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects List ver.19

components, which is crucial for satisfying its obligations as the Transmission Network Operator.

In particular, the Project includes the following subprojects:

- i. Pressure test pump for locking devices with accessories,
- ii. Portable Three Phase Generator 10 kVA,
- iii. Standard calibration instruments for Kipi MS,
- iv. Electrician tools and measuring instruments,
- v. A / C replacement,
- vi. UTP cable measuring instrument.

#### 17. Replacement of UPS in 9 RCC and 2 M/R at EKO, PLATY plus UPS in O&Ms Patima, Ambelia and Vistonida

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>30</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for control/management of transmission system
Current Budget	0,150 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	May 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	October 2021
Entry into the system	October 2021
Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The purpose of this project is the supply of Uninterruptible Power Supply Systems in respective facilities along the NGTS.

The project is important for maintaining or extending the useful life of the Pipeline equipment and its components, which is crucial for satisfying its obligations as the Transmission Network Operator.

<sup>30</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects List ver.19

## 18. Upgrade of HMI system of Solar compressor

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>31</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for control/management of transmission system
Current Budget	0,2 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system
Start date	May 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry into the system	December 2021
Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The purpose of this project is the upgrade of Station Control System-Human Machine Interphase (HMI) at Nea Mesimvria compression station.

Solar's TT4000 Human Machine Interface (HMI) is the operator's primary information source for the status of the turbine package. This system is based on Windows 7. Microsoft has announced that it will discontinue supporting security patches for Windows 7 in 2020. Windows 10 provides improved security features that provide first steps in meeting HMI security goals.

## 19. Energy upgrades in O&amp;M centers

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>32</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for control/management of transmission system
Current Budget	0,20 million €
Expected benefit	Increased efficiency of the system

<sup>31</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects List ver.19

<sup>32</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.19.

Start date	May 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry into the system	December 2021
Current Status of Project	Under Construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in the RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The purpose of this project is procurement and installation of central air-cooled Chillers in Ampelia O&M and Patima O&M.

These systems have become obsolete as they have lost their cooling capacity and no longer correspond to the required cooling load. In addition, the systems are energy consuming, and their maintenance costs are high, since they often present malfunctions and loss of refrigerant liquid, which is environmentally unacceptable. Moreover, the spare parts of these systems have become difficult to find. Replacing the cooling systems with equivalent cooling performance and of up to date technology is considered indispensable.

## 20. Nea Messimvria Compressor TUCO A Overhaul

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>33</sup>
Type of investment	Replacement of Equipment
Current Budget	2,3 million €
Expected benefit	Extension of the next duty cycle of the CS to its maximum length
Start date	September 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	November 2021
Entry into the system	November 2021
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services

<sup>33</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.20.

Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes
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The Project refers to the Major Overhaul repair process of the Turbo Compressor (TUCO) A, after completing 30.000 operating hours, with the aim of meeting the same quality and performance standards with a new engine and extending the next duty cycle to the maximum. A major engine repair restores the mechanical integrity and performance to the same levels as a newly purchased engine. It also resets the Time Between Overhaul (TBO) cycle. An engine overhaul is essential to maintain maximum engine performance, availability and reliability. The engine will be upgraded under Solar's Overhaul Exchange Program which is designed to minimize operational downtime. Under this program, the major engine components are replaced rather than rebuilt and then reinstalled. When the reconstruction of the original components is eliminated from the overhaul process, the schedule is improved. Spare parts come from a set of new and remanufactured parts that are of the same form, fit and function. These parts are based on the latest design and technological enhancements of Solar. Under normal operating conditions, the engine is expected to operate for 30,000 hours before another repair is required.

The Project is critical for the smooth operation of the NNGTS. The Project aims to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS, and to ensure its smooth operation, with the objective of preventing congestion, emergencies, and denial of access.

## 21. CHP Corrective Replacement in CHP Unit

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>34</sup>
Type of investment	Maintenance Works
Current Budget	0,143 million €
Expected benefit	Extension of the uninterrupted operation of the CHP Unit
Start date	September 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	March 2022
Entry into the system	March 2022
Current Status of Project	Under construction
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

<sup>34</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.20.

The Project refers to the corrective maintenance works on the two generators (GE1 and GE2) of the CHP Unit and comprises:

- GE1: in the context of corrective maintenance in the CATERPILLAR machines of the CHP unit, the supply of new inlet outlet valves, valve seat, valve liners and valve springs and related installation works. In particular, worn spare parts (inlet outlet valves, valve seats & valve liners) will be replaced. The springs of all valves (64 valve springs in total) will also be replaced with new ones (new metal alloy 'lifetime').
- GE2: the supply of a piston - cylinder liner and a cylinder head and related installation works by a specialized CAT technician in collaboration with the maintenance workshop. An engine TURBO (ABB) of the engine will be inspected, repaired and maintained by its manufacturer by replacing any spare parts. The springs of all valves will be supplied and installed (64 valve springs in total) as in GE1.

These corrective works are in line with the preventive overhaul maintenance (45,000 h) of GE2 which is expected to follow in the next quarter (July - September) and of GE1 which will be expected to follow in the 1st quarter of 2022.

Both interventions aim to extend the uninterrupted operation of the CHP Unit and consequently of the LNG Station, which is crucial for satisfying its obligations as the LNG Operator, in the most cost-effective, transparent and direct way.

## 22. Required O&M Equipment

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>35</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for NNGTS
Current Budget	0,2 million €
Expected benefit	Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS
Start date	September 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	December 2021
Entry into the system	December 2021
Current Status of Project	Under Maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

<sup>35</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.20.

The project refers to a basket of capital expenses related to acquisition of machinery (tools) and small equipment necessary for the operation and maintenance of DESFA's O&M centers across the NNGTS. The range of tools and equipment varies according to the needs of the O&M centers, including but not limited: Pressure test pumps, portable generators, calibration instruments, electrician tools and measuring instruments, replacements, etc.

### 23. H<sub>2</sub> Readiness Study for DESFA Existing Gas Network Technical support

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>36</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for NNGTS
Current Budget	0,65 million €
Expected benefit	Improvements to the efficiency and effectiveness of the NNGS
Start date	September 2021
Final Investment Decision	Taken
Operation Date	May 2022
Entry into the system	May 2022
Current Status of Project	Under Maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The project refers to the provision of a detailed study aimed at analyzing the capability of the current gas network with all its components to handle a mixture of Hydrogen blended with Natural Gas (NG) in the level of 5% and 10%. In particular, the Scope of Services of the study shall include, but not limited to, the following:

- i. evaluation of compatibility of existing DESFA gas network with different concentrations of Natural Gas-Hydrogen mix;
- ii. detailed compatibility study with respect to each individual network element or group of elements with focus on functional impact and material compatibility and related impact;
- iii. applicability of current technical regulations and technical standards to different level of Hydrogen mix for the different components of the gas system;
- iv. gap analysis, for each level of Hydrogen mix considered in the study, related to the modifications to be implemented to the system in order to operate the gas network.

<sup>36</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.20.

The project is the first part of the upgrade project of the system in order to be H2 ready, according to the decarbonization policy of DESFA. The study will assess the integrity of the existing network taking into account all the design parameters of the pipe (welding specs, type of steel, Design Pressure, EFDs, etc.) and evaluate the integrity of the network in case admixture of NG-H2 will flow.

#### 24. Vent Stack System implementation at Nea Messimvria

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project <sup>37</sup>
Type of investment	Equipment for the NGTS
Current Budget	1,00 million €
Expected benefit	The Project aims to improve the safety and Security of gas supply at entry point of TAP -Effective operation
Start date	September 2021
Final Investment Decision	October 2021
Operation Date	March 2022
Entry in the system	March 2022
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity or loan
Recovery method	Inclusion in RAB of Transmission Services
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	Yes

The Project concerns the Procurement of all Vent Stack Materials and all associated engineering and services costs and the installation of all the above on the east side of the M/R station at Nea Messimvria.

The project includes the followings:

- Vent stack of 15m height and 20m radius will be located in the available area on the east side of the M/R station.
- Actuators of inlet and outlet gas heaters' ESD valves will be changed so that their closing time can accommodate the new vent stack requirements. Modifications on the ESD system should also take place.
- the procurements of 2 insulating joints and Lighting protection system for the Vent Stack.

<sup>37</sup> Transferred from the Small Projects' List ver.21.

## Chapter III. Projects outside the three years Development Period

### A. New Projects

#### A1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)

##### 1. Metering and Regulating Station for the connection to East Med Pipeline

Project Summary	
Type of project	New Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	7,5 million €
Expected benefit	Interconnection to a n.g. system
Start date	-
Final Investment Decision	-
Operation Date	-
Entry in the system	-
Current Status of Project	-
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	-
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	No

The project consists of the implementation of one Metering & Regulating station at Megalopoli, in the Peloponnese, for the potential interconnection of the Greek gas transmission system with the East-Med pipeline.

The realization of the project strongly depends on the advancement and the FID of the East Med Pipeline.

#### A2. Projects for the connection of Users

There are no projects in this section.

#### A3. Development Projects

There are no projects in this section.

## B. Planned Projects

### B1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)

#### 1. Metering and Regulating Station for connecting South Kavala underground storage

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Metering & Regulating Station
Current Budget	7,5 million €
Expected benefit	Security of Supply
Start date	-
Final Investment Decision	-
Operation Date	-
Entry in the system	-
Current Status of Project	-
Financing plan	DESFA's own equity
Recovery method	-
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	No
First approval from RAE	Decision 755/2020 (TYDP 2020-2029)

The Metering and Regulating Station is necessary for the injection and withdrawal of gas to and from the Underground Storage in South Kavala to NNGTS, for which no FID has been taken yet.

### B2. Projects for the connection of Users

### 1. Construction of High Pressure Pipeline Mavromati (Vagia)-Larymna and necessary Metering Station for the Connection of LARCO GMM SA with NNGS

Project Summary	
Type of project	Planned Project
Type of investment	Pipeline, Metering Station
Current Budget	17,5 million €
Expected benefit	Enabling access to new Users
Start date	Jun-13
Final Investment Decision	-
Operation Date	-
Entry in the system	-
Current Status of Project	Under maturity
Financing plan	-
Recovery method	-
Connection Agreement with User	Not yet
Inclusion in the 3 years Development Period	No
First approval from RAE	Decision 525/2013 (TYDP 2013-2022)

The project consists of:

- Pipeline of 36 km and 10inch diameter which will start from the main natural gas pipeline line valve station "Mavromati (Vagia)" and ends up in the facility of LARCO in Larymna.
- Metering station that will be installed in land provided by LARCO

Technical studies as well as licenses procedures for the project are in progress. These studies are carried out under DESFA's contract with LARCO for the "Elaboration of studies for the connection of the installations of LARCO SA with NNGS".

The project is not included in the projects of the three-year period as there is no progress regarding User's commitment from its starting date until now.

### B3. Development Projects

There are no projects in this section.

## Chapter IV. Planned projects that are not included in the Development Plan 2022-2031

The following planned projects of TYDP 2021-2030 have been completed and therefore are not proposed for inclusion in this TYDP

- Upgrade of LNG Loading Arms at Revithoussa LNG Terminal
- Increment of the back-up power availability at the Revithoussa LNG terminal
- Replacement of (2) Regulating Valves 24'' Mokveld
- Replacement of two (2) Chiller systems
- Integrated Information System for Natural Gas Upgrade (year 2020)

## Annex I

### **Summary Table of the Projects of the NNGS Development Plan 2022-2031**

<b>Three Year Development projects <sup>38</sup></b>			
	<b>INVESTMENT</b>	<b>COST (€)</b>	<b>MILESTONES</b>
<b>A. NEW PROJECTS</b>			
<b>A1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)</b>			
<b>A2. Projects for the connection of Users</b>			
<b>A3. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new areas</b>			
1	Expansion of NNGTS to Ioannina	156.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 07/2023 Start of operation: 06/2026 Inclusion in the system: 09/2026
2	M/R Station to Veroia	2.500.000	Final Investment Decision: 07/2022 Start of operation: 10/2023 Inclusion in the system: 12/2023
3	M/R Station to Naousa	2.080.000	Final Investment Decision: 07/2022 Start of operation: 12/2023 Inclusion in the system: 02/2024
<b>A4. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new markets</b>			
<b>A5. Development Projects: Increase of capacity &amp; security of supply of NNGS</b>			
<b>A6. Development Projects: Improvement / modernization/ maintenance of NNGS</b>			
1	Expansion and Upgrade of M/R Stations of Exit Point to Distribution Network 'Athens'	3.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 07/2022 Start of operation: 12/2023 Inclusion in the system: 03/2024

<sup>38</sup> Projects which the Final Investment Decision (i) has been taken, (ii) is considered possible to be taken within three (3) years from the publication of the draft Development Plan in DESFA's website

2	Keratsini branch rerouting (Mavri Ora stream)	425.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 12/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
3	Construction of a new Metering & Regulating Station in Markopoulo Site to replace the existing temporary M/R	2.200.000	Final Investment Decision: 07/2022 Start of operation: 12/2023 Inclusion in the system: 03/2024
4	New electronic information system for natural gas functionalities upgrade	350.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 12/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
5	Development of an Information System for DESFA to undertake the role of forecasting party for the NNGTS Balancing Zone	500.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 10/2022 Inclusion in the system: 10/2022
6	New electronic information system for natural gas	3.500.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 12/2023 Inclusion in the system: 12/2023
7	New project management system upgrade	1.200.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 12/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
8	Upgrade of Fire Fighting System & replacement of the pressure relief valves at BMS Sidirokastro	800.000	Final Investment Decision: 10/2021 Start of operation: 11/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
9	Nitrogen injection system	2.530.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 06/2023 Inclusion in the system: 09/2023
<b>B. PLANNED PROJECTS</b>			

<b>B1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)</b>			
1	Pipeline Nea Mesimvria – Evzoni/ Gevgelija and M Station	67.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 04/2022 Start of operation: 12/2024 Inclusion in the system: 12/2024
2	Interconnection of IGB Pipeline with the NNGS in Komotini	650.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 03/2022
3	Connection of the FSRU of Alexandroupolis	13.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 09/2021 Start of operation: 10/2023 Inclusion in the system: 10/2023
4	Metering and Regulating Station for connecting with Dioryga Gas FSRU	9.900.000	Final Investment Decision 06/2022 Start of operation: 10/2023 Inclusion in the System: 12/2023
<b>B2. Projects for the connection of Users</b>			
1	M Station at SALFA Ano Liossia	680.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
2	M/R Station AdG III	2.000.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 03/2023 Inclusion in the system: 04/2023
3	Connection with DEPA Commercial SA CNG Station in Komotini	1.300.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2022 Start of operation: 09/2024 Inclusion in the system: 12/2024
4	Connection with DEPA Commercial SA CNG Station in Tripoli	2.350.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2022 Start of operation: 09/2024

			Inclusion in the system: 12/2024
5	Connection of Kavala Oil plant to the NNGTS	3.400.000	Final Investment Decision: 02/2023 Start of operation: 08/2024 Inclusion in the system: 11/2024
6	Metering Station at Agios Nikolaos Viotia (AdG IV)	1.870.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 03/2023 Inclusion in the system: 04/2023
7	Connection of ELVAL plant of NNGTS in Inofyta	4.320.000	Final Investment Decision: 07/2021 Start of operation: 10/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
8	Connection with TERNA Power Plant to the NNTGS	4.950.000	Final Investment Decision: 11/2021 Start of operation: 03/2023 Inclusion in the system: 06/2023
9	Connection with ELPEDISON Power Plant to the NNTGS	2.910.000	Final Investment Decision: 11/2021 Start of operation: 09/2023 Inclusion in the system: 12/2023
10	Connection to ELVAL/HALCOR	2.010.000	Final Investment Decision: 11/2022 Start of operation: 05/2024 Inclusion in the system: 06/2024
<b>B3. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new areas or markets</b>			
1	Installation of M/R in Kavala	2.400.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Phase 1 Start of operation: 10/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021 Phase 2

			Start of operation: 10/2024 Inclusion in the system: 12/2024
2	M/R Station at the prefecture of Poria	2.200.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 11/2022 Inclusion in the system: 01/2023
3	CNG Station at the prefecture of Poria	1.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 11/2022 Inclusion in the system: 01/2023
4	M/R Station at the prefecture of Aspros	3.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 11/2022 Inclusion in the system: 01/2023
5	M/R Station in the region of Perdikas Eordeas	4.200.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Phase 1 Start of operation: 09/2022 Inclusion in the system: 11/2022 Phase 2 Start of operation: 11/2022 Inclusion in the system: 01/2023
6	M/R Station Livadia	2.300.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Phase 1 Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 03/2022 Phase 2 Start of operation: 10/2024 Inclusion in the system: 12/2024

7	Megalopoli M/R city gate station	2.700.000	Final Investment Decision: 06/2022 Start of operation: 09/2023 Inclusion in the system: 12/2023 Final Investment Decision of the temporary M/R: Taken Start of operation:09/2021 Inclusion in the system of the temporary M/R : 11/2021
8	Drimos/Liti M/R city gate station	2.800.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Phase 1 Start of operation: 10/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022 Phase 2 Start of operation: 12/2023 Inclusion in the system: 02/2024
9	High Pressure pipeline to West Macedonia	147.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 08/2023 Inclusion in the system:09/2023
10	High Pressure Pipeline to Patras	98.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 05/2023 Start of operation: 06/2025 Inclusion in the system:09/2025
11	Korinthos M/R city gate Station	2.200.000	Final Investment Decision: 11/2021 Start of operation: 09/2023 Inclusion in the system:12/2023

12	Argos/Napflio M/R city gate Station	2.300.000	Final Investment Decision: 11/2021 Start of operation: 09/2023 Inclusion in the system:12/2023
13	Tripoli M/R city gate Station	2.300.000	Final Investment Decision: 11/2021 Phase 1 Start of operation: 07/2022 Inclusion in the system:07/2022 Phase 2 Start of operation: 10/2024 Inclusion in the system:12/2024
<b>B4. Development Projects: Expansion of NNGS to new markets</b>			
1	Truck Loading Pilot (first) Station	7.500.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 05/2022
2	New jetty for small scale LNG in Revithoussa	22.500.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 10/2022 Inclusion in the system: 01/2023
<b>B5. Development Projects: Increase of capacity &amp; security of supply of NNGS</b>			
1	Compression station at Kipi and Regulating Station in Komotini	15.000.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 11/2023 Inclusion in the system:01/2024
2	Compressor Station in Ampelia	73.000.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 08/2023 Inclusion in the system: 12/2023
3	Upgrade of Nea Messimvria compression station	18.200.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken

			Start of operation: 12/2022 Inclusion in the system: 03/2023
4	Booster Compressor for TAP in Nea Mesimvria	36.900.000	Final Investment Decision: 12/2021 Start of operation: 09/2023 Inclusion in the system: 12/2023
<b>B6. Development Projects: Improvement / modernization/ maintenance of NNGS</b>			
1	Upgrade of SCADA in dispatching centers	1.900.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 11/2021 Inclusion in the system: 11/2021
2	Design, supply, installation of a system for the daily gas flow	242.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation:12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
3	LNG Terminal Boil-off Gas Compressor Station	13.850.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 05/2023 Inclusion in the system: 07/2023
4	Upgrade of electrical switches for medium voltage and internal lighting in the control room of LNG facility	1.000.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
5	Upgrade of Geographical Information System (GIS)	100.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 04/2022 Inclusion in the system: 04/2022
6	Upgrade of physical security of DESFA facilities - Physical Security Control Center	1.200.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 04/2022 Inclusion in the system: 04/2022
7		4.500.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken

	Replacement of Metering and Supervision/ Control systems at NNGTS M and M/R stations of NNGTS		Start of operation: 09/2023 Inclusion in the system: 09/2023
8	New building for DESFA's headquarters	16.845.520	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 06/2023 Inclusion in the system: 06/2023
9	Technical Training Centre in Nea Mesimvria	1.600.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 02/2022 Inclusion in the system: 04/2022
10	NNGS Modernization projects- 4 <sup>th</sup> Compilation	170.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
11	Upgrade of LNG and O &M Facilities for energy saving	2.000.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2022 Inclusion in the system: 12/2022
12	Cathodic Protection System Upgrading	2.000.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 01/2023 Inclusion in the system: 01/2023
13	Hydraulic Simulation Software of NNGS upgrade in real time	412.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 11/2021 Inclusion in the system: 11/2021
14	IT Transformation	7.700.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 1/2023 Inclusion in the system: 1/2023
15	Upgrade of LNG Facilities	360.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 10/2021

			Inclusion in the system: 10/2021
16	LNG Maintenance Projects	822.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
17	Upgrade of Control and Dispatching Center in Patima	715.950	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 09/2021 Inclusion in the system: 02/2022
18	Operations Division's Equipment	69.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
19	Replacement of UPS in 9 RCC and 2 M/R at EKO, PLATY plus UPS in O&Ms Patima, Ambelia and Vistonida	150.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 10/2021 Inclusion in the system: 10/2021
20	Upgrade of HMI system of Solar compressor	200.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
21	Energy upgrades in O&M centers	200.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
22	Nea Messimvria Compressor TUCO A Overhaul	2.300.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 11/2021 Inclusion in the system: 11/2021
23	CHP Corrective Replacement in CHP Unit	143.200	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 03/2022 Inclusion in the system: 03/2022
24	Required O&M Equipment	200.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken

			Start of operation: 12/2021 Inclusion in the system: 12/2021
25	H2 readiness	650.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 05/2022 Inclusion in the system: 05/2022
26	Vent Stack System implementation at Nea Messimvria	1.000.000	Final Investment Decision: Taken Start of operation: 03/2022 Inclusion in the system: 03/2022
	<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>797.254.670</b>	

PROJECTS NOT INCLUDED IN THE 3YR DEVELOPMENT PERIOD		COST(€)
<b>A. NEW PROJECTS</b>		
<b>A1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)</b>		
1	Metering and Regulating Station for the connection to East Med Pipeline	7.500.000
<b>B. PLANNED PROJECTS</b>		
<b>B1. Projects for the interconnection of NNGS with other interconnected systems (connection/development projects)</b>		
1	M/R Station for connecting South Kavala UGS	7.500.000
<b>B2. Projects for the connection of Users</b>		

1	Construction of high pressure pipeline Mavromati (Vagia) - Larymna and the necessary Metering Station for the connection of LARCO GMM SA with NNGS	17.500.000
	<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>32.500.000 €</b>

<b>Total</b>	<b>829.754.670€</b>
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