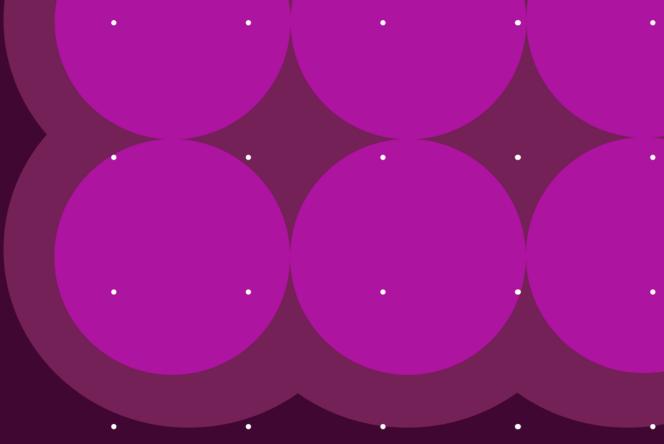
## Accelerating the implementation of innovation





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### National Energy System Operator (NESO)

- The 2023 Energy Act established an independent system planner and operator for GB
- To help accelerate the energy transition
- NESO is built on previous experience as the Electricity System Operator (ESO)
- ESO balanced electricity supply and demand 24/7, and networks and markets roles.



## Introducing NESO

- Independent & impartial public corporation
- System planning & operations
- Whole system view
- Holistic approach
- Most cost-efficient & sustainable solutions
- Optimal outcomes for energy consumers



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# **NESO's Primary Duties**

NESO will promote the following three objectives:



Net Zero

Enabling the government to deliver on its legally binding emissions targets



### Efficiency & Economy

Promoting efficient, coordinated and economical systems for electricity and gas 0

### Security of supply

Ensuring security of supply for current and future consumers of electricity and gases



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# **NESO's Secondary Duties**

### NESO will also have regard to:



#### **Facilitating Competition**

Creating and maintaining competitive energy markets and networks Consumer Impacts Understanding what changes mean for consumers Whole System Impacts Understanding linkages across systems



#### **Facilitating Innovation**

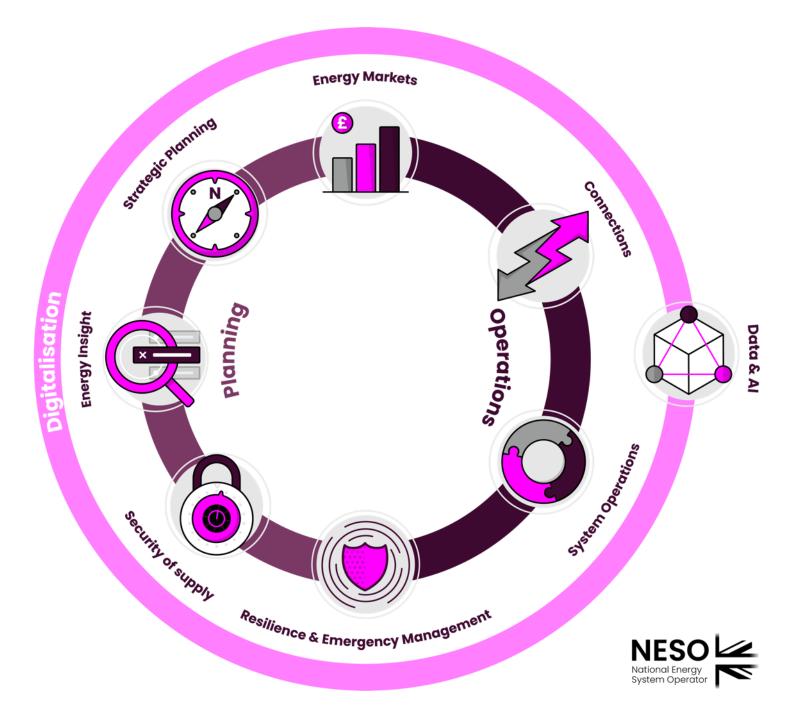
Creating an environment that enables others to help solve energy challenges



### What We Do

- Eight activities delivering the plans, markets and operations of the energy system of today and the future.
- In one organisation for holistic thinking, cost efficiencies and sustainable solutions for the needs of our customers.

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# **Our priorities to 2026**



Clean Power

We will enable a zero-carbon electricity system by adopting a whole system approach, encouraging innovation and collaboration.



#### Decarbonised Energy We will develop integrated plans for a decarbonised, efficient and flexible energy system fit for the future.



Consumer Value We will have unlocked around £3 billion of consumer benefits by 2026 through delivery of our commitments.



Customer Centricity We will understand and balance the different needs of our customers to form meaningful partnerships.



#### Digital Mindset

We will unlock the potential of technology and teamwork through a digital-first approach, enabling a future of seamless connectivity and innovation at pace.



People Value

We will invest in our people to ensure we're prepared and empowered to embrace the opportunities of the future.



# Any questions?

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