

# ☒ Annual Gemini Disaster Recovery (DR) activity.

During the Gemini Sustain Plus programme, **disaster recovery (DR) testing** was successfully completed as part of the **Operational Acceptance Testing (OAT)** phase.

Following go-live, due to change congestion, it was agreed between **National Gas, Xoserve**, and **Correla** to **defer the annual Gemini Disaster Recovery exercise to Spring 2026**. The following slide outlines the proposed dates, outage timings. Further communications on this will be shared in due course.

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## Proposed Dates

- **Primary DR date:**  
**Failover:** 18th April 2026(Outage timings 4AM to 8 AM)  
**Failback:** 19th April 2026(Outage timings 4 AM to 8 AM)

**Note:** The service will run for 24 hours from DR site and will be failed back to primary site. The outage will be on both failover and failback dates

- **Contingency date:** 25th–26th April 2026

## DR Timings and Outages

- Proposed Planned DR Execution timing: **4:00 AM – 8:00 AM BST**(including backout period). The time is proposed as we will close previous gas day activities and then initiate DR. Post DR catchups are less impactful as the catchup will be required only for new gas day. The process is consistent with legacy Gemini DR timings
- During this window, **Gemini will be unavailable**, and **no contingency process** can be followed, as the system will be completely offline.
- The outage is **consistent with the Legacy Gemini** DR process

### Process Impacts

All **bids, nominations, re-nominations, and trades** must be submitted and confirmed **before 4:00 AM BST**.

- **Post-DR catch-up activities** will be performed by the **Gemini Application Support team**

**TSO connections** will experience an outage, as the DR will impact the **CDATA application** supporting these connections.

- **Prisma connections** will also be unavailable during the DR window; however, post-DR, the Application Support team will process **all pending files**.
- APIs will not available. NG downstream considerations ( e.g. ICE)