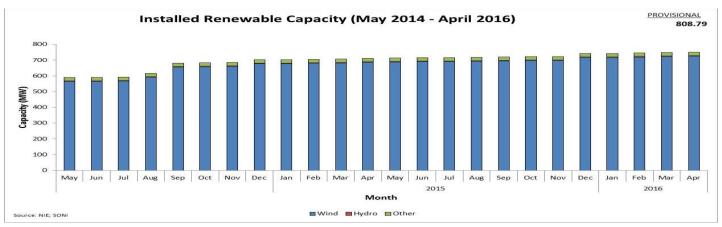
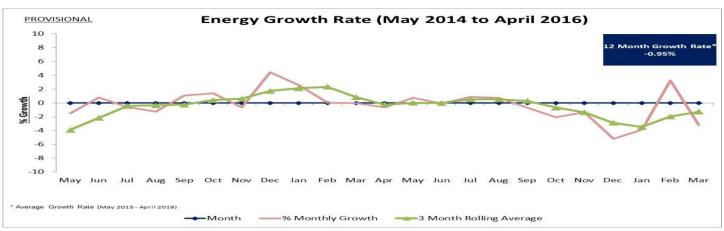


## Northern Ireland Monthly Electricity Statistics Update - April 2016

## **System Statistics and Records:**

Monthly Electricity Demand	708.90 GWh	April 2016
Monthly Electricity Demand From Renewables <sup>1</sup>	154.34 GWh	March 2016 (Wind $^3$ = 136.16 GWh)
Monthly Electricity Demand Growth Rate	1.50 %	April 2016 v April 2015
Year To Date Electricity Demand Growth Rate	0.52 %	Jan-Apr2016 vs Jan –Apr2015
Monthly Maximum Load	1367.26 MW	April 2016
Monthly Minimum Load	621.11 MW	April 2016
2016 Year To Date Maximum Load	1679.21MW	17:30 hrs on Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> January 2016
2016 Year To Date Minimum Load	599.43 MW	04.30 hrs on Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2016
All Time Maximum Peak Demand	1777 MW	18:00 hrs on 22 <sup>nd</sup> December 2010
Installed Dispatchable Capacity <sup>2</sup>	2342 MW	As at 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2015
Installed Renewable Capacity <sup>1</sup>	808.79 MW	As at 30thApril 2016 (Wind <sup>3</sup> = 724.75 MW)
2016 Maximum Wind Output <sup>3</sup>	720.59 MW	At 10:30 hrs on 7 <sup>th</sup> February 2016





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes Large Scale Wind (≥5 MW = 641.10 MW), Small Scale Wind, Hydro, Tidal, Biomass, PV and Landfill Gas data available to SONI.

If you need any further information on these statistics, please email enquiries@soni.ltd.uk or go to www.soni.ltd.uk.

All the above data is preliminary and is expressed in terms of Sent-Out (Exported) generation available to SONI.

Further information on monthly wind and fuel mix can be found at:

 $\underline{\text{http://www.eirgrid.com/operations/systemperformancedata/all-islandwindandfuelmixreport}}$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Excludes import capacity of Moyle. (Import = 450MW Nov-Mar & 410MW Apr-Oct. Export = 295MW Sep-Apr & 287MW May-Aug).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Includes Large Scale Wind and Small Scale Wind.