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# **EMOBICITY – Report on charging tariffs**

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### Report on charging tariffs - Contents

- Report review the tariffs methodology in the following selected countries:
  - Croatia
  - Portugal (also the Autonomous Region of Azores)
  - Greece
  - Germany
  - Czech Republic
  - Slovenia
  - Italy
  - Hungary
  - Netherlands
  - Ireland
- Regulatory framework-what costs are recovered via the distribution tariffs and how the tariffs are designed in general.
- E-mobility development model DSO (Distribution System Operator) role
- Report available at: <u>https://www.interregeurope.eu/fileadmin/user\_upload/tx\_tevprojects/library/file\_1628687446.</u> <u>pdf</u>



**Electricity network tariffs are designed to cover the cost of:** 

- the distribution and transmission electricity systems
- high electricity production cost at non-interconnected islands
- power supply for vulnerable consumers
- payments to Renewable Energy producers

Specifically regarding e-mobility and charging, tariffs should:

- be easy to understand and transparent
- allow to derive business models
- drive EV users to charge during non-peak times
- promote the uptake of e-mobility



- Currently, no dedicated charging tariffs for e-mobility, except for Portugal, Italy, Spain
- In most countries, differentiation only on day/night tariffs cheaper to charge at night
- Typical residential tariff structures are not time-varying

Tariffs should ideally not be based on peak power (e.g. Croatia)

- Very high cost of EV charging
- key barrier for setting up a business model

Italy, incentives:

- Dedicated energy based tariffs for operators of public charging points
- Absence of fixed charges
- particularly favorable for new public charging points in areas with scarce penetration of electric vehicles

#### Portugal

- Dedicated Electric Mobility Network Management Entity (MOBI.E)
- Dedicated / regulated EV charging tariffs
- Interoperability: users can access any charging point in the country, regardless of who is the charging point operator, through a single access mean – a card
- renewable energy communities can apply for a specific tariff regime for selfconsumption





- Without charging tariffs, EV drivers are likely to charge whenever is <u>easiest</u> for them
  - Non-controlled EV charging: extra load coincides with peak demand
  - Controlled charging (night/day): sudden system surcharge – high grid stress

We need <u>smart</u> controlled charging (valley filling) for less grid stress



#### Recommendations



We need:

- Regulated EV charging tariffs in all countries
- Low cost and fare tariffs preferably based on energy consumption
- Dynamic/smart tariffs for the most efficient use of the grid
- Interoperability make it easy to charge everywhere
- Smart platforms to enable transparency and easy comparison of charging tariffs
- Consider establishing a viable business model in sparsely populated areas (e.g. rural areas or small islands)

While maintaining the safe and efficient network operation!



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# Thank you!



