

# FB external report for w2, 2017



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## Comments

### Highlights

- Social Economic Welfare (SEW) increases on average for the Nordics as well as external markets
- Denmark and Sweden experience increases in SEW. DK due to more export of wind SE due to import in SE4
- Norway and Finland experience losses in SEW. NO due to loss of congestion rents FI due to overloads

### Known errors

In a few hours there is a loss in SEW for both the Nordics and external markets, this is due to remedial actions that were considered in NTC and not in FB. There would have been a need for modification in the CNE's to solve this issue which has not been done. In parallel run and after go-live FB and NTC would have access to the same remedial actions, which means that this result for the few hours is not representative of the result in go-live

### Missing hours

Some hours are missing in the weekly simulations. This can be due to different issues:

- The input data for this hour was not available.
- There were differences in the available input data for NTC and FB, which made the comparison between the two impossible.

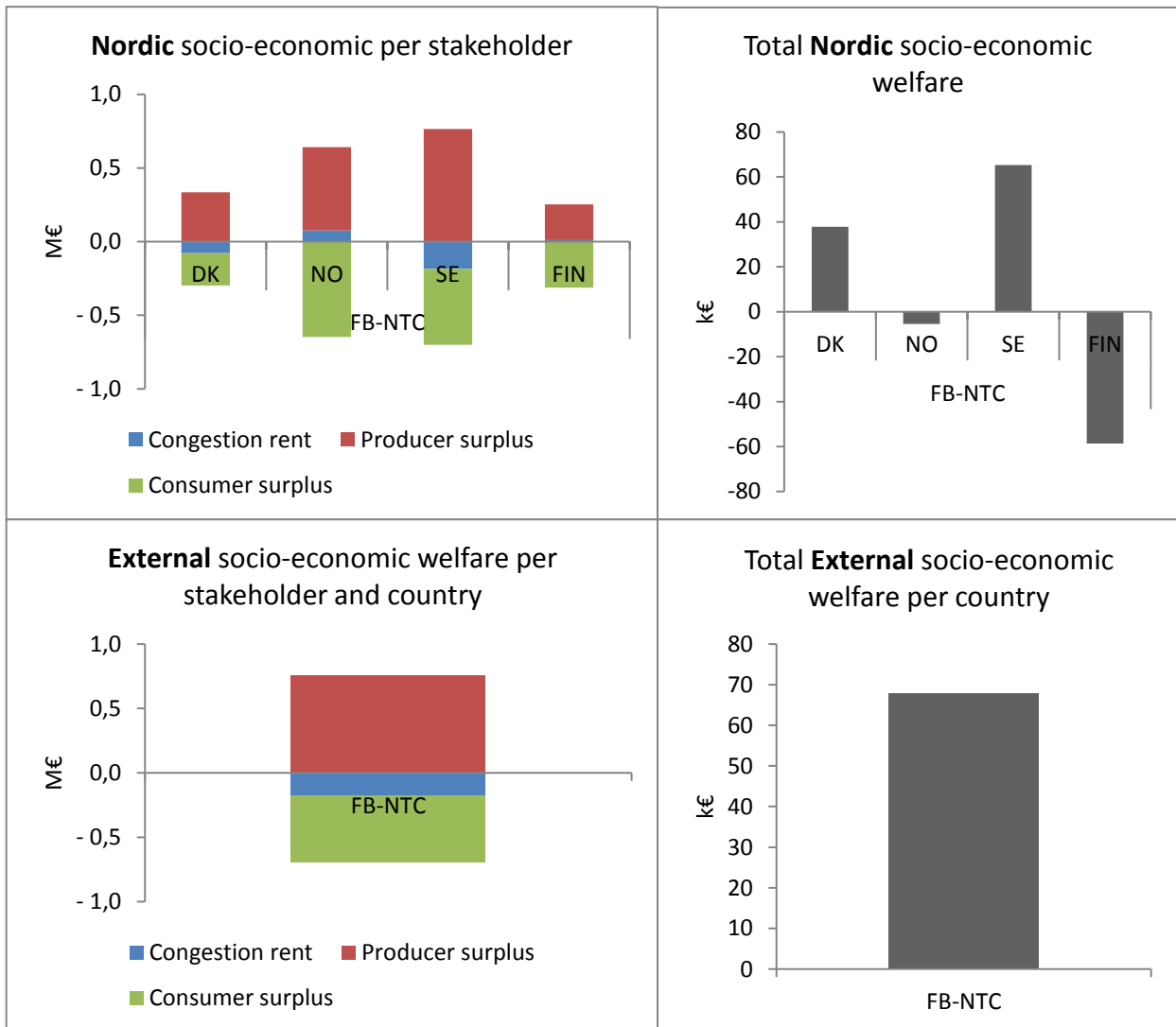
# Market analysis

Summary of market analysis

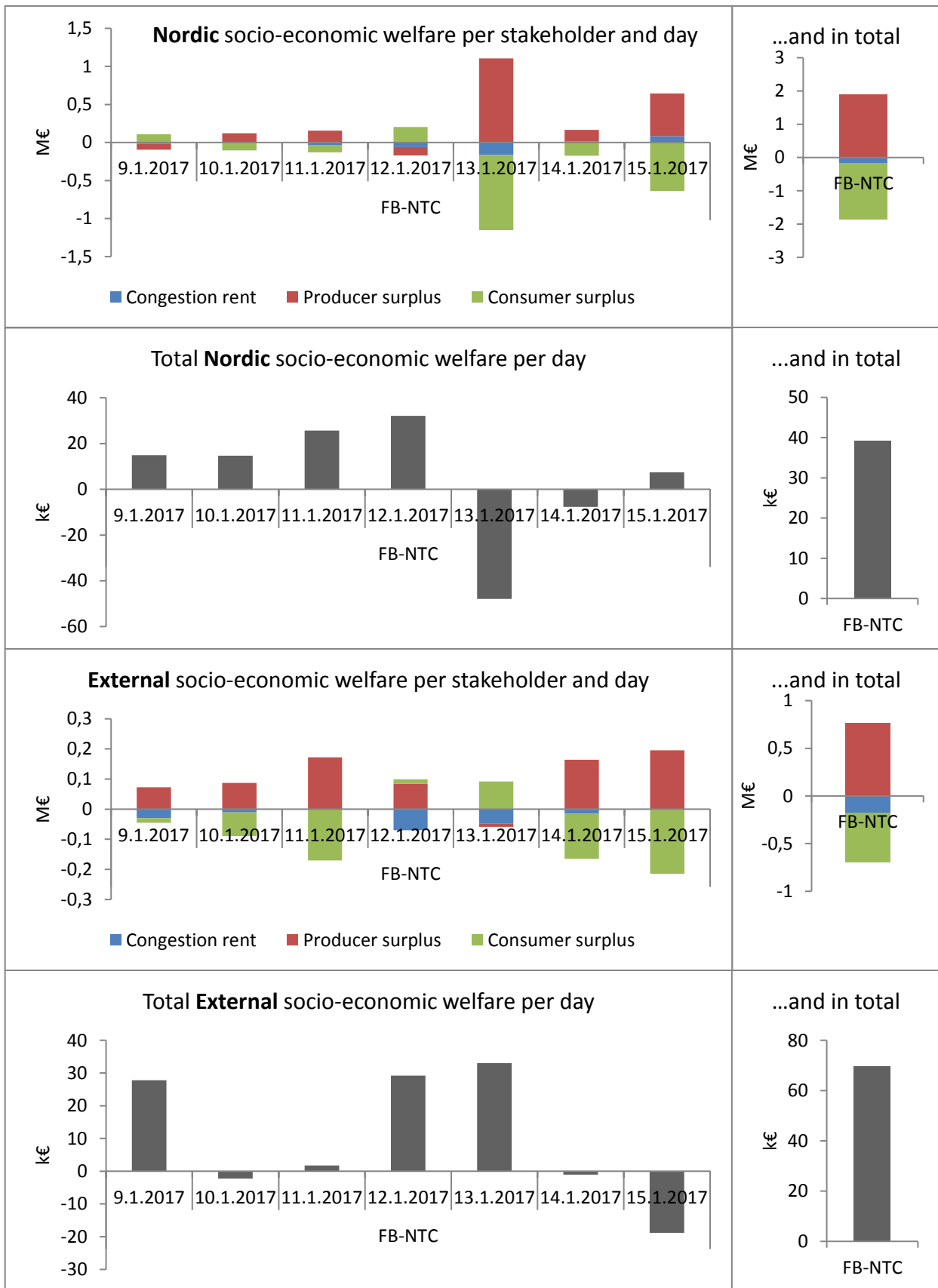
<b>Nordic</b>	The SEW increases in the Nordic Area this week. The congestion rent drops, especially between SE2 and SE3. The Net Position decreases slightly in FB compared to NTC. The external markets also experience an increase in SEW.
<b>Denmark</b>	Denmark experiences a gain in SEW this week. For Denmark the biggest increase in SEW happens in the early hours of the 12th. On the 12th Denmark is able to export more power in FB compared to NTC, which increases prices in both Danish areas, this is a gain for the producers, in a time with quite a large wind production in Denmark. This means that the netposition is higher in FB compared to NTC.
<b>Norway</b>	Norway experiences a loss of SEW this week. Norway experiences a loss in congestion rents primarily on the border between DK1 and NO2. Norway has a lower net position in FB compared to NTC. While prices in Norway are more or less unchanged from NTC compared to FB.
<b>Finland</b>	In Finland the SEW decreases this week. It depends on higher average prices in FB and loss of consumer surplus as a consequence. The producer surplus increases but not as much the loss in consumer surplus. During the hours with a welfare loss we observe several hours with overloads on the Swedish - Finnish border.
<b>Sweden</b>	Sweden is the major winner this week. It is due to the fact that Sweden gets lower prices in SE4 where there is a lot of consumption. This leads to an increase of consumer surplus. The congestion rents is reduced mainly depending on less CR between SE3 and SE4. For some hours SE1 and SE2 gets higher in FB and this is positive from a SEW point of view.

# Socio-economical welfare

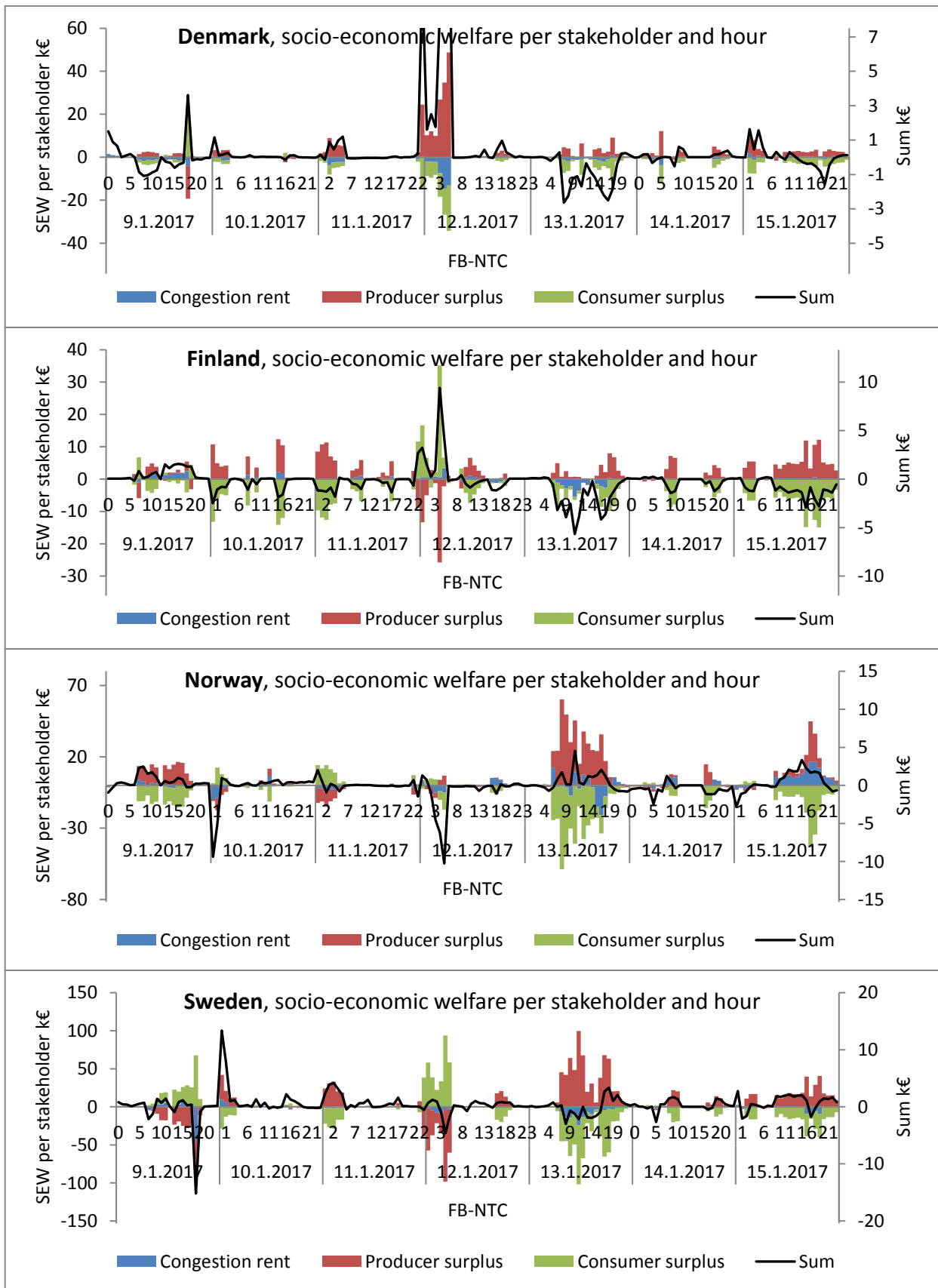
The socio-economical welfare, i.e. the sum of consumer surplus, producer surplus and congestion rent, for Flow Based (FB) compared to Net Transfer Capacity (NTC) are shown in the following charts.



The weekly socio-economical welfare per day and in total are shown in the following charts.

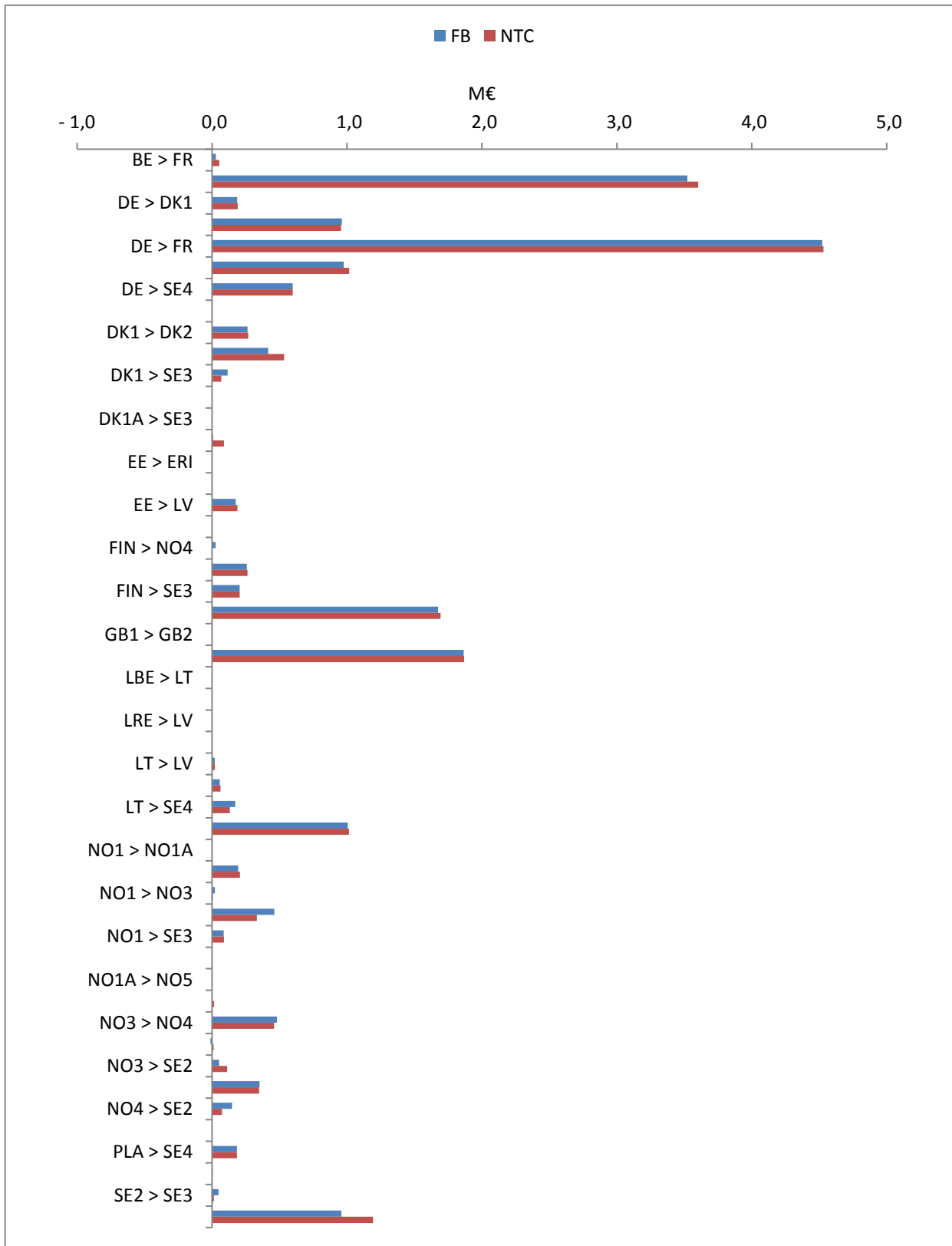


The hourly socio-economical welfare for each country are shown in the following charts.



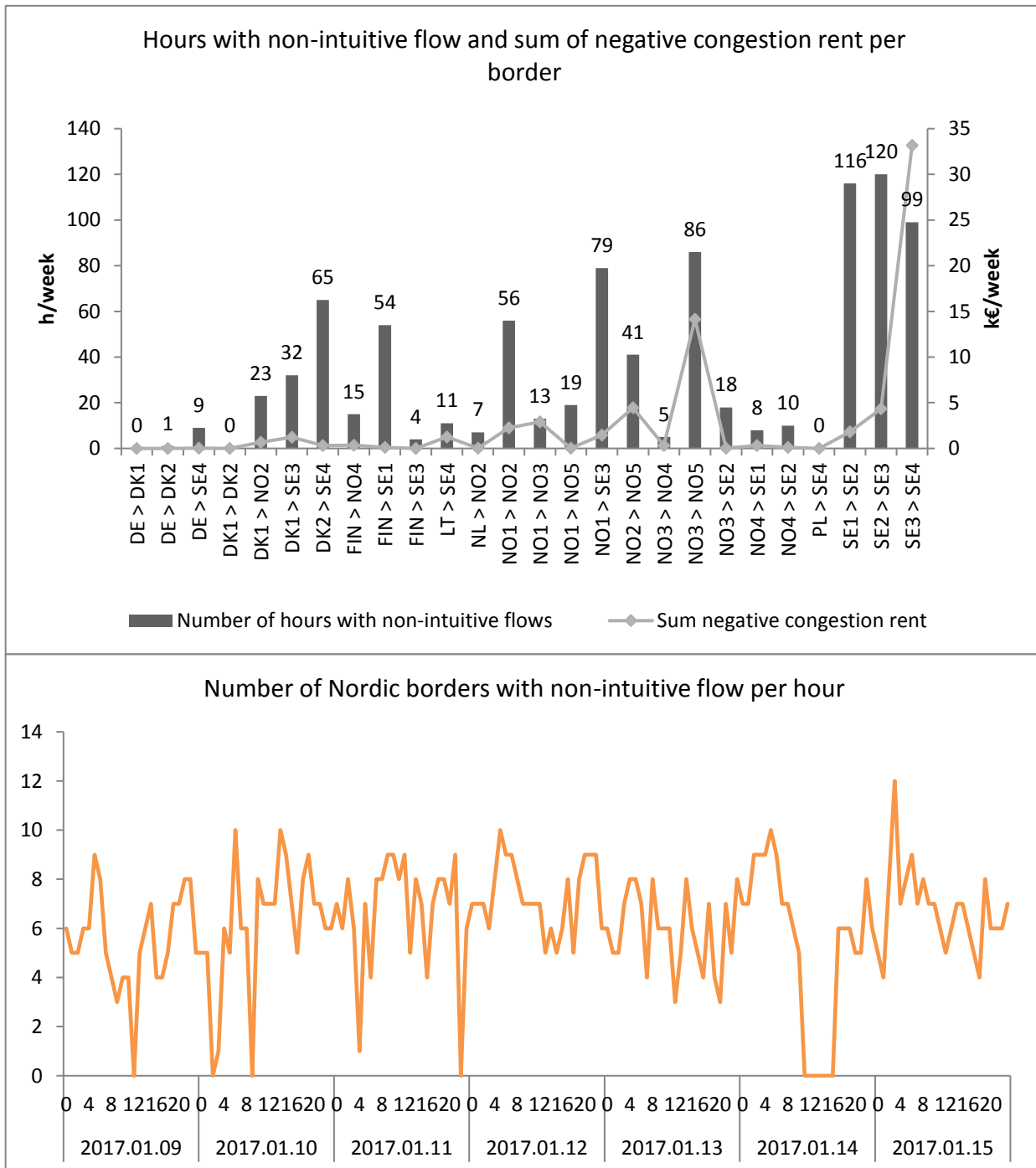
## Congestion rent

The total congestion rent, i.e. the product of flow volume and price difference, per border is shown in the following chart. Some borders are experience negative congestion rent with Flow Based due to non-intuitive netflows from a higher priced bidding area to a lower priced bidding area. A decrease in congestion rent is due to less border flow and/or smaller price area difference.



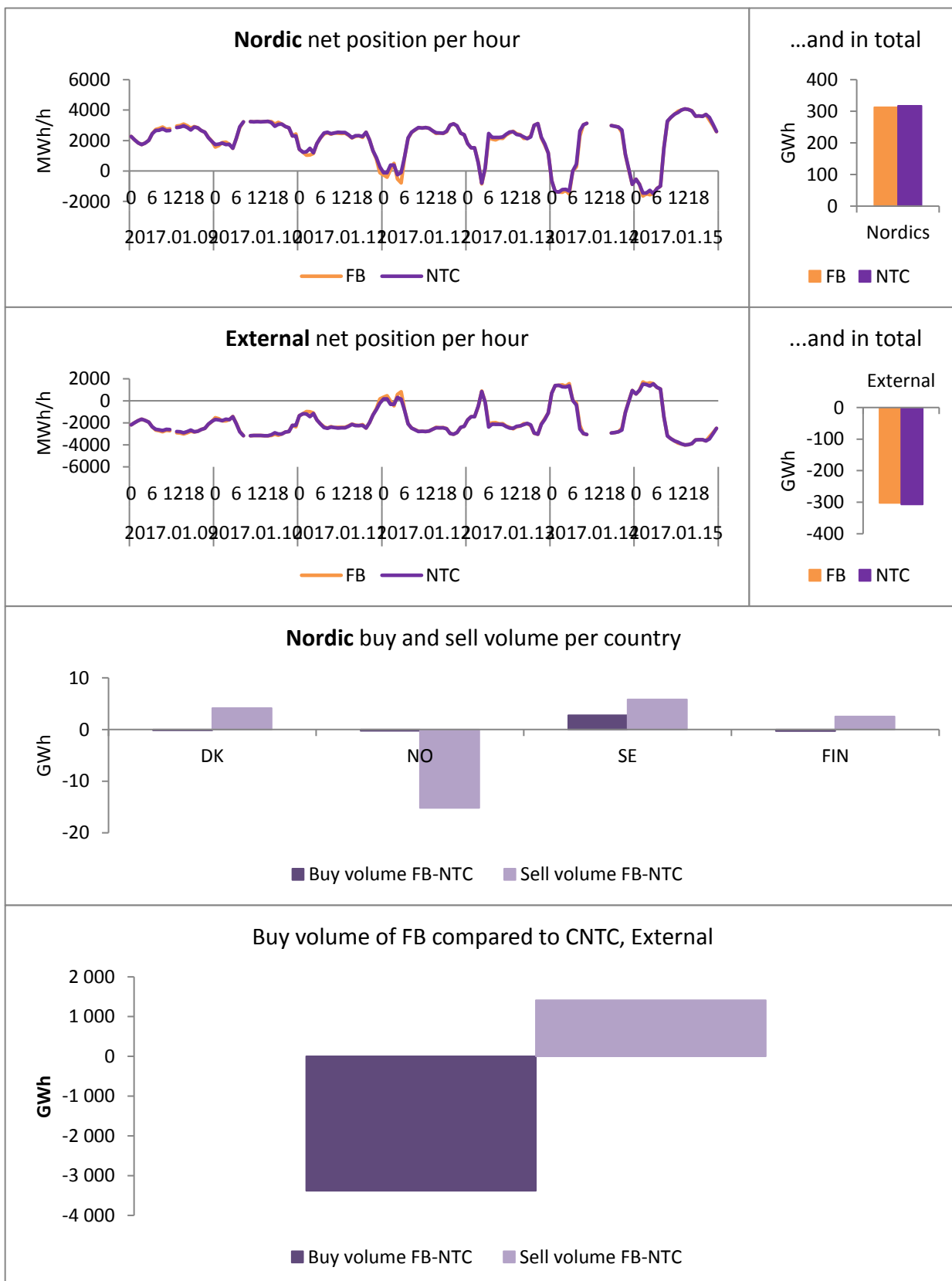
# Non-intuitive flow

The number of hours with "non-intuitive flow", i.e. hours with flow from a high priced area to a low priced area, and the sum of the resulting negative congestion rent is shown in the following diagram.



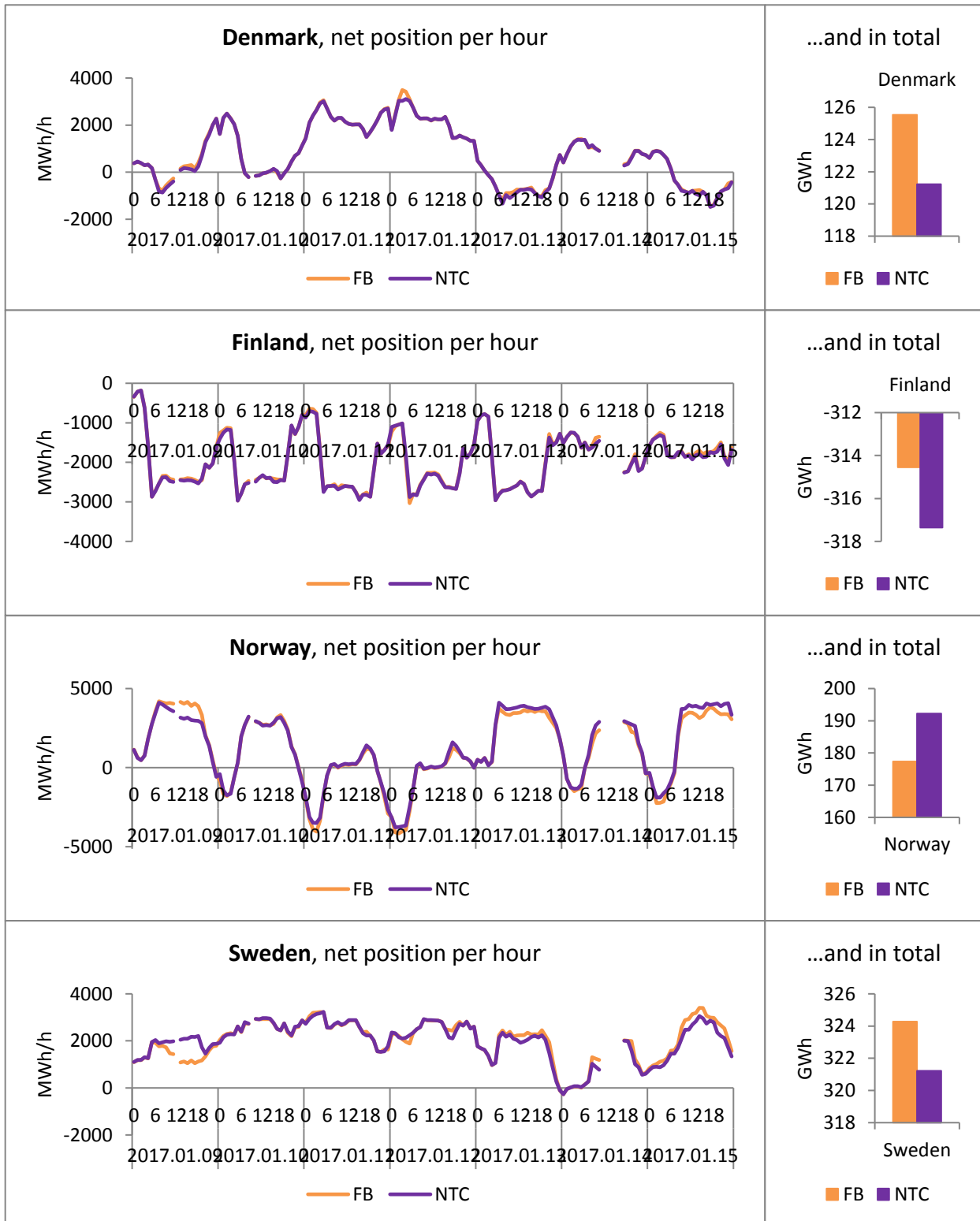
# Nordic net position

The Nordic and External countries daily average net position, i.e. the netted sum of electricity export and import for each market time period, is shown in the following charts along with the change of buy and sell volumes.





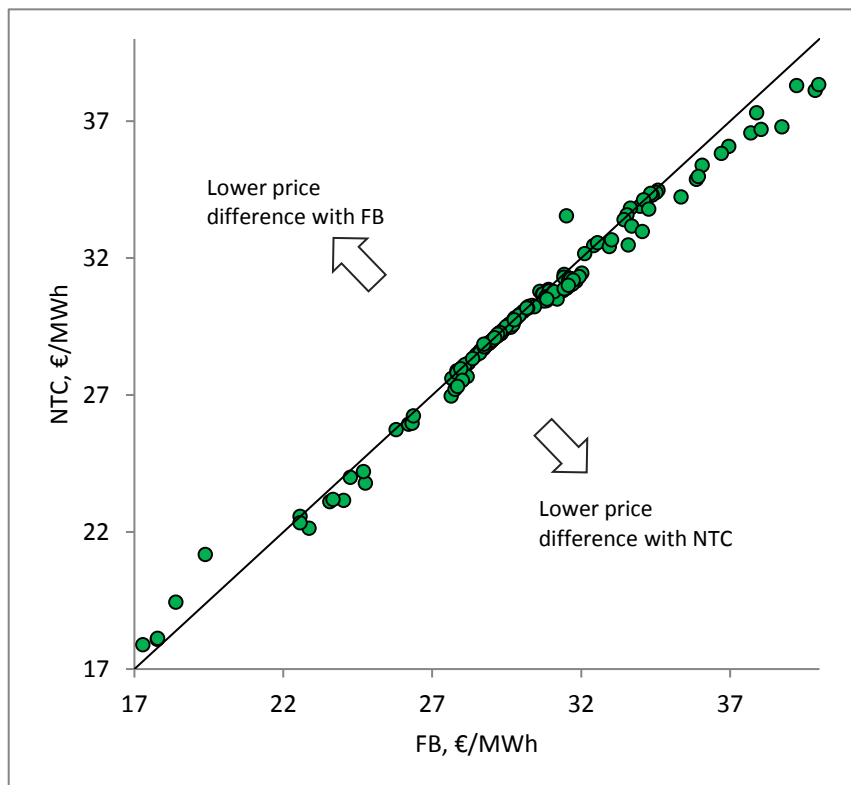
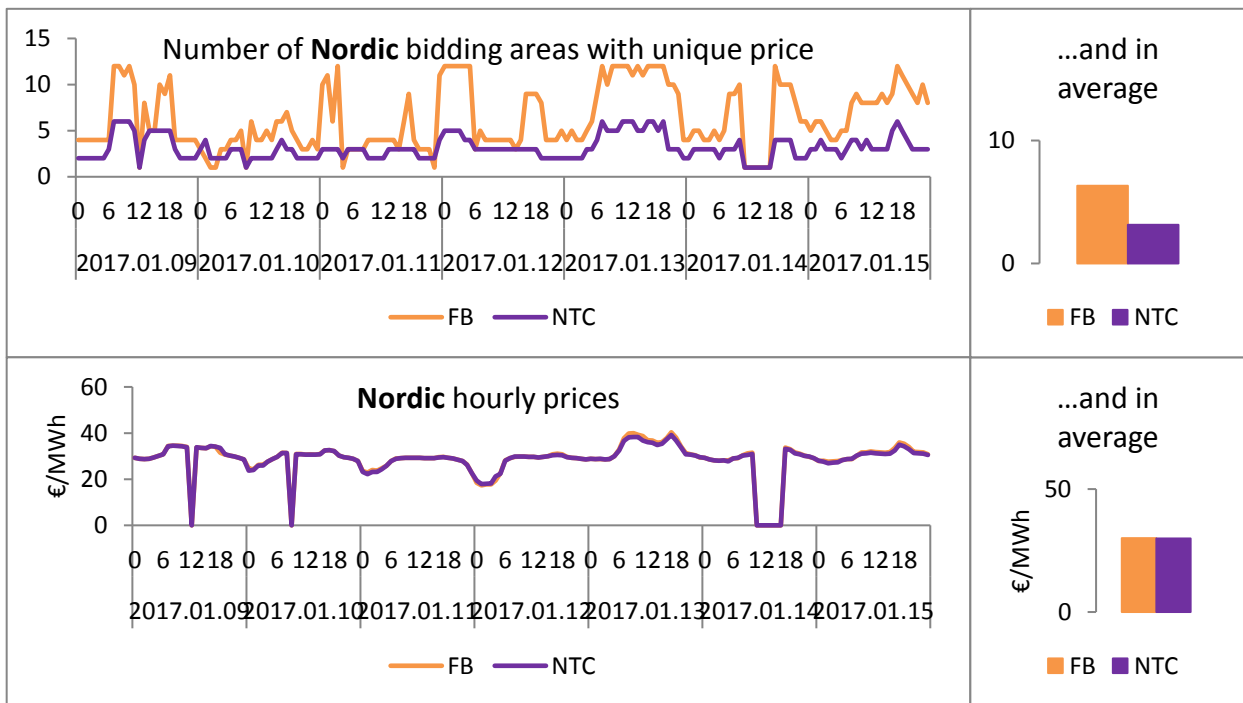
The hourly average net position per Nordic country is shown in the following charts .



# Unique prices and price difference

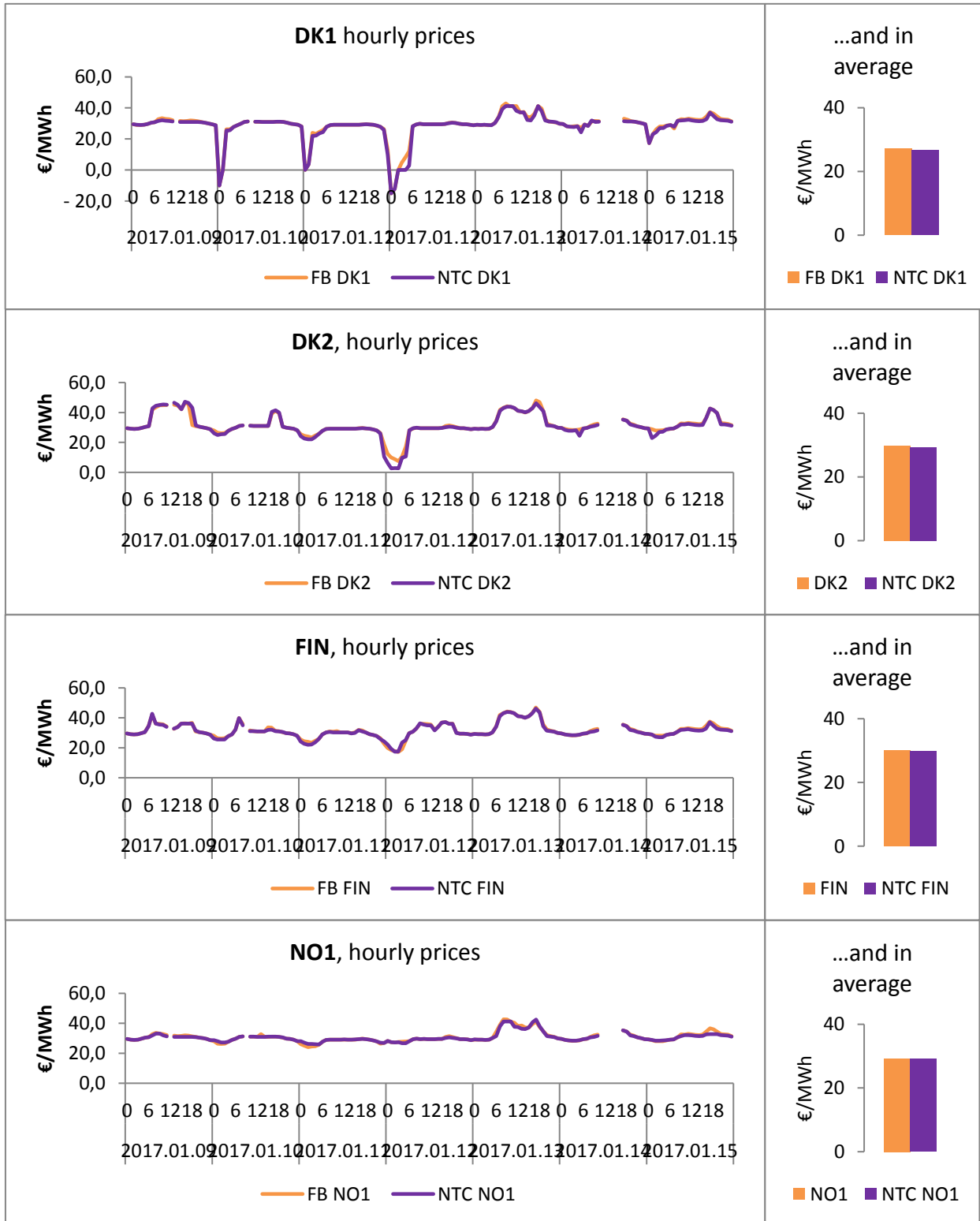
The average number of Nordic bidding areas with unique hourly prices, and the price area difference is shown in the following charts. The number of uniquely priced bidding areas is increasing with FB but the average price differences between the bidding areas are lower in FB compared to NTC.

In the scatter diagram below the price with FB and the price with NTC for each hour are plotted. The straight line represents the outcome if FB-price would be equal NTC-price. The plotted prices show more frequent above the straight line which indicates a decreased electricity price with Flow Base.

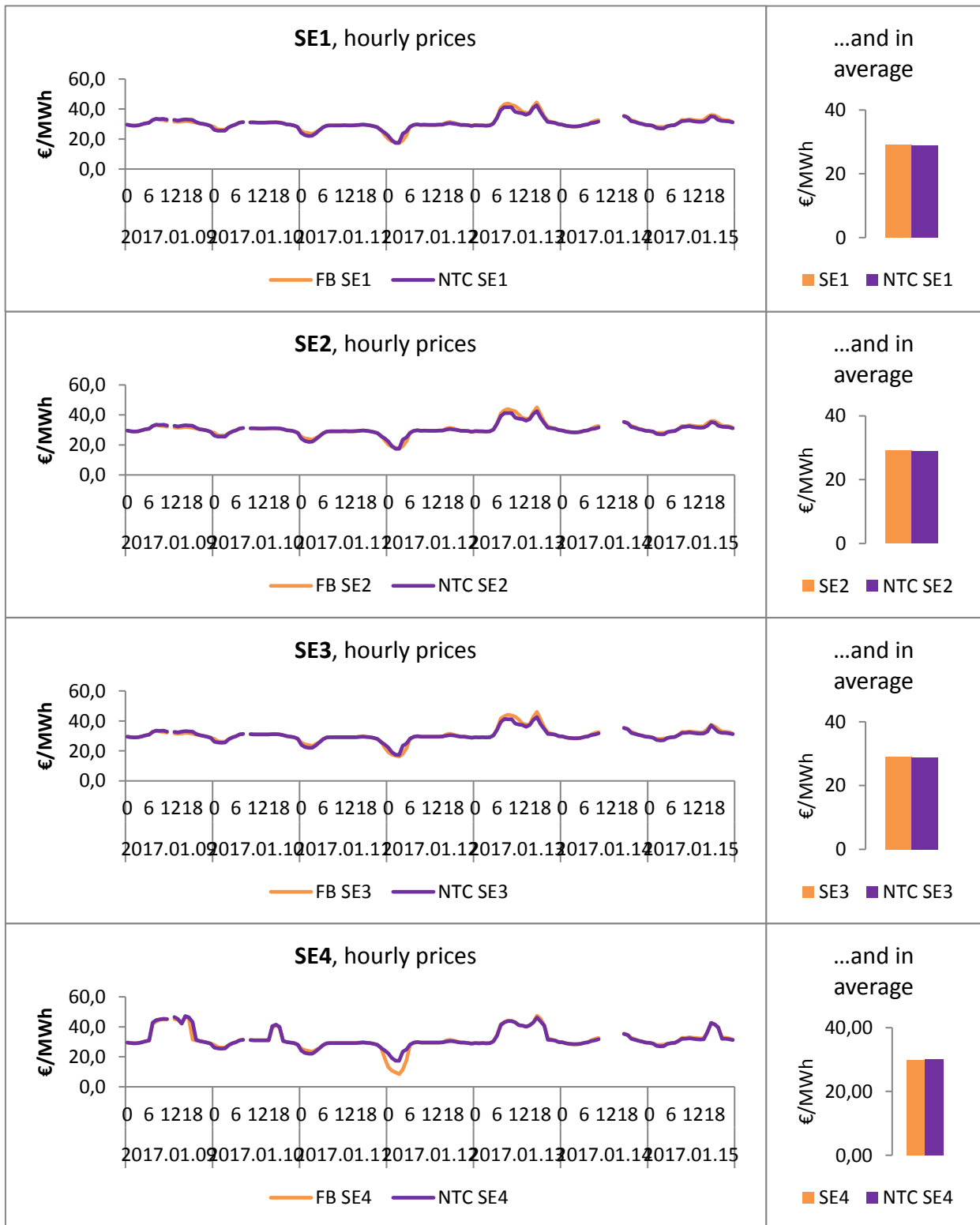


# Area Price

The hourly area price for FB and NTC for each Nordic bidding area are shown in the following charts.





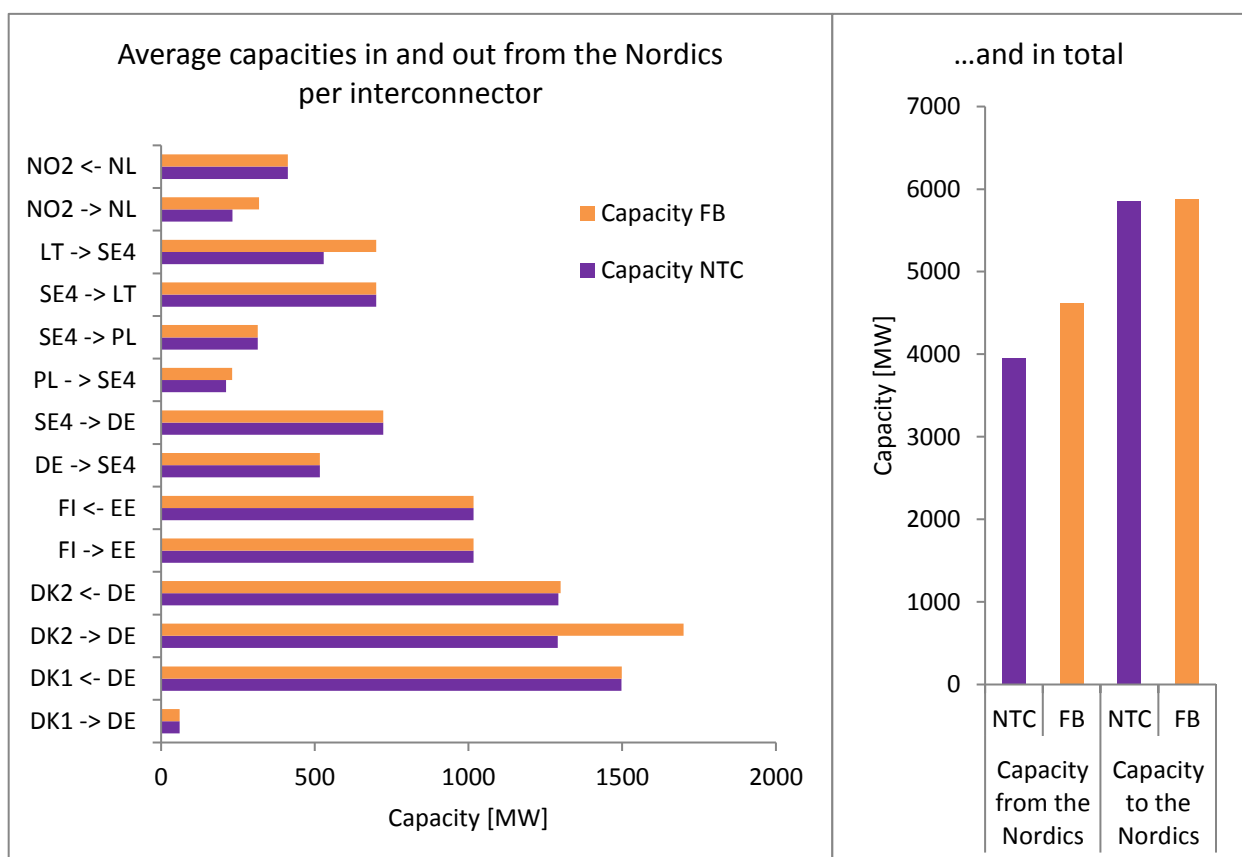


## System price

The Nordic system price is calculated without network constraints within the Nordic area, i.e. copper plate. In the parallel simulations of FB and NTC the Nordic system price is not calculated. The different modelling approach can though have an impact of system price due to different allocation of capacity to the interconnectors between the Nordics countries and the rest of Europe.

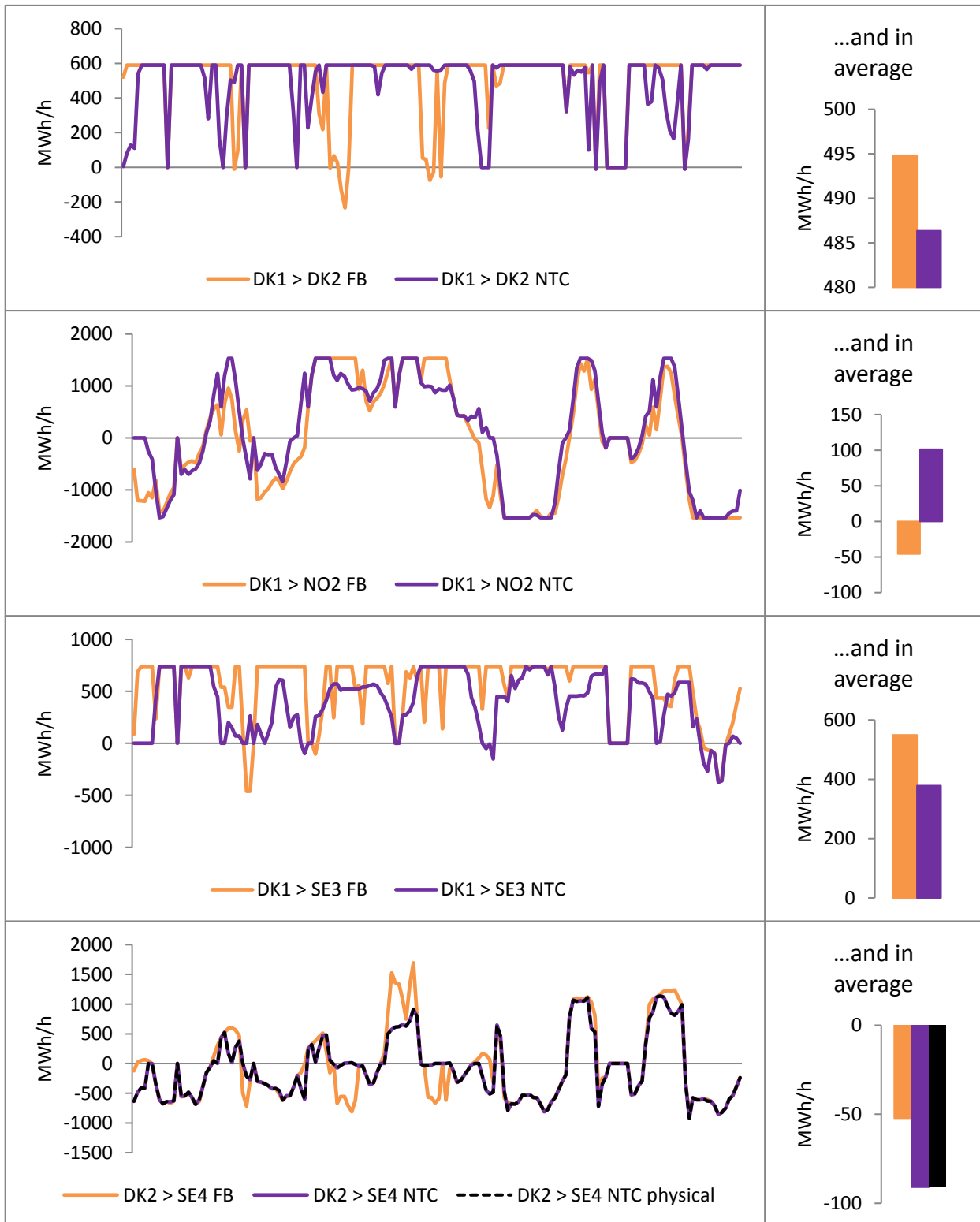
The system price is calculated locally at Nord Pool after PCR, area price calculation. Calculated flows between the Nordics and the Netherlands/Germany are taken into account as either price independent import or as price independent export for NO2, DK1, DK2 and SE4.

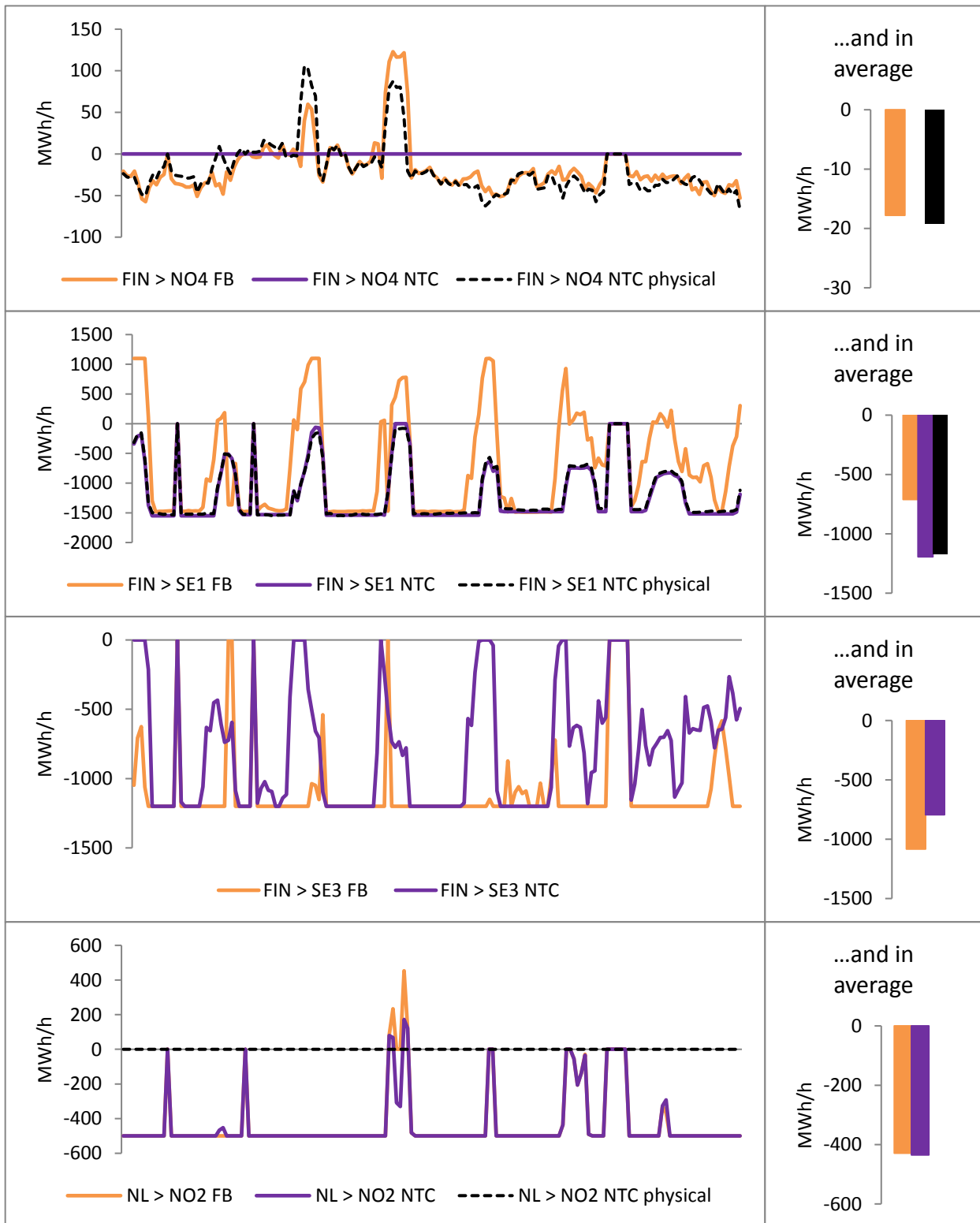
System price calculation has a different area configuration compared to areas price calculation. Norway, Denmark, Sweden and Finland constitute one bidding area. Baltic countries and Poland are configured as one area each, just as when calculating area prices. Between the Nordic region and the Baltic region + Poland the same capacities as in the PCR, area price calculation, are used when calculating the system price.



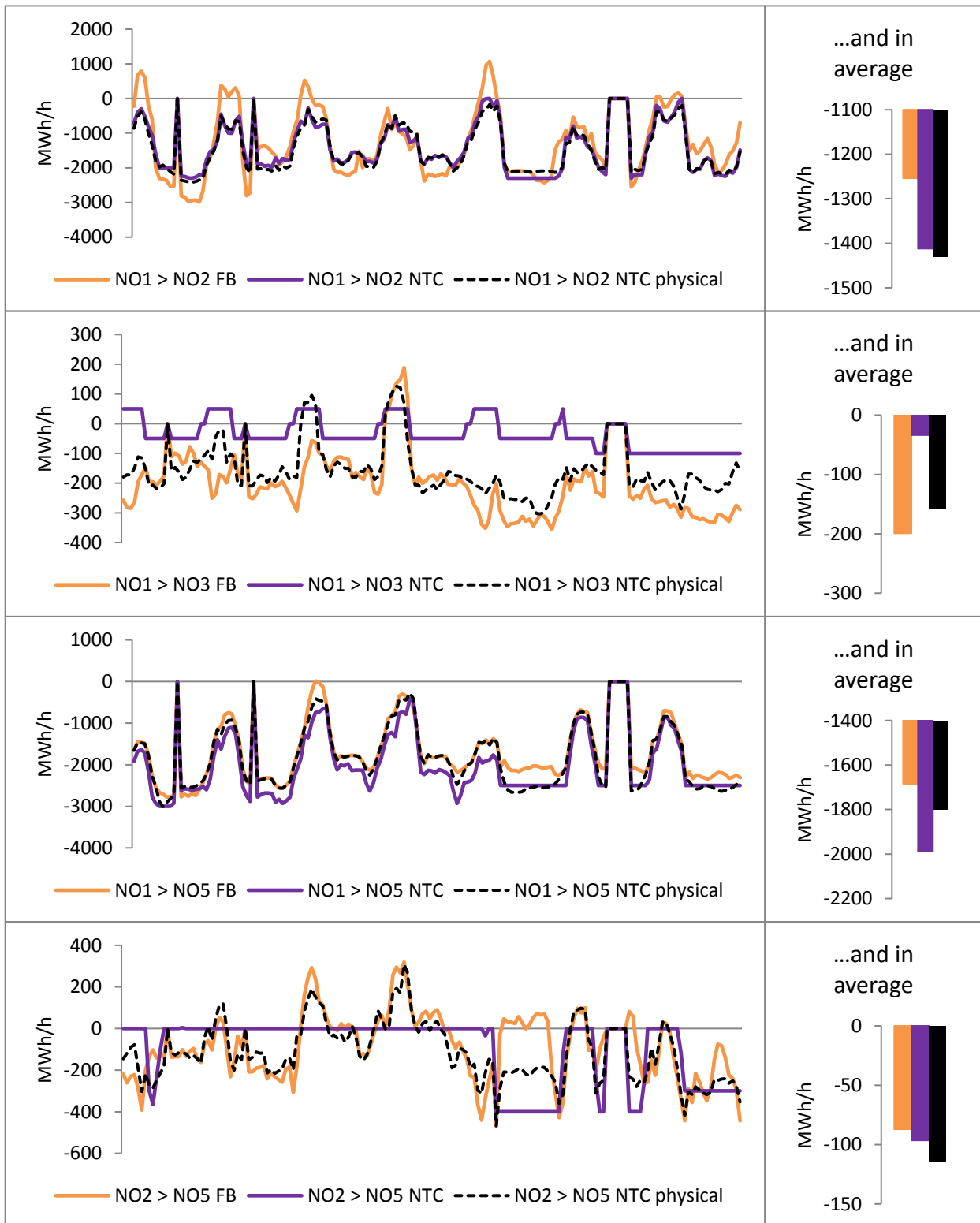
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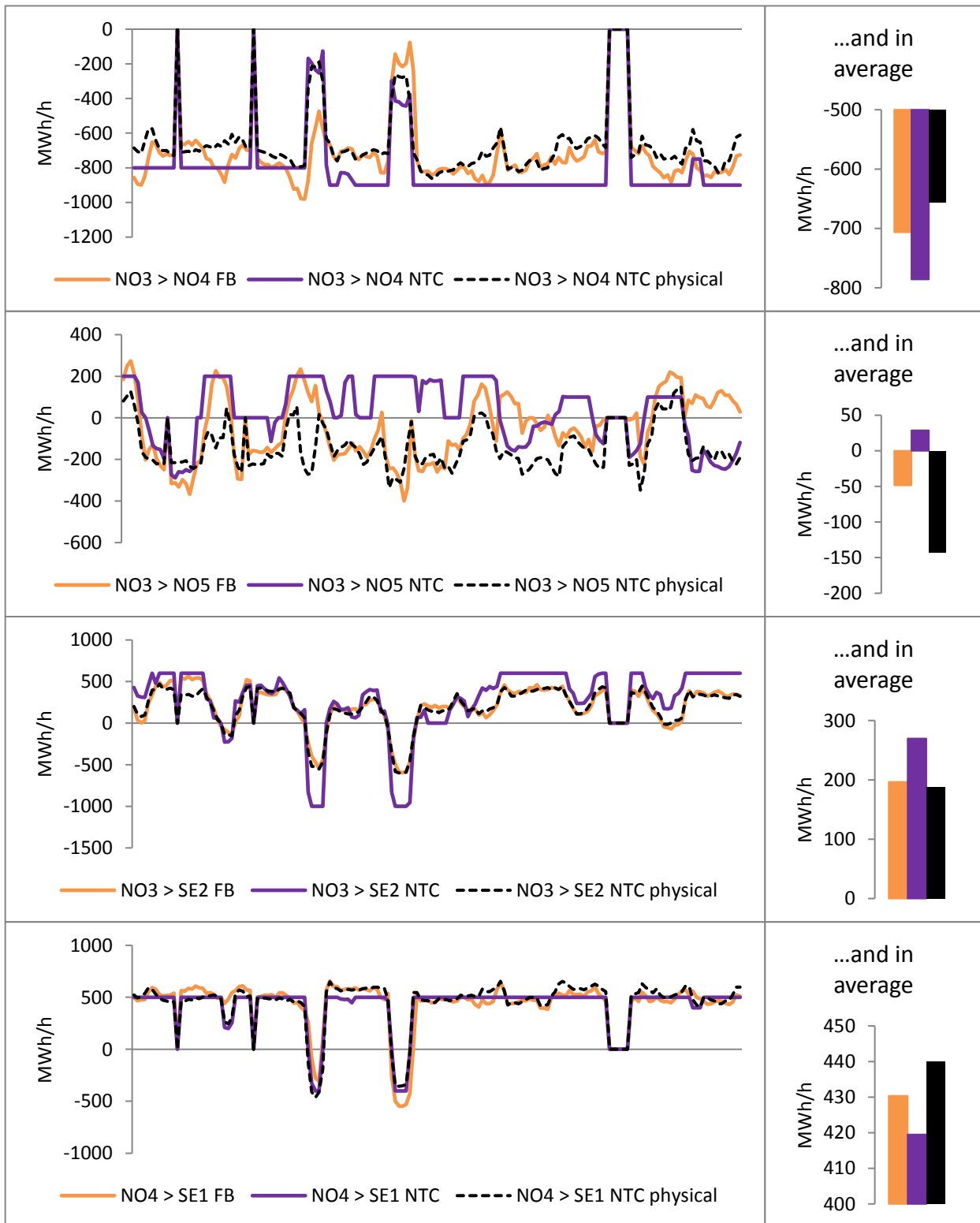
The flow on the borders between bidding areas are shown in the following charts.

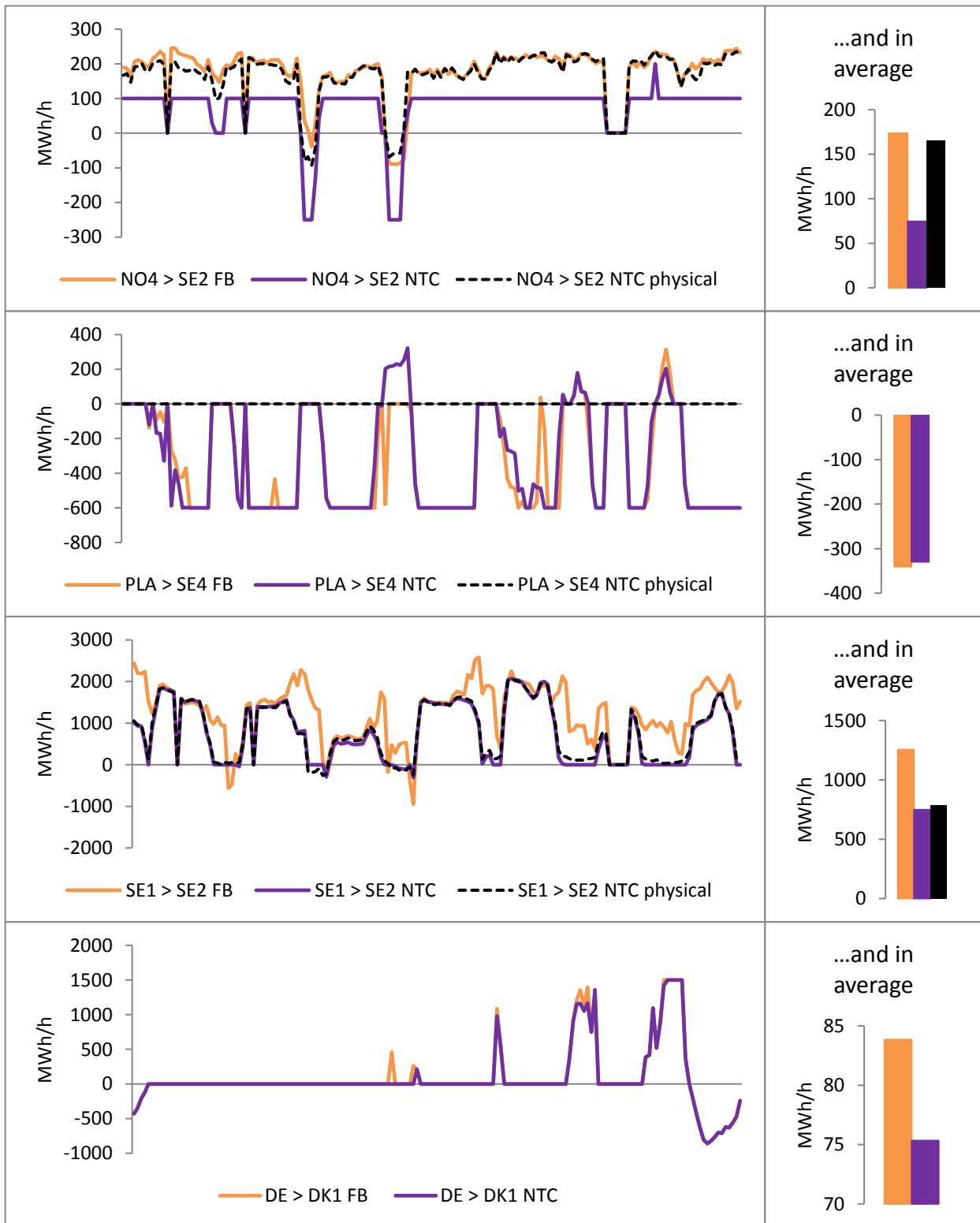


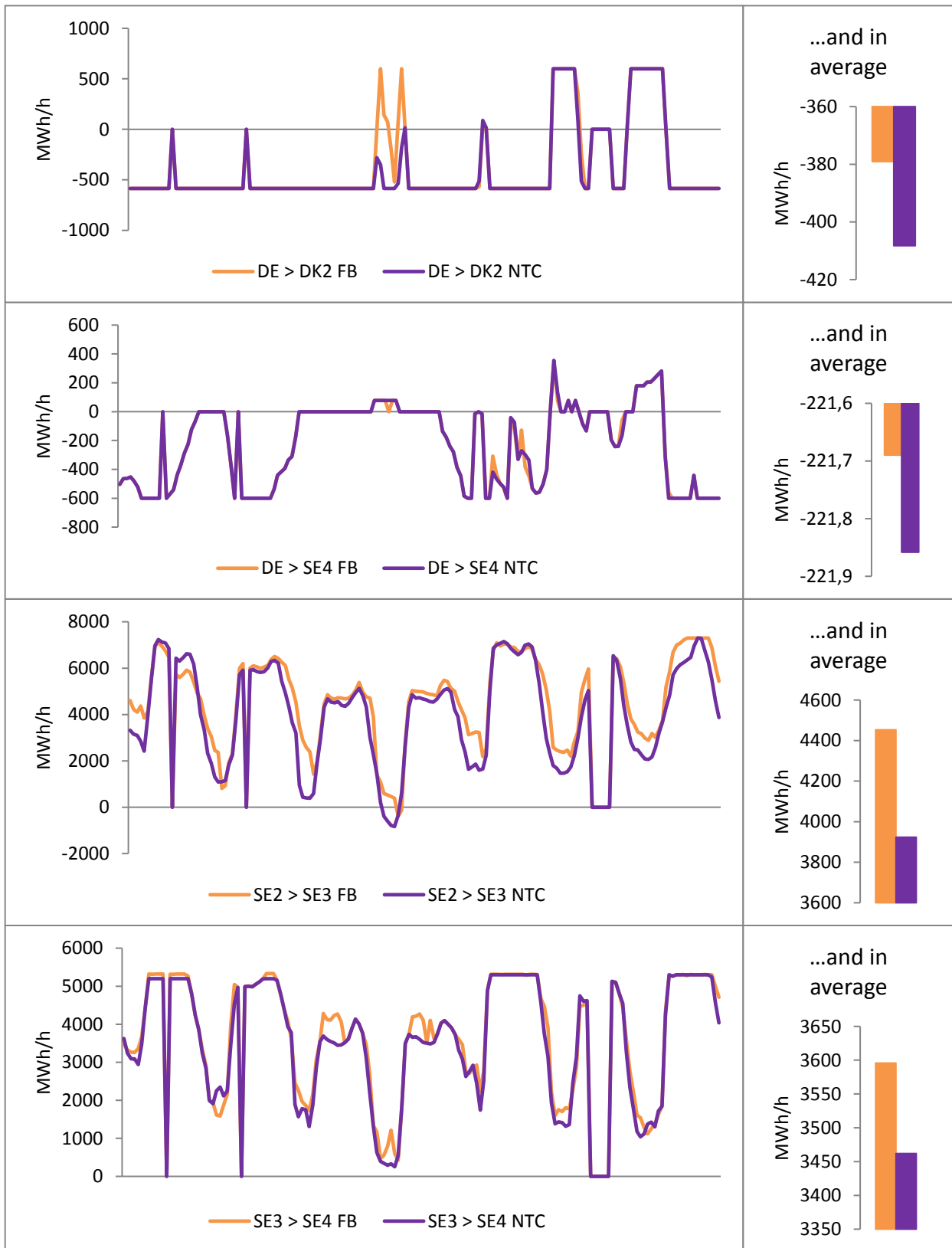


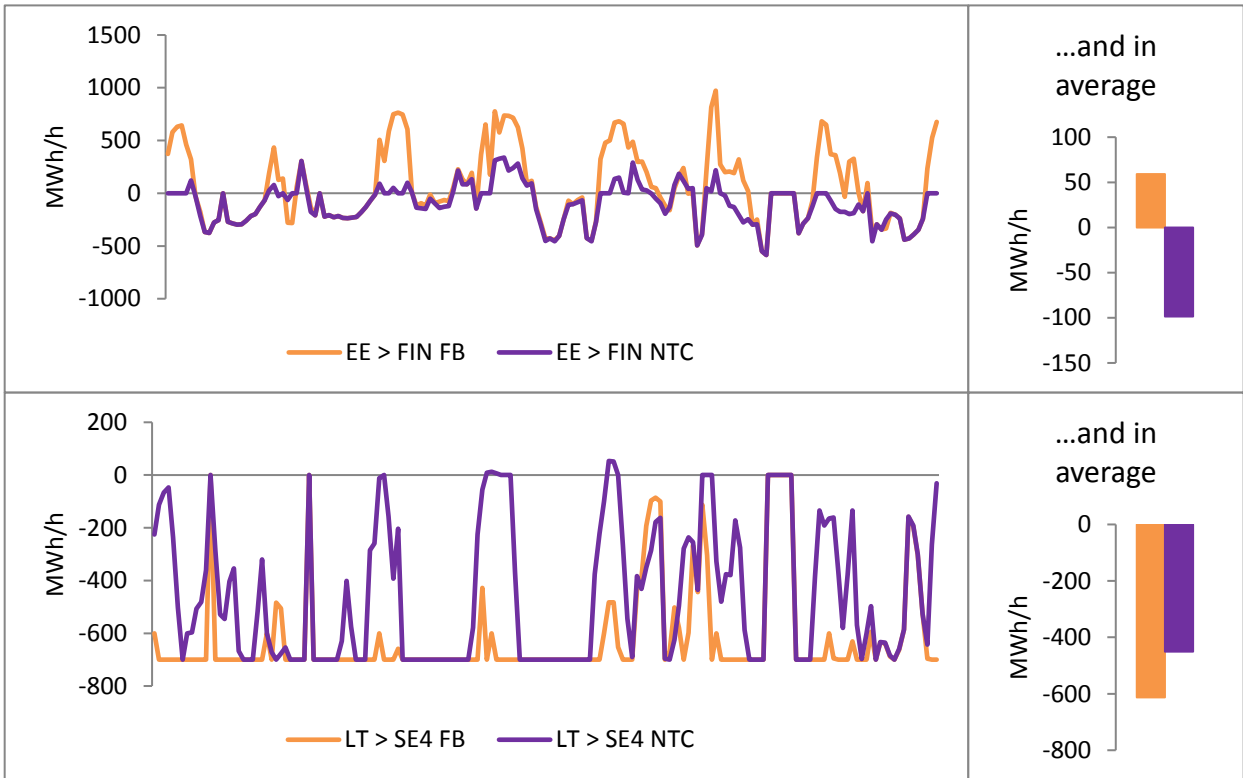




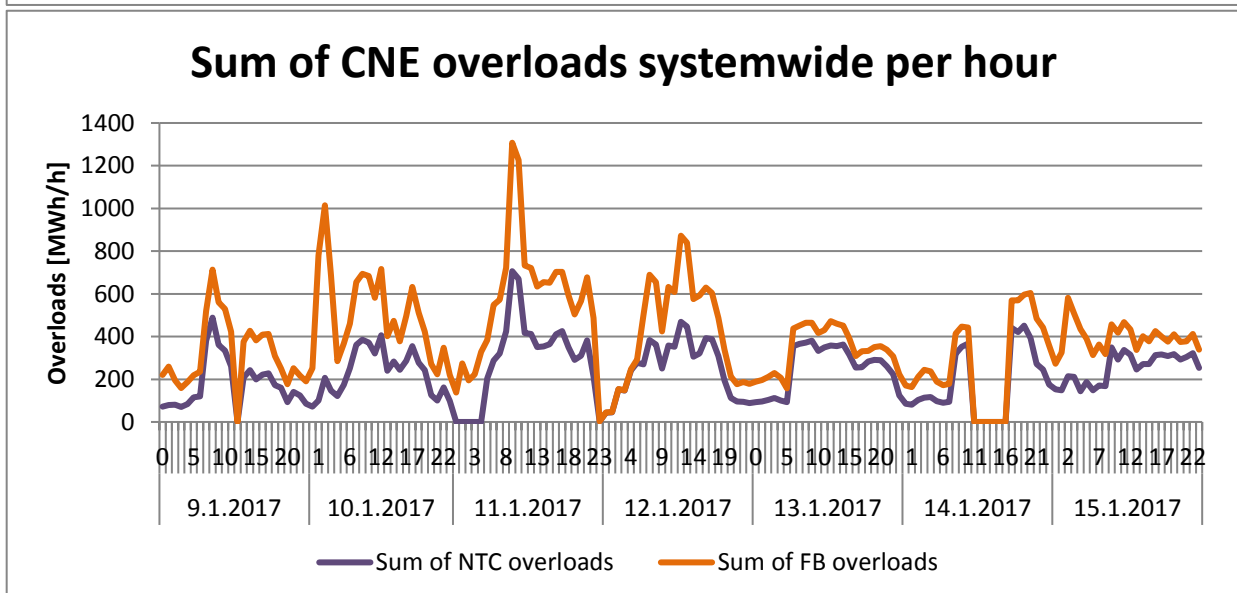
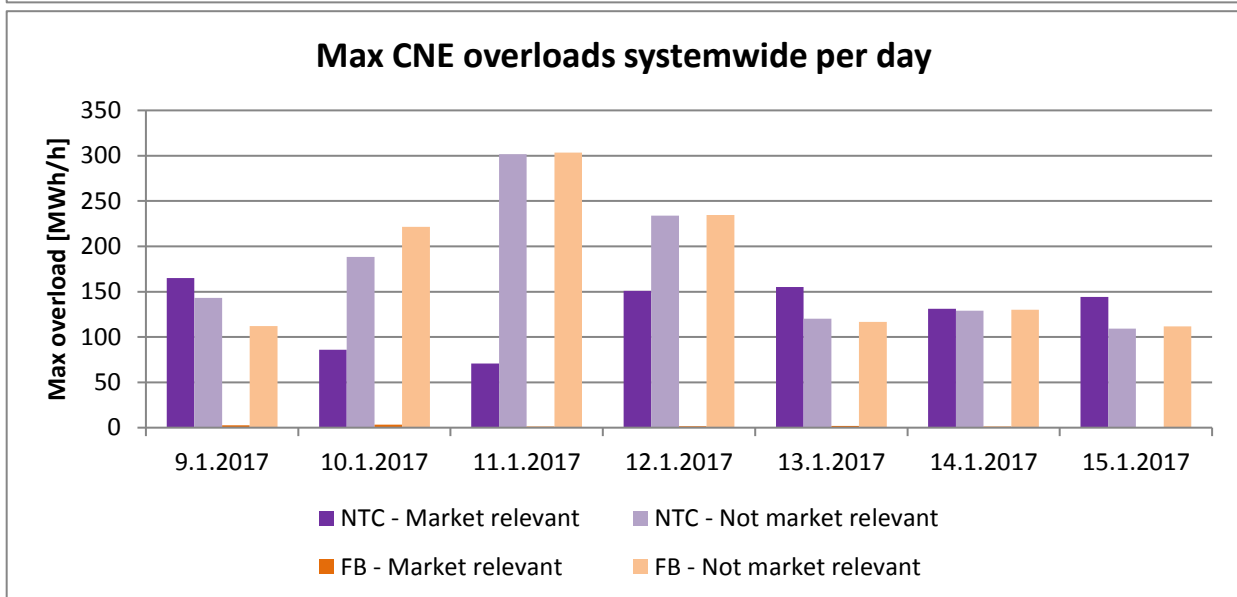
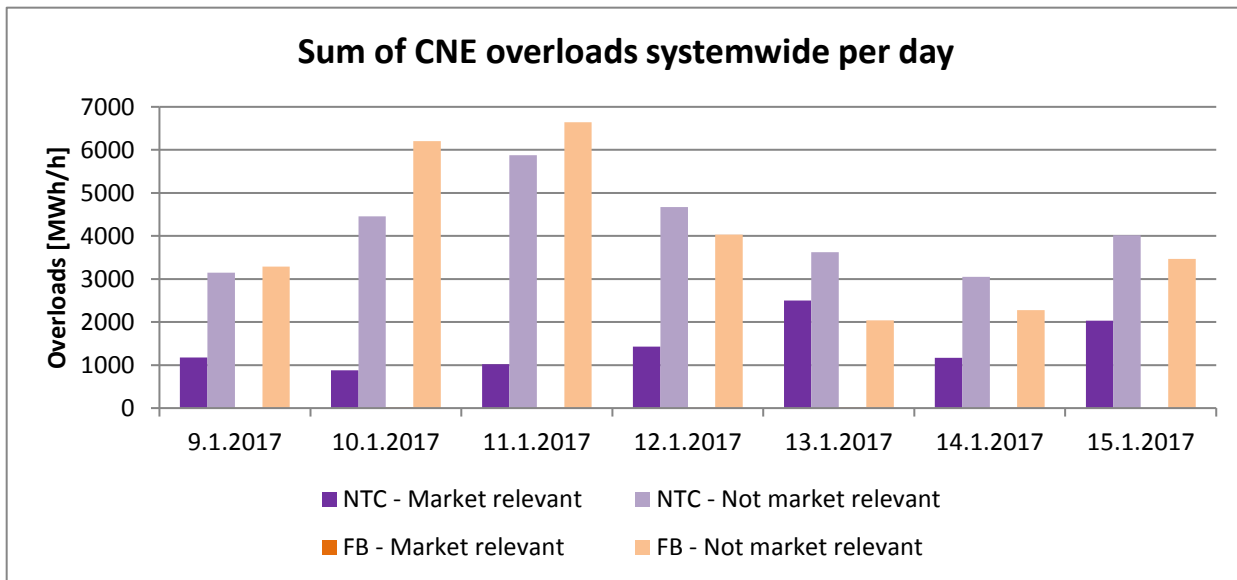








# Power system impact analysis



The figure below shows the net increase in welfare against the net reduction in overloads when using FB instead of NTC. Each dot represents one hour of the week addressed in this report. Values in the quadrant A correspond to higher welfare and larger overloads with FB. Values in quadrant B correspond to higher welfare and smaller overloads with FB. Values in the quadrant C correspond to lower welfare and smaller overloads with FB. Values in the quadrant D correspond to lower welfare and larger overloads with FB.

Average welfare gain: 245 k€  
 Median welfare gain: 115 k€

Average reduction in overloads: 69 MWh/h  
 Median reduction in overloads: 61 MWh/h

