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Upcoming WebGIS update - substation ratings and load information

Ausgrid is pleased to advise that as of 16 May 2024, ASP/3s will now be able to view our Distribution Substation Load and Rating information on the external WebGIS platform.

As a result of the feedback from our ASP/3 community and in line with Ausgrid's commitment to improve Ausgrid's connection processes, this critical network asset information will enable Ausgrid authorised ASP/3s to have visibility of network loads when designing or advising customers.

This enhancement will enable:

- greater visibility of network loads for ASP/3s when designing network assets
- > faster and more efficient options analysis for ASP/3s
- > more accurate customer connection design proposals
- > less rework with a smoother application and certification process.

What is changing

Ausgrid will publish the following information on the external WebGIS platform:

- 1. Substation rating and load information
- 2. Low voltage distributor rating and load information.

Please note that this information is provided to assist authorised Ausgrid ASP/3 designers. The information provided may not reflect the current maximum substation or low voltage distribution load and does not consider existing electrical load constraints and connection applications.

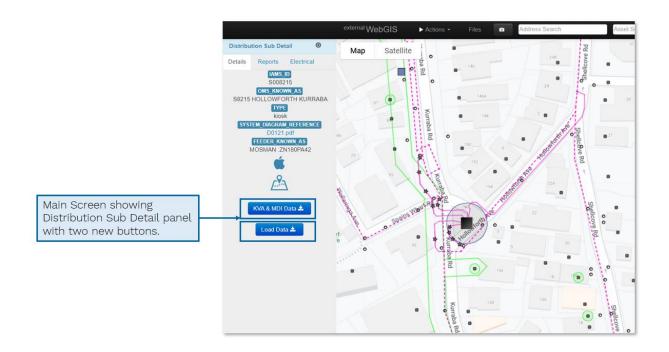
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What will it look like?

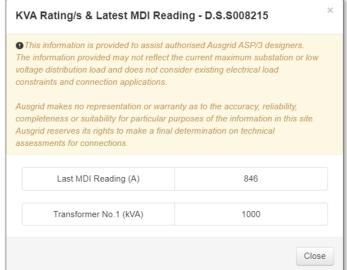
The interface looks similar, however, ASP/3s will see substation rating information and options available on the left-hand side of the WebGIS screen when selecting substations to view substation and low voltage distributor maximum demands.

There may be a delay in accessing the data of between 30 - 60 seconds. This is dependent on the internet speed.

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Pressing **KVA & MDI Data** button provides a pop-up showing substation transformer KVA rating(s) and most recent demand.



Pressing **Load Data** button provides a pop up showing detailed substation busbar and distributor loadings.



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Who can you contact for more information?

If you have any questions or feedback on the WebGIS enhancements, please contact the Connections Solutions team on the email below.

Thank you.

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