

AER Sulphur Balance (S-30) Reporting Moves from DDS to Petrinex

Jurisdiction	Published/Revised Date	Location of Change in this Document	Comment
AB	September 16, 2026	All - new TIP	Initial Release

Audience: Alberta Gas Plant Operators and their authorized reporting agents

Purpose:

To advise all Alberta gas plant operators, and any agents reporting on their behalf, that effective October 8, 2026, the monthly Sulphur Balance (S-30) Report should be submitted to the AER through Petrinex rather than through the AER's Digital Data Submission (DDS) system.

Key Dates:

- **Friday, September 25, 2026** - last day to submit or amend S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports in DDS.
- **September 26 to October 7, 2026** - transition period; no S-30 submissions or amendments can be made in either system.
- **Thursday, October 8, 2026** - first day to submit or amend S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports in Petrinex.

Background:

In accordance with [Directive 017](#), Sulphur Balance (S-30) reporting has historically been submitted using AER's Digital Data Submission (DDS) system.

After Friday, September 25, 2026, DDS will no longer be available for:

- submitting S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports;
- viewing previously submitted S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports; or
- amending S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports for prior reporting periods.

Important: From **September 26 to October 7, 2026 (inclusive)**, S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports will not be accepted. No submissions are expected during this transition period.

Key Changes:



TIP

Beginning Thursday, October 8, 2026, all S-30 Sulphur Balance reporting activities must be completed in Petrinex, including:

- submitting monthly S-30 Sulphur Balance Reports;
- amending reports for prior reporting periods; and
- viewing historical S-30 Sulphur Balance submissions.

Gas plant operators are responsible for ensuring they are able to submit and manage S-30 reporting in Petrinex as of October 8, 2026.

For more information, job aids, and learning modules related to S-30 reporting in Petrinex, please visit the [Petrinex Initiatives](#) page for this project.

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