# ERCOT Market Information System (MIS) Sandbox Release Notes

## Release Date: May 28, 2020

ERCOT has released a new sandbox version of the Market Information System (MIS). It can be accessed here: <u>https://testmis.ercot.com/public</u>

Chrome is the preferred browser for this site. If your organization uses Internet Explorer, please see ERCOT's <u>Internet Explorer (IE) 11.x Configuration Guide</u> for compatibility and configuration instructions.

Here is a quick list of item availability. Continue reading for more details on each of these items.

What's available?	What's not yet available?	Enhancements since previous release
Home page	Digital certificates	No enhancements as
Data product search	Roles	this is the first release
Topics	Access to data (Public, Secure or Certified)	
EMIL export	Ability to display reports based upon role or availability of data	
EMIL detail pages	Notices	
Category pages	Applications	
Links to ERCOT.com		

#### **Quick View**

### What is available in this sandbox release of MIS?

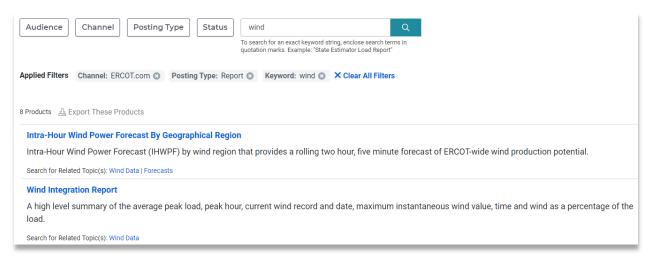
**Home page** – A temporary home page providing information needed to explore the MIS sandbox as well as available methods for submitting feedback.

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Home Data Products	Welcome to the sandbox environment for the redesigned ERCOT Market Information System (MIS). There are no digital certificates or roles needed to access this test site.	LOG IN
Notices	The goal is to give ERCOT MIS users the opportunity to explore this new interface in a test environment. The feedback you provide will help us make adjustments to improve the final user experience.	⇒3
Applications	Ready to get started?	Access additional
	Feel free to explore on your own. Attempt to perform the tasks you typically perform on MIS. If you're unsure where to begin, we suggest attempting one or more of these example tasks.  • Find a report in the SIML by narrowing down the list of products using filters. Example settings:  - Audience Filter 1.5E - Channel = MIS_Cottinde - Posting Type - Report - Reyord - Total SIML and SIML a	Information by authenticating with your digital certificate.
	Note: The purpose of the MIS redesign is not to eliminate any data currently offered on MIS or to change any ERCOT applications. Although you may not be able to access the data and/or applications you typically use within this sandbox environment, rest assured that all data an applications currently offered on MIS will be available when the redesigned site goes live. How can   provide feedback?	
	Ocmpte the Sandox MS User Survey.     Participate in spontance MS User Survey.     Send your feedback via email to verbmaster@ercot.com.     If you experience a technical issue, phase edetail the issue via email to helpdesk@ercot.com.	

**MIS badge** – Visual cue letting you know when you are authenticated to MIS and are able to see Secure and Certified data (although this functionality is not yet active within the sandbox environment).



**EMIL data product search** – Search for all reports, extracts, notices, and applications ERCOT is required to provide. Narrow a search using filters or keywords.



**Topics** – Tags on data products that, when clicked, allows the user to see similar reports or information.

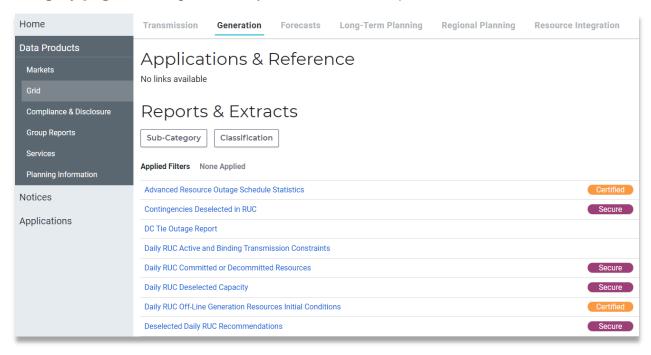
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Compliance & Disclosure	+ Show EMIL Information							
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Planning Information	Generic Report Name_September 2019	9-9-2019	11:33:58 AM	CSV		→ Browse 3 Products for Rule NP6.3.2(4)		
Notices	Generic Report Name_August 2019	8-13-2019	10:56:48 AM	xml				
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	Generic Report Name_May 2019	5-13-2019	11:42:08 AM	xml		Actuals		
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Applied Filters None Applied						
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**EMIL export** – Export the full EMIL or a subset of products in an Excel file.

EMIL detail pages – Dive deeper into the details of a specific data product.

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Category pages – Navigate directly to collections of reports and extracts.

Links to ERCOT.com - Jump to related sections of ERCOT.com.



## What isn't available in this sandbox release of MIS?

The focus of the sandbox release is to get early feedback from stakeholders on the user interface. The Production Preview Release planned for September 2020 will provide an opportunity to test out the fully functional redesigned MIS.

Currently, the MIS sandbox does not contain:

- Digital certificates
- Roles
- Public, secure or certified data
- Ability to display reports based upon role or availability of data
- Notices
- Access to applications (only placeholder links are available at this time)

Note: Some planning studies, such as INRs, are not available in the sandbox release. The team is working on display options. If you are a user of planning information, please email <u>userexperience@ercot.com</u> so that your input can be considered.

### What about MIS isn't changing?

- Digital certificate access
- No reports or extracts will be removed
- No changes to applications accessed through MIS
- API access will still be available