

CAPACITY PLANNING PRODUCTION SCHEDULE CALENDAR OF MILESTONE DATES

- 1. 2027 Principal Timetable (Dec 26)**
- 2. 2027 Subsidiary Timetable**

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16/07/2025	1	New calendar of milestones	Matt Allen

Leaf Fall Timetables (Earliest Start Dates)

Subsidiary 2027

Route	Date
LNE	30/09/27
Anglia	04/10/27
Southern	20/09/27
Western	04/10/27
Wales	30/09/27
NW&C Cent	30/09/27
NW&C North	04/10/27
NW&C WCS	04/10/27
Scotland	13/09/27 for 3S91/3S93 then 27/09/27 for the rest

****Start dates for railhead treatment can vary across the routes and regions, dependent upon many factors around weather conditions. For confirmation of each routes individual start plans please speak with the Network Services Seasonal STP team

Timetable Development Dates December 2026 - May 2027

Timetable Development Dates	Principal Change	Subsidiary Change
D73 - Formal Notification of Process Dates	18/07/2025	
International Freight Train Notice		
D70 Issue the Draft International Freight Train Notice	08/08/2025	09/01/2026
D70 to D65 Consult the Draft International Freight Train Notice	12/09/2025	13/02/2026
D60 Issue the Final International Freight Train Notice	17/10/2025	20/03/2026
Revision of Timetable Planning Rules		
D64 – Start of NR Consultation of Proposed Changes to Rules	19/09/2025	20/02/2026
D60 – End of NR consultation of proposed changes to Rules	17/10/2025	20/03/2026
Rules to Planning Publications	15/10/2025	14/05/2027
D59 – Publish ‘Draft Rules’	24/10/2025	27/03/2026
D54 – Operator Responses to ‘Draft Rules’	28/11/2025	01/05/2026
D54 to D44 – NR review Operator Responses		
Rules to Planning Publications	28/01/2026	14/05/2027
D44 – Publish ‘Final Rules’	06/02/2026	10/07/2026
D41 – End of Appeal Period ‘Final Rules’	27/02/2026	31/07/2026
Initial Consultation Period		
D64 – Publication of draft Calendar of Events	19/09/2025	20/02/2026
D55 – Publication of Strategic Capacity Statement	21/11/2025	24/04/2026
D55 – Notification by TT Participants of major TT changes	21/11/2025	24/04/2026
D55 – Start of Initial Consultation Period	21/11/2025	24/04/2026
D54 – Publication of Final Calendar of Events	28/11/2025	01/05/2026
D45 – NR to provide copy of ‘Prior Working Timetable’	30/01/2026	03/07/2026
D48 – Notification of Provisional International Paths	09/01/2026	12/06/2026
D40 – Priority Date	06/03/2026	07/08/2026
Timetable Preparation Period		
D37 - Timetable Change Risk Assessment Group	27/03/2026	28/08/2026
D40 – Start of Timetable Preparation Period	06/03/2026	07/08/2026
D32 - Timetable Change Assurance Group	01/05/2026	02/10/2026
D26 - NR Publish New Working TT	12/06/2026	13/11/2026
New WTT and associated system files available to ATOC	12/06/2026	13/11/2026
Operator responses to New WTT	26/06/2026	27/11/2026
D22 – End of Appeal Period ‘New Working Timetable’	10/07/2026	11/12/2026
D19 - Timetable Briefing process complete	31/07/2026	01/01/2027
D19 - CIF Electronic Data available	31/07/2026	01/01/2027
D9 - Timetable Extract taken for NRT Edit	09/10/2026	12/03/2027
D8 - Corresponding Day Timetable Dates Proposed to Operators	16/10/2026	19/03/2027
D4 - NRT Data sent to publishers	13/11/2026	16/04/2027
Timetable Commencement Date	13/12/2026	16/05/2027
Timetable End Date	15/05/2027	11/12/2027

Revision of The Advanced Register of Possessions (Sections 5 & 7 EAS)	Financial Year 1 st Half	Financial Year 2 nd Half
2026 – 2027	05/04/2026 – 03/10/2026	04/10/2026 – 03/04/2027
F-64 – Start of NR Consultation of Proposed Changes to the ARP	10/01/2025	11/07/2025
F-60 - End of NR consultation of proposed changes to the ARP	07/02/2025	08/08/2025
F-59 - Publish draft APR	14/02/2025	15/08/2025
F-54 - Operator Responses to draft ARP	21/03/2025	19/09/2025
F-54 to 46 - NR review Operator Responses to draft ARP		
F-46 - Publish revised ARP	16/05/2025	14/11/2025
F-43 - End of Appeal Period for revised ARP	09/06/2025	05/12/2025
2027 – 2028	04/04/2027 – 02/10/2027	03/10/2027 – 01/04/2028
F-64 – Start of NR Consultation of Proposed Changes to the ARP	09/01/2026	10/07/2026
F-60 - End of NR consultation of proposed changes to the ARP	06/02/2026	07/08/2026
F-59 - Publish draft APR	13/02/2026	14/08/2026
F-54 - Operator Responses to draft ARP	20/03/2026	18/09/2026
F-54 to 46 - NR review Operator Responses to draft ARP		
F-46 - Publish revised ARP	15/05/2026	13/11/2026
F-43 - End of Appeal Period for revised ARP	08/06/2026	04/12/2026

Bank and Public Holidays 2026 and 2027

Bank and Public Holidays	2026	2027
New Year's Day	1 st January	1 st January
2 nd January (Scotland)	2 nd January	4 th January
Good Friday	3 rd April	26 th March
Easter Monday (England and Wales)	6 th April	29 th March
Early May Bank Holiday	4 th May	3 rd May
Spring Bank Holiday	25 th May	31 st May
Summer Holiday (Scotland)	3 rd August	2 nd August
Late Summer Holiday (England & Wales)	31 st August	30 th August
St Andrew's Day (Scotland)	30 th November	30 th November
Christmas Day	25 th December	25 th December
Boxing Day	26 th December	26 th December

Days Covered by Bank Holiday Excepted (BHX)

New Year's Day
2 nd January (Scotland)
Good Friday
Easter Monday (England and Wales)
Early May Bank Holiday
Spring Bank Holiday
Late Summer Holiday (Scotland)
Late Summer Holiday (England & Wales)
St Andrew's Day (Scotland)

Principal Timetable Change December 2026-2027 Revision Schedule

Planning week	TT Week Commences	Operator Proposal/Bid		NR Offer		Offer Response		NR Publication	
38	13/12/2025	22/08/2025	16	29/08/2025	14	12/09/2025	13	19/09/2025	12
39	20/12/2025	29/08/2025	16	05/09/2025	14	19/09/2025	13	26/09/2025	12
40	27/12/2025	05/09/2025	16	12/09/2025	14	26/09/2025	13	03/10/2025	12
41	03/01/2026	12/09/2025	16	19/09/2025	14	03/10/2025	13	10/10/2025	12
42	10/01/2026	19/09/2025	16	26/09/2025	14	10/10/2025	13	17/10/2025	12
43	17/01/2026	26/09/2025	16	03/10/2025	14	17/10/2025	13	24/10/2025	12
44	24/01/2026	03/10/2025	16	10/10/2025	14	24/10/2025	13	31/10/2025	12
45	31/01/2026	10/10/2025	16	17/10/2025	14	31/10/2025	13	07/11/2025	12
46	07/02/2026	17/10/2025	16	24/10/2025	14	07/11/2025	13	14/11/2025	12
47	14/02/2026	24/10/2025	16	31/10/2025	14	14/11/2025	13	21/11/2025	12
48	21/02/2026	31/10/2025	16	07/11/2025	14	21/11/2025	13	28/11/2025	12
49	28/02/2026	07/11/2025	16	14/11/2025	14	28/11/2025	13	05/12/2025	12
50	07/03/2026	14/11/2025	16	21/11/2025	14	05/12/2025	13	12/12/2025	12
51	14/03/2026	21/11/2025	16	28/11/2025	14	12/12/2025	13	19/12/2025	12
52	21/03/2026	28/11/2025	16	05/12/2025	14	19/12/2025	13	26/12/2025	12
53	28/03/2026	05/12/2025	16	12/12/2025	14	26/12/2025	13	02/01/2026	12
1	04/04/2026	12/12/2025	16	19/12/2025	14	02/01/2026	13	09/01/2026	12
2	11/04/2026	19/12/2025	16	26/12/2025	14	09/01/2026	13	16/01/2026	12
3	18/04/2026	26/12/2025	16	02/01/2026	14	16/01/2026	13	23/01/2026	12
4	25/04/2026	02/01/2026	16	09/01/2026	14	23/01/2026	13	30/01/2026	12
5	02/05/2026	09/01/2026	16	16/01/2026	14	30/01/2026	13	06/02/2026	12
6	09/05/2026	16/01/2026	16	23/01/2026	14	06/02/2026	13	13/02/2026	12
7	16/05/2026	23/01/2026	16	30/01/2026	14	13/02/2026	13	20/02/2026	12

Subsidiary Timetable Change December 2026-2027 Revision Schedule

Planning week	TT Week Commences	Operator Proposal/Bid		NR Offer		Offer Response		NR Publication	
8	23/05/2026	30/01/2026	16	06/02/2026	14	20/02/2026	13	27/02/2026	12
9	30/05/2026	06/02/2026	16	13/02/2026	14	27/02/2026	13	06/03/2026	12
10	06/06/2026	13/02/2026	16	20/02/2026	14	06/03/2026	13	13/03/2026	12
11	13/06/2026	20/02/2026	16	27/02/2026	14	13/03/2026	13	20/03/2026	12
12	20/06/2026	27/02/2026	16	06/03/2026	14	20/03/2026	13	27/03/2026	12
13	27/06/2026	06/03/2026	16	13/03/2026	14	27/03/2026	13	03/04/2026	12
14	04/07/2026	13/03/2026	16	20/03/2026	14	03/04/2026	13	10/04/2026	12
15	11/07/2026	20/03/2026	16	27/03/2026	14	10/04/2026	13	17/04/2026	12
16	18/07/2026	27/03/2026	16	03/04/2026	14	17/04/2026	13	24/04/2026	12
17	25/07/2026	03/04/2026	16	10/04/2026	14	24/04/2026	13	01/05/2026	12
18	01/08/2026	10/04/2026	16	17/04/2026	14	01/05/2026	13	08/05/2026	12
19	08/08/2026	17/04/2026	16	24/04/2026	14	08/05/2026	13	15/05/2026	12
20	15/08/2026	24/04/2026	16	01/05/2026	14	15/05/2026	13	22/05/2026	12
21	22/08/2026	01/05/2026	16	08/05/2026	14	22/05/2026	13	29/05/2026	12
22	29/08/2026	08/05/2026	16	15/05/2026	14	29/05/2026	13	05/06/2026	12
23	05/09/2026	15/05/2026	16	22/05/2026	14	05/06/2026	13	12/06/2026	12
24	12/09/2026	22/05/2026	16	29/05/2026	14	12/06/2026	13	19/06/2026	12
25	19/09/2026	29/05/2026	16	05/06/2026	14	19/06/2026	13	26/06/2026	12
26	26/09/2026	05/06/2026	16	12/06/2026	14	26/06/2026	13	03/07/2026	12
27	03/10/2026	12/06/2026	16	19/06/2026	14	03/07/2026	13	10/07/2026	12
28	10/10/2026	19/06/2026	16	26/06/2026	14	10/07/2026	13	17/07/2026	12
29	17/10/2026	26/06/2026	16	03/07/2026	14	17/07/2026	13	24/07/2026	12
30	24/10/2026	03/07/2026	16	10/07/2026	14	24/07/2026	13	31/07/2026	12
31	31/10/2026	10/07/2026	16	17/07/2026	14	31/07/2026	13	07/08/2026	12
32	07/11/2026	17/07/2026	16	24/07/2026	14	07/08/2026	13	14/08/2026	12
33	14/11/2026	24/07/2026	16	31/07/2026	14	14/08/2026	13	21/08/2026	12
34	21/11/2026	31/07/2026	16	07/08/2026	14	21/08/2026	13	28/08/2026	12
35	28/11/2026	07/08/2026	16	14/08/2026	14	28/08/2026	13	04/09/2026	12
36	05/12/2026	14/08/2026	16	21/08/2026	14	04/09/2026	13	11/09/2026	12
37	12/12/2026	21/08/2026	16	28/08/2026	14	11/09/2026	13	18/09/2026	12
38	19/12/2026	28/08/2026	16	04/09/2026	14	18/09/2026	13	25/09/2026	12

End.