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**General - Facility Instructions Process**

**Model Documentation**



The European message format for the gas market

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# 49 1 Model Detail

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## 60 2 Document usage decision table

61 The following decision table provides a summary of the message requirements depending on the type of message:

Instructions Document	Instruction Forecast	Setting Forecast	Operational Instructions	Instructions Response	Instructions Confirmation
identification	Mandatory.				
version	Mandatory.				
documentCode	AIG = Instruction Forecast.	AL8 = Setting Forecast.	AEG = Operational Instructions.	AFG = Instruction Response.	ALG = Instruction Confirmation.
creationDateTime	Mandatory.				
validityPeriod	Mandatory.				
applicationContext	May be used. Deprecated attribute which will be removed in the next version of Edig@s.				
issuer_MarketParticipant.identification	Mandatory; codingScheme = 305 (EIC Party X code).				
issuer_MarketParticipant.marketRole.roleCode	ZUQ = Production Facility Operator.	ZUW = Transmission System Operator	ZUW = Transmission System Operator.	ZUQ = Production Facility Operator.	ZUW = Transmission System Operator.
recipient_MarketParticipant.identification	Mandatory; codingScheme = 305 (EIC Party X code).				
recipient_MarketParticipant.marketRole.roleCode	ZUW = Transmission System Operator.	ZUQ = Production Facility Operator.	ZUQ = Production Facility Operator.	ZUW = Transmission System Operator.	ZUQ = Production Facility Operator.
connectionPoint.identification	Mandatory; codingScheme = 305 (EIC Measurement Point Z or Y code) or ZSO.				
measureUnit.unitOfMeasureCode	KW1 = Kilowatt-hour per hour (kWh/h). KW2 = Kilowatt-hour per day (kWh/d). MQ6 = Normal cubic meter per hour (nm <sup>3</sup> /h). MQ7 = Normal cubic meter per day (nm <sup>3</sup> /d).				
Period.timeInterval	Mandatory.				
Period.direction.gasDirectionCode	Z02 = Input quantity. Z03 = Output quantity.				

quantity.amount	Mandatory.
SourceConnectionPoint.identification	May be used to identify an entry connection point; codingScheme = 305 (EIC Measurement Point Z or Y code) or ZSO. If used no destination connection point allowed.
identification	May be used an exit connection point; codingScheme = 305 (EIC Measurement Point Z or Y code) or ZSO. If used no source connection point allowed
statusCode	May be used 32G = Increased. 33G = Decreased. 34G = Confirmed.

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### 63 3 Facility Instructions Process

#### 64 3.1 Business Process

65 The Edig@s standard has been created to facilitate the exchanges required to support the activities for the exchange  
66 of information within gas market. The principal activities within the facility setting process are outlined in the use  
67 case diagram in figure 1.  
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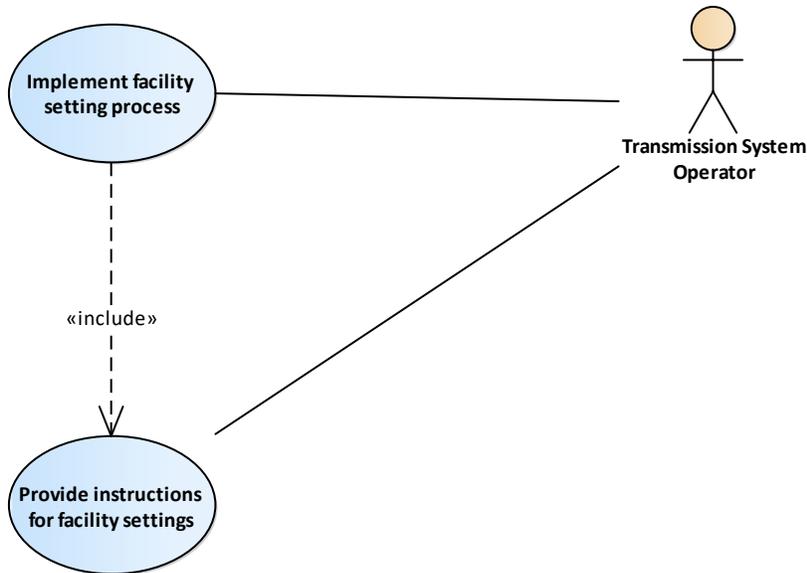
##### 69 3.1.1 Facility setting use case

70 The facility setting use case in figure 1 shows the use case that is possible within the process which is to provide  
71 different facilities with the operational settings for the injection or withdrawal of gas;

72 The actors involved in the facility setting process are:

- 73 1. The Transmission System Operator.
- 74 2. The Production Facility Operator.

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Figure: 1 Facility setting use case

### 79 3.1.2 Facility setting sequence

80 A Production Facility Operator may send a forecast of the quantity of gas to be produced through the use of flow 1  
81 in order to enable the Transmission System Operator to be aware of the quantity of gas that may be supplied (flow  
82 1). This phase may occur at any time.

83 A Transmission System Operator may send a setting forecast of the quantity of gas to be produced through the use  
84 of flow 2 in order to enable the Production Facility Operator to prepare for the supply of the quantity of gas  
85 required. This phase may occur at any time.

86 When the Transmission System Operator has determined the exact requirements operational instructions are sent to  
87 the respective Production Facility Operators (flow 3).

88 The Production Facility Operators reply with an Instruction Response that may modify the quantities initially  
89 requested by the Transmission System Operator (flow 4).

90 The Transmission System Operator takes the contents of the Instruction Response into consideration and finally  
91 sends an Instruction Confirmation that confirms the quantities to be produced (flow 5).  
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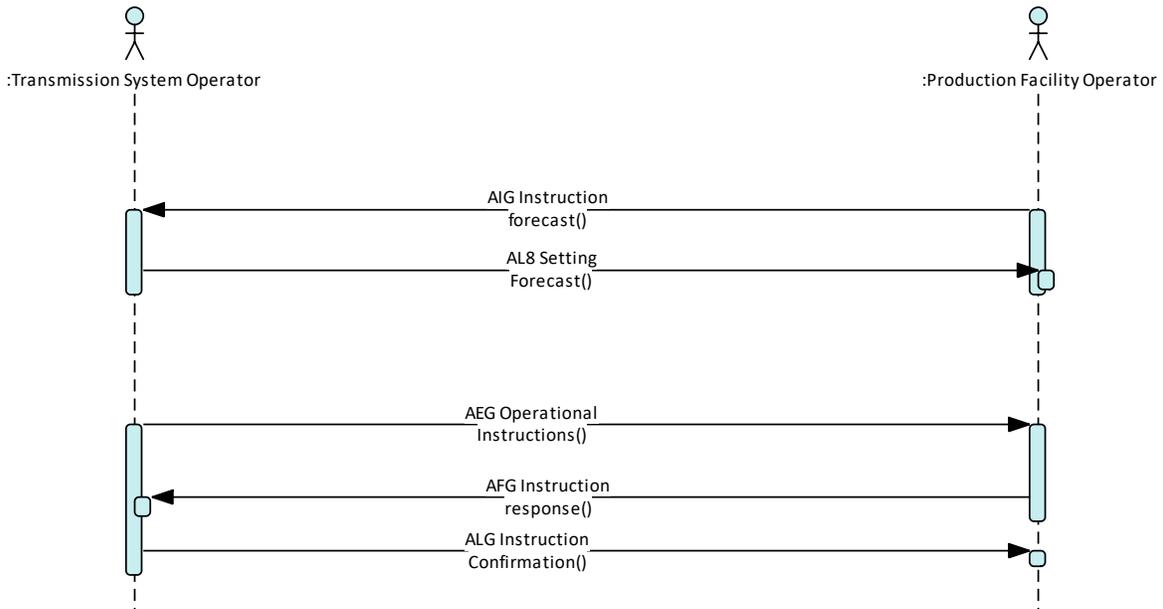


Figure: 2 Facility setting sequence

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### 96 3.1.3 Facility setting workflow

97 A Production Facility Operator may initially forecast the quantity of gas to be produced and inform the

98 Transmission System Operator to enable the preparation for the supply of the quantity of gas required.

99 When the Transmission System Operator has determined the exact requirements the Production Facility Operators

100 are informed through a setting forecast. The Production Facility Operators acknowledge requirements on reception.

101 When the gas requirements are finalised the Transmission System Operator sends the operational instructions to the

102 Production Facility Operators. A Production Facility Operator may accept the quantities requested or may modify

103 the quantities requested through the use of the instruction response that is sent to the Transmission System Operator

104 who consequently takes the modifications into consideration.

105 The process is finalised when the Transmission System Operator transmits an instruction confirmation to the

106 Production Facility Operators confirming the quantities to be produced. The Production Facility Operators must

107 systematically acknowledge receipt of the confirmation.

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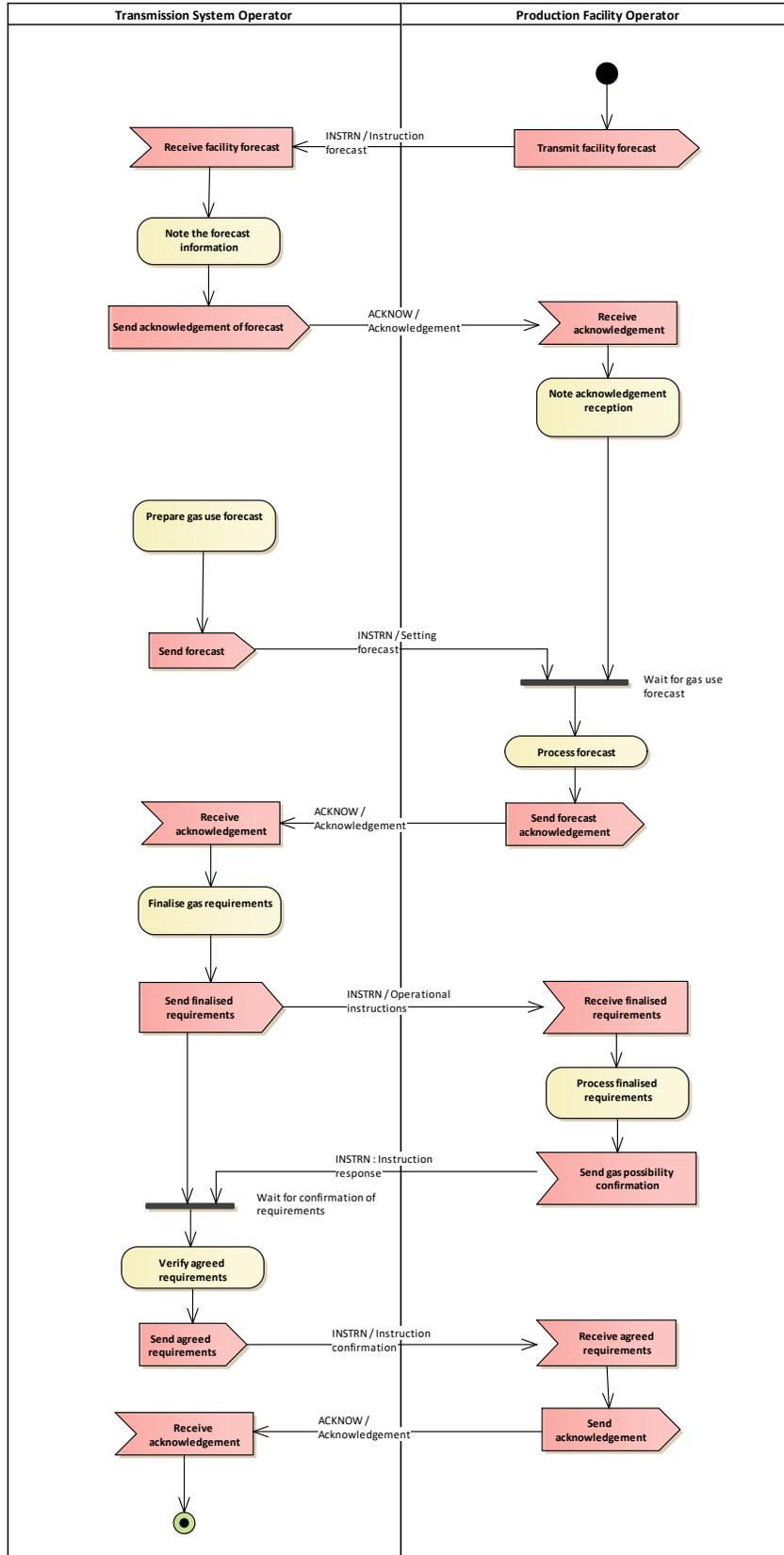


Figure: 3 Facility setting workflow

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### 111 3.1.4 Facility setting possibilities

112 An Instructions Document may address a single connection point or multiple connection points. The following three  
113 diagrams describe the different possibilities for the use of the model:

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115 1. *An unspecified source and destination (see entry and exit defined in the instructions class).*

116 In this case only the Period class related directly with the Instructions Document class shall be used to provide the  
117 time series information. This is the general case.

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119 2. *An unspecified source with multiple destinations (see entry defined in the instructions class; exit defined in the*  
120 *destination class).*

121 In this case the Period class related to the Instructions Document class shall be used to provide the time series  
122 information entering the Connection Point.

123 The Destination Connection Point class shall be used to identify the connection point for each destination.

124 The Period class related to the Destination Connection Point class shall be used to provide the time series  
125 information for each destination connection point.

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127 3. *Multiple specified sources with one or multiple destinations (entry defined in the source class and exit defined in*  
128 *the destination class).*

129 In this case there is no Period class related to the Instructions class.

130 The Source Connection Point class shall be used to identify the connection point for each source.

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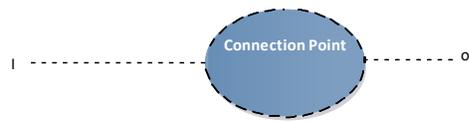
132 The Period class related to the Source Connection Point class shall be used to provide the time series information for  
133 each source connection point.

134 The Destination Connection Point class shall be used to identify the connection point for each destination.

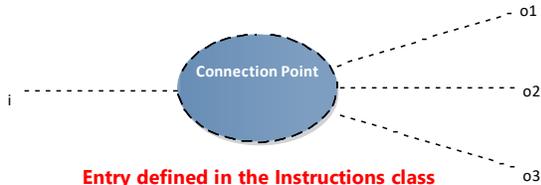
135 The Period class related to the Destination Connection Point class shall be used to provide the time series  
136 information for each destination connection point.

137 Note: The possibility of multiple source connection points and a single destination point uses this same possibility  
138 with only one Destination Connection Point class.

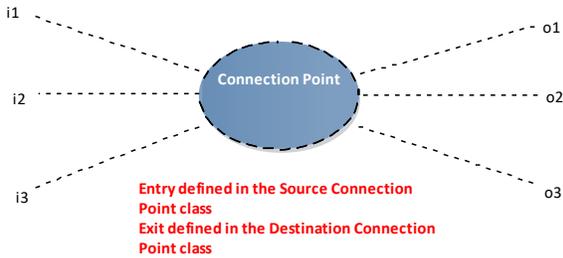
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Entry and exit defined in the Instructions class



Entry defined in the Instructions class  
Exits defined in the Destination class



Entry defined in the Source Connection Point class  
Exit defined in the Destination Connection Point class

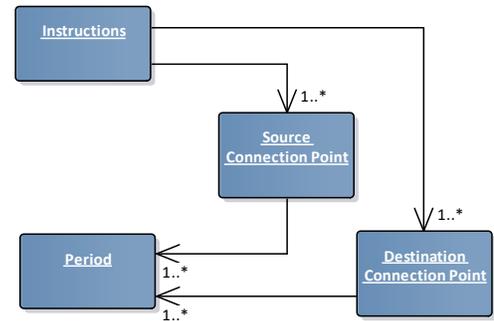
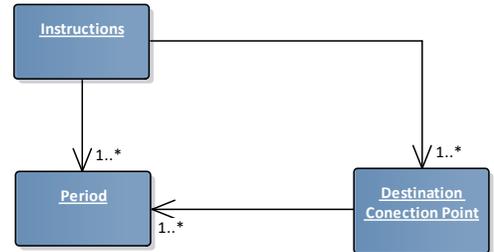
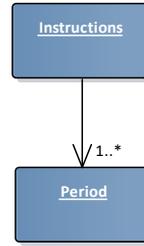


Figure: 4 Facility setting possibilities

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143 **3.2 Instructions Document (INSTRN)**

144 **3.2.1 Instructions Document Contextual Model**

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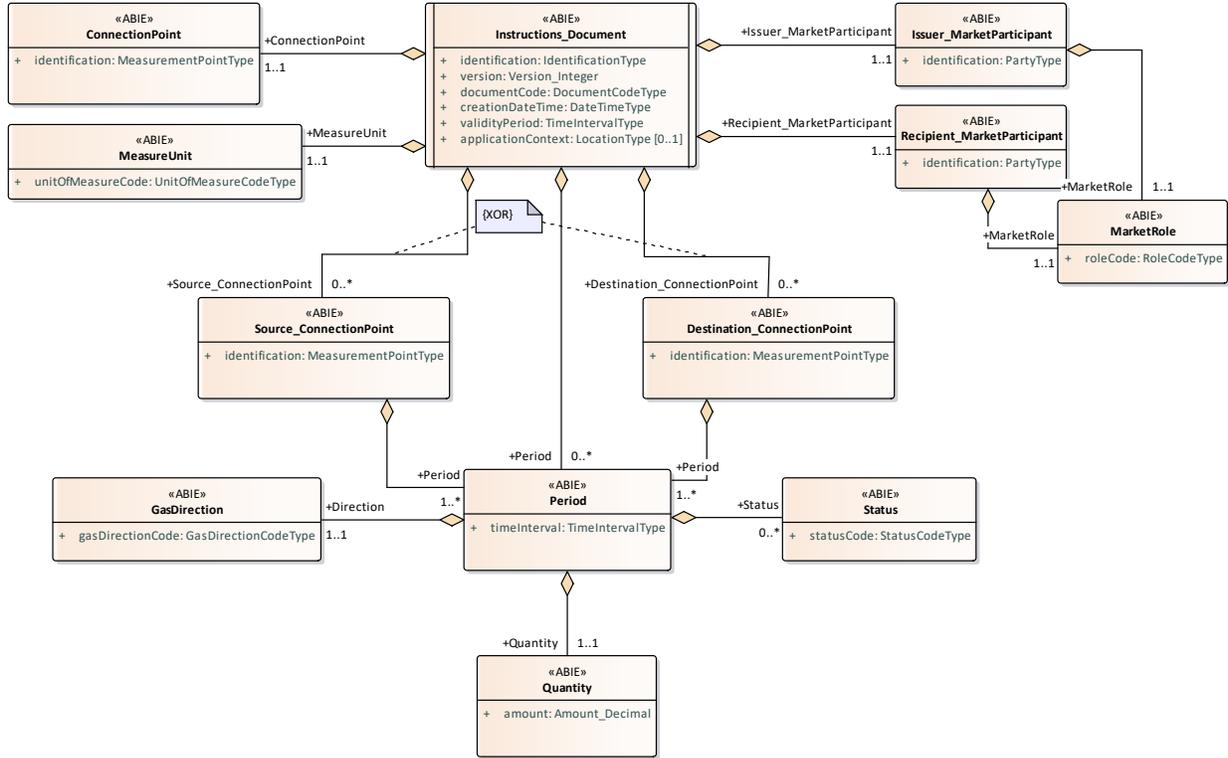


Figure: 5 **Instructions Document Contextual Model**

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### 3.2.2 Instructions Document Assembly Model

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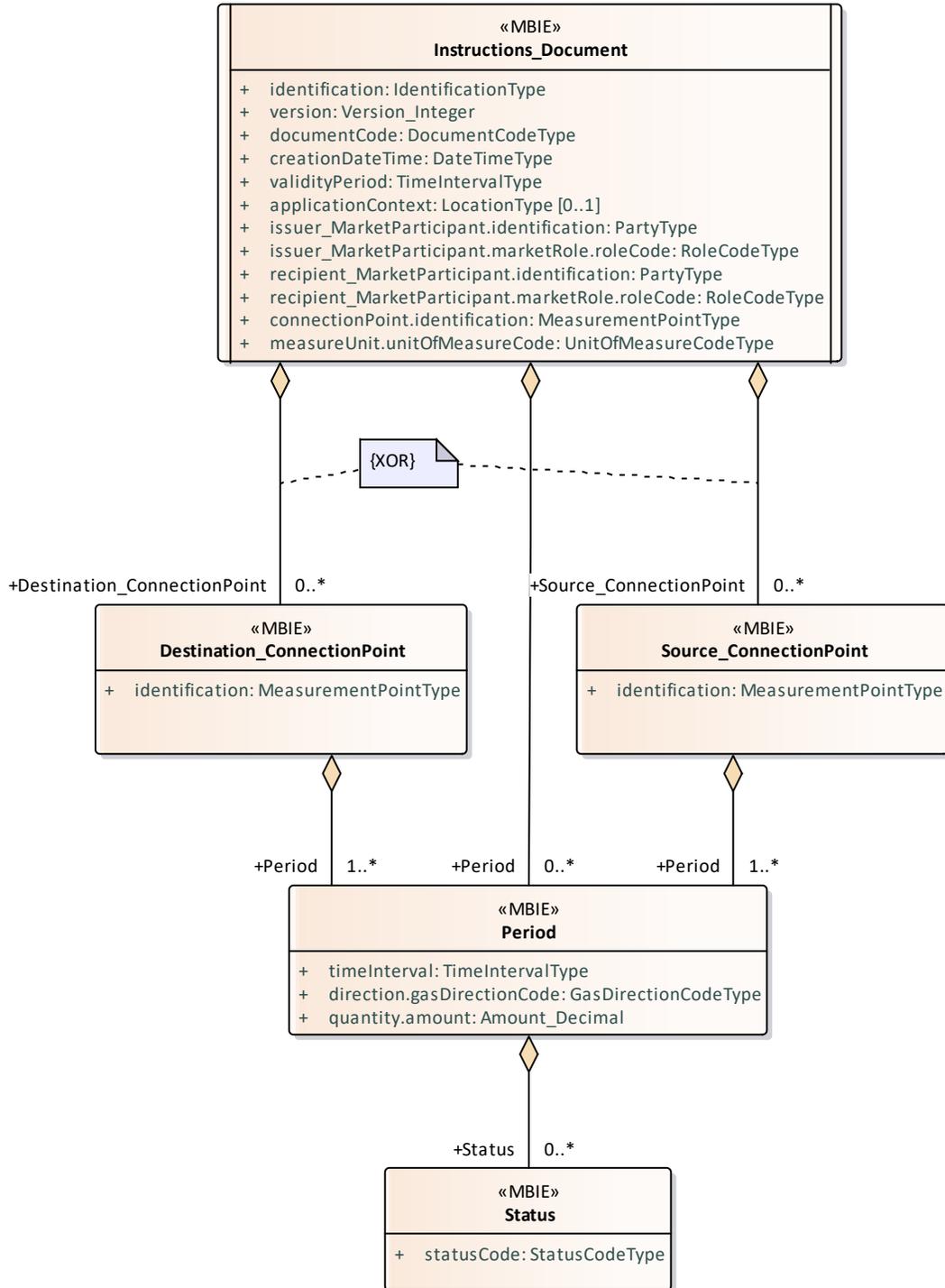


Figure: 6 Instructions Document Assembly Model

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155 **3.2.2.1 Instructions\_Document**

156 This class provides the basic information needed to describe most electronic documents.

157 **3.2.2.1.1 Attributes**

Attribute	Description	Multiplicity
identification	A unique identification of a document that is assigned by the issuer. This identifies the document being reported.	
version	Version of the document being sent. The first version number for a given document identification shall normally be 1. The document version number must be incremented for each retransmission of a document that contains changes to the previous version. The receiving system shall only accept a document with a version number which is greater than the previous version number of the same document.	
documentCode	Coded representation of the type of the electronic document.	
creationDateTime	Date and time of the creation of the current document expressed in UTC.	
validityPeriod	The start and end date and time of the period of validity covered in the document.	
applicationContext	The application context is used to identify a particular context (a location identification, an application identification, etc.) that is relevant to the recipient of the document.	[0..1]
issuer_MarketParticipant.identification	The identification of the party participating in the market. --- The issuer of the document.	
issuer_MarketParticipant.marketRole.roleCode	A code identifying the role played by a market participant in the market.  --- The issuer of the document. --- The role of the issuer of the document.	
recipient_MarketParticipant.identification	The identification of the party participating in the market. --- The recipient of the document.	
recipient_MarketParticipant.marketRole.roleCode	A code identifying the role played by a market participant in the market.  --- The recipient of the document. --- The role of the recipient of the document.	
connectionPoint.identification	The identification of a connection point.	
measureUnit.unitOfMeasureCode	The coded representation of a unit of measure using the UN/CEFACT Recommendation 20 common codes.	

158 **3.2.2.2 Destination\_ConnectionPoint**

159 A cross-border interconnection point, whether it is physical or virtual, between two or more member states as well  
160 as interconnection between adjacent entry-exit-systems within the same member states. It may be used on the  
161 internal market.

162 The Destination Connection Point class is only necessary if there are multiple destinations. It may also be used in  
163 the case of multiple source connection points and a single destination connection point.

164 **3.2.2.2.1 Attributes**

Attribute	Description	Multiplicity
identification	The identification of a connection point.	

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166 **3.2.2.3 Source\_ConnectionPoint**

167 A cross-border interconnection point, whether it is physical or virtual, between two or more member states as well  
 168 as interconnection between adjacent entry-exit-systems within the same member states, in so far as these points are  
 169 subject to booking procedures by Capacity Responsible Parties. It may be used on the internal market.

170 The Source Connection Point class shall only be used if there are multiple source connection points. In the case it is  
 171 used, the association between the Instructions Document class and the Period class is not permitted.

172 **3.2.2.3.1 Attributes**

Attribute	Description	Multiplicity
identification	The identification of a connection point.	

173 **3.2.2.4 Period**

174 The period that the dependent information is for.

175 There must always be a Period class.

176 If there is only one source connection point, the Period class is associated directly with the Instructions Document  
 177 Class.

178 If there are multiple source connection points, the direct association between the Instructions Document class and  
 179 the Period class is not permitted.

180 **3.2.2.4.1 Attributes**

Attribute	Description	Multiplicity
timeInterval	The start and end date and time for the period. The time is expressed in UTC.	
direction.gasDirectionCode	A code identifying the direction of a gas flow.	
quantity.amount	The amount of a quantity.	

181 **3.2.2.5 Status**

182 The status of an object.

183 Whenever a quantity has a status indicating an evolution this class shall be used.

184 **3.2.2.5.1 Attributes**

Attribute	Description	Multiplicity
statusCode	A code providing the status of an object.	

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## 186 4 Document Change Log

### 187 4.1 Version

#### 188 4.1.1 Attributes

Attribute	Description	Multiplicity
Version 1 2020-06-29	Initial release.	
Version 2 2021-07-05	Release 6.1	

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