

Membership in the Power-to-X Safety Network

Terms of membership



Foreword

Power-to-X Safety Network

Get in touch with like-minded professionals and share valuable experience and knowledge in a progressive community of Power-to-X pioneers.

The Power-to-X Safety Network was founded by FORCE Technology and DBI, the Danish Institute of Fire and Security Technology, to accelerate activities needed to make power-to-X and green fuels safe and reliable. We believe that sharing knowledge, problems, and solutions will play an important role in the transition to green energy.

These by-laws are designed to provide an overview of the terms of membership for the Power-to-X Safety Network.

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Purpose

The Power-to-X Network's primary focus is on helping its members establish a broad, diverse network of safety experts. Network meetings will support this focus by being planned in such a way as to support the development of connections to like-minded individuals and colleagues at the businesses that make up the Power-to-X community.

The network meets at FORCE Technology's Hørsholm and Brøndby locations, at the Danish Institute of Fire and Security Technology (DBI) in Hvidovre, and at participating businesses. At meetings, colleagues from the industry and from research institutions in Denmark gather to exchange mutually beneficial knowledge and feedback.

Power-to-X Safety Network meetings

The network meets three to six times each year. Network meetings are catered and typically last half a day.

Network meetings are generally conducted in English. If all presenters and participants at a meeting speak Danish, meetings may also be held in Danish.

Meetings are held in Hørsholm, Brøndby, and Hvidovre at the following addresses, or at participating businesses by arrangement:

FORCE Technology
Venlighedsvej 4
2970 Hørsholm

FORCE Technology
Park Allé 345
2605 Brøndby

DBI, the Danish Institute of Fire and Security Technology
Jernholmen 12
2650 Hvidovre

Meeting invitations are sent via email to registered contacts at participating businesses. Emails include a registration link to confirm attendance.

Each network meeting addresses a main topic, typically chosen by the members based on current needs. FORCE Technology and DBI contribute relevant information on the topic, and members contribute their own experiences, knowledge, and case studies. A portion of each meeting's time is also set aside for general sharing of experiences and information from FORCE Technology and DBI.

The agenda for a typical meeting might look like this:

1. Presentations on the main topic from one or more presenters
2. Opportunity to exchange experiences
3. Presentations from testing equipment vendors, government agencies, industry figures, and specialists
4. Miscellaneous

Knowledge base

The Power-to-X Safety Network has a knowledge base that contains professionally relevant materials and information from all network meetings. Only members of the Power-to-X Safety Network can access materials from network meetings.

Discounts on relevant courses and events

FORCE Technology and DBI offer discounts on selected courses and events for members of the Power-to-X Safety Network. The value and nature of such discounts are indicated in the invitations sent out for these events. Members will receive information via email when an event is offered.

Membership and dues

Company membership is subscribed for one year at a time. The membership gives the right to participate in the Power-to-X Safety Network meetings with up to two persons per meeting. However, more people can attend a meeting against paying a fee.

In exchange for giving occasional presentations at network meetings, universities and government agencies can purchase discounted memberships.

Each member company or member institution appoints one contact person. The primary contact person is responsible for the company or institution in fulfilling conditions for membership of the Power-to-X Safety Network, found in appendix 1. The same person is also the recipient of the annual invoice covering the membership of the Power-to-X Safety Network.

A company membership gives the right to participate in the Power-to-X Safety Network's meetings with up to two optional participants per meeting.

The annual company quota in DKK excl. VAT is:

- Membership: DKK 5,000 per year
- Payment for participants in addition to two people amounts to DKK 1,250 per participant, per meeting

Non-members wishing to participate in Power-to-X Safety Network meetings must pay a fee of 1,750 DKK per participant, per meeting.

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Annex 1

Terms of membership for the Power-to-X Safety Network

1. The purpose of the Power-to-X Safety Network is to accelerate activities needed to make power-to-X and green fuels safe and reliable.

A group of industry-leading safety experts will develop valuable knowledge of use in handling the safety challenges facing the industry, as well as offering valuable input to legislators, developing industry guidelines, and promoting best practices.

The primary focus is on helping members establish a broad, diverse network of safety experts. Network meetings will support this focus by being planned in such a way as to support the development of connections to professionally like-minded individuals and colleagues at the businesses that make up the Power-to-X community.

2. Individuals associated with a business or academic institution may become members of the Power-to-X Safety Network. Prospective members must supply a CVR [Danish Central Business Register] number for invoicing purposes. They must also designate a contact person and provide the person's mailing address.
3. FORCE Technology and DBI can deny membership to businesses, individuals, academic institutions, etc., whose membership in the Power-to-X Safety Network, in FORCE Technology's and DBI's opinion, would be detrimental to the fulfillment of the network's purpose. Membership of the Power-to-X Safety Network presupposes a high degree of mutual confidentiality, just as the membership must not intend to exploit knowledge of the members to market its services or products.
4. A company membership gives the right to participate in the Power-to-X Safety Network's meetings with up to two participants per meeting. Only members and employees of member companies/-institutions can participate in the network meetings. Participants in addition to two per meeting must pay a separate fee. Non-members wishing to participate in Power-to-X Safety Network meetings must pay a special fee per meeting. For details, see the section on memberships and dues.

5. Membership may confer discounts for certain related events.
6. Dues must be paid per company membership. Dues for an entire year must be paid in advance. A fee will be charged for late payments. The amount and structure of membership dues shall be set by FORCE Technology and DBI.
7. A Power-to-X Safety Network membership may be cancelled at any time during the year for which it is valid, in which case it shall expire at the end of the year. A membership shall be deemed to have been cancelled in time for the following year if an invoice for membership dues is returned with a cancellation notice affixed and received by FORCE Technology or DBI no later than on 31 December. Failure to pay membership dues in a timely manner constitutes grounds for FORCE Technology and DBI to consider the member to have cancelled the membership in question.
8. In their behaviour, their work within the network, and their use of materials and information provided by other members, members of the Power-to-X Safety Network shall be obligated to ensure that information and opinions may be exchanged without the risk of misuse. Members shall not use their knowledge of the Power-to-X Safety Network's membership for marketing purposes, nor shall they use materials or information from other members in such a way as might directly or indirectly damage the other members. FORCE Technology and DBI's work is confidential. In the event that a member inadvertently gains access to information not publicly available regarding FORCE Technology or DBI, their customers, or their projects, the member shall neither make use of the information nor forward it to third parties.
9. If a member of the Power-to-X Safety Network becomes aware of a violation of the member obligations set out in section 8 above, the member shall inform FORCE Technology or DBI of the violation immediately.
10. FORCE Technology or DBI may at any time terminate a membership in the Power-to-X Safety Network with

immediate effect and refund any dues paid during or after the year in which the termination occurs. Terminated members shall not be permitted to bring any claims against FORCE Technology or DBI pursuant to such a termination, except for a claim for a refund of dues.

11. FORCE Technology and DBI may modify these terms at any time. The modified terms shall take effect one month after the modified terms are, at FORCE Technology and DBI's discretion, either sent to the members via email to their designated contact persons or sent by mail to their designated contact addresses.
12. In the event that a member cannot accept the modified terms, the member may cancel their membership in accordance with section 7 and request a refund of dues paid. Participation in the activities of the Power-to-X Safety Network after the entry into force of modified terms shall be deemed acceptance of the modified terms.
13. A member's obligations under section 8 above shall persist beyond the termination of membership regardless of the reason for the termination.



The Power-to-X Safety Network terms are valid from 1 January 2024.

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