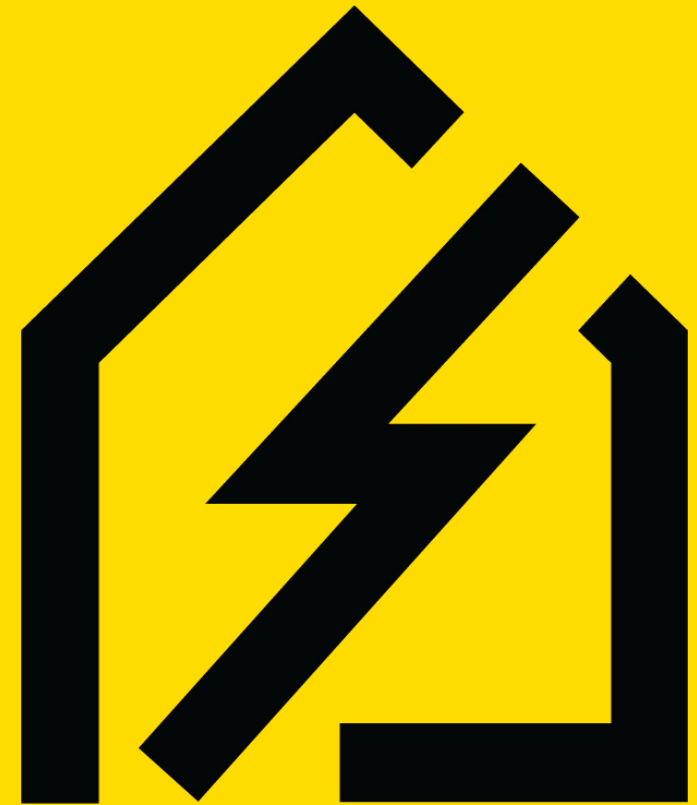


## PRACTICAL EXAMPLE

**Calculations for the  
consumption/injection of  
your facility**

**Ⓢ-REDES**



# Understand how your facility's consumption/injection calculations are made

Practical example based on an Excel exported from the Digital Counter

The data appears in 15-minute intervals. This is because consumption related to self-consumption is calculated based on the **Quarter-Hourly Balance** (or Saldo Quarto Horário - SQH, in portuguese) (i.e., every 15 minutes).

This balance determines the values that will be considered for billing the consumption contract and for the surplus sale contract (if applicable).

## What represents each column?

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
15	Data	Hora	Consumo medido na IC, Ativa (kW)	Estado	Injeção na rede medida na IC, Ativa (kW)	Estado	Consumo registado (kW)	Estado	Injeção registada (kW)	Estado	Valor após SQH	
16	2024/03/01	00:15	0,872	Real	0	Real	0,872	Real	0	Real	0,872	Consumo
17	2024/03/01	00:30	0,796	Real	0	Real	0,796	Real	0	Real	0,796	Consumo
18	2024/03/01	00:45	0,828	Real	0	Real	0,828	Real	0	Real	0,828	Consumo
19	2024/03/01	01:00	0,764	Real	0	Real	0,764	Real	0	Real	0,764	Consumo
20	2024/03/01	01:15	0,74	Real	0	Real	0,74	Real	0	Real	0,74	Consumo
21	2024/03/01	01:30	0,5	Real	0	Real	0,5	Real	0	Real	0,5	Consumo
22	2024/03/01	01:45	0,264	Real	0	Real	0,264	Real	0	Real	0,264	Consumo

Column A  
**Date**

Column B  
**Time**

The measurements are taken every quarter-hour (15-minute period).

Column C  
**Measured Consumption at the CF (Consumption Facility), Active (kW)**

Accounts for the consumption recorded in a specific quarter-hour (15-minute period) after calculating the Quarter-Hourly Balance (SQH).

Columns D, F, H, J  
**Status**

The data always corresponds to actual values.

Column E  
**Injection into the Grid Measured at the CF (Consumption Facility), Active (kW)**

Accounts for the injection recorded in a specific quarter-hour, after applying the Quarter-Hourly Balance (SQH).

Column G  
**Registered Consumption Status (kW)**

Accounts for the total consumption recorded in a specific quarter-hour. Used to calculate the **Quarter-Hourly Balance (SQH)**.

Column I  
**Registered Injection Status (kW)**  
Accounts for the total injection recorded in a specific quarter-hour. Used to calculate the **Quarter-Hourly Balance (SQH)**.

Column K  
**Value after SQH**  
If the value is positive, the balance results in a Consumption (column C). If it is negative, it results in an Injection (column E).

Column L  
**Consumption / Injection**  
Depending on the values after SQH (positive or negative), there will be either consumption or injection during the respective quarter-hour (15-minute period).

## Practical examples for calculating consumption

How to interpret the values of each row

### Example: March 1 - Between 8h45 and 9h00

14	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
15	Data	Hora	Consumo medido na IC, Ativa (kW)	Estado	Injeção na rede medida na IC, Ativa (kW)	Estado	Consumo registrado (kW)	Estado	Injeção registrada (kW)	Estado	Valor após SQH	
51	2024/03/01	09:00	0,148	Real	0	Real	0,204	Real	0,056	Real	0,148	Consumo

- Consumed: **0,204 kW** / (Column G)
- Injected into the grid: **0,056 kW** / (Column I)

The registered consumption was higher than the registered injection, the **Quarter-Hourly Balance (SQH)** =  $0.204 - 0.056 = 0.148$  (Column K). A **positive** SQH means that the interval resulted in a **consumption** (Column L).

### Example: March 1 - Between 11h00 and 11h15

14	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
15	Data	Hora	Consumo medido na IC, Ativa (kW)	Estado	Injeção na rede medida na IC, Ativa (kW)	Estado	Consumo registrado (kW)	Estado	Injeção registrada (kW)	Estado	Valor após SQH	
60	2024/03/01	11:15	0	Real	0,256	Real	0,136	Real	0,392	Real	-0,256	Injeção

- Consumed: **0,136 kW** (Column G)
- Injected into the Grid: **0,392 kW** / (Column I)

The registered consumption was lower than the registered injection, so the **Quarter-Hourly Balance (SQH)** =  $0.136 - 0.392 = -0.256$  (Column K). A **negative** SQH means that the interval resulted in an **injection** (Column L).

The **measured consumption at the CF** (Column C) is therefore **0 kW**, and the **measured injection into the grid at the CF** (Column E) is **0.256 kW**.

