

# Operation Note n°1/2026 - 02.01.2026 (initial)

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## EXCEPTIONAL OPERATING SITUATION – COLD SNAP

The forecasts of the State Meteorological Agency announce a drop in temperatures, resulting in a cold snap between January 4 and 7, 2026, according to the criteria defined in the Winter Action Plan for the operation of the gas system dated September 26, 2021.

The **extraordinary increase in conventional demand** compared to the values expected under normal temperature conditions amounts to 458 GWh between January 4 and 7. The current inventory levels in LNG tanks and underground storage facilities guarantee coverage of all scheduled demand.

*In accordance with the provisions of the current Winter Action Plan for the operation of the gas system, the following is declared:*

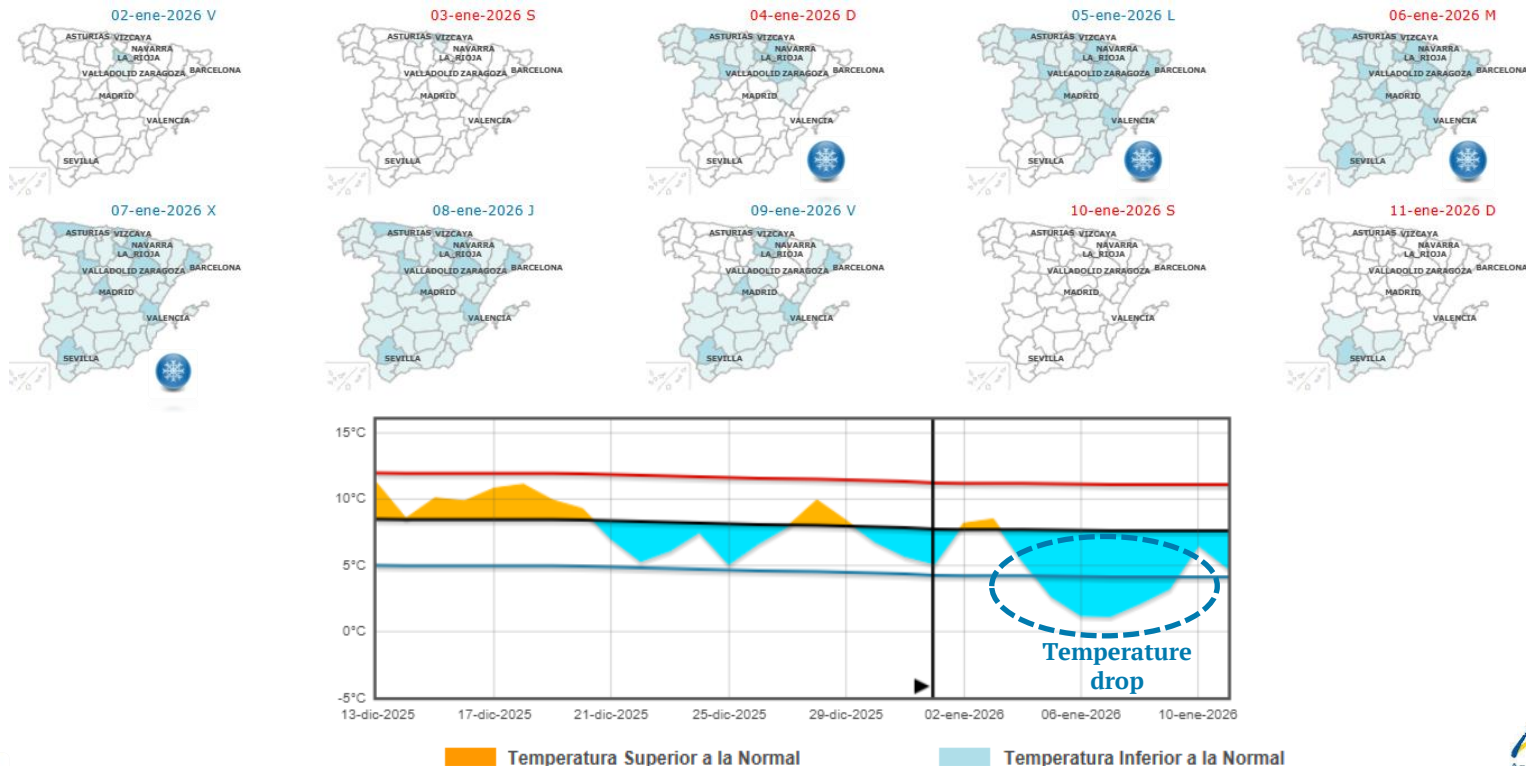
***EXCEPTIONAL OPERATION SITUATION – COLD WAVE starting at 06:00 hours on January 4, 2026, and until further notice.***

\*Cold Snap definition according to established by the 26th September 2021 resolution, from the Dirección General de Política Energética y Minas, by which the Winter Action Plan for the operation of the gas system is approved: period in which the gas system temperatura is below the fluctuation range for at least three consecutive days or Protección Civil declares warning for expected meteorological phenomenon as rain, wind, ice, snow, or others.

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### Gas System Temperatures



Temperatures below its fluctuation range

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The **extraordinary increase** expected with regard to the demand forecast under standard conditions is **458 GWh** between January 4th and January 7th, period of maximum confidence of weather forecasts.

### Δ extra demand with regard initial forecast

|                                     | PREV<br>04-ene-26      |                              |                 | PREV<br>05-ene-26      |                              |                 | PREV<br>06-ene-26      |                              |                 | PREV<br>07-ene-26      |                              |                 |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
|                                     | Demanda Prev (GWh/día) | Demanda día normal (GWh/día) | Δ Demanda GWh/d | Demanda Prev (GWh/día) | Demanda día normal (GWh/día) | Δ Demanda GWh/d | Demanda Prev (GWh/día) | Demanda día normal (GWh/día) | Δ Demanda GWh/d | Demanda Prev (GWh/día) | Demanda día normal (GWh/día) | Δ Demanda GWh/d |
| Demanda Convencional Gas de Emisión | 715                    | 579                          | 136             | 831                    | 774                          | 57              | 814                    | 579                          | 235             | 927                    | 896                          | 30              |
| Cisternas                           | 16                     | 16                           |                 | 38                     | 38                           |                 | 17                     | 17                           |                 | 50                     | 50                           |                 |
| Total Demanda Convencional          | 731                    | 595                          |                 | 870                    | 813                          |                 | 831                    | 596                          |                 | 976                    | 946                          |                 |