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Topic: FTTP-only FSAM - Timeframe

Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:

What is NBN Co's latest assumption for the average timeframe involved in completing an FTTPonly FSAM, from the date a contract is issued for design to the date the FSAM becomes Ready for Service?

Answer:

The period from Design Commenced to Ready for Service (RFS) can vary greatly depending on the size and complexity of an individual Fibre Serving Area Module. For Fibre-to-the-Premises (FTTP) only Serving Area Modules (SAMs) this currently averages 23 months.