

GridEx V Fact Sheet

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Overview

The Electricity Information Sharing and Analysis Center (E-ISAC) hosts its grid security exercise (GridEx) every two years. GridEx is an opportunity for industry and government to demonstrate how they would respond to and recover from simulated coordinated cyber and physical security threats and incidents, strengthen their crisis communications relationships, and provide input for lessons learned. The E-ISAC conducted <u>GridEx V</u> on November 13–14, 2019 and plans to publish the *GridEx V After-Action Report* in March 2020. For more information on GridEx V, please contact E-ISAC Events.

Objectives

The following were the objectives for GridEx V:

- Exercise incident response plans
- Expand local and regional response
- Engage interdependent sectors
- Increase supply chain participation
- Improve communication
- Gather lessons learned
- Engage senior leadership

Participation Numbers

Total participants: 7,000+

Total participating organizations: 526

Electricity entities¹: 277

■ FBI field offices: 29

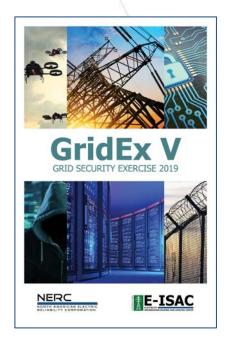
State governments: 26

Natural gas sector²: 16

Water sector: 13

Telecommunications sector: 3

Finance sector: 2



¹ 56 electric entities are also vertically-integrated natural gas companies

² Includes natural gas production, transmission, and distribution