

This is an overview of the entire cable route construction timetable detailing the work, the current programme dates and a brief description of the works involved. Please note that the programme is subject to variation.

General cable route works

Mobilisation	August 2020	Contractors set up construction compounds which will include some ground works and the transport of temporary cabins, plant, equipment and materials. Temporary access points created.
Cable route excavation and ducting	September 2020	Work begins to excavate the cable trenches and install ducting. A number of smaller work areas will be underway at the same time.
Cable pulling	November 2020	Export cable arrives on site and is pulled through the installed ducting using mechanical winches at 'pull pits'.
Cable jointing and testing	December 2020	The various lengths of installed cable are joined together at 'joining bays' and tested to ensure electrical circuit connection.

Landfall works

Preparation for offshore cable	October 2020 - March 2021	A temporary construction compound will be set up and construction will begin.
Installation of first of three offshore circuits	July 2021 - August 2021	The first of the three circuits will be created by the joining of the offshore export cable to the onshore cable.
Connection of the last two offshore circuits	Autumn / Winter 2021	The two remaining circuits will be connected.

Reinstatement works and energisation

Reinstatement works	June 2021 - January 2022	Work will be undertaken to reinstate the ground along the cable route and remove temporary access points as required under the planning consent.
Energisation and first power	Winter 2021	The transmission system will undergo final testing before the first energy generated by the Seagreen offshore wind farm is transmitted along the route to the Tealing substation and on to the national electricity network.
Project completion	Summer 2022	Final energisation/connection of the last two circuits.