

Institute of Pricing and Regulation of Natural Monopolies

- Established in 1995 within the structure of the National Research University Higher School of Economics
- Key areas of activity are connected with scientific research, expert analytical work and provision of educational programmes in the sphere of energy and infrastructure industries:
 - Power industry
 - Gas industry
 - Railways
 - Heat supply
 - Water and sanitation
- Collaborate with federal and regional government agencies and companies prioritizing the following issues:
 - Elaboration of recommendations for restructurisation processes and legislative amendments
 - Formulation of tariff design methodology documentation
 - Tariff design implementation and approval
 - Development of analytical reports on industry specific issues and pertinent forecasts
 - Working out of regional industry development strategies
- Experience in competition analysis for product markets with the application of Federal Antimonopoly Service methodologies (provision of expert assessment on dispute settlements in courts)
- Partners: the Ministry of Economic Development of the Russian Federation, the Ministry of Energy of the Russian Federation, regional state agencies and companies
- Close cooperation with other research departments of HSE (the Institute for Industrial and Market Studies, the Institute of Legal Research, the Institute of Legal Regulation, the Centre of Development Institute, etc.)