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Introduction and Schedule

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**Smart Distribution Systems
for a Low Carbon Energy Future Workshop**

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Objective

The workshop is designed to illustrate requirements for the distribution management system of the future through examples of advanced distribution system applications that are being implemented around the world. These applications include advanced voltage and reactive power control, integration of distributed resources, demand response, real time state estimation for optimizing performance, automatic reconfiguration, integration of advanced metering, etc. The tutorial will include a focus on modeling requirements for the distribution system of the future to support real time simulations, voltage control, new load models, and integration of distributed resources.



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Schedule

❑ *Development of the Smart Distribution System –*

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❑ *Smart Distribution Roadmap at Hydro Québec –*

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❑ *Active Distribution Network Concepts –*

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- ❑ ***Advanced Distribution Management at EDF –***
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- ❑ ***Integration of Distributed Renewables and Electric Vehicle Charging in Ireland –***
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- ❑ ***Model Requirements for Smart Distribution –***
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Development of the Smart Distribution System

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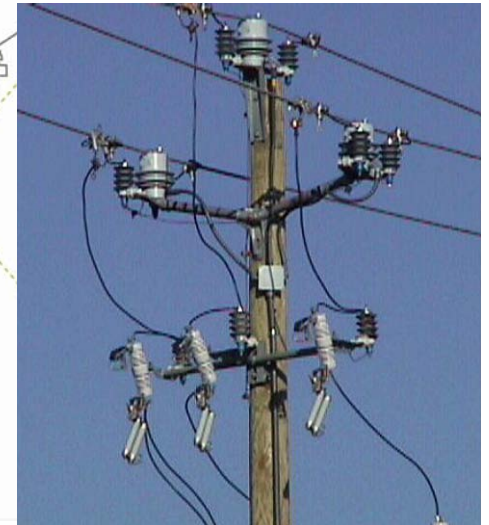
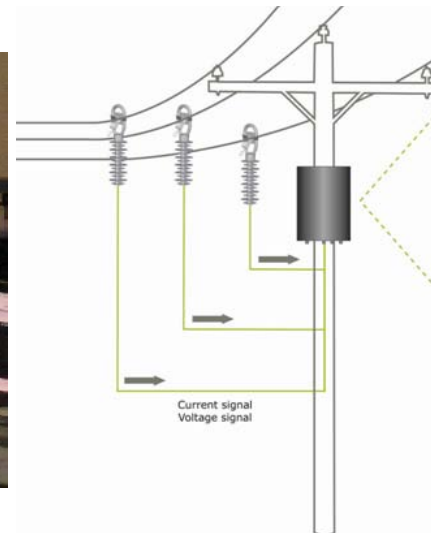
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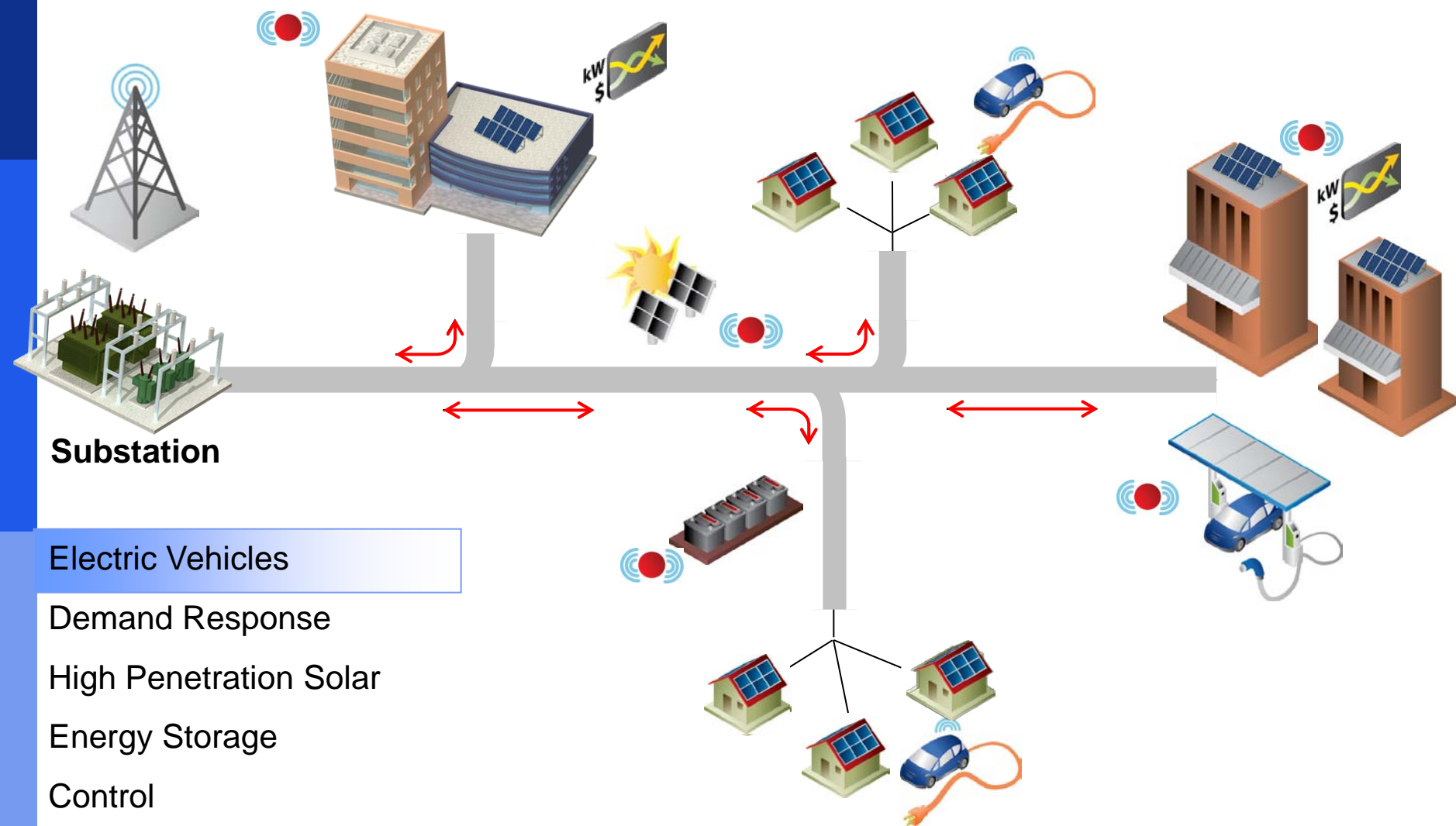


- **What is “Smart Distribution”?**
- **Building blocks for smart distribution**
- **Smart Distribution Applications**
 - What they are
 - How they work
 - Benefits they provide

What is Smart Distribution?

Continuous monitoring of distribution assets located in substations and out on the feeders, and control of these assets for improved efficiency, reliability, and performance, without compromising safety and asset protection





Substation

Electric Vehicles

Demand Response

High Penetration Solar

Energy Storage

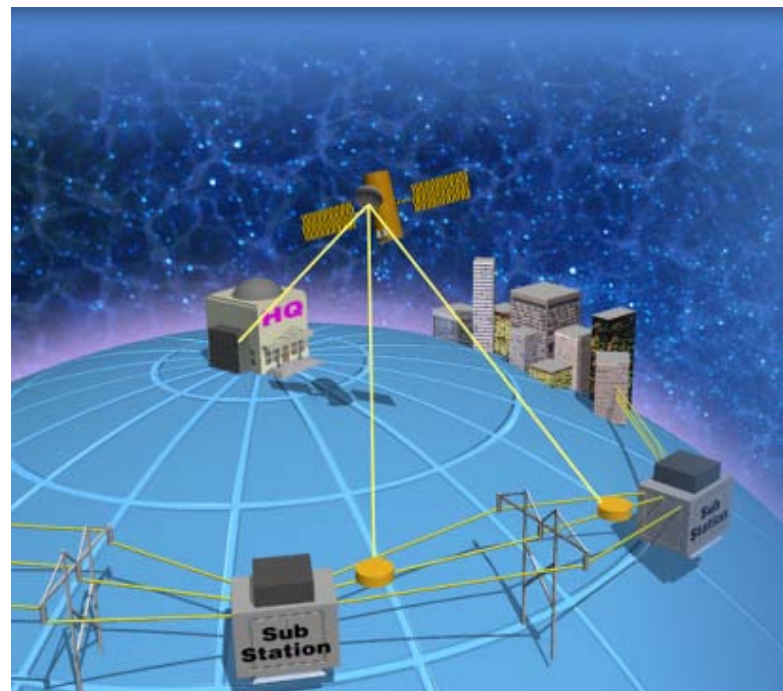
Control

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Characteristics of the Smart Distribution Grid – The Intelligrid Vision

Makes use of communications, computing & power electronics to create a system that is:

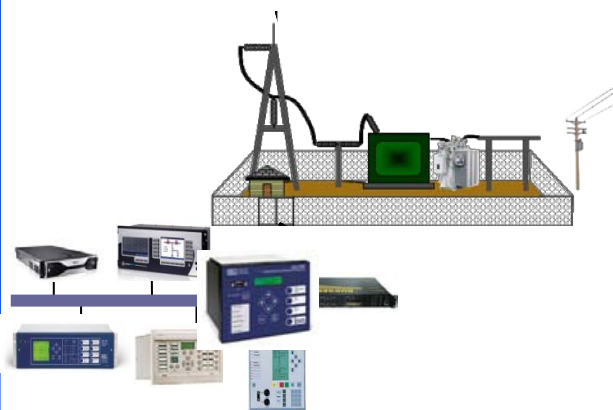
- *Self-Healing* and *Adaptive*
- *Interactive* with consumers and markets
- *Optimized* to make best use of resources and equipment
- *Predictive* rather than reactive, to prevent emergencies
- *Distributed* across geographical and organizational boundaries
- *Integrated*, merging monitoring, control, protection, maintenance, EMS, DMS, marketing, and IT
- *More Secure* from attack



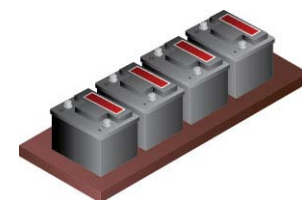


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Building Blocks for Smart Distribution



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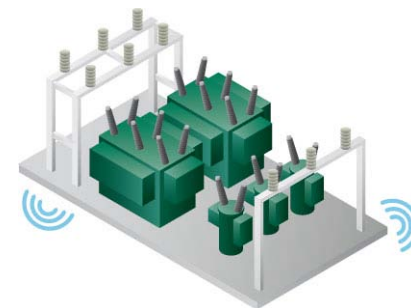


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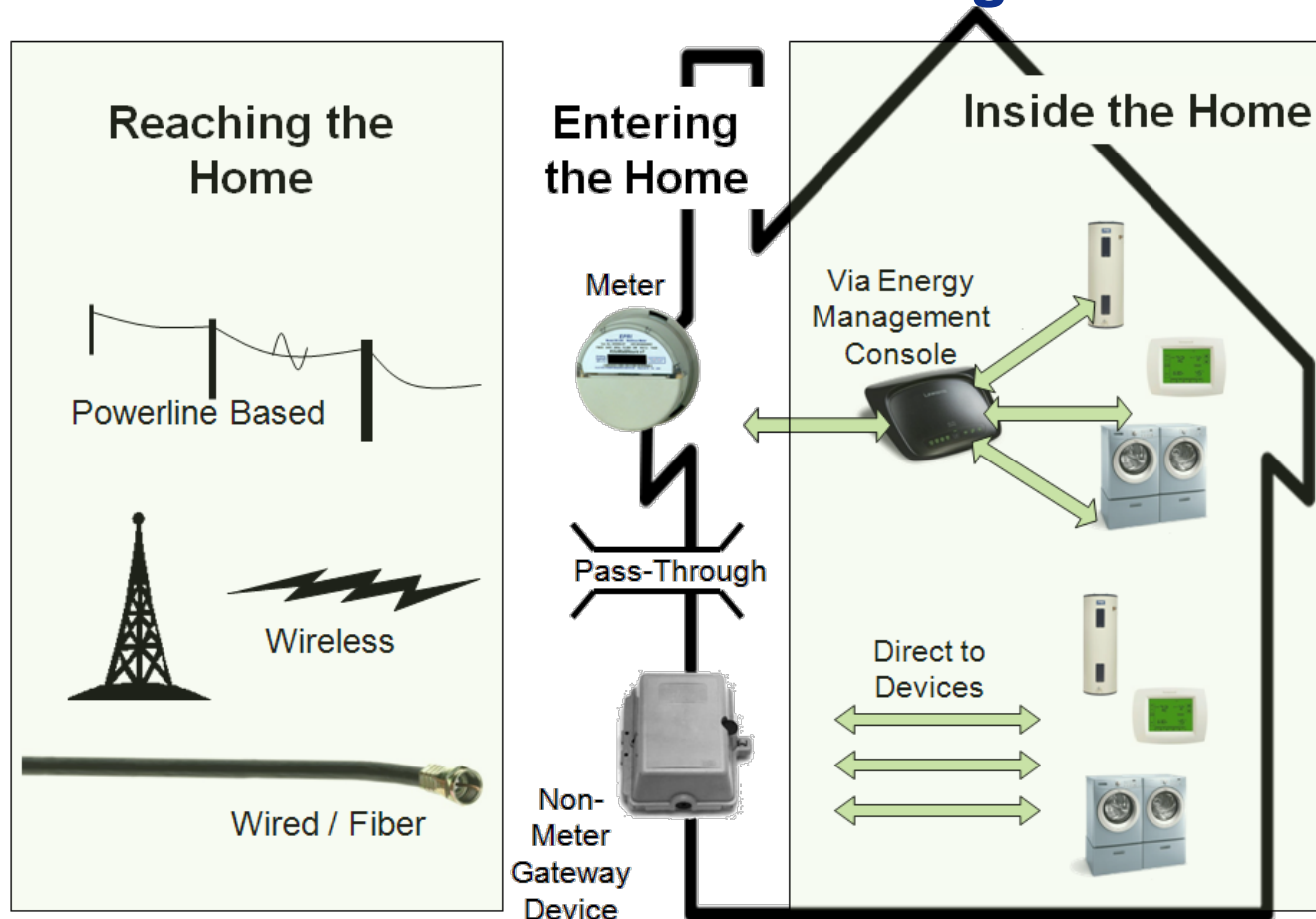


Key Smart Distribution Applications

- ❑ Demand-side Integration and Empowering Customers
 - Price Signals & Technology
- ❑ Improving Reliability and Power Flow
 - Automatic Reconfiguring or “Self-Healing”
 - Advanced Volt/VAR Control
- ❑ Reducing Green House Gases
 - Deploying Renewables
 - Optimizing Operation of Centralized Generation



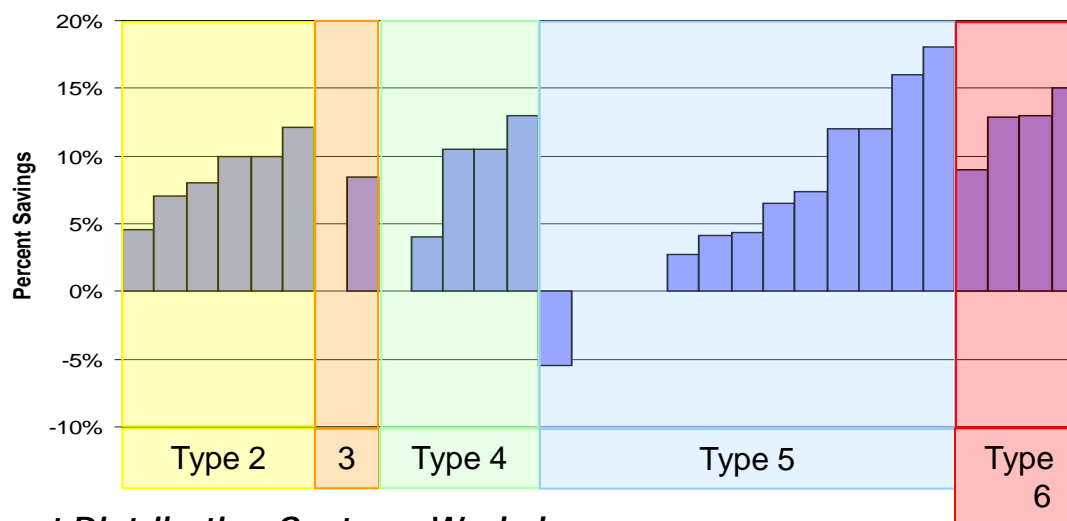
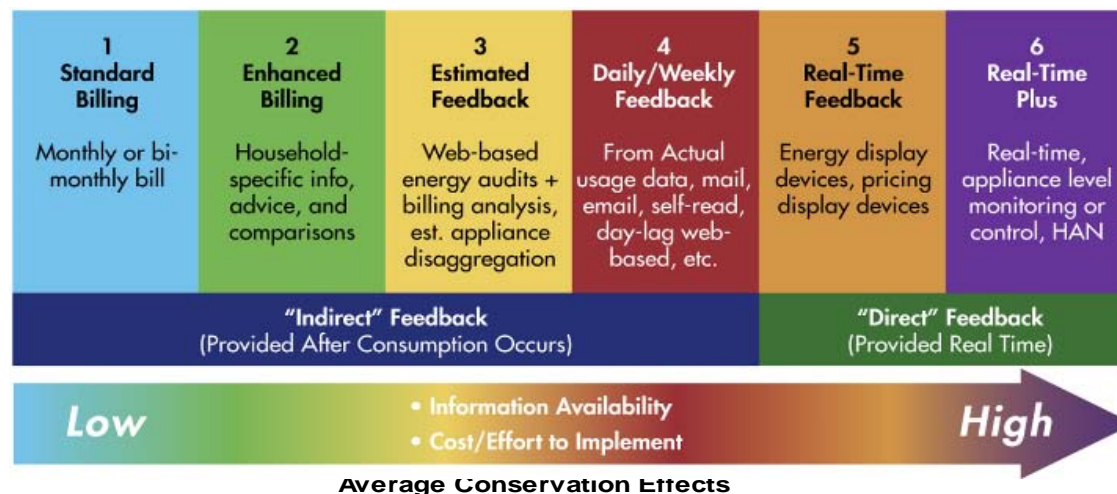
Demand Response Diverse Architectures and Technologies





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Consumer Feedback Mechanisms



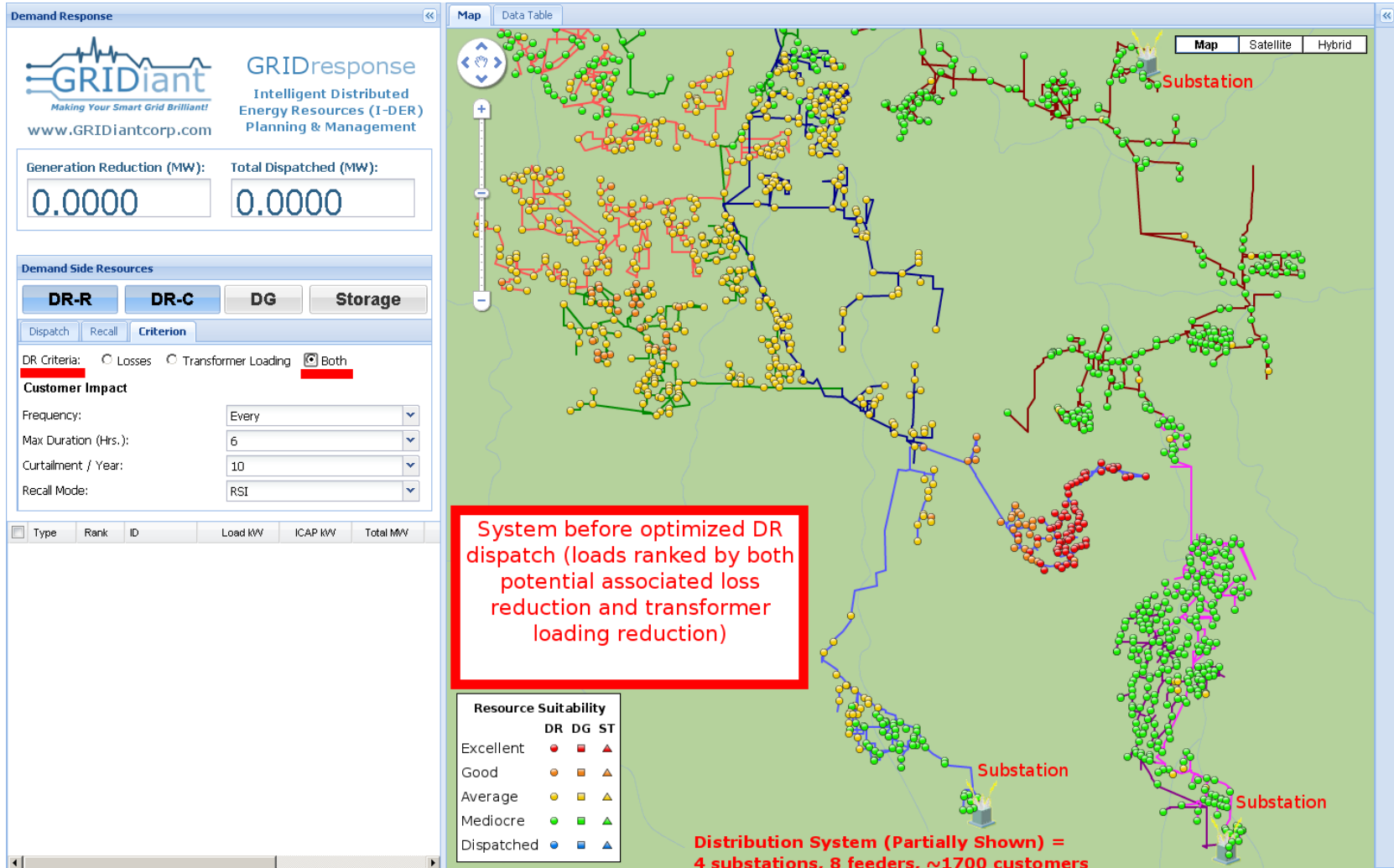
Enabling Technology Variables

Evaluations – Technologies Provided for Free and for Purchase

Web	Web + IHD Basic	Web + IHD	Web + IHD + PCT
	 	 	  



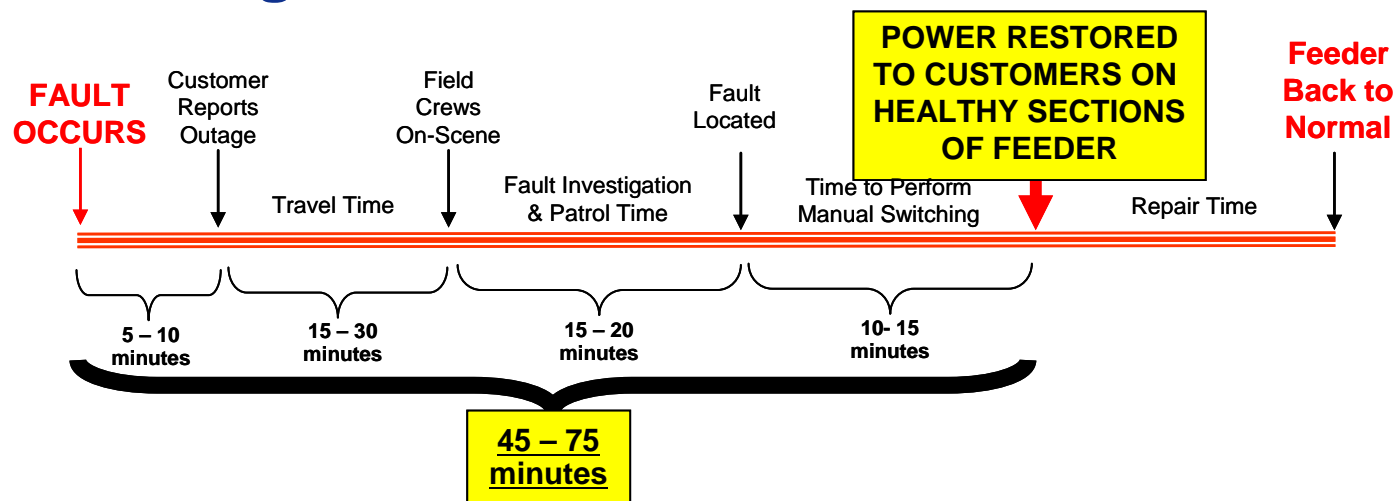
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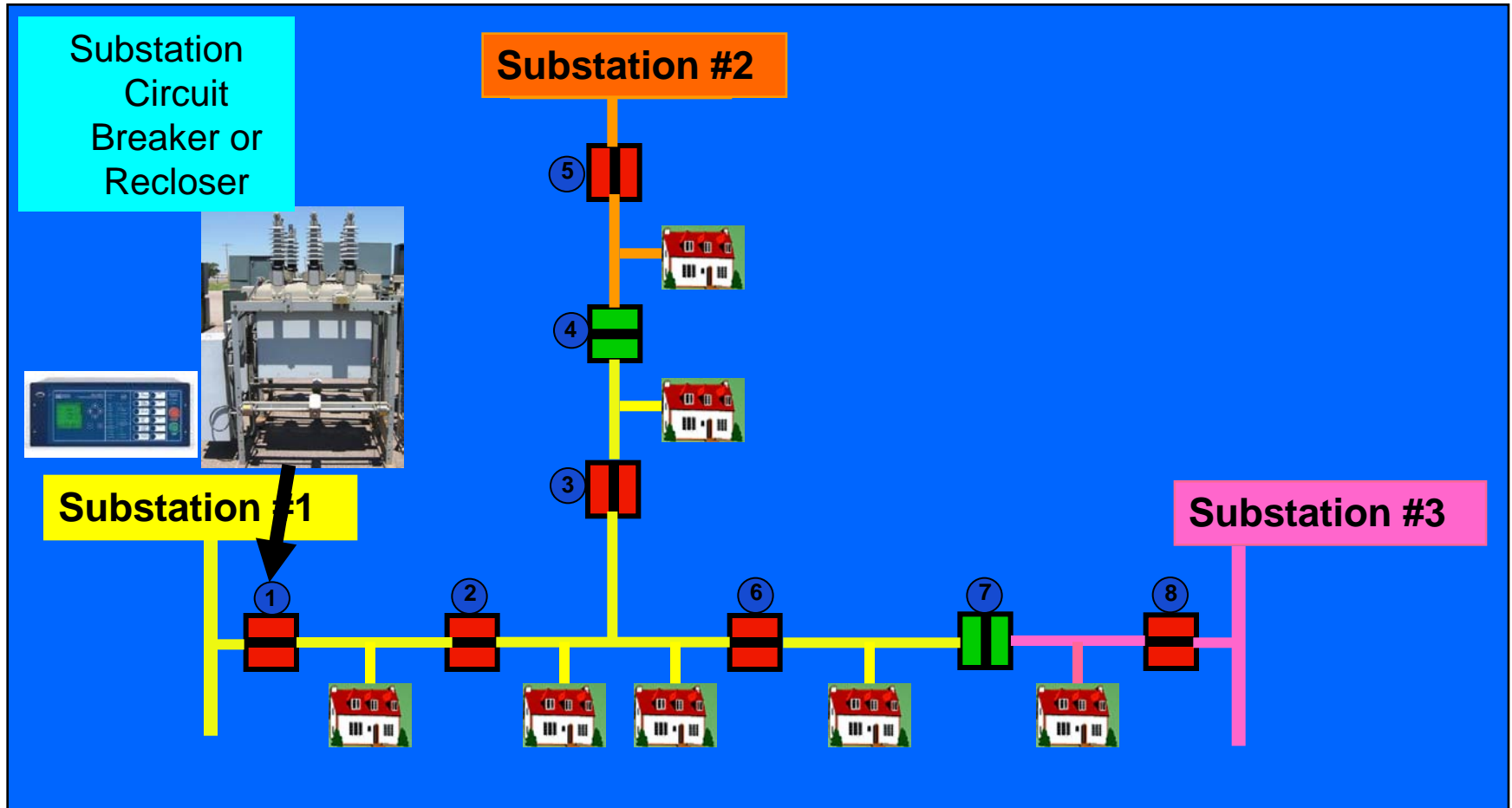
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“FLISR” – A Smart Distribution Application for a “Self Healing” Grid

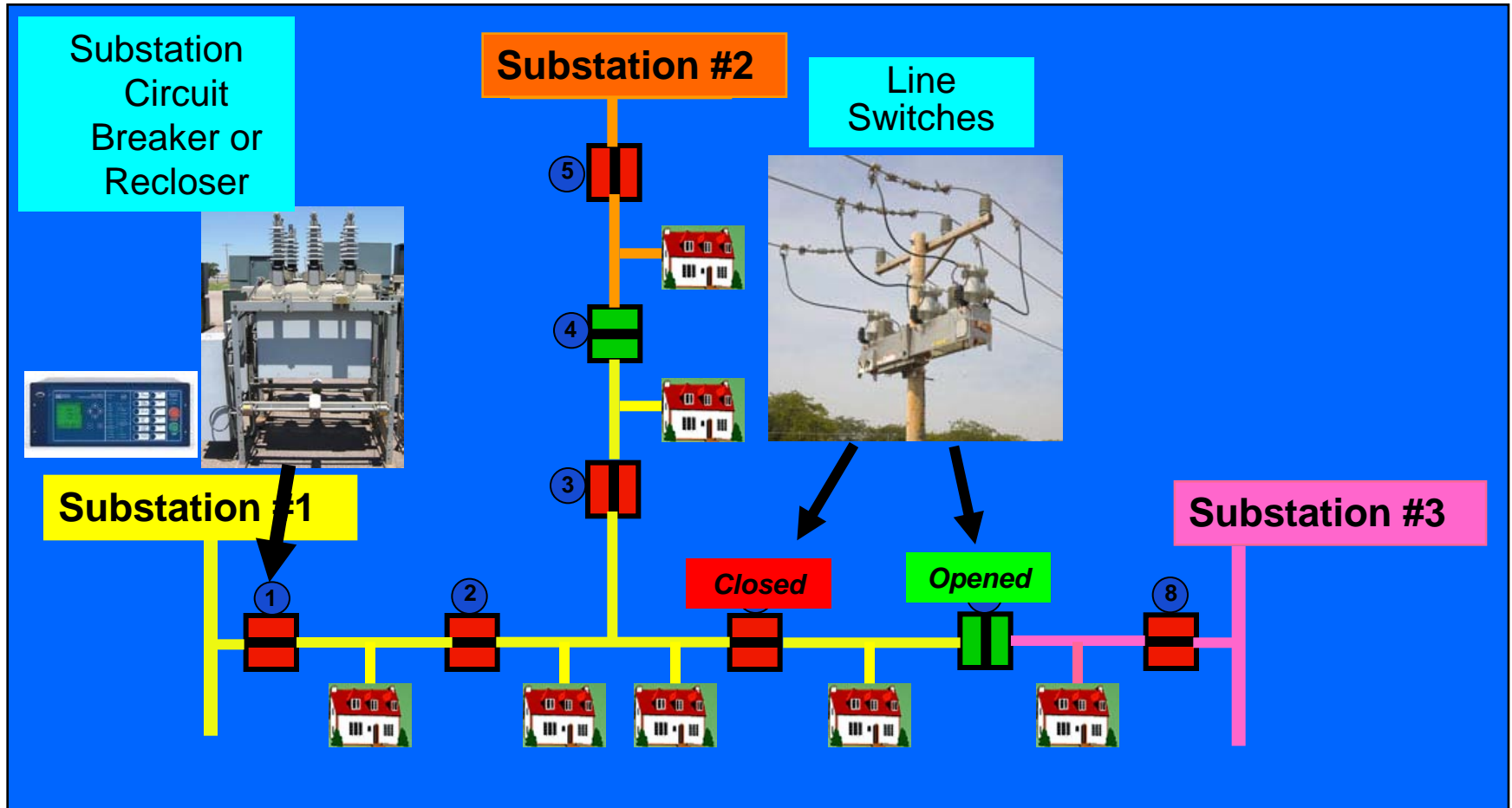


- ❑ **F**ault **L**ocation, **I**solation, and **S**ervice **R**estoration
- ❑ **Use of automated feeder switching to:**
 - Detect feeder faults
 - Determine the fault location (between 2 switches)
 - Isolate the faulted section of the feeder (between 2 feeder switches)
 - Restore service to “healthy” portions of the feeder

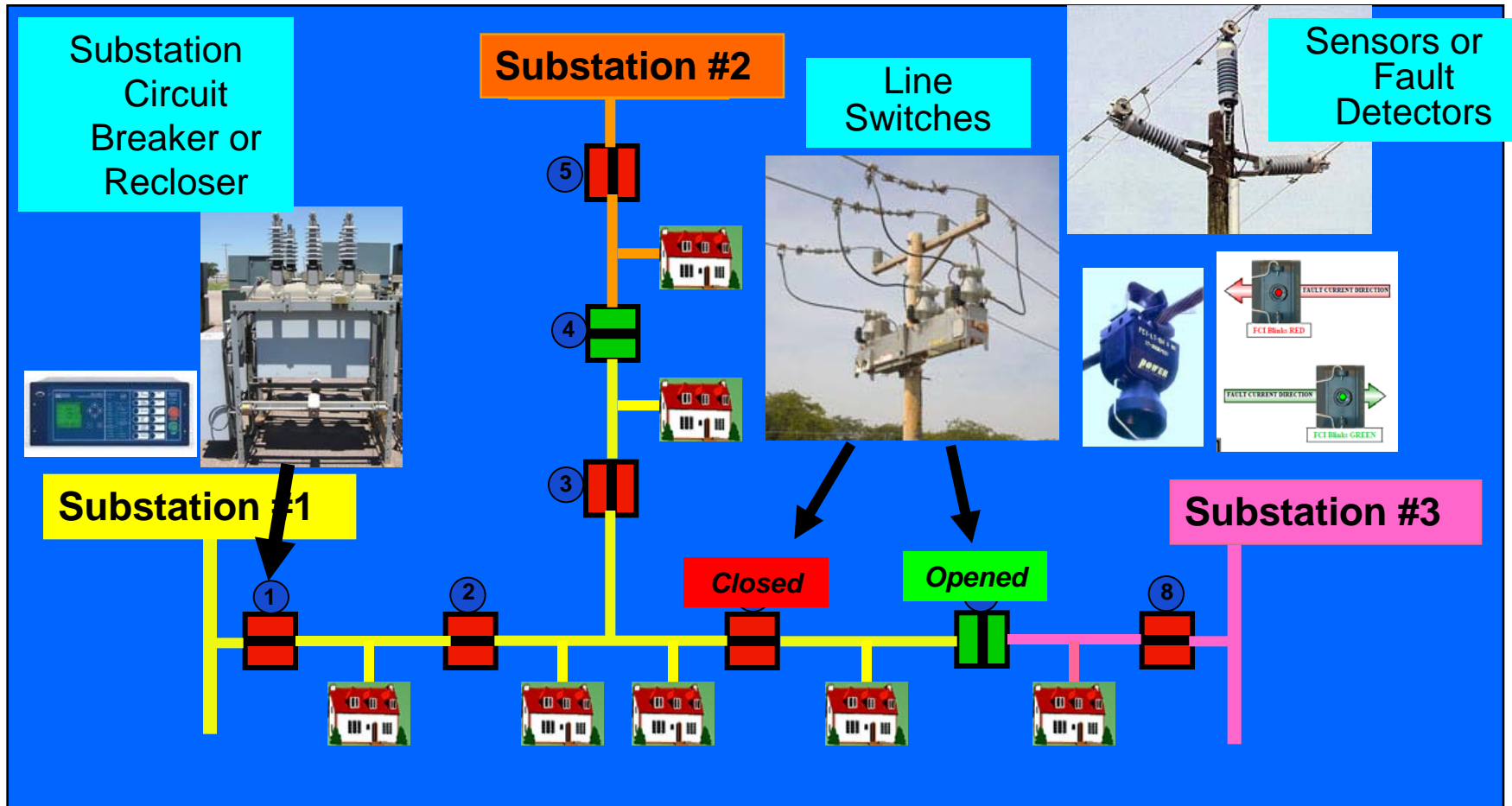
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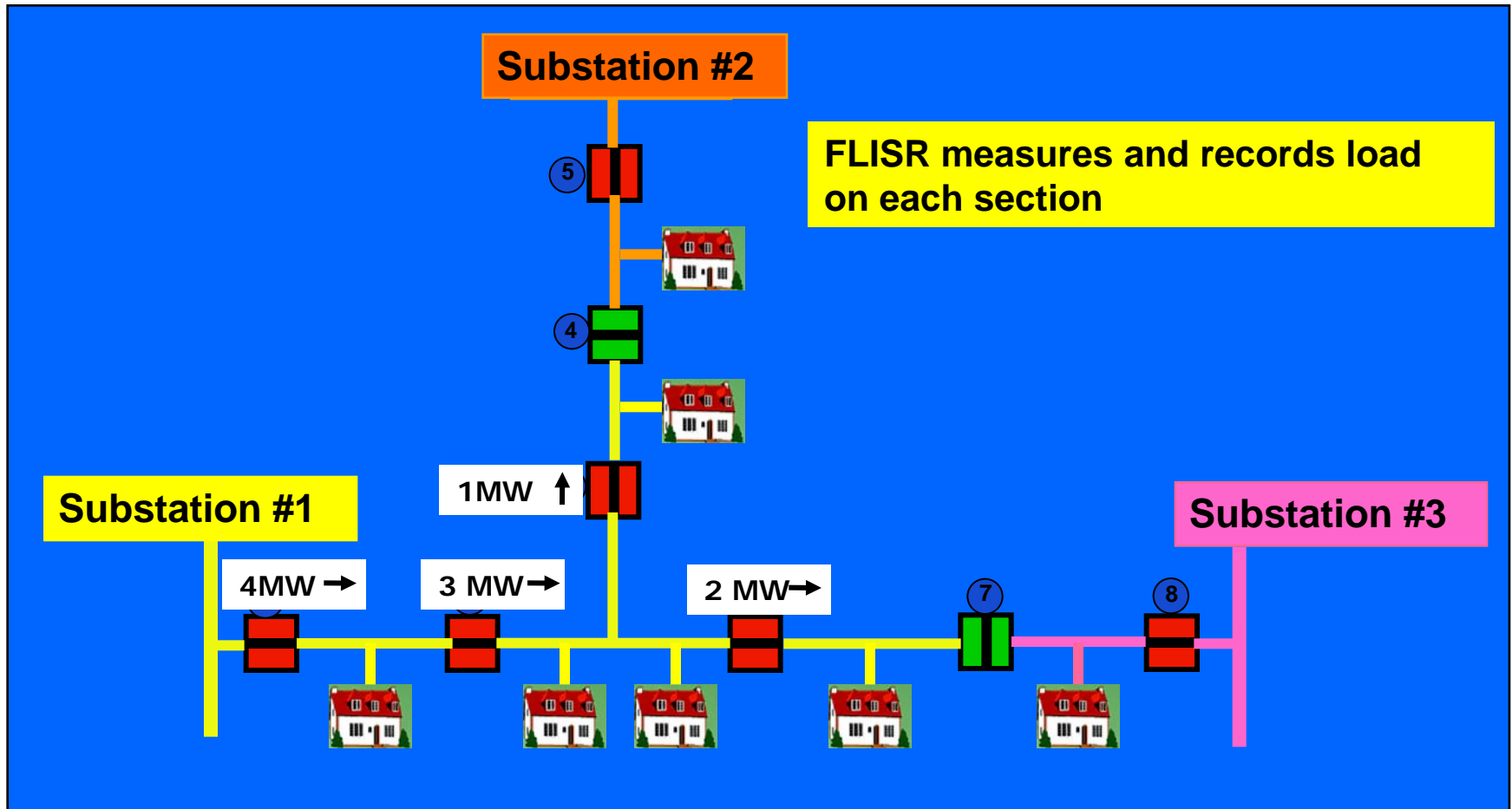
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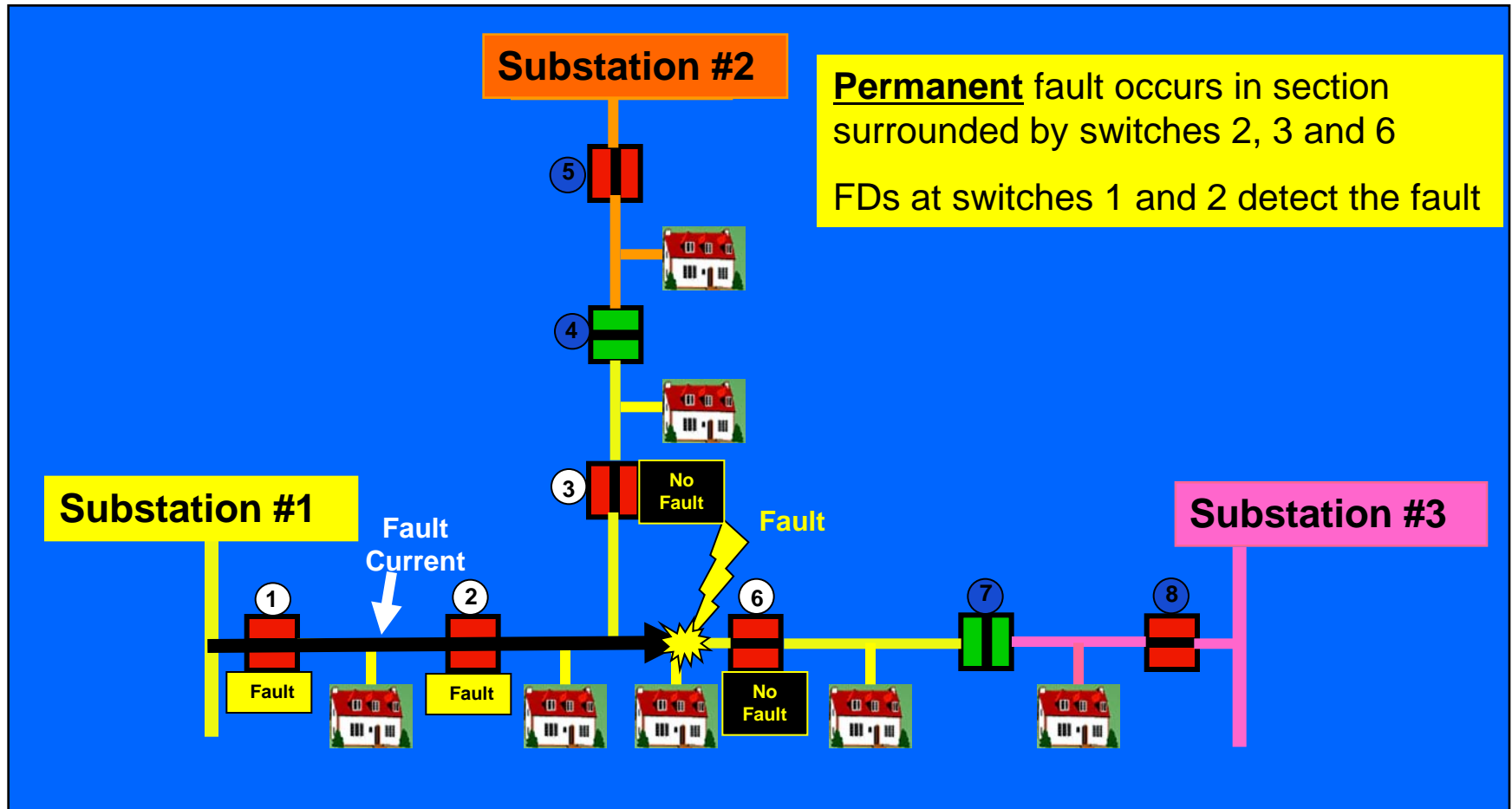
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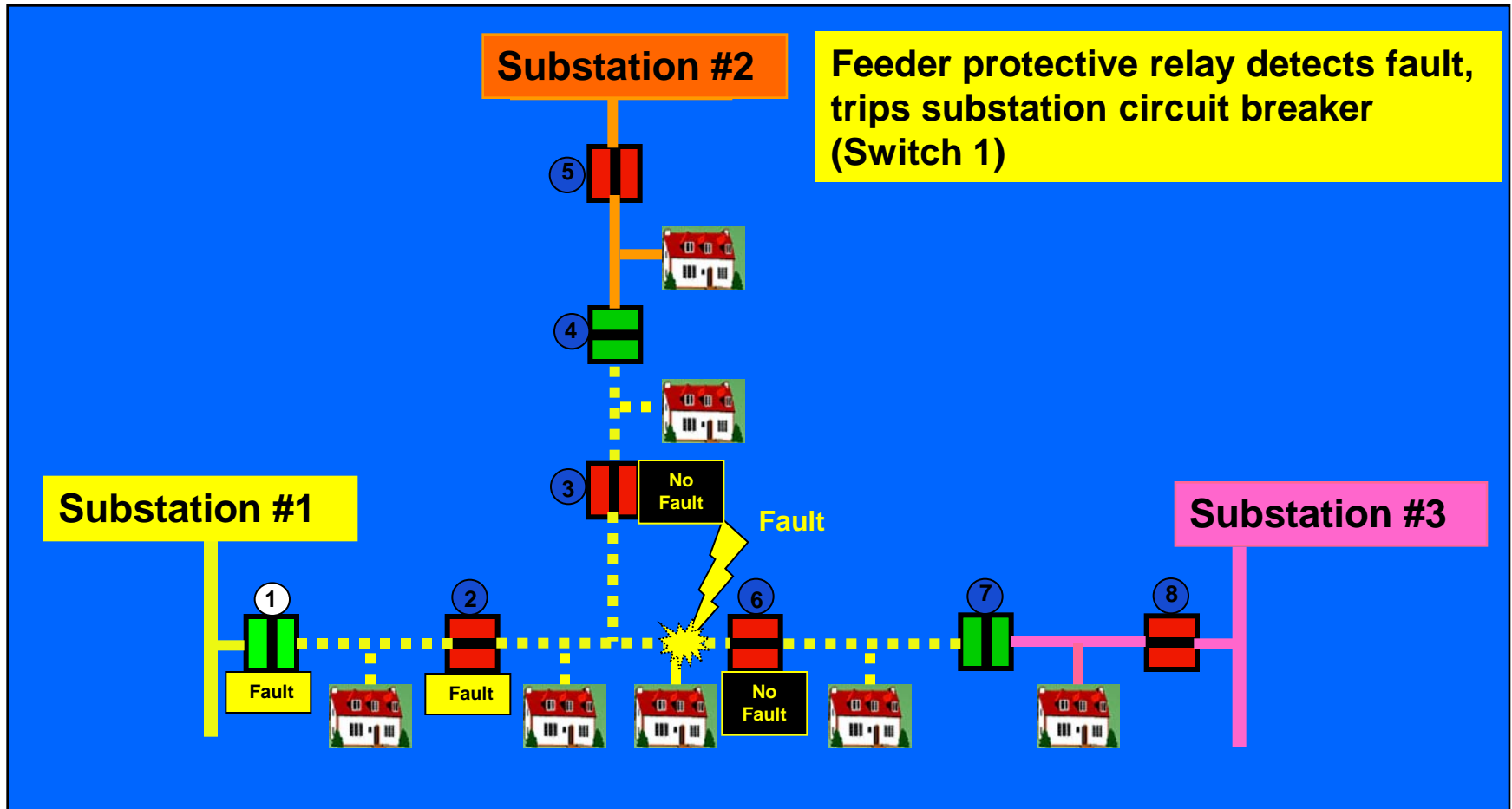
FLISR – Normal Operation



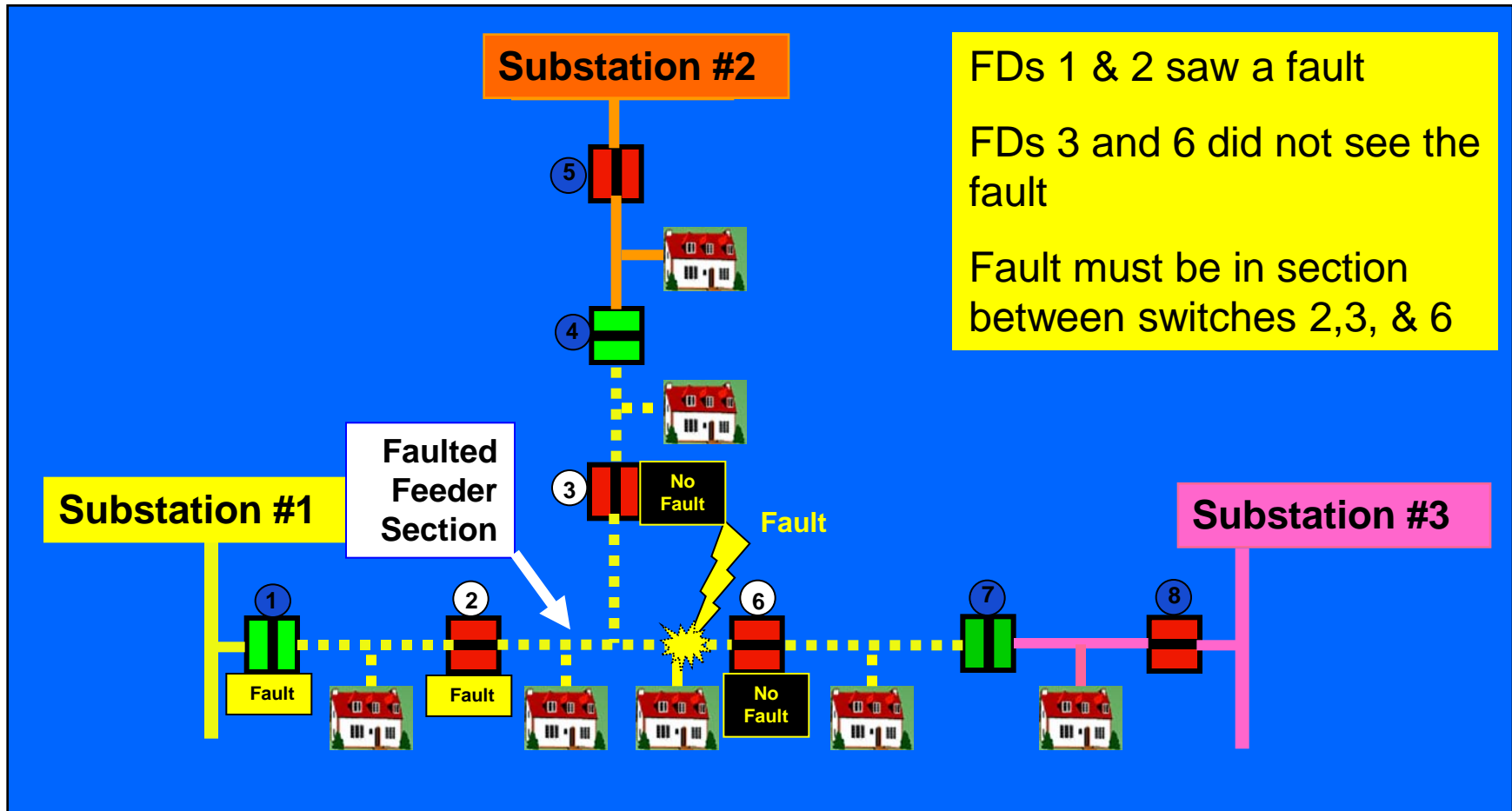
FLISR Operation – A Fault Occurs



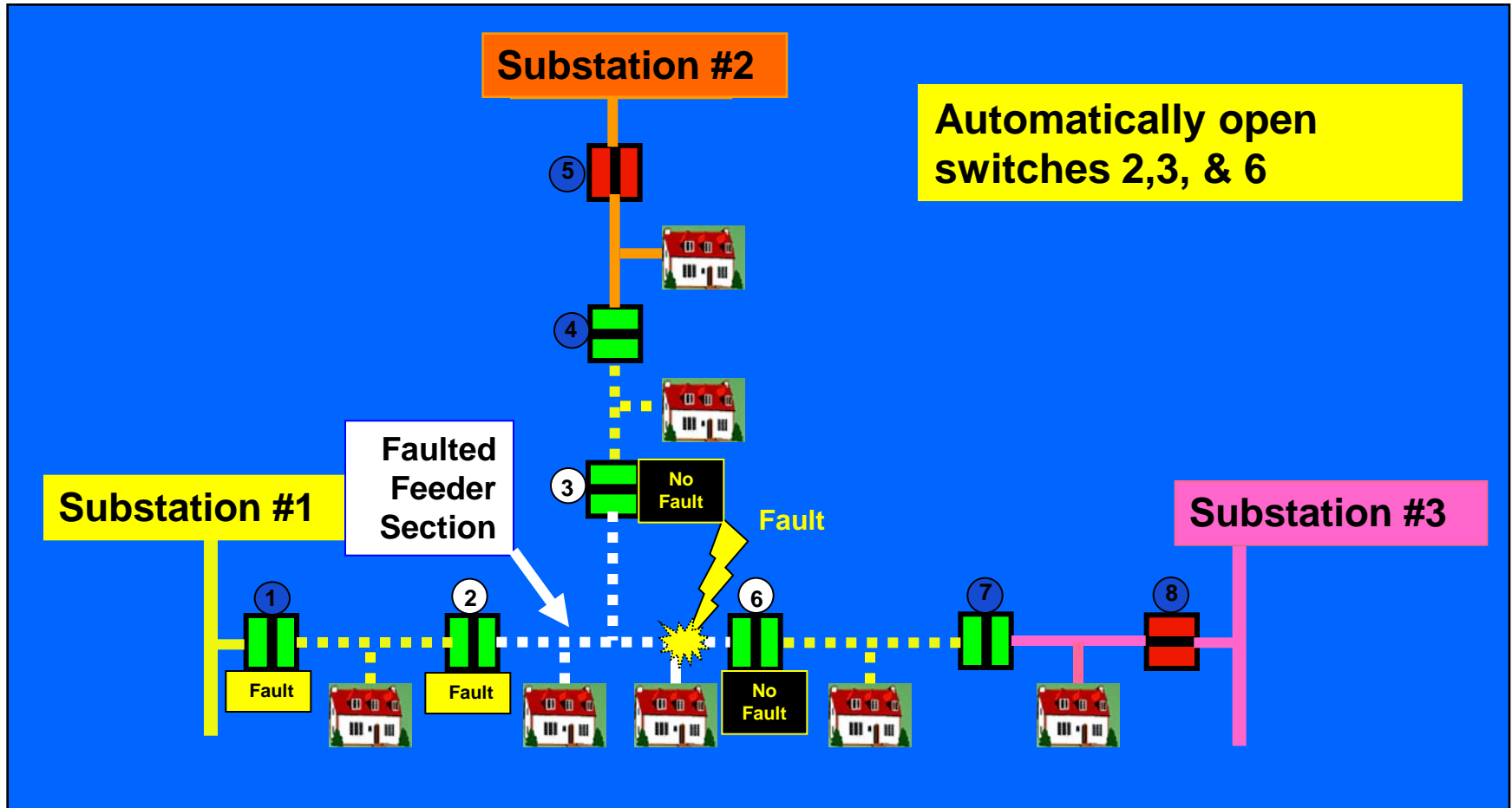
FLISR Operation – Feeder Protection Operates



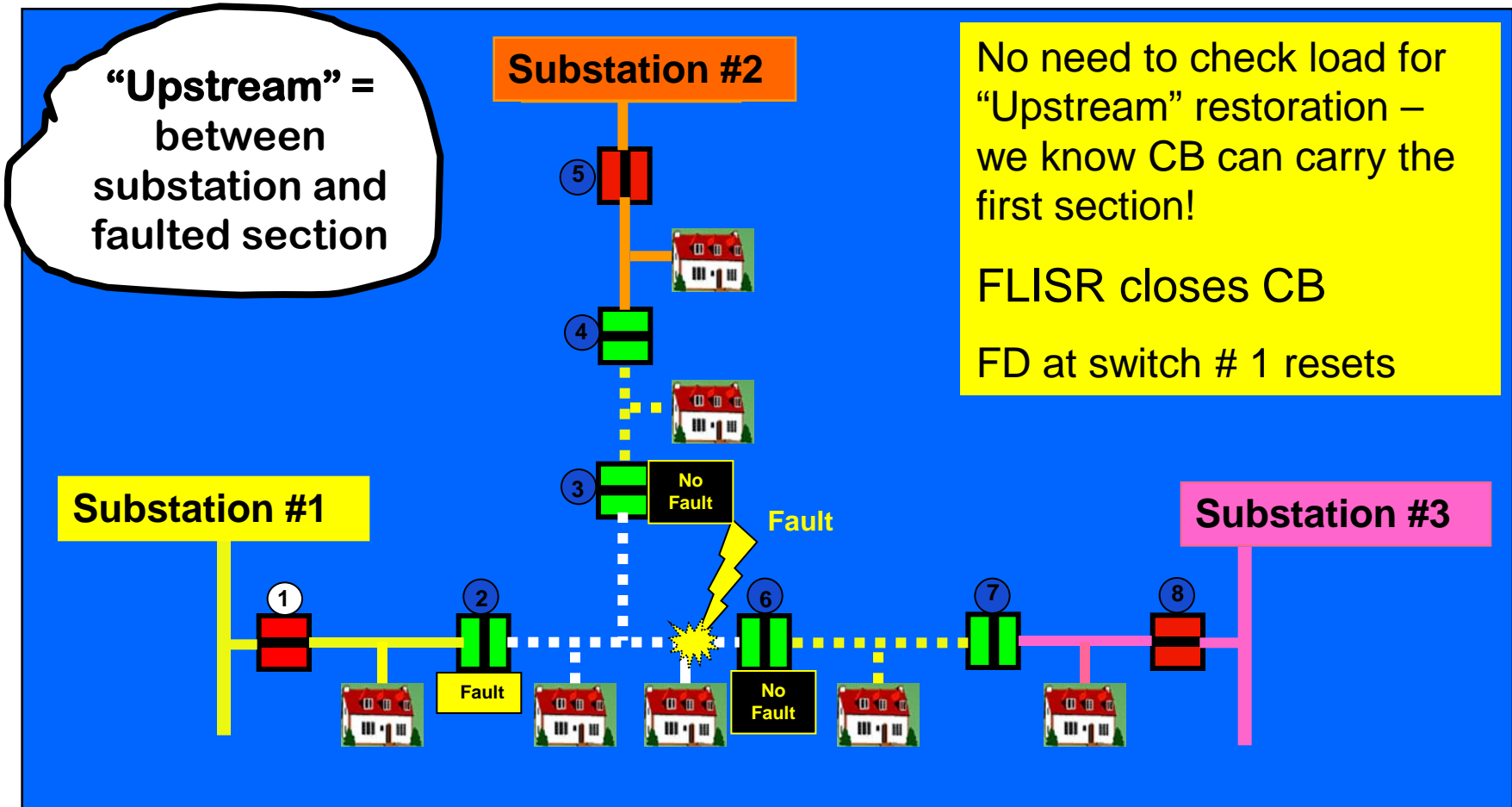
FLISR Operation – Locate the Fault



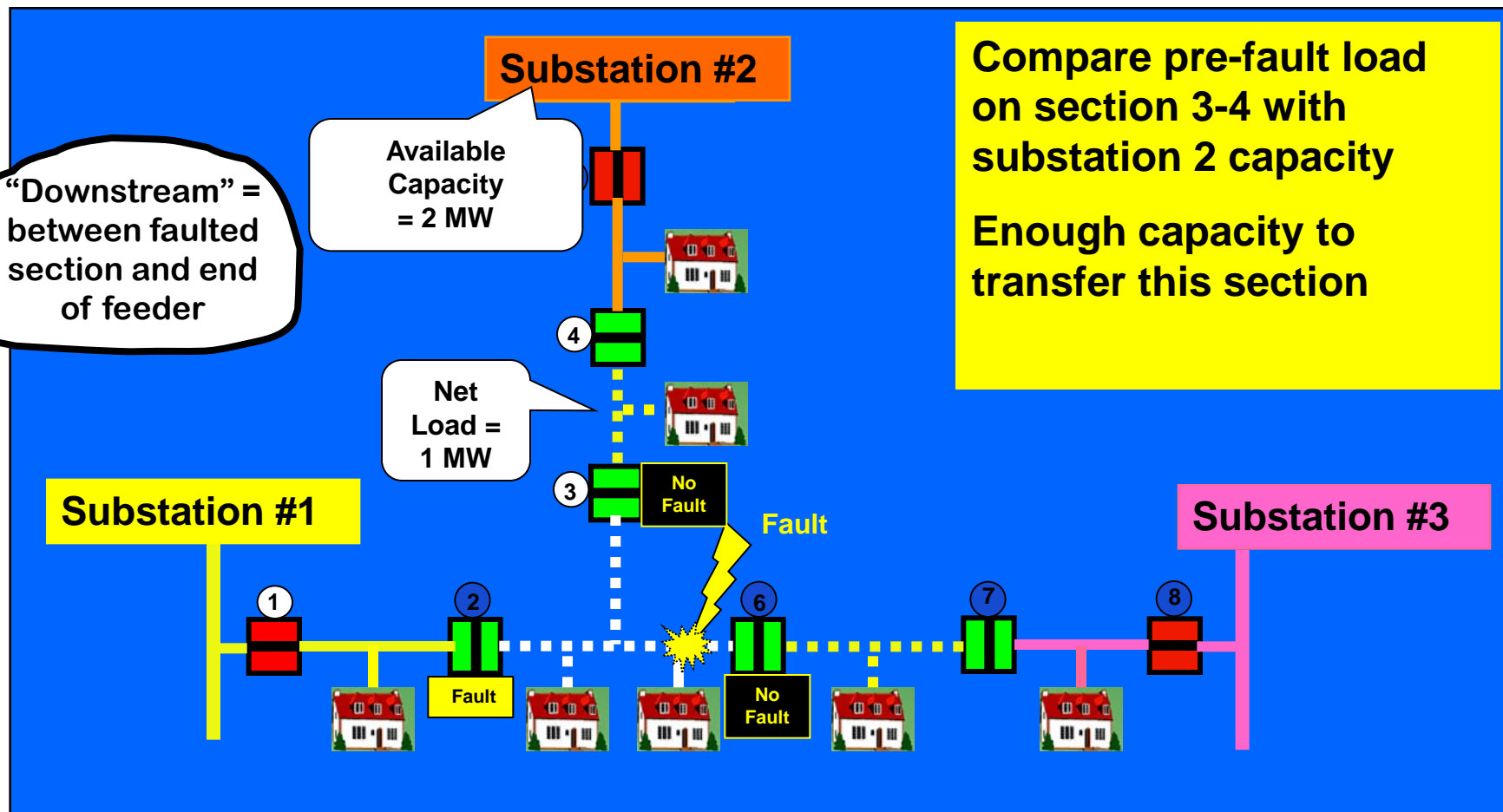
FLISR Operation – Isolate the Fault



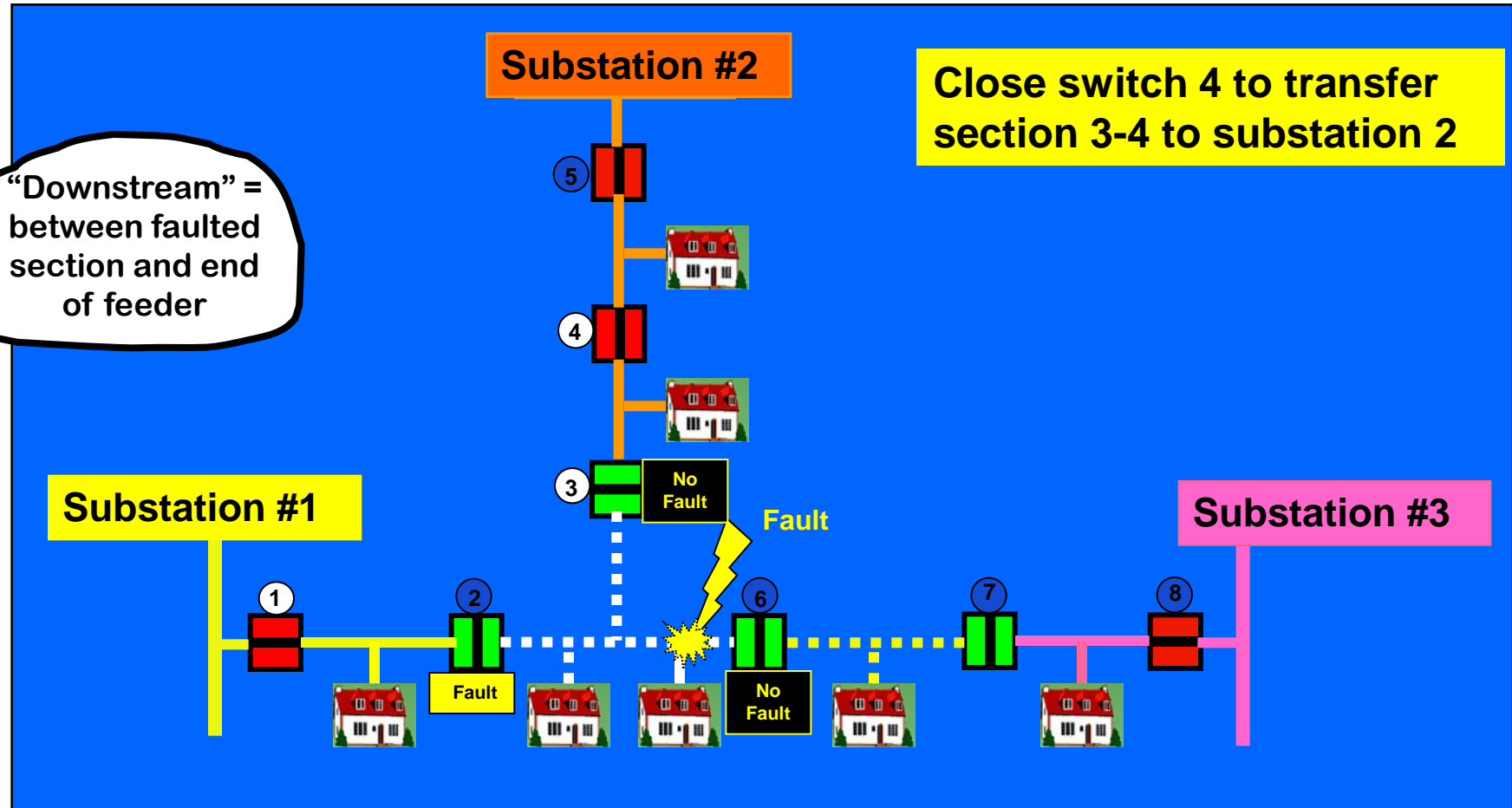
FLISR Operation – Upstream Restoration



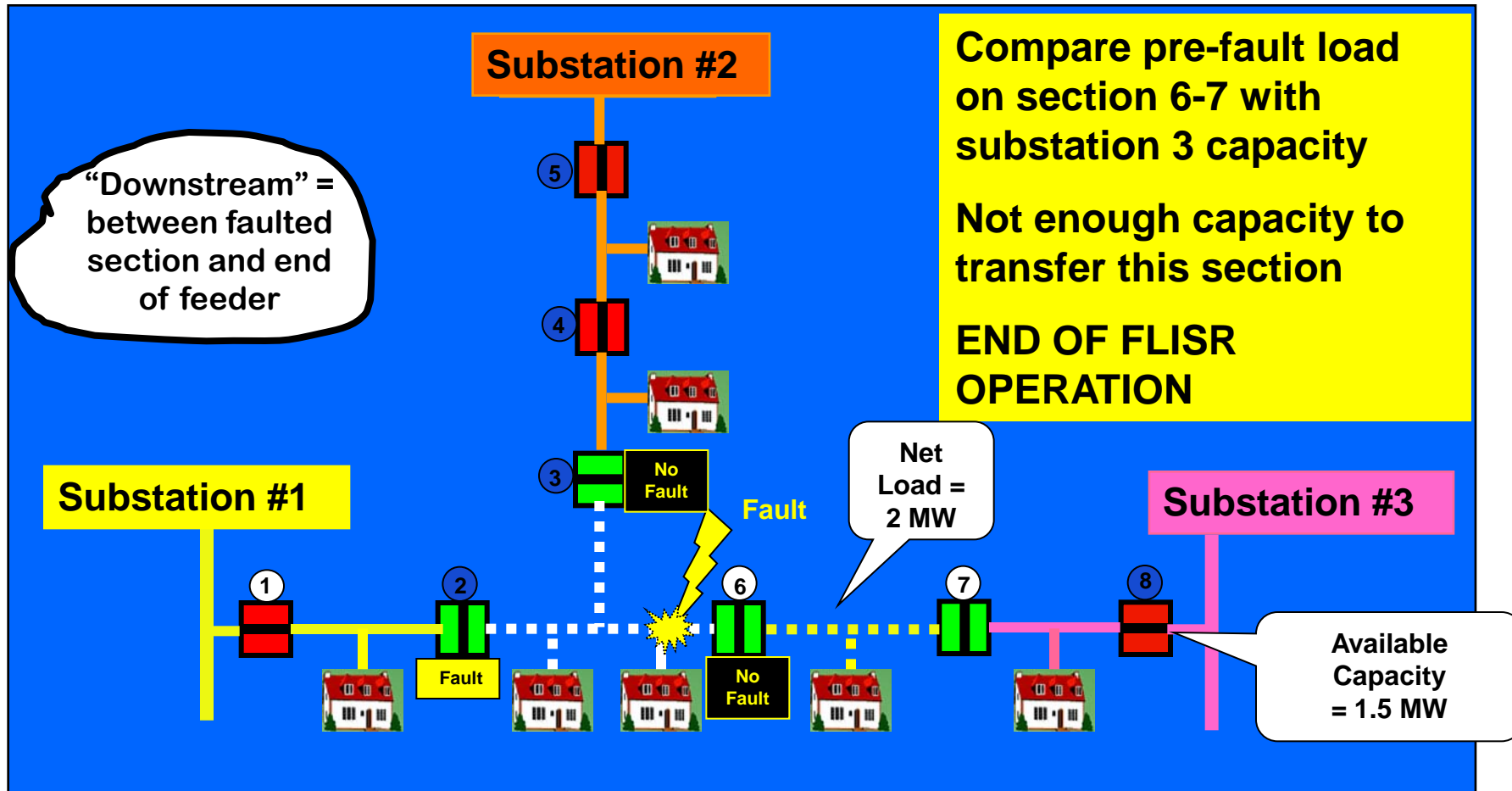
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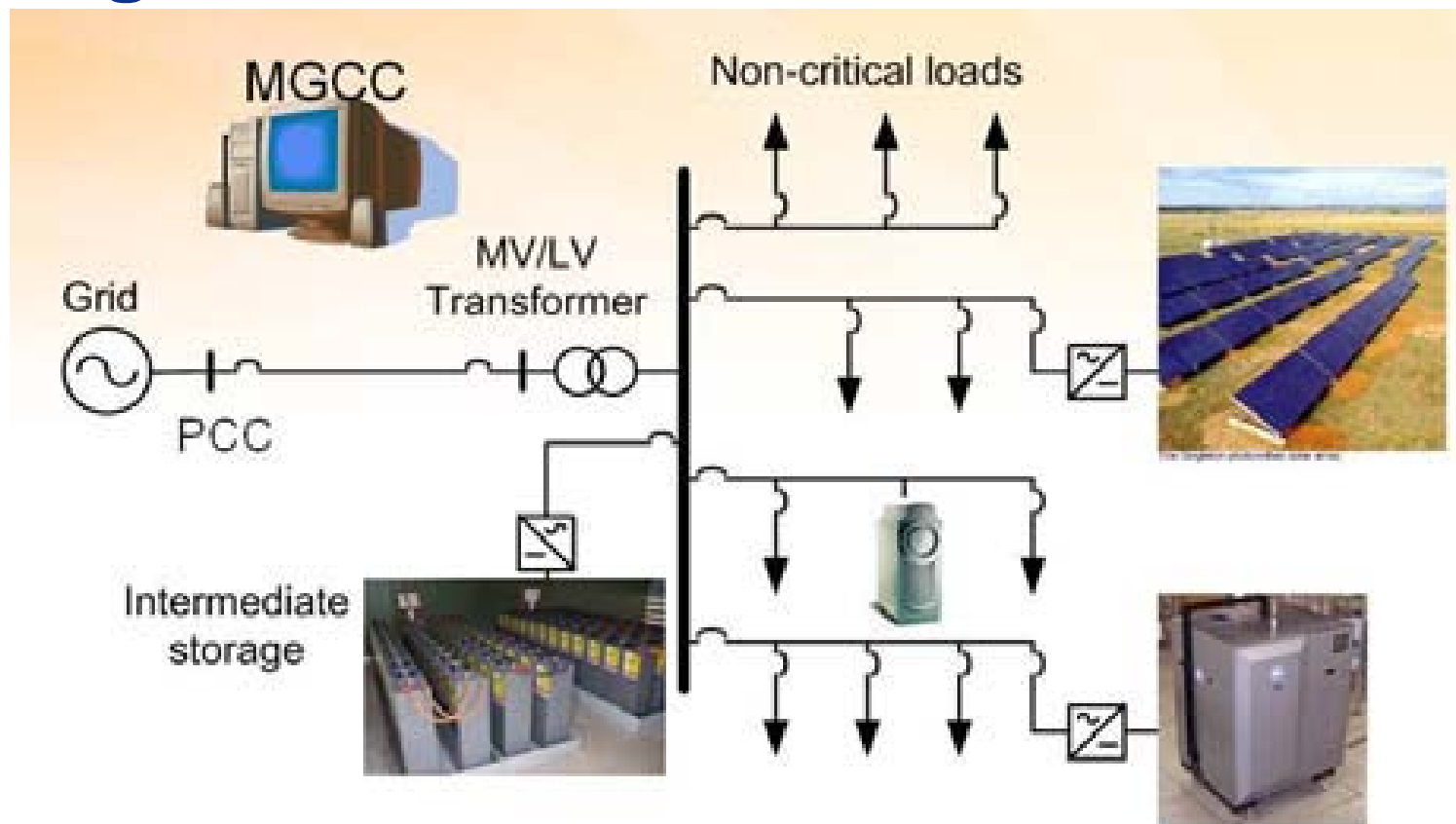


MicroGrid Paradigm

MicroGrid concept assumes a cluster of loads, micro-sources and storage operating as a single system to:

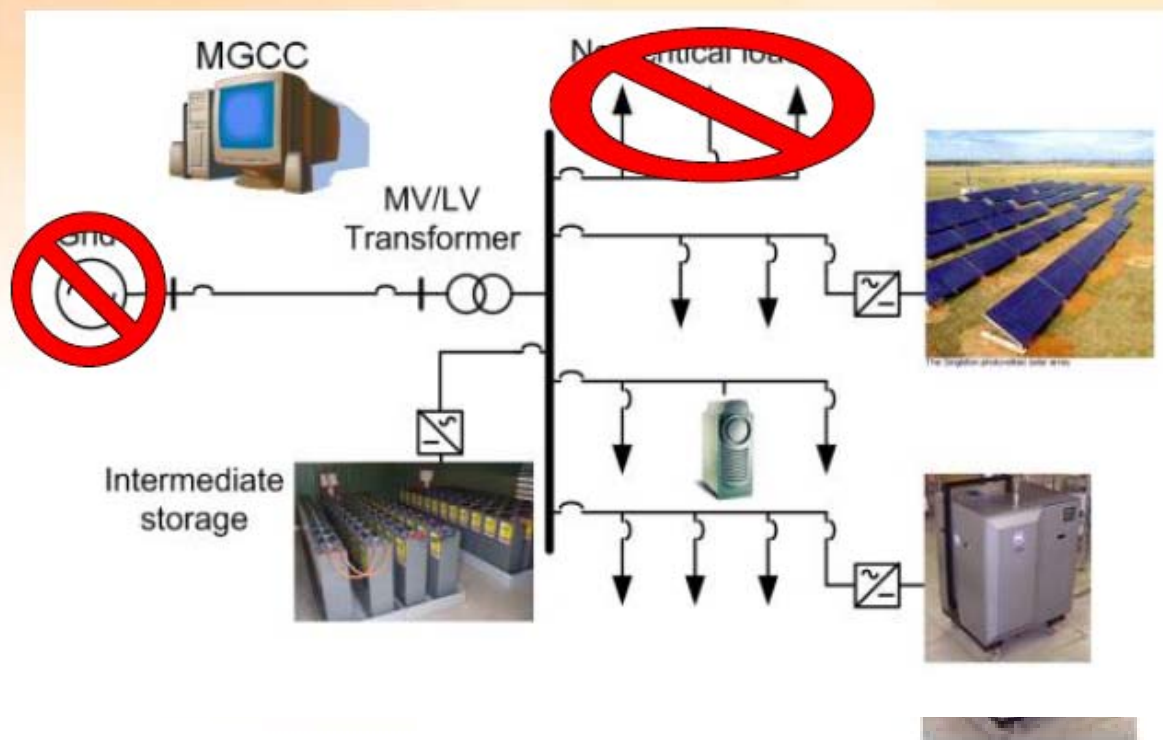
- **Presented to the grid as a single controllable unit (impacts system reliability; fits new paradigm)**
- **Meets customers needs (such as local reliability or power quality)**

Microgrids



Microgrids

Island operation



Community Energy Storage – A Virtual Substation Battery

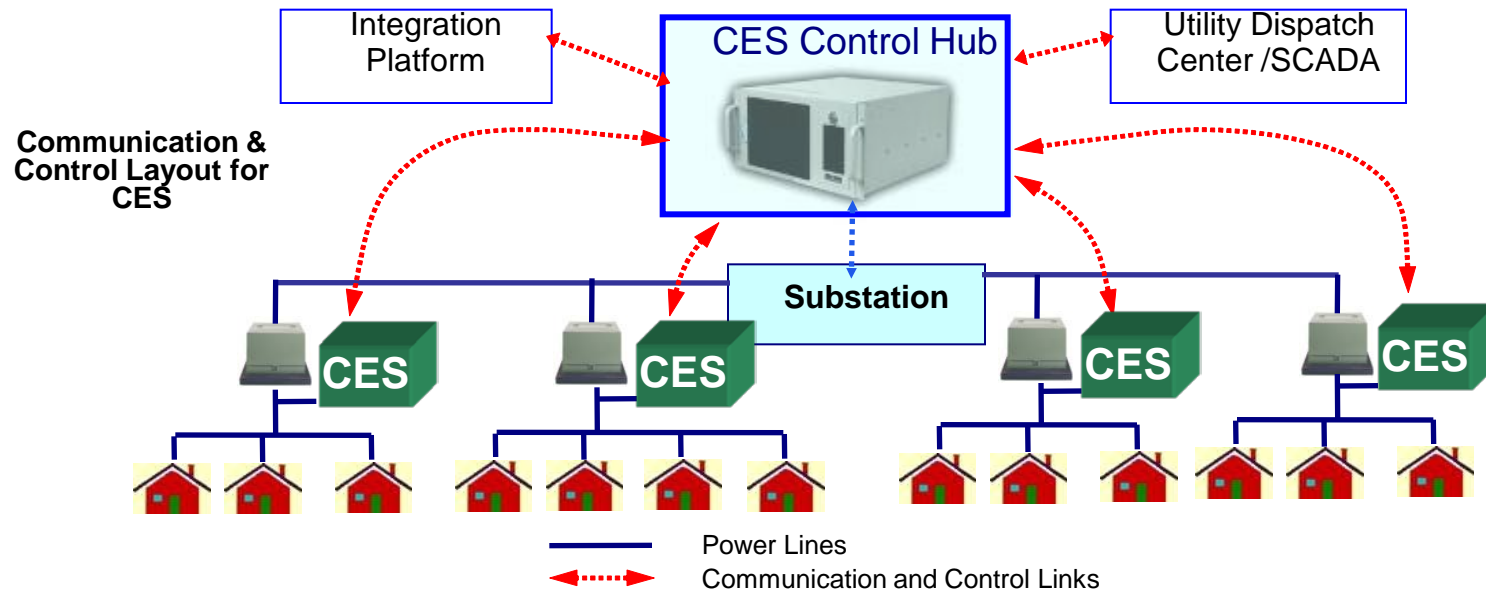
Operated as a Fleet offering a Multi-MW, Multi-hour Storage

Local Benefits:

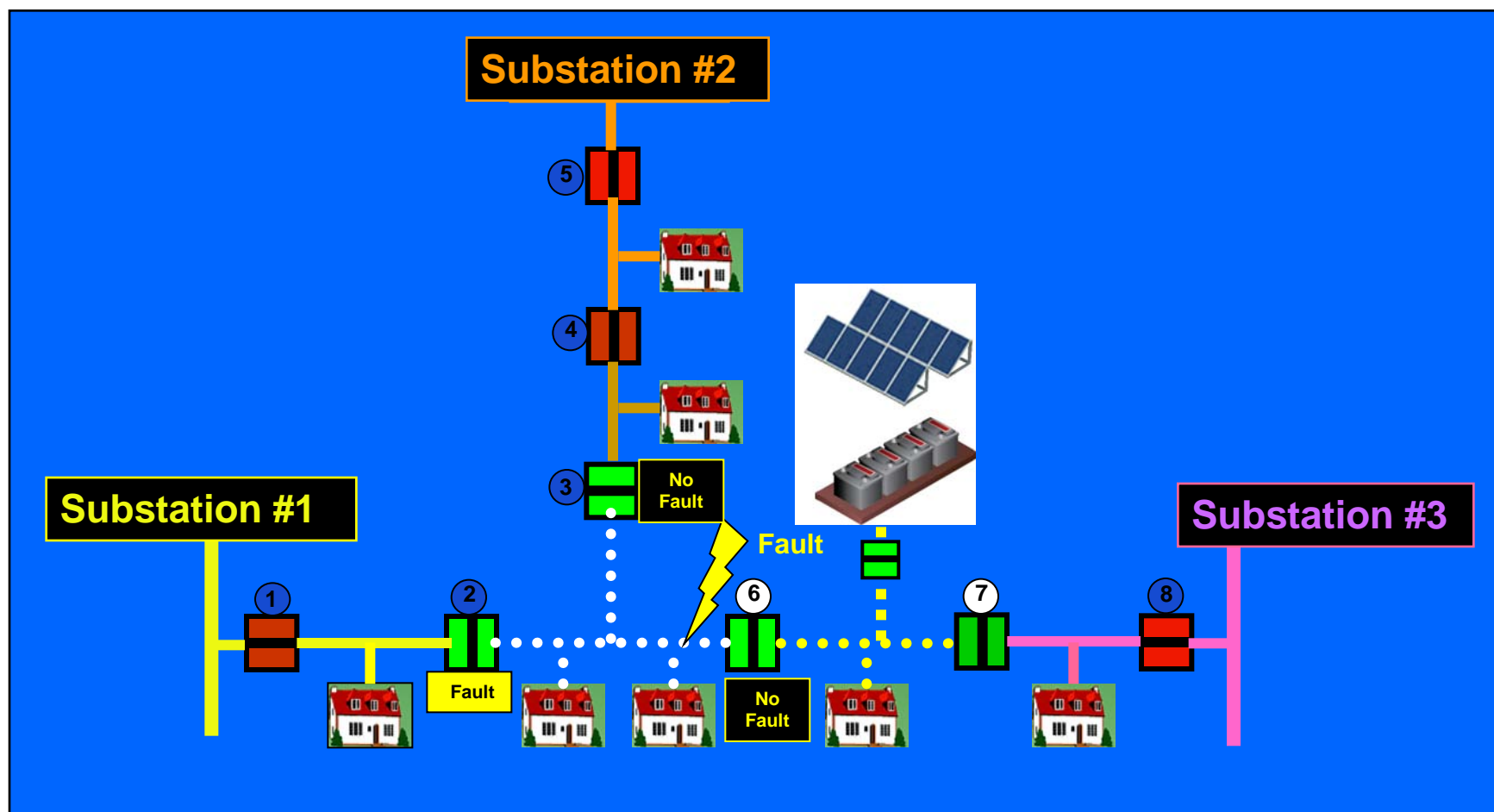
- 1) Backup power
- 2) Voltage correction
- 3) Renewable Integration

Grid Benefits:

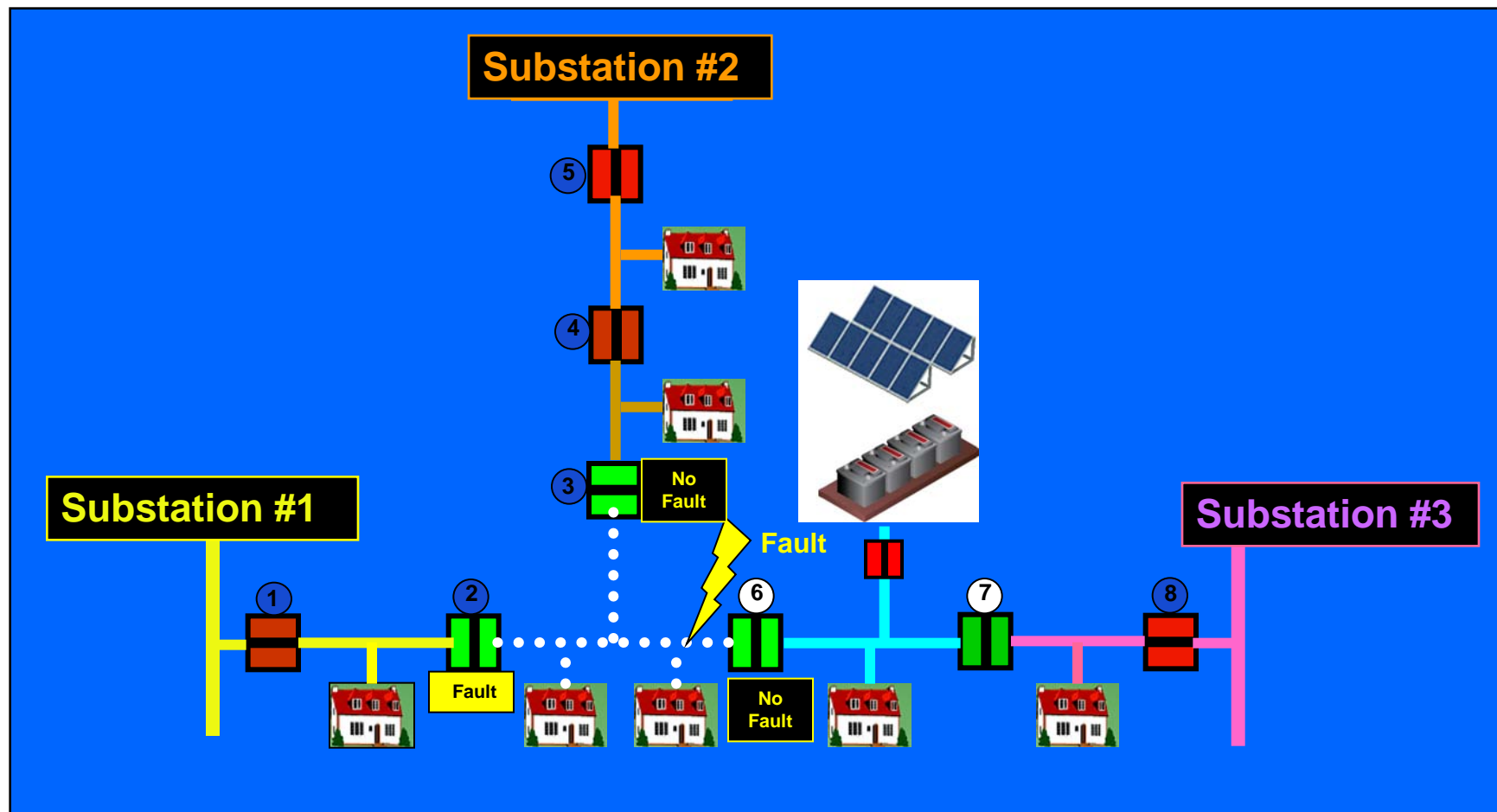
- 4) Load Leveling at substation
- 5) Power Factor Correction
- 6) Ancillary services



Applying Microgrid Concept to FLISR

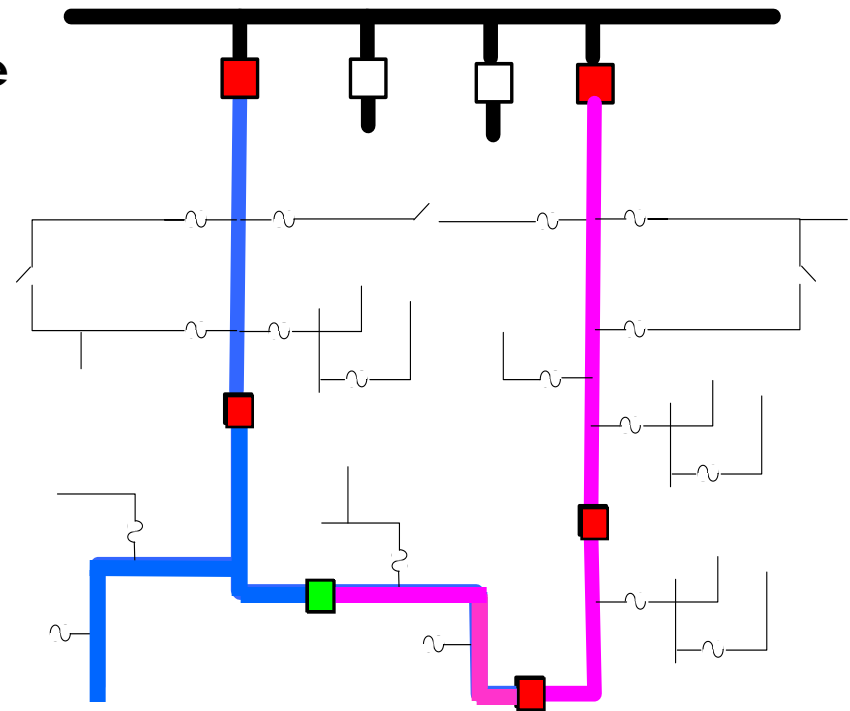


Applying Microgrid Concept to FLISR



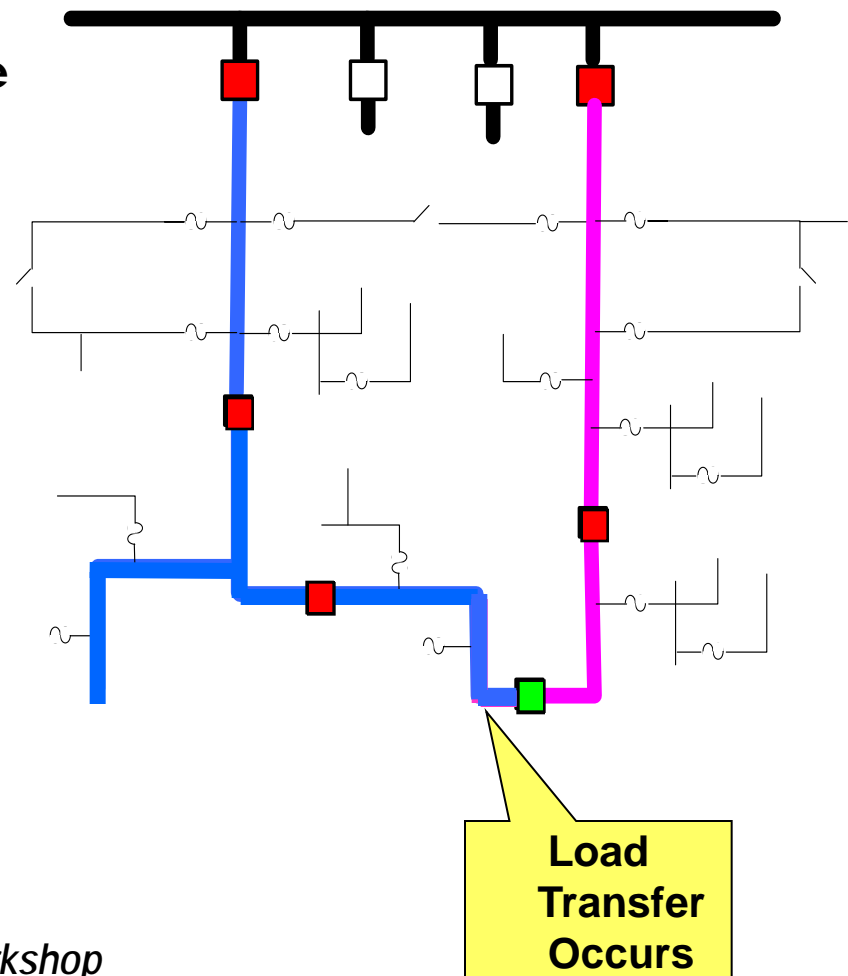
Optimal Network Reconfiguration

- **Goal: Identify changes in feeder configuration that would improve overall distribution feeder performance and reliability**
 - optimize topology for steady state operations...
- **Selectable Operating Objective**
 - Minimal power and energy losses
 - Maximum reliability
 - Best load balance
 - Best voltage profiles
 - Weighted combination of the above



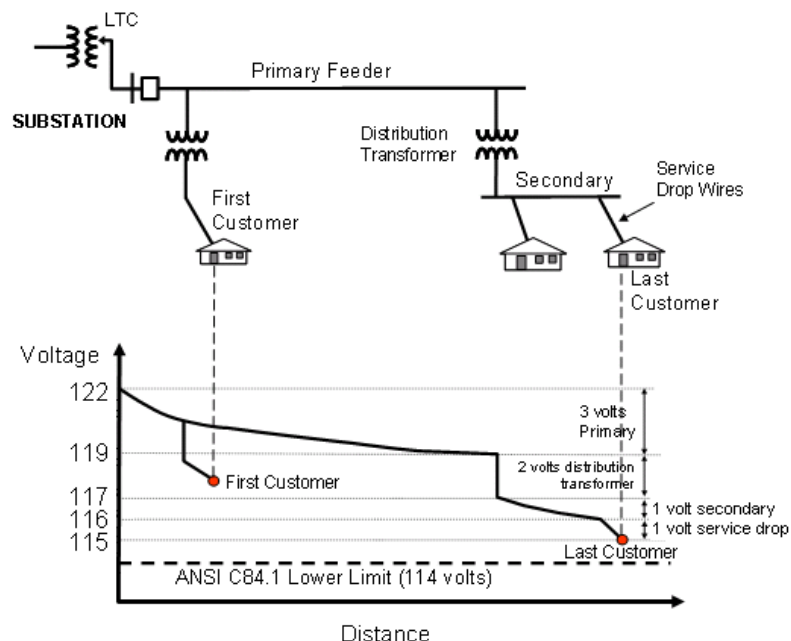
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What is Volt-VAR control (VVC)?

- ❑ VVC is a fundamental operating requirement of all electric distribution systems
- ❑ Prime purpose is to maintain acceptable voltage at all points along the distribution feeder under all loading conditions

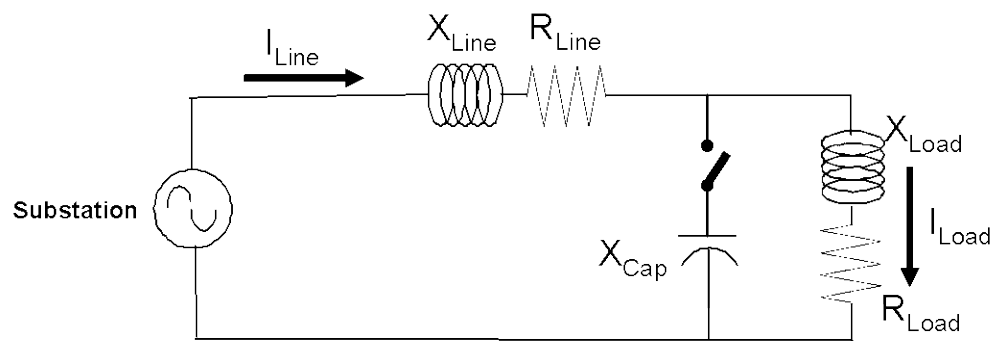


Volt-VAR Control in a Smart Grid World

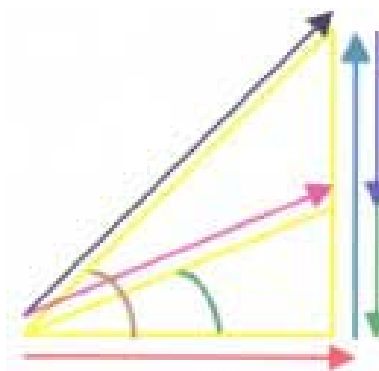
- **Expanded** objectives for Volt-VAR control include
 - **Basic req't – maintain acceptable voltage**
 - **Support major “Smart Grid” objectives:**
 - Improve efficiency
 - Reduce electrical demand and/or accomplish energy conservation through voltage reduction
 - Promote a “self healing” grid
 - Enable widespread deployment of Distributed generation, Renewables, Energy storage, and other distributed energy resources (dynamic volt-VAR control)



Efficiency Improvement/Loss Reduction Through Reactive Power Compensation



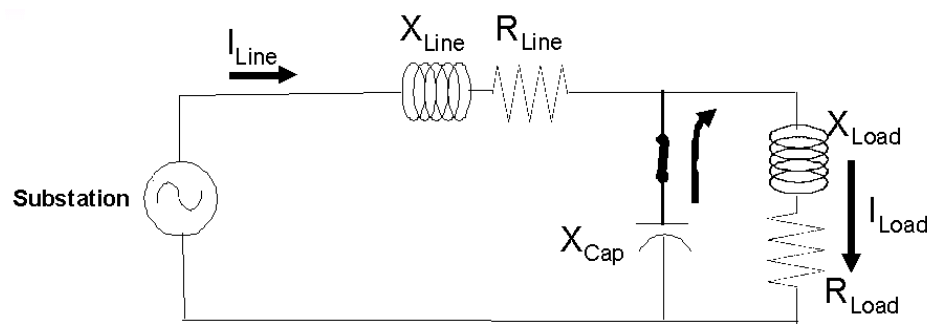
$$\text{Losses} = I_{\text{Line}}^2 \times R_{\text{Line}}$$



1. Load active power
2. Load reactive power
3. Uncorrected demand on the power supply
4. Capacitor reactive load
5. Corrected load reactive power
6. Corrected demand on the supply

$\cos \phi_1 = \text{Initial Power Factor}$

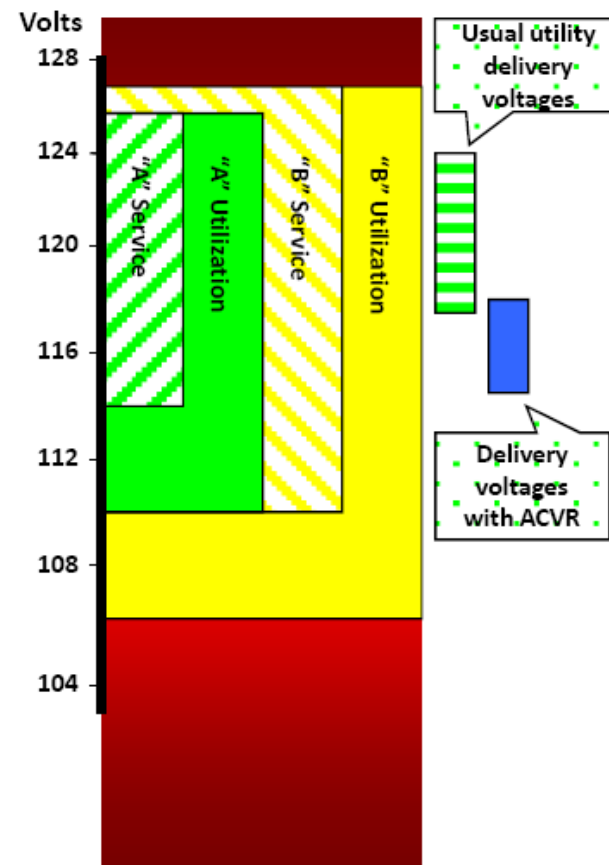
$\cos \phi_2 = \text{Corrected Power Factor}$



Concept of Conservation Voltage Reduction

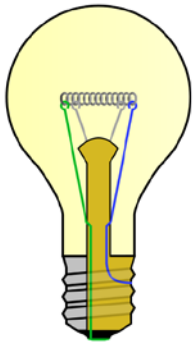
- ANSI standards have some flexibility in the allowable delivery voltage
- Distribution utilities typically have delivery voltage in upper portion of the range
- Concept of CVR: Maintain voltage delivered to the customer in the lower of the acceptable range of normal operation**

Allowable Voltage Range



Conservation Voltage Reduction – Why Do It?

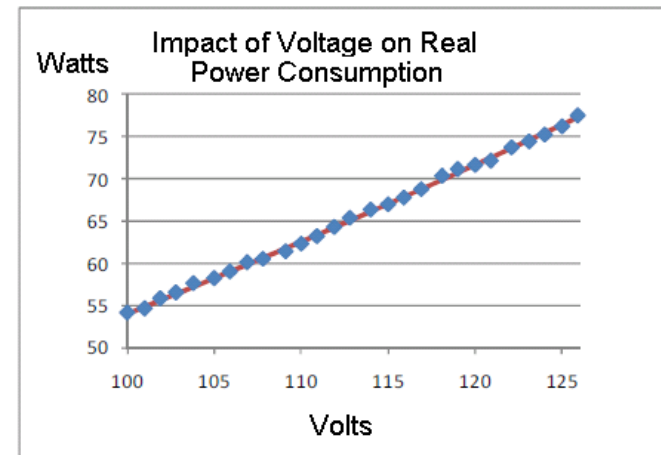
- Many electrical devices operate more efficiently (use less power) with reduced voltage



$$P = V^2 \div R$$

“Constant Impedance” Load

Incandescent Light Bulb (70W)

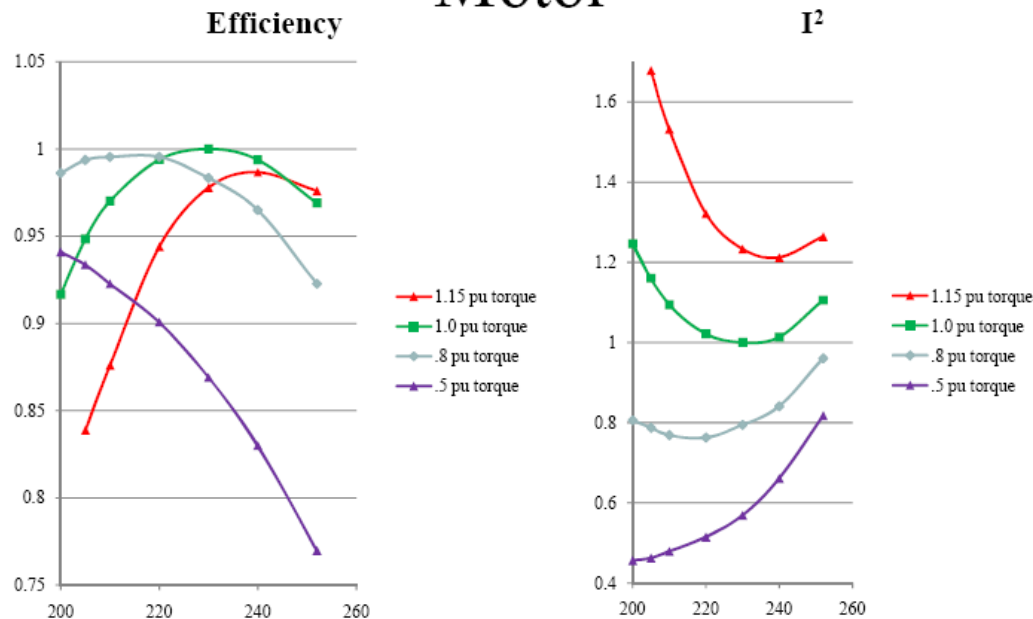


“Evaluation of Conservation Voltage Reduction (CVR) on a National Level”; PNNL; July 2010

Conservation Voltage Reduction – Why Do It?

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Voltage effects on ½ Hp, 230 Vac, 1Ø
Motor



Motors are often viewed as “**constant power**” devices

Motor efficiency actually improves for small voltage reduction

M.S. Chen, R.R. Shoults and J. Fitzer, *Effects of Reduced Voltage on the Operation and Efficiency of Electric Loads, Volumes 1 & 2*, EPRI, Arlington: University of Texas, 1981, Motor Number 3



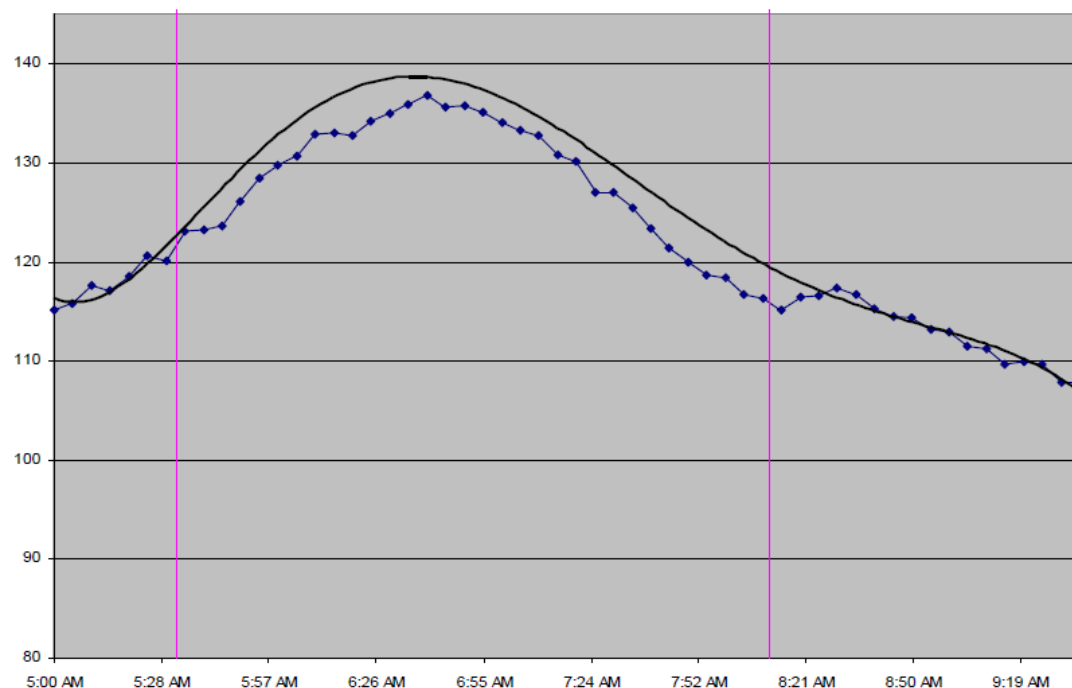
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CVR for Demand Reduction

Applying CVR at peak load can reduce total

demand (kW)

Typical Winter Morning



EUCI Conference
September 16-17, 2010

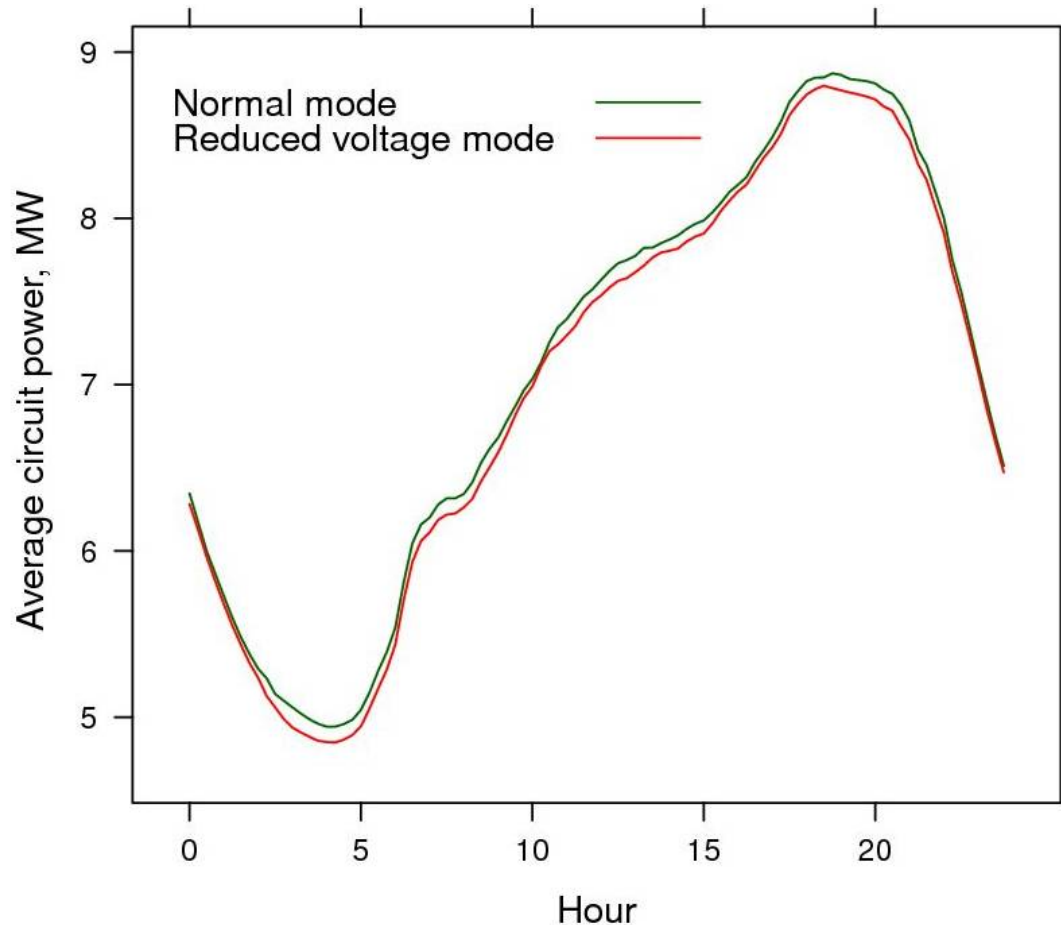
Peak Shaving via Voltage Reduction



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CVR for Energy Savings

Applying CVR around-the-clock can reduce energy consumption (kWh)





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Benefits of CVR

- Effectiveness measured by CVR factor:

CVR factor = % change in load ÷ % change in voltage

- Example:

- If CVRf = 0.8
- Reducing voltage from 120 to 117V (2.5%)
- Reduces power consumed by 2.0%

Distribution Efficiency Initiative

Market Progress Evaluation Report, No. 1

prepared by

Global Energy Partners, LLC

report #E05-139

May 18, 2005

Utility CVR Factors, Based on Implementations or Tests

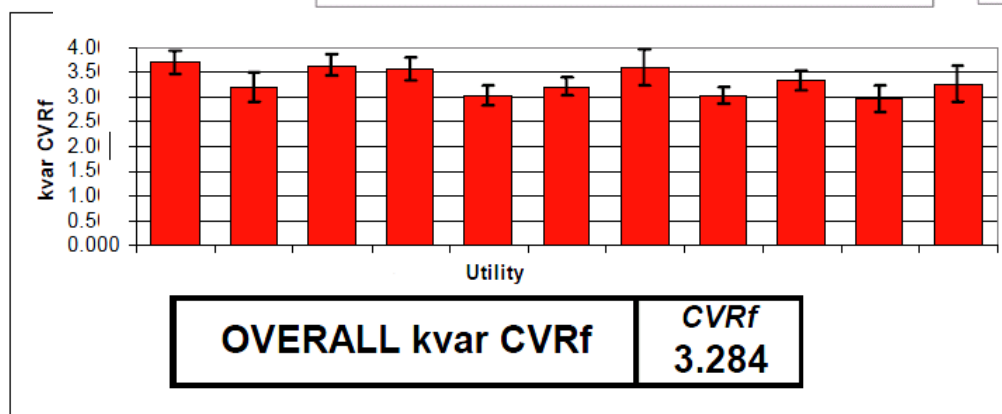
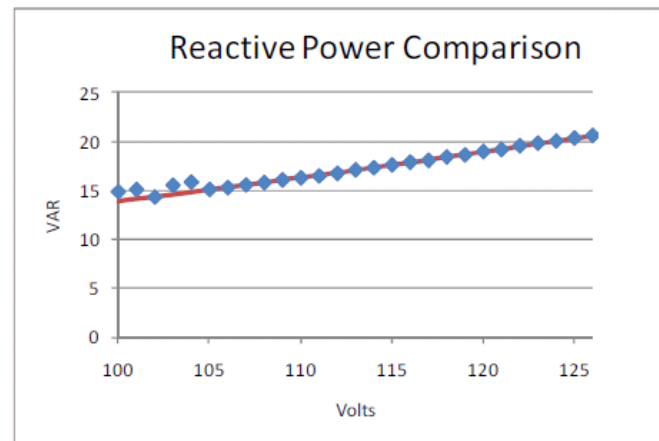
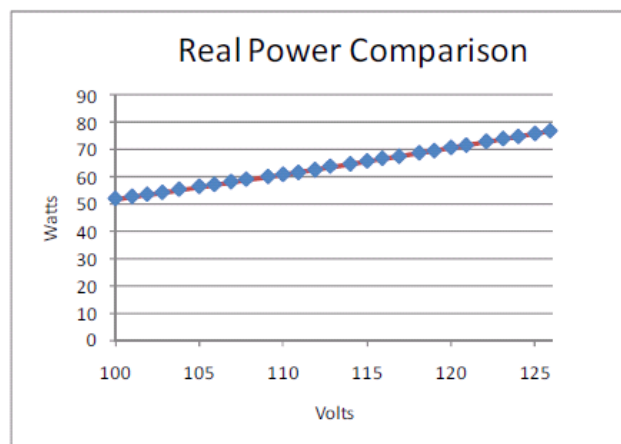
Utility	CVR Factor ²²	Comments
California IOUs	0.75	
New York State Electric & Gas	0.6	
Central Florida Electric Cooperative	0.5 – 0.75	0.5 in the summer; 0.75 in the winter
Clay Electric Cooperative (Florida)	1.0	
Progress Energy – Florida	1.0	
Georgia Power	0.8 – 1.7	1.25
Cobb EMC (Georgia)	0.75	
Progress Energy – Carolinas	0.4	
Avista Utilities	1.09	Ongoing pilot project
Clatskanie PUD	1.4	Ongoing pilot project
Inland Power & Light	0.93	Ongoing pilot project
Snohomish PUD	0.65	
Seattle City Light	0.13	Discontinued program
Average	0.8	Mean of all values, equally weighted, with mid point values used for ranges.



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CVR Also Impacts Reactive Power

Oscillating
Fan



kvar CVR factor Results by Utility

Effect of CVR on kVAR is more significant than on kW

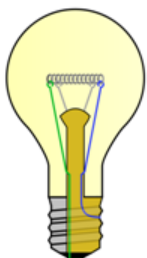
kW CVRf ≈ 0.7

kVAR CVRf ≈ 3.0

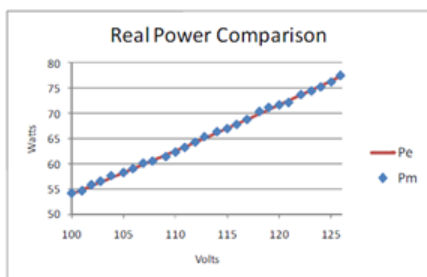
Distribution Efficiency Initiative
Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance

Emerging Load Characteristics

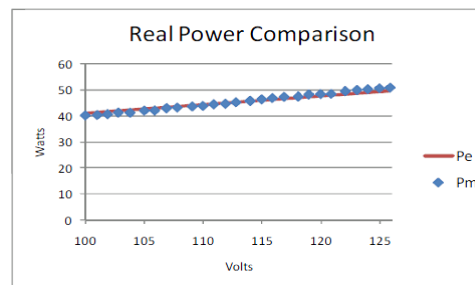
- Characteristics of some emerging load characteristics don't favor CVR
- Need better understanding of "up and coming" appliances to determine if CVR will provide lasting effects



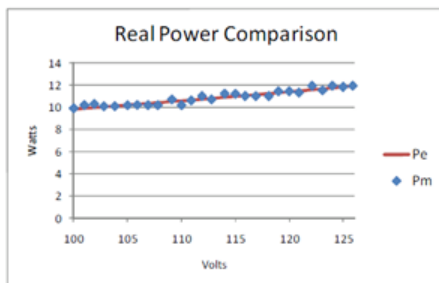
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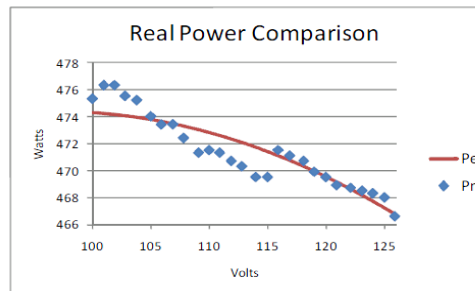
Television (Cathode Ray Tube)



Compact Fluorescent Light (CFL) 13W



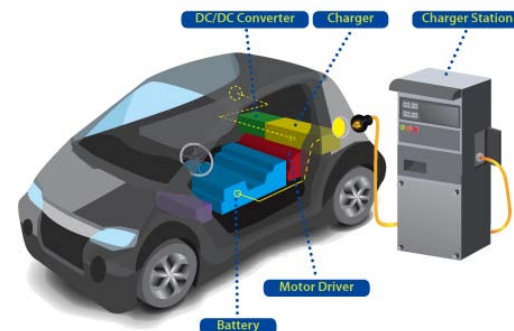
Plasma TV



Not All Good News About CVR Impact?

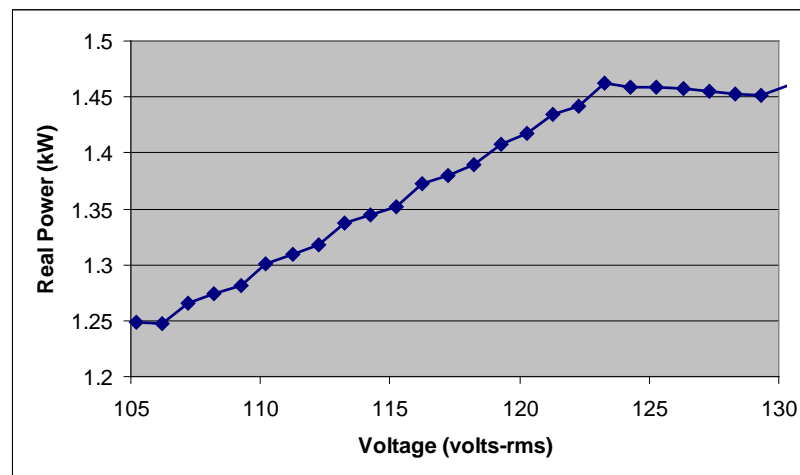
□ Inverter based loads may exhibit Constant Power behavior

- Voltage reduced
- Power (= voltage x current) stays the same
- Current flow increases
- Electrical losses (I^2R) increase



□ Some new loads have fixed current limits

- Start off as constant power
- As V is reduced, I increases
- When current reaches max, revert to Constant Current behavior





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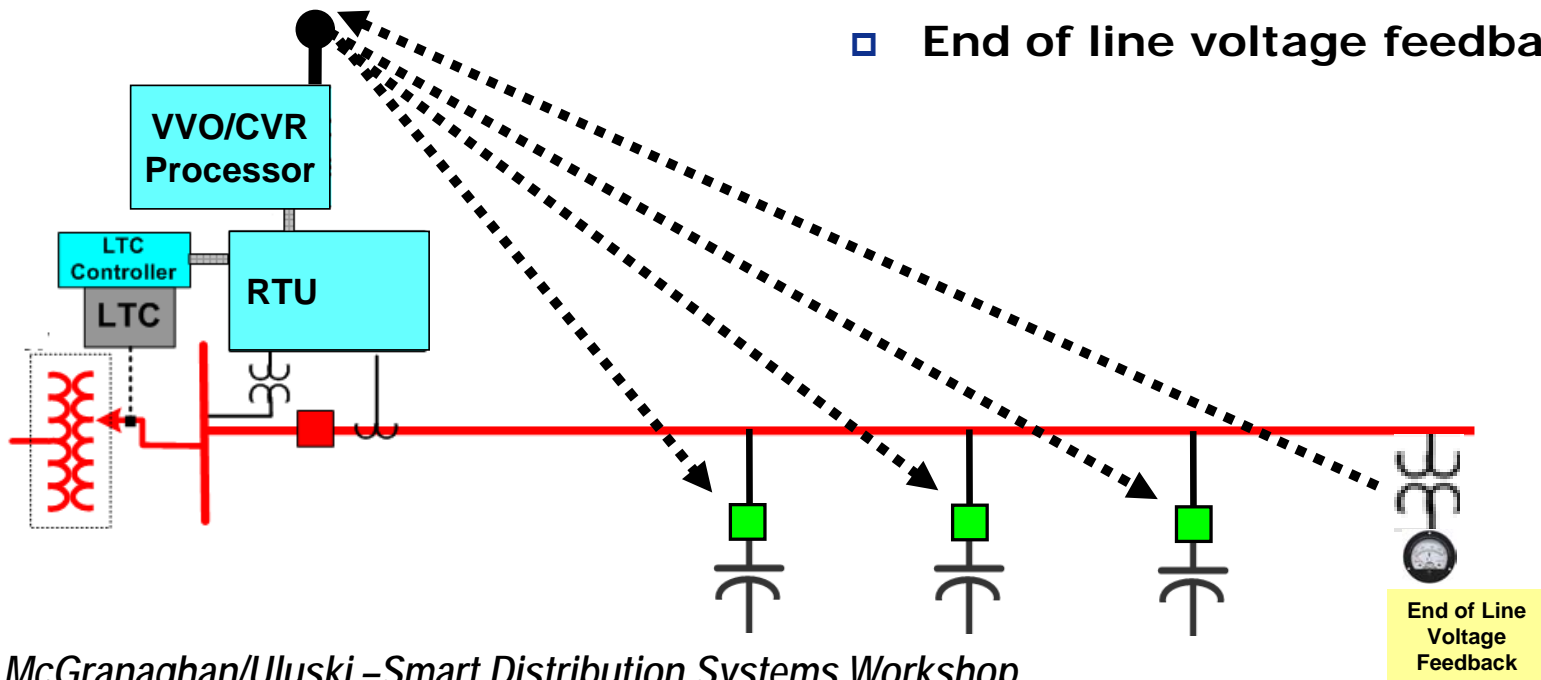
Conclusion about CVR

Need to understand the behavior of major electrical devices (including conventional and up and coming devices) when voltage is reduced

EPRI Supplemental Project “Load Modeling for Voltage Optimization” is exploring key issues pertaining to CVR

Rule Based VVC System Components

- ❑ Substation Remote Terminal Unit
- ❑ VVO/CVR processor
- ❑ Switched Cap banks & local measurement facilities
- ❑ Voltage regulators (LTCs) & local measurement facilities
- ❑ Communication facilities
- ❑ End of line voltage feedback

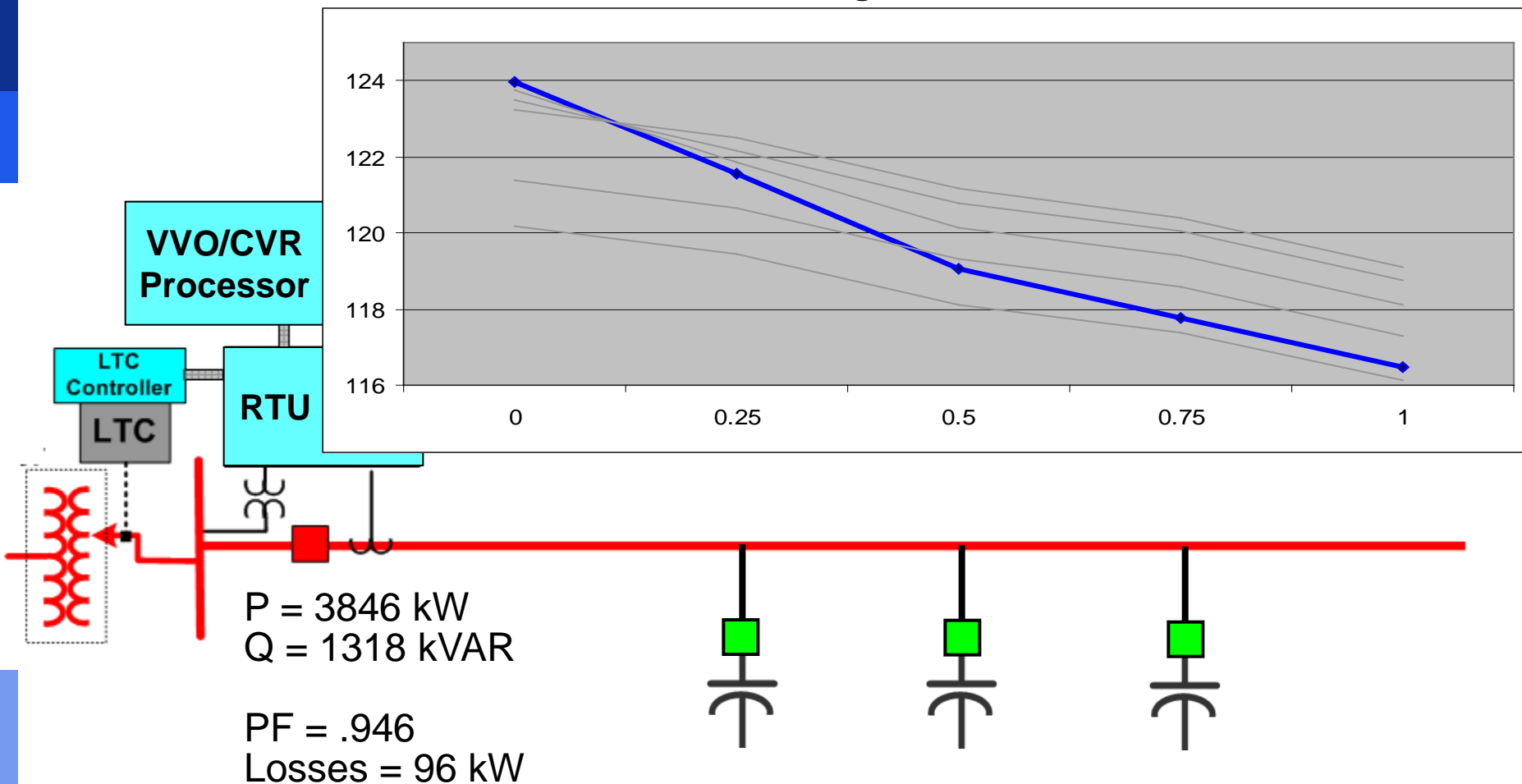




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Part 1: VAR Control (Power Factor Correction)

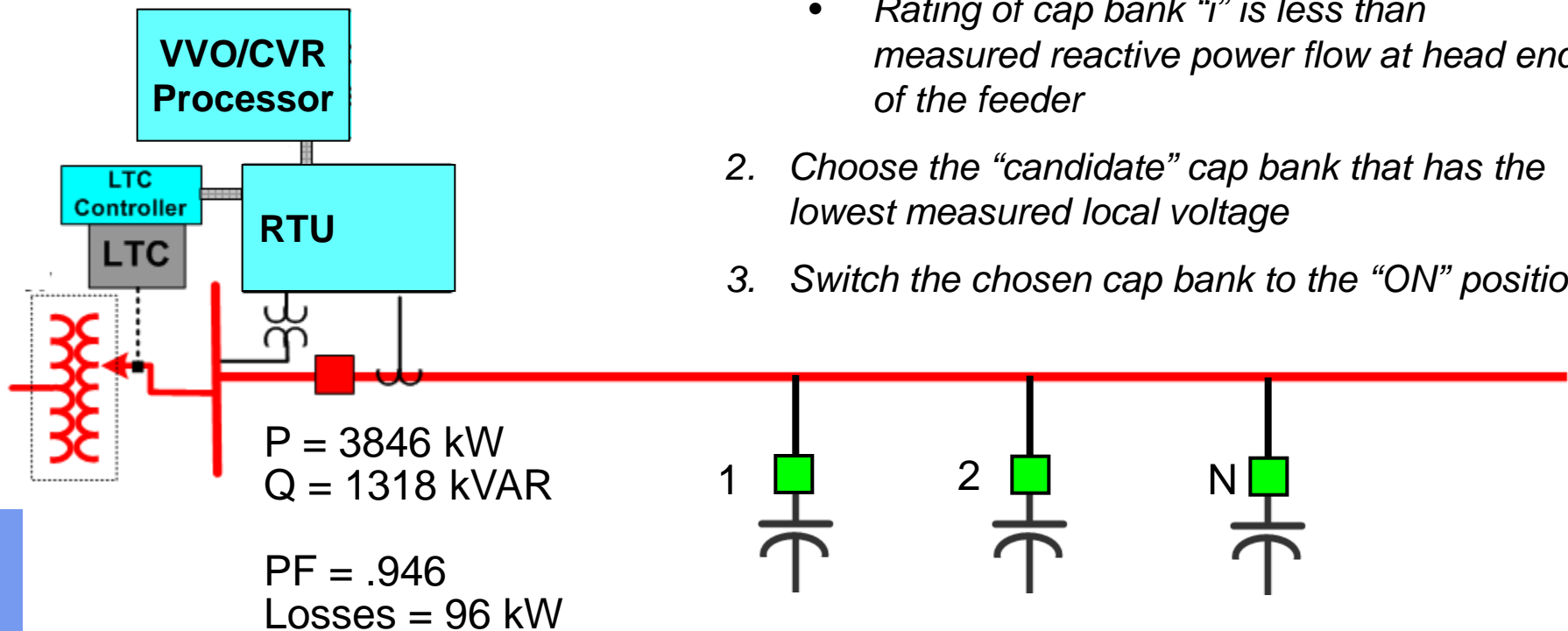
Voltage Profile



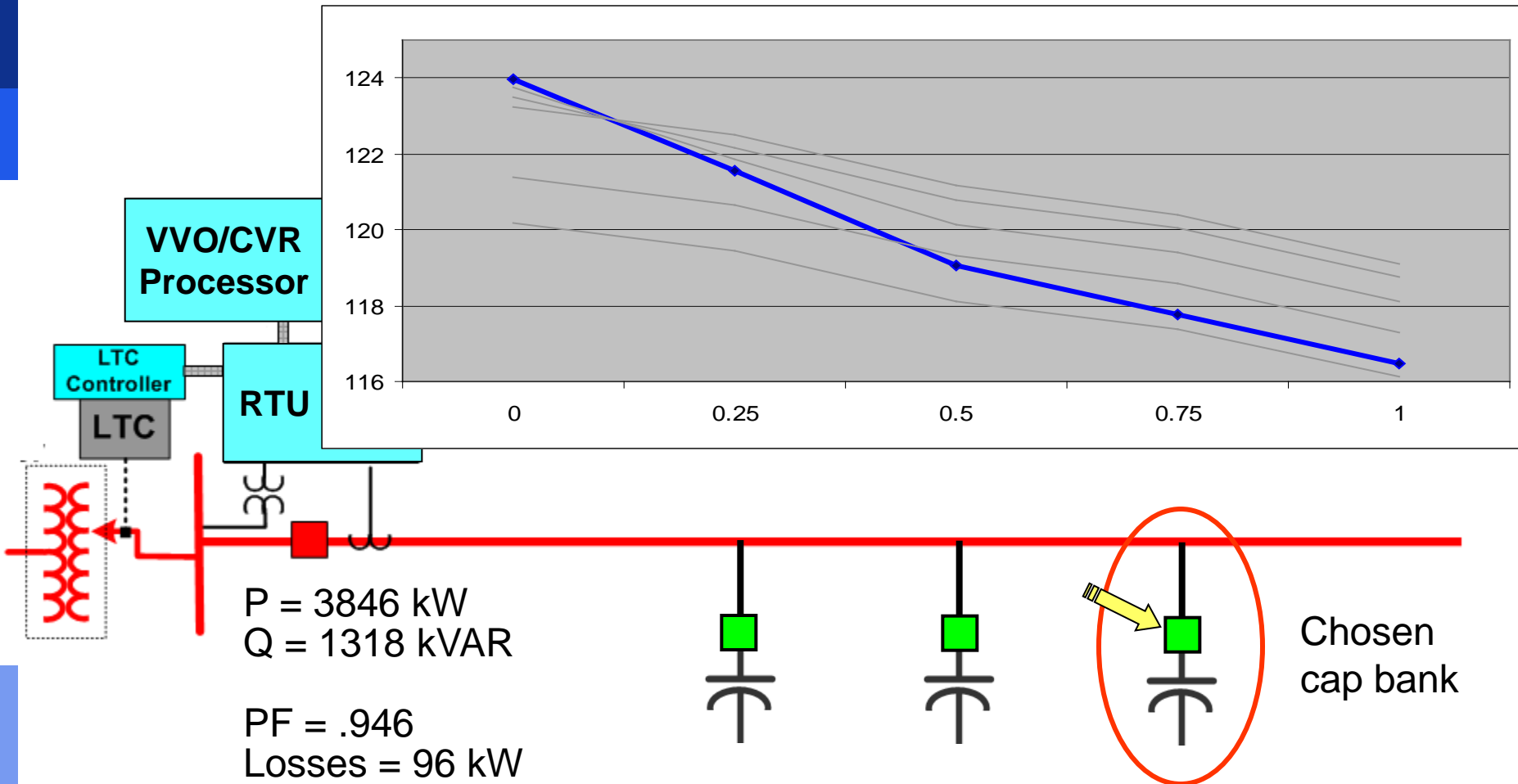
Part 1: VAR Control

Sample Rules:

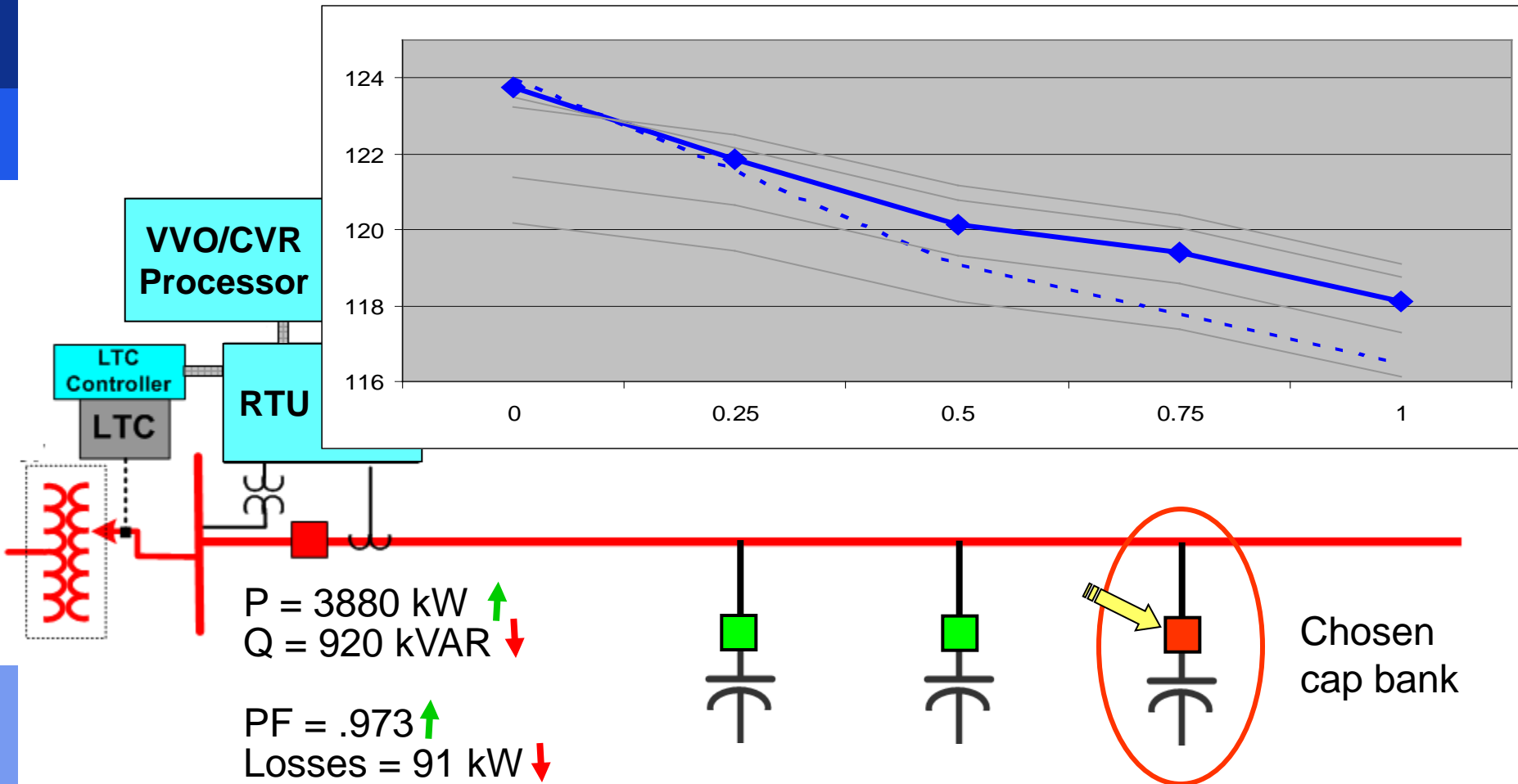
1. Identify “candidate” cap banks for switching
 - Cap bank “i” is currently “off”
 - Rating of cap bank “i” is less than measured reactive power flow at head end of the feeder
2. Choose the “candidate” cap bank that has the lowest measured local voltage
3. Switch the chosen cap bank to the “ON” position



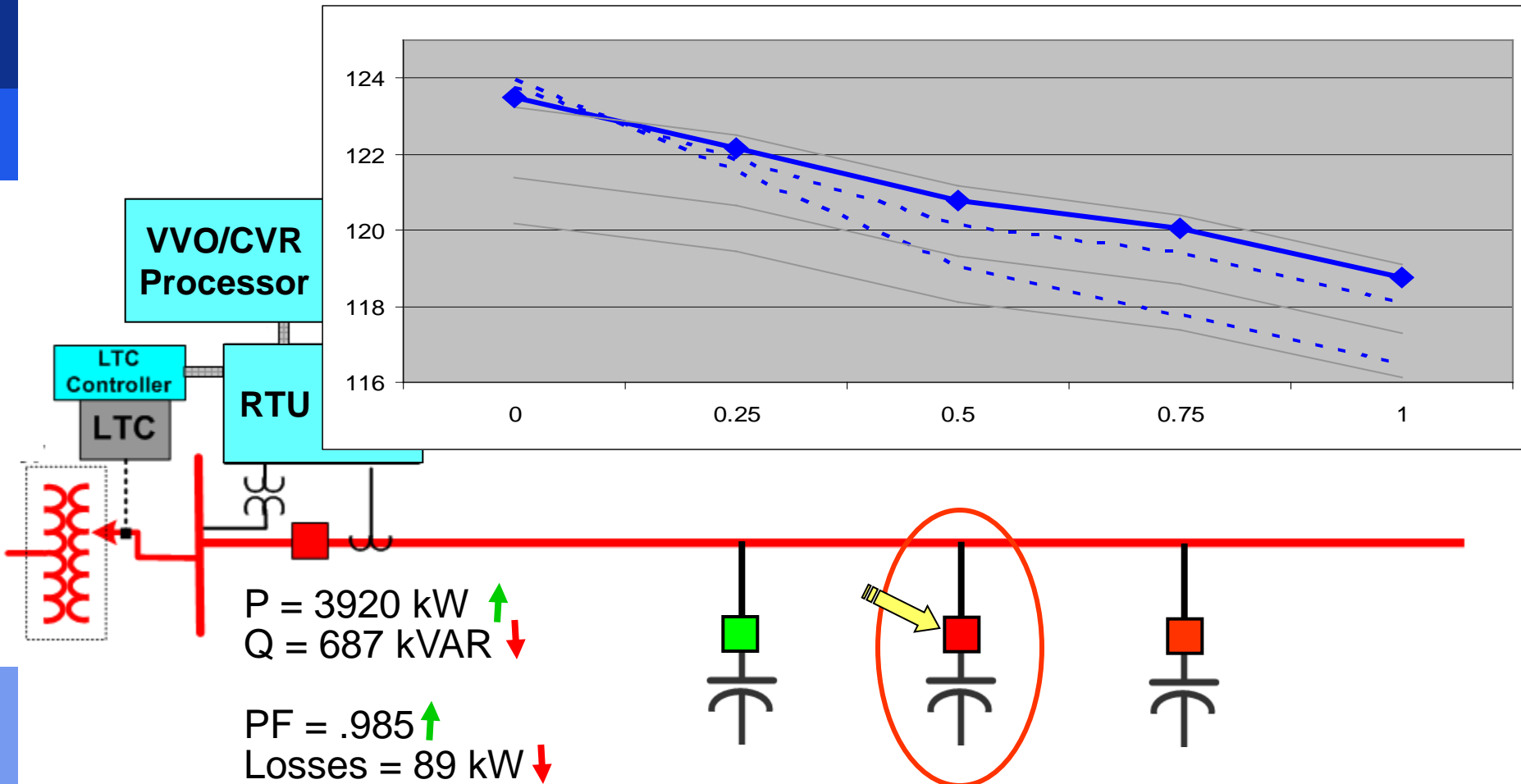
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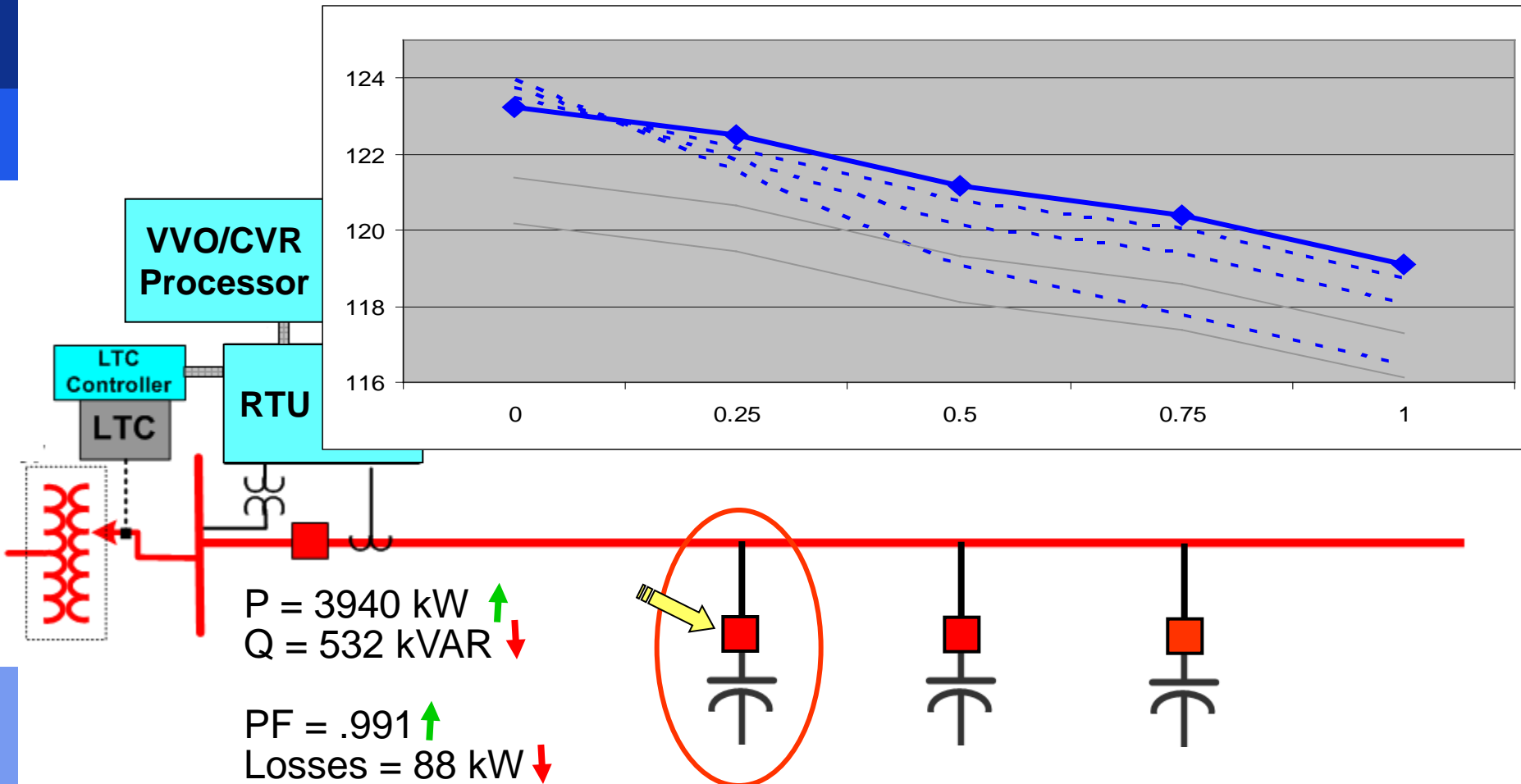
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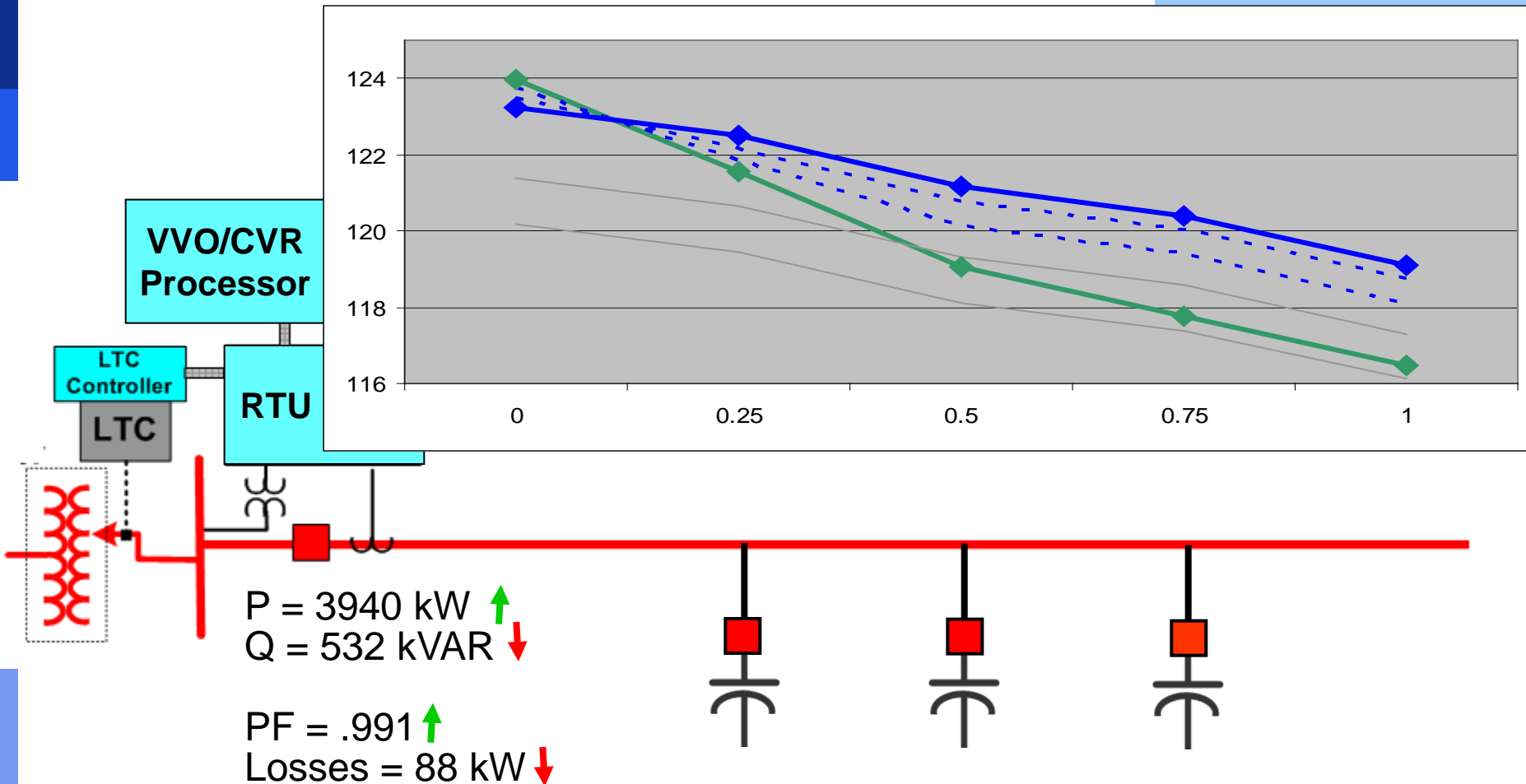


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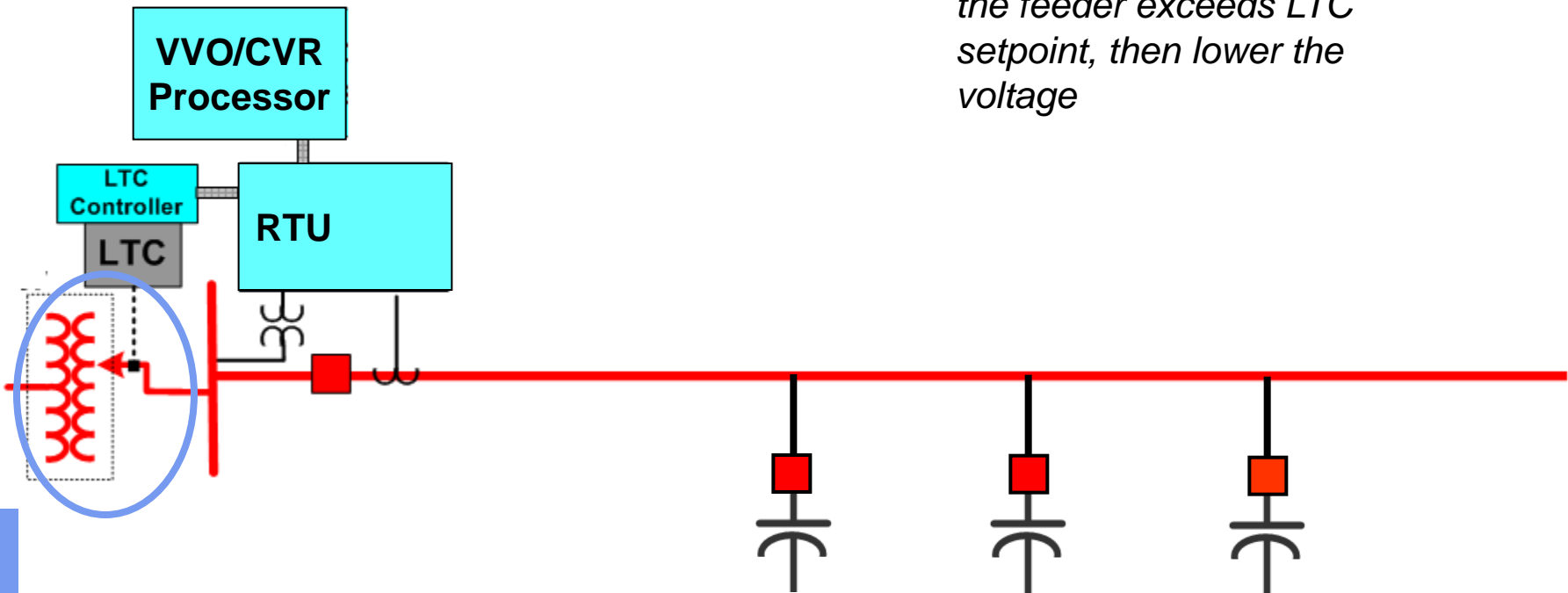
Before and After



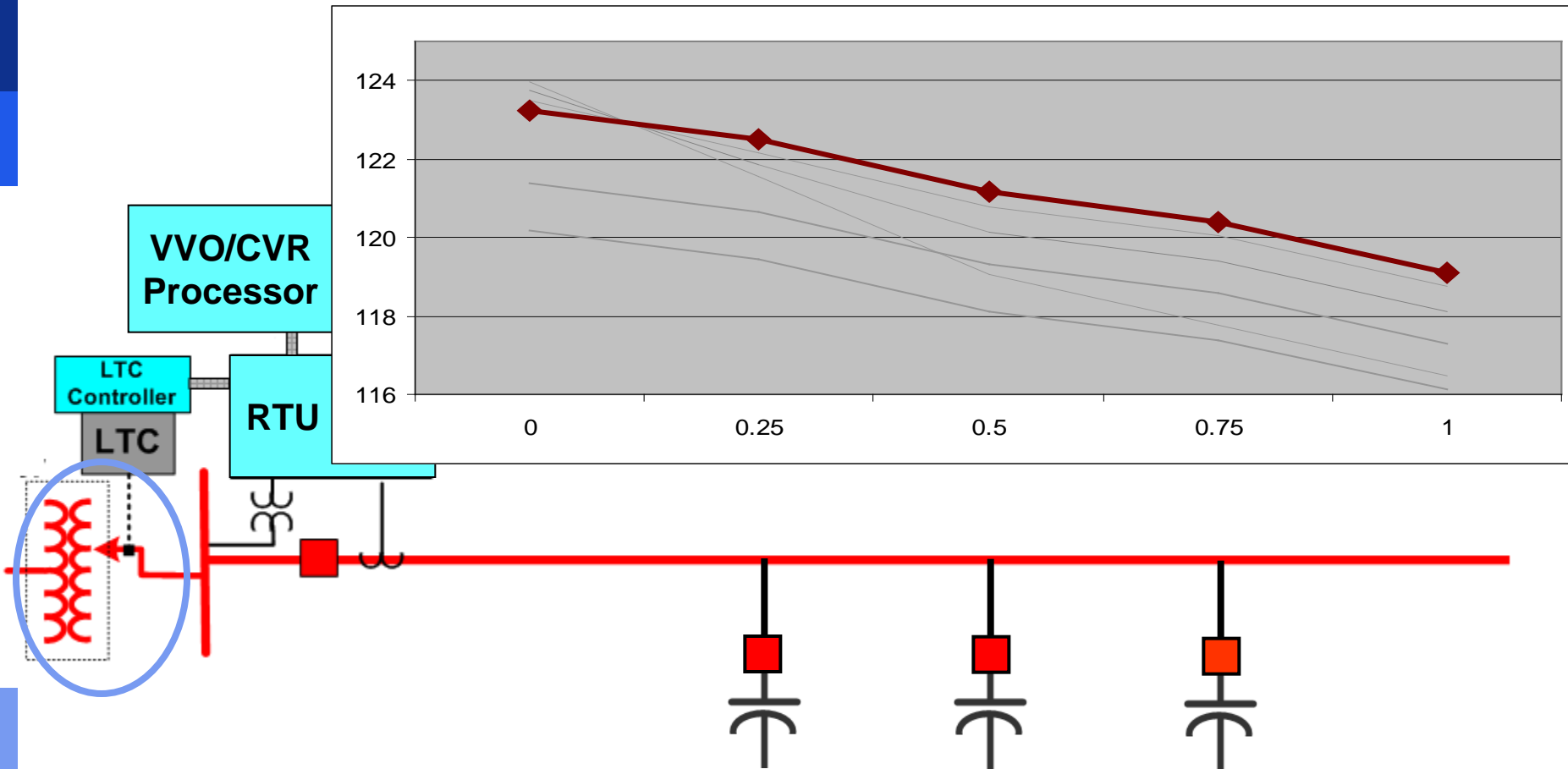
Part 2: Voltage Control (CVR)

Sample rule for voltage reduction:

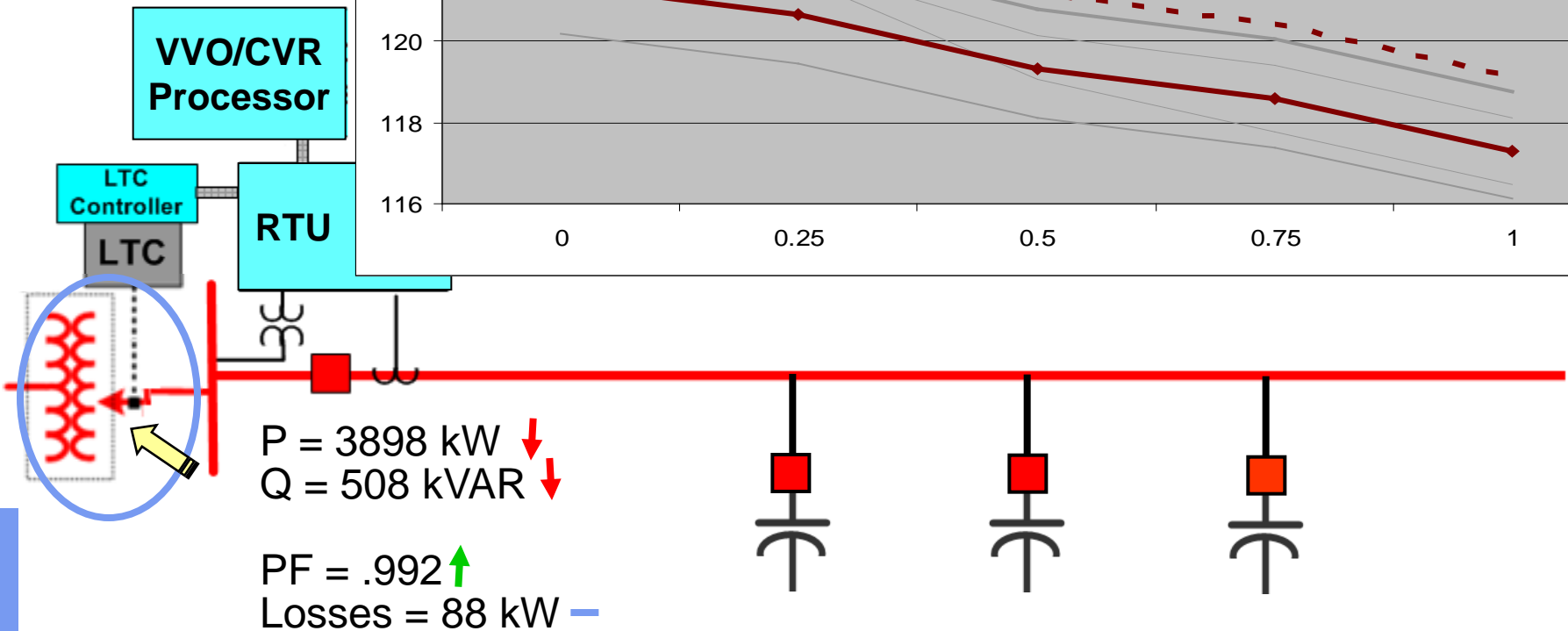
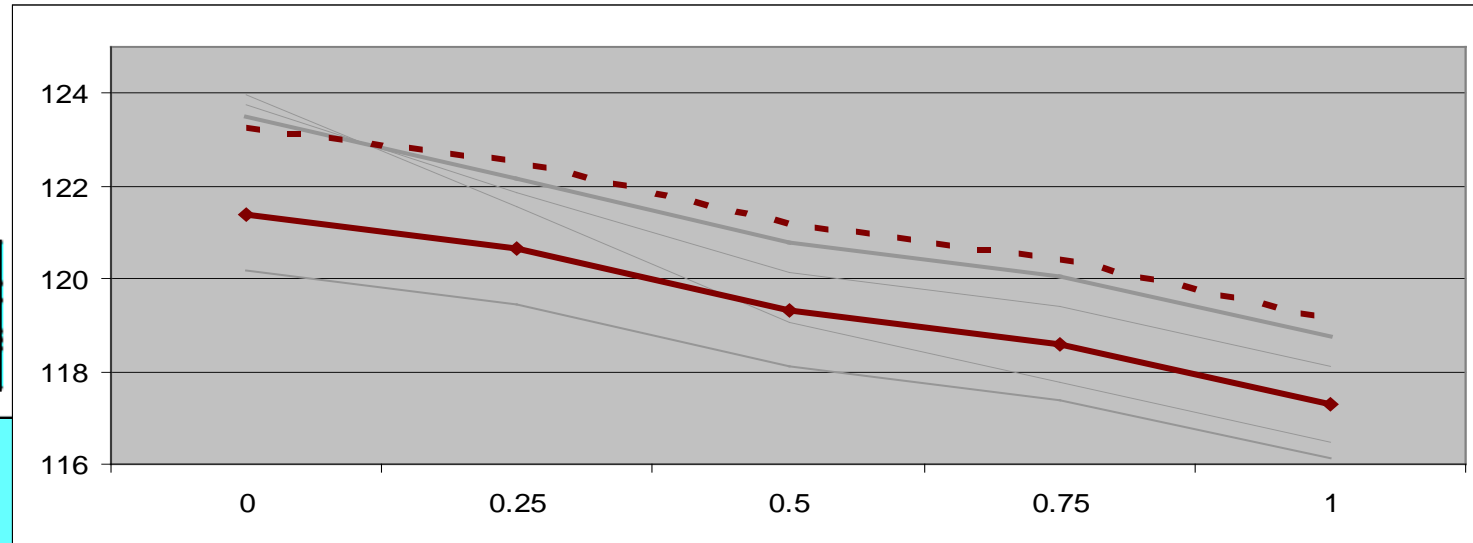
1. *If voltage at head end of the feeder exceeds LTC setpoint, then lower the voltage*



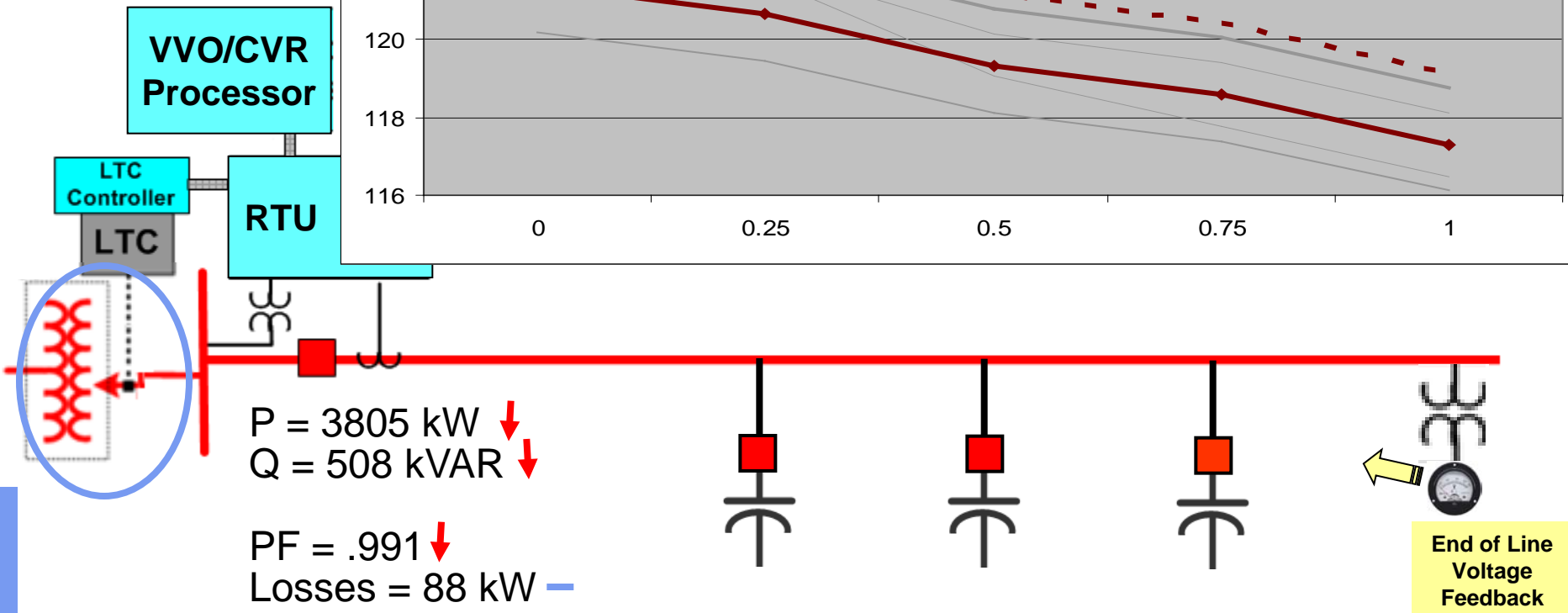
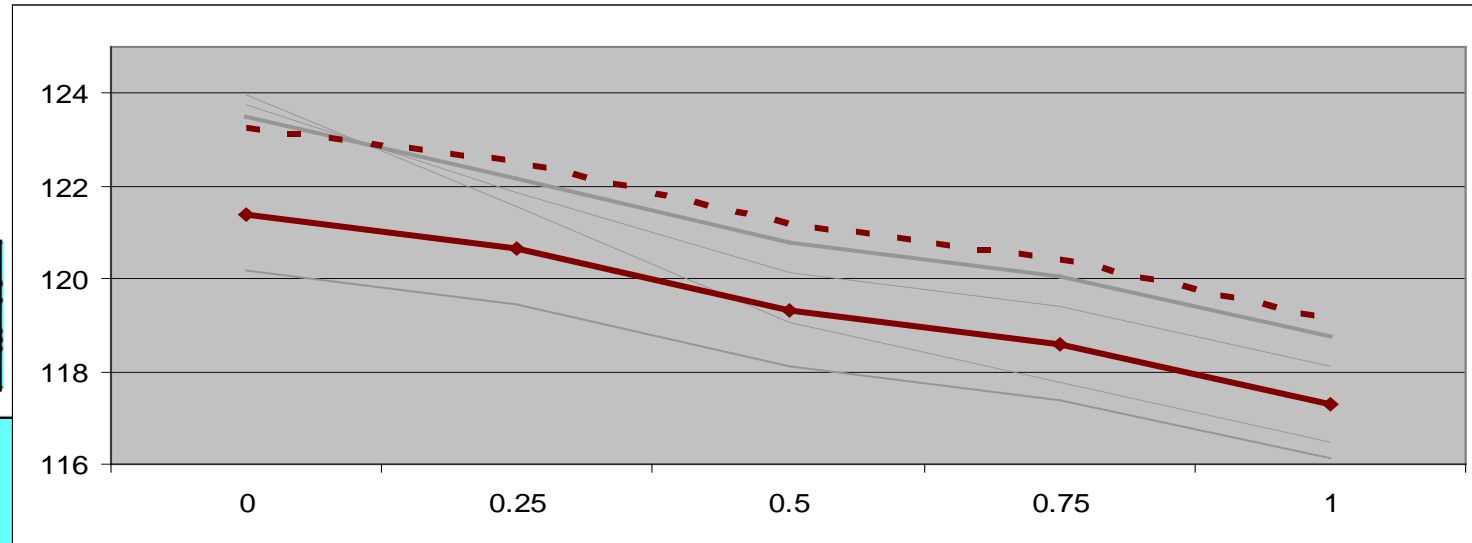
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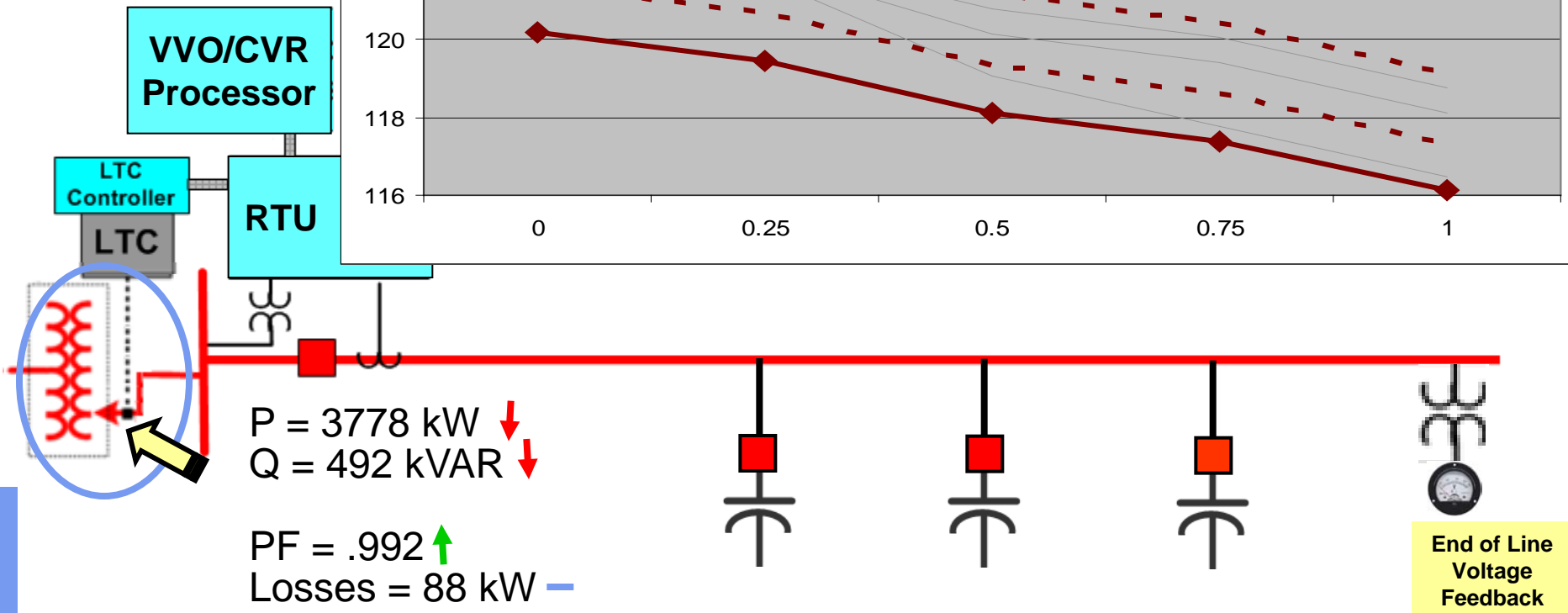
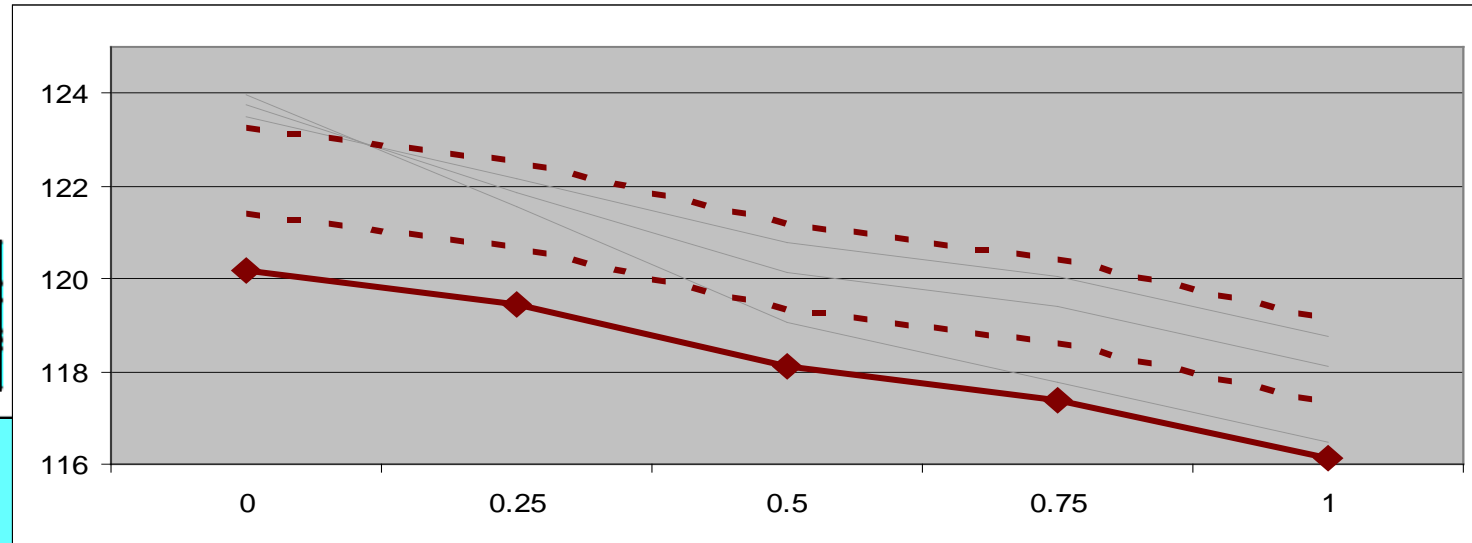
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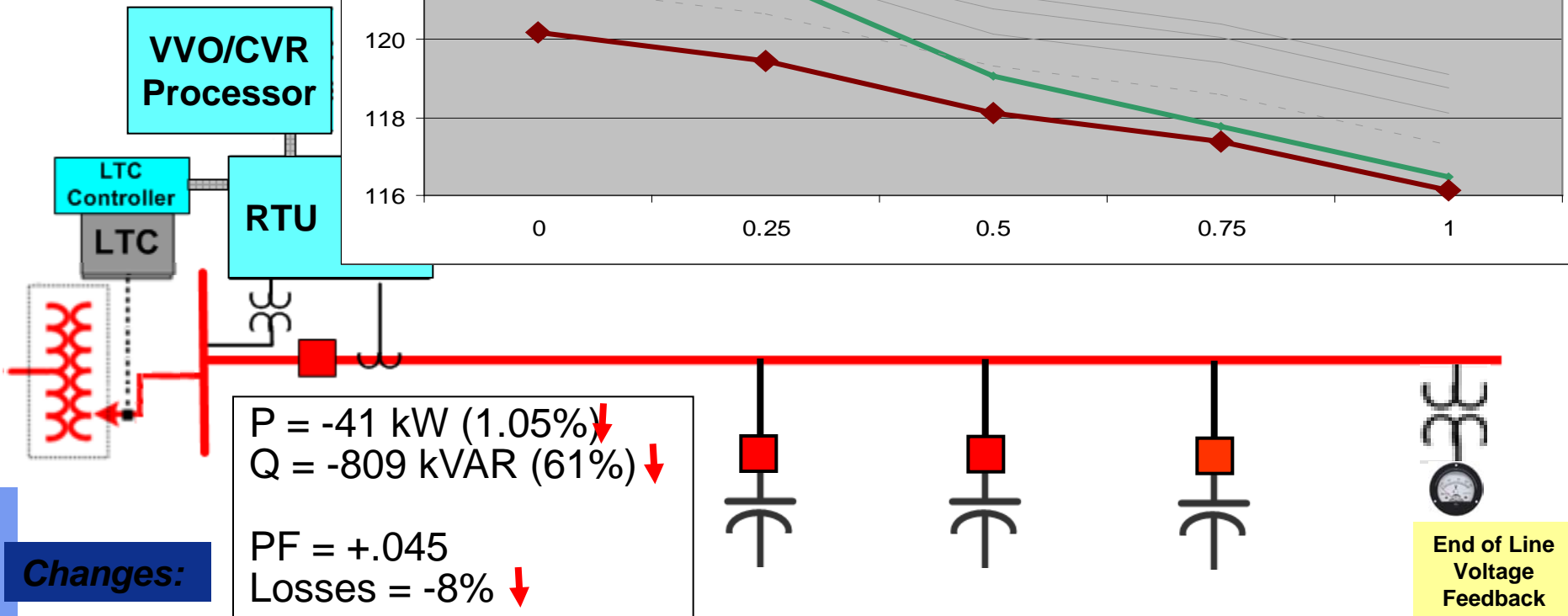
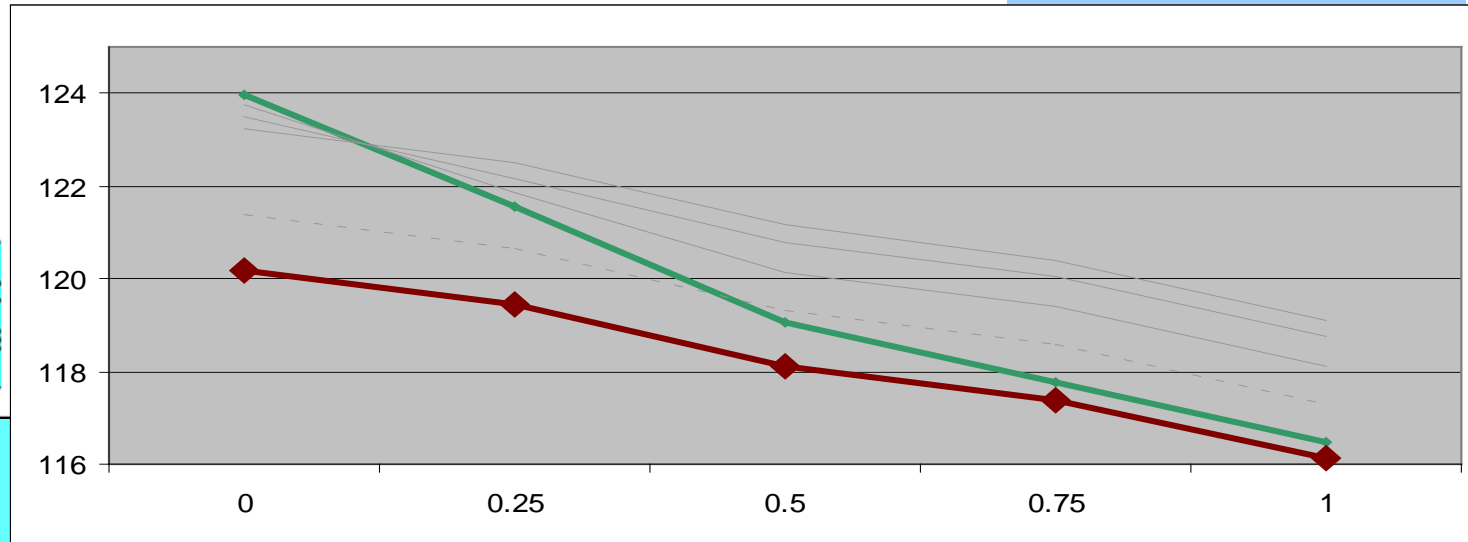


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Voltage Profile

Before and After



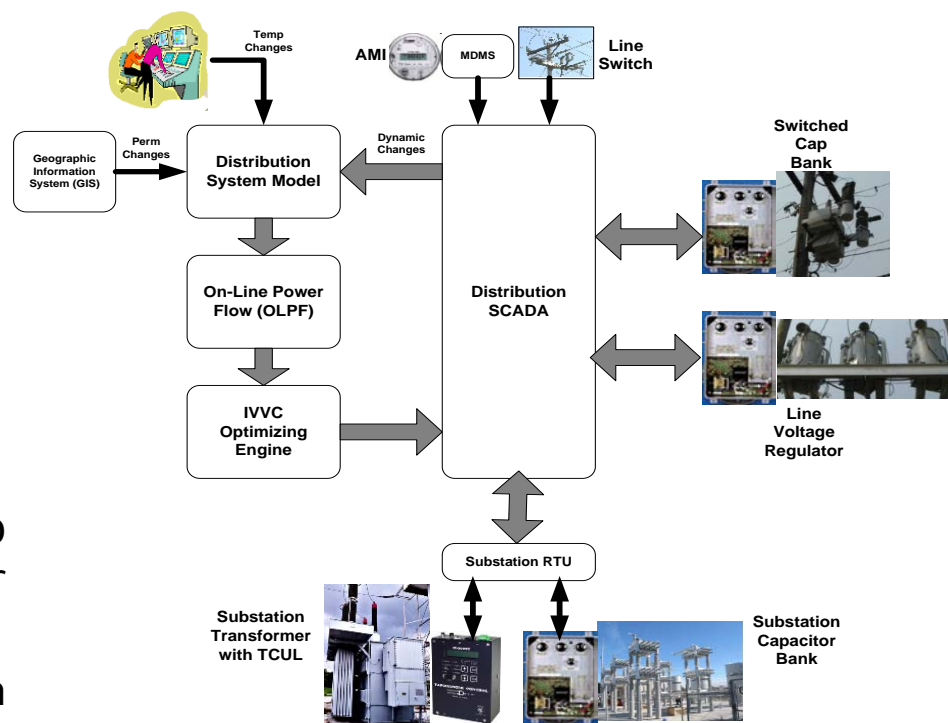
DMS (Model Based) Volt-VAR Control and Optimization

- ❑ Develops and executes a coordinated “optimal” switching plan for all voltage and VAR control devices
- ❑ DMS uses OLPF program to determine what actions to take
- ❑ Two Variations of the Model Driven Approach
 - **Voltage Reduction** – DMS version of Conservation Voltage Reduction
 - **Volt VAR Optimization (VVO)** – accomplishes one or more utility specified “objective functions”

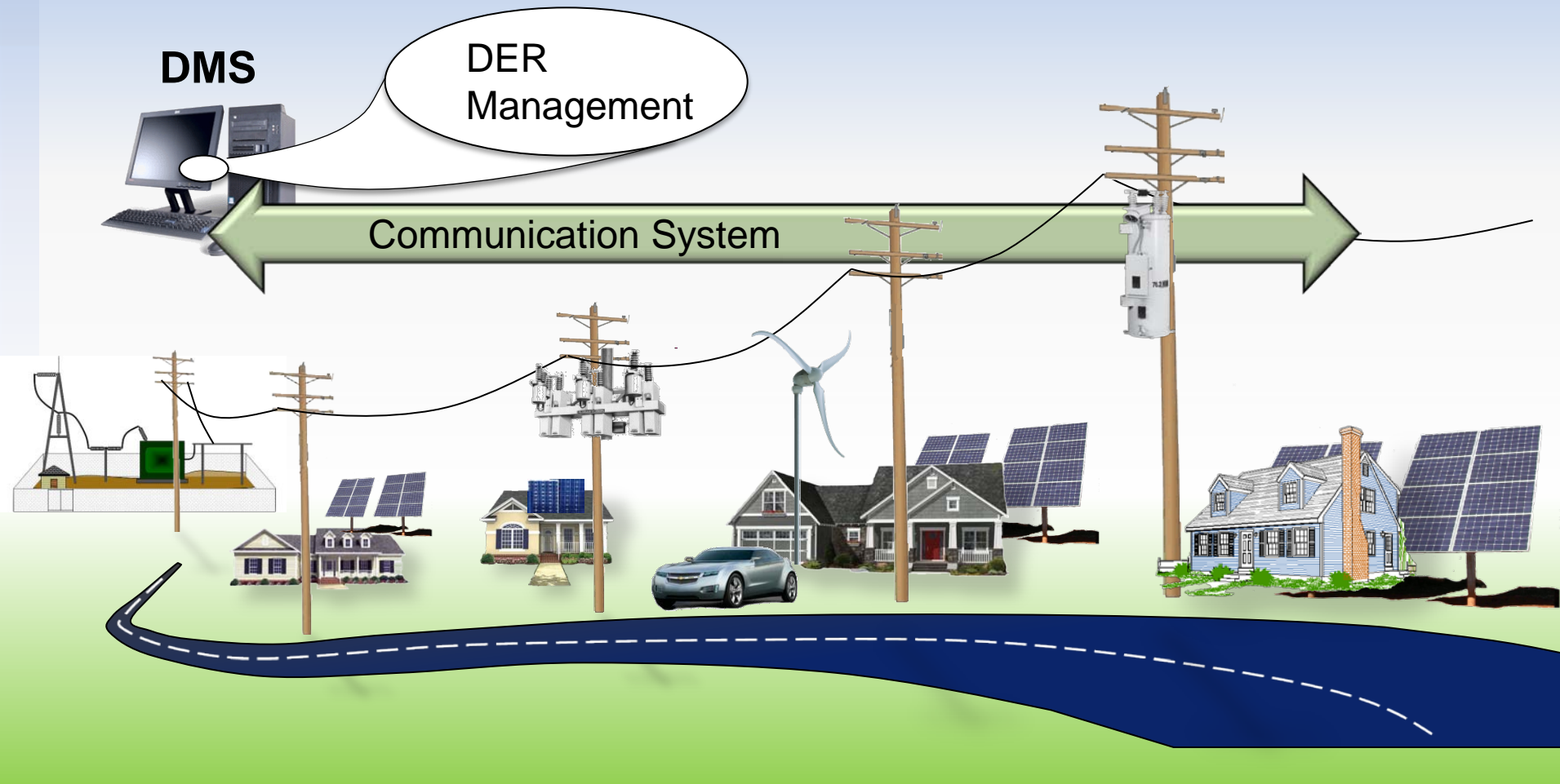


Volt-VAR Optimization

- Develops and executes a coordinated “optimal” switching plan for all voltage control devices to achieve utility-specified **objective functions**:
 - Minimize energy consumption
 - Minimize losses
 - Minimize power demand
 - Combination of the above
- Can bias the results to minimize tap changer movement
 - Reduce “wear and tear” on the physical equipment



Growing Need for Dynamic Volt-Var Control



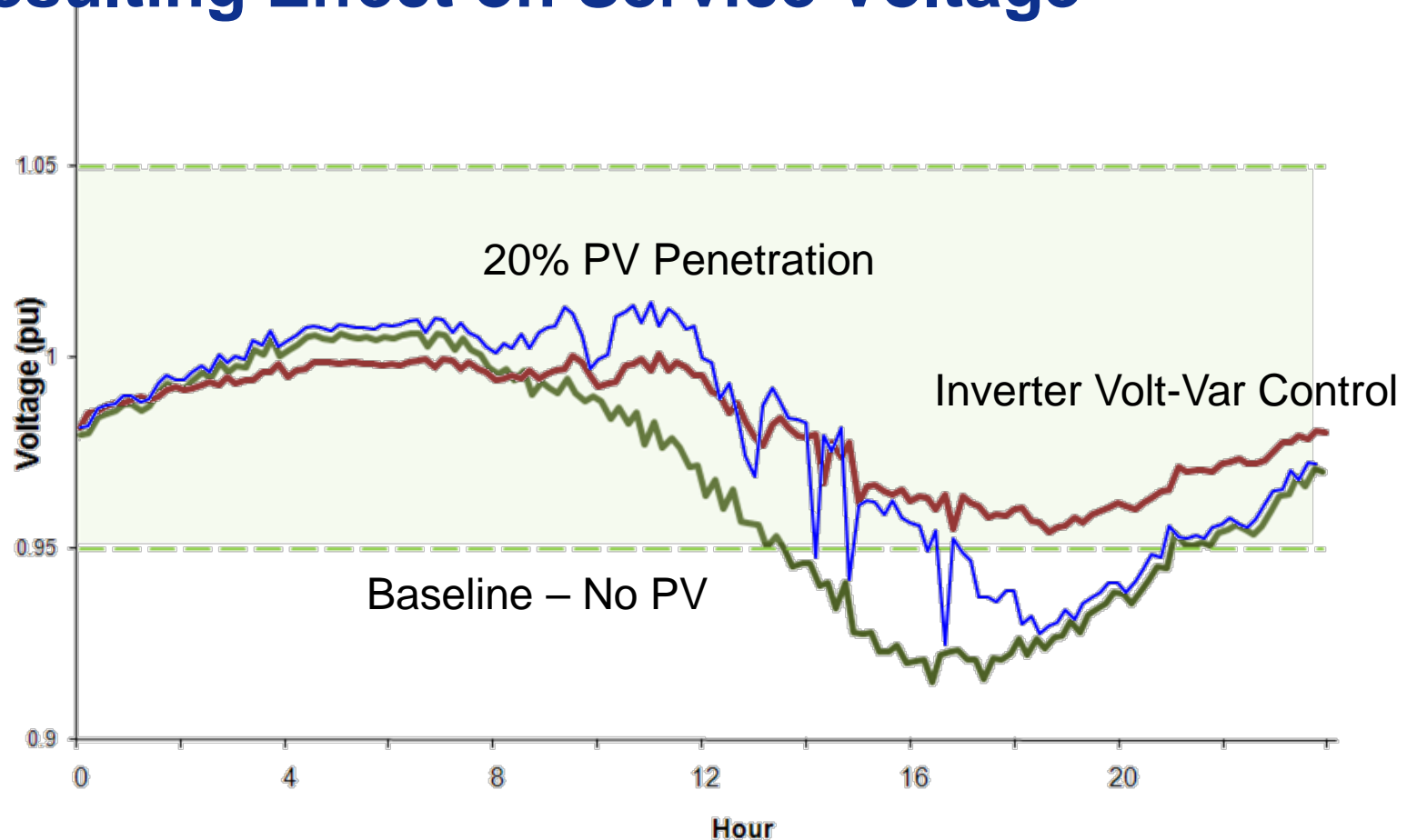


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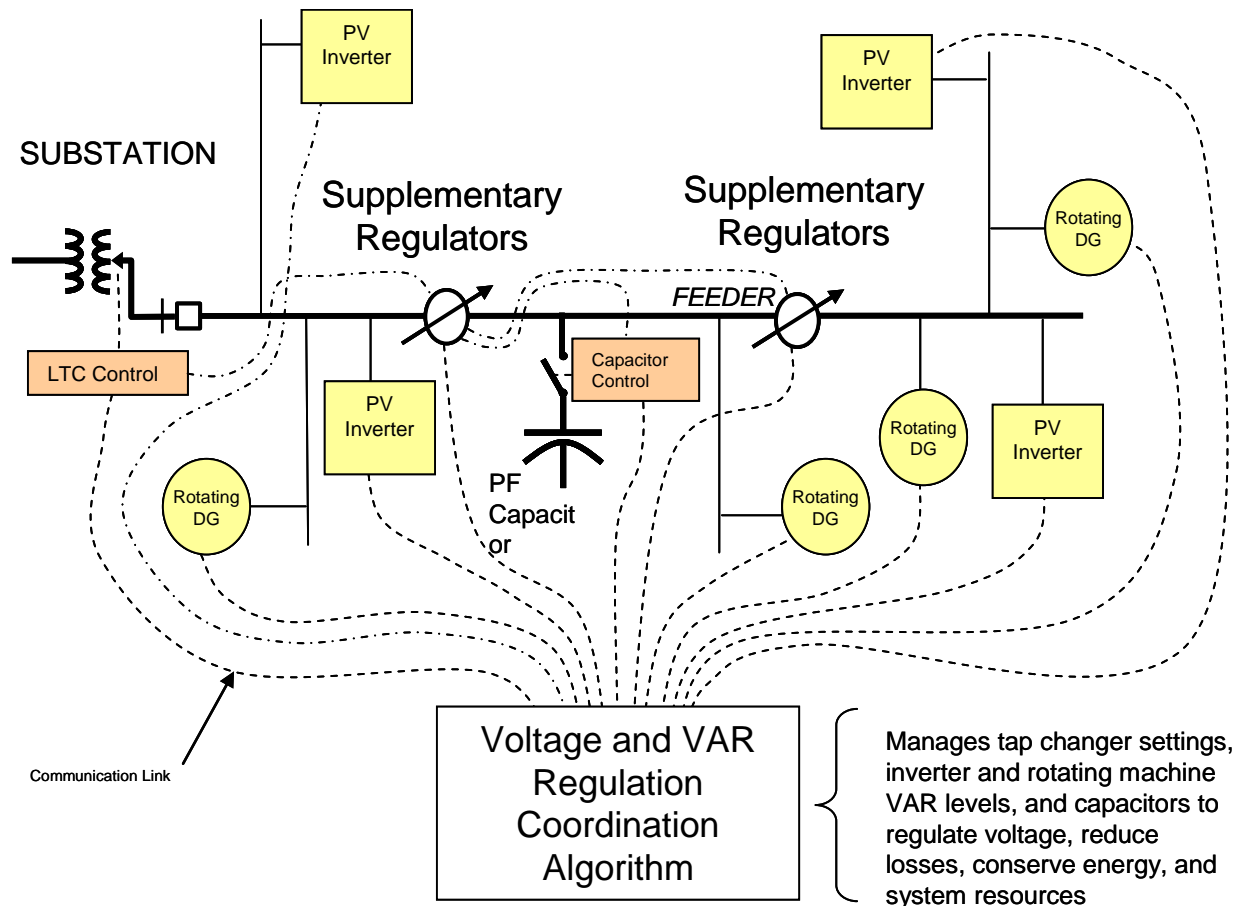
Power Inverters – What Could They Do?

- Produce Intelligent Vars – varying with voltage, temperature, and schedule
- Intelligently Employ Battery Storage – shifting to peak and controlling ramp rates
- Manage Peak Power – reducing generation when voltage is high
- Respond dynamically to variations in voltage or frequency, for system stabilization
- Provide voltage sag support – riding through events as configured
- Islanding – intentionally when desired, avoiding unintentional islanding
- Monitoring – power, energy, status, events

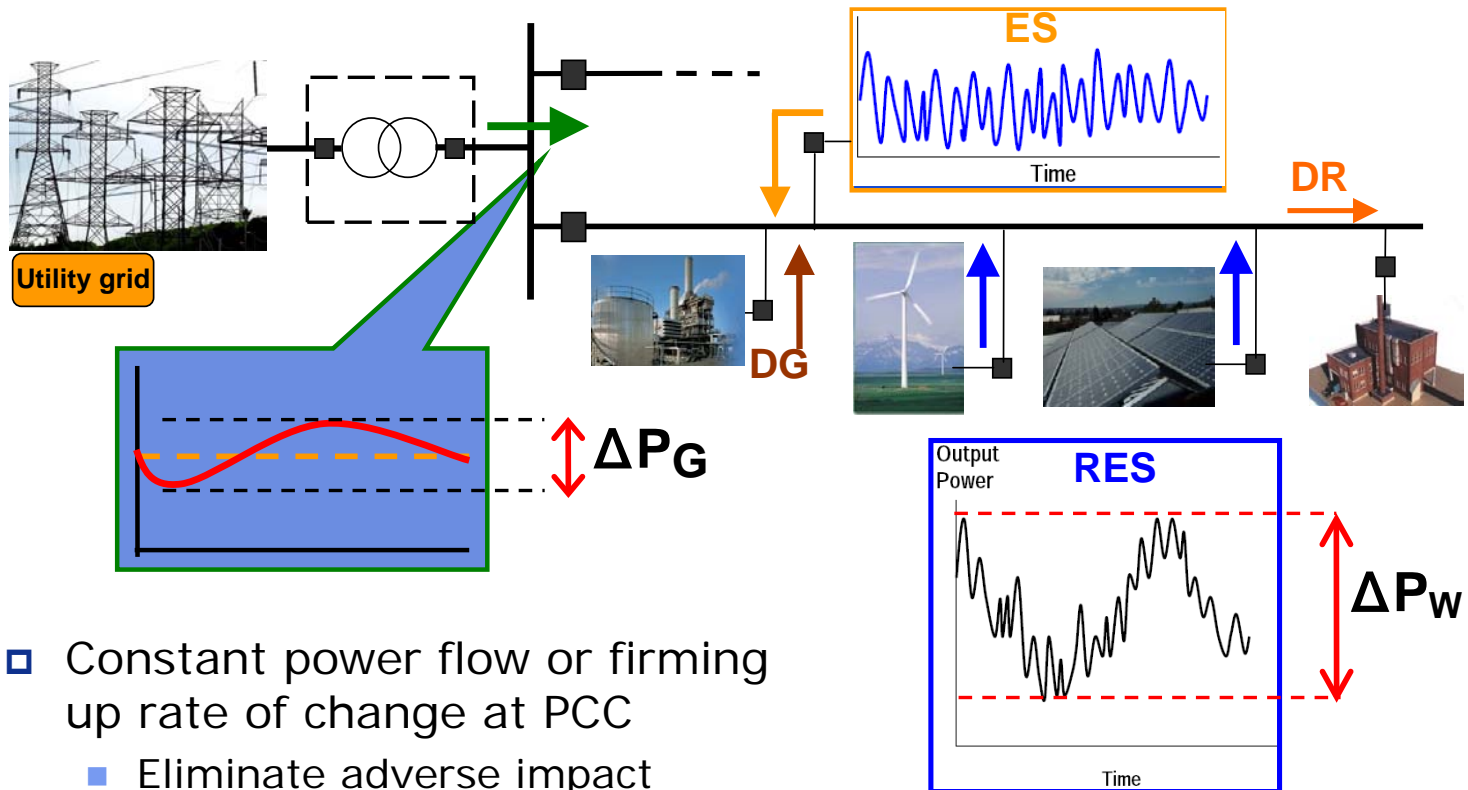
Resulting Effect on Service Voltage



Volt VAR Optimization – Next Steps



Feeder Flow and Resource Control (DG+ES)



- Constant power flow or firming up rate of change at PCC
 - Eliminate adverse impact
 - Reduce reserve capacity requirement



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Hydro-Québec Smart Grid

Christian Perreault and Georges Simard

**Smart Distribution Systems
for a Low Carbon Energy Future Workshop**

6 June 2011

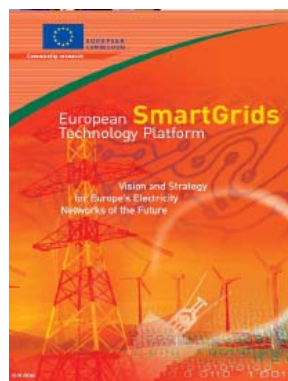
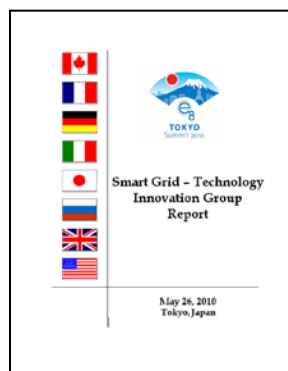


Outline

- Distribution System Roadmap
 - Smart Grid Framework
 - Smart Grid Project
- Smart Grid Zone
 - Description
 - Benefits
 - Technologies
- Smart Distribution Systems and GHG
- Conclusion

2010 World Benchmark and Smart Grid Drivers

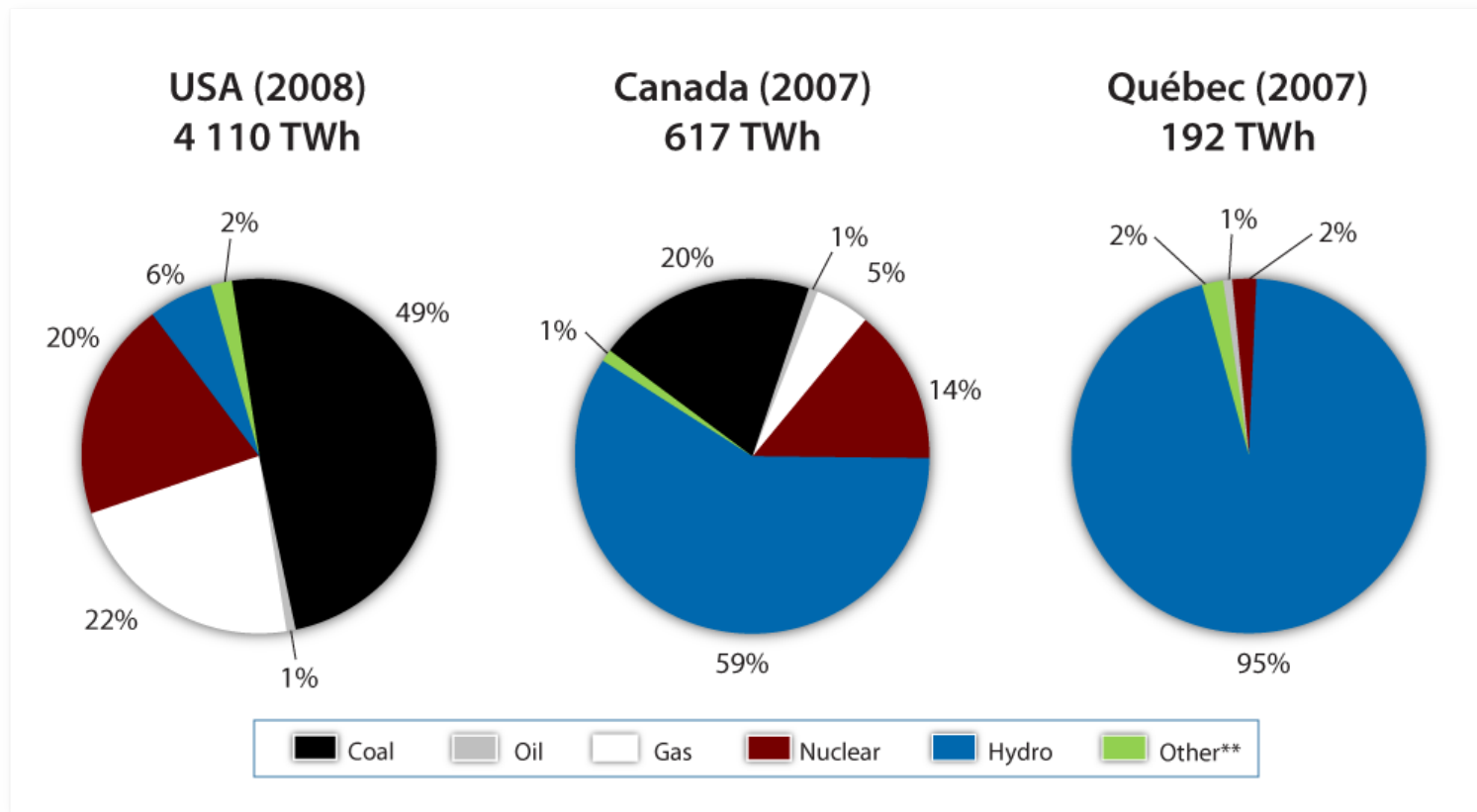
	Europe	U.S.	Canada
Availability of energy	X	X	X
Control of peak power	X	X	X
Political targets for green energy (distributed generation)	X		Ontario British Columbia



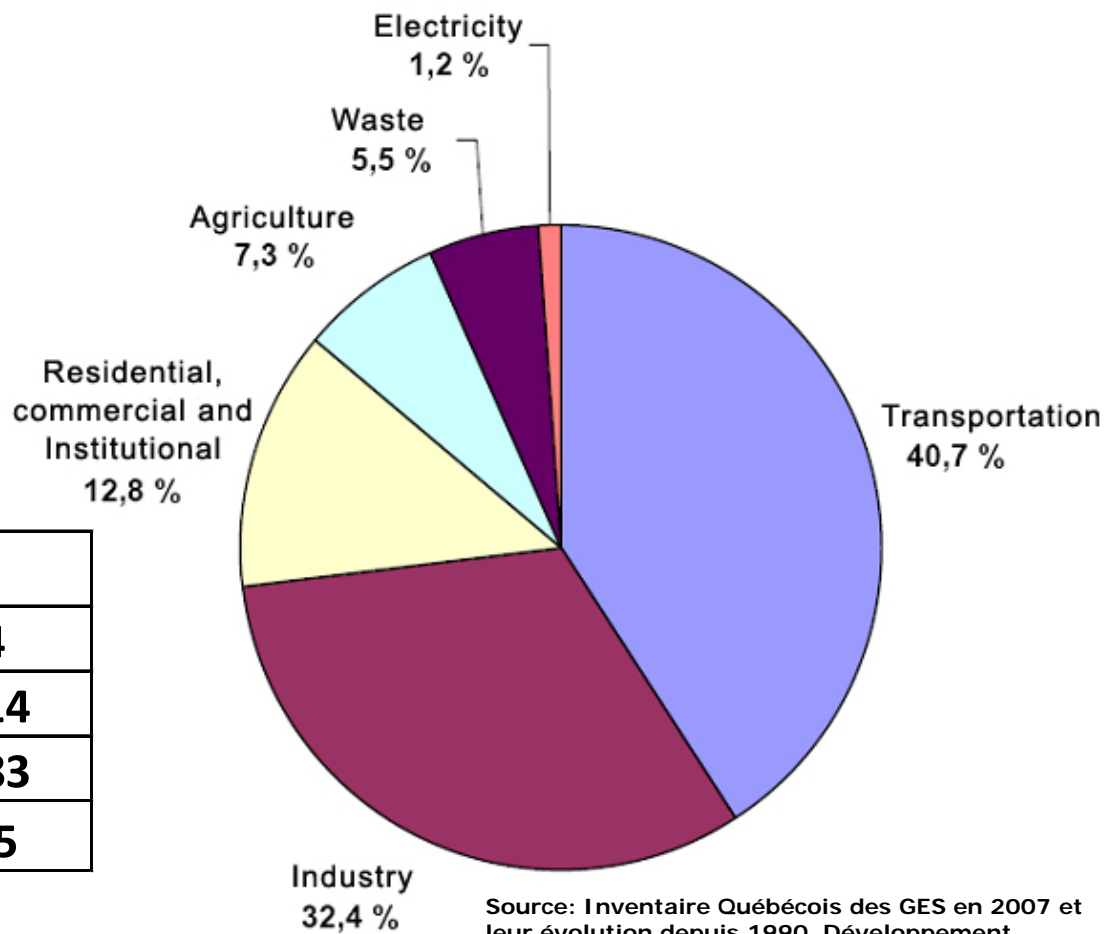
Snapshot of Hydro-Québec

- ❑ Hydro-Québec is one of the largest power generator in North America.
- ❑ Hydro-Québec is among the largest power transmission companies in North America. (>16B\$ in transmission assets)
- ❑ Hydro-Québec is the largest electricity company in Canada.
- ❑ Hydro-Québec is the number one hydroelectricity producer in the world.

Comparison of Energy Options in North America



Breakdown of GHG in Québec in 2007



Emission factor (tCO ₂ e/GWh)	
Quebec	2,04
Ontario	161,14
Alberta	886,83
British-Columbia	15,15

Source: Rapport d'inventaire national 2008, Environnement Canada 2010.

Source: Inventaire Québécois des GES en 2007 et leur évolution depuis 1990, Développement durable, Environnement et Parcs, déc. 2009.

2010 Quebec Context

● Energy

- Potential and available hydropower vs. fossil fuels
- Relatively low cost of energy (6.88¢/kWh)
- Robust distribution system
 - Electrically: Designed for electric heating (more than 75% of residential customers)
 - Mechanically: Certain areas strengthened following the 1998 ice storm

● Customers

- High level of customer satisfaction ($\approx 8/10$)
- In Québec, the peak is associated with electric heating in winter (longer period, hours/days)

● Social context

● Regulatory context

● Priorities set out by Hydro-Québec's CEO at the World Energy Congress (September 12 to 16, 2010):

- Renewable energy
- Electric mobility
- Interactive transmission and distribution systems

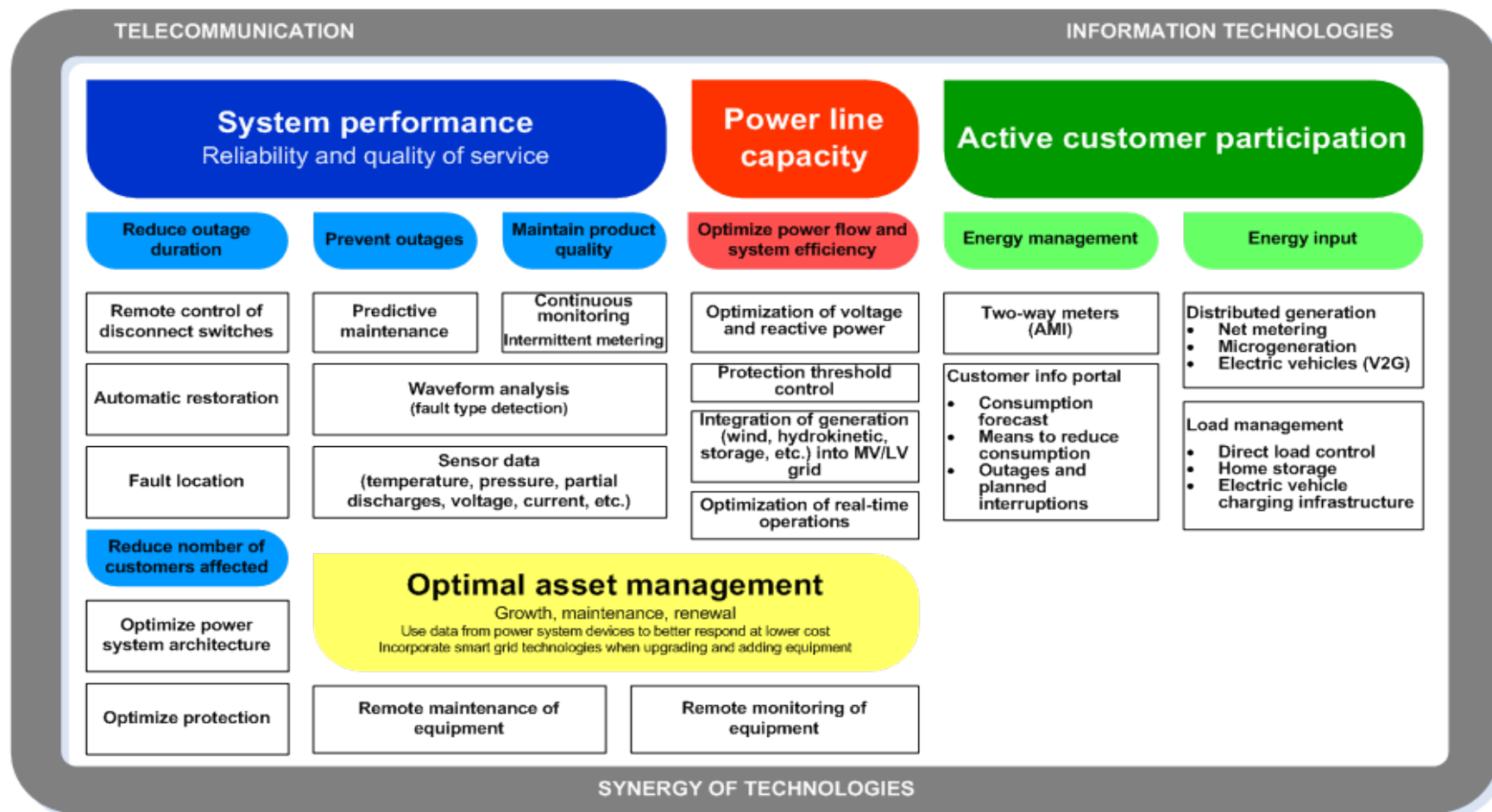
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HQD Orientations and Strategies Related to the Smart Grid

- ⊙ Ensure the quality of customer services
 - Improve overall reliability of the distribution system
- ⊙ Step up energy efficiency efforts
 - Save 11 TWh of energy in 2015
 - Promote efficient, sustainable use of electricity
- ⊙ Meet electricity needs in a flexible manner
 - Manage electricity supplies optimally
- ⊙ Further enhance the division's performance
 - Continue to improve efficiency
 - Focus on technological innovation

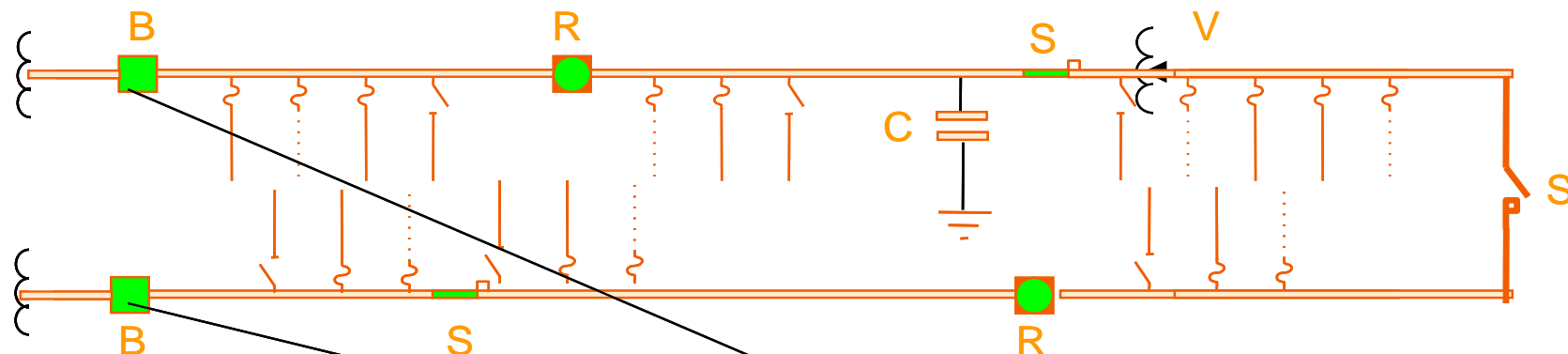
Hydro-Québec Smart Grid Framework



Distribution Smart Grid Roadmap



Conventional Distribution System



B – Breaker

R – Breaker-recloser

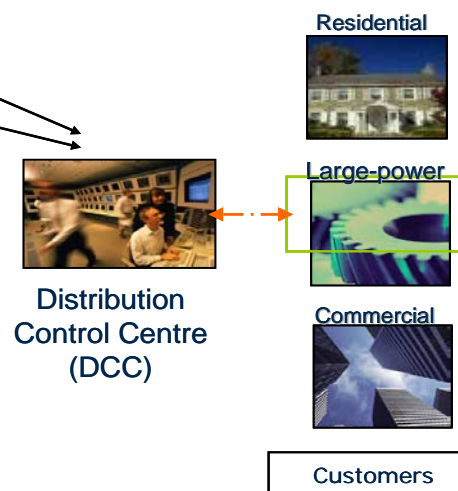
S – Switch

C – Capacitor

V – Voltage regulator

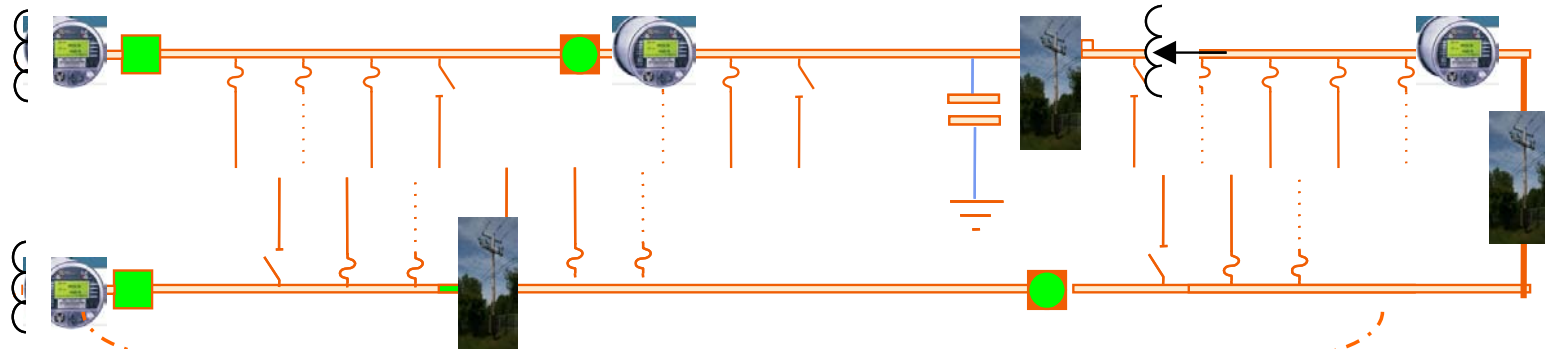
Grid performance limited by:

- Little real-time information
- High safety margins



Projects to Enhance System Performance (Reliability and Quality of Service)

System Performance
Reliability and quality of service



Reduce outage duration

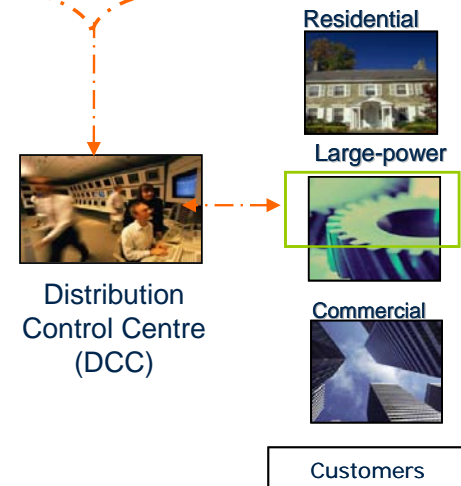
- Distribution system automation project
- Sectionalizers (advanced protection)
- Automatic restoration

Prevent outages

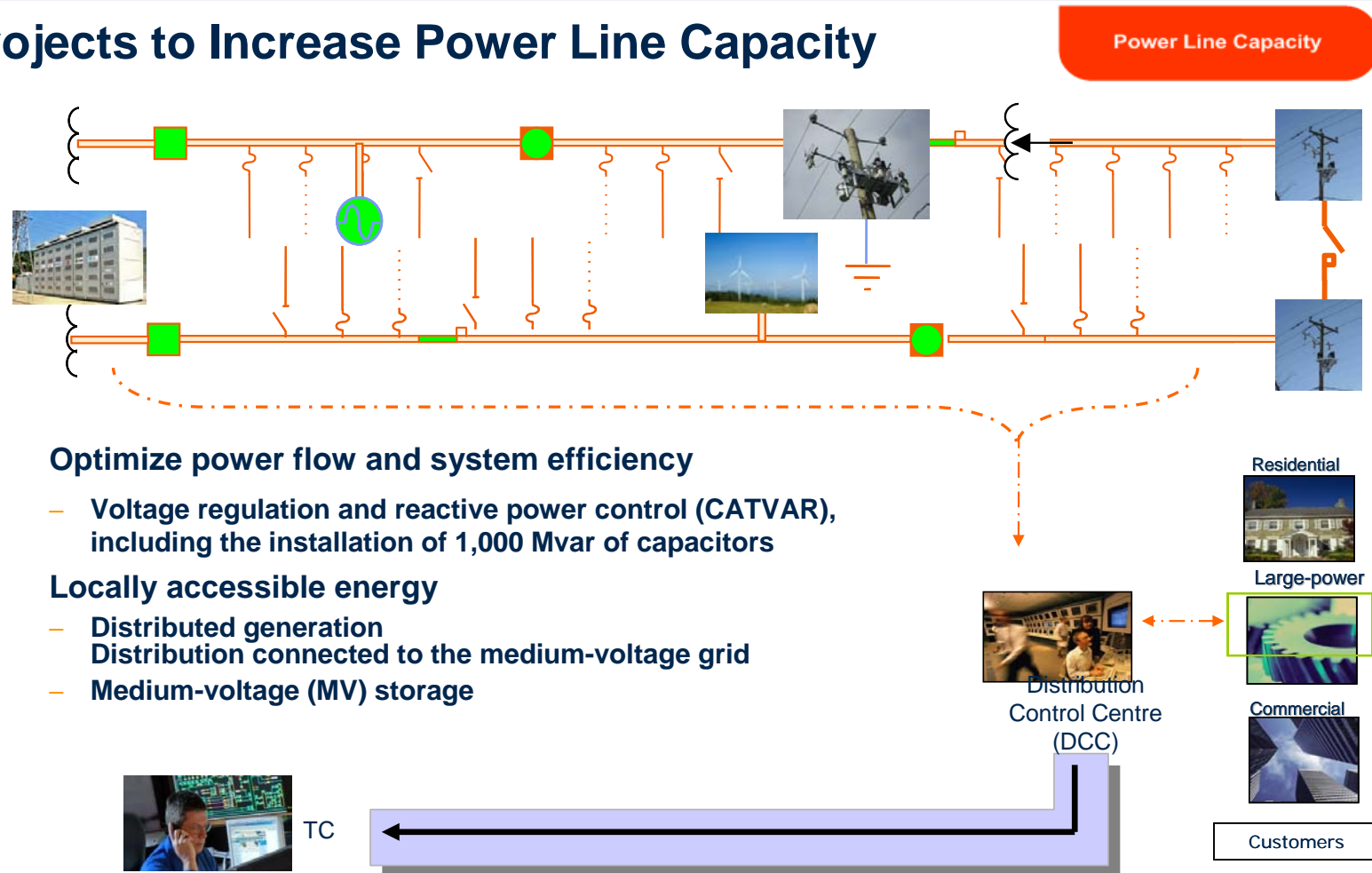
- Fault location
- Waveform analysis to enhance system performance

Maintain product quality

- Voltage quality monitors
- Probes and sensors



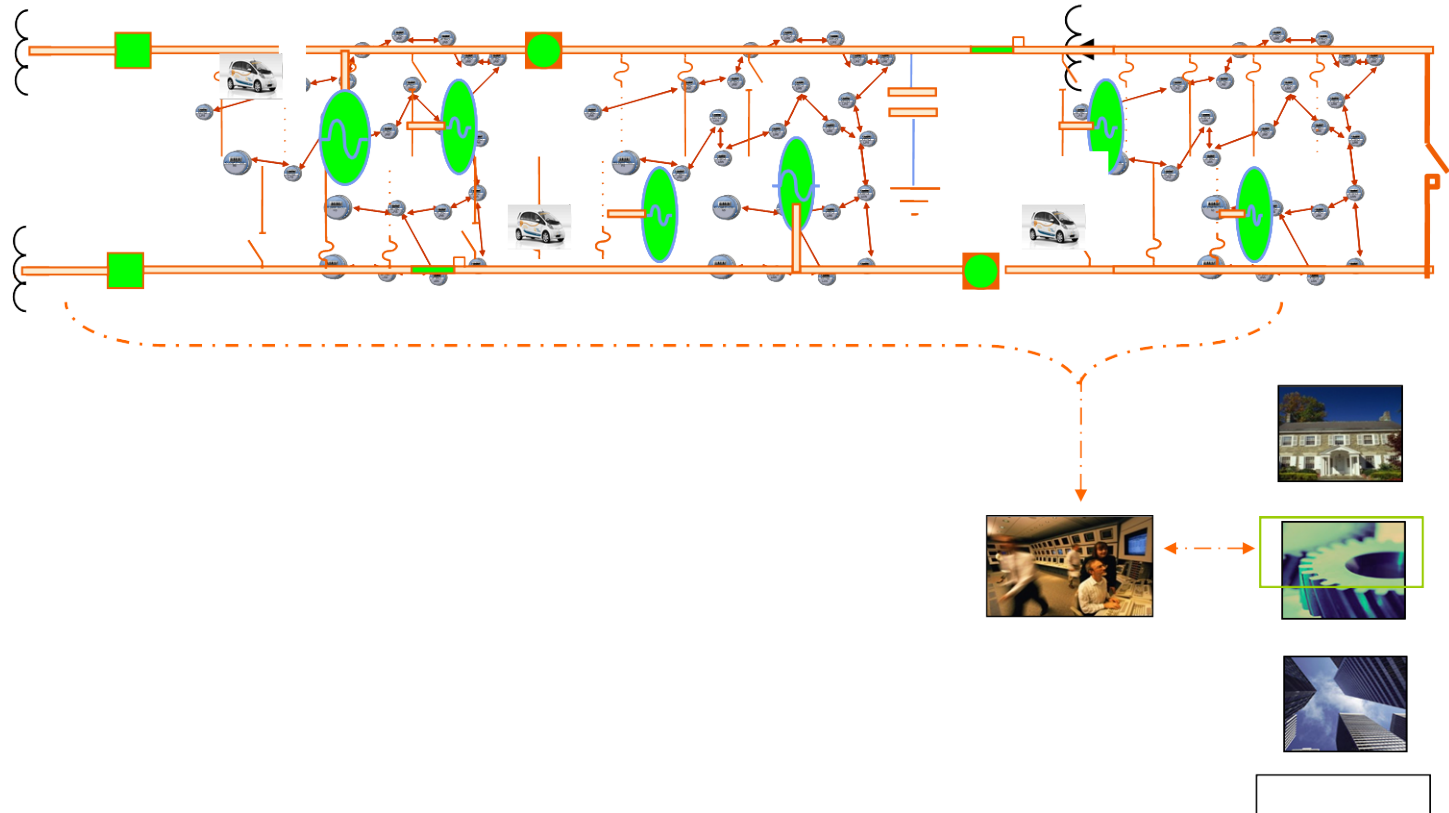
Projects to Increase Power Line Capacity



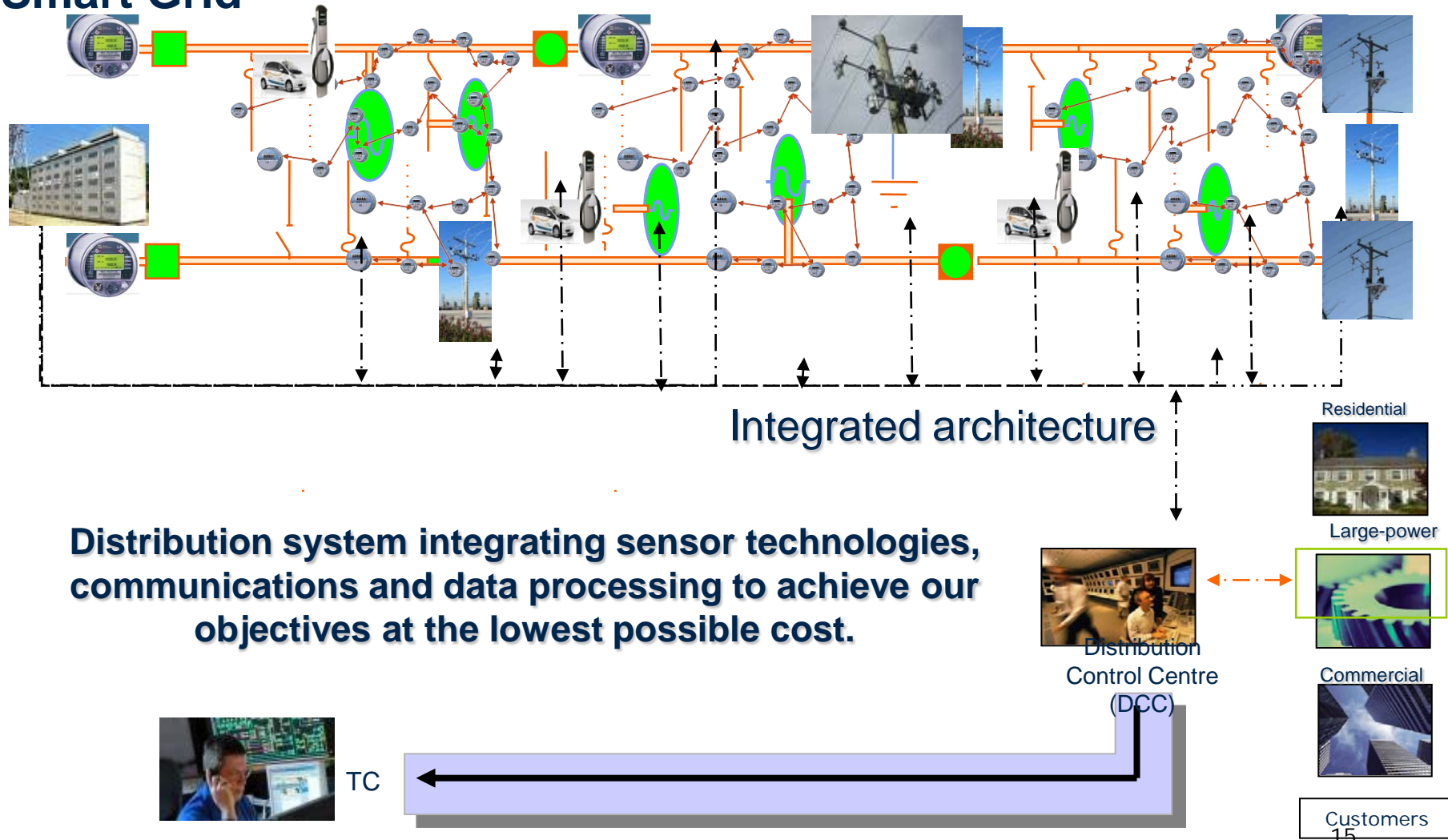
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Projects Involving Active Customer Participation

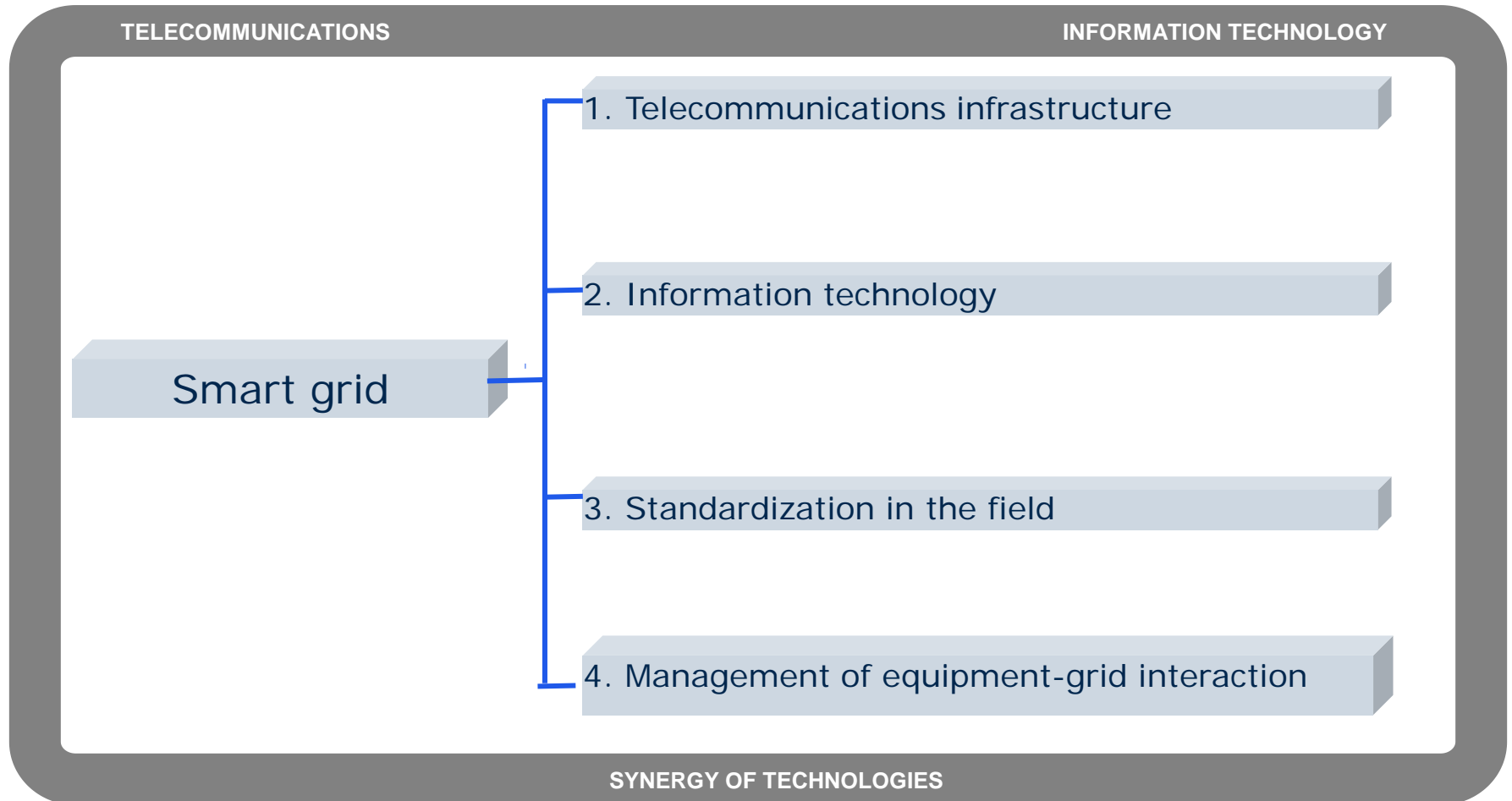
Active Customer Participation



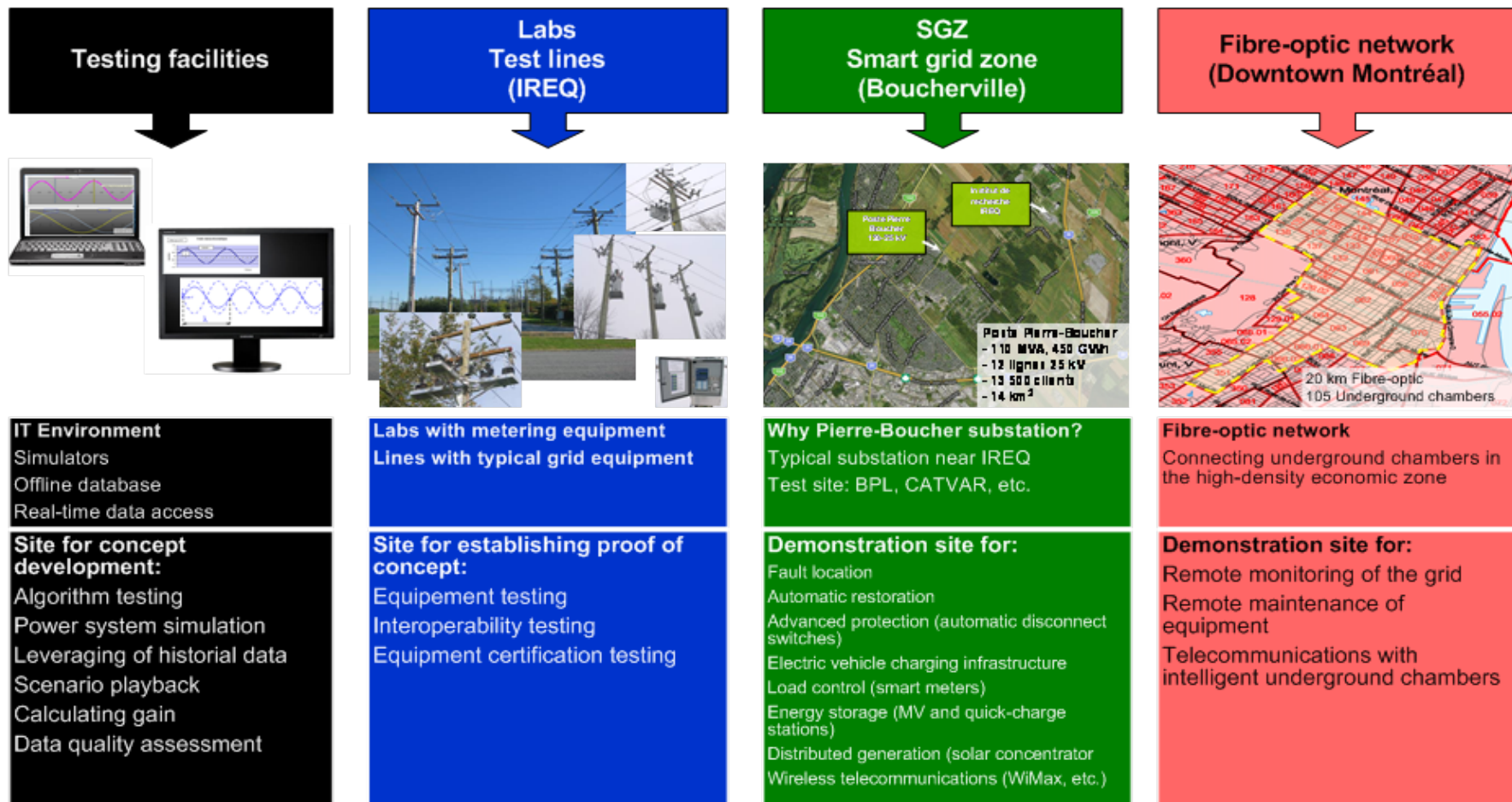
Smart Grid



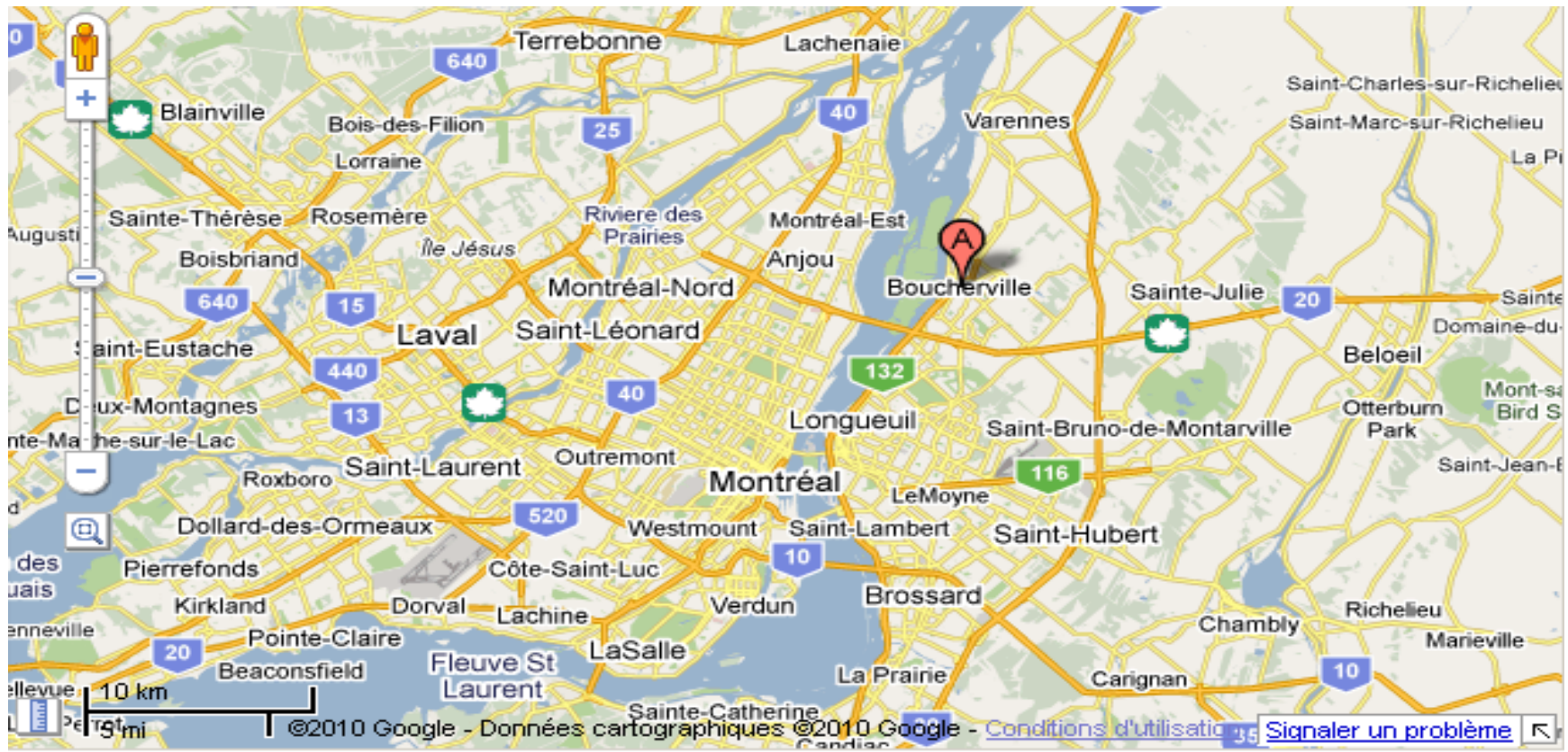
Major Challenges in Smart Grid Implementation



Approach to Validating Technology



Hydro-Québec Smart Grid Zone



Hydro-Québec Smart Grid Zone

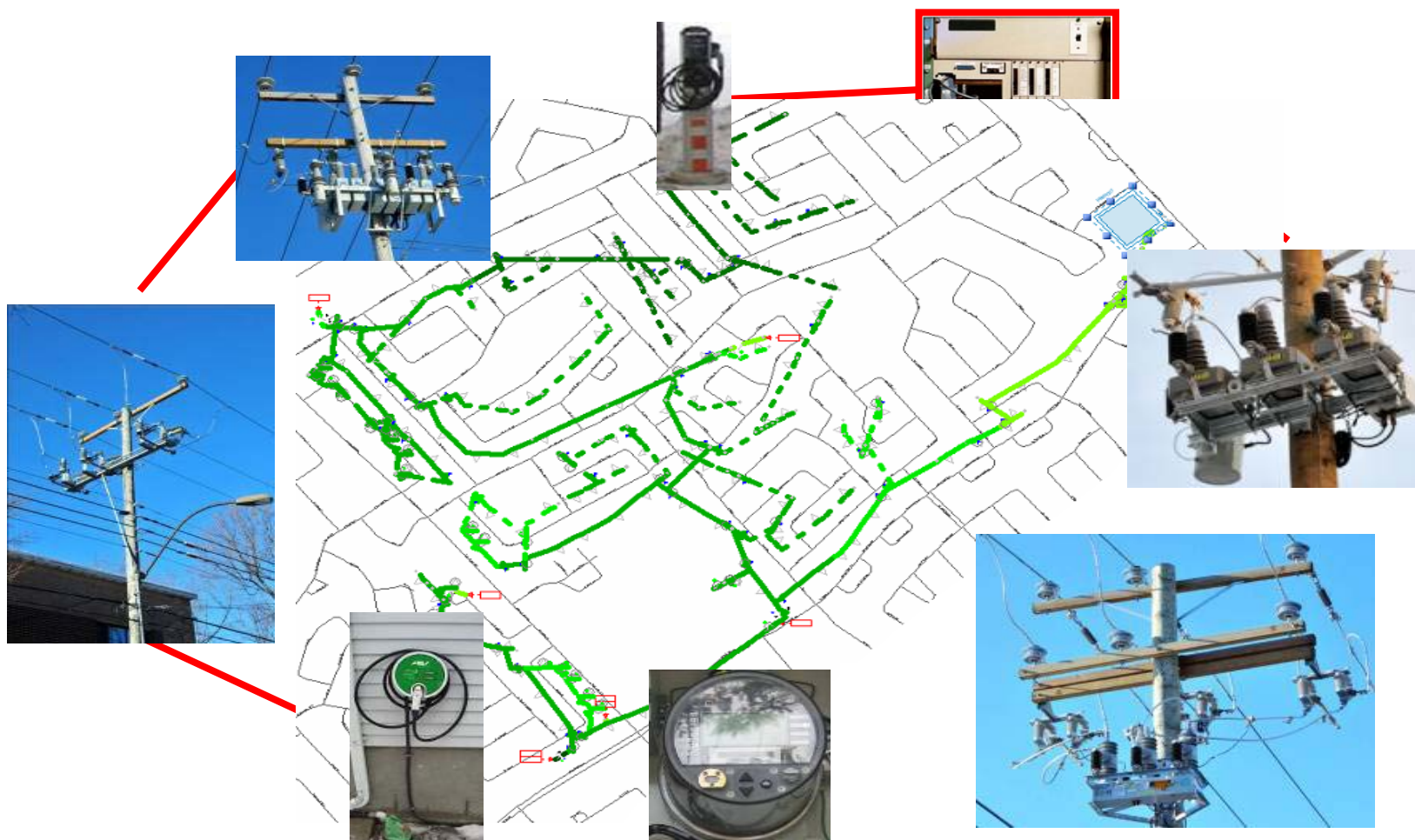


- **1 substation**
- **12 feeders**
 - most sections overhead
 - averaging 10 km
- **Consumption**
 - 110 MW (peak)
 - 450 GWh (annual)
- **13 500 clients, mixed load**
 - Residential
 - Commercial
 - Industrial
- **Not a preliminary test lab**

Smart Grid Zone Technologies



Smart Grid Zone Technologies



Smart Grid Zone – Future Development

- Automatic reconfiguration
- Energy Storage
 - Substation
 - Storage for plug-in terminals
- Vehicle to grid

Benefits of the Smart Grid Zone

□ Expertise

- Smart grid technologies
- Monitoring, information and control, with telecom and centralized control
- Integration with existing systems
- Multiple Smart Grid applications operating in parallel

□ Risk management

- Lessons learned resulting from testing of new applications
- Identify potential problems before large scale deployment

□ Energy Conservation

- Quantification of the reduction in energy consumption

□ Greenhouse gas reduction

- Detailed GHG reduction analysis for the Clean Energy Fund component

Smart Distribution Systems and GHG

- 4 smart grid projects that reduced GHG
 - CATVAR (Volt and Var optimization)
 - EV Charging station
 - AMI
 - Renewable Energy Integration

CATVAR (Volt and Var Optimization)

Outline :

- CATVAR is under development since 2006 in the smart zone
- Voltage monitoring stations and remote controlled capacitors banks has been installed
- VVC functions are integrated into the DMS and the system has been in operation since November 2008
- Energy saving has been confirmed (CVR = 0,4)

Objectives :

- ▣ Advanced Volt&Var Optimization (increased energy reduction)
- ▣ Var optimization with real time data exchange between Transmission and Distribution systems (increased loss reduction)
- ▣ Integration of other voltages and currents measurements (better precision leads to an increased energy reduction)

CATVAR - Deployment Between 2010 to 2015

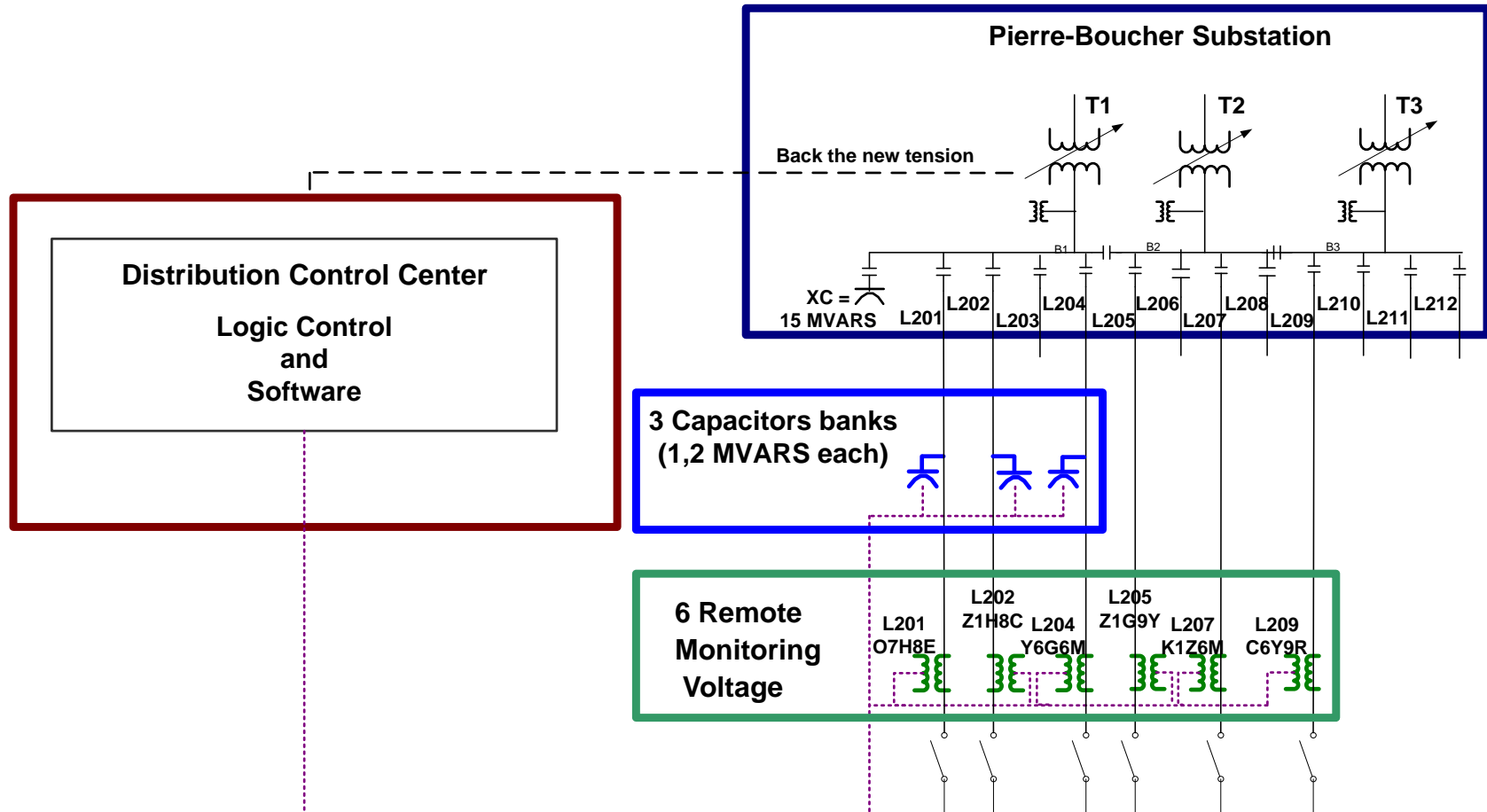
Deployment in numbers

- 130 Substations
- 2000 Medium voltage feeders
- 1000 Remote voltage monitoring stations
- 800 Remote controlled capacitors banks
- 200 M\$ in investments

And the benefits will be...

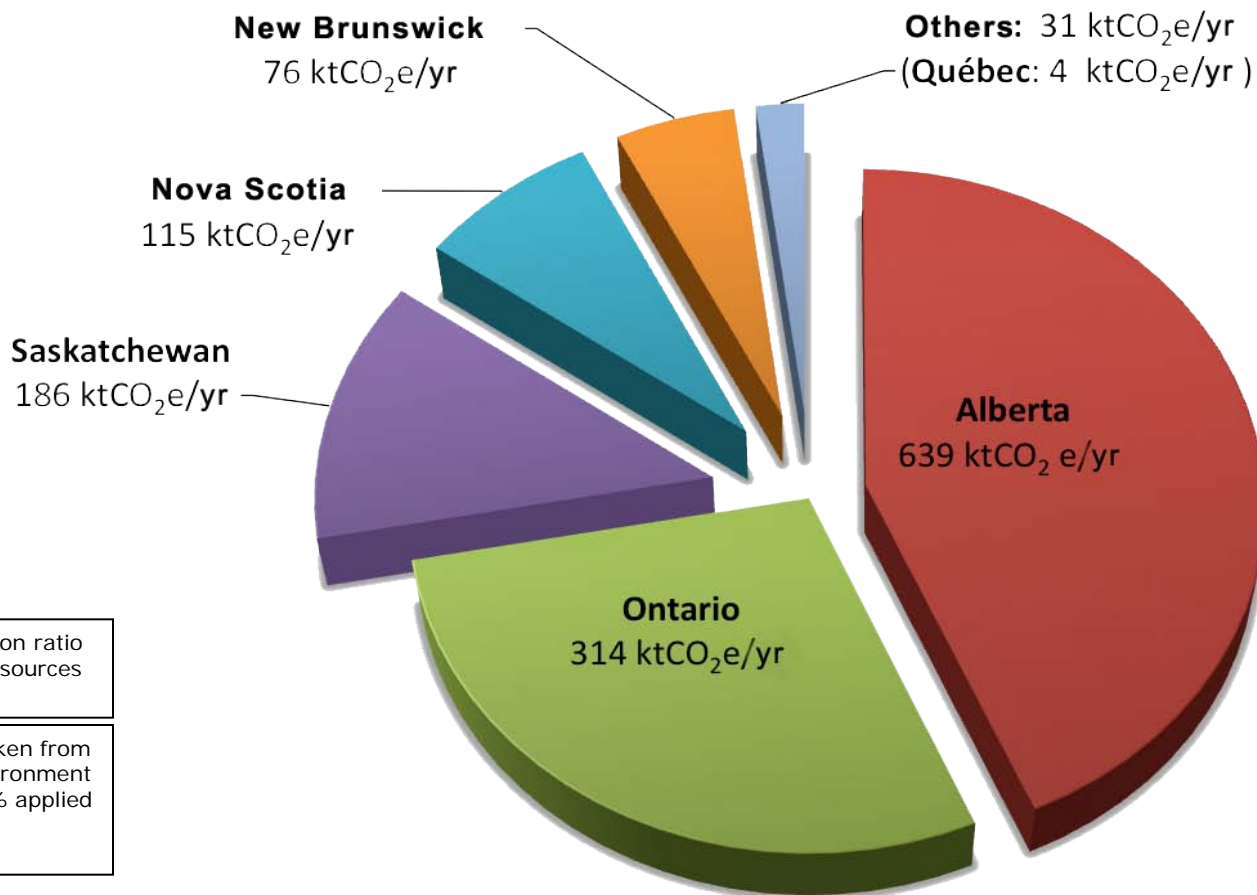
- 2.0 TWh in annual energy saving (1,7%)
- Equivalent of 1,7% reduction of CO₂ emissions

CATVAR (VVO) - Description



GHG Reduction with CATVAR

In Canada (projection)



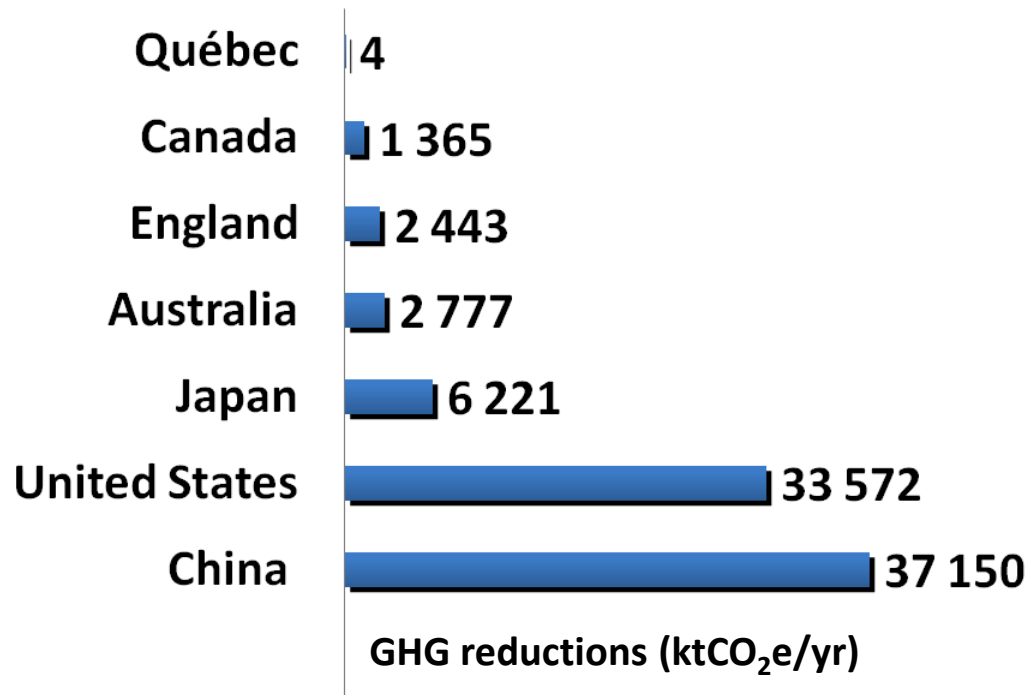
Total Canada:
1 365 ktCO₂e/yr
(or 400 000 cars)

Note: Based on a 3,4 tCO₂e per vehicle emission ratio from the Energy Efficiency Office of Natural Resources Canada

Note: calculation based on emission factors taken from the Rapport d'inventaire national 2008 by Environment Canada, of a reduction in consumption of 1,7% applied to 2/3 of electricity consumption per province.

GHG Reduction with CATVAR

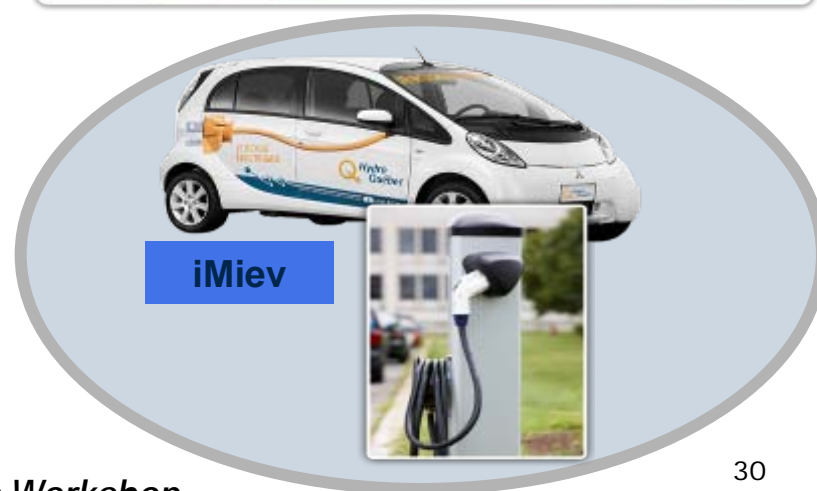
International (projection)



**Breakdown of GHG reductions associated with
Implementing CATVAR on an international scale**

Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

- **Charging station infrastructure (test phase)**
 - Our goal is to master charging station technology and agree on how such stations are to be integrated into the power system.
- **Approach: Target for late 2012**
 - In the Boucherville smart grid project zone, deployment of 75 charging stations for the Mitsubishi iMiev.
 - In Communauto parking lots, installation of 50 charging stations for the Nissan Leaf.



Electric Vehicle Charging Stations Infrastructure



Public Installation
(Boucherville Town Hall)



Residential Installation



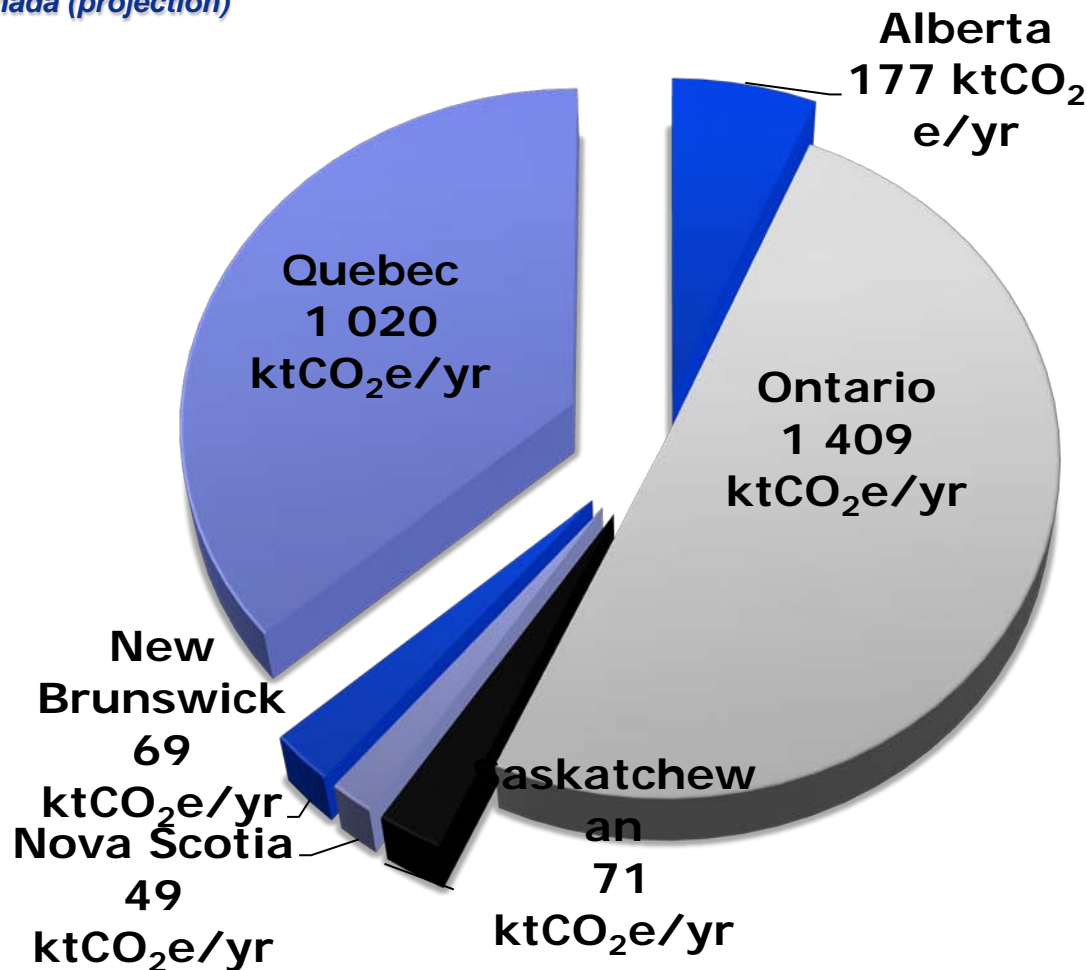
Commercial Installation

GHG Reduction with EV Charging Station

- ❑ The implantation of electric charging stations in Quebec will rise consumption by 750 GWh, but leading to an overall reduction of 1 020 ktCO₂e in GHG in 2020.
- ❑ By applying this measure to Canadian electricity enterprises, GHG emissions can be appreciably reduced in Canada and limit GHG emissions from the transportation sector.

GHG Reduction with EV charging station

In Canada (projection)

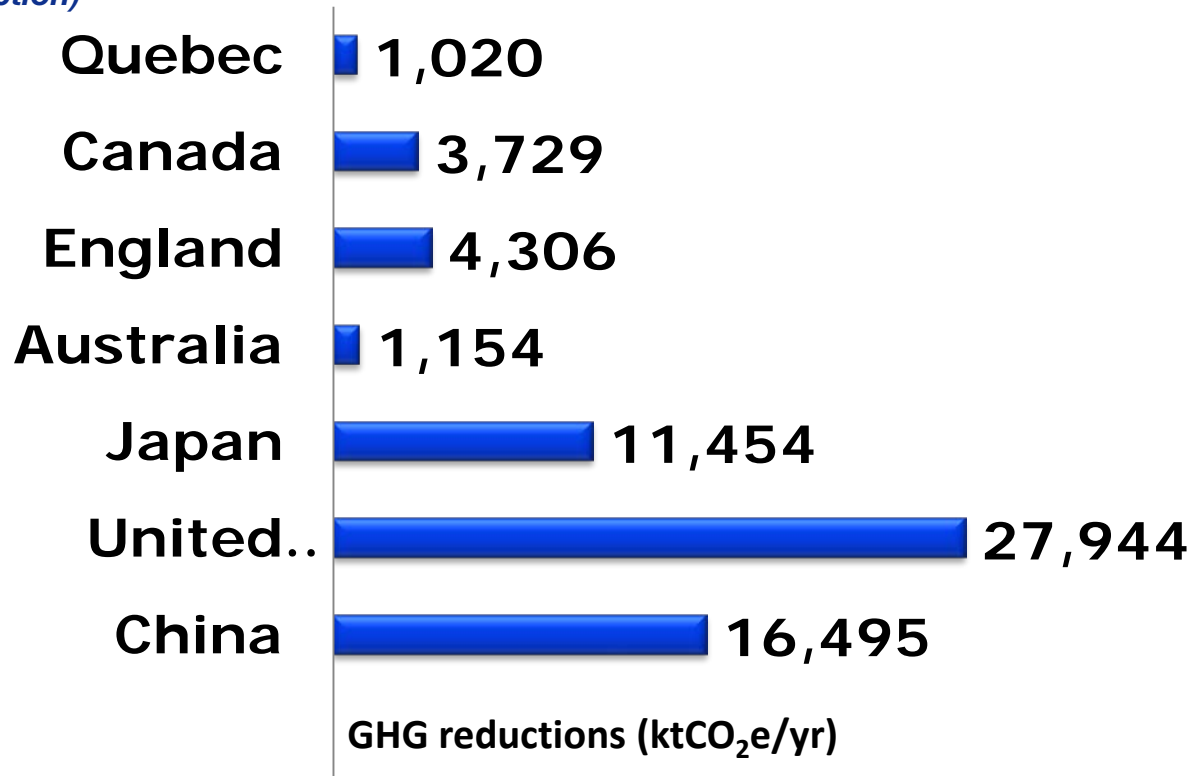


Total Canada:
3 729 ktCO₂e/yr
(or 1,1 million fossil fuel cars off the road)

Note: calculation based on emission factors taken from the National inventory report 2008 by Environment Canada, of vehicle fleet from OEE Natural Resources Canada, i-Miev electric consumption and of a fleet switch of 6,8% applied per province from the Quebec Action Plan 2011-2020.

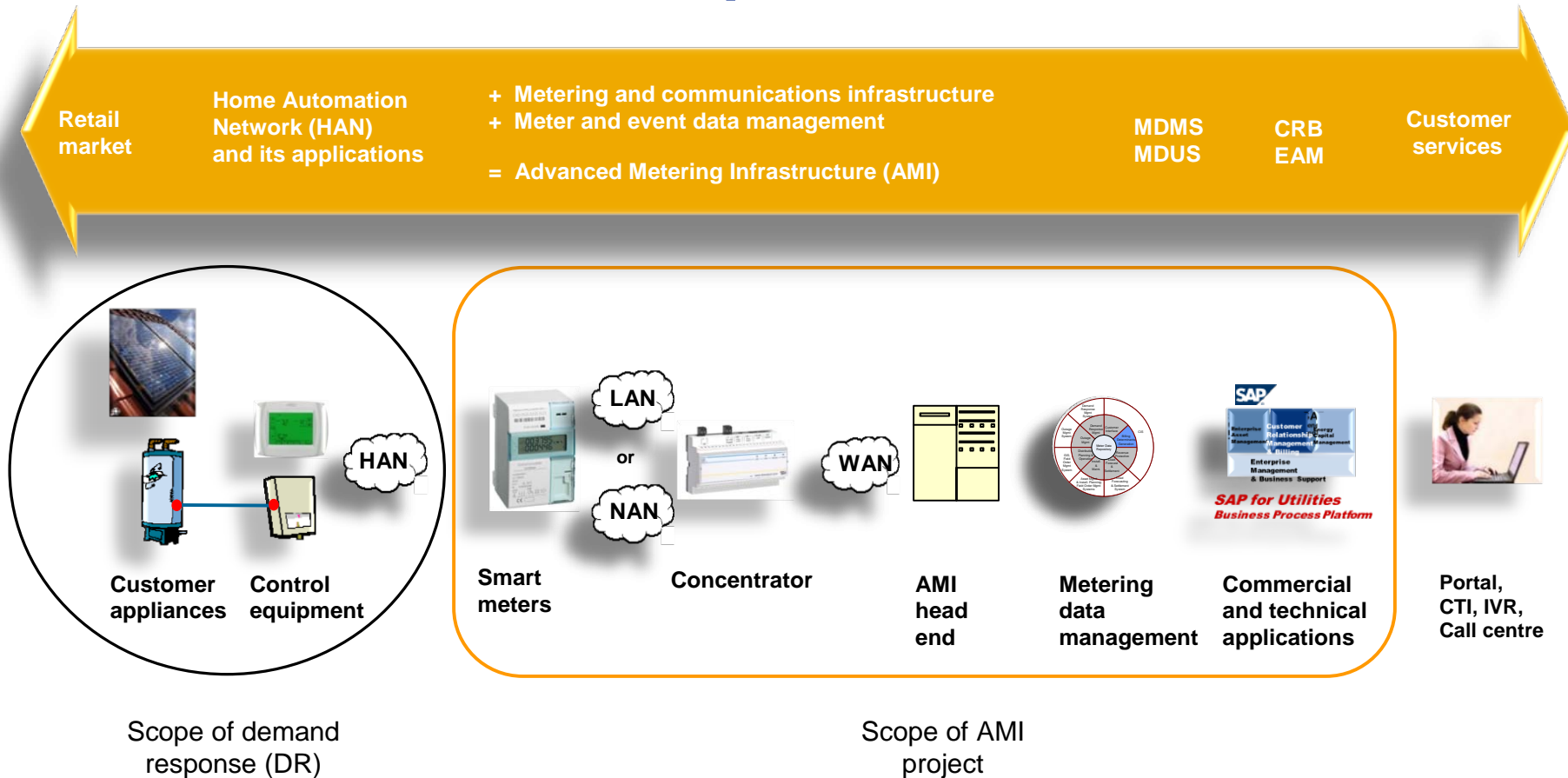
GHG Reduction with EV charging station

International (projection)



**Breakdown of GHG reductions associated with Electric Vehicle Charging Stations
Implementing on an international scale**

AMI and Demand Response



Renewable Energy Integration

- ◉ Smart Grid for DG integration
- ◉ Monitoring: smart meter for profiling and forecasting of renewable energy production
- ◉ Protection: smart grid based protection strategies
- ◉ Control: eventually integrate DG into DMS for participation in Smart Grid applications



Example of PV concentrator

Source :
<http://www.electron-economy.org/article-13200027.html>

Energy Gain

Measures	Energy Gain	Sources
I - CATVAR	1,7 %	Hydro-Québec. Measured data from CATVAR pilot test
II – EV charging stations	- 0,65 % ¹	Hydro-Québec. 6,8% of EV on total fleet
III – AMI	3 %	U.S. Department of Energy, 2010. <i>The Smart Grid : An estimation of the energy and CO2 benefits</i>
IV – Renewable Energy (Solar)	5 %	U.S. Department of Energy 2010. <i>The Smart Grid : An estimation of the energy and CO2 benefits</i>

¹ Based on a target of 6,8% of electric vehicle on total fleet . For Québec, 300 000 fleet of i-Miev in 2020, the energy consumption is evaluated at 750 GWh on a total 116 000 GWh distributed : 0,65 %

GHG Methodologies Selection

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- II - Electric vehicle charging stations** : CDM AMS-III.C. « Emission reductions by electric and hybrid vehicles »
- III - AMI** : CDM AMS- II.E. « Energy efficiency and fuel switching measures for buildings »
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Conclusions

- ❑ Smart Zone applications are selected to meet Hydro-Québec's business objectives:
 - Distribution System Performance (Reliability and Power Quality)
 - Power Line Capacity and system efficiency
 - Active Customer Participation
 - Asset management optimization
- ❑ Smart grid Zone benefits and expectations
 - Validation of technologies
 - Integration of multiple smart grid applications
 - Evaluation of IT and Telecom infrastructure
 - Quantification of benefits related to business drivers
- ❑ Smart Grid projects can reduced significantly GHG
- ❑ Standard GHG measuring methods are being developed and Hydro-Québec is using them to evaluate the GHG benefits

Annex 1

GHG AND CARBON MARKET

VOLUNTARY AND REGULATORY CARBON MARKET



State and Regional Schemes

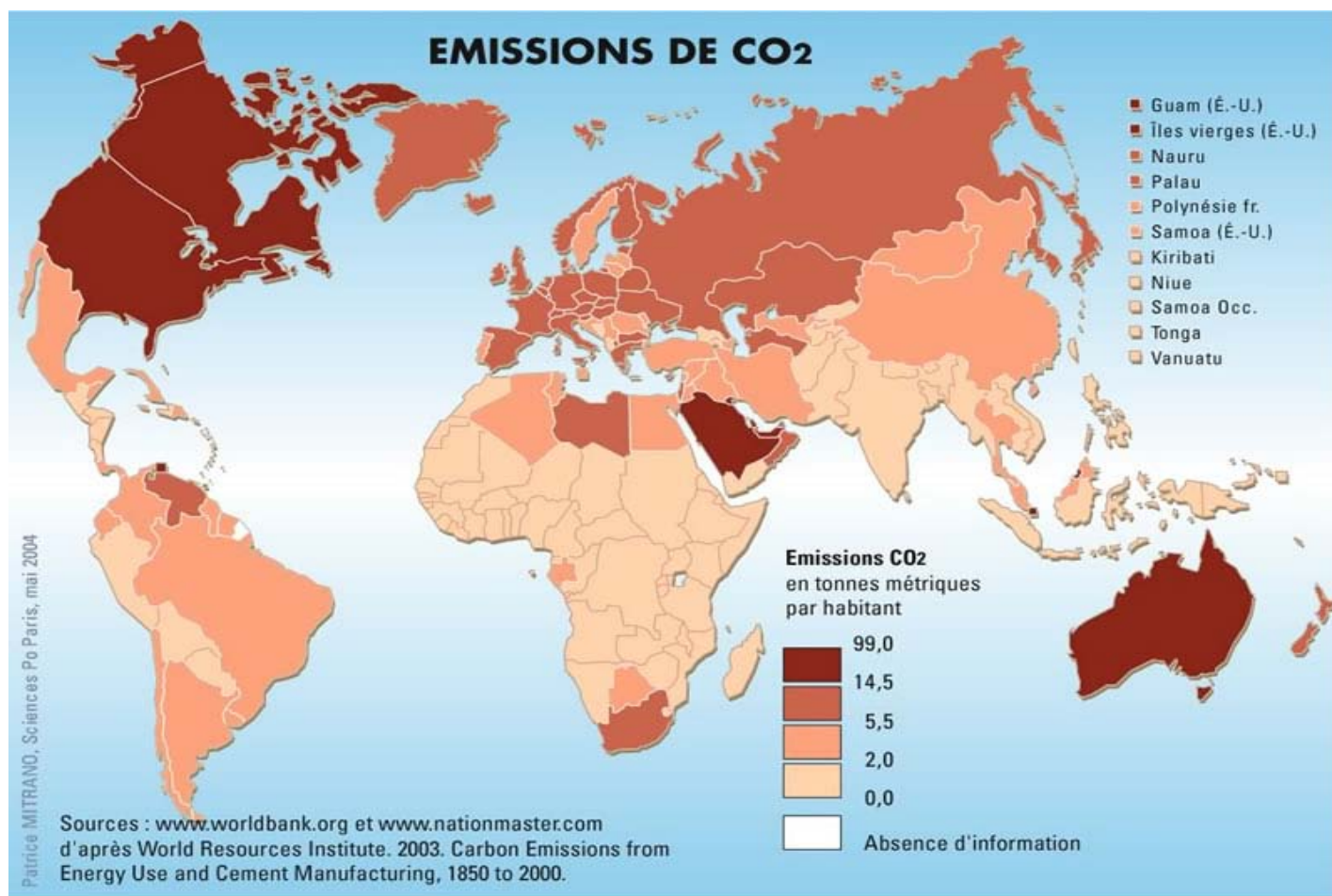
MGGRA	State-specific Scheme
RGGI	WCI + State Scheme
WCI	No Scheme

Kyoto Protocol Members

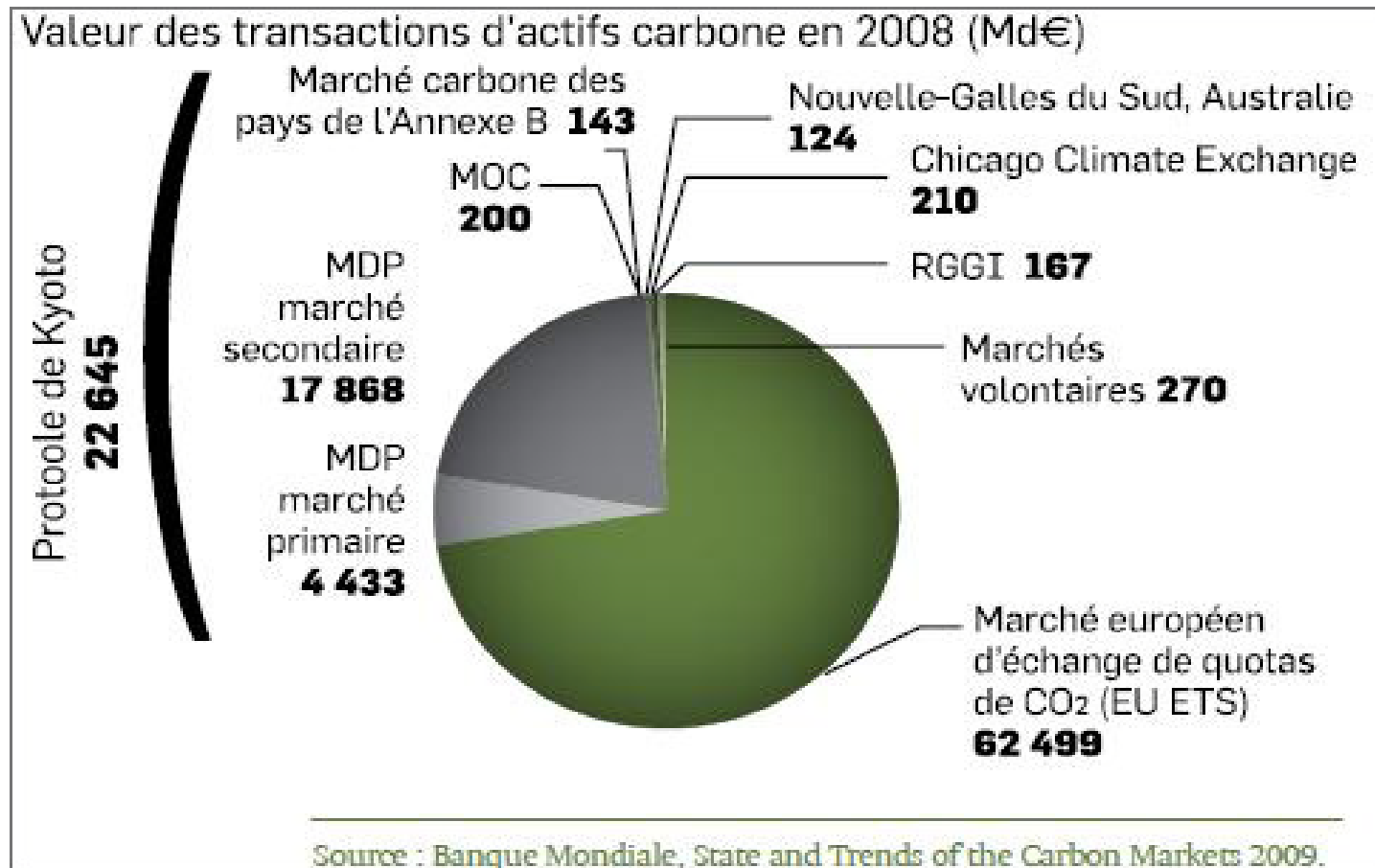
Annex I	EU ETS
Non-Annex I	NZ ETS
Annex I, Economy in Transition	CDM Registered Project(s) Location

Source: UNFCCC, WCI, RGGI websites; created by Molly Peters-Stanley for Ecosystem Marketplace and Bloomberg New Energy Finance, 2010

International GHG emissions



Transactions volumes



QUEBEC AND CANADA GHG REGULATION

Québec: Bill 42 (WCI)

- $\geq 10\,000\text{ t CO}_2\text{e}$ = GHG declaration/year
application: 2011
- $\geq 25\,000\text{ t CO}_2\text{e}$ = GHG compensation/year
application: 2012

- Penalty : 3 allowances (3 tCO₂e) per exceeding tCO₂e over
- quotas if not compensate during the compliance period
- 3 compliance period (2012 to 2020)

QUEBEC AND CANADA GHG REGULATION

Québec: Bill 42 (WCI)

- ▣ Offsets can be generated by three types of industries under the WCI GHG threshold and exchanged to big emitters : Forestry, Agriculture and Waste management

Canada: CEPA¹, article 71, paragraph 46

- ▣ $\geq 50\,000 \text{ t CO}_2\text{e}$ = GHG declaration
- ▣ Cap and Trade program - Standby

¹ Canadian Environmental Protection Act



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GHG QUANTIFICATION

ISO 14064-2:2006 Guidelines

GHG emissions reductions project

$$EmissionReduction_{Total} = Emissions_{Baseline} - Emissions_{Project}$$

GHG Quantification Methodologies

- Clean Development Mechanism (CDM)
- *World Resource Institute, «Guidelines for Quantifying GHG Reductions from Grid-Connected Electricity Projects»*

For more details on the methodologies, see Annex

Annex 2

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CATVAR (VVO)

$$RE_y = FE_{CO2,y} * GEN_{project}$$

$FE_{CO2,y}$ Emission factor for electricity generation , 2,04 tCO₂e/GWh
for Quebec (Environnement Canada, 2010)

$GEN_{proj,t}$ Total energy economy by CATAVAR (GWh) for the project
period (t);

$$GEN_{project} = \frac{S_t}{1-L}$$

S_t Energy economy (GWh) for the project period (t);

L Fraction of energy lost by the transportation grid : 5,2%

Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

$$RE_y = E_{baseline} - E_{project}$$

$$E_{Baseline} = D_{km} * C_{Vehicule} * FE_{Fuel}$$

D_{km} km per electric vehicle of the project

$C_{Vehicule}$ Fuel consumption per km for fuel vehicle switched by an electric vehicle; litres/km

FE_{Fuel} GHG emission factor for fuel consumption; tCO₂e/liter

$$E_{Project} = Q_{Electricity} * FE_{Electricity} * (1 + TDL)$$

$Q_{Electricity}$ Electricity consumption for the electric vehicle of the project;
GWh

$FE_{Electricity}$ Emission factor for electricity generation , 2.04 tCO₂e/GWh for Quebec (Environnement Canada, 2010)

TDL Fraction of energy lost by the transportation grid : 5.2%

AMI

$$RE_y = (Q_{SRElectricity} - Q_{PElectricity}) * FE_{CO2,y} * (1 + TDL)$$

RE_y	Emission reduction of the project (t CO ₂ e);
$Q_{SRElectricity}$ AMI	Electricity consumption without the implementation of (GWh);
$Q_{PElectricity}$	Electricity consumption with the implementation of AMI (GWh);
$FE_{CO2,y}$	Emission factor for electricity generation , 2,04 tCO ₂ e/GWh for Quebec (Environnement Canada, 2010)
TDL	Fraction of energy lost by the transportation grid : 5,2%

Renewable Energy

$$RE_y = BE_y - PE_y$$

$$BE_y = EG_{BL,y} * FE_{CO2,y} * (1 + TDL)$$

BE_y Baseline GHG emissions (t CO₂e);

$EG_{BL,y}$ Net electricity displaced by the project (GWh);

$FE_{CO2,y}$ Emission factor for electricity generation , 2.04 tCO₂e/GWh for Quebec (Environnement Canada, 2010)

TDL Fraction of energy lost by the transportation grid : 5.2%

PE_y Project GHG emissions, 0 tCO₂e for renewable energy; CDM methodology.

Active Distribution Network Concepts

Dr Bob Currie & Prof Graham Ault

CIREN 2011, Frankfurt

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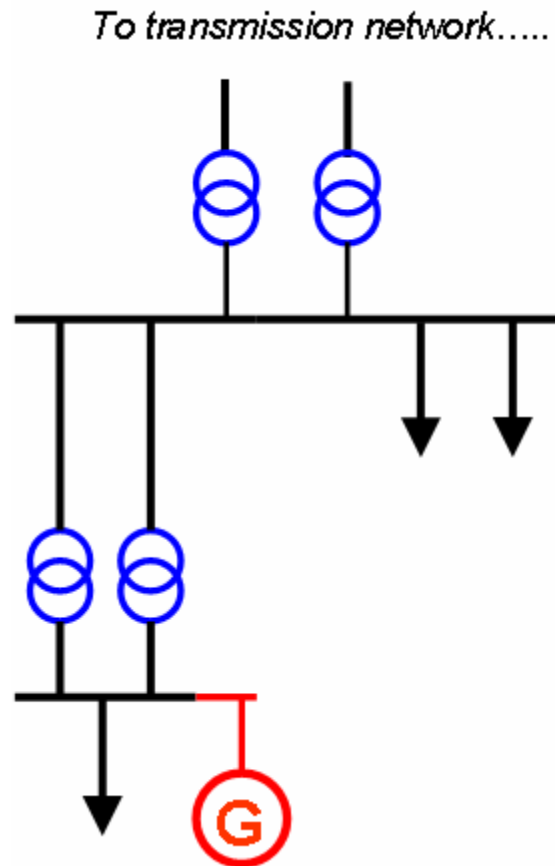
Smarter Grid Solutions Ltd



- 20 staff plus supplementary resources
- Provide Active Network Management Solutions and Consultancy Services
- Based in Glasgow, opened London office in 2011
- Working with transmission and distribution network operators in the UK and mainland Europe
- “Best New Business” and “Best Renewable Innovation” awards at the Scottish Green Energy Awards, 2009
- www.smartergridsolutions.com



Introduction to ANM



One-way boundary
flows

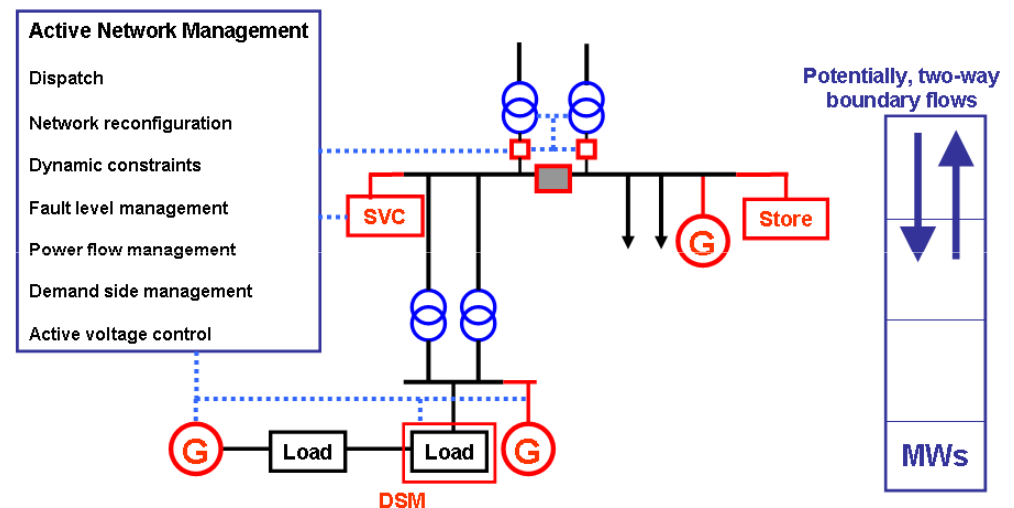


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Introduction to ANM



- No generally accepted definition
- Most in agreement as to characteristics of an active network.....
 - *DG, renewables, monitoring, comms and control, preventive and corrective actions, flexible, adaptable, autonomous? Intelligent?*
- Aspects of ANM in many international programmes
- CIGRE working Group C6.11



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Opportunities Provided by ANM



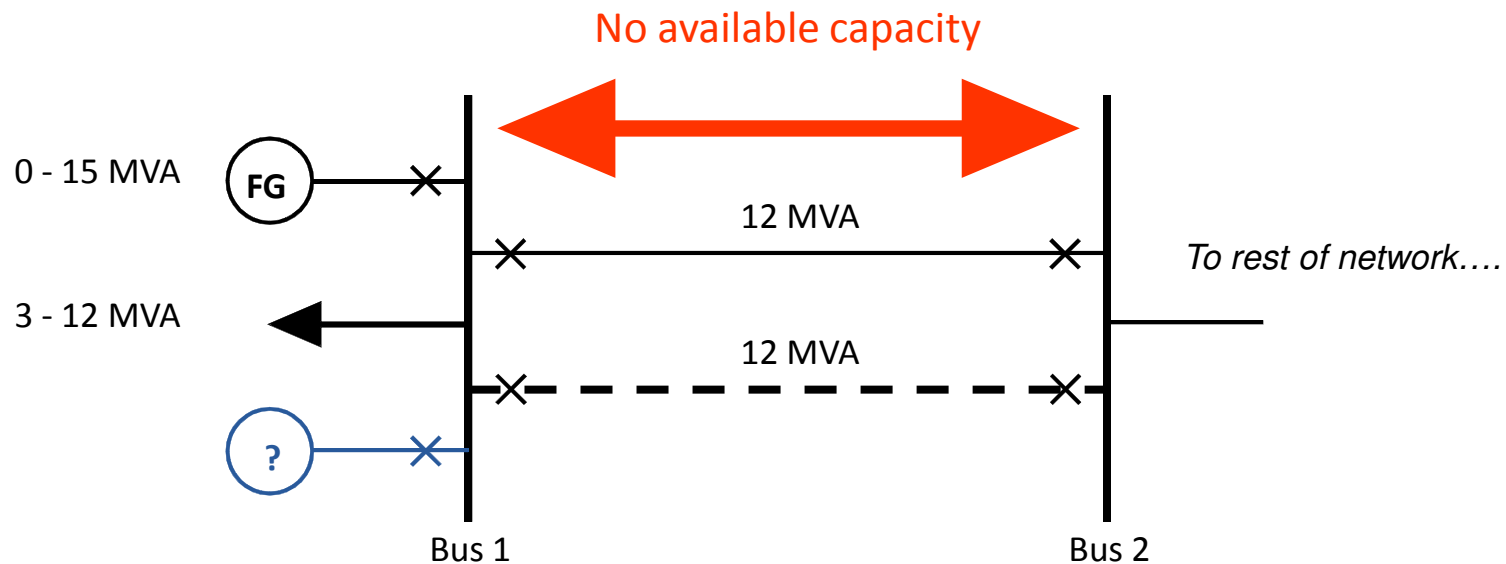
- Connect more to existing networks previously considered full
 - Demand and generator connections
 - Interruptible connections
- Increase utilization of assets
- Avoid/Defer network reinforcements
- Incremental developments
- Quicker and cheaper grid connections
- Flexibility in network operation
- Improved network performance

Challenges to ANM Deployment



- Commercial rules and constraint management
- Network Operator resources
- Standards (ANM solutions, Security and Quality of Supply, etc)
- Communications
- New interruptible contracts
- Planning tools and satisfying customer concerns
 - Including investors in new generation projects
- Cost-benefit analysis
- Triggers for reinforcement
- Lack of proven solutions and techniques

ANM Generator Example

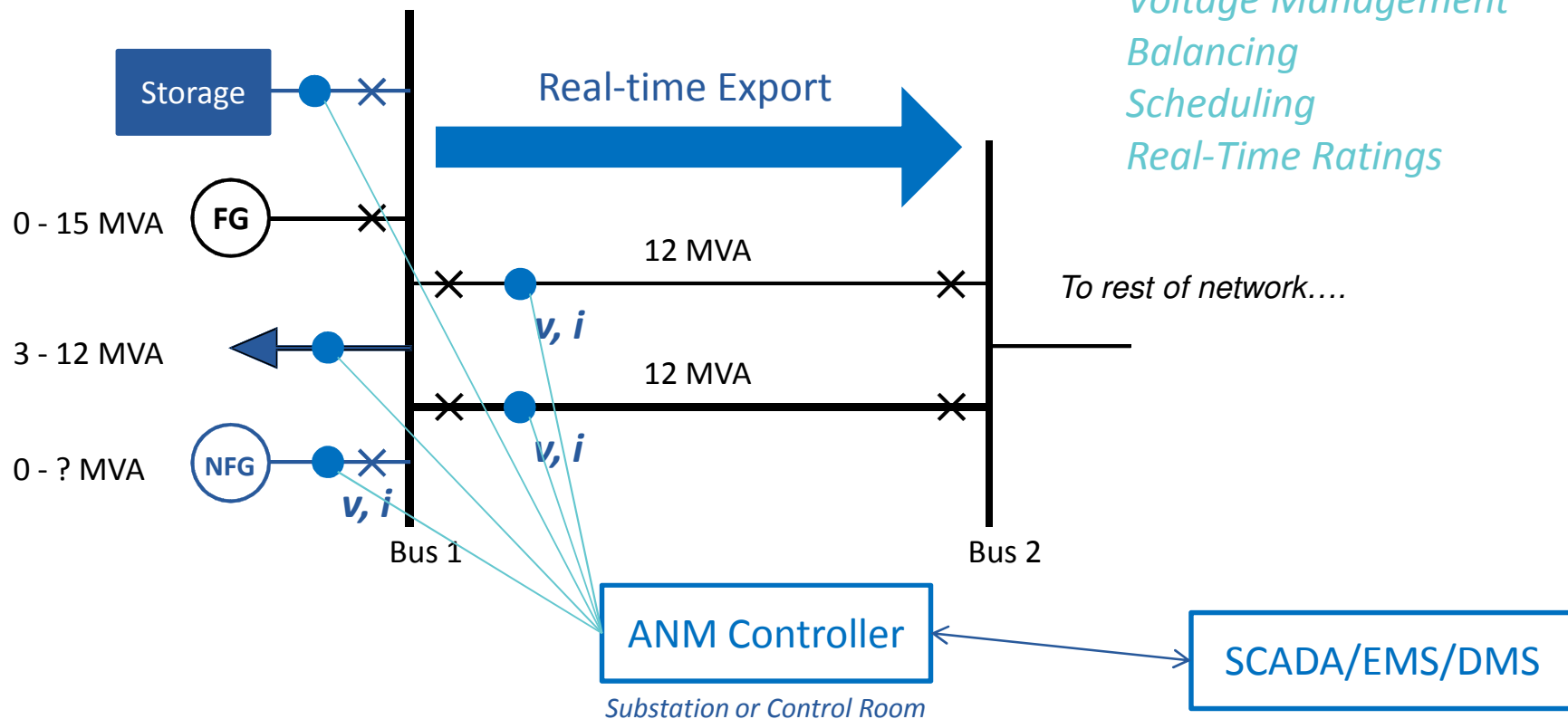


ANM Generator Example



ANM Functions:

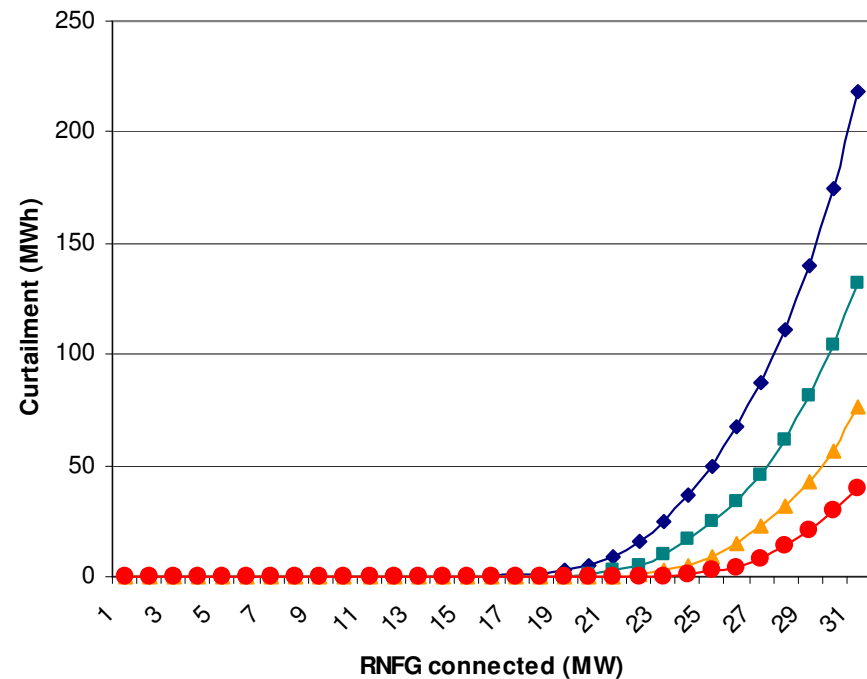
*Power Flow Management
Voltage Management
Balancing
Scheduling
Real-Time Ratings*



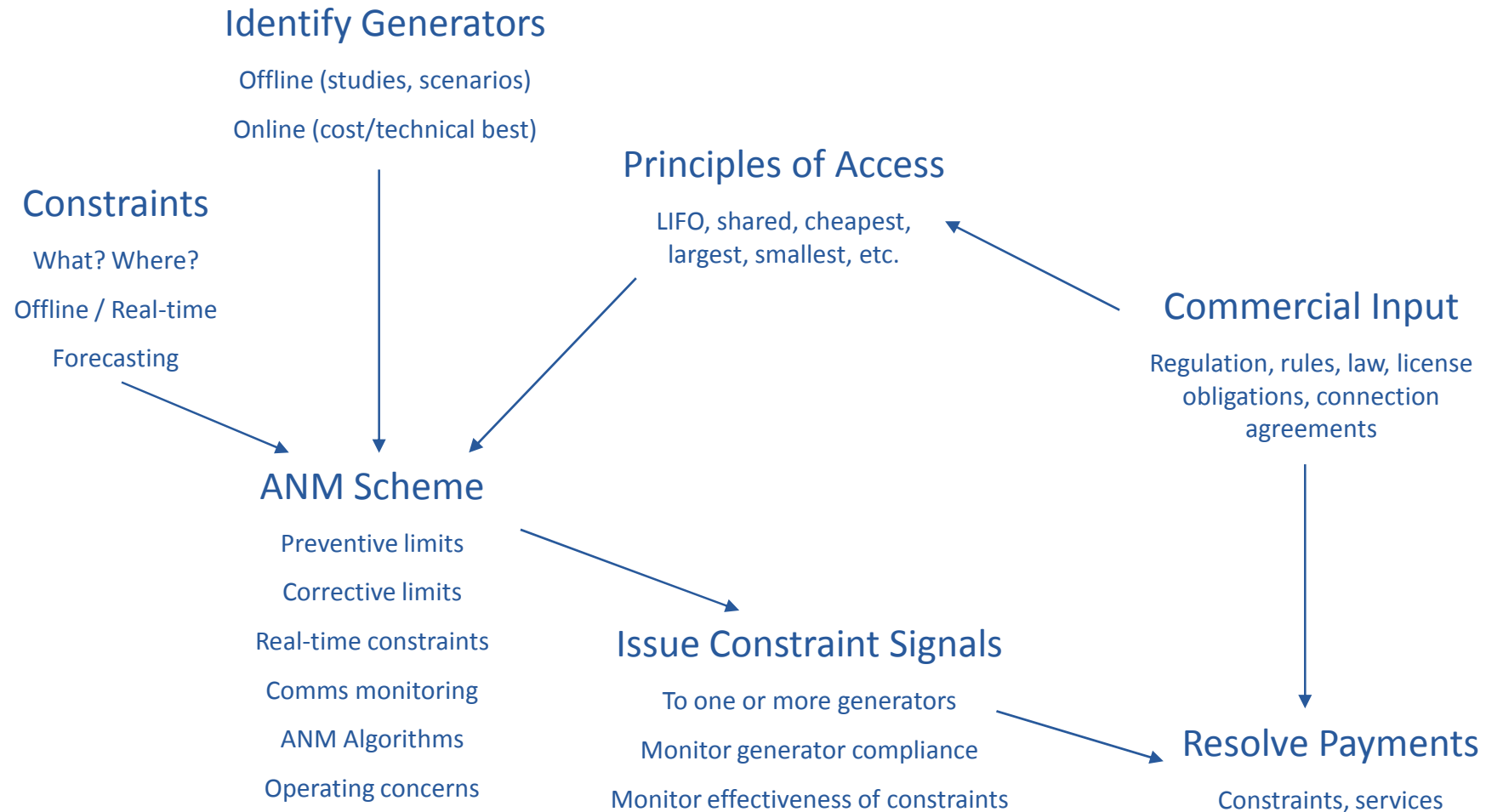
Generation Curtailment

Example of curtailment studies results:

- Wind farm connection
- Curtailment is energy (MWh) lost due to ANM regulating wind farm output to meet network constraints
- Curtailment increases exponentially with wind farm capacity
- Each line represents a different level of access in terms of MVA network capacity that can be accessed



High-Level Constraint Management



Assessing Constrained Connections

- How can interruptible connections be considered?
 - Multiple generators? Individual generators?
 - Multiple demand response providers? Or single providers?
 - What are the utility business drivers?
 - What can practically be achieved?
 - Principles of Access to employ?
- Use load flow simulation tools?
- Consider other technologies? (e.g. storage)
- Consider alternative solutions? (e.g. conventional reinforcement)
- Probabilistic or time-series based on historic profile data?
- Provide results of simulations to potential customers?
- Perform studies periodically to ensure best decisions are being taken and best information shared?

Distributed or Centralised ANM?

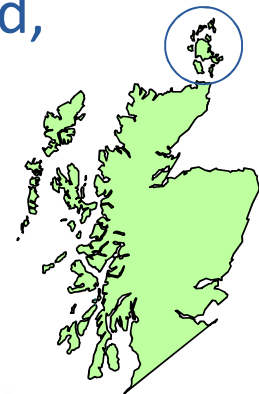


- Depends on site specific or utility specific factors
- Centralised approach:
 - Is all about communications
 - Is appropriate where measurement and communication requirements/capabilities make it sensible
 - Integrate with SCADA but not be dependent on the SCADA platform
- Substation based approach:
 - Leave existing systems to perform existing functions
 - Integrate to permit appropriate level of oversight and control, without burdening the control room personnel
 - ANM represented as a virtual RTU
 - In-house management of visualisation if desired
 - Investment can be limited to problem areas
 - Flexibility – quick install and quick decommission
- Decision depends on communications, measurements and utility preference
- Both approaches require new commercial arrangements with users of the network - interruptible contracts

The Orkney Isles



- Overcoming grid congestion using ANM technology
- Connecting <20 MW new renewable generation capacity to 33 kV grid previously considered to be full
- Operational since November 2009
- Distributed, real-time control system
- All analysis, consultancy, control system design and build, support and warranty provided by SGS
- Cost around £500k, estimated savings £30million
- DLR and RTR installed Feb 2011
- Platform for further smart grid developments



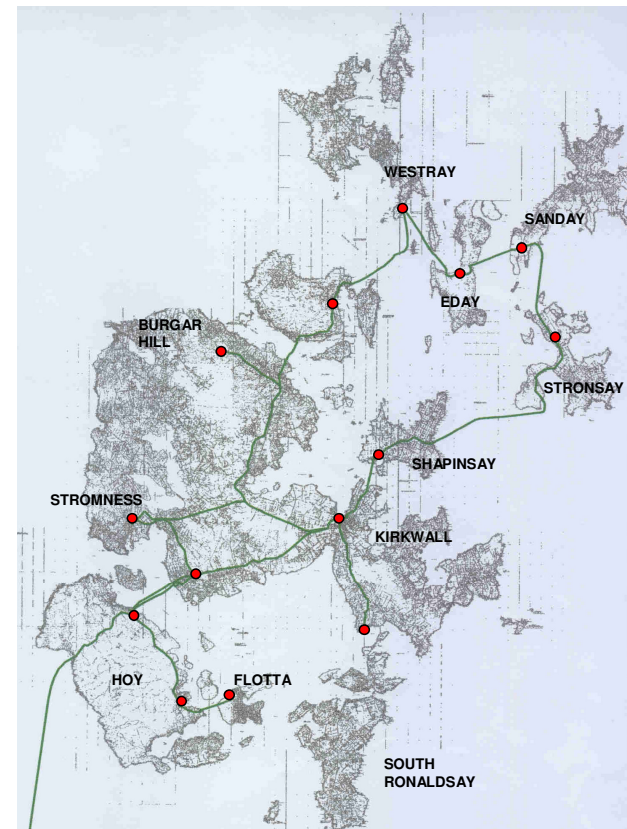
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- Solution deployed by SGS and SSE
- SSE Planners and Control Room involved from beginning
- NEW connections only
- Multiple generators and constraints
- Real time ANM
- Nested control zones
- Existing connections unaffected
- Last In First Out (LIFO) approach
- Alternative to reinforcement



Assessing Connections to Orkney

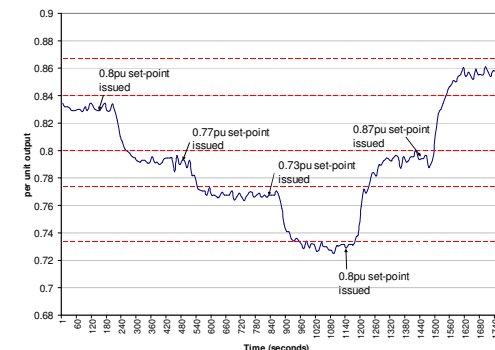
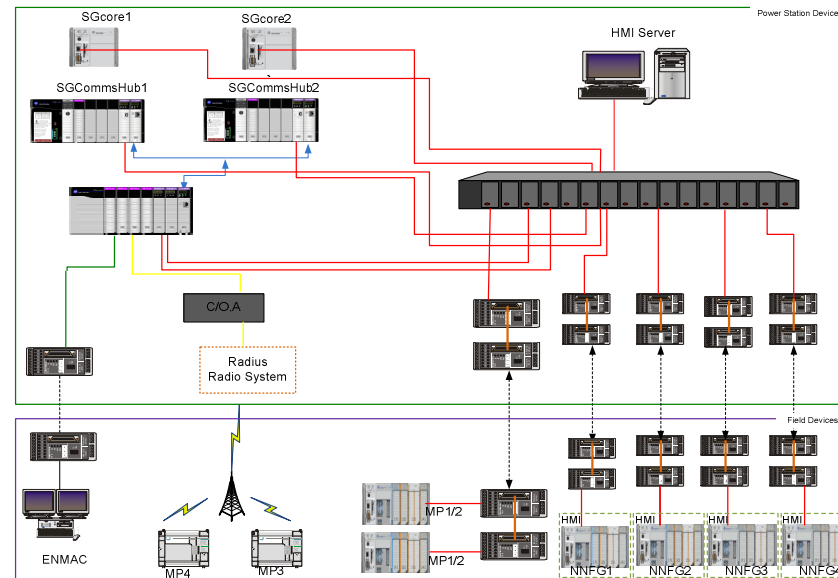
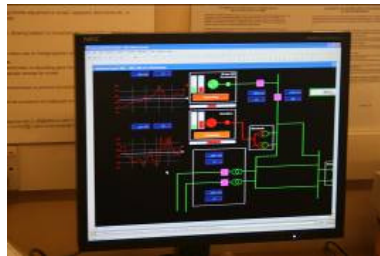
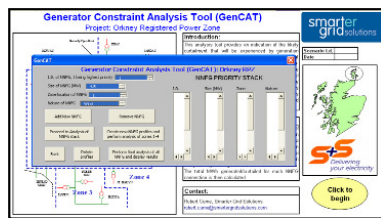


- 'Last In First Off' Principles of Access
- Generator Curtailment Analysis Tool – GenCAT
- Historic ½ hourly profiles OR probabilistic
- Simple spreadsheet based analysis or making use of load flow simulation, e.g. PSSE
- LIFO allows connection priority (perceived rights) to be maintained
- Results of curtailment modeling provided to generators to allow each developer to consider economics of connection

ANM Deployment on Orkney



- 10 MW of new renewable generators connected (18 MW by end of 2011)
- Over 5,000 tonnes of CO2 saved to date



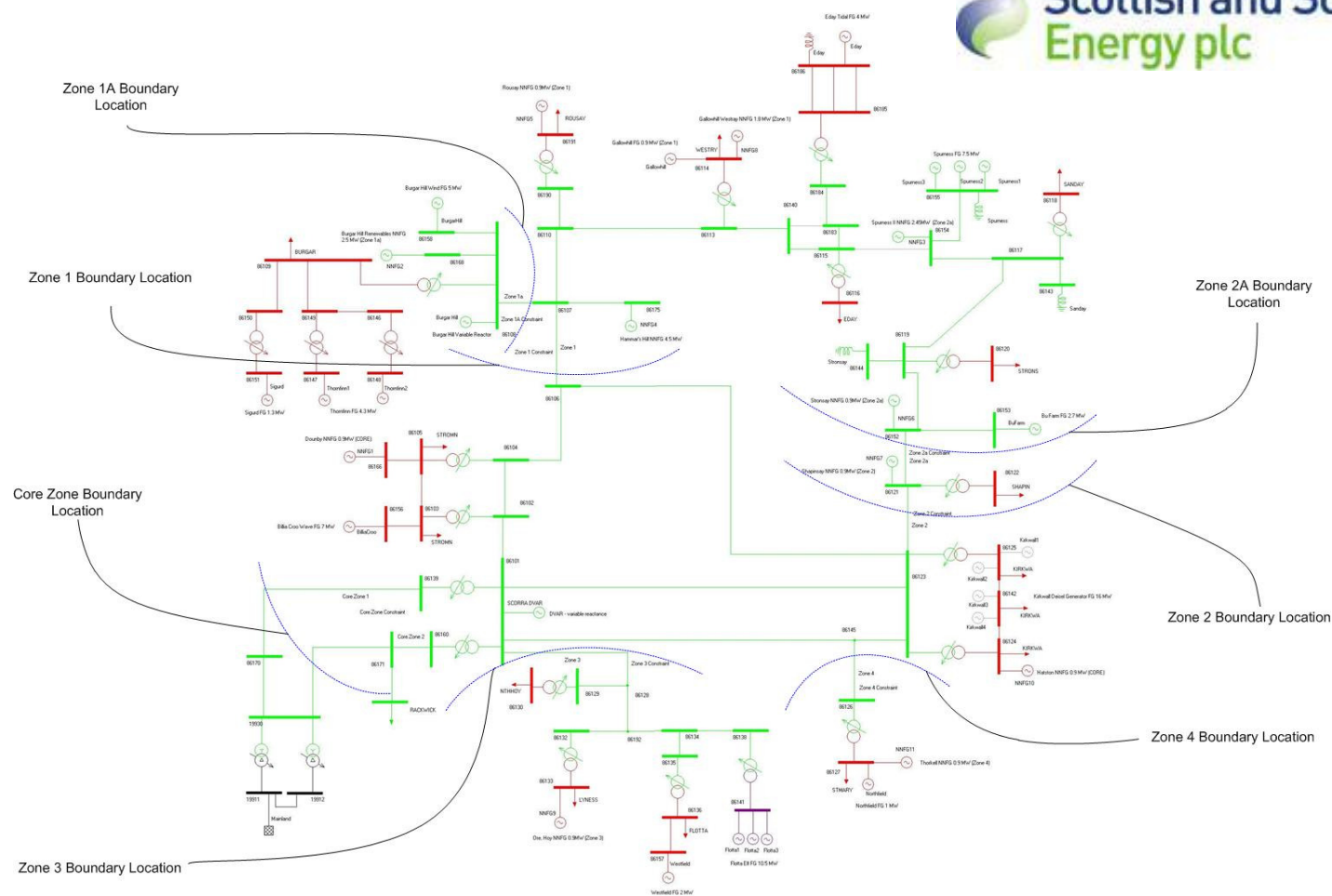
Orkney Capacity Constraints



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Going Further on Orkney in 2011 and beyond



- Deployment of:
 - Further renewable generator connections
 - Dynamic Line ratings
 - Real-time ratings
 - Algorithms implemented in Real-Time Java
- Assessments underway for:
 - State estimation
 - Voltage management
 - Energy Storage
 - Integrating distribution automation with ANM

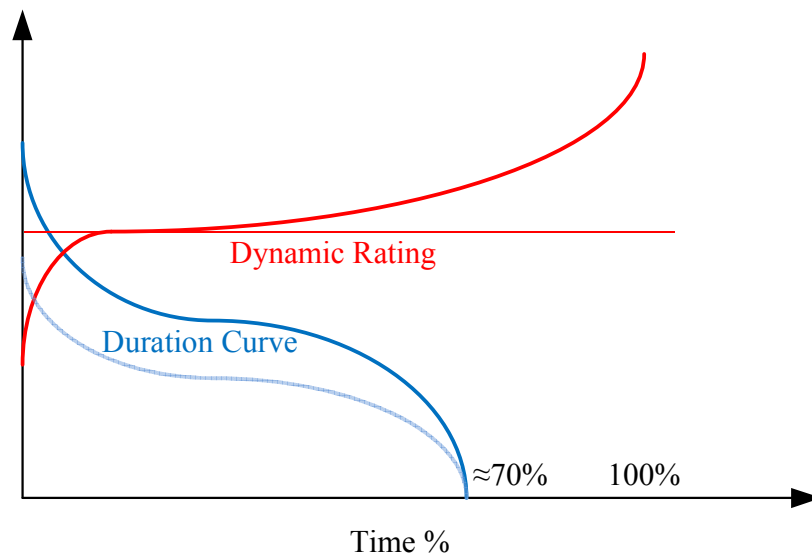
Dynamic Line Ratings Deployed on Orkney in Q1 2011

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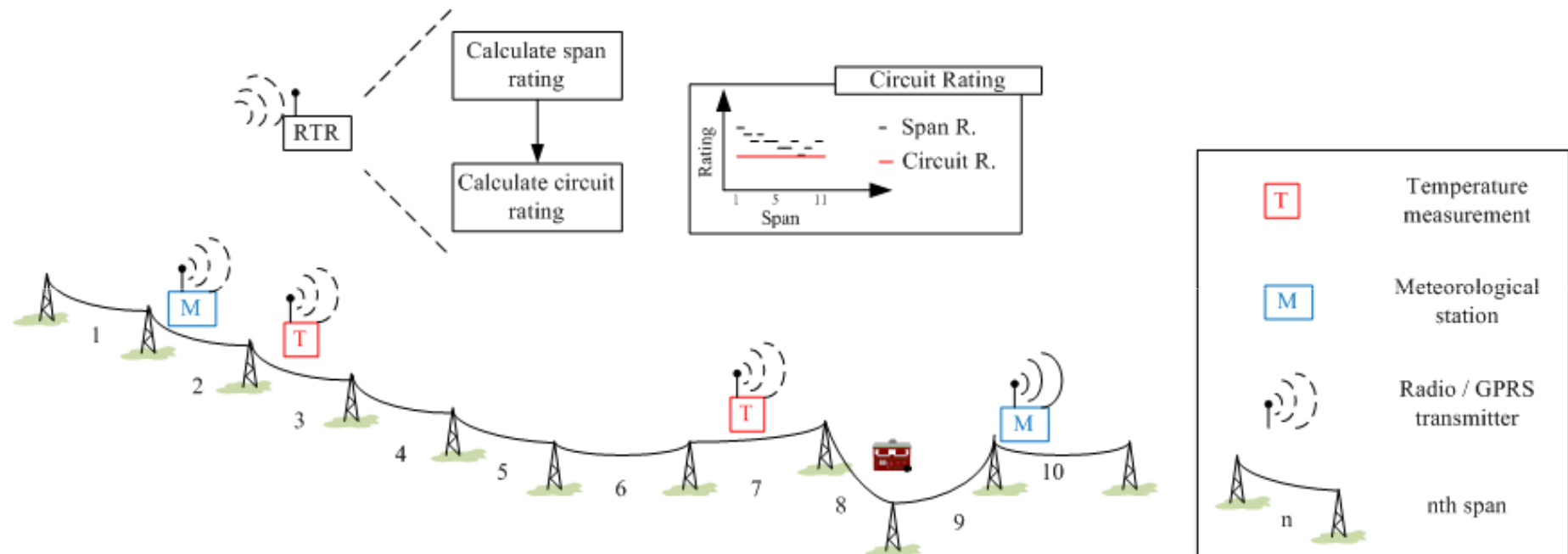
- Increased utilisation of overhead circuits
- Increased line ratings coinciding with high wind generation output

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Real Time Ratings Deployed on Orkney in Q1 2011



DLR: Conductor temperature measurements - *precise but expensive*

RTR: Meteorological parameter measurements - *less accurate but more cost effective*

Lessons Learned from Orkney



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- Start simple and build
- Lots of simple things can become very complicated
- A lot can be done with existing technologies
- Network planning and operation need to be brought closer together
- Network operators need to know what “goes on” inside boxes
- Network planners need to understand long-term implications and evolution
- Commercial arrangements are complex
- Support and warranty are crucial
- Timescales vary (impacts on nature of solution)
- Generator developers are good at understanding and accommodating risk
- ANM service providers need to identify and demonstrate value

Client Feedback



Colin Hood, Chief Operating Officer at SSE:

“Smart Grid technology has the potential to significantly improve the efficiency of the electricity distribution and transmission network in the UK. This deployment provides a blueprint for how Smart Grids can be used to connect high penetrations of renewable generation in a cost effective way and resolve grid congestion as a result.

“The connection of similar levels of renewable generation on Orkney by the conventional means of network reinforcement would have cost around £30 million. The total cost of developing and delivering this innovative solution has been substantially less than this and taken far less time.”

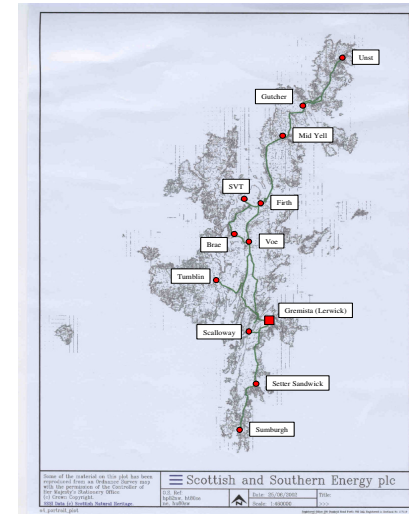
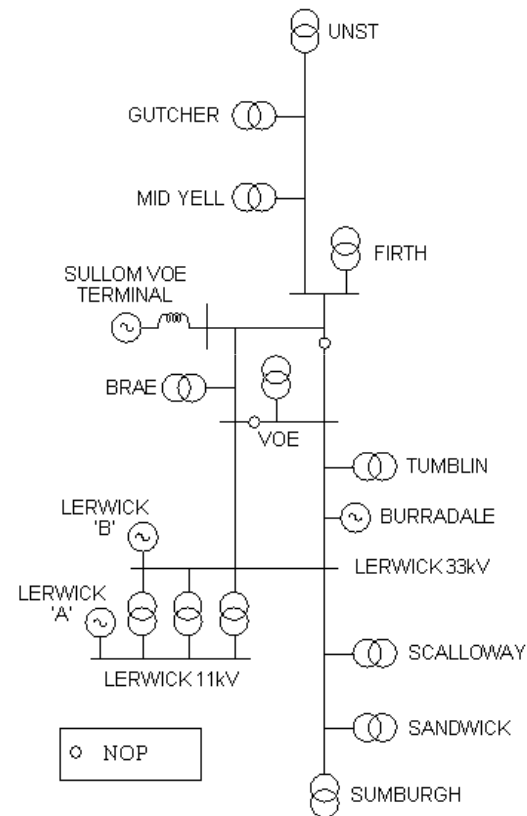
Shetland Smart Grid



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- £45million pound project
- Islanded network
- Demand of 14 - 48 MW
- Existing generation portfolio
 - Gas
 - Diesel (owned and operated by SSE)
 - Wind
- Planning for replacement power station
 - What should it look like?
 - How small can it be?
 - How will it be used?
- System stability preventing the connection of further renewable generators



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Coordinated Smart Grid Deployment Activities 2011-2012:

- **Heat Storage (Shetland Heat and Power – SHEAP)**
 - District heating scheme
 - New 4 MW frequency responsive boiler (130 MWh of thermal storage)
 - Analogue control via droop curve
- **Electrical Storage**
 - 1 MW NaS battery being deployed mid 2011
- **Demand Side Management**
 - DSM in 1000 homes (Approx. 10% of all homes on Shetland)
 - Frequency responsive demand: Analogue droop control via droop curves
 - Electrical heating loads – space and water heating
- **New Renewable Generators**
 - Multiple small wind turbines
 - Large wind farm
- **ANM scheme at the heart of future system operation**
 - Provide automatic control of multiple resources
 - Scheduling, stability, power flow and voltage constraints



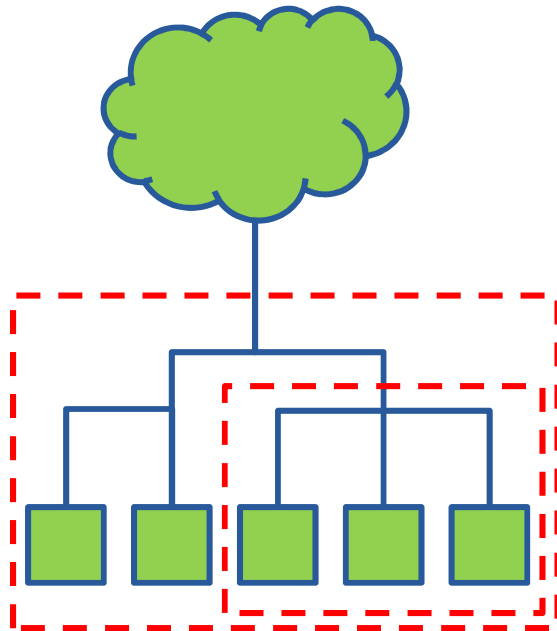
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The Shetland Smart Grid will operate at a number of coordinated levels:



SYSTEM LEVEL

REQUIREMENTS & CONSTRAINTS

e.g. system balancing, frequency stability

LOCAL NETWORK

REQUIREMENTS & CONSTRAINTS

e.g. power flow, voltage

END USER

REQUIREMENTS & CONSTRAINTS

e.g. comfort levels, energy transfer

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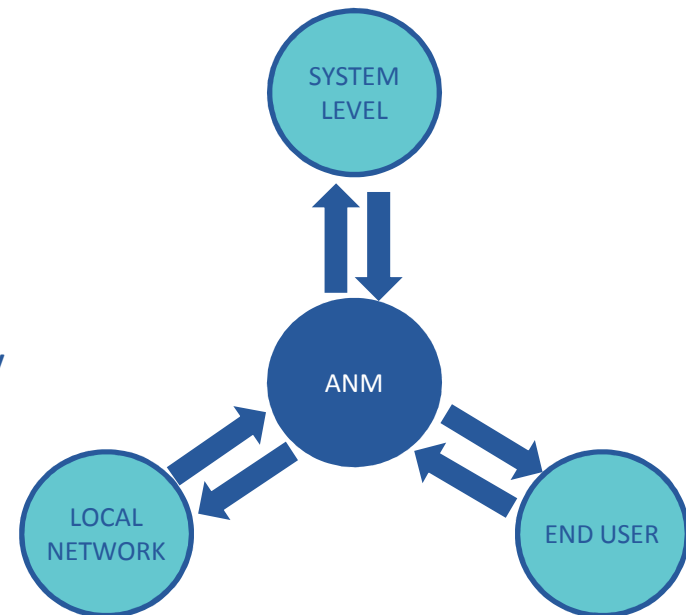
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- ANM at the heart of performing network management functions and ensuring needs of customers are incorporated into design and operation
- Interdependent requirements and constraints resolved by the ANM scheme by exploiting flexibility, controllability and backup options

For example

- Thermal energy storage in end user devices
- Variable frequency response characteristics
- Activation of alternative supplies when necessary

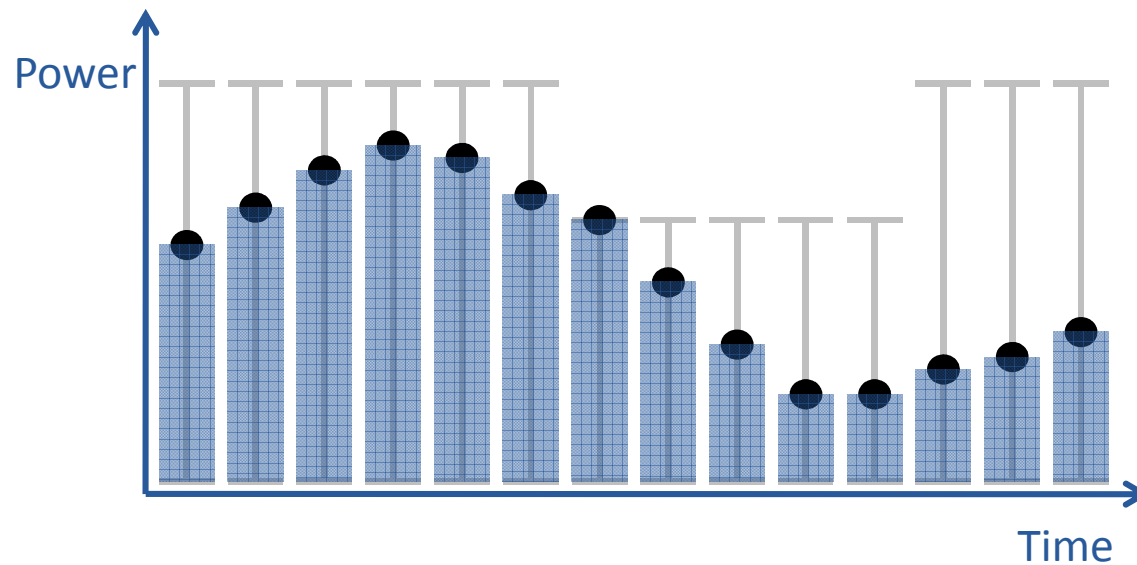


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- Power setpoint defined in day ahead schedules or updated in real time
- Energy transfer over the period satisfies user's requirements or contract
- I Device range limited according to prevailing constraints (system and local)

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A smarter electricity network to manage the demands of a low carbon economy and deliver reliable, 'decarbonised' and affordable electricity to customers

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- £24million award from Regulator (competitive bidding)
- SGS consultancy support to scope and prepare bid for funding
- SGS providing ANM solutions to deliver learning on:
 - Overcoming network constraints that prevent the connection and operation of DG in a heavily loaded urban network using ANM
 - Deploying ANM to reduce network loading where constraints are being driven by rising demand
- ANM will be regulating DG units and possibly EVs.
- 5 ANM Deployments, <50 DG units and <25 network constraints in total

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...maximise opportunities for low carbon, distributed and micro-generated electricity



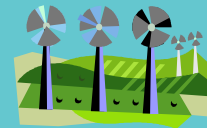
...respond to new demands on the electricity network from a low carbon economy



...work with communities and businesses to help them manage demand



...match local energy demand with national low carbon energy demand



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Wind twinning

Distributed
Generation

Electric Vehicles
& Heat Pumps

Smart Meters

Demand Side
Management

Trial new low carbon technologies and commercial tariffs to see how they impact consumers' energy demand behaviour

**Low Carbon London
Learning Centre**
shares learning with energy industry
throughout programme

Proven new network
planning and operation
tools for a future
low carbon economy

UK Power Networks
embraces new ways of
designing and operating a
smarter electricity network

**National blueprint for a smarter future electricity
network to enable a low carbon economy**

Low Carbon London – Electric Vehicles



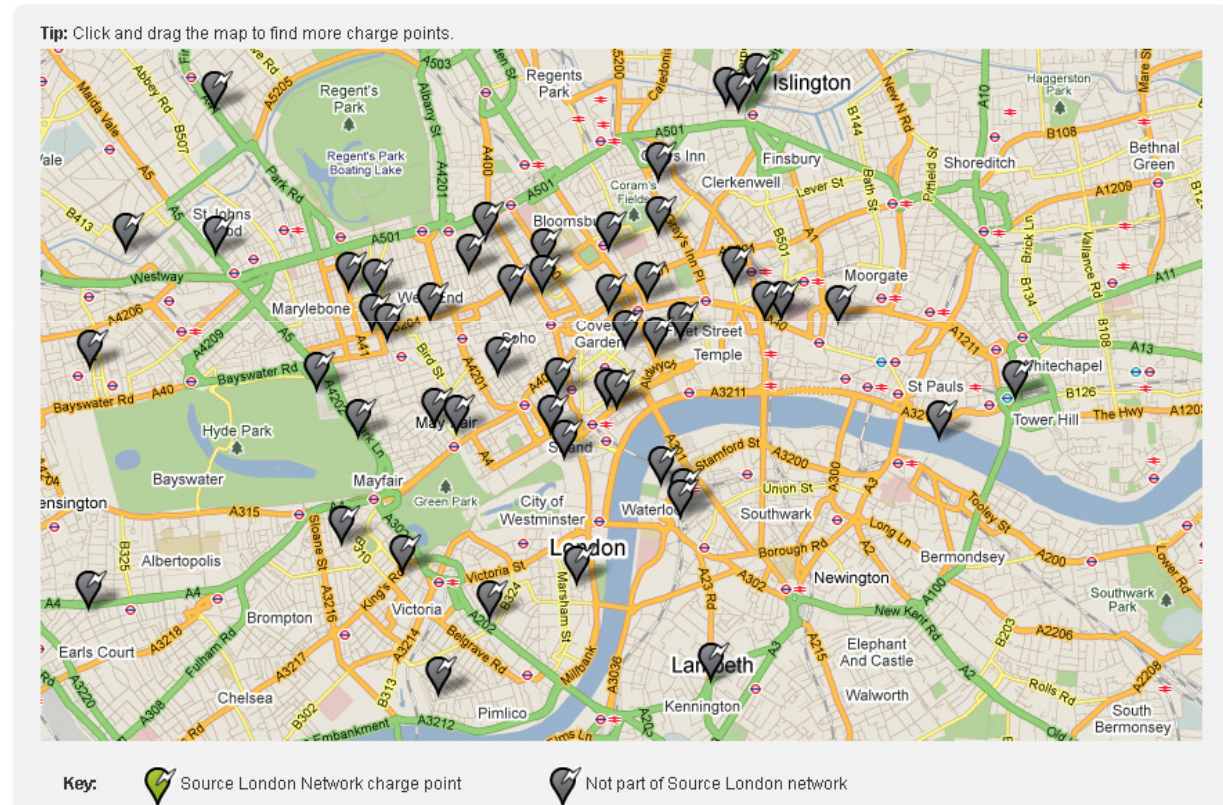
Phased installation of **1,300** public charge points.

Residential streets

and

Off-street locations:

- supermarkets
- public car parks
- shopping and leisure centres



Low Carbon London – Smart Meters



Challenge:

Government wants a smart meter rollout to all UK homes and most SMEs by 2020

UK Power Networks' response:

Install smart meters in 5,000 homes across London's 10 Low Carbon Zones and the Green Enterprise District to understand how smart meters can impact customers' energy demand.

Use smart meter data to inform smarter network operating techniques

The learning:

How smart meters can encourage energy efficiency and improve how we manage the electricity network

Green Enterprise District

London Thames Gateway Development Corporation: Key Projects



10 Low Carbon Zones

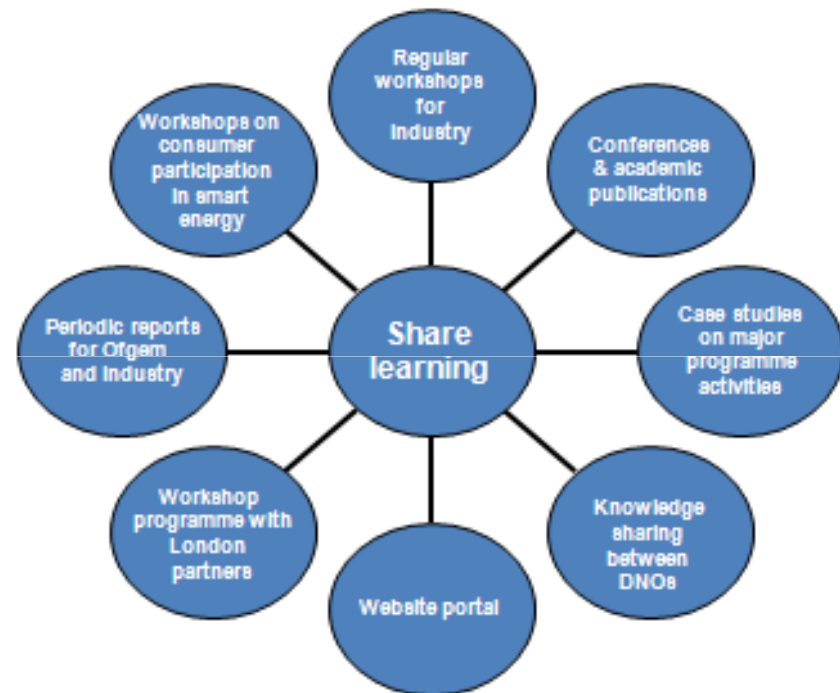


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Further Reading

- CIGRE C6.11 Report on Active Distribution Networks
 - Introduction to ANM
 - Focus on deployment
 - International review
 - Case studies
 - Provides state of the art
- The ANM Register: <http://cimphony.org/anm>
 - Independent Reporting by University of Strathclyde
 - International review (annual updates since 2007)
 - Links/reports/contacts
- Search online for “Low Carbon Network Fund”

Summary



- ANM emerging as an economic and technical solution to connect distributed resources
- Applicable to generator and demand connections
- Can incorporate new technologies, e.g. storage and DLR
- 18 months operational experience on Orkney of first multiple generator, multiple constraint ANM scheme
- Other major projects underway in the UK
- Other deployments imminent, further development work ongoing
- CIGRE Working Group as a reference point for industry
- ANM is one important part of the overall Smart Grid vision



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Deployment of an advanced Distribution Management System in the french network

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**Smart Distribution Systems
for a Low Carbon Energy Future Workshop**

6 June 2011

Contents

- ❑ Overview of the network control structure in France
- ❑ Existing FDIR functions
- ❑ Future DMS functions
- ❑ Roadmap of implementation

Why new automation functions are needed for distribution networks ?

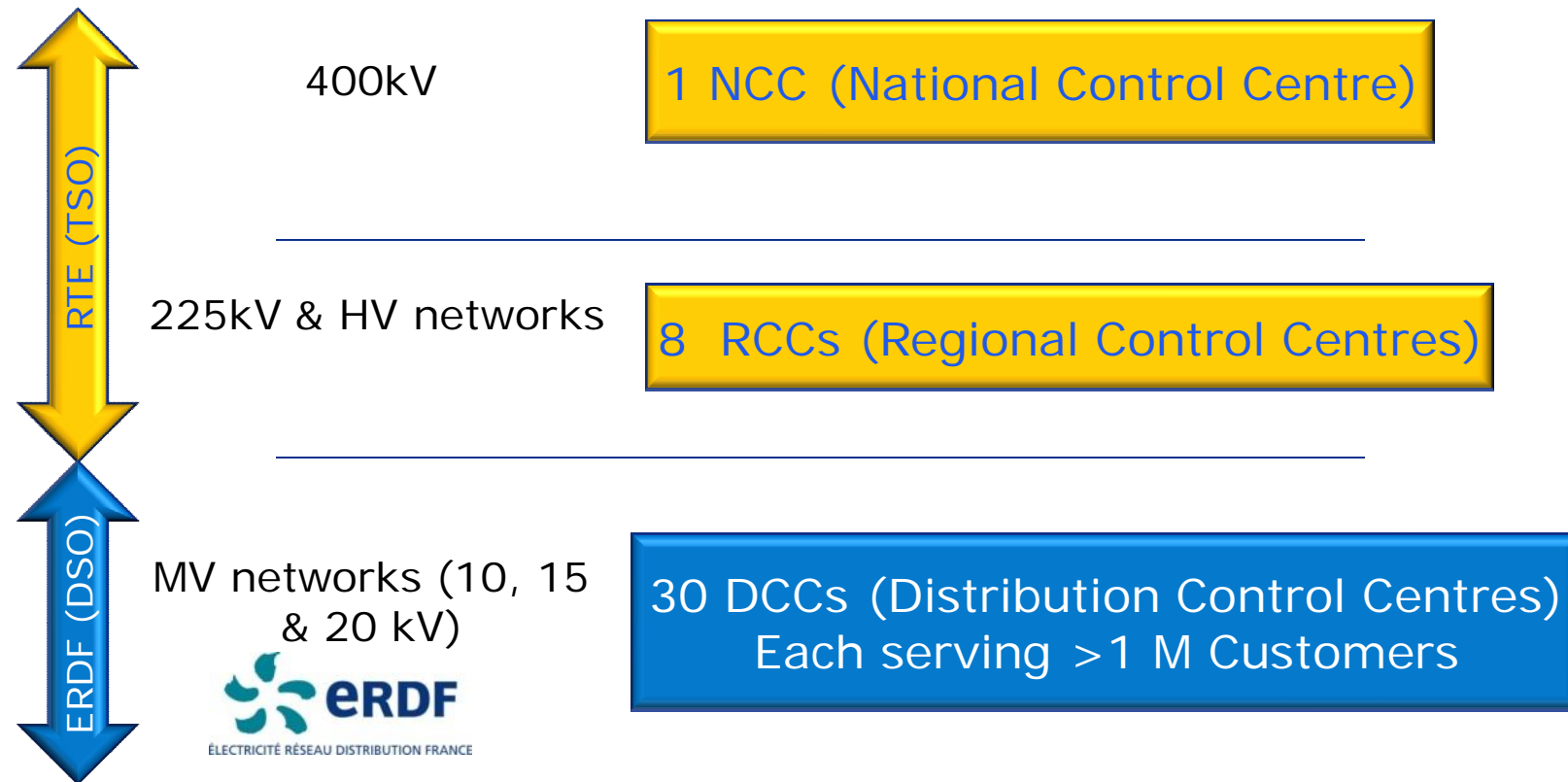
Distribution grids are facing new constraints

- ❑ Integration of Renewable Energy & Distributed Resources on the networks
- ❑ Necessary improvement of grid performance (flexibility, QoS, hosting capacity, costs)
- ❑ Ageing assets

Smarter Functions are needed :

- ✓ Automatic Fault Detection Isolation and Recovery (FDIR)
- ✓ Full integration of distributed resources in DMS

Network control Structure in France



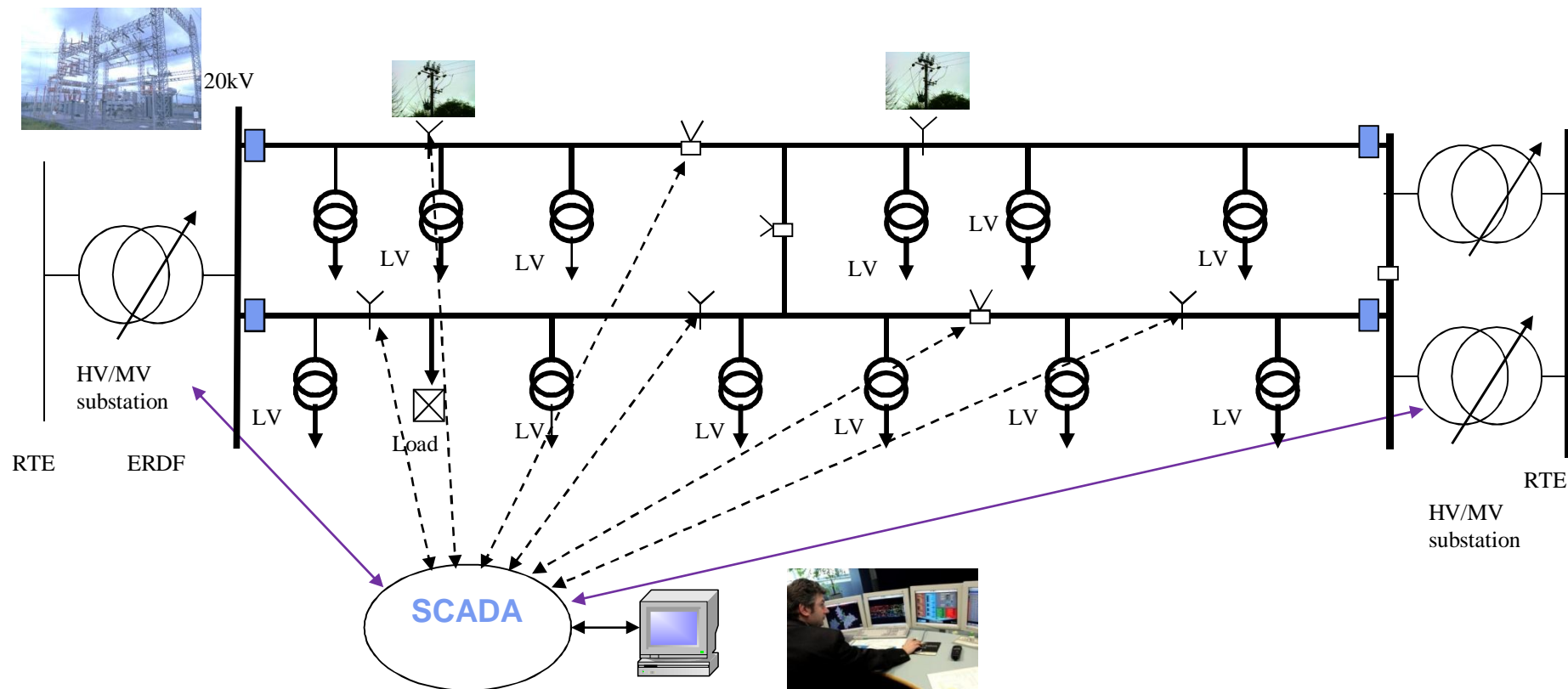
2200 delivery point substations connected to the transmission grid
MV network:

596 200 km, overhead : 62 %, underground : 38 %
100 000 connection points ($P_s > 250$ kVA)
727 000 MV / LV substations



**Automatic Fault
Detection, Isolation
and Recovery (FDIR):
functions implemented
in ERDF control
centers**

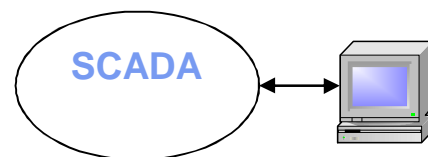
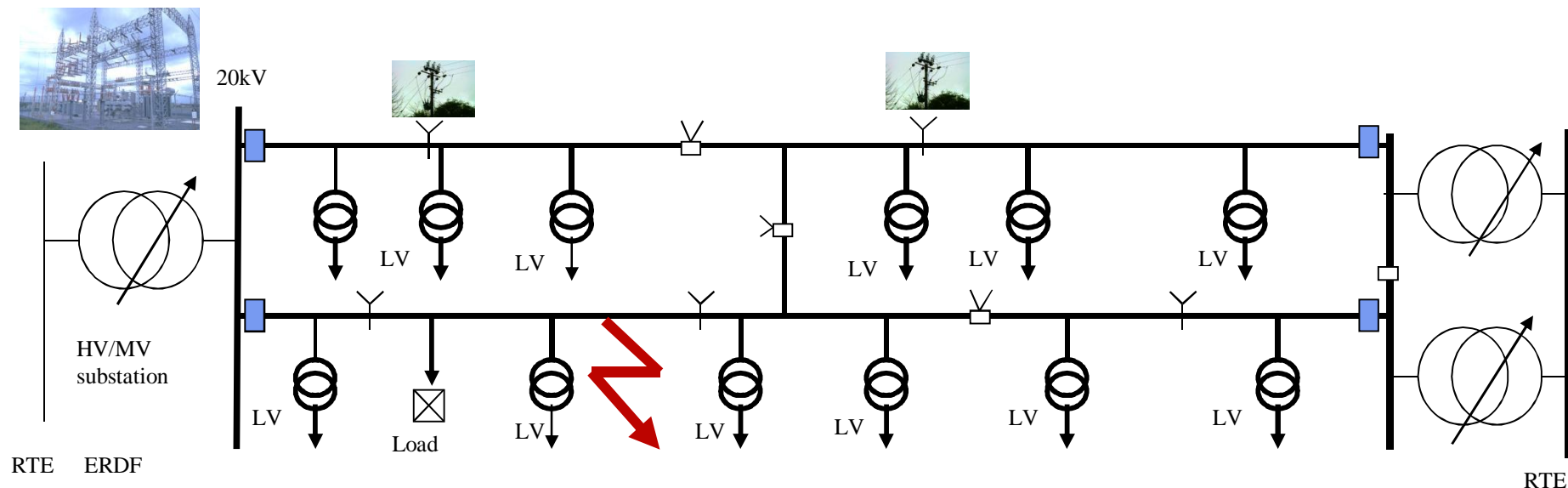
Existing MV network control systems



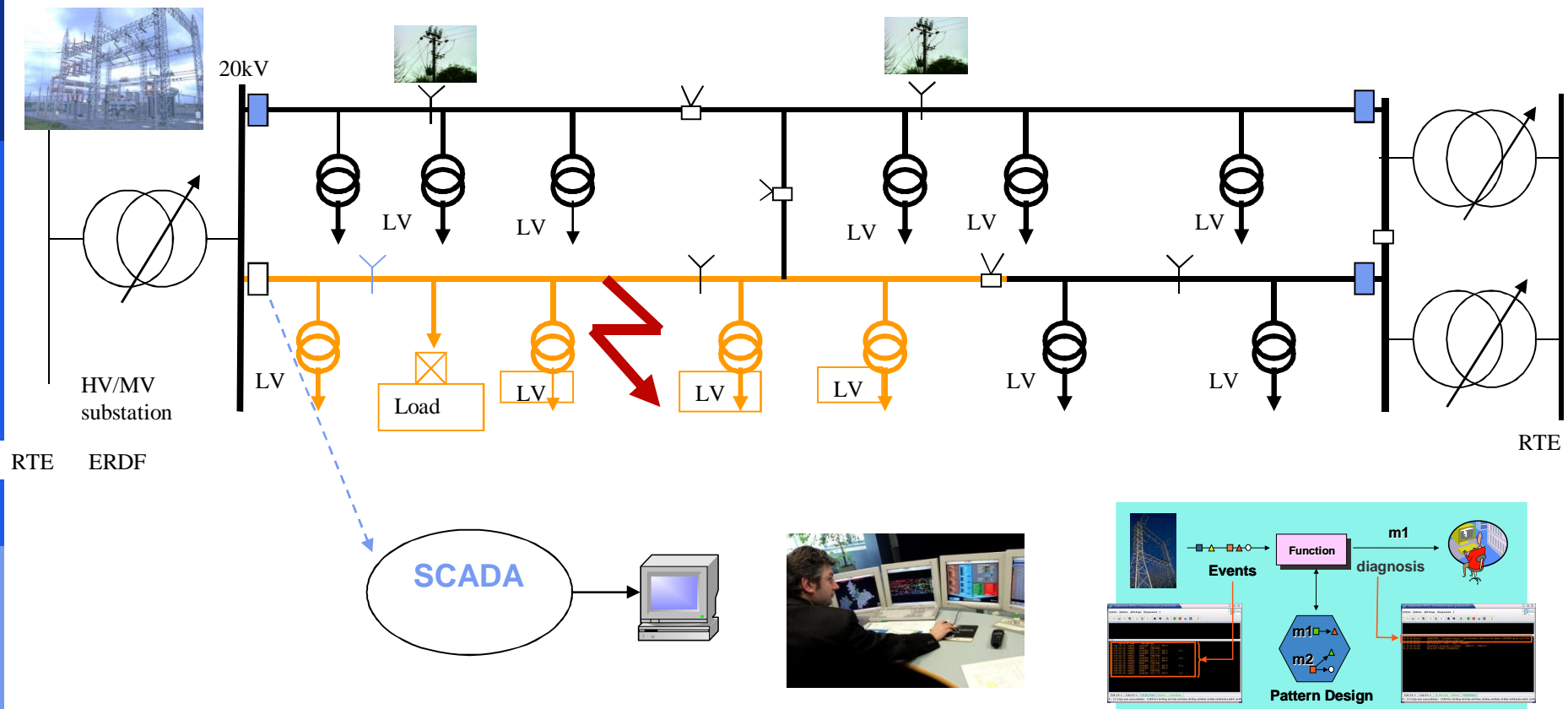
ERDF control center tools:

- **In House developed** (by EDF R&D & ERDF) to fully benefit from the internal “network operation” expertise
- **Deeply interfaced with ERDF “proprietary” SCADA system**

Illustration of the existing FDIR functions

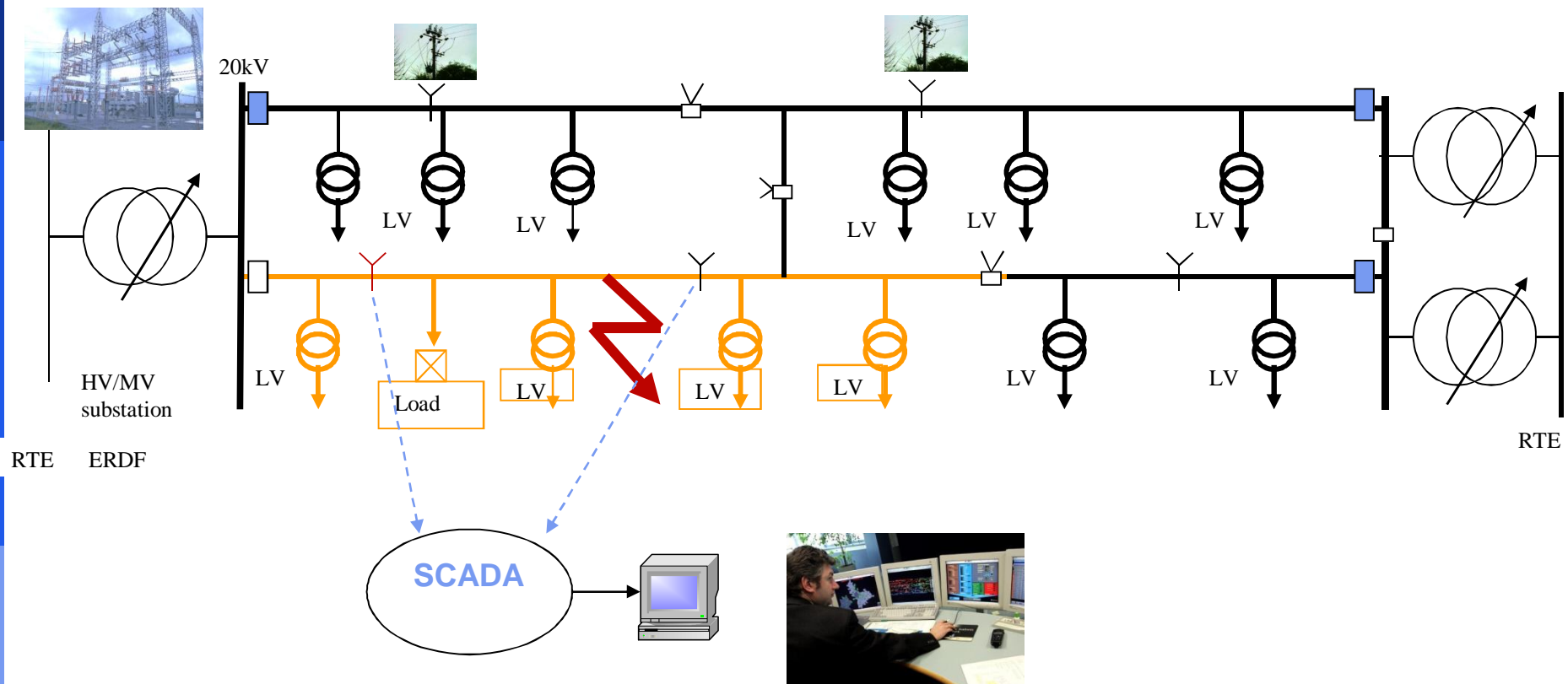


Fault diagnosis after fault occurrence



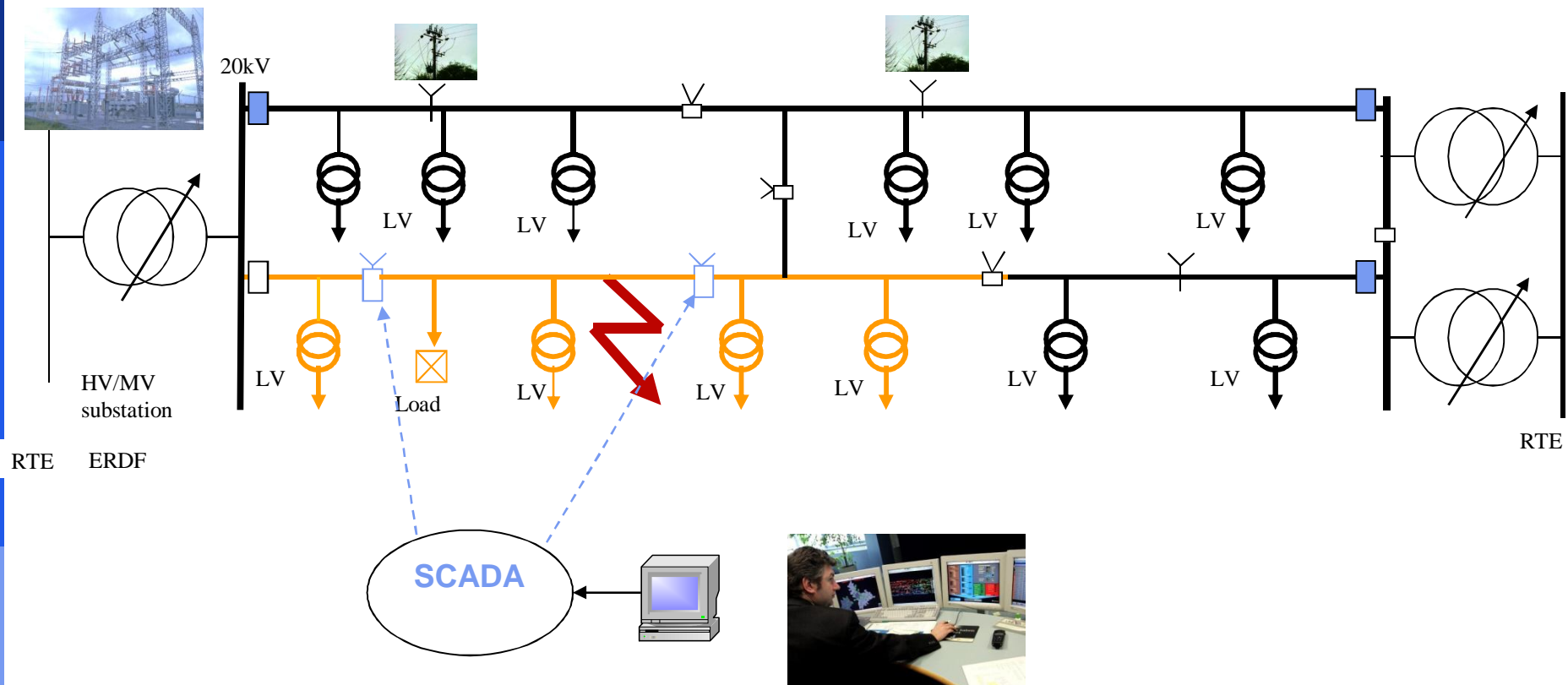
Occurrence of a fault in the MV network: fault diagnosis with **FONSYNT**

Fault location and isolation in the network



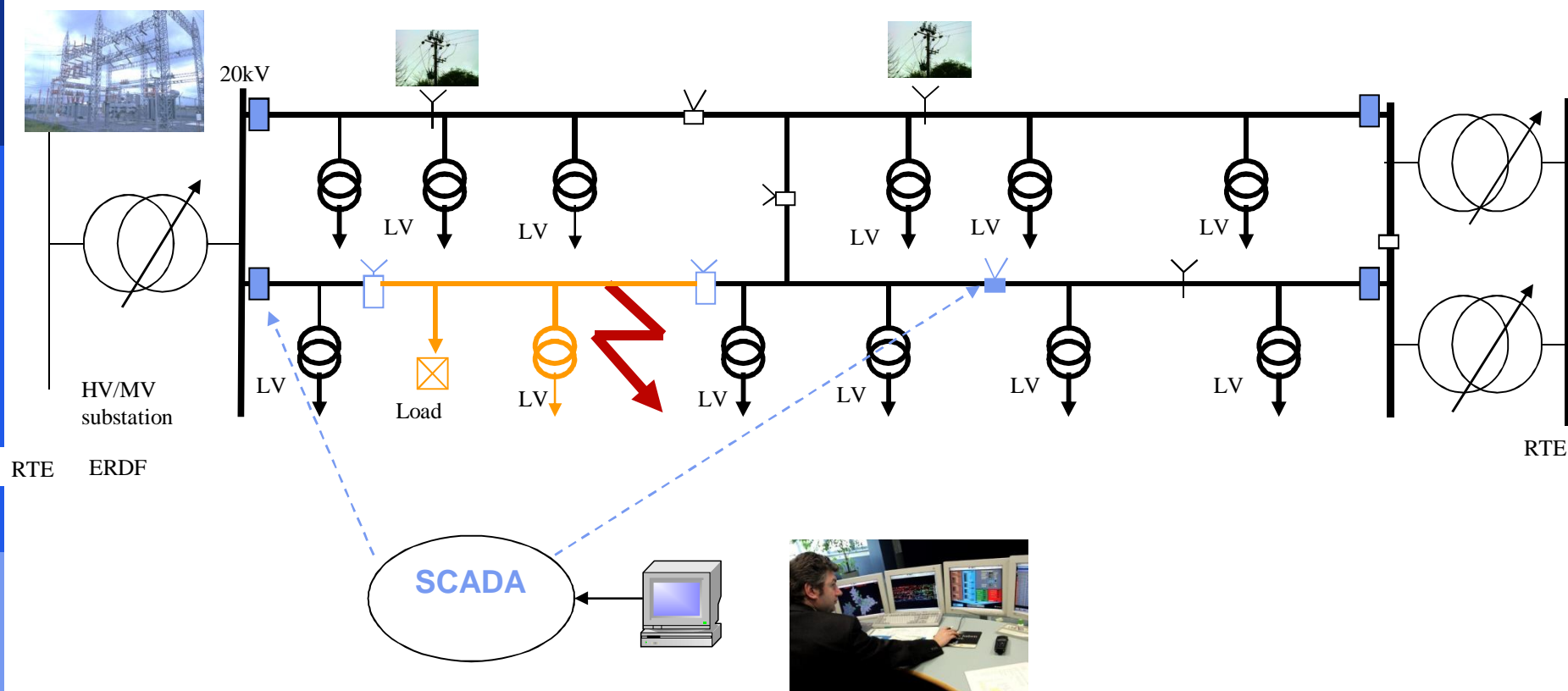
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Power restoration through network reconfiguration



MV network reconfiguration → Power restoration with **FONREP**



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First Results of the FDIR implementation



Efficiency - performance (FDIR deployed in 80% of ERDF' Control Centres)

- 90% of the MV Feeders faults are presently managed automatically
- ⚡ of average mean time for restoration : from 3 min (without FDIR) down to 1min30s with FDIR

Security:

- No dangerous situation encountered until now

Acceptability:

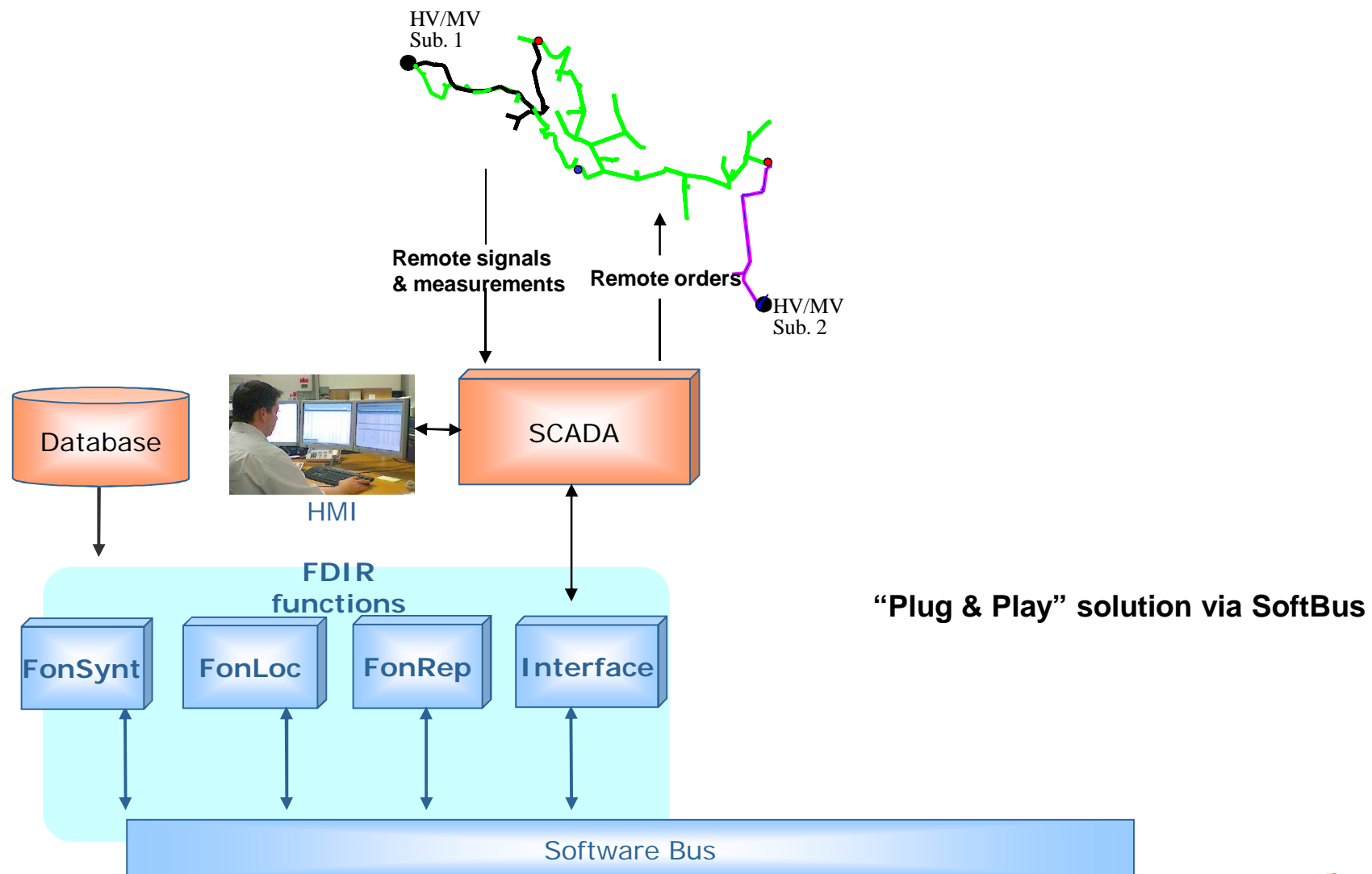
- Well accepted by control center operators

Other outcomes:

- Improvement of telecontrol maintenance due to : Standardisation of Control Wiring, SCADA configuration & related practices
- Focus on the necessary maintenance of FPIs
- Better quality of network description data
- Improved sustainability due to the choice of an open architecture

Early Communication on the project and
feeding motivation of end-users is key !

Architecture of the control system





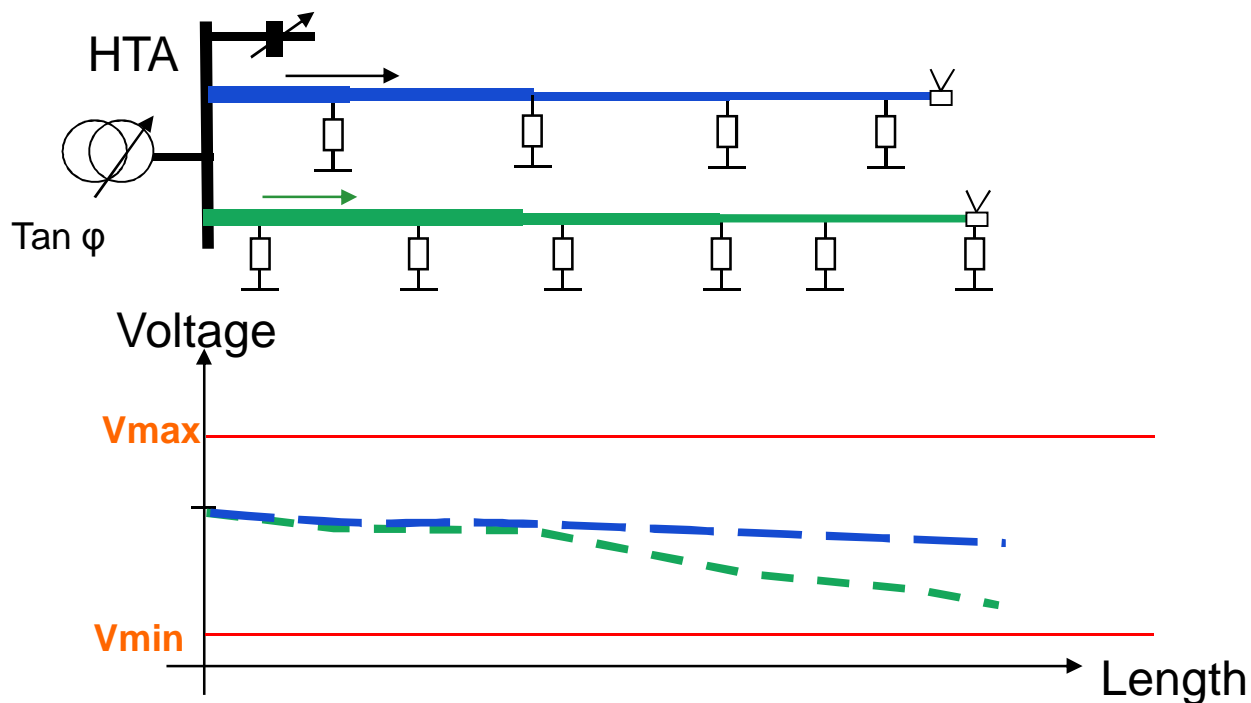
Future DMS functions

- 1/ Full integration of distributed resources in DMS
- 2/ Methodology for the choice of functions
- 3/ Roadmap

Impact of DG on the MV network

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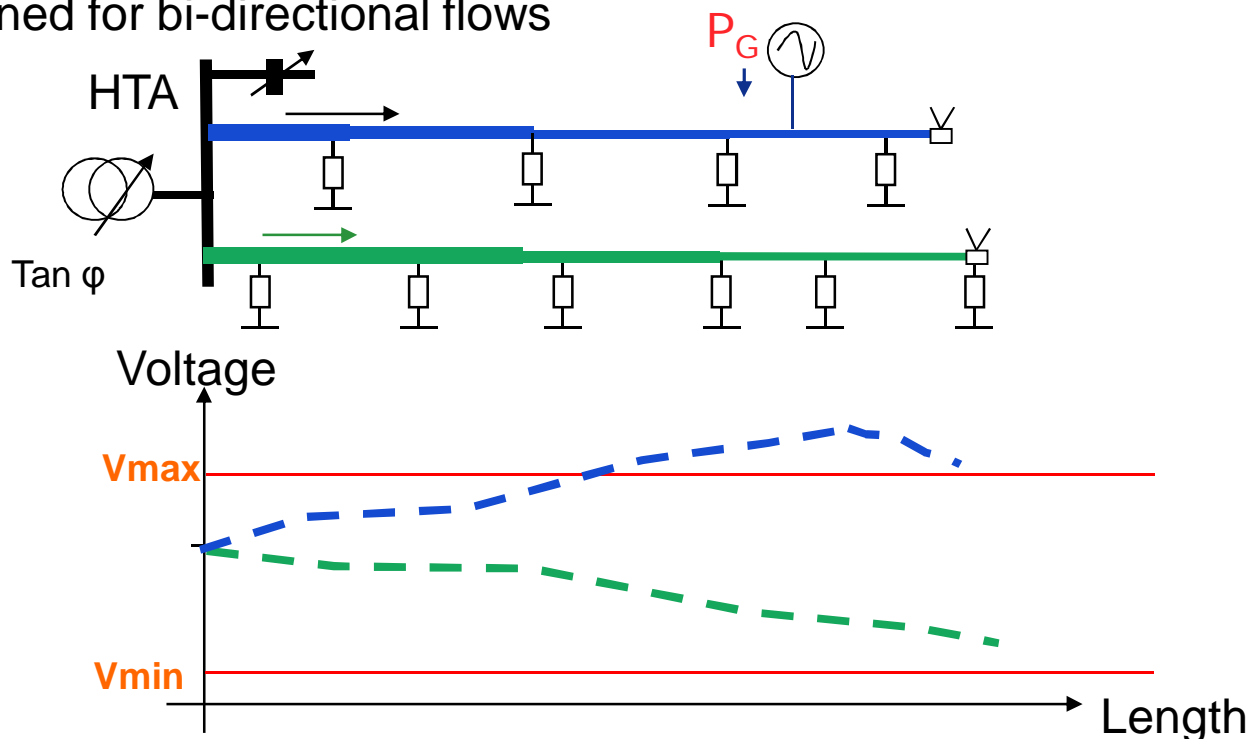
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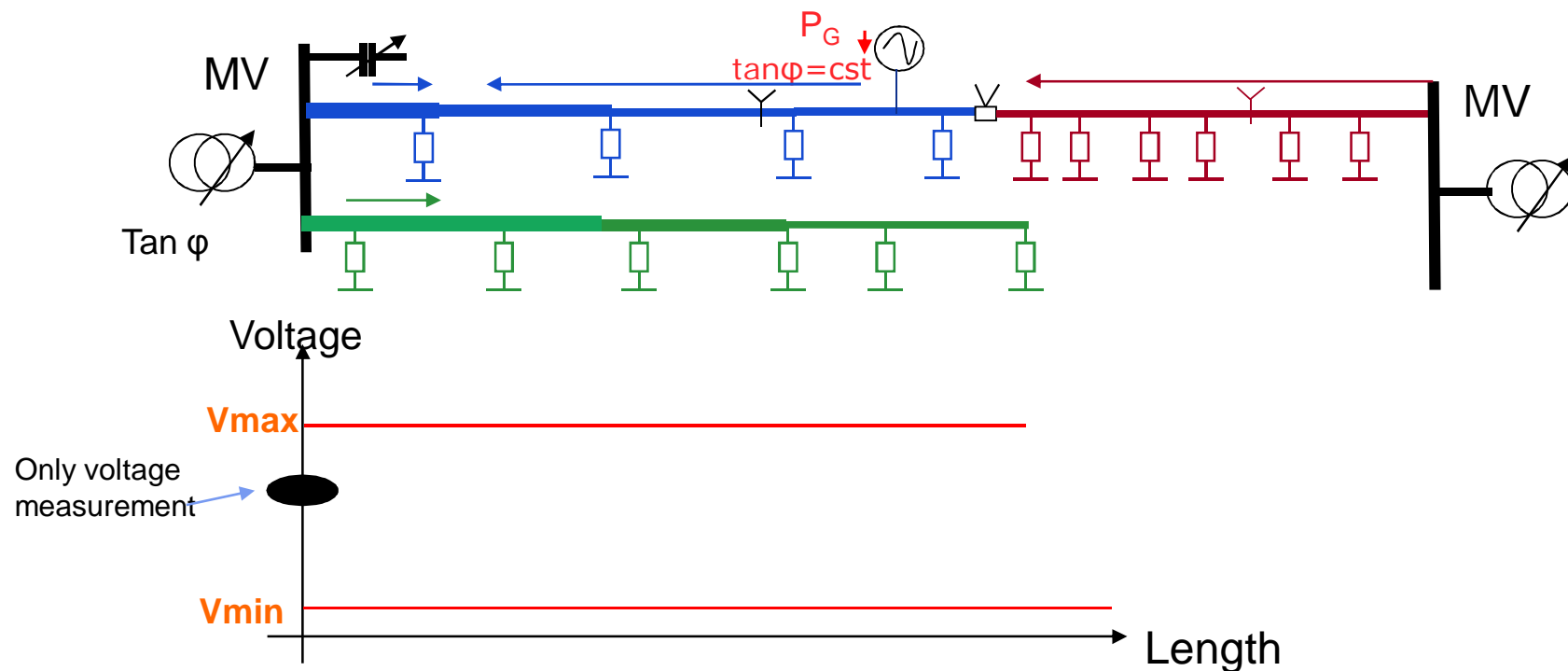
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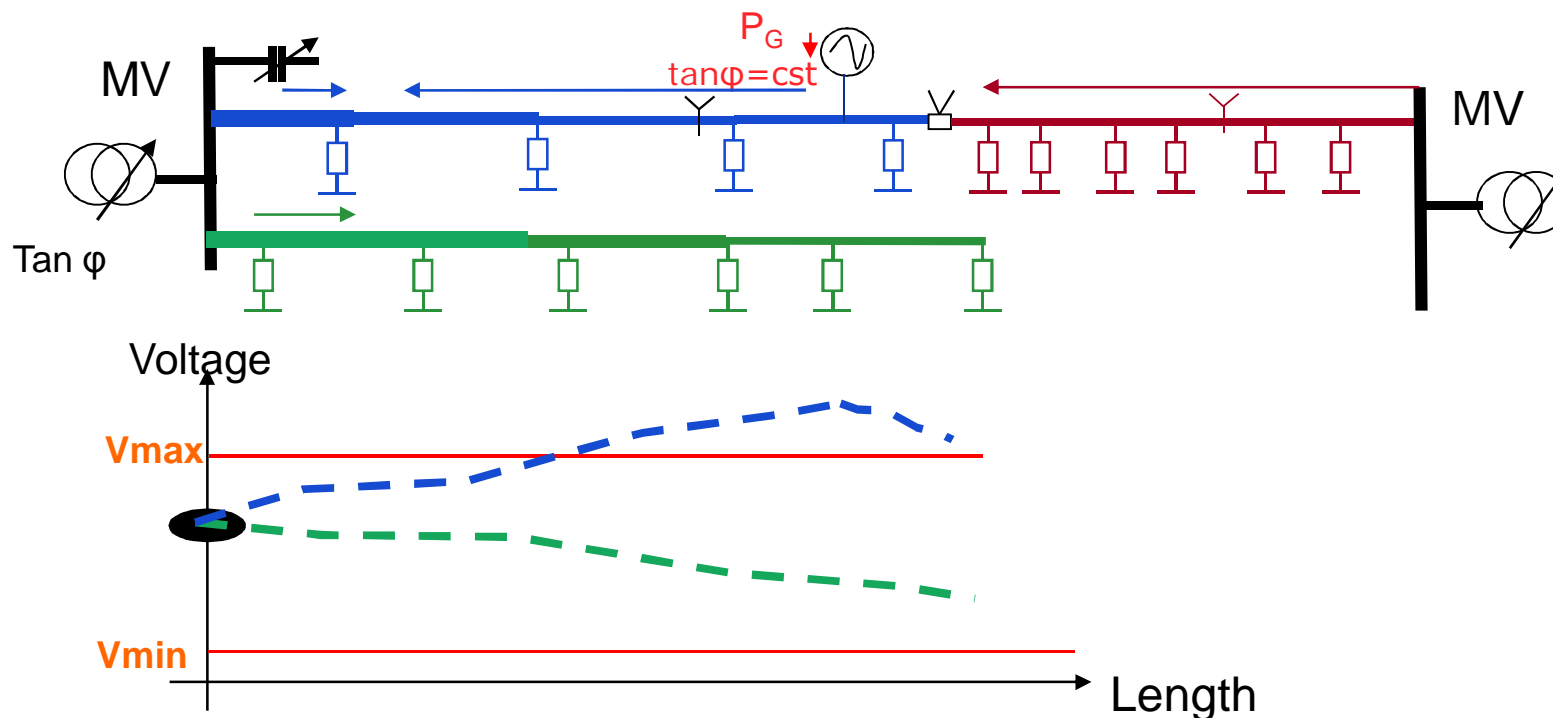


- Looking for improvement of grid performance (losses, CMLs)
- In the longer term: Use of Smart meters (Linky/ERDF)

Active MV network: new automation functions

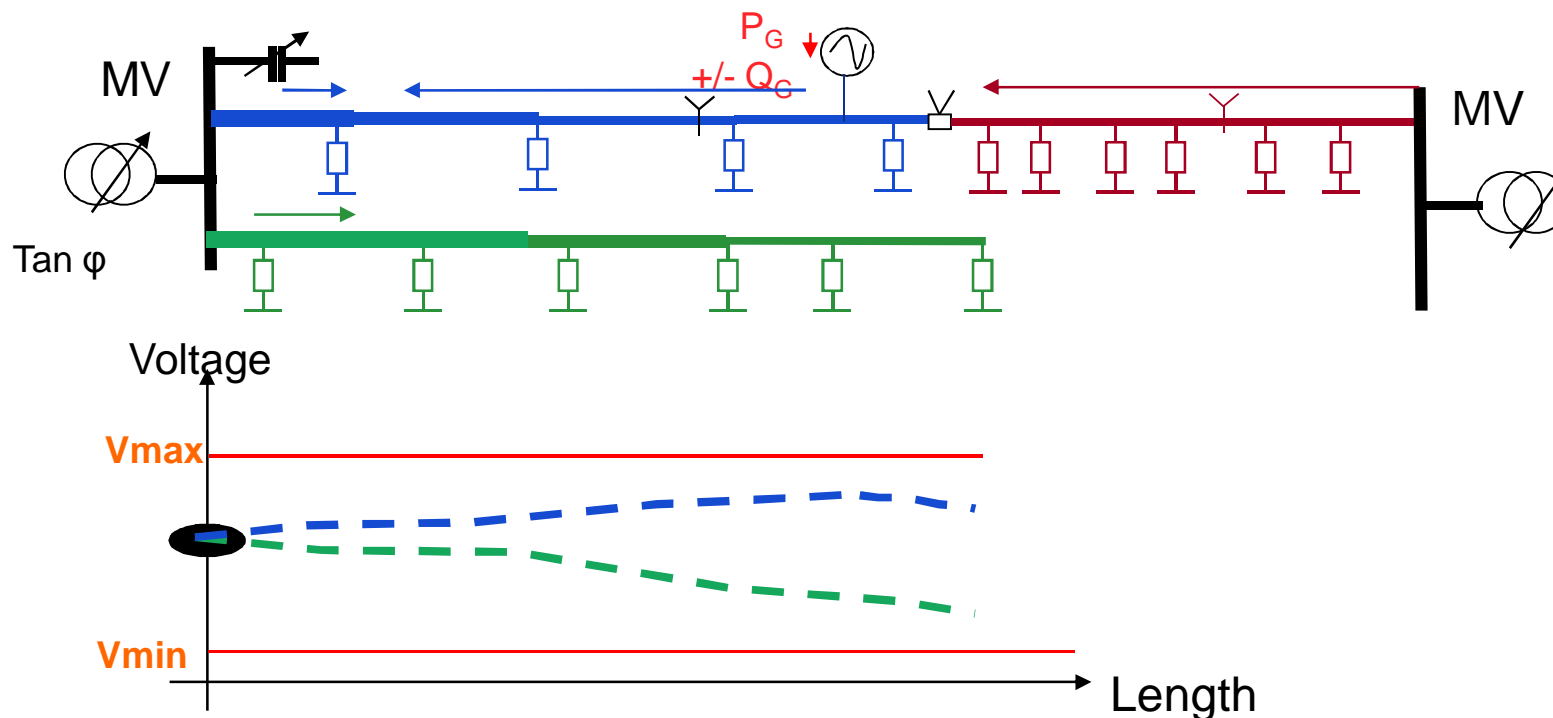


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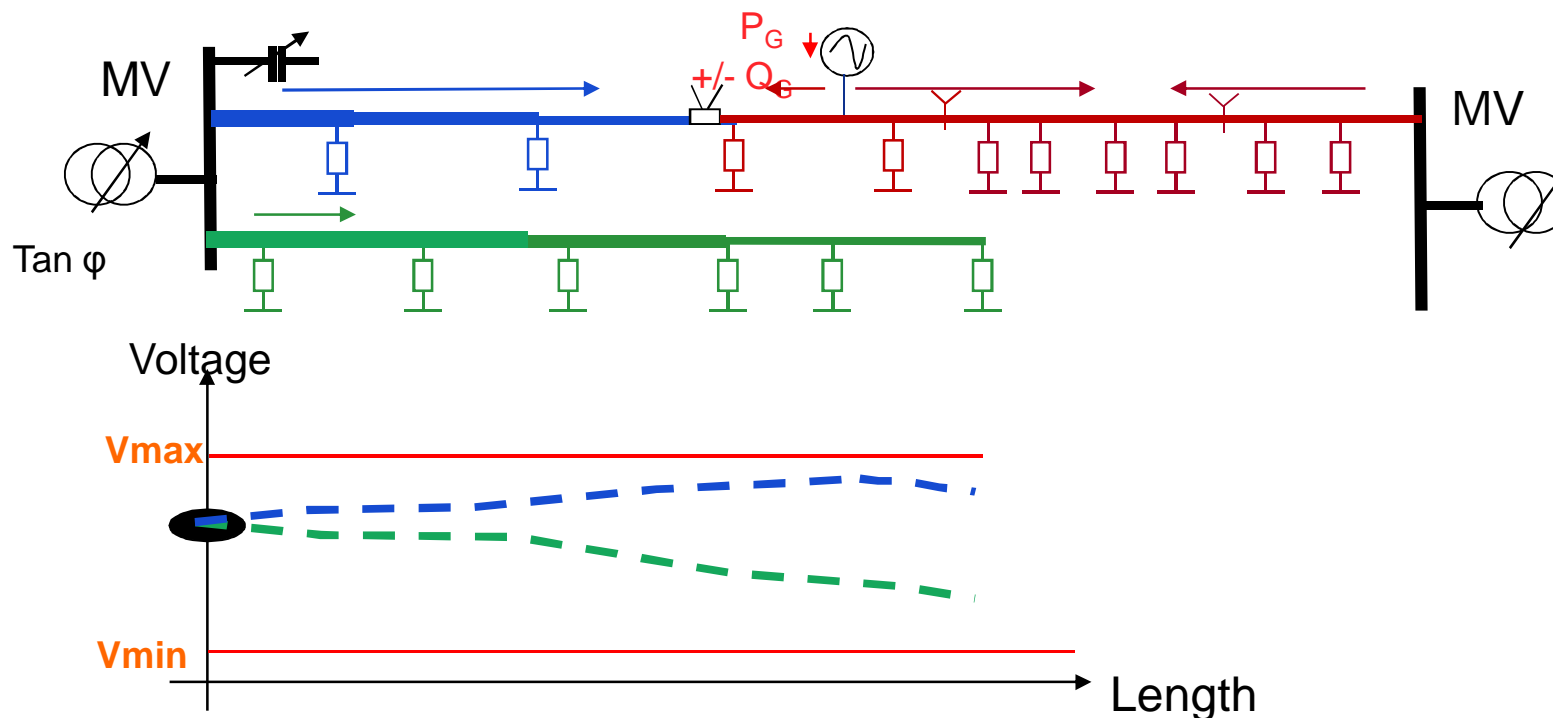
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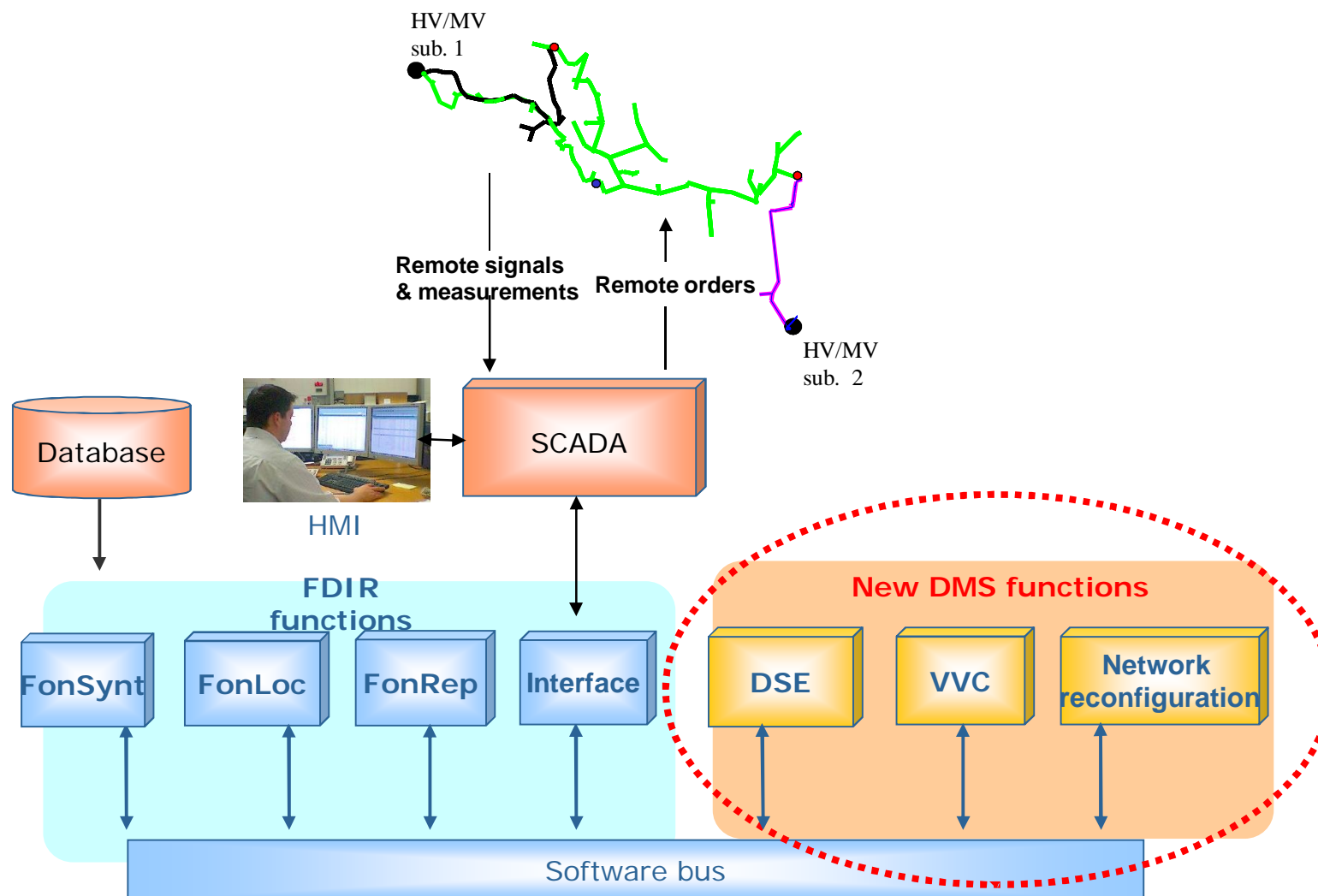
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Active MV network: new automation functions



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- 2) Voltage regulation function → VVC (Volt Var Control) function 
- 3) Network reconfiguration in steady state for losses and flows optimisation 

Control center tools with new functions



Methodology for the choice of new DMS functions

1) Development of algorithms (with Matlab)

- Case studies
- Fine tuning of the algorithm

2) Interactions with existing functions and automation systems

3) Cost benefit analysis

- Define the value of the functions for which type of network/configuration
- **Go or no Go**

4) Integration with planning policies

5) Function implementation

- Coding the function for use in real-time
- Integration in the real time control tool

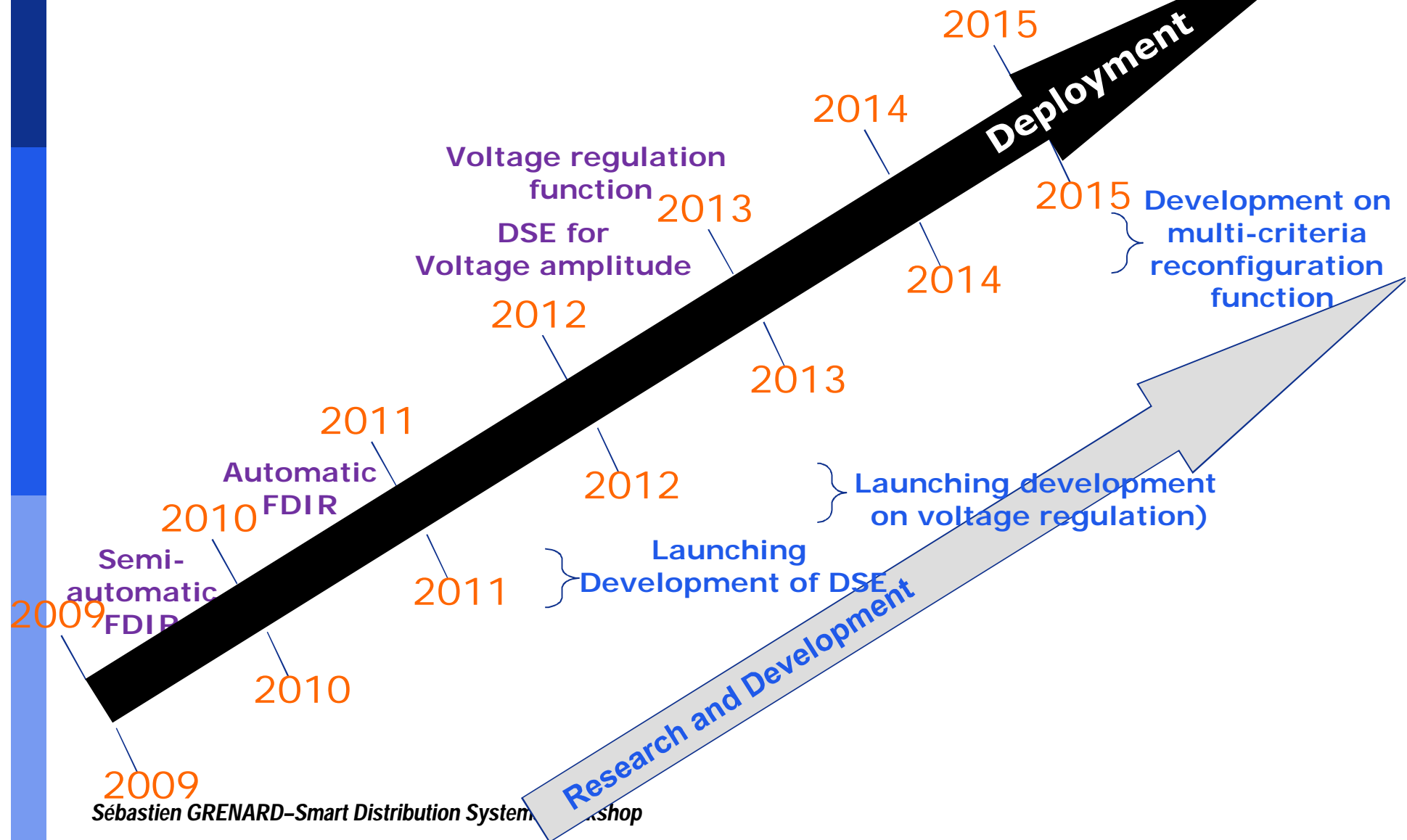
6) Field experiment

Distribution network
simulator
required



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Outlook to create an active network !



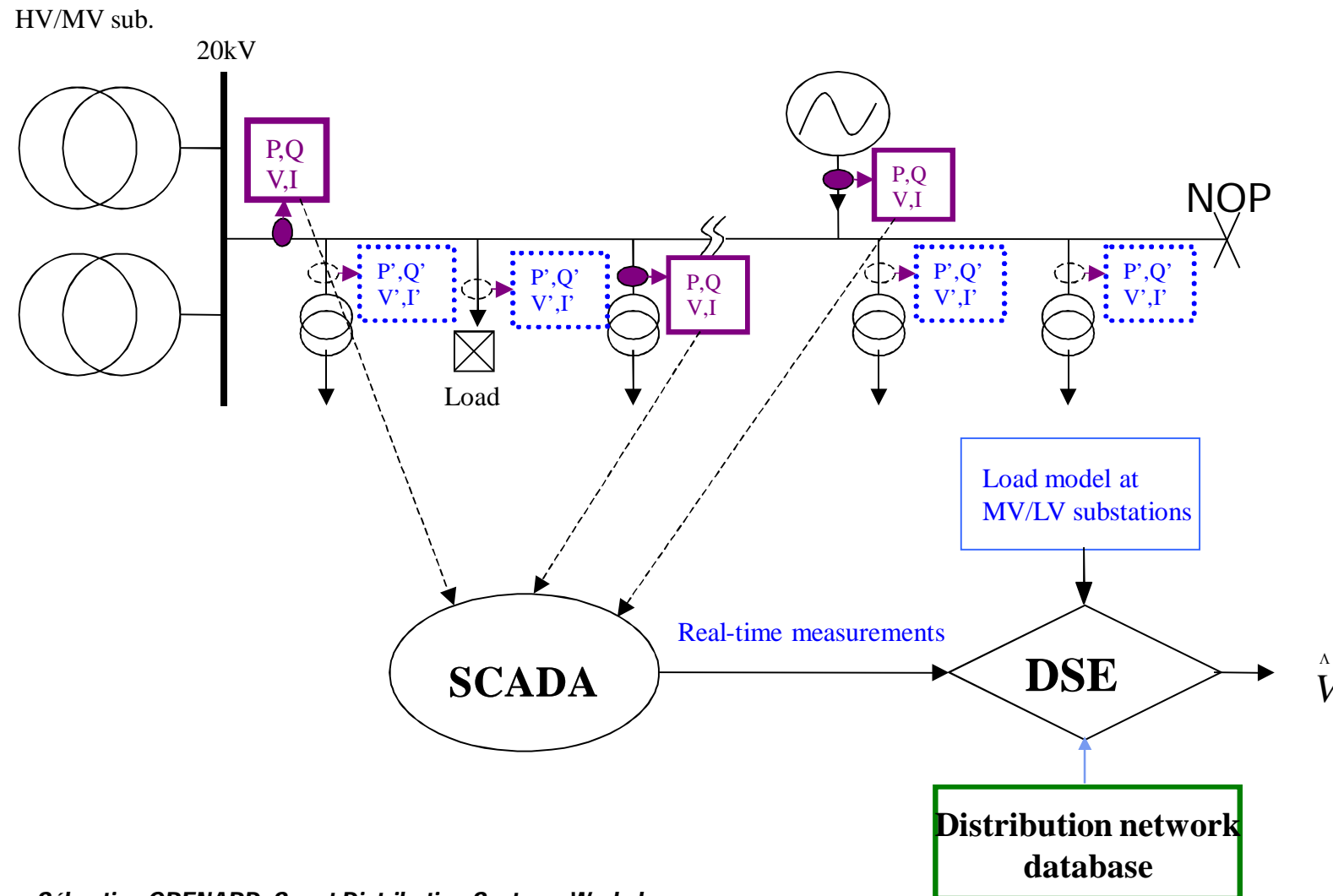


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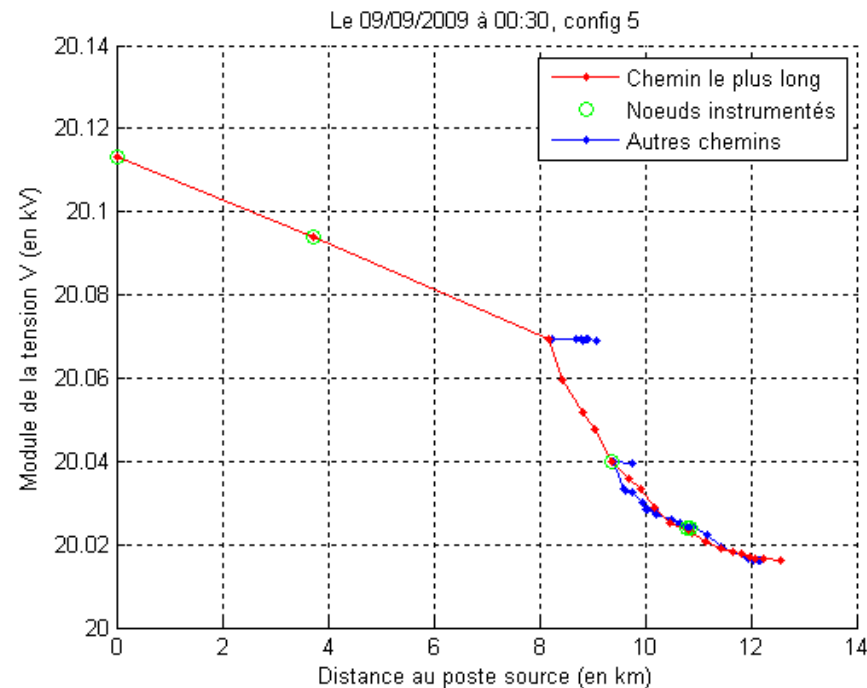
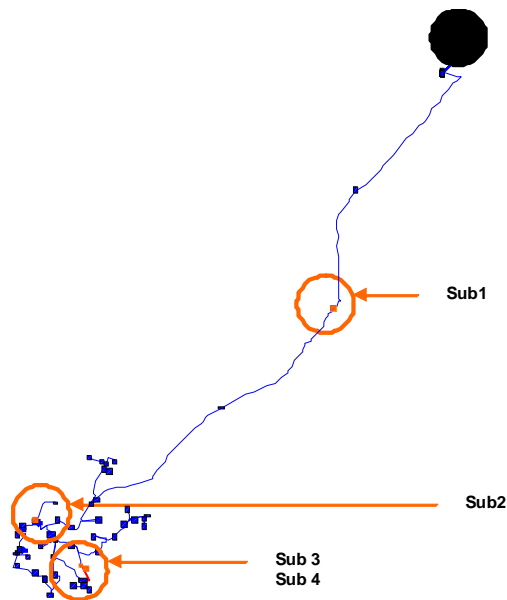
Illustration of the DSE function



Distribution State Estimation: First off-line field experiment (paper 209)

- Off-line experiment on two MV feeders in the French Network (ERDF)
- Sensors installed in several secondary substations

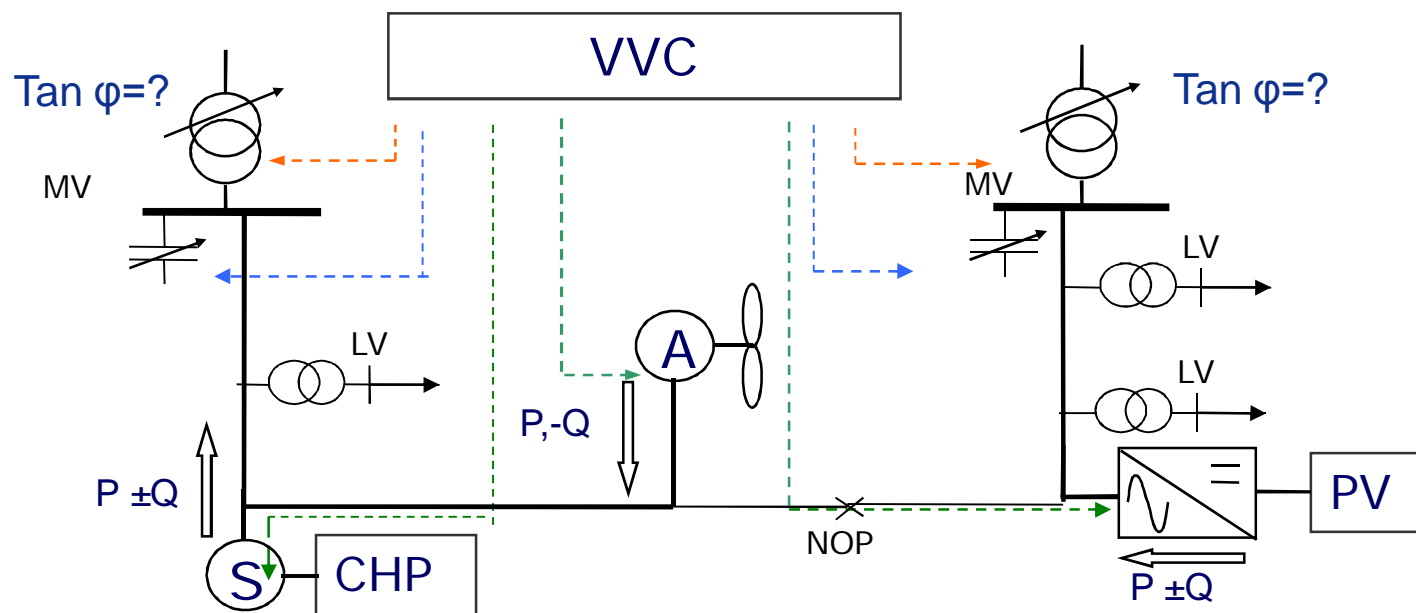
P,Q, V sensors at the HV/MV substations and 7 sensors in MV/LV substations



Voltage and reactive power optimal solutions

Objectives of Volt VAR Control optimal solutions :

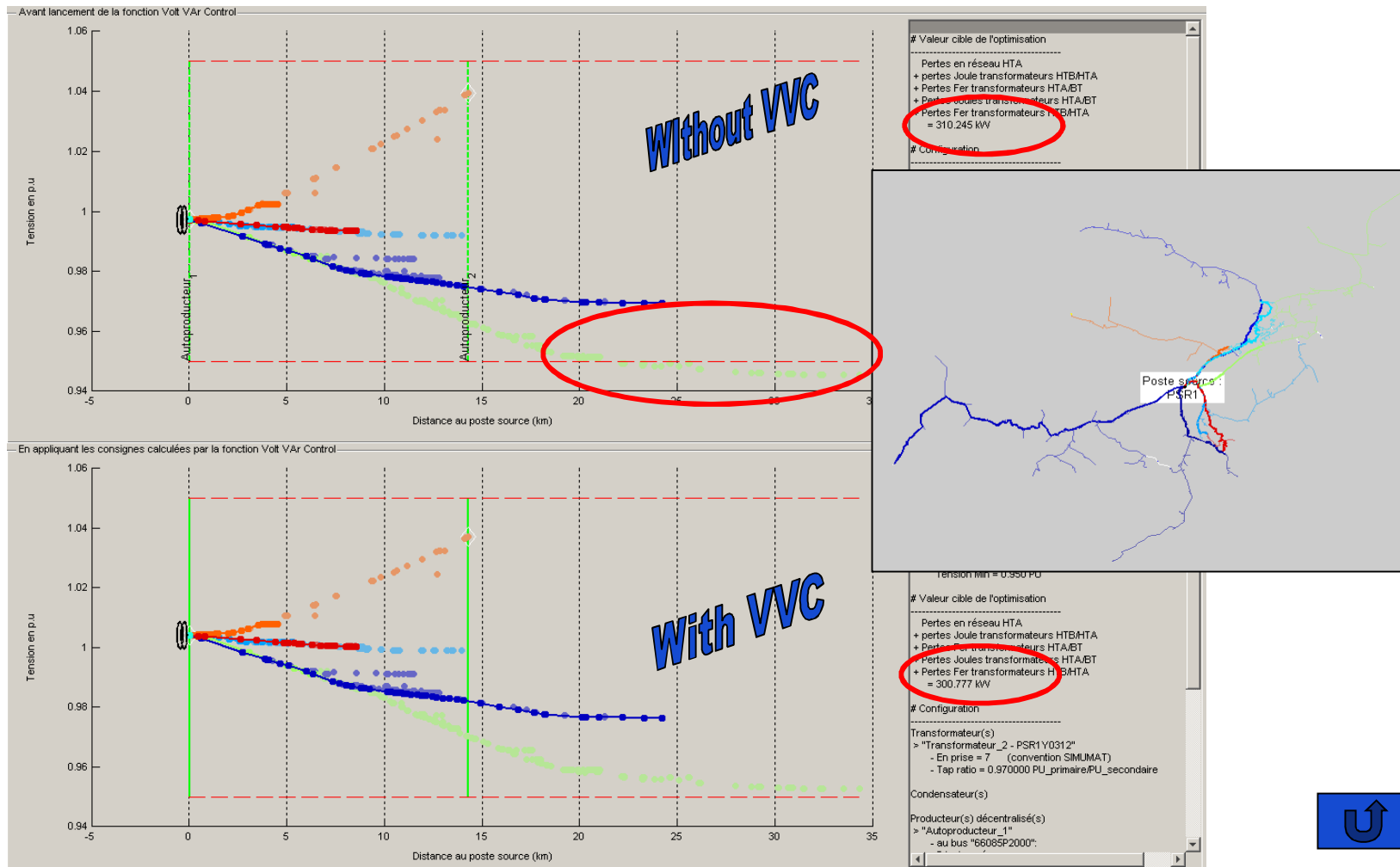
- Maintain voltages within contractual limits
- Optimise other network parameters (losses, power factor at the HV/MV substation, etc...)



First experiment scheduled with ERDF:  ERDF
ÉLECTRICITÉ RÉSEAU DISTRIBUTION FRANCE

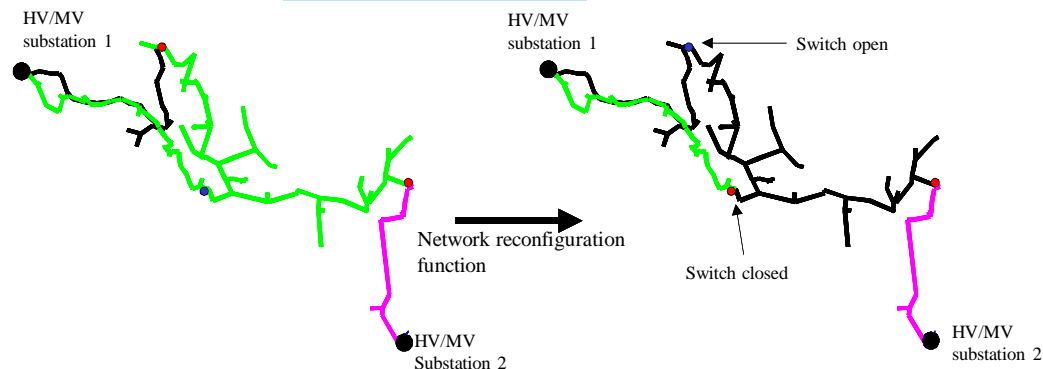
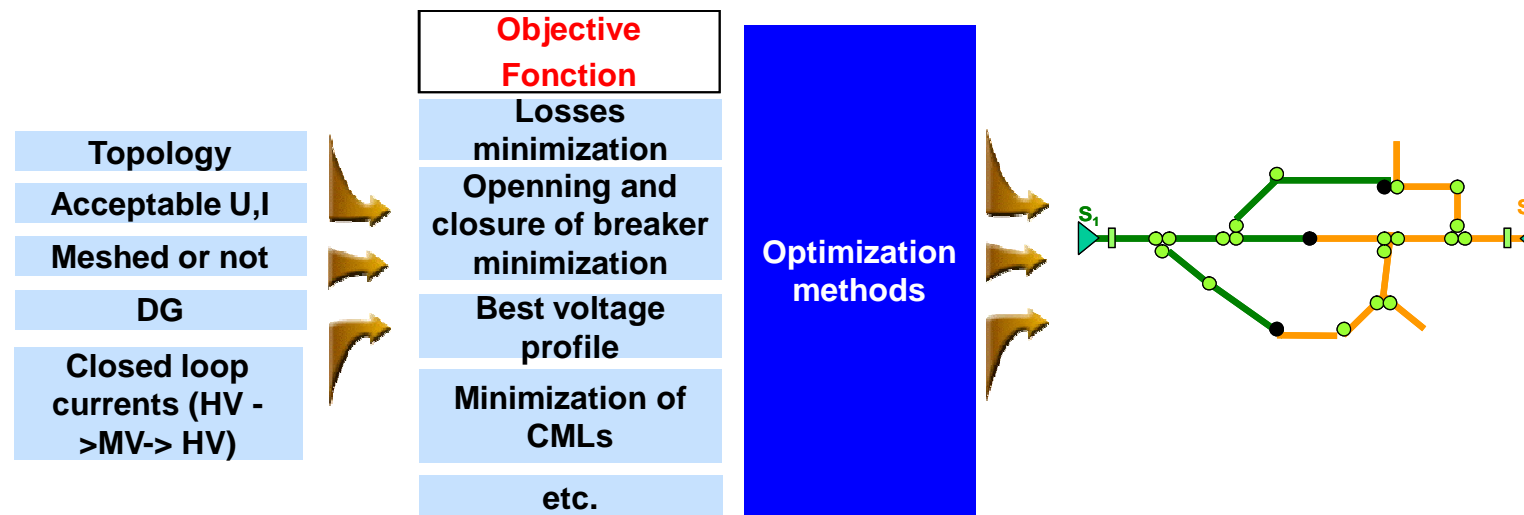
- Change the voltage setting value at the MV busbar

Illustration of the VVC results (in Matlab)



Optimal reconfiguration of network

- Objective : optimal reconfiguration to minimize losses, CMLs, number of switching orders. Takes into account DG



Initial network configuration

Optimal network configuration



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Integration of Distributed Renewables and Electric Vehicle Charging in Ireland

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Demonstration Programme Overview

- Wind farm control demonstration
 - Voltage/Var control
- Electric vehicle trials
 - Network impact
 - Charging and usage data
- ESB Networks (Irish DSO), EPRI and UCD



ESB Networks Wind Demonstration Project

- Exploration of Voltage / Var control on Distribution connected wind farms
- Use of voltage regulators to limit voltage rise
- Single transformer cluster stations for wind farms
- Can we maintain distribution system within limits and aid system security?



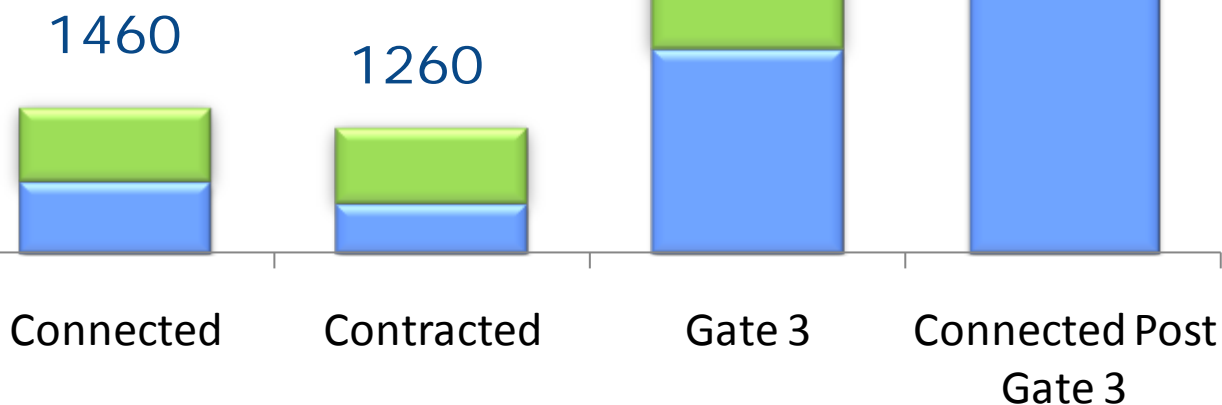
Ireland Wind Connections (MW)



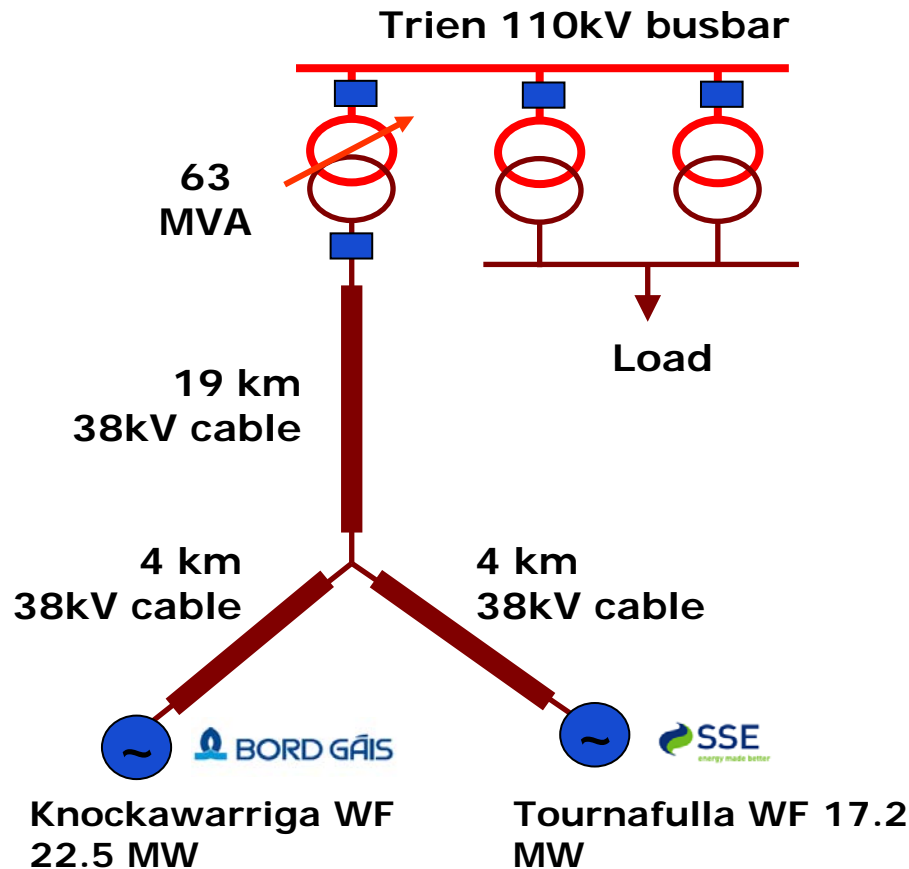
**Projected System Demand
2020**

■ Distribution

■ Transmission

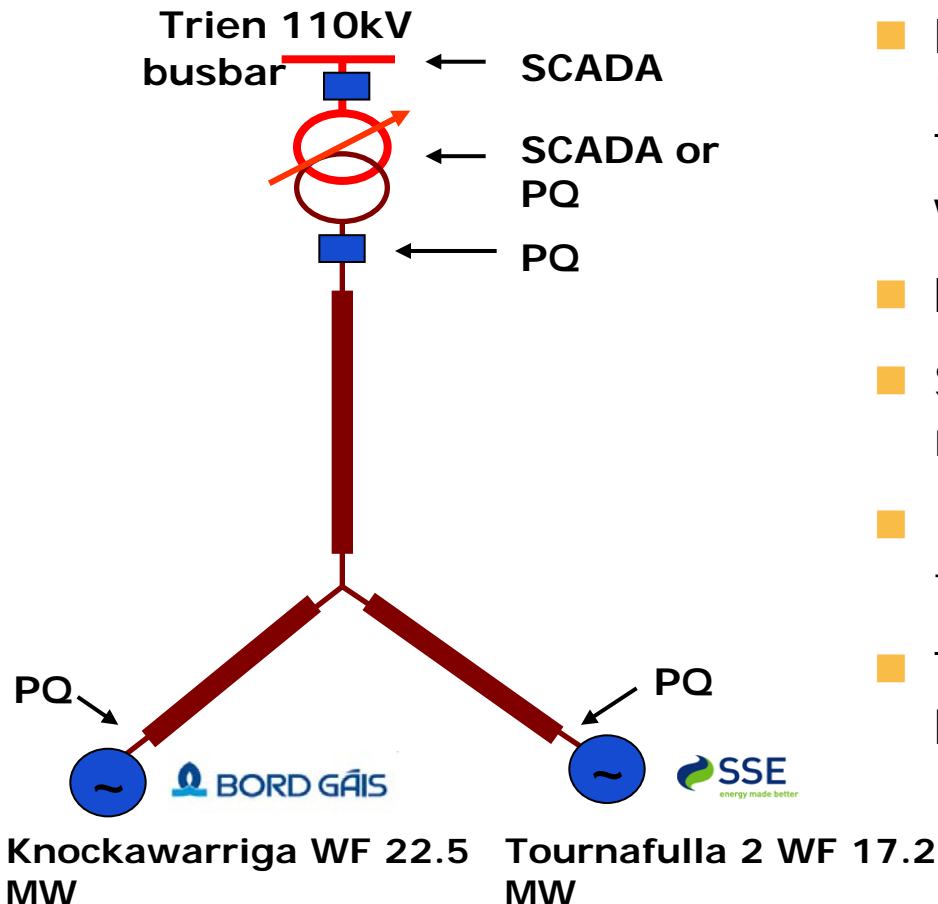


Project site and approach



- ① Measure baseline data
- ② Determine V control parameters
- ③ Switch Knockawarriga into const. voltage mode
- ④ Switch Tournafulla 2 into const. voltage mode
- ⑤ Switch both wind farms into const. voltage mode

Set-up of measuring equipment



- PQ meters set up at Knockawarriga, Tournafulla and Trien at 38 kV with 30 sec interval
- Measuring inter alia P, Q, V_{ll} , I
- Some problems being fixed at the moment (gaps in data)
- 110 kV voltage in Trien available through SCADA system
- Tap changer pos. to be picked up by PQ meter in Trien

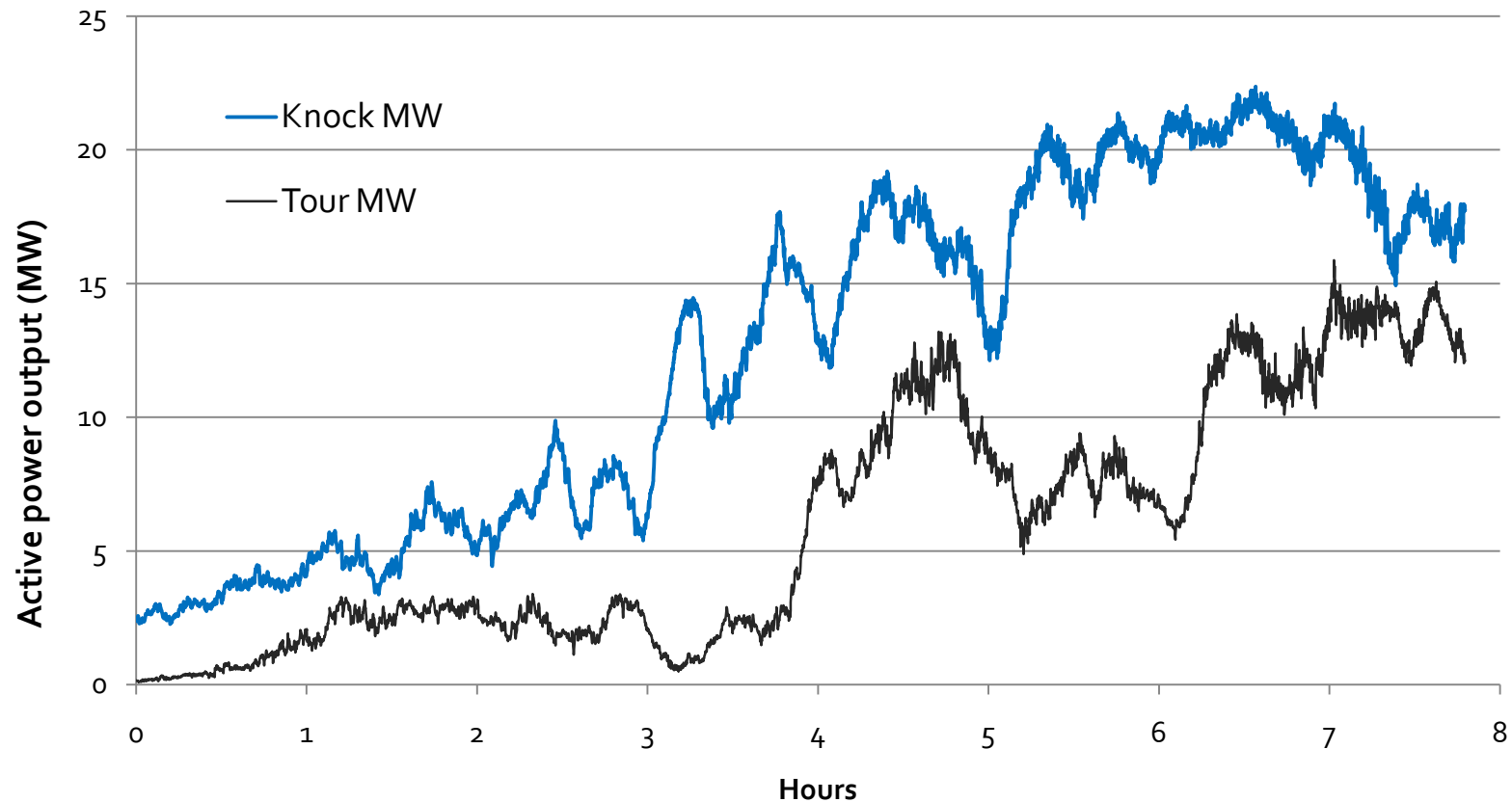
Simulation Study Methodology

- ❑ Transmission network represented by impedance to remote source at Trien 110 kV
- ❑ Every combination of wind farm outputs
- ❑ 1 MW steps

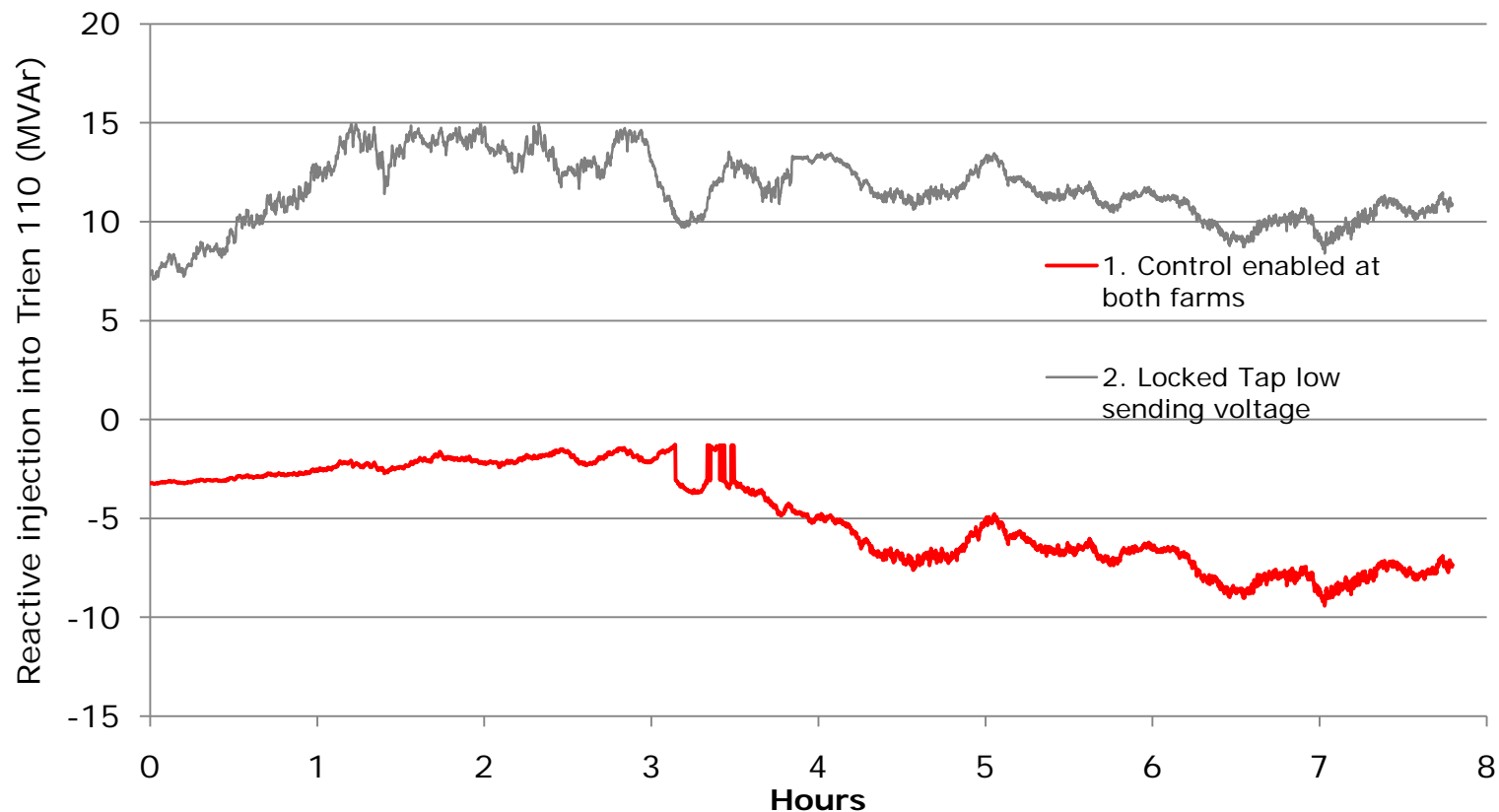
Study Cases

- ❑ Multiple voltage control scenarios modelled
- ❑ Variables: control at each farm and tap changer
 1. Both farms regulating voltage to 41.6 kV
 2. Tap locked to low sending voltage, both wind farms regulating voltage to 42.2 kV

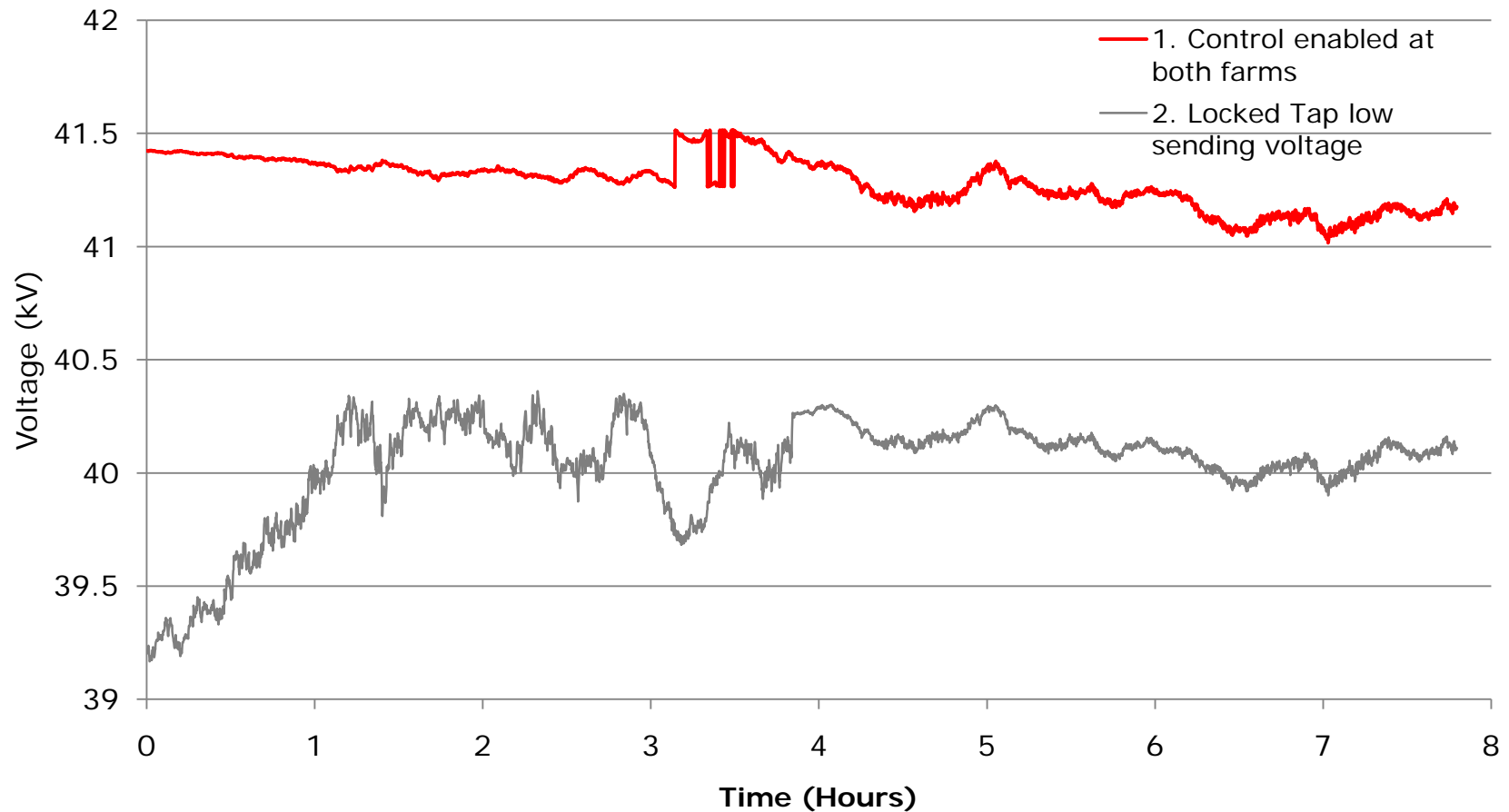
Time Series Analysis



Time Series Analysis



Time Series Analysis



Summary

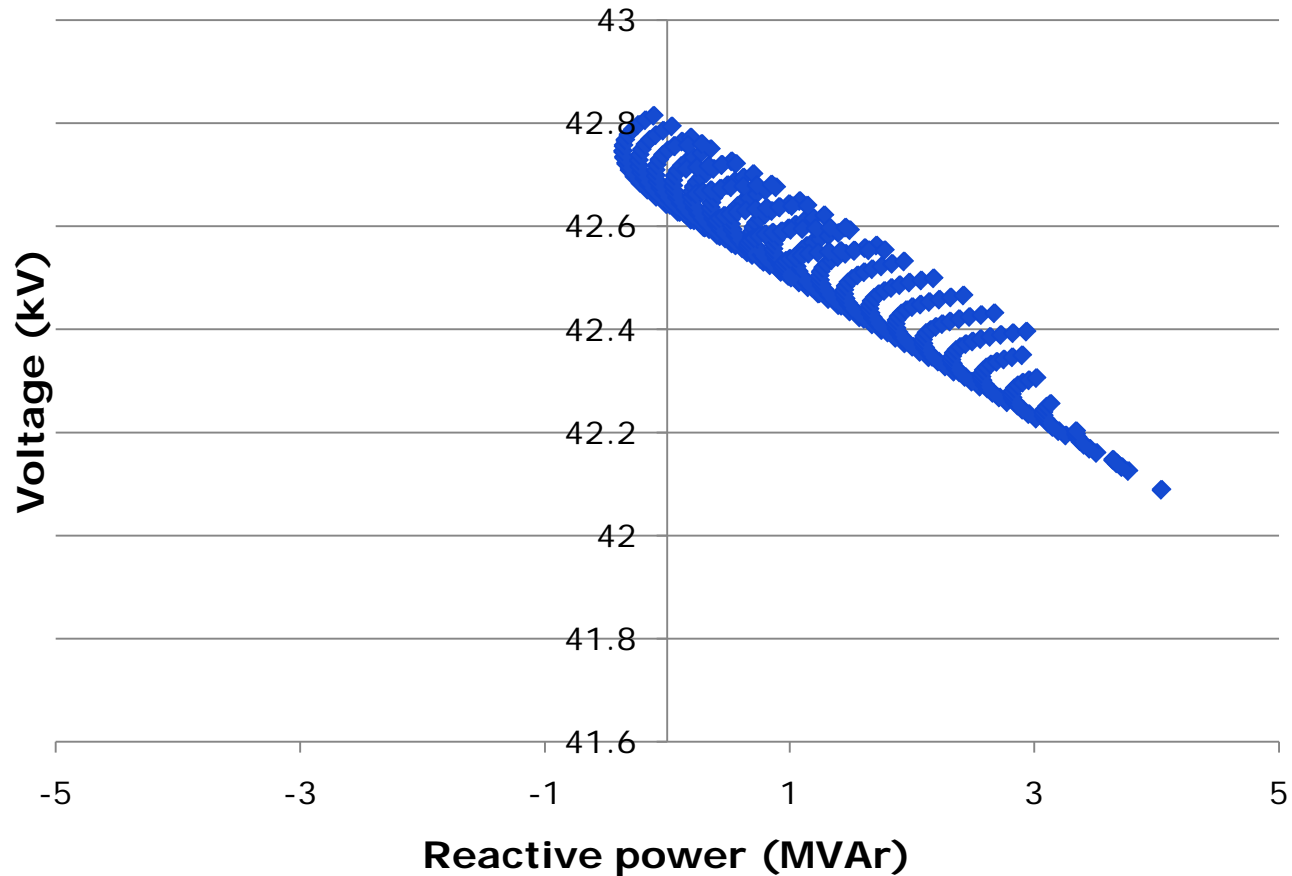
- When tap changer not locked, voltage did not vary enough to cause tap change
 - Control devolved to the wind farms, which keeps the voltage profile relatively flat

- Selection of sending voltage and enabling voltage control can free up voltage headroom to allow export of reactive power to transmission system

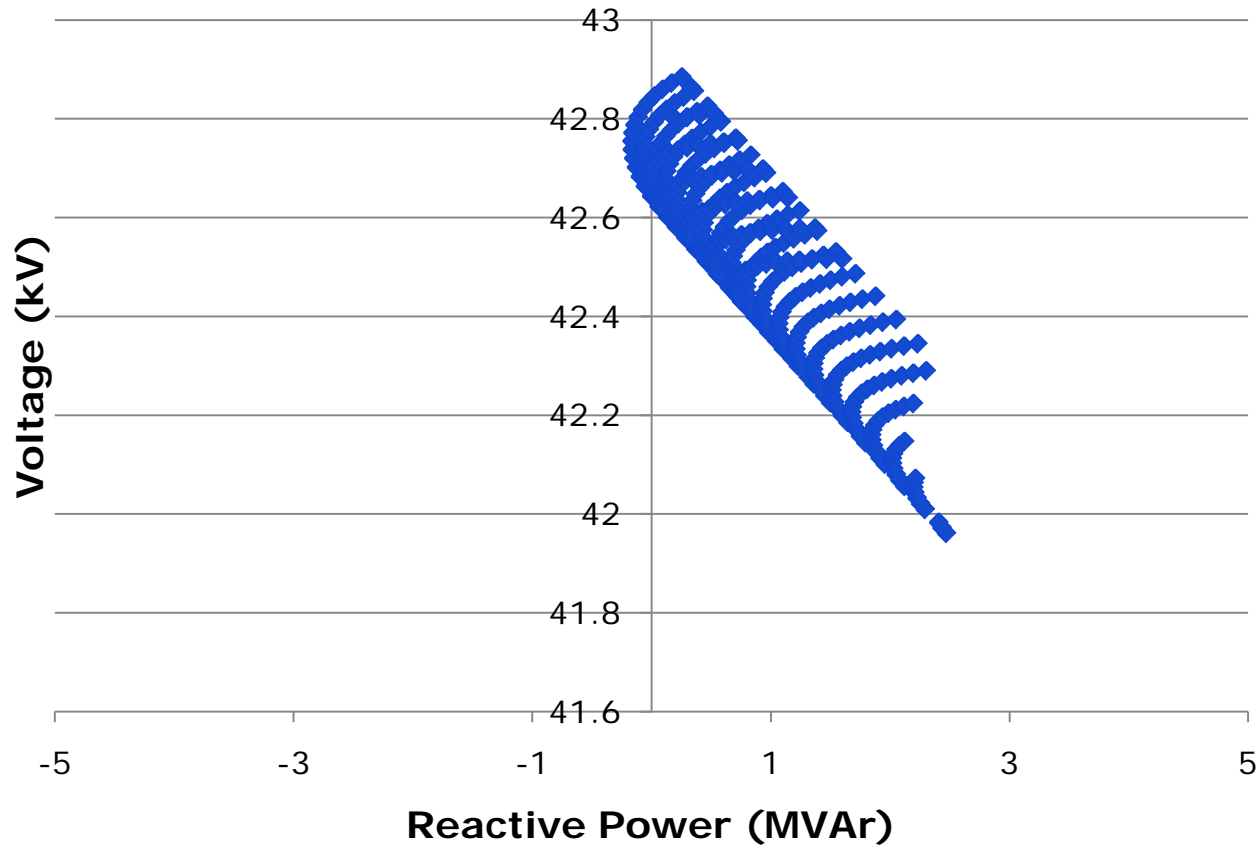
Droop Settings

- ❑ Choice of droop determines acceptable range of voltages
- ❑ 0% common for simulation but not practical for real systems
- ❑ Important for coordination of multiple controllers

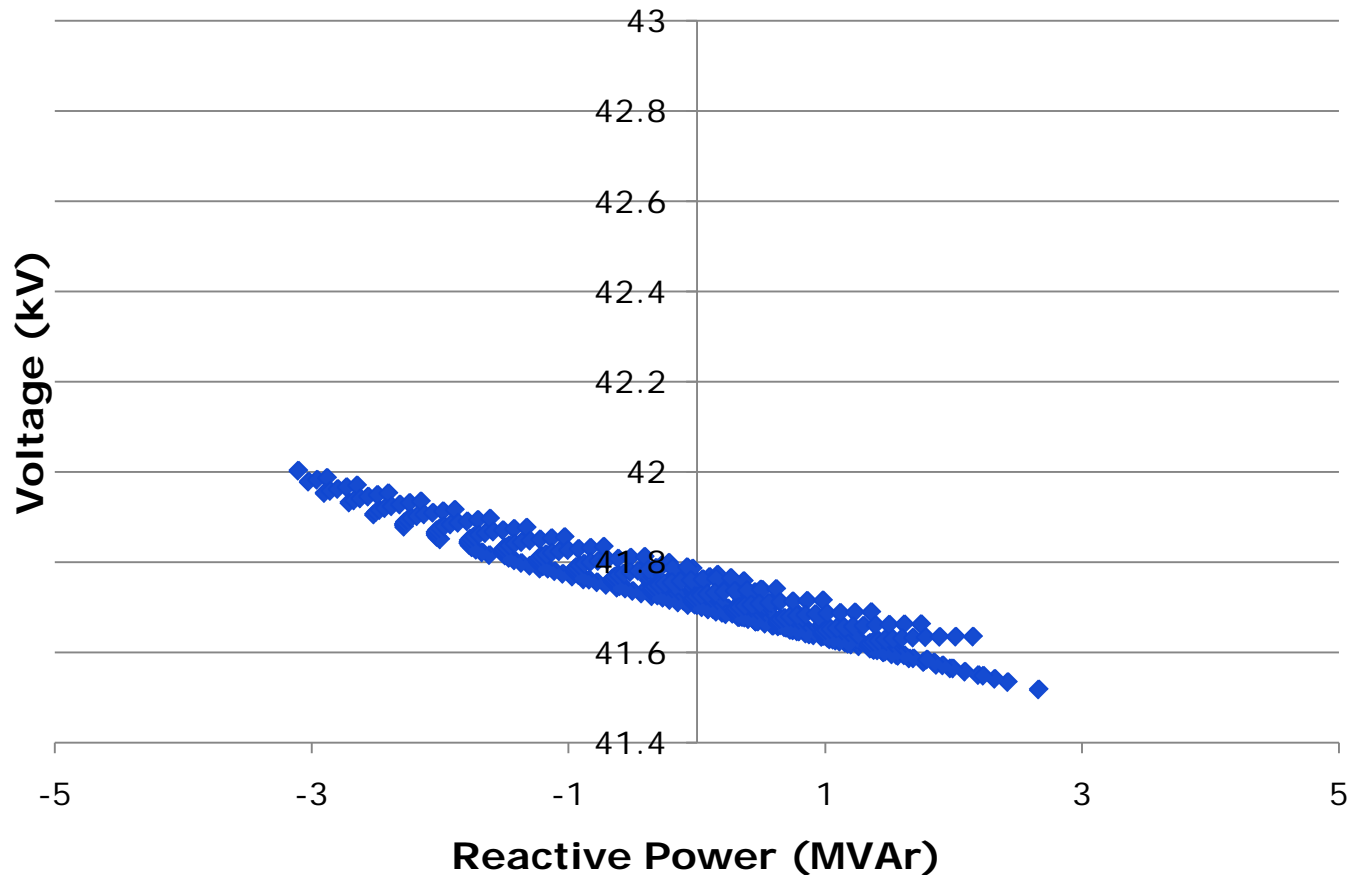
42.6 kV, 2% Droop



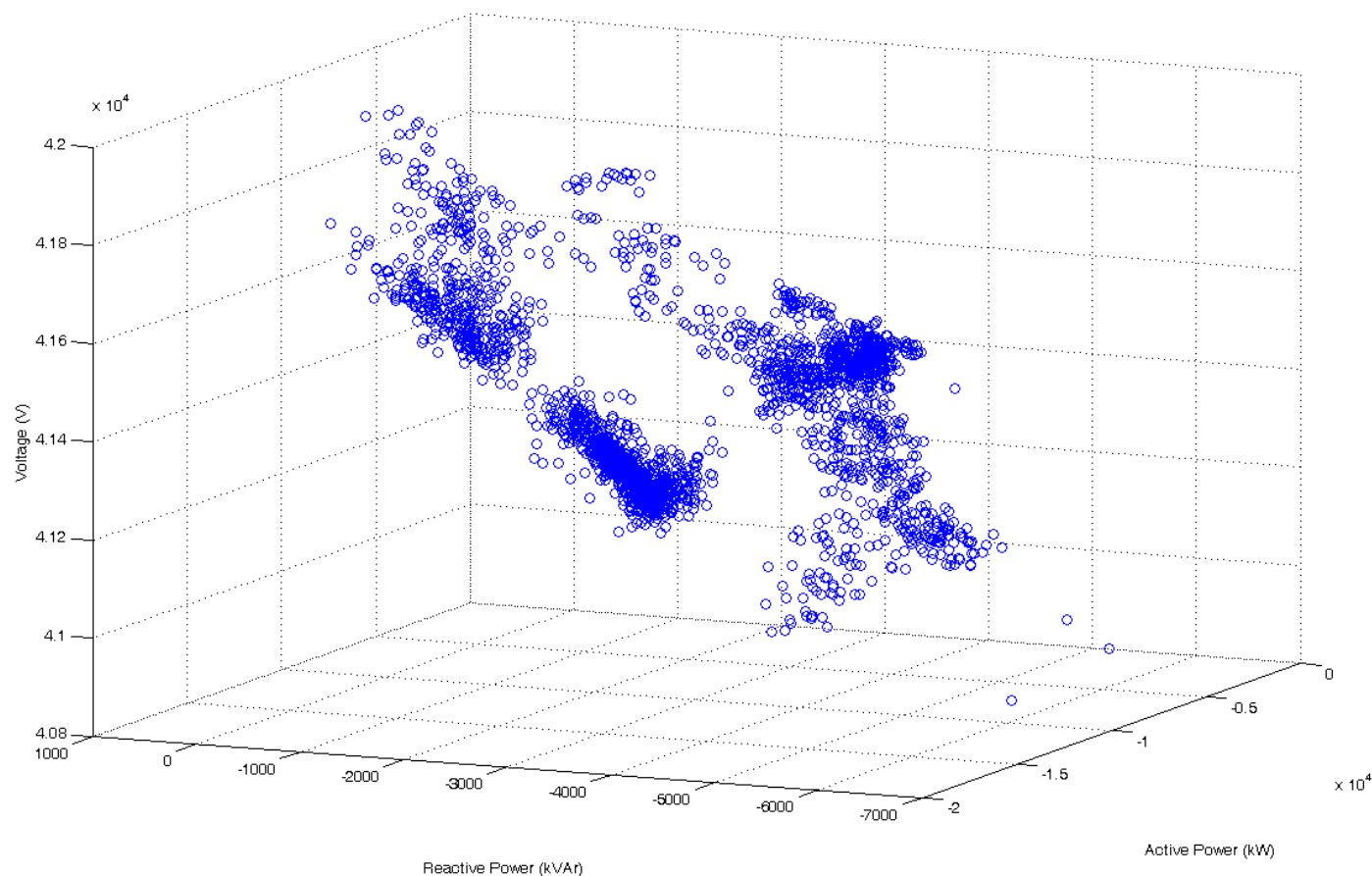
42.6 kV, 4% Droop



41.7 kV, 1% Droop



Initial Trial Results – Knockawarriga 4% Droop, 42.4 kV



Summary

- ❑ Aim to reconcile the requirements of distribution system with those of transmission system
- ❑ Can control voltage locally
 - Can we also export reactive power to transmission system effectively?
- ❑ Dynamic response requirements?

Future Plans

- ❑ Can we establish a standard framework for DG wind to control voltage locally and support system?
 - Coordinated Control
 - Droop sensitivity
 - Tap changer interaction
 - Transmission voltage changes

Electric Vehicle Trials



ESB ecars Programme

- Government targets 2020:
 - 10% of all vehicles electric
 - 10% of all road energy transport will be renewable
- Early supply of electric cars
 - MOU signed with Renault-Nissan, Mitsubishi, PSA
- Government incentives
 - €5000 grant
 - Zero VRT
 - Lowest road tax band
 - Accelerated Capital Allowance
 - Government taskforce



Nationwide infrastructure by end 2011

1,500 Public Charge Points

- Dublin & County 500
- Cork 135
- Limerick 45
- Galway 45
- Waterford 45

At least one charging point for every town < 1500 population

30+ DC Fast Chargers

2,000 Home Chargers



Test Network - Roebuck Downs, Dublin



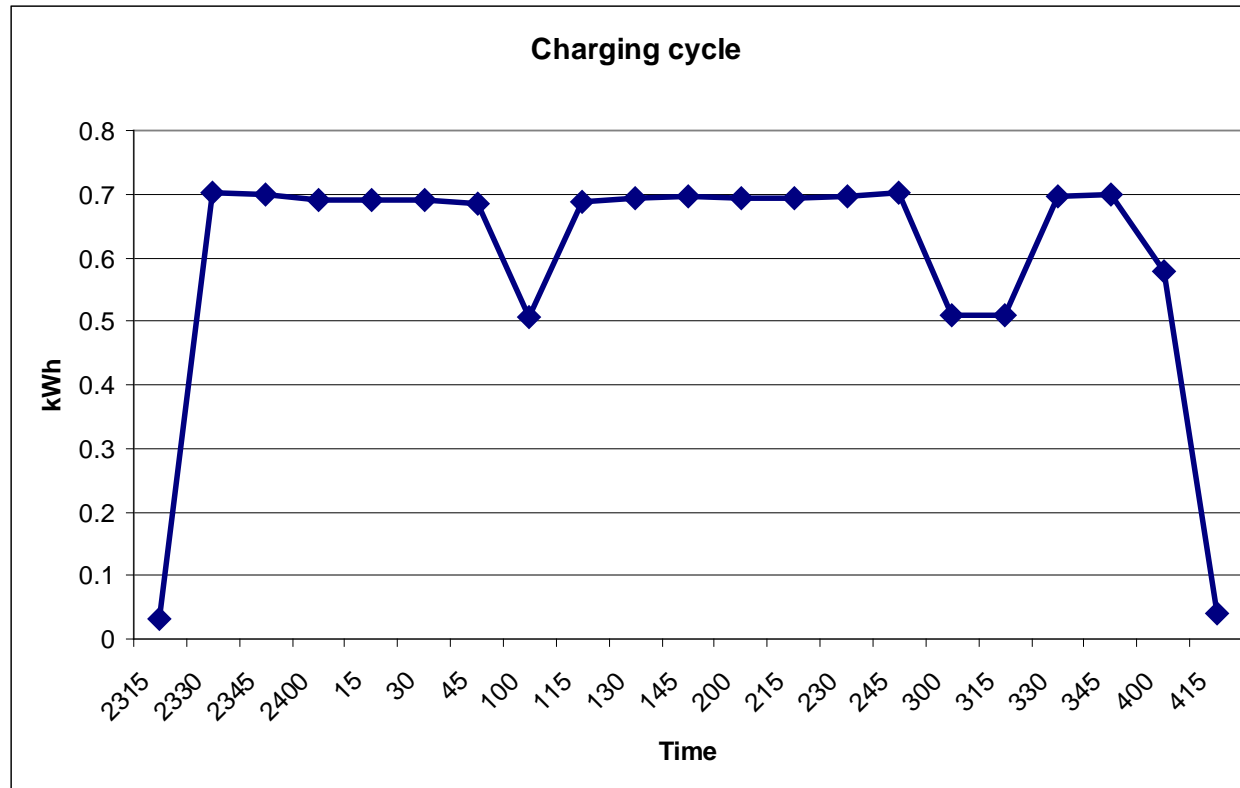


- Suitable for trial:
 - Outdoor accessible meter box
 - Primarily owner occupier
 - Drive way for dedicated parking

Home Charge Point

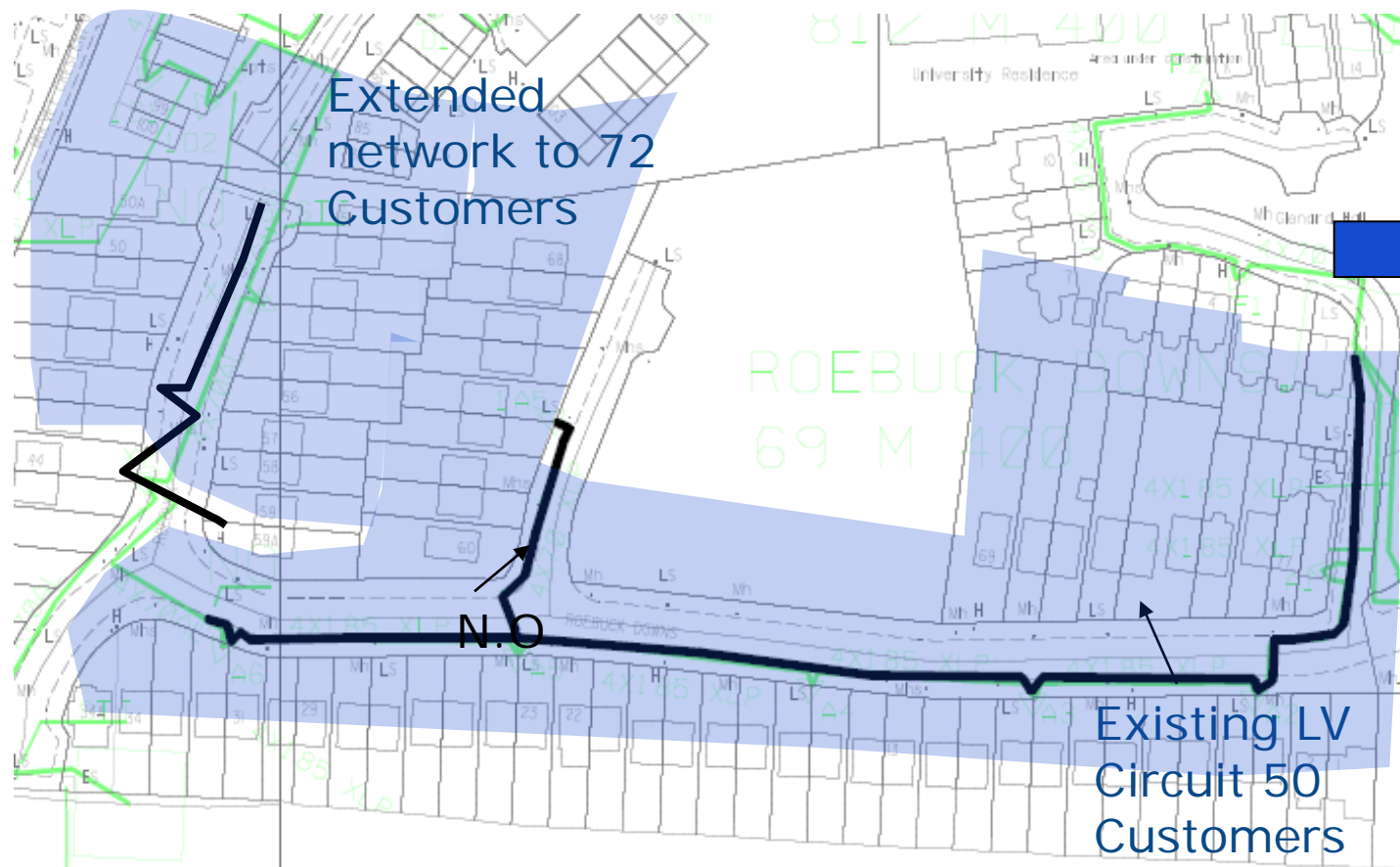


Smart Meter Data



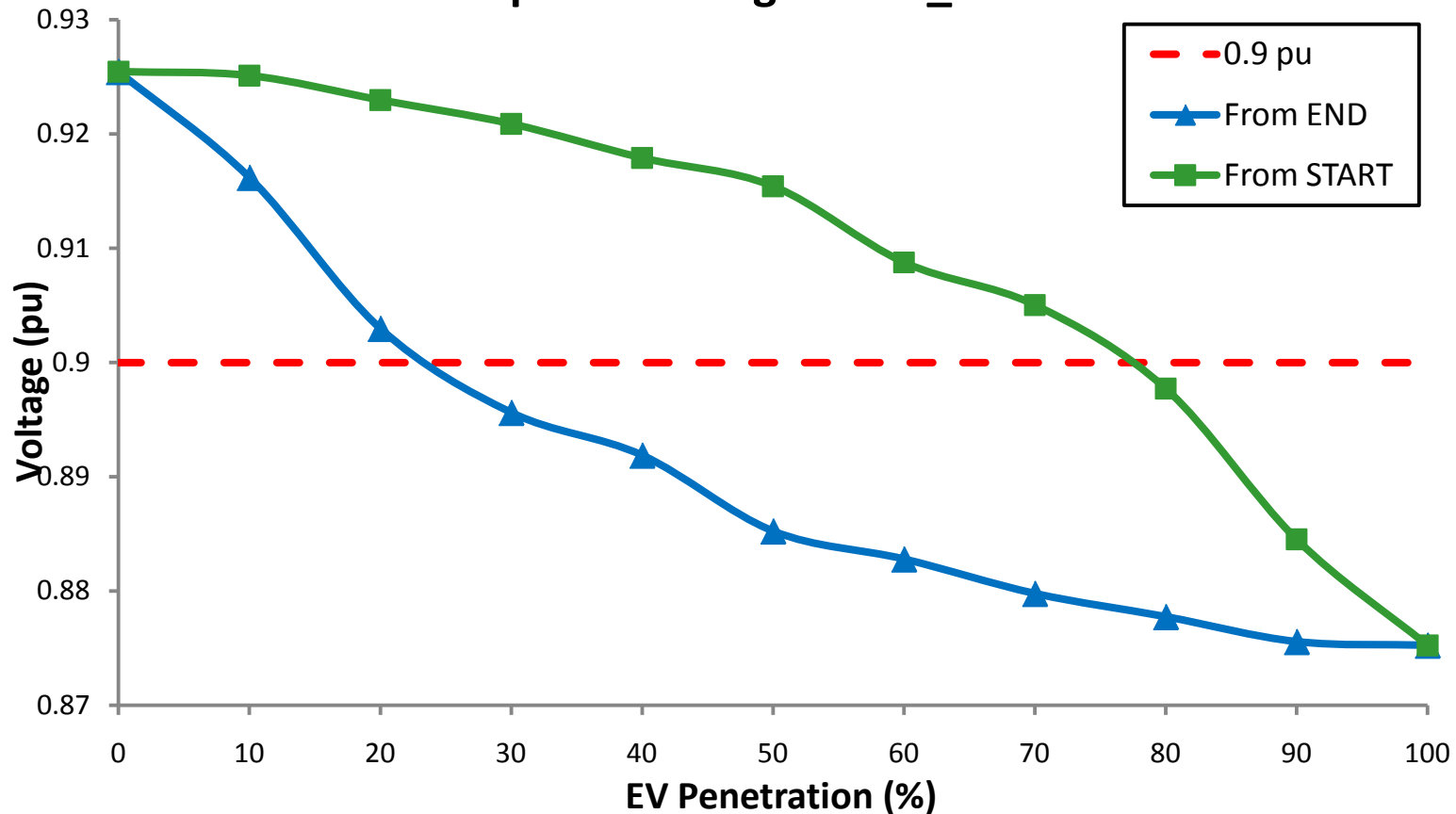
- Trial participant plugging in
- 12.6 kWh energy
- Notching needs investigation

Network Reconfiguration



Worst Case Scenario

1-phase Voltage CPOC_C71



Time series analysis

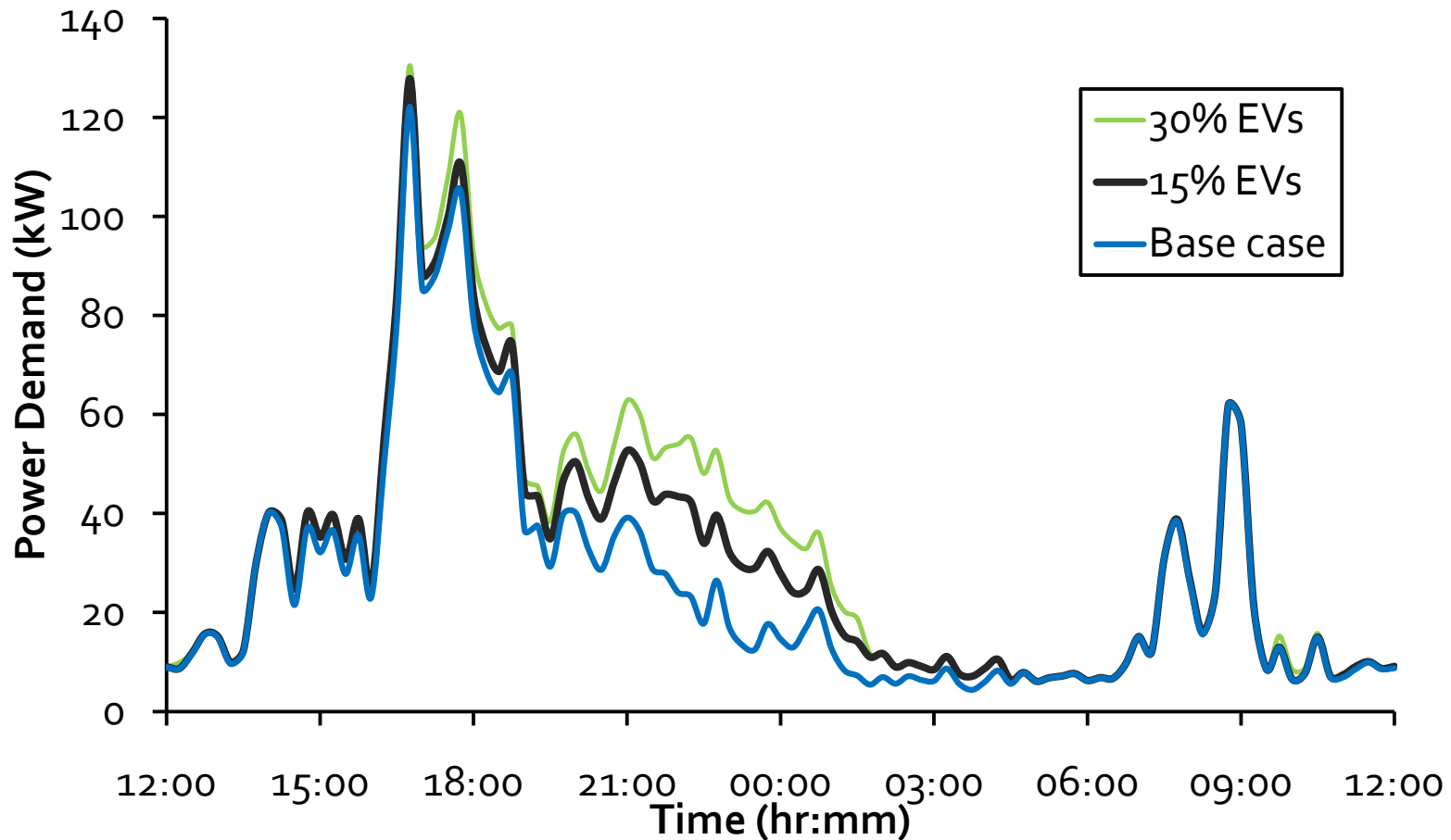
- Limited data presents challenges for a definitive time series analysis
 - ▣ Annual kWh demand from each customer
 - ▣ Phase each customer connected to
 - ▣ Local demand time series
 - ▣ 3 Standard residential load profiles

Time series analysis

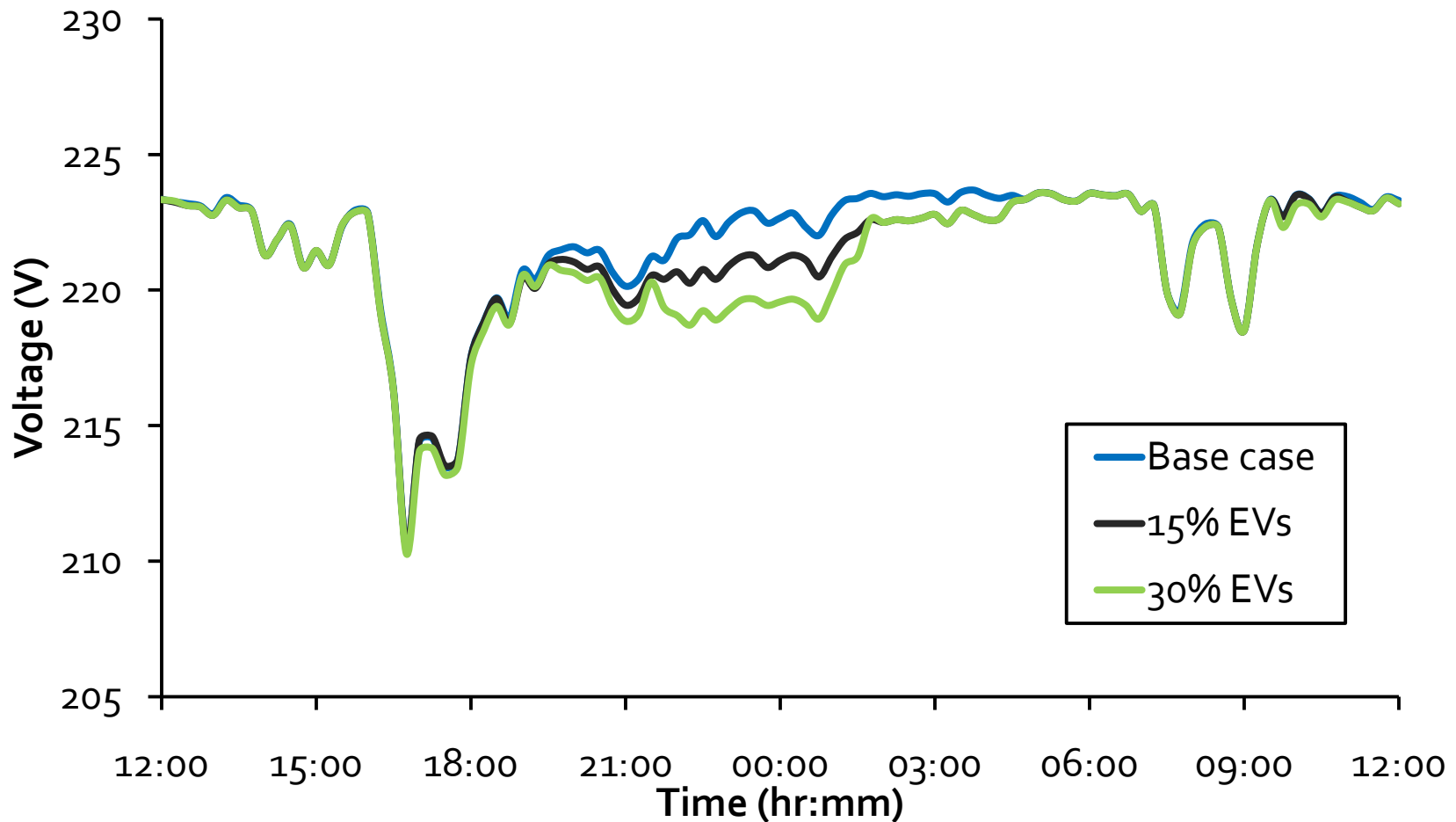
□ Three Cases

- Base (0 vehicles), 15% (11 vehicles), 30% EVs (22 vehicles)
- Randomly allocated across feeder
- 25 single week charge profiles provided by ESB Ecars
- High demand day in January
- Energy Summary for 24 hour period:
 - Base Case: 628.34 kWh
 - 15% Case: 735.027 kWh
 - 30% Case: 807.922 kWh

Time series analysis



Time series analysis



Harmonic Analysis

- 5 minute averaged harmonic data
- Two charging periods examined
- No breach of harmonic content limits

Charge Periods	THD		Harmonic: 2		Harmonic: 3		Harmonic: 4		Harmonic: 5	
	Avg	Max	Avg	Max	Avg	Max	Avg	Max	Avg	Max
Time Breached	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Mean	0.9318	1.0163	0.0535	0.1491	1.1117	1.2282	0.0221	0.0837	1.6767	1.7941
Max	1.0786	1.2003	0.1848	0.3682	1.3989	1.5902	0.1502	0.4131	2.3005	2.4727
Min	0.7518	0.8224	0.0000	0.0725	0.7158	0.8232	0.0000	0.0361	1.2634	1.3400

Electric Vehicles Summary

- ❑ Valuable network and consumer data gathered
- ❑ Network impacts do not appear too severe
- ❑ Modelling challenges remain
 - Residential demand
 - Charging patterns
 - Further data required
- ❑ Scope for optimisation

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Electric Vehicle Impact Modelling

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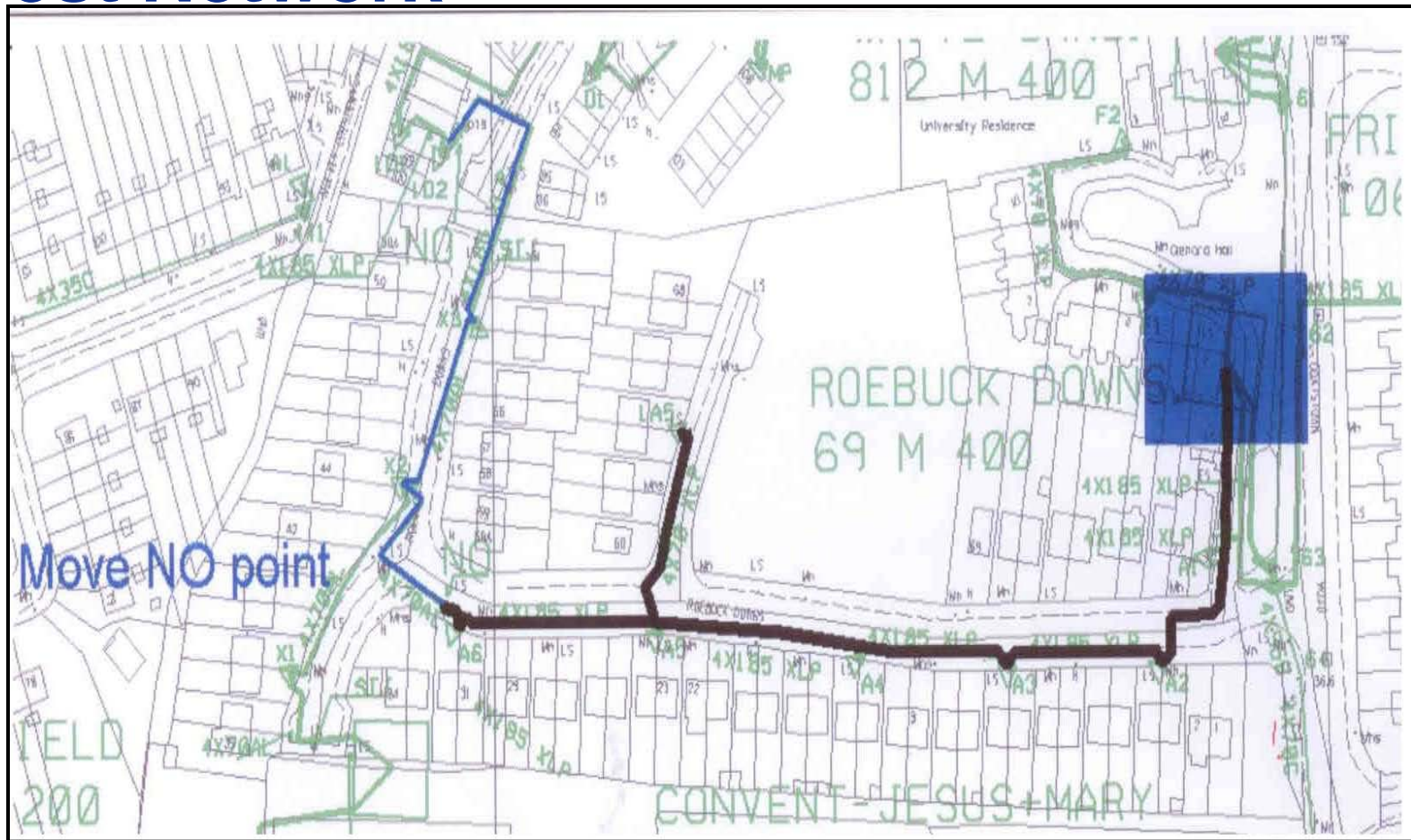
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Overview

- ❑ Traditional impact modelling
- ❑ Stochastic EV modelling
- ❑ Combined power flow and optimisation

- ❑ New modelling challenges due to uncertainty and optimisation requirements

Test Network



Roebuck Downs

- ▣ **Substation:** Roebuck Downs (400 kVA, 10 kV/0.4 kV)
- ▣ **Outlet:** 1 (Roebuck Downs)
- ▣ **No. of Houses:** 54 (+20)
- ▣ **PF Houses:** 0.95
- ▣ **PF EVs:** 1.0
- ▣ **EV Charge Rate:** 2.8 kW
- ▣ **Load Type Houses:** 40/60 Power/Impedance
- ▣ **Load Type EVs:** Constant Power
- ▣ **Sending Voltage:** 0.97 pu

Snapshot Analysis

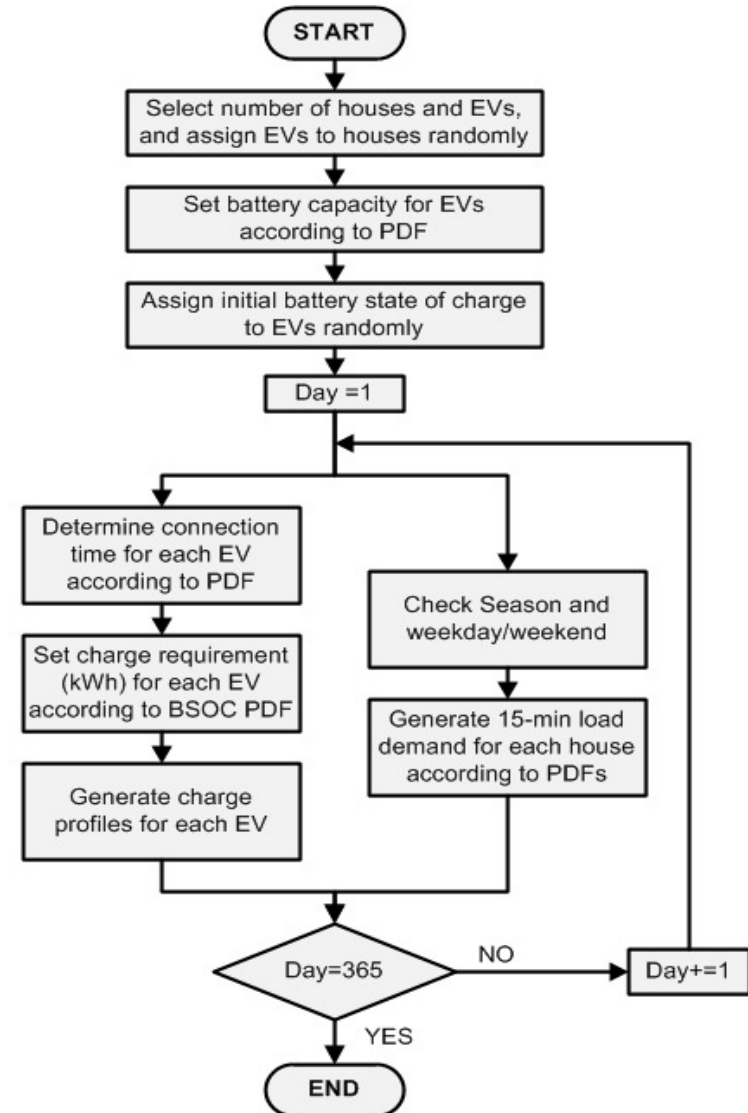
- ❑ Results presented earlier
- ❑ Assess worst case operating point
- ❑ Still a valuable method of assessment
- ❑ Possible to reveal more with a more detailed simulation

Time series analysis

- Limited data presents challenges for a definitive time series analysis
- What we have:
 - ▣ Annual kWh demand from each customer
 - ▣ Phase each customer connected to
 - ▣ Roebuck downs demand time series
 - ▣ 3 Standard residential load profiles
- What we don't have:
 - ▣ Individual demand time series for all 74 customers
 - ▣ Enough vehicle data (yet)
 - ▣ Typical battery state of charge

Stochastic Analysis

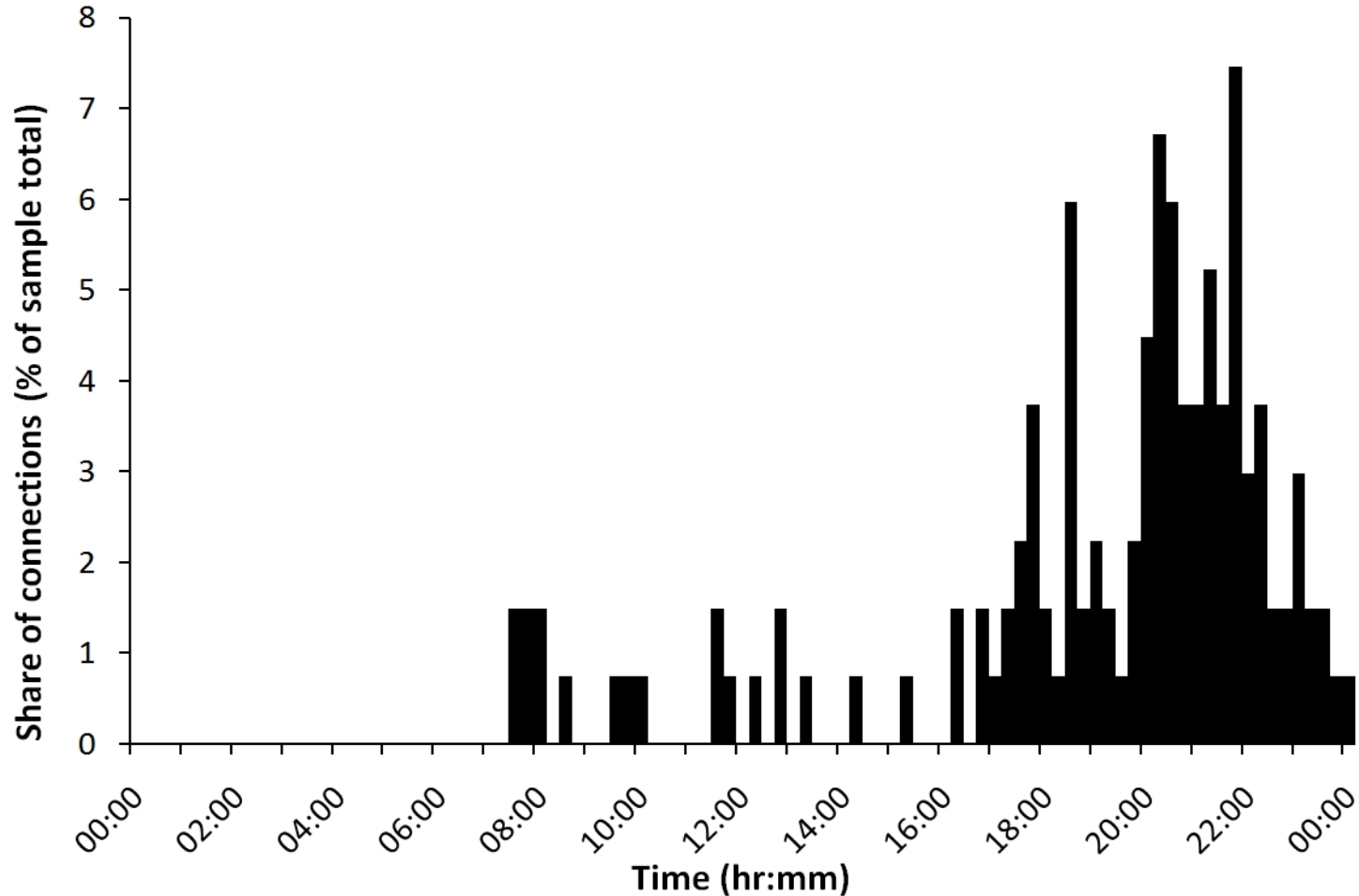
- Location of EVs
- Type of EV
- Residential demand
- Availability of EV
- Battery state of charge



Model Interfaces and structure

1. Model uncertainty with PDFs
2. Create input data from PDFs
3. Export to power flow software
4. Solve circuit
5. Post processing of results

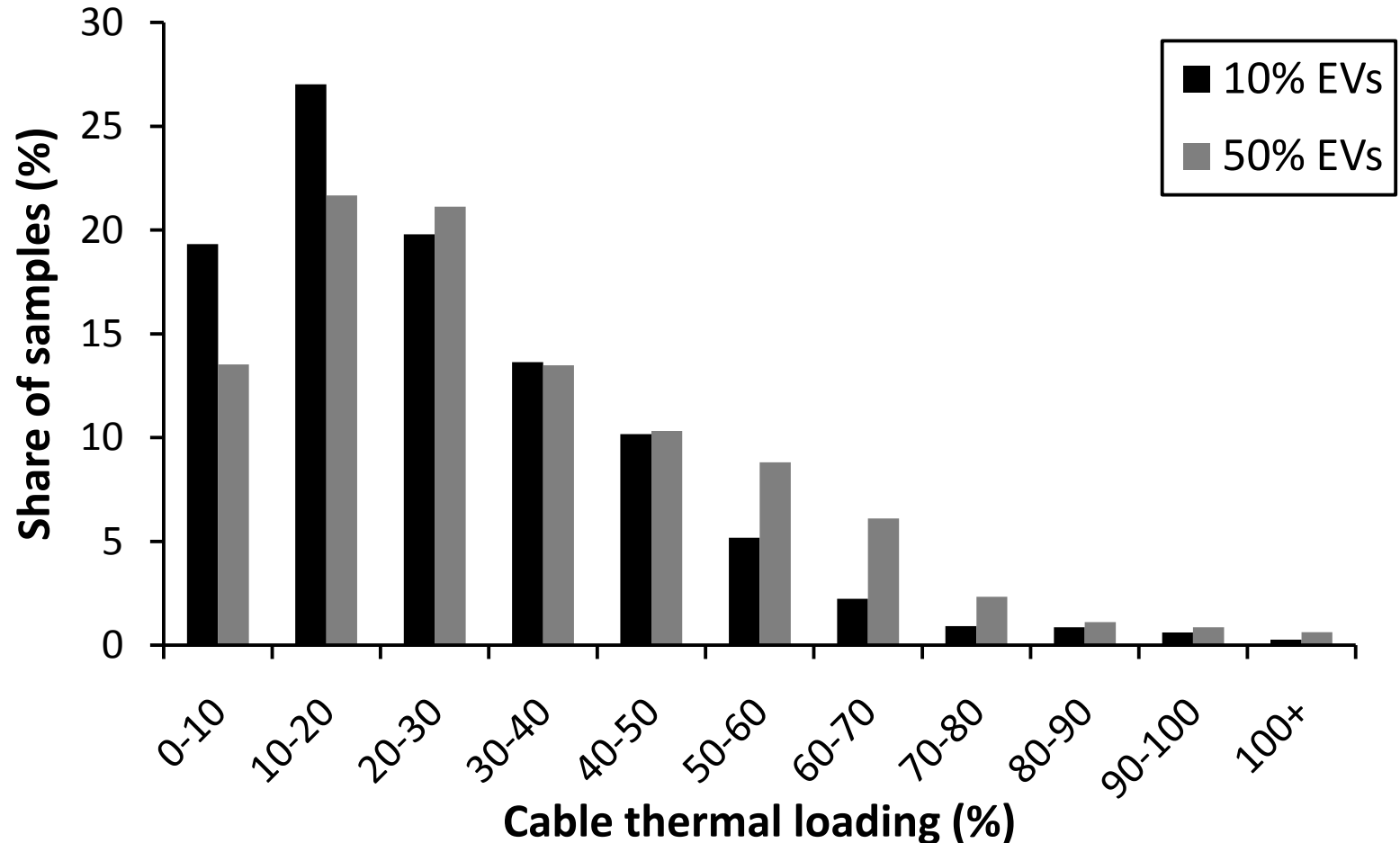
EV Connection Times



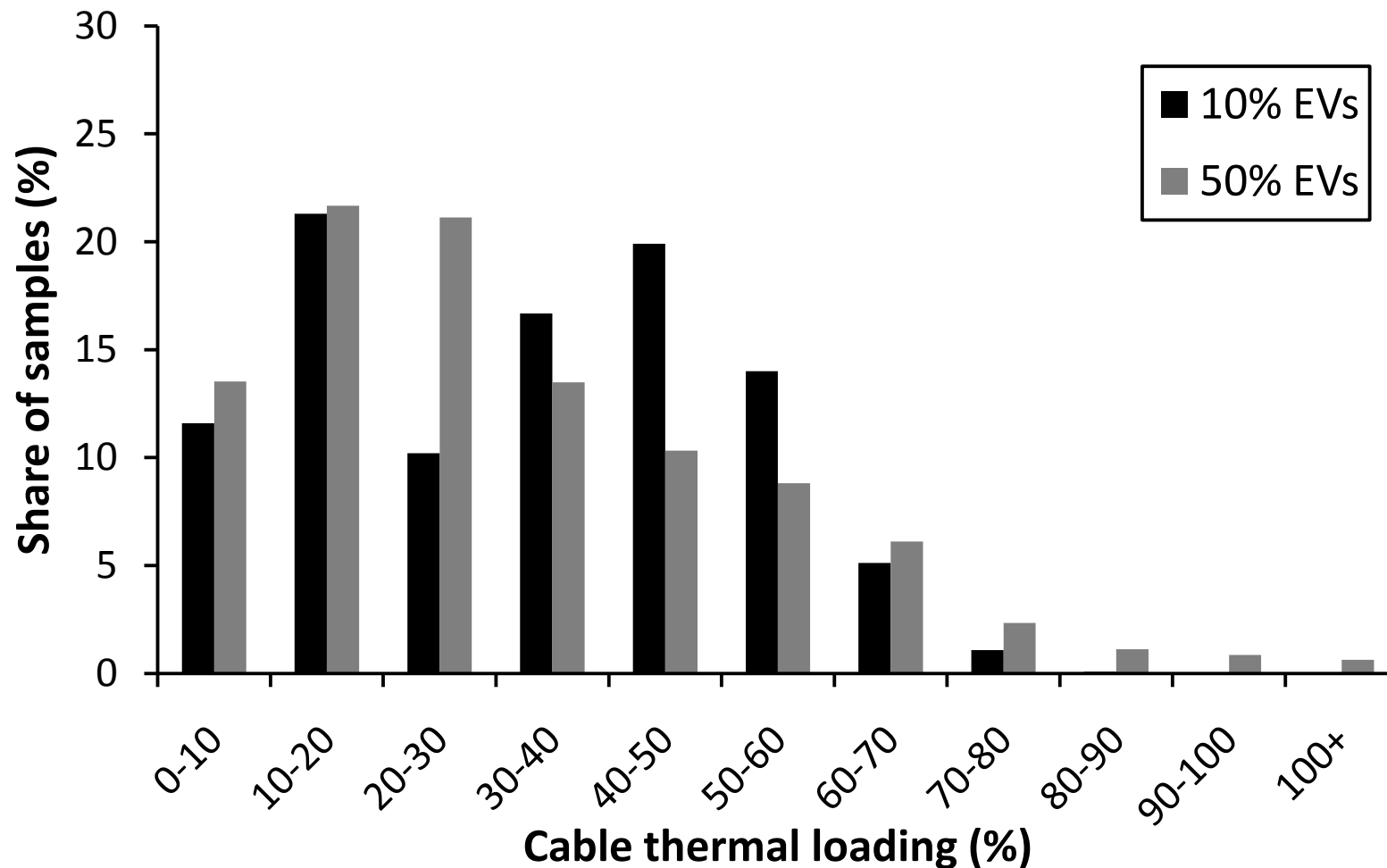
Simulation Results

- ▣ Proceed with automated time series power flow
- ▣ Analyse multiple scenarios
- ▣ Question of calculation time and what is of interest

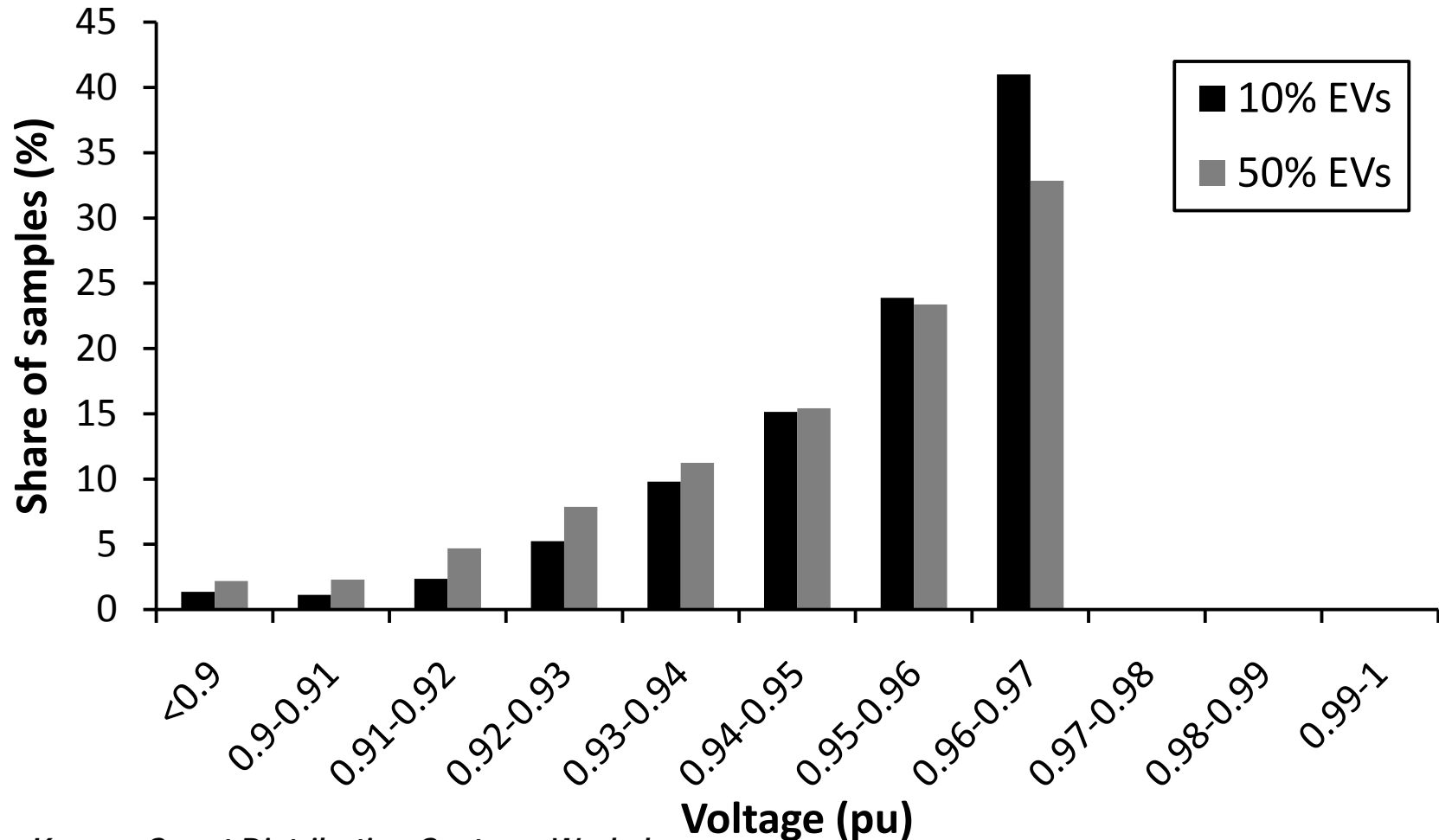
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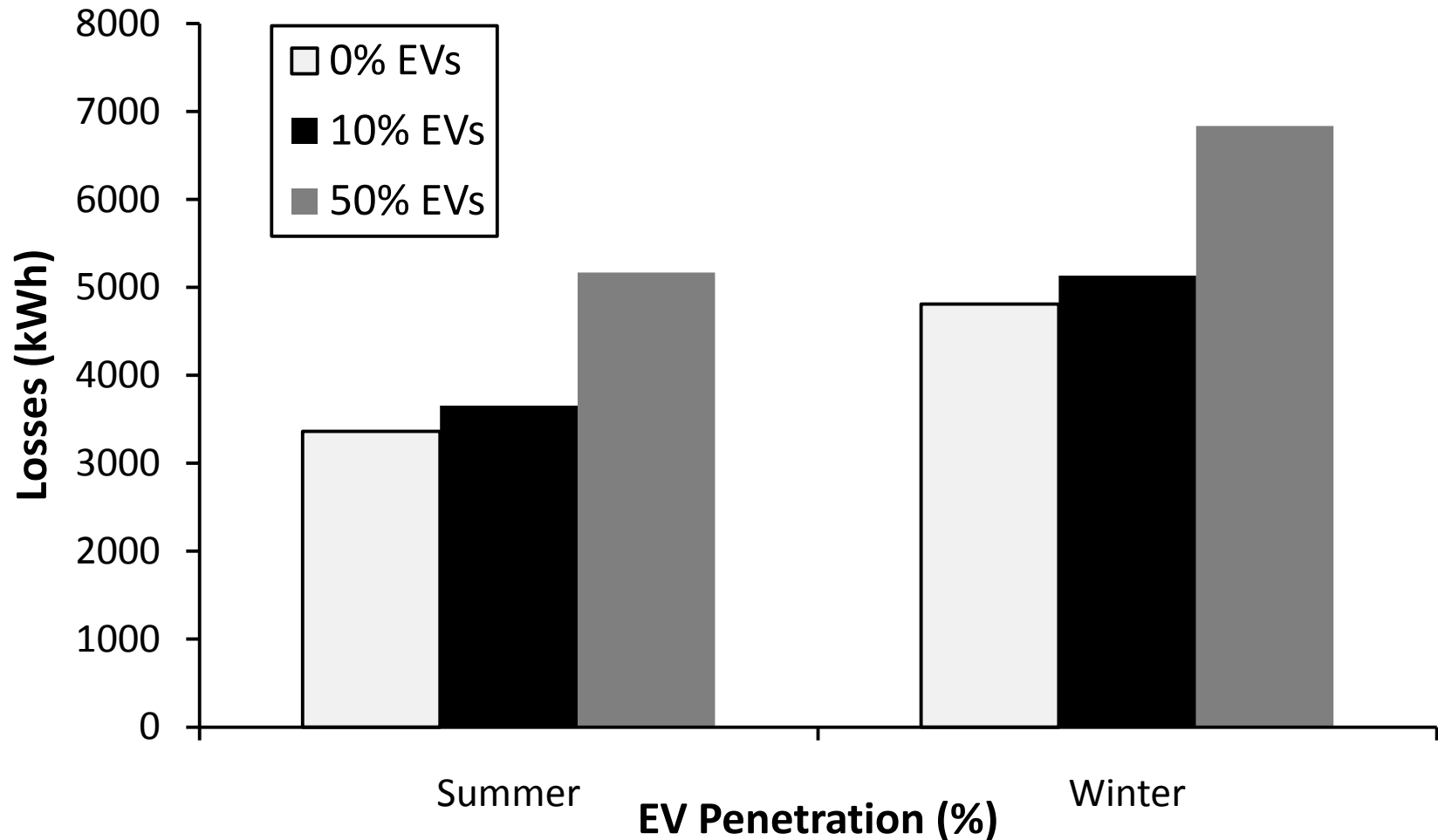
Winter



CPOC Voltages Summer



Losses



Optimisation

- ❑ Scope for integrated power flow and optimisation
- ❑ Optimal power flow
- ❑ Linear programming
- ❑ Multi-objective
- ❑

Sample Application

- Optimise scheduling of vehicle charging
- Objective:
 - Minimise Cost
- Variable:
 - Charge Rate
- Subject to:
 - Vehicle availability
 - Battery capacity

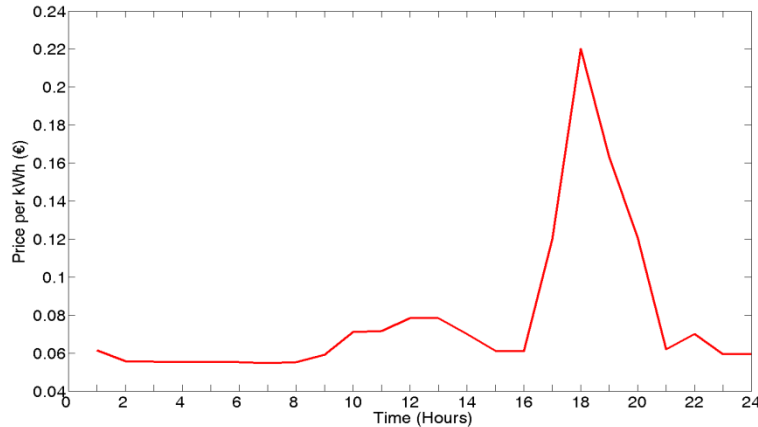
Sample Application

- ❑ Formulate and run initial optimisation in Matlab
- ❑ Export optimised charge profiles for 24 hours to OpenDSS
- ❑ Solve circuit and check network constraints

Sample Application

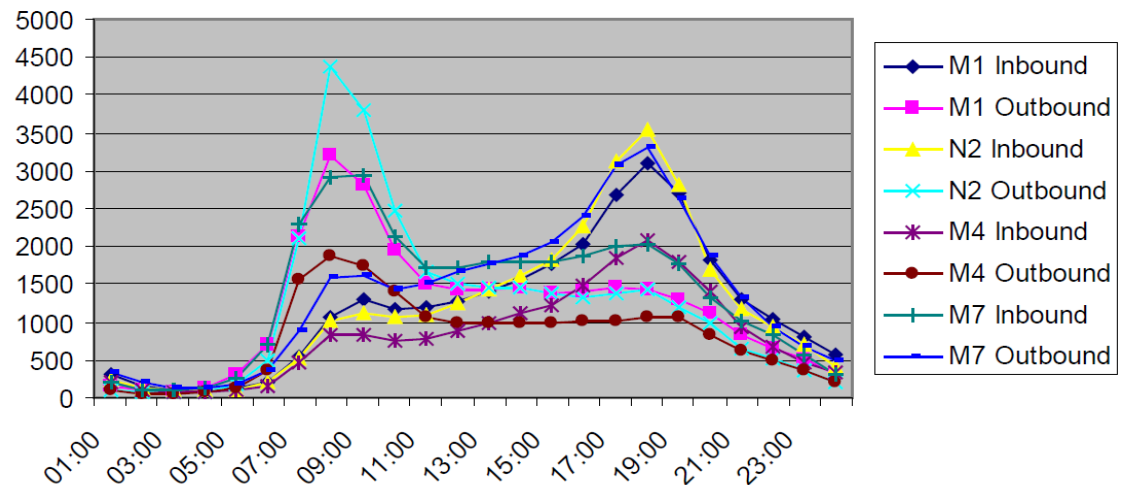
- If a limit is breached
 - Update optimisation formulation
 - Adjust appropriate constraint
 - Repeat until solution reached which satisfies network constraints while minimising cost to consumer

Parameters

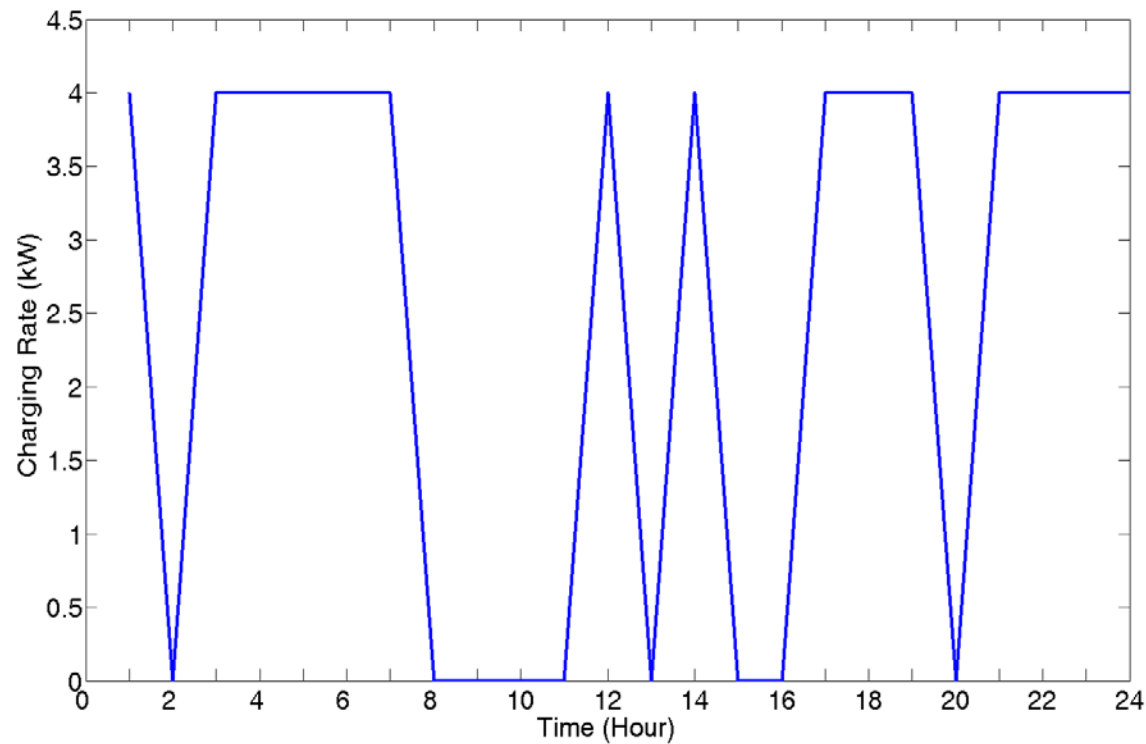


Market Price

Vehicle Usage



Resulting availability profile for a sample vehicle



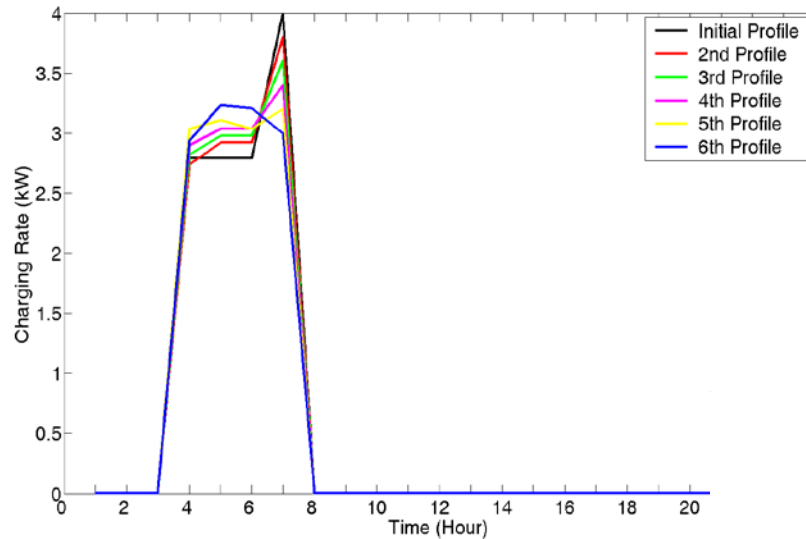


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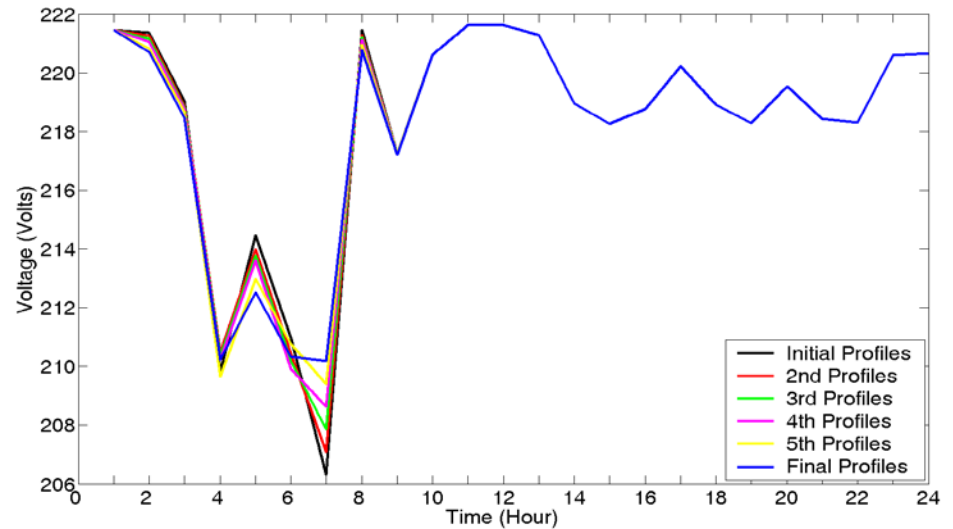
- ❑ EV locations and characteristics
- ❑ Optimised charge profile for each vehicle
- ❑ Residential demand

Outputs



Charge Rate

Node Voltage



Summary

- ▣ This is a just a sample application!
- ▣ Flexibility in terms of stochastic modelling
- ▣ Handle larger volumes of data
- ▣ Speed of power flow calculation
- ▣ A lot of potential for assessing a wide range of smart distribution challenges

Summary Challenges

- ❑ Two broad categories of model required:
- ❑ Impact analysis
 - Limited worries regarding data volumes, time of calculation
- ❑ Real solutions
 - What data available?
 - Cost of implementation
 - Contingencies



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Model Requirements for Smart Distribution

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What is the Smart Grid?

- “Smart Grid” means different things to different people
 - **Communications and control**
 - Not typically represented in distribution system analysis
 - **Distributed resources**
 - Generation, storage, demand response, microgrids
 - Some of these issues have been addressed
 - **Monitoring (AMI, etc.)**
 - **Intelligent protection**
 - **Energy efficiency**

What Kind of Analysis Tools are Needed?

- ❑ If everything is monitored, do we even need planning tools?
- ❑ What can be done if more is known about the system?
- ❑ What different approaches to DSA tools?

What Kind of Analysis Tools are Needed?

- Expected:
 - **Convergence of distribution monitoring and Distribution State Estimation (DSE) into DMS**

State of the Art

- ❑ Most DSA for US can perform 3-phase analysis
 - Some more than three phases (e.g. OpenDSS)
- ❑ Most tools were originally designed for static power flow
 - A few can perform power flows over time
- ❑ Tools and techniques designed for uniprocessors
 - Satisfactory for the time being – future ??
- ❑ Many (most?) exploit radial nature of feeders
 - For simulation efficiencies
 - Increased call for meshed network solution

State of the Art, cont'd

- ❑ Frequency-domain tools are preferred for DSA
 - Time-domain tools do exist but used infrequently
- ❑ Dynamics analysis (electromechanical transients) is uncommon for DSA
- ❑ Planning and operational tools (DMS) are often separate
- ❑ Secondary (LV) has been ignored (changing!)
- ❑ Loads modeled by time-invariant ZIP models
- ❑ Harmonics analysis is optional, if available

Needs Envisioned by EPRI



- ❑ Sequential time simulation
- ❑ Meshed network solution capability
- ❑ Better modeling of Smart Grid controllers
- ❑ Advanced load and generation modeling
- ❑ High phase order modeling (>3 phases)
 - Stray voltage (NEV), crowded ROWs, etc.
- ❑ Integrated harmonics
 - NEV requires 1st and 3rd
- ❑ User-defined (scriptable) behavior
- ❑ Dynamics for DG evaluations



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EPRI's Vision

- ▣ Distribution planning and distribution management systems (DMS) with access to real time loading and control data will converge into a unified set of analysis tools.
- ▣ **Real-time analysis and planning analysis will merge into common tools.**
- ▣ Distribution system analysis tools will continue to play an important role, although they might appear in a much different form than today.



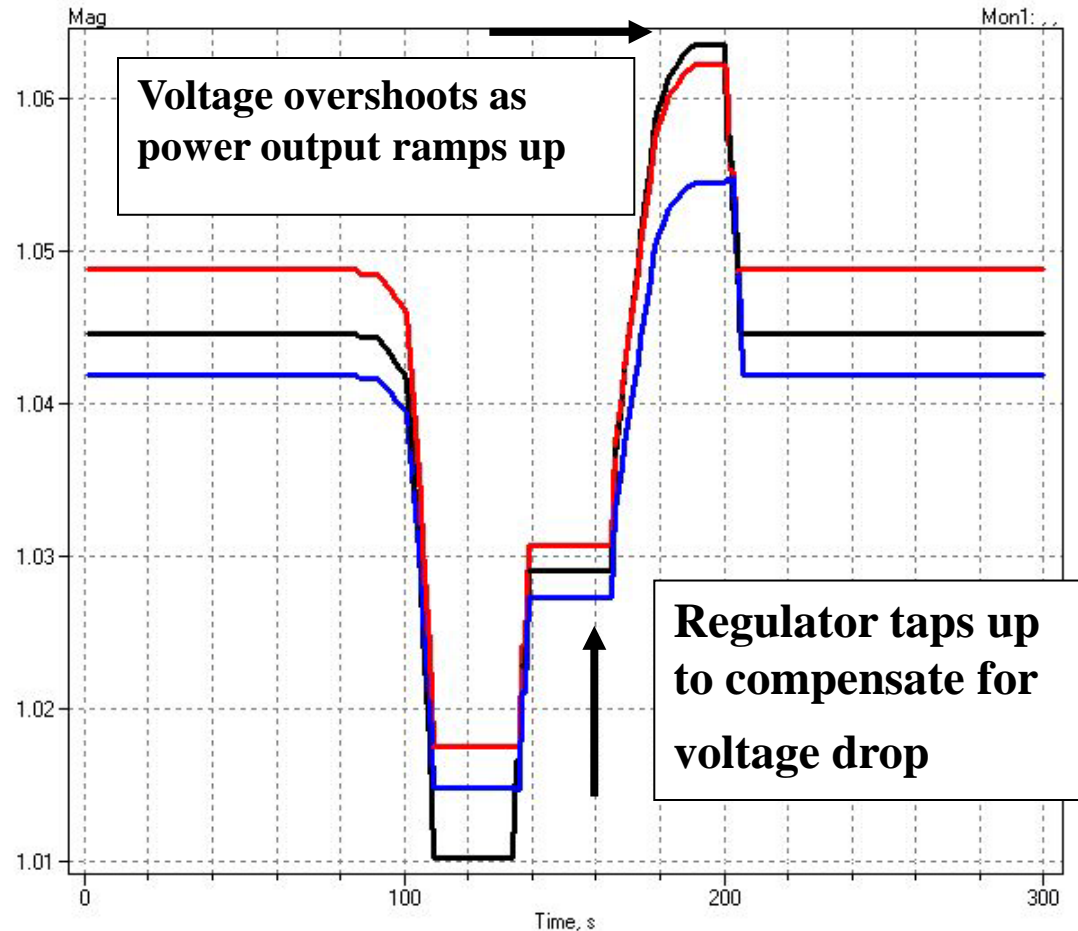
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Tackling Smart Grid Issues

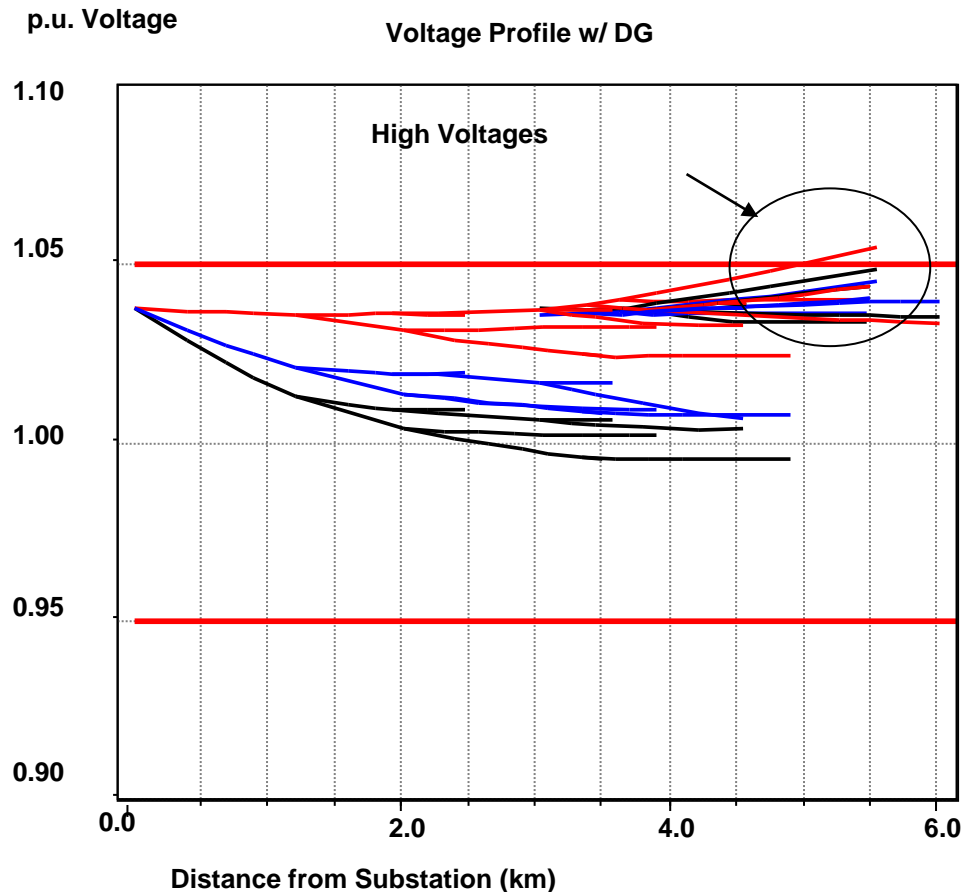
Modeling for Distributed Generation

- ❑ Voltage rise and regulation,
- ❑ Voltage fluctuations,
- ❑ Protective relaying and control functions,
- ❑ Impact on short-circuit analysis,
- ❑ Impact on fault location and clearing practices,
- ❑ Interconnection transformer,
- ❑ Transformer configuration,
- ❑ Harmonics,
- ❑ Response to system imbalances
 - e.g. open-conductor faults due to failing splices.

Example of an Expected DG Problem



Root of Problem



**Distribution
Systems designed
for voltage DROP,
not voltage RISE.**

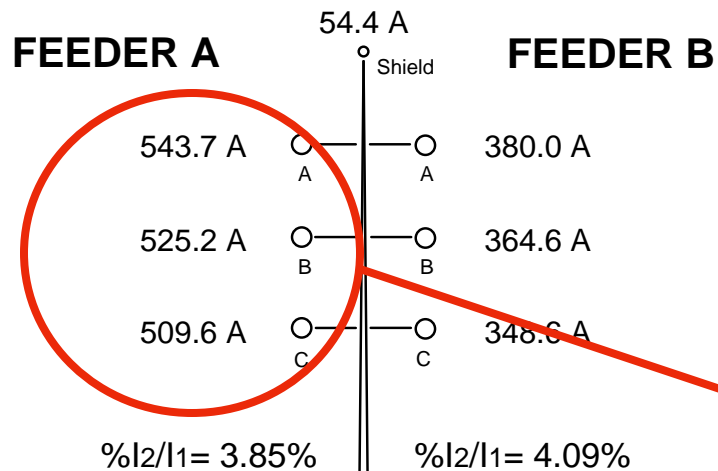
Time Sequential Simulation

- ❑ Electric vehicle charging (minutes, hours)
- ❑ Solar and wind generation (seconds)
- ❑ Dispatchable generation (minutes to hours)
- ❑ Storage simulations (minutes to hours)
- ❑ Energy efficiency (hours)
- ❑ Distribution state estimation (seconds, minutes)
- ❑ End use load models (minutes to hours)
- ❑ End use thermal models (minutes to hours)

Modeling for Unbalances

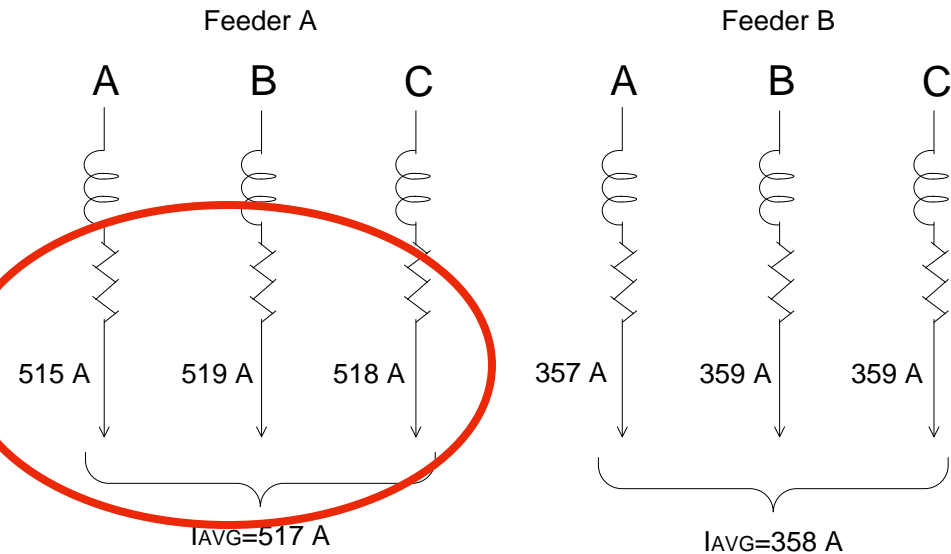
- ❑ **Symmetrical component** model and an unbalanced phase-domain model can yield quite different results.
- ❑ A symmetrical component model uses only the positive- and zero-sequence impedances – **assumes balance**
 - Asymmetries yield impedances that are not balanced between phases.
- ❑ Many distribution system analysis tools can perform full 3-phase analysis;
 - A few programs can go beyond 3-phases.
 - Many circuits include multiple feeders sharing right-of-ways
 - We have analyzed circuits with **17 conductors** on the same pole sharing a common neutral
 - ❑ (as well as several communications messengers).

Example



Unbalanced model

I_2 = Negative Sequence
 I_1 = Positive Sequence



Symmetrical Component Model

Large Systems

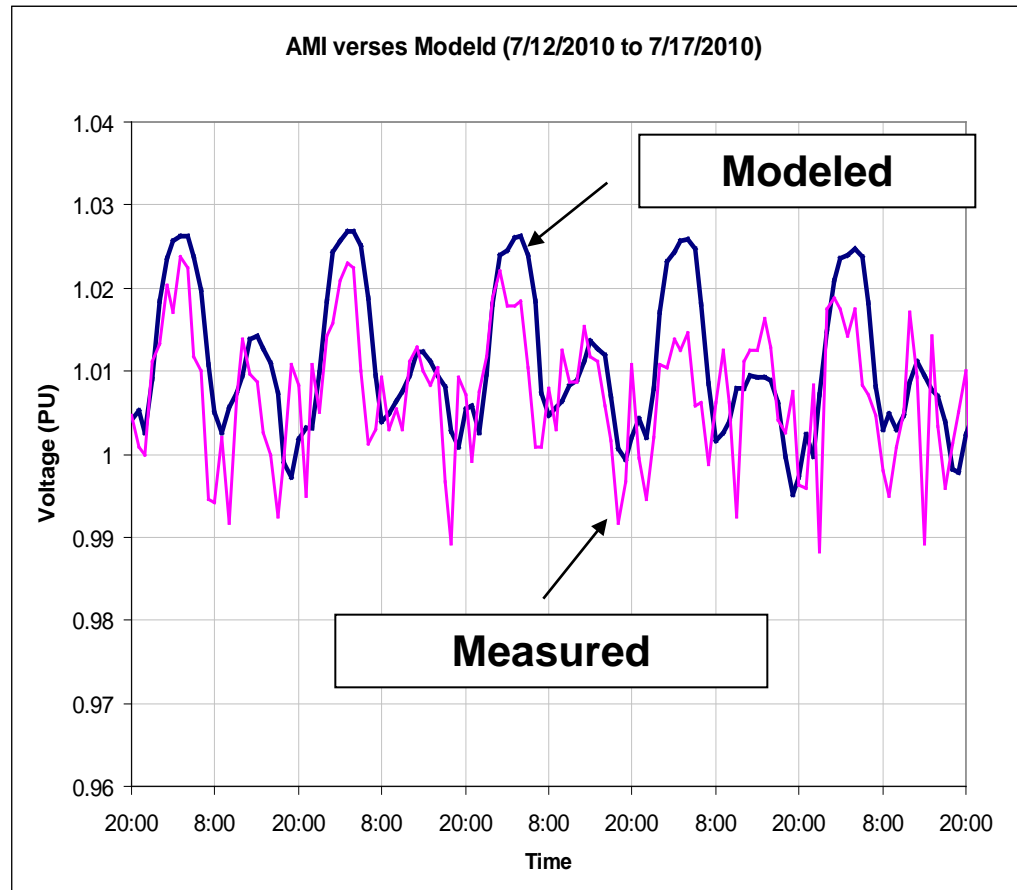
- ❑ A key capability
- ❑ 5000 – 10000 bus systems are routine today
- ❑ Smart Grid requires solution of multiple feeders simultaneously

- ❑ Goal:
 - **100,000 to 800,000 nodes**
- ❑ Parallel computing could enable this
 - Requires new algorithms

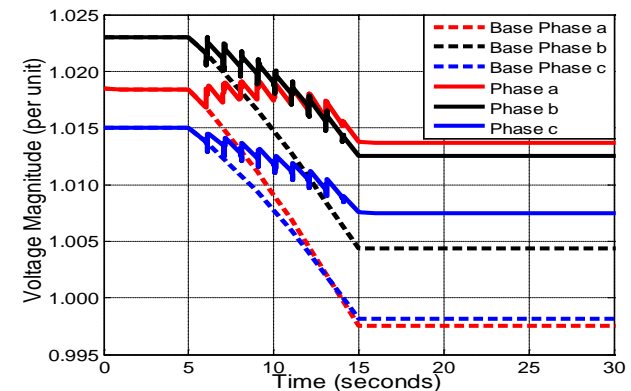
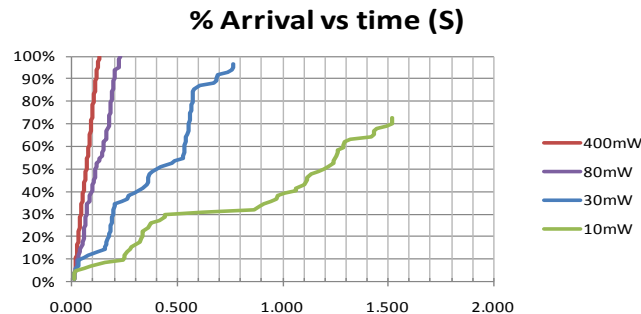
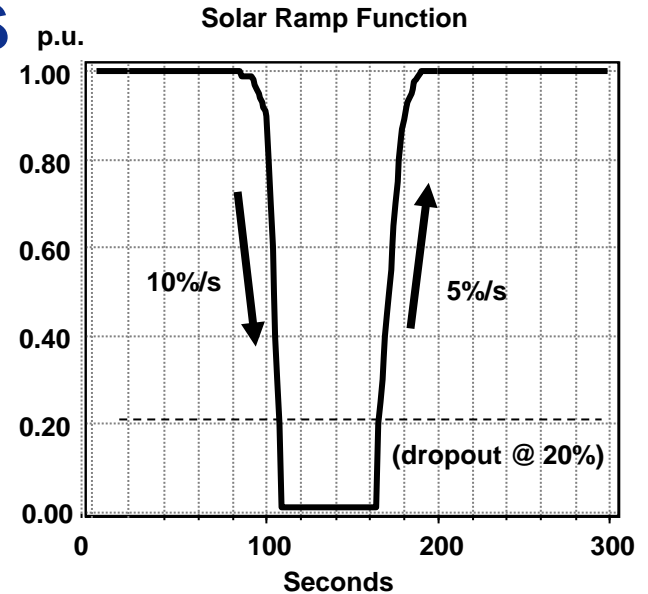
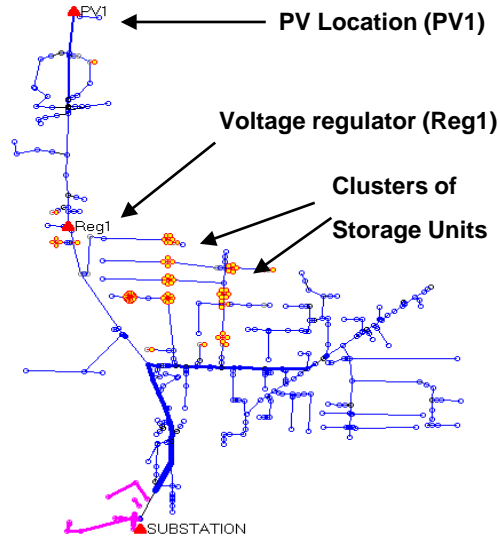
Distribution State Estimation (DSE)

- ❑ Key feature for Smart Grid
- ❑ Robust estimation more feasible with AMI, sensors
- ❑ Transmission state estimation mature
- ❑ Barriers to DSE
 - Low X/R
 - Phase unbalances
 - Magnitude (V, I) measurements in line sensors
 - Communications latency and bandwidth
 - Non-coincident samples
 - Insufficient samples to make feeder observable

Simulating with AMI Load Data



Modeling Communications





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Next Steps





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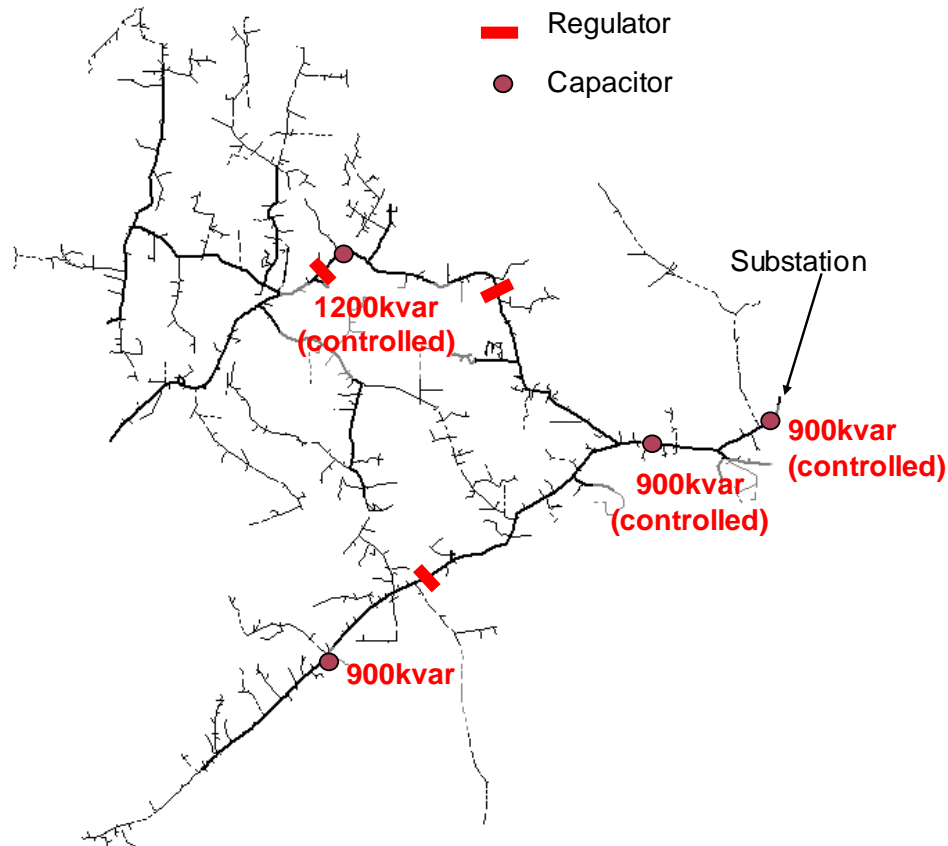
IEEE PES Distribution System Analysis Subcommittee (DSAS)

- Advancing Distribution System Analysis Tools
 - Developing new benchmarks (test feeders)
 - Supporting data exchange standards
 - IEC 61968 and **CIM**
 - **Multispeak**
 - Producing IEEE Recommended Practice
 - IEEE Std P1729
 - Organizing paper and panel sessions

IEEE Test Feeders

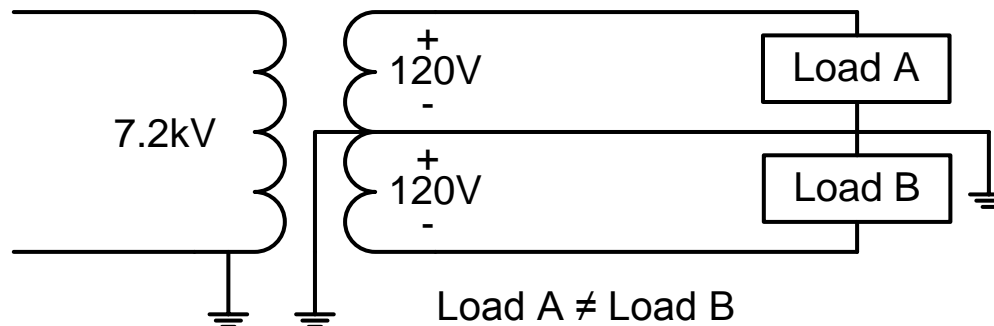
- ❑ Original set from Prof. Kersting
 - 4-, 13-, 34-, 37-, 123-bus test feeders
- ❑ Recent Additions
 - NEV Test Feeder
 - 8500-node Test Feeder
 - Comprehensive Test Feeder (later in program)
- ❑ Coming soon ...
 - DG Protection Test Feeder
 - Large urban LV network

8500-Node Test Feeder



8500-Node Test Feeder

- ❑ Challenges for DSA programs/algorithms
 - Modeling large unbalanced distribution systems
 - Solving large unbalanced distribution systems
 - Modeling secondaries
 - Heavily loaded system close to convergence limits
 - Advanced controls (capacitors, regulators)
 - Modeling the 120/240V transformer



Key Challenges for the Future

- ❑ Merging planning and real-time analysis
- ❑ Time series simulations
- ❑ Very large system models (100,000 – 1,000,000)
- ❑ System communication simulation
- ❑ Handling a large volume of AMI data
- ❑ AMI-based decision making

Key Challenges (cont'd)

- ❑ Distribution State Estimation (DSE)
- ❑ Detailed modeling (service transformers, service wiring)
- ❑ Distribution models including the effects of
 - multiple feeders,
 - transmission, sub-transmission systems
- ❑ DG integration and protection
 - Generator and inverter models
- ❑ Regulatory time pressures



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Questions?