Transmission Contingency Modeling





Transmission vs. Gen Contingency

With lossless linear OPF models:

- Generator contingencies cause supply-demand imbalance
 - Must respond with change in production
- Transmission contingencies cause no supply-demand imbalance (non-radial lines, not including intertie lines that may change imports/exports)
 - No change in supply, demand, losses
 - Flows redistribute
 - Allows to structure a pre-contingency dispatch setpoint plan that is secure for both the pre-contingency and postcontingency topology, *without generation redispatch*

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SCED/SCUC: A Decomposition Approach to Capture Transmission Outages with LODFs

Day-Ahead Scheduling in Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) Iterative process until operator



Available: http://www.atcllc.com/oasis/Customer Notices/NCM MISO DayAhead111507.pdf.⁶

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Iterative process until operator is satisfied or time is exhausted





 $LODF_{k,\ell}$: LODF for monitoring like *k* when there is an outage on line ℓ P_{ℓ}^{0} : Base case flow for line ℓ (before contingency on line ℓ).

Decomposition Example

- Suppose you solve a SCUC without an OPF
- Then run a base-case (pre-contingency) DCOPF
 - For period 16 only, overloads on lines 5 and 7
- Then check transmission contingency 1 (assume only for period 16)
 - Overloads on lines 5 and 8
- Check contingency 2, no overloads; Check all other critical transmission contingencies, record violations...
- Add constraints:
- Re-solve SCUC & repeat

 $\sum_{\forall n} \left[PTDF_{k,n}^{R} \left(\left[\sum_{\forall g \in G(n)} P_{g,t} \right] - d_{n,t} \right) \right] \le P_{k}^{max}, k = 5,7; t = 16$ (1)

 $\sum_{\forall n} \left[PTDF_{k,n}^{R} \left(\left[\sum_{\forall g \in G(n)} P_{g,t} \right] - d_{n,t} \right) \right] + LODF_{k,\ell} P^{0}{}_{\ell} \le P_{k}^{max,c}, k = 5,8; t = 16; \ell = 1$ (2)

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- The net injection at r is zero. The injection is at n and withdrawal is at m
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- $PTDF_{n,k}^{m}(1) = PTDF_{n,k}^{r}(1) + PTDF_{m,k}^{r}(-1) = PTDF_{n,k}^{m}(1) = PTDF_{n,k}^{r}(1) PTDF_{m,k}^{r}(1)$



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P1 = 2/3, P2 = 1/3, P3 = 1/3

LODF for loss of line 2, impact on line 1?

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