

# Multiple energy system planning: methodology and application

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#### **Self Introduction**





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#### Outline



#### Energy systems integration in China

#### Modeling of multiple energy networks

#### Planning of multiple energy systems

**Case study of Beijing** 





## **Back Ground**

## **Multiple Energy Systems**



- What is multiple energy system?
- NREL: The process of optimizing energy systems across multiple pathways, scales and time horizons.



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## **Energy Systems Integration in China**

• Why is the multiple energy systems integration important in China?



 Large-sized Combined Heat and Power (CHP) units have been

installed

- The output power of CHP is determined by heat demand, which makes the CHP units less flexible
- This leads to huge wind power curtailment

#### **Electric-Heat Coupling**



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# Multiple Energy System and Energy Hub

		Generation	Transmission	Consumption
	Electricity	•Centralized primarily •Renewable energy integration	<ul> <li>No delay, less loss</li> <li>Real time balance, uneconomical storage</li> <li>Long distance transmission</li> </ul>	•Clean consumption, intelligence •Can be transformed into other energy
٢	Heat	•Distributed: Low efficiency •Centered: Coupling of electricity and heat	<ul><li>Have delay, more loss</li><li>Easy to stored</li><li>Local balance</li></ul>	•Heating and industrial use •Less intelligence
	Gas	•Central development depending on the distribution of sources.	<ul><li>Have delay, more loss</li><li>Easy to stored</li><li>Long distance transmission</li></ul>	<ul><li>Used for power generation</li><li>Low efficiency</li><li>Pollution</li></ul>
	Energy Internet	<ul> <li>Interconnection: Generation-Tran</li> <li>Interaction: Source-Network-Loa</li> <li>Virtual: From real energy system</li> </ul>	asmission-Distribution-Consumption d, Multi-energy Supplement to virtual information system	in both power and information.





Unlocking more flexibility for renewable energy accommodation Efficiency improvement through cascade utilization of energy

#### Multiple Energy Systems and Energy Hub



## **Multiple Energy Systems**



## **Multiple Energy Systems Modeling**







# Modeling Power Grid

#### Power flow equation

$$P_{i} = \sum_{j=1}^{n} G_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \cos \theta_{ij} + \sum_{j=1}^{n} B_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \sin \theta_{ij}$$
$$Q_{i} = -\sum_{j=1}^{n} B_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \cos \theta_{ij} + \sum_{j=1}^{n} G_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \sin \theta_{ij}$$
$$i = 1, 2, \cdots, n$$

$$Y_{ij} = \begin{cases} -y_{ij} & \text{if } j \neq i \\ y_{ii} + \sum_{k=1, k \neq i}^{n} y_{ik} & \text{if } j = i \end{cases}$$

#### Linearization

$$P_{i} = \sum_{j=1}^{n} G_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \cos \theta_{ij} + \sum_{j=1}^{n} B_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \sin \theta_{ij}$$

$$= g_{ii} V_{i}^{2} + \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^{n} (g_{ij} V_{i} (V_{i} - V_{j} \cos \theta_{ij}) - b_{ij} V_{i} V_{j} \sin \theta_{ij})$$

$$\approx g_{ii} V_{i} + \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^{n} g_{ij} (V_{i} - V_{j}) - \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^{n} b_{ij} (\theta_{i} - \theta_{j})$$

$$= \left( V_{i} \sum_{j=1}^{n} g_{ij} + \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^{n} (-g_{ij}) V_{j} \right)$$

$$- \left( \theta_{i} \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^{n} b_{ij} + \sum_{j=1, j \neq i}^{n} (-b_{ij}) \theta_{j} \right) \qquad (4)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{n} G_{ij} V_{j} - \sum_{j=1}^{n} B'_{ij} \theta_{j}$$

• For the branch flow

$$P_{ij} = g_{ij} \left( V_i - V_j \right) - b_{ij} \left( \theta_i - \theta_j \right)$$

• Similarly for the reactive injection, we have

$$Q_i = -\sum_{j=1}^n B_{ij}V_j - \sum_{j=1}^n G_{ij}\theta_j$$

Matrix form

$$\begin{bmatrix} P \\ Q \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} B' & -G \\ G & B \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta \\ V \end{bmatrix}$$





- 1) The non-linear ACPF has a high degree of linearity
- 2) Except DCPF, we develop DLPF which is able to consider reactive power and voltage magnitude



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# Modeling gas network

## Why is the electric-gas coordination important?

#### **Change in US Electric Energy Portfolio**

Electric energy generation by fuel, 1990-2040 (trillion kW-hrs)



U.S. Gas-fired units in 2014: -Installed capacity : 42%, largest sector -Electricity generation : 33%, the same as coal-fired units

## **Electric-Gas Coupling**

#### Problems to look at

- Modelling the natural gas network
- Modeling the dynamics of natural gas flow



Modelling

- The uncertainty and security of gas supply system
- Coordinated operation of gas-electricity system



• Co-planning of electric generation, electric transmission and natural gas pipeline



 Coordination of day-ahead natural gas and electricity bidding

#### **Gas Network**









- Similar to power grid, gas network can be mashed up to thousands of kilometers.
- Using high pressure to keep the gas moving.
- Several pressure adding stations along the long-distance gas transmission network to maintain pipeline pressure.

#### Gas Network Modeling: General Equation



Branch: Gas pipeline





(2) Loop equation: KVL

Basic variables :
(1) Node variables: node pressure, node gas input
(2) Branch variables : gas flow

 $\sum \Delta \pi = 0$ 





#### Gas Network Modeling: General Equation



#### Gas Network Modeling: for Planning

Dynamic branch equation  $\begin{cases} \frac{\partial \pi}{\partial t} = -C_1 \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial \pi^2}{\partial x} = -C_2 Q^2 \end{cases}$ Neglecting the dynamic part Assuming the pressure is stable  $\pi_1^2 - \pi_2^2 = (C_2 L)Q^2$  L: Length of the pipeline Steady state  $C_2$ : The feature parameter of the branch equation pipeline **Piecewise linearization** 

#### **Gas Network Modeling: for Operation**



#### From steady-state to transient model

• The time constants of natural gas system is several minutes or hours. A steady-state model is not capable to depict the dynamics of gas system.



- An example: a typical gas transmission pipeline
- When the gas demand changes abruptly, the nodal pressure changes slowly

#### **Gas Network Modeling: for Operation**



#### **A Transient Node-Branch model**





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# Modeling Heating Network

## **Electric-Heating Coupling**

#### Problems to look at

- Modelling
- Dynamic modeling of heat network
- Building thermal dynamic modeling

- Operation
- Coordinated operation of electro thermal coupling system to accommodate renewable energy
- Electro-thermal decoupling operation of cogeneration
   unit



• Co-planning of power and thermal systems



- Integrated demand response considering heat storage and thermal inertia
- Electricity thermal coupling consumer providing flexible operation to participate in energy and ancillary service market

#### **Heating Network Modeling**



- Heat network mainly refers to the urban (regional) heat pipe network.
- Generally divided into primary network secondary network, with the heat exchanger in the middle.

Both the water supply pipe and the backwater pipe are included.

The heat network includes water flow network and thermodynamic network

Basic variable of water flow network:

- (1) Node variable: node water pressure and node injection flow mass rate.
- Branch variable: branch water flow mass rate: (2)

Basic variable of thermodynamic network:

- (1) Node variable : node temperature and node injection temperature
- Branch variable : branch temperature (2)







# Standard Modeling of Multiple Energy Systems

#### Multiple Energy Systems and Energy Hub

EH models the energy conversion as port based unit with multiple inputs and multiple outputs.





#### Multiple Energy Systems and Energy Hub





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#### How to automatically model arbitrary multiple energy systems?

#### **□**How to linearize the non-linearity in the model?



#### Standard Modeling of Multiple Energy Systems

A MES consists of two basic elements: energy conversion devices and their connection relationship.



Branch, describes the energy flow.

**Node**, describes the energy convertor, or storage, or input and output terminal. **Port**, is defined as the interface of a node that exchange energy with others.



#### **Basic Matrices**





For the *g*-th node, we define *converter characteristic matrix*,  $H_g$  to describe the characteristics of the node.

$$\boldsymbol{H}_{1,2\times3} = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_{\mathrm{Q}} & 1 & 0\\ \eta_{\mathrm{W}} & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The *port-branch incidence matrix A* is defined to describe the connection relation between the ports of a node and the branches.

 $m_b = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{branch } b \text{ is connected to input port } k \text{ of node } g \\ -1 & \text{branch } b \text{ is connected to output port } k \text{ of node } g \\ 0 & \text{branch } b \text{ is not connected to any port of node } g \end{cases}$ 



#### **Basic Model**

#### Energy Conversion Matrices

Given the port-branch incidence matrix and the converter characteristic matrix, we can calculate the *branch energy conversion matrix* for node *g*:

$$\boldsymbol{Z}_{g} = \boldsymbol{H}_{g}\boldsymbol{A}_{g}$$

The *system energy conversion matrix* Z is the combination of the nodal energy conversion matrix of all nodes in EH:

$$\boldsymbol{Z} = \left[\boldsymbol{Z}_{1}^{\mathrm{T}}, \boldsymbol{Z}_{2}^{\mathrm{T}}, ..., \boldsymbol{Z}_{N}^{\mathrm{T}}\right]^{T}$$



## **Standard Modeling of Multiple Energy Systems**

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For the MES, the system energy conversion matrix Z is:



Then, we can obtain the *energy conversion equation* of the EH:



## Define Input and Output Relationship

We define can obtain the *input incidence matrix* and *output incidence matrix* of the EH to describe the mapping relationship between energy inputs and outputs of EH and its branch energy flows:

$$V_{in} = XV$$
  
 $V_{out} = YV$ 

Thus, we form the *comprehensive energy flow equations* of EH:

Energy conversion equation acts as a bridge between the input vector  $V_{in}$  and output vector  $V_{out}$ . The visible function expressions between  $v_{in}$  and  $V_{out}$ , i.e. coupling matrix, can be produced through Gauss elimination.

#### Gaussian elimination to obtain coupling matrix

The visible relationship between  $V_{in}$  and  $V_{out}$ , i.e. coupling matrix, can be produced through Gaussian elimination.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{Y} \\ -\mathbf{I} & \mathbf{X} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{Z} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{V}_{in} \\ \mathbf{V} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{V}_{out} \\ \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{I} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{V}_{in} + \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ \mathbf{Z} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$R \quad Q$$

#### **Computerized modeling**

#### ◆ Standardized Data Structure



Node Table:

- node ID
- node type
- node parameters

TABLE I					
NODE TABLE OF THE EH IN FIG. 2					
No.	Node Type	Parameters			
-1	-1	0	0		
0	0	0	0		
1	3	$\eta_{ m Q}$	$\eta_{ m w}$		
2	1	$\eta_{_{\mathrm{WARG}}}$	0		

#### Branch Table

- branch ID
- branch type
- source node
- sink node
  - branch parameters

TABLE II						
BRANCH TABLE OF THE EH IN FIG. 2						
No.	Branch Type	Source	Sink	Parameters		
1	4	-1	1	0		
2	3	1	2	0		
3	3	1	0	300		
4	1	1	0	0		
5	2	2	0	0		



#### **Case study**





$$C = -\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Q}^{-1}\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_{\mathrm{Q}}\alpha_{\mathrm{R}}\eta_{\mathrm{W}\mathrm{A}\mathrm{R}\mathrm{G}} & \eta_{\mathrm{Q}}\alpha_{\mathrm{Q}} & \eta_{\mathrm{W}} \end{bmatrix}^{T}$$

$$\mathbf{Z} = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_{Q} & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ \eta_{W} & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \eta_{R} & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -\alpha_{Q} & \alpha_{R} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \mathbf{C}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_{Q} & -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ \eta_{W} & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\alpha_{Q} & \alpha_{R} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

#### **Extended Analysis**



#### What to do next?

- Energy Storage ?
- Demand Response ?
- > Multiple Energy Networks ?
- Non-linearity of Energy Conversion ?
- General Optimal Energy Flow Model ?





# Planning of Multiple Energy Systems

#### Multiple Energy System





#### **EH Planning: Starting from Scratch**

#### Problem Statement





#### Modeling connections of possible components



Input and output ports incidence matrix



#### **MES Planning optimization problem**



min 
$$TC = C_I + C_O$$
  $C_I = \sum_{g=1}^G \frac{r(1+r)^K}{(1+r)^K - 1} C_g I_g$   $C_O = \sum_{s=1}^S \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{m=1}^M \omega_s f_{m,t,s} V_{m,t,s}^{in}$ 

 $x_{::} \in \{0,1\}$ 

s.t.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{X} \\ \boldsymbol{Y} \\ \boldsymbol{Z} \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{V} = \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{V}_{in} \\ \boldsymbol{V}_{out} \\ \boldsymbol{0} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \forall l, t, s$$

 $0 \leq V_{l,t,s} \leq x_l M_1 \ \forall l,t,s$ 

 $0 \le \sum x_l \le I_g M_2 \ \forall l, g$ 

 $l \in g$ 

Constraints

**Operation constraints under different operation scenario** 

The coupling constraints between binary variable and energy flow variable for each branch

The coupling constraints between binary variables of branch and components

#### Planning subsidiary administrative center of Beijing

The Beijing government is planning to build a subsidiary administrative center in the undeveloped district of Tongzhou in the southeast of Beijing, containing Beijing municipal government and consist of offices, commercial buildings and residential buildings.

#### Total area:

- 155 square kilometers
- Core district area:
  - 6 square kilometers
- Planned building area
  - 3.8 million square meters.





#### **Optimal Planning**





#### Planning scheme comparison for Subsidiary administrative center of Beijing

#### Potential planning for Tongzhou

Case 1:

Planning results from the model



Case 3 Import city heat network plan

 $V_{in\_E}$ 



Case 4 Combine cooling and heating plan

 $v_7$ 

 $v_8$ 

Vg

 $v_{10}$ 

 $v_{II}$ 

 $v_{12}$ 

V13

V14

V15

GSHP

EB

CHP

no nw

CERG

HP\_C



GSHP

DGSHP

EB

HP\_C

HHP 4

CERG

CERG

V13

 $V_{in_{GE}}$ 

 $V_{in\_E}$ 

v16

 $v_{17}$ 

 $v_{18}$ 

TS

 $\eta_{TS}$ 

WARG

1 WARO

CS

 $v_5$ 



Heat

Cooling

Electricity

 $v_{17}$ 

 $v_{18}$ 

Gas boiler plan

TS

CS

Case 5

#### Planning scheme comparison for Subsidiary administrative center of Beijing

#### Comparison of the costs and emissions



Plan	1	2	3	4	5
Total operation cost $(10^4 \text{ Y})$	85049	88673	88622	87677	126582
Total emission (10 <sup>4</sup> kg CO2)	220.97	238.92	241.82	231.22	241.27



#### **Concluding Remarks**



- The presentation provides methodologies of standardized modeling for MES
  - Linear model of power grid, gas network and heat network
  - A standardized matrix modeling method of Energy Hub
- **Standardized modeling can:** 
  - Automated modeling of MES
  - Planning of MES
  - Optimal/stochastic energy flow of MES
  - Reliability/ Resilience of MES





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# Thanks Q&A



