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Description: The mission of the Carnegie Mellon Smart Grid Research Center (SGRC) was to develop an Information Communications Technology (ICT)-enabled framework for Dynamic Monitoring and Decision Systems (DYMONDS) in support of a sustainable evolution and reengineering of today's electric power system into future generations of energy systems. These next generation systems will be capable of meeting dynamically evolving complex tradeoffs between economics and societal and energy service user needs in both the short-term and very long-term. The ICT enabled tools will support flexible on-line interactions across the industry according to two fundamental principles: (P1) Enabling sufficient autonomy to the particular (groups of) stakeholders to pursue their own objectives while taking into consideration interactions with the others; and, (P2) Utilizing the output based on the decision making by the particular (groups of) stakeholders for effective aggregation and management of larger (groups of) stakeholders toward achieving goals of interest to these larger groups, and, ultimately, to the system as a whole.

Individual Tasks:

Task 2111.001: Adaptive Load Management (ALM)

Student: Jhi-Young Joo

Principal Investigator: Marija Ilic

This research develops an economic model (software simulation/tools) and decision making strategies (algorithms and software implementation) for load aggregators which comprehend uncertainty in supply/demand and incorporate adaptive load management.

Task 2111.002: Dynamics and Control of Smart Grids: Combined Effects of Phasor Measurement Units (PMUs), Dynamic Line Rating Units (DLRs) and System Dispatch Student: Andrew Hsu, Nipun Popli, Qixing Lui

Principal Investigator: Marija Ilic

This research introduces novel concepts for modeling system dynamics driven by novel dispatch supported by fast and accurate measurements and sensors. The emphasis is on understanding the dynamics and control needed for ensuring that such systems do not experience instability.

Task 2111.003: Nonlinear Control of Flexible AC Transmission Systems (FACTS) for Transient Stabilization

Student: Milos Cvetkovic Principal Investigator: Marija Ilic This research demonstrates use of nonlinear control of Flexible AC Transmission Systems (FACTS) to transiently stabilize the response of complex power networks during major equipment failures.

Task 2111.004: Pushing the Limits to Computing: Managing Resources in a Reliable and Efficient Way in Large-Scale Electric Power Grids

Student: Sanja Cvijic

Principal Investigator: Marija Ilic

This research introduces a new computational framework to managing energy resources in which inter-temporal and inter-spatial dependencies are critical for both making the system reliable and efficient.

Task 2111.005: Optimal Usage of Transmission Capacity using Power Flow Control Devices

Student: Rui Yang

Principal Investigator: Gabriela Hug

This research provides methods for using existing transmission system capacity in a more flexible and optimized way to enable integration of significant variable energy generation resources.

Task 2111.006: Smart Grid Privacy Through Secure Multiparty Computation

Student: Tao Cui

Principal Investigator: Franz Franchetti

This research investigates the applicability of secure multi-party computation as a fundamental tool for preserving the privacy of smart grid users.

Task 2111.007:Modeling and Control for Efficient and Stable Integration of Flywheelsand Other Fast Storage in Future Electric Energy Systems

Student: Kevin Bachovchin

Principal Investigator: Marija Ilic

This research explores the integration of flywheel energy storage systems in power grids for fast time-scale applications, such as frequency stabilization in response to large wind disturbances. Flywheels can respond faster than conventional generators and could stabilize the system in response to a large disturbance until slower generators can respond. Also using flywheels for transient stabilize could have an economic benefit by reducing the wear-and-tear on generators. Power system dynamic models are derived in an automated manner using the Lagrangian formulation from classical mechanics. Non-linear power electronic control of flywheels is designed using sliding mode control and energy based control.

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