
**R&M Project 2A:
Evaluating the Effects of Managing Controllable
Demand and Distributed Energy Resources Locally
on System Performance and Costs**

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OUTLINE OF THE PRESENTATION

PART I: Storage (Mount)

PART II: Ramping* (Lamadrid)

PART III: Robust Optimization* (Bitar)

*** (Note: This is a new part of the project that began on 3/30/13)**

PART I: Storage

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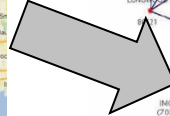
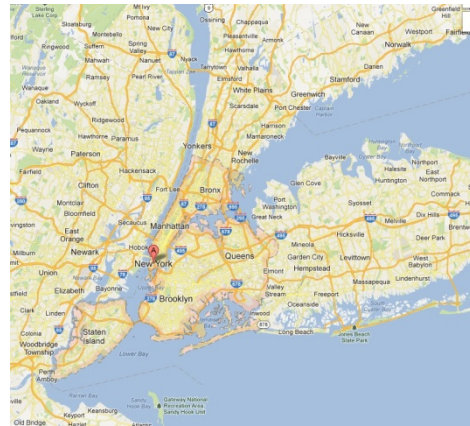
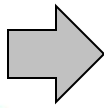
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Context of the Research: An Integrated Multi-Scale Framework

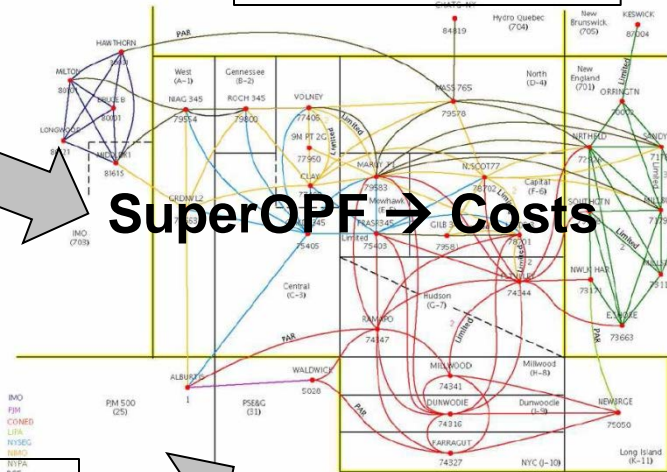


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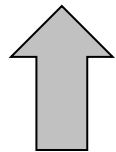
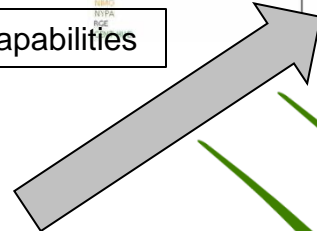
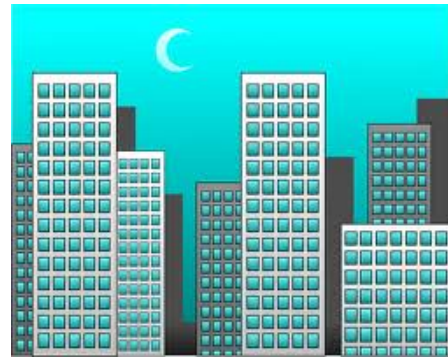
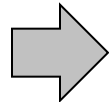
PEV charger capacities → Commuting Patterns → Nodal Capabilities



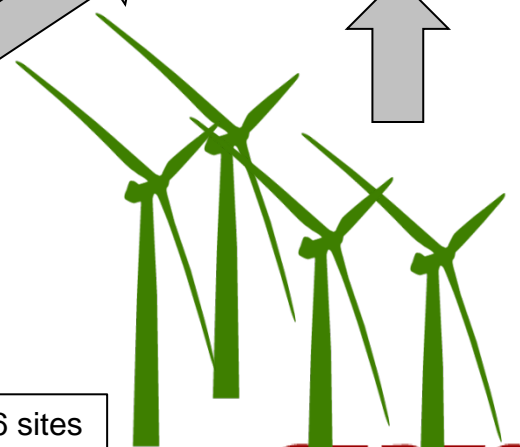
North East Test Network



Ice storage systems → Buildings → Nodal Capabilities

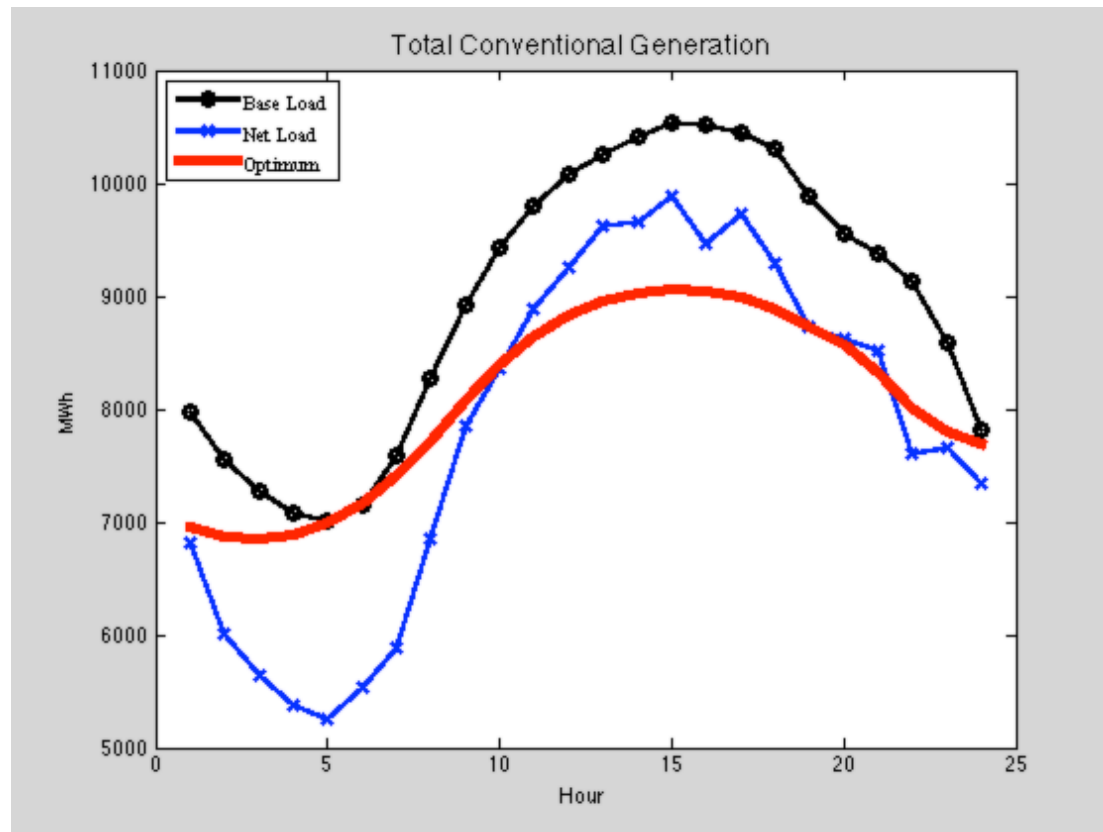


Stochastic wind at 16 sites



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Characterizing the Economic Problem of Meeting the Daily Demand for Electricity in NYC

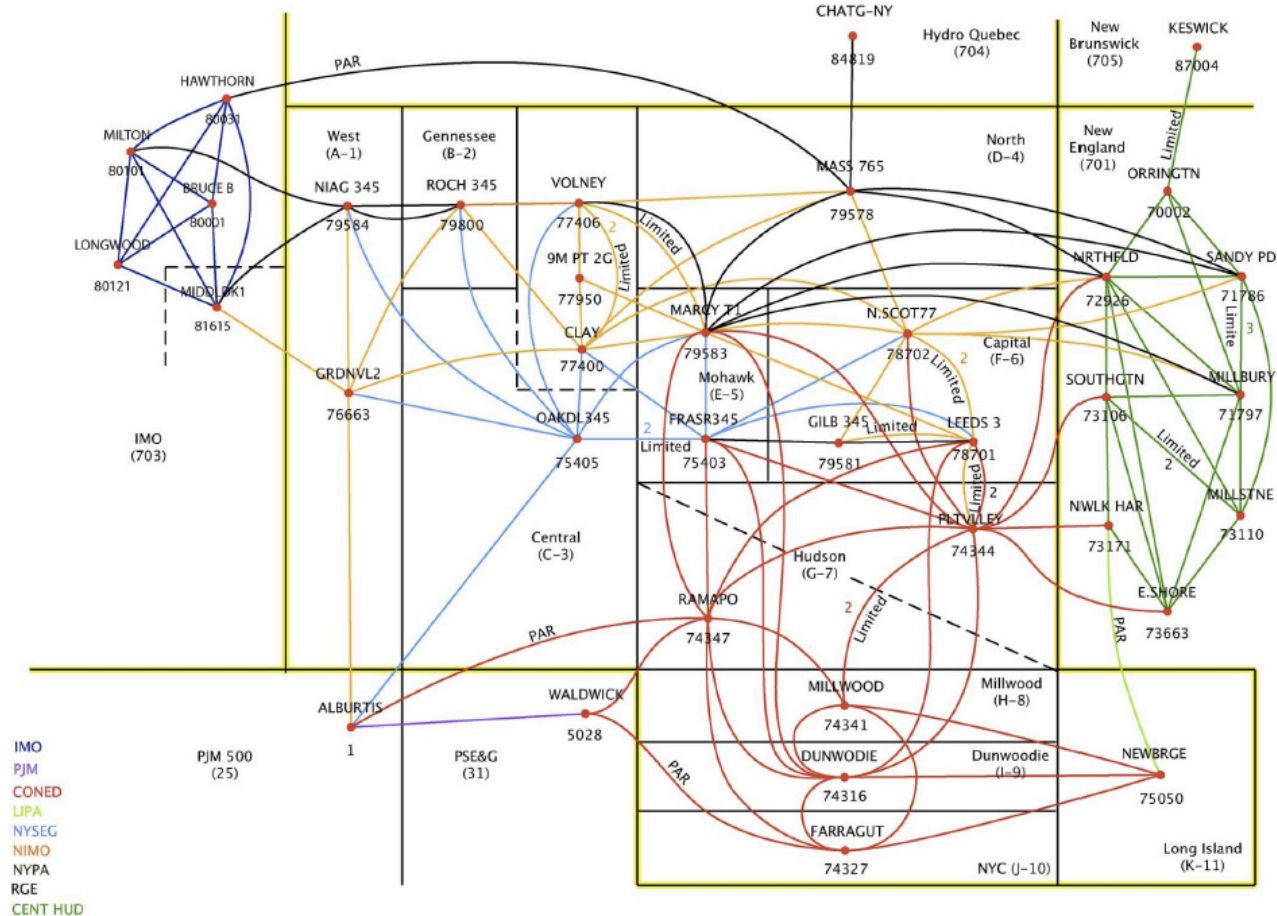


- **Net Load** is defined as Base Load – Wind Generation
- **Optimum** is the least cost dispatch with 5 GWh of PHEV and 5 GWh of thermal storage
- The optimum dispatch is flatter and smoother than Net Load
- **WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A POWER NETWORK IS CONSIDERED?**



North Eastern Test Network (NETNet)

Reduced NPCC System (Allen, Lang and Ilic (2008))

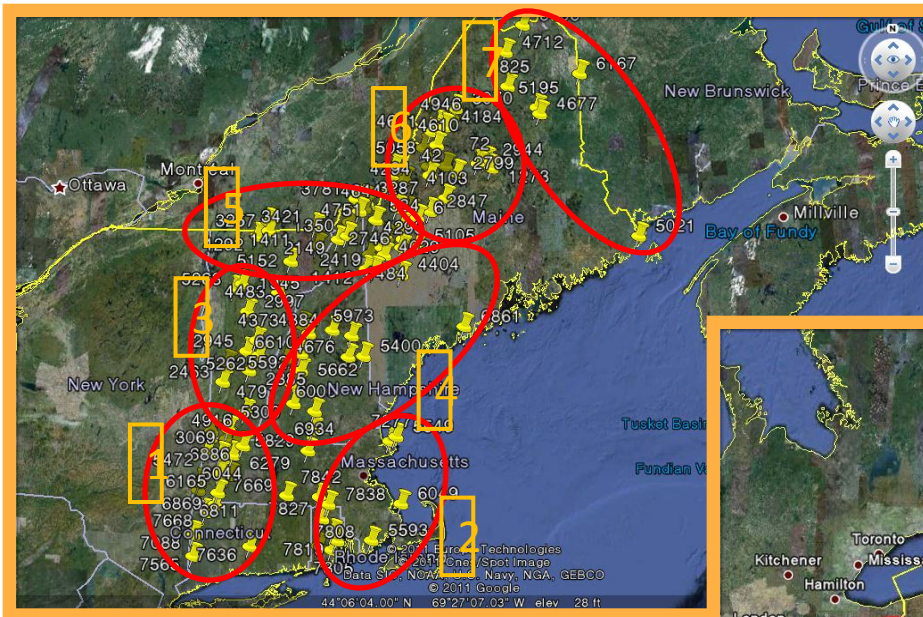


NREL Wind Site Clusters (EWITS)

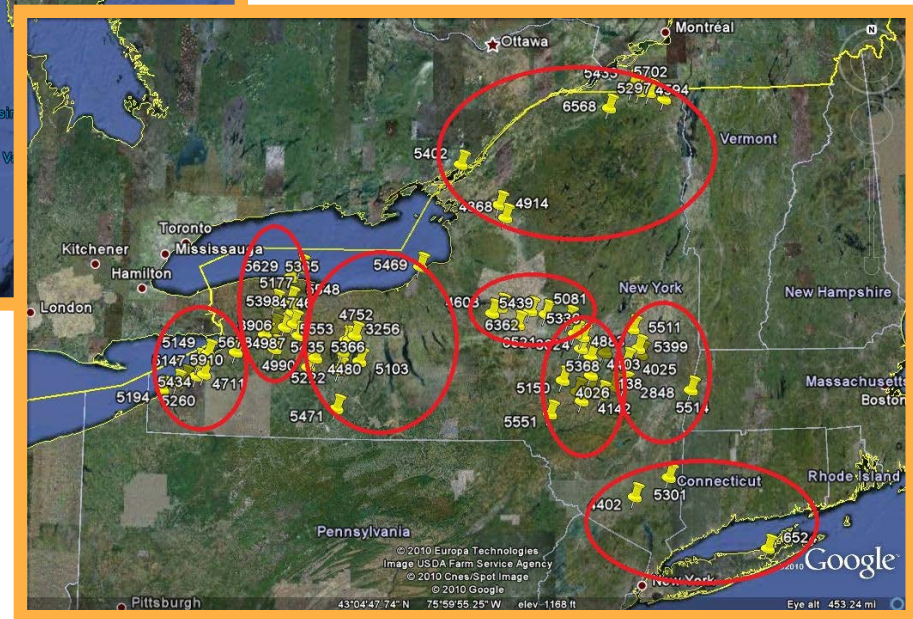


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Uncertainty of Load and Wind Speed

(New York City as an example)



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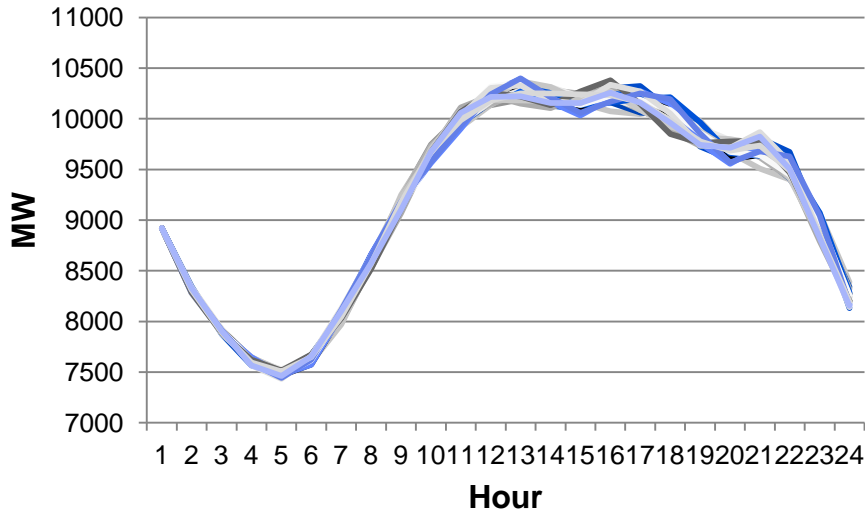
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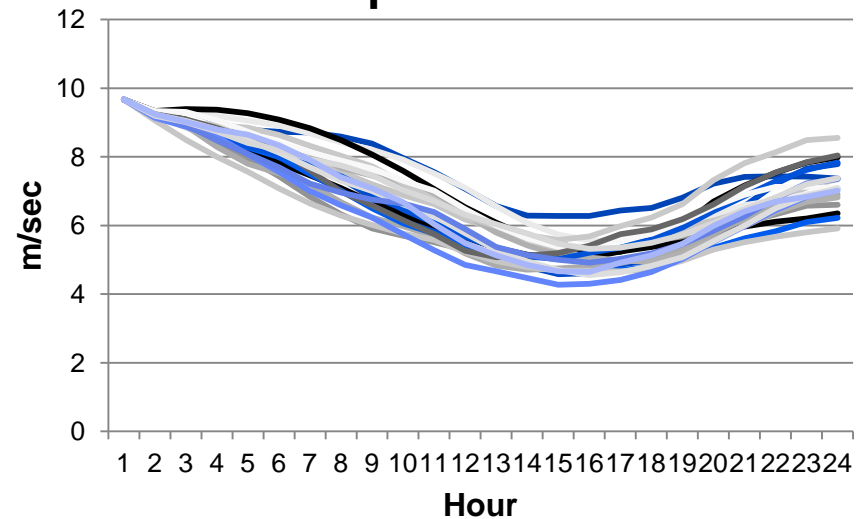
7 ARMAX models estimated for hourly $\text{Log}[\text{Load}] = f(\text{CDD}, \text{HDD}, \text{Cycles})$

→ Simulate hourly profiles of Wind Speed and Load for any specified day given a forecast of Temperature

Load in NYC



Wind Speed near NYC



Dependent Variable	Temperature	Log[Wind Speed + 1]	Log[Load]
OLS R2	79%	8%	90%
ARMAX Pseudo R2	99%	75%	99%



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System Characteristics of the NE Test Network and the Five Cases

NYNE GENERATING CAPACITY	
Peaking (GW)	37
Baseload (GW)	26
Fixed Imports (GW)	3
TOTAL (GW)	66
New Wind (GW)	29
Storage Capacity (GW)	5.5
Storage Energy (GWh)	33
Peak Load (GW)	60
Average Load (GW)	49

Characteristics of Wind Input

Wind/conventional capacity: 48%,
Capacity factor of wind: 21%,
Expected potential wind generation could supply 13% of the daily energy.

Properties of Deferrable Demand

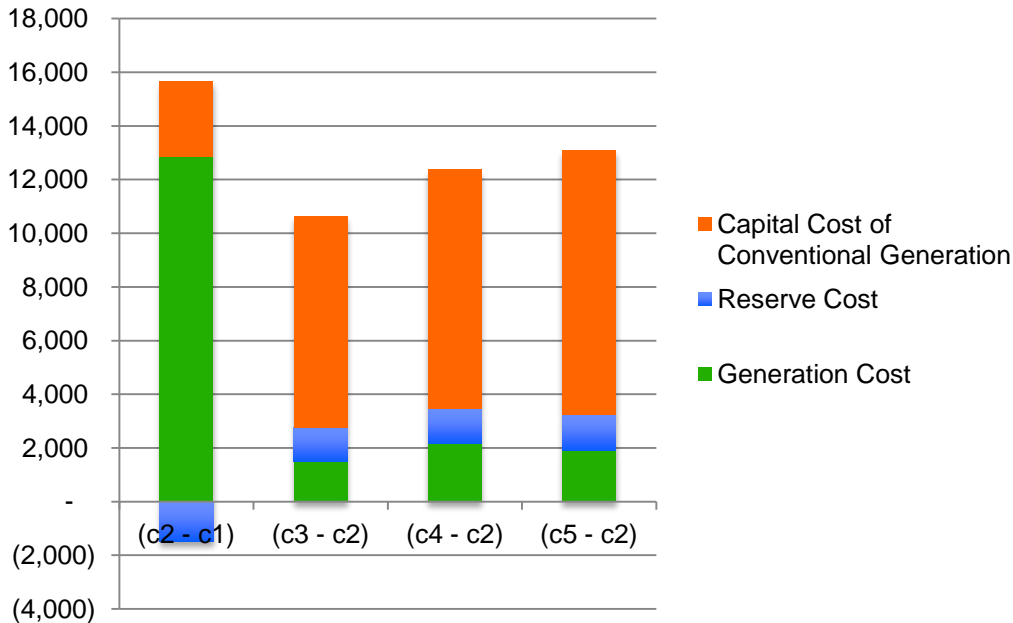
For each hour, the level of demand (system load) is divided into conventional demand (85%) and cooling demand (15%) that can be covered by ice batteries or by air conditioning.

- Case 1:** No Wind: Initial base system
- Case 2:** Wind, 32 GW of wind capacity at 16 locations added.
- Case 3:** Case 2 + Deferrable Demand (DD) at five load centers with a total capacity of 5.7GW (34GWh)
- Case 4:** Case 2 + Energy Storage System (ESS) collocated at the wind sites with a total capacity of 5.7GW (34GWh)
- Case 5:** Case 2 + DD/2 + ESS/2



Summary of the Reductions in System Costs

Composition of Savings in Total System Costs (\$k/day)



Column 1: Adding Wind (c2 – c1)

Column 2: Adding DD (c3 – c2)

Column 3: Adding ESS (c4 – c2)

Column 4: Adding (DD + ESS)/2 (c5 – c2)

Adding Wind Capacity (c2 – c1)

- Large reduction in Generation Cost,
- Small reduction in Capital Cost,
- Increase in Reserve Cost.

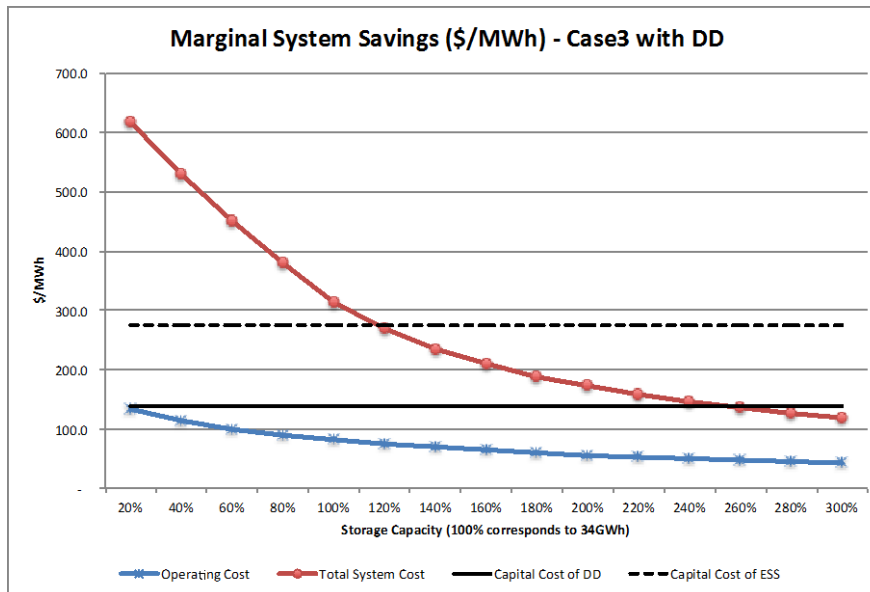
Adding Storage ((c3, c4, c5) – c2)

- Small reductions in Generation Cost,
- Small reductions in Reserve Cost,
- Large reductions in Capital Cost
(c5 > c4 > c3)

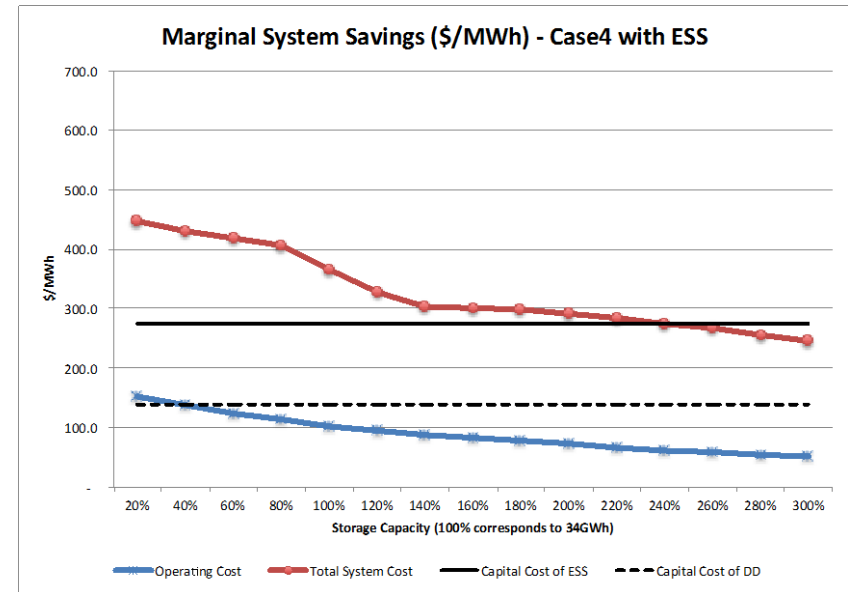
BUT → are the savings big enough to cover the Capital Cost of storage?

Marginal Savings in System Costs with Additional Amounts of DD and ESS

Adding DD (Case 3 is 100%)



Adding ESS (Case 4 is 100%)



Marginal savings in **Operating Cost** (Generation + Ramping) are not high enough to cover the low Capital Cost of DD for either DD (Case 3) or ESS (Case 4).

Marginal savings in **System Cost** (Operating + Capital) are high enough at 100% to cover the high Capital Cost of ESS for both DD and ESS.

The marginal savings of **System Cost for DD** are limited by the hourly levels of demand for cooling services (“discharging” DD is not fungible for other services).

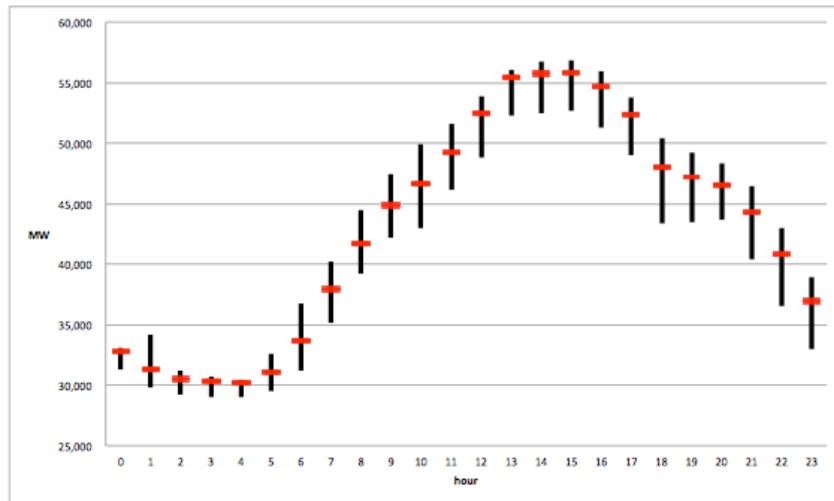


The Hourly Ranges of Conventional Generation with and without Storage

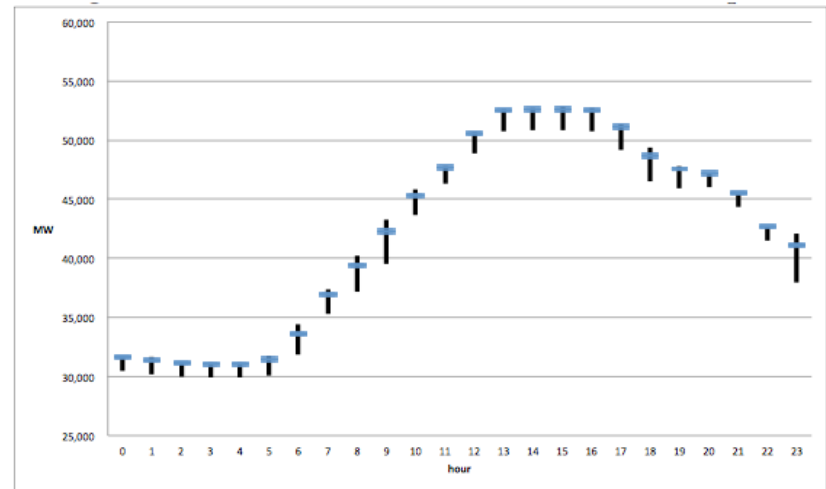


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Case 2: Wind with no Storage



Case 3: Wind with DD Storage



Adding DD (Thermal Storage) Capacity (similar results for Case 4 with ESS)

- 1) Reduces the range of conventional generation in the system states
- 2) Reduces the amount of ramping purchased from conventional generators
- 3) Lowers the peak level of conventional generation
- 4) Increases the minimum level of conventional generation



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The Effects of Thermal Storage on the Optimum Dispatch in Different System States

OPTIMUM DISPATCH AT THE PEAK HOUR

	Case 2: Wind with NO Storage						Case 3 - Case 2: Wind with DD (Thermal Storage)					
	<i>Intact States</i>		<i>Contingency 1</i>		<i>Contingency 2</i>		<i>Intact States</i>		<i>Contingency 1</i>		<i>Contingency 2</i>	
	<i>Wind 1</i>	<i>Wind 4</i>	<i>Wind 1</i>	<i>Wind 4</i>	<i>Wind 1</i>	<i>Wind 4</i>	<i>Wind 1</i>	<i>Wind 4</i>	<i>Wind 1</i>	<i>Wind 4</i>	<i>Wind 1</i>	<i>Wind 4</i>
Supply												
Conventional Generation	56821	54330	56326	52698	56821	53183	-4038	-1795	-4468	-1804	-4468	-1795
Wind Generation	1603	4094	1603	5725	1603	5240	0	2132	0	2687	0	2882
ESS (Discharging > 0)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Import	3388	3388	3388	3388	3388	3388	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Energy Supply	61812	61812	61318	61812	61812	61812	-4038	338	-4468	883	-4468	1087
Wind Spilled	0	7482	0	5851	0	6336	0	-2132	0	-2687	0	-2882
Unforced Outage	-	-	1641	1641	1147	1147	-	-	0	0	0	0
Demand												
Conventional Demand	61812	61812	61318	61812	61812	61812	-4468	-4468	-4468	-4468	-4468	-4468
Deferrable Demand	-	-	-	-	-	-	430	4468	0	4468	0	4468
Charging Thermal Storage	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	338	0	883	0	1087
Total Energy Purchased	61812	61812	61318	61812	61812	61812	-4038	338	-4468	883	-4468	1087
Discharging Thermal Storage	-	-	-	-	-	-	4038	0	4468	0	4468	0
Load Not Served	0	0	494	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Wind 1: System State with a LOW Wind Speed (54%)

Wind 4: System State with a HIGH Wind Speed (7%)

Wind 2 and Wind 3: Not shown (39%)



GENERAL CONCLUSIONS

- High penetrations of renewable generation lower the wholesale price of energy BUT increase the ramping and capacity costs for the conventional generators → **“missing money”**
- All market participants should pay for the services they use and get paid for the services they provide → **new rate structures**
- Wholesale customers and aggregators who manage deferrable demand (DD) should get substantial economic benefits by:
 - Purchasing more energy at less expensive off-peak prices (**pay real-time wholesale prices**)
 - Reducing their demand (capacity) during expensive peak-load periods (**pay “correct” demand charge**)
 - Selling ancillary services (ramping) to mitigate wind variability (**participate in the ramping market by metering DD separately to distinguish between “instructed” versus “uninstructed” demand**)

PART II: Ramping

PART III: Robust Optimization

**Thank you
Questions?**