Stochastic OPF in presence of Renewable

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Market

- Buyer's economic utility function
- Seller's cost function
- Open market: Maximize Social Welfare (economic benefit \$\$)
- Market Price





Electricity Market

- Electrical Energy is bought and sold
- Players Generator, Load, IGO
- Physical constraints
 - Transmission Line Capacity
 - Power Flow



Optimal Power Flow

$f(P_1, P_2, \ldots, P_n)$	Objective function to minimize
$\underline{V_k} \le V_k \le \overline{V_k}$	Voltage magnitude limits
$L_{ki} \le l_{ki}$	Line loss (heat) limits
$\underline{P_k} \le P_k \le \overline{P_k}$	Power generation/consumption limit

 $P_k = \sum |V_k| |V_i| (G_{ki} cos \theta_{ki} + B_{ki} sin \theta_{ki}) \quad \text{Power Flow}$

Renewables

- Clean energy generation reduce carbon footprint
- Low cost to produce (even negative)
- Variable and Unreliable
- Challenges in optimal power flow problem

System Model



Figure 1: Power system network with N = 12 busses (indexed from top to bottom and left to right) and J = 11 transmission lines, $B^L = \{4, 8, 10, 12\}, B^{NR} = \{2, 3, 9, 11\}, B^R = \{1, 5, 6, 7\}$

Figure 2: Marginal Cost/Utility functions for generators/loads, labels at start of the curve represent the bus number.

Deterministic Approach

 $\underset{\mathbf{V},\mathbf{P}}{\mathrm{minimize}}$

subject to:

- Maximize social welfare
- Constraints
 - Power flow
 - Line loss
 - Voltage levels
 - Renewable Power

$$\sum_{i=1}^{N} C_i(P_i)$$

$$P_i = \sum_{k=1}^{N} |V_i|| V_k | (G_{ik} \cos\theta_{ik} + B_{ik} \sin\theta_{ik}), \ i = 1, \dots, N$$

$$L_i(\mathbf{V}) \le l^{max}, \ i = 1, \dots, J$$

$$V_{min} \le |V_i| \le V_{max}, \ i = 1, \dots, N$$

$$P_i \le P_i^{max}, \ i \in B^R$$

$$P_i \le 0, \ i \in B^L$$

• Not a convex problem

 $L_{mn}(\mathbf{V}) = |V_m - V_n|^2 g_{mn}$

• Linear approximation

How to solve

- Change of Variable $W = VV^H$
- Convex optimization

 $\underset{\mathbf{W},\mathbf{P}}{\mathrm{minimize}}$

subject to:

- Easy to solve (cvx)
- Restricted to tree topology

 $\sum_{i=1}^{N} C_i(P_i)$ $\mathbf{P} = \Re(diag(\mathbf{W}\mathbf{Y}^H)) \longleftrightarrow \mu$ $L_i(\mathbf{W}) \le l^{max}, \ i = 1, \dots, J \longleftrightarrow \lambda$ $V_{min}^2 \le W_{ii} \le V_{max}^2, \ i = 1, \dots, N$ $P_i \le P_i^{max}, \ i \in B^R$ $P_i \le 0, \ i \in B^L$ $\mathbf{W} \in \mathbb{S}^N_+$ $[Rank(\mathbf{W}) = 1]$

Solution

- Locational Marginal Prices
- Congestion Cost
- Power Injections





Figure 3: The power injection at various bus has been shown using dark lines on marginal curves.

Figure 4: LMP are shown near the bus and congestion cost are shown near center of line

Stochastic Optimization

subject to:

- Random variable
- Average social welfare \$
- Average line loss
- Knowledge of probability distribution

 $E_{\mathbf{X}} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{N} C_i(P_i(\mathbf{X})) \right)$ $\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{X}) = \Re(diag(\mathbf{W}(\mathbf{X})\mathbf{Y}^H))$ $E_{\mathbf{X}}(L_i(\mathbf{W}(\mathbf{X}))) \le l^{max}, \ i = 1, \dots, J \longleftrightarrow \lambda$ $V_{min}^2 \le W_{ii}(\mathbf{X}) \le V_{max}^2, \ i = 1, \dots, N$ $P_i(\mathbf{X}) \le P_i^{max}(\mathbf{X}), \ i \in B^R$ $P_i(\mathbf{X}) \le 0, \ i \in B^L$ $\mathbf{W}(\mathbf{X}) \in \mathbb{S}_+^N$

Online Learning

- Iterative in time
- Stochastic sub-gradient method
- 'learns' the distribution
- λ converges approx.

$$\begin{split} \underset{\mathbf{W}^{t},\mathbf{P}^{t}}{\text{minimize}} & \sum_{i=1}^{N} C_{i}(P_{i}^{t}) + \sum_{i=1}^{J} \lambda_{i}^{t} \left(L_{i}(\mathbf{W}^{t}) - l^{max} \right) \\ \text{subject to: } \mathbf{P}^{t} &= \Re(diag(\mathbf{W}^{t}\mathbf{Y}^{H})) \\ & V_{min}^{2} \leq W_{ii}^{t} \leq V_{max}^{2}, \ i = 1, \dots, N \\ & P_{i}^{t} \leq P_{i}^{max, t}, \ i \in B^{R} \\ & P_{i}^{t} \leq 0, \ i \in B^{L} \\ & \mathbf{W}^{t} \in \mathbb{S}_{+}^{N} \end{split}$$

$$\lambda_i^{t+1} = \lambda_i^t + \frac{\alpha}{t} \left(L_i(\mathbf{W}^t) - l^{max} \right)$$

Results

- Line loss variation
- Locational Marginal Prices variation



Figure 7: Variation in line loss with time

Different distribution

- Optimal social welfare decreases with increase in standard deviation
- Congestion cost tends to increase



Figure 8: Effect of standard deviation of renewables on social welfare

Diurnal Wind Pattern

- Most variation captured by diurnal pattern
- Optimize over finite number of time slot
- Close to optimal



Rolling Horizon

$$\begin{split} \underset{\mathbf{W}(t),\mathbf{P}(t)}{\text{minimize}} & \sum_{t=1}^{T} \sum_{i=1}^{N} C_{i}(P_{i}(t)) \\ \text{subject to:} & \mathbf{P}(t) = \Re(diag(\mathbf{W}(t)\mathbf{Y}^{H})) \ t = 1, \dots, T \\ & \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^{T} L_{i}(\mathbf{W}(t)) \leq l^{max} + \delta_{Li}, \ i = 1, \dots, J \\ & V_{min}^{2} \leq W_{ii}(t) \leq V_{max}^{2}, \ i = 1, \dots, N \\ & P_{i}(t) \leq P_{i}^{max}(t) + \sum_{\tau=1}^{t-1} (P_{i}^{max}(\tau) - P_{i}(\tau)) + \delta_{Pi}, \ i \in B^{R}, \ t = 1, \dots, T \\ & P_{i}(t) \leq 0, \ i \in B^{L}, \ t = 1, \dots, T \\ & \mathbf{W}(t) \in \mathbb{S}_{+}^{N}, \ t = 1, \dots, T \end{split}$$

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