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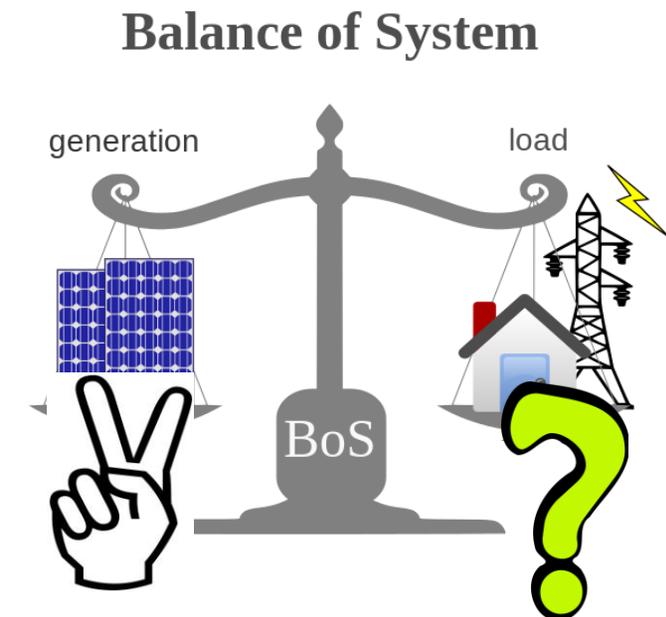
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# Complexity Analysis for PMU Measurement-based Load Modeling

# Motivation

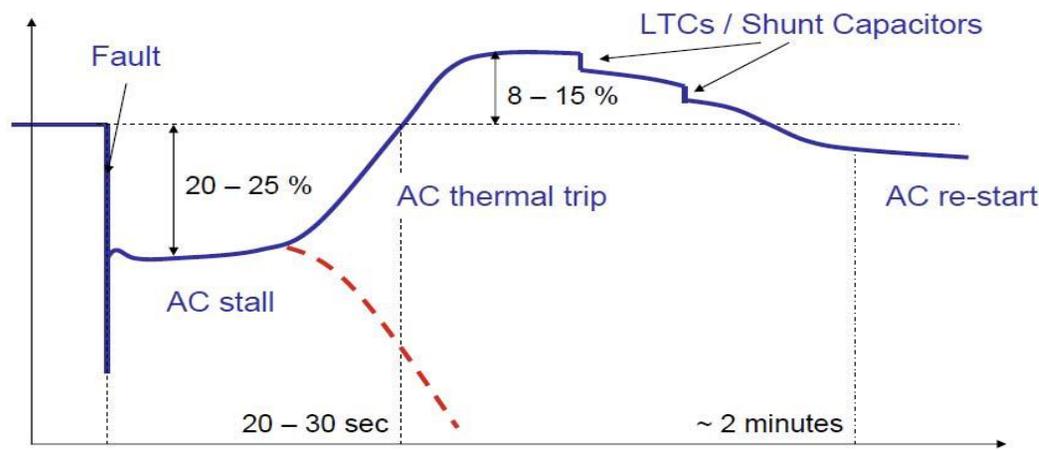
- **Transient stability** is key in many current analyses, and is being proposed to replace steady state contingency analysis
  - **Operations:** accurate dynamic models will be needed that reflect the current grid state in real time so operators can perform appropriate controls to ensure grid stability
  - **Planning:** fast models needed to reduce computation time and allow case studies with more dimensions
- Load models have traditionally been **neglected**
- Many dynamic studies attribute **uncertainty** of their solutions to load models



Source: wikipedia

# Measurement-based load modeling

- **Goal:** accurate dynamic load models for transient stability studies
- Increasing interests in a measurement-based load modeling framework
- Thanks to wide deployment of PMUs and other DFRs, it is possible to fit the recorded fault data to parameterized dynamic



y (FIDVR) events of

[Source: LNBL 2010 report]

# Challenges

- Loads cannot be separately tested and have to be determined while on-line
- Existing aggregated load models are **complicated** and highly non-linear
  - include diverse components, such as transformers, power electronics, and motors
  - account for switching events
- Difficult to **validate** the results as loads are constantly changing
- Our **contributions**: develop the analytical framework to address the adequacy or necessity of existing dynamic load models

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# Complexity analysis

- Extremely large number of parameters; 100 + for the WECC CMPLDW
- Some parameters more **significantly** affect dynamic responses

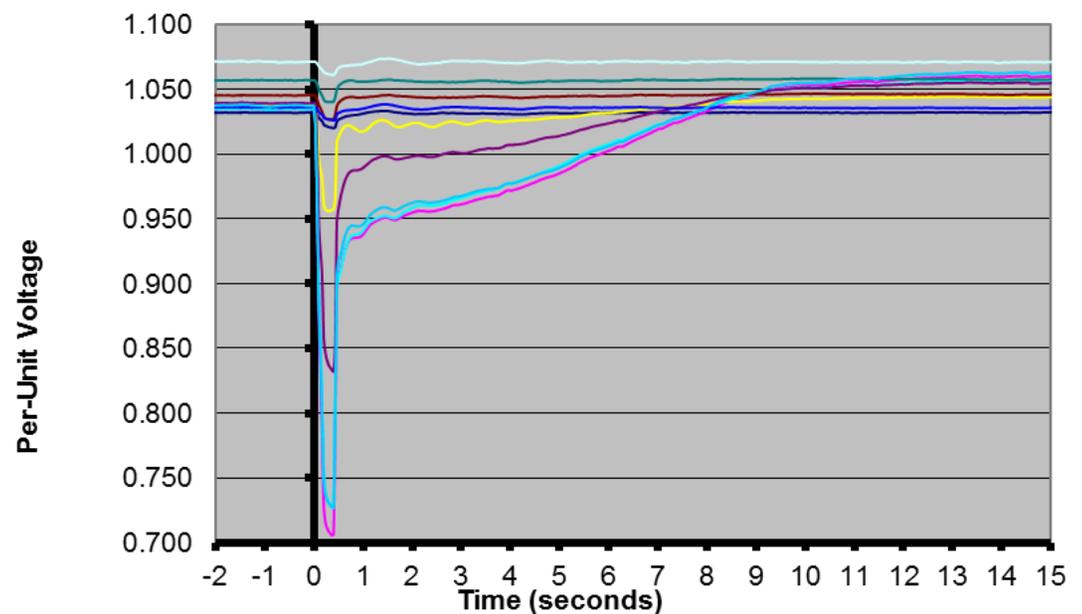
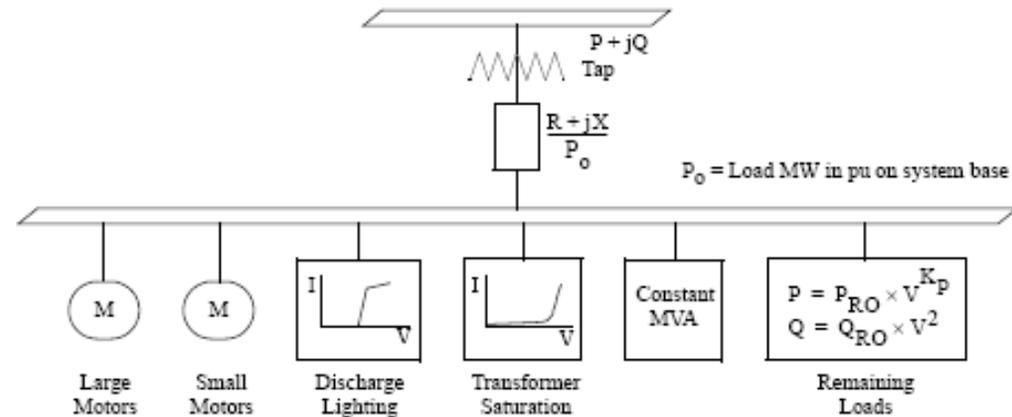
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Xfdr	0.05	pfs	-0.99	LsB	1.8	EtrqB	2	Ftr2B	0.3
fb	0.75	P1e	2	LsC	1.8	EtrqC	2	Ftr2C	0.3
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Motor Fraction Parameters (%)

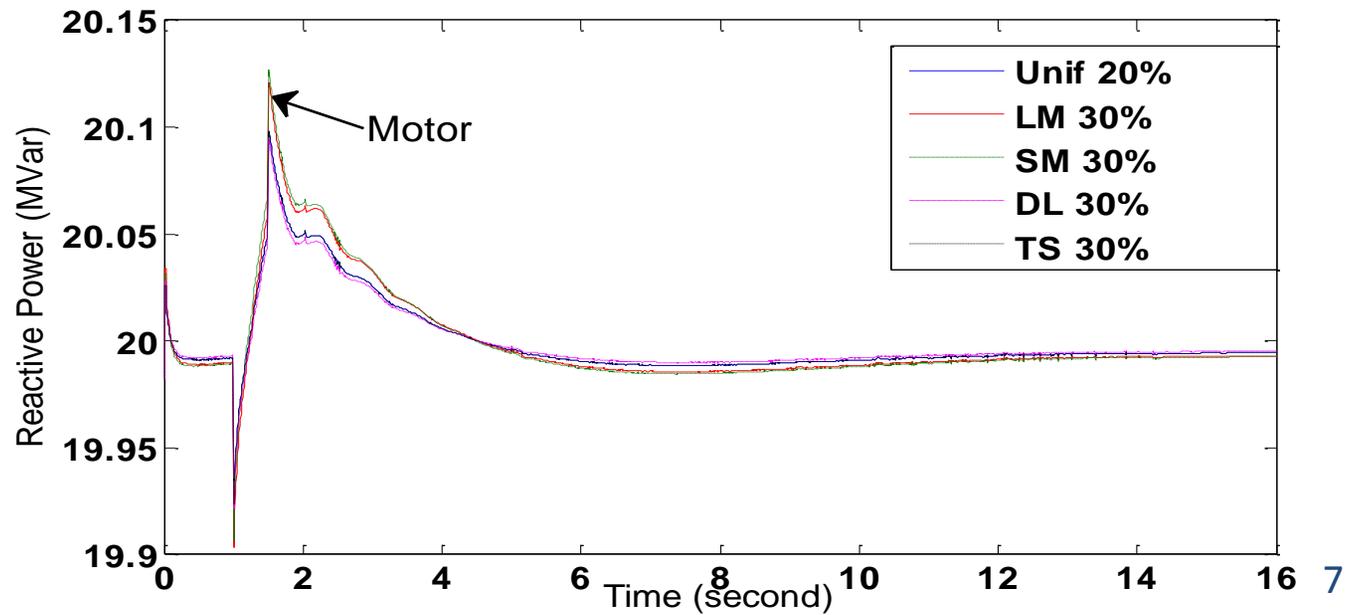
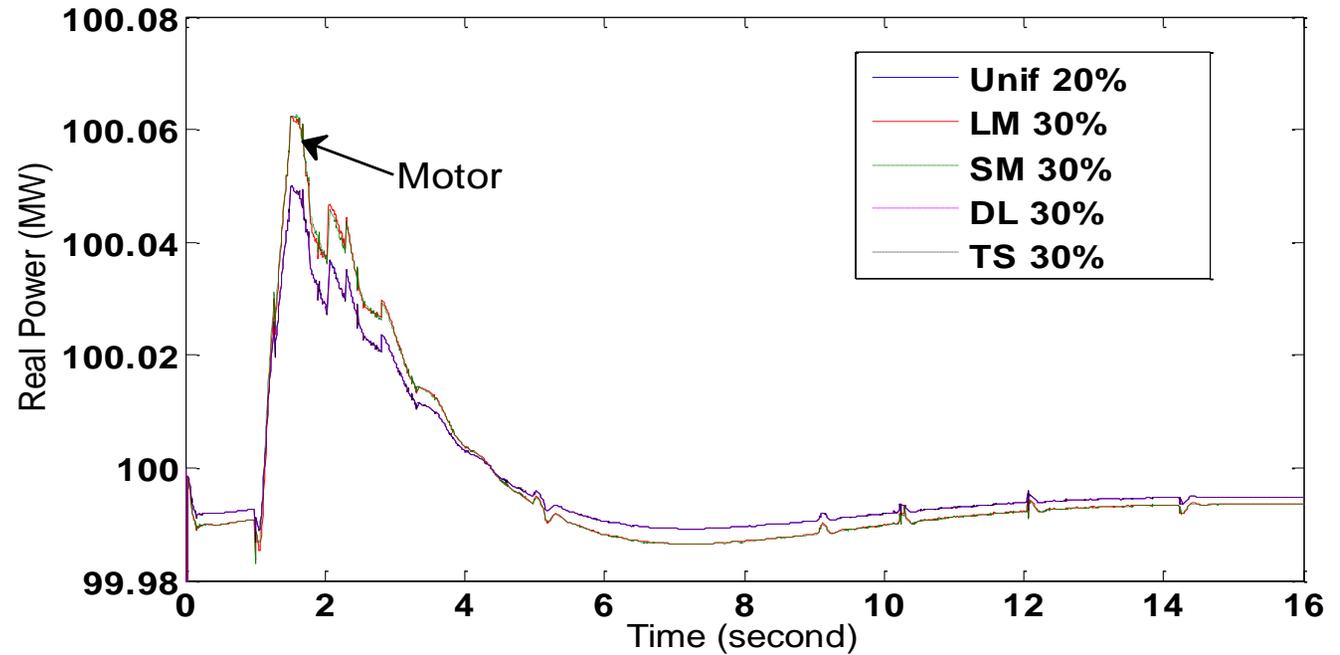
Thermal Protection Parameters

# Simpler CLOD model

- Parameters: percentage level of
  - Large Motors (LM)
  - Small Motors (SM)
  - Discharge Lighting (DL)
  - Transformer Saturation (TS)
  - Voltage-dependent Loads (VL)
- Use PowerWorld generator playback function to input real voltage data recorded during FIDVR disturbances



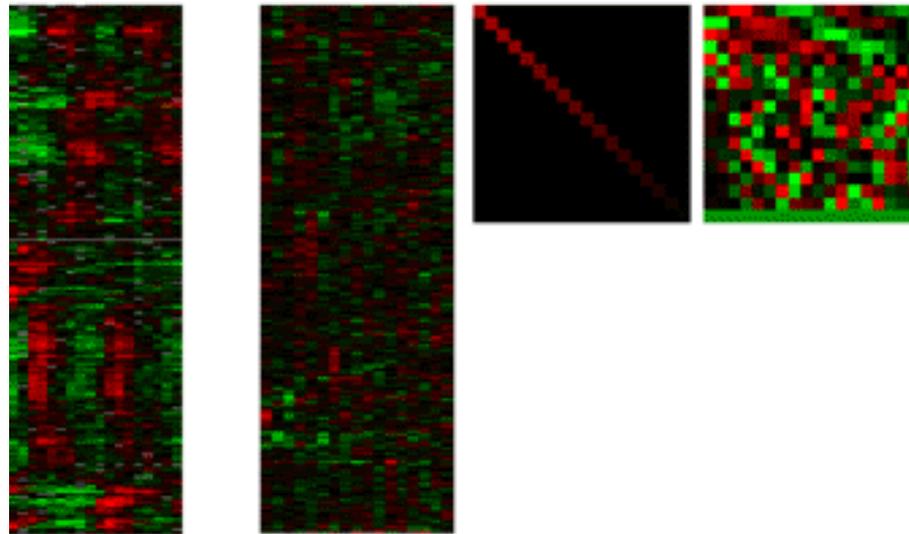
# CLOD output



# Sparse principal component analysis (S-PCA)

- Without sparsity, PCA is related to SVD matrix decomposition
- Sparsity is advocated to further explore hidden data structure/redundancy for noisy measurements or missing data

$$A = U \cdot W \cdot V^T$$



# Preliminary studies

- Both real and reactive power mismatch matrices are almost of rank 1
- The first principal component for Pmat is  
[0.7020, 0.7122, 0.0000, 0.0000]
  - Only changes of LM or SM would affect dynamic response
  - It is the aggregated LM and SM percentages would matter
- The first two principal components for Qmat are  
[0.6212, 0.7627, -0.1800, 0.0000]  
[0.6886, -0.4216, 0.5900, 0.0000]
  - Q response would depend on DL percentage

# Conclusions

- Load models are crucial for accurate transient stability studies
- PMUs provide high resolution for measurement-based load models, but it is important to first understand the adequacy or redundancy of models itself
  - Preliminary studies point out parameter identifiability issues
  - (Sparse) PCA method offers the analytical solution to characterize this effect
- Ongoing work
  - Test Sparse PCA for the WECC load model
  - Characterize the dependence on loading conditions
  - Leverage the complexity analysis results to facilitate load estimation in real time