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# Background





Low Frequency Oscillation (LFO) is inevitable

# LFO Events Summary in CSG SIFING





# Characteristics of LFO in CSGIFING



# Measures against LFO



Conventional measures

- ►PSS
- Manual commands issued by dispatchers

### Novel measures

- Alarming based on ambient PMU data analysis
- Multiple HVDC modulation control
- Generator disconnection or control mode switching based on oscillation source location

# Objective of Integrated Measures SIFANG

Preventive control before LFO occurs

- By alarming based on ambient PMU data analysis
- Closed loop control since onset of LFO
   By multiple HVDC modulation control
   Remedial control to deal with sustained LFO
   By generator disconnection or control mode switching based on oscillation source location













### **Topology Change of Case 1**





# Ambient Data Analysis Result SIFANG



# Procedures of Ambient Data based Analysis

#### Data preprocessing

- ARMA identification for single measurement
- Clustering of ARMA outputs from multiple measurements

# HMI of Ambient Data Analysis SIFANG

#### Commissioned in 2011.

When damping ratio is lower than the setting threshold, weak or negative damping alarming will be issued.

YN/GZ-GD mode (0.4Hz, 16.72%) and YN-GZ mode (0.58Hz,

8.4%), are consistent with result from other tools.



### Analysis of Abnormal Result

HN-GD mode (0.76Hz, 0.33%), where damping is abnormally near zero.

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Restriction of ambient PMU data analysis due to forced oscillation.

$$\Delta \delta + 2\zeta \omega_n \Delta \delta + \omega_n^2 \Delta \delta = \frac{1}{2*H} (\Delta P_m - \Delta P_e)$$
Normal
$$\Delta \delta + 2\zeta \omega_n \Delta \delta + \omega_n^2 \Delta \delta = n(t)$$
White noise input
Abnormal
$$\Delta \delta + 2\xi \omega_n \Delta \delta + \omega_n^2 \Delta \delta = R_0 \cos(\omega t)$$
Periodic input

### Analysis of Abnormal Result

$$\begin{split} \Delta \delta(t) &= \Delta \delta_1(t) + \Delta \delta_2(t) \\ \Delta \delta_1(t) &= A_0 e^{-\xi w_n t} \cos(\omega_n \sqrt{1 - \varsigma^2} t + \phi_1) \\ \Delta \delta_2(t) &= \frac{R_0}{\sqrt{(\omega_n^2 - \omega^2)^2 + 4\xi^2 \omega_n^2 \omega^2}} \cos(\omega t - \phi_2) \end{split}$$

The second item is the dominant component, leading to zero damping ratio.

Under periodic input, the calculated damping ratio only reflects a pseudo external input oscillation mode.

As a result, some screening methods are needed to avoid unnecessary alarming.







### Closed loop control with 2 HVDC lines

#### Commissioned in 2009.



#### Theory on HVDC modulation for LFO damping

Oscillation between sending-end and receiving-end







### **Test on Man-made Disturbance**

# Disturbance: TSQ-GD HVDC (carrying 700MW) was blocked



HVDC Modulation Switch Off

HVDC Modulation Switch In



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### Closed loop control with 3 HVDC lines

#### Adding $\pm$ 800kV Chu-Sui HVDC

RTDS test finished, commissioning test scheduled









### LFO Case 2



Occurred in 2008, lasting for 6 minutes, peakto-peak amplitude of oscillation on certain 500 kV tie-line was 91 MW as well as 66 MW at certain generator output.



### Event Investigation Result



 Dispatcher issued some control commands, including lowering HVDC transmission power and decreasing generation, but LFO still existed.

Root cause was found to be faulty turbine control of HH 2# generator.

 $\succ$  Simulations and field tests prove that, if the main controller of turbine control system with power feedback are out of work, switching the turbine control mode to 'valve control' is an effective method to eliminate LFO.

Fast automatic method to locate the oscillation source is needed.

### **Oscillation Energy Calculation SIFING**





Oscillation source generator

### Calculation Result for Case 2 🗘 SIFING



### HMI of Oscillation Source Location Sirang

During commissioning test, on Aug.13,2013, forced oscillation caused by turbine controller of TZ power plant was captured. Control suggestion was also prompted.









# Conclusion and Future Workersung

Novel measures, together with conventional measures, have constituted an integrated defense system against LFO.

- Further study on mode shape and regulation suggestion with ambient data analysis method should be continued.
  - Oscillation energy based source location method should be validated for different kinds of controller fault.
  - All these efforts will lead to application in dispatcher's console.

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