DataNXT

Data Validation, Data Quality Reporting, and Data Conditioning

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Data Quality Problems

- Dropouts & corrupt data
- Timing errors
- Measurement errors
- Lack of precision
- Incorrect measurement identification
- Excessive latency

Latency variations impact applications



Noisy signals cannot be used with confidence



- ✓ DataNXT will detect problem & set warning flag
- Can be conditioned to improve data usability

Dropouts make data unusable





DataNXT - the Solution

Algorithms = Detect and Flag Bad Data Linear State Estimator = Replace Bad Data with Validated Model Based Values





DataNXT in a phasor system





DataNXT Validation Process





Data Conditioning Example: Replace Dropout with Last Good Value







Model-based Validation and Conditioning Using Linear State Estimator (LSE)

- Network Model (CIM format)
- PMU Data (Real-time or Recorded)
- Topology/Breaker Status Info (From EMS or Recorded)
- Tested with BPA System, ERCOT System, and Duke Energy System





LSE Use Example: BPA System

- Validated for BPA's 500 kV and portion of 230 kV system
- System reduced to PMU visible area
 - 37 Substations with PMU installed
 - 220 phasor measurements
 - 65 observable substations
- Runs properly at 60 frames per second
- Testing with historical and live PMU data

Elements	Number
Substations	65
Lines	96
Line Segments	126
Transformers	129
Nodes	3,091
Breakers	849
Switches	2,357
Series	18
Capacitors	
Shunt	112
Capacitors	
Observable	78
buses	



BPA System Data Conditioning -- Off-line LSE estimation (recorded event)





Recent Live Data Testing Result - 24 hrs

With Real-Time ICCP Update

White: SDVCA Red: Raw





eLSE for ERCOT System

Data Quality Reporting

- **1.** Data Availability How much data is missing? When? Where?
- **2.** Data Quality How much of the data is Good, Bad or Uncertain?
- **3. Problem Breakdown -** *What are the problems causing of Bad and Uncertain data?*
- **4. Problem Sources -** What are the problem root causes (both PMUs & Signals)? When and for how long?
- **5. Reports** Dashboard summary of data quality, diagnostics to pin point problems, root cause analysis, and comparison of conditioned data and raw data

Data Quality Dashboard

PMU Level Errors Bad Data Determined Using PMU Status

Where is Bad Data Coming From?

Use Case Example for Downstream Application: Extend PMU Observability for Line Switching

Use Case Example for Downstream Application: Monitor Critical Part of Grid as Alternate System

DataNXT Summary

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Links for More Info

- Synchro-Phasor Data Conditioning and Validation Project Phase 1 to Phase 3 Reports: <u>https://www.naspi.org/documents</u>
- Synchrophasor Data Validation and Conditioning: <u>https://certs.lbl.gov/project/synchrophasor-data-validation-and</u>
- WECC Synchrophasor Data Validation and Conditioning Application Project Reports: <u>https://www.wecc.biz/Administrative</u>
- Synchrophasor Data Validation and Conditioning Application Webinar: <u>https://www.wecc.biz/Administrative/2015%2011%2012%20Synchrophasor</u> <u>%20Data%20Validation%20and%20Conditioning%20Application.pdf</u>
- Synchrophasor Data Validation and Conditioning Application: <u>https://www.electricpowergroup.net/researchApps/SDVCA/default.aspx</u>

Thank You - Questions?

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