Just a few imports to start :)

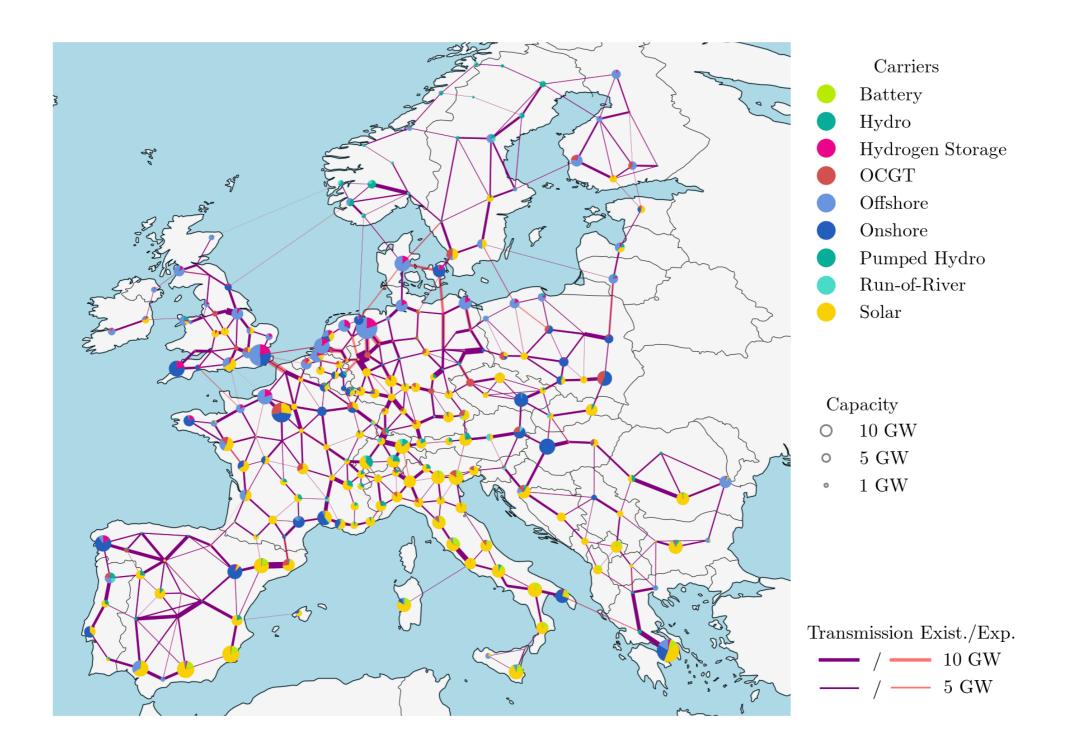
```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.style.use('bmh')
%matplotlib inline
```

Python for Power System Analysis (PyPSA)

Free Software for Planning Energy Systems with High Shares of Renewables

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- Website: www.pypsa.org
- **Documentation:** www.pypsa.readthedocs.io
- Github: www.github.com/pypsa/pypsa
- Group Homepage: www.iai.kit.edu/english/esm.php

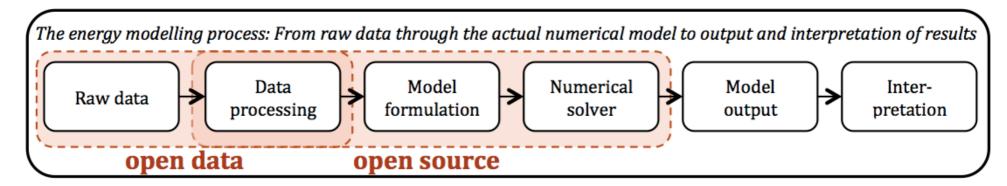


The Energy System Modelling Group @ KIT

Research Agenda:

- Cost-effective pathways to reduce greenhouse gas emissions with cross-sectoral energy system models
- Co-optimisation of generation, storage and transmission infrastructure to analyse the multitude of investment trade-offs
- Power grid reinforcement requirements with large shares of wind and solar generation, and increased energy trade
- Algorithms to increase the tractability of energy system and grid optimisation (spatial, temporal clustering, model reduction)
- Open Source software development and open data to enhance transparency and reproducibility

Open Energy System Modelling:



There's an initiative for that: www.openmod-initiative.org/

Today:

- PyPSA (www.github.com/pypsa/pypsa): Power System Analysis Toolbox
- PyPSA-Eur (www.github.com/pypsa/pypsa-eur): Open model data set of the European transmission system (if time allows)

Warm-up Questions

- familiar with power flow equation (non-linear and linearised)?
- familiar with optimisation problems?
- user of **any** modelling language (GAMS, JuMP, pyomo, ...)?
- user of Python?
- user of the pandas?
- user of the pyomo?
- heard of PyPSA?
- user of PyPSA?

Please Do Ask Questions Anytime and Interrupt Me!

So let's get started with PyPSA...

PyPSA bridges load flow analysis and energy system modelling.

Energy System Modelling Software	Power Flow Software
TIMES	MATPOWER (MATLAB)
OSeMOSYS	PYPOWER (Python)
calliope	pandapower (Python)
oemof	PowerFactory (commercial)

PyPSA can do:

- static power flow
- linear optimal power flow
 - multiple periods
 - unit commitment
 - storage
 - coupling to other sectors/carriers
- security-constrained linear optimal power flow
- total energy system investment optimisation
 - co-optimization of generation, transmission and storage expansion
 - with linear optimal power flow
 - no unit commitment if generator is extendable (this would make the problem nonlinear)

https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/introduction.html (https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/introduction.html)

Installation

PyPSA is compatible with Python 2 and Python 3!

```
Solver (depending on your system)

sudo apt-get install coinor-cbc

or
```

sudo apt-get install glpk-utils

PyPSA with conda or pip or manually (for the brave)

```
conda env create -n mypypsa
conda activate mypypsa
conda install -c conda-forge pypsa
```

or

pip install pypsa

Overview of Network Components

```
In [2]: import pypsa
```

The Network is an overall container for all network components.

```
In [3]: network = pypsa.Network()
```

Per unit values of voltage and impedance are used internally for network calculations. It is assumed internally that the base power is **1 MVA**. The base voltage depends on the component.

https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/design.html#unit-conventions (https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/design.html#unit-conventions)

Buses

The bus is the fundamental node to which all loads, generators, storage units, lines, transformers and HVDC links attach.

```
In [4]: network.components['Bus']['description']
Out[4]: 'Electrically fundamental node where x-port objects attach.'
In [5]: network.components['Bus']['attrs'];
```

Let's add three buses

To enable efficient calculations on the different dimensions of the data, data is stored in memory using pandas DataFrames http://pandas.pydata.org/).

Carrier

```
In [8]: network.components['Carrier']['description']
Out[8]: 'Energy carrier, such as AC, DC, heat, wind, PV or coal. Buses have direct carriers and Generators indic ate their primary energy carriers. The Carrier can track properties relevant for global constraints, su ch as CO2 emissions.'
In [9]: network.components['Carrier']['attrs'];
```

Generators

```
In [10]: network.components['Generator']['description']
Out[10]: 'Power generator.'
In [11]: network.components['Generator']['attrs'];
```

Let's add a generator at bus 0

Global Constraint

```
In [13]: network.components['GlobalConstraint']['description']
Out[13]: 'Constraints for OPF that affect many components, such as CO2 emission constraints.'
In [14]: network.components['GlobalConstraint']['attrs'];
```

Line

```
In [15]: network.components['Line']['description']
Out[15]: 'Lines include distribution and transmission lines, overhead lines and cables.'
In [16]: network.components['Line']['attrs'];
```

Let's add three lines in a ring

Line Types

```
In [18]: network.components['LineType']['description']
Out[18]: 'Standard line types with per length values for impedances.'
In [19]: network.components['LineType']['attrs'];
In [20]: network.line_types;
```

Transformer

```
In [21]: network.components['Transformer']['description']
Out[21]: '2-winding transformer.'
In [22]: network.components['Transformer']['attrs'];
```

Transformer Types

```
In [23]: network.components['TransformerType']['description']
Out[23]: 'Standard 2-winding transformer types.'
In [24]: network.components['TransformerType']['attrs'];
In [25]: network.transformer_types;
```

Link

```
In [26]: network.components['Link']['description']
Out[26]: 'Link between two buses with controllable active power - can be used for a transport power flow model OR as a simplified version of point-to-point DC connection OR as a lossy energy converter. NB: for a lossle ss bi-directional HVDC or transport link, set p_min_pu = -1 and efficiency = 1. NB: It is assumed that the links neither produce nor consume reactive power.'
In [27]: network.components['Link']['attrs'];
```

Load

```
In [28]: network.components['Load']['description']
Out[28]: 'PQ power consumer.'
In [29]: network.components['Load']['attrs'];
```

Let's add a load at bus 2

Storage Unit

```
In [31]: network.components['StorageUnit']['description']
Out[31]: 'Storage unit with fixed nominal-energy-to-nominal-power ratio.'
In [32]: network.components['StorageUnit']['attrs'];
```

Store

```
In [33]: network.components['Store']['description']
Out[33]: 'Generic store, whose capacity may be optimised.'
In [34]: network.components['Store']['attrs'];
```

Shunt Impedance

```
In [35]: network.components['ShuntImpedance']['description']
Out[35]: 'Shunt y = g + jb.'
In [36]: network.components['ShuntImpedance']['attrs'];
```

Network (revisited)

```
In [37]: network.components['Network']['attrs'];
```

Power Flow

(no solver required)

Full non-linear power flow

https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/power_flow.html#full-non-linear-power-flow (https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/power_flow.html#full-non-linear-power-flow)

```
In [38]: # show docstring
    network.pf();

INFO:pypsa.pf:Slack bus for sub-network 0 is My bus 0
    INFO:pypsa.pf:Performing non-linear load-flow on AC sub-network SubNetwork 0 for snapshots Index(['now '], dtype='object')
    INFO:pypsa.pf:Newton-Raphson solved in 3 iterations with error of 0.000000 in 0.037454 seconds
```

Linear power flow

https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/power_flow.html#linear-power-flow (https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/power_flow.html#linear-power-flow)

For AC networks, it is assumed for the linear power flow that

- reactive power decouples
- there are no voltage magnitude variations
- voltage angles differences across branches are small
- branch resistances are much smaller than branch reactances.

```
In [39]: # show docstring
    network.lpf();

INFO:pypsa.pf:Slack bus for sub-network 0 is My bus 0
    INFO:pypsa.pf:Performing linear load-flow on AC sub-network SubNetwork 0 for snapshot(s) Index(['now'],
    dtype='object')
```

Let's look at some results

```
In [40]: network.lines_t.p0

Out[40]:

My line 0 My line 1 My line 2

now 33.33333 33.33333 -66.666667
```

Optimal Power Flow

(solver required)

Model Formulation with Pyomo

To enable portability between solvers (e.g. free Cbc / glpk , or commercial Gurobi / CPLEX), the OPF is formulated using the Python optimisation modelling package <a href="mailto:python-optimisation-python

Let's make a few modifications to the power flow example...

Linear Optimal Power Flow

Let's move to the documentation for more details on the optimisation problem formulation:

https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/optimal_power_flow.html#linear-optimal-power-flow (https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/optimal_power_flow.html#linear-optimal-power-flow)

```
In [47]: | #show docstring
             network.lopf();
             #network.lopf(solver_name='cbc');
             #network.lopf(formulation='kirchhoff')
             INFO:pypsa.pf:Slack bus for sub-network 0 is My bus 0
             INFO:pypsa.opf:Performed preliminary steps
             INFO:pypsa.opf:Building pyomo model using `angles` formulation
             INFO:pypsa.opf:Solving model using glpk
             INFO:pypsa.opf:Optimization successful
             # = Solver Results
                Problem Information
             Problem:
             - Name: unknown
               Lower bound: 3375.0
               Upper bound: 3375.0
               Number of objectives: 1
               Number of constraints: 16
               Number of variables: 10
               Number of nonzeros: 28
               Sense: minimize
                 Solver Information
             Solver:
             - Status: ok
               Termination condition: optimal
               Statistics:
                 Branch and bound:
                   Number of bounded subproblems: 0
                   Number of created subproblems: 0
               Error rc: 0
               Time: 0.028525590896606445
                 Solution Information
             Solution:
             - number of solutions: 0
               number of solutions displayed: 0
Let's have a glance at the results:
   In [48]: | network.generators.p_nom
   Out[48]: My gen 0
                                    100.0
             My candidate gen 1
                                      0.0
             Name: p_nom, dtype: float64
   In [49]: | network.generators.p_nom_opt
   Out[49]: My gen 0
                                    100.0
             My candidate gen 1
                                    65.0
             Name: p_nom_opt, dtype: float64
   In [50]: | network.generators_t.p
   Out[50]:
                  My gen 0 My candidate gen 1
                      35.0
                                     65.0
              now
   In [51]: | network.lines_t.p0
   Out[51]:
                  My line 0 My line 1 My line 2
```

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-10.0

-0.0

In [52]: | network.lines_t.mu_upper

now

now

Out[52]:

55.0

My line 0 My line 1 My line 2

75.0

-45.0

-0.0

```
In [53]: network.buses_t.marginal_price

Out[53]:

My bus 0 My bus 1 My bus 2

now 50.0 25.0 75.0
```

Data Import and Export

"Manually"

```
In [54]: # show docstring
network.madd('Generator', ['g1', 'g2'], bus=['My bus 0']*2);
In [55]: # show docstring
network.mremove('Generator', ['g1', 'g2'])
```

Importing from PYPOWER/MATPOWER Test Cases

```
In [56]: from pypower.api import case30
    ppc = case30()
    network_case30 = pypsa.Network()
    network_case30.import_from_pypower_ppc(ppc)

WARNING:pypsa.io:Warning: Note that when importing from PYPOWER, some PYPOWER features not supported: ar eas, gencosts, component status

In [57]: network_case30.generators.head();

In [58]: network_case30.lines.head();
```

Saving and Reloading PyPSA Networks

```
In [59]: # show docstring
    n = pypsa.Network('networks/pypsa-eur-example.nc')

WARNING:pypsa.io:
    Importing PyPSA from older version of PyPSA than current version 0.14.1.
    Please read the release notes at https://pypsa.org/doc/release_notes.html
    carefully to prepare your network for import.

INFO:pypsa.io:Imported network pypsa-eur-example.nc has buses, carriers, generators, global_constraints,
    lines, links, loads, storage_units

In [60]: n.export_to_csv_folder('networks/pypsa-eur-example')

WARNING:pypsa.io:Directory networks/pypsa-eur-example does not exist, creating it
    INFO:pypsa.io:Exported network pypsa-eur-example has carriers, lines, generators, links, loads, storage_units, buses, global_constraints

In [61]: n_csv = pypsa.Network('networks/pypsa-eur-example')

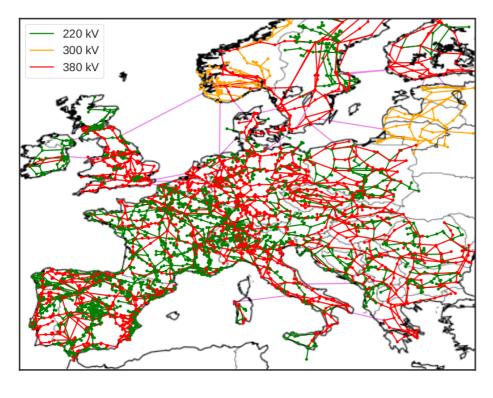
INFO:pypsa.io:Imported network pypsa-eur-example has buses, carriers, generators, global_constraints, lines, links, loads, storage_units
```

Overall: PyPSA Networks can be stored as netCDF, CSV or HDF5.

https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/import_export.html (https://pypsa.readthedocs.io/en/latest/import_export.html)

- netCDF files take up less space than CSV files and are faster to load.
- netCDF is also preferred over HDF5 because netCDF is structured more cleanly, is easier to use from other programming languages, can limit float precision to save space and supports lazy loading.
- CSV might be easier to use with Excel .

Evaluating Larger Power Networks with a PyPSA-Eur Network



- Grid data based on GridKit extraction of ENTSO-E interactive map
- powerplantmatching tool combines open databases using matching algorithm DUKE
- Renewable energy time series from open atlite, based on Aarhus University REatlas
- Geographic potentials for RE from land use databases processed with glaes
- Optional: time series aggregation with tsam
- Basic validation performed in Hörsch et al 'PyPSA-Eur: An Open Optimisation Model of the European Transmission System'
- https://github.com/PyPSA/pypsa-eur

The following example (a German extract of PyPSA-Eur, I happen to have run recently.

All the outputs required nothing more than invoking n.lopf() with a commercial solver.

'2013-12-31 22:00:00'],

dtype='datetime64[ns]', name='name', freq=None)

```
In [62]: n.plot();
```

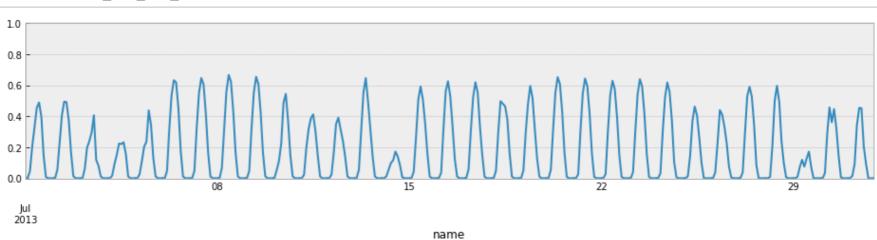
```
In [63]: | for c in n.iterate_components(list(n.components.keys())[2:]):
            print("Component '{}' has {} entries".format(c.name,len(c.df)))
        Component 'Bus' has 333 entries
        Component 'Carrier' has 12 entries
        Component 'GlobalConstraint' has 1 entries
        Component 'Line' has 466 entries
        Component 'LineType' has 31 entries
        Component 'TransformerType' has 14 entries
        Component 'Link' has 4 entries
        Component 'Load' has 256 entries
        Component 'Generator' has 804 entries
        Component 'StorageUnit' has 535 entries
In [64]: | n.snapshots[:5]
'2013-01-01 08:00:00'],
                     dtype='datetime64[ns]', name='name', freq=None)
In [65]: | n.snapshots[-5:]
Out[65]: DatetimeIndex(['2013-12-31 14:00:00', '2013-12-31 16:00:00',
                       '2013-12-31 18:00:00', '2013-12-31 20:00:00',
```

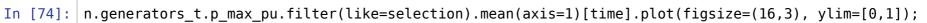
```
In [66]: | n.snapshot_weightings.head()
Out[66]: name
         2013-01-01 00:00:00
                                 2.0
         2013-01-01 02:00:00
                                 2.0
         2013-01-01 04:00:00
                                 2.0
         2013-01-01 06:00:00
                                 2.0
         2013-01-01 08:00:00
                                 2.0
         Name: weightings, dtype: float64
In [67]: len(n.snapshots)*2 == 365*24
Out[67]: True
In [68]:
         n.generators.head();
In [69]:
         n.lines.head();
In [70]: | n.generators.head();
In [71]: | n.links.head();
```

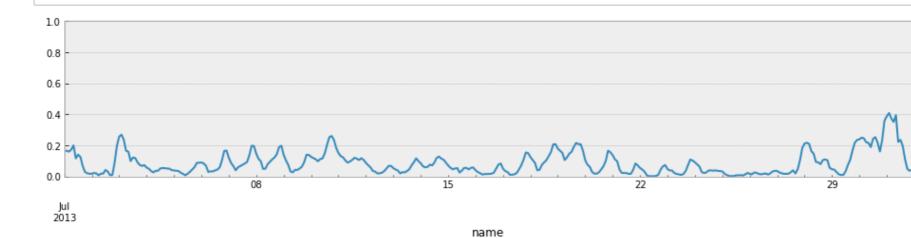
Renewables Availability Time Series:

```
In [72]: time = '2013-7'
    name = '8066 solar' # 3304 onwind, 8066 solar
    selection = 'onwind'
```

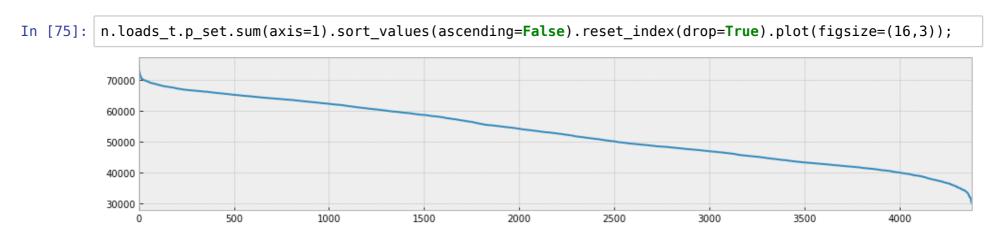








Duration Curves



Fourier Transform

Total System Costs:

```
In [78]: n.objective / le9 # billion Euros
Out[78]: 37.7411839004
```

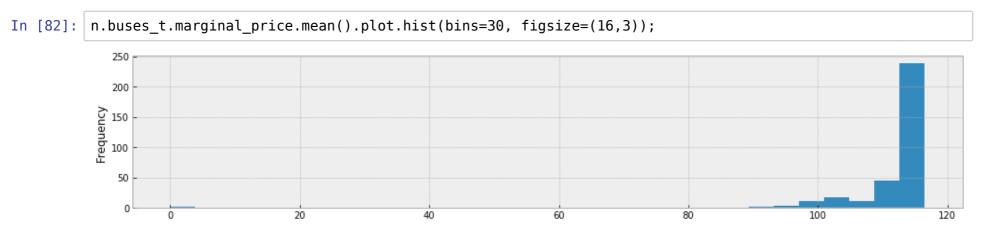
\mbox{CO}_2 price - dual of carbon cap:

Transmission Line Expansion:

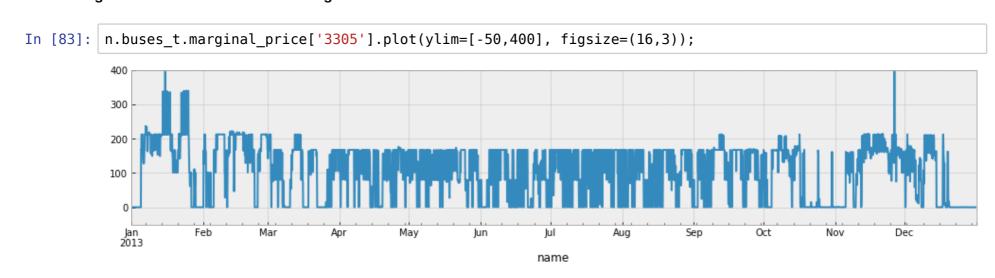
```
In [80]:
         (n.lines.s_nom_opt - n.lines.s_nom).head(10)
Out[80]: name
         9636
                      0.023099
         11025
                      0.057421
         11460
                      0.008194
         18
                      0.020455
         697
                   1138.227279
         681
                    197.912532
         7492
                      0.006281
         682
                      0.002081
         556
                      0.026027
                    495.038598
         850
         dtype: float64
```

Optimal Generator/Storage Capacities

Distribution of Average Locational Marginal Prices:



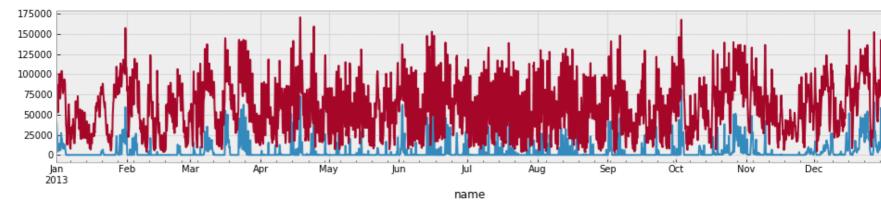
Locational Marginal Prices / Nodal Prices at a Single Location:



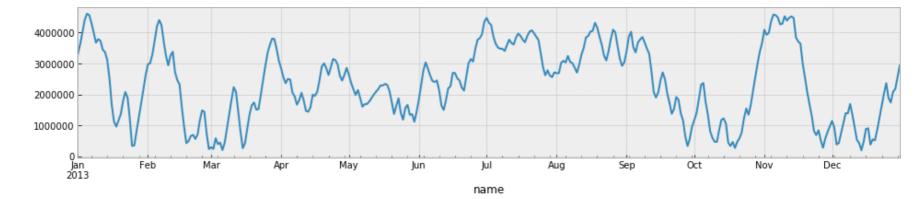
Curtailment of Renewable Generators:

```
In [85]: curt, available = curtailment(n)
```



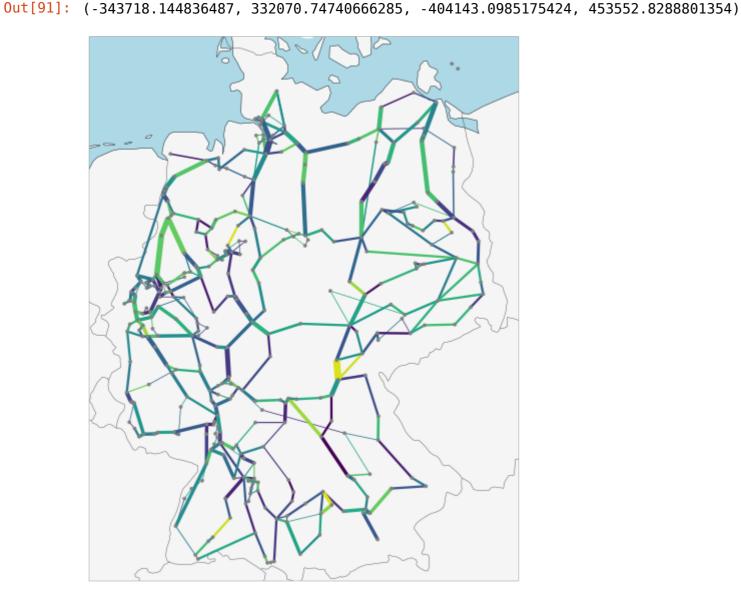


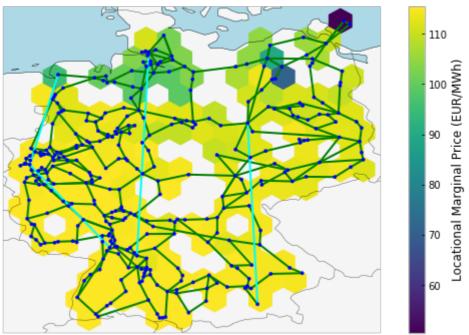




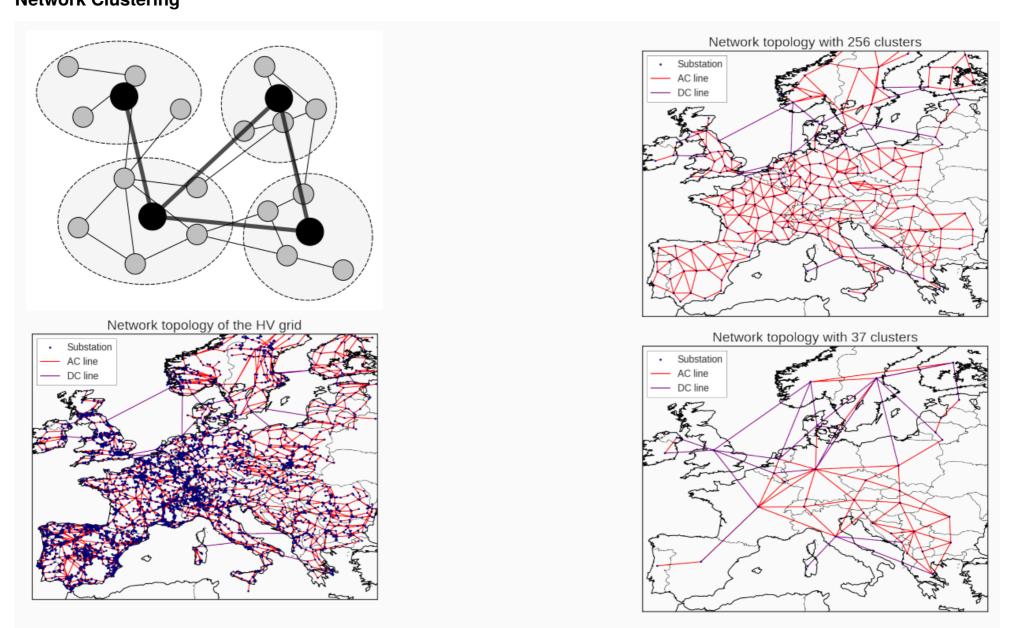
```
In [88]: line_loading = (n.lines_t.p0.abs().max() / n.lines.s_nom_opt / n.lines.s_max_pu)
line_loading.plot.hist(bins=20, figsize=(16,3));
```

Plotting Networks





Network Clustering



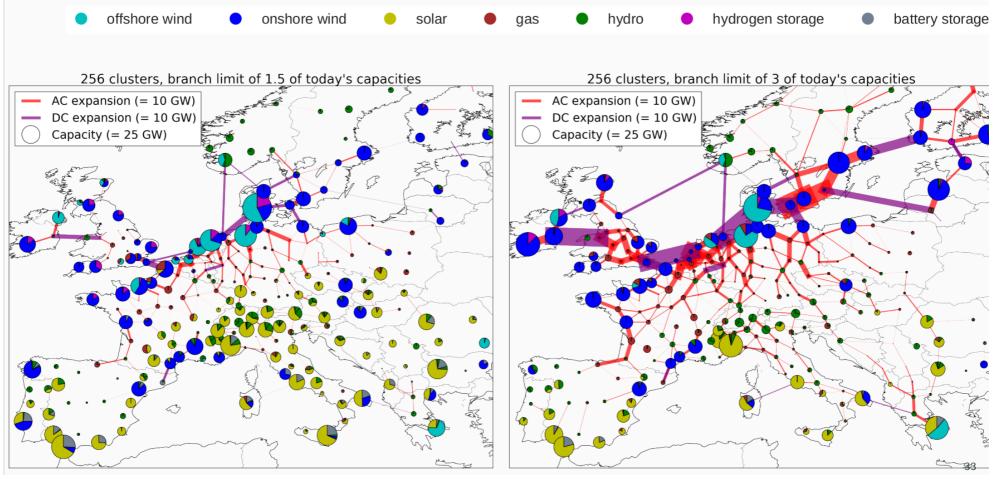
Comparison

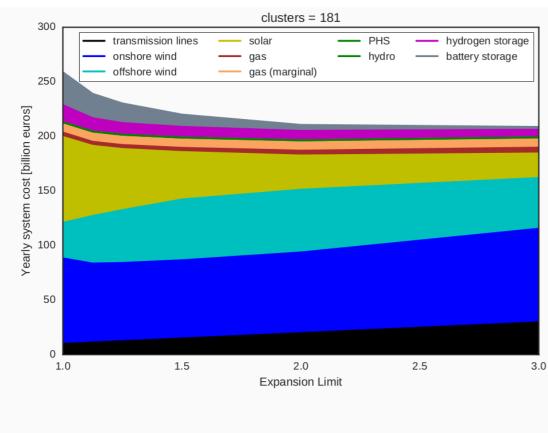
(Source: Dr. Tom Brown)

					(Grid Ar	Economic Analysis								
	Software	Version	Citation	Free Software	Power Flow	Continuation Power Flow	Dynamic Analysis	Transport Model	Linear OPF	SCLOPF	Nonlinear OPF	Multi-Period Optimisation	Unit Commitment	Investment Optimisation	Other Energy Sectors
Energy system tools Power system tools	MATPOWER NEPLAN	6.0 5.5.8	[?] [?]	✓	1	✓	1	1	1	/	1				
	pandapower	1.4.0	[?]	1	/		·	1	/	•	/				·
	PowerFactory	2017	[?]		1		/		/	1	1				
	PowerWorld	19	[?]		1		✓	1	✓	✓	1				
	PSAT	2.1.10	[?]	✓	1	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	1		
	PSS/E	33.10	[?]		/		✓		✓	✓	✓				
	PSS/SINCAL	13.5	[?]		1		✓				✓				✓
	PYPOWER	5.1.2	[?]	✓	/			✓	√		✓				
	PyPSA	0.9.0		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
	calliope	0.5.2	[?]	1				✓				✓		✓	✓
	minpower	4.3.10	[?]	1				✓	✓			✓	✓		
	MOST	6.0	[?]	✓	1	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	1		
	oemof	0.1.4	[?]	✓				✓				✓	1	✓	✓
	OSeMOSYS	2017	[?]	1				✓				✓		✓	✓
	PLEXOS	7.400	[?]					✓	✓	/		/	/	✓	/
	PowerGAMA	1.1	[?]	1				/	/			/	,		
	PRIMES	2017	[?]					/	/			/	/	/	/
	TIMES	2017	[?]	,				/	/			/	\	/	/
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Further Exemplary Results

(Source: Dr. Tom Brown)





- Big non-linear cost reduction as grid is expanded, from 82€/MWh to 66€/MWh (drop of 50 bill. €/a)
- Most of cost reduction happens with 25% grid expansion compared to today's grid; costs rather flat once capacity has doubled
- Need for solar and batteries decrease significantly as grid expanded; with cost-optimal grid, system is dominated by wind

Source: Schlachtberger et al, 2017, Hörsch et al,

Conclusion

- Who else uses PyPSA?
- How to ask questions?
- How to report bugs?
- How to contribute?

How to find this Jupyter Notebook and Data

www.neumann.fyi/assets/pypsa-tutorial.html

Dropbox link for the rest

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In []: